



Quake leaves dead, rubble in wake

By JACK R. PAYTON
ROME (UPI) — Central Europe's most destructive earthquake in more than a decade jarred parts of five countries Thursday night in a series of shocks that collapsed modern apartment buildings and a medieval castle and left more than 1,000 persons dead or injured near its center in northeast Italy.

Rescue teams searched the rubble of a dozen shattered towns in northeastern Italy today for victims.

National police headquarters said 187 persons were killed. The Interior Ministry said an additional 900 or so were injured

and that the casualty toll was likely to rise.

Fifty-eight dead were reported in the town of Majano alone.

"Two new apartment houses inhabited by 30 families collapsed in Majano and unfortunately the death toll is going up," said Domenico Spazante, prefect of Udine, capital of the hard-hit Friuli region.

Pope Paul VI sent a message of condolence to the archbishop of Udine, capital of the Friuli region, saying he was praying for the quake victims, their surviving relatives and the recovery workers.

The casualties and heaviest damage appeared confined to

Italy's Friuli region bordering Austria and Yugoslavia, just south of the Alps. But shocks were felt as far away as Brussels and Berlin.

The worst damage was concentrated in an area 74 miles in diameter on either side of the Tagliamento River, which flows south from the Alps, through Friuli, to the Adriatic Sea. The area was a center of small cottage industries that manufactured furniture and kitchen utensils.

Officials said the towns of Majano and Forgaria were almost totally destroyed.

Among the thousands of buildings destroyed or damaged

were a medieval castle that collapsed and a 14th century Romanesque Gothic cathedral damaged in the town of Gemona.

The quake, which hit about 9 p.m., measured 6.9 on the open-ended Richter Scale. Earthquakes with a Richter value of 7 or more are considered of major magnitude.

The seismological institute at Uppsala, Sweden called it the strongest quake in Europe since 1963 when an earthquake killed 1,100 persons at Skopje, Yugoslavia.

Officials said the worst hit towns were Forgaria, Majano, Vitobono di Pinzano, Vagogna

and Buia. The towns outline a fan-shaped area about 14 miles north of Udine, Friuli's regional capital.

A series of fires were reported in at least two of the stricken towns and police said rescue teams were hindered by large boulders blocking roads leading to the area.

Police said the region around Majano was the most severely damaged. They said several newly constructed six-floor apartment buildings in the town collapsed, trapping residents in the wreckage.

Throughout the stricken Friuli region, frightened residents drove into the countryside and

slept in their cars to escape the danger of crumbling buildings.

Rescue officials said hospitals in the area were in desperate need of blood for transfusions.

"I felt the first shock very

lightly," said Ninda Stecotti, 61, of Magnana. "I went out on the terrace of the house and my dog started barking desperately."

"A few seconds passed and then a tremendous rumble came

that shook the air," she said.

"The ground started undulating fearfully and it seemed I would

be thrown from the terrace into the middle of the street."



White Deer drama

More than 100 persons attended the kick-off of White Deer's bicentennial activities Thursday afternoon in the Parish Hall there. A covered dish luncheon preceded "An Historical Drama of White Deer," a presentation written and narrated by Margaret Simmons. Mrs. Simmons helps the Indian chief, played by W.J. Stubblefield, with his costume before the drama. Other characters, from left, include Mrs. Russell McConnell playing Spirit of the Land; Mrs. Winfield Powers playing pioneer homemaker; Eugene Richardson as the railroad worker and Winfield Powers as a pioneer doctor. Other characters included W.R. Howard as Thomas Cree; Mrs. Orville Franklin as waterwheel; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kalka as polish settlers; Mrs. F.H. Slagle as young bride; J.R. Nicholson as Col. Groom; Russell McConnell as pioneer cowboy; Mrs. Rex Wheelley as young drummer; Mrs. Loyd Collis as pioneer farmer; Mrs. George Coffee as early education; and Mrs. W.W. Simmons of Pampa was the oldest person attending the festivities sponsored by the Daughters of Pioneers of White Deer.

(Pampa News photos by Jane P. Marshall)

'Brown can stop Carter'

By LEWIS LORD/
United Press International
House Speaker Carl Albert says there is one candidate who can stop Jimmy Carter's drive for the Democratic presidential nomination: Edmund G. Brown Jr.

The 38-year-old California governor got no endorsements but plenty of encouragement Thursday while huddling with Democratic leaders in Congress.

Albert, asked whether the late-starting Brown was the only candidate who could stop

Carter, said "yes."

Sen. Hubert Humphrey, the non-candidate who may find himself the nominee if Carter is stymied, predicted Brown easily will beat the former Georgia governor in the May 18 Maryland primary.

"Brown adds a new dimension to the campaign," Humphrey said. "He is a fresh face. He's been exciting Maryland and drawing big crowds."

Carter, who is campaigning today in Baltimore, said Brown indeed might beat him in Maryland. "Brown is attrac-

tive, very popular and the most highly publicized opponent I have had," said Carter, who said nevertheless he expects to be nominated on the first ballot.

Meanwhile, both Republican contenders are talking of first-ballot victories at the nominating convention.

Ronald Reagan, stumping in Louisiana, said something "suddenly dawned" on him in the wake of this month's four primary wins.

"I believe it is possible to go to the convention with enough delegates to win on the first

ballot," Reagan said.

President Ford, his eye on Tuesday's Nebraska primary, campaigns tonight in Omaha and participates Saturday in the University of Nebraska commencement program.

Press Secretary Ron Nessen said Ford, despite Reagan's sudden string of victories, "believes he can win on the first ballot in Kansas City."

Morris Udall's hopes of making the May 18 Michigan primary his first triumph were joined by a United Auto Workers

Union decision. The UAW stopped short of formally endorsing Carter but authorized its Michigan regional directors to spend union money on the Georgian's campaign.

Only hours earlier Udall had said, "It would be a very sad thing to me if the house that Walter Reuther built goes to Jimmy Carter."

Sen. Frank Church, the late-starting Idaho Democrat, who hopes to win a string of primaries in the West, told an Omaha news conference "our prospects in Nebraska are excellent."

Carter told a fund-raising dinner in East Brunswick, N.J., that he could lose Nebraska to Church as well as Maryland to Brown, but said he expects to win in Michigan, Ohio and New Jersey.

Asked why he dropped out of the Democratic race, Humphrey said: "I didn't drop out. I haven't dropped in. I'm a long way from being out."

Henry Jackson, who announced last Saturday he was dropping out, talked in Hartford about getting back in. Jackson kept a series of engagements for next Tuesday's Connecticut primary and said "we'll be in it full blown if we win up here."

FBI searching for pair

STONEWALL, La. (UPI) — Officials in two parishes and FBI agents searched today for two men, including a former mental patient, who abducted a woman and robbed a branch of the First National Bank of Mansfield.

"We are proceeding under the assumption she was a kidnap victim," FBI agent James Schaffer said Thursday.

Steve Coleman, 30, a former mental patient, and Rickey

Eerhart, 20, both of Bossier City, were charged in federal warrants with robbing the branch bank at Stonewall of an estimated \$10,000 Thursday.

Authorities said both men were armed and extremely dangerous.

Shreveport police said Linda Gail Richardson, 23, who was known by Coleman, was reportedly abducted from the driveway of her home as she was

returning about midnight Wednesday.

"All we have is a report of a simple kidnapping charge," said Shreveport police Capt. Neal Shields. He said the charge possibly would be dropped in favor of the federal bank robbery charges.

Police said Mrs. Richardson was with the two men when they robbed the bank.

"At the bank they said she was uneasy," said Shreveport police spokesman Chuck Carter. "It just looked like she wasn't there by her own will. Her husband did file a kidnapping charge Wednesday night."

A car believed to be Mrs. Richardson's was seen later on U.S. 71, south of Stonewall.

Coleman, who also was wanted in connection with a burglary in Bossier City Wednesday, recently was released from a North Little Rock, Ark., mental institution.

He was sent to the Fort Roots

psychiatric facility following an incident last October in which he forced his way into the home of his exwife and held the woman, her husband and two children at gunpoint for several hours.

Police disarmed Coleman when he stepped onto the porch of the house for a television interview. He fired two shots before he was subdued, but no one was injured.

Coleman was charged with attempted murder and burglary in the incident.

Storms hit Southwest

By United Press International
Thunderstorms, some accompanied by hail and damaging winds, plowed through the Southwest and the South early today. No major damage was reported.

The storms swept through southern and eastern Texas and stretched from Tennessee into Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia

and Louisiana.

In Texas, severe thunderstorm warnings were issued for Kerr and Kendall counties where golf ball-sized hail was reported. Heavy rains accompanied the thunderstorms in south-central and southwest portions of the state. The upper Sabine River at Emory, Tex., was above flood stage.

Smith is valedictorian at Clarendon College

Valedictorian of Clarendon College for 1975-1976 is Miss Janet Smith of Pampa.

Miss Smith, a 1974 graduate of Pampa High School, is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith Jr. who live 13 miles north of Pampa.

An Associate of Arts Degree graduate, Miss Smith has been a

member of the Rodeo Club and the Livestock Judging Team at Clarendon, receiving honors in state and national competition for her judging abilities.

Miss Smith will present the Honors Address at the graduation exercises today at the college.

Candidates for graduation includes several local and area students. Among the fifty-five graduating sophomores of the college are Gayle Ballard of White Deer, Associate of Science; Ann Brown, Lefors, Associate of Science; Tom Henry, Lefors, Associate of Science; Milton Jobart, Borger, Associate of Science; David Pender, McLean, Associate of Science; and five students from Pampa.

Those graduating from Pampa are James Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Scott, Radio-Television; Janet Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith, Associate of Arts; Valedictorian; Gale Stout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Stout, Associate of Science; Marie Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Thomas, Associate of Science; and Brenda Winters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Winters, Associate of Science.

The graduation ceremonies will be at 8:30 p.m. in Fine Arts Auditorium at the college with a reception prior to the exercise in the college cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. for graduates, parents, and friends of graduates.



Worker proposal approved

By United Press International

A proposal to end the 38-day strike by San Francisco's craft workers reportedly was approved today, and a tentative agreement was reached in a week-old strike in Memphis, Tenn., that idled 5,000 construction workers.

No breaks were in sight in strikes that shut down the Big Four tiremakers' plants, idled Continental Trailways buses in 10 southern states, stopped United Parcel Service trucks in 13 states, halted service work at 3,000 New York City City Council Thursday urged tenants affected by the

ies and kept newswriters and technicians out of NBC studios.

Reliable sources told UPI negotiators for five of the six striking unions in San Francisco would meet later today to formally approve the proposal, indicating a settlement could come by afternoon.

About 1,800 San Francisco city craft workers are on strike and their picket lines are being honored by some 2,000 bus, trolley and cable car drivers, resulting in a transit shutdown in the city of 700,000.

Eight members of New York City's City Council Thursday urged tenants affected by the

strike of some 22,000 striking service workers to hold off paying May rent to the building owners.

"This is one way to get them (building owners) off the dime and back to the bargaining table," the councilmen said.

Further progress was reported in the Teamsters strike against United Parcel Service, and a union spokesman said the economic issues were "pretty well set." The strike halted UPS operations in Colorado, Wyoming, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Ohio and Wisconsin.

The United Rubber Workers and the Big Four tire makers reached agreement on four minor contract provisions, but neither side would call it a significant breakthrough toward ending the 17-day strike.

Chrysler Corp. joined Ford Motor Co. in omitting spare tires from some model lines in a move to weather the URW strike at least through the first week of June.

"By the end of this month, the automobile industry will be in a critical situation regarding tires," URW President Pete Bommarito said. "If the (tire) companies are waiting 'til the tires are out to wait and start

talking (at the bargaining table), I think it's a crucial mistake."

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Janet Smith



The Pampa News

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Let Peace Begin With Me

This newspaper is dedicated to furnishing information to our readers so that they can better promote and preserve their own freedom and encourage others to see its blessing. For only when man understands freedom and is free to control himself and all he possesses can he develop to his utmost capabilities.

We believe that all men are equally endowed by their Creator, and not by a government, with the right to take moral action to preserve their life and property and secure more freedom and keep it for themselves and others.

To discharge this responsibility, free men, to the best of their ability, must understand and apply to daily living the great moral guide expressed in the Coveting Commandment.

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Two-dollar pieces again

People used to cut the corners off of them because they feared if they didn't, they'd have hard luck.

From time to time large corporations and military disbursing departments would pay off in them so they could check where the money they pumped into the economy was going.

A good many people held some of them back because it was a good way to save. It is not unusual to find them tucked away in wallets, folded to the point they've almost come apart, creased, wrinkled and dirty. They were held on to as good luck pieces, or as a remembrance of some particular event, or because it was the thing to do.

The government discontinued printing them some years ago because they weren't getting the circulation Treasury officials felt they should.

The same officials, prompted by a desire to commemorate the bicentennial and to involve the Treasury in the proceedings, have approved the reissuance of \$2 bills.

The bills made their official debut April 13. The design on the obverse of the bill, containing the portrait of Thomas Jefferson,

has not changed. The reverse has changed completely. Instead of the White House, it now depicts the signers of the Declaration of Independence as they gather to sign the compact severing the ties of these United States with England.

It is fitting commemorative, no? We suspect the \$2 bill will be around for a long time to come now that it's slated to be reintroduced into the money market.

Billed as the next attraction for your billfold and change purse is the reissuance of the two-cent piece. For awhile, there, the powers - that - be were considering a 12 1/2-cent piece, but they couldn't justify it so they settled for the gold old, plain two-cent piece, the fifth part of a dime, the inka-dinka deuce. No date for its release into general circulation has been set.

No attempt has been made to link the reissuance of the two-cent coin with the bicentennial of the two-cent piece with the bicentennial, but it is a two-cent piece and we ARE celebrating the 200th anniversary of our independence and what times 100 cents is 200 cents?

You got it. And that's the best excuse we can imagine for it.

BICENTENNIAL FACTS



A brick-up portion of the Exchange building in Charleston, S.C., served for two years as the hiding place for patriot gunpowder in the British-held city. During the British occupation the Exchange was the notorious Provost Dungeon where hundreds of Charleston's citizens were imprisoned in cramped vaults for the slightest hint of patriot support. The World Almanac notes.

"Heel!"

Washington Watch

New probe of Nixon pardon?

By CLARK MOLLENHOFF
WASHINGTON, D.C. — A shift in the membership of a House Judiciary subcommittee has opened the possibility of a new investigation of the Nixon pardon that could embarrass President Ford.

The investigation would include taking sworn statements from at least five present and former White House officials on their conversations with President Ford and President Nixon in August, 1974.

Those five key witnesses — Gen. Alexander Haig, Fred Buzhardt, Leonard Garment, Philip Buchen and James St. Clair — have never been questioned under oath on their conversations with Nixon and Ford concerning the accuracy of Ford's accounts of the pardon decision.

The possibility of a new investigation comes about because Rep. Martin A. Russo (D-Ill.) is leaving the Judiciary Committee for a post on the House Commerce Committee. In February, Russo was the key vote when a motion to reopen the pardon probe lost 4 to 3.

Rep. William Hungate (D-Mo.), chairman of the subcommittee on criminal justice, says Russo will be replaced by Rep. Robert Drinan (D-Mass.), an outspoken critic of the Nixon pardon.

A new investigation opens again the possibility of access to the Ford-Nixon tapes that Rep. Elizabeth Holtzman (D-N.Y.) has described as crucial to a full understanding of Ford's motivations.

The key Ford-Nixon tapes involve conversations in September and October, 1972, when then House Republican Leader Ford spearheaded a successful effort to block a Watergate investigation by the late Rep. Wright Patman (D-Tex.) that would have blown the lid off of Watergate before the 1972 presidential election.

Also, Ford-Nixon tapes could reveal what Ford knew when the Senate Watergate Committee was launching its investigation in 1973.

While the Ford White House could use "executive privilege" to bar House Judiciary subcommittee access to the tapes or testimony of any of the five officials, the officials risk contempt in any refusal to testify.

President Ford could delay production of the tapes until after the November election, but it is unlikely that the Democratic presidential candidate would permit that tactic without critical political comment.

In campaigning for the Texas primary, Ronald Reagan's supporters have stressed the vulnerability of Ford to Democratic attacks on: 1. His role in sidetracking the Patman investigation when the House Commerce Committee planned to subpoena White House Counsel John Dean, former Attorney General John Mitchell, former Commerce Secretary Maurice Stans, deputy director of the Nixon re-election committee Job S. Magruder, and others.

2. Ford's defense of Nixon as "innocent" from the summer of 1972 to August 5, 1974 — three days before Nixon resigned as president.

3. The decision to pardon Nixon after telling a congressional committee that the American people would not stand for a vice-president becoming president and pardoning the man who had named him to be vice-president.

Reagan supporters believe that any Democratic candidate, with the possible exception of Sen. Hubert Humphrey (D-Minn.), can wage a devastating campaign against Ford on the Watergate issue, even if there is no renewed probe of the Nixon pardon.

A renewal of the House Judiciary subcommittee investigation could produce new evidence and comb over the old, unanswered questions about the Nixon-Ford relationship, damaging Ford's image as a simple, honest and forthright public figure.

Hungate, not a candidate for re-election, has no political stake in a renewal of the pardon probe. Other Democratic members of the newly constituted committee — Holtzman, Rep. Edward Mezey (Iowa) and Drinan — can use the investigation for their re-election efforts.

Republican members — Reps. Charles Wiggins (Cal.) and Henry Hyde (Ill.) — are unlikely to take any serious political risk to defend either Ford or Nixon.

Rep. James Mann (D-S.C.) voted with the Republicans in opposition to the probe, but has expressed dissatisfaction with the results of the questioning of Ford in October, 1974.

Every indication is that the new investigation will be launched within a few weeks, causing problems for Ford and some last-minute fuel for Reagan.

Andorra

Tucked into the Pyrenees mountains between France and Spain, Andorra has enjoyed effective sovereignty since 1278. Officially a principality, it has two nominal co-princes to whom it pays an annual tribute — the president of France, 960 francs, and the Spanish bishop of Urgel, 460 pesetas. Actual government, however, is conducted by a 24-member Council-General.

A housing comeback? The nation's sick housing industry is expected to improve in 1976, according to the Conference Board. Last year marked the worst year for housing since 1946. Only 1.2 million housing starts were recorded in 1975, 57 per cent less than the record set in 1972. Rising interest rates, a shortage of long-term funds, escalating housing prices and falling real incomes have combined to stifle this key U.S. industry. Most forecasts now look for new housing starts to reach at least 1.5 million in 1976.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET
Old-timers recall when you didn't have to phone the information you sent a week previously in a letter not yet received.

Birds don't sign to greet the dawn — they're yelling for someone to keep them company at such a ghastly hour.

Best tip of the week: Don't figure the track odds unless you check to see where the boss is.

Weightwatching is fun if you happen to like ogling stout types.

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Forum and against 'em

It's not such a big deal anymore, getting to see a Presidential candidate person. There have been so many of them recently.

Two dozen years ago, when I saw my first one, however, I was duly moved by the gravity of the occasion. I had traveled by myself more than three blocks to the big furniture store on main street to see the hopeful.

By golly, Dan Allender for President.

"Wouldn't it be something if somebody from Dalhart were elected President," I said to my mother when I had walked back home.

"It would really be something, alright," she replied, and 24 years later I can still remember that she seemed more embarrassed about it than proud.

"Dan's The Man" was the heading on a news release sent out in April of 1952. He billed himself as "The Real Deal Democrat." He sent out posters in red, white and blue. Each one had a little hole at the top with words printed below it: "Hang Up."

Smiling Dan was pictured in the upper right corner of the poster. An American flag dominated the mid-right-hand portion and below was his personal appeal for support:

"With sales as set out on this folder, I can go to Washington unencumbered. The cost is small. I hope you will help me, contact me for particulars. I will make speeches and public appearances when invited — write, wire, or phone me at Dalhart, Texas. ORGANIZE YOUR LOCAL AND NATIONAL ALLIANCE FOR PRESIDENT CLUB. Order your hats, ties, records, and hangups, and picture postcards as mentioned here. Re-order when necessary. Tell your friends. Tell them where and how to get the four things that will support my campaign, and uphold our high ideals. The ties that are inscribed DAN'S THE MAN and the hangups will tell our story to millions. Take records to your radio station, have them play them, (tell them they can get records for clients to sponsor). Give records to your juke box operator, they will spin out the appeal of the news — Put the hangups on display that millions can see and read them. Wear your white hat with pride for a man, who believes that all men should have equal consideration and is headed for the White House."

The punctuation in the paragraph above was all Dan's. Old Dan was ahead of his time in a couple of ways. First he wanted his "hangups" put on display so millions of Americans could see them.

The hangups of most Presidents and Presidential candidates are put on public display today only if the hangups can be discovered by the press.

On the flip side of his hangups, Allender's smiling photo looked approvingly out of a page shared with several hundred more of his words outlining his "Real Deal" philosophy.

"I think the American people are being robbed, insulted, pillaged, corrupted and betrayed by our New and Fair Deal Democrats. I am a real Deal Democrat," he wrote at one point.

I was nine years old at the time and from what I knew of the world and America's political structure, I couldn't see why Dan Allender couldn't be President. After all, look at what Abraham Lincoln had risen from to attain the office.

And, in addition to having that big furniture store (by Dalhart standards at least), Dan was an inventor. I can remember when he rode in the annual XIT parade, waving from atop a station wagon where he was comfortably ensconced in the carport camper he'd invented. It was no light bulb, maybe, but pretty impressive to this kid of eight or so years.

I can vaguely remember watching some of the Democratic convention action on TV, shortly after our family acquired that first television set, and being more surprised than disappointed that Dan's name didn't come up. In fact, if memory serves me right, he wasn't mentioned by any of the Texas delegates.

I wonder if his neckties and records and postcards and hangups sold in sufficient numbers to finance his try for the Presidency. I wonder what a taste of his Real Deal administration would have done for the governmental appetite of the United States. And I wonder where the Dan Allender museum would be located in Dalhart today. If he'd won.

In the 9th century, the King of Persia was known as the Illustrious Jap.

Don Oakley

Business acts to stop slipped DISC



By Don Oakley

American companies dealing in substantial export business are worried about a slipping DISC. The initials in this case stand for "Domestic International Sales Corporation."

A bill passed by Congress in 1971, designed to encourage exports and help offset the tax advantages and subsidies foreign governments give their companies, allowed U.S. corporations to set up DISCs. Under the program, they can defer the taxes on a certain percentage of their profits generated by the overseas sales of products made in this country, so long as the profits are plowed back into export activities.

New legislation has been introduced in Congress, however, that would amend the DISC program and reduce the tax-break provisions. DISC opponents claim that the program cost the U.S. Treasury \$1 billion in lost revenues last year.

Industry spokesmen counter that this revenue wasn't "lost" — it was deferred, or was more than recovered in other ways. Some \$1.6 billion in export sales was generated last year with the help of DISCs, they say. These sales meant more jobs for American workers and more tax revenues, both on the income earned by employees performing those jobs and on the income earned from the sales.

According to the director of international sales for one aerospace manufacturer, if his company's exports were to decrease by 10 per cent it would mean a drop of at least 1,000 in the number of U.S. workers.

If the entire world practiced free trade, DISC would not be necessary, he adds. But the subsidies, tariffs and other restrictions enacted by other nations make free trade impossible. Their effect is to make U.S. products noncompetitive and to cost U.S. jobs. The DISC program is a mild U.S. reaction in the face of what other nations do.

"The Treasury Department originally suggested DISC," he points out. "We think the Treasury Department knew what it was doing."



In a test of cows and horses, the cows were found to learn just as easily as horses and to remember better.

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"You think YOUR business is off — I'm a consultant in the field of political dirty tricks!"

Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

For Saturday, May 8, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
The rewards are unusually generous for work or services performed well today. Take special pride in anything you put your hand to.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
This is a day when you'll be popular and favorably impress others. Be alert. There is a good chance you'll make a valuable new contact.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
Entertain selected people at home today, like the boss, or influential acquaintances. Good things can happen if you get to know one another better.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
There is a possibility of good news from two sources today. Both will be through friends, although they don't know each other.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 23)
People will do things for you today simply because they like you. There are no ulterior motives. Accept good fortune graciously.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
You'll be exposed to a new facet of knowledge that will later prove valuable. Listen closely. Learn all you can. It may not be repeated.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)
Be logical today, but don't ignore your hunches. Blending the two can provide you with some very powerful insights.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)
You serve as a catalyst for varying types today. You're good at bringing opposing factions together and solving their differences.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)
Your ability to spot opportunity that others overlook could stand you in good stead today. An extremely unusual one can help you careerwise.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
Don't be intimidated by big ideas or unfamiliar conditions today. You're more than up to any challenge if you apply yourself.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)
Today you are exceptionally sharp businesswise. View any proposition from several angles. You'll find a way to handle it.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)
You are a quick thinker today. Your judgment is basically good. Stick by your original decisions for the best results.

For Sunday, May 9, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
Your ambitions are easily aroused today, particularly if there is something material at stake. Pursue all opportunities vigorously.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
You can manage others in a way today that won't offend them. They'll recognize and appreciate that it's for their own good.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
You may be in for a pleasant surprise today regarding the outcome of a situation you've been a bit dubious about. Hang in there.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
If there is someone you'd like to see today, but this person can't come to you, arrange to visit him. Should be fun.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
Someone who is indebted to you for a favor may have to be reminded of his old obligation, but he'll come through if you press a little.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
Something of importance involving you and a friend may have to be discussed today. The issue can be resolved if you're both frank.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)
There's a strong possibility today that you could profit from a situation someone else has put together. Look for a hidden opportunity.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)
An old friend may need some moral support today. Speak up on his behalf, so all will know exactly where you stand.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)
If you're reexploring about your goals today you'll very likely get whatever you go after. Determination pays off.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
You may see someone you're fond of being taken advantage of today. If so, step in and straighten the situation out as quickly as possible.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)
You may see someone you're fond of being taken advantage of today. If so, step in and straighten the situation out as quickly as possible.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)
Your companions may have suggestions for today's activities that vary with your plans. Everything will turn out fun if the majority rules.



Your Birthday

May 8, 1976

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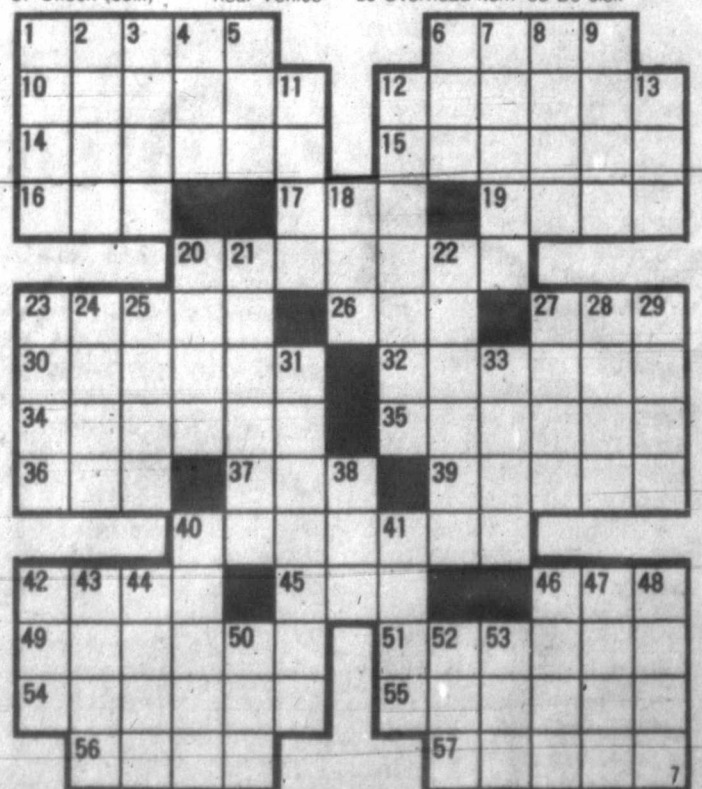
This coming year you may have the occasion to take quite a few short business trips. They're likely to turn out far more enjoyably profitable than you may first think.



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Kissinger blasts Soviets

PARIS (UPI) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger flew home today from his two-week trip to Africa with a final blast at Soviet interference on that continent.

Kissinger took off at 1 p.m. (7 a.m. EST) from Orly Airport outside Paris, where he made an overnight stopover to confer with Presidents Valéry Giscard d'Estaing of France and Félix Houphouët-Boigny of the Ivory Coast.

The secretary of state and the two chiefs of state agreed that Africa should not become the scene of new East-West confrontations.

"We agreed with President Giscard d'Estaing that Africa should be free of outside interference and that African nations must be free to fulfill their own aspirations," Giscard told reporters just before takeoff.

He said he and Houphouët-Boigny agreed that "the development of Africa should be left to Africans with the help of those Western nations, which are interested in helping them."

Both France and the United States are still smarting over the victory of the Soviet-backed faction in Angola, with the help of Cuban combat troops, over the factions backed by the

Americans and French.

Kissinger conferred with Giscard d'Estaing over breakfast today before flying off to Washington. They discussed Third World development and the explosive situation in southern Africa.

The meeting allowed Kissinger and the French leader to exchange notes on latest developments in Africa, including the victory of Soviet and Cuban-backed forces in Angola over factions backed by U.S. and French weapons and money.

Diplomatic sources said Kissinger and Giscard d'Estaing paid particular attention to the risks of a conflict involving white-ruled Rhodesia.

Kissinger went into the meeting fresh from a 13-day, six-nation African tour and an appearance before the United Nations' Conference on Trade and Development in Nairobi, Kenya, where he outlined his billion dollar Third World development program.

Giscard d'Estaing will preside over a summit meeting of 18 African nations in Paris Monday on their future cooperation with the West.

In Nairobi, Kissinger presented the wide-ranging aid program to the U.N. Conference on

Trade and Development, saying it would help erase poverty in the Third World and avert "economic warfare" between rich and poor nations.

The plan includes a \$1 billion international development fund and the establishment of a "technology corps" to train Third World workers.

Experts in the U.S. delegation in Nairobi said if the full program were enacted it could result in slightly higher prices for consumers in industrialized nations.

They said some U.S. government agencies opposed this aspect of the program, but that the State Department prevailed. One expert called the program "an insurance policy to bring stability to the world economy."

Senior officials aboard Kissinger's plane said American credibility depends on carrying through on the African proposals, but acknowledged that the

timing may be poor to get major administration backing because of President Ford's recent primary defeats by GOP challenger Ronald Reagan.

Giscard d'Estaing was the

first major foreign official on Kissinger's itinerary after the Nairobi address, but the program was already running into French criticism in the Kenyan capital.



Birthday boy

Joe Shelton accepts a piece of birthday cake from Girl Scout Shannon Loter during a surprise birthday party Wednesday in the Austin elementary School cafeteria. Shelton was honored for his 88th birthday by Girl Scout troop 68. Gifts were handmade items by the girls arranged on the table in the foreground.

(Pampa News photo)

Union refuses endorsement

AUSTIN, Tex. (UPI) — The Texas AFL-CIO's political committee has refused to endorse either of the two Democratic runoff candidates for the Texas Railroad Commission.

The Committee on Political Education also refused its endorsement in the Court of Criminal Appeals race because COPE members said they did not know either of the two candidates — Carl Dally or W. T. Phillips — well enough.

The panel said Thursday it would not endorse the railroad commission campaign of snuff-dipping Jerry Sadler, a crusty former land commissioner, because of his anti-labor and pro-segregation voting record as a state legislator.

The board rejected Rep. Jon Newton, D-Beeville, because he accepted large campaign contributions from oil companies.

Sadler and Newton led six other Democratic primary hopefuls Saturday to enter the June 5 party runoff.

His cheeks packed with snuff, Sadler told the labor leaders he

entered the commission race to fight the oil companies' candidate.

Sadler and Newton spoke to the executive board of COPE. Using backwoods, East Texas humor and folksy sayings, Sadler criticized Newton, whom he said was backed financially by the oil industry.

"I am not taking a donation in this runoff for the railroad commission from anyone above the filling station level," Sadler said, slapping his hand on a small podium. "They are throttling the filling station operators out of business."

Sadler, who served one term on the powerful three-member railroad commission in the late 1930s, said he spent \$992 of the \$1,000 he saved from his pension

and Social Security checks on his campaign.

Sadler told reporters during his primary campaign he would set the price of natural gas at the wellhead.

"Let me tell you something, if they don't get down on the consumer and follow the law, I'm not only going to set it at the wellhead, I'm going to set it at the bottom of the hole," he said to loud applause.

Betty bell of ball

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (UPI) — Betty Ford danced with show business stars, and kissed one, at a celebrity filled party Thursday night, charming the liberal Democrats of Hollywood.

If Mrs. Ford was the candidate, they'd vote for her, many of the celebrities said.

Accompanied by her son Steve, the First Lady, in a two piece gossamer gown of red and pink, appeared at the chic Bistrot on the arm of Cary Grant and danced with a string of partners that included Milton Berle, Glenn Ford, Cesar Romero, Donald O'Connor, Hugh O'Brian and others.

Holding Mrs. Ford's hand in the center of the dance floor, Gordon MacRae serenaded her with "If I Loved You," the romantic ballad from musical "Carousel," winning a kiss from Mrs. Ford for his effort.

Hosts for the party, paid for from political funds, were Grant, Ford, Eva Gabor, Helen Reddy and Mrs. Bob Hope.

"I'm a Democrat but I'm here because I like Betty Ford," said Mrs. Hope.

"This is a non-partisan party for a lovely lady," said Nancy Sinatra, Frank Sinatra's former wife and a dedicated Democrat. "We want everyone to know we love and admire her."

"I'm breaking into politics," cracked comic Freddie Prinze. "Maybe the prez will make me ambassador to Puerto Rico."

Other guests included Zsa Zsa Gabor, Marty Allen, Art Linkletter, Sonny Bono, Tina Sinatra, George Jessel, Groucho Marx, Jim Nabors, Kay Gable, Edie Gorme, Buddy Rogers, Ernest Borgnine, Elke Sommers, Ray Bolger, Ricardo Montalban, Steve Allen, and Peter Marshall.

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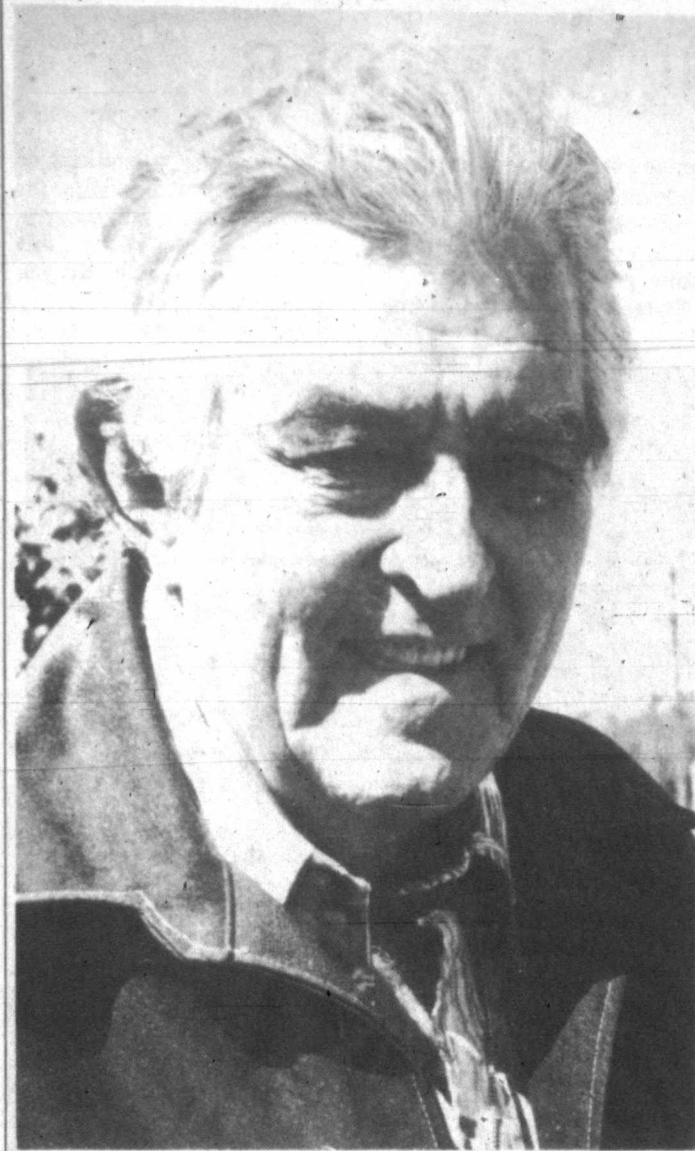
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Country editor Archer Fullingim

Archer Fullingim's back

By THOM MARSHALL
Pampa News Staff

Archer Fullingim's back in town. Now, that may not mean a whole lot to Pampans on the short side of 40, or to anyone who has moved to the Top o' Texas since 1942. But to folks who read The Pampa News back in the dustbowl days and a few years on either side of them, the Fullingim name will ring a bell. He was city editor.

People who knew Fullingim from the stories he wrote may remember him. But anyone who ever talked with him or met him personally is sure to recall the tall, outspoken journalist.

When Fullingim dropped into The News office Thursday, it was the first time he'd been back in Pampa since he left more than three decades ago. For 25 years of that time he was publisher of newspaper he started in Kountze, "down in Hardin County, 25 miles north of Beaumont in the Big Thicket," he said.

The discussion touched many bases, landing once on politics and Fullingim's view of the presidential race:

"Well, here's the way it is — and you can quote me on this — Carter is a sonof-a-bitch. But he's our sonof-a-bitch. He's a Democratic sonof-a-bitch. And he's better than any of the Republicans' sonof-a-bitches."

The newsroom audience laughed liberally — even the conservatives.

"It looks like he's got it, doesn't it," Fullingim said of Carter's try for the Democratic nomination. "I tell you who I'd like to see

really get it: Brown. He's a new type. He's neither conservative nor a liberal. I'd like to see him."

And Fullingim doesn't rule out California Gov. Jerry Brown. The possibility of deadlocks between forerunners exists in both parties, he indicated.

"Both of 'em's liable to have a brokered candidate."

Commenting on the Republican race, Pampa's former city editor said "I like Reagan better'n I like Ford. If I had to vote for either of 'em, I'd vote for Reagan any day because at least he's a good action."

Fullingim was with The Pampa News "from 1929 almost through 1942," and he said he remembers most vividly the people he met and the history he learned when writing a column called "Pioneer of the Pampas."

"I interviewed people from all over the Panhandle," he said. "You see, there weren't any white people here before 1881 — that lived here. And in 1930, that's just 50 years, so they (the first settlers) were all old, but they were still around. Mr. Goodnight was still living when I came here."

Other fond memories Fullingim has are of favorite spots in the Panhandle countryside.

"I've always been an outdoorsman," he said. "I spent most weekends when I was here on the Canadian river, and down in Palo Duro Canyon, and Sweetwater Creek over here at Wheeler. That's what I remember most are the creeks and the

canyons. I think this is a beautiful country. I live in a place now where it rains 72 inches a year — it's got the Holy Ghost Thicket — but I still remember the Panhandle as a beautiful place."

A few years after Fullingim left Pampa, he purchased some print shop equipment in Dallas, moved it to Kountze, and founded the Kountze News. That's where he's been the past quarter of a century — writing and printing and managing his weekly paper in Kountze.

Recently an assistant professor of journalism at the University of Texas wrote a book about Fullingim — "Archer Fullingim: A Country Editor's View of Life." Heidelberg Publishers, Austin. The book consists mostly of Fullingim's writings for his newspaper beginning with 1950.

"The Houston Chronicle headlined a review of it with 'Fullingim's love affair with life,'" Fullingim said. "It won the Institute of Letters Stanley Walker Award for the best journalism book of 1975."

"Do you know who Stanley Walker is? He was a Texan who was editor of the New York Herald-Tribune for years," Fullingim explained.

Fullingim said he'd be in Pampa for a couple of days visiting friends. Then he said, "Haven't you written enough already?"

Asked if he was getting tired of talking, the former city editor of The Pampa News told this writer, "No, but I was just thinking, that's going to be a long story."

On the record

Obituaries

OLIVER SCOTT
Funeral services for Oliver Scott, 69, of 1905 N. Banks, will be 3 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church of Lefors with Dr. Carl Moorhead, retired Air Force chaplain from Amarillo, and the Rev. Edwin Waterbury, pastor of the Pampa Chapel, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Scott died Thursday in Highland General Hospital.

He was born in 1906 in Cove, Ark., and lived in Lefors 30 years before moving to Pampa.

one year ago. He was employed as a pumper for Phillips Petroleum Co., 35 years before retiring and he was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Lefors. His wife, Ruby Lois Scott, died in 1974.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Hal Boynton of Pampa; one brother, Arthur of Texas City; one sister, Mrs. Elva Chadwick of Chico, Calif.; three grandsons, Brent Boynton of Pampa, Philip Scott of Texas City and Steven Scott with the Marines; and one great-grandchild.

Highland General Hospital

Thursday Admissions
Mrs. Barbara Bailey, Miami.
Earl Densmore, 401 Magnolia.
Baby Girl Bailey, Miami.
Mrs. Jennifer Scoggin, Clarendon.
Welton Moore, Pampa.
Fred Haiduk, Groom.
William Davis, 1112 Crane Rd.
Mrs. Jessie Lamb, Skellytown.
Mrs. Ila M. Smith, Borger.
Mrs. Tamsey R. Leitch, Borger.
V.C. Wilbanks, Panhandle.
Shellie J. Duke, 616 Sloan.
Mrs. Helen M. Parks, 1952 N. Wells.
Clyde Thompson, 1018 S. Reid.
Mrs. Anna M. Vencill, 325

Jean.
Mrs. Minnie B. Vinson, Allison.

Dismissals
Douglas Cunningham, 1942 Grape.
William Kinslow, 1000 Varmon Dr.

Ernest Vanderburg, Pampa.
Ken Gilbert, 532 Hazel.
Mrs. Thelma Batson, 514 N. Faulkner.

Orval Walls, 1348 Garland.
Ernie Grady, 1124 Terrace.
Mrs. Bobbia L. Jones, 1720 Evergreen.

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bailey, Miami, a girl at 10:19 a.m. weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Police report

Five CB radio thefts were reported to the Pampa Police department Thursday, along with a burglary, a malicious mischief complaint and the theft of a unicycle.

Jerry Rhoden of 919 Albert reported that a 21-inch RCA black- and -white television and stand were taken from his home. A 20-inch unicycle was reported missing by Don Keim of 2106 Williston.

Carl Everson of 413 N. Faulkner called police to report that a window in his door had been broken and that the brakes on his son's motorbike had been disconnected.

CB radios were taken from cars belonging to Duane Nash at 218 Canadian, W.J. Green of 340 Anne, Judy Hale of 609 N. Frost, Lawrence Russell of 341 Anne and Carl D. Anderson of 337 Anne. Anderson also reported the theft of field glasses.

Mainly about people

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Institute defends Henry, detente

LONDON (UPI) — The Institute of Strategic Studies defended Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and his policy of detente today against what it called opponents on an election

year "bandwagon" in the United States.

Even so, it coupled the defense with a warning that the momentum of the Soviet arms buildup endangers detente and reinforces skepticism about the Soviets' long-term intentions.

The institute's report, entitled "Strategic Studies 1975," said the Soviets hold a numerical

advantage in most areas but should be deterred from attacking by the West's narrowing technological edge in advanced weaponry.

Worldwide, it said, both superpowers have suffered setbacks in the past year, diminishing their influence and contributing to the conclusion that "recent events have

increased the possibility of new conflicts and wars in the world," especially in Southern Africa.

The defense of detente and Kissinger said it had become "fashionable" to criticize the two, and more difficult to defend them, as the limitations of the policy became clear.

"Few came to the defense of both (detente and Kissinger),"

the study said, "and many made ready to jump on the bandwagon against the man and the policy as the presidential election campaign unfolded."

"What difference had detente made to the Middle East, to the emergence of strong Communist parties in southern Europe or to arms control?"

"The answer lay largely in

comparing the actual state of affairs with what might have been in the absence of detente: more tension, more Soviet interference, more uninhibited support for the Portuguese Communist party, no concessions on arms control."

Most of the Arctic's lands lose their covering of ice and snow in the summer.

Wheeler jury denies damages

WHEELER — A 31st District Court jury here awarded no damages in the \$754,261.79 suit filed against the Texas Highway

Department and Eugene Allen Trucking.

The suit stems from an accident on Feb. 26, 1972 when

Clifton Fuselier was crushed to death between a road grader owned by the highway department and the truck he was driving.

His wife, Lydia, filed the suit.

News accounts of the accident in 1972 said a deer crossing U.S. 83 at the north end of

Sweetwater Creek, four miles north of Wheeler, inadvertently caused the death of a Lake Charles, La., truck driver.

It was 4:30 a.m., according to records, when Fuselier jackknifed his truck as he dodged the deer. The truck was loaded with helium.

It came to rest with the trailer over an embankment on the west side of the road and the tractor in the west lane of traffic.

Highway Department officials were contacted. Ross Henson of Wheeler was driving the road grader.

The grader was in front of the truck and the highway department was behind to warn oncoming traffic.

At 5:45 a.m., a truck driven by Roger Dale Hickey, 24, of Clifton, Tex., was traveling north and failed to see the warning lights. He came in collision with the trailer.

The truck loaded with 3,000 to 5,000 pounds of calves pulled a left wheel from the grader continued on past the Fuselier truck, clipped a tree on the east side of the road struck a highway truck, and went off the

embankment on the west side of the road parallel to the trailer of the first truck.

Fuselier was standing between the grader and helium truck when the cattle truck struck the grader.

He was dead on arrival at Parkview Hospital here.

The trial began on April 26 with jury selection, and ended Tuesday night.

Jury deliberations continued through Wednesday when the foreman reported that jurors awarded no damages in the case.

The Texas Highway Department was represented by James Dorres, an Amarillo attorney, and Robert Smith, also of Amarillo, represented the trucking firm.

Mrs. Fuselier's attorney was Marlin Thompson of Orange.

Clean-up continues, rabies drive ending

Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Stockton, 615 N. West Street, were recognized today for another Mr. and Mrs. Clean citation in Pampa's current month - long Clean-up Campaign.

R.B. Cooke, public works director, said the Stocktons were nominated by neighbors who reported they "not only put in extra effort to keep their

premises clean during the special clean-up month each year but made it a year - long project."

The public works director stated today was the last week for clean-up crews to work in Ward 1.

Nineteen loads of rubbish were hauled away Thursday bringing the four - day total in Ward 1 to 84 loads.

Monday morning city trucks will move into Ward 2, east of Mary Ellen and north of Foster. Residents and businesses in the area were urged today by Cooke to get anything they wish hauled away into the alleys during the weekend.

Ward 3 will be covered the week of May 17 and Ward 4 during the week starting May 24. Saturday will be the final day Pampans may have dogs and

cats vaccinated for rabies at a discount price of four dollars.

Approximately 500 dogs and cats were vaccinated by Pampa's three veterinarians through Thursday.

Stocks

The following 11 a.m. grain quotations are furnished by Wheeler Grain of Pampa.

Wheat \$3.25 Bu

Milo \$4.18

The following quotations show the range within which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation.

Franklin Life 18 1/2

Ky. Cent. Life 6 1/2

Southland Finance 10 1/2

So. West Life 26 1/2

The following 10:30 N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by the Pampa office of Schaefer Bernet Hickman, Inc.

Beatrice Foods 24 1/2

Cabot 23 1/2

Celanese 51 1/2

Citibank 43 1/2

DIA 64 1/2

Kerr-McGee 64 1/2

Penney's 54 1/2

Phillips 52 1/2

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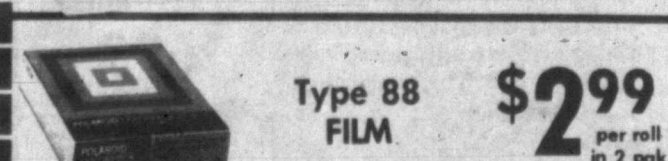
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Advice

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I can't believe this is happening to me. My daughter is 28 and my son is 30. They are both married, but no children, thank God.

My son's wife and my daughter's husband fell in love, and they are divorcing their mates to marry each other! In an effort to save our son's marriage, my husband had a heart-to-heart talk with our son's mother-in-law (who is a nice-looking divorcee), and now my husband is involved with this woman to the point of asking me for a legal separation until he can get his head-straight!

Abby, this is like a bad dream. My lawyer says that my husband will come to his senses, so I shouldn't be too hasty with the divorce, but I don't want a man who doesn't want me.

Our children are young and can make other lives for themselves, although my daughter is so heartbroken she is in therapy. Neither my daughter nor son had a clue as to what was going on between their mates.

Please tell me, is divorce contagious?

DIZZY FROM DIVORCES

DEAR DIZZY: Divorce is not contagious, but some people who have only considered it fleetingly have gathered courage from friends and relatives who actually go through with it. Every divorce doesn't represent a failure. Some, believe it or not, are "victories."

DEAR ABBY: I laughed when I read the letter from the doctor's wife who complained because the neighbors called her husband in the middle of the night to run over and treat their kids for some minor ailment. (They all had regular doctors, but they called "Dr. Dave" instead because he was so handy.)

Abby, the way to put a stop to that is to send out bills for an "emergency call." Believe me, they'll think twice before calling Dr. Dave again.

When my husband was a young, struggling attorney, people used to corner him at social gatherings and pump him for free legal advice. He even had people calling him at all hours of the night asking for legal advice. We put a stop to that when he started to send them bills for "consultations."

LAWYER'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: That prescription must work. It was recommended by several doctors.

DEAR ABBY: Recently my boyfriend moved in with me. While arranging his belongings, I came across his divorce papers. Being inquisitive, I read them and found out that he has three children by his ex-wife instead of two, as he said.

Also, he told me that he was 35, and according to his divorce papers, he is 44. (I am 22.) I really care for him and think we can have a good life together, but finding out these things the way I did has me terribly upset.

Should I just keep quiet about it and let him tell me in his own good time? Or should I tell him I know?

TROUBLED

DEAR TROUBLED: Tell him you know. But don't count too heavily on building a "good life" together. The foundation is weak.

DEAR ABBY: I read in your column that some crazy people down south are trying to pass a law to put diapers on horses.

Well, I own a horse, and I think the idea is stupid. Horses have a right to relieve themselves. At least they fertilize the grass. Automobiles pollute. Take your pick.

HORSE LOVER

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

Ask Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have been advised by friends to take bone meal as a preventative and a cure for arthritis. It is from a health food store and contains mostly Vitamin D and calcium and bone marrow. One friend in her 70s broke her hip and was dancing four months later. She had taken bone meal for 15 years. Is there really any value in this medicine for arthritis and brittle bones? Is so much calcium harmful?

DEAR READER — Perhaps the problem is in your definition of arthritis. Certainly I recommend a high calcium intake for women who have osteoporosis, the problem of dissolving bone tissue that leads to collapses of vertebrae and increased tendency for fractures. This is a common problem, particularly in small Anglo Saxon women past the menopause. Calcium deficiency will increase the likelihood of having this problem five times over a person getting adequate amounts of calcium, specifically the amount found in one quart of milk a day.

The combination of calcium and Vitamin D is helpful in treating osteoporosis. Some people use this in conjunction with female hormones and sometimes in conjunction with fluoride. The fluoride strengthens the bones in the skeleton just as it strengthens the formation of the teeth, particularly in their early development.

Having said that, let me emphatically state that taking calcium will not cure degenerative arthritis or osteoarthritis as it is commonly called. That is an entirely different process and as we view it now is essentially a wear and tear disease. That's why it affects the weight bear-

Polly's pointers

DEAR POLLY — My Pet Peeve is with those companies who insist that one give the complete name and address when ordering something, and then their replies come back with only the first initial of the name instead of the entire name. Three people in our family have first names beginning with the same initial and we never know what mail belongs to whom. Many companies selling things or asking for donations have never received an answer just because of this. —MARY B.

DEAR POLLY — When my Mom cleans my figure skates, she uses an empty egg carton as a stand. This works great. They can be left until dry and then be polished. —ANDREA.

DEAR POLLY — My 6-year-old has a great answer for Carol, who wants to know what her boys can make with toilet tissue tubes. My daughter spread peanut butter on such tubes, rolled them in bird seed and when they were dry hung them in a tree for the birds to feed on. —MRS. J.C.R.



Contribution to student loans

The Twentieth Century Cotillion presented a \$1,900 check to Opportunity Plan Inc. as the club's donation to the student loan program based in Canyon. Milton Morris of Canyon represented the Opportunity Plan in accepting the check from Mrs. Al Smith, right, and Mrs. Jerry Kotara, left. The money for the contribution was acquired from the Cotillion's annual antique show held April 2-4 with Mrs. Smith as chairman. Mrs. Kotara is the past president.

(Pampa News photo)

Design influentials

Don Sayres sets chic color pace

By Ellie Grossman
(Last of Four Articles)

NEW YORK — (NEA) — It's odd, Don Sayres can't ex-

plain it but there's something distinctly southern about him. A Leslie Howard, "Gone With the Wind," quality, in the soft voice, the lanky frame and the

fair, angular features.

The 29-year-old designer, however, was born in the Bronx, graduated with a liberal arts degree from New York's Hunter College — "It was important to me to get a broad education" — and then attended the Fashion Institute of Technology here.

"After FIT, I played around for awhile," he says, "and when I decided I should be working I didn't know where to begin. I knew no one in this field and everyone said you have to take your portfolio and knock on doors. But if you're not generally outgoing it's very tough."

But the more doors, the less tough it becomes, he found. "I'd go to Seventh Avenue and work my way from the top of a building to the bottom, asking if they had any opening."

The break finally came when Oleg Cassini sportswear offered to buy his sketches freelance. Eventually, he ended up designing for D'Amselle for four and a half years.

Just one year ago, he left D'Amselle to become the imagination behind Gamut, a women's sportswear house created by Consolidated Foods, "one of the largest and best-run conglomerates in the country," he says.

"Consolidated estimated we'd do \$2.5 million the first year. But two weeks after our first show last April (1975), the business in the house alone was \$2.4 million. It was difficult to go to a \$5 million business overnight." He laughs. Difficult, but it should happen to everyone.

Now, with his second collection behind him and a third approaching, Gamut by Don Sayres is established in 1,500 stores nationally.

"I offer what I call pre-

selected sportswear," he says. "I'll sell a jacket, shirt, skirt or pants that I've coordinated as one unit, for \$120 to \$150. But I also emphasize that this is a suggested way of wearing these pieces. They're simple, well-chosen items that I've put together but love to see broken apart by a woman who loves to do that."

His spring colors are exuberant and spirited. He pairs a cherry blazer with a turquoise shirt, for instance, over a white skirt. "We're in a period of very simple clothes," he explains, "and your silhouettes remain fairly basic — the blazer, skirt and shirt. So what's left to play with is color."

"I can't explain the difference between chic and vulgar brights," he continues. "It's a taste level and that's the most important thing about my clothes. The taste level is such that they'll go with any other designer clothes."

Women, you see, he says in his quiet way, "have a tremendous variety in their wardrobe, if they'd open their closets. Before she goes shopping, a woman should know her wardrobe. She may need just one jacket or a sleeveless, V-neck sweater to pull it all together."

And she should learn to look at herself. "Her visual judgment is the most important thing. She's got to learn to hold a blouse with a jacket in front of a mirror to see if they work, because what you do with fabrics and how you wear them determine when you wear them."

Take a day look carried into evening, another of his specialties. "In the fall, I did a flannel skirt with a velvet jacket. In the evening, you put

that jacket over a satin shirt and with that flannel skirt, it's a great look for the theater or the movies."

Provided it's casual. He hates a studied, labored appearance, and if he catches you with every button buttoned, watch out. "I'm always undoing buttons," he says, "and turning back cuffs on a jacket to show a blouse beneath. And I like to stand up the collar of a shirt to frame a woman's face."

And, finally, we've got to send caution to the winds. "When something is new," he says, "that's the time to try it. The first year, women read about it and say, it's not for me."

"The second year they see it on a friend and say, it's still not for me. The third year, they get courageous and buy it. But by now designers are coming up with something new, and yet these women complain about styles changing too rapidly."

After all, clothes for those outside the business, "shouldn't be taken too seriously. Fashion isn't fine art which remains fine art through the ages. It's a new skirt length and if it's not for you, wear what you like, but give yourself time to enjoy it

members of the Las Pampas chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution following a recent luncheon meeting in Mrs. J.R. Spearman's home at 1707 Mary Ellen.

Mrs. Spearman spoke on "Our Most Pressing Problem" which outlined the concern by U.S. Treasury officials that several under-developed countries may be forced to default on large foreign loans — many of which are held by private banks in this country and western Europe.

She told the 18 members present that these defaults could result in economic shock waves similar to those in the 1930s.

After the program, Mrs. E.L. Norman, bicentennial chairman, distributed copies of "Remember When," a compilation of interviews with Gray County pioneers by Houston Middle School history students.

Beginning Sept. 11, the Las Pampas chapter will meet in the Senior Citizens Center at 500 W. Frances.

Theta Delta

Twenty-eight members of Theta Delta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma honored the sorority's founders and installed biennial officers at a luncheon May 1 in the Pioneer Natural Gas Company Flame Room.

The new officers are Mrs. J.R. Hogge, president; Mrs. Lloyd Sherrod, first vice president; Mrs. Mary K. Diggs, second vice

president; Mrs. Charles Gill, corresponding secretary; Claudia Everly, recording secretary; Thelma Holman, treasurer, and Mrs. J.B. McCray, parliamentarian.

Retiring teachers honored were Thelma Holman and Mrs. I.E. Padgett, both with Pampa schools, and Mrs. B.H. McGee with the Skellytown schools. Ms. Holman has taught for 42 years and Mrs. Padgett has completed 34 years as a teacher.

Mrs. McGee has been teaching for 21 years.

The 12 sorority founders were honored with Mary Dean Dozier's recitation of a poem, "A Founders Day Tribute," and with an original composition "Memories" sung by a quartet of members.

Vocalists were Mrs. W.H. Evans, Mrs. John Vantine, Mrs. Calvin Murray and Mary Ewing. Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Harwood, Mrs. John Vantine, Mrs. Ed Lehnick, Mrs. Edward Weins, Mrs. Jack C. Williams and Lelia Clifford.

FAMOUS FAMILY
RANDLEMAN, N.C. (UPI) — The Petty family has won the Grand National trophy nine times in the 27-year existence of NASCAR. Lee won it in 1954, 1958 and 1959. His famous son, Richard, topped honors in 1964, 1967, 1971, 1972, 1974 and 1975.



DON SAYRES

if you do like it." Solid thoughts from the easygoing young man with the southern manner who admits to feeling the pressure of his profession. "I've established a certain level and I have to maintain it and go beyond it. It's hard." But, then, so was knocking on all those doors and look where that got him.

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TOPS banner really tops

Mrs. Jim Weatherford, chapter leader of TOPS TX840, displays the chapter's first place entries in banner and name tag competition at the TOPS Area Recognition Days convention in Amarillo April 23-24. Mrs. Weatherford said the convention drew 400 delegates from the North Plains area and she estimated that 60 chapters were represented. The meetings were in the Villa Inn Motel and Convention Center in Amarillo. (Pampa News photo)

Family needs costing more

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A hypothetical middle income urban family needed an annual salary last fall of \$15,318—or 6.9 per cent more than the previous year—to pay its bills, the Labor Department said today.

The figure was about \$280 less than was announced last month. Officials at the department's Bureau of Labor Statistics said they undertook a revision to better reflect federal income taxes in 1975.

A low level budget for the same hypothetical four-member family was \$9,588, an increase of 4.2 per cent over last year. A high level budget was estimated at \$22,294 or 7.3 per cent more than 1975.

The department annually releases estimates of budgets for three standards of living as an additional measure of the impact of inflation. The hypothetical family includes a 38-year-old full-time employed husband, an unemployed wife, a 13-year-old son and an 8-year-old daughter.

BLS officials said the originally released budgets did not

Five women get awards in Canadian

CANADIAN — Five special awards were presented during the Beta Sigma Phi Founders' Day Banquet here April 30.

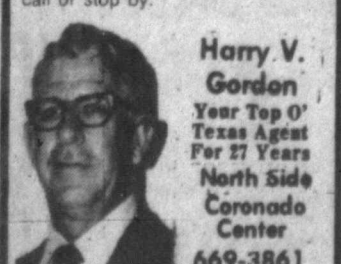
The sorority recognized for the first time the recipient of the Young Woman of the Year award, Mrs. Bill Varnell. Mrs. Ben Ezzell was recognized as an honorary member, the first time that award has been presented here.

Alpha Eta Zeta chapter honored Donna Huffaker as Girl of the Year and Mrs. Lea Guffey was named Pledge of the Year. The Xi Rho Iota chapter named Mrs. Jim Hoobler Girl of the Year.

The banquet was in the Methodist Church.

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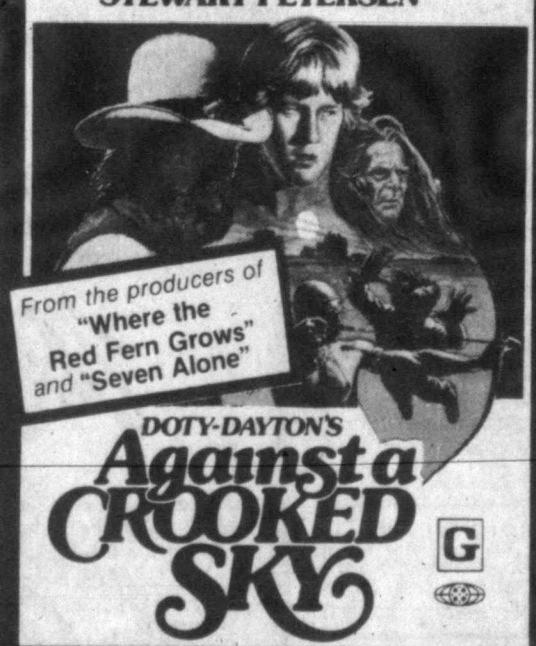
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FEC waiting for extension

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Federal Election Commission staff Thursday recommended approval of more than \$2.1 million in matching federal funds for presidential candidates — if President Ford signs a bill breathing new life into the FEC.

The FEC was rendered virtually powerless to distribute funds this year by the Supreme Court. After much delay, a bill cleared Congress this week which would make changes in the commission.

The President has not indicated whether or not he will veto the bill.

Double research asked

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A national commission today recommended the government double its research efforts to develop improved methods to treat and prevent arthritis, the disabling disease that affects millions of Americans.

In a report to Congress, the 17-member commission also called for creation of a network of federally funded arthritis centers and community programs to make the latest developments in care available to more people.

The commission, established by the National Arthritis Act last year, said there are less than 1,000 physicians with specialized training to treat

more than 22 million Americans afflicted by the painfully crippling joint disease.

A summary of the report said there are serious deficiencies in the knowledge of what causes the many forms of arthritis and as a result, scientists have been unable to develop effective ways to treat and prevent arthritis.

"Even with such deficiencies, much is now known about the treatment of some forms of the disease but this knowledge is not widely available," the summary said. "Current arthritis programs of every kind and at every level — federal, state, local and private — are inadequate to meet the needs."



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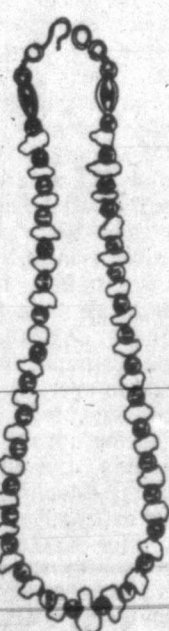
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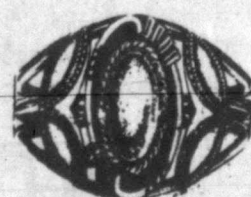
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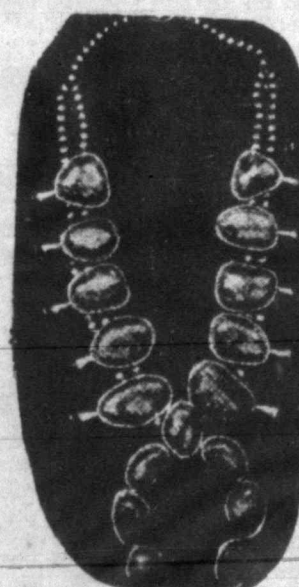
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Sixth botulism case uncovered Police solve 26 per cent of crimes reported here

ELK CITY, Okla. (UPI) — Health workers have found a sixth person who developed botulism from eating sweet cherry peppers at a motel salad bar.

State health department officials in Oklahoma City were conducting a lengthy telephone search for persons who may have eaten the peppers at the Ramada Inn in April.

Dr. Armond Start, state epidemiologist, said Wednesday the sixth victim was an Elk City woman who ate the peppers April 18. She developed "very

mild" symptoms and was not hospitalized, he said.

She learned of the botulism through news reports and notified officials, he said.

An Elk City resident was in stable condition and another was improving in an Oklahoma City hospital with botulism caused by the peppers, he said. Both were admitted April 24.

Three other persons in Texas, Utah and Prague, Okla., have mild cases, he said.

Start said the state health department had telephoned more than 100 persons who

stayed at the motel on Interstate 40 in Elk City, but dozens more have not been contacted.

Elk City is west central Oklahoma about 35 miles from the Texas border draws travelers from across the country, complicating the health department's task, he said.

The Dreher Pickle Co. in Denver manufactured the peppers and distributed them under the brand name "Code Sweet Cherry Peppers" to commercial establishments. The incident does not involve mishandling by the motel, Start said.

The Center for Disease Control in Atlanta said the company is voluntarily withdrawing from the market all gallon containers with one of the following numbers on the lids: 1-Mar-1977, Mar-197 or Mar-1977D.

Start said it was to the health department's advantage that most people do not eat cherry peppers.

"This is one of the reasons we don't have more people sick. A lot of people avoid the little peppers thinking they are too hot," he said. "In this particular

situation it has been working to our advantage."

The symptoms can differ widely, but include blurred vision, breathing difficulty and a dry throat, Dr. Mark Roberts, a health department epidemiologist, said.

Botulism is rare in commercially canned goods because the intense heat used should kill spores which produce the toxin.

Police solve 26 per cent of crimes reported here

Criminal activity in Pampa during April included 89 actual Class 1 crimes and 154 Class 2 crimes, according to a report issued by Pampa Police Chief Richard Mills.

Ninety Class 1 crimes were reported, but one was unfounded. Police were able to

solve 23 of the remaining 89 crimes for a clearance rate of 26 per cent, which is above the national average Mills said.

The clearance rate for Class 1 crimes during the first four months of 1976 is slightly over 32 per cent with police solving 102 of 318 cases.

The largest increase in Class 1

crimes has been theft, Mills said, with 62 larceny thefts and one motor vehicle theft reported in April.

Police made 11 arrests for driving while intoxicated during April to bring the 1976 arrests to 66. Forty-five DWI arrests were made during the same period in 1975.

Drug arrests stand at 45 for the year, with 10 arrests in April. The total one year ago was 13 arrests.

Driving while license suspended cases are 24 for 1976, with six arrests in April. Eight DWLS cases had been filed during the first four months of 1975.

Class 1 crimes include homicide, rape, robbery, assault, burglary, larceny theft and motor vehicle theft.

Killers not prosecuted

MIAMI (UPI) — You can get away with murder in Florida — if you did it between June 29 and Oct. 1, 1972.

Killers, who committed at least 13 murders in Dade County and several of whom are known or suspected, cannot be prosecuted, according to State Attorney Richard Gerstein.

Gerstein attributes the loophole to the U.S. Supreme Court and a ruling of the Florida Supreme Court. On June 29, 1972, the U.S. Supreme Court "created a hiatus in capital punishment" by declaring it illegal, Gerstein said.

The Florida Legislature reinstated capital punishment Oct. 1, 1972. But the state Supreme Court ruled subsequently that, since there was no capital punishment during the three-month period, then there were no capital crimes, and murder thus fell into a lesser category subject to the two-year statute of limitations.

Attorney General Robert Shevin confirmed the situation Thursday. It involves all murders committed in Florida between June 29 and Oct. 1, 1972. Shevin said he is unable to determine the number of

murder cases involved throughout Florida.

"It's unfortunate, a bad situation," the attorney general told the Miami Herald. "It appears that people are going to get away with murder. I'm only grateful that it was just a three-month period and not that many will escape scot free."

Miami-Dade County Metro police say one case affected is the assassination of gangster Emmanuel Cammarata, which

detectives report they have solved after thousands of hours of working on the case.

Cammarata, 69, a known Mafia associate, was cut down from ambush by an M1 carbine outside a barroom on the night of Sept. 7, 1972.

Metro Homicide Lt. Gary Minium agreed that "the killer can walk in now and say 'I shot him,' and all we can say is, 'Thank you, goodbye.'"

Red Cross breakfast set

The annual meeting of the Gray County chapter of the American Red Cross will be at 7 a.m. Tuesday in the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, according to Wayne Wilson, chapter chairman.

Reservations for the \$2.10 plate must be received by the

Red Cross office, 669-7121, by noon Monday.

Invitations to the breakfast meeting erroneously listed the day of the meeting as Monday, Wilson said.

Speaker for the meeting will be Don Lane, attorney.

Watershed to begin soon

WASHINGTON, D.C. — After seven years of planning, Senator Lloyd Bentsen Wednesday said work will soon begin on the newly approved \$3.5 million Red Deer Creek Watershed Project.

Bentsen, a member of the Senate Public Works Committee which approved the watershed protection and flood prevention project, said it will provide an estimated \$506,000 annually in benefits to Pampa, Miami, Canadian and the surrounding area.

During construction, the project will create 99 new local jobs. Thirteen more jobs will be permanent.

The Federal government is picking up \$2.7 million of the total cost of the project. A total

of \$808,000 will be paid locally.

"It's been seven years since local authorities have been planning a workable scheme to prevent Red Deer Creek from flooding dangerously," Bentsen said in a statement from his Washington office.

"Various times in the past such flooding has caused serious damage to Roberts County Park in Miami, to homes and business establishments there, and to its water lines, natural gas lines and sewage treatment plant."

"The flooding has also frequently blocked traffic on U.S. 60, an important highway for east-west travel."

Bentsen added that the project will greatly increase the efficiency and use of irrigation

water by providing ground water. This will greatly boost the economy of the area, he said.

"After so much waiting, I'm pleased to report that work on this project will begin very shortly. This is good news for citizens in this area who have given this project their strongest support," Bentsen said.

Of the 3,013,000 Americans who have cataract, 2,212,000 (73 per cent) are 65 years of age or older; \$65,000 (19 per cent) are 45 to 65 years of age. More than 45,000 persons are legally blind because of cataract.

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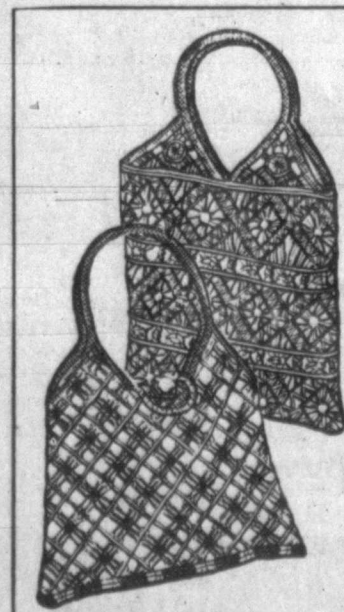
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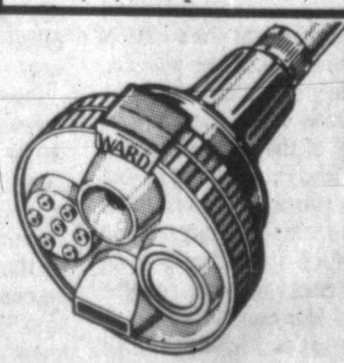
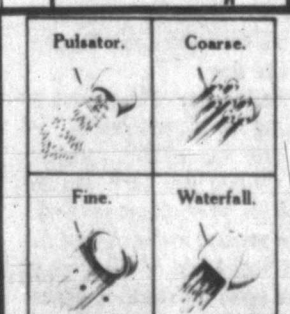


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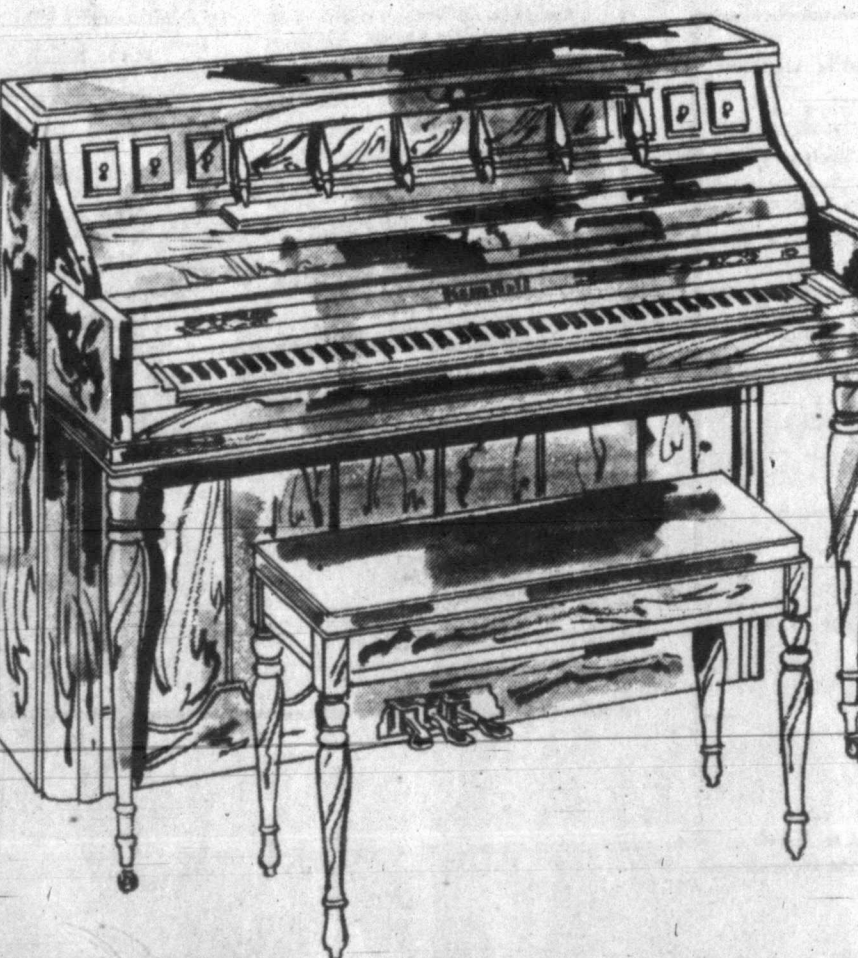
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Thai missionary talks in Pampa

Mothers will be honored during Sunday services at the First Christian Church, 1633 N. Nelson, according to the Rev. Dr. Ralph Palmer, pastor.

"Remember Momma" will be Dr. Palmer's sermon topic at the 10:50 a.m. worship service, with emphasis on honoring Christian mothers.

The celebration will continue at 6:30 p.m. with an old-fashioned potluck family dinner. Families are requested to bring any two dishes of meat, salad, vegetable or desert.

Speaker during the evening services will be the Rev. Allen Eubank, missionary to Thailand, who is visiting Pampa. Mrs. Eubank visited the Pampa church several months ago for a gospel sing.

Rev. Eubank is a native of Hillsboro and graduated from Texas A&M University with a bachelor of science in geological engineering.

He served with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers during the Korean conflict and worked four years as a geologist with



Rev. Allen Eubank

Standard Oil of Texas. He then attended the Brite Divinity school at Texas Christian University where he received the bachelor of divinity degree.

Rev. Eubank and his family have served in Thailand since 1961. During the mid-1960s Rev. Eubank returned to the U.S. on furlough and received an advanced degree from the Yale Divinity School before returning to the Orient.

The family will return to Thailand within a few weeks.

Musical revivalists leading city services



The Musical Vanns

A revival crusade featuring "The Musical Vanns" is continuing at the First Assembly of God Church, 500 S. Cuyler, according to the Rev. R.L. Courtney pastor.

At 7 p.m. tonight, the church will screen "The Burning Hell," a gospel film based on Biblical descriptions of Hell.

Services will also be 7 p.m. Saturday when activities will include singing. Sunday services will begin with Bible study at 9:45 a.m. and will conclude with revival services at 6:30 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by calling 665-5941 or 669-6594.

Presbyterian sermon named

"And He Shall Come Again" will be the Rev. Norman D. Dow Jr.'s sermon at the 10:45 a.m. worship service Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church, 525 N. Gray. Rev. Dow is the pastor.

Scripture will be from Mark 13:26 and Mrs. Paul Corotis, director of the Community Day

Care Center, will be the Minute for Mission speaker.

Other church activities during the week include the meeting of the Christian Education Committee at 7 p.m. Wednesday and choir rehearsal will be at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Church School begins at 9:30 a.m. Sunday.

Americans explore religious cults

By DAVID E. ANDERSON
UPI Religion Writer

The human impulse for religious experience often finds itself expressed in the exotic.

In recent years, in particular, Americans of all stripes and persuasions have found themselves exploring a whole variety of cults, ranging from satanism through witchcraft, various forms of esoteric meditation — including teenaged gurus with a penchant for luxurious toys — and self-proclaimed Messiahs with a fondness for mass marriages.

Some of the cults are legitimate strivings after the peace and self-fulfillment promised in the religious experience; others are not so legitimate, seeking to exploit the followers for the leaders' gain.

Of the legitimate, one of the most ancient and exotic — and hitherto secret — religious rites has been that of the whirling Dervishes of Turkey.

Reshad Feild is what easily might be called a devotee of the esoteric and the spiritually exotic. A practitioner of the healing arts, he has studied with the Druids of Britain and is an initiate of the teachings of the Sufi Muslim tradition, which includes the way of the Dervishes.

Because of the immense power they once wielded, the Dervishes have been illegal in their native Turkey for half a century.

Feild has sought the secret of the Dervishes and the whirling dance they do called "the turn" for a dozen years. He has told the story of that search and the teacher who finally brought him to the Dervishes in a book, "The Last Barrier" (Harper and Row) which for many will be reminiscent of the popular novels of Herman Hesse or the more recent writings of Carlos Castaneda.

The origins of the dance belong to the middle of the 13th Century and the story is told that it began when the Sufi saint Rumi, while watching a goldsmith working, was brought into a state of whirling ecstasy.

The Sufi way to the knowledge, the experience of what Feild would call the "metaphysics of ecstasy" always has been a secret path only for initiates. Indeed, his book is the chronicle

of the tests — "I blew most of them," he said in an interview — put in his way by his teacher before being taught the dance.

Feild, however, wants to make the dance public property.

"We're at the verge of the greatest change in history," he said. "There's no time to fiddle about with this secret society stuff. It's now out of the bag and the question is, let's get on with it."

He said the Sufi Muslim way originally had been known as "the path of the householder" and that he wanted "to bring out to the average man what can be useful to him" in his search for God.

Feild also disavows any intention of starting a sect based on the turn.

"Sufism is not involved with form," he said. "I have no time for sects and I'm tired of people saying there is only one way. There are three million people in small (spiritual and alternative) communities across the country and it is time for some cooperation, some cross-pollination."

Feild also showed impatience with those who retreat from life for meditation.

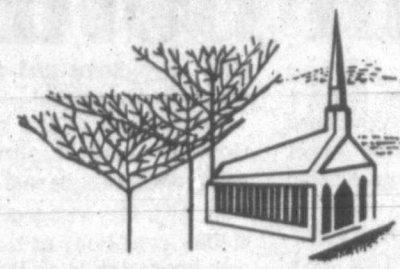
"The time has come to come down from the mountain," he said. "We're close to a time when we must face something we've never had to face before — the collapse of order and the emergence of chaos. Its time to come off the mountain; there's work to be done."

For Feild, part of that work is spreading the experience of the dance. He quotes his teacher Dede: "When you turn you do not turn for yourself but for God. We turn around in the way we do so that the Light of God may descend upon the earth. Jesus said, 'Unless you dance you know not what cometh to pass.' That is why we turn. But the world does not understand. We do not turn for ourselves."

TOP EMPHASIS
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Rev. John Mansard 1100 W. Crawford
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NFO announces sales

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI) — The National Farmer Organization has made several million dollars worth of grain sales to European customers in the past week, according to NFO President Oren Lee Staley.

Staley said the NFO expects to increase its exporting campaign started two months ago in an effort to cut out the middleman export companies, boost farm revenues and increase the quality of grain delivered.

New sales which the Corning, Iowa-based organization reported this week included:

- 300,000 bushels of wheat valued at \$1 million.
- 416,000 bushels of soybeans valued at \$2.8 million.
- 400,000 bushels of corn

valued at \$1.2 million.

That was in addition to earlier sales of 350,000 bushels of soybeans valued at \$1.75 million and 300,000 bushels of wheat valued at \$1 million, Staley said.

"The sales have been so rapid it's hard, without notes, to figure them out," Staley said in a telephone interview.

He called the marketing program "the first large-scale producer to consumer marketing program."

"The reason we became involved (in exports) is the farmers are concerned about the fact that the foreign buyers have been getting poor quality products," Staley said. "This is not any fault of the farmers because they raise good quality grain."

Staley said some grain is being shipped directly from farm points to shipping points, but most goes from NFO storage points where records are kept of volume and quality of grain brought in by farmers.

Staley would not identify the buyers, but said half the new wheat was shipped from Kansas

to the Gulf of Mexico for a European buyer and the other half from the Superior/Duluth, Minn., area also for a European buyer. The soybeans went to Brussels and the corn to European markets. He said the purchases were for processing plants and feed plants.

Bad weather can hit garden

Violent spring thunderstorms are beginning to roam over Texas, and that means home vegetable gardeners can expect some damage to their crops.

"If such weather causes

heavy damage to vegetable crops, the gardener must decide whether to leave the damaged plants or to start over and replant."

Plants that often suffer the most from violent weather are squash, cucumbers and beans, said the Texas A&M University System specialist.

Where garden space is available, Cotner suggested leaving the less damaged plants and replanting the remainder of the crop.

"Most vegetable seed will germinate rapidly once the soil has warmed, so replanting is often the best alternative. Of course, if transplants can be obtained, you can gain several weeks of valuable growing time."

In many areas of the state, it is too late to replant cool season vegetables such as lettuce, carrots, cabbage and cauliflower. Cotner suggested replanting such crops to warm season vegetables if weather damage occurs.

OUTDOOR COOKS
CHICAGO (UPI) — Ninety per cent of Americans who cook outdoors are less than 45 years old, says the National Live Stock and Meat Board.

Hamburgers are the most popular food for outdoor cooking, served by 96 per cent of those who barbecue. Ninety-three per cent also cook steak, and 85 per cent, hot dogs.



DROUGHT is bad news for growers in broad sections of the U.S. wheat belt. A handful of parched earth may be about all this field will yield for Merle Stoops, of Hugoton, Kans., as a result of the dry spell which started last summer and lasted through the winter. Damage estimates currently run as high as 10 per cent of the 1976 U.S. wheat crop.

County agent comments

Reserve up, price down

By JOE VANZANDT

County Extension Agent
As additional moisture falls over the Southern Plains Area, wheat prices continue their downward decline. Improvement in the new wheat crop prospects coupled with reduced export sales worked to drop wheat values sharply. A relative high percentage of wheat is still in farmers' hands. The question is, "At what price will farmers be willing to carry over last year's crop?" Generally, when all production costs are considered, wheat prices are way below break-even.

In the U.S. April 1, stocks of all wheat at 25.5 million metric tons were 42 per cent above a year earlier. Stocks of the four feed grains (corn, oats, barley, and sorghum) totaled 86.4 million metric tons, which is 25 per cent above year earlier holdings. Corn in all positions increased 27 per cent and sorghum is 19 per cent above last year levels. It looks like the U.S. is going to have adequate supplies of grain this year.

Remember how low beef prices were in March? Beef production in March was 23 per cent above last year's beef output. However it was not overweight cattle but just sheer numbers of cattle ready for market at one time. The average liveweight of cattle slaughtered in March was 2 pounds lighter than in 1975 and 43 pounds under the 1974 level.

New brucellosis regulations in effect

Texas livestock producers are operating under a new set of regulations aimed at eradicating bovine brucellosis.

The regulations were adopted by the Texas Animal Health Commission at a hearing in Austin, April 15.

The regulations combine federal guidelines of the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Federal officials were contemplating a

quarantine on Texas breeding cattle if the regulations had not been accepted.

A portion of the regulations deal with the vaccination of heifer calves using the Strain-19 brucella abortus vaccine. Vaccination is recommended to increase the immunity of breeding animals in areas where brucellosis has been a problem. Beef heifers should be officially vaccinated between the ages of 90 to 210 days and dairy heifers, 60 to 180 days.

Free vaccine for calfhood vaccination is available in limited quantities to be used in herds having problems with brucellosis. Producers wishing to start a vaccination should contact their local veterinarian.

At the recent hearing in Austin, many producers stressed the importance of continued research and adequate financing to improve methods for diagnosis and

control of brucellosis.

A copy of the new brucellosis eradication regulations soon will be available for reference at the county Extension office.

Some farmers are becoming concerned about weeds coming up in wheat fields. If wheat is sprayed with 2,4-D between the boot and soft dough stage, some yield reduction can occur. If weeds in wheat need to be sprayed, I would recommend you wait until the wheat has reached the soft dough stage before spraying with 2,4-D.

The wheat crop is reaching the high water use stage, which occurs from the boot to milk stage of the plant. Probably the single highest water use comes during the bloom stage of development. Farmers who are short of irrigation water or want to get the greatest return out of each inch of water applied can consider applying water during the high water use period.

4-H News and Views

By MARILYN SHIRLEY and LAYTON BARTON, Asst. County Extension Agents Council officers

The Gray County 4-H Council met May 1 at Furr's Cafeteria to elect new officers for the upcoming year: Chris Skaggs, chairman; Sally Brainard, 1st vice chairman; Thad Green, 2nd vice chairman; Cindy Gage, secretary - treasurer. Skaggs and Brainard will represent Gray County on the District I 4-H council.

Adult leaders
All 4-H parents and leaders are encouraged to attend a meeting of the adult leader's association at 8:30 p.m. Monday, May 17, in the Courthouse Annex, to determine which activities and projects should be repeated or added to the 4-H program next year.

Training for leaders
A meeting in Amarillo will offer 4-H leaders training in a variety of areas. Each leader

can select the area he or she wishes to attend: 4-H fund raising, 4-H fairs, 4-H horticulture projects, 4-H horse projects, or 4-H exchange program.

The training in each area will be presented by counties in the district who have successful programs in that area.

The meeting will be May 18 at TSTT in Amarillo and interested leaders can contact the Extension Office for a ride.

May club meetings
4-H Clubs will be meeting in May for their final regular meetings of the 75-76 school year and the election of officers. Clubs will turn in money from seed sales.

Clothing projects
Clothing projects will get underway as soon as school is out and we are busy now recruiting leaders for the project. Anyone who is interested in being a leader can call us at 669-7429.

Texas stocks increased

As of April 1, Texas stocks of seven major food and feed grains have been estimated at 201.3 million bushels — a 46 per cent increase above estimates of a year earlier, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

Stocks of all commodities, except rye, are above last year's figures as a result of substantial production increases in 1975.

Texas stocks of the four feed grains — corn, oats, barley and sorghum — are projected at 144 million bushels, a 34 per cent increase from 1975. Sorghum stocks in all positions are estimated at 93.8 million bushels with on-farm stocks accounting for almost 15 million of that

total. Sorghum disappearance for the January-April quarter was 91.5 million bushels, compared with 67.5 million for the same period last year.

Corn stocks have increased 30 per cent from a year earlier to 44.7 million bushels. Disappearance during the first quarter of 1976 was 32.9 million bushels, up sharply from last year's 17.1 million.

Oat and barley stocks stand at 5.2 million and 270 thousand respectively. Farm oat stocks total almost 4.1 million — a 3 million bushel increase over 1975.

With barley production topping 2.3 million bushels last year, farm stocks reached \$6,000

bushels with off-farm stocks accounting for 175,000. Disappearance during the first quarter of 1975 was 237,000 bushels — a 155,000 bushel increase from 1975.

A record Texas wheat crop of 131.1 million bushels in 1975 has pushed total wheat stocks up 94 per cent to almost 51.4 million bushels. Farm stocks of wheat increased 1.8 million bushels to 2.6 million while off-farm stocks stood at 48.8 million. First quarter disappearance, which was estimated at 19.4 million bushels, was down from last year's 24.6 million during the same period.

Rye stocks are down from the April 1, 1975 figure of 43,000. This year, stocks were 27,000 bushels, with farm stocks totaling 23,000 — a 188 per cent increase from 1975. Off-farm stocks declined 89 per cent to 4,000 bushels in storage on April 1.

Soybean stocks in all positions are estimated at 6 million bushels. Off-farm stocks of the commodity accounted for 5 million bushels of that total.

Rough rice stocks in all positions on April 1 for 1975 and earlier crops were almost 14.1 million hundredweights (cwt.) — an 89 per cent increase above a year earlier and a record amount in storage for that date. Stocks of milled rice reached 1.8 million cwt. — the largest amount in storage on April 1 since 1959.

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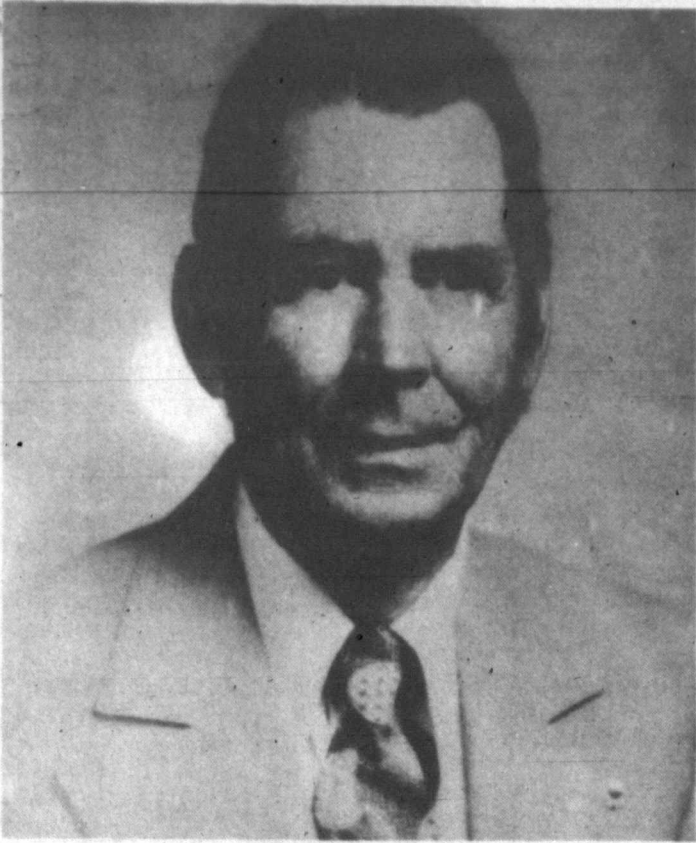
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Optimist governor

Aubrey L. Haynie of San Angelo, governor of the North Texas District of Optimist International, will be in Pampa Saturday for opening day ceremonies of Pampa's Optimist Club summer youth programs. Haynie will present the Heritage Award to a local Optimist. A barbecue is set for 4 p.m. with tickets available from Optimists. The opening day ceremonies begin at 6:30 p.m.

Carter to support delegate Briscoe

AUSTIN, Tex. (UPI) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe says Jimmy Carter, winner of the Texas Democratic presidential primary, will support Briscoe's bid to lead the state's delegation at the national convention in New York this summer.

Briscoe said Wednesday he had talked with Carter and Carter had agreed to Briscoe's leadership. Briscoe also again predicted Carter would be nominated and would win in November.

"Gov. Carter carried Texas in a very big way and I think the people of Texas have spoken very clearly that they back Gov. Carter in a very big way," Briscoe said. "In my opinion there will be only one ballot at the national convention."

"Jimmy Carter will be nominated on the first ballot."

Throughout the primary campaign Briscoe supported the favorite son candidacy of Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Tex., but at the same time said he did not object to Carter's candidacy.

Briscoe recommended the

Texas delegation support Carter after Bentsen released the six delegates he won in the primary. Carter won the other 92 delegates available.

Briscoe also said Wednesday the Texas presidential primary bill gave voters more direct participation in candidate selections than they ever had before.

"The primary in Texas had significant national impact in both parties," Briscoe said. "But one of the problems in this primary was the rather long, tedious procedure each candidate had to go through to get his name on the ballot."

"To me, this is obviously one of the changes that needs to be made."

Briscoe said Carter would win the November general election because Republicans caused an \$85 billion national budget deficit, high unemployment and a recession.

"Some Republicans are nice people, but they obviously don't know how to run a government," Briscoe said.

Alexandria mayor turns in 'dixie' buff

ALEXANDRIA, La. (UPI) — Having to listen to the song "Dixie," through loudspeakers from a downtown building twice each day, bothered Mayor John Snyder so much that he had the building owner arrested for disturbing the peace.

"None of us have anything against the song 'Dixie,' but when it's blasted from the top of a building time after time, it becomes like a Chinese water torture," the mayor said.

But the attorney for the building owner says Walter Hetherwick, who also flies the Confederate flag atop the building, was merely showing his love for the South.

"I just think he's a very patriotic southerner," attorney William Skye said.

Hetherwick, 55, was released from the Alexandria city jail Tuesday night on his own recognizance. Snyder ordered the arrest after businessmen and blacks complained about the Southern anthem blasting through downtown.

Hetherwick rigged up a loudspeaker system on the top of a vacant six-story building he calls One South Square about a month ago. A timer connected to the recorder turns on a rendition of "Dixie" by the University of

Mississippi band at noon and 5 p.m. each day.

"The Confederate flag flies 24 hours a day, seven days a week," Skye said.

Snyder said he thinks Hetherwick is trying to incite a riot to damage the empty building and collect insurance on it. He said the Grand Dragon of the Ku Klux Klan threatened to picket City Hall if charges against Hetherwick were not dropped.

Skye said Hetherwick, an insurance agent, doesn't even have an insurance policy on One South Square. His only motive is patriotic, Skye said.

"He's a reserve officer in the Air Force. He served in World War II and was called up for Korea," the lawyer said. "He's had no threats. Everyone he's heard from has been entirely in favor of it."

PANAMA TREATY
NEW YORK (UPI) — A delegation of top National Council of Churches officials has issued a statement supporting the negotiation of a Panama Canal treaty that will "clearly affirm the effective sovereignty of the Republic of Panama over its entire territory," including the canal.

Wedding kiss was last says oilman to jury

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UPI) — An elderly oilman, who said he once paid his prospective bride \$4,000 to throw him a kiss, told a jury Wednesday the only sexual satisfaction he had received for a \$500,000 prenuptial agreement was a buss on the altar.

John McFarlin said since the 3-year marriage had never been consummated, he wants back the \$350,000 he so far has paid his English entertainer Joan Manning McFarlin, 40.

"I am grateful to him (the minister) for saying, 'you may kiss the bride.' It was the last time I ever kissed my wife," he said.

McFarlin, 62, the great-nephew of the late Robert M. McFarlin, a Tulsa, Okla., philanthropist for whom the University of Tulsa Library and a Norman, Okla., church were named, told the jury he was "a

very lonely man with a mail order dream" so he agreed to pay an English entertainer \$500,000 to marry him.

"It's obvious she just married me for what little money I have," McFarlin said in the divorce trial which continued today.

"There had been a marriage ceremony that we went through, and that was all," the frail man said, on the verge of tears.

Mrs. McFarlin is asking the jury to award her half of the couple's community property and allow her to keep numerous gifts McFarlin lavished on her, including a Jaguar automobile and several pieces of expensive jewelry.

McFarlin testified he gave her the car, "because I was so sensitized that I wanted her to know I would treat her like a queen."

Farmers may get power bill lowered

By MICHAEL O. WESTER
LUBBOCK, Tex. (UPI) —

West Texas farmers paying high utility prices for irrigation and other agriculture needs may soon get federal help which could lower their total power bill to \$50 per acre.

Texas Tech University officials said Wednesday the government would invest \$2.2 million for a prototype solar

energy plant near Crosbyton.

"We are hoping that eventually farmers can invest as little as \$50 per acre to bring their irrigation fuel costs back down to a level comparable to that invested in fuel five years ago," said engineering college dean John Bradford.

"The concept involved is more than a century old, but this project has unique features

which promise highly practical results."

He said the prototype would be a model or other cities of similar size, helping them produce power for less. He said the system would mean lower bills, more electricity and a cheaper way to run irrigation well pumps.

Funds for the project were made available through the

national Energy Research and Development Agency after almost two years of work between Texas Tech engineers and Crosbyton city officials.

Bradford said the system was based on "fixed mirror-distributed focus." He said most previous solar systems had used a reflector moving with the sun and focusing its rays on one spot. He said the system to be

used at Crosbyton would be less costly than most systems.

"Cost for the Crosbyton installation will be great, but if it proves useful it can be mass produced and future installations will be much cheaper," Bradford said.

W.B. Criswell, of Idalou, head of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., said the new plant was needed by farmers suffering

from low, and sometimes nonexistent, profit margins.

"Already farmers have started petitions asking Gov. Dolph Briscoe for a special session to look at natural gas prices," Criswell said. "Present prices for natural gas may prevent use of irrigation wells this summer."

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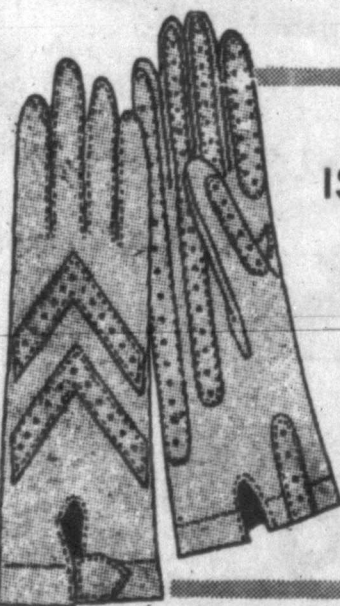
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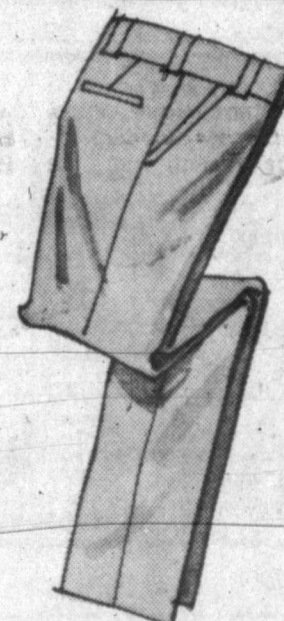
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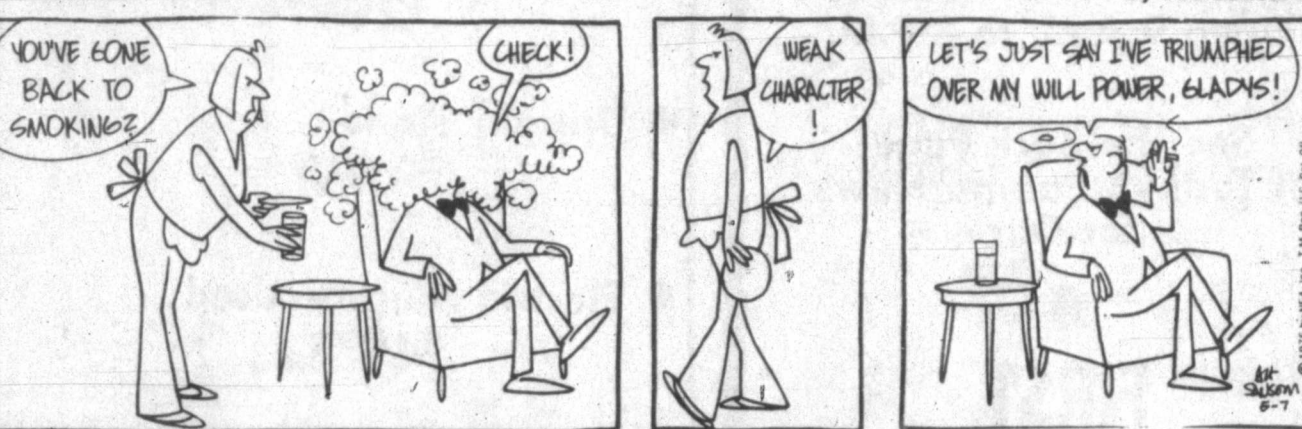
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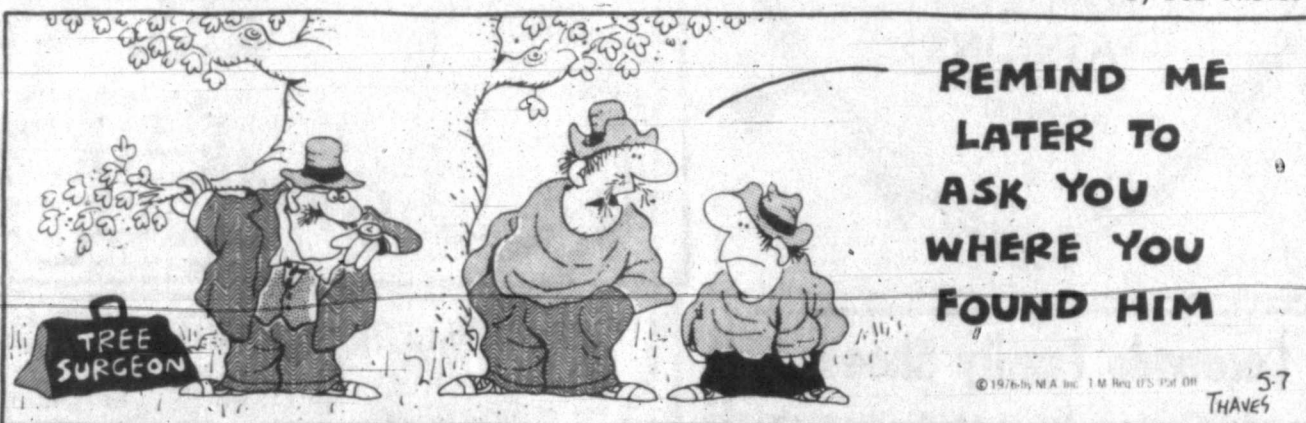
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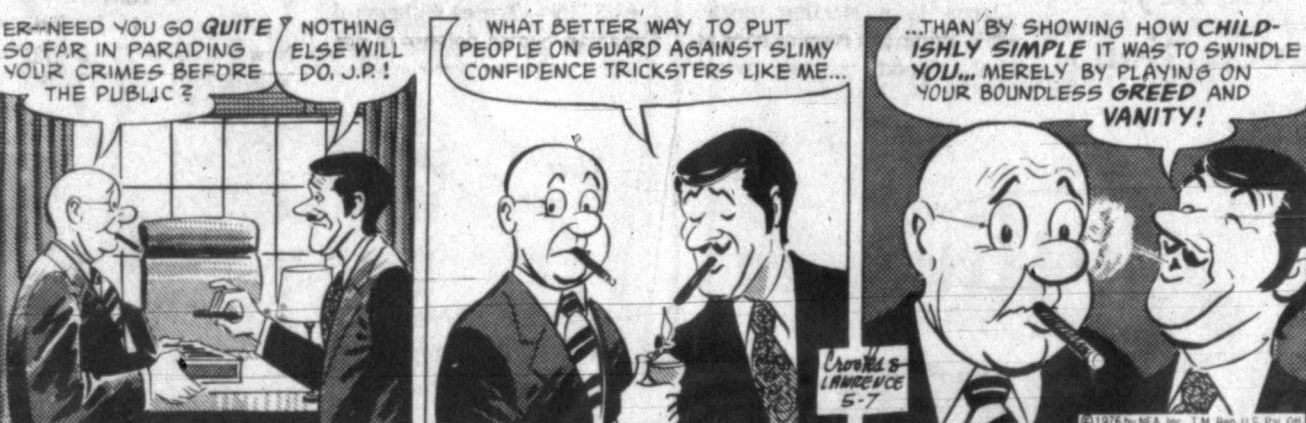
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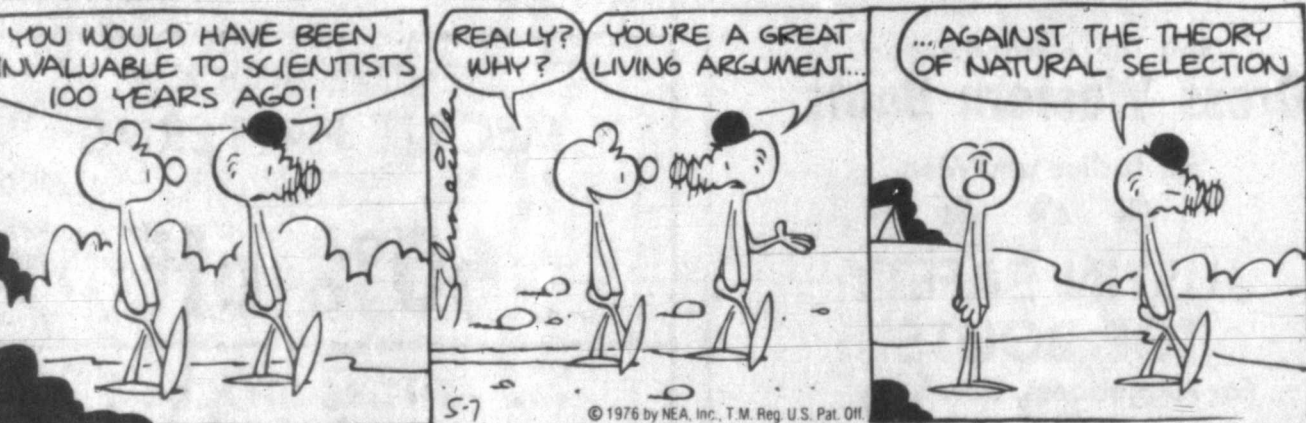
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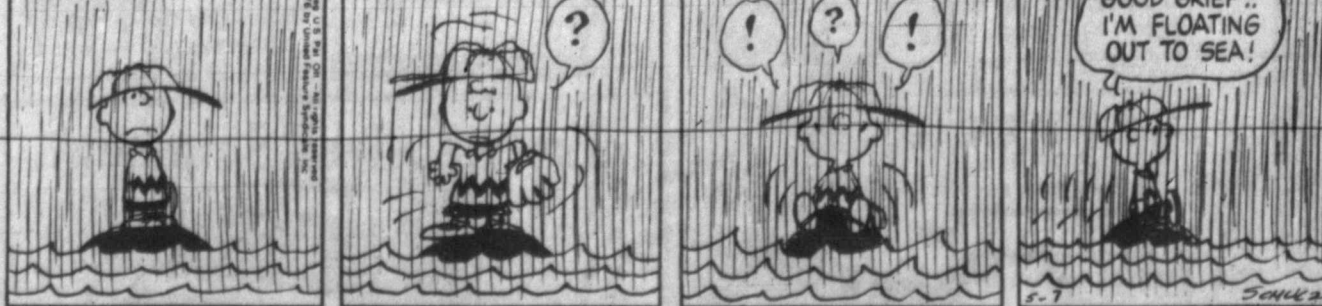


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Mets close in on Philllies Silas paces Celtics to 111-99 win over Cavs

By BILL MADDEN
UPI Sports Writer

If the pitching-rich New York Mets are to sneak off with the National League pennant this year, it might very well be by courtesy of their "two-inning man."

"Skip Lockwood," observed longtime baseball executive Frank Lane during spring training this year, "is the beyond doubt the best two-inning pitcher in baseball."

Lockwood, the journeyman right-hander whom the Mets picked up from Tucson of the Pacific Coast League for less than the waiver price last year, proved Lane right Thursday— for the second time in three days against the World Champion Cincinnati Reds.

Called on to relieve starter Craig Swan with two on and one out in the eighth inning, Lockwood struck out Johnny Bench and got George Foster on a fly out to end the threat. All told, Lockwood

threw 11 straight strikes while also retiring the Reds in order in the ninth for his fourth save.

"I'm not the type of pitcher who tries to be tricky with you," said Lockwood, who, for two innings, throws perhaps the most overpowering fastball in baseball. "But you can't win with just one pitch, either. I've got to show 'em I can get the curve ball over too."

The Mets, now only .044 behind first-place Philadelphia in the National League East, put together their winning rally with three unearned runs in the first inning. Dave Kingman singled home one run and Ed Kranepool's wind-aided double, which eluded center fielder Cesar Geronimo, accounted for the two others. Joe Torre's solo homer in the eighth gave the Mets an insurance run.

Swan went 7 1/3 innings in gaining credit for his second victory.

Elsewhere in NL games, St. Louis edged Atlanta, 5-4. Pittsburgh blanked San Francisco, 3-0. San Diego put away Montreal, 4-1, and the Los Angeles at Chicago game was rained out. In the only American League game, the New York Yankees downed California, 4-2. Detroit and Minnesota were rained out.

Pirates 3, Giants 0:
Jim Rooker and Larry Demery combined on a five-hitter and Rennie Stennett batted out three hits to give the Pirates their fifth victory in six games. Al Oliver's sacrifice fly, which brought home Stennett from third in the first, gave the Pittsburgh the only run they really needed.

Cardinals 5, Braves 4:
Vic Harris, who had four hits the night before, collected three singles and drove in two runs as the Cardinals handed the slump-ridden Braves their 10th straight loss. The Cards staged a four-run rally in

the fifth, with Harris singling home two of the runs, and Ted Simmons' hit accounted for the other.

Padres 4, Expos 1:
San Diego's Dave Winfield homered to tie the score 1-1 in the second inning and then scored the go-ahead run in the fourth on Fred Kendall's single. Dan Spillner and Butch Metzger combined on a five-hitter as only 3,606 fans turned out for the game, the smallest home crowd in the Expos' history.

Yankees 4, Angels 2:
Ex-Angel Mickey Rivers victimized his former teammates with three hits, two stolen bases and a pair of runs scored, while Chris Chambliss extended his hitting streak to 15 games as the Yankees upped their AL East lead to two games. Ed Figueroa, acquired by the Yanks along with Rivers from California in the Bobby Bonds deal last winter, picked up the win.

By United Press International

Mention the name Paul Silas around the National Basketball Association and the first reaction is defense. But the Cleveland Cavaliers are finding out that Silas can play offense, too.

The husky Silas, known as one of the best defensive and rebounding forwards in the NBA, turned offensive Thursday night. He scored 11 of his 21 points in the fourth quarter to squelch a Cleveland rally and give the Boston Celtics a 111-99 victory over the Cavaliers in the opening game of their NBA semifinal playoff series.

Silas went to the offensive when the Cavaliers, who once trailed by 16 points, pulled even at 77-77 at the end of the third period. His three-point play in the final quarter all but crushed Cleveland.

"I'm looking to shoot more

this series," said Silas. "I talked to David (Cowens) before the game and he felt any time I was in a position to shoot, I should. I find the more involved I get in the offense, the more involved I become on defense."

"We thought we had them in the third quarter when they were resting some of their guys," said Cleveland Coach Bill Fitch. "But we made some foolish offensive and defensive errors, like four in a row. After that, the Celtics had a great running game."

John Havlicek led Boston with 26 points while Dick Snyder and Campy Russell had 21 each for the Cavaliers.

The winner of the Boston-Cleveland series, which resumes Sunday, will face the winner of the Golden State-Phoenix matchup for the NBA title. That series resumes in

Phoenix tonight with the clubs tied at 1-1.

In the ABA championship series, Julius Erving continued his one-man show, leading the New York Nets to a 117-111 victory over the Denver Nuggets and a 2-1 lead.

Erving, who scored 45 and 48 points in the first two games, scored 31 Thursday night, eight in the last 90 seconds, to secure the victory. He accounted for eight straight points, two blocked shots and two steals in the final 90 seconds and in all, had 10 rebounds and four blocked shots.

Major League Standings

By United Press International
National League

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	13	6	.684	—
New York	16	9	.640	—
Pittsburgh	12	9	.571	2
St. Louis	11	12	.476	4
Chicago	11	13	.458	4 1/2
Montreal	7	14	.333	7

West

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	14	9	.609	—
Cincinnati	12	10	.545	1 1/2
San Diego	12	11	.522	2
Houston	12	13	.480	3
San Francisco	8	15	.346	6
Atlanta	8	15	.346	6

Thursday's Results
Los Ang at Chicago, ppd., rain
New York 4 Cincinnati 2
Pittsburgh 3 San Francisco 0
San Diego 4 Montreal 1
St. Louis 5 Atlanta 4

(Only games scheduled)
Today's Probable Pitchers
(All Times EDT)
Cincinnati (Alcala 0-0) at Chicago (Zamora 1-0 or Bonham 2-1), 2:30 p.m.
San Diego (Jones 5-1) at New York (Koonman 2-1), 8:05 p.m.
San Francisco (D'Acquisto 0-1) at Montreal (Warthen 0-2), 8:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Messersmith 0-2) at Pittsburgh (Candelaria 2-1), 8:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Rhoden 2-0) at Philadelphia (Christensen 2-1), 8:05 p.m.
Houston (Richard 4-1) at St. Louis (B. Forsch 0-0), 8:30 p.m.

American League

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	13	5	.722	—
Milwaukee	9	5	.643	2
Cleveland	10	9	.526	3 1/2
Detroit	8	8	.500	4
Baltimore	8	11	.421	5 1/2
Boston	6	11	.353	6 1/2

Thursday's Results
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Today's Probable Pitchers
(All Times EDT)
Texas (Umbarger 2-1) at Boston (Wise 1-2), 7:30 p.m.
Kansas City (Busby 1-1) at Baltimore (Cuellar 0-2), 7:30 p.m.
Chicago (Forster 1-0) at Detroit (Ruhle 1-0), 8 p.m.
Minnesota (Decker 1-2) at Milwaukee (Slaton 3-1), 8:30 p.m.
Cleveland (Bibby 1-0) at California (Hassler 0-3), 10:30 p.m.
New York (May 1-0) at Oakland (Blue 2-3), 11 p.m.

Fezler leading Nelson Classic

DALLAS (UPI) — Forrest Fezler Thursday violated an old, self-imposed rule: he played well enough to tie for second place behind Mark Hayes after one round of the \$200,000 Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

"I came in second quite a few times back when I started and they tagged that bridesmaid label on me," said Fezler. "So I decided to play bad for awhile and they stopped calling me that."

They might start calling him that again. Fezler, whose four-

under par 67 over the sodden Preston Trail golf course was one stroke back of Hayes, started the Texas leg of the pro tour last week at Houston with a second place finish.

Then Thursday he came up the 18th fairway tied with Hayes, who had been in the clubhouse sitting on his "solid" 66 for several hours.

"I pushed my drive into the trees on the right," Fezler said. "I didn't really have a second shot, so I tried to hit a three-wood into the bleachers and then

maybe get a drop."

The ball bounced through two bleachers and kicked back out short of the green. He chipped 15 feet past the pin and then missed the putt back to fall a stroke behind Hayes.

Hayes, who finished dead last in the 1975 Nelson, had five birdies and no bogeys.

"It seems as though I always start real well in these tournaments and then...well, I don't know what it is," Hayes said. "I led after the first round at Houston last week, but I didn't feel like I was hitting the ball very well."

"This week was the first time I've felt solid over the ball in the last month. Of course, I might wake up in the morning and lose it."

The only other threat came from Bob E. Smith, who finished second in last year's Nelson. Smith started with an eagle and pushed that to six-under par, but then bogied three of the final five holes to fall back to three under.

"When you have four rounds in the 60s like I did last year, then you feel like you're coming

Edwards captures PHS batting title

By PAUL SIMS
Sports Editor

Pitcher - outfielder David Edwards, who owns a lofty .387 average, has captured the Pampa High batting title, finishing as the No. 5 hitter in District 3-AAAA this season.

Edwards and three other Harvesters finished over .300, as Pampa rolled to a 291 team batting average. Pampa ended with a 12-11 season record and was 4-6 in district play.

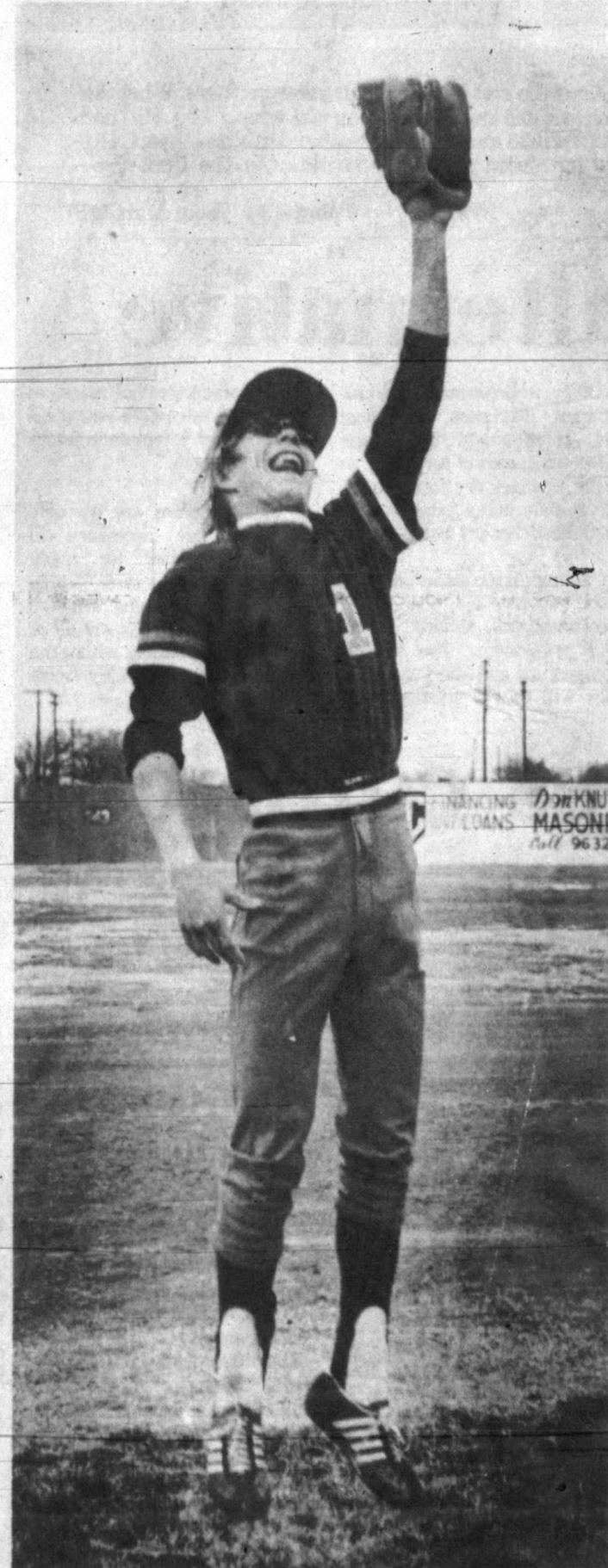
The season was a turnaround for Pampa, 10-15 and 1-9 a year ago. While hitting was a weakness last year, it was a strength this season.

Edwards led Pampa in base hits with 29. He hit four doubles, one triple and a homerun, batted in 14 runs and stole 15 bases.

Other Harvesters over .300 are pitcher - outfielder Mike Knutson (.364), catcher Mark Adair (.348) and first baseman Doug Burns (.344).

Knutson, who has catlike quickness, was Pampa's stolen base leader with 19. He was second in hits with 28, including three doubles.

Burns led the team in doubles with seven and RBI's with 16, while Adair was second in RBI's



home," Smith said.

Jack Nicklaus likely felt like going home.

He took a two-stroke penalty on the first hole for carrying 15 clubs, one over the legal maximum. The extra club — Australian David Graham's wedge — apparently found its way into Nicklaus' look-alike bag on the practice tee. Nicklaus said he counted his clubs, but admitted the orphan wedge might have been under a wood cover.

"I guess I had better go back to school and learn how to count," said Nicklaus, who would have been assessed 36 penalty strokes if Graham's caddy had not reclaimed the club on the first green.

Fezler was tied with veterans Marty Fleckman and Don Bies at four under. Those at three under included John Schlee, Dave Eichelberger, Eddie Pearce, Tom Kite and Smith.

Lee Trevino shot a 69 and his only lapse was on the par-four seventh when he fared a driver into a creek.

"I just went to sleep, dead asleep," said Trevino, who still has not won in his home state. "I should have hit my two wood. I can hook my two wood."

Teams needed for tourney, league action

The Pampa Men's Industrial Softball League city tournament May 14-16 can accommodate more teams, according to Gerald Rasco, league president.

Teams entered are Hudson Oil, Anthony's, Hardin - Roth, Leisure Time, Magobar and Harold Barrett Ford. Teams interested in entering have until May 12 to contact Rasco or Jerry Smith and pay a \$35 entry fee.

The fee for league play is \$75 and must be paid by May 12. League play will begin May 17.

"The league would like to have at least two more teams," Rasco said.

Sports calendar

FRIDAY
BASE RUTH BASEBALL - Bank vs Grant, 8 p.m.
LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL - National League: Celanese vs. Fatherese, 6 p.m.; Dupon vs. Dixie, 8 p.m.; American League: Family Pharmacy vs. Rotary, 6 p.m.; Gibson vs. Gate Valve, 8 p.m.
GOLF - Junior high tournament at Canyon.
YOUTH CENTER - Open, beginners swim lessons, 5 p.m.; Dolphin workout, gym open, 6 p.m.; all ages swim, trampoline, 7:30 close, 10 p.m.
SATURDAY
BASEBALL - Opening Day ceremonies, Pampa Optimist Club, Pupo vs. Ford's, Opening Day game, 8 p.m.
GOLF - Junior high tournament at Canyon.
YOUTH CENTER - Open, all ages swim and trampoline, gym opens, 1 p.m.; close, 5 p.m.; Calico Capers square dance, 8 p.m.

Pampa Optimist baseball results

American League
Cameron 128, 128-12
ONE BULL 101, 60-2
WP: Mike Clay, LP: Stan Organ
Leading hitters: Cameron - Clay, 3 singles, 2b, 2b, Goldsmith, 2b, One Bull - Watson, 2 singles, Organ, 2 singles.
100 RUN PARTS 501, 620-4
CITIZENS 201, 65-8
WP: Terry Faggins, LP: Pepper Pitmon
Leading hitters: Citizens - Terry Faggins, 1 single, HR, Rickey Baird, 2 singles.
Babe Ruth
IDEAL HARDWARE 4
SP: Steve Stout, LP: Bobby Taylor
CREW 1
LIONS 1
(Game called because of lateness)

Williams tries for state title

AUSTIN — Treshea Williams of Canadian begins defense of her Class A state tennis crown today against Gary Lowe of Hubbard.

The state tennis tournament for all classes began this morning.

Williams won the Class A title last year. Should she win, she will meet Diana Henry of Sabinal, who defeated Williams in 1973 but lost in straight 7-5 sets to the Canadian senior last year.

Brown elected VP of WT AAU

Thurman Brown, Jr., of Pampa was elected vice president of the West Texas Amateur Athletic Union during a recent meeting of the association.

Brown has served as president of the Pampa Dolphin Swim Club. He was also chairman of the records committee for the West Texas AAU Swimming Association.

The West Texas AAU governs approximately 2,000 athletes from 38 teams — including boxing, gymnastics, judo, track and field and swimming — in West Texas.

Harvester statistics

Final PHS Statistics (Batting)

Name	ab	r	b	h	2b	3b	hr	bb	so	avg.
David Edwards	75	18	29	4	1	1	14	15	364	.387
Mike Knutson	77	18	28	3	0	0	13	19	348	.364
Mark Adair	66	15	23	3	1	1	15	4	318	.348
Doug Burns	64	18	22	7	1	1	16	4	344	.344
Tom Washington	53	5	15	2	1	0	10	4	280	.280
John Agan	42	11	12	1	0	0	8	18	236	.236
Bobby Chance	40	22	19	3	0	0	16	6	279	.279
Brian Bailey	57	15	15	0	2	0	11	8	263	.263
Mike Martin	28	6	6	1	0	0	1	6	240	.240
Armando Sola	12	3	2	0	0	0	2	2	187	.187
Keith Fisher	13	2	2	1	0	0	2	1	154	.154
Bobby Taylor	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	143	.143
Scott Dunn	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	143	.143
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Coastal may seek settlement

HOUSTON (UPI) — Officials of Coastal States Gas Corp., concerned about disputed areas in lawsuits against the subsidiary, Lo-Vaca Gathering Co., may try for an out-of-court settlement with several municipal customers seeking damages from the gas supplier.

"It is impossible for us to predict with certainty how a jury will decide, particularly since there has been a great deal of prejudicial publicity in the

local news media," president Harry L. Blomquist said Thursday.

The city of San Antonio is currently suing Lo-Vaca for \$200 million over the company's gas supplying role, and several other cities have actions pending.

"We have been discussing with Lo-Vaca's major customers an out-of-court settlement of all outstanding issues," he said. "We cannot now offer any

assurance that there will be a settlement. But as an alternative to protracted litigation, we will pursue the settlement possibilities as far as is reasonable."

Blomquist also told the annual stockholder meeting the company will ask the Texas Railroad Commission for a rehearing on its rate structure and prepare for a court battle, if relief is not granted.

Blomquist said Lo-Vaca will

suffer multimillion dollar losses monthly and will have a refund obligation that could amount to more than \$800 million if forced to return to old contract prices.

The average selling price under the old contracts signed in the early 1960s is about 25 cents per thousand cubic feet, but the average price of gas is currently about \$1.85, Blomquist said at the annual meeting.

"Obviously no utility could absorb such losses," Blomquist said. "If we are unable to obtain an order that is workable and acceptable, then court action would be necessary."

Coastal board chairman Oscar S. Wyatt, Jr., said the parent company earned net income of \$15.7 million for the first quarter 1976, compared to \$15.4 million in the same period last year. He said total revenues for the 1976 quarter were \$550.9 million, compared with \$437.5 million last year.

Without offering a specific figure for Lo-Vaca's earnings, Wyatt said they totaled about \$1

million for the first quarter. "It was just about a breakeven situation," he told reporters.

Wyatt said there is some question, however, whether the company will be able to buy the gas that will be needed to meet customer demand during the summer months.

"This outlook could improve, depending upon action still to be taken by the Railroad Commission and the Lo-Vaca customers," he said.

Lo-Vaca, which is a separate company with different management, is a burden on the parent company, Wyatt said.

"It's financial results for the first quarter were not good. However, I want to point out to you what should be obvious — there's more to Coastal States Corp. than just Lo-Vaca. Our other activities continue to do well and the corporation is making progress."

"Our financial position is fundamentally sound."

Reagan and coonass

BATON ROUGE, La. (UPI) — Ronald Reagan apparently was unaware the term "coonass" hits a raw nerve in some of Louisiana's citizens when he jokingly said he might be made an "honorary Cajun coonass."

"Maybe you'll make me an honorary Cajun Coonass," Reagan told Republican mayoral candidate Jack Breaux at a \$100-a-plate fund raising dinner for Breaux Thursday evening.

Breaux was the first to bring up the term at the event when he referred to himself as a coonass. The crowd laughed and cheered when Reagan responded with his honorary Cajun coonass comment.

Many of Louisiana's Cajuns — descendants of French

Canadians that migrated to Louisiana some 200 years ago — relish the term coonass. Some even have license plates and bumper stickers saying "I'm a coonass and proud of it." Even Gov. Edwin Edwards often refers to himself as a coonass.

However, the Council for the Development of French in Louisiana and many other Cajuns frown on the term. And the legislature three years ago passed the resolution which designated the terms Cajun and Acadians as the official names for French Louisianians.

Edwards has stopped using the term in public since being scolded by some of the state's Cajuns.

Employees exposed to GB nerve gas

DENVER (UPI) — Employees at an Army facility who were exposed accidentally to nerve gas suffered abnormal brain wave patterns for years afterward, the Rocky Mountain News reported today.

The newspaper quoted an Army research report as saying, "It would appear a matter of certainty exposures to such agents induced abnormalities in the electrical activity of the human brain."

The paper said the report would be released later this year.

Arsenal physician Dr. Maurice Gaon confirmed the existence of the report but said there was no evidence the 79 workers at the Rocky Mountain Arsenal exposed to GB nerve gas suffered lasting psychiatric damage.

Gaon said the workers exposed were given brain wave tests and were not told of abnormalities because there was no evidence of psychiatric damage. He said the tests, called electroencephalograms, began in 1969.

The arsenal currently is disposing of GB nerve gas bombs and in the past 11 months has destroyed more than 400,000 gallons of the agent, originally classified as a military weapon.

The newspaper quoted the Army report as saying abnor-

malities in brain waves of exposed workers had lasted as long as 2 1/2 years. The News quoted the report as saying research suggested "long-term psychiatric and behavioral changes."

Arsenal public affairs officer Art Whitney said the findings contained in the report were not released because they were inconclusive. He said many workers weren't told of brain test results because the nerve gas project at one time was top secret.

The Army report said the 79 arsenal employees experienced an increase in "beta" brain wave activity and said such changes were "associated with drug administration," the News said.

Alaska has more land in National Forest Areas — 20,715,704 acres — than any other state.

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Pampa Masonic Lodge No. 966, A.F.M., Thursday May 6, Study and Practice, Friday May 7, M.M. Degree, Feed 6:30 p.m. Visitors welcome, all members urged to attend.

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The body of a 57-year old Enid, Okla. pilot, who spent 11 years building his tiny aircraft — a fabric model of a Curtis P6E Hawk constructed five-eighths the size of real ones, was found in an open field near Laketon Wednesday. The pilot was identified as John C. Hill, who had logged 1,000 hours of flying time and put 93 hours on the small aircraft he was flying to California to participate in an air show last weekend. His wife said he told her when he left Enid Tuesday, April 27 that he



heard bad weather was near Amarillo and he might call her from there. When he failed to call Tuesday night, she said she knew something was wrong. Mrs. Hill had planned to fly commercially on April 28 and meet her husband in Van Nuys, Calif. Funeral services for Hill are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Presbyterian Church of Enid.

(Pampa News photos by Thom Marshall)

Mobile homes provide alternative

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (UPI) — An increasing number of Texans are buying mobile homes as an alternative to the more expensive forms of conventional housing, says one Texas A&M researcher.

Dr. Roger P. Sindt, assistant research economist with the Texas Real Estate Research Center (TRERC) at Texas A&M University, says the mobile home is suddenly gaining on conventional real estate deals for equivalent housing.

"Since 1970, the fastest-growing segment of the housing supply has been that of manufactured housing, more specifically, the mobile home," Sindt said.

Mobile home shipments to Texas dealers reached an all-time high in 1972 of 44,000, almost as many as the 49,200 conventionally constructed single-family homes built in the state that year.

"Manufactured housing has met increasing consumer ac-

ceptance and has been the only new housing available under \$15,000 and the majority of the \$15,000-\$20,000 market," Sindt said.

He said mobile homes provide a real alternative to buyers trying to make a dollar stretch in the inflated real estate market.

"Mobile homes cost one-third to one-half that of site-built dwellings," said Sindt. "And while conventional homes are getting smaller, mobile homes are becoming bigger."

Indications are mobile homes will increase less in price than conventional housing, he said.

As mobile homes become more popular, so will they become more presentable. "Mobile home parks of the future must be built on land which provides an attractive location," Sindt said. "These parks must be more spacious and of a much lower density to accommodate the sectional homes which will dominate the market in years to come."

To avoid the potential costs involved in moving mobile homes, more owners and would-be owners will be in the market to locate their homes permanently in subdivisions.

"Mobile" homes will continue to have little or no mobility once installed.

Property owner associations, protective covenants and deed restrictions may ultimately remove the "trailer house" stigma from the mobile home industry, Sindt said.

Mobile homes will further rival fixed placing dwellings as the buying spree advances, Sindt said. More come with built-in kitchen appliances and with more spacious interiors, especially bedrooms. The market is shifting to the 14-foot-wide unit as a standard in states, such as Texas, which allow this width to be transported.

Other improvements include heavier insulation, additional air conditioning ducts and different grades of carpeting.

Big changes are foreseen for the mobile home exterior, too, the researcher predicts.

"Siding materials will include wood, stucco and face brick. Rooflines will include gables and projections. The use of composition and fiberglass shingles will be the standard, the

better placement of windows and more attractive entrances will be given attention in future design changes."

"Mobile homes are not only desirable but necessary in providing shelter for many Texans," Sindt said. "This sector of the housing industry has the singular potential of providing a dwelling within the financial means of many Texas households."

House probes conflict

WASHINGTON (UPI) — For the first time in years a House committee is investigating possible conflict of interest charges against one of its own — Rep. Robert L. F. Sikes, D-Fla.

But the preliminary inquiry of the House ethics panel bogged down in the opening session Thursday when Sikes' accusers complained of being subjected to a "gag rule."

The committee then voted to meet again May 12 to decide whether to launch a "full investigation" of Sikes, who is accused by the citizens' group Common Cause of using his influence as a congressman to further his own financial interests.

The late Adam Clayton Powell of New York was the last member to be punished by the House on a series of charges a

decade ago. He sought — and won — re-election at the next opportunity but the House refused to seat him until subsequently ordered to do so by the Supreme Court.

Thursday's proceedings against Sikes broke down after Common Cause spokesman Fred Wertheimer and his attorney, Philip Heymann, walked out of the closed hearing to protest what they said was an effort "to impose new and unauthorized rules of secrecy."

"The combination of secrecy and a gag rule is unacceptable to Common Cause," Heymann said.

The officials objected to a ruling by Chairman John J. Flynt Jr., D-Ga., that House rules forbid the release of any evidence presented during an executive session.

Flynt said the next meeting will be open, but any one of the panel's 12 members may move to go into executive session under House rules.

Although the entire two-hour session was taken up by wrangling over the secrecy question, both Sikes and Wertheimer later released statements they had intended to make to the committee.

The Common Cause statement repeated charges published earlier, that Sikes had violated House rules of ethics in actions involving his ownership of stock in Fairchild Industries, a Florida bank and Florida development land.

"The charges are baseless and the deliberations of the committee will show that," Sikes told reporters afterward.

His attorney, former Rep. Lawrence J. Hogan, R-Md., accused Common Cause of having "dredged up stale, half-baked charges" against the Florida Democrat because of its disagreement with his voting record.

Electric bill gives her jolt

LARNED, Kan. (UPI) — It nearly required an electrical jolt to restart Mrs. Gary Nash's heart when she opened last month's electric bill.

"I got it Saturday and about had a heart attack," she said.

The bill for the family's double wide modular home was \$3,260.96, up somewhat from the usual average of \$45 to \$50.

A quick telephone call to the electric company remedied the situation. Mrs. Nash discovered she actually had fewer kilowatt hours than usual.

"Something went wrong somewhere," she said. "Under our system, we read our own meters. But I saved my reading and it was correct."

But, she said the situation could have been worse. "If we had paid late, the bill would have been \$3,421.67."

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

LONDON (UPI) — Officials from the European Baptist Federation and the Baptist World Alliance have held discussions with Soviet Union officials over the question of religious liberty in the USSR, and urged the Soviets to grant clemency for some 80 people believed in Soviet prisons because of their religious beliefs.

Dr. Overton files denial in civil suit

Dr. M.C. Overton Jr. filed a general denial to the allegations in a \$325,000 civil suit filed against him and Worley Hospital by Phyllis Gill. The suit is filed in 31st District Court here.

Dr. Overton was named as defendant in the suit along with Worley Hospital and Janaula Pool and Jean Helton, Worley nurses.

The suit allegedly stems from a ruptured bladder following a

hysterectomy performed at Worley on April 16, 1974 when Mrs. Gill was 39 years of age.

She contends that the nurses' failure to remove a catheter that was not operating properly, and the doctor's failure to examine her on April 25 and whatever action necessary to relieve her physical condition.

No answer has been filed by Worley and the nurses.

140 cases slated here

A total of 140 cases are scheduled for jury trial docket in Gray County Court at 10 a.m. Monday.

Gray County Judge Don Cain will preside. The charges include making an alcoholic beverage available to a minor, theft over \$20, criminal trespass, possession of marijuana, unlawfully carrying

a weapon — a handgun, driving while intoxicated, resisting arrest, assault and driving while license is suspended.

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BACK YARD Sale: Record player, train set with extras, bowling ball and bag, swimming pool with extras, lots more. Starts May 8 thru 8th. 1604 N. Faulkner.

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LIKE NEW: Briarwood regulation pool table with all accessories. \$250. Call 779-3191.

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Briscoe says raises might materialize

AUSTIN, Tex. (UPI) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe says he cannot guarantee teachers or other state employees will receive pay increases next year despite plans by a teacher group to seek raises to a \$12,000 annual minimum.

Briscoe said Wednesday inflation, the economy and the cost of living would decide whether teachers and other state employees received salary increases.

"A \$12,000 to \$14,000 per year pay schedule for teachers is unrealistic," Briscoe said. "I would think a raise for all those state employees — school teachers, too — would have to be viewed in the same way."

The Texas State Teachers Association has said it would seek a \$12,000 a year minimum teacher salary.

Briscoe said he was working on the budget now but had not gotten to the part dealing with salaries for state employees. He said he would decide later if raises would be requested and how much.

"It's not a reasonable position to say there should be a state employee raise at any time," Briscoe said.

He predicted some state agencies would be able to increase employee salaries through attrition.

Gary won't challenge

DALLAS (UPI) — Millionaire stockbroker Garry Weber has decided not to challenge the mayor's runoff election which he lost by 1 per cent of the vote to millionaire land developer Bob Folsom.

Weber and voting officials examined 20 machines after campaign workers noticed some precincts had more votes cast for a City Council race than for mayor. Of 20 machines tested, 15 did not function properly, seven failing to record votes for Weber, seven for Folsom and one which had quit recording votes for both candidates.

But a state judge and county officials refused to allow Weber to examine more voting machines and said he should file suit if he wanted to contest the election. He lost the race by 1,122 votes.

"After much consideration I have decided that it is in the best interest of Dallas and good city government for me not to pursue this matter further," Weber said Wednesday.

"So far it has been determined from examining just 20 machines that the votes of at least 1,590 voters were not counted. Had further examinations been possible, it is likely that many more lost votes would have been found."

"I am disappointed that the people will never know how many votes were lost no matter for which candidate."

Many of the machines were 20 to 30 years old and were used in the runoff because most of the newer machines were obligated to the May 1 state primary. Machines used in either race, including those in the original municipal election April 3, must be stored for 30 days after the balloting before the totals are cleared.

Although final expenditure records have not been filed, it is estimated the candidates spent \$600,000 in the bid for the \$50-per-week job in a campaign which culminated with racial overtones.

Rubbish hauled from Ward 1 on third day

Twenty-one loads of rubbish were hauled away Wednesday from Ward 1 on the third day of Pampa's month-long clean-up campaign.

R.B. Cooke, city public works director, said that brings the total for the first three days to 65 loads of trash and debris removed.

The clean-up crews will remain in Ward 1 through Friday and move into Ward 2, east of Mary Ellen and north of Foster streets, on Monday.

CULTURAL EXCHANGE
MACAO (UPI) — The Portuguese possession of Macao is interested in developing cultural exchange in addition to boosting tourism.

A group of Japanese university students and another group of Japanese secondary school students have visited the tiny enclave on the South China Coast this year. The students met Macao students and were entertained by Portuguese songs and dances.

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