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FIREFIGHTER COMFORTS SMOKE VICTIM. Assistant Fire Chief J. D. Ray comforts a poodle that suffered smoke inhalation in a house fire at 716 Yeager at 7:55 p.m. Wednesday. The pet's owners, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hutchison, were not home when the blaze broke out. Pampa firefighters were able to rescue the poodle and two puppies and extinguish the fire by the time the Hutchisons arrived. The small frame house is owned by Bobby Cole of 629 Yeager. Fire officials attributed the blaze to the spontaneous combustion of workclothes lying near an electric heater in the bedroom. The bedroom received fire and smoke damage, the rest of the home received heavy smoke damage, officials said.

(Staff Photo by Deborah Bridges)

U.S. sends warning to Soviets

WASHINGTON (AP) — While key officials say there is no evidence the Kremlin has decided to launch a military strike, President Carter and his top aides are calling the Soviet troop buildup along the Polish border unprecedented and encouraging Moscow to imagine the worst if it decides to invade.

In a written statement Wednesday, Carter said, "The United States is watching with growing concern the unprecedented buildup of Soviet forces along the Polish border and the closing of certain frontier regions along the border."

He added: "I want all countries to know that the attitude and future policies of the United States toward the Soviet Union would be directly and very adversely affected by any Soviet use of force in Poland."

Noting Soviet references to "anti-socialist forces" alleged to be operating within Poland's trade unions, which are openly challenging the Communist Party's domination of that nation, the president said: "We know from postwar history that such allegations have sometimes preceded military intervention."

The scope and purpose of the Soviet buildup were uncertain.

In Moscow, the Soviet Foreign Ministry responded by saying that "as is known, many statements are being made in the West that are clearly aimed at exacerbating the situation in the Polish People's Republic. As for the statement made by the president of the United States, it fully and completely is on his own conscience." The Soviets did not directly deny Carter's claim relating to the buildup along the Polish border.

Meanwhile, the scope and purpose of the Soviet buildup were uncertain.

Some administration sources who have been monitoring the situation closely said that the president might be overstating the case somewhat by calling the Soviet buildup "unprecedented." These specialists said there has been no overall pattern of reinforcement of the 21 Soviet divisions in western Russia, from which strategists believe any attack on Poland would be most likely to come.

Intelligence sources, meanwhile, said that despite Carter's reference to border closings, traffic between East Germany and Poland has been moving freely. They said the Soviets have barred only Western military observers from a "temporary restricted zone" in preparation for an an air defense exercise within the next few days.

Nevertheless, Secretary of State Edmund S. Muskie said, "The fact is that military preparations have proceeded and are proceeding."

One Carter aide, who asked not to be identified, told reporters "there has been indication of growing Soviet readiness to engage" in military intervention.

And other key administration officials said privately that the potential for a Soviet military move against Poland has become more worrisome with reinforcement of some western Russian divisions.

"The machinery is oiled so that if the decision is made in Moscow, they could move within a week," one military analyst said.

No one in the administration was willing to say exactly how the United States would react to an invasion of Poland.

The president only echoed a statement Tuesday by press secretary Jody Powell, saying: "Foreign military intervention in Poland would have the most negative consequences for East-West relations in general and U.S.-Soviet relations in particular."

Asked if the United States had ruled out any military response, Muskie replied: "That's a good question to which we ought to leave the Russians in doubt."

But Muskie left no doubt he that he thought any chance of a new strategic arms limitation agreement would be dashed by an invasion. Another victim, he said, would be the 1975 Helsinki agreements on European security.

A Soviet military move "would be such a direct violation of the Helsinki agreement it could well destroy it," Muskie said. And "I cannot envision a successful SALT II process" after an invasion, he added.

Boy watched father dismember mother

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — A 7-year-old boy says his father instructed him to strike his mother with a knife after the man attacked her with a hammer, "cut her up," and "cut her head off ... with a sharp, big knife."

The chilling revelation came in a statement Wednesday at a habeas corpus hearing for Floyd Baker, who is being held in connection with the dismemberment death of his 37-year-old wife, Linda Sue Baker.

State District Judge Naomi Harney denied the writ. Baker was trying to gain his release since he had not been charged with any crime.

The couple's son, Monty, told Potter County Deputy Sheriff Carl Haidle that on Nov. 16, his father "hit her on the head with a hammer" and "he kicked her in the ribs."

Mrs. Baker was reported missing in a snowstorm on Nov. 17.

Haidle testified that he questioned the boy after a judge had appointed an attorney for the youth.

"She got up and run ... to the wrecking yard," the boy told Haidle, referring to the nearby auto salvage yard where the woman's body was discovered Monday when an employee saw a dog carrying the woman's head down a driveway.

Haidel said the boy said his mother returned to the family's mobile home Nov. 18 and was again attacked by Baker. "He hit her (on) the head ... with a hammer," the child said, and the woman "fell to the floor."

In the statement, he said his father "cut her up" in the "ribs ... bones ... stomach," and then he "cut her head off" with a "sharp, big knife."

Asked if he was told by his father to stab his mother, the boy said "yes," and that he had struck her with a knife.

Following the grisly slaying, the boy said his mother was wrapped in a brown rug and "buried on the other side of the fence," another reference to the salvage yard, Haidle said.

The youngster told the deputy that his father then warned him and his 5-year-old brother not to tell anyone about the slaying.

The younger brother witnessed the brutal murder but did not take part in it, the boy said.

Officials said they expected to file charges when tests were completed on a sledge hammer, butcher knife and blood-spattered curtains found in the mobile home after Baker was arrested.

Child welfare workers were given temporary custody of Monty and his brother, David, following a hearing in another court earlier Wednesday.

The scattered remains of the woman's body were found in the salvage yard by city police canine corps dogs. Officials said the woman had been badly beaten and dismembered while still wearing her clothes.

Investigators said the lack of blood at the scene indicated the woman probably was slain and dismembered at another location.

Baker, sitting at the counselor's table, showed little emotion during Haidle's testimony.

Robbery suspects are sentenced to prison

Three persons charged with aggravated robbery pleaded guilty to those charges in 223rd District Court and were assessed sentences varying from 10 to 12 years in the Texas Department of Corrections by District Judge Don Cain.

Robert Willard (Rocky) Dwight, 27, 9075 Bivins, Amarillo, and Edgar Lee Dyer, 30, a former Pampa resident, were each sentenced to 12 years in penitentiary at Huntsville. Ricky Young, 29, 613 W. Foster, was given a 10 - year term in the state penitentiary.

According to Assistant District Attorney Penny Burt, all three men entered guilty pleas to the Oct. 16 armed robbery of the Allsup's convenience store, located at Price Road and Texas 152, and to robbing two Dallas residents at gun point in a room of the Coronado Inn on Oct. 15.

Police reports said the two men from Dallas were robbed of $27 in cash when two men entered the motel room carrying a sawed - off shotgun and a short - barreled .22 - caliber rifle.

According to the Gray County Sheriff Rufe Jordan, two men — one of them shirtless — entered the Allsup's on Texas 152. One of the gun - wielding men fired a shot into the air, he said. The sheriff said $143 was taken from the cash register in the holdup.

A probated sentence of five years was assessed by Cain to Terry Marlin, 17, of 802 Maple. Marlin pleaded guilty to attempted aggravated robbery charges in connection with an incident at the Pampa Mall the evening of Nov. 22.

According to city police reports, Marlin was arrested near the shopping center after police received three reports of women being approached by a man who acted in a lewd manner.

The aggravated robbery incident involved a 30 - year - old woman who told police a man approached her, holding a knife and attempted to take her purse. Police said the victim said the man ordered her to unzip her pants, but she talked him out of the command.

The four men remain in Gray County Jail today waiting to be transported to Huntsville to begin serving the prison terms, officials said.

Weather

The forecast calls for fair to partly skies today with windy and warmer conditions. Temperatures will become colder on Friday. The high for today will be in the 60s dipping Friday to the 40s.

Schweiker eyed for Reagan cabinet post

WASHINGTON (AP) — Retiring Sen. Richard Schweiker of Pennsylvania, Ronald Reagan's vice presidential pick in 1976, is the president-elect's choice for secretary of health and human services in the new Cabinet, sources say.

One source involved in shaping the Reagan administration said Schweiker, 54, already has been asked to join the Reagan Cabinet, but the two-term Republican refused to comment on the report Wednesday.

"I'm not going to speculate on any Cabinet appointment," he told a reporter in the Senate.

Schweiker would be expected to accept the position if it were offered because he had asked Reagan for the job at a meeting in Washington two weeks ago, congressional sources said.

As ranking Republican on the Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee, which oversees the Labor and HHS departments, Schweiker reportedly had his choice to head either department in the Reagan administration.

Schweiker was known as a liberal Republican in the Senate until 1976, when the conservative Reagan, in a novel move, tapped him as a running mate shortly before the Republican National Convention. Reagan hoped a pre-convention announcement of his vice presidential choice would wrest the party's presidential nomination from Gerald R. Ford. The strategy failed.

Afterward, however, Schweiker established a far more conservative voting record in the Senate.

Reagan's reported choice of Schweiker indicated that Reagan was completing his Cabinet selections and might announce half or more of his choices by this weekend, one source said.

In Los Angeles, press spokesman Joe Holmes said Wednesday that Reagan has made decisions about his Cabinet but announcements are awaiting FBI background checks and answers from the candidates.

Holmes said Reagan probably would not announce any of his choices until Saturday at the earliest, and possibly not before next Wednesday, when he makes his second post-election trip to Washington.

Several Republican sources involved in the transition said Reagan also has decided on Caspar Weinberger, budget director and secretary of health, education and welfare in the Nixon administration, as defense secretary; former NATO Commander Alexander M. Haig Jr. as secretary of state; personal attorney William French Smith as attorney general; Reagan campaign manager William J. Casey as CIA director, and Citicorp Chairman Walter B. Wriston as treasury secretary.

Choices for most other Cabinet-level jobs were not as firm, and even the posts that Reagan has picked people for could wind up occupied by new faces at the last minute if the leading candidates turn down the offers or if the FBI checks turn up damaging information, the sources said.

Former Pampa rector named Episcopal bishop

A former Pampa resident, the Rev. Sam B. Hulsey, will become bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Northwest Texas in a service Saturday, Dec. 13, in Lubbock.

Hulsey was rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church of Pampa from 1966 to 1973. During his tenure in Pampa, he was priest in charge of Perryton.

Hulsey was elected third bishop of the diocese by the clergy and laity voting during a special meeting in Lubbock on Aug. 23.

Rev. Hulsey was born in Fort Worth in 1932 and holds degrees from Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Va., and Virginia Theological Seminiary in Alexandria, Va.

He has served congregations in Corsicana, Dallas, and Midland as well as Pampa. He left Pampa to become rector of a parish in Nashville, Tenn., and returned to Texas in 1978 to become rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity in Midland.

As biship of Northwest Texas, he will head a diocese that includes the Panhandle of Texas extending to San Angelo.

Rev. Hulsey will be presented for consecreation by seven persons, including Jack Reeve of Pampa, senior warden of St. Matthew's Church.

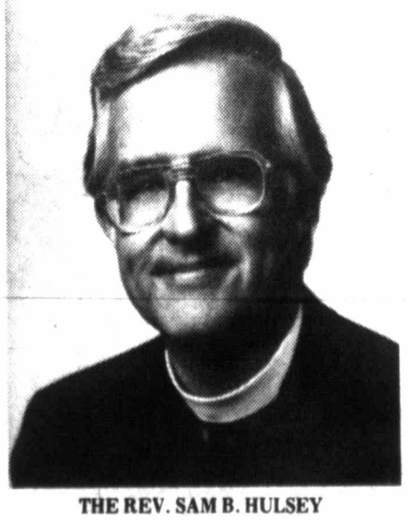
The Rev. Scott Turner, deacon who is now serving the Episcopal congregation in Pampa, will read the Gospel during the Dec. 13 service in Lubbock.

Other Pampa residents expected to participate in the service in Lubbock are Doug Auwen, president of the Episcopal Young Churchmen of Northwest Texas, who will be a bannerbearer, and Donald Braswell, also a bannerbearer at the service.

William Dingus, a member of the diocesan commission of the ministry and mission, and Ruth Jones, devotional chairman of Episcopal Churchwomen of Northwest Texas, are also expected to take part in the service.

Three priests formerly associated with St. Matthew's Episcopal Church will also participate in the consecration service. They are the Rev. Charles Cook of St. Louis, the Rev. William D. Nix of Lubbock and the Rev. Richard Saxer of New Orleans.

Roberta Pugh of Pampa serves on a committee in charge of the luncheon which will follow the consecration service at the civic center in Lubbock.



THE REV. SAM B. HULSEY

City prisoners baffled by *PINK!!!* jail cells

By DEBORAH BRIDGES
Staff Writer

Think "pink" and maybe they won't think "fight," is one way of phrasing why the Pampa City Jail has been painted pink.

As an experiment in cutting down jail room skirmishes, Chief of Police J. J. Ryzman had the jail painted pink — a color which recent studies show will emasculate, or neutralize, violent tendencies and strength in humans.

The experiment got off to a bad start, however, when police officers had trouble with three prisoners the first night after the painting began. Since that time, however, no jail fights have been reported.

In response to the effectiveness of the jail's new lock, Chief of Police J. J. Ryzman said, "It's difficult to tell in regard to that, because you can go a long time without a violent person in there."

"You just can't determine the failure or the success of it at this point," he said.

As an example of the effect of the color, Ryzman said his lieutenant, Roy Denman, had been away to a school for several weeks.

The chief said Denman entered the jail with no knowledge of its new color. When asked his reaction, Denman said he felt docile, a definite feeling of relaxation, the chief said.

"It really is soothing back there," Ryzman said. "It makes the jail look cheerier, not so drab."

City police officers report mixed reactions from prisoners from astonishment to derision.

Patrolman Patti Williams said, "I asked a prisoner, 'Do you like our jail?' He just started laughing."

Sgt. George Keely said one inmate asked, "Is this fairy land?" Keely said most prisoners are astonished and surprised at the color. Most first responses are unprintable, he said.

An inmate of the jail told the News, "I thought I was in the ladies' dorm. It's too bright. It's not home."

The News contacted Cabell County, West Virginia Sheriff Ted C. Barr. Barr said the detoxification tank of the Cabell County Jail was painted pink after he saw an episode on the television program "That's Incredible," outlining a study on the effect pink has on persons.

Barr said there has been a definite decrease in violence since the cell was painted. "Most of them just lie down and go to sleep."

He said he talks with some of the prisoners when they are removed from the cell. He said he asks the prisoner to give his first reaction to the word pink. The sheriff said the most common responses are cotton candy, baby, mother, "sometimes sex."

"But that's certainly not violent," Barr said.

When asked to respond to the word "gray," the answers were violence - related, such as prison, battleship, war, he said.

The study by Dr. Alex Schoss on pink first brought national notice to the qualities of pink on "That's Incredible." Later research revealed the color could backfire over a long period of time by inciting violence.

To this, Ryzman said, "We have the advantage because our jail is not designed for long - term stays, but for short detentions. I can see where if someone stayed for a month or more, it could be annoying."

JAIL GETS PINKWASH. The Pampa City Jail was painted pink recently as an experiment by police officials to determine if the color will cut down on fights in the jail area. Custodian Francis Christianson paints the color on a cell door in the photo above. Police say they are as yet unable to tell if the experiment will be a success or a failure.

(Staff Photo)

daily record

services tomorrow

There were no local services reported for Friday.

deaths and funerals

JESSIE L. BURROW

SHAMROCK - Mrs. Jessie L. Burrow, 87, of Shamrock died Wednesday in the Shamrock General Hospital.

She was born in Texas and came to Shamrock about 28 years ago. She was a member of the Church of the Nazarene.

Services were to be conducted today at 2 p.m. in the Richerson Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Erwin Emmert, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, officiating. Burial will be in Shamrock Cemetery.

There are no known survivors.

ASCS COUNTY CONVENTION SET

A County Convention to elect a County Committeeman will be held on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 11, 1980 at 2 p.m. in the ASCS office in Pampa.

The Gray County ASCS is served by three county committeemen for the county. Each committeeman is elected for a three-year term and are limited to three consecutive terms (nine years).

Tony Smitherman from McLean has served the full nine years and his term will end on Dec. 31. He will not be eligible for reelection. McLean producers may be interested in having the new committeemen from that area to represent them.

Other committeemen for the county are Keith Davis from Grandview with two years left in his term and Henry Harnly from Pampa with one year left in his term.

The committeemen elected on Dec. 11, will serve along with these two committeemen and will start his three-year term on January 1, 1981.

The county Committee is responsible for administering all ASCS programs in the county.

DIVISION SEEKS LOST MEMBERS

The 102nd Infantry Division, "The Ozarks," is seeking addresses of all past members of the division. Anyone who has a father, brother, relative or friend who served with the division at any time during WWII is urged to write the Region 10 Chairman, John A. Eakes, 3109 El Camino Dr., Temple, Texas 76501 or call (817) 778-5309. The division will hold its 33rd annual reunion in Louisville, Kty., during the last week of July 1981.

police notes

Officers of the Pampa Police Department responded to 33 calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Vernon Gross, 719 Brunow, reported someone took a .38-caliber handgun from his residence. No value of the weapon was listed on police reports.

A spokesman for C and C Oilfield Construction, 725 S. Cuyler, reported that someone had removed four chains and booms from a truck parked outside the entrance of the building. The equipment was valued at $200.

Mike A. Hinegardner, 25, 1821 Coffee, was arrested in the 900 block of South Barnes and charged with failure to leave information at the scene of an accident, improper turn, no operator's license and possession of a controlled substance.

minor accidents

Dec. 3

2:40 p.m. — A 1969 Chevrolet driven by Teresa Martinez, 22, 329 N. Sumner, came into collision with a 1974 Buick driven by Sally Cox, 29, 532 N. Faulkner, in the 500 block of North Faulkner. Martinez was cited for failure to yield right of way. No injuries reported at the scene.

3:30 p.m. — A 1977 Ford driven by David Lance Brooks, 16, Box 622, Elk City, Okla., was reportedly traveling north in the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway. A 1979 Mack truck, driven by Francisco Pedroca Francisco, 31, 601 Vernon, Plainview, came into collision with the rear of the Brooks vehicle. Francisco was cited for following too closely.

Dec. 4

1:27 a.m. — A city street sweeper, driven by Ernest L. Crocker, 62, 1401 E. Francis, came into collision with a 1973 AMC Matador driven by Ethel F. Seawright, 51, of 510 N. Davis. The mishap occurred in the 100 block of South Hobart. There were no injuries reported, and no citations were listed on police reports.

fire report

7:55 p.m. - A house fire at 617 Yeager was reported to the Pampa Fire Department. The fire caused heavy damage to the bedroom and smoke damage to the entire home. The cause of the fire was attributed to spontaneous combustion.

MONTHLY FIRE REPORT

The Pampa Fire Department responded to 34 calls during November — 21 within the city limits and 13 in Gray County.

Ten of the reported fires involved structures, one of which received heavy damage. Five structures received moderate damage and four were lightly damaged, according to fire officials.

Heating units were the leading cause of the fires, with a total of three fires believed started in this way. Two fires were said to have started from an electrical short. The origin of three fires were listed as unknown at this time.

Pampa firefighters were called to four automobile fires and 12 grass fires. Two reports were smoke scares, and four health care runs were made by firefighters. One false alarm was turned in.

city briefs

LEROY THORNBURG'S Christmas Tree lot will open Saturday, December 6 at 1945 N. Hobart. (Adv.)

THE GINGHAM House, 1600 Coffee, featuring soft sculpture, angels, gingerbread boy and the Christmas Mouse. (Adv.)

THE GOLDEN Eagle - Saturday Sale - Christmas items and toys, also 50 cent rack. 9:30 a.m. til 1 p.m. 119 W. Foster. (Adv.)

SANDS FABRICS will be open til 8 p.m. this week. (Adv.)

SHOP TINY Tinkums Children's Wear for Christmas. Coronado Center. (Adv.)

school menu

FRIDAY

Sloppy joe, potato chips, pickle chips, pear half, brownie, milk

hospital report

HIGHLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL

Admissions

Roxanna Johnson, 2107 N. Nelson
Barbara White, 310 Ward
Viola Ingrum, 1812 Lynn
Tommy Sells, 2233 Hamilton
Nora Helm, 416 Florida, Borger
Debra Tennant, 1535 N. Wells
Betty McGavock, 1018 N. Wells
Suzan Byron, 329 Miami
William Chafin, 1710 Evergreen

Births

A boy to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson, 2107 N. Nelson
A boy to Mr. and Mrs. Christopher White, 310 Ward
A girl to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Tennant, 1535 N. Wells

Dismissals

Irvin Brown, Box 222, Skellytown
Flora Turner, Route 1, Box 104
Tammie Calfy, 532 Reid
William Davis, 1006 Fisher
Naomi Ray, 1024 E. Gordon
Jamie Lowe, 515 E. Francis
Leo Moore, 625 N. Wells
Terri McCord, 933 Wheeler St.
Juanita Alverado and baby girl, 700 Scott
Leo Davis, 939 Denver
Nettie Pearce, 412 N. Nelson
Clannie Sanchez, 728 S. Somerville
Mary Box, 2330 Navajo
Nancy Sutherland, 300 E. 3rd, Lefors
Francis Christian, 932 E. Gordon
Lorretta Smith, 606 S. 3rd., Canadian
Nancy Malone, Box 673, Skellytown
William Bowen, 1016 S. Christy

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL

Admissions

Jack Hiett, Shamrock
Woodrow Sims, Shamrock

Dismissals

Glenna Hefley, Shamrock
Verna Bible, McLean
Jerlene Harrison, Shamrock

senior citizen menu

FRIDAY

Baked ham or burritoes and chili, sweet potato casserole, lima beans, beets, slaw or jello salad, banana pudding or cherry tarts

stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa

Wheat	4.20
Milo	5.85
Corn	6.25
Soybeans	7.06

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

Ky Cent Life	18⅜ - 18½
Southland Financial	12½ - 12¾

The following 10:30 N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by Schneider Bernet Hickman, Inc. of Amarillo

Beatrice Foods	17¼
Cabot	35
Celanese	53¾
Cities Service	56
DIA	37⅜
Dorchester	56¼
Getty	100¼
Haliburton	165½
Ingersoll-Rand	77⅛
InterNorth	45
Kerr-McGee	85¼
Mobile	83⅜
Penney's	20⅝
Phillips	55⅝
PNA	60¼
Schlumberger	123⅛
Southwestern Pub. Service	10⅞
Standard Oil of Indiana	87¼
Texaco	49⅜
Zales	29
London Gold	631.50
Chicago Silver - Dec	18.70

Texas weather

By The Associated Press

Warmer temperatures were forecast statewide today with the warming trend to continue through Friday when temperatures were expected to climb even higher.

Cloudy skies were forecast for central and eastern sections of the state with West Texas to have mostly clear skies.

Highs were to be in the 60s and 70s.

Dense fog cut visibility to below a mile across much of the coastal plains area early today, prompting the National Weather Service to issue travelers advisories.

Skies were mostly cloudy over central and eastern sections of the state early today while clear skies prevailed over most of West Texas. Some patchy fog was reported at dawn in the Permian Basin.

Early morning temperatures were considerably warmer than those reported during the past few days, mostly in the 40s and 50s. Some readings in the Panhandle and in the mountains of Southwest Texas dipped into the 30s. Extremes ranged from 33 at Wink in Southwest Texas to 59 at both Galveston and Palacios on the coast.

Texas forecasts

North Texas — Mostly cloudy and warm through tonight. Partly cloudy and warmer Friday. Highs 60s and 70s. Lows 50s. Highs Friday 68 to 76.

South Texas — Cloudy and warm today, partly cloudy and warmer Friday. Highs 60s. Lows 50s to near 60. Highs Friday 70s.

West Texas — Mostly fair through tonight, becoming partly cloudy Friday. Warmer. Highs mid 60s to low 70s except upper 70s Big Bend. Lows upper 30s northwest to low 50s southeast. Highs Friday 70s.

Port Arthur to Port O'Connor — East to southeast winds 10 to 15 knots today, becoming southeast 10 to 15 tonight and Friday. Seas 3 to 5 feet.

Port O'Connor to Brownsville — Southeast winds 10 to 15 knots through Friday. Seas 3 to 5 feet.

Extended

Saturday Through Monday

North Texas: Cloudy and warm Saturday. Chance of rain Sunday and Monday. Turning colder Monday. Highest temperatures mid 70s to mid 80s. Lowest temperatures in the 50s.

South Texas: above normal temperatures are expected through the weekend. Showers and thundershowers developing Sunday and Monday. Highs in the 60s upper coast...80s extreme south texas...70s elsewhere. Lows in the 50s and 60s...around 70 extreme South Texas.

West Texas: Partly cloudy. Warm Saturday..cooler Sunday and colder Monday. A slight chance of snow north Monday. Lows upper 30s north and mountains to 50s south Saturday cooling to near 30 north to 50s southeast Monday. Highs Saturday 60s north and mountains to upper 70s south cooling to 30s north to 60s Big Bend Monday.

National weather

Rain from a large Pacific storm with winds of 70 mph flooded parts of Northern California and Oregon while snow from the same system made travel hazardous in the moutains of the Northwest and brought winter storm warnings for today to Wyoming.

Near Belden, Calif., a 10-foot wall of mud slammed into a Western Pacific freight train, derailing three locomotives. There were no injuries.

In the Sacramento area, four television stations were knocked off the air for an hour when a fire attributed to the storm blocked power to a transmitting antenna.

Parts of coastal Humboldt County in California reported 9 inches of rain.

Two men were killed in a storm-related accident Wednesday afternoon in San Francisco as the truck in which they were riding broke through a freeway guardrail and crashed upside down on the roadway 30 feet below.

Hostage fate hinges on U.S. reply

By The Associated Press

The American hostages will be freed, stand trial, or have their fate decided by Iran's Parliament depending on the latest U.S. response to Iran's demands, and so far the Iranian government has not taken complete custody of the captives, a top Iranian official said today.

The official, Bhzad Nabavi, minister of state for executive affairs who is head of a state committee charged with carrying out the Iranian Parliament's conditions for the release of the hostages, told a news conference in Tehran he will meet with the Algerian envoys carrying the U.S. response as soon as they arrive late today.

"We are not going to negotiate with them. We are only waiting for the response. If the response if positive, the release will be done. If negative, we will give the hostages to the court for trial, and if the response is halfway, that is some conditions are accepted and some not, we will ask the Majlis (Parliament) to tell us what to do," Nabavi said.

He added: "At present the government is taking the hostages but the transfer of the hostages has not been completed yet because of some security considerations and other things.

"Transferring the hostages who are dispersed in different cities and places and preparing a suituable place for them — we cannot keep them in our prison — takes time. Thus we should find a safe place for keeping them."

Swedish Radio's correspondent in Tehran said that 49 of the hostages were moved from the U.S. Embassy in Tehran to a secret location in the Iranian capital last Friday and no longer are guarded by the Islamic militants who seized them 397 days ago. The other three hostages remain at the Iranian Foreign Ministry, the correspondent said. Iranian officials denied similar reports last week.

Secretary of State Edmund S. Muskie told reporters in Washington Wednesday that the United States has informed Iran that President Carter can't implement to the letter the four demands for releasing the hostages, but he added the U.S. government will do all it can to observe the spirit of the four demands set down more than a month ago by the Iranian Parliament.

"A literal reading of the (parliament's) proposal is beyond the president's authority to implement," Muskie said. "But he can go a significant way and indeed a substantial way towards the objectives of that resolution.

"We have undertaken to indicate (to Iran) we are willing to do that, we cannot go beyond that, and the Iranians must understand it," he added.

As Muskie spoke, his deputy, Warren Christopher, was wrapping up two days of talks with Algerian intermediaries.

Christopher, who returned here early today, met in the Algerian capital with Foreign Minister Mohamed Benyahia and a three-man panel that has been acting as go-between for the United States and Iran.

Polish watch Soviet moves

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Poland's divided leadership, faced with a Soviet troop buildup along the nation's borders, appealed to the restive independent labor movement for restraint and discipline to save the country from "moral and economic destruction."

"The fate of the nation hangs in the balance," said the Communist Party's Central Committee as President Carter and other Western leaders warned the Kremlin against a repeat of its invasion of Czechoslovakia 12 years ago.

The statement was issued after a two-day meeting that purged four Politburo members. But the committee's failure to announce other immediate, concrete measures reflected deep disagreement over how to end the deepening political and economic crisis, officially described as the worst since 1944.

The committee's statement coupled a promise to adhere fully to the agreements recognizing the independent labor union movement with a plea for "not one hour more of destructive strikes" and for the public to "oppose further escalation of unrest."

"The development of people's rule and guarantees of independence can be consolidated only within the framework of a socialist state," the statement warned the labor movement. "It is indispensable for the working class and all working people to ensure the socialist trend of newly emerging formns of democratic self-government. They cannot be used against their own socialist state or its policy foundations."

Meanwhile, President Carter said in a statement that the United States was watching "with growing concern the unprecedented buildup of Soviet forces along the Polish border and the closing of certain frontier regions." But U.S. intelligence analysts and other officials in Washington suggested that Carter might be overstating the buildup.

"There does seem to be some kind of a buildup," said one top Pentagon official, but he said it consisted of the reinforcement of several under-strength divisions by reservists.

However, another analyst warned: "The machinery is oiled so that if the decision is made in Moscow, they could move within a week."

The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia responded to the Western fears of Soviet invasion with the charge that Western news media were "launching a true psychological war" against Poland and were "acting as an instrument of direct interference in the internal affairs of the sovereign Polish state."

Moscow Television warned that forces "hostile to socialism" were trying to create a division of authority in Poland and wrest "political concessions" from the government.

Arrested man claims 9 murders

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas man who claims he has strangled nine women has lawmen in four states reviewing old murder cases and at least one has flown here to talk with the jailed confessor.

Officials in Texas, California, Wyoming and Nevada say there are several similarities between the female victims and they are taking a hard look at Carroll Edward Cole's statements to a Dallas homicide investigator.

Cole, jailed here on $100,000 bond, told homicide detective Gerald Robinson "I need help," then proceeded to talk about the strangulation deaths of nine women, including one whose death was ruled to be from natural causes, Robinson said Wednesday.

Robinson said he arrested Cole, 42, Monday night for questioning in the strangulation death of a 32-year-old Wanda Fay Roberts, last seen alive when she left a nightclub with Cole on Nov. 11.

"He didn't ask me what he was being arrested for, nor say anything all the way to the station," Robinson said.

But when they got downtown, Robinson said, Cole began to speak freely about the Ms. Roberts' death, then the deaths of two other Dallas women and later, the deaths of three women in California — including his wife, Diane — two in Las Vegas, Nev., and one in Casper, Wyo.

Cole talked about the deaths of Sally Thompson, 43, who was found dead in her Dallas apartment Sunday, and Dorothy King, found dead in her Dallas home Nov. 11, Robinson said.

Officials in the four states said several of the victims frequented taverns and they attributed four of the deaths — including that of Cole's wife — to alcohol abuse.

Dallas County Medical Examiner Dr. Charles Petty said Ms. King, 52, had enough alcohol in her blood to put her "flat on her back," making her "easy pickings" for a killer.

"It would be easy to kill women with that much alcohol in them ..." Petty said Wednesday. "She could be strangled easily and show no marks.

"An individual with that high a blood alcohol level could have died nicely by herself, and given just a whiff of strangulation, would be easy pickings for someone who wanted to kill them," he said, adding that a statement on Ms. King's death would be released today.

In Texas, a blood alcohol level of .010 indicates intoxication.

San Diego police said they are looking at Cole statements in the deaths of three women, including his wife, who all had high blood alcohol levels when they died.

Cole's wife, Diane, was found Sept. 26, 1979, sitting nude in the closet of her home. An autopsy report showed her blood alcohol level to be 0.42 and the death was attributed to alcohol abuse.

The deaths of Essie Louis Buck and Bonnie O'Neil, both 39 and of San Diego, are being re-examined by police there. Both women had high alcohol blood levels when they died, according to coroner's reports.

Ms. Buck was found dead in an unincorporated area near San Diego in 1971 and no cause of death was determined. Ms. O'Neil was found nude in an alley on Aug. 29, 1979 and an autopsy cited alcohol abuse, authorities said.

In Wyoming, Natrona County Undersheriff Ray Clark said Cole is being investigated in the death of an Indian woman named Teepee. Clark said the Casper woman was found covered with a sleeping bag on a sand hill just north of Casper in 1974 and was believed to have been strangled.

Las Vegas, Nev., police would release no names in the two cases in which Cole has claimed responsibility, but homicide investigator Joe McGuckin flew to Dallas Wednesday night to question Cole.

Las Vegas police did say both victims were women in the early 40s who were strangled, had high alcohol blood levels and died in "sleazy" or "low-class" buildings.

Cole began his statement to Robinson by saying, "I need some help," Robinson said.

Police officer shoots self in head

BURLESON, Texas (AP) — A Fort Worth police officer held his wife and two sheriff's deputies at gunpoint for 30 minutes Wednesday night before putting the gun to his left temple and pulling the trigger, killing himself instantly, sheriff's officers said.

Patrolman R.D. Estes, 27, a four-year veteran of the Fort Worth Police Department, was pronounced dead on arrival at Johnson County Memorial Hospital in Cleburne shortly before midnight, hospital officials said.

Chief Deputy Larry Young of the Johnson County Sheriff's Department said Estes went to the home of his estranged wife, Judy, just south of here about 10:45 p.m. Wednesday and forced his way into the home.

Mrs. Estes called for law officers and a pair of sheriff's deputies went to the home, said Young. When they arrived she said Estes had been "harassing" her but agreed to leave peacably after a brief discussion, Young said.

However, at the door, Estes pulled a .38-caliber pistol and threatened the deputies and Mrs. Estes with it, Young said.

After a heated exchange of words, Estes looked at his wife, said "This is for you," put his gun to his head and pulled the trigger, according to Young.

A check of Estes' police personnel record showed no sign of previous trouble.

Farmers oppose missile location

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Air Force officials say they would prefer to locate a proposed MX missile site in the Nevada-Utah Great Basin area and Texas Panhandle farmers say they wholeheartedly agree with the choice.

"We are not happy to see you come to this area. We don't want our good land turned into missile sites," Bill Nelson, executive vice president of the Texas Wheat Growers Association told Air Force officials at a Wednesday hearing.

A proposed site in the Texas-New Mexico area is one of two locations the Air Force is considering for the mobile missile system that Col. Bill Sims and Maj. Ken Van Dillen said should be finished by 1991 if it is approved by Congress.

Wednesday's public hearing was the latest in a series conducted by the Air Force to gather information prior to the release of an environmental impact statement on the proposed sites.

"It's one thing to be willing to sacrifice for the defense of this country, but it's another thing to blindly accept every project that is proposed by the military," said Carl King, president of the Texas Corngrowers Assoociation.

The Dimmitt farmer read a petition which referred to the MX proposal as a "gross waste of taxpayer's money."

The petition also said that any attempt to locate the missile system in the Panhandle would be met with "fierce and determined resistance by citizens of this area."

Air Force officials have said the site initially would require about 50,000 acres and estimated 15,500 acres of farmland near Dalhart would be needed for part of the overall system if the Texas-New Mexico site is selected.

"There's lots of acres of land in the United States more suitable to put a missile system on than in the Panhandle," said Nelson.

Carrol Wilson, a member of the special committee appointed to study the environmental impact statement, called the hearings "solicitous gestures, designed to diffuse potential criticism in the area," not serious attempts to identify issues of concern.

The issue of water usage surfaced briefly during the meeting when farmers said they feared the use of 20,000 acre feet of water during construction would be harmful to their crops.

Bob Van Tassel, a representative of the consulting firm preparing the environmental impact statement, said the quantity was small in relation to the amount available in the Panhandle.

But, he added, "any amount of water usage is a lot of water in this part of the county."

Officials said more hearings would be held in Texas and New Mexico before a final environmental impact statement is released.

Chase's Calendar of Events arrives

NEW YORK (AP) — Today is a red letter day. Circle it. Today is the day the 1981 edition of Chases' Calendar of Annual Events arrives.

Chases' Calendar, published the last 24 years by an assiduous date-keeper in Flint, Mich., Bill Chase, is a 144-page answer to anyone who finds life humdrum and humorless.

It allows you, for example, to wake up tomorrow morning and discover it is not just any old Friday, Dec. 5. It is Martin Van Buren's birthday! It is the day Columbus discovered Haiti! It is the 47th anniversary of the repeal of Prohibition!

Now, won't that make getting out of bed seem less pointless?

Every day offers something to celebrate. In fact, checking the 1981 calendar, every day next year will offer at least four things to celebrate, some days a couple of dozen. Busy, busy.

The month of May has eight pages of celebrations, no less — the Kentucky Derby, of course, and 360 other events.

You can attend in May, for heaven's sake, the Hell Hole Swamp Festival in Jamestown, S.C., the Gillikins of Oz Convention in Escanaba, Mich., Rooster Day in Broken Arrow, Okla. Or you may prefer to sit home and meditate upon the Sack of Rome, May 6, 1527.

"The 1981 edition is by far the largest we have ever compiled," Bill Chase said, "3,280 listings. The first edition, 24 years ago, listed only 364 events. You can see how far we've come."

Chase spent 30 years as librarian for his local newspaper, The Flint Journal, and compiled that first edition merely as a timesaver, a handy reference to answer questions about when such-and-such happened. When was Garfield assassinated, Bill? July 2, 1881.

Last year, at age 57, he left the newspaper because publishing the Calendar had become a full-time job.

It would have to be when you track down such events as Don't Say Ahhh, Ummm and You Know Day (Jan. 7), Be Kind to your Amoeba Day (March 13), the Anniversary of America's First Formal Cremation (Dec. 9), Dunce Day (Nov. 8), Fight the Filthy Fly Month (June), Hate Week (April 4-10), Bachelor's Day (Feb. 28), Old Maid's Day (June 4), Press on Regardless Rally (Nov. 6), Wild Ass Hunters Conference (June 21), and World's End Day (Oct. 22).

War declared on collisions

POMONA, N.J. (AP) — Eleven thousand feet over Delaware Bay, two airplanes were on a deadly collision course — barely three miles apart and closing in at more than 500 mph.

But 30 seconds from collision, an experimental "back-seat driver" went into action, setting off a whooping alarm in the cockpit of the Boeing 727 that warned the pilot to take evasive action. He sent the jet down gently.

A twin-engine Convair 580, invisible in the distance only seconds earlier, zoomed past, 600 feet overhead.

Both planes were participating in a test of a new electronic system, the Active Beacon Collision Avoidance System, which is designed to prevent collisions like one that took place over San Diego in 1978. In that crash, 144 people were killed when a descending Pacific Southwest Airlines Boeing 727 was hit by a climbing light plane.

Officials at the Federal Aviation Administration Technical Center say the new electronic system could be installed in the nation's 2,500 airliners by 1983 and could be used in all but the busiest of air-traffic areas.

FAA officials say about 20 mid-air collisions — most involving small planes — kill an average of about 60 persons each year.

The FAA says the new equipment, expected to cost about $25,000 per airliner, could have prevented the last 15 major mid-air collisions involving passenger jets. Eventually, they say, a similar device will become available for small planes, at a cost of about $5,000.

Pilots now depend on their own eyes and air traffic controllers to warn them of impending danger from approaching aircraft.

SURROGATE MOTHER. "Elizabeth Kane," the woman who gave birth last month in a Louisville, Kentucky hospital to a child she conceived by artifical insemination for a childless Louisville couple, appears during a news conference in New York, Wednesday. "Mrs. Kane" said "I have absolutely no regrets." "The looks on their faces when they saw him will last me for a lifetime."

(AP Laserphoto)

Six-year-old is current toast of Brazil

By PETER MUELLO
Associated Press Writer

JUIZ DE FORA, Brazil (AP) — Luciano Fleury da Cruz has become a celebrity in Brazil by writing a book about bandits who try to take over a city by polluting its water supply with a pipe-corroding chemical and then kidnap all the city's plumbers to prevent repairs.

Luciano is 6 years old.

"He's been writing stories since he was 4," his mother, Therezina, said in a recent interview. "This was his first book and on a lark we submitted it to a publisher. Somehow the newspapers found out and since then everything's been just crazy."

Reporters line up for interviews. Nationwide television shows scramble to invite the boy to appear. Strangers knock on the door and ask for copies of his 60-page book.

The book, a children's story, is called "A Epidemia Hidraulica," Portuguese for "The Plumbing Epidemic." In it Luciano writes: "Castor was sleeping when the tap began to drip heavily and he woke up and went to fix it. But it kept dripping and he kept getting angrier....Luckily his friend Mosca, the detective, managed to plug the leaking hole, but they needed a plumber.

"They went to the workshop of Metalico, Mosca's plumber. But when they got there it was closed. Castor's house remained flooded, and so did all the other houses in the city because all the plumbers had disappeared."

"I don't know where Luciano gets the ideas for his stories," his mother said. "He won't accept suggestions from us, and if we try to help he throws a tantrum and runs into his room."

Luciano insisted his stories are wholly original but admitted to being influenced by Walt Disney and Brazil's best-selling author, Jorge Amado.

"One reporter didn't believe Luciano wrote the book by himself," his father, Afonso, recalled. "So Luciano took the man's pen, sat down in front of him and wrote a chapter."

Luciano said it takes him two to four months to finish a book, writing when and where inspiration strikes. He wrote the last chapter of his book in his pediatrician's waiting room. Illustrations are drawn by cousin Marinete, supervised by the author.

Luciano's father is a sociologist, his mother a social worker who quit her job when their only child started showing signs of precociousness.

Luciano taught himself to read and write at age 2, his mother said. "We used to buy him books and paper and pencils," she added. "Then one day I walked over to his crib and he was writing the word 'gato' (cat). Two years later he was writing short stories."

Schooling has been a problem, she said. Luciano skipped the first grade, entering public school this year at the second-grade level. He barely studies but still gets straight A's.

"School bores him," his mother said, "but what can we do? There aren't any schools for gifted children in the area." The family lives in the fashionable neighborhood in Juiz De Fora, a southeastern city of 300,000.

Other problems may be his size, far smaller than children his age, and a birth defect which left Luciano with a large head and squat stature. His parents said they fear Luciano's relationships with classmates would suffer if he were placed with children much bigger than he is.

Luciano said he gets along fine with other kids, although he prefers the company of his teachers because, he said, "the conversation is more interesting."

"The Plumbing Epidemic" had a first printing of just 100 copies. "We had intended to distribute them only among family and friends," Luciano's father explained. "We didn't want to make it seem we were exploiting the boy."

The boy has a different version. "My father wouldn't let me sell it," he said. "That sure was dumb."

His father now is negotiating a second printing of 200 copies with a small local publishing house. These also will be distributed free, he said: "Luciano will turn professional only with his second book."

The second book — and the third — are already written. Luciano's father is typing the manuscripts from the author's handwritten notebooks. "The Treasure of Comba-Tomba" and "The End of the Hunt" should be published in January with printings of at least 2,000 copies each.

Polish plane hijacked

BERLIN (AP) — A Polish airliner carrying 20 passengers and a crew of four on a domestic flight was hijacked by a Polish citizen today and forced to land at an American air base in West Berlin, the U.S. Air Force said.

"A Polish LOT airliner, flight 770, on a routine flight from Zielona Gora to Warsaw, landed at 0835 hours (3:35 a.m. EST) at Tempelhof Central airfield," a statement from the U.S. Military mission said. Zielona Gora is in western Poland, about 30 miles from the East German border.

The U.S. statement said the hijacker asked authorities for political asylum and was taken into custody by West Berlin police for further investigation.

"The crew, aircraft and passengers will be allowed to proceed when further questioning is completed," the statement said.

Surrogate mother reveals feelings

NEW YORK (AP) — "Elizabeth Kane" gave birth to an 8-pound, 10-ounce boy last month in a Louisville, Ky., hospital. She won't see the child again for at least 18 years, if ever.

She is a surrogate mother who was paid a fee to bear the baby by a Louisville couple who could not have children on their own.

Mrs. Kane — that is a pseudonym; her real name has not been revealed — signed away her parental rights to the baby, which was conceived by artificial insemination and born on Nov. 9. The baby's biological father and adoptive mother were present at the birth.

Richard Levin, the doctor who heads Louisville's Surrogate Parenting Association, said that the fee paid Mrs. Kane was "substantially different, less" than the $10,000 often reported.

Levin said he is now overseeing "almost 100" other surrogate pregnancies.

Mrs. Kane, 38, was in New York Wednesday with her husband for an appearance on ABC-TV's "Good Morning America."

She said the child's parents have told her she will not be able to see the child until he is at least 18 years old.

She said that she "decided to go public because I thought I could help prospective parents realize that there is an alternative to adoption and help other women realize that there is something they can do to help childless couples."

But surrogate parenthood is not without difficulties, she said.

Mrs. Kane said only one neighbor in the small central Illinois town of Pekin, where she lives with her family, will speak to her.

When the news of her surrogate parenting came out last spring, she said, her 4-year-old son had no one to play with and her daughters, ages 13 and 11, faced talk in school about how their mother "was selling babies."

"But I have absolutely no regrets," she said. "If I were 27 or 28, I'd do it again in a few years but, because of my age, I won't."

At first, her husband objected to the idea but later relented, she said.

Mrs. Kane said she "felt so many emotions during the pregnancy that I wrote a book." She has an agent, she said, and is seeking a publisher.

She said she felt regret only once — during labor, on the delivery table: "I thought to myself, 'Elizabeth, you're out of your mind. Why are you putting yourself through this?' But it was only for a moment."

And, a few moments later, all the pain proved worthwhile, she said. "The looks on their faces when they saw him will last me a lifetime."

Three days after the birth, Mrs. Kane said her "tears started flowing. I decided I'd go to the nursery and say a final, private farewell to him. I didn't want to hold him. I thought I'd better not."

Super Chicken flight ends

LIBERAL, Kan. (AP) — The attempted transcontinental flight of "Super Chicken II," ended in a southwestern Kansas pasture today when a coat of ice forced the 10-story helium balloon down about 20 miles east of Liberal, the Meade County Sheriff'1 office said.

The Federal Aviation Administration office in Garden City said the balloon touched down about 9:30 a.m. EST.

County deputies at the landing site said the balloon made a "soft" landing and the pilots, John Shoecraft, 36 and Ron Ripps, 37, were in good condition.

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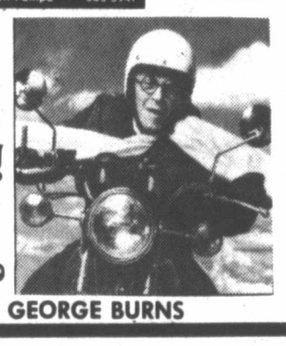

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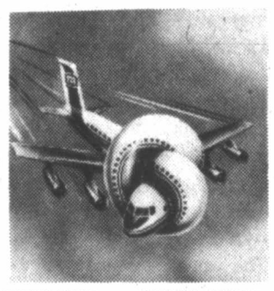

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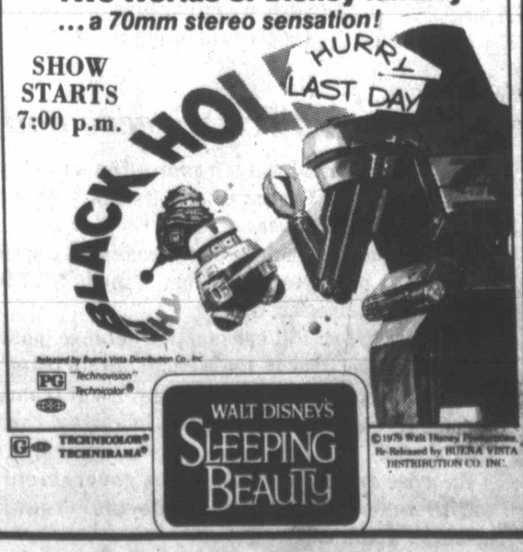

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Danger in the Caribbean

By Edward J. Walsh
(Editor's Note: Mr. Walsh is a writer for the United States Industrial Council)

There were two conservative electoral landslides in the Western Hemisphere this month, though obviously one received more attention than the other. On the eve of Ronald Reagan's triumph, Edward Seaga, head of Jamaica's Labor Party and a strongly anti - communist free marketeer, won a decisive victory over Prime Minister Michael Manley, socialist demagogue and close friend of Fidel Castro.

Mr. Seaga has his work cut out for him. Jamaica is practically bankrupt, and is corrupted by political violence. Its chief exports during Manley's tenure have been marijuana and leftist propaganda. But Seaga's election is also a signal that Jamaica has taken a step back from the brink of Third World - style economic and political anarchy.

Nevertheless, Jamaica is ominously representative of the instability that afflicts the so - called Caribbean "Basin": the hundreds of tiny islands from the Gulf of Mexico to Guyana, as well as the small countries of Central America. It is the poorest, most backward region in the Western Hemisphere, and the islands, particularly Haiti, Grenada, and St. Lucia rank among the poorest nations in the world.

Since the cataclysmic Cuban Revolution in 1959, pro - Soviet Marxists have been patiently at work throughout Castro's backyard. Although Fidel's attempt to export revolution wholesale to Latin America by sending middle class students into the fields to exhort peasants was largely a failure, the onslaught of leftist agitprop, combined with the economic downturn caused by the racheting increases in world oil prices since 1973, have taken a toll. Today, Grenada, Guyana, and Nicaragua are hovering in the Cuban orbit. Until Mr. Seaga's surprising electoral victory, Jamaica was far along.

The keys to the chronic instability in the region are endemic poverty and the lack of an authentic democratic tradition. Aside from Venezuela, Mexico, and to a lesser extent, Guatemala, Jamaica, and Trinidad, the Caribbean nations are resource - poor, and dependent on agricultural products and tourism, both of which are subject to devastation by bad weather. The rapid rise in oil prices has thus reduced most of them to abject dependence on welfare - like bailouts by international financial institutions such as the World Bank. But that, too, is running dry, and Jamaica's Manley attributes his defeat to harsh terms set by the Bank for repayment of Jamaica's overdue notes.

Further, the tradition of political turmoil plays easily into Castro's hands. Central America, the "land of the smoking gun," has endured extreme left and right - wing violence for generations. Political stability in Guatemala, El Salvador, and Honduras is threatened daily, and Nicaragua, although ostensibly under Marxist military control, and even Costa Rica, for thirty years a haven of calm, are facing renewed trouble.

On the plus side, Venezuela and Mexico, both overbrimming with oil, have agreed to convert the oil bills of nine Central American and Caribbean nations into long term loans. Jamaica may again be seen as a good place to invest, and, for the tourists, to visit. The international oil companies are expanding refinery operations on several of the islands. But again, the ultimate weapon in the Caribbean is not economics, but ideology, and the Marxists of Cuba and Grenada and the terrorists of Central America are better armed than ever.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, Dec. 4, the 339th day of 1980. There are 27 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1851, the "December 4th Massacre" occured when Louis Napoleon suppressed a workers' rebellion in Paris.

On this date:

In 1586, Queen Elizabeth I confirmed the death sentence against Mary Queen of Scots.

In 1942, U.S. bombers struck the Italian mainland for the first time in World War II.

In 1945, the U.S. Congress approved American participation in the United Nations.

Ten years ago: The Irish government reported it had foiled a secret conspiracy to take control of Ireland.

Five years ago: Chinese leaders and President Gerald Ford ended a meeting in Peking without achieving any significant change in American-Chinese relations.

One year ago: President Carter formally announced his bid for another term in the White House.

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Military build up mandated?

If there was one issue that might have prevented Ronald Reagan's election it was the war - and - peace issue. Jimmy Carter banked on it, and hoped that Reagan's advocacy of a strong military, the anti - communism characteristic of conservatives, and a tendency to suggest American military intervention in other countries would convince voters that Reagan was reckless and uninformed, thus likely to plunge this country into war. There was enough plausibility in the campaign to worry G.O.P. strategists. Reagan countered the ploy by declaring his own passion for peace and refusing to play the role of maniacal mad bomber in which Carter had tried to cast him. Obviously, most people didn't buy Carter's rhetorical excesses. Now Reagan has the job of maintaining both peace and this country's dignity. It won't be easy.

Many will interpret Reagan's victory as a mandate for increased military spending. Some of his advisors already have blueprints drawn up for new weapons systems and personnel increases to bolster our military strength. While we recognize that we live in a dangerous world, and that it is important for this country to have enough military capability to defend itself, we hope the new president will proceed carefully.

We can't help remembering the alleged "missile gap" that candidate Kennedy discovered in 1960, which turned out to be non - existent. This country already has hundreds of billions of dollars worth of military equipment, but we doubt if it has very good control over just what we have and how it might be used. The military bureaucracy operates in much the same manner as a civilian bureaucracy, always finding justifications for bigger budget allocations each year whether they're really needed or not. Just as liberals tend to take welfare bureaucrats at their word when they say a budget increase is essential, so conservatives have a tendency to want to give the military anything it asks for. Both bureaucracies are often self - serving and should be subject constantly to independent audits and criticism.

Before embarking on a military build - up, we'd like to see a serious, thoroughgoing discussion of just what America's role in the world is now, where we would like it to be going, and what kind of diplomacy and military policy will be needed to get there. If we were invited to such a discussion, here are some considerations we would bring forward.

The world seems to be evolving away from the situation of two dominant superpowers and "the others" that characterized the post - World War II era. Japan and Western Europe are economically strong, perhaps healthier than the United States. China is coming into its own, and shows some signs of sloughing off the legacy of Maoism that strained it for so long. The Soviet Union, while still an essentially aggressive power, has taken on some of the burdens of empire, characterized by reverses in Africa, trouble in Afghanistan and unrest in Eastern Europe.

Might it not be time for some of these other countries to carry more of the burden of their own defense? Is it still necessary for the United States to maintain so many troops overseas? Is it not time to reduce the burden of foreign military and economic aid on American taxpayers?

We hold no brief for the Soviet system. Nonetheless, we note that it shows some signs of crumbling from within, and we believe communism is inherently unstable. Might not there be ways, short of military adventures, to encourage this crumbling? The elimination of trade subsidies such as special low - interest loans and other special "detente" favors could help this process. Agitation and propaganda about the superiority of freedom could play an important part. Let us note that this doesn't have to be carried on by government; private anti - communist organizations can play an important, perhaps decisive part.

Much of the deterioration of the United States' standing in the rest of the world arises not just from diplomatic weakness, but from a confused idea of what role we want to play. We have vacillated between stern overseer and nursemaid, often engendering contempt and resentment. Perhaps a policy of non - interference in other countries' affairs combined with the example of the benefits that flow from freedom at home would be more helpful. If we let the rest of the world know they can expect friendship and fair dealing from us, but no special favors, no propping of other regimes, no expensive rescue missions from Uncle Sap, we might just gain increased respect. And we might have less need of overwhelming military power.

NATO, Greece both gain

The North Atlantic Treaty Organization will be strengthened because of the decision by Greece to end its six - year separation from the alliance of Western powers.

NATO benefits not only from the renewed participation by Greece in funding and manpower, but from a new NATO air command with several bases planned in Greece.

But Greece, too, will enhance its defense posture — as the Greek Parliament conceded in the action authorizing the re - entry. The government noted that the 1974 withdrawal from NATO was designed to put NATO pressure on Turkey following the Turkish invasion of Cyprus.

The move did not work. The Greek government admits that its aims will be better served from within the organization than from a bystander's position.

"I can't believe it's a girdle."

Term paper

by ART BUCHWALD

WASHINGTON -- It's that time again when term papers are due and all over this land the phone is ringing with calls from desperate students.

"Mr. Blueveld?"

"Buchwald."

"Yes, that's the name. I'm doing a term paper on the Federal Reserve Bank Board and I would like to ask you a few questions."

"I'm terribly sorry, but I don't know anything about the Federal Reserve Bank Board."

"You live in Washington, don't you?"

"Yes, but living in Washington does not necessarily mean you are clued in on the Fed."

"I need this paper by Thursday."

"Why don't you call the Fed yourself? I'm sure they have a department that handles questions from students writing term papers on them."

"Maybe I can write a term paper on you. What do you do?"

"I just mess around in the newspaper."

"My essay has to be three pages long. Could you fill that up for me?"

"I doubt it. You better try the Fed."

"This paper is very important. The teacher assigned it to me in September, but I'm on the cheerleading squad and I went away with my friend Allison to Mexico, and then Elizabeth got sick and I had to take over the decorations for the fall hop, and the day I was going to the library Mom's car was recalled and ..."

"Hold it! I can see your problem, but I can't be of much help. At this very moment there are 25 letters on my desk with lists of questions from students who want me to write their term papers."

"On what?"

" 'U.S. Foreign Policy in Zimbabwe,' 'NATO Before Afghanistan,' 'The 20 Most Powerful People in Washington,' and 'Watergate in a Nutshell.' "

"Are you going to answer any of them?"

"I don't think so. I would, but then it would make it impossible for me to take questions from students who call me on the telephone."

"My teacher said it's much easier to get someone to answer the phone than reply to a letter."

"He or she is right."

"It's a he. He also said most people would rather answer questions on the phone than by mail, and therefore the odds were very much in my favor that I would get a response, particularly if I called long distance and paid for it myself."

"Your teacher seems to know what he's talking about."

"He should. He's been giving the same assignment for 15 years."

"Are we finished?"

"No, I still don't have my term paper."

"I'm sorry to hear that, but I don't believe that's my fault."

"That's easy for you to say because all you have to do is hang up the phone and go back to your business. I'm stuck here until I get my paper done. I might be thrown off the cheerleading squad if I don't get it in on time. But you'll sleep all right tonight, no matter what happens."

"You won't get to me by laying on a guilt trip. I take no responsibility for people's term papers, since I did not assign them. Nor am I in the business of writing them for students, particularly by Thursday."

"They told me you'd say that."

"Who told you?"

"The people I spoke to at the Federal Reserve Bank Board."

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Design a war memorial

By William Steif

Some time between now and the end of next March, some United States citizen, 18 or older, will submit the winning design for a monument in Washington, D.C., to the 57,661 Americans who died in the Vietnam War.

You could be the winner.

The idea for a monument came from Jan Scruggs, 30, an equal opportunities specialist in the Labor Department. He'd seen "The Deer Hunter" in April 1979, and as he left the theater had a "flashback" — and the idea. At that moment, he says, "I found myself looking into the eyes of my dead buddies, remembering their names."

For a year, he knocked on Capitol Hill doors, trying to find a sponsor for his project. Finally, he talked to Sen. Charles Mathias, R-Md., who was receptive. All 100 members of the Senate eventually co - sponsored Mathias' bill and it was signed into law last July.

The legislation dedicated a two - acre site just northeast of the Lincoln memorial to the Vietnam memorial. No federal funding is to be required.

Scruggs, a Bowie, Md., native who was wounded while serving as an infantryman in Vietnam, became president of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund. Another Vietnam veteran, lawyer Robert Doubek, became the fund's executive director, aided by Mrs. Kathie Kielich.

They have raised about $500,000 of the $2.5 million they estimate they'll need to build the memorial. They also need a design.

That's where you come in, if you're a professional or a talented amateur.

The design should be relatively simple, something fitting for a quiet, semi - wooded area near the Potomac River and not too far from the stately Lincoln Memorial. The design must, of course, be non - political and it must have space for inscribing the names of all 57,661 Americans who died in the war.

The memorial fund officers already have picked the design judges. They are sculptors Richard Hunt, Constantino Nivola and Jame Rosati; architects Pietro Belluschi and Harry Weese; landscape architects Garret Eckbo and Hideo Sasaki and editor Grady Clay of Landscape Architecture magazine.

Mrs. Kielich says the fund is "encouraging team concepts" — that is, where an architect and a landscape expert, for example, put their heads together to work out a design. She says "a wonderful group of volunteers," some of them widows and wives of retired military officers, are helping out. The fund already has more than 600 letters requesting information.

Registration forms for the competition are ready and will be mailed to anyone requesting them now until the end of the year. You can also get the forms by phoning Mrs. Kielich or one of her volunteers at 202-659-1151.

The deadline for entries will be the end of March 1981, and the judges' decision will be announced at the end of April or early May.

Entry of your design in the competition will cost you $20. But there's a big payoff for the winner and runners - up.

First prize will be $20,000, second $10,000, third, $5,000. As many as 15 honorable mention prizes of $1,000 apiece may also be awarded.

Mrs. Kielich says it looks like "this will be one of the largest design competitions ever held in the United States." Many architecture students plan to enter, she says.

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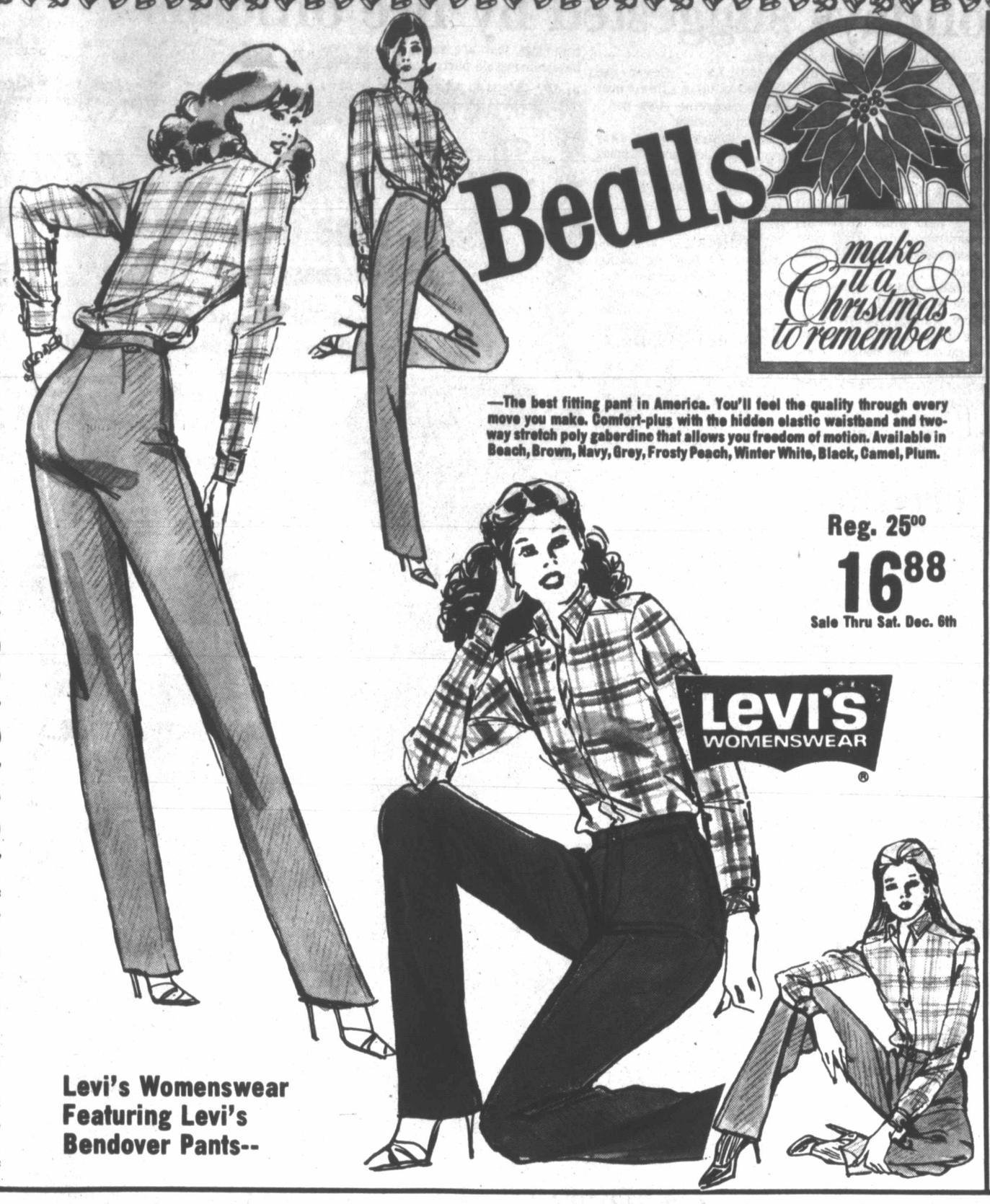

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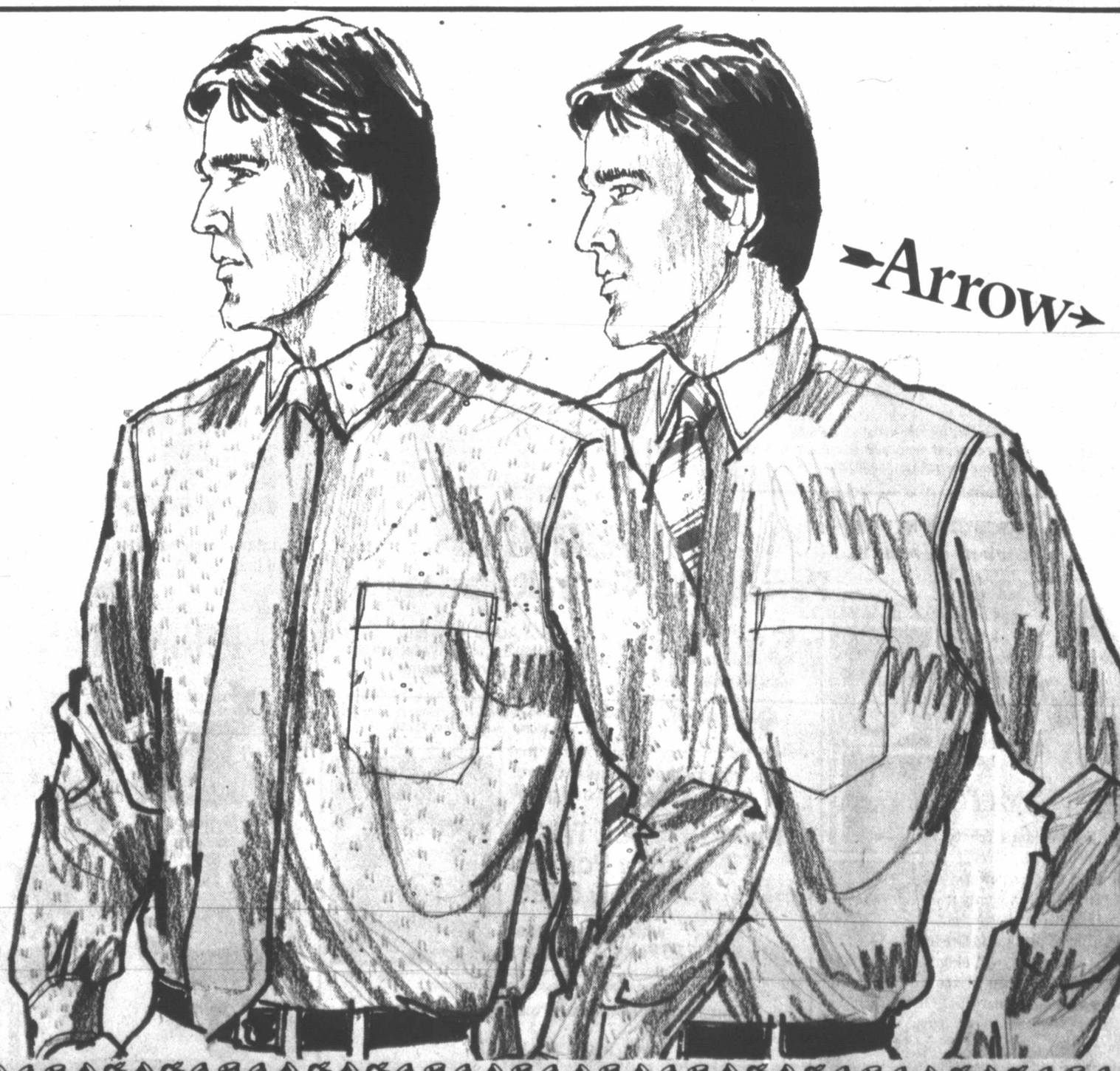

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Caution through holidays suggested by fire officials

(Editor's note: A holiday fire loss is heartbreaking. Most residential fires that occur during the Christmas season can be prevented by using the following hints furnished by the Pampa Fire Department.)

A few safety precautions when preparing for the Christmas holidays can keep the season bright and safe for you and your loved ones.

LIGHTS — Christmas tree lights and other decorations should be labeled by Underwriters Laboratories (UL). Check each set of lights for broken or cracked sockets, frayed or bare wires, loose connections. Discard any unsafe equipment.

Make sure light to be used outdoors are suitable for outdoor use. Fasten the lights securely to trees, walls or other firm support to protect them from wind damage.

Use no more than three sets of lights per single extension. Read manufacturer's instructions carefully and do not use more than the recommended number of lights in one circuit.

Always turn off lights on trees and other decorations when you go to bed or leave the house. A short circuit in any of this equipment could cause a fire.

Never use electric lights on a metallic tree. Damaged insulation in lighting on a metallic tree could cause the entire tree to be charged with electricity. To avoid this danger, use colored spot lights above or beside a metal tree; never fastened onto it.

Keep children away from light sets and electrical decorations. All lights present the problem of shock and casualty hazards for curious kids.

PAPER — Artificial plastic trees should be UL inspected. Some unlabeled platic trees burn with extreme vigor.

Do not rely on chemical coatings or sprays to make your live evergreen flame - resistant. Follow the safety rules below when shopping for a natural tree.

A fresh tree will stay green longer and be less of a fire hazard than a dry tree.

To check for freshness, remember the tree should be deep green in color and have a strong pine scent, the needles should not fall readily from the tree and the trunk butt should be sticky with sap.

Place your Christmas tree away from heat sources such as fireplaces and radiators. Be sure it is out of the traffic pattern and does not block doorways.

Cut off about two inches of the trunk. Mount the tree in a sturdy, water - holding stand with wide - spread legs. Fill the holder with water and keep it full of water while the tree is indoors.

Remember a dry tree is a fire hazard.

FIRES — Your fireplace is a source of warmth and heat. Before starting your fire, be sure to remove all paper decorations and boughs from the immediate area. Never set up your Christmas tree near the fireplace.

Use a screen to enclose the front of your fireplace to confine live embers and sparks to the fire box.

CANDLES — Never use lighted candles on a tree or near other evergreens. Use non - flammable holders.

Keep lighted candles away from decorations and wrapping paper. Place them where they cannot be knocked down or blown over.

TRIMMINGS — When choosing the finishing touches to your Christmas tree, purchase tinsel or artificial icicles of a non - leaded material. Leaded materials may be hazardous if eaten by children or pets.

If youngsters are a part of your family, take special care to avoid any decorations that tend to break easily, or have sharp edges. Keep tree trimmings that are small or have removeable parts, out of the reach of children. Don't purchase ornaments that resemble candy or food. A small child may try to eat them.

Fewer deaths, more injuries credited to fires

Fire deaths decreased, but fire - related injuries increased in 1979, according to the results of the National Fire Protection Association's annual survey.

A recent article in "Fire Journal" reports 7,780 U. S. citizens died in an estimated 2, 845,500 fires — a 4.3 percent decrease from 1978. However, the report reflected a five percent increase in injuries to persons other than firefighters on duty, a total of 31,325 persons.

Property damage from fire showed a dramatic increase over 1978 figures. Damage amounting to an estimated $5.75 billion was reported — a 27.8 percent increase. Although not adjusted for inflation, the increase is still well above the prevailing inflation rate. The rise is attributable, in part, to a dramatic increase in large - loss fires. Losses from these fires, defined as causing more than $500,000 damage, increased 40.3 percent in 1979.

Of the more than 7,000 fatalities in 1979, 5,765 died in residential fires.

Arson fires decreased 7.1 percent in 1979. However, the dollar losses in this type fire increased 24.5 percent — a total of $1.3 billion. Arson accounted for 14.3 percent of all structure fires and 26.8 percent of all property loss from structure fires.

The report also estimated 63,500 incendiary or suspicious vehicle fires, a 32.3 percent increase. Damages totaled $167 million.

The fire loss survey is conducted annually to provide information and identify trends to be used in the development of codes and standards, fire protection planning and fire safety education programs. The data for the survey figures were gathered from 2,800 fire departments protecting 82 million of the U. S. population.

Reserve Board defends policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve Board is strongly defending its tight-money policies, which are being blamed for a slowdown in economic recovery and for part of the sharp rise in interest rates.

Climbing interest rates for home mortgages are already blamed for a third consecutive monthly decline in new-home sales in October. And the maximum interest federal credit unions can charge for their loans has jumped from 15 percent to 21 percent, to reflect the overall increase in interest rates.

Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker said Wednesday the tight-money policies are designed to "squeeze out inflation, not (economic) growth." Another board member, Henry Wallich, made similar comments in a separate speech outside Washington.

Volcker vowed the Fed would continue the tight-money policy even though the prime rate — that which banks charge their best customers — is at 18.5 percent and fast approaching the record 20 percent reached last spring.

The board is under mounting criticism for jeopardizing economic recovery and for not sufficiently stemming the expansion of money and credit.

One sign of slowdown in economic recovery is the sales of new homes.

The Commerce Department reported Wednesday that sales of new one-family homes declined to an annual rate of 548,000 units last month. That is 4.4 percent below September's yearly pace and nearly 19 percent less than a year earlier.

Several housing experts predicted that the home market will continue to deteriorate through the winter, and an upturn is not likely to come before spring.

A spokesman for the National Association of Realtors also predicted that home mortgage rates will soon climb above 15 percent nationwide. They are currently in the 14.5 percent to 15 percent range.

Professor suspended after allegations

COMMERCE, Texas (AP) — East Texas State University chemistry professor Richard L. Clevenger has been suspended pending a university inquiry into allegations that he gave two Fort Worth police officers credit for courses they never took.

Jack Gray, assistant to the universit president, said in a prepared statement released Wednesday that Clevenger was "served with notice of termination of employment" pending the outcome of the investigation.

He said Clevenger "will be placed on leave of absence" Dec. 19 and that the termination would become effective a year later.

"The action ... was taken as a result of the university's investigation into alleged procedural irregularities in connection with course work offered to the Fort Worth police department," Gray said in the statement.

Clevenger declined to comment on Wednesday's action.

The university investigation started after the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported that two unidentified officers received a pay raise for acheiving certain educational goals based on credit for chemistry courses they never took.

The Greenville-Herald-Banner reported Wednesday that the university's investigative commission will present its report to the ETSU Board of Regents at their meeting in Dallas on Friday.

The Fort Worth police department and the Texas College Coordinating Board also are looking into the allegations.

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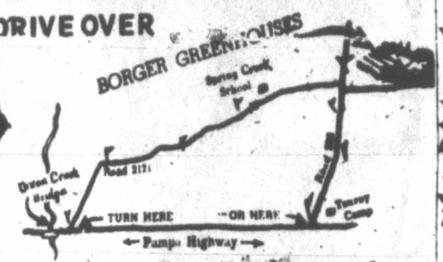

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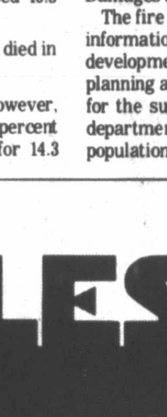
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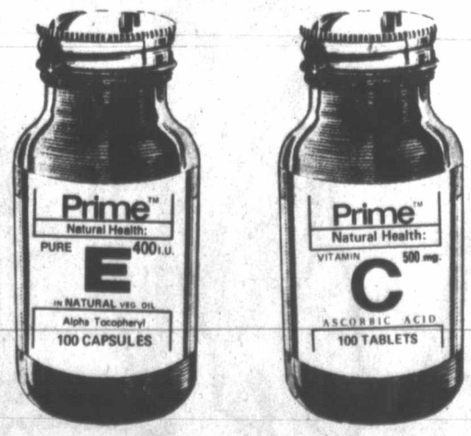

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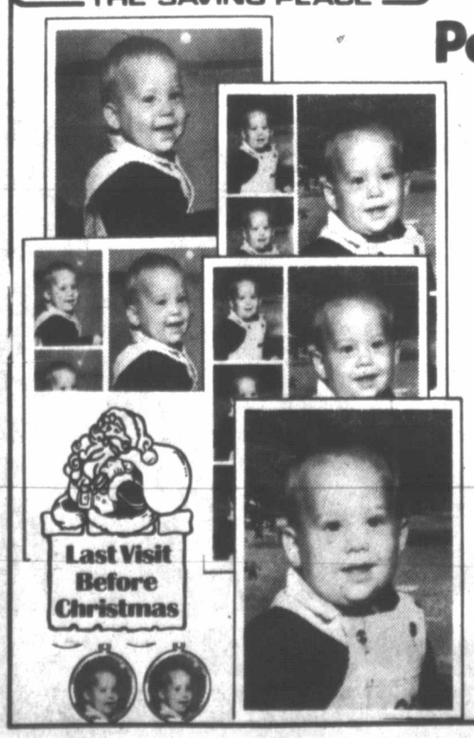

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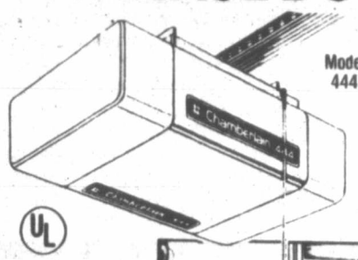

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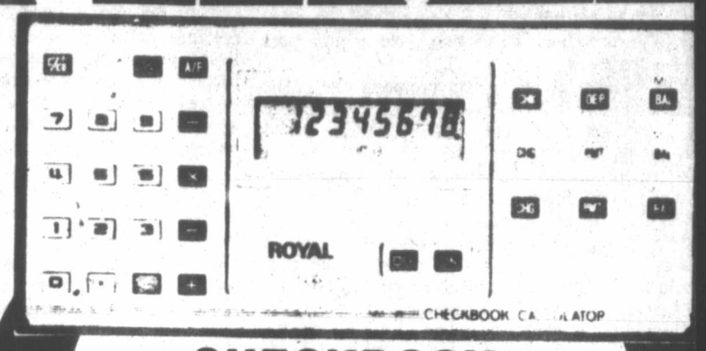

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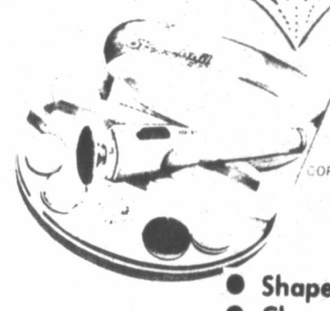

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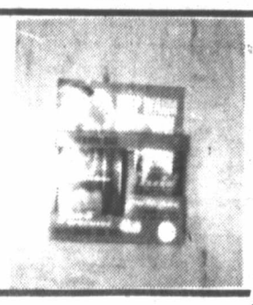

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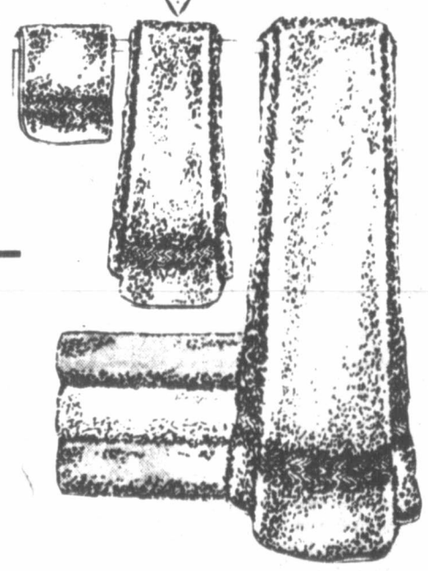

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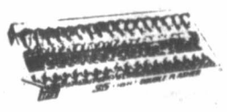

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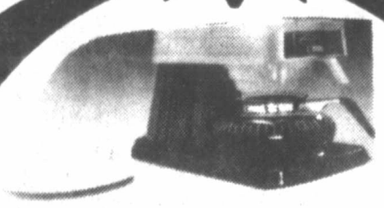

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Farm Scene

Analysts predict poultry profits

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government farm analysts re the nation's poultry producers should expect to n a profit next year despite soaring costs.

"Like broiler prices, turkey prices should benefit om reduced supplies of competing meats and proved economic conditions in the second half of 81," the Agriculture Department's Economics and atistics Service says.

"Production costs will be higher than in 1980, but rong red meat prices will likely keep ... production ofitable," the analysts said. The only problem, they id, will be getting through the next seven months, hen "record feed costs may hold profits near eak-even levels."

With those relatively bright prospects, the USDA id Wednesday in its Outlook and Situation Summary Poultry and Eggs that poultry production should ntinue expanding through 1981.

But egg producers, the summary said, will probably ntinue production cuts begun earlier this year after rices plunged sharply in spring.

Since then prices have been on the rise, mainly in esponse to the drop in supply, the report said, so it ould seem likely that "producers continue adjusting utput to achieve a positive net return."

Should the production trend hold with less than 5.8 illion dozen eggs produced next year, the department aid, prices could hit 78 to 82 cents a dozen during the ast six months of 1981.

The brightening prospects for poultry producers are due to anticipated reductions in livestock production as a result of economic problems faced by that segment of the farm economy. Prices should be higher next year for the limited supply of red meat, making poultry a more attractive commodity, the department's analysis indicated.

Broiler production this year should hit more than 11 billion pounds, up 2 percent from 1979, the report said, and can be expected to jump another 6 percent next year. Although per-pound prices have dropped from high summer levels, they're still above 1979 and should rise into the mid- to upper-50 cent range as seasonal demand picks up next spring and summer.

Turkey production this year, running at about 2.3 billion pounds, should be 6 percent higher than in 1979, the report said, and another 7 percent increase can be expected in 1981.

Prices, which have already begun rising, should hit 70 cents a pound before next summer, compared to 57 cents during the first half of this year. In the last half of next year they should still be 1 to 4 cents above current levels.

WASHINGTON (AP) — A foreign trade agreement under which the United States will sell Mexico millions of metric tons of American farm products has been renewed and expanded.

"This agreement is an extremely important thing for American farmers and the people of Mexico," U.S. Ambassador Bob Krueger said Wednesday after Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland and Mexican Commerce Secretary Jorge De La Vega Dominguez signed the document.

The agreement, based on one in effect this year, will permit Mexico to buy up to 8.18 million metric tons of agricultural commodities during 1981.

"The supply and purchase assurances are continued and the avenues for cooperation are broadened and spelled out," Bergland said. "We have learned from our experience with the 1980 agreement that cooperation in agricultural trade is beneficial on both sides of our common border. The new agreement emphasizes the joint effort."

Bergland said the sales will be made through normal commercial channels at the market prices prevailing when the contracts are negotiated. Should "exceptional circumstances" prohibit the sale of a commodity in the quantity specificied, the two governments will negotiate the required adjustments, he said.

The 1980 agreement, the first such pact between the United States and Mexico, called for the sale of 7.2 million metric tons of American farm goods through the end of this year. The government estimates actual sales should total more than 10 million metric tons valued at about $2 billion, making Mexico the third largest customer of U.S. agricultural products.

Under the new agreement, Mexico intends to buy between 6.15 million and 8.18 million metric tons, primarily corn, sorghum, wheat and soybeans.

Evacuated families' return uncertain

MONT BELVIEU, Texas (AP) — One fourth of an area contaminated by hazardous gases has been purged in a cleanup operation, but officials in this small Chambers County town still are uncertain when 80 families may return to their homes.

"We're encouraged by the work so far and we're working as quickly as possible to return the families to their homes," said Keith Owen, spokesman for Warren Petroleum Co. which is funding the operation.

The families were evacuated two months ago after officials discovered gas fumes seeping from the ground and into the city's sewer line.

Tests revealed the fumes were a mixture of propane and ethane gases.

Mont Belvieu, a city of about 1,700 located 33 miles east of Houston, sits atop a saltdome that has the nation's largest petrochemical storage capacity.

City manager Jay Jorden said the cleanup operation is not "moving as fast as we would like. We are just having to live with this until it is taken care of."

Cleanup crews have drilled 290 test wells and plan to drill 50 additional wells in an effort to pinpoint the exact location of the escaping gas, Owens said.

The purging process injects nitrogen gas into the contaminated areas, displacing and diluting the flammable gases.

The Texas Railroad Commission said the flammable gases were moving underground in the water sands about 200 feet deep and surfacing near porous ground.

Owen said a resovoir where most of the propane and ethane is located has been depleted by drilling of relief wells.

Warren Petroleum has admitted it has a leaky well which may have contributed to the gas leaks. But company officials said other gases, such as propylene and methane, not stored by the Houston-based company have been found.

Evacuations and cleanup costs are being paid by Warren Petroleum and by Mutual Aid Mont Belvieu, a group of companies operating on the dome.

Officials are uncertain how much the total cleanup cost will be.

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Monsignor proposes new rule

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — ving the marital knot may on take longer in the Roman atholic Archdiocese of hiladelphia.

Citing mounting divorce ates, Msgr. Charles cGroarty, director of the rchdiocese's Family Life ureau, outlined a new policy marriages in an interview ublished today by the hiladelphia Inquirer.

Within a year, like in many ther U.S. archdioceses, local hurch officials may require re-marriage instruction and a ix-month waiting period in the rchdiocese's 307 parishes, he aid.

The rules have yet to be pproved by Cardinal John Krol, the archbishop of hiladelphia. If he does accept hem, the rules will then be utlined to archdiocesan priests who in turn will explain them to arishioners.

"You can't introduce a six-month waiting period without giving people some ime to adjust to it," McGroarty said.

Today, more than half of the dioceses in the U.S. have a general policy that requires a waiting period of anywhere from four to six months to one year, according to the Rev. Carl Arico, former chairman of the U.S. Catholic Conference marriage preparation policy committee.

Currently, engaged couples wishing to be married in the Philadelphia archdiocese only have to wait three weeks, the time required for the "banns of marriage to be published in the parish on three consecutive Sundays," McGroarty explained.

Under the new policy, couples would have to wait six months from the time they informed a priest that they wished to be married.

Suspects sought in drug deal

SAN ANGELO, Texas (AP) — Police say they a massive round-up of suspects that began after 38 persons were charged with drug-related offenses in sealed grand jury indictments is nearing an end.

Officers from local, state and federal agencies fanned out Wednesday morning and began arresting the suspects, all charged with either the sale of methamphetamine or marijuana.

The sealed indictiments were handed down Tuesday.

Tom Green County Sheriff Ernest Haynes said 25 persons had been arrested by late Wednesday and that 17 of them were free on bond. He said those arrested ranged in age from 17 to 38.

"We should have this wrapped up sometime tonight (Thursday)," said Detective Walt Pierce after law officers began making the arrests.

Police Chief Travis Johnson said the operation, which began in August and used only one undercover agent, was "the largest group of meth cases we've had so far."

He said it had not been determined how much money was spent on the undercover operation or what quantity of narcotics had been bought.

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Texas briefs

GOVERNOR APPROVES BENEFIT INCREASES

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements announced his support Wednesday for an emergency increase in benefits for retired teachers and retired state employees.

Clements said he would submit an emergency appropriation to the Legislature to finance a 3.4 percent annuity increase, effective Feb. 1, for those who retired prior to Aug. 31, 1979.

"This emergency increase, along with whatever increase is appropriated by the Legislature for the 1981-82 biennium, should provide much needed and well deserved relief for those individuals who have completed long and productive careers in public education and state government," Clements said in a statement.

DEC ONTROL IDEA STUDIED

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Oil Marketers Association said Wednesday preliminary results of a study indicate the lifting of price and allocation controls on gasoline next year could threaten the survival of certain distributors.

The association said said the study suggests that small marketers in rural areas will face the greatest challenge under decontrol.

A news conference has been scheduled for 9 a.m. Thursday at the Amfac Hotel, Dallas-Fort Worth airport, to review the study, which was done by Resource Planning Associates.

URIBE ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

AUSTIN (AP) — State Rep. Hector Uribe, D-Brownsville, announced Wednesday as a candidate for the state senate seat that is being vacated by Raul Longoria.

Longoria, D-Edinburg, was elected state district judge on Nov. 4 and will resign with two years left in his term.

A special election will be called to elect Longoria's successor.

OIL DISCOVERIES DISCLOSED

AUSTIN (AP) — The Railroad Commission said Wednesday operators reported 25 oil discoveries and 22 gas discoveries during the last half of November.

Through the first 11 months of 1980, the commission said, operators have reported 661 oil discoveries — 179 more than in the same period last year — and 1,250 gas discoveries — 131 more than last year.

Armchair leaders take shot at freeing hostages

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — America's armchair presidents and generals now can take a shot at freeing the hostages in Iran.

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"The person who represents the Americans has a pretty good choice of strategies," said Steve Jackson, creator of "Raid on Iran."

The idea of the paper board game is simple — find a way to free the hostages held since Nov. 4, 1979, at the U.S. embassy in Tehran.

"I started thinking about creating the game a little while after the (aborted April 24) raid," said Jackson, 26, in an interview at his home.

"Raid on Iran" is among four games just released by the former law student.

The game, folded like a road map, comes in a plastic envelope. The multi-colored board is a layout of the embassy grounds — complete with tennis court. Jackson said the game is as accurate as possible, including potential malfunctions on the helicopters.

Small cardboard markers represent the American commandos, the hostages, the weapons and the mobs. A single card bears the picture of Ayatollah Khomeini.

"It works out to be pretty well-balanced," Jackson said.

The game takes about 90 minutes to play, and a variety of scenarios can develop. It hinges on which secret options each player chooses.

The American can opt for extra explosives or Farsi-speaking infiltrators. Another choice gives the Americans a leftover CIA spy among the Iranians.

The Iranian side can select from such options as "extreme fanaticism."

"The militants are especially crazy," said Jackson. "They are very difficult to negotiate with."

The Iranians can also choose to booby-trap the building.

Jackson said he considered sending copies of the game to the hostages.

"But they certainly would not let them play with it. I'll send it to them when they get home," he said.

The game shows the aborted raid was justified, according to Jackson.

"It was risky, but it could have worked. They would have had a very good chance of succeeding," he said.

GAME INVENTOR EXPLAINS. Game inventor Steve Jackson of Austin, talks about his "Raid on Iran" game which simulates an attempt to free the American hostages in Iran. (AP Laserphoto)

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National Brie

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Force policy is being challen in a federal court suit t claims a Minneapolis man dismissed from the servic preparatory school because carries the trait for sickle-c anemia.

A class-action suit fi Wednesday contends it unconstitutional for the Force to dismiss Steph Pullens, 20, from the Colora Springs, Colo., school in J 1979 on the basis of the aner finding. The school prepa candidates for the Air For Academy.

The Air Force said the poli was instituted because th with the trait may collapse suddenly die if subjected strenuous physical exertion lack of oxygen at high altitu Sickle-cell anemia is inherited chronic disease fou chiefly among blacks. Pullens black.

DALLAS (AP) — 42-year-old Dallas man who h taken responsibility for t slayings of nine women over t past two months was being he in lieu of $100,000 bond f investigation of murde authorities say.

One of the nine women who Carroll Edward Cole claimed have killed was listed as havi died from natural cause Dallas police said Wednesda But the case was bei reopened in light of Cole admissions, which came aft he was arrested Monday nig for questioning in th strangulation of a 32-year-o Dallas woman, police said.

Homicide investigator Gera Robinson said Cole discusse the slaying for which he wa being questioned and the recer killings of two other Dalla women; three women in Sa Diego including his wife, Diane two women in Las Vegas, Nev and one in Casper, Wyo.

VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP) — Authorities may have troubl identifying the body of a perso who may have died in a eruption of Mount St. Helen because the jaw is missing sheriff's deputies said.

Deputy Gary Lee said th scattered remains were foun Wednesday by worker dredging the Cowlitz River o volcanic silt resulting from May 18 eruption. That blas killed 34 people and left 2 others missing.

Cowlitz County Coroner D.F Winebrenner said he would examine the remains but sinc the jaw was missing no denta comparison could be made.

Washington Briefs

WASHINGTON (AP) — Egypt and Israel are the main beneficiaries of a nearly $ billion economic and military aid bill now awaiting President Carter's action.

The measure, which gained final congressional approval Wednesday, contains $2.2 billion for Israel and $1.3 billion for Egypt.

The $4.98 billion package also limits or prohibits aid to Nicaragua, Vietnam, Cuba, Cambodia and El Salvador, and directs the president to expel Cuban refugees who are involved in civil riots or other disturbances.

WASHINGTON (AP) — After remaining dormant for nearly 10 years, the Democratic Governors' Conference is regrouping its forces following the loss of four seats to the Republicans in the November elections.

However, with a 27-23 edge over the GOP, the Democratic governors still represent one of the few majorities in the party.

MES IN THE NEWS

NGELES (AP) — nth after his first e was dissolved by a decree, athlete and Bruce Jenner has fed plans to marry Linda Thompson.

r's publicist, Paul said Wednesday the will be early in 1981. sed no details.

1-year-old Jenner's hlon-winning hance at the 1976 Games at Montreal cord that still stands. he's been acting in n and films and has d in commercials.

ancee is a 30-year-old on the syndicated n show, "Hee-Haw." never married.

r's divorce from his fe, Chrystie, became st month. He has two n from that marriage.

YORK (AP) — of "9-Lives" cat food finally found a

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replacement for the late Morris the Cat. Once again it's a stray being elevated to stardom.

The original Morris died two years ago after an 11-year career in show business that began when he was discovered as a Chicago stray. The comical cat was widely recognized for commericals in which he was pleased by only one brand of cat food.

"We had always had stand-ins for Morris," explained Bod Dowd, a spokesman for "9-Lives," as Morris II was introduced Wednesday. "We had to find the 'ultimate Morris.' Someone with the personality and the finickiness — but someone who could do commercials."

They found a suitable cat, 2 or 3 years old, in a New England humane society shelter and the straydom-to-stardom saga repeated itself.

The new Morris, brown-eyed and orange like his predecessor, is hitting the literary circuit offering to paw copies of a new book on cat care — "The Morris Approach."

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actress Elizabeth Taylor Warner has joined actor Orson Welles on the board of trustees of the Simon Wiesenthal Center for Holocaust Studies here.

Board president Samuel Belzberg said Wednesday that the actress, wife of Sen. John Warner, R-Va., has been active in raising funds for a multimedia show about the Holocaust which she co-narrated with Welles.

The 77-minute film, videotape, slide and sound program on the extermination of Jews in World War II is being produced for nationwide exhibition.

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Sexual self-control and temperance are needed by those who hope to attain Christ-like ethics, Pope John Paul II has said in a renewal of his controversial discussion about human sexuality.

"This new ethos ... is attained through self-control and temperance and is linked with an acceptance of the conjugal meaning of the body," the pope said.

WHO'S TRYING TO MOVE IN ON MY TERRITORY. The new Morris the Cat looks up at a poor imitation of a cat at a luncheon in New York Wednesday. The new Morris replaces the old star of the TV commercials that died. Man in costume did not identify himself.

(AP Laserphoto)

Vegetable oils slated for diesel supplement

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN
Associated Press Writer

CAGO (AP) — It may be a long time before rs are computing their miles per bushel, but an lian scientist says experiments in his country egetable oil from farm crops produces as much in engines as diesel fuel.

cost is slightly higher and there is one other problem — the vegetable oil can go rancid. But he Quick, a research scientist from Victoria, alia, said Wednesday that experiments in his y show there's a future for vegetable oil as cement for diesel fuel. Vegetable oil, he says, can e blended with diesel.

He told the American Society of Agricultural Engineers that experiments show rapeseed and linseed oils can produce 109 percent as much energy as an equivalent amount of diesel fuel. Soybean was rated at 104 percent and sunflower, peanut and coconut oils were rated even with diesel.

"By producing oil from rapeseed and sunflower at co-operatives, the cost per gallon is $1.15 in Australia," said Quick. "Figured into this price, however, are proceeds of the by-product, a high protein meal." The production cost also does not include dealer markup, transportation costs, taxes and other factors involved in the pump price of diesel fuel.

"The major obstacle to adoption is still cost," he said. "But it's encouraging that the oils are not tied to crude oil prices. They appear to be agriculture's most promising alternative fuel for diesels. Petroleum products have been so much cheaper, but will they always be available?"

He said scientists are looking for answers to the problems, including a way to keep oil from becoming rancid when it is stored too long.

Tests in which vegetable oil was used to fuel regular engines showed problems with carbon build-up and lubrication, Quick said. Fuel consumption also was higher in most cases than it would be with regular diesel fuel.

Dresser Industries Soviet contract revoked

LLAS (AP) — Revoking a er Industries Inc. contract the Soviet Union will not eed as a retaliatory ure for the invasion of nistan but certainly will U.S. trade, company als said.

e Carter administration ked the Dallas-based any's licenses to provide xploration technology and ces to the Soviet Union and the action was the latest in eries of trade sanctions ting from the December invasion of Afghanistan.

"If this action is designed to send the Soviets a message about Afghanistan, it is doubtful they will even hear it," Dresser senior vice president Edward R. Luter said Wednesday. "Moreover, the only real effect of the president's action could be to relieve the Soviets of some future payments ... hardly a policy that punishes the Soviets."

Dresser officials were notified of the revocation by a letter, dated Nov. 28, which arrived Tuesday, they said.

Luter said Dresser had already shipped all the equipment and technical date covered by the licenses. The only part yet to be fulfilled, he said, was a provision for technical services which can be provided by experts from other nations.

An unidentified Congressional source, however, told the Dallas Morning News that the revocation was done at the urging of the National Security Council and that denial of Dresser's expertise at this stage of the project — a drilling bit factory on the Volga River — could set it back by as much as two years.

Dresser attorneys "have already been instructed to take every legal step to enforce its rights and hopefully to free U.S. exporters from further shackles of politics," Luter said.

The company probably will reapply for the export license once Ronald Reagan takes office as president, the newspaper said, but a spokesman for the Reagan transition team in Washington — who was not named — told the newspaper, "The administration remains the administration until President-elect Reagan is sworn in."

Carter gets royalty amendment

ASHINGTON (AP) — A tax credit amendment designed to give ll oil royalty owners one year's reprieve from the burdens of "windfall" profits tax has received final congressional oval.

ne Senate approved the amendment Wednesday that was ched to the budget reconcilliation bill. The House had passed measure earlier.

ne amendment, introduced by Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, ld create a one-year $1,000 tax credit for individuals paying the ndfall" tax designed to reclaim some of the oil company enues resulting from the degregulation of domestic oil prices.

entsen has said that he plans to push for permanent relief for royalty owners during the next congressional session.

The measure still must be signed by the president to become law. However, President Carter endorsed the exemption after it became a campaign issue in oil-producing states.

The Senate Finance Committee said the 1980 tax credit amendment essentially provides total relief from the "windfall" tax for anyone receiving royalty checks that total less than $400 a month.

"This relief is sorely needed since many royalty owners are retired couples living in rural areas who are farmers and ranchers who would be unable to stay on their farms and ranches without royalty income," Bentsen said earlier.

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Government cracks down on tax shelters

DANIEL Q. HANEY
Associated Press Writer

BOSTON (AP) — During three frantic months in 1976, a thousand well-heeled investors ranging from Elvis Presley to the attorney general of Maryland eagerly laid down $20 million to get in on a coal mining deal.

But prosecutors say they were buying income tax deductions, not mining rights, in a scheme intended solely to cheat the federal Treasury.

Now, 15 people are under indictment, including seven lawyers, two investors and two producers of the Broadway show, "Annie."

Some two dozen other investors will probably face criminal prosecution, and authorities say they are looking into similar investment deals people used to avoid paying federal income taxes.

Presley was the biggest investor in the coal deal. Like other prominent entertainers, doctors and businessmen involved in the deal, Presley claimed huge losses. The late rock'n'roll singer paid $505,000 and deducted $2.6 million from his taxable income in 1976.

According to court records, other buyers included singer Alice Cooper, actors David McCallum and Margaux Hemingway, professional basketball players Earl Monroe and Spencer Haywood, "Candid Camera" host Allen Funt, former Maryland Attorney General Francis Burch and Frank G. Wells, president of Warner Bros.

None of these celebrities has been indicted and no charges are anticipated against them. But the Internal Revenue Service is expected to insist that they pay their taxes, for the government claims the deal was marred by a critical flaw: In their haste to avoid taxes, they bought mining rights that did not exist.

The deal began to crumble two years ago when the Securities and Exchange Commission charged in a civil suit that the organizers owned grazing rights, not strip mining rights, to most of the 22,000 acres of ranch land they claimed to control in Wyoming.

Criminal indictments were returned by a federal grand jury in Boston last month, identifying the key men in the scheme as George Osserman and Paul Garfinkle, partners in a suburban Newton law firm, and Irwin Meyer and Stephen Friedman, Broadway theatrical promoters and producers of "Annie."

In a memorandum filed in U.S. District Court, the SEC described the venture as "a device to generate vast amounts of cash for Osserman, Garfinkle, Meyer and Friedman and their associates in return for the distribution of fraudulent tax deductions in connection with a sham mining venture."

According to the government, the scheme worked this way:

The promoters bought the land rights from ranchers for $300,000 through one company, then transferred them to Prodamat, a corporation controlled by Osserman and Garfinkle.

Next, they set up a limited partnership, called S-J Mineral Associates, and sold interests in the partnership for $30,000 each.

Osserman and Garfinkle organized other tax shelters and set up a nationwide network of salesmen, lawyers, accountants and investment advisors, says the SEC. Meyer and Friedman used contacts in show business to sell interests to actors, singers and backers of Broadway shows.

Money flowed in.

"As demand for more and more participation in the coal tax shelter deal mounted, the defendants created one sham limited partnership after another to accommodate people seeking to avoid personal tax liability," according to the indictment.

In the last three months of 1976, the backers created three more partnerships and took in $20 million in cash, investigators say.

"It was getting near Christmas, and people were trying to find tax deductions," said one government lawyer. "People were jumping to get in on this."

Prosecutors say the salesman and accountants received commissions of 15 to 20 percent that totaled $4 million. Most of the other money was funneled to Garfinkle, Osserman, Meyer and Friedman. They bought cars and a jet airplane and stashed money in foreign bank accounts, the government claims.

The offering memorandum for the tax shelter said investors could write off $5 for each dollar they invested and that when mining began, they would receive an annual 43 percent return on their investments.

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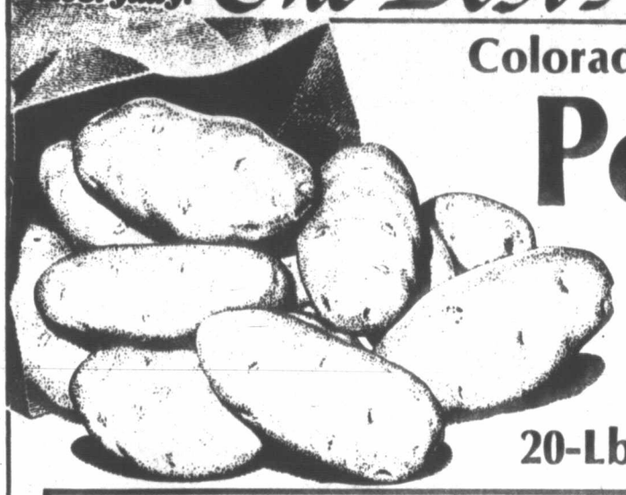

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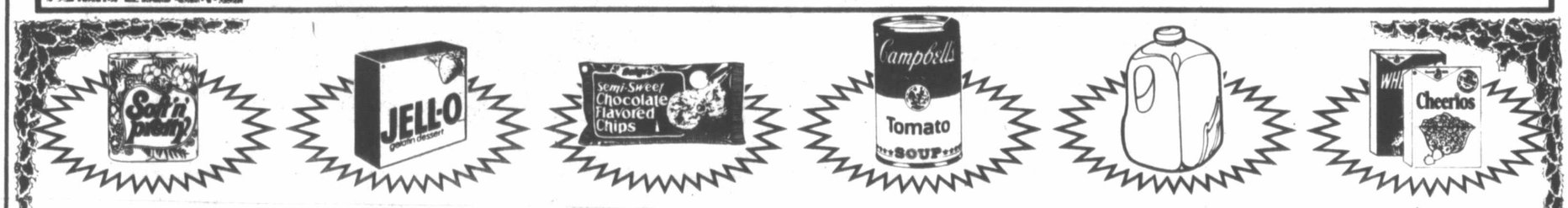

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00 (2) MOVIE -(DRAMA) ***½ "Condominium" Part II. 1980 Barbara Eden, Dan Haggerty. In thistale, the life savings of hundreds are lost when a condominium, irresponsibly built on greed and corruption, crumbles during a hurricane. (2 hrs.)
(4) (4) GAMES PEOPLE PLAY A 'spirit of man' report on athletic activities at the Colorado School for the Deaf, the sit-up competition in round two of the President's Council on Physical Fitness competition, figure skating for 11 to 13-year-olds, and finals in the disc jockey competition. Celebrity hosts: Dorothy Hamill, O.J. Simpson and Tim Reid. (60 mins.)
(5) ESPN COLLEGE BASKETBALL SHOW
(7) (7) MORK AND MINDY Mork gets so comically carried away with pulling practical jokes that he surprises Mindy by assembling her jeep in their living room right over Mr. Bickley's apartment.
(9) MISSIONARIES IN ACTION
(10) (10) THE WALTONS
(11) BILLY GRAHAM CRUSADE
(12) EVENING AT SYMPHONY Pinchas Zukerman is the viola soloist for 'Harold in Italy', by Hector Berlioz. (60 min.)
7:30 (5) MOVIE -(COMEDY) ***½ "Just You And Me, Kid" 1979 George Burns, Brooke Shields. A retired vaudevillian and a runaway orphan pair up in this ideal family picture. (Rated PG) (91 mins.)
(5) NFL STORY: LINE BY LINE
(7) (7) BOSOM BUDDIES Gossip sweeps the Susan B. Anthony Hotel after Henry, disguised as his alter-ego Buffy, is caught with a man in his room who just happens to be Kip.
(9) JACK VAN IMPE
8:00 (4) (4) THURSDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES 'The Day The Women Got Even' 1980 Stars: Barbara Rhoades, Georgia Engel. Four suburban housewives utilize their skills as amateur actresses to foil an unscrupulous Broadway talent agent who has used compromising photos to blackmail them. (2 hrs.)
(7) (7) ABC'S NFL FOOTBALL SPECIAL ABC Sports will provide live coverage of the Pittsburgh Steelers and the Houston Oilers.
(9) 700 CLUB
(10) (10) CRYSTAL GAYLE Crystal Gayle is joined by her special guests stars The Charlie Daniels Band, Eddie Rabbitt, Dionne Warwick and Sean Morey. (60 mins.)
(11) APPLE POLISHERS
(12) SNEAK PREVIEWS Co-Hosts: Gene Siskel and Roger Ebert.
8:30 (11) NHL HOCKEY Colorado Rockies vs New York Islanders (2 hrs., 30 mins.)
(12) THIS OLD HOUSE Host Bob Vila walks through the grounds with a landscape designer and considers the gardening possibilities. (Closed-Captioned; U.S.A.)
8:45 (3) (3) TBS NEWS
9:00 (2) NEWS
(3) (3) TBS NEWS
(5) MOVIE -(ROMANCE-COMEDY) *** "Lost And Found" 1979 Glenda Jackson, George Segal. A college professor and a divorcee meet while on vacation in this sequel to 'A Touch of Class'. (Rated PG) (105 mins.)
(10) (10) KNOTS LANDING Gary Ewing, a reformed alcoholic, becomes a sponsor for Earl Trent, a new member of the A.A., and finds that Earl's wife, Judy, also has a deep hunger for tender loving care. (60 mins.)
(12) ALL CREATURES GREAT AND SMALL 'Sleeping Partners' James and Helen have a working honeymoon. (60 mins.)
9:30 (9) NORMAN VINCENT PEALE
10:00 (2) HOLLYWOOD SQUARES
(3) (3) NIGHT GALLERY
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(9) JOHN ANKERBERG SHOW
(12) DICK CAVETT SHOW
10:30 (2) PRISONER: CELL BLOCK H
(3) (3) MOVIE -(COMEDY) *** "Up the Down Staircase" 1967 Sandy Dennis, Patrick Bedford. A young English literature teacher is continually harassed by the fact that her students are all from lower-income homes and hostile environments. (2 hrs., 30 mins.)
(4) (4) THE TONIGHT SHOW Guest host: David Letterman. Guest: George Miller. (60 mins.)
(5) SPORTS CENTER
(9) ROSS BAGLEY SHOW
(10) (10) CBS LATE MOVIE 'THE JEFFERSONS: Mother Jefferson's Birthday' George forgets Mother Jefferson's birthday, throwing the family into an uproar. (Repeat) 'McMILLAN AND WIFE: Husbands, Wives And Killers' Stars: Rock Hudson, Susan Saint James. (Repeat)
(12) GOOD OLE GOSPEL MUSIC
10:45 (5) INSIDE THE NFL
(7) (7) NEWS
11:00 (2) MOVIE -(DRAMA) ** "Naked Maja" 1959 Ava Gardner, Anthony Franciosa. The tempestuous love affair between the Spanish painter Goya, and the Duchess of Alba. (2 hrs.)
(5) NFL STORY: LINE BY LINE
(11) HARNESS RACING FROM YONKERS RACEWAY
11:30 (4) (4) TOMORROW Guest: Charlie Daniels. (90 mins.)
(5) ESPN COLLEGE BASKETBALL SHOW
(7) (7) GUNSMOKE
11:45 (5) MOVIE -(SCIENCE-FICTION) *** "Logan's Run" 1976 Michael York, Farrah Fawcett. In the year 2774, society exterminates everyone over the age of 30, but one man discovers a better way of life and tries to buck the system. (Rated PG) (115 mins.)
12:00 (5) COLLEGE BASKETBALL
(9) KOINONIA

Tom and Rona reconciliation is no closer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Tom and Rona seem no closer to solving the difficulties that prompted their "Tomorrow" breakup. NBC President Fred Silverman hopes to initiate a reconciliation.

Silverman's mission is to salvage his own handiwork, the ill-considered marriage of two sovereign egos that lasted a month.

In putting Tom Snyder and Rona Barrett on the same "Tomorrow" show, Silverman must have hoped the inevitable explosion would charge the show with electric vitality. The explosion came, but its fallout was unflattering publicity to be expected from shows biz tiffs.

The problem will not be easily solved. Snyder, who hosted the show gloriously alone for seven years before the Rona invasion, wants it understood that "Tomorrow" is his domain and that Miss Rona is a sort of permanent guest.

Miss Rona, on the other hand, insists she was brought to "Tomorrow" as a co-host of the show, the West Coast anchor. She reportedly wants guaranteed time, preferably at the beginning of the show, not a fluid segment decided by Tom Snyder.

Momentum, as Frank Gifford would say, is on Miss Rona's side. Her intense style of reportage, played against the gaudy background of a gossip columnist, has made her a hot property. NBC considered her hiring from ABC a major coup.

Snyder, on the other hand, seems to be considered a fading star at NBC. His tour as host of NBC's "Prime Time" was a miserable failure, which was not Snyder's fault alone, but it tainted him.

One of the notions being kicked around NBC has "Tomorrow" being cut back to its original 60-minute length, from 1 a.m. to 2, with Snyder as sole host. The half-hour between Johnny Carson and "Tomorrow" would go to Miss Rona.

It seems a reasonable option, but not one likely to be embraced by Snyder.

While in California, Silverman will be fine-tuning NBC's mid-year schedule. Absent from it, happily, is a tedious bit of inconsequence called "The Day the Women Got Even."

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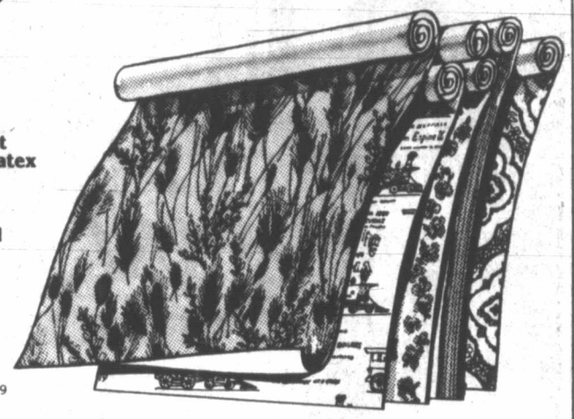

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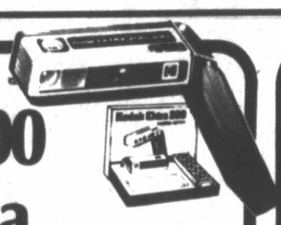
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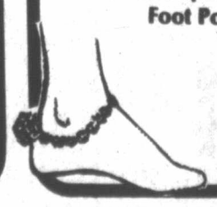
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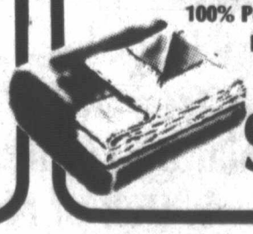
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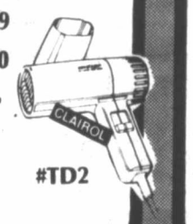

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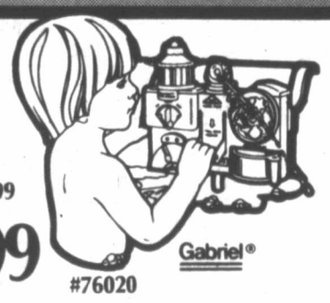

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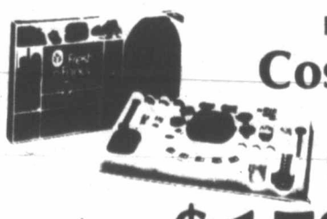

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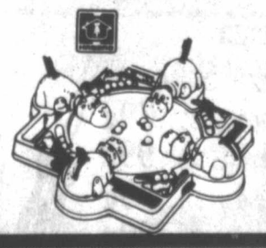

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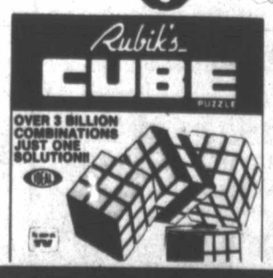

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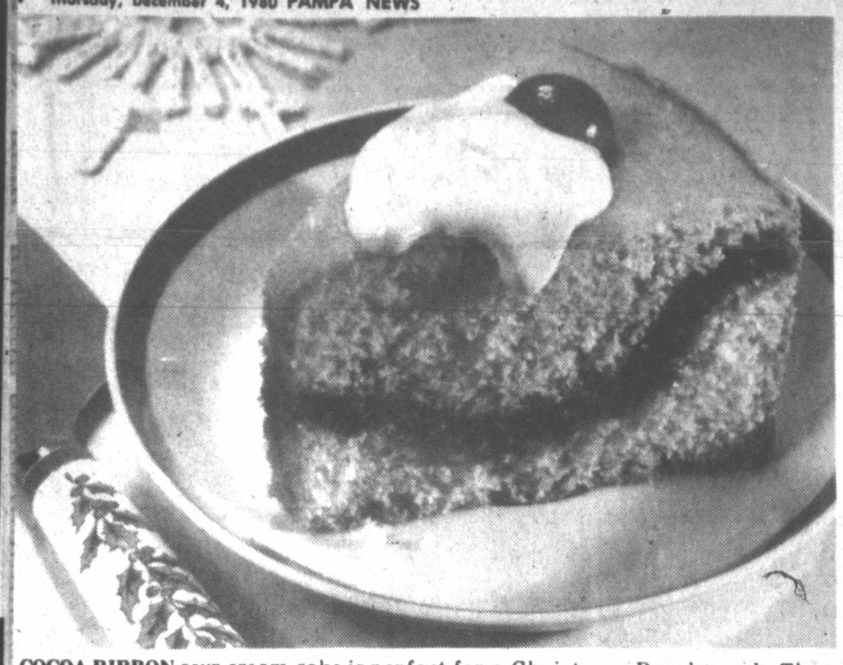

COCOA RIBBON sour cream cake is perfect for a Christmas Day brunch. The cake, a crunchy mixture of cocoa and corn flakes cereal, can be topped with a sour cream sauce and a garnish of candied cherries or chocolate curls.

Festive recipes for a Yuletide brunch

Swirling through the chilled air, the season's first snowflakes signal the flurry of holiday activity soon to take plae in the kitchen. With the entertainment season upon us, it's time to think about the food that will be part of the festivities. Planning a holiday celebration cannot begin too soon. You may want to preview some of the new recipe ideas you've been saving for a special occasion.

Cocoa Ribbon Sour Cream Cake is one recipe to consider serving at a Christmas Day brunch. The cake is a delicious cross between a coffeecake and a poundcake. The filling is a crunchy mixture of cocoa and corn flakes cereal. Servings can be delightfully accented with an unusual sour cream sauce and a festive garnish of candied cherries or chocolate curls.

Another recipe to reserve for a yuletide event is Chicken and Broccli Quiche. The buttery crust has a crisp crunch made possible by oven-toasted rice cereal. The rich filling, made with whipping cream, is a savory combination of Swiss cheese, chopped broccoli and bite-size pieces of chicken. For a frosty brunch appetizer, Crisp Yogurt-Fruit Tidbits will please both adults and children. Tangy pieces of fruit are dipped in lemon-flavored yogurt and then in crushed sugar-frosted flakes cereal. Served frozen, they're as nutritious as they are refreshing.

COCOA RIBBON SOUR CREAM CAKE

1 cup corn flakes cereal
½ cup sugar
1 tablespoon unsweetened cocoa powder
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1-3rd cup chopped nuts
2½ cups all-purpose flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon baking soda
½ cup margarine or butter, softened
2 eggs
1 cup sugar
1 carton (8 oz., 1 cup) dairy sour cream

Topping

1 carton (8 oz., 1 cup) dairy sour cream
2 tablespoons sugar
Chocolate curls or red and green candied cherry halves

For filling, crush cereal to measure 1-3rd cup. Mix together the ½ cup sugar, the cocoa and cinnamon. Stir in crushed cereal and nuts. Set aside. Stir together flour, baking powder and soda. Set aside.

In large mixing bowl, beat margarine, eggs and the 1 cup sugar until well blended. Mix in 1 cup sour cream. Gradually add flour mixture, mixing well. Spread half the batter in well-greased 10 x 4-inch tube pan. Sprinkle evenly with filling. Spoon remaining batter on top, spreading evenly.

Bake in oven at 350 degrees F. about 50 minutes or until tests done. Cool 15 minutes. Remove from pan. Cool completely. Stir together remaining sour cream and the 2 tablespoons sugar. Top each serving with spoonful of sour cream mixture and chocolate curls or candied cherry halves.

CHICKEN AND BROCCOLI QUICHE

1½ cups oven-toasted rice cereal
1 cup all-purpose flour
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup margarine or butter
2 to 3 tablespoons milk
1 cup cubed Swiss cheese
1 cup chopped broccoli, cooked and drained
1 cup cubed cooked chicken
3 eggs
½ pint (1 cup) whipping cream
2 tablespoons lemon juice
½ teaspoon salt
dash pepper

Crush cereal to fine crumbs. In medium-size bowl, stir together crumbs, flour and ½ teaspoon salt. Cut in margarine until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Add milk, stirring with fork until entire mixture is moistened. Mixture will be crumbly. Press evenly in 9-inch pie pan. Prick crust evenly with fork.

Bake in oven at 425 degrees F. about 5 minutes or until set, but not browned. Remove from oven. Reduce temperature to 375 degrees F. Sprinkle cheese, broccoli and chicken into crust.

Beat eggs slightly. Stir in cream, lemon juice, remaining salt and pepper. Pour over chicken. Return to oven and bake at 375 degrees F. about 45 minutes or until set. Cool 5 to 10 minutes before serving. Yield: 8 servings.

CRISP YOGURT-FRUIT TIDBITS

3 cups sugar-frosted flakes cereal
1 banana, cut in 1-inch pieces
½ cup mandarin orange segments
½ cup pineapple chunks
¾ cup lemon-flavored yogurt

Crush cereal to fine crumbs. Dip fruit pieces in yogurt. Coat with crushed cereal. Place in waxed paper-lined pan. Spear with cocktail picks. Freeze until firm. Serve frozen. Yield: about 4½ dozen.

DR. LAMB

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Would you publish some information about high blood pressure such as the symptoms or diet or learning how to live with it? Office calls are so expensive for those of us on a limited income.

I'm a 67-year-old female and considerably overweight. Nurses check my blood pressure in the drug store and on my last reading it was up to 142 over 90 which they said was getting too high. Those of us who can't afford so many office calls would certainly appreciate some advice.

DEAR READER — Although there are differences of opinion even among doctors about the point, I'm glad that there are facilities in drug stores and other places for people like you to have their blood pressure checked.

Now if you happen to get a high reading under such a situation, it doesn't necessarily mean you have a serious problem. It means that then you should go to see your doctor and have additional readings taken to see whether you have a persistently elevated pressure that's high enough to warrant treatment.

For a woman in your age group, 142 over 90 is still acceptable. We do know from more recent studies that minor elevations above this level, particularly in younger people, should be treated. Individuals with minor elevations of blood pressure who are treated are less likely to have strokes and heart attacks.

The importance of the different levels of blood pressure are discussed in my new issue of The Health Letter number 15-8, Your Vital Blood Pressure, which I'm sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. It also includes some suggestions about controlling blood pressure.

Important high levels of blood pressure occur without causing any symptoms at all. That's why screening programs or medical examinations are so important to find people who have significantly elevated blood pressure. Very often the first symptom of high blood pressure is caused by one of its complications such as a stroke or a heart attack. You want to prevent these complications by discovering it early and doing something about it.

Obviously, one of the most important things about controlling blood pressure is to control obesity. Elevated blood pressure is one of the important medical indications for a weight control program. Many of the people with mildly elevated blood pressure who follow a dietary program to keep their weight down, limit their salt and make other changes in their life style which I've discussed in The Health Letter I'm sending you will find that these measures will lower the blood pressure to normal limits.

I think it's much better to improve a person's life style than it is to take medicines whenever that's possible. Now it's true that even with the best life style there are some people who will have persistently elevated blood pressure. Many of these people do require treatment but they'll require lots less medicine if they make the appropriate adjustments in terms of body weight and life style as well.

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DAR to meet

Las Pampas chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Flame Room of the Pioneer Natural Gas building.

Tracy Cary will present an American Heritage program entitled "A Colonial Christmas."

Mrs. James Hopkins and Mrs. Frank Kelley will host the meeting.

DEAR ABBY

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I read your column faithfully and hope you can help me. I am so lonely I could die. My husband is gone about 90 percent of the time. He's in Japan right now, and from there he's going to Australia. The company he works for keeps him on the road for months at a time.

I have turned to drink (only wine), but I drink so much, sometimes I'm not even sure what day it is. I live in a place that is quite isolated. I have no children and there is very little to do here. I am 100 percent faithful to my husband. I go nowhere and have only a nodding acquaintance with my neighbors. Most of my neighbors are older. (I'm 28.)

I have started to buy wine by the case. I have nothing to live for, but who cares?

LINDA

DEAR LINDA: I do. Please look up Alcoholics Anonymous in your telephone book, call and tell them what you've told me. I promise you they won't let you down. If you are unable to go to them, they will come to you.

And when your husband returns, have a heart-to-heart talk with him and let him know that you can't handle those long separations. But work on sobriety first; then you'll be able to work out your other problems. Good luck, Linda. Please write again soon. I care.

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DEAR ABBY: When I read a letter to you from a divorced man crying because he can't find a "nice" woman anywhere, I had to smile.

I'll tell you exactly where we are. We are teaching their children. If those fathers would attend the next PTA meeting or open house at their children's school, they would meet three or four single or divorced women in every school building.

We are not at the singles bars because we're home grading papers or at a school activity with your kids. We are educated, capable, decent women who love children, but don't meet many eligible men because of the limited exposure of the classroom.

So, gentlemen, if you want to meet a bright, respectable, professional woman, go to your child's school and get acquainted with the teacher, counselor or principal. She just might teach you a thing or two.

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DEAR AVAILABLE: Your letter may initiate a "back to school" movement — for single parents.

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DEAR ABBY: About the M.D. WITH $35,000 ON THE BOOKS: His letter brought to mind the following verse by John Owen:

"God and the doctor we alike adore
But only when in danger, not before;
The danger o'er, both are alike requited,
God is forgotten, and the doctor slighted."

RUTH IN MODESTO

DEAR RUTH: The problem is universal. The Chinese say: "The wise dentist presents his bill while the tooth is hurting."

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Holiday food supplies are in good quantity

DALLAS — You should find Christmas trees and all the festive foods to celebrate the holiday season in good quantity this year, reports the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

USDA's Agricultural marketing Service says expanded production of Christmas trees, especially in the South, will offset Western losses due to drought.

Turkey supplies for the Christmas holidays may be down six to 10 percent from last year, but supplies will be adequate overall. "Adequate" describes supplies that are enough to meet normal needs.

Pork and boiler-fryer supplies continue to be seasonally large and plentiful, or more than enough for normal needs.

Weekly production rates for beef in December will be up slightly from last year, providing adequate supplies. With more cattle placed in feedlots this summer, production of grain fed beef should rise from December of last year.

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There is a proper way to vacuum a carpet to keep it looking liue new. It's not enough to remove only surface litter; it's the dirt embedded beneath the surface that does the damage by cutting into the pile. It takes five to seven sweeps in different directions over an area to clean thoroughly, although over a light-traffic area, three passes is often enough.

Frequency of vacuuming depends on the amount and kind of family activity, presence or absence of air-conditioning, season and type and amount of outdoor air-borne dirt. Once a week is sufficient for normal-use areas.

SPECIAL PROBLEMS

Spot Removal. Carpet experts at Armstrong advise trying to avoid spills and reducing tracked-in soil by placing mats at all outside entrances. However, if you do spill something on the carpet, clean the spot as soon as possible. Promptness is the key to preventing spots from setting. For specific information including a spot-removal chart, write for a free copy of "How To Care For Your Carpet" to Armstrong, P.O. Box 3001, Lancaster, Pa. 17604.

Snags and Sprouts. Never pull yarn tufts that appear above the caret-pile surface. Instead, cut them flush with the pile with sharp scissors.

Dents. When heavy furniture is placed on carpet for a prolonged period, it crushes the pile. It can be revived in most cases by brushing up the compressed tufts; if it persists, a steam iron held several inches from the area, and brushed again will usually to the trick.

Pilling and Fuzzing. Shedding is natural and a fairly common problem with cut-pile carpets of all qualities. It may last for several months but can be eliminated more quickly by regular vacuuming.

Even with a conscientious program of vacuuming and spot removal, the true color of a carpet will slowly become hidden by soil. Leading manufacturers use soil-hiding fiber which helps considerably.

Two alternative for thorough cleaning are professional cleaning or cleaning the carpet yourself. Professional cleaning is usually best; but you can save money and if you work at it, you can usually do an acceptable job yourself. A variety of products and equipment is available for sale or rent. Their effectiveness depends not only on what is used, but how closely directions are followed.

There are dry cleaning systems and wet cleaning systems, each involving some time and physical effort. All carpet cleaning equipment is based on the principle of reducing the effort, and all products are based on the principle or removing the oily film surrounding the soil which holds onto the carpet fiber.

A wet cleaning system that is very poplar is the hot water extraction (misnamed "steam") method that used a special machine which applies a large quantity of a cleaning solution and extracts a high percentage of that solution with the same tool. It is best for flushing out soil and more suitable for large spaces than small areas; however, it has a disadvantage. Because a very large amount of solution is applied in a short period of time it has to be used with great care.

It is important to read labels carefully before using any household chemical. Vacuum cleaners should be kept in top-notch operating condition. Follow the manufacturer's directions as to when to change the dust bag, replace belts and brushes, etc.

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'Snow White' scheduled at Clarendon College

CLARENDON — The drama department of Clarendon College Fine Arts Center will present "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" next week at the college. Performances will be at 2 p.m. Dec. 7, 12:30 p.m. Dec. 8 and 7:30 p.m. Dec. 9.

Prior to each performance, theatre patrons are invited to view various works of art displayed by the art department. Mrs. Jennifer Scoggins, music director of Clarendon College, will also present a musical program.

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" is a magical fairy tale of a beautiful princess, a handsome prince, a wicked queen and of course, the seven dwarfs.

Cast members are Kathryn Perdue, Snow White; Phil Moreman, Sir Dandiprat Bombas; Mary Jo Hermesmeyer, Bashful; Melissa Lemons, Amelotte and Medina McAnear, Astolaine, all of Clarendon; Vance Farrell, Prince Florimond and Judy Rogers, Judith, both of Pampa; Janice Bridges, Queen Brangomas and Tena Wilbanks, Rosalys, both of Childress.

Other cast members are Donna Langley, the Queen's Mirror and Mike Guthrie, Berthold, both of Quail; LaDonna Gordon of Panhandle, Witch Hex; Leanne Hughes of Hereford, Doc; Rieta Garvin of Turkey, Dopey; Patti Perkins, Grumpy and Rose Lee Perkins, Christabel, both of Silverton; Patti Roach of Dalhart, Happy; Kaylo Johnson of Wellington as Sneezy; Ann Skipper of McLean as Sleepy and Carin Nestle of Cloudcroft, N.M., Ermengarde.

The play, written by the Grimm brothers, was adapted by Leslie Schnaufer, speech and drama director of Clarendon College. Ms. Schnaufer, assisted by student directors Mary Jo Hermesmeyer and Ron Bauler, both of Tucumcari, N.M., will direct the production.

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" is a play for the entire family.

AT WIT'S END

By Erma Bombeck

It was one of those days when I wanted my own apartment — unlisted.

My son was telling me in complete detail about a movie he had just seen, punctuated by 3,000 "You know's?" My teeth were falling asleep.

There were three phone calls - strike that - three monologues that could have been answered by a recording. I fought the urge to say, "It's been nice listening to you."

In the cab from home to the airport, I got another assault on my ear, this time by a cab driver who was rambling on about his son whom he supported in college, and was in his last year, who put a P.S. on his letter saying, "I got married. Her name is Diane." He asked me, "What do you think of that?" and proceeded to answer the question himself.

There were 30 whole beautiful minutes before my plane took off ... time for me to be alone with my own thoughts, to open a book and let my mind wander. A voice next to me belonging to an elderly wman said, "I'll bet it's cold in Chicago."

Stone - faced I answered, "It's likely."

"I haven't been to Chicago in nearly three years," she persisted. "My son lives there."

"That's nice," I said, my eyes intent on the printed page of the book.

"My husband's body is on this plane. We've been married for 53 years. I don't drive, you know, and when he died a nun drove me from the hospital. We aren't even Catholic. The funeral director let me come to the airport with him."

I don't think I have ever detested myself more than I did at that moment. Another human being was screaming to be heard and in desperation had turned to a cold stranger who was more interested in a novel than the real - life drama at her elbow.

All she needed was a listener ... no advice, wisdom, experience, money, assistance, expertise or even compassion ... but just a minute or two to listen.

It seemed rather incongruous that in a society of super - sophisticated communication, we often suffer from a shortage of listeners.

She talked numbly and steadily until we boarded the plane, then found her seat in another section. As I hung up my coat, I heard her plaintive voice say to her seat companion, "I'll bet it's cold in Chicago."

I prayed, "Please, God, let her listen."

Why am I telling you this? To make me feel better. It won't help, though.

Atlantic City's revues replacing big-name acts

People

By PETER MATTIACE
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — It's harder to find a superstar on the Boardwalk these days. Atlantic City's big-name acts are giving way to "Las Vegas-style" revues for off-season bus-trippers and gamblers.

The likes of Frank Sinatra, Johnny Carson and Diana Ross will be dropping in for weekend shows through next spring, but most fun seekers at the casino hotels will find such 90-minute feathers and flash shows as "Boardwalk Magic," "Hello Broadway" and "Music, Music, Music."

"We do pretty good business with our name entertainers in the summer when there's a very, very high demand," explained Stephen F. Hyde, chief operating officer of Caesars Boardwalk Regency. "But when we get into the fall season, we just can't fill the showroom, no matter how big the entertainer."

"Look, there isn't one attraction that makes a nickel's difference in the casino," said bigband leader Si Zentner, entertainment director at the Brighton Hotel & Casino. "Economically, it makes a lot more sense to put on a revue than these superstars."

New Jersey's casino law requires gaming hotels to offer live theater entertainment every night. But big-name shows like Jack Jones, Tony Orlando, Don Rickles and Sinatra can cost between $60,000 and $250,000 a week to produce — up to a third more than in Las Vegas, according to Zentner.

The lower-budget revues offer eager bus-trippers plenty of half-naked showgirls in lavish production numbers. The glitter is punctuated with so-so singers, slick magicians, slicker pickpockets, flying acrobats and even cutesy chimpanzees.

After a three-hour bus ride, it looks and sounds like Las Vegas.

The revues usually play twice daily on weekdays — in the afternoon, mostly for senior citizens, and at night for whoever's in town.

It's a far cry from one glorious week in August when Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Sammy Davis Jr., Jack Jones and Corbett Monica played the Boardwalk.

"The problem is that better than 95 percent of our business is day-trippers, people that come to gamble," Hyde said. "They do not come to enjoy our hotels and our entertainment."

The average visitor to Las Vegas stays for 3.2 days, but the average Boardwalk visitors stays only a few hours, Hyde said.

Several years from now, when a dozen casino hotels compete for gamblers and convention business, more big names will be hired to work the off-season, Hyde said.

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Today's Crossword Puzzle

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1 Polynesian god
5 Knots
9 Belonging to the thing
12 The same (Lat.)
13 Jacob's brother
14 Small spot
15 Pachyderms
17 Period
18 Lion's home
19 Doctrine adherent (suffix)
20 Unhealthily pallid
22 Refrigerate
23 Social bud
24 Row
27 Got wet
32 Characterized
34 Military school (abbr.)
35 Mountain near ancient Troy
36 Army bed
37 Pillage
39 Heron
41 From single perspective (comp. wd.)
44 Word on the wall
45 I possess (contr.)
46 Superlative suffix
48 Annunciator
51 Dance
52 ____ Guevara
55 Mental component (pl.)
56 Work
59 Pipe fitting unit
60 Soviet river
61 Cross inscription
62 Measure of land (metric)
63 Loyalist
64 Look after

DOWN

1 Bound
2 Unemployed
3 Mournful sound
4 Scamp
5 Fooled
6 Doesn't exist (cont.)
7 Sup
8 State of anxiety
9 Fateful time for Caesar
10 Civil wrong
11 Tarry
16 This (Lat.)
21 Alphabet
22 Wrath
23 Month (abbr.)
24 Mexican sandwich
25 Image
26 Feminine (suffix)
28 Dressing gown
29 Charter
30 First garden
31 Palm fruit
33 Force to leave (2 wds.)
38 Poem
40 Universal time (abbr.)
42 Thus (Lat.)
43 Expensively
47 Resort
48 Life
49 German river
50 Phrase of understanding (2 wds.)
51 Lachrymal drop
52 Movie
53 Musical instrument
54 City in Oklahoma
57 One in favor of
58 Small bird

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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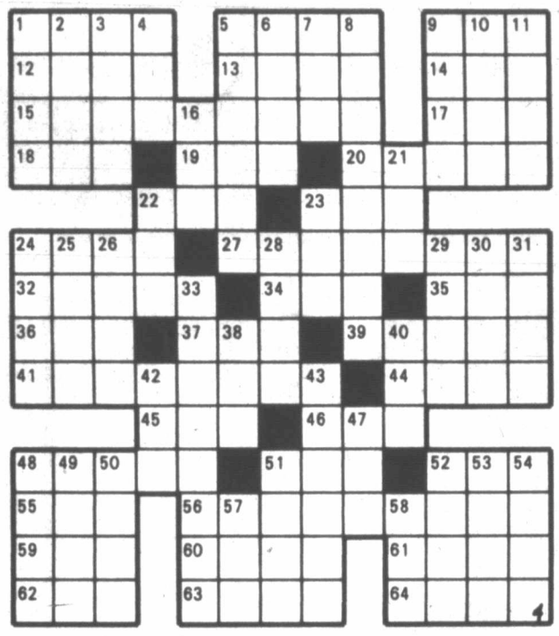

Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

December 5, 1980

You can look for a sudden ending to some of the problems which have been plaguing you for the past couple of years. Conditions now developing could start you off on a promising new path.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) The rapidity of your flashes of insight might cause you to miss what they're trying to tell you, unless you are very attentive. Listen closely. Romance, travel, luck, resources, possible pitfalls and career for the coming months are all discussed in your Astro-Graph which begins with your birthday. Mail $1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You don't have to be bored with people today. Combat your restlessness by seeking out interesting or unusual companionship.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Divest yourself of systems which aren't producing and experiment with new methods. You'll be surprised at how quickly you'll find a better way.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your mind is alert and unrestricted today, which affords an opportunity for you to see things you might otherwise not observe. Put this to good use.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be alert today. You could stumble unexpectedly on a bit of information that would be helpful to you. Unless you're awake, you'll miss it.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Cooperation you may not usually get will be available today, so this might be a good time to approach that person whose assistance you need.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your imagination and ingenuity are always big assets when used productively, and today this is especially true. Put them to work as you tackle your chores.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your routine could be broken today by an unexpected, but pleasant, surprise. This would turn what otherwise might have been a dull day into a lively one.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) The family might provide some little diversions today. Don't be stuck in any ruts. Go along with them. It will prove to be fun.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Look for good ways to implement some of those unusual ideas which come your way today. They can prove advantageous if they are properly used.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If you're going shopping today you might be better off not using a list. You stand a better chance of finding some super buys if you're unrestricted.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) It isn't likely you'll let any grass grow under your feet today, especially involving your self-interests. You'll move swiftly when you see something you want.

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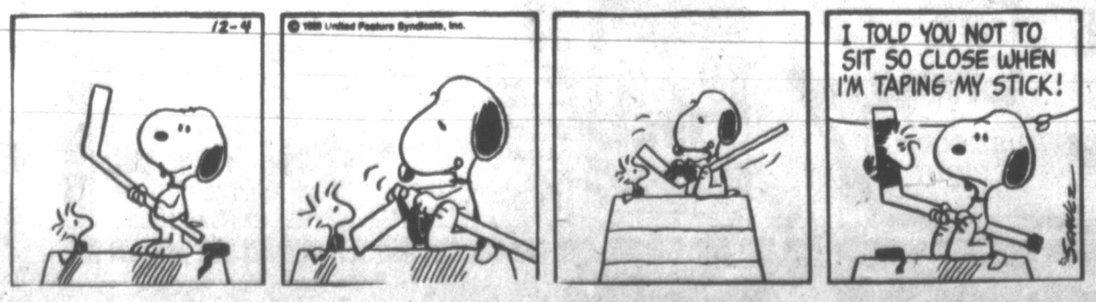

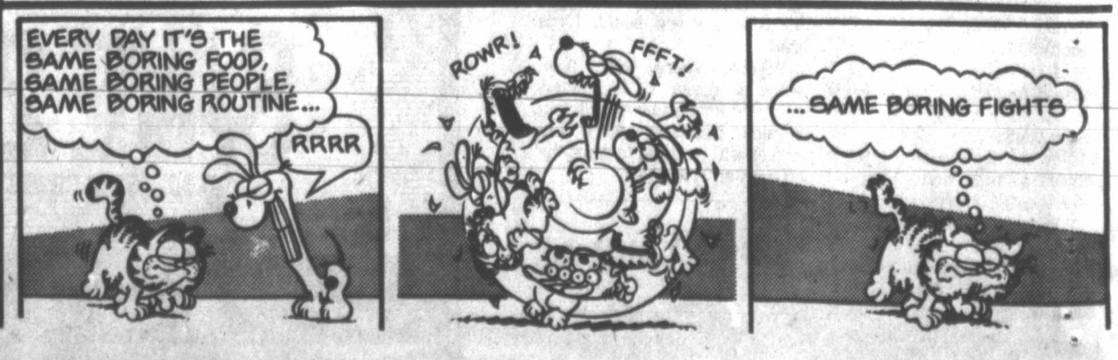

Sutton signs four-year contract with Astros

HOUSTON (AP) — Pitcher Don Sutton says he won't have any trouble fitting in with his new teammates on the Houston Astros — all he'll have to do is pull on his jeans.

"You can wear blue jeans and drive a pickup truck here and still be considered normal," Sutton said Wednesday shortly after signing a four-year contract with the Astros.

Sutton, the winningest pitcher in Los Angeles Dodger history during his 15-year career there, also said he and his new teammate Nolan Ryan had a common pitch.

"His changeup is the same as my fastball," Sutton said.

The announcement that Sutton had shunned an offer from the New York Yankees and signed with the Astros, was not a laughing matter, however, to Yankees owner George Steinbrenner, who thought he had Sutton in the bag.

"Steinbrenner was very courteous throughout our negotiations with the Yankees," said Larue Harcourt, Sutton's agent. "But when I called to inform him we had accepted the Astros' offer, he was not courteous and he hung up the phone on me."

Steinbrenner, who has seldom lost a free agent he really wanted, later downplayed Sutton's decision.

"We would have liked to have Sutton, but he's not indispensable," he said. "There's one free agent we'd like to have and that's (outfielder Dave) Winfield."

Winfield has been drafted by the Astros by has not yet signed a contract.

Rumors had circulated all week that Sutton, 35, who led the National League with a 2.21 earned run average last season, would sign with the Yankees for a reported $900,000 annually.

But after hearing the offer made to him by Astros majority stockholder John McMullen and General Manager Al Rosen, Sutton decided to play for the Astros. Terms of the contract were not announced, but Harcourt said the first three years were guaranteed.

"I have to think Sutton is making a big mistake," said the Yankees new manager, Gene Michael.

"It's a setback of sorts," conceded New York Vice President Cedric Tallis. "But it is not one that is critical at this point. We have other avenues to pursue, trades, even a surprise from our own farm system. The time to panic is when we're eliminated from the 1981 pennant."

In addition to feeling more comfortable with Houston, Sutton said several other reasons figured into his decision: the reputation the Astrodome has for being a pitcher's ball park, the quality of the Astros' bull pen, the stability of Manager Bill Virdon and the economic factors.

"Also, Al Rosen reminded me frequently of the advantages of pitching in the National League where I already know the hitters," Sutton said. "I just have a greater comfort level here than I would in New York."

Sutton was the Dodgers' winningest pitcher with 230 victory and also held the club record of 52 shutouts. Sutton also is the most successful active righthander against the Astros with a 21-15 record.

Leaving will be difficult, but Sutton says he'll adjust.

"You can't spend 15 years anywhere except prison and not develop an emotional attachment," Sutton said. "But I feel very comfortable with the Astros and when I go into Dodger Stadium it will be as a visiting pitcher and I'll be just as ticked off if I lose, probably more so than any other team we play."

Sutton was the first of six free agents drafted by the Astros to sign a contract with the team. Others are Winfield, catchers Dave Roberts and Darrell Porter, pitcher Bill Travers and outfielder-first baseman Rusty Staub.

SWC cage roundup

By The Associated Press

The 11th ranked Arkansas Razorbacks quickly solved the zone defense of the Southwest Missouri State Bears and coasted to an easy 98-65 basketball victory Wednesday night.

The Arkansas victory gave Southwest Conference basketball teams a 1-1 split for the evening against non-conference foes as the Southern Methodist University Mustangs lost a close one, 69-66, to North Texas State University in Denton's "Super Pit."

Tonight's SWC schedule finds Texas Christian at Notre Dame, Southwest Texas at Rice, Western Kentucky at Texas Tech, Southwestern at Baylor and New Mexico State at Texas.

Scott Hastings scored 24 points for the Razorbacks, now 3-1, and said later the victory showed that Arkansas has found how to combat the zone defense.

"Last year we couldn't play against a zone. It took a little while tonight for the inside game to start working," Hastings said, "We handled the ball well once we got used to it."

A four-point play near the end of the game helped North Texas State hand the SMU Mustangs their first loss of the season after two victories.

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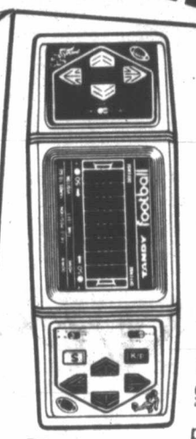

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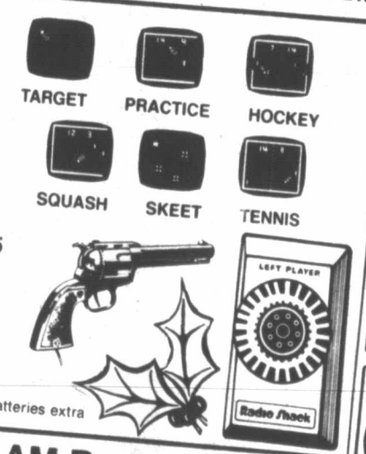

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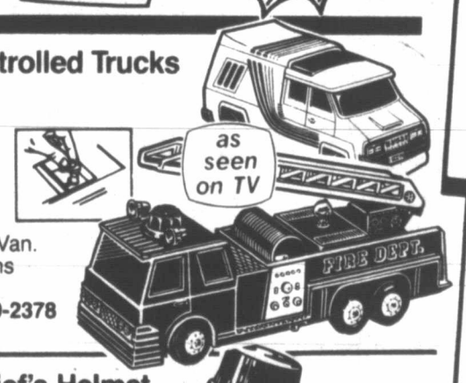

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MIDDLE MAN on a fast break is Deanie Lewis of Curtis Well Service while a Celanese Two player tries to break up the play. Curtis downed Celanese, 57-25, Wednesday night in a Men's Independent League game at Pampa Youth and Community Center. Games are played on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights, starting at 6:15 p.m.

(Staff Photo)

Sports

Stabler used to pressure games

HOUSTON (AP) — Winning, Ken Stabler says, is everything.

The Houston Oilers' quarterback knows what he's talking about. In the National Football League (and in almost any sport you'd care to mention), the name of the game is numbers — the numbers in the win column. And "Snake" speaks from experience.

Two years ago, when he wore an Oakland uniform, he was intercepted 30 times while throwing just 16 touchdown passes in the regular season and the Raiders took a tumble. The blame was placed squarely on his shoulders. It didn't suit him, and he said so. The talk that he was washed up infuriated him. And in 1979 he was the American Conference's second-best passer with, among other things, 26 TD passes and 22 interceptions.

Now, in his first year as Houston's quarterback, he's back throwing to the wrong people with 24 interceptions in 13 games, five of them against Pittsburgh in a season-opening 31-17 loss. The talk is starting up again — and it's starting to bug him again.

"All people see is the No.24. That's all they think, 24 interceptions. But I've probably had 7, 8, 9 balls that were tipped, that were catchable passes. But it doesn't count that way. It counts as 24 interceptions," Stabler said after the Oilers' brief workout for tonight's game with the Steelers.

"Interceptions have hurt us. Turnovers have hurt us. But we still have a shot at it (the playoffs). If we get in the playoffs and do well in them, nobody'll bring up the fact that I had 24 interceptions. If we don't make the playoffs, well, then I'll be one of the scapegoats ... It all hinges on winning and losing."

The loser tonight is almost certain to watch the playoffs from the stands or on television. But Stabler, who has been through plenty of pressure situations before, says this game is no different from any other one.

"It's a big game, no doubt about that, but I don't feel any pressure. To me it's just another game. All games are important. I look at every game we play as being important from game one to game 16. Look at the Kansas City game now. It's important 'cause we got beat. Seattle was important; we got beat. New York was important; we got beat. This is an important game because it's the next one we play."

Just two weeks ago, the Oilers owned first place in the American Conference's Central Division, then losses against the Jets and, last Sunday, Cleveland dropped Houston into its present second-place tie with the Steelers, one game behind the Browns. Stabler said he can't pin down the reason for the Oilers' erratic season.

"If I could figure that out," he said, "I'd quit playin' and start coachin' and I could straighten out all the teams that have trouble, make more money and not get beat up as bad."

Al Hoisch of UCLA came back 103 yards with a kickoff for a touchdown against Illinois in the 1947 Rose Bowl.

Panhandle meets Rotan Saturday

Coach Stocky Lamberson is hoping for a little more versatility from his Panhandle Panthers in the Class 2A quarterfinal game against Rotan Saturday night.

In their last outing against Shallowater in the first round of regional action, Panhandle won the game on penetrations after the score ended in an 18-18 deadlock.

Lamberson felt the Panthers had relied too much on the accurate arm of junior quarterback Tod Mayfield and a quick, aggressive defense.

"We've been working more on our running game this week," Lamberson said. "We didn't run well against Shallowater."

While Mayfield threw for 265 yards and two touchdowns, the Panthers' rushing attack was held to 87 yards, coughing up the ball twice.

Lamberson points out that Rotan (10-1-1) may not let the Panthers off so easy.

"They'll be the toughest team we've played so far," Lamberson added. "They're very well-rounded."

Rotan defeated Plains, 18-13, to advance into the quarterfinals.

By The Associated Press

Class 5A Quarterfinals

Odessa Permian vs. Amarillo, 2 p.m., Saturday, at Jones Stadium, Lubbock

Highland Park vs. Plano, 2 p.m., Saturday, at Texas Stadium, Irving

Houston Stratford vs. Port Arthur Jefferson, 6 p.m., Saturday, at Astrodome, Houston

Alice vs. San Antonio Holmes, 7:30 p.m., Friday, at Memorial Stadium, Austin

Class 4A Semifinals

Lubbock Estacado vs. Paris, 3 p.m., Saturday, at Wichita Falls

Huntsville vs. Bay City, 8 p.m., Friday, at Rice Stadium, Houston

Class 3A Quarterfinals

Littlefield vs. Stamford, 7:30 p.m., Friday, at Lubbock

Canadian defeated by Sanford-Fritch

Canadian dropped a basketball doubleheader to Sanford- Fritch Tuesday night.

The Wildcats lost the boys' tilt, 73-64.

Van Morrow and Eric Boyett had 17 and 15 points respectively for Canadian.

Dusty Boyd canned 20 points for the winners.

Canadian girls fell behind early and never could catch up in dropping a 46-34 decision.

Sondra Bell was high scorer for Candadian with eight points. Becky Irvine and Melinda Varnell had sixh points each.

Tracey Tryone scored 16 points for S-F.

Canadian is entered in the Spearman Tournament today and Friday.

White Deer splits games with Groom

Groom staved off White Deer to take a 46-42 victory Tuesday night.

Groom had to hold off a White Deer rally in the second half after leading by 10, 28-18, at intermission.

Top scorers for Groom were Gary Bohr and Dwain Weller with 15 and 10 points respectively.

Chris Rapstine paced White Deer with 12 points.

The tables were reversed in the girls' game as White Deer emerged with a 42-38 win.

Williams led White Deer with 15 points and Tamie McCown added 12.

White Deer is entered in the Wheeler Tournament, which opens today.

Michael stays at UTEP

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Bill Michael, who has racked up 41 losses and only five wins in his four years at Texas-El Paso, will be retained another year as head coach at the Western Athletic Conference school.

His boss, however, has been demoted.

UTEP President Haskell Monroe, who had conferred with local civic leaders over what to do about the school's football program after this fall's 1-11 record — the 10th straight losing season — made the announcement at a Wednesday press conference.

Monroe said Athletic Director Jim Bowden would be replaced and demoted to associate director after the new chief is hired. He said Bowden's salary would not be reduced.

"I could not find any foolproof, sure course of action which guaranteed success," Monroe said. "It is my judgment that this is the best course of action for us at this time."

Monroe said one reason he decided to keep Michael was that there was a year left on a five-year commitment.

Miami teams top Stinnett

STINNETT-Miami hit some clutch foul shots in the closing seconds to edge Stinnett, 48-45, Tuesday night.

The Warriors, now 4-0 for the season, were led in scoring by Ron Francis with 23 points.

Ray Young delivered 16 points, followed by Monty Smith, five; Kirk Gray, three and Keith Gray, one.

Stinnett's top scorer was Bobby Brown with 10 points.

Susan Bean and Latonne Trimble combined for 43 points as Miami won the girls game, 60-43.

Leading by eight at halftime, Miami pulled further away with a 20-point surge in the third quarter.

Trimble and Bean had 22 and 21 points respectively. Karla Stone added 13 while Lisa Hinton had four.

Linda Gentry paces the losers with 17 points.

Wheeler splits

Wheeler edged Phillips, 52-50, in boys' basketball action Friday night.

Boyd Waldo was Wheeler's top scorer with 17 points, followed by Benny Baker and John Harris with 10 apiece.

Phillips was led by Skeeter Wilkinson with 18 points.

In the girls' clash, Wheeler fell to Phillips, 67-24.

Missy Wiggins tossed in 14 points for Wheeler while Elise Christner had four.

Judy Sikes topped Phillips with 18.

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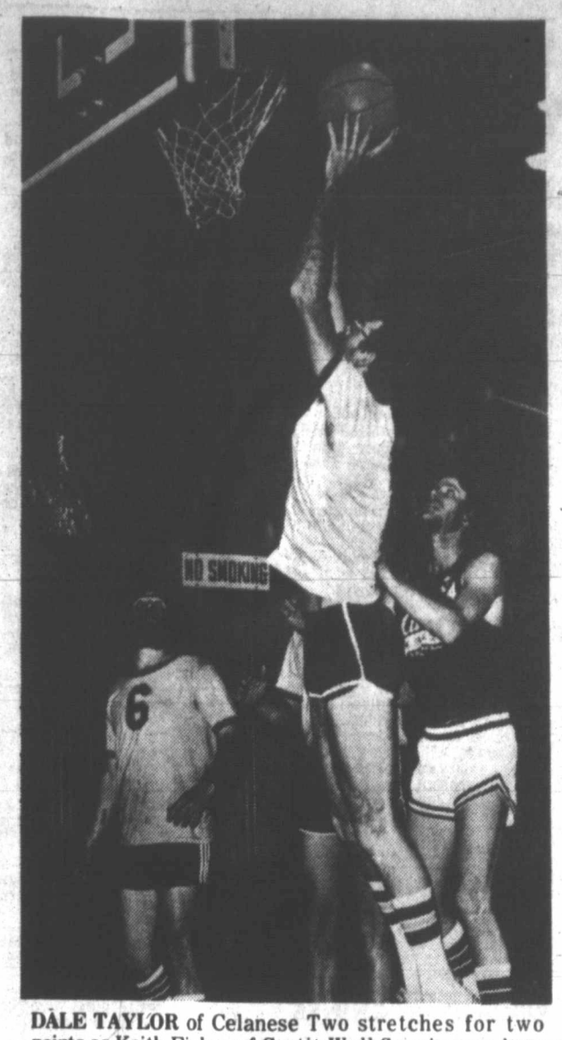

DALE TAYLOR of Celanese Two stretches for two points as Keith Fisher of Curtis Well Service arrives to late to stop the shot. Curtis rolled to a 57-25 win in the Pampa Men's Independent Basketball League game Wednesday night at the community center. (Staff Photo)

NBA roundup

Celtics rally past Atlanta

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD
AP Sports Writer

Robert Parish is playing less this year and he and the Boston Celtics are enjoying it more.

The seven-foot center equaled his career high of 33 points as the Celtics came back for a 106-101 victory over the Atlanta Hawks in a National Basketball Association game Wednesday night.

"One of the reasons that I'm performing well for the Celtics is that I have a lot more endurance in games," said Parish, who was traded to Boston from Golden State in the offseason. "I am splitting playing time with Rick Robey. I don't have to play 35-40 minutes anymore."

Although he's spending more time on the bench this season, Parish says he sees the ball more often "because I'm working mostly in the low post. With Golden State, I used to work high and low."

In other NBA games, Philadelphia outlasted New York 104-98, Indiana downed Washington 128-115, Kansas City edged Phoenix 103-100, Houston downed Cleveland 118-109, Golden State beat New Jersey 131-108, San Diego surprised Los Angeles 120-114 and Seattle stopped Chicago 113-105.

Parish and Larry Bird, who had 16 of his 22 points in the second half, combined to rally the Celtics from an 11-point deficit late in the third period. Guard Gerald Henderson also was a factor in the comeback, scoring eight of his 15 points in the fourth quarter.

76ers 104, Knicks 98

Philadelphia improved its league-best record to 24-4 as Maurice Cheeks fueled a fourth-period rally and finished with 27 points.

Cheeks broke a 98-98 tie with two free throws that put the 76ers ahead to stay. The Knicks had fought back from a 17-point deficit in the first half to lead much of the way after intermission.

Suns 103, Kings 100

Otis Birdsong scored 28 points and Scott Wedman added 21 as Kansas City broke a three-game losing streak and handed Phoenix only its fifth loss in 28 games.

The Suns fought back from a 14-point deficit to trail by only a point in the final minute. But Birdsong hit a 22-foot shot with 11 seconds remaining to preserve the triumph.

Clippers 120, Lakers 114

San Diego won its fifth game in its last six outings as Brian Taylor scoredh21 points, Swen Nater added 20 and the Clippers' bench outscored Los Angeles' 34-11.

The loss was the third in a row for the Lakers at home, the first time that has happened in five years. The defending NBA champions have a 3-4 mark since Magic Johnson was injured.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar tallied 33 points to lead all scorers.

Pacers 128, Bullets 115

Johnny Davis scored 22 points to lead seven Indiana players in double figures in the victory over Washington.

The Pacers scored nine straight points to take a 40-25 lead early in the second quarter and the Bullets never recovered.

Rockets 118, Cavaliers 109

Mike Dunleavy scored 12 fourth-quarter points, including 10 in the final four minutes when Houston outscored Cleveland 13-0.

Rudy Tomjanovich scored 20 points for the Rockets and Dunleavy finished with 17. Moses Malone, who left the game in the fourth quarter with a sprained ankle, scored 19, while Mike Mitchell led Cleveland with 28.

Warriors 131, Nets 108

Purvis Short led seven teammates in double figures with 21 points, including five in a row late in the third quarter when Golden State pulled away from New Jersey.

Bernard King scored 20 points and Lloyd Free 19 for the Warriorss, who broke a three-game losing streak, and Mike Newlin led all scorers with 22.

Sonics 113, Bulls 105

Jack Sikma scored 29 points and teamed with Dennis Awtrey to dominate inside play in the fourth quarter to pace Seattle over Chicago.

Artis Gilmore led the Bulls with 26 points.

Bowie lifts Kentucky to win

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

Two of the nation's best centers battled it out Wednesday night when Kentucky met Ohio State.

Sam Bowie appeared to have won the battle...and because of it, Kentucky won the war.

"It was the most physical game I've ever been in," said Bowie after leading his second-ranked Wildcats to a 70-64 victory over the ninth-rated Buckeyes.

Bowie, only a sophomore, outrebounded Ohio State senior Herb Williams 11-5, while scoring 19 points to Williams' 21.

"Sam seemed to loosen up in the second half and played with more confidence," said Hall, pointing to Bowie's 17 second-half points. "He didn't post up well in the first half, but posted up really strong in the second."

Bowie's rebounding superiority over his opposite number helped the Wildcats hold an 11-rebound margin over the Big Ten team.

"Bowie really hurt us in the second half, when we were trying to front him," said Ohio State Coach Eldon Miller. "We just didn't do the job on him."

Along with the Kentucky-Ohio State game, three other ranked teams were featured in Wednesday night's college basketball action. Seventh-ranked Virginia beat Randolph-Macon 83-52; 11th-ranked Arkansas ripped Southwest Missouri State 98-65 and No. 16 St. John's stopped Manhattan 78-58.

Along with, Bowie, Derrick Hord was another big gun for Kentucky. He scored 14 points for the Wildcats and sealed their victory with two free throws and a dunk shot at the end.

"A lot of little things added up," said Miller. "We were outrebounded by 11 and that won't take you very far. Our turnovers (21) doubled our number of assists and that should be just the opposite. Plus, they had a lot more shots than we did (71 to 49)."

Ralph Sampson scored 26 points, 20 in the first half, as Virginia's Cavaliers gave Coach Terry Holland his 200th career victory.

The 7-foot-4 Sampson began the game with two dunks and scored 18 points in the first 10 minutes as the Cavaliers roared to a 26-8 lead en route to their third straight victory. That included a 15-2 spree, with Sampson contributing nine of the points.

Scott Hastings scored 24 points as Arkansas rolled past Southwest Missouri State. Hastings hit 8 of 10 shots from the floor in the first half to trigger the Razorbacks into a game-breaking 43-26 lead at intermission.

"Last year we couldn't play against a zone," Hastings said. "It took a little while tonight for the inside game to start working. We handled the zone well once we got used to it."

Kevin Williams scored 16 points as St. John's placed five scorers in double figures and breezed past Manhattan. Frank Gilroy added 14 points for the winners while Wayne McKoy had 12. David Russell 11 and Curtis Redding 10.

Elsewhere, Darrell Lockhart scored 19 points to pace Auburn past Tennessee 75-65; Mike McGee scored a game-high 28 points to trigger Michigan over Kansas 64-52; Jeff Malone's 18 led Mississippi State past Virginia Tech 68-61; Clemson romped over Samford 102-52 as Larry Nance scored 20, and Michael Hunt scored the first two baskets in overtime to send Furman ahead and the Paladins held on for an 87-82 decision over VMI.

Also, David Maxwell's 21 points led Fordham past Seton Hall 72-57; LaSalle defeated Vermont 81-61 behind Kevin Lynam's 20 points; Kevin Greaney scored 16 to pace Holy Cross past Navy 82-71; Frank Brickowski scored 18 to lead Penn State past Indiana State 61-54; a 21-point, 13-rebound performance by Kenny Stancell powered Virginia Commonwealth to a 77-58 victory over William & Mary; Eddie Phillips and Phillip Lockett scored 15 points apiece as Alabama trimmed Florida Southern 73-59; three field goals late in the game enabled Washington State to beat Eastern Montana 78-70.

Rose divorce final

CINCINNATI (AP) — Karolyn Rose says she is sad her 16-year marriage to Philadelphia Phillies first baseman Pete Rose has ended, and refuses to talk about terms of the settlement.

Neither the judge nor the lawyers announced details of the settlement Wednesday, but courthouse sources, who had seen the paperwork, indicated it was more than $1 million, according to The Cincinnati Enquirer.

"The property settlement is over," Mrs. Rose said in a telephone interview Wednesday evening.

"I have no ties on Pete. It's a sad thing. I will always love him. He did give me two beautiful children. He's a super ball player. I wish him all the luck in the world."

Neither party attended the session in Hamilton County Domestic Relations Court when Judge Paul George said lawyers for both sides had reached an agreement.

The judge said among the few details to be worked out were Rose' visiting rights to his children, Fawn, 15, and Petey, 10.

Dominic Mastruserio, Mrs. Rose' lawyer, said the attorneys agreed that no exact figure would be revealed. He said Mrs. Rose decided that if the dollar amount was revealed, she would be "besieged by suitors and business deals, and she doesn't need this."

"It's private. It's my private life," Mrs. Rose said. "It isn't that I don't want people to know. I just like to be with my children and myself. We have to make our own lives now. The kids are the most important things in my life. What my lawyer said will stand.

"It's hard. It's really a hard thing to go through but I'm sure my children will be happy," she said.

She said she will keep the children and remain in the family home.

Dooley rejects offer

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) — The sighs of relief spread from the University of Georgia campus to the governor's mansion Wednesday when Georgia football Coach Vince Dooley announced that he had rejected Auburn's offer to become head football coach and athletic director.

"I was delighted by Coach Dooley's decision to remain at the University of Georgia," Gov. George Busbee said. "The experience he amassed during his 17 years would make him extremely hard to replace."

Dooley, after toying for several days with a reported $1.8 million, eight-year contract offer from his alma mater Auburn, announced at a news conference Wednesday that he would remain at Georgia.

"I am a Bulldog and proud to be one," Dooley said. "I have reached a decision that was most difficult in coming, and that decision is to remain at the University of Georgia.

While Georgia fans were greeting Dooley's decision with relief, Auburn officials announced that they immediately would begin a search to find a successor to Doug Barfield, who resigned under pressure this week as the Tigers' head football coach.

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American Conference						
East						
Buffalo	9	4	0	.692	290	216
New England	8	5	0	.615	366	280
Baltimore	7	6	0	.538	280	291
Miami	6	7	0	.462	209	254
N.Y. Jets	3	10	0	.231	244	340
Central						
Cleveland	9	4	0	.692	290	244
Houston	8	5	0	.615	247	232
Pittsburgh	8	5	0	.615	314	265
Cincinnati	4	9	0	.308	169	238
West						
San Diego	9	4	0	.692	354	256
Oakland	9	4	0	.692	294	249
Denver	7	6	0	.538	250	251
Kansas City	6	7	0	.462	234	273
Seattle	4	9	0	.308	239	335
National Conference						
East						
Philadelphia	11	2	0	.846	323	164
Dallas	10	3	0	.769	386	233
St. Louis	4	9	0	.308	265	279
N.Y. Giants	3	10	0	.231	192	355
Washington	3	10	0	.231	174	256
Central						
Detroit	7	6	0	.538	260	231
Minnesota	7	6	0	.538	252	235
Chicago	5	8	0	.385	215	227
Green Bay	5	7	1	.423	218	264
Tampa Bay	5	7	1	.423	234	279
West						
Atlanta	10	3	0	.769	333	225
Los Angeles	9	4	0	.692	359	248
San Francisco	5	8	0	.385	259	327
New Orleans	0	13	0	.000	208	391

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Pittsburgh at Houston(n)
Sunday's game
Atlanta at Philadelphia
Baltimore at Cincinnati
Los Angeles at Buffalo
Minnesota at Tampa Bay
New York Jets at Cleveland
San Diego at Washington
Detroit at St.Louis
Green Bay at Chicago
Dallas at Oakland
Denver at Kansas City
New Orleans at San Francisco
New York Giants at Seattle
Monday, Dec. 8
New England at Miami. (n)

NBA standings

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	W	L	Pct.	GB
Eastern Conference				
Atlantic Division				
Philadelphia	24	4	.857	—
Boston	17	7	.708	5
New York	15	10	.600	7½
Washington	11	15	.423	12
New Jersey	10	17	.370	13½
Central Division				
Milwaukee	21	6	.778	—
Indiana	16	11	.593	5
Chicago	11	15	.423	9½
Atlanta	9	17	.346	11½
Cleveland	9	19	.321	12½
Detroit	8	18	.308	12½
Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
San Antonio	17	9	.654	—
Utah	13	12	.520	3½
Houston	12	13	.480	4½
Denver	10	15	.400	6½
Kansas City	11	17	.393	7
Dallas	3	23	.115	14
Pacific Division				
Phoenix	23	5	.821	—
Los Angeles	18	9	.667	4½
Golden State	14	11	.560	7½
Seattle	12	14	.462	10
San Diego	11	16	.407	11½
Portland	7	19	.269	15

Wednesday's Games
Boston 106, Atlanta 101
Indiana 128, Washington 115
Philadelphia 104, New York 98
Kansas City 103, Phoenix 100
Houston 118, Cleveland 109
San Diego 120, Los Angeles 114
Golden State 131, New Jersey 108
Seattle 113, Chicago 105
Thursday's Games
Cleveland at San Antonio
Portland at San Diego
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Officials fear quake orphans may be sold to childless couples

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Juvenile court officials fear that well-meaning people are carrying them off without contacting the proper authorities, leaving no record of their whereabouts, or that racketeers will sell them to couples who want to short-cut the five-year waiting list for legal adoptions.

Many of the orphans have no identification, and in the post-quake chaos it is difficult to trace their relatives. Several are babies who survived in incubators when the quake brought down a wing of the hospital at Sant' Angelo dei Lombardi, killing about 50 people.

There have been unconfirmed reports of well-dressed people in large cars taking children away from the towns and villages in which 4,534 people are listed as dead or missing in the quake Nov. 23.

"My office has received reports that young children are being removed physically from the zones without going through our courts," said Giovanni Lucantonio, president of the Naples Juvenile Court, in an interview.

"In the chaos of the earthquake, private individuals or charitable organizations or religious organizations may be taking in children without contacting the proper officials. We don't want to lose track of these children."

Lucantonio also warned that the presence of so many youngsters without relatives to look after them is likely to encourage racketeers to abduct them and pass them on to would-be parents for a fee.

The judge said he had no evidence that this was happening, but it is "very possible."

Elderly woman attacked

TYLER, Texas (AP) — Police are searching for a woman who reportedly attacked an 80-year-old woman with a dining room chair, covered her with dresser drawers and fled with a pistol and $3 in change.

Prince Ella Cheeks was undergoing surgery Wednesday night after the attack, which occurred earlier in her home. Hospital officials said the woman would probably be blind as a result of the attack.

Police said a handgun and $3 in change were taken from the woman's home.

Police purchase bicycle

TYLER, Texas (AP) — Lance Burns has a new bicycle, compliments of the Tyler Police Department.

The 26-year-old man, who suffers from epilepsy, told police he had a seizure Sunday while riding his bike and when he regained consciousness, he was walking down a street and could not find the bicycle.

Police Chief Willie Hardy said several officers, who knew Burns used the bike to get to and from work, chipped in and bought a new ten-speed bicycle which they gave to him after he got off work Wednesday.

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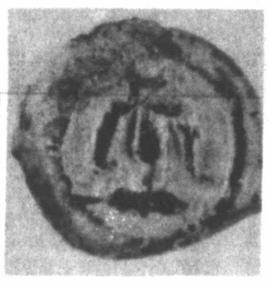

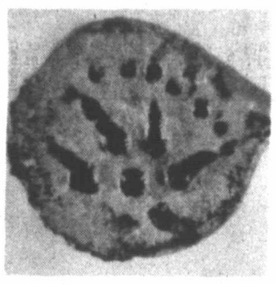

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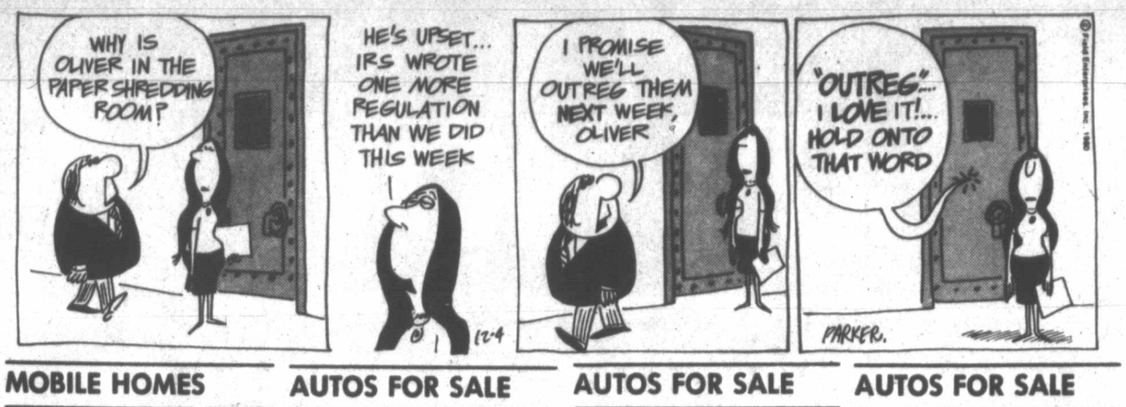

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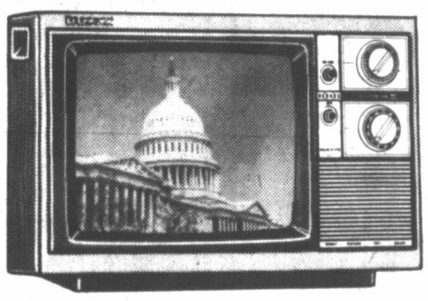

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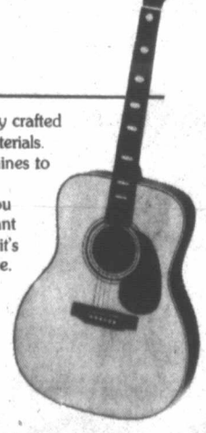

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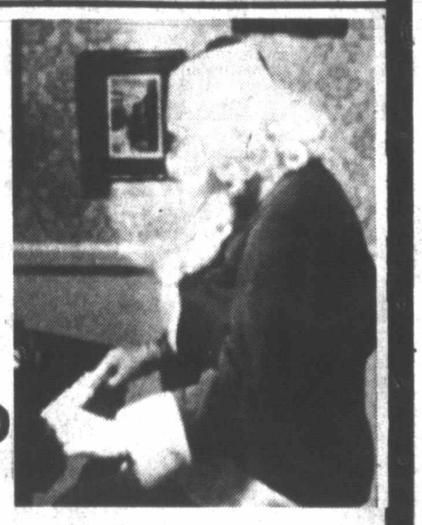

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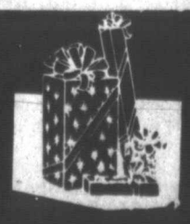

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