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Iraq accuses Iran of sponsoring ring of subversives

By The Associated Press

Iran reported a small air battle and more artillery attacks in the border war with Iraq, while Iraq accused Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini of sponsoring an Iraqi ring of subversives.

Iranian television said an Iranian Phantom jet fighter and three Iranian military helicopters attacked Iraqi helicopters Wednesday over the Iranian border town of Baveissi. It was the first aerial encounter reported in the current hostilities between Iran and Iraq, but the broadcast said no aircraft were shot down.

It reported 15 Iranian revolutionary guards were wounded in Iraqi artillery and rocket attacks across Iran's southwest border.

Radio Tehran said one such attack was made in the Qasr-e Shirin area of Kermanshah province, and Iranian artillery returned the fire and destroyed an Iraqi border post.

There were no action reports from the Iraqi side.

Tehran Radio also reported that a total of 6,700 Iranians deported from Iraq have crossed the border. The Tehran newspaper reported earlier in the week that 15,000 were being expelled.

Iraq's news agency reported that Iraqi security forces uncovered an Iranian inspired plan for subversion. The report said members of an Iraqi extremist party confessed they met with Khomeini at the Iranian revolutionary leader's headquarters in Qom and agreed to a plan of "cooperation to carry out broad subversive acts in Iraq."

Khomeini on Wednesday said that the Muslims of Iran and Iraq would remove the "evil Baathist leaders" of the ruling Iraqi socialist party and consign them to the dustbin of history. "And Iranian Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh said Khomeini's revolutionary regime has decided to

overthrow the Baathist regime of Iraq."

Despite the pro-Soviet Iraqi government's long record of anti-Americanism, Ghotbzadeh accused Iraqi President Saddam Hussein of being "America's agent" and declared: "Any country supporting America in practice must face action similar to that Iran has taken against America."

The two neighboring countries have a history of centuries of enmity, punctuated by periods of truce. The current hostilities began with a dispute over three islands at the mouth of the Persian Gulf which Iran seized in 1971 from the sheikdoms that subsequently became the United Arab Emirates.

The Khomeini regime also accuses Iraq of delivering arms to the rebel Kurds in northwest Iran and of fomenting unrest among the Arab majority in Khuzestan, Iran's oil province adjoining Iraq. Foreign observers believe that the Iraqis are trying to take advantage of the unrest and confusion which has been prevalent in Iran since the overthrow of Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi 14 months ago.

Iraq is a puppet of the American government, Iraq does nothing without orders from America," a militant named Habib said in a live interview on the NBC "Today Show."

Habib's remarks came as the Iranian government reported a small air battle and more artillery attacks in the Iran-Iraq border war.

The Iranian militants said Wednesday that the hostages would be killed if there was an American military intervention to free the hostages.

By military intervention we mean if the American government directly intervenes in Iran or if its puppets in the region like Egypt, Iraq and Israel intervene in Iran," Habib said today.



Iranian Charge d'Affaires in Washington Ali Agah, with flowers around his neck, is given a hero's welcome Thursday in Tehran. Here he is aided by a policeman in the Tehran airport. Iran's Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh, left, and a crowd of thousands met the diplomat who was asked to leave the U.S. by President Carter this week. (AP Laserphoto)

Nine European nations hint at sanctions

By The Associated Press

The nine European Common Market countries, in a declaration hinting at possible sanctions against Iran, said today they would "demand" that the Iranians release the 50 U.S. Embassy hostages.

The foreign ministers of the nine nations said they would instruct their ambassadors in Tehran to tell Iranian President Abolhassan Bani-Sadr he must set a date for freeing the Americans and outline the plans for their release.

Although the Europeans did not immediately join in the U.S. economic embargo announced by President Carter, their toughly worded position indicated they would be ready to take further steps if rebuffed by Bani-Sadr.

The nine nations in the European Economic Community, originally the Common Market, are Belgium, France, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, West Germany, Britain, Ireland and Denmark.

At Tehran airport early today, thousands of Iranians shouting "Death to America!" gave a heroes' welcome to 34 Iranian diplomats expelled from the United States after Carter broke diplomatic relations with Iran.

Tehran Radio said the jubilant crowds threw flowers at the diplomats and their families, led by Ali Agah, charge d'affaires at the Iranian Embassy in Washington. The welcoming committee included Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh.

Carter announced the break in diplomatic ties and the economic embargo Monday after Iran's revolutionary leader, Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, rejected a plan that would have moved the American hostages from the hands of Moslem militants occupying the embassy to government control. The hostages today were in their 159th day in captivity.

Two of the Americans appeared late Wednesday night in a broadcast on the government-run Iranian television that billed them as "confessed spies," according to reports from Tehran in today's editions of the Los Angeles Times and The Washington Post.

The Post said the broadcast began by saying, "These two are spies and they are going to reveal some shocking things."

The embassy militants identified one of the Americans as Joseph Subic Jr., a 22-year-old Army staff sergeant from Redford Township, Mich. The second man was not identified, but the Times said there was little doubt about the authenticity of the film since English comments were heard clearly from the two men.

The U.S. newspaper reports said one of the men explained how the U.S. National Security Agency and the CIA monitored Iranian communications and computer activity from a supposedly secret warehouse.

The Americans also attacked the behavior of U.S. congressmen, claiming to have seen pictures of nude legislators engaging in "shameless activity" with a sister of deposed Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, the newspapers said.

A Tehran newspaper, Engelhab Islami, quoted the unidentified American as saying, "In my opinion, the shah plundered a lot of wealth from Iran. It pains me when I see that my government supports such a person."

The militants promised to release a videotape of the broadcast to Western correspondents in Tehran later today.

Midlander arrested in bondage case

Mark Curry, 25, 2707 Mariana Ave., was in city jail this morning on charges of aggravated rape of a child, aggravated sexual abuse of a child, burglary of a habitation and aggravated kidnapping.

He was indicted Wednesday by the Midland County grand jury on two counts of aggravated rape of a child, four counts of aggravated sexual abuse of a child, and one count each of burglary of a habitation with intent to commit kidnapping and aggravated kidnapping.

Peace Justice Robert Pine set bond Wednesday at \$10,000 for Curry, \$10,000 on each of the four counts.

Police reported Curry was arrested at a friend's home in the 2400 block of West Kansas Avenue at 7:42 p.m. Wednesday in connection with the Friday kidnapping of an under-age girl. She told police, after her escape Monday, that she had been held in bondage since she was kidnapped.

Millard Jerome Kingery, 20, was arrested and charged with harboring a fugitive. He also was wanted on a traffic warrant, according to police.

Police first learned of the girl's abduction when they received a call at 10:09 a.m. Monday from a man who said a young girl had run to his house and asked that he contact police.

As he was calling, a white male forced his way into the house, shoved the man aside, found the girl and dragged her out of the house by her hair. They went across the alley to a house and then disappeared, according to police.

After further investigation, officers located a house across the alley from where the girl had run for help. The residence revealed signs of someone being restrained and also showed signs of possible bondage, said police.

About an hour later, police were contacted once again, this time by a woman living in Midland County. She told officers a girl had come to her house, frightened and hurt, and asked for a ride to a Midland restaurant where she worked.

Officers went there and found the girl, who told them of her abduction and bondage.

She reportedly had been held in the house since Friday with ropes, wire, tape and plastic handcuffs. Monday morning, after the man had left the house, the girl managed to free herself and run to the house across the alley for help.

But as she ran out the back of the house, the man returned, saw her leave, followed and recaptured her.

He carried her to an adjacent county and then returned her to Midland County, according to reports.

The girl managed to get out of the vehicle and run to a woman's house for help and a ride into Midland, police reported.

City gets new gasoline allocation

A little help from friends turns 'no' into 'yes'

By LANA CUNNINGHAM
Staff Writer

City officials have discovered the truth to the old adage: It's not what you know but who you know that can get you places.

Since September 1979, the city of Midland has been trying to get an additional fuel allocation from the Department of Energy to operate MidTran and city vehicles. But the application was to no avail. The DOE office in Dallas burped out a short "No," and went merrily on its way.

Meanwhile, the city decided to try again by appealing the decision to the Washington, D.C., office of DOE. To this day, the DOE office has yet to acknowledge it received that appeal in early February, according to Assistant City Attorney Bill Clifton.

But on Monday, the city was notified of its amazement... that it is receiving an additional 5,000 gallons of gas a month for MidTran starting this next week.

The gas came through with the help of Dick Witte, president of Zinder Witte, Inc. The energy consulting firm is getting on its feet here in Midland and decided to do the city a favor.

Despite the fact the city has spent seven months trying to get more fuel out of the DOE, Witte only asked for three weeks to do the job. He got the go-ahead from city officials who might have raised their eyebrows in a skeptical manner.

Three weeks to the day, Witte called the city and informed officials of the additional fuel.

The allocation ruling obtained in

three weeks is a remarkably short time period," noted Clifton in a memo to the city staff. He added his appreciation for the work Witte had done.

If (the 5,000 gallons) will certainly help out," Clifton said.

Witte explained that his company specializes in working to obtain exception relief from DOE. Other work includes determining the impact on each client of the windfall profits tax, assisting clients in complying with DOE requirements and functioning as an in-town office to monitor and determine the impact of federal energy regulations on its clients.

Zinder Companies, Inc. in Washington, D.C., is the parent company of the Midland firm, explained Witte, and started working with large utility companies back in 1946. As government regulations expanded, so did the company's services.

"We take on the government in a pleasant sort of way," Witte said with a smile.

We know who to talk to and who not to talk to," he explained of the quick resolve in Midland's situation.

After reading in The Reporter-Telegram about the city's fuel plight of trying to start MidTran without an additional gas allotment, Witte said his company "felt like MidTran was a worthwhile project and we should provide a public service."

"It was a matter of communicating between this office, the Washington office, DOE and the Houston-based gas supplier," Witte added.

The 5,000 gallons a month should provide a new fuel allocation base for the transportation system and satisfy its needs until more buses are added,

said the energy expert.

The city, in its first application, had requested an additional 8,000 gallons of fuel a month. Clifton said the city probably needs the extra 3,000 gallons to operate other city vehicles. City staff will determine what current needs are before depositing another application with DOE.

Fred Baker, director of public works, said city vehicles are covering more miles to supply services, such as police protection and garbage disposal, than they were last September.

But this time around, Baker said the city knows more about how to get what it wants.

"I think there was some misunderstanding (on the part of DOE) about our application. We'll have to reiterate our added miles on services," he said.

To tide the city over while operating MidTran without the additional fuel, the city had been receiving an emergency allowance from the state. With the 5,000 gallons, this monthly application probably will cease, at least for a while, Baker said.

In a few months, when the Parks Department is in full swing with upkeep on parks, the city may have to fall back on that emergency fuel from the state.

Meanwhile, "this (5,000 gallons) relieves our anxiety," laughed Baker.

Akins declared mayoral winner

By LANA CUNNINGHAM
Staff Writer

G. Thane Akins is the winner of Midland's mayoral race after a recount of paper ballots this morning showed the number to remain the same: 15 for Akins and 45 for challenger Martin Allday.

Combining that figure with the total from the voting machines, Allday officially lost his bid by eight votes: 4,631 to 4,639 for Akins.

Rechecking the paper ballots today was the second step in a recount procedure requested by Allday after hearing of the close loss. He described it as losing by 1/10,000th of 1 percent.

The first step was conducted Tuesday and consisted of checking figures on the backs of all voting machines locked up in Midland County Barn.

Checking the paper ballots was a committee of three headed by Elizabeth Adams. Assisting her were Darrell Adams and Bill Shaner. Also attending the session, in addition to the two mayoral candidates, were City Attorney Joe Nuesse, City Councilman Carroll Thomas and Police Chief Wayne Gideon.

A metal box containing 68 paper ballots had been locked and kept in the police department since the Saturday election.

Only 62 ballots figured in the counting, and Allday questioned why six had been rejected by the election judge, Robert Paxton.

Contacted by telephone, Paxton said signatures in two places on the paper ballot and envelope didn't ex-

actly match and legally could not be considered.

Ironically, one of those rejected ballots was that of Katherine Ann Allday, one of Allday's daughters.

She had signed one place with her full name and on the second spot she had failed to include "Ann."

Concerning that ballot, Allday half-joked, "I'm kinda hot. I'm going to have a talk with her about how to sign a ballot."

Even if the six ballots could be included and if all six had been for Allday, he still would have lost the race by two votes out of 10,081 cast. A third candidate, Carl Hollums Sr., walked off with 322 votes.

After the count was completed, Allday said he didn't expect any change to be found "but it (the race) was so close it seemed to me we had to ask for it (the recount)."

After congratulating Akins on winning the race, Allday called for the citizens of Midland to get back together "and get on with living."

Akins, who has served on the City Council for four years, said he was relieved the figures were confirmed.

The new mayor said he will "get with (current mayor Ernest) Angelo and pick his brain a bit. I'm looking forward to two good years."

Results of Saturday's election and the recount will be canvassed by City Council during a special session at 9 a.m. Friday in City Hall. Steve Davidson will be taking Akins' place on City Council after defeating two opponents.

Akins and Davidson will be sworn into office May 1.

West Texans welcome Ronald Reagan warmly

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Ronald Reagan brought his Republican presidential campaign back to Texas and spoke to 1,500 cheering supporters at Amarillo and 1,000 at Lubbock in afternoon airport rallies Wednesday.

Lubbock and Amarillo were his only Texas stops. He flew in from Washington, D.C., and went from Amarillo to Grand Island, Neb.

Reagan did not mention his opponents for the GOP nomination, instead criticizing Carter for his economic, energy and foreign policies.

He blamed the Carter administration with doing more to cause inflation than to cure it. He drew an ovation in Amarillo when he renewed his call for a 30 percent tax cut over the next three years.

President Carter has opposed such a cut, saying it would force inflation higher. Reagan disputed that.

"This won't lower government revenues. It has been done four times during this century, and the increase in prosperity was immediate and great each time," Reagan said in Amarillo.

Reagan said President Carter's latest plan to fight inflation was the fourth one the president has put into effect since 1976. He said during that time, inflation has risen from 4 to 19 percent.

"The greatest deception of all is that Carter makes us believe that inflation is our fault," the former California governor said. "The president just cut \$13 billion from a budget he said was austere two months ago."

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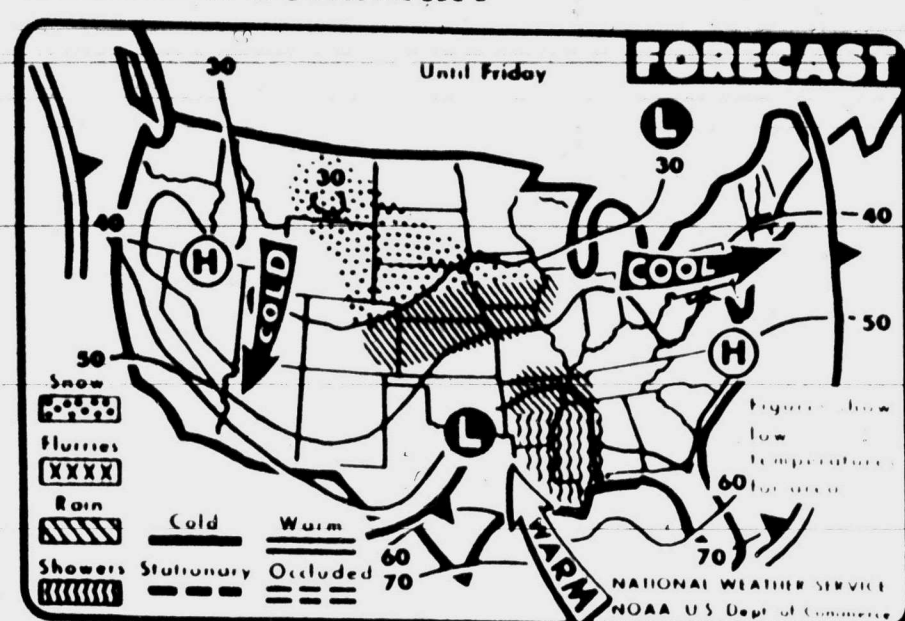
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Snow is expected from the northern into the central Plains and changing to rain extending into the Midwest until Friday morning. Showers and rain are forecast from the central Gulf to the upper Mississippi. Temperatures will range from cold to cool across most of the northern states. Warmer weather is expected for the southern half. (AP Laserphoto Map)

Midland statistics

WEATHER FORECAST

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, and not as warm Friday. Low tonight in the lower 50s. High Friday in the middle 70s. Winds tonight southerly, 15-20 mph, becoming northwesterly, 15-25 mph and gusty Friday.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS
Yesterday's High 78 degrees
Overnight Low 43 degrees
Sunrise today 7:14 a.m.
Sunset tomorrow 6:25 p.m.
Precipitation 0.0 inches
Last 24 hours 0.0 inches
This month to date 0.0 inches
1980 to date 0.0 inches
LOCAL TEMPERATURES
6 a.m. 37° 8 p.m. 74°
7 a.m. 38° 9 p.m. 75°
8 a.m. 39° 10 p.m. 76°
9 a.m. 40° 11 p.m. 77°
10 a.m. 41° 12 p.m. 78°
11 a.m. 42° 1 p.m. 79°
noon 43° 2 p.m. 80°
1 p.m. 44° 3 p.m. 81°
2 p.m. 45° 4 p.m. 82°
3 p.m. 46° 5 p.m. 83°
4 p.m. 47° 6 a.m. 84°

The weather elsewhere

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Albuquerque 50-56
Anchorage 47-53
Asheville 48-54
Atlanta 51-57
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Extended forecasts

Saturday Through Monday

West Texas: Partly cloudy Saturday through Monday. Chance of rain mainly Panhandle over the weekend. A little warmer Monday. Highs 50s north, 60s south and near 70 Big Bend Saturday and Sunday; warming to the 60s north, 70s south and the mid 80s Big Bend Monday. Lower 30s north and 40s south.

North Texas: Mostly cloudy and mild with a chance of showers and thunderstorms Saturday and Sunday. Lows will range from the 40s north to the 50s south. Highs will range from the 60s north to the 70s south.

South Texas: Mostly cloudy Saturday through Sunday with a chance of showers or thunderstorms most sections Saturday and east portion Sunday. Decreasing cloudiness Monday. Cool temperatures through the period. Daily lows near 50 north to the low 60s south. Afternoon highs in the upper 60s north to mid 70s south.

Border states forecasts

Oklahoma: Mostly fair today, partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Widely scattered showers or thunderstorms mainly north and east Friday. Highs 70s to 80s. Lows upper 30s. Panhandle to near 40 southeast. Highs Friday 60s. Panhandle to 70 southeast.

New Mexico: Variable cloudiness north fair south through Friday. Scattered showers north central mountains tonight and Friday and northeast Friday. Highs 50s and 60s mountains and north to mid 60s south. Lows 30s mountains, 40s and 50s elsewhere. Highs Friday 40s and 50s mountains and north to 70s south.

Louisiana: Fair today increasing cloudiness tonight and Friday with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms Friday. Highs upper 70s to low 80s. Lows low 50s to low 60s. Highs Friday 70s.

Windy conditions prevail

Windy conditions that prevailed in Midland today will be repeated Friday, according to the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport.

The forecast is calling for skies to become partly cloudy tonight and for temperatures to cool a little.

After a low temperature tonight in the lower 50s, Friday's high temperature should climb only into the middle 70s.

Scientists predicting continuous eruptions

VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP) — Scientists say they are waiting to see whether Mount St. Helens, hit by a stream of large and small quakes, moves into a phase of near-continuous eruptions of steam and ash.

The 9,677-foot volcano in southwestern Washington was shaken by a series of tremors Wednesday. Authorities said the quakes occurred so close together at one point that they formed a blur on seismographs.

While low clouds blocked any view of the volcano's growing summit crater, two scientists said they believe the mountain is ripe for expanded lengthy eruptions.

Dr. Richard Wai, a U.S. Geological Survey geologist, said the mountain has progressed from "casual venting" of steam to eruptions lasting an hour or more, to the lengthy eruption recorded Tuesday.

If the mountain changes signals again, it would be logical to assume it might switch to continual, round-the-clock eruptions, he said Wednesday.

Steve Malone, a University of Washington seismologist, called the period of continuous quake activity "the most significant seismic change seen" during the last few days.

He said it was the most significant event since the cessation of "harmonic tremors" on Sunday. Geologists had said the harmonic tremors, a rhythmic type of seismic activity, could foreshadow a lava eruption.

Since significant earthquake activity began on the peak on March 20, seismographs have recorded more than 400 quakes registering more than 4.0 on the Richter scale, including three Wednesday, said Norm Anderson, a U.S. Forest Service spokesman.

Tiny quakes shook the volcano almost continuously two weeks ago in the days just preceding the mountain's first eruption in 123 years. The peak began spewing plumes of steam and ash out of a new crater on March 27.

University of Washington Professor Bob Crosson said Wednesday his analysis of the earthquakes' pattern shows a clustering of large conventional earthquakes—3.5 or greater on the Richter scale. That clustering indicates to him a volcanic process is under way on the mountain.

Earthquakes can also be caused by slippage of the plates in the earth's crust. Despite the predictions of increased activity, the Forest Service plans to end its news briefings today, said spokesman Jim Unterwiesner, then plans to halt aerial reconnaissance flights over the mountain and close its media center.

Dr. H. William Menard, USGS director, will arrive Saturday from Virginia for a two-day inspection and volcano briefing.

Another USGS geologist, Don Mullineaux says many geologists have left to tend to other work. The volcano's inroads into the USGS budget will mean many of the scientists will be unable to do field work this summer, he added.

The Forest Service estimates the volcano watch has cost it \$157,000 so far, mainly in airplane costs and expenses for relocating personnel from the Mount St. Helens ranger station.

Spacecraft heading for rendezvous

MOSCOW (AP) — Two Soviet cosmonauts completed 13 revolutions of the earth and were "continuing preparations" today for docking with the Salyut-6 orbiting space station, Tass reported.

Tass said all systems aboard the Soyuz-35 craft were "functioning normally."

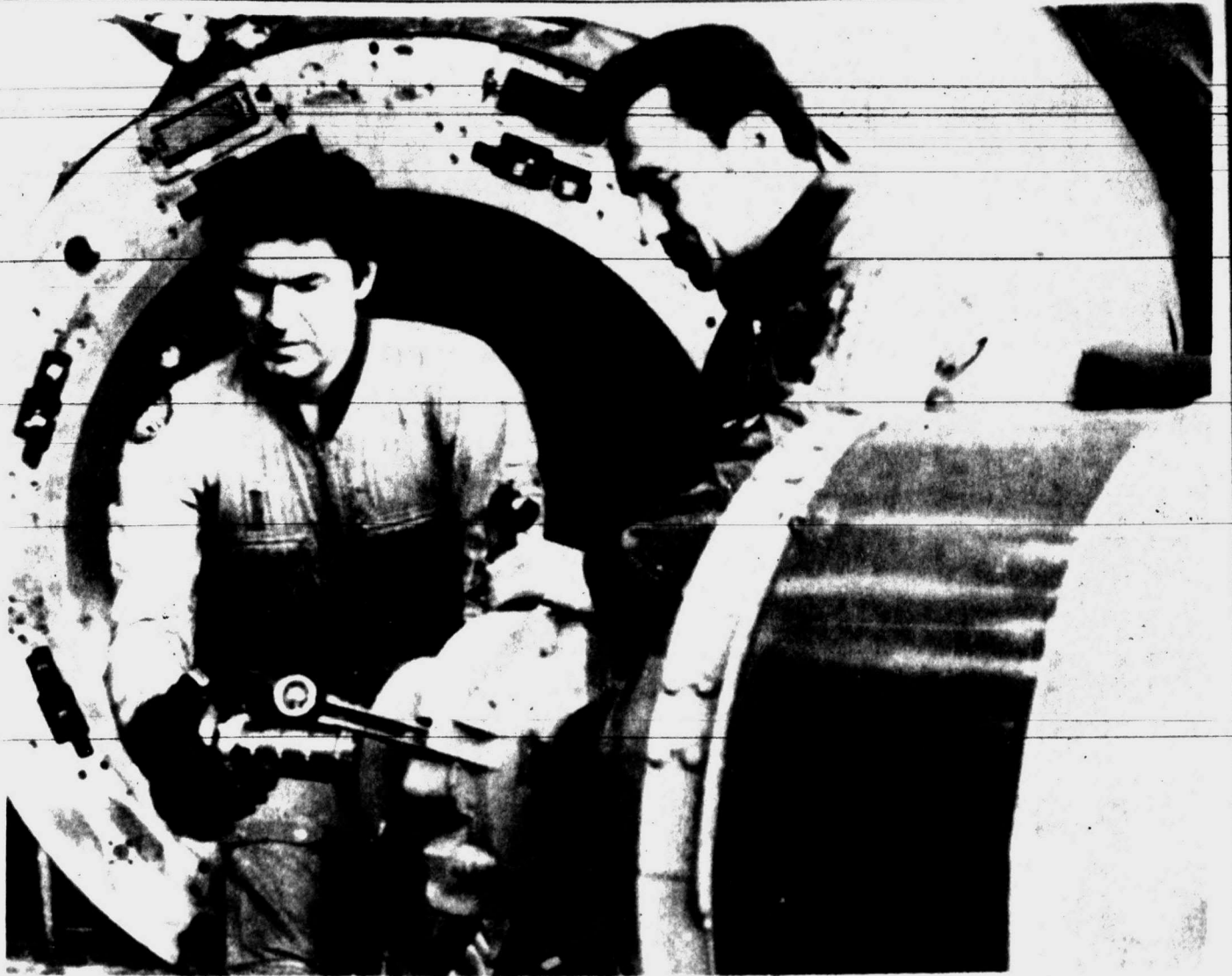
The craft is carrying Cosmonaut Commander Leonid Popov, 34, and three-time space veteran Valery Ryumin, 40 toward the docking attempt expected later today or Friday.

Tass said the Soyuz-35 craft was orbiting the earth every 90.3 minutes at a maximum distance from earth of 189 miles. The minimum distance, Tass said, was 165.6 miles.

The Soviet Union has previously had difficulty in docking spacecraft with Salyut 6, but two robot ships docked with the station in the past month to bring supplies and test link-up equipment.

Soviet newspapers gave heavy coverage to the launch Wednesday with front-page portraits of the cosmonauts and long descriptive articles about the flight.

They did not reveal, however, how long the cosmonauts would be aloft.



Soviet cosmonauts Valery Ryumin, left, and Lt. Col. Leonid Popov are shown during pre-flight training recently at a center in the Soviet Union. The two men were launched into space Wednesday for a linkup with the orbiting Salyut 6 space station. (AP Laserphoto)

Identity of jet's hijacker unknown

MIAMI (AP) — The identity and motives of a quiet, muscular young man who slipped aboard an American Airlines jet in California, pointed a 45-caliber revolver at a stewardess's head and commandeered the plane for a flight to Cuba remain a mystery, the FBI says.

The seven-member crew was safe, back in the United States, Wednesday night after an 11-hour odyssey that took them from California to Dallas to Havana — where the hijacker gave up — and finally to Miami.

"He communicated very little to the crew. We don't know who he is. We don't know why he wanted to go to Cuba, so we can't even speculate. Anything is possible," special FBI agent Arthur F. Nebrass said in Miami.

Even if the FBI identifies the hijacker, described as "a young black man in his early 30s," the chances of extraditing him from Cuba are slim, Nebrass said.

"Traditionally, the Cuban authorities have not returned hijackers, unless they ask to be returned," he said.

The three-man, four-woman crew arrived at Miami International Airport at 9:27 p.m.

"Everybody is safe," said airline spokesman Vincent Modugno. He said the crew members would not be identified until an investigation was complete, and they would not be allowed to talk to reporters.

The hijacker scaled a low wall at Ontario Airport 35 miles from Los Angeles and entered the Boeing 727 at

10:58 a.m. EST, just before 74 passengers were to board the flight to Chicago.

The plane took off 17 minutes later, and after a refueling stop in Dallas, landed in Havana at 5:18 p.m. "When the Cuban authorities boarded the plane, he calmly handed them the gun, but first," Nebrass said.

The hijacker was "relatively calm," Nebrass said. But when authorities tried to stall the plane during refueling at Dallas, "He threatened to shoot a stewardess in the leg if the plane didn't hurry up and leave."

Nebrass said the man had entered the plane through its front door, "pointed a 45-caliber weapon at the head of a stewardess and said he wanted to go to Havana."

The flight attendant was "in good shape after a great ordeal," he said. The man kept her near him in the plane throughout the flight. He trained the gun on her "anytime he felt threatened."

Family of six killed in Lufkin

LUFKIN (AP) — Fire swept through an old apartment complex in this East Texas town early today, killing a couple and their four children, firefighters said. The fire left 19 other persons homeless.

The fire at the Lufkin Courts apartment broke out about 2:20 a.m. Firemen battled the blaze for more than three hours before they put it out, Fire Chief Billy Stephens said.

The building, a motel converted into apartments, was about 50 years old, Stephens said.

The victims were identified as Ray Charles Bryant, his wife, Mary, both 26, and their four children, Melinda, 8, Tyrone, 7, Michael, 6, and Ray Charles Jr., 5.

When firefighters arrived at the complex, Stephens said, the flames had engulfed the apartment.

Rebels claim 10 Russian officers killed, 400 loyal troops captured

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Moslem rebels battling Afghanistan's Soviet-backed regime said today they killed 10 Russian officers and captured 400 government troops and 446 automatic weapons in heavy fighting in the north of the country.

Afghan government forces also reported victories in northern Afghanistan, where they said the agents of "American imperialists, (and) Pakistani and Chinese interventionists" were "crushed and peace returned to the area."

The Kremlin, which sent tens of thousands of troops to Afghanistan in late December, has consistently said it intervened because the United States, Pakistan, China and other countries were interfering in Afghan affairs. Western intelligence sources estimate there are 80,000 Soviet troops in Afghanistan.

Moslem rebels have been battling a series of three pro-Soviet regimes

since Marxists took power in Afghanistan in a bloody coup in April 1978.

A representative of the rebel group Hizbe Islami, in a statement issued in Islamabad, said the Soviet officers were killed in battle in the Pech Valley of Kunar Province close to the Pakistani border.

The rebels have captured "many villages around the district administrative headquarters of Chahal Sirai in Kunar," he said, but did not give rebel losses for any of the engagements.

The statement claimed victories for the rebels in fighting elsewhere. Rebels captured 13 government troops and destroyed two tanks in a battle at Yarokhakan Bridge between the cities of Jalalabad and Kabul, it said.

Hizbe Islami forces killed 60 Soviet and Afghan troops in the northern province of Laghman, the spokesman said, but gave no breakdown of nationalities.

The rebels killed six communist civilians in southwest Hilmand Province, and captured 40 government troops in another southwestern province, Ruzgan, the statement said.

A Kabul Radio broadcast, monitored in New Delhi, India, late Wednesday said government forces killed a number of "foreign agents" in the northern province of Baglan and captured large quantities of arms and ammunition.

"Some rockets... and communication equipment were seized from foreign agents who were being used under the leadership of the American imperialists, Chinese and Pakistani interventionists and were being supplied with arms and equipment for sabotage and terrorizing the population," the state radio said.

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Answer Line

By Franchelle Moore



P.O. Box 1650, Midland 79702

I would like to know why the traffic signal at the corner of Wall Avenue and Big Spring Street, one of the busiest intersections, does not have a left turn indicator? There is a left turn lane at this intersection, but no protective signal.

I also would like to know why the left turn indicator at the intersection of Cuthbert Avenue and Andrews Highway seldom works? — Mrs. W.L.

ANSWER: Answer Line has notified Doug Vanover, traffic engineering coordinator for the city of Midland.

Vanover said that the traffic signal at the corner of Wall and Big Spring was installed more than a year and a half ago. The new signals installed on North Big Spring Street all have left turn indicators. The signals at Wall and Big Spring were designed at that time by the Texas Highway Department. He also said the city will now have to study the problem and take action.

Regarding the intersection at Cuthbert and the Andrews Highway, this situation will be checked.

Vanover said there are sensors installed in the street at that intersection, but if a driver goes so many feet into the intersection, the sensors do not operate, and the motorist is faced with oncoming traffic because the signal is no longer in operation.

I received a letter from the city of Midland stating it is my responsibility to clean up the area around a city Dumpster which has been placed behind my property.

I know that neighbors who use the same Dumpster have not been placing all their garbage in the

Dumpster, but on the ground next to it.

The letter also stated that if I did not clean up the area by a certain date, I would be fined \$200 a day until the situation was remedied. The letter also said I would be responsible for checking the neighborhood to find out who was being negligent.

Is there a city ordinance to this effect? — Mrs. J. P.

ANSWER: As per Answer Line's telephone conversation with you, Bill Duckworth, superintendent of sanitation for the city of Midland, was notified.

According to our conversation, there is an ordinance on the "city books" to this effect, but Duckworth said the city will check with the neighbors in an effort to find out who the "culprit" or "culprits" are.

My wife and I are considering giving our grandchildren some stock as a present. What procedures are involved? — Mr. A.P.

ANSWER: Your stock may be transferred to your grandchildren by writing a letter to the transfer agent named on the face of the stock certificate, according to the State Bar of Texas.

Enclose in the letter your stock certificate with your signature, which must be guaranteed by a member of the New York Stock Exchange or an officer of a national bank.

Also, enclose the name and address of the person to be given the stock and that person's social security number. Registered mail can be used to assure the transfer agent has received the stock.



DR. NEIL SOLOMON

Studies now link maternal smoking with birth defects

Dear Dr. Solomon: I try to follow the daily food guide and provide my family with a balanced diet based on the four food groups. However, my husband is not particularly fond of milk. Can you tell me the equivalent amounts of other products from the milk group that can help meet his calcium needs? — Mrs. J.S.

Dear Mrs. S.: Cheese and ice cream can provide some of the calcium ordinarily obtained by drinking milk. For example, one-half cup of cottage cheese or one-half cup of ice cream or ice milk is the equivalent of one-third cup milk; a one-inch cube of cheddar-type cheese provides the same amount of calcium as one-half cup milk, and two tablespoons of cream cheese are the equivalent of one tablespoon of milk.

Dear Dr. Solomon: A neighbor of mine recently gave birth to a child with cleft palate. She has always been a heavy smoker and feels there is a relationship between her smoking and the baby's defect. I have tried to console and to reassure her, but with out much success. Is there any reason to believe that the smoking actually may have been responsible for the baby's cleft palate? — Ms. D.F.

Dear Ms. F.: A number of studies have indicated a relationship between maternal smoking and birth defects, between low birth weights and an increased

infant death rate. Now, a group of Swedish scientists report that maternal smoking may cause cleft lip and cleft palate. They say that in Sweden, maternal smoking probably accounts for more than one-fifth of all children born with the condition.

You are doing the humane and compassionate thing in trying to reassure your neighbor and to help her to assuage her guilt. But, the answer to your question must be "yes" — the mother's smoking may have been responsible for the defect.

Dear Dr. Solomon: I am writing for a friend whose mother will soon be returning home from the hospital following a stroke. How can you help meet a person's needs when her ability to speak has been affected? — Ms. L.L.

Dear Ms. L.: It is not uncommon for a stroke victim to be unable to speak; the condition often clears up after a while. The American Heart Association suggests a number of ways such a patient can be helped.

First reassure the patient by telling her that her difficulty with speech does not mean she is losing her mind. It is also important to recognize that an inability to speak does not necessarily mean a corresponding inability to hear or understand. Communication with the patient therefore remains possible.

Bluegrass jamboree set Saturday at Stanton

STANTON — The Stanton Jaycees will sponsor a Bluegrass Jamboree featuring three troupes of singers in two shows at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday in the Martin County Community Center in Stanton.

Featured will be The Pierce Family of Stanton, the Acme Bluegrass Company of San Angelo and the Franklin Mountain Bluegrass of El Paso, according to Jaycee Gary Reid.

Admission to the jamboree is \$3.50 per person. Children under 12 will be admitted free.

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April 2, 1980

Mr. and Mrs. Otto George Brannan, 312 S. Glennwood St., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Theodore Noel, 506 Canyon Drive, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ray Brewton, Rt. #4, Box 5-X-6, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Columbus Henry II, 413 Idlewild Drive, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Buford Byars, Odessa, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Padilla, 1212 S. Fort Worth St., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Alvarado, 1517 S. Jefferson St., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Hollowell, Odessa, a girl.

April 3, 1980

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Huffman Martin, 2502 Culver St., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maurice Beasley, Garden City, a boy.

Alice Ruth Lathan, 104 N. Marshall St., a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. David Michael Dawson, Rt. #2, Box 13-L, #51, a boy.

April 4, 1980

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed Moore, 2310 College Ave., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wayne Jones, 4618 Ric Drive, a girl.

April 7, 1980

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daniel Lopez Jr., 703 W. Pennsylvania Ave., a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Centeceros Natividad, 3403 Perry Lane, a boy.

Spec 4 and Mrs. Julian Roberto Negrete III, P.O. Box 3653, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Craig Lee, 4717 Bowie Drive, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Keith Brashear, 3101 N. Midland Drive, #605, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wayne LaForge, 3611 Anetta Drive, a boy.

April 6, 1980

Marion Eliza Belcher, 100 N. Madison St., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed Moore, 2310 College Ave., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wayne Jones, 4618 Ric Drive, a girl.

April 5, 1980

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April 18, 1980

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed Moore, 2310 College Ave., a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wayne Jones, 4618 Ric Drive, a girl.

New expectant mothers exercise session offered

The Parks and Recreation Department is offering a second exercise session for expectant mothers. This will be held from 11 a.m. to noon Mondays and Thursdays.

The course starts Monday and will continue for six weeks. It will be held in the city gymnasium, 300 Baldwin St., with Penny Sawyer, a physical therapist, as instructor.

Fee is \$12 and doctor's permission is required. The exercises — done to music — stress flexibility, general tone-up and strength.

A new post partum class will be starting the same day, but will be held from noon to 1 p.m. in the city gymnasium. Fee is \$12.

This course will be structured for maximum fitness and will feature aerobic and musical routines. Registrations now are being accepted for both classes. Further information can be obtained by telephoning the Parks and Recreation Department, 683-4281, extension 280.



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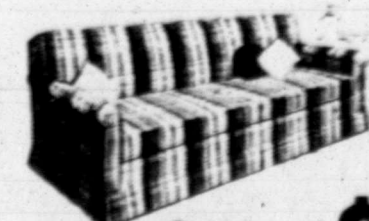
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Snubbing the Soviets

President Jimmy Carter is not widely known as a tough-talking head-of-state. In fact, the president has been widely criticized by the media for his lack of resolve in handling world crises.

That's why it was so refreshing to hear him take a firm position on the question of sending an Olympic team to the Moscow games this summer.

On Jan. 20 Carter wrote to Robert Kane, president of the U.S. Olympic Committee, urging the committee to propose to the International Olympic Committee that the 1980 Summer Games in Moscow be transferred, postponed or cancelled if Soviet forces were not fully withdrawn from Afghanistan within a month.

The Soviets didn't withdraw from Afghanistan, but then, nobody — except perhaps Carter — really expected them to do so.

Since that time, the International Olympic Committee has voted to hold the Summer Games in Moscow as planned, stating that the "prime responsibility of the IOC is to the young athletes of the world."

The U.S. Olympic Committee apparently is willing to go along with Carter's request. The committee is scheduled to meet Friday through Sunday in Colorado Springs, Colo., to consider whether to participate in the Moscow games.

If the committee decides not to send a team to Moscow, the president would be hard pressed to stop American athletes from participating on their own. Legally, Carter has no recourse to stop the

athletes from participating, although he could limit the travel rights of individual citizens.

A boycott of the Moscow games certainly will not bring extreme pressures to bear on the Soviet Union. But it is unthinkable that this nation's athletes would participate in the games, which are symbolic of peace, harmony and unity among the youth of the world while the host nation's armed forces are waging a bloody and ruthless invasion of Afghanistan.

The Soviet Union undoubtedly would use the games for self-glorification, just as Adolph Hitler used the Summer Games in Nazi Germany in 1936 to promote his own bloodthirsty regime.

The Soviet Union has no qualms about mixing sports and politics and, in fact, has told the Soviet people that holding the games in Moscow is a testimony to the correctness of their foreign policy.

More than 25 governments have publicly agreed to join the United States in the boycott. Another 25 have offered private assurances that they will oppose having their athletes go to Moscow.

We support the president in this matter. To participate in the Moscow games would signal the Kremlin that its actions are of no concern to the people of this country.

The Olympic committee should vote to not send a team to the Soviet Union this summer.

Let the Soviets play their own games in their own courts. Our athletes would do better to sit this match out.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, April 10, the 101st day of 1980. There are 265 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On April 10, 1974, Israeli Premier Golda Meir announced her resignation.

On this date: In 1790, Congress passed the nation's first patent law.

In 1864, Archduke Maximilian of Austria accepted the title of emperor of Mexico.

In 1963, it was disclosed that the atomic submarine "Thresher" had failed to surface after a deep dive in the North Atlantic. With the loss of 129 lives, it was the worst submarine disaster in American history.

In 1972, the United States and Soviet Union signed a treaty banning biological warfare.

Five years ago, President Gerald Ford asked Congress for nearly \$1

billion dollars in military and humanitarian aid to South Vietnam.

Last year, tornadoes swept North Texas and Oklahoma, killing more than 50 people, injuring more than 850 and leaving thousands homeless.

Today's birthday: Actor Omar Sharif is 48.

Thought for today: Human history becomes more and more a race between education and catastrophe. — H.G. Wells (1866-1946)

BIBLE VERSES

Resist not him that is evil; but whosoever smiteth thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also. — Matt. 5:39

Keep thy foot when thou goest to the house of God; for to draw nigh to hear is better than to give sacrifices to fools. — Eccl. 5:1

A CHANGING WORLD:

Carter's broken promise holds grave repercussions

By JOHN PINKERMAN
Copley News Service

CHALAN KANO, Saipan — President Carter has broken another solemn promise and his action has bewildered, saddened and angered 15,000 Chamorro natives of this World War II Pacific Island battlefield 9,000 miles from the White House.

Saipan, plus nearby Tinian, Rota and 13 other tiny islands stretching from 125 to 400 miles north of Guam make up the U.S. Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, a part of America since Jan. 9, 1978.

The Covenant to Establish a Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in Political Union with the United States of America, signed Feb. 15, 1975, and implemented effective 1978 by a Carter executive proclamation, is a sacred document to the people of Saipan.

It apparently is something less to Mr. Carter because he has already reneged on the covenant's promise giving the island people most of the rights of American citizens, particularly the right to travel freely as Americans to Guam and other areas of the United States.

These people who were not annexed against their will, or captured or purchased in U.S. territorial expansion — they openly sought union with America — are not aware of a three-year-old list of broken Carter promises to all kinds of Americans and,



John Pinkerman

thus, are bewildered. A cynic might say to them, "Welcome to the Carter presidency."

However, their governor, Chamorro Carlos S. Camacho, a Ph.D., while perhaps new to the Washington flim-flam game, knows how to rise up in righteous indignation over the President's incredible action, and he also knows he has a few cards to play himself — because of the vital military fields and naval bases that America gains in political union with the Northern Marianas.

Camacho got directly to the point during an interview in his modest "executive" office only 200 yards from where Army and Marine troops stormed ashore on June 15, 1944, in a battle that cost 3,114 U.S. and 30,000 Japanese lives.

"We are shocked," the governor said, "by this new directive that treats us as aliens when we have a solemn covenant that presumably gives us the rights of American citizens. We wonder if we've been fooled.

"We were very impressed with the democratic government of the United States, particularly the U.S. Navy's administration here after the war."

"America seemed to show compassion and generosity and seemed to understand the wishes and aspirations of our people. That is why of our own free will we sought to become part of America, by a vote of 78.8 percent in a plebiscite."

"And now, after the signing of the covenant and the President's proclamation, there comes this directive that adversely affects all our people — we must line up with aliens. We consider the covenant our Bible and we cannot understand this new action in violation of a freely negotiated democratic document that should be followed."

Then came Camacho's veiled warning. "I am not sure if the United States understands the ramifications of what it is doing," he said. "What it is doing leaves a sour taste with us. Does the United States know what it wants to do?"

"There could be some effect on Americans in the Northern Marianas, and there are lots of you here in business with, at present, free access to any activity except purchase of land. If our people are sufficiently aroused you might find yourselves aliens here."

"Perhaps you, sir, will need a Northern Marianas visa the next time you come here. We never want to hang out the 'Yankee, Go Home' ban-

ner. We prefer the 'Yankee Come Back' welcome — but who can tell?"

Even if Washington's restrictive order is reversed, Camacho said, "The damage has been done — and it has hurt you with all of the islands, important to you, throughout Micronesia."

Camacho said Mr. Carter should fire whoever reneged on the promise to the Chamorros of the Northern Marianas — and he is right. But, as the governor said, great damage has been done.

Here was a group of people, almost unique in the world today, who openly expressed genuine affection for America and Americans. And we have let them down, broken solemn promises. One more shameful example of Washington arrogance.

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WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Brown cites need for Mideast arms muscle

WASHINGTON — After the Soviet sweep into Afghanistan, President Carter struck a heroic pose and warned the Russians to keep out of the Persian Gulf. The United States would use military force, he declared, to protect its vital interests in the oil region.

Yet he has on his desk a sober warning that the armed forces couldn't back up his brave words. In a secret "Memorandum for the President," Defense Secretary Harold Brown could promise only this much:

"We could rapidly assemble and deploy a small Marine Amphibious Brigade. This would provide some limited near-term presence and capability ashore." But he warned that the action "could be sustained for only a few weeks" without causing a severe strain on our military resources.

Brown made an urgent appeal for the muscle to carry out his assignment. "The Joint Chiefs of Staff and I agree," he wrote, "on the strategic necessity for major improvements in the U.S. capability to project military power rapidly into the Middle East-Persian Gulf-Arabian Sea region."

The desperate need is for a sea lift to deliver the fighting equipment to the critical area. "Our airlift capability is significant," Brown reported. But he stressed that "airlift by itself can provide only a small part of the lift capability needed."

"People can be moved quickly and in large numbers," he explained, "but there are limits on the amount of land-forces fighting equipment, munitions and other sustaining cargo that can be moved rapidly by air, even with enhanced airlift."

The Pentagon's plight can be summed up in these stark statistics:



Jack Anderson

During the past two decades, the Navy has shrunk from 900 ships to fewer than 500. The reserve fleet is down from 2,277 ships to 317, many of them fit only for the scrap pile.

Yet the need for sea power has increased dramatically, as U.S. bases around the world have dwindled from more than 100 to less than 30 and as the Russians have assembled the world's largest Navy.

Brown informed the president, therefore, that "we badly need some near-term options." He recommended rushing a seven-ship force, loaded with combat equipment, into the Indian Ocean where it would stand by "afloat in the vicinity of Diego Garcia."

He explained: "After being alerted at Diego Garcia, this logistical force could sail to a designated Persian Gulf area port in about five days. There, it would be met by the combat troops who would have arrived by airlift."

The defense chief stressed the "urgent need to increase our power projection capability" and requested the authority to begin immediate negotiations to provide an adequate sea lift. He told of eight modern container ships that could be acquired from Sealand Industries, Inc., and called

for their purchase "on an expedited basis."

Footnote: Ironically, the Navy has tried to obstruct the sea lift build-up, preferring to spend every available tax dollar for fighting ships. This provoked Gen. E.C. Meyer, the Army chief, into writing a sharp protest which, of course, has been classified. He complained that the Navy has "no incentive" and, therefore, that "sealift (sic) will remain dormant." He urged: "Navy should be told to procure sufficient fast sealift (sic) to deploy the Army, whether to Europe or to (another) contingency, or both at the same time."

LATEST ODDS: Let the political pundits spin their wordy webs. "Jimmy the Greek" puts his odds where the money is, offering guidance on the going rate for the quadrennial horse race that puts the winner in the White House next January.

As a service to those who'd like to capitalize on election-year politics with something more than philosophical satisfaction, here is Jimmy's latest morning line:

For the Republican nomination: Reagan is a runaway 1 to 20, with George Bush at 20 to 1 and John Anderson an even longer shot at 50 to 1.

For the Democrats: Jimmy Carter, 1 to 4; Teddy Kennedy, 4 to 1. As for the likely runoff in November, Jimmy rates Carter and Reagan a tossup.

WATCH ON WASTE: The Law Enforcement Assistance Administration is really reaching for ways to spend the taxpayers' money these days. Worried about the physical fitness of the nation's policemen, LEAA bureaucrats gave the Jacksonville Beach (Fla.) Police Department a \$20,304 grant to develop a model gym class. The money was used for body-building equipment and, of course, the services of a consultant.

— Spending money like Arab oil sheikhs, the Department of Energy shelled out \$343,834 for a "comprehensive analysis of issues" concerning resource development on Indian reservations. The DOE spends defended the expenditures as an aid in "policy development." But a wide gulf developed between hope and reality. Now that the results of the study are in, DOE officials admit they haven't found any use for them.

— When public money is at stake, Washington's bureaucrats have no reluctance to illuminate the obvious. The Office of Education recently gave a private contractor \$78,494 to determine whether immigrants enjoy any "economic advantage" by learning English. An OE official admitted to government inspectors he'd be hard put to find any "immediate practical applications" for the study.

It appears that the more technology we develop, the closer we are to extinction.

Four correct...excellent, three...good

The Country Parson
by Frank Clark



Art Buchwald

ART BUCHWALD

Talking about money isn't wise at a party

WASHINGTON — Almost every week the topic of conversation in this country changes. Just a month ago, everyone you ran into was talking about how much their houses were worth on the open market.

Now it seems, no matter where you go, they're talking about money. The trouble with talking about money is that it can become pretty boring after a while.

In case you're one of those people who doesn't like to talk about it, here are a few put-downs to cut off the conversation.

"Guess how much interest I had to pay on the new house I just bought?"

"I never talk mortgages at a party. Call me at the office if you'd like to discuss it."

"Do you know how much cash I have to come up with to pay my taxes on April 15th?"

"I don't. But I'm sure someone in the IRS does."

"I went to the supermarket today and bought eight items. They hardly filled a small brown bag. What do you think it cost me?"

"I'm terribly sorry. I heard the joke before."

"So I went into the showroom and there's this little car no bigger than that table, and I said to the salesman, 'How much is it without any options?' Guess what he said?"

"If you have to ask the price, you can't afford it."

"How much do you think it is costing me to send my kid through college?"

"I wouldn't know. My son is on an athletic scholarship."

"I figure this is no time to be in the stock market. So do you know where we're putting our savings?"

"Is it bigger than a bread box?"

"Four of us went to a simple French restaurant in New York. We had one round of drinks, a bottle of Beaujolais, soup, a main course, and no one had dessert. Do you know what the check came to?"

"Deux mille quarante francs?"

"I never think about money, but the other night I took the kids to see 'Breaking Away.' Do you know what the evening cost me including the parking, and what I had to pay the baby sitter?"

"Yes, I do."

"I figure that the way things are going, you might as well live it up while you can. Why save money when it won't be worth anything in 10 years? So guess where Becky and I are going this summer?"

"Pittsburgh."

"What are you doing with your money these days?"

"We're putting every nickel into the 'March of Dimes.'"

"How much was your heating bill this winter?"

"We didn't have one. The gas company cut us off in October."

"I think the country's in an economic mess and Carter doesn't know what the hell he's doing."

"I disagree. If he didn't know what he was doing, he'd be unqualified to be President."

"When's the last time you bought a good suit at a reasonable price?"

"Friday."

"I went into the hospital for three days. How much do you think my bill was, excluding doctors' fees?"

"What difference does it make? Blue Shield paid for most of it."

"If I knew then what I know now about what the dollar would be worth, do you know what I would have bought with my insurance money?"

"Rockefeller Center."

"We'll never lick inflation until the government stops spending more money than it takes in."

"I'd rather have a deficit than tennis elbow."

"How do you manage to keep up your standard of living when the dollar is worth less every day?"

"My children don't know our unlisted telephone number."

THE BIBLE

CAN YOU QUOTE IT?

By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER AND ELIZABETH ROSS WIERSEMA

1. Hebrews 11 is one of the beautiful passages in the N.T. Assuredly it was written by Paul, though there are those who argue this. Complete the first verse: "Now faith is the substance..."

2. Who is the first man mentioned in this chapter and also the first woman? 11:4-11

3. What patriarch, when he was dying, leaned on his staff and blessed two of his grandchildren? Hebrews 11:22

4. What command did Aaron have regarding the burning of incense in the Tabernacle? Exodus 30:7-8-9.

5. "The counsel of the Lord standeth — the thoughts of his heart to —" Psalm 33:11

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SS benefits to increase soon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Monthly checks for the nation's 35 million Social Security beneficiaries will be about 14 percent higher beginning in July.

The exact figure won't be known until April 22, when the government releases the Consumer Price Index for March.

But the cost of living was up 13.5 percent in the 11 months ending with February. If inflation maintained its torrid pace in March, the benefit increase will be around 14.3 percent.

That will cost the system nearly \$17 billion and raise an average individual's benefit by \$45 to \$360 a month. The maximum monthly benefit for an individual will spurt from \$572 to \$654, an \$82 hike.

Three months ago, the Carter administration predicted in its 1981 budget that Social Security benefits would go up 13 percent this year.

Benefits are raised annually in July whenever inflation exceeds 3 percent. The increase is based on the CPI average change from the first quarter of one year to the first quarter of the next.

Each 1 percent rise in inflation adds more than \$1 billion to the total amount of Social Security benefits paid.

The Carter administration, in its recent flurry of activity to balance the fiscal 1981 budget, considered asking Congress to provide only 75 percent or 85 percent of the cost-of-living increase.

Some economists feel the index overstates the impact of rising mortgage rates on the elderly, many of whom own homes and aren't in the real estate market.

But senior citizen advocates say the index ignores inflation in other areas. Also, one-third of Social Security beneficiaries are children, widows and disabled workers under 65.

The issue is a potential political juggernaut, and the administration decided to undertake a study of the problem instead of changing Social Security's cost-of-living adjustment clause.

The White House said this review will consider using other inflation measures and look into "the broader issue...of protecting beneficiaries completely from inflation during periods like the present when prices are rising much more rapidly than wages."

This year's Social Security increase will not be the biggest in history. Congress raised benefits 20 percent in 1972, the same year it linked the system to the CPI, effective in 1975.

After an ad hoc 11 percent increase in 1974, benefits rose automatically 8 percent in 1975, 6.4 percent in 1976, 5.9 percent in 1977, 6.5 percent in 1978 and 9.9 percent in 1979.

Planners say more aid needed for U.S. workers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal budget planners underestimated by \$1.4 billion the amount of money needed this year and next to assist U.S. workers who lose their jobs because of foreign trade competition.

The main culprit this year: higher-than-expected sales of imported cars.

Officials said Wednesday that spending under the program will be about \$1 billion above current estimates in fiscal 1980 and about \$400 million higher in 1981.

The failure to budget enough money for the aid to unemployed workers resulted from the Labor Department not notifying the Office of Management and Budget that needs will be higher than initial estimates.

South may experience shortage of teachers

ATLANTA (AP) — There may be a teacher shortage in the South by 1990, according to a report issued Wednesday.

An increased number of children, increased turnover in the profession and tougher selection standards could wipe out a 16 percent surplus expected by the mid 1980s, according to the Southern Regional Education Board's report.

"This report on future supply and demand comes at a time when questions about the quality of supply have moved to the forefront," said SREB President Winfred L. Godwin.

"It would be well that steps for improvement of teacher education and upgrading of teacher competency be put into practice while the supply of teachers is still general adequate to meet current needs," he said.

The report said Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina and South Carolina administer exams to screen prospective teachers. Arkansas and Florida are slated to begin similar tests during the decade.

The SREB was established in 1949 under an interstate compact which has been ratified by the legislatures of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and West Virginia.

Roger Taylor honored

Midland High School student Roger Taylor has been named outstanding sophomore by a committee composed of classmates, administrators and teachers.

He will attend a Seminar on Leadership sponsored by the Youth Foundation for Leadership April 11-13 in Dallas.

The Jaycee-sponsored seminar has chosen as its theme, "America's Incentive System." A boy and a girl will be selected from among Texas delegates attending the seminar to represent Texas in Los Angeles for the international meeting of the group.

Taylor is a past recipient of the Daughters of the American Revolution award for leadership in Houston and last year he received the American Legion School Award here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Atkinson of 1200 Community Lane.



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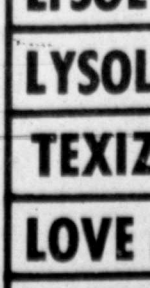
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Susan Laurette Adkins

Midland girl sought by police

Police are searching for information on an 18-year-old Midland girl who disappeared early Monday from her home at 1700 S. Midkiff Road.

According to reports, Susan Laurette Adkins apparently crawled out her bedroom window sometime between midnight and 2 a.m. Monday and disappeared. Police say there is no evidence of foul play.

Miss Adkins' parents say the young woman, described as being somewhat mentally retarded, enjoys bowling and may frequent a bowling alley.

When last seen, the girl was wearing a pair of dark pink Dittos pants and a pink, white and blue striped pullover knit shirt. She was carrying a white and gray Indian-style purse.

She is described as being a white female, 5-foot 2-inches tall and weighing approximately 100 pounds. She has green eyes and brown-shoulder-length hair.

Anyone with any information is asked to contact Sgt. Frank Bartlett in the detective division of the Midland Police Department.

Lions hear how Rose Garden came about

"The Midland Rose Garden — How It Came About" was the program topic at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Downtown Lions Club in the Midland Hilton.

The speaker was Lion Jim Galyean, an officer of the Midland Rose Society and a widely recognized authority on the growing of roses. He was introduced by Horace Robb.

The new rose garden is being established on the grounds of the new Central Fire Station, under the leadership of the Midland Rose Society, with the support of the Midland City Council, the city's Parks and Recreation Department and others.

According to the speaker, a total of 655 rose bushes have been set out, with 235 more to be planted next year.

The rose bushes were furnished free of charge by the Oregon firm of Jackson and Perkins. The Midland Rose Society has agreed to maintain the garden for 10 years, Galyean said.

Bennett sentenced

Midland County officials may finally be rid of Bill Bennett, the wandering plumber.

Bennett was assessed a three-year sentence in the Texas Department of Corrections after pleading guilty Wednesday in 142nd District Court to a charge of escaping from the Midland County Jail June 19, 1979.

Bennett, who was serving a one-year sentence in the Midland jail for theft of more than \$20 and under \$200, was released in June to attend the funeral of his grandmother in Luling.

When Bennett didn't return from his mercy leave, county officials checked out the problem and found Bennett's grandmother was alive and well and living in Houston.

He was arrested later in Orange County on a charge of driving while intoxicated in an allegedly stolen vehicle.

He was returned to Midland County to face the escape charge in January.

Bennett will leave one last reminder of his stay here, however. He presented county officials with a bill for \$2,000 for plumbing services he performed while a trustee in the jail.

Work performed by trustees generally helps build time off for good behavior, but Bennett's accumulated "good time" was cancelled when he escaped.

Bondage suspect indicted

The Midland County grand jury returned a four-count indictment Wednesday against Mark E. Curry in connection with the kidnapping and bondage of a young Midland girl over the weekend.

Curry was indicted for the aggravated rape of a child, sexual abuse of a child, burglary of a habitation with intent to commit kidnapping and aggravated kidnapping.

He was arrested Wednesday and was in Midland County Jail early today in lieu of \$40,000 bond.

The charges stemmed from the abduction of a young Midland girl who told police she was bound and raped while held prisoner in a Midland house for three days.

The grand jury also indicted Phillip Eugene Babcock and Sharon Babcock on charges of theft over \$200 but less than \$10,000. They are free on bonds of \$5,000 each.

Diane Beth O'Neal, 23, 309 Tyler St., was indicted for burglary of a habitation and was in Midland County Jail in lieu of \$10,000 bond.

Linda Posey was indicted for burglary of a habitation and was free on \$10,000 bond.

David Lee Mark Harden was indicted for the unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon. He is free on \$5,000 bond.

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DEATHS

Esther Holey

BIG SPRING — Graveside services for Esther Holey, 66, of Big Spring will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the cemetery in Baird with the Rev. White, pastor of East Fourth Street Baptist Church in Big Spring, officiating.

Funeral arrangements are being directed by Sheppard Funeral Home of Big Spring.

She died Wednesday in a Big Spring hospital after a short illness.

Mrs. Holey was born July 8, 1894, in Baird. She was married to Clarence Earl Holey (d. 1952) in Baird. She was a homemaker and a member of the Baptist church and the Woodmen Circle.

Survivors include a daughter, Erma Lee Holey of Big Spring; two sisters, Bertha Ramsey of Corpus Christi and Norma West of Baird; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Elsie Pogue

ODessa — Elsie Pogue, 63, of Odessa passed away this morning at Odessa Medical Center Hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Pogue was born in Thurber and had been a resident of Odessa since 1972.

Services will be at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in Odessa with Baker Funeral Home in Odessa in charge of arrangements. Burial will be at Eastland Cemetery.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Ken Holt of Midland; a son, Neil Pogue of Midland, Calif.; and 11 grandchildren.

J.Y. 'Ike' Robb

BIG SPRING — Services for J.Y. 'Ike' Robb, 66, of Big Spring will be at 2 p.m. today in the Valley-Pickel Rosewood Chapel here with burial in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He died Wednesday at a Big Spring hospital following an illness.

Robb was born in 1914 in Big Spring where he had lived all his life. He was part owner and general manager of the local business and only recently retired from active management. He was a member of the Baptist Church and the Elks Lodge.

He attended Big Spring schools and was a member of the Big Spring High School class of 1936. He lettered in football, basketball and track.

Robb was an all Southwest Confer-

ence guard in 1950 at Southern Methodist University. He served in the Naval Reserve.

He was named Outstanding Young Man of Big Spring in 1964 and was president of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce in 1965.

Robb was a member of First United Methodist Church and the pastor's class of First Baptist Church. He was married to Betty Cannon in 1952.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, J.Y. Robb III, Bennett Robb and Scott Robb, all of Dallas; and a sister, Janet O'Bryan of Odessa.

Juan R. Subia

BIG SPRING — Services for Juan R. Subia, 65, of Big Spring will be at 2 p.m. today in Sacred Heart Catholic Church here with burial in Mount Olive Memorial Park directed by Valley-Pickel Funeral Home.

He died Wednesday in a Big Spring hospital following a brief illness.

Subia was born March 8, 1895, in Ojinaga, Mexico. He was married to Luz Gonzales in 1919 in Marfa. They moved to Big Spring in 1923 from Marfa. Subia was a retired grocer and carpenter, and was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; seven daughters, Eloisa Hernandez of Odessa, Triana Cockran of Midland, Olivia Parras, Concha De Leon and Helen Martinez, all of Big Spring, Anselma Mata of Fort Worth and Cruz Barrera of Lubbock; four sons, A.G. Subia of Merced, Calif., and Cisto "Sam" Subia, Johnny Subia Jr. and Raymond Subia, all of Big Spring; 53 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild.

W.G. 'Bub' Pettit

CRANE — Services for William Gray "Bub" Pettit, 75, of Crane will be at 11 a.m. Friday in Larry D. Sheppard Funeral Home chapel here with the Rev. Stanley Wilson of First Baptist Church officiating.

Masonic graveside rites will follow in Crane Garden of Memories.

He died Wednesday in Crane following a lengthy illness.

Pettit was born June 21, 1904, in Mississippi. He was married to Annie Lou Hodge Dec. 29, 1923, in Merkel. She died Sept. 24, 1970. Pettit had lived in Crane since 1934. He was a retired gangbuster for Gulf Oil Co., and a member of First Baptist Church of Crane and Masonic Lodge No. 1262 of Crane.

Survivors include a daughter,

Louise Mathis of Crane; two sons, Bobby Pettit and Chester W. Pettit, both of Crane; three sisters, Thelma Thorpe of Arlington, Inez Cornelius of Eastland and Louise Meeks of Slaton; a brother, C.W. Pettit of Lawton, Okla.; 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Pettit was preceded in death by a son, William Harold Pettit.

Joe W. Parsons

Services for Joe W. Parsons, 48, 3318 Louisiana Ave., will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in St. Paul United Methodist Church with the Rev. James Holman, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park, directed by Newbie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Parsons died Wednesday in a Midland hospital following a brief illness.

Parsons was born Nov. 14, 1931, in Tuscaloosa, Ala., and was reared there. He entered the Navy after World War II, and after his discharge he returned to Tuscaloosa and worked for a milk company for two years. He moved to Midland in December of 1951 and went to work with the Borden Co. In January of 1980, he had 28 years service with Borden's. He was married to Dorothy Jean Abston Aug. 24, 1952, in Midland. He was a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Fedda Loftis of Dallas and Kathy Parsons and June Parsons, both of Midland; a brother, Mickey Parsons of Austin; and an aunt, uncle and several nieces.

Bernard Houston

STANTON — Services for Bernard Tom Houston, 58, of Stanton will be at 2 p.m. Friday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Rosary will be said at 7 p.m. tonight in Gilbreath Funeral Home here. Burial will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Houston died Wednesday in a Lubbock hospital after a sudden illness.

Intense efforts used

on Tito's heart condition

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Previously undescribed "intensive measures" being used on gravely ill President Josip Broz Tito involve efforts to help his heart, the Yugoslav news agency Tanjug said today.

He was born Aug. 13, 1921, in Glascock County. He married Isabel Cox May 5, 1945, in Oakland, Calif. Houston was a farmer and rancher. He was also co-owner of the Stanton Chemical Co. and manager of the Courtney Gin.

Houston was a navy veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Cattleman's Association and the Independent Ginners Association. He was a former member of the Lion's Club.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Kenneth Tom Houston and Randall Scott Houston, both of Stanton; four sisters, Eleanor Poe of Stanton, Zora Lou Winslow of Midland, Sue Carson of Big Spring and Janice Loyd of Wendall, Idaho, and a brother, Fred Houston of Vernon.

The family requests memorials be made to the Heart Association.

George Boswell

George E. Boswell, 77, 2800 Midland Drive, died this morning in a Midland hospital following a brief illness.

Rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Newbie W. Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Cliff Blackburn of St. Ann's Catholic Church officiating. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Ellis chapel with the Rev. Blackburn officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Boswell was born July 28, 1902, in Grove, Ga., and he was reared in Davidsonville, Md. He moved to Mitchellville, Md., in 1924, where he farmed until 1977 when he moved to Midland. He was a retired tobacco farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Boswell; a son, Ellsworth Boswell of Midland; a sister, Annie Louise Biting of Tampa, Fla.; and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to Christmas in April in care of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

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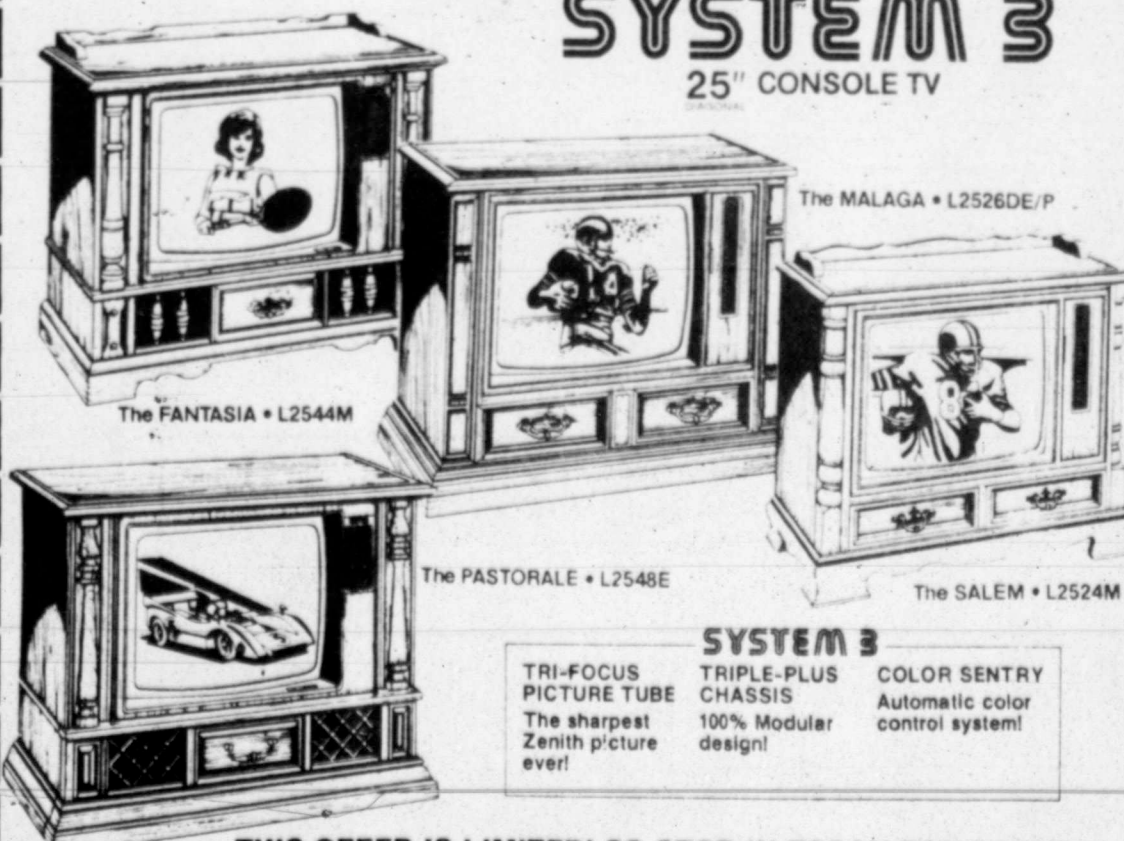
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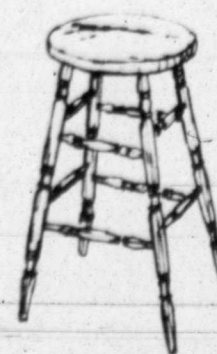
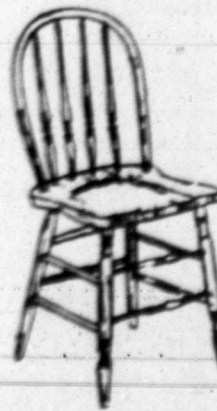
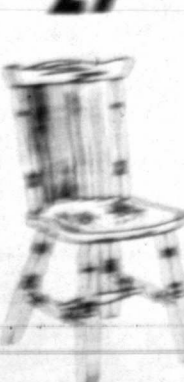
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Station serves up more than service

MIDKIFF — Wiley Bob Whisman was on the telephone trying to get the long-distance operator. He tried and tried, but he was getting nowhere.

"You mean we're just stranded in Midkiff, Texas?" he asked the party on the other end of the line.

He was dismayed but was not particularly surprised.

"Sometimes it works fine; sometimes it don't," Whisman said, as he looked up from his yellow telephone with the Mickey Mouse mount. He was "at home" in the clutter of the filling station office at Midkiff — the old Hadacol Corner of the oil boom 1950s.

Moments later, he got somebody else on the line.

"Yes, ma'am, I need to talk to the operator real bad."

Foiled again.

Whisman, playing the role of a helping friend, was trying to get ahold of the E.J. Hot Oil Co. down at Big Lake, about 50 miles away. His friend, David Fulton, had a flat on his hot-oil truck, and needed to find out what the company wanted him to do about it.

The party on the other end of the line told Whisman she'd try to make the connection; so, he hung up the phone and started to get along with his work about the filling station.

"The operator said she'd call me back right away, and that may be tomorrow," he reckoned.

He had to call some sort of trouble-shooting type at Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in San Antonio to try to make the Big Lake connection.

Whisman, who either works hard or just "shoots the breeze" when not much is doing, left the office to find work, whatever that might have been, from filling gasoline tanks, to fixing flats to welding a trailer hitch or a tractor part.

But his yellow telephone rang before he could get started.

It was the long-distance operator, and Whisman and Fulton got things squared away.

"What did you do to get an operator?" asked a semi-amazed Fulton.

"Oh, I don't know," mused Whisman. "I guess I conned the (telephone) supervisor into letting me talk to the operator."

Outside the station, Whisman's hired hand, Francisco Alvarado, was laboring to loosen the 10 lugs on the inner dual wheel of Fulton's hot-oil truck. He had loosened seven nuts during the time Whisman and Fulton were haggling with the Bell System. Three lugs were stuck.

So, Whisman picked up a steel mallet and firmly struck the lugs. Then, he grabbed hold of a steel rod, about as long as he is tall, inserted it onto a lug wrench Alvarado had placed on a lug, used it as a lever, and heaved and grunted. The nut loosened.

He did the same on the second lug. And it squeaked and turned.

On the third lug, he grunted twice, but nothing gave. He walked away. He had more success with the operator.

Then, Fulton threw his 175 pounds and his strength onto the steel lever. The torque he produced caused the lug to squeak and to loosen. And Alvarado went about his chore of replacing the flat tire.

Back in the station, a motley group of farmers, ranchers

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and oil-field hands had gathered to while away the time over idle talk, cool, soft drinks, and pinches of tobacco snuff.

The gathering included Clarence Hill, who retired from the oil patch after laboring 45 years; Dwight Fredricks, who ranches; Jimmy Kennedy, an oilfield pumper; Malcolm Brown, a farmer; Roy Henderson, a Hereford cattle breeder and rancher; and Whisman.

Talk shifted from farming, to ranching, to the weather, to politics, to the water — Midkiff's brackish water, which is hardly drinkable; that's why so many folks drink those bottled and canned beverage and jug water and shun the underground water. Midkiff's water is not a health drink, but, then again, neither is the water at Rankin, McCamey or Midland.

Hill, sitting in a non-rocking rocking chair, added a pinch of spice to the conversation. He said he gets a kick out of asking those of the younger generation if they ever heard of a "hayburner." Most will say "no."

A hayburner is a horse, which decades ago farmers used for plowing, planting and cultivating before the chugging tractor came along and largely replaced the workhorse and mule.

"When one of them (hayburners) back-fired," the amused Hill recalled, "we didn't know if it would be a blank or a slug."

Hill dropped the hayburner line, and Kennedy took up with water talk. He prefers fresh rainwater to anything piped from underground around here. But unpolluted rainwater isn't as common as hay.

"Once a year, we get a good shower and hope it lasts all year," he jested.

The tap water here is so saline that no one has to add salt to the pinto-beans. Not many people drink it.

"We don't have to buy salt as long as we live here," Brown allowed.

Whisman mentioned a cow swap. He sold eight head of cattle and made enough money to buy six.

"That's the kind of cow jockey I am," he joked.

He and Brown got into a cattle deal, and tried to sell the cattle at a reasonable price. No luck.

"If we had jacked up the price \$150 to \$200," Whisman figured, "I think we could have sold them. As cheap as they were, nobody would touch them."

Then, Brown, who's working at staying afloat as a farmer in these days of wild-horse inflation, said it's no easy task.

"The only thing that keeps me in business is inflation," he reckoned.

Inflation has increased the value of his land, and he can get more and more loan money. But that's getting him nowhere.

"It's more money involved, but I'm not getting any gain," he sighed. But his spirits were intact. If they are to survive, farmers, like ranchers, have to be optimistic.

The tone of the jawing turned to politics. And that's something Whisman knows something about: he's a two-time loser in bids for an Upton County commissioner's place. But he carried Midkiff, which pleased him, and lost out over at Rankin and McCamey.

"I'll tell you," the would-be politician said, "I had rather lose the election and carry Midkiff than lose Midkiff and win the election."

Finally, the black-hatted, snuff-taking rancher, Dwight Fredricks, touched on the perennial topic: rain.

"Ah, hell, when is it going to rain, Malcolm?" he asked farmer Brown.

"Oh, I've been looking for it to rain for three or four months now," the bearded farmer replied.

"If it don't," surmised the rancher, "the cattle market is going to be down, and we were going to buy some more cattle, but...."



Just shooting the breeze at Midkiff, at the site of the old Hadacol Corner, are, from left, rancher Dwight Fredricks, oil-field pumper Jimmy Kennedy, farmer Ervin

Brown, farmer Malcolm Brown and filling-station operator Wiley Bob Whisman and the little black dog. (Staff Photo by Ed Todd)

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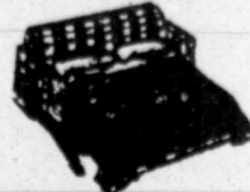
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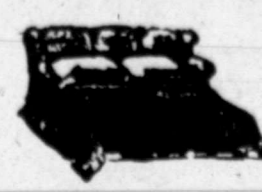
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The passage of the bond issue was also most rewarding. It now gives the School Board the opportunity to get on with the business of education, which, of course, is our primary function. I do remember my pledges concerning academics, taxes, public relations, discipline, and the other items mentioned in my campaign and will strive to fulfill these goals.

The greatest feeling of all is to know that we live in a free country and have the opportunity to vote for our beliefs and see them through to their completion. I pledge that you will have my 100% support in working with the new Board in the firm hope that our schools will continually improve. I have been informed that the first School Board meeting will be held on April 15, 1980, and I will be there ready to go to work.

A special thanks to my wife, Susan, and my family for their extra support during the past weeks.

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Cuban evacuation soon?

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Peru's foreign minister said the evacuation of the 10,000 Cubans from his country's embassy in Havana may begin soon, and Peru will take "as many as possible."

"If we get the agreement of the Cuban government, I expect that these people will be able to leave Cuba very rapidly and very smoothly," Foreign Minister Arturo Garcia y Garcia said.

Garcia met past midnight Wednesday with his counterparts from the other Andean Pact nations — Bolivia, Venezuela, Ecuador and Colombia — to discuss permanent refuge for the Cubans.

Peruvian Foreign Ministry officials said Colombia, Costa Rica and Canada had agreed to take some of the refugees.

They said the embassy staff in Havana had begun collecting the names of the Cubans, and asking them about their backgrounds and why they wanted to leave.

Ministry sources also said that a child at the embassy was grazed in the hand by a bullet fired by Cuban troops who opened up on a man who attempted to drive his car into the 20-acre compound Wednesday.

Cubans flocked to the compound last weekend

after the government withdrew its security force because one guard was killed at the embassy on April 1 when six people crashed a bus through the gate, seeking asylum inside. They joined 18 others who had forced their way inside earlier asking for refuge.

The Cuban government has called the throng at the embassy "vagrants and bums," and said it was willing for them to emigrate. However, it has restored the guard force at the embassy and said the two dozen who first sought asylum are criminals who will not be allowed to go.

Cuban authorities are supplying food and sanitary facilities for the thousands at the embassy and have allowed the Red Cross to set up a field clinic there, according to Robert Jordan, a spokesman for the U.S. interest section at the Swiss Embassy in Havana.

State Department officials in Washington have said they would consider applications from refugees who managed to reach Lima, the probable first stop after evacuation.

President Carter said Wednesday he sympathized with the Cubans' desire to flee Fidel Castro's communist regime, but made no commitment on accepting refugees.

Carter promotes increased private role in Caribbean

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter is banking on the American private sector to counter "Cuban adventurism" in the Caribbean and to protect vital U.S. strategic interests in that area.

Speaking to a gathering of business leaders and diplomats Wednesday night at the White House, Carter said Caribbean countries tempted to emulate the Cuban model should pay heed to recent signs of widespread discontent in Cuba.

"We see the hunger of the people on that island to escape," Carter said. "Our hearts go out to the 10,000 Cubans who have entered the gate at the Peruvian embassy this week."

The occasion for Carter's remarks was the launching of Caribbean-Central American Action, a private group set up at the president's request to promote

U.S. investment and academic contacts in the area.

U.S. expertise in business, agriculture and other fields can help Caribbean nations overcome accelerating economic problems and regain political stability, Carter said.

To abandon the area, Carter said, would make possible the "intrusion of outside forces in the Caribbean." He warned that discontent throughout the area has "created an open avenue for Cuban adventurism."

Last January, Carter said he did not consider it necessary to define the Caribbean as a vital U.S. interest, but Wednesday night he declared the region is of "extreme strategic importance" to the United States.

46 killed in attack of warlords

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Thailand (AP) — Factional fighting erupted today among Cambodian warlords in a sprawling refugee shantytown along the border, and Thai officers reported 46 persons killed and as many as 170 wounded.

Thai troops deployed tanks and armored cars just inside their border but held their fire during the daylong battle, the latest outbreak of fighting in Camp 204 that houses some 60,000 refugees along the Thai-Cambodian frontier.

The dead included 40 Cambodians, almost all of them civilians caught in the cross-fire.



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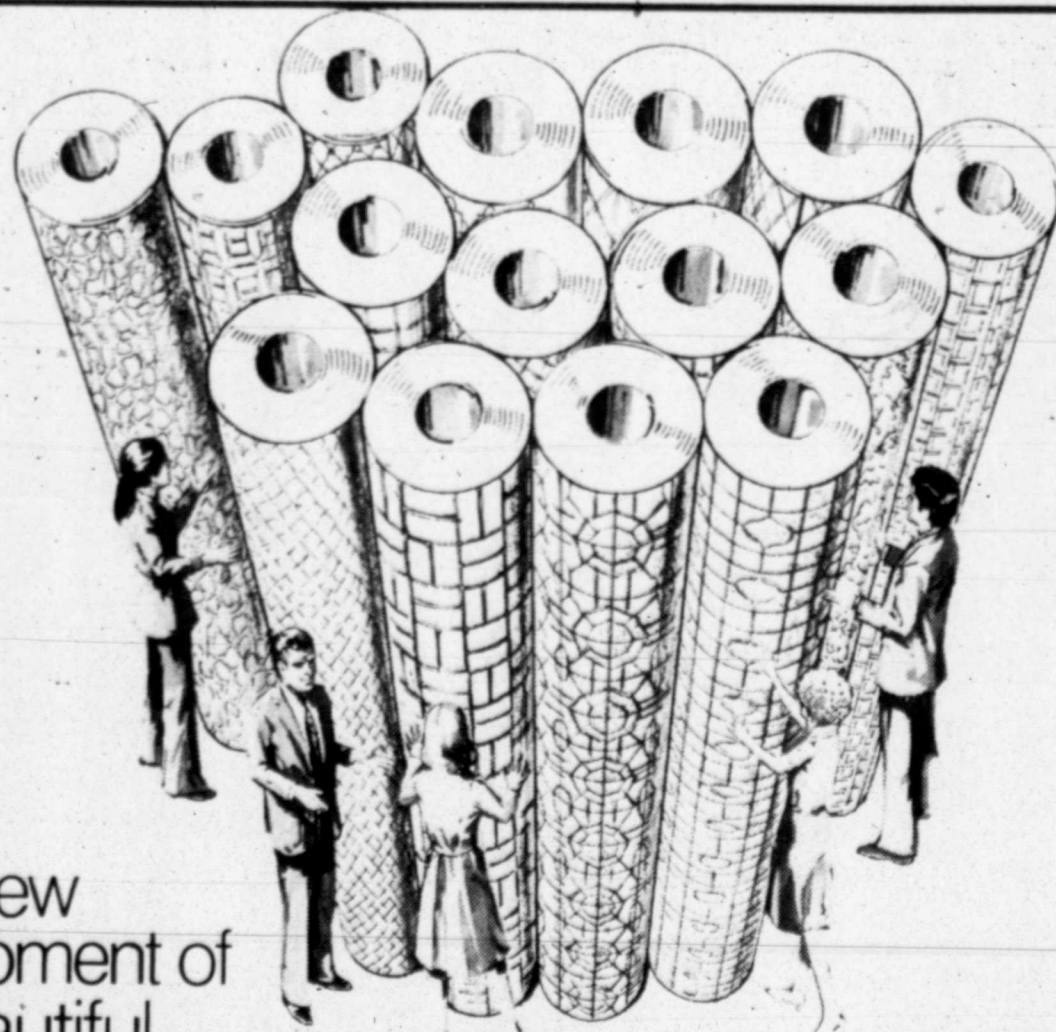
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Mom named Ms. Photogenic

LAS VEGAS (AP) — A Las Vegas mother competing in her first beauty contest captured the Ms. Photogenic USA crown in a pageant at the Dunes Hotel and Country Club here Wednesday night.

Beverly Mauldin, 23, won the title in a show featuring contestants from every state. The winner splits a \$10,000 cash prize with the two runners-up.

The Austin, Tex. native is the wife of a Las Vegas television salesman and mother of a 3-year-old son.

The 5-foot-8 inch honey blonde weighs 119 pounds and works as a model, appearing in several local television commercials.

Stabbed woman found inside furniture store

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Keys to a locked front door were found about 20 feet away and authorities say "blood and clothes were everywhere" from there to a back room, where the nude, mutilated body of a 25-year-old woman was found Wednesday night in a furniture store.

A pathologist sought to determine today if Sherry Lynn Welch, 25, of Canyon, was raped or otherwise sexually molested before she died from repeated knife wounds to the back as she fought off her attacker.

Her body was found lying face down in a designer furniture store, "Reflec-

tions," where she worked in Wolfing Village, a southwest Amarillo shopping center.

Potter County Justice Roy E. Byrd said Mrs. Welch was stabbed 16 times in the back and the wounds were as large as 2 inches wide.

"We could not tell how many wounds there were to the front, but you could tell she was fighting the knife. Looks like we have a maniac on the loose. Only a maniac would do that," he said.

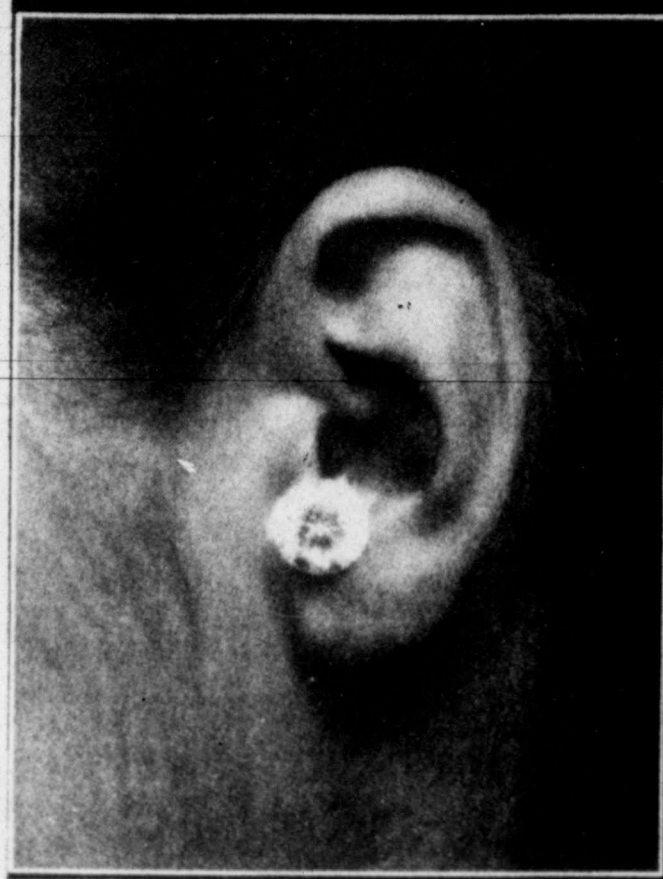
Byrd said the woman "was totally nude except for the collar of the blouse, which was still around her

neck."

The front door of the store was locked, apparently at the normal closing time of 5:30 p.m., and detectives said they were unsure whether she opened the door for the killer or whether she was met inside the building by someone who was hiding inside when she locked the doors.

The keys were lying on the floor nearby, and her ravaged, blood-spattered clothes were found in a path leading to the back room. Byrd said it appeared robbery was not a motive, because the victim's wallet, purse and rings were by the body.

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Trainer indicted in pickle case

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Laughing and joking at his hearing here, Richard Quincy Williams was ordered to be on a flight to San Diego today to face arraignment on federal grand jury charges of extorting diamonds by poisoning food in supermarkets.

In an indictment returned by a San Diego grand jury Wednesday, the 46-year-old horse trainer was charged with committing four counts of interference with commerce by threats or violence last month.

At his appearance here Wednesday, U.S. Magistrate Ralph Geffen ordered Williams transferred to San Diego and Williams waived his rights to further hearings in Los Angeles.

Williams was charged with putting cyanide in a jar of pickles in a La Jolla Safeway store and

attaching a note demanding diamonds in exchange for the identification of other poisoned items in the store. No other poisoned items were found.

Another Safeway Store, in Pacific Beach, was struck 24 hours later when a caller warned that a bottle of teriyaki sauce contained cyanide. The demand for 50 diamonds was later increased to 100 but was never paid.

Williams was also accused of trying to extort diamonds from a La Jolla jewelry store by leaving a package on the counter and later telephoning the store to say it contained a bomb. No bomb was found.

When the indictment was handed down, Williams was in federal custody in Los Angeles as federal agents investigated a poisoned salad

dressing incident in Palm Desert. In that case, money was dropped and a person showed up but eluded capture.

Williams had been held in Los Angeles on \$200,000 bail since his arrest. "Since he was arrested in our district, he had the right to appear before a magistrate in our district," said Assistant U.S. Attorney Rick Flam said. "If the indictment hadn't come, we had anticipated asking if he wanted an identity hearing or to challenge the search warrant, several procedural things."

While waiting nearly an hour for his hearing to begin, Williams told his wife, "I've lost 30 pounds in 18 days." He grinned and laughed as he chatted with his wife, his lawyer and federal marshals.

"My pants are falling

down," Williams said as he tugged at his loose jail trousers and stood to face the magistrate.

Williams had been acquitted of charges in a similar poisoned food extortion plot two weeks before his arrest in the current cases. His earlier case stemmed from the poisoning of an orange and a box of cereal last May at a Sun City Safeway.

A day after his acquittal in that case, another poisoned food extortion plot surfaced in Beaverton, Ore.

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CHULA VISTA, Calif. (AP) — Police are trying to learn why a car carrying six persons went off an embankment, overturned and landed in the 24th Street Channel, killing all inside.

There was no indication of foul play, officers said, but when asked if the driver could have unknowingly driven into the channel, a police spokesman said, "not unless he tried to."

The San Diego County coroner's office said the cause of death would be established today, although it was presumed the victims had drowned.

The victims were identified by the coroner's office as Irma Maga, 16, of National City and her 14-

year-old sister, Isabel Maga. Also killed were Amado Beltran, 15, Alfredo Hernandez, 16, and Alfonso Veral, 20, all of National City, and Oscar Gonzalez, 28, who was reportedly visiting from Mexico.

Veral was identified by police as the owner of the

1967 blue Chevrolet Impala.

The car was spotted by a sheriff's helicopter on routine patrol shortly before noon Wednesday, police said. It was not immediately known how long the car had been in the water, according to a coroner's spokesman.

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Golden State offers dream

SAN DIEGO (AP) — For some new residents of California, the Golden State dream becomes more of a nightmare as they face the rude awakening that life is not the simple thing it used to be back home.

A San Diego psychologist concerned with this "cross-cultural shock" is offering a program of transplant therapy called "Californianization," for those having trouble adapting to the standards and complexities of the state.

Roman Crystal, 29, a clinical psychologist born in Europe and raised in 11 different countries, started his unique treatment 2½ years ago while working with shy and passive people. Crystal noticed a pattern among his patients — many were newcomers to the state.

"Some of these people weren't shy and passive back home," he said in a recent interview. "But as soon as they came to California they changed."

"Back home, they were secure and outgoing. They never even thought about seeking professional help because they didn't need it."

When Crystal launched his Californianization therapy, most of his patients were from Europe. But now the majority of the 60 patients currently in the program come from the East Coast and Midwest.

Crystal has several theories as to why his patients have trouble adapting to California culture, which he says usually leads to deeper psychological problems.

One is simple, old-fashioned disappointment.

"Normally, before moving to California, a person has high expectations of California life," observes Crystal, adding that the state's casual, outdoor lifestyle "looks so relaxed and easy."

And he says some people move to California with the idea that they can escape from their problems in what he calls "the land of opportunity."

But these disillusioned migrants discover all too quickly that California is not Shangri-La. The fantasy which led to one of the biggest decisions of their life is shattered, and usually after it's too late.

Another factor behind California cultural shock, Crystal says, is the paradox of California chumminess. On the outside, Californians may seem friendlier than other folks, but the friendliness often is superficial, which confuses a newcomer perhaps used to deeper relationships.

"Because of the large number of people in California, a person doesn't have much time for one or two. You give your time to many people," Crystal says.

"In California, you call someone a friend who you see once every six months. You do not have the same closeness you have in the East or Midwest."

"In California, a person says 'I'm your friend' because he doesn't want to be lonely. We have to have a few people around us... although none of them are real friends," Crystal notes.

And if real friendships are hard to come by in California, the psychologist says, new relationships are even more traumatic for those used to the way things were back home.

"In California, we are not emotional people," he says. "We can simply have a good time with someone. You can go skiing with your girlfriend over the weekend and come back on Sunday and say, 'OK, we had a good time. I'll see you.' And if you don't call her up in two or three weeks, it's fine."

This can lead to disillusionment in many instances for the newcomer, Crystal says.

He cites the example of a man in the military who falls in love with a California girl, showers her with flowers and candy and calls her every day. He says the man may get the mistaken impression that he is going steady with the woman, and it comes as quite a shock when he discovers she is dating others.

And what of the person who just can't adapt?

"The person who's facing (adaptation) problems and doesn't do anything about it will never become Californian," says Crystal. "So he isolates himself more and more until he becomes a loner. He develops other problems such as a fear of talking to people, a fear of open places, all types of phobias."

Crystal's Californianization therapy program generally lasts about 11 weeks, with patients meeting with the psychologist privately at first and later going on to group therapy if needed.

"We're successful," Crystal says, "because we're doing something about a problem which hasn't developed into a difficult problem to work with."

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AT WIT'S END

It's all in the day of a mother

By ERMA BOMBECK

I'm always amused by my Dad, who is forever being astounded by what women can do in the field of sports.

UTPB student in tourney

ODESSA — Danella Souter of Coahoma, a junior speech major at The University of Texas at the Permian Basin, will represent the university at the national tournament of the American Forensics Association in Colorado Springs, Colo. Thursday through Sunday.

Ms. Souter and several other members of the UTPB forensics team took top honors at the Province Tournament of Pi Kappa Delta National Forensics Fraternity in Shreveport, La., recently. The team placed ninth among 23 schools entered in the five-state competition.

Ms. Souter and Lana Perkins, a junior literature major of Andrews, won first place in dramatic duo interpretation. Cleo Watson, a senior majoring in mass communication from Odessa, received an award of excellence in group discussion.

The best of UTPB's forensics competition will be presented in the Coffeehouse on campus at noon Tuesday. The presentation is free and open to the public and will include informal presentation of excerpts of poetry interpretation, prose interpretation and dramatic duo interpretation.

Bride-elect feted

A bridal shower honoring bride-elect Kelly Jean Cunningham and her fiancé Jay H. Shaw was held at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

Hostess was Mrs. Mary Harvard who was assisted by her daughters Mitzi Harvard, Rachael Havard and Moana Valdes of Del Rio.

Honored guests were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Marilyn Shepherd; Shaw's mother, Mrs. Donna Shaw; and Mrs. O. B. Coleman, Shaw's grandmother.

The refreshment table was set with a crystal flowing fountain of blue and white silk flowers and blue crystal umbrellas.

The couple plans an April 19 wedding at 6 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

Victorian home is now a law office

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) — What William Graham likes best about his new, 95-year-old office is that it doesn't look like a law office at all.

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The Victorian mansion has a commanding position on a hill overlooking the downtown area.

Scientist says diseases once common vanishing

ATLANTA (AP) — the public health goal is to eliminate it by the end of 1982.

At one time, almost everyone had the measles. Because of immunization, however, there are now generally only about 25,000 cases a year.

Vaccination also has reduced the levels of the once-common diseases of polio, tetanus, whooping cough and diphtheria, and smallpox has been wiped out.

Measles is now considered the most threatening of childhood contagious diseases, says Dr. William H. Foege, and "This is really a testi-

monial to what is happening in our own time," Foege said in an interview.

"Smallpox is one which we can safely say that we will never see again. Polio is a disease which most doctors will never see again."

Home Furnishing News



By Terry Hodges

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THE BUTCHER

Brisket is good cut of meat at a fairly reasonable price

By MERLE ELLIS

There is no more juicy or delicious cut of beef in the world than brisket. It's not the most tender cut of beef, but it is one with more rich flavor than most, and properly prepared, it can provide some marvelous meals at a pretty reasonable price.

The brisket is the lower chest and is to the beef animal what the breast is to any other, coming from just beneath the front leg. Most of the beef briskets in the world end up as corned beef, and that's an enviable end for any brisket. But more and more these days, you are apt to find fresh briskets available in your butcher's meat case, and they should not be overlooked by any consumer concerned with great beef flavor at a good price.

Usually the fresh brisket is sold boneless, fairly well-trimmed of ex-

cess fat and divided into two halves (each selling at a different price). The "flat cut" or "center cut" will be the more expensive, since it consists of one solid muscle with very little internal fat. The "point cut" is usually less expensive and, because of a little more internal fat, a lot more flavorful.

Your best brisket buy is the whole untrimmed "sub-primal brisket." This cut comes to market these days, as do most beef cuts, vacuum-packed in boxes (Boxed Beef). In any market where you see fresh brisket ("flat cut" or "point cut") displayed in the meat case, you can probably save some money if you'll ring the bell and ask the butcher if he will sell you a whole untrimmed "sub-primal brisket" right out of the box.

In some markets, I have seen whole bris-

kets, still in their vacuum-packaging and displayed in the meat case "on special," selling for as much as a dollar a pound less than the same cut trimmed and cut in half. For that kind of money, it's worth doing the trimming and cutting yourself.

A whole sub-primal brisket will weigh approximately 8 to 10

pounds. If it is heavier than that, it probably has what is called the "deckle" — a piece of waste fat on the underside — left on. A "deckle on" brisket may not be a good buy even at a good price, because of the excess waste in trimming, but most "sub-primal briskets" are sold "deckle-off." If you have any doubts, ask the butcher.

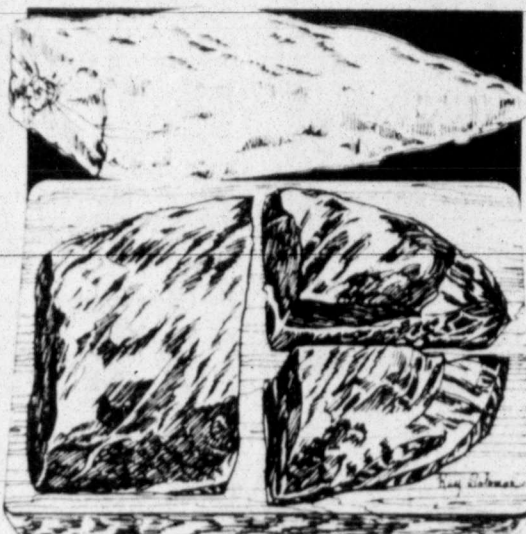
There are dozens of things to be done with a brisket. First, trim off the excess fat, but do leave some — the fat is what gives the cut its good, rich beefy flavor. Then divide it into pieces to fit your family's needs.

The "flat-cut" half of the brisket can be cut into thin strips for braising, cubes for stew, or left whole for a great oven barbecue. The "point-cut" makes a marvelous boiled dinner or pot roast. Any part of the brisket can be used to make your own corned beef. And, if you do it right, the brisket makes one of the most flavorful oven roasts you've ever tasted.

Here are two things to do with brisket:

OVEN ROASTED BRISKET

Coarsely chop an



Fresh breeze finally blowing in American cooking

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

A fresh breeze is blowing over the land of cookery — thank heaven!

For years now, a good many writers on food have urged Americans to be serious, dedicated cooks. If we didn't attack kitchen work with grim intensity, we were considered laggards. It was up to us to bone up on French haute cuisine and other complicated foreign food techniques. As a result, lots of people in the U.S. joined the "I-hate-to-cook" cult.

But times are changing. Some of the books about food published in 1979 are fun to cook from, fun to read.

"French Cooking For People Who Can't" by Julia Hayes is by a high-school teacher (biology

and physical science) who gives French cooking classes at night. She subtitled her book "a slightly irreverent primer." It's just the antidote for the grim, serious, dedicated cook approach. Her wit, though occasionally corny, is enjoyable; and her informative introductions to recipes, her choice of many of the dishes, and her clear cooking directions are worthwhile. This Connecticut author had seven years of learning about French cooking when she lived in France with her sculptor husband, David Hayes. Cooks who use her book should be able to present some lovely French meals and enjoy doing so.

In "My Stomach Goes Traveling" by Walter

Slezak, the stage- and screen-star author has done Julie Hayes one better; he subtitled his book "An irreverent approach to the holy art of cooking." Jean Kerr, who contributed the book's foreword, writes that Slezak's "... stories are so charming and outrageous that you keep on reading and reading." I feel the same way. And the recipes, gathered from the repertoires of a number of countries, make me want to run into the kitchen and try them. No wonder Walter Slezak has a reputation among his friends as a wonderful cook.

"From My Mother's Kitchen" by Mimi Sheraton is a lovely and witty cookbook. The author grew up in Brooklyn, N.Y., in a family of Aus-

tro-Polish-Rumanian- around the U.S.A. It lists Jewish background eating places, from farmhouse good food was of most importance. When the family weren't spots, in 50 of our most eating, they were planning traveled cities. In each city the places to eat are great skill. Mimi Sheraton has packed that Deal (major, first-class household's pleasure in restaurants); International; Specialty Cooking good food into her book. The recipes range from appetizers to desserts and most come from the author's relatives — particularly her mother, no mean cook, ing, Not Worth It, you get the lowdown on the Big Deal restaurants that kosher cookbook, many don't make the grade." of the recipes are for No roundup of books traditional Jewish about gastronomic pleasures; others are entire- sure would be complete American. Nowadays without "American there is much general in- Fried" and "Alice, Let's terest in Jewish cookery. Eat" by Calvin Trillin. Maybe the spread of Trillin, who has been bagels-and-lox and called the "galloping cream cheese around the gourmand," is the man country helped awaken whose U.S. Journal it. Whatever the reason pieces regularly adorn the curiosity, Mimi "The New Yorker." In Sheraton's reminis- "American-Fried" — he cences and recipes celebrates such offerings should aid in satisfying as barbecued spareribs, country ham, chili and hamburgers and the best is Morocco, who has places to find them. In made 10 cross-country "Alice, Let's Eat" he trips, to review the new goes further afield and edition of "Where to Eat finds the best potato in America," edited by latkes in London and William Rice and Burton Wolf. Her comment: at in Martinique. No one "It's fun to read because it's written informally writes about the plea- the bush. I certainly sures of eating with would have found it use- greater freshness and ful when I was traveling humor.

Special recipes for diabetics featured in new cookbooks

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

Readers who have asked me to give recipes suitable for diabetics will be interested in two new cookbooks.

"Cooking Creatively for Your Diabetic Child" by Caroline Hastings Babington is for parents who have trouble enticing their diabetic child to stick to the bland diet usually prescribed.

The author is a home economist and nutritionist with a practical knowledge of the subject of her book — she has a diabetic child. Recipes are offered for daily meals, including school lunches, as well as for snacks and festive occasions. Also included is major information from the American Diabetes Association.

The 10-year-old "The Diabetic Gourmet" by Dr. Angela Bowen is here in a revised edition. The author, a longtime diabetic researcher, explains three diabetic diets — sugar-free, altered fat and food exchange — plus how to change recipes to suit diabetics. The wide range of recipes — from appetizers to desserts — are designed for the whole family.

Here's Angela Bowen's recipe for Oatmeal Cookies, made with egg whites rather than whole eggs. Don't expect the cookies to be chock-full of oatmeal — they have a light and delicious flavor.

Dr. BOWEN'S OATMEAL COOKIES

1½ cups fork-stirred all-purpose flour
2 tps. baking powder
½ tsp. salt
½ cup margarine
1½ cups quick-cooking oats
½ cup sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
4 egg whites
½ cup skim milk
½ cup raisins
½ cup chopped (medium fine) walnuts

On wax paper stir together the flour, baking powder and salt. In a medium saucepan or metal bowl over low heat melt the margarine. Off heat stir in the oats, sugar and vanilla. In a small bowl beat the egg whites only until frothy; stir into the oats mixture. Stir in the flour mixture in 3 additions, alternately with the milk, just until blended. Stir in the raisins and nuts. Drop by level tablespoonfuls, a few inches apart, onto lightly greased cookie sheets. Bake in a preheated 375-degree oven until lightly browned on undersides — 10 to 12 minutes. Makes about 4 dozen. Adapted from the revised edition of "The Diabetic Gourmet" by Angela Bowen, M.D.

Dr. Bowen points out that the "total recipe contains: 381 grams carbohydrate, 63 grams protein and 170 grams fat."

Lime juice gives egg good flavor

By JOHN SINOR
Copley News Service

The sun came back but the nights are still chilly. I got up shivering and fixed some black coffee and a couple of eggs for breakfast.

I looked in the refrigerator and couldn't find a single lime. A pity. A little lime juice on the breakfast egg gives it a bit of a Mexican kick. I had a dwarf lime tree on the sundeck until it died a couple of years ago. I could walk out the glass doors and pick one for my breakfast egg.

And I saved the peel for the 5 o'clock twist.

The real Mexican eggs are on the menu as Huevos Rancheros — ranch eggs.

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3. After you've selected ten items from ten different San Miguel Square shops, have a merchant total your shopping list and deposit it in the official entry box located by the cash register in every shop in the Square. REMEMBER: All ten items of merchandise must be entered on the shopping list in the same day. However, you may enter as many shopping lists as you like during the month long "Shopping Spree." All shopping lists must be deposited in an entry box before 1:00 p.m., Saturday, April 26, 1980.
4. On Friday, March 28, 1980, the President of the San Miguel Square Merchant Association selected at random a dollar amount between \$1,000 and \$1,500, and sealed it in an envelope. At 3:00 p.m., on Saturday, April 26, 1980, that envelope will be opened, revealing the sealed amount in dollars and cents. The shopping list whose total amount is closest to the selected amount entitles that participant to win all items listed, absolutely FREE! In case of a tie, the shopping list with the earliest date will be declared the winner.



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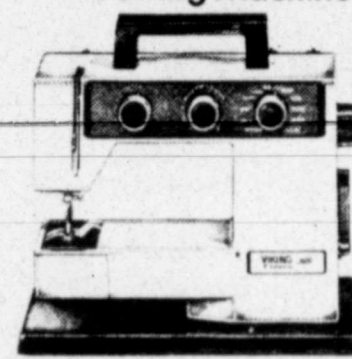
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Brownie Troop 430 will entertain persons attending the annual Girl Scout Fair Saturday with a puppet show. From left front are Dana Davis and Charlotte Reeves and from left back are Pam Cooper, Cari Forsyth and

Missy Ward. The fair will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Girl Scout Program Center, 901 W. Dengar Ave. Theme is "Friends — Old and New." (Staff Photo)

Girl Scouts Spring Fair to be held Saturday

The Midland Girl Scouts will hold their annual Spring Fair from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at the Girl Scout Program Center, 901 W. Dengar Ave.

Theme of this year's fair is "Friends — Old and New," with Scouts from neighboring communities invited to renew old camping friendships.

Purpose of the fair is to demonstrate to the community how the Girl Scouting program works through the four levels — Brownie, Junior, Cadet and Senior. Each troop in Midland will participate in some manner.

Entertainment will be provided by the Scouts on the Center's tennis courts. The schedule is as follows:

- 10:20-square dance by Troop 21.
- 10:30-songs by Troop 51.
- 10:45-western by Troop 211
- 11:00-Virginia Reel by Troop 378.
- 11:20-puppets by Troop 430.

- 11:30-songs by Troop 51.
- Switzerland by Troop 432.
- 12:00-disco by Troop 211.
- 12:30-fashion show by Troops 119 and 394.

Clothes for the style show will be provided by Dunlaps.

Most of the booths will provide demonstrations, but some will sell arts and crafts items. Food also will be made available by the Jupiter Neighborhood troops. There also will be a uniform exchange booth.

Admission is free to the public and two special prizes furnished by Dunlaps and Hydro-Gardens will be awarded at 1 p.m. It will not be necessary to be present to win.

Chairman for the Spring Fair, Jackie Hamilton, has issued a welcome to all friends of the Girl Scouts.

Kids concerned about packaging

DOBBS FERRY, N.Y. (AP) — What do children think about packaging?

Shopping in circles

NEW YORK (AP) — Shoppers may find themselves walking in more circles than usual if a shopping mall design used in Chile spreads to other countries.

The spiraling malls, called "caracols" (snails), are modeled after Frank Lloyd Wright's Guggenheim Museum here. The difference is that shops rather than art are spread along the winding center walkways around the circular core.

At Springhurst Elementary School here they reflected to a large degree what their parents would probably think, said a survey team leader.

The youngsters want more information on packages, they think packaging sometimes 'cheats' them, and they're concerned about the environmental impact.

The survey was done by Food & Drug Packaging magazine for a special issue celebrating its 20th anniversary.

DEAR ABBY

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: I share a one-bedroom flat with my girlfriend. (She is also a girl. We are both straight.)

About a month ago she asked me if her boyfriend could stay over for the weekend since I was leaving town. I said OK.

When I got back, the boyfriend didn't leave. Instead, he started sleeping on the sofa in the living room. Meanwhile my girlfriend was spending about half the night out there with him on the sofa and I had the bedroom (twin beds) to myself.

Now it turns out that the boyfriend lost his job and he is bunking with us — indefinitely. He's a nice enough guy, but it is very crowded with the three of us in this little flat.

He doesn't appear to be looking too hard for a job (he's getting unemployment) and frankly, I am fed up with this arrangement. He has been here exactly 30 days, and he never mentions moving.

How much longer should I let this go on before I say something?

— HAD IT IN BUFFALO

DEAR HAD IT: Give him until sundown tonight. Then tell your girlfriend AND her boyfriend that three is more of a crowd than you bargained for. The squeaking wheel gets the oil. So squeak!

DEAR ABBY: My brother's only son was killed two years ago. He was only 16, and his parents are still grieving for him. We never mention the boy's name unless they do, because we know how heartbroken they are. Now the problem:

A cousin recently had a baby boy. And what does she do? She goes ahead and names the baby after our brother's dead son. She and her husband thought they were "honoring" the dead boy by naming their son after him. I happen to think it was a cruel and thoughtless thing to do because now every time my brother and his wife hear that name they will think of the son they lost, and their grief will be renewed.

I can understand naming a child for a dead father or grandfather to perpetuate the family name, but a cousin? Please give me your opinion as I, too, am heartbroken. — LONE STAR STATE

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Mentally disabled teen facility OK

By DAVID CAMPBELL
Staff Writer

Permian Basin Regional Planning commissioners approved with favorable comment Wednesday a facility to help mentally disabled teenagers in Midland.

They also approved nine other projects, five of which requested money from the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

Radejo, Inc., a non-profit organization based in Abilene, requested \$70,000 from TDMHMR to establish the West Texas Center for Human Development at 2000 Main St. The organization said it will furnish \$160,352 toward the project with a total cost of \$230,352 to operate in the first year.

The Center would house 15 teen-agers, ages 14-21, who are diagnosed as having developmental disabilities such as mental retardation, autism and cere-

bral palsy. However, the proposal requires patients be capable of taking care of themselves.

Training in personal management, social development, household management, academic and job skills would be offered to the Center's patients. By the time patients reach their 22nd birthday, it is hoped that half would be able to obtain a job, according to the project.

Radejo, Inc. operates two other facilities in Abilene and Odessa. The proposal noted that the facility would accept patients statewide, but patients in the Permian Basin area would receive preference in placement.

Five other proposals requesting TDMHMR funds totaling \$201,316 were approved with favorable comment.

One of the five proposals is the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center in Big Spring. The center is seeking \$19,392 to aid in its "Big Help for Little Folk" project. The Big Spring Center said it would supply \$21,540 for the one-year plan.

Residents in Big Spring-Lamesa-Stanton-Sterling City-Loraine areas would be serviced by the project. After the first year of operation, the program would be able to help 35 children in the 0-2 year age group.

Children with diagnosed developmental disabilities would receive services in physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech pathology and audiology. Each child would have a treatment plan developed which would include four days of group activities per week and home visits by a trainer once every two weeks.

An occupational alcoholism services project requesting \$158,403 from the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism also met favorable approval from commissioners. The one-year program is designed to provide services to Midland, Ector and Pecos county residents with alcohol-related problems.

Besides providing in-patient and out-patient services, the project would work in conjunction with 14 businesses that have programs dealing with workers affected by alcohol abuse. It was estimated that once these 14 programs are in full operation some 6,000 people would be helped, the proposal added.

Because of the federal government's budget cutting procedures, commissioners were told that the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration

(LEAA) might be included in the cuts. The LEAA is responsible for providing area law enforcement agencies with some police equipment and the training of officers at local police academies.

It was reported that Gov. Bill Clements will be in Odessa sometime next week to hold a press conference to explain and support LEAA.

Other actions passed with favorable comment included a perinatal program in Odessa's Medical Center hospital, a referral and public education grant for the West Texas Epilepsy Association, a developmental disabilities grant application by the Permian Basin Community Centers for Mental Health and Mental Retardation for Pecos County, a resolution for regional citizen involvement plan, retired senior citizen volunteer plan for Big Spring and nominations of four people to the Human Resources Advisory Committee.

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Courses offered will be advanced lifesaving and water safety instructor.

The advanced lifesaving course will begin Monday from 6 to 8 p.m. and continue through April 25. This course will be taught by Red Cross authorized water safety instructors. Requirements are that the applicant be 15 years of age and pass a preliminary swim test.

The water safety instructor course will be conducted from 4 to 7 p.m. May 12-13 and from 4 to 8 p.m. May 16. A film session will be held from 9 a.m. to noon May 17 and from 4 to 8 p.m. May 19-May 21.

Mrs. Glen Carnett, water safety instructor trainer, stated the age requirement for this course is 17 years of age. And the applicant must hold a current Red Cross advanced lifesaving certificate.

Both courses will be held at the Midland High School swimming pool. Persons interested in enrolling in any of these courses should call the Midland Red Cross at 684-6161.

14 indictments returned

ODESSA — A special session of the Ector County grand jury returned 14 indictments against seven men in connection with the Feb. 24 seizure of more than three tons of marijuana near Odessa.

Indictments for conspiracy to deliver marijuana and possession of marijuana were returned against all seven.

Named in the grand jury indictments were Kenneth M. Meek, owner of the land where a cargo plane landed with more than 6,000 pounds of high-grade Columbian marijuana; Robert Lee Ross; Howard T. Atkins; Carlos Ibarra, believed to be a Cuban national; Humberto Nunez, 46, also thought to be a Cuban; Larry C. Foreman, and Richard Morley Stewart, 42.

Stewart and Nunez were two of three men arrested near where the large plane landed and where the marijuana, with an estimated street value of \$5 million to \$9 million, was found in a storage shed.

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MHS YOUTH CENTER CHATTER

April calendar at MHS filled with big events

By BECKY WILSON, ANGELA TOMPKINS
TRACY BEEBE and AMY DAVENPORT

Hey, mighty MHSers: Another week almost gone. Seniors, keep counting those days until we break out, but try to keep the senioritis down. We hope everyone had a safe and sober (?) Easter holiday with lots of chocolate Easter eggs and candy. The Seniors on the Junior Council had an eventful weekend in "Big D" at Six Flags. We're glad you're home safe and sound.

ATHLETES: Hike-Bike-Ride forms are in the office. Come by to pick up your form so you can join the others in helping the handicapped citizens. This event will take place April 26.

The girls golf team won District last Thursday at San Angelo. The team took a one-stroke victory over our crosstown rivals, Lee High. Ann Coombes won medalist honors. Way to go, girls; keep it up.

The Fellowship of Christian Students (FCS) will have its first meeting next week. They still need the names of those people interested turned in to the office.

Juniors and Seniors, listen up. The Junior-Senior Prom is Saturday, April 19. The Big Event lasts from 9 to 1, so everybody get a date and have a blast. The band is "Shadetree," and, best of all, guys, admission is FREE!

Speaking of Juniors, the Junior Class Garage Sale was a smashing success. It raised \$605.71, which will be spent on various programs and activities. You're welcome, Mr. Estes!

SENIOR GIRLS: Saturday is the big event, so grab your date and take a whiz through the Magic Time Machine. Guys, this time the treat is on us.

Seniors in general, put your feelings into words with Senior Expressions for the Catoico yearbook. Expressions must be turned in by April 18 to Mrs. Stall. The price is \$1 for one inch by one and one-half. You must print on white paper with black ink.

Candle in the Wind: Do you have stories or poems you want published? Well, turn them in to Mrs. Stall by April 15 and become famous.

Best of luck to "The Private Lives of the Master Race," which is traveling to Snyder for Area competition. Our talented cast and director are predicted to pull off another win for MHS, and we know you can do it. What do YOU think?

Last but not least is baseball. Our boys really did it to Lee Tuesday night with a score of 5-2. Congrats to our scrappiest Bulldogs. You are super great.

UP WITH PEOPLE. The name speaks for itself. How can you resist a show that puts YOU on the pedestal? Everyone hurry to the Music Hall, Record Center or any Junior Council member for tickets. You only have 'til May 1, and we know you won't want to miss the Greatest Show on Earth.

Catch ya on the run.

Beck, Angela, Tracy and Amy

Study foresees cars averaging 85 miles per gallon of gas by 1995

DETROIT (AP) — The federal government is considering a plan to require cars to average 85 miles per gallon in 1995, four times today's standard and triple the 1985 goal, according to a trade publication.

The weekly Automotive News said in its edition dated Monday the plan was drawn up by a study group directed by Charles Gray of the Environmental Protection Agency's emission control technology division on behalf of Deputy Energy Secretary John Sawhill.

Under 1975 legislation, a manufacturer's cars must average 20 mpg this year and 27.5 mpg in the 1985 model year.

The 85 mpg requirement would save an estimated 5 million barrels of petroleum per day by the end of the century. In 1978, the United States

imported an estimated 8.2 million barrels per day, a figure the Carter administration says will never be exceeded.

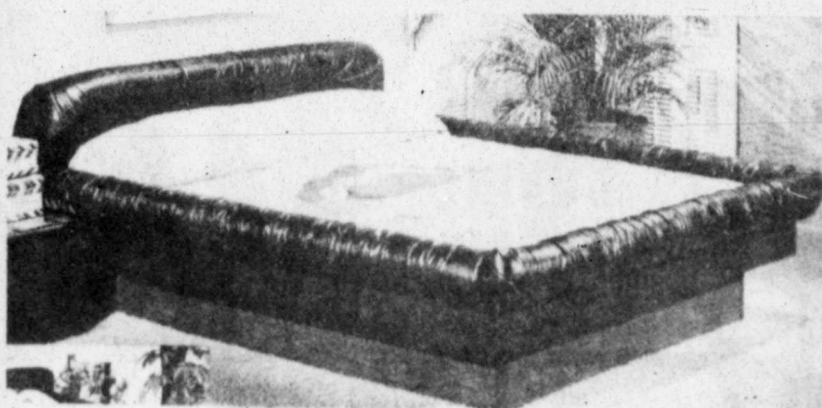
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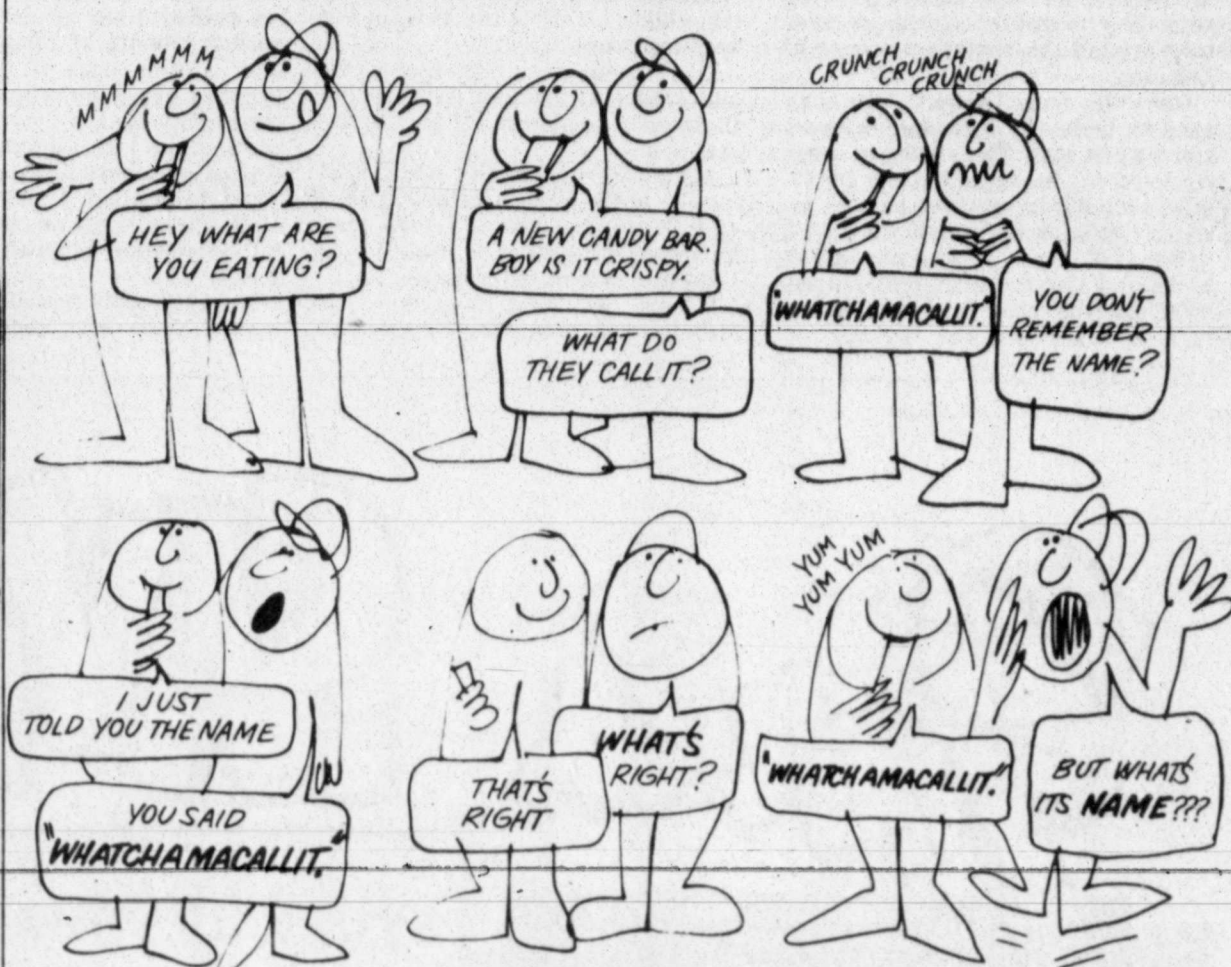
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Israeli reinforcements move to Lebanon

METULLA, Israel (AP) — Israeli reinforcements moved into southeastern Lebanon today, backing up a cross-border thrust aimed at blocking Palestinian guerrilla raids into Israel.

"There is quite a sizable buildup going on right now, but I have no figures," said Timur Goksel, spokesman for the U.N. peacekeeping force in the area.

U.N. spokesmen and diplomats in Beirut, the Lebanese capital, said more than 300 Israeli troops crossed the frontier on Wednesday and were patrolling an arc more than 10 miles long around the southeast corner of Lebanon.

One of the Israeli outposts was in an area controlled by U.N. peacekeepers since April 1978. The other two were reported in the six-mile-deep by 59-mile-wide border enclave held by Israel's Christian militia allies.

The U.N. force said seven Israeli tanks and 12 other armored vehicles were deployed near the Lebanese village of Markabe, and 11 tanks, a

bulldozer and about 200 soldiers were digging in near the village of Kounin. In addition, troops of the Irish U.N. contingent told diplomats in Beirut that 100 Israeli soldiers and about five armored personnel carriers were seen digging in just east of the Irish-patrolled village of Shakra.

Another U.N. report from the Shakra district said a U.N. vehicle hit a mine in the area, injuring its two occupants who were evacuated by Israeli troops. Unconfirmed press reports in Beirut identified one of the casualties as a Dutch Col. Van Snogten, chief-of-staff of the U.N. peacekeeping force.

The Israelis were digging trenches and stringing barbed wire around their emplacements, U.N. sources said.

AP photographer Max Nash, visiting the northernmost Israeli town of Metulla, said he saw an Israeli army bulldozer smoothing a road on the Lebanese side of the frontier.

"There are indications they (the Israelis) will be staying for a while,"

Goksel said.

Israeli military sources said the incursion was to block possible Palestinian terror attacks aimed at undermining President Carter's talks in Washington with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat, which ended Wednesday, and next week's session with Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin. By linking the military thrust to the Washington talks, the sources indicated the incursion was temporary.

Israel's daylight incursion Wednesday came two days after five guerrillas raided a nursery at the Israeli border kibbutz of Misgav Am, less than a mile east of the Lebanese frontier. Three Israelis, including an infant boy, died in the attack. Israeli commandos killed the raiders, identified as members of the Iraqi-backed Arab Liberation Front, one of the eight guerrilla armies in Yasser Arafat's Palestine Liberation Organization.

Israel sharply criticized the 6,000-man U.N. force in southern Lebanon

for failing to halt the guerrillas before they crossed the frontier. The raiders apparently slipped through a line of Irish and Nigerian troops.

The Israeli military command said an investigation had determined that a technical fault allowed the guerrillas to breach the electronic warning system installed along the Israeli-Lebanese frontier.

While there was no U.N. comment on the Arab raid at the Misgav Am collective farm, a spokesman for U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim called the Israeli move a "serious development" and said a "strong protest" had been lodged with Israeli authorities.

In Washington, meanwhile, President Carter ended two days of talks with Sadat, who said he was convinced agreement can be reached with Israel on a formula for self-rule for the 1.2 million Palestinians on the West Bank and in the Gaza Strip.

Both Carter and Sadat made it clear they believe the next move is up to Begin.

Laura Wettstein, 18, a senior at Midland High School, has been named Junior Lioness of the week by the Downtown Lions Club. Miss Wettstein, daughter of Mrs. Patricia Wettstein, Route 5 Box A-6, is taking honors courses in Philosophy and German and is involved in student council, German Club, Pack-Backers, JETS, 100 Club, varsity golf team, school newspaper and finalist for AAUW Outstanding Girl. She plans to attend Southwestern University upon graduation.



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Tempers flare in New York; Transit talks continue

NEW YORK (AP) — Transit negotiators were returning to the bargaining table today amid reports of progress in their effort to end a 10-day subway and bus strike and Mayor Edward Koch's plea for round-the-clock talks because "the public wants a settlement."

Koch's change of emphasis — away from simply urging on foot-weary commuters — came on a day when strike violence flared anew and 3½ inches of rain provoked the tempers of inconvenienced travelers.

Two police officers were assaulted by commuters, strike supporters tried to jam streets and more than 20 private buses were vandalized as the driving rain made Wednesday the worst day for getting around since New York City's transit systems shut down.

"We will look back on it as one of the days that tested us — and the day that we came through," Koch said.

Meanwhile, commuters headed into the city at a crawl after 3.42 inches of rain flooded highways and closed many roads.

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority and representatives of two striking unions met for several hours Wednesday and were to return to the table today.

Brooklyn Supreme Court Judge John Monteleone called a hearing today on the unions' defiance of his back-to-work order. But, a spokesman for the state attorney general said he would ask the judge, who has imposed \$1 million in fines already, to postpone the session on the grounds that the leaders were needed at the talks.

Some progress was reported by both sides after MTA Chairman Richard Ravitch met Wednesday with the executive boards of the Transport Workers Union and Amalgamated Transit Union. Ravitch said there was "good discussion and we hope progress is being made."

Meanwhile, Koch spoke to TWU President John Lawe for the first time since the strike, telling him "the public wants a settlement."

"I told him a couple of items would settle it," Lawe said. Asked what those would be, he replied, "The dollars."

The city's 35,000 transit workers struck April 1, closing down a mass transit system that registers 5.5 million fares a day. The workers, who average \$18,000 annually, are seeking an increase of 25 percent over two years. The MTA has offered 12 percent and demanded "givebacks" of perquisites awarded in previous contracts.

Walter Gellhorn, head of the three-man mediation panel, argued against the round-the-clock talks Koch proposed, for fear the negotiators would become too fatigued to reach agreement.

And many of the city's business leaders urged Koch and the MTA to remain firm, saying they were willing to suffer short-term losses to avoid a high wage settlement they fear the city could not afford.

"We think the Mayor and the MTA is right in sticking out for a reasonable settlement and we think the mood of the city is backing them," said David Rockefeller, chairman of the New York Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Many larger businesses have avoided high absenteeism by hiring buses for employees or booking Manhattan hotel rooms. But garment companies are suffering 20 percent absenteeism and many buyers have canceled plans to see the new fall fashion lines.

Negotiations also continued Wednesday in the dispute between the Long Island Rail Road and seven of its unions. Management rejected a labor proposal but the unions, which struck briefly last week, were to be on call today to hear management's response to a second offer.

Also Wednesday, 957,000 public school students ended their spring vacations.

But only 65 percent made it to school, and in Manhattan, high school attendance averaged 20 percent.

Traffic was down slightly from Tuesday's 250,000 vehicles, but city officials reported it took an hour to travel 25 blocks of Sixth Avenue in midtown during the evening rush as rain slowed driving.

Some strikers or sympathizers tried to tie up the Major Deegan Expressway and Brooklyn Bridge by driving cars slowly, three abreast, and slow-moving cars jammed traffic at a half-dozen locations. Police promised arrests, not summonses, for such action in the future.

Meanwhile, police reported, the tires of private buses were slashed, ignition coils were ripped out and windshields sprayed with paint. A carload of men forced one private bus to the side of the road and broke its windshield wipers as rain fell.

One police officer was kicked in the groin and bitten, allegedly by a bicyclist stopped for speeding in a pedestrian area, and a policewoman reported a motorist tried to run her down.

In other developments Wednesday:

—The City University of New York, which canceled classes at three campuses Tuesday, announced classes would reopen by week's end.

—E. Leo Milonas, administrative judge for Manhattan courts, said he was trying to reach agreement with a tourist boat line to transport jurors to courts. Only 30 percent have appeared for duty since the strike began.

—The U.S. Postal Service said it had fallen a day or two behind in delivering the mail due to heavy traffic conditions.

—Negotiators for the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey and unions representing workers who operate the PATH line between New Jersey and Manhattan remained "far apart," with two days remaining before a 12:01 a.m. Saturday strike deadline.

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Bridge II begins April 14 and continues through May 8. Taught by Joe Salzman, the study will be a continuation of the beginning course. Salzman places emphasis on play of hand, defensive signals and advance bidding guidelines.

Classes meet 7-9 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, and the course fee is \$16.

The three-evening CPR course begins April 14 and then meets April 16 and April 21. Classes will be held 7-10 p.m.

Cardiopulmonary resuscitation is a basic life support procedure for use on those whose heart and lungs have ceased to function effectively.

After completion of the course, which is approved by the American Heart Association, students should be able to perform one and two-person rescues, infant resuscitation and clear an obstructed airway.

Classes are limited to 16 students meeting 7-10 p.m. each evening and the course fee is \$8.

The one-evening real estate seminar meets the educational requirements named under Senate Bill 171. All students seeking their real estate salesman license are required to complete course work on federal, state and local laws governing housing and credit discrimination and community reinvestment.

The seminar will be held 7-10 p.m. April 16 and the fee is \$5.

Pre-registration may be completed in room 156 of the MC Administration Building, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays. The office will remain open during the lunch hour. More information may be obtained by calling 684-7851, extension 147 or 216.

Thai-Malaysia talks set

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia (AP) — Thai and Malaysian security officials will meet here later this month to review measures to control an estimated 3,000 communist guerrillas operating in jungles along the 350-mile border between the two countries, Malaysian officials said.

The April 25 talks will be preceded by a four-day meeting of lower-ranking officials of both countries.

There have been published reports that Thailand wants Malaysia to help it fight Moslem separatists in southern Thailand in exchange for Thailand's aid in helping Malaysia fighting the communists.

Philippines military abuses charged

DAVAO CITY, Philippines (AP) — The head of a government-established community relations panel in this southern Philippines town said his group documented 22 complaints of military excesses, including five alleged murders, during its first six months in operation.

He said the criminal investigation service of the Philippine constabulary is looking into the complaints, but that no soldiers have yet been punished.

The government set up the panel last October after the Roman Catholic archbishop of Davao issued a letter asking the military to discipline its men or remove them from the area.

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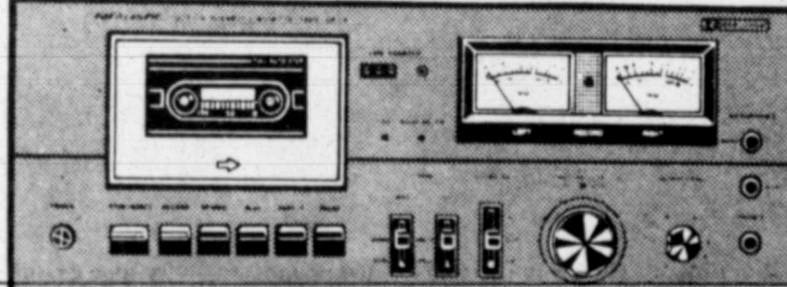
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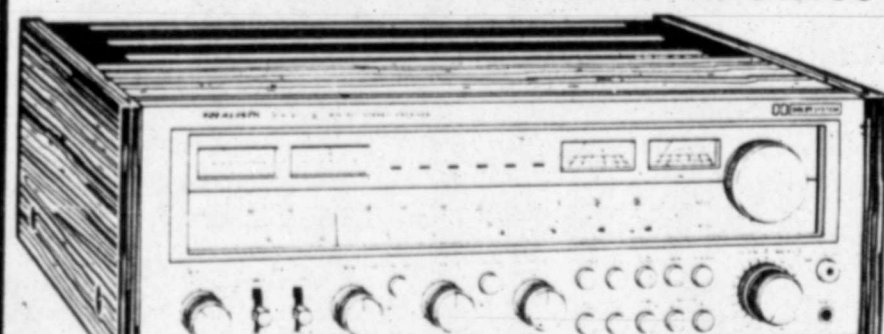
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Deal on for Cactus Drilling Co.

CALGARY, Alberta (AP) — Canada's largest bulk trucking company announced Wednesday it has taken its second major step into U.S. business by arranging to buy a major Texas oilfield service company.

Trimac Ltd. of Calgary, which advertises itself as "the trucking company that surveyed the Nile," said it has agreed with Cactus Drilling Corp. of Texas, a Dallas-based concern, to buy more than 80 per cent of outstanding Cactus shares.

Trimac, which has already ventured outside the trucking realm into aerial surveying, mineral exploration and helicopter charters, is also awaiting final U.S. regulatory approval for arrangements made last year to buy a Kentucky trucking company, Liquid Transporters of Louisville.

No price was disclosed for the Cactus transaction, but a Trimac news release said Cactus had annual revenues of \$80 million U.S., about half Trimac's 1979 revenues of \$193 million in Canadian dollars.

Under the agreement, Trimac will buy more than 80 per cent of outstanding Cactus stock July 23 for a cash sum. An identical offer would be made to other Cactus shareholders.

Cactus president and founder F.M. Late is to become

chairman, with Trimac executive D.A. Rundle succeeding him as president.

Don Jackson, president of Trimac Transportation Group Ltd., said in an interview that the Cactus purchase will complete Trimac's two-pronged strategy of diversifying geographically by extending its two major activities into the U.S.

Jackson said the purchase was also influenced by growing U.S. acceptance of President Carter's policies to encourage domestic oil and natural gas development. "The drilling industry in the United States is going to be a very buoyant industry in the future," he said.

Cactus owns 50 land drilling rigs and seven offshore rigs currently operating in the Gulf of Mexico, while Trimac subsidiary Kenting Drilling has 29 rigs, about five per cent of the Canadian total.

Both Trimac and Cactus have minor oil and gas properties of their own, but will continue to concentrate on contract drilling for other companies, Jackson said.

While Trimac expects a period of consolidation before making any more large purchases, the company "will continue to want to be aware of other opportunities," he said.

Great goanna lizard halts
Australia oil exploration

By PETER O'LOUGHLIN

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Aborigines fearful that oil drilling will disturb the spirit of the great goanna lizard have halted an American exploration company in a remote part of Western Australia.

Jeering, rock-hurling aborigines drove off drillers from the Amax Corp. of Greenwich, Conn., last week as they prepared for further exploration on Noonkanbah Station, a 900,000-acre cattle ranch 1,000 miles north of Perth. In 1976, the government gave the lease to the ranch to the 200-member Yungngarra tribal community because it covers most of their ancient tribal grounds.

The goanna, a type of monitor lizard, is an important part of the tribe's diet. The aborigines believe the spirit of the lizard lives under Pea Hill, a site sacred to them that is near the drilling site.

"The goanna spirit will be disturbed by the drilling," said Dickie Skinner, the chairman of the tribe. "If the spirit of the goanna is disturbed, the next season will not replenish the stocks of goannas at Noonkanbah."

The unions and the opposition Labor Party in the state support the aborigines. But many other citizens support the conservative Liberal Party government's contention that mineral exploration should continue.

Underlying the dispute are the questions of the aborigines' land rights, their royalties from minerals discovered on their lands and the rivalry between the Liberal and Labor parties.

The aborigines were given the lease to the Noonkanbah ranch by the federal government as part of a program to develop an economic base for Australia's original natives, who now number only 136,000 in a population of 14 million.

The government retained control of the mineral rights, as it does with all government land on leasehold in Western Australia. But the aborigines are entitled to mining royalties — through the Aboriginal Lands Trust — on aboriginal reserves, which total 49.4 million acres.

Amx, which refuses to comment on the situation, acquired the exploration rights at Noonkanbah a year ago. The aborigines claimed two acres of sacred sites were threatened, and the Aboriginal Legal Service took court action to halt prospecting on that land temporarily.

Then the aborigines escalated their demands, contending that the whole of the vast ranch should be off limits to the prospectors. They also demanded compensation.

"We are prepared to give them these areas of land if they are simply going to be used for pastoral pursuits," said the state minister for cultural affairs, Bill Grayden. "But we are not going to give them, and we couldn't give them, if it meant we were handing over inalienable rights to the minerals on and below the ground."

Grayden also charged the aborigines are "being manipulated for political reasons. The present dispute has been caused by their so-called white advisers and all for political reasons."

He presumably was referring to the Labor Party, which came within 600 votes of winning control of the state legislature in an election last February because it got the votes of the state's 26,000 aborigines.

Professor Ronald Berndt, an an-

thropologist at the state university who has been working with aborigines since 1939, said they would never consider selling sacred sites, but they believe in the sharing of the resources on the other lands on which they hunted and collected food.

"What is being said today is an extension of the reciprocity that works in traditional society," Berndt said. "That is, if other people use the common zone, we expect something in return. If people take something from the soil, they expect something in return."

"But what is appalling is that once the aborigines start to speak the language of some of these people who are intent on making a profit, they are accused of being devious money grabbers."

There is a boom in mining and oil exploration in the outback areas of Australia, and the state government sees the aboriginal claims to share in mineral rights as a threat to development.

"Under no circumstances can the elected government allow an unelected dictatorship of the people to prevail in this way," said Sir Charles Court, the premier of the state.

He promised police, "logistical and other support" for Amax's drillers when they returned to Noonkanbah.

"The aborigines are moderate people, very moderate people," said Berndt. "They are reasonable. They love discussion. They love negotiating. However, it is getting to a point where people won't take much more bullying and pushing."

NM discovery, wildcats reported

Mesa Petroleum Co. of Midland No. 1 Rock-Federal has been completed as an Abo gas discovery 35 miles southwest of Elkins in Chaves County.

The operator reported a calculated absolute open flow potential of 3,092,000 cubic feet of gas per day.

Completion was through perforations from 2,923 to 3,363 feet.

Total depth is 4,088 feet and 4.5-inch casing is cemented at 4,087 feet.

The strike is 20 miles southwest of Fred Pool's No. 1-24 Corn, a recently completed Abo gas discovery which produces from 3,822 to 3,860 feet.

CHAVES WILDCATS

Mesa Petroleum spotted location for a 5,300-foot wildcat in Chaves County, 27 miles northwest of Boaz and 1.5 miles northwest of Fred Pool No. 1-24 Corn, the recently completed Abo gas discovery.

Location for the new test, No. 1 Stancel-Federal, is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 23-55-24e.

Mesa Petroleum also spotted location for a 5,200-foot wildcat 27 miles west of Boaz and one mile southwest of Yates Petroleum No. 1 Five Mile Draw, an unnamed Pennsylvanian gas discovery.

The new project, No. 1 Savage-Federal, is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 4-75-25e.

Fred Pool Drilling Co. of Alto, N.M., spotted location for a 5,500-foot wildcat 27 miles northwest of Boaz.

Scheduled as No. 1 Grynberg-Federal Communized, it is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 13-65-24e and five miles northwest of Yates No. 1 Five Mile Draw, the unnamed Pennsylvanian gas discovery.

Depco Inc. of Midland No. 1 Mesa-State Communized has been spotted as a 9,850-foot Mississippian wildcat in Chaves County, 13 miles southeast of Hagerman.

The project is 1.5 miles southeast of 8,930-foot Morrow gas production in the Buffalo Valley field and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 31-15-28e.

Yates Petroleum Corp., Artesia, filed application to drill a 5,200-foot wildcat in Chaves County, 19 miles north of Dexter and four miles south of an unnamed dual Abo and Wolfcamp gas discovery.

It is No. 1 Sinkhole-State Communized "NR" 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 8-105-26e.

The drillsite is four miles south of an unnamed dual Abo and Wolfcamp

gas discovery, Boyd Operating Co. No. 1 Blakemore-Federal which was completed through perforations from 4,198 to 4,344 feet opposite the Abo and from perforations at 5,334-5,380 feet opposite the Wolfcamp.

CHAVES FIELD TRY

Phoenix Resources Co. of Oklahoma City will drill No. 1 Smith as a one and one-eighth-mile northeast outcrop to the lone producer in the Railroad Mountain (San Andres oil) pool of Chaves County.

It is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 2-8-28e. It is contracted to 3,100 feet. Ground elevation is 4,014 feet.

The site also is 7/8 mile northwest of an undesignated San Andres field and three miles south of Elkins.

LEA COUNTY

Amoco Production Co., operating from Midland, announced potential test on No. 1 State "HQ" six miles west of Buckeye in Lea County. The well extends Bone Spring production in the Airstrip multiphase field 1/2 mile northwest.

It finished through perforations from 9,288 to 9,337 feet for a daily flowing potential of 359 barrels of oil and 34 barrels of water, through a 9/64-inch choke. Flowing tubing pressure was 500 pounds. Gravity and gas-oil ratio were not reported.

The well was also completed from the Wolfcamp through perforations from 10,626 to 10,694 feet for a daily flow of 33 barrels of oil and 18 barrels of water, through a 20/64-inch choke. Flowing tubing pressure was 50 pounds and the gravity and gas-oil ratio were not reported. It extends the Wolfcamp pay 1/2 mile west.

Wellsite is 960 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of section 26-18-34e.

HIGHTOWER AREA

Harper Oil Co. of Oklahoma City No. 1 Frier has been completed in the Hightower, East (Pennsylvanian) pool of Lea County, 14 miles southeast of Caprock.

The well finished for a daily pumping potential of 33 barrels of oil and eight barrels of water, through Bough B perforations from 9,933 to 9,958 feet after a 2,500-gallon acid treatment.

Gravity of the oil is 46.8 degrees and the gas-oil ratio is 1,212-1.

Total depth is 10,409 feet and 5.5-inch casing is set at 10,407 feet. The plugged back depth is 10,363 feet.

Wellsite is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 29-12-34e.

LEA LOCATIONS

Forster Drilling Co. of Midland No. 1 Max-State has been spotted as a

13,000-foot project in the Lusk, North (Morrow) area of Lea County, 12 miles south of Maljamar.

The project is 1,980 feet from north and 1,780 feet from east lines of section 32-18-32e.

Read & Stevens, Inc., of Roswell

N.M., No. 1 Adobe-State is a new 11,700-foot project in the Maljamar (Cisco) pool of Lea County, three miles east of Maljamar.

Location is 660 feet from north and 990 feet from east lines of section 6-17-33e.

Maralo Inc. of Midland staked a trio of projects in the Sioux (Yates) area of Lea County.

No. 7-16 Maralo-State is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 16-26-36e.

No. 8-16 Maralo-State is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 16-26-36e.

No. 9-16 Maralo-State is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 16-26-36e.

Each of the projects are on 3,800-foot contracts. They are eight miles southwest of Jal.

EDDY WELL

Southland Royalty Co., operating from Midland, completed No. 1 Empire-Federal Communized to extend the Turkey Track, North (Morrow gas) pool 1.5 miles northeast.

The well, eight miles southwest of Loco Hills, finished for a daily flow of 1,750,000 cubic feet of gas and 24 barrels of oil, through a 9/64-inch choke and perforations from 11,172 to 11,260 feet.

Total depth is 11,700 feet and 4.5-inch casing is cemented on bottom. Location is 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 27-18-29e.

RICHARD KNOB AREA

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. Morris Communized "MC" has been completed in the Richard Knob multiphase area of Eddy County, five miles southwest of Artesia.

The operator reported a daily flowing potential of 1,600,000 cubic feet of gas per day, through perforations from 6,544 to 6,660 feet opposite the Permo-Pennsylvanian. The flow was gauged through a 3/4-inch choke.

Total depth is 8,630 feet and 4.5-inch casing is set at 8,623 feet. The plugged back depth is 7,000 feet.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 3-18-25e.

ROOSEVELT TEST

Pennzoil Co., operating from Midland, No. 1-6 Roosevelt State is a 4,500-foot project in an undesignated San Andres area of Roosevelt County, six miles southwest of Highway.

Drillsite is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 6-7-35e.

ATAPCO finals big Loving discovery

American Trading & Production Co. of Midland No. 1 Arno Gas Unit has been completed as a Fusselman discovery in Loving County, two miles southwest of Mentone.

The strike finished for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 51,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day.

Completion was through perforations from 18,928 to 19,060 feet.

Total depth is 19,262 feet and five-inch casing is set at 19,262 feet.

The discovery is two miles southwest of 19,141-foot Fusselman production in the Moore-Hooper area and 10 miles southwest of Mobil Production Texas & New Mexico's No. 1 J. Logan Abernathy Unit, a recently completed Fusselman gas discovery in the Slash Ranch (Ellenburger) field.

Location is 8,100 feet from northeast and 1,100 feet from southeast lines of section 80, block 33, H&TC survey. It is one location south of Wolfcamp gas production in the Moore-Hooper field.

MITCHELL WILDCAT

Koch Exploration Co. No. 1-53 Ellwood is a new oil and gas wildcat in Mitchell County, 23 miles southwest of Colorado City.

The prospector is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 53, block 17, SPRR survey.

Contract depth is 8,300 feet. It is three and one-quarter miles southeast of Mississippian production in the A&S field and the same distance southwest of the Ellwood (Mississippian) field.

STERLING PROJECT

WNG Oil Co. of Midland will drill an

8,800-foot wildcat in Sterling County, 10 miles northwest of Sterling City.

It is No. 2-3 Wilkinson, 2,400 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 3, block 23, H&TC survey.

It is one mile northeast of a 7,190-foot dry hole and 1/2 mile north of production in the Credo, East (Cisco upper) field which produces at 7,300 feet.

NOLAN EXPLORER

Esperanza Energy Corp. of Dallas No. 3 White is to be drilled as a 6,600-foot Ellenburger wildcat in Nolan County, five miles north of Blackwell.

Drillsite is 720 feet from north and 2,100 feet from west lines of section 25, block Z, T&P survey.

It is between producers in the White (Gardner) field.

STONEWALL RE-ENTRY

Dewey Rister of Avoca announced plans to re-enter Centaur Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Herbert A. Vahlenkamp, wildcat failure in Stonewall County.

The operator will clean out to 6,058 feet for tests of the Bend conglomerate.

The project will be operated by Rister as No. 1 Herbert A. Vahlenkamp.

It is one and one-quarter miles southwest of the Corsica (Bend conglomerate) field and 2,150 feet from south and 1,882 feet from east lines of section 31, BBB&C survey.

RUNNELS WILDCAT

Hameco Exploration & Development

Co. of Dallas will dig No. 2 R. H. Rod as a 4,600-foot wildcat in Rannels County, one location northwest of its No. 1 R. H. Rod, recent Goen oil discovery six miles northwest of Winters.

It is 3,200 feet from north and 4,700 feet from east lines of section 401, B. M. Walker survey, abstract 506.

The No. 1 Rod is producing at 4,608-4,512 feet.

PECOS PROJECT

C. F. Lawrence & Associates of Midland No. 4-C C. W. Williams is to be drilled in the Leon Valley oil pool of Pecos County, one mile west of Fort Stockton.

It is 1/2 mile west of one of the field's six producers and 1,626 feet from south and 4,723 feet from west lines of survey 1, block 166, Ruben Phares survey.

Contract depth is 3,000 feet.

Bogus charge
announced

SOUTHFIELD, Mich. (AP) — A 39-year-old Grosse Pointe Park man is accused of selling bogus oil and gas shares to up to 45 people in an oil well drilling project in Texas.

Robert Leslie Bowen was arraigned in Southfield District Court on Tuesday on two counts of obtaining money under false pretenses and three counts of selling unregistered securities. He is free on bond. Bowen is president of Enbow Resources of Houston, an oil drilling firm, authorized Bowen to sell 29 shares, but he exceeded that number, authorities said.

Detective Sgt. James Smiley said troopers and investigators from the Oakland County Prosecutors Office and the Michigan Department of Commerce interviewed 45 persons who invested at least \$5,000 each in the drilling of a well in Bolivar, Texas. Investors were told half their money would be returned in six weeks with royalties to follow, authorities said. When investors received no money by November, they contacted police.

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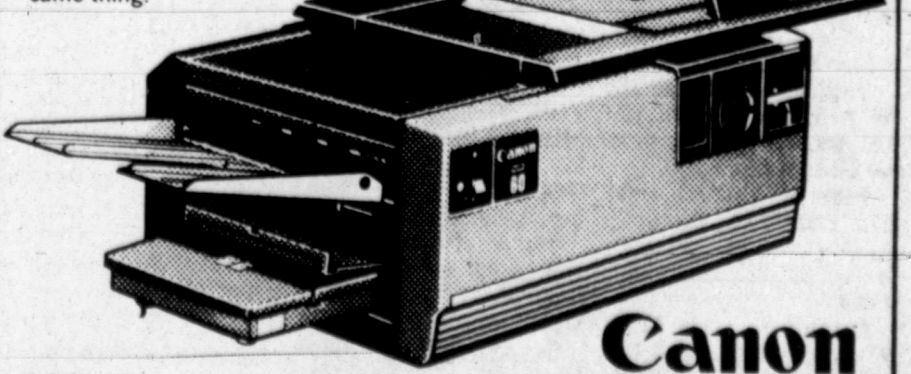
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Basin areas draw 48 wildcat tests, 139 field operations.

Operators announced locations for 45 wildcats and 139 field operations last week in the Permian Basin of West Texas and southeast New Mexico, for a new location total for the week of 184.

District 8 of the Railroad Commission of Texas, headquartered in Midland, accounted for 70 of the field operations and seven of the wildcat tests. Ward County gained 14 of the field tests to lead all Permian Basin counties in that category.

County	Wildcat	Field
District 8		
Andrews	0	8
Crane	1	2
Ector	1	7
Gaines	0	1
Glasscock	0	1
Howard	1	7
Loving	0	1
Martin	1	5
Midland	0	5
Mitchell	2	7
Pecos	0	5
Reeves	1	1
Ward	0	14
Winkler	0	6
Total	7	70

County	Wildcat	Field
District 8-A		
Borden	1	0
Cochran	0	0
Crosby	4	0
Dawson	1	0
Dickens	1	0
Gaines	0	2
Garza	2	3
Hockley	0	3
King	1	0
Scurry	1	0
Terry	1	0
Total	11	24

County	Wildcat	Field
District 7B		
Fisher	1	1
Nolan	1	0
Stonewall	1	0
Total	3	1

County	Wildcat	Field
District 7C		
Coke	2	2
Crockett	2	10
Irion	1	0
Mculloch	2	0
Menard	1	0
Reagan	0	1
Runnels	8	6
Schleicher	2	2
Sutton	3	2
Tom Green	1	1
Upton	1	3
Total	23	23

County	Wildcat	Field
District 7D		
New Mexico	0	1
Chaves	0	3
Eddy	1	10
Lea	0	5
Total	1	18

County	Wildcat	Field
Total	48	139

DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Fuhrman-Mascho oil: Texaco No. 3-F M.A. Thornberry; 1,980 fsl, 1,930 fwl, sec 13, blk A-42, PSL, 11 sw Andrews, 4,500.

Cowden, North (Deep oil): Amoco, Odessa, No. 12-A Frank Cowden; 705 fwl, 699 fwl, sec 3, blk 43, T-1-N, T&P, 20 north Odessa, 6,000.

Dollarhide (Clear Fork oil): Union Oil Co. of California, Midland, No. 7-1-C Dollarhide Unit; 1250 fwl, 1450 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,940.

Same: No. 15-3-C Dollarhide Unit; 2,640 fwl, 50 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,970.

Same: No. 15-6-C Dollarhide Unit; 1,466 fwl, 129 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,985.

Same: No. 15-8-C Dollarhide Unit; 2,612 fwl, 1,425 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,955.

Fullerton (San Andres oil): Amoco, Andrews, No. 58 Fullerton (San Andres) Unit; 2,416 fwl, 2,511 fwl, sec 4, blk A-32, PSL, 14 ne Andrews, 5,000.

Andrews, South (Devonian oil): Shell No. 3-D University, 1,980 fwl, sec 15, blk 1, ULS, 9 se Andrews, 11,140.

CRANE COUNTY

Wildcat: Gulf No. 108 W. A. Estes, 2,500 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 8, blk B-28, psl, 10 ne Grandfalls, 8,400.

Dune oil: Gulf, Odessa, No. 1132 W.N. Waddell; 2,310 fsl, 490 fwl, sec 4, blk B-24, PSL, 12.5 nw Crane, 4,000.

Same: No. 1134 W.N. Waddell; 330 fsl, 3,430 fwl, sec 4, blk B-24, PSL, 12.5 nw Crane, 4,000.

ECTOR COUNTY

Wildcat oil: Robert B. Holt, Midland, No. 1 Phillips-Kloib, 330 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 23, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 9 nw Odessa, 13,900.

Cowden, North oil: Conoco Inc., Midland, No. 14 Wight Unit; 2,640

fsl, 1,320 fwl, sec 17, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 6 se Goldsmith, 4,650.

Cowden, South oil (Plugback): Conoco No. 19-A H.S. Foster, 780 fsl, 2,080 fwl, sec 14, blk 43, T-3-S, T&P, 8 sw Odessa, 8,900.

9,092. Plugback from Cowden, South (Canyon 8,900).

Goldsmith (5600 oil): Phillips Petroleum Company, Odessa, No. 23-7 Goldsmith Adobe Unit; 2,649 fsl, 1,320 fwl, sec 31, blk 44, T-1-S, T&P, 18 w Odessa, 6,000.

Same: No. 21-8 Goldsmith Adobe Unit; 2,649 fsl, 1,320 fwl, sec 31, blk 44, T-1-S, T&P, 18 w Odessa, 6,000.

Same: No. 39-13 Goldsmith Adobe Unit; 1,330 fsl, 1,336 fwl, sec 38, blk 45, T-1-S, T&P, 18 w Odessa, 6,000.

Same: No. 18-7 Goldsmith Adobe Unit; 2,628 fsl, 2,669 fwl, sec 36, blk 45, T-1-S, T&P, 18 w Odessa, 6,000.

Same: No. 17-10 Goldsmith Adobe Unit; 1,330 fsl, 139 fwl, sec 36, blk 45, T-1-S, T&P, 18 w Odessa, 6,000.

GAINES COUNTY

Block A-34 (Yates oil): Wood, McShane & Alexander, 1,980 fsl, 750 fwl, sec 23, blk A-22, psl, 15 north Andrews, 3,120 feet.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Conger, Southwest (Pennsylvanian oil): Champlin Petroleum Company, Midland, No. 1-A I.W. Terry; 660 fsl, 1,250 fwl, sec 4, EL&RR, 18 se Garden City, 8,800.

HOWARD COUNTY

Wildcat: D. L. Dorland, Midland, No. 1-G M. M. Edwards; 467 fsl, sec 30, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 12 se Coahoma, 10,000, elev 2,356 ft.

Coahoma (Mississippi oil): Texaco No. 2-F Howard-Fee; 2,050 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 45, blk 30, T-1-N, T&P, 3 east Coahoma, 9,100. Amend field from Coahoma, North (Fusselman); change zone.

Iatan, East (Howard oil): Sayers Operating Co., Midland, No. 75 Texas Land & Mortgage Co.; 1,980 fsl, 1,980 fwl, sec 4, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 4 east Coahoma, 2,800.

Same: No. 76 Texas Land & Mortgage Co.; 1,320 fsl, 1,980 fwl, sec 4, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 4 east Coahoma, 2,800.

Same: No. 77 Texas Land & Mortgage Co.; 660 fsl, 1,980 fwl, sec 4, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 4 east Coahoma, 2,800.

Hutto, South (Wolfcamp oil): Amerada Hess Corp., No. 1 McCutchen; 200 fsl, 933 fwl, sec 44, blk 31, T-1-N, T&P, 1/2 east Sand Springs, 7,750.

Howard-Glasscock oil: Cities Service, Midland, No. 3-S-D Settles; 330 fsl, 1,650 fwl, sec 158, blk 29, W&NW, 2 south Forsan, 1,313. Temporarily abandoned in the Yates; will be completed in the Queen.

Coahoma, North (Fusselman oil): Turner Properties, Big Spring, No. 1 Turner Properties-McGettes; 467 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 31, blk 30, T-1-N, T&P, 4 Coahoma, 9,300.

Same: No. 15-3-C Dollarhide Unit; 2,640 fwl, 50 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,970.

Same: No. 15-6-C Dollarhide Unit; 1,466 fwl, 129 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,985.

Same: No. 15-8-C Dollarhide Unit; 2,612 fwl, 1,425 fwl, sec 17, blk A-52, PSL, 34 sw Andrews, 6,955.

Fullerton (San Andres oil): Amoco, Andrews, No. 58 Fullerton (San Andres) Unit; 2,416 fwl, 2,511 fwl, sec 4, blk A-32, PSL, 14 ne Andrews, 5,000.

Andrews, South (Devonian oil): Shell No. 3-D University, 1,980 fwl, sec 15, blk 1, ULS, 9 se Andrews, 11,140.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry Trend Area oil: Hill Ranch (Dean oil), Wildcat (Fusselman oil), Hill Ranch (Mississippian oil): Flag-Redfern Oil Co., Midland, No. 1 Hill; 1,980 fwl, 660 fwl, sec 63, blk A, Bauer & Cockrell, 15 ne Lenora, 10,970. Amended to add Hill Ranch (Mississippian) and to change operator.

USM (Queen oil): Tahoe Oil & Cattle Co., Midland, No. 2 Papoose, 3,030 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 11, blk 1, Fort Stockton Irrigation, 4 north Fort Stockton, 3,500.

Reeves County

Wildcat oil: John R. Parish, Andrews, No. 1 Hubbs-State, 660 fsl, sec 4, blk 49, T-8, T&P, 23 se Pecos, 5,400.

Oria, Southeast (Delaware oil): Southern Union Exploration, Dallas, No. 2 H. H. Trippel, 660 fsl, sec 42, blk 56, T-3-S, T&P, 10 ne Arno, 3,800.

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WARD COUNTY

Wildcat (Amended): BTA Oil Producers No. 1 8001 J.V.P. Howe, 5,286 fsl, 1,013 fsl, sec 19, blk 32, H&TC, 8 west Grandfalls, 15,000 feet. Amended to note bottom-hole target of 4,786 fne and 147 fsl of sec.

Howe (Devonian gas): Exxon No. 2 Howe Gas Unit No. 1 (directional well); 6,175 fne, 550 fsl, Joseph Howe No. 1, 12-500. Amended to add bottom hole location 800 fsl, 6,750 fne.

Rhoda Walker (Canyon 5900 oil): Exxon No. 2 Rhoda Walker Oil Unit No. 3; 660 fsl, 2,010 fsl, sec 110, blk 34, H&TC, 4 sw Pyote, 6,750.

Ward-Estes, North oil: Gulf, Monahans, No. 1083 Hutchings Stock Association; 2,310 fsl, 1,650 fwl, sec 2, blk 0, G&MMB&A, 5 se Wickett, 3,600.

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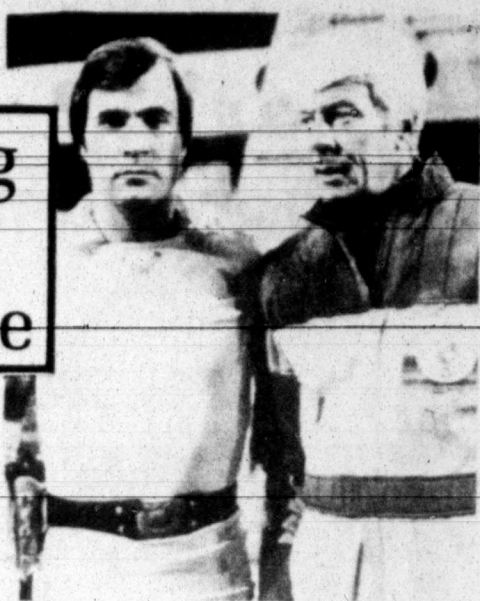
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Evening TV Schedule



Men with a Mission
Buck Rogers (series star Gil Gerard, left) convinces retired starfighter Noah Cooper (guest star Peter Graves) to return to action and fly through an asteroid belt to prevent a villain from destroying all life on Earth with nerve gas in "Return of the Fighting 69th" on NBC's "Buck Rogers in the 25th Century" Thursday April 10.

(Schedules reserve the right to make last-minute changes.)

THURSDAY APRIL 10, 1980

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6:00	News NBC News	News Carol Burnett	News Joker's Wild	El Polvo	Bewitched Adam-12	Electric Co. MacNeil	Star Trek
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8:00	Quincy	Hagen	Barney Miller Associates	Luis De Alba Tapatias	M. T. Moore Bob Newhart	World At War	700 Club
9:00	Rockford Files	The Contender	20-20	La Otra Mujer	Movie: Twins	Jacques Cousteau	Praise
10:00	News Tonight	News Columbo	News ABC News	Marcada 24 Horas	Of Evil	Movie: Inherit	Jack Van Impe
11:00			Charlie's Angels	Cine Int'l	Latv Movie: Secret	The Wind	Faith Temple Life Of Riley
12:00	Tomorrow	M. Hartman	Baretta	"Educando A Un Idiota"	Of My Success		



Your horoscope

By JEANE DIXON

Friday, April 11, 1980

YOUR BIRTHDAY TO-DAY: Those born today bubble with a natural and appealing enthusiasm. Your outgoing and generous nature may at times cause you financial shortages, but it also brings you many friends and contacts. Employment situation may strike you as less than ideal until end of year when outside factors will favor efforts to find your true niche. You find more time for romance and family now, and are happier for it. In 1980 your pioneering spirit may have to be restrained a bit, but you enter a highly rewarding period of your life. There is no limit to what you can achieve!

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Savings account may save you from embarrassing financial predicament. Do not jeopardize future security, however. Careful restructuring of personal budget is in order.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Opportunity headed your way can consume most of your creative energies for awhile. Grab the brass ring. Money troubles will be greatly relieved.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Sound speculative idea may

provide welcome set of steppingstones for you. Cooperation of mate or partner could be key to business, career progress. Stabilize your income and spending if you can.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be competitive but not cutthroat. Others will applaud your well-earned success. Those in authority should guard against rash decisions this afternoon.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): An auspicious day for those promoting new projects or products. The artistically inclined can earn extra money. Do not attempt to spend at same rate as friend or acquaintance who has more in the bank.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): New creative undertaking can be very lucrative. Check into different marketing techniques. Timing has much to do with your success in your private life. Bide your time, and hold your tongue for awhile.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Contact friend or business associate abroad to turn a quick profit. Look for new approach to old problems. Companionship of younger individual can be delightful. Enjoy yourself this evening!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You may be able to com-

bine business, travel and friends in one profitable package this weekend! You feel urge to escape from usual surroundings.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Mate, romantic partner now presses you to strike better balance between work and play. Compromise will help health as well as personal relationships. Romantic evening is fun as long as it is not too expensive.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Family member or friend may give you hard time regarding your choice of romantic partners. You may want to take a financial matter to court. Be sure to get legal advice first to make sure it is worth the effort.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): New assignment could put you at odds with co-worker or associate today. Jealousy could be at root of trouble. Some changes may disturb your routine at first, but they benefit career.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): How to best increase savings is one subject on your mind today. Calculate cost of weekend plans before committing yourself. You may find you just cannot afford that much fun right now.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

Neither vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♦ KQ105
♥ KJ7
♦ J943
♠ A7

WEST EAST
♦ A86 ♦ J432
♥ 963 ♥ 8542
♦ 108 ♦ 765
♦ QJ632 ♦ K8

SOUTH
♦ 97
♥ AQ10
♦ AKQ2
♠ 10954

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 1 ♦ Pass
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Opening lead: Three of ♠.

Before playing to the first trick, declarer should pause and ask himself these questions: 1) From what holding was the opening lead made? 2) Is there any adverse distribution that will ruin my contract? 3) If so, what can I do to counter it?

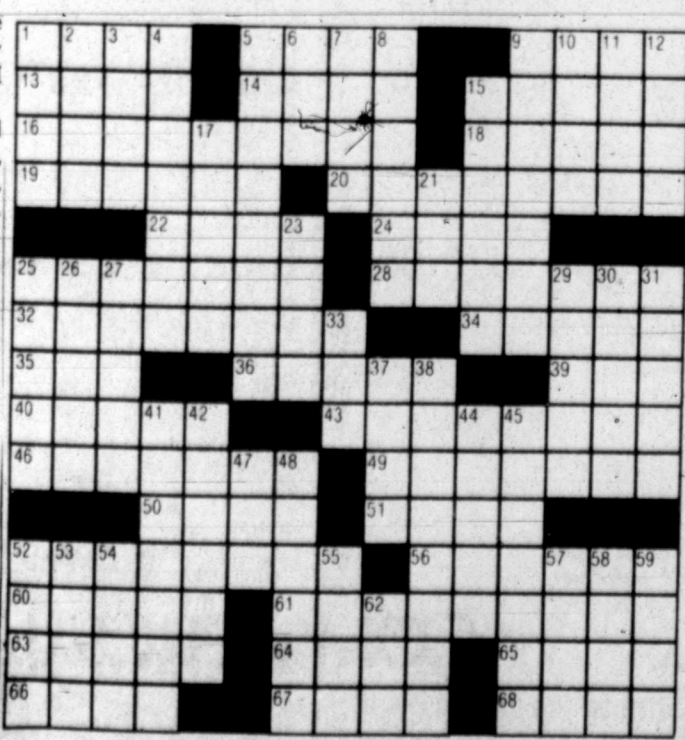
Failure to follow this ritual could result in South, declarer at three no trump, going down in a contract which is ironclad. The bidding was routine. With a minimum opening and shortness in partner's suit, one no trump was a natural rebid. Holding a full opening bid, a balanced hand and stoppers in every suit, North's jump to three no trump was a foregone conclusion.

West made a normal lead of the fourth-best of his longest suit. To those players who have been drilled in holdup plays, following with a low card from dummy at trick one is so automatic that they don't even stop to think. It is also wrong! East will win and knock out the ace, and when West gets in with the ace of spades, he will take

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Margaret Farrar and Trude Jaffe

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Answer on Markets Page

ACROSS

- 1 Baltic port
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- 22 Knot
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- 25 Slow
- 28 Footleaver
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- 35 First name in Hollywood lore
- 36 City of S. cen. Alabama
- 39 Type of British yeast roll
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- 46 Drift angles
- 49 New York City's Bowery
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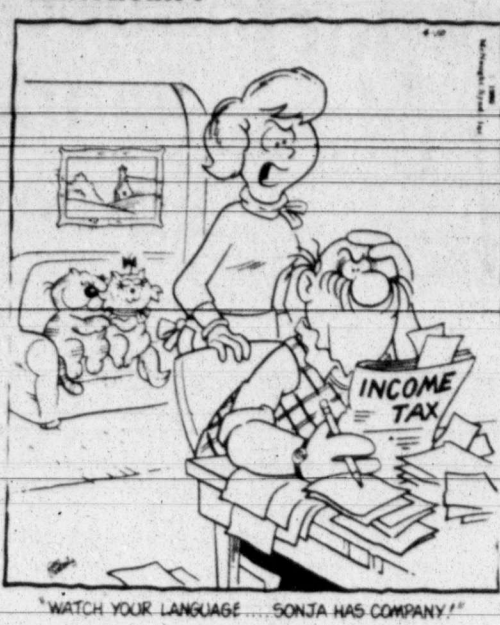
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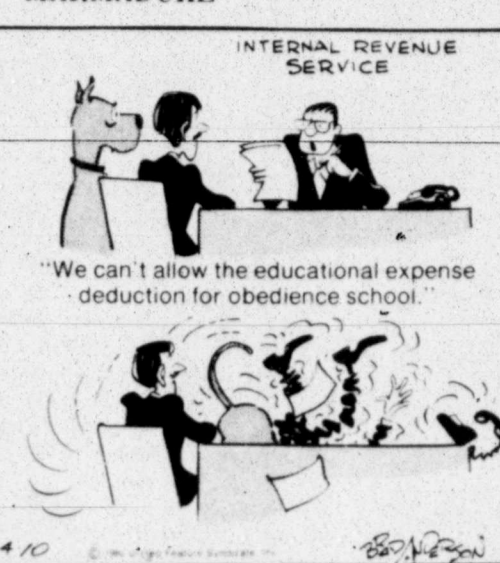
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- 27 Conscious
- 29 Prevent
- 30 Relative of 61
- 31 Across
- 32 Joint
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- 37 Mummer's disguise
- 38 "The Traveler"
- 41 Gauche
- 42 Woolly
- 44 Summons
- 45 Pleasing and simple
- 47 Tree
- 48 Pete of folk ballad fame
- 52 Tub
- 53 Kitchen staple
- 54 Communique of a sort
- 55 Tree: Prefix
- 57 Narrow track
- 58 Early movie name
- 59 Anglo-Saxon letters
- 62 Take place

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MARMADUKE



"However..."

DENNIS THE MENACE



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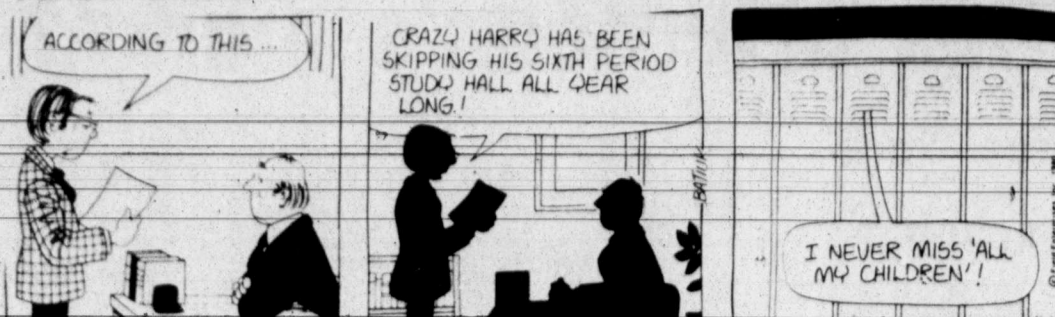


THE BETTER HALF



Don't worry about being unexpected... Harriet just added more water and this time it wasn't even on fire!"

FUNKY WINKERBEAN



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MARY WORTH



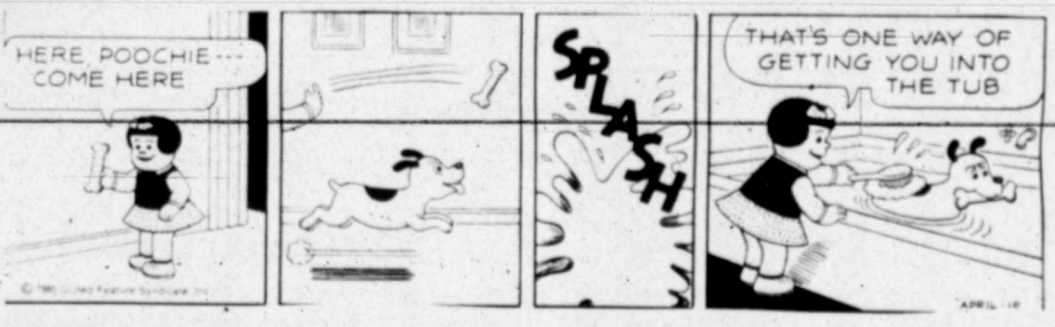
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The "Death of a Princess" is depicted in this scene from a movie broadcast Wednesday night on British television. The body of Saudi Arabian Princess Mishaal, portrayed

by Egyptian actress Suzanne Abou Taled, is seen on the ground at right while her lover is surrounded for his public execution in 1977. (AP Laserphoto)

Ambassador tries to soothe Saudi flap over British film

LONDON (AP) — Britain rushed its ambassador back to Saudi Arabia to try to end a flap over a television film depicting the 1977 execution of a Saudi princess and her lover, the Foreign Office said today.

The Daily Mail newspaper said the Saudis were upset because they believed the film "Death of a Princess," broadcast Wednesday on Britain's Independent Television Network, "showed them in a barbaric light." It said Saudi Arabia threatened to cut diplomatic ties with Britain, end oil exports and suspend contracts worth hundreds of millions of dollars.

The filmmakers said the program was a dramatized documentary of an adultery scandal that led to the death of Princess Mishaal of Saudi Arabia and her lover in 1977. One scene depicts the lover kneeling beneath an executioner's sword with the body of the princess lying nearby, shot to death.

The Foreign Office spokesman confirmed the Daily Mail report that Ambassador James Craig returned to his post in Jidda after expressions of Saudi concern, but would not comment on the newspaper story that the film enraged Saudi King Khalid.

"We regret any damage which might be done to Anglo-Saudi relations, but, of course, the government has no power to interfere with the content of a program of this nature," the spokesman said.

Foreign Minister Lord Carrington, in Portugal for a Common Market meeting, sent a message to King Khalid regretting any damage done to relations between the two countries, the ministry said.

Anthony Thomas, the award-winning producer and director of the film, was quoted as saying he would have "dropped the project like a hot brick" if he had foreseen the difficulties it would create.

Thomas, interviewed by the British magazine TV Times, described his view of the beautiful 19-year-old Saudi princess, "a girl torn between Islam and modern Western thinking, refusing to give up her convictions in the face of death."

"To me it summed up the Arab predicament. How much of their past must they abandon? How much of our culture is worth imitating?" he was quoted as saying.

In the film, the princess, played by Egyptian actress Suzanne Abou Taled, rebels against her arranged marriage and goes to Beirut, Lebanon, where she falls in love with a fellow university student.

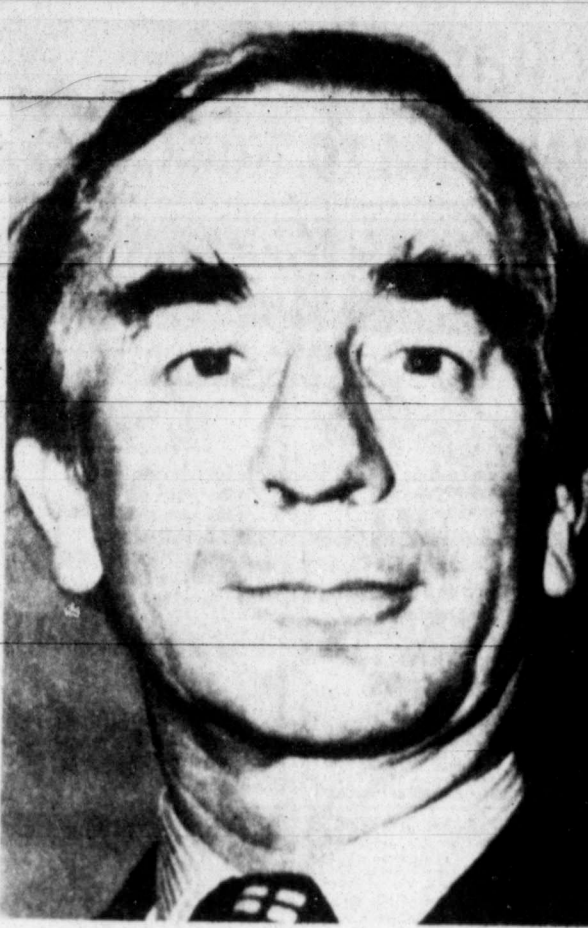
She returns to Saudi Arabia and lives openly with her lover. She admits the adultery in a trial and the lovers are condemned and put to death.

The British Press Association reported that an embassy spokesman in Jidda said that Craig returned anticipating "concern" over the film, and that Saudi officials were "upset." He said Craig "felt at a time when there was a matter of some interest coming between the two countries that he had to be at his post."

The spokesman said he had not heard any threats to end Saudi oil exports to Britain or deport the 30,000 Britons working in Saudi Arabia.

"I know of no danger of them being sent home. We haven't seen the film and obviously we can't say what sort of reaction it might have aroused," he said.

"The Saudi Arabians, I assume, think the film has something to do with them and are upset. What



James Craig

action they might take I cannot tell. We hope the good relations between the two countries will not be harmed," the spokesman said.

British exports to Saudi Arabia last year were about 875 million pounds (\$1.9 billion), matched by the same amount in imports, principally oil.

Musto wins election to fill Flood's position

WILKES-BARRE, Pa. (AP) — Democratic state Rep. Raphael Musto has won a special election to fill the unexpired term of Daniel Flood, the flamboyant Pennsylvania congressman who resigned after he ran into legal difficulties.

Citing poor health, the 78-year-old Flood relinquished the seat he had held for more than 30 years in January. He later pleaded guilty to conspiring to accept campaign contributions illegally and is now on probation.

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6,000-acre grass fire battled

GRAHAM, Okla. (AP) — Firefighters hoped a shift in wind direction would help their efforts to subdue a raging grass fire that has charred some 6,000 acres near this small south central Oklahoma town.

By late Wednesday, the third day of the fire, a strip about two miles wide and seven miles long had been blackened and more rural areas were threatened, authorities said.

Several homes were only about one mile from

the leading edge of the fire, said Bodie Lyon, fire chief at Healdton.

The fire started on Monday eight miles north of Graham and was fanned southward by winds up to 60 mph, firefighters said.

"If the weather cooperates and the wind keeps changing, we've got it made — but we just can't tell yet," Lyon said.

About 120 emergency workers and volunteers have been battling the fire over the three-day period.

Since Monday, the blaze has injured four firefighters, destroyed one oilfield pump unit, burned down at least half a dozen outbuildings and caused the temporary evacuation of about five rural families.

Local officials say it is one of the worst range fires ever in this part of the state.

The leaping flames have also swept across areas in which about 200 oil wells are located, Lyon said, but firefighters were able to keep the fire far enough away from the pumps and prevent explosions.

"The only way to stop it (the fire) would be if we'd get a real hard rain," fireman Richard Morgan said.

"If this wind gets southerly, it'll be all right — it'll burn itself out. But if it blows up again strong like it was, it'll just jump that road over there," he said, pointing to a wide gravel road near the fire crew's headquarters.

First strike by nurses expected to be long

PORTSMOUTH, N.H. (AP) — Nurses and management at Portsmouth Hospital were predicting a long siege in the first nurses' strike in New Hampshire history.

"A lot of us feel we'd rather quit and go to work somewhere else than go back before we get what we want," said nurse Glenda Morrissey, a member of Local 1199 of the Hospital and Health Care Employees Union.

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Dated at Midland, Texas this 26th day of March, 1980.

Joe Nussale, Secretary
Midland County Tax Appraisal District Board of Directors

(March 28, April 6, 10, 1980)

Lodge Notices

Midland Commandery #48. Regular monthly convocations March 18 at 7:30 p.m. All Sir Knights welcome and urged to attend. Steve Harless, Commander. George Medley, Recorder. Annual Sunday Easter Service at 2:00. Everyone welcome and urged to attend.

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1 adjoining, South Side \$17,000
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CTY. RD. 140 E—5 acres, no restrictions, (1 acre tracts at \$3,600 per acre) \$18,000
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2 MILES SOUTH OF T.I. plant, 5.85 acres \$27,000
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1212 HAMBRY \$25,000
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GULF—3BR 1 1/2 bath located in well established neighborhood. Comfortable open kitchen-den area \$63,000
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THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1980

Midland Cubs open season here tonight

By TED BATTLES
R-T Sports Editor

The Midland Cubs will go on with the scheduled Texas League opener against San Antonio's Dodgers at 7:30 p.m. today anyway.

The Cubs new mascot, Boomer Bear, the costume, at least, was on the hijacked plane that wound up in Cuba Thursday and General Manager Bill Rigney, Jr., said, "It doesn't make any difference whether or not Boomer Bear, that's the mascot's name, arrives in time for the game, we'll play anyway."

As the Cubs went through a final workout under the Cubs Stadium lights Thursday, the hijacked plane was on its way to Miami and there was no indication that Boomer Bear had been detained in Havana as a suspicious alien.

MANAGER RANDY HUNDLEY announced that Jon Perlman, 4-8 last year after joining Midland off the Baylor University campus last summer, will draw the starting mound assignment against last year's Texas League West Division champions.

Hundley will follow Perlman with Herman Segelke, 13-8 last season, on Two-Bit Beer night Friday, and Henry Mack, 10-4, Saturday as Midland opens the 92nd Texas League season with a six-game homestand against the Dodgers, who are managed for the third year by Ducky LeJohn.

"We are young and won't have the speed we had last year," Hundley said in appraising his 1980 club, "but they can hit. As for power, Randy LaVigne supplies most of our power, but he is basically a line drive hitter."

LaVigne hit 10 home runs and knocked in 50 while stealing 23 bases at Geneva last year.

Of the 21 Cubs, only five played here last year, which means the Cubs go into the season with less AA experience than they have ever had before, but four of the returnees are pitchers who accounted for 40 victories last season.

Completing Midland's five-man rotation will be Tim Spino, 9-9 at Quad Cities, and Steve Viskas, 14-6 with a 2.74 and three shutouts at Quad Cities.

Mayor G. Thane Atkins will throw out the first ball in the pregame ceremonies.

REFLECTING THE INCREASE in attendance for the third straight year, the TL resumes action with the same eight cities and same major league affiliations as a year ago. Returning managers in addition to Hundley and LeJohn are Bob Wellman, Jacksonville Mets; and Andy Gilbert, the Shreveport Captains, a farm club of the San Francisco Giants.

Jim Saul is new at El Paso after a year as coach for Oakland, but managed at Midland in 1977-78. Other new managers are former Baltimore pitcher Eddie Watt, at Amarillo up from the San Diego A club at Reno; John Ruberto, promoted by the Cardinals to Arkansas from St. Petersburg, Florida State, by the St. Louis Cardinals, while former Chicago Cubs infielder Wayne Terwilliger will handle the Texas Rangers' Tulsa club; moving up from Asheville, N.C., incidentally, will be playing in a new park on the Oral Roberts University campus.

Arkansas is the defending TL champion. BRUN BREWINS—Charley Wyatt and Betty Seay were co-winners of the name-Cub mascot contest, both coming up with Boomer Bear, and will receive duplicate prizes. Randy Clark, righthanded pitcher of the year in the Midwest League after compiling a 16-5 record at Quad Cities, and Joe McLain, who was with the Cubs when they got in shape, are in Sarasota, Fla., and will report to the Cubs when they get in shape. Clark injured an ankle running in early workouts with the Chicago Cubs and never threw a pitch in Mesa. McLain underwent surgery for a finger wart and it split open while he was pitching batting practice. Season box seat tickets sales reached an all-time high of 937, everything over 825 going to the city to help defray the cost of moving the two light towers out of the box seats. Gone from the Cubs' lineup are first baseman Jim Tracy, who won the TL batting title with a .355, and .326 hitting outfielder Carlos Lezcano. Tracy is playing outfield at Wichita and Lezcano made the Chicago roster...

1979 M-Cub averages

Player, pos., '79 club	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbt	avg.	sb
Ran LaVigne, of, Geneva	252	44	79	9	2	10	55	.313	23
Scott Fletcher, 2b, Geneva	261	59	61	12	3	4	43	.310	10
Tom Grant, of, Geneva	148	35	45	5	1	10	32	.304	1
Melvin Hall, of, Geneva	251	49	79	18	5	3	55	.300	4
Joe Hicks, 1b, Quad Cities	461	78	138	23	5	13	74	.299	24
Dave Stockstill, of, Wausau	459	88	130	23	7	27	101	.283	3
Dave Owen, ss, Quad Cities	129	23	18	3	0	6	4	.140	23
Sarasota	23	8	7	0	0	0	4	.304	14
Todd Winterfeldt, inf, Was	363	57	103	34	0	9	66	.262	8
Javier Fierro, inf, Midland	272	40	70	15	3	11	54	.257	4
Mike O'Berry, c, Boston	59	8	10	1	0	1	4	.169	0
Mike Shepston, c, Quad	192	30	42	6	1	2	25	.219	3

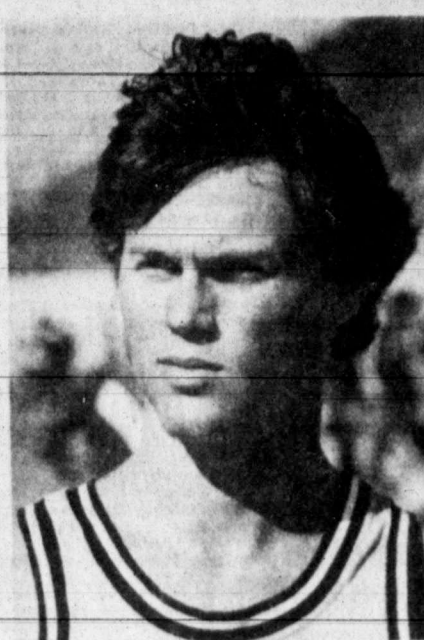
Pitchers, '79 club	g	ip	ho	so	w-l	era	cg	sho	sv
Bob Blyth, Geneva	36	55	42	41	63	8.2	2.78	0	7
Bill Earley, Mid	30	164	180	62	94	13.6	4.06	0	0
Henry Mack, Mid	23	144	156	116	102	10.4	4.94	2	1
Jon Perlman, Mid	13	96	133	32	34	4.8	4.59	4	0
Herm Segelke, Mid	29	184	227	63	81	13.8	5.23	9	1
Tom Spino, Quad	28	162	141	82	102	9.9	3.17	6	1
Steve Viskas, Quad	25	161	120	66	135	14.6	2.74	6	3
Mike Wright, Quad	25	122	112	88	119	8.7	4.87	1	1



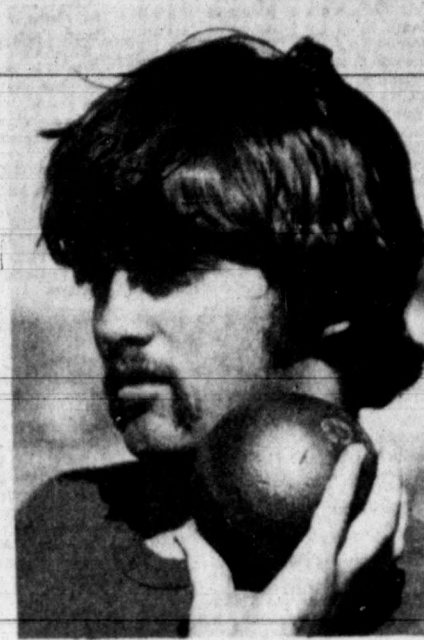
MHS' David Simmons



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Lee's Keevin Harper



MHS' James Lary

Major questions need answers in 5-4A track meet Friday

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Sports Writer

ABILENE — Can the Midland Lee Rebels pull off another of its patented surprise attacks here Friday for another team track championship? And can Midland High's David Simmons erase a year of bad memories with victories in both the shot put and discus?

Those are two burning questions that need answers at the District 5-4A track and field meet for their annual zany "who-can-beat-who" trackfest at the Abilene Christian University oval.

But those aren't the only questions that need answers. For instance, can Midland High's Jeff Robnett, a regional qualifier in the 100 meters a year ago, return from a major foot injury which has sidelined him since the second week of the season, return in good enough form to pull off another region berth? Can Lee's Phil Carleton make a successful switch from the 400 meters to the 200 meters? Can Midland High's James Lary, an underdog again this year, pull off another surprise region berth in the discus as he did a year ago?

What role will Lee's Arthur Williams play in the sprints after coming literally out of nowhere this year as a junior to shock a few people? Can Midland High's Jerry Zachery prove that there is room for both baseball and track as he bids for a region hurdles berth? Can Midland High's Donna Repman become a two-event champion in both the 800 and 1600 meter endurance races? And the list goes on and on...

However, the answers will come Friday. Field event finals begin at noon with running preliminaries to be held at 1:30 p.m. Running finals will be held at 7:30 p.m. The girls will again run in the same meet with the boys.

San Angelo is a decided favorite to capture the boys crown with Odessa Permian, Lee and Cooper all having hopes for a team title. The girls race appears to be open, but neither local school is expected to challenge for the team crown.

The top two finishers in each event will earn a trip to Lubbock's regional meet. State berths can be earned there with a 1-2 finish.

Here is a brief look at the major contenders in each event:

DISCUS: Simmons goes into the meet undefeated in this event with a season's best of 187-8. His main competition is San Angelo's Doug DeWitt (173-0), who had Simmons beat in one meet until the last throw of the day. But Simmons, a favorite last year in the discus, placed third. He has had a year to think about that. Abilene High's Steve Ford (164-11) and Lary (159-2) are the other major threats.

SHOT PUT: Simmons is again undefeated with a best of 60-4. Ford has a 55-11 1/4 while Lary stands at 54-3. This is another event Simmons placed third in last year, and again another year to think about it.

HIGH JUMP: Paul Hayes of San Angelo may have a lock on this event with his 6-8. Terry Brown of Permian owns a 6-4. They are the best, but Cooper's Kyle Stuard, playing baseball this year, will make a one meet show and is a good one.

LONG JUMP: Greg Mathews of Big Spring is the favorite with a 22-7 this year while Hayes owns a 22-1 1/2. Lee's Michael O'Neal (20-1 1/2), Kenneth Brown (20-1 1/2) and Midland High's Mike Velasco (19-6) will have to come forth with major efforts.

POLE VAULT: Permian's Mike Van Zandt and Cooper's Scott Estes, both 14-foot vaulters, are expected to have a battle. But this is an event where bests don't come every week. David of Cooper (13-7), Jerry Dugan of Permian (13-6) and Jim Kemper of Midland High (13-3) could contend.

SPRINT RELAY: This is an event that Lee feels it must win with Darrin Williams, Arthur Williams, Steve Waldron and Carleton. The Rebs own a 42-6 this year while San Angelo (42-9) and Cooper (42-9) are major threats. Permian has a 43-2.

800: This could be one of the most competitive races of the day with a field composed of San Angelo's Frank Rodriguez (1:55.8), Lee's Keevin Harper (1:56.0, a school record), Odessa High's Johnny Herrera (1:58.6), Permian's Craig Cooper (1:59.3), Permian's Terry Duzan (1:59.9) and San Angelo's Paul David (2:00.1). This may be the best field the district has had from top to bottom. Midland High's Donna Repman's 2:27.4 makes her the favorite with Cooper's Janet McInnis (2:31.0) a contender.

HIGH HURDLES: San Angelo's Dennis Nolder is a heavy favorite with a 13.97 this year, but Midland High's Jerry Zachery (14.6), Lee's David Piccolo (14.9) have a shot at a region berth. Midland High's Bruce Fisher and Lee's O'Neal are dark horses. In the girls hurdles, Lee's Ora Bell has a shot, but Cooper's Linda Hargrove and San Angelo's Julie Gayle will be tough to beat.

100: This is always a feature race for track fans, but this year has a little more spice since Midland High's Robnett (10.9) tries for another regional berth in a comeback effort after a foot injury. But he will be hard pressed since teammate Billy Taylor is the favorite with a 10.6 this season. Lee's Arthur Williams (10.7) and San Angelo's Glenn Payne (10.7) are also in the race. Surprises could come from Lee's Mark Landers, third last year but slowed by bronchitis this

season, or Darrin Williams.

400: Since Lee's Carleton, the 400 meter champion two years ago as a sophomore, has opted for the 200 meters this year, things are in a different light. Carleton's 49.8 is the second best time in the 400 while Big Spring's Joe Willie Jones (49.5) is the favorite. Permian's Mark Griggs (49.8), Abilene High's Eddie Guillen (50.1), the defending champion who has been sick, and Cooper's Kevin Scallely (50.1) are the major threats. Midland High's Janis Trolinder could win a region berth for the Pack girls with her 1:02.3, but Odessa High's Wanda McCarty is a big favorite with a 59.27.

300 HURDLES: Permian's Terry Jackson (39.5) and Odessa High's Jim Harris (39.6) are the favorites with some strong competition from San Angelo's Nolder (39.8), Lee's Piccolo (40.1), Midland High's Fisher (40.8), Midland High's Elston Montgomery (41.1) and Lee's O'Neal (41.2).

200: This could be called the Carleton Syndrome. Lee is taking a risk by placing Carleton (22.5) in this race where he will be going in ranked fourth. Cooper's Billy Anderson is the favorite with a 22.2 to his credit while Abilene High's Danny Conner (22.4), Lee's Arthur Williams (22.4), Per-

mian's Billy Howell (22.6), Midland High's Taylor (22.6) and Midland High's Robnett (22.8) all have a shot.

1600: This race is anyone's guess because no runner has shown any consistency this year. San Angelo's Dirk Davis (4:25.4), Lee's Robert Schooler (4:29.1), Abilene High's Greg Carter (4:27.9), San Angelo's Julian Mata (4:29.4), Odessa High's Johnny Herrera (4:29.9) and San Angelo's Frank Rodriguez (4:30.6) all appear to have a shot. Midland High's Repman can become a two-event winner for the girls since her 5:31.8 is at the head of the class. No other district runners are even close.

1600 RELAY: Another event the Rebels feel they must have. Lee will use Waldron, Gary Butler, Carleton and Harper in an effort to improve on their 3:21.89. That ranks third in district with San Angelo (3:21.1) and Permian (3:21.2) ranked ahead of the Rebs. However, Lee has lost to and beaten both of those teams. It looks like another exciting finish to the meet with this race.

That's the way it looks on paper, but this has never been a paper meet. There are always some surprises and look for some of the locals to produce their share of shockers.

Mariners, Reds take opening day victories

By The Associated Press

The last thing pitchers Dave Heaverlo and Frank Pastore expected was to be heroes. In fact, neither had any idea he'd be playing baseball Wednesday.

Yet Heaverlo picked up a save in the Seattle Mariners' 8-6 American League victory over the Toronto Blue Jays and Pastore registered a win — on a three-hit shutout, no less — in the Cincinnati Reds' 9-0 National League triumph over the Atlanta Braves.

Early Wednesday morning, Heaverlo, a reliever with the Oakland A's, received what he considered terrific news: he no longer was with Charlie Finley's outfit. Finley had placed Heaverlo on waivers and the Mariners claimed him.

"I told the people who picked me up at the airport to hurry up and get me to the ballpark," said Heaverlo, who had been critical of Finley during the pitcher's stay in the Bay Area. "I thought I might be able to get into the game."

That he did as Seattle Manager Darrell Johnson, looking to protect a two-run lead, summoned Heaverlo in the eighth inning. He got the last four outs and the Mariners scored their third victory in four American League openers.

The Mariners got their season off in fine style with a four-run first inning, capped by Ted Cox's two-run double that deflected off a Kingdome speaker wire. Joe Simpson's two-run homer provided the winning runs for starter Mike Parrott while Bruce Bochte and Rodney Craig had three hits each.

John Mayberry slammed a pair of home runs for Toronto but that didn't save starter Dave Lemanczyk from being the loser.

The Reds got a boost from Pastore

after receiving a jolt from ace hurler Tom Seaver. The star right-hander had to beg off his opening day start due to the flu and the 23-year-old Pastore was handed the ball by Reds Manager John McNamara.

George Foster and Junior Kennedy helped make Pastore's chore that much simpler. Foster knocked in four runs with a double and homer and Kennedy had a double and triple to drive in three runs as the Reds routed Braves ace Phil Niekro.

Nine more openers are scheduled for today and tonight — five in the American League and four in the National.

In AL day games, Baltimore was set to pitch Jim Palmer at Chicago with the White Sox using Steve Trout, and Boston's Dennis Eckersley was scheduled to face Jim Slaton of Milwaukee. In night games, Ron Guidry was set to start for the New York Yankees against Jon Matlack of Texas, Detroit scheduled Jack Morris to pitch against Dennis Leonard of Kansas City and Minnesota's Jerry Koosman was to face Rick Langford of Oakland.

In the National League day games, the Chicago Cubs had Rick Reuschel ready for the New York Mets and Craig Swan, while Pittsburgh's world champion Pirates scheduled Bert Blyleven against Pete Vuckovich of St. Louis. At night, Los Angeles was set to use Burt Hooton against J.R. Richard in Houston while San Francisco scheduled Bob Knepper against Randy Jones in San Diego.

Two more openers are scheduled for Friday night when Cleveland plays at California in the AL with John Denny set to face Dave Frost, and Montreal using Steve Rogers or Bill Lee to open against Philadelphia's Steve Carlton in the NL.

Montreal has big stranglehold in NHL playoff with Whalers

By The Associated Press

Somewhat overshadowed by the drama of upset and overtime that has marked the early portion of the National Hockey League playoffs, the Montreal Canadiens — calmly, surely — have grabbed a stranglehold on their first-round series with the Hartford Whalers.

While attention has been taken by the Chicago Black Hawks (who snapped a 16-game playoff losing streak Tuesday night), the Pittsburgh Penguins (who upset the Boston Bruins in their opener) and the Los Angeles Kings (who startled the New York Islanders Wednesday night) the Canadiens have extended their unbeaten streak to 23 games with a pair of victories over the Whalers.

They recorded an 8-4 triumph Wednesday night over a Hartford team that is missing three of its top performers: Jordy Douglas, Rick Ley, and 56-goal scorer Blaine Stoughton.

Indeed, Montreal has not lost a playoff series since the Buffalo Sabres beat them in six games during the 1975 semifinal.

Montreal was one of six teams to take a 2-0 lead in opening round action Wednesday night. Elsewhere, the Philadelphia Flyers beat the Edmonton Oilers 5-1, the Sabres blanked the Vancouver Canucks 6-0, the Chicago Black Hawks beat the St. Louis Blues 5-1, the Minnesota North Stars downed the Toronto Maple Leafs 7-2 and the New York Rangers bested the Atlanta Flames 5-1.



MHS netters let go with flurry of tennis balls in preparation for District 5-4A tennis competition in an evenly-balanced entry field. From left: Caroline Kirwan, Monica Blair, Denata Hasek, John Martin, Vee Ann Atnipp, Brent Burchard, Karin Farquhar and David Bartus. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain).

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

AL boxscore

AB	R	H	E	R	B	I	O
Griffith	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bailey	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mayberry	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Velez	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hewitt	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bennett	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boettel	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
D'Archi	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whitc	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Upshaw	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Davis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cannon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	10	0	0	0	0	0	0

Transactions

By The Associated Press

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Optioned Del Alexander, outfielder, to Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Placed Amos Otis, outfielder, on the disabled list. Sent Craig Chamberlain, pitcher, and Manny Castillo, infielder, to Omaha of the American Association. Purchased the contract of Bobby DeBarge, outfielder.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Outrighted Ken Clay, pitcher, to Columbus of the International League.

OAKLAND A's—Added Rick Ly-lender, pitcher.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Claimed Dave Heaverlo, pitcher, on waivers from Oakland.

National League

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Placed Matt Alexander, outfielder, on the 15-day disabled list.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

BALTIMORE COLTS—Traded to the Kansas City Chiefs for Mark Ball, fullback.

HOFSTRA—Announced the resignation of Joe Harrington, head basketball coach, as he may accept a similar job at George Mason.

MINNESOTA—Announced the resignation of Herb Brooks, head hockey coach.

NBA—Named Paul Evans head basketball coach.

AL standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	0	0	0.000	—
Cleveland	0	0	0.000	—
Detroit	0	0	0.000	—
Minnesota	0	0	0.000	—
New York	0	0	0.000	—
Toronto	0	0	0.000	—

NL standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	0	0	0.000	—
Boston	0	0	0.000	—
Chicago	0	0	0.000	—
Cincinnati	0	0	0.000	—
Cleveland	0	0	0.000	—
Los Angeles	0	0	0.000	—
Montreal	0	0	0.000	—
New York	0	0	0.000	—
Philadelphia	0	0	0.000	—
Pittsburgh	0	0	0.000	—
San Diego	0	0	0.000	—
St. Louis	0	0	0.000	—
Toronto	0	0	0.000	—

NL boxscore

AB	R	H	E	R	B	I	O
Miller	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bryant	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mayberry	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Velez	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hewitt	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bennett	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boettel	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
D'Archi	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whitc	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Upshaw	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Davis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cannon	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	0	0	0	0	0	0

NL boxscore

AB	R	H	E	R	B	I	O
Miller	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bryant	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mayberry	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Velez	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hewitt	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bennett	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boettel	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
D'Archi	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whitc	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Upshaw	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Davis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cannon	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	0	0	0	0	0	0

Goolagong Texas, Aags sign plums

net victory

HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. (AP)—Evyonne Goolagong says she thinks that on any given day, she can beat any other woman tennis player in the world.

And the Australian-born pro's performance Wednesday in the third round of the \$150,000 tournament at the Sea Pines Racquet Club did nothing to dispel confidence in herself.

It took Goolagong, second seeded behind Tracy Austin, just 46 minutes to smash Sharon Walsh of Incline Village, Nev., 6-0, 6-0.

"I still believe I can beat anyone in the world," Goolagong said after the light workout. "Or else, I wouldn't be here."

The upset of the third round came when unseeded Ivanna Madruga of Argentina defeated third-seeded Virginia Wade of Great Britain 6-2, 5-7, 6-4. Madruga said it was her biggest win, but not necessarily the best match she has played.

Texas and Texas A&M got the two nicest plums among Southwest Conference schools on Wednesday's national collegiate letter-of-intent signing date.

Southern Methodist already had two prize recruits wrapped up in Plano's 6-7 all-state center Kirk Lundblade and Highland Park's 6-7 John Briggs.

But the Longhorns' Abe Lemons won the services of high school All-America Mike Wacker, a 6-8 forward from San Marcos who had narrowed his choices from 100 schools to Texas, Baylor, Texas Tech and Texas A&M before making his decision Wednesday night.

AND THE AGGIES' Shelby Metcalf persuaded McKinney's Reggie Roberts, a 6-2 forward who was a Class AAA all-state selection.

Wacker, who earlier had indicated he would wait until today to decide on a school, told the San Marcos Record-Ledger he finally decided on Texas, just 30 miles north of San Marcos. He said the opportunity to play with 6-11 freshman center LaSalle Thompson was a major factor.

"Texas gave me an overall feeling I liked, but LaSalle Thompson was a big plus in my decision. He is a good center and it would really be good to play alongside him," said Wacker, the only Texan named on Parade Magazine's High School All-America team.

Wacker, the state's most highly sought high school basketball player, said his final decision was between Texas and Baylor. He averaged 23 points and 10 rebounds for San Marcos High School last season.

IN THE 6-2 Roberts, who averaged 24 points and 12 rebounds per game, the Aggies found a blue-chip guard to throw the ball to "the Wall." Roberts is a mere shrimp in size to Texas A&M's "Wall" which consists of 6-11 Rudy Woods, 6-7 Rynn Wright and 6-6 Vernon Smith.

"He's got exactly what we're looking for in a replacement for David Britton," Metcalf said. "He has good speed, good quickness and good jumping ability."

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Rebels bombard Dallas Jefferson in 21-10 slugfest

By BOB DILLON
Sports Writer

It was batting practice for Midland Lee and Dallas Thomas Jefferson Wednesday at the Midland Lee diamond.

Both teams rapped out 16 hits each in the wild contest.

Midland Lee's Rebels took advantage of eight errors by the Jefferson Patriots to post a 21-10 non-district baseball victory over the touring Dallas team.

Jefferson, unbeaten in District 11-4A with an 8-0 record, wound up a three-day four game series with Pecos and Lee on a sour note.

THE PATRIOTS flew into West Texas Monday at Midland Terminal where a bus picked up the Metroplex team and took them to Pecos for a three-game series. Jefferson won two out of three games from the Class AAA Eagles, but like Lee, had to throw a second-line pitcher and that was the reason for the 21-10 verdict.

Lee, down from a 5-2 loss at the hands of the Midland Bulldogs on Tuesday, came from an 8-3 deficit in the third inning to score nine runs and come from behind to down the Dallas team.

JEFFERSON TOOK a 4-0 lead off Lee's Jeff Hicks in the top of the first inning and it looked like a long afternoon for Coach Ernie Johnson's crew.

Lee had to overcome the loss of pitcher-third baseman Wade Cartwright who suffered a painful cheekbone injury while warming up for the Jefferson contest. Cartwright was hit by a one-hopper on the first ground ball hit to him during pregame infield practice. His eye closed quickly and the senior athlete was taken to a doctor after the freak injury. This seemed to stun the Rebels, but they battled back to post the victory after a very slow start.

Another thing that Lee had to overcome was a home run call by the base umpire in the top of the third inning when shortstop Greg Eastin was awarded a home run on a ball that bounced over the fence in right field.

THE PATRIOTS scored four runs on six hits in the first inning with third baseman Jimmy Jones' two-run homer over the 360-foot sign in right, the big blow. An error by center-fielder Barry Corley along with a single and stolen base by leadoff hitter Tim Doss, didn't help matters for the Rebels.

This didn't seem to shake the Rebels who came back with three runs off starter Jason Stewart in the bottom of the first inning.

ROBERT PEREZ was safe on an error by shortstop Eastin and scored after teammate Ricky Wright walked and Corley was hit by a pitch to load the sacks. Alan Koonce popped out to Eastin at short, but Scott Collins singled in one run and Randy Velarde rammed a single into left to score two more to cut the Patriot lead to 4-3. Billy Gilliland tapped back to the mound and Clay Bateman walked, but Tom Morrison lined out to J.P. McKenzie in right to end the uprising.

Jefferson scored two more runs in the top of the second for a 6-3 lead when after one was out, Doss singled, Jeff Tossa, who was tossed out of the game in the third inning, walked and Jimmy Jones singled in Doss. John Schussler singled in Tossa for the 6-3 advantage.

Lee then fell behind 8-3 in the top of the third. Eastin was awarded his controversial homer and McKenzie walked, stole second and scored on Tossa's infield single for an 8-3 lead.

THE PATRIOTS committed five errors as Lee tallied nine runs for a 12-8 lead in the bottom of the third. Bateman rapped a double while Wright knocked in a pair of runs with a single and Koonce tripled in Corley during the rally.

Collins followed with a single and Velarde hit a line-drive homer over the screen in left for the 13-8 advantage.

Lee added a single run in the fifth without benefit of a hit. Corley was

safe on error by Jim Schussler and scored after a walk to Koonce and a fielder's choice by Collins. Velarde knocked in Corley on a sacrifice fly to right to make it 14-8.

THE REBELS exploded again for eight more runs in the bottom of the sixth inning for a 21-8 lead. Lee pounded eight hits off Stewart and reliever Don Lewis along with an error by leftfielder John Schussler. Corley doubled in a pair of runs while Cliff Collier, Collins, Bateman and Ron Smedley batted in a run each.

In the top of the seventh, Bateman seemed to tire and the Patriots scored two runs. Eastin singled, McKenzie walked and Doss followed with his fourth hit of the game. Jones flew out to right to score another run and the Patriots left the bases loaded without any more scoring when Jim Schussler flew out to Gary Wood at first and Jones grounded out to Wood at first unassisted.

Velarde knocked in five runs and Collins had three RBIs for the winning Rebels.

LEE TAKES a 9-8 record into Saturday's District 5-4A game with the Odessa High Bronchos at the Lee diamond as the second half of the race opens at 2 p.m. Lee then takes on San Angelo Central on Tuesday at home and entertains the Roswell, N.M. Goddard Rockets in a doubleheader on Wednesday, starting at 2 p.m.

Lee furnished a bus for the Jefferson team and fans as they went to the Midland Terminal to catch a plane back into Dallas Wednesday evening.

JEFFERSON	ab	rb	LEE	ab	rb	ee	
Doss cf	2	2	0	Perez lf	2	1	0
Tousa 2b	3	1	2	Collins lf	4	2	1
Mathews 2b	1	0	0	Wright 3b	4	2	1
J. Jones 3b	3	1	2	Corley cf	4	2	2
J. Schussler lf	3	1	1	Koonce dh	4	2	1
G. Schussler lf	5	1	2	Hicks p	0	0	0
B. Jones dh	5	0	0	Wood 1b	0	0	0
Stewart p	6	0	0	Collins rf	5	2	2
Lawler pr	0	0	0	Velarde 2b	4	2	2
Simmons c	4	0	1	Gilliland 2b	2	2	0
Eastin ss	4	2	1	Bateman 1b-p	4	2	2
McKenzie rf	3	1	0	Morrison c	1	0	0
				Smedley c	4	2	2
Totals	37	18	17	Totals	38	21	18

Score by innings:
Dallas Jeff 422 000 2-10 18 8
Midland Lee 000 011 2-21 14 2
E-Eastin, Doss, Simmons, J. Jones, J. Schussler, G. Schussler, Stewart, Corley, Wood, B-Bateman, Corley, B-Koonce, H-H. Jones, Eastin, Velarde, SB-Doss, McKenzie, Corley, Wright, SF-J. Jones, Velarde, LOB: Jefferson-8, Lee-8, DP-Lee-2.

Pitching: Stewart, L (2-3) 1p 5b 13-2 3 1
Hicks, W (1-2) 4p 13 8-4 1 0
Bateman 3p 3-0 2-4 3 1
HBP-Corley by Stewart, WP-Lewis, Time: 2:48.

Kansas City signs Tearry

By The Associated Press
KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Kansas City Chiefs have picked up center Larry Tearry from the Detroit Lions for a pair of draft choices.

In exchange for the 6-foot-3, 250-pound Tearry, Chiefs officials said Wednesday, the Lions will receive Kansas City's selection in the fifth round college draft plus a ninth-round choice the Chiefs had obtained last summer by trading Tim Gray to the San Francisco 49ers.

Tearry was the Lions' fourth-round draft choice from Wake Forest in 1978. He started 12 games as a rookie and 10 for Detroit last year.

In an earlier transaction Wednesday announced by the Baltimore Colts, the Chiefs obtained a fifth-round 1980 draft choice from the Colts in exchange for fullback Mark Bailey. A 1977 Kansas City draft choice, Bailey spent all of the 1979 season on the reserve-retired list after he rejected a trade to the Philadelphia Eagles.

Doyle upset

MAEBASHI, Japan (AP) — Peter Holl of West Germany upset third-seeded Matt Doyle of the United States 6-2, 6-0 Thursday in the first round of a \$25,000 international tennis tournament.

In other seeded singles matches, second-seeded Russell Simpson of New Zealand beat Wayne Pascoe of Australia 7-5, 3-6, 6-3 and fourth-seeded Cliff Letcher of Australia defeated Tetsu Kuramitsu of Japan 6-4, 6-3.

Scott McGregor will visit doctor today

MIAMI (AP) — Baltimore Orioles' pitcher Scott McGregor will visit a doctor in Baltimore today for a further check on his sore left elbow and probably will not pitch Sunday in Chicago as scheduled.

McGregor, who was bothered by the same problem last season, made the decision Monday morning during a workout at Biscayne College.

"My elbow was too tender for me to throw and I just want the doctor to check it out and see if he can find out what the cause is," said McGregor, who was given a cortisone injection by a Miami doctor Friday. "Maybe there's some adjustment to prevent this from happening. The elbow isn't coming around very quickly."

After hearing the news, Manager Earl Weaver indicated either Dave Ford or Sammy Stewart would replace McGregor against the White Sox.

Gant injured in crash

CONCORD, N.C. (AP) — Stock-car driver Harry Gant was in satisfactory condition at Cabarrus Memorial Hospital Wednesday after he was injured in what Charlotte Motor Speedway officials called one of the most violent crashes in the speedway's history.

Gant's Pontiac Firebird was in the 10th lap of a 10-lap test over the recently repaved 1.5-mile speedway when he cut a right front tire in the fourth turn at a speed estimated at 165 mph. The Taylorsville driver slammed into the concrete retaining wall and ricocheted off the wall and out of control for more than 1,000 feet.

Officials at the Cabarrus Hospital were trying late Wednesday to determine the extent of Gant's injuries.

Records broken during swimming championships

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Floridian Rowdy Gaines, who says he was less than excited about the U.S. Indoor Swimming Championships before his race, got interested enough to shave down and suffer his way to an American record in the 100-meter freestyle.

"The last five yards hurt a lot," Gaines said Wednesday night.

The Auburn University swimmer from Winter Haven, Fla., was clocked in 49.61 seconds, making him the third man to break the 50-second mark. He missed South African Jonty Skinner's world mark by .17 of a second. Jim Montgomery held the old American record at 49.99, set in 1976.

Tracy Caulkins of Nashville, Tenn., also set an American mark Wednesday with a time of 2 minutes, 33.06 seconds in the 200-meter breaststroke, breaking her own record of 2:33.88.

The two records came on the opening day of the four-day meet.

Gaines, a double winner at the recent NCAA championships, agreed with other college swimmers who said it was hard to get up for this meet, but he said the adrenaline flowed as his race drew near.

"You can't help but get psyched up," said Gaines, who initially did not plan to shave his body for the race, but later changed his mind.

Gaines said he would have had a shot at Skinner's world mark but "I started rocking back and forth" near the finish as the pain set in.

Chris Cavanaugh of Cupertino, Calif., was second to Gaines. His time of 50.19 was the sixth fastest ever.

Caulkins, 1978 Sullivan Award winner as the nation's top amateur athlete, beat runnerup Anne Tweedy of Santa Barbara, Calif., by more than two seconds. Caulkins' time was also a meet record.

She said she could have inched closer to Soviet swimmer Lina Kachushite's world record time of 2:28.36 if she had done more long course training. Because it is an Olympic year, the races are in a 50-meter pool. In other years the meet is held in a 25-meter pool.

"The lack of long course training hurt me in the last 100. I started feeling tired. I was kind of disappointed with the time," Caulkins, 17, said.

Mike Bruner of Stockton, Calif., world record holder in the 200 butterfly, won his specialty Wednesday, but had to hold off challenges from a Pan Am Games champ and the Swede who recently took the NCAA crown.

Bruner broke his own meet record with a 1:59.48, a quarter-second off his world record. Pan Am champ Craig Beardsley of Harrington Park, N.J., was second with a 2:00.44. Par Arvidsson, who won the 200-yard butterfly NCAA title for California, was third at 2:00.87.

Bruner took a third in the 800-meter freestyle. Djan Madruga of Brazil, who had a U.S. Open record time of 7:59.85.

The women's 200 butterfly went to world record holder Mary Meagher of Louisville, Ky. She breezed to a 2:08.69, four seconds ahead of runner-up Wendy Quirk of Canada.

Meagher's win, like Gaines', was not without some pain.

"I woke up from a nap this afternoon and just didn't feel good at all," the high school freshman said. "My stomach hurt during the race."

Glenn Mills of North Ridgeville, Ohio set a meet record with a 2:18.08 in the men's 200 breaststroke, topping David Wilkie's mark.

Peter Rocca of Orinda, Calif., posted a new meet mark in the 200 backstroke with a 2:03.74, bettering Steve Barnicoat's 1979 record of 2:02.40. Barnicoat, from Mission Viejo, Calif., was second in 2:00.85.

The women's 100 freestyle went to Jill Sterkel of Hacienda Heights, Calif., who took four individual titles for the University of Texas at 1st month's NCAA meet. Sterkel covered the two laps in 56.12.

Austin high school student Kim Linchan won the women's 800 freestyle. Her time of 8:27.82 was three seconds off her American mark.

Libby Kinkead of Wayne, Pa., won the women's 200 backstroke in 2:14.59. Linda Jezek, world record holder in the event, scratched from the finals after posting the sixth best qualifying time. She said she was tired.

Murata challenges

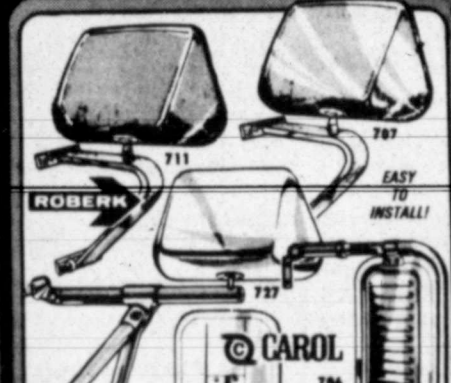
TOKYO (AP) — Eijiro Murata of Japan will challenge champion Gualdalupe Pintor of Mexico for the World Boxing Council bantamweight title in Tokyo June 11, Murata's manager, Shigeji Kaneko, announced Thursday.

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Celtics, 76ers, Lakers capture playoff victories

By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

The Boston Celtics, back in the playoffs after a two-year absence, went back to basics in order to get off on the right foot.

"We knew we had 10 days off (following the completion of the regular season), so we went back to training camp," said guard Chris Ford. "We knew we were ready when we came out of the locker room."

The Celtics, who won 11 National Basketball Association titles in 13 years and 13 championships overall, by far the most of any team in the league, beat the Houston Rockets 119-101 Wednesday night in the opener of their best-of-seven second-round series. The second game will be played

NMSU inks two cagers

LAS CRUCES (AP) — A basketball player from Texas and another from Arizona have signed national collegiate letters-of-intent with New Mexico State University.

The school has won the services of Rich Taylor, a 6-foot-4 guard from Lon Morris Jr. College in Texas, and Steven Colter, a 6-4 guard from Union High School in Phoenix, Ariz., a school spokesman said Wednesday.

Taylor, originally from Manhattan, N.Y., averaged 10 points and 11 rebounds a game last year. Colter averaged 15 points and eight rebounds.

in Boston Friday night.

FORD TEAMED with Dave Cowens for 26 second-half points as Boston raced to a 19-point lead in the second quarter, saw Houston rally to close within one, then pulled away with 35 points in the fourth quarter.

"When we came close we became impatient," said Houston center Moses Malone, who led the Rockets with 27 points. "We let them take off on us again."

IN OTHER playoff action Wednesday, the Philadelphia 76ers defeated Atlanta 99-92 to take a 2-0 lead over the Hawks, and in a pair of overtime games, the Milwaukee Bucks evened their series with Seattle by beating the Sonics 114-112 and the Los Angeles Lakers moved in front of Phoenix 2-0 by edging the Suns 131-128.

A dunk by Malone cut Boston's lead to 69-68 with 6:16 left in the third quarter before Cowens and Ford took charge. A basket by Cowens gave Boston a three-point lead and Ford followed with another basket and a three-point play to make the score 76-68.

Cowens had four baskets and Ford one as the Celtics scored 10 straight points for a 94-78 lead with 9:14 to play. They were never in trouble after that.

"Cowens played a great second half defensively, and offensively he was in around the boards as strongly as he's been for a long time," said Celtics Coach Bill Fitch.

"They won round one. They beat up on us pretty good," said Rockets Coach Del Harris. "Officials often go with the aggressor. We'll just have to put on our boxing gloves."

Or as Malone put it, "You can't write us off. It's just one game. I can hack as good as they can."

76ers 99, Hawks 92
Fouls also played a big part in Philadelphia's win. Sixers star Julius

Erving missed most of the second half because of foul trouble, but center Darryl Dawkins picked up the slack, scoring 11 of his 22 points in the final period and dominating play.

BOTH Atlanta centers, Wayne "Tree" Rollins and Steve Hawes, fouled out trying to stop Dawkins in the fourth quarter, when Philadelphia came back from a 78-71 deficit to win. Atlanta scored six more field goals

than Philadelphia but was outscored 41-22 from the foul line.

Bucks 114, Sonics 112, OT
Rookie guard Sidney Moncrief scored all six of Milwaukee's points in overtime as the Bucks beat the Sonics, avenging their overtime loss to Seattle in the series opener and taking the home-court advantage away from the Sonics.

"They didn't get anything easy and neither did we," said Milwaukee Coach Don Nelson. "We could have easily won last night and lost tonight. These were two of the best games you'd ever want to see."

Guard Brian Winters led Milwaukee with 28 points, including a three-pointer from the left corner in the final minute that tied the score 108-108. Seattle had a chance to win it in regulation, holding the ball for the final 21 seconds, but failed to get a shot off.

Milwaukee, which had led by as many as 13 points in the fourth quarter, limited Seattle to two points in the first 4:55 of overtime, while Moncrief was scoring on a breakaway dunk and a pair of jumpers from the low post.

Lakers 131, Suns 128, OT

Lakers guard Norm Nixon hit a 17-foot jumper to break a 128-128 tie with 20 seconds left in overtime, and after Phoenix's Paul Westphal missed a jumper, Nixon added one of two free throws with 10 seconds to play. Mike Bratz missed a three-point try for the Suns in the closing seconds

and Nixon got the rebound as the buzzer sounded.

Westphal led all scorers with 37 points, including all eight of the Suns' points in overtime. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar led the Lakers with 32 points, Nixon and Jamaal Wilkes had 26 apiece and Magic Johnson 25.

It was Johnson who sent the game into overtime, sinking two free throws with 29 seconds left.

Phoenix had nine more baskets than Los Angeles but the Lakers enjoyed a 40-20 edge in free throws.

Lieberman leaves Olympic team

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Nancy Lieberman, who won the Wade Trophy as the nation's top women's basketball player this year, has given up her position on the 1980 U.S. Olympic women's basketball team and has left training camp here.

"Under the circumstances of my previous public statements supporting the U.S. government and President Carter on the boycott of the Olympic Games, my sympathy is with the U.S. government and the president and I feel it is best for me to leave at this time," Lieberman said Wednesday in a statement released by the Amateur Basketball Association.

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Jack Nicklaus is still great player

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — He is the greatest player of his age, perhaps the greatest of all the golfing ages.

His record is an unmatched chronicle of success.

But time, the unbeatable enemy of all athletes, is running out for Jack Nicklaus.

"It is safe to say that I have more golf behind me than in front of me," Nicklaus said.

It remains to be determined how much golf is in front of him.

"It is inevitable that the time will come for me to leave competitive golf. It may be next year. It may be five years from

now. "When the time comes, I will be the first to know."

"When I can no longer be competitive, I will no longer play. I will not stay out there and embarrass myself."

That time is not yet with us.

And Nicklaus, now 40, knows full well he can take a major step in postponing the inevitable with his performance this week in the 44th Masters, the tournament that has served as such an important part in his career.

"As always, the Masters is my first major goal of the season," Nicklaus said before teeing off in the first round

today. "This is what I've been pointing for. This is what I've been working for."

And work he has, perhaps more than at any time in his career.

"Golf is fun again. I want to play. I'm eager to play. I'm eager to compete," he said.

By his own admission, that constitutes a change in his attitude, a very important change.

He went into a decline

a couple of years ago. He said he became complacent, uninterested. "At times I was just going through the motions," he said. "I was satisfied. I wasn't trying to improve." Some faults crept into his swing.

And he paid the price.

He hasn't won in the United States in 21 months.

But now he has returned with that remarkable determination that he has done so much to secure his place in the history of this ancient sport.

Heaverlo escapes doghouse

SEATTLE (AP) — Dave Heaverlo has finally escaped from Oakland A's owner Charles O. Finley's doghouse.

Now, as he puts it, "It's sure nice to be on a contender."

Heaverlo was just kidding about his new club, the Seattle Mariners. The best the fourth-year American League baseball club expects to do this season is finish fourth in the AL's Western Division.

But, after two seasons with Finley, the colorful reliever is happy to be away from Oakland.

Heaverlo was acquired by the Seattle Mariners Wednesday afternoon and then surprisingly inserted in the eighth inning Wednesday night in the American League opener.

The result was a save in an 8-6 Mariners' victory that ended when the former Central Washington University pitcher struck out Roy Howell with two on and two out in the ninth inning.

"I feel like I've got a new lease on life," said Heaverlo. "I'm really glad I got a chance to pitch tonight."

"I told the people who picked me up at the airport to hurry up and get me to the ball park because I might be able to get in this game."

Manager Darrell Johnson needed Heaverlo to protect Mike Parrott's lead after Byron McLaughlin tried and couldn't. Shane Rawley is ailing and couldn't pitch.

Asked why the A's let Heaverlo go, Johnson replied, "I have no idea. None whatsoever. But he sure did a good job tonight."

The Mariners reportedly paid about \$50,000 — \$30,000 above the waiver price — to get Heaverlo, the A's player representative who has had his share of run-ins with Finley.

There was conjecture Finley wanted to get rid of Heaverlo's estimated \$110,000-a-season salary.

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Is Weaver next boxing opponent for Ali in July?

Mike Weaver was an "opponent" for Larry Holmes and an "opponent" for John Tate and it looks like he'll still be an "opponent" for his first World Boxing Association championship defense.

The pieces are being put together for Weaver to defend against Muhammad Ali in July in Brazil.

That's right. Ali's comeback opponent looks like Mike Weaver, the same guy who wasn't deemed an unworthy challenger by network television when he fought Holmes for the World Boxing Council title. The nicest thing most sports writers wrote about the man some flack tagged "Heracles" was that he had a marvelous build. After all Weaver went into that fight last June 23 with an 18-8 record.

That night Mike Weaver proved that there might be something to what he said about many of his losses coming because he often fought on short notice and that he didn't train properly because he was busy trying to earn a living.

The 29-year-old Weaver, managed astutely by Don Manual, gave Holmes all he wanted before fading and being stopped in the 12th.

Weaver then won his next two fights, including a 12-round decision over Scott LeDoux, and was picked to be Tate's first challenger for the WBA title. Suddenly, on the strength of a smashing left hook with less than a minute to go, Weaver is facing a fight with Ali.

Ali has already tagged him "Weaver the Beaver," and his legion of fans are rubbing their hands in glee. Mike Weaver beat the man who beat Foreman, who knocked out Foreman? Impossible.

And over the next couple of months, it will appear to be a mismatch. Nobody out-talks Ali. He is a master at creating the mood he wants for a fight. He's beaten guys before the opening bell.

"It doesn't bother me," Weaver told a telephone caller recently. He had just finished laughing when the caller said, "I'd like to say I picked you to beat Tate, but I sure didn't."

Weaver looked like anything but a winner for the first 11 rounds against

Tate. Then he hurt Tate three times with left hooks in the 12th. "I really knew he was hurt. I thought I'd get him the next round but I didn't. And he didn't get him the round after that either. So there he was with about a minute left in the fight, knowing he needed a knockout to win."

"I didn't look desperate, but I was desperate," recalled Weaver. Then, with a strength born of desperation, Weaver knocked Tate cold with a hook and found himself facing a fight against Ali. Talk about a pumpkin turning into a coach. On Sept. 15, 1978, Ali became champion for an unprecedented third time by outpointing Leon Spinks before some 70,000 people in the New Orleans Superdome. Two nights later Weaver made meal money by knocking at Mike Creel in two rounds at Reno, Nev.

Weaver would prefer not to fight Ali. But it's because "he's always been an idol of mine."

However, if the fight is made, the 29-year-old ex-Marine's purse could be in the neighborhood of \$2 million. It's a neighborhood Weaver has only been to in his mind, sort of like a tourist bus past the homes of the stars in Beverly Hills.

"I'd fight anybody for \$2 million," Weaver told a telephone caller recently, still dazzled by the fact he is a champion.

"I don't feel any different," he said. "It hasn't sunk in that I'm champion."

Mike will always be listed a champion. He'll never be considered a great fighter.

But will it take a great fighter to beat the 38-year-old Ali, whose pride and heart cannot be questioned but whose physical condition and reflexes must be seriously questioned.

Tearful Brooks leaving

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Choking back tears from "a year of emotion," Herb Brooks formally severed his ties with the University of Minnesota Wednesday to pursue other interests.

Those interests are known to include a head coaching job in the National Hockey League, but barring that, Brooks said he may well end up in Switzerland as head of the program in Davos.

"I'm looking for work," said Brooks, who won three national championships at Minnesota in seven years before leading the U.S. Olympic team to a stunning gold medal victory last February.

"One pro scout said he thought I was crazy for burning my bridges here at the university since it's such a good job. But I'm kind of a risk-taker. I've got to push myself. That's my chemistry, I guess. I only have one more paycheck and then I'll have to get out on the street."

Brooks, who has talked to a number of NHL teams but says he has no solid offers, has been living a whirlwind existence of public appearances, commercial endorsements and job interviews since making history at Lake Placid.

Finally, after an exhausting two months, he broke down in front of a media-packed audience when asked about his fondest memories at Minnesota.

Blue Jays sell hurler to Wichita

TORONTO (AP) — The Toronto Blue Jays Wednesday sold pitcher Mark Lemongello to Wichita of the American Association, a Triple-A farm team of the Chicago Cubs.

Lemongello, a right-hander who had a 1-9 won-lost record with the Blue Jays last season, said earlier this year that he hoped to win a starting spot with the club.

However, in spring training he was unimpressive with a 10-50 earned run average in four appearances. He had no won-lost record.

Lemongello was obtained by the Blue Jays in November 1978 from the Houston Astros in a multiplayer deal.

In 1979, he had a 6.29 ERA in 18 games and spent some time in the bullpen. Eventually he was sent to the Blue Jays' farm club in Syracuse where he had a 3-0 record and a 1.80 ERA.

Owners delay action

NEW YORK (AP) — The American League board of directors has delayed until this summer any action on guaranteed payments to visiting clubs. AL President Lee MacPhail said Wednesday.

MacPhail said all league clubs would continue to pay 20 percent of their gross receipts to visiting clubs until further action is considered at baseball's annual summer meeting in August.

The decision was reached at a recent meeting of the AL directors held in spring training but was not announced until Monday.

Tanner insecure in job

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Managing a baseball team may not be the most secure job in the world, but Pittsburgh Pirates Manager Chuck Tanner thinks there's none better. And none tougher.

"You do it seven days a week," says Tanner. "and what you have to do is get 25 men involved and I believe we accomplished that last year."

Tanner blended a highly individualized group into a winning team. Not that this is anything new for Tanner.

It wasn't just that he was the best manager for that particular group of men. Wherever Tanner has gone in his 10 years of major-league managing — Chicago, Oakland and Pittsburgh — he's been known for his ability to handle players.

"I think I can manage any team and get the best out of them," Tanner said before the players' strike cancelled the remainder of the exhibition season. "Because I've managed three teams and I honestly felt I got the best out of every ballclub, and basically I've managed them the same way I manage this team. That's the way I have to be."

Tanner admits that his approach to the game may be different off the field as well as on.

"Unorthodox some say, but not to me," explains Tanner, who is quietly proud of his different method of handling the players on a personal level.

Clemson star dies

SUMTER, S.C. (AP) — A collision between a motorcycle and a tractor trailer truck has claimed the life of a four-year Clemson football letterman, authorities said.

Tracy Perry died at Richland Memorial Hospital in Columbia Wednesday night of massive head and chest injuries.

"I don't know why I'm different but I am," says Tanner. "I communicate on an individual basis. When I first was managing in the majors with the White Sox, the players said 'What are your rules?' I said, 'I have 25 of them'. And then they got out their pens and pads and got ready to write down my 25 rules, and I said, 'There is one rule for each player, whatever I want that rule to be.'"

"They said it can't work: 'You're going to let one guy do something and the other guy can't?' I told them if that's what I want, that's the way I want to do it. And that's the way I want to do it. I still do it today. Whatever can make them the best."

But even with all Tanner's success, some still wonder about his methods.

He seems too nice, too free, especially at a time when this team sport might need some player discipline.

There's a lot of give in Tanner and somehow, that's not how it's supposed to be in baseball.

But it's clear that it was precisely Tanner's highly individualized methods along with what he calls the "best 25-man roster I ever had the honor of managing," that created a genuine team closeness in the '79 Pirates, the "Family" that everyone heard so much about during the World Series.

"How I manage is my business," says Tanner. "Whatever it takes to get the job done. I'm strong in that, in my approach to people and the game. And I'm not going to change unless they show me their way is better."



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Erdahl, a leftfielder from Seattle, Wash., won the Southern Division honor for hitting three home runs and going six for 11 at bat to pace Hawaii to a four-game sweep against Texas-El Paso.

Huismann, a senior hurler from Pueblo, Colo., won the Northern Division accolade with his three-hitter against Wyoming as Colorado State took a two-game series from the Cow-boys.

Other Southern Division nominees included New Mexico first baseman Keith Hagman, Texas-El Paso centerfielder James Walker and San Diego pitcher Scott Hargott.

Other nominees for the Northern Division included Brigham Young shortstop Cliff Pastornicky and Utah outfielder Lance Brewer.

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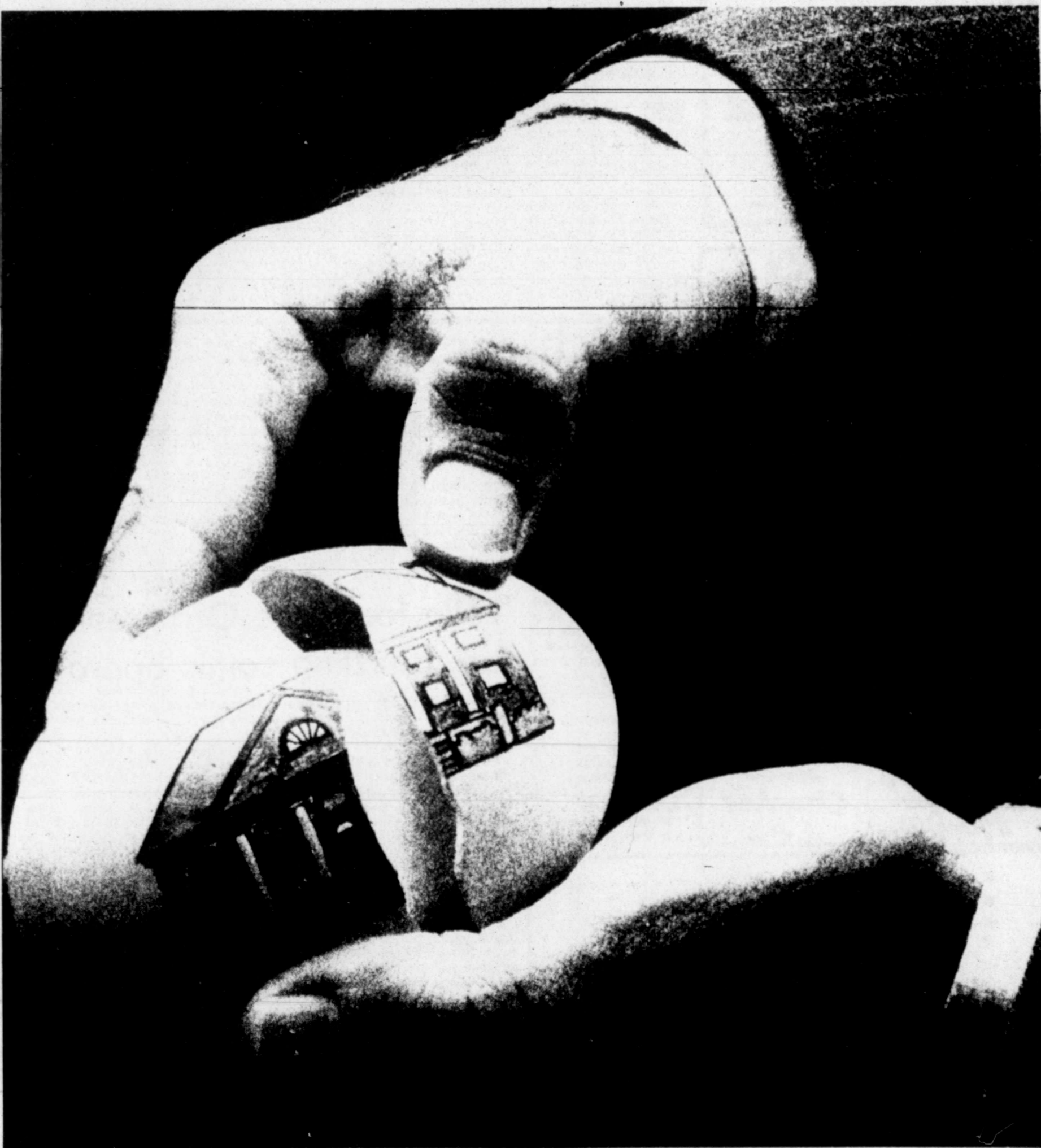
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Brand New Oprey to feature country music Saturday night

ODESSA — The Odessa Brand New Oprey will feature country music this Saturday at 8 p.m. at the Globe Theatre.

The Oprey's "House Brand House Band" features Bill Provance on lead guitar and Jay Brown on keyboards. Also appearing will be Midland fiddler and singer Leslie Woodard, singer Eileen Hawks, yodeler Hal Goodson and vocalist Joe Thompson.

Returning to the Oprey to provide the evening's gospel music will be the Temple Heirs of the Temple Baptist Church in Midland.

Admission is \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for students and senior citizens and \$1 for children under 12. Tickets go on sale at 7 p.m.

Auditions for performers interested in appearing on the Oprey are conducted every Saturday at 1 p.m. Persons interested in auditioning may contact the Globe Theatre by calling 1-332-1586.

Top ten records

- Best-selling records of the week based on Cashbox magazine's nationwide survey:
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 2. "Call Me," Blondie
 3. "Working My Way Back To You," Spinners
 4. "Crazy Little Thing Called Love," Queen
 5. "Longer," Dan Fogelberg
 6. "How Do I Make You," Linda Ronstadt
 7. "Ride Like the Wind," Christopher Cross
 8. "Too Hot," Kool & The Gang
 9. "Him," Rupert Holmes
 10. "Special Lady," Ray, Goodman & Brown

- Best-selling country-Western records of the week based on Cashbox magazine's nationwide survey:
1. "Sugar Daddy," Bellamy Brothers
 2. "I'd Love To Lay You Down," Conway Twitty
 3. "Honky Tonk Blues," Charley Pride
 4. "Shriner's Convention," Ray Stevens
 5. "It's Like We Never Said Goodbye," Crystal Gayle

Drawing class set

The Midland Arts Association is sponsoring a free demonstration of full scale figure drawing Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the Fine Arts Building at Midland College.

Artist Dorothy Peterson will conduct the presentation. Although originally from New Mexico, Mrs. Peterson, who has taught painting at Midland College, has lived in Midland since 1968. Her paintings and graphics deal with the landscape and people of the Southwest.

Town people given pat-on-the-back for participation in 'Breaking Away'

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Residents who helped with "Breaking Away," the coming-of-age movie nominated for four Academy Awards, have given themselves a pat-on-the-back for their part in the film.

Before a packed house in Towne Cinema, where the film had a 20-week run, "homegrown Oscars" were distributed to members of the university community.

Wednesday night, five days before the Oscars are awarded in Hollywood.

"Breaking Away" was written by University of Indiana graduate Steve Tesich and involves the annual Little 500 bicycle race at the school. One of its Oscar nominations is for best picture of the year.

Among the awards was one for Indiana University President John W.

Ryan, who won the "best performance by a president in a non-speaking part." He appeared in a scene in the movie portraying himself, but the studio dubbed an actor's voice over his.

The "best original screen play by a former Yugoslavian Little 500 bikerider" went to Tesich.

Peter Yates, who directed the picture, was honored for directing

the best picture by a British director with Hoosier subtitles.

Awards for Yates and Tesich were accepted by 20th-Century Fox employees.

Bloomington Mayor Frank McCloskey, who played an influential behind-the-scenes role in smoothing the path for the movie production, won the "best performance by a mayor in a non-election year" category.

Wednesday's program grew from an idea advanced by staff members of the Bloomington Herald-Telephone newspaper, spearheaded by columnist Greg Dawson.

"We were just talking...and one of us said it would be nice to honor some of the local people who have no chance of really winning Oscars for 'Breaking Away,'" Dawson said.

Search continues for champion dogs

THREE RIVERS, Mich. (AP) — The disappearance of two champion poodles valued at \$30,000 has "enraged" breeders nationwide and prompted a \$1,000 reward for their safe return, says their heartbroken owner.

Rocky, a 6-year-old toy poodle worth \$20,000 and his son, Shamu, vanished from their kennel behind Jane Winne's home north of here on March 28 or March 29 while she was at a Chicago dog show.

There has been no ransom note, and police say there are no leads in the case.

On Wednesday, the breeder says she was still not sure what happened to her dogs, or why. So far, she says, she has spent about \$2,000 in a fruitless search.

"Rocky represents a great deal to toy poodle

breeders in this country and they're just enraged," she said. "Without Rocky I'm pretty much out of business."

The white, 8-pound toy poodle has been a stud for the past 3 years, and his offspring are blue-ribbon dogs. One of his daughters, Mari Spring Storm, was named top

toy poodle at the national poodle club competition in Philadelphia in 1979, winning the female division.

Sympathetic dog breeders from around the United States have sent money to help finance the search, she said, but she refused to say how much.

Mrs. Winne said most

of the money has gone for telephone calls to breeders, asking them to be on the lookout for her dogs.

Also, \$100 went to a psychic in Paducah, Ky., who said he had a vision of the poodles. Mrs. Winne said the psychic told her a tall man with a mustache took the dogs and drove away in a blue

van, but has not harmed them.

Mrs. Winne, 56, who has bred dogs for about 15 years as a hobby, has about 30 dogs in a kennel behind her house.

Todd Patterson, the poodles' handler and groomer, said she had no insurance for her show dogs because it was too expensive, and her homeowners insurance will not cover the loss of the dogs.

"She's not an extremely wealthy woman. She just bred... good dogs."

Shamu, who also has a white coat, and at 18 months weighs four pounds, placed well at the Quinittac Poodle Club in Connecticut last October and in the Poodle Club of Niagara Frontier competition.

Miss Gutknecht is a native of Miami, a graduate of Northwestern University and the Music Academy of the West, Santa Barbara, Calif.

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turntable with two opposite tall portals nearly filled by panels covered in aluminum foil. People can push those aside to enter and exit and can hide behind them. One side of each portal has a green playing card, a green ace of clubs for the good guys and a red ace of spades for the bad guys. Singers helpfully wear those symbols.

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'Love for Three Oranges' fun, dazzling comic opera

NEW YORK (AP) — From the beginning, when conductor Christopher Keene climbed over the orchestra pit rail from the audience, to the end, when the villains escaped up a side aisle, the New York City Opera's "The Love for Three Oranges" was fun, or dazzling, or both at once.

The company, presenting a new English-language production of the Prokofiev comic opera on Sunday afternoon, has gone a long way to be amusing. It's very different from the simple production last seen here in 1966.

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Crisis in Iran makes hostage of Carter

By FRANK CORMIER

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter may be a hostage of the Iranian hostage crisis but some of his close associates aren't similarly confined to the Washington area.

If these were "normal" times, Carter this week presumably would be enjoying an Easter vacation with his family far from the White House.

Perhaps he would have returned to Georgia's Sapelo Island, where he spent an idyllic time last year sunning and fishing.

But the continuing Iranian hostage crisis kept the president as close to Washington as Camp David, Md., less than 70 miles away. He managed a three-day holiday weekend there — but even that stay was cut short so Carter could return to the capital and cut diplomatic ties with Iran.

Meanwhile, Vice President Walter F. Mondale spent much of last week on a skiing holiday at Vail, Colo., the slopes favored by former President Gerald R. Ford.

Carter also was bereft at the same time of Zbigniew Brzezinski, his national security adviser, who was vacationing in Florida.

WHEN CARTER ended his Camp David sojourn four hours earlier than expected Monday, ABC News sought permission to make a live broadcast of his helicopter's arrival at the White House.

"Absolutely not," decreed press secretary Jody Powell.

The Carter spokesman, stung by editorial comments about the president's success at making news — and claiming television time — on the eve of important Democratic primaries, said with sarcasm that any broadcast of Carter's return would be "too close to the Pennsylvania primary."

Actually, voting in the Keystone State was 15 days away. Needless to say, Powell expressed no misgivings about Carter's national TV-radio broadcast later the same day to announce the new sanctions against Iran.

POWELL HAS a sizable staff, many drawing sizable salaries, but sometimes the boss has to do everything. Take that morning of Carter's early return from Camp David.

Normally, a Powell underling would have escorted reporters and cameramen to the South Lawn to record the helicopter's arrival.

But at 8:15 a.m., Powell was the only Carter press aide in sight — so he did his own escorting while wondering, no doubt, about the work habits of his subordinates.

CARTER'S COMINGS and goings by helicopter always are marked by the appearance at the White House of two District of Columbia fire trucks. Just in case.

On Monday, someone forgot to give the firemen timely notice of Carter's plans — with the result that the two trucks arrived with sirens wailing minutes before the helicopter's appearance.

ON APRIL 1, because of an expected statement from the Iranian authorities on the status of the hostages, Carter arose at 4:30 a.m. to confer with his advisers. While the president was in the pre-dawn huddle, a reporter encountered White House staff chief Hamilton Jordan.

To make conversation, the newsman observed that "it looks like a long day and night ahead."

Responding that he'd already had a long night, Jordan asked why the reporter expected another one.

"The Wisconsin and Kansas primaries," came the reply.

Suspect held in poison extortion attempt

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — A can of food was removed from a supermarket shelf and a man arrested following an extortion attempt involving alleged poisoned food and a demand for \$10,000 cash, police say.

Police Sgt. Frank Ripley said Wednesday that the can, described as "extremely old and dirty-looking," was taken to a laboratory for tests. Test results were not immediately available.

Being held in the El Paso County Jail on Wednesday for investigation of criminal extortion was Allen Louis Henderson, 54, of Colorado Springs, authorities said.

The target of the extortion attempt was a King's Sooper store, officials said.

The incident began about 2:30 p.m. Tuesday with a telephone call to the supermarket and a man's demand for \$10,000 cash in exchange for a list containing store items that allegedly had been poisoned and their location, said a statement issued by police.

Police were contacted and after several unfruitful

attempts to hook up the extortionist, the store management was instructed to leave the money in a trash container at the rear of another Colorado Springs store.

Police said that moments after the money was left in the trash container, officers watching the drop site arrested Henderson.

Clayton orders work done on his apartment

AUSTIN (AP) — House Speaker Bill Clayton has ordered a \$15,000 remodeling of the speaker's apartment in the Capitol, most of which he has converted to office space.

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