Lowers federal revenues by $17.9 million

New tax bill could offer cuts for millions

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is the first in a series of five stories explaining key provisions of the 1976 tax bill moving through Congress.

By JIM LUTHER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress is about to pass a tax bill that will affect everyone who files a federal income tax return. It continues this year's reductions for most Americans and offers new cuts for millions of others.

The bill continues through 1977 this year's individual tax credits, providing a tax reduction of $35 for the taxpayer and each dependent, or 2 per cent of his first $9,000 of taxable income up to $180.

The election-year tax measure makes an effort to provide something nor just about everybody. For instance, about two million American families are expected to take advantage of just one provision of the bill — one that would reduce taxes for working parents who hire babysitters.

While cutting taxes for most Americans, the bill also will lower federal revenues by about $17.9 billion. The individual tax cuts will total about $15 billion, and business tax cuts will reduce federal income another $4.5 billion. This will be partly offset by $1.6 billion in tax increases, levied mostly against the wealthiest Americans.

Congress is expected to give final approval to the bill this week, and President Ford is expected to sign it.

In addition to the child care provisions, the assortment of other changes would make it easier to claim alimony payments as a tax deduction; would expand tax benefits in job-related moves and would clear the way for tax-deferred pensions for housewives.

Here is how these benefits work:

CHILD CARE

On the tax return filed next spring for 1976, working parents can subtract from their tax 20 per cent of the first $2,000 spent during the year for the care of one child, or 20 per cent of the first $4,000 spent during the year for the care of two or more children. The maximum tax credit for one child would be $400; for two or more, the maximum credit would be $800. It is available to those families where both parents work, or where the only parent works.

The credit would be extended to those families using the standard deduction as well as those who itemize deductions. This is expected to double the number of families using child care tax advantages, from two million to four million.

The credit will be available to separated parents and to couples when one spouse works only part-time. Relatives may be hired for the child care if Social Security taxes are withheld from the babysitting paychecks.

The new credit may be calculated on all qualifying child care payments made in 1976, and it will eliminate the complex, separate form used to claim child care deductions under the old law.

The old law permitted a tax deduction from taxable income of up to $4,800 a year for expenses of hiring someone to care for a child under 15 or a disabled dependent or spouse while the parents work.

There are several conditions in the old law. Both parents usually had to work full time; no deduction was permitted for payments to relatives; the deduction was reduced $1 for each $2 of annual income above $35,000.

Most importantly, the old law required the expense be claimed as an itemized deduction on tax returns. The benefit has not been available to the 60 per cent of Americans who use the stndard deduction.

The bill changes the deduction to a credit. Deductions are subtracted from income; credits are subtracted from taxes owed.

There is another distinction. Up to incomes beyond $35,000 a year, where it rapidly diminishes, the old $4,800-a-year deduction was worth more to richer than to the poorer taxpayers. The tax credit is calculated the same for every taxpayer, no matter how much or little he or she earns.

Here is how a family of four would fare under the old law and under the new bill. The family includes two children under 15, has an income of $15,000 a year with both parents working, has itemized deductions of $1,700, and takes the maximum $180 credit for individuals.

OLD LAW — If the family claims the maximum child-care deduction of $4,800, the tax owed would be $725.

NEW LAW — The child-care cost no longer would be a deduction and the family would use the maximum standard deduction. Without the child-care credit, this would mean a tax liability of $749. But the maximum credit of $800 for two children would reduce the tax bill to zero, a savings from the old law of $725. The saving varies with income and child care expenses.

ALIMONY

This is another expense that could not be deducted under the old law unless the taxpayer itemized deductions.

The new provision allows a taxpayer to deduct alimony expenses with or without itemizing. The change would be effective next Jan. 1, meaning this provision cannot be used until the returns for 1977, filed in the spring of 1978.

MOVING EXPENSES

Under certain circumstances the law has allowed a deduction from taxable income of some moving expenses if the move is required because of employment.

The maximum deduction has been $2,500 for expenses of house-hunting, selling the old home and temporary lodging — if the new place of work was 50 miles farther from the old residence than was the old place of work.

In addition to these limited expenses, the taxpayer may deduct fully all reasonable expenses for moving furniture and for lodging for himself and his family while en route to the new home.

The new law will raise the maximum deduction to $3,000 and cut the 50-mile rule to 35 miles.

The changes will become effective for moves on or after next Jan. 1 and the new provision will be used for 1977 returns.

HOUSEWIVES' PENSIONS

This change, effective next Jan. 1, is generally viewed as the government's first step in rewarding the housewife's contributions to the economy and the nation's social structure.

It is a small step, likely to be broadened in coming years.

Present law allows a worker who has no other pension plan to set aside up to $1,500 a year in an Individual Retirement Account. That money is not taxed until it is withdrawn; that generally would be at retirement when most persons would be in a considerably lower tax bracket.

The new bill will allow the worker to raise the total contribution to $1,750 a year if the extra money is earmarked for a pension for a spouse who does not work outside the home.

This could result in a joint account of $1,750 a year or separate accounts of $875 for each spouse.

Although this provision is aimed at helping housewives, the extra benefit could go to a husband who does not work outside the home so long as the wife works and qualifies for the pension plan.

Next: individual cuts, tax simplification.

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Cabot presents park to Pampa

Pampa has a new city park, compliments of Cabot Corporation.

Thomas D. Cabot of Massachusetts, director emeritus of Cabot Corporation, was in Pampa Sunday for the ceremony at which Burdette Park was presented to the City of Pampa.

Located at Francis and Gray Streets, the new park was named for the late Hugh Burdette, a retired officer and director of Cabot.

Mr. Burdette joined Cabot in 1920 as a roustabout in West Virginia and he worked for five years in gas production and carbon black.

He was in Pampa from 1925-35 working to establish Cabot's Texas operation and in 1943 he returned to Pampa as head of Cabot's Southwestern operations.

Mr. Burdette was elected to the board of directors of Godfrey L. Cabot Inc., in 1958 and when the company was consolidated into Cabot Corp., in 1960, he was elected vice president and board member. In 1963 he was elected to the Executive Committee.

Following his retirement from Cabot in 1966, Mr. Burdette became increasingly active of Pampa community affairs. He was a city commissioner from April 1965 until his illness and death in February 1971.

During the years he lived in Pampa, Mr. Burdette served on the Pampa Industrial Foundation, the board of directors of the community hotel and the board of directors of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce. In 1957, the Chamber selected him as Pampa's top citizen.

Others present at the dedication included his widow, Mrs. Hugh Burdette of Pampa, and two sons, H. Carter Burdette of Ft. Worth and J. Stephen Burdette of Bedford.

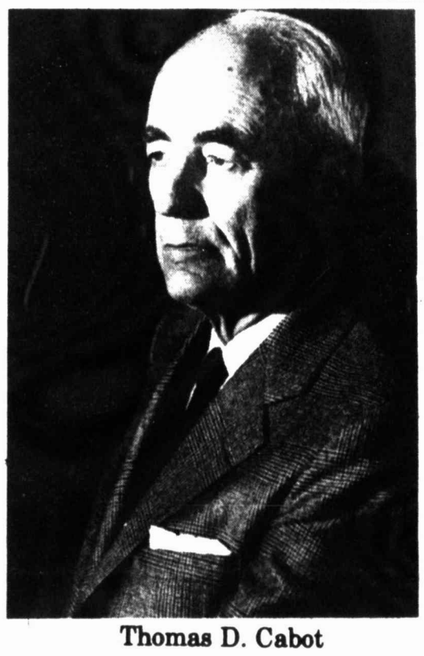
Boyd Taylor, vice preisent and general manager of the oil and gas division for Cabot in Pampa, welcomed officials to the dedication and later presented the park to the City of Pampa. Mayor R.D. Wilkerson accepted the gift for the city.

The program, which also included a response by Carter Burdette, was followed by an open house in the Cabot - owned Hughes Building.

Cabot purchased the building from Plains Empire Broadcasting Corp., in January 1975 and the facility now houses approximately 225 Cabot employes in the data processing, purchasing, office services and legal and safety departments as well as the oil and gas division.

The corporation occupies parts of the basement, first and second floors and all of the third through sixth floors. Other space in the basement and first and second floors is leased to different businesses.

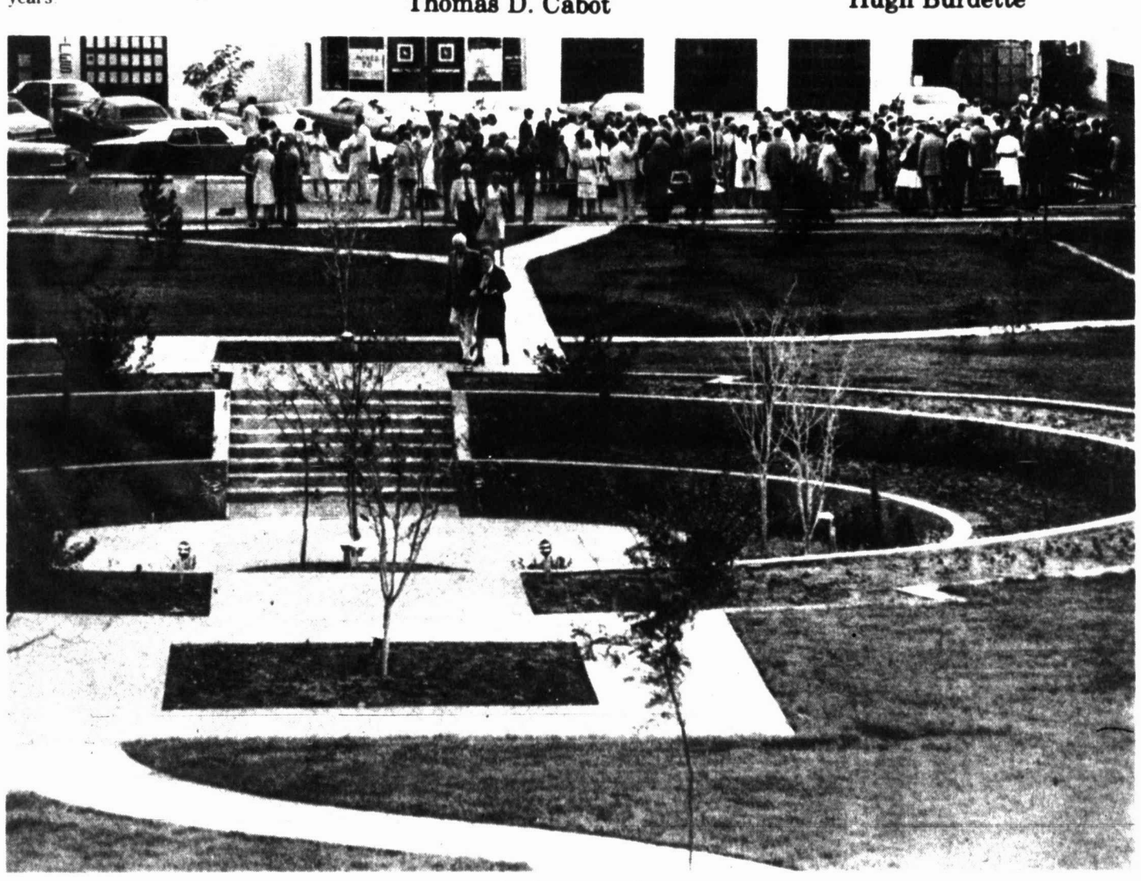
Cabot will maintain the newly - dedicated park for at least two years.



Thomas D. Cabot



Hugh Burdette



Cabot gift

In ceremonies Sunday the deed for Burdette Park was transferred from Cabot Corp. to the City of Pampa. Following the presentation ceremonies visitors toured the recently redecorated Cabot offices in the Hughes Building.

(Pampa News photo by Michal Thompson)

City files protest against Bell hike

The city of Pampa has joined the fight against the proposed rate increases Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. has asked the Texas Public Uitlities Commission to approve.

City Manager Mack Wofford announced today the city's separate motion to intervene in opposition to the rate hike was filed late Friday with the PUC in Austin.

Similar separate action had been taken at that time by more than 50 other Texas cities and a motion to intervene also was filed on behalf of all its city members by the Texas Municipal League.

The Pampa motion was signed by Mayor R.D. Wilkerson and was individually supported by City Commissioners Leo Braswell, Ray Thompson and Linden Shepherd. City Commissioner Joe Curtis who was out of the city during the weekend said today he agreed fully with action taken by the mayor and other city officials.

"Our local officials feel we should make all possible input into the rate hearing for the protection of Pampa citizens," Wofford said.

After studying the proposed increase schedule, Wofford said officials determined it would increase the one - party residential telephone rate 22 per cent from $6.25 to $7.60 a month and the one - party business phone would be hiked 40 per cent from $13.50 to $18.95 per month.

Southwestern Bell officials have stated the state - wide increase in rates would boost the company's revenue $298.3 a year.

Pampa's motion to intervene "prays that the motion be granted and that the City of Pampa be allowed to appear as a party to and to participate fully in this proceeding."

The motion states further that a denial of Pampa's motion "would leave the public interests unprotected."

Texas Municipal League (TML) officials have stated if cities are allowed to intervene at all, the Commission may require them to band together and present one common cause.

Wofford said Pampa also is looking at that possibility — joining with the TML in a unified effort to ensure that telephone rate - payers in Pampa and other Texas cities are properly represented.

Atty. Don Butler, special counsel for the TML, has stated he believes the Public Utilities Commission "has taken a narrow view of the cities right to participate in intervention in the rate increase proceedings."

As a result TML officials are inviting all member cities to contribute to a fund to contest the rate increase which SWB has announced would become effective next month.

The cost to the City of Pampa to join with other cities in the rate battle would be 3 cents per capital population or around $650.

Wofford said the expenditure has not yet been authorized but added it is likely the city will participate.

Three charged in plot to murder Ed Kennedy

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Three persons charged with conspiring to murder Sen. Edward M. Kennedy pleaded innocent today to an alleged plot that investigators say may only have been idle talk.

All three had lawyers appointed for them, and their cases were continued in Springfield District Court until Sept. 20.

One of them, David J. King, 31, of Springfield, was almost an hour late for the court session, and before he appeared Judge George Bregianes threatened to issue a warrant.

On Sunday, King told reporters that he had been offered $30,000 to help kill the sole remaining Kennedy brother at a Springfield hotel where he was campaigning for renomination in the Massachusetts Democratic primary on Tuesday. King had been released on personal recognizance Saturday by a District Court clerk.

The two other defendants were Sandra R. Rondeau, 37, of Westfield, and Robert E. White, 42, a resident of a Salvation Army Rehabilitation Center.

Policemen said Sunday that there was a possibility the whole affair was a hoax. One officer, who asked not to be identified, said it might have been "idle, drunken talk."

King, in an interview, said he met White on Aug. 8 at the Salvation Army Center and two days later was offered a chance to make "big money."

He quoted White as saying: "You can make $30,000 altogether. All you have to do is kill U.S. Sen. Kennedy.... You get $5,000 down and after the job you get $25,000."

Kennedy appeared Saturday at a fund-raising breakfast at the Oaks Inn. Mrs. Rondeau worked there as a waitress for six months until she quit about a week ago, according to a hotel spokeswoman.

King said Mrs. Rondeau "was supposed to serve breakfast, and Mr. White was supposed to walk in right behind her. He was going to shoot Kennedy while he had breakfast," King said.

"We checked out the story and information we received implicated all three persons. Whether this was a prank or a serious threat is still under investigation," said Detective David Minor.

The report of the money was still being checked, police said. King refused to say in the interview where the money was coming from.

NAS calls for aerosol can ban

By WARREN E. LEARY
AP Science Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fluorocarbons from aerosol spray cans have damaged the earth's protective ozone shield and will have to be selectively regulated or banned, the National Academy of Sciences said today.

But two academy panels which studied the problem said any ban or regulation of aerosol spray cans should be delayed one to two years until completion of further studies on the ultimate effects of the reduction in the protective shield of ozone in the atmosphere.

The panels said the reduction in ozone, which shields the earth from dangerous ultraviolet radiation, could lead to increases in skin cancer and potentially great changes in the earth's temperature and climate.

The reports were designed to resolve the controversy over the relationship between fluorocarbons and the earth's ozone layer. The panels said there was insufficient evidence to state precisely the extent of damage to the ozone shield.

Philip Handler, NAS president, said in a letter to the White House "that a one or two year delay in actual implemenation of a ban or regulation would not be unreasonable."

However, he recommended the government begin immediately to establish the regulatory machinery that will be necessary to either reduce the use of fluorocarbons or ban them completely.

The reports said if fluorocarbons continue to be released at 1973 levels, "an ultimate reduction in ozone of about seven per cent" would result. Half of this loss would occur in about 50 years, the panels said.

The panels expressed particular concern about climate changes that might result from a slight reduction of the protective ozone shield. Temperatues could increase on earth. This, in turn, would affect rainfall and evaporation of moisture. "Such changes could lead initially to a general shift of the earth's climatic belts, and ultimately to a significant melting of polar ice and a worldwide increase in sea level," the reports said.

Any weather changes pose particular problems for agriculture.

The report stressed that fears of climate changes are only possibilties at present, and that more research is needed before the effects of ozone reduction can be determined.

After hearings and possible revisions, the studies will be submitted to Congress, which is considering legislation to limit or ban use of fluorocarbons as propellants in aerosol sprays and as refrigerants.

More than 50 per cent of the fluorocarbons produced in the United States ae used as propellant in cans of deodorant, antiperspirant, hair spray or other personal grooming products, government figures show. Most shaving lather cans do not use fluorocarbons.

The advantages of fluorocarbons in aerosol sprays is that they produce a very fine spray that does not feel cold to the skin. Manufacturers of items like spray paints generally use other propellants since they don't require the fineness.

The ozone controversy began in 1974 when Drs. Mario J. Molina and Frank S. Rowland of the University of California said computer studies showed fluorocarbons turned into chlorine that destroys ozone.

Ozone is a form of oxygen formed in the stratosphere.

Black boycott continues

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Police fired birdshot and tear gas at demonstrators today in the segregated township of Soweto and launched a "clean-up" sweep through another black township, arresting many residents, as the second black work boycott in less than a month began.

Gen. D.J. Kriel, deputy commissioner of police, said police fired on demonstrators in Soweto after several buses were set ablaze. It was not known if anyone was injured.

Kriel refused to comment on the house-to-house sweep in the black township of Alexandra, in northeast Johannesburg, by 300 to 500 police. The South African Press Association quoted sources as saying police hoped to arrest about 1,000 persons in the sweep by Monday night.

Many Johannesburg businesses reported an absentee rate of 80 per cent as blacks began another three-day boycott to protest the racial policies of South Africa's ruling white minority.

"Soweto looked like a graveyard this morning," one resident of the vast black ghetto eight miles south of Johannesburg reported.

Police also said there was little black commuter traffic out of the Alexandra township in northern Johannesburg.

Business firms in the city reported "fair" to "rather bad" attendance by black workers. One company reported that only 30 per cent of its black work force showed up.

Only four of the 62 black conductors and nine of 66 black bus drivers reported to the municipal transport department. A skeleton bus service was operating.

Commuter buses and trains from Soweto and other townships were running normally, but one report said the Soweto trains were almost 90 per cent empty.

Leaflets calling for the work boycott were distributed over the weekend in the big segregated ghetto south of Johannesburg in which a million blacks live.

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Crisis led to good, bad

Where human action and reaction are concerned, cause and effect relations may not follow a predictable course. When foreign supplies of crude oil were suddenly stopped, great concern was in evidence on all sides. There was tremendous clamor for this nation to become independent of outside sources for our all - important energy needs.

There were some reasonable and good reactions and some which only led to more activity in the basic source of our greatest difficulty. The so-called crisis did arouse the thinking in many minds which will eventually bring about substitute fuels for energy needs. This is good.

But many of us turned to a more devastating area of dependence to find solutions. Dependence on the political menage to solve economic problems is far more dangerous than a dependence on the whims of Arab nations.

Price controls were imposed by government in 1971. Our dependence on foreign petroleum has risen since then from 22 percent to 40 percent today.

Speaking at a meeting of the American Association of Petroleum Landmen, John E. Swearingen, chairman of Standard Oil Company said that there was a time when searching for new supplies of oil and gas was their major challenge.

He said, "But I am increasingly convinced that our greatest challenge comes from government which — either maliciously or blindly — is turning our industry's attention away from productive endeavors and hamstrings us with punitive taxes, price controls and more regulatory burdens."

The malicious charge probably should be qualified by an observation that it stems usually from political tactics used as elective offices are sought or retained.

A recent study suggests that oil companies are required to employ about the equivalent of 10,000 full - time people just to handle government regulatory matters. This certainly impedes the accumulation of capital necessary to the discovery of new wells.

As with all of us, the oil companies must bear their share of blame for the proliferation of regulatory bureaucracy. They along with most of us and private industry in general have not been lily white in this respect.

It was a sad day for all of us when the first bit of political privilege was sought and then later granted by government. The Pandora Box of bureaucracy growth was then opened, and it will take some doing to get it shut.

There was a time when a little bit of an edge in the economic arena would seem to assist a private endeavor with not much adverse impact on others. An effective and quiet lobby could show results without immediate and discernible bureaucratic growth. Nor was a loss of independence on stage front. But waiting in the wings was the ever - present strong arm of political control.

All control needed for its grand entrance was enough separate entities of private enterprise to seek their bits of privilege to get the old competitive spirit going in the field of legislative lobbying. Then with many seeking privilege and the seeking creating a climate for bureaucratic empire building, the inevitable came into sight.

If the economic ship of state is to get on course again, most if not all of us, will need to quit seeking favorable (to any of us) legislative or other political aid. Working toward a situation where none of us in individual enterprise asks government to do anything for us can only lead toward independence. When dependence on the political begins to dry up, then the market for politicans and bureaucrats has some chance of drying up.

An Alarming Solution

Everybody likes to see fire engines racing down the street, their sirens wailing. Some people like it so much that they turn in alarms just for fun.

False alarms have become such a problem in some communities, in fact, that a number of them have simply resorted to removing alarm boxes from the streets. One of them is Oakland, Calif., whose experience seems to be typical of cities its size.

In fiscal 1973-74, Oakland recorded 10,477 false alarms. Even figuring a very low $7 cost for each response for fuel consumed and wear and tear on equipment, these false alarms cost the city's taxpayers more than $73,000. This is not to consider the unnecessary risk to life and limb.

In an aritcle in "Fire Command", a publication of the National Fire Protection Association, battalion chief Hannes M. Andersen related how Oakland tried all kinds of ideas to stop false alarms — cameras, dye and stinkum on street boxes, stake - outs, school programs and informational bulletins distributed door - to - door.

Some of them helped a little, but others actually made the problem worse by reminding potential offenders that street boxes existed and could be used as toys.

The Oakland Fire Department then contacted other cities to see what they had done. Of 51 cities, 37 indicated that they had a false alarm problem, and of these, 33 had removed some or all of their boxes.

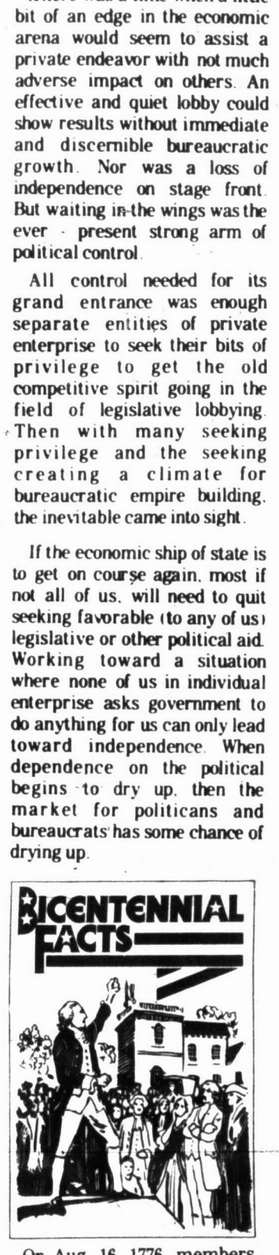
Oakland eventually removed 87 of its most troublesome boxes, and even though false - alarm culprits are still playing games the city does not plan to remove nonoffending boxes or those causing a "liveable" level of false alarms.

Within the next two years, however, an automated 911 telephone system will go into service in the greater Oakland area. When the 911 system is fully operative, says Andersen, "Oakland intends to take a hard look at its remaining street boxes."

Berry's World



"Think how much better the Ford-Carter debates could be if they were between Betty and Rosalynn!"



On Aug. 16, 1776, members of the Moravian religious sect in Salem, N.C., objected to the Declaration of Independence because they feared they would have to take a loyalty oath to the Continental Congress.

Thought

SUNDAY

Thus says the Lord, "I made the earth, and created man upon it; it was my hands that stretched out the heavens, and I commanded all their host." — Isaiah 45:12.

Above all am I convinced of the need, irrevocable and inescapable, of every human heart, for God. No matter how we try to escape, to lose ourselves in restless seeking, we cannot separate ourselves from our divine source. There is no substitute for God. — Arthur J. Cronin, British author.

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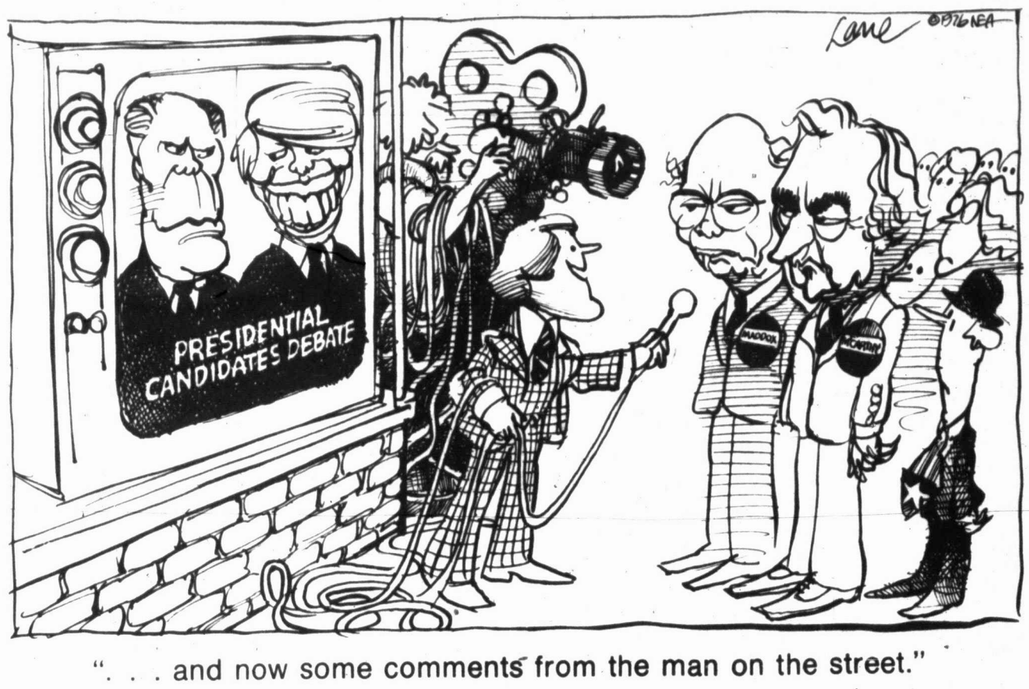
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Justice Lewis Powell

"No other country in the world, including some with ancient and respected systems of justice, is as protective of the rights of accused persons as the United States under our Bill of Rights."
—Supreme Court Justice Lewis F. Powell, Jr.

"For awhile, I just couldn't believe the law in this country. My husband, Tom, was dead and the 14-year-old kid who killed him is out there running around . . . on bail. I felt I had as much right to be in this country as he did."
—Sus McCready, Danish immigrant, who faced deportation following her husband's murder by gang members in New York.

"Jimmy Carter wasn't running around screaming his head off one way or another, but he was no redneck. It wouldn't have done him any good to go around screaming for integration as a state senator."
—Warren Fortson, former legal adviser in Sumter County, Ga., discussing Jimmy Carter's approach toward promoting integration while he was a member of the state legislature.

"Most of us have prayed the Lord's Prayer to give us our daily bread countless times. But few of us have ever known the reality of not receiving our daily bread."
—Bishop James F. Rausch, executive secretary of the U.S. Catholic Bishops' Conference, at a seminar on world hunger.

"Most people live out their lives without the necessity of seeing a lawyer . . . very often. People ought to get along with each other. They should talk about problems among themselves. I, for one, am not yet persuaded that there is among consumers a vast, unmet need for legal services."
—Justin A. Stanley, newly-elected president of the American Bar Association.

"(FBI Director Clarence) Kelley has admitted that he cannot flatly deny that FBI agents are engaging in illegal burglaries and other unlawful conduct at this time . . . If Kelley were really intent on changing the policies of the FBI, he would announce an end to the infiltration of my campaign committees, an end to the investigations of my supporters, and an end to the harassment of . . . people who signed petitions supporting my right to be on the ballot."
—Peter Camejo, presidential candidate for the Socialist Workers Party, which is suing the FBI for $37 million damages.

"One has only to look at the dreary succession of inept black dictatorships that have seized power in other parts of Africa to realize that black rule may not be either in the economic or political interest of the black majority."
—Alexander Harrison, a student of African history, on why Rhodesia should remain under a white minority government.

"This is the greatest display of stonewalling, stalling and arrogant abuse of power since the Watergate episode."
—Philadelphia City Commissioner Eugene E. Maier, on the rejection of a petition signed by 211,000 Philadelphians to oust Mayor Frank Rizzo.



Frank Rizzo

INSIDE REPORT

HHH's campaign off to late start

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON — Off to a typically late start, Minnesota Sen. Hubert Humphrey's campaign for Senate majority leader is planning outside pressure on Senators — a necessary strategy which nevertheless bears grave risks.

The new strategy was discussed at a meeting in Humphrey's office here Aug. 30 attended by Humphrey staffers and key outside backers. The assessment was grim: the lead by Sen. Robert Byrd of West Virginia is wide. Humphrey will have difficulty pulling away Byrd's commitments; he cannot effectively compete with countless favors performed by Byrd in six years as assistant majority leader.

Thus the meeting reached this tentative conclusion: the Democratic party's liberal constituency groups — blacks, Latinos, Jews, organized labor — must be mobilized in support of Humphrey to lobby individual Senator. "Quite frankly," one Humphreyite told us, "they have to call up their IOUs for Hubert." In fact, well before the Humphrey strategy meeting, some black leaders were calling up liberal Senators to plead with them not to abandon the old champion of civil rights for a former segregationist.

Whether such tactics can sway proudly independent Senators — such as Adlai E. Stevenson III of Illinois — remains to be seen. Although Humphrey backed his father for President in 1956 and he backed Humphrey for President in 1968, Stevenson is committed to Byrd for majority leader. He is one of many liberal Senators who do not agree with Byrd on all issues but consider him a badly needed strong manager after the long, permissive tenure of retiring majority leader Mike Mansfield.

Moreover, while Humphrey can pick up support from individual unions, the AFL-CIO will not help him. "We are perfectttly happy with Byrd," one top labor operative told us. Byrd's clever move in backing hard - working liberal Sen. Alan Cranston of California for assistant majority leader makes him part of a Byrd - Cranston ticket and thus more acceptable to liberals.

Sen. Joe Biden of Delaware, a rare committed Humphrey supporter, told us he would resent outside pressure and fears the Humphrey strategy could backfire. Nevertheless, considering Byrd's lead, Humphrey has no alternative if he is to make a real challenge.

California Capers

Chances of President Ford carrying California's 45 electoral votes, vital to his chances for election, may depend on his political agents figuring a way to keep Republican state chairman Paul Haerle out of sight there between now and Nov. 2.

Haerle became anathema to supporters of Ronald Reagan because of his hard - nosed support for Mr. Ford all year. So, longtime Reagan lieutenant Lyn Nofziger has informed the Ford campaign that he cannot ask Reaganites to work for the President unless Haerle is eliminated from the scene.

What's more, Nofziger added, neither can Reagan himself.

A proposed arrangement for Haerle to work on the U.S. Senate and local races with no direct involvement in the presidential campaign is unacceptable to the Reaganites. "I think they want us to assassinate him," a rueful Ford campaign official told us.

Short of assassination, the Reaganites want Haerle stripped of his membership on the national Ford steering committee and of other badges of authority. "I've not been asked to resign nor would I resign from the steering committee or anything else," Haerle told us, adding that he feels the opposition is largely confined to Reaganite money men.

In fact, it goes deeper than that. Flying home after the Kansas City convention, the California delegation took up a collection and picked up $150 to be spent on "Hang Haerle" buttons. In sum, Ford campaign officials in Washington feel Haerle is the last big obstacle to a unified California campaign.

A footnote: Some key Reaganites recent the fact that, after informing him of his vice - presidential choice in Kansas City Aug. 19, Mr. Ford did not again speak to Reagan during his stay in Vail, Colo., or the better part of his first week back in Washington. The Ford explanation: Reagan's wishes for a respite from politics were being respected.

An Illinois Star

Our interviews with voters in the western suburb of Chicago suggest that the election for governor of illinois may produce a badly needed new Republican face on the national scene: former U.S. Attorney James Thompson.

In the barometer election district of Wheeling, Ill., which showed a virtual standoff between Mr. Ford and Jimmy Carter, our interviews with 54 registered, habitual voters showed 30 votes for Thompson to 17 for Secretary of State Michael Howlett, Mayor Richard J. Daley's handpicked Democratic candidate, and 7 undecided. These voters, predominantly lower - middle income and blue collar, expressed normal Democratic learnings by a 2 to 1 margin — but were crossing over to Republican "Big Jim" Thompson.

New light on blackout

The belief that a massive, 12-hour power failure which struck New York City and parts of eight states in November 1965 resulted in a miniature "baby boom" nine months later has become part of American folklore.

'Tain't so, says a University of Chicago statistician, who has made a study of New York birth records following the blackout.

"If you look at the statistics over a one - month period — two weeks before and two weeks after the nine - month period — it's clear there was no very sharp several - day phenomenon," says Prof. Sandy Zabell.

He found, in fact, that the percentage of births during the same four - week period in all the years from 1961 through 1966 was about the same from year to year.

The baby-boom myth apparently got started because everyone, including reporters, expected it to happen. After all, the blackout was a rather romantic event and there were all those bored couples who suddenly found themselves without television.

Which raises the question: What DID people do during the Great Blackout of 1965?

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

Yes, Gwendolyn, you might say that people who play hop-Scotch are skipping the next drink.

When you're 20, you'd like to tell the boss where to get off; after 40, you keep listening for him to call the end of the line.



Today's kids will fondly remember pies like Mother used to thaw.

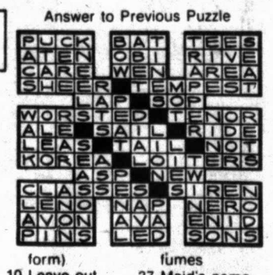
If the phone rates go much higher, yelling at others is going to get mighty popular.

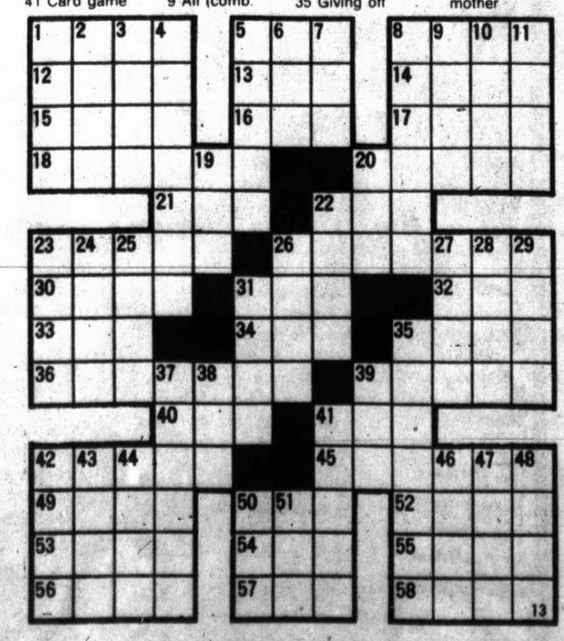
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Answer to Previous Puzzle





Astro-Graph

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Fro Tuesday, Sept. 14, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Your sense of humor and your generous outlook are your tickets to success today. Roll with the punches. You'll come out on top.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Small opportunities, skillfully handled, will yield a surprisingly large return in your capable hands today. You can make much out of little.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Keep your ears open today. Valuable information can come from a least-expected source. You'll know how to use it advantageously.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) People tend to confide in you today where they wouldn't with others. Even more fortunate: They sincerely trust you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Have a hopeful attitude today. There is something just over the horizon that will bring you joy.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You're particularly fortunate financially and careerwise today. Everything, including Lady Luck, is playing a big role.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Bits and pieces that didn't seem to fit will fall into place today. Once you're sure you grasp the total picture, act accordingly.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Assert your native shrewdness in business today. You'll ethically arrive at a solution that will benefit everyone.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Close associates will play an important role in your affairs today and tomorrow. Keep your alliances intact.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Over the next few days you're more than adequately equipped to handle challenging situations. Don't hesitate to accept responsibilities.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Good news could come from an unusual or distant source. Keep the channels open to faraway friends, but don't neglect the neighbors.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Joint ventures are still your most fertile field. Stay on top of projects where your efforts can complement another's.

Your Birthday

Sept. 14, 1976

Both your financial and your career prospects look extremely promising this year. They may take different paths, but they both foretell advances for you.

Capitol Comedy

Ford and Carter accused each other of flip - flopping. Now voters can flip for the one who is a flop.

Ford wants each debate to concentrate on one subject. It's tough enough remembering where he stands.

Carter is willing to limit each debate to one subject — as long as its peanuts.

If Ford doesn't like the way the debate is going, he can always veto it.

Between Ford's mid - western twang and Carter's southern accent, the public will need a U.N. interpreter.

Unarmed five may face murder charge

By BERNARD COHEN
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Five Croatian nationalists, who apparently were unarmed when they hijacked a Trans World Airlines 727 jetliner, face air piracy and possible murder charges here in the 30-hour, trans-Atlantic hijacking drama that brought terror to the skies and death on the ground.

The hijackers, who demanded and won wide publicity for their cause of Croatian separation from Yugoslavia, surrendered in Paris on Sunday and were returned to New York. They had taken over the plane by threatening to blow it up with what they said were "explosives" wired to their bodies but which turned out to be modeling clay.

The prisoners, four men and a woman, were taken into custody by the FBI at Kennedy Airport and held overnight for arraignment today in U.S. District Court in Brooklyn on air piracy charges.

The offense carries a minimum 20-year prison sentence, but if a death results from the piracy, life imprisonment can be imposed.

Paris police said that just before they gave up, the hijackers learned that a policeman was killed and three others injured in New York City while trying to dismantle a bomb they had planted in Grand Central Station in mid-Manhattan.

The leader of the hijackers said they were "proud" of what they had done.

French authorities said they had told the hijackers they would be executed if any passengers were harmed. They said they gave them a choice of being sent either to the United States or Yugoslavia.

All 53 passengers still held hostage on the hijacked plane were released unharmed, and most of them also flew back to the United States on Sunday. Thirty-five passengers had been released when the plane landed in Gander, Newfoundland, early Saturday, the second stop in the hijacking escapade.

The hijackers were identified by the FBI as Zvonko Busic, 30, his wife Julienne, 27, and Petar Matovic, 31, all of New York City; Frane Pesut, 25, of Cleveland; and Mark Vlasic, 29, Stamford, Conn. The four men were born in Yugoslavia and Mrs. Busic is a native of Eugene, Ore., the FBI said.

Dist. Atty. Mario Merola of the Bronx said he would seek first-degree murder indictments against them from a grand jury in the policeman's death. The slaying of a police officer in the line of duty is a capital offense in New York State.

The hijacking, which spanned four nations, was the first in the United States since April 1975, and the first successful one since November 1972, before federal officials instituted tighter airport security.

A spokesman for TWA said Sunday night that officials were attempting to find out whether Mrs. Busic had been employed at one time as a stewardess for the airline.

If she were, he said she might have been aware of airport procedures that would have helped in smuggling the "explosives" — a belt the hijackers said was a bomb in a metal pot six inches in diameter wired as a makeshift detonator — onto the plane.

The involuntary odyssey from New York to Paris — with refueling stops in Montreal, Newfoundland and Iceland — began Friday night about an hour after the New York-to-Chicago flight had taken off.

In Gander, Newfoundland, the 727 was joined by a TWA 707 jet flown from New York on the hijackers' orders to guide them across the ocean. The 727 lacked navigational facilities for the flight.

On orders from the hijackers, four major U.S. newspapers had printed lengthy manifestos found in the Grand Central station locker along with the bomb. The hijackers had told authorities where to find the locker and warned that unless the documents were published, another bomb would go off in some busy spot.

Also at the hijackers' orders, propaganda leaflets boosting the Croatian cause were dropped by helicopters over five U.S., Canadian and European cities.

The hijackers gave up early Sunday after they were convinced their publicity demands had been met following 13 hours of negotiations at Charles de Gaulle Airport with various officials, including French Interior Minister Michel Poniatowski and U.S. Ambassador Kenneth Rush. Immediately after the plane landed, French authorities had deflated its tires and blocked it with two vehicles.

French Police Inspector Jean Ottavian said the hijackers learned just before they surrendered that their bomb had killed a policeman.

"They said one of the reasons they surrendered was that they learned about the death," Ottavian said.

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Said Croatians were polite

By DEAN LOKKEN
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Passengers freed after 30 hours aboard a jetliner hijacked by Croatian nationalists told a tale of fear for their lives but polite treatment by their abductors.

The captives said the ordeal, which began Friday after their plane left New York and ended Sunday in Paris, was sprinkled with humor and hunger and included some dissension among themselves as a Catholic bishop used the plane's intercom to offer prayer.

One of the hostages — Los Angeles television consultant Rudy Bretz — said after being released in Paris that he intended to volunteer as a defense witness if the hijackers were tried in the United States.

The hijackers faced arraignment here today on federal air piracy charges. They also may be indicted for murder in the death of a policeman killed while trying to dismantle a bomb they planted at Grand Central station.

"I wish them well," said Warren Benson, a director of the Arthritis Foundation in Tucson, Ariz. "They had nothing against us, but wanted only to get their story across."

"The most frightening part of the hijacking was at the airport in Paris when they had us huddle up tight around the bombs. They threatened to blow us up," said Noreen Collins, 25, a teacher from Bellerose, N.Y. "We were huddled there for 10 minutes."

The "bombs" turned out to be fakes, as one hijacker with a flair for the dramatic demonstrated as he and his accomplices surrendered.

"One of the hijackers, the one with a moustache, took this thing we thought was a bomb — and it was like cotton dowels or tubes — and he ripped it up. And there was just fluff inside," said Robert Metzger, 35, of New York, one of 53 passengers and crew released in Paris. "(Then) he turned to us with a big smile and said, 'That's show biz.'"

Sam Edsall, 17, of Monroe, N.H., said the four men and one woman hijackers "were very nice except when they threatened the bombs might go off. They said they were doing it to get attention. One of them even said to me, 'I'm sorry, but that's life.'"

Robert Goldstein of New York City said: "They kept telling us they didn't want to hurt anybody . . . they didn't manhandle anybody or touch anybody.

"When they passed you in the aisles they always said 'Excuse me,' or at other times 'Thank you.' It was really unbelievable."

Miss Collins said that the passengers' greatest concern came in Paris where "we were under the impression the French government and the U.S. government were not doing anything for us."

The situation appeared so grave, said the Most Rev. Edward O'Rourke, Roman Catholic bishop of Peoria, Ill., that he offered general absolution to Catholics on board.

But one passenger, Las Vegas television columnist Dick Maurice, said that made matters worse.

". . . He made the mistake of getting on the loudspeaker and giving general confession to everybody and what seemed like giving us all the last rites. When he did that, panic set in," said Maurice.

"Oh, my God, the people said around us, we are going to die," he recalled.

The Lena, Yenisey, and Ob river systems in the Soviet Union enter the Arctic Ocean.

Day care center expands

Capacity of the Community Day Care Center, 600 W. Browning, has expanded significantly due to new smaller space requirements issued by the state, according to Mrs. Paul Coronis, director.

State law, which had required 35 square feet of space for each child, now requires only 30 square feet of space per child.

In May the center was faced with cutting 27 children from the enrollment or closing. A worker with the Licensing Division of the Texas Welfare Department had visited the facility, which was licensed for 65 children, and found that 92 children actually were enrolled and 71 were on the premises.

Jann Collard, state welfare worker from Borger, remeasured the building in June and discovered that square footage listed on the center's operting license was incorrect — that the building had 3,355 square feet usable space, not 2,750 usable suqare feet as recorded on the license.

Mrs. Coronis said that the new regulations and the new measurement of the building have boosted the center's enrollment potential to 120 children.

There are now between 65 and 70 children enrolled. Mrs. Coronis said that enrollment has dropped since the start of school in Pampa.

Improvements which the center was told to make in May are nearly complete, she added. A state area has been converted by volunteer labor into another classroom and is complete except for painting and a door. Two lavatories which the center was ordered to install are ready for the plumber.

Congress tackles money

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Money is the big item before Congress this week, with decisions on how much will be collected in taxes and how much will be spent by the government as the lawmakers push to adjourn Oct. 2.

First on the agenda is Senate action on a $41.9-billion revenue-sharing bill that would extend for five years and nine months the program that allocates federal funds with no strings to localities throughout the country.

The extension bill before the Senate would allocate $6.9 billion the first year and increase the amount by $150 million each year after that. Unless it is extended, the program expires this Dec. 31.

When action on revenue-sharing is completed by the Senate, the measure probably will have to go to a conference committee to resolve differences with the House version. The House passed last June a three-year extension of revenue sharing that would continue the payments at the current $6.65-billion annual rate.

Also scheduled for action in the Senate today is the $104.3-billion defense appropriations bill, as approved by a House-Senate conference committee.

A key provision of that measure would defer a decision on full-scale production of the B1 bomber until next February. Opponents of the controversial bomber succeeded in winning the delay so that whoever is elected president in November would have the opportunity to make the final decision.

In other money matters, both the House and Senate are scheduled to act this week on the congressional budget resolution and on a major revision of the tax laws.

The budget resolution sets a limit on federal spending of $413.1 billion. It estimates revenues at $362.5 billion, with a deficit of $50.6 billion.

President Ford's budget proposal for the coming fiscal year called for $13 billion less in spending. But Ford also estimated revenue would be $10 billion less. The Ford deficit would be $3 billion lower than the congressional figure. The figures finally adopted by Congress prevail.

The immediate effect of the tax bill scheduled for final House and Senate action late in the week would be to freeze withholding rates at the level set last year when Congress enacted a $15-billion tax cut.

The bill extends that tax cut for another year.

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BAMA Peach Preserves 18 OZ JAR 79¢
BAMA Grape Jam or Jelly 18 OZ JAR 59¢
SKINNER Thin Spaghetti 12 OZ PKG. 35¢
SHURFRESH Crackers 16 OZ BOX 89¢
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LUNCHEON MEAT SPAM 12 OZ CAN 99¢
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Carter to meet with Wallace

By JAMES H. RUBIN
Associated Press Writer

While President Ford is preparing for his first official campaign foray outside of Washington, Democratic challenger Jimmy Carter is meeting with fellow Southerner George C. Wallace as Carter begins a tour of some Sunbelt states.

Carter planned to appear in Birmingham today with Wallace, once his rival in presidential primaries, and the Alabama governor is expected to give Carter a strong endorsement.

Meanwhile, Ford will be in the public eye today with billsigning ceremonies. One measure would require about 50 federal boards to conduct most of their business in public, while another measure would protect livestock producers against packing companies that go bankrupt.

Presidential approval of these bills ordinarily would be handled by routine printed announcements, but today they merit separate ceremonies in the White House rose garden.

Meanwhile, GOP vice presidential candidate Bob Dole has a 17-hour day that takes him to a Chamber of Commerce function in Lexington, Ky., Salt Lake City and ends in San Francisco. Sen. Walter F. Mondale, his Democratic counterpart, begins his campaigning today at a registration booth in Alexandria, Va., just across the Potomac River from Washington and then heads south for appearances in Florida.

Political roundup

Carter launches a 12-state swing, with stops today in Birmingham, Ala., Oklahoma City and Phoenix, Ariz., after spending the weekend at home in Plains, Ga. Carter scheduled a fund-raising dinner appearance tonight in Phoenix for Rep. Morris K. Udall, another former opponent.

He said he wants to remind voters that his opponents in the Democratic primaries this spring were calling him the conservative in the field.

Attempting to counteract GOP charges that he is a big-spending liberal, Carter said he is stressing conservative positions such as "balanced budgets, strengthening local government, maximum of personal privacy, mininum of government secrecy and that kind of thing."

With 10 days remaining before the first candidates' debate, the campaign is about to take on a new look. Ford, who has been spending most of his time in the White House, will carry his election bid to his home state for an address at the University of Michigan, his alma mater, on Wednesday.

Carter won't be far away Wednesday. He has scheduled what aides said would be a major address to the Michigan AFL-CIO convention in Dearborn, about 30 miles from the university in Ann Arbor.

Citing some new poll results, Ford told reporters Sunday, "We're coming on. You'll see us around here another four years."

James Baker III, Ford's campaign manager, said on CBS' "Face The Nation" that Ford and Dole were ahead of the Democrats in "a dozen to 14 states," including Michigan and Dole's home state of Kansas.

A new poll by the Detroit News showed Ford ahead of Carter in Michigan by seven points, 41 to 34, a gain of three since the last sampling in July. The number of undecided voters stayed at 23 per cent.

Baker said Ford was doing better than expected in the South, but he declined to say where he was ahead there. He did say that Ford was only "four points behind" in New York and results were encouraging in two other pivotal Eastern states, Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Ford's strategy calls for him to spend most of his time in the White House at least until Congress adjourns in October. This approach has been attacked by Carter, who has remarked that Ford found time to get around the country in his race with Ronald Reagan but now claims that duty keeps him at home.

Carter's campaign week, his second, will also include stops in Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Michigan, Indiana, Maryland, Washington, D.C., and possibly Ohio and Arkansas.

Dole, retracting some previous mild criticism of Ford, said Sunday on NBC's "Meet the Press" that for the President "it may be good politics to stay in the White House. Let's face it. The President, whoever he might be, has an advantage if he uses the incumbency properly."



MS campaign helpers

Becky Jeffers, chairwoman of the Pampa Jaycee Ettes Multiple Sclerosis drive, left, and Linda Broadfoot, executive secretary of the Panhandle chapter of the MS society, distribute campaign literature to Margaret Milam, Jaycee Ettes president, and Kerrick Horton, campaign worker. The Multiple Sclerosis fund - raising drive in Pampa kicks off today and will last through Oct. 30.
(Pampa News photo by Michal Thompson)

Speaker calls Johnson era 'Second Reconstruction'

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The executive director of the National Urban League says the "New Frontier-Great Society" era will eventually be seen as "effecting a resolution in the status of minority groups.

Vernon Jordon referred Sunday night to the era of Presidents John Kennedy and Lyndon Johnson as the "Second Reconstruction" in his talk which kicked off a symposium on the two presidents' social programs.

The five-day symposium, with 75 speakers and panelists, was arranged to give a "penetrating and useful evaluation" of those programs, Mrs. Lyndon Johnson said.

Jordan said the presidental programs constitute "one of the few periods of our national history of which we can be proud."

He proposed a "new Bill of Rights" to include the right to education, economic security, health, family stability, representation and safe communities.

"There is no reason why this, the world's richest nation, cannot implement them within a short, realistic time frame," Jordan said.

Historian Arthur Schlesinger Jr., special assistant to Kennedy in 1961-63, said, "The extraordinary rush of legislative achievement under Johnson's leadership in the mid-1960s marked the high point of belief in the national government."

This year, Schlesinger noted, without naming him, that even Jimmy Carter — "the candidate of the party of the New Deal" — has stated that "Washington has become a huge, wasteful, unmanageable, insensitive, bloated, bureaucratic mess."

Schlesinger said, however, "Few people, least of all the voters, want to dismantle the national structure of service and control that has grown up in the last 40 years."

"Without the national government," he said, "most blacks would still be slaves. It is the national government that has protected the Bill of Rights against local vigilantism. It is the national government that has protected national resources against local greed. It is the national government that has civilized our industry, that has secured the rights of labor organization, that has defended the livelihood of the farmer.

"Only the national government can relieve such problems as racial injustice, unemployment, inflation, urban decay, environmental protection, and the nation's needs for health care, education, housing and welfare."

Still, he said, "No one can doubt the deep, urgent and widespread dissatisfaction that has fixed on big government. . . . The buoyant and innocent faith of our youth in big government is nearly as dead as the buoyant and innocent faith in no-government that it superseded."

"A good deal of popular unease springs, I think, from the vision of endlessly enlarging social commitments going remorselessly through public budget ceilings," Schlesinger said, but he added, "We are far from having become a nation collapsing under the burden of social benefits."

He said, however, "a good deal of the money involved in social programs never gets to those for whom it is intended but is siphoned off along the way by middle class professionals who adminster the services.

"Moreover, the flow of large sums of money . . . . always attracts crooks. Nothing has discredited the affirmative state more than the rip-off issue — the impression people have that the public money is being stolen and no one cares."

"As yet the social programs have been invaded mainly by white collar crime," he said. "As the money flow swells, we can be reasonably sure that organized crime will figure out ways to get into the act."

"Perhaps," Schlesinger said, "the White House or the Office of Management and Budget should establish an inspector general with authority to inquire into everything from the conduct of an agency to the capacity of its officials to write an intelligible English sentence.

"Perhaps the FBI should move on from the Socialist Workers to social work and investigate the rip-off scandals. Certainly one would wish for objective and thorough congressional oversight."

Schlesinger pays tribute to Mao Tse-tung

TOKYO (AP) — Former U.S. Defense Secretary James Schlesinger and other foreigners filed past the bier of Mao Tse-tung, lying in state for the third day in Peking's Great Hall of the People, the Japanese Kyodo news agency reported.

Schlesinger paid his respects to the founder of Communist China along with athletic delegations from Japan, Tanzania and Egypt, the report said.

Delegates return

Delegates to the Texas State Republican Convention, held last weekend in Austin, returned Joe Curtis of Pampa and Ila Jo Hart of Gruver as 31st District committeeman and committeewoman.

However, Curtis said out of 31 members of the executive committee, 14 new committeemen were elected. Ten new committeewomen were also chosen.

Viking lander arm stuck

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The mechanical arm of the Viking 2 lander is stuck between the openings of two small laboratories, preventing, at least temporarily, the beginning of experiments to determine whether organic matter is present at the Martian landing site.

Viking project manager Jim Martin said early today that the scoop on the end of the arm had successfully picked up a sample of soil and delivered part of it to the area inside the lander where three biology experiements were to be conducted.

But as the arm moved to another area where the rest of its load was to be deposited for X-ray tests the scoop failed to rotate, stopping dead in its tracks.

The first indication of trouble came when the collecting head of the arm failed to appear in a photograph Viking had taken to show scientists that the apparatus was moving in its correct sequence. Another photo showed that Viking had completed a foot-long trench and had a soil sample in hand.

The lander is programmed to halt the moving arm whenever something goes wrong. There was no way of knowing this morning what the malady could be, and Martin said it probably would take more than a day to be certain.

The next possible step will come during the nexi communications link around 1 a.m. (PDT) Tuesday when scientists will send the lander an order to let them know what went wrong, probably through more photographs, Martin said.

"This could foul up the whole sequence," Martin said after a two-hour session in which he met with project scientists to try to determine what had gone wrong.

Viking had been scheduled to make another digging expedition today, taking in another clump of dirt for deposit in what is known as a gas chromatograph spectrometer (GCMS). It is the GCMS that conducts the complex series of heatings and separations of ingredients that eventually would tell scientists whether Viking had struck upon any carbon-based, or organic, molecules.

Discovery of organic molecules could point to life on the planet.

The GCMS is a key experiment, and although the lander's other ongoing tests in seismology and meteorology would continue, it would be a major disappointment to scientists if the search for organic molecules was not completed.

Newlyweds die; gas suspected

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — A freak accident has left a young soldier and his bride of five weeks dead in their apartment. Carbon monoxide gas is suspected as the killer.

Police identified the couple as Jeffrey Macki, 21, and his 18-year-old wife, Diana.

According to the apartment complex manager, the young couple moved into the three-room second story apartment Friday with two pet cats also found dead. The bodies were discovered Saturday.

Manager Jim Statzer said Macki told him they had been married five weeks and moved to San Antonio from Orlando, Fla. Macki, a private in the Army, was to have reported for duty over the weekend. When he did not, Army personnel began telephoning the apartment manager.

Assistant Manager Hector Perez said, "they kept calling and calling all afternoon."

Perez said he finally notified Statzer about 4:30 p.m.

"We knocked on the door and nobody answered," Perez said.

"So finally the manager opened the door with his master key. The door had been fastened with a chain lock."

Perez said he and Statzer put their weight against the door to snap the chain. Once inside, the strong order of gas almost overwhelmed them.

Mrs. Macki was found clad only in a pair of white jeans, lying face down on the bed. Macki, clothed in green khaki pants, was sprawled face upon the kitchen floor with part of his back against the wall.

Police Investigator Bob Urban said the couple apparently died when gas from an open-ended pipe located directly beneath their bathroom window was drawn into the apartment.

District Fire Chief Greg Trevino said the exhaust pipe came from a 100-gallon water heater in a storage room directly beneath the couple's apartment. Trevino said the exhaust fumes were probably carbon monoxide, deadly odorless gas, which were pulled into the apartment by a draft.

Miss America 'old fashioned'

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Miss America 1977, Dorothy Kathleen Benham of Minnesota, says her goal for the next year is to "represent the women of today as best I can."

And, the new Miss America says, she'll do that by "being myself," an old-fashioned, 20-year-old who's against premarital sex, abortion, marijuana, gambling and woman's liberation.

Miss Benham, who was awarded the beauty crown here Saturday night, handled herself confidently at a Sunday morning news conference after only two hours of sleep.

Music is almost everything to the 5-foot-7½-inch, 120-pound blonde, who credits her victory to her vocal performance of Adele's Laughing Song from Johann Strauss' "Die Fledermaus" during the talent competition.

The Macalester College junior, who has studied voice for eight years, said her ultimate goal is to reach stardom on the concert stage, screen and television.

She said she knows little about politics, has no favorite in November's presidential election and is only beginning to take an interest in the political world.

Asked to name the persons she admires most, she listed opera singers Anna Moffo, Beverly Sills and Roberta Peters — all sopranos like her.

Her conservative upbringing in Edina, Minn., a Minneapolis suburb of 44,000, has led to her holding traditional views on controversial subjects, she said.

Croatians have bloody history

By The Associated Press

Croatian nationalists like those who hijacked a New York-to-Chicago jetliner Friday have a long and bloody history of fighting for the autonomy of their Balkan homeland, now part of Communist Yugoslavia, including several recent assassinations.

The hijackers call themselves "Fighters for Free Croatia," a name unfamiliar to knowledgeable observers in the Yugoslav capital of Belgrade, where the government firmly cracks down on Croatian extremists whenever it can.

The hijackers said in a statement that Croatia has been denied self-determination. They said they had hijacked an American plane because the United States "supports the colonialist enslavement of the non-Serbian nations within Yugoslavia."

Croatia has been an area of intense nationalism since long before World War I, which erupted in Serbia, another Balkan state that is also now part of Yugoslavia.

Croatia is one of the six republics of Yugoslavia and has 22 per cent of the country's 22 million people. The Serbs, with 40 per cent of the people, have dominated Yugoslavia since it was created by merging six Balkan Republics after World War II. The Croatians have chafed under this dominance, even though President Josip Broz Tito himself is the son of a Croatian blacksmith.

The Yugoslav government says the many Croatian groups in other countries are all remnants of the right-winers called Ustashi, who formed a puppet independent Croatia under German and Italian occupation and fought against Tito's Communist partisans during World War II.

The Ustashi-German-Italian period is remembered bitterly in Yugoslavia. Millions of Serbians and Jews are believed to have been killed as independent Croatia followed the Nazi lead in attempting to create a pureblood state. A large section of one of Belgrade's major museums is devoted to recounting those excesses, although the exhibits blame the foreign occupiers with little mention of Croatians.

Before World War I, the Ustashi were blamed for assassinating King Alexander, the Serbian monarch of Yugoslavia. Further back in history, Croatians fought Dalmatians, Hungarians, Turks and Napoleonic forces in the ebb and flow of invaders that helped to give the Balkan lands the nickname "Powderkeg of Europe."

In recent years Croatian emigres, based in the United States, West Germany, Australia and Sweden, have been blamed in many violent attacks in Yugoslavia and other countries. More than 200 persons were arrested in 1975 in Yugoslavia — at least half of them Croatian separatists.

Here are some of the recent incidents blamed on the Croatians:

—The killing of the Uruguayan ambassador to Paraguay in June. Police said a Croatian separatist, Jozo Damjanovic, mistook him for the Yugoslav ambassador.

—Planting a time bomb in Belgrade in 1975 in an attempt to kill Tito. The bomb went off prematurely, injuring no one. In June of this year, five Croatian separatists were sentenced to 20 years in prison by a Belgrade court in the incident.

—The assassination last February of Edvin Zdovc, the Yugoslav consul general in Frankfurt, West Germany. No arrests have been made but the Bonn government announced in June it was banning two right-wing Croatian exile groups because "their declared goal is the violent overthrow of the Yugoslav state and the founding of a new, independent Croatian national state."

—The attempted murder this year of the Yugoslav consul in Cologne, West Germany. Several men were arrested and are awaiting trial. The Yugoslav consul in Lyon, France, also was shot and wounded this year. No one was arrested in that attack.

—The murder in 1972 of the Yugoslav ambassador to Sweden. A Scandinavian Airlines System plane was also hijacked and the ambassador's killers were flown out of Sweden.

—A small invasion of Yugoslavia in 1972 by Ustashi apparently trained in Australia to start guerrilla war in their homeland. The group was quickly wiped out.

—Numerous explosions at Yugoslav facilities abroad, including some in the United States. Early this year Belgrade asked the U.S. government to curb Ustashi activities in the United States.

Zagreb is the main city of Croatia, the northern part of Yugoslavia. Croatians and Serbians speak similar dialects but the Croatians use Roman script in writing while the Serbians use Cyrillic script. Most Croatians are Roman Catholics, while the Serbs are Russian Orthodox.

On The Record

Obituaries

FRANCIS E. WEBB

Funeral services for Francis E. Webb, 56, of 428 N. Wells, will be 2 p.m. Wednesday in St. Matthews Episcopal Church with the Rev. C. Philip Craig, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Miami Cemetery by Carmichael - Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Webb died Saturday in Ft. Lyons Veterans Hospital in Los Animas, Colo.

He was born in 1919 in Gray County and had lived in Gray County all his life. He was a lab technician for Cabot and moved to Pampa in 1945. He married Agnes Cornelsen in Santa Anna, Calif., in 1942 and he was a veteran of World War II. He was a member of St. Matthews Episcopal Church.

Surviving are the widow; one son, James L. of Austin; three daughters, Mrs. Rose Gibson of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Vickie Veazey of Stillwater, Okla., Mrs. Glenda Fargie of Dodgeville, Wis.; his mother, Mrs. Van Webb of Miami; three brothers, Verner of Mobeetie, Thomas V. of Houston, Clark of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Marie Gill of Miami, Mrs. Joyce Vuicich of Skellytown, and three grandchildren.

JACK WILCIE WILKINSON

Funeral services for Jack Wilcie Wilkinson, 78, of 2012 Alcock, will be 2 p.m. Tuesday in Carmichael - Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Gene Allen, pastor of the Lamar Full Gospel Assembly, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Mr. Wilkinson died Sunday in his home.

He was born in 1898 in California and moved to Pampa from Amarillo in 1926. He was a retired oil field driller. He married Myrtis Mae Sparks in 1921 in Canyon. She died in 1965.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Deane Scott of Pampa; one sister, Mrs. J.K. Steffensen of Riverside, Calif.; and two grandsons, Steve Scott of Pampa and Mike Scott of Greeley, Colo.

J.B. CHRISTNER

Funeral services for J.B. Christner, 83, of Shamrock, will be 2 p.m. today in the First United Methodist Church in Shamrock with the Rev. Julius Early, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Shamrock Cemetery by Richerson Funeral Home.

Mr. Christner died Saturday.

He was born in Hayes Center, Neb., and married Ruby Vaughn in 1929. He was a veteran of World War I and was a member of the First United Methodist Church and Rotary Club. He was a retired rancher and farmer.

Survivors include the widow; three sons, John Hat Christner of Shamrock, Mack V. Christner and Tom H. Christner, both of Wheeler; eight grandchildren and two great - grandchildren.

ERNEST A. CALLAHAN

Funeral services for Ernest A. Callahan, 73, of Shamrock, will be 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Lela Baptist Church with the Rev. Frank Mayo, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Shamrock Cemetery by Richerson Funeal Home.

Mr. Callhan died Saturday in Modesto, Calif.

He had lived in Oklahoma City, Okla., and moved to Shamrock five years ago. He was a Baptist and was a retired truck driver.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Billy Troxell of Shamrock; a son, Leroy of Ceres, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Wolfe and Mrs. Grace Wolf, both of Drumright, Okla., and Mrs. Gladys Kendall of Lefors, and eight grandchildren.

JAMES EDWARD BLACK

James Edward Black, seven - week - old son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Black of Oklahoma City, died Friday night in the home from natural causes.

Services were set today in Oklahoma City under the direction of the Eisenhower Funeral Home.

The infant was born at Highland General Hospital here. The parents moved to Oklahoma City about a month ago.

Grandparens are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty of Pampa and Mrs. and Mrs. B.J. Moore of Oklahoma City.

MRS. W.W. "Flo" REEK

Funeral services and burial for Mrs. W.W. "Flo" Reek of Oklahoma City, and formerly of Pampa, were held today in Oklahoma City.

Arrangements were under the direction of Hahn Cook, Street and Draper Funeral Home.

Mrs. Reek died Friday. She was employed while living in Pampa at Murfee's Department Store.

Her husband was employed by Gulf Oil Co. He died in 1970.

Survivors include three sisters and two brothers.

Highland General Hospital

Saturday Admissions

Mrs. Jessie Hearn, 600 N. Somerville.
Mrs. Carolyn Carlson, 2121 N. Dwight.
Mrs. Cora Fry, 715 E. Kingsmill.
Baby Girl Carlson, 2121 N. Dwight.
Mrs. Barbara Bird, 1027 S. Hobart.
Harlin Keating, 1313 N. Starkweather.
Mrs. Mary Fleming, 734 E. Murphy.

Dismissals

Mrs. Lynna Crockett, Clarendon.
Mrs. Dorothy Davis, White Deer.
Mrs. Deborah Henley, 1414 E. Browning.
Mrs. Minnie Erwin, 520 N. Frost.
Cindy Clark, 1028 E. Francis.
Elmer Ownsby, 510 N. Davis.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Carlson Jr., 2121 N. Dwight a girl at 10:37 a.m. weighing 6 lbs. 14 ozs.

Sunday Admissions

Mrs. Sheryl K. Gamblin, 1124 N. Russell.
Baby Girl Gamblin, 1124 N. Russell.
Mrs. Ellen R. Collins, 1922 N. Banks.
Lewis E. Henderson, 507 N. Doyle.
Mrs. Mary L. Urschel, Canadian.
Mrs. Bertha M. Riley, 1327 Coffee.
Mrs. Ruth McQuary; Pampa.
Hulle Beard, 317 N. Hobart.
Mrs. Ruth Paine, White Der.
Rev. Ronald Ledbetter, White Deer.
Mrs. Marilynn Cradduck, 2532 Christine.
Mrs. Alice Gray, 1236 Williston.
Mrs. Paula McFall, 213 Tignor.
Mrs. Addie Callan, 711 Sloan.
Mrs. Vickie Cloud, Pampa.
Jerome Henry, 835 S. Gray.
Mrs. Joy McDowell, Shamrock.
Mrs. Frances Moen, 339 Sunset.
Mrs. Jennifer Rapstine, White Deer.
Willie Williams, Miami.
Baby Boy Rapstine, White Deer.

Dismissals

Mrs. Sherry Glover, 1104 Sirroco.
Baby Girl Glover, 1104 Sirroco.
Mrs. Jessie Bridwell, 906 Twiford.
Mrs. Hettie Meadows, White Deer.
Benny Wilson, 1929 Lynn.
Mrs. Mary Stephen, Skellytown.
Mrs. Joyce Lunsford, Miami.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh E. Gamblin, 1124 N. Russell, a girl at 8:53 a.m. weighing 8 lbs. 7 ozs.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Rapstine, White Deer, a boy at 11:20 p.m. weighing 7 lbs. 2 ozs.

Mainly about people

Mr. and Mrs. Derek Ennis are the parents of a daughter, Amber Dawn, born Sept. 6 in Groom Memorial Hospital. Ennis is stationed in Germany and Mrs. Ennis lives in Pampa. Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fleming of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Ennis Jr. of Pampa.

Stock market

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

Wheat ..... $2.95 Bu
Milo ..... $4.20 cwt

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

Franklin Life	23	23¾
Ky. Cent. Life	6¼	7¼
Southland Finance	9¼	9¾
So. West Life	31¾	32¼

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

Beatrice Foods	27
Cabot	29¾
Celanese	47¾
Cities Service	53¾
DIA	69¼
Kerr-McGee	71
Penney's	52¼
Phillips	60¾
PNA	33¼
Skelly	114¼
Southwestern Pub. Service	13¼
Standard Oil of Indiana	53¾
Texaco	27¾

Police report

Pampa police arrested one man for carrying a prohibited weapon over the weekend. Investigations included an attempted robbery, a burglary, a criminal mischief complaint and a non - injury accident.

A police officer reported hearing shots fired near the downtown area. Cruz Juan Anguiano was arrested in the 500 block of S. Ballard and was booked on carrying a prohibited weapon.

Justice of the Peace Nat Lunsford set bond at $1,000.

Anguiano is an illegal alien, according to police. He also was charged with drunkeness.

Burglars entered Houston Middle School by breaking a window in the gymnasium. Approximately one dollar in change was missing from the soft drink machine in the teachers' lounge and police found pry marks around the door to the principal's office.

Advice

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR READERS: I recently said my last goodby to one of the dearest, most gentle and soft-spoken gentlemen I've ever known—David Brodkey. He was also my brother-in-law, having been married for over 40 years to my sister, Helen, the eldest (and prettiest) of the four Friedman girls.

Dave spent his 66th birthday in the hospital, fighting a losing battle against lung cancer. He was lucky(?). He went fast. Three months.

You're wondering, "Did he smoke?" Like a chimney! Dave had been a three-pack-a-day man for over 45 years.

Didn't he have periodic checkups and chest X-rays? He did, but nothing showed up in his X-rays until he went into the hospital for minor surgery for something totally unrelated to the cause of his death.

Oh, Dave had a "touch of" emphysema and a "little heart warning" a few years back, so why didn't his DOCTOR insist that he quit smoking then? Because his doctor also smoked heavily.

I know that God gives us life, and God takes it away, but I can't help feeling that this beautiful man could have lived many more years had he not become addicted to tobacco. And addicted he was!

His craving for nicotine was almost as enslaving as heroin to a junky or alcohol to an alcoholic.

Times without number he would develop a cough and try to "taper off." He would then allow himself only 10 cigarettes a day. But after he'd smoked his limit, he'd "bum" an extra cigarette or two, and soon he'd be back to the old routine. (He often said, "I don't really SMOKE them, I just light them, and they burn in the ashtray.")

Being a natural "reformer," over the years I sent Dave every stop-smoking gimmick and gadget I came across. He tried them all, but none of them worked for him.

How come some people smoke up a storm and live to be 100? I don't know. (Maybe they build up an "immunity" to nicotine.) And how come some people who have never smoked develop lung cancer? I don't know the answer to that, either. But I do know that an overwhelming percentage of those who develop lung cancer and heart disease have been heavy smokers.

Not everyone who develops lung cancer dies from it. Some are lucky enough to survive surgery and live with one lung (for example, a former heavy smoker, that lovable redhead, Arthur Godfrey). Others have had laryngectomies (the severing of the vocal chords), after which the patient learns to "talk" by swallowing air and "belching" it up into audible sounds. (The handsome veteran actor, Bill Gargan, another notoriously heavy smoker, has lived with this for many years.)

I have devoted a great deal of space in my column to the evils of smoking. (Perhaps more than some of my smoking readers have found tolerable.) I've also frequently needled those who inflict their habit on innocent non-smokers. (I'm informed there is now substantial evidence that breathing second-hand tobacco fumes is almost as damaging to the lungs as is smoking the weed itself.)

It's too late for my brother-in-law, and for countless thousands who couldn't break the nicotine habit, but will you do yourself (and me) a favor? If you don't smoke—PLEASE don't start. And if you DO smoke, don't quit trying to quit until you've won! I love you.

ABBY

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

Ask Dr. Lamb

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Two doctors tell me I have leukopenia but haven't done anything for me. I'm allergic to drugs. I couldn't find much on leukopenia in my medical books. Could you tell me what causes leukopenia? What, if anything, can be done for it? What kind of diet should I follow? Can it be cured?

DEAR READER — In general there are red cells and white cells in your bloodstream. The white cells are called leukocytes. The decrease of white cells in leukopenia is usually of the cells that increase in number when you have an infection. These are neutrophils so you probably have neutropenia, the main form of leukopenia.

The neutrophils are also called granulocytes. You may have heard the term agranulocytosis which means neutropenia, but the term is usually reserved for more severe forms.

The granulocytes are manufactured in the bone marrow, then released into your bloodstream. You may be surprised to learn that the average white cell doesn't stay in your bloodstream very long. In a short time it migrates out of the circulation into your body tissues. There are 20 times as many granulocytes in your tissues as there are in your circulation.

You also have a reservoir of white cells in your bone marrow. You have 15 to 20 times as many mature white cells in your bone marrow waiting to be released if your body needs them. If a person develops acute appendicitis these cells are released suddenly to combat infection and the white count goes up rapidly. Measuring the white cells in your bloodstream is only an index of how many neutrophils your body may be producing.

Your doctors are probably not doing any more because you are probably one of those people who have a decrease that is not sufficient to be important from a health point of view. A small decrease in cells doesn't seem to make any difference. When the count is well below half the usual value seen the person may be more prone to infections.

The white cells are used to fight off infection. If your count is very low then you will need to take precautions against developing an infection. That will include avoiding crowds, being careful to not injure yourself and even greater care of your skin to avoid pimples and the like. A pimple in a person with poor defenses against infection can be dangerous. I doubt this is your problem.

The cause of the mild cases is unknown. It is sometimes a familial characteristic. Severe forms can be caused by inadequate bone marrow production from actions of drugs, chemical solvents, insecticides and a host of factors. One aspect of treatment in these cases is elimination of the offending drug if possible.

Many drug or chemical induced episodes are cured spontaneously when the offending agent is removed. I would think that you probably don't need anything special except to be checked regularly and, if need be, to take added precautions against infection or to get treatment at once with any sign of an infection.

Those who would like information about anemias can send 50 cents for The Health Letter number 4-3, Understanding the Anemias. Send a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Address your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

Polly's pointers

By Polly Cramer

DEAR POLLY — Sylvia can use that collection of buttons to make "pictures". I had one made many years ago that is in an antique black and gold frame. This "picture" is a basket of flowers. The basket was made with old underwear buttons, though any kind that look alike or are similar could be used. The basket could even be of stripes or plaids. The pretty colorful buttons are used to make the flowers. These can be sewn or glued, depending on the type of button, to a black cloth background that is stretched over heavy cardboard. A car, plane or rocket design could be made for a boy's room and a doll or other appropriate design made for a girl. I am very proud of mine and it is a real conversation piece. — MRS. E.O.P.

DEAR READERS — Just a few weeks ago, I saw a striking piece of contemporary art that was merely a geometric design made with matching white tear drop-shaped buttons. It was very striking. — POLLY.

Hot dogs, chewing gum, and *kumboloy?*

By THOM MARSHALL
Pampa News Staff

Vacilios Passias is trying to switch from worry beads to chewing gum, but it isn't going to be easy.

Vacilios, who prefers to go by "Bill" in America, has been in Pampa for about a week and his second cousin, Ted Gikas, told him that American men don't use the "kumboloy" or worry beads.

"Why?" Bill asked him.

"We chew our fingernails and chew gum," Gikas explained.

At one point during the following day Gikas apparently seemed a bit nervous so Bill appropriately offered him a stick of gum.

The 18-year-old Greek youth learns quickly, and it's a good thing he does because he intends to do a great deal of learning during the next few years. He wants to attend an American university and study electrical engineering.

Gikas said that he met Bill, his cousin's son, when he visited Greece for the first time in 1967.

"He was eight years old then," Gikas said. "In 1971, when I was there the second time, I talked to him about America and asked him if he wanted to come over. He said he did."

Gikas visited Greece for the third time early this summer.

"He was ready," he said of Bill. "I got back on June 22 and he came on over Sept. 2.

Bill is a recent graduate of the high school in his home town of Mouzaki, Karditsa, Greece. In addition to going to school, Bill helped an aunt who is a beekeeper. He tended 70 hives.

He wanted to bring Gikas a gift from his home so he took a rack of honey from one of the hives, wrapped it in three plastic bags and brought it over in a suitcase."

He had studied English in school, but experienced the common difficulties one encounters when trying to learn a language in a classroom with no opportunity for practical application.

"I explained to him how it is common courtesy in America that when someone says, 'How are you?' you answer them, 'Fine, how are you?,'" Gikas said.

The following morning a man came into the Coney Island Cafe, where Bill was helping his cousins Ted and John Gikas, and the man asked Bill, "How old are you?"

"I'm 18," Bill said, then politely added, "How old are you?"

"I'm 48," the surprised man answered.

Bill is interested in American Indians and knows many of the different tribes. One of his first stops after arriving in the United States was the Woolarock Museum near Bartlesville, Okla.

He also is interested in cowboys and his cousins have arranged for him to visit a ranch which he will get to tour on horseback.

After watching a football game in Oklahoma last Friday, Bill prononced the sport a bit rougher than the variety of a rugby - like game played in Greece.

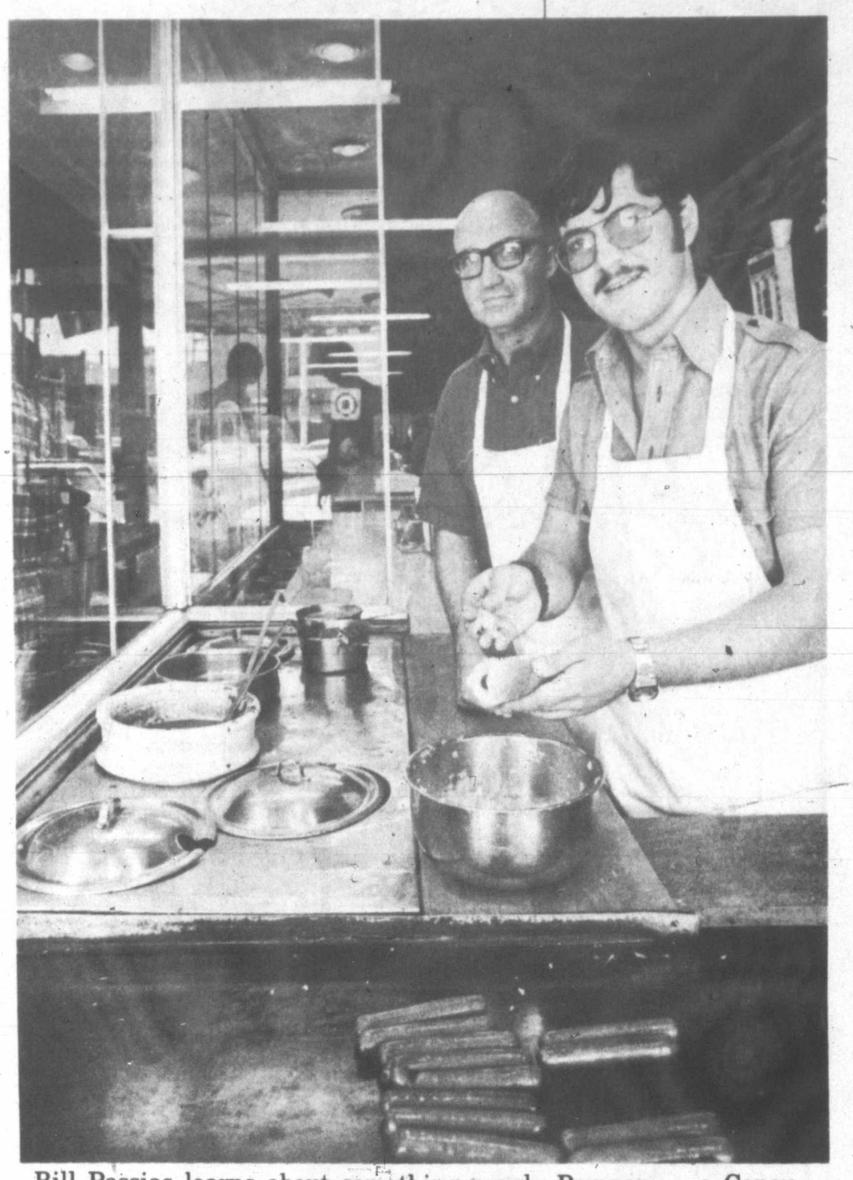
Bill was asked if he was beginning to get a little homesick.

He didn't understand the question and turned to Cousin Ted for some help.

"I don't know how I'm going to explain this," Gikas said. "My Greek isn't really much better than his English."

But after a brief conversation the meaning of "homesick" was understood and Bill shook his head. "No, no," he said.

He had planned for four or five years to come to America and he likes being here. Asked when he liked most, he answered, "Good people."



Bill Passias learns about something purely Pampan — a Coney Island hot dog — from his cousin Ted Gikas.
(Pampa News photo by Michal Thompson)

Harriet returns to tv without Ozzie

LOS ANGELES (AP) — In June a year ago, Ozzie Nelson, the bandleader-turned-actor whose "Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" entertained millions for 22 years on radio and TV, died of cancer at age 69.

A year later, Harriet, his wife for nearly 40 years and show business partner since 1932, was contacted by Carol Jones, a friend and also a casting director for a TV movie being planned.

There was a meaty role in it, calling for a middle-aged woman to play the part of a terminally ill dean of a woman's college. She and her husband became victims in a 39-car collision on a California freeway.

"Carol said to the producer, 'I think this (part) is Harriet,'" Mrs. Nelson recalled. "And he said, 'Do you think she'd like to work?' So Carol called me. And I said, 'You just know I'd like to work.'"

And her work will appear on ABC come Saturday, Sept. 18, in a two-hour movie called "Smash-Up on Interstate 5."

For Harriet Nelson, a slender, humorous, matter-of-fact woman, it's not only an acting job, it's also part of the process of coming out of the shell into which she retreated after Ozzie's death.

"It's sort of a continuation of life which you must face, you know?" she said. "There's no alternative."

She was speaking at her home near the ocean, in Laguna Beach. She prefaced the conversation by remarking what a lovely, sunny day it was and how briskly the seagulls were cavorting.

She also spoke about her two sons and co-stars from the old "Adventures" days on TV — Ricky, now 36, and a pop music star, and David, 40, involved in film editing, producing and a little acting.

In fact, she said, David even briefly appears in "Smash-up on Interstate 5," playing a California Highway Patrol trooper.

She said that when she consulted the boys about going back into acting "they were just delighted. I think they were more excited about it than I was.

"They wanted so much for me to go back to work, I think, because they knew what it would do for me."

They didn't push her about it after Ozzie's death, she added, "but they were so ecstatic about it when I went back to work I knew they'd been wishing."

For Harriet Nelson, whose parents also were actors, work comes as what she calls "a lifetime habit. And somehow, without working, you find you don't know who you are."

Her work started six weeks after her birth in Des Moines, Iowa, when her parents took her onstage in a play. Her first speaking part came at the ripe old age of three in a Midwest opus called "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

She retired at age five — school, you know — but 11 years later, after graduating from St. Agnes Academy in Kansas City, the teen-ager known as Harriet Hilliard returned to show biz.

She studied ballet, then played straight woman to such comics as Ken Murray and Bert Lahr in vaudeville, then went dramatic in what she calls "a condensed version of 'She Loves Me Not,'" a play.

While toiling as mistress of ceremonies at the Hollywood, a New York night club, she met a young bandleader name of Ozzie Nelson, who was working his way through law school. She became the band's first female vocalist in 1932.

"It was strictly a business arrangement initially," said Mrs. N., who made her radio debut with Ozzie in 1933 on a show run by Joe Penner, a popular comic best known for inquiring:

"Wanna buy a duck?"

She and Ozzie were married on Oct 8, 1935. Eight years later, they started their own radio show, a program sponsored by International Silver and heard from 6 to 6:30 p.m. Eastern time on CBS.

The rest is broadcast history, with the Nelsons taking time out for the birth of their sons and Harriet's brief, busy fling in movies ranging from a dramatic part in "Boston Blackie" to a raft of musicials made at University Pictures.

"I stopped those," she said of the song flicks, "when the Hollywood Reporter (a trade paper) started listing them as 'the usual Harriet Hilliard stock company.'"

But going from singing to drama to light comedy and back again never caused problems because of her vaudeville experience.

"Back in those days, you didn't specialize," Harriet said. "If you were in show business, you had to be able to sing, to dance, to act, to do all three to get a job."

She said she found her role in the soon-to-appear ABC film the heaviest dramatic role she's ever played in her life.

But the weight of work was eased by the fact that not only was son David in the show, so was Buddy Ebsen, who plays her husband. She and Ebsen — he stars in CBS' "Barnaby Jones" — first shared the bill more than 40 years ago during a vaudeville appearance in Detroit.

She was with Ozzie's band, he was a hoofer in a dance act.

"We've had quiet a debate about where that happened," she laughed. "He says it was the Fox Theater. I say it was the Michigan."

Harriet Nelson's last TV acting job was four years ago, with her husband in a syndicated situation comedy series called "Ozzie's Girls."

She was asked whether it had been hard to get her acting chops back in shape for the far stronger emoting required for her ABC movie role.

"I think if you're an actor, you can go from one picture to another without — if you'll pardon the expression — any sweat," she said with a quick laugh. Then she grew thoughtful.

"I will say the first day on the set was a little like swimming underwater. It was hard to get into focus because it was the first time I've worked without Ozzie in a good many years.

"And I missed him so terribly. Besides missing him as my husband, I also missed him as my partner. Because he's the one who used to stand back of the camera and say, 'Not good enough,' or, 'That was fine.'

"But it didn't take me long to get back into it. And of course, Buddy was such a darling."

At a party earlier in the week, Mrs. Nelson had been talking about her first move back into television since Ozzie's death. She said then she'd now like to do some comedy. Heavy drama, she insisted, was too easy.

"Well, I shouldn't say that," she commented when reminded of her initial remarks. "That was probably off the top of my head. None of it's easy. It's all interesting.

"What I meant is that I wouldn't like to be stuck in a crying role all the time."



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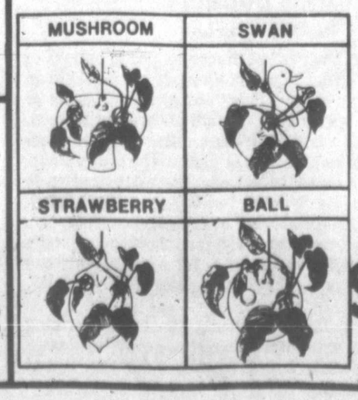


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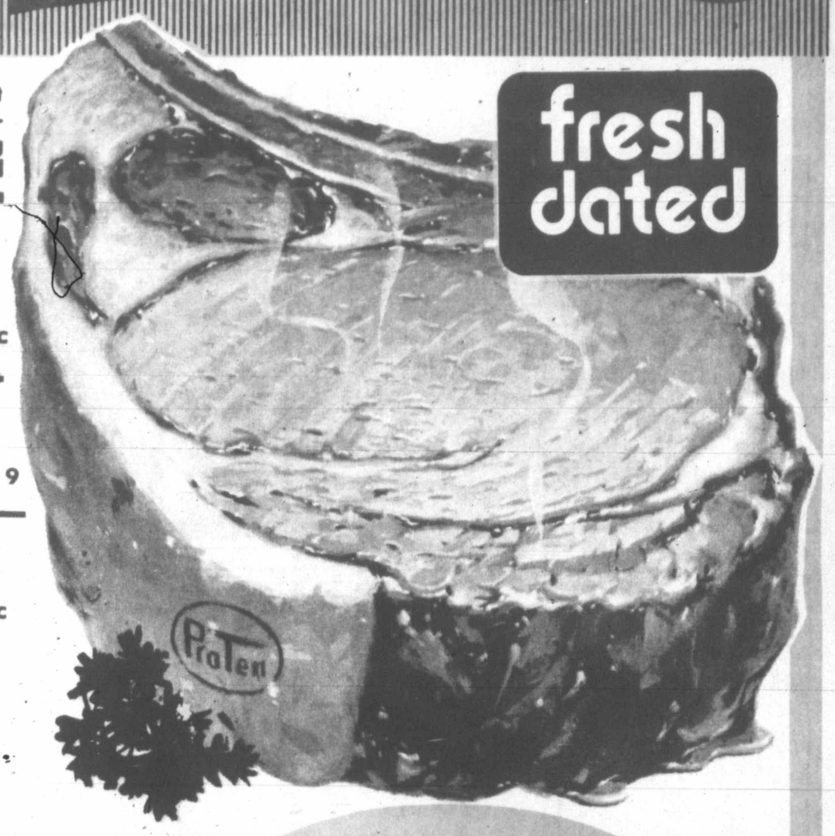
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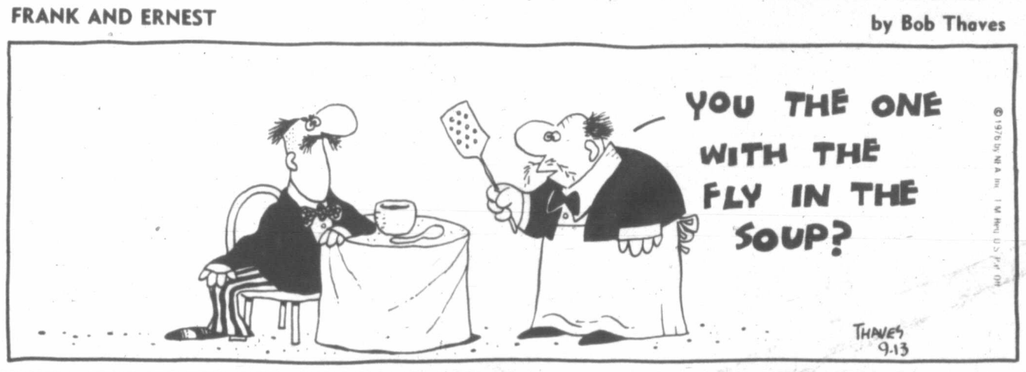
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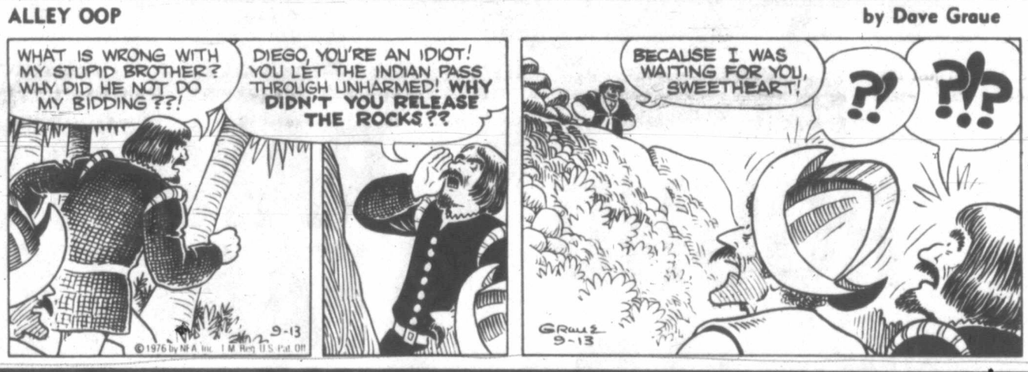
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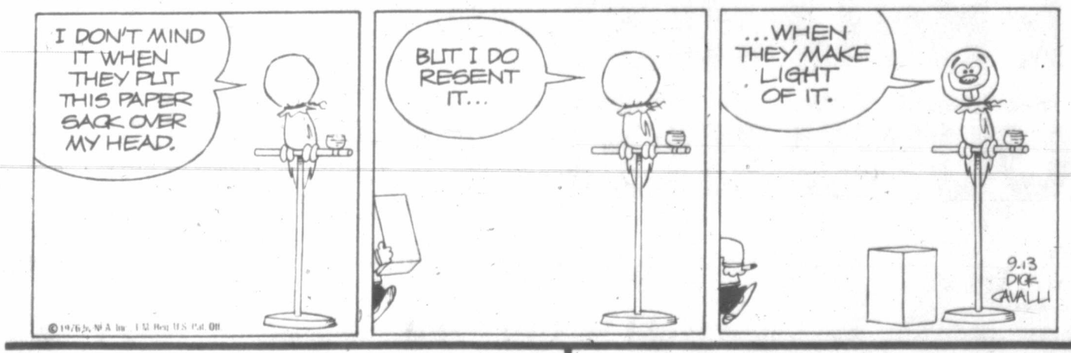
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"Forgot their lunches."

'Pokes crush Eagles, ruin Vermeil's debut

DALLAS (AP) — Dick Vermeil knew it wasn't going to be any rose garden and was he ever right.

The National Football League head coaching job with the Philadelphia Eagles has turned out to be the house of horrors he thought it would be.

Dallas brought that point clearly home Sunday with a 27-7 victory over the Eagles that could have been worse—much worse.

Cowboy Coach Tom Landry let the clock run out with the ball on the Eagle two-yard line as the Super Bowl X runners-up opened the season with a laugher.

Vermeil, who last January took UCLA to an upset victory over then No. 1 ranked Ohio State, signed a five-year contract with the Eagles and noted "I know it won't be easy. All the jobs with winners are taken."

He said Sunday "Dallas is a class football team. When I was at UCLA, I was in the same position Dallas is now. I had a lot of good football players. But I think we can play with anyone if we just keep our poise and play up to our capabilities."

It was Vermeil's seventh straight loss at Philadelphia counting the preseason games.

Quarterback Roger Staubach authored touchdown passes of 22 yards to Drew Pearson and 19 yards to Golden Richards and young fullback Scott Laidlaw rambled for 104 yards in 19 carries. Laidlaw also caught seven passes for 66 yards.

Staubach finished the day with 242 yards on 19 completions in 28 attempts and Doug Dennison scored on a three-yard run.

Efren Herrera rang up the other Dallas points with field goals of 37 and 46 yards.

"I think we did an average job, considering who we were playing," said Vermeil. "I'm happy for the way our guys hung in there, even at the end. That showed me a lot of character.

The Eagles' only score came on a fourth period 20-yard pass from quarterback Mike Boryla to Tom Sullivan.

Cowboy Coach Tom Landry said "We were blocking and running with a lot of authority. Laidlaw were just tremendous."

Dallas middle linebacker Lee Roy Jordan said of the Eagles: "They are a team undergoing change to a new system. They don't execute like they would like to but I'll tell you one thing—they kept coming at us all day."

The Eagles fumbled four times and suffered two pass interceptions and Jordan said, "That was the key."

Eagle wide receiver Harold Carmichael said "This game gave us an opportunity to see what we have to do to beat a team. And it's going to take an awful lot of hard work."

Linebacker Bill Bergey concluded "Anytime you make mistakes against a team like Dallas, you're digging yourself a big hole. We were too tight. The fellows wanted to perform very badly."

Philadelphia offensive lineman Jerry Sisemore said, "You can't turn the ball over five times against Dallas. It's lucky it wasn't 50-0. You don't find many teams which play any sounder defense than they do."

Raiders win, 31-28

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

George who?

If there was any sentimentality lurking around the Oakland Coliseum Sunday—diehard nostalgia freaks dreaming of all those games when ol' No. 16, George Blanda, plunked his helmet over his greying hair, trotted on the field and kicked a winning field goal—it was washed away by a kid less than half his age and only a quarter of his number.

Fred Steinfirt, a soccer-style kicker from Boston College, a rookie not even born when George was already a quarterback and kicker in the National Football League, did with ultimate cool what Blanda did for those many years.

He won a game.

And he did it in a moment of drama that only a Hollywood script-writer would appreciate, making his first official NFL field goal—a 21-yard chip shot with 18 seconds to go—the winner in the Raiders' 31-28 victory.

George who?

Oh, George Allen, of course.

He's been getting grey hairs for a lot of years now, watching his Washington Redskins play brinkmanship with the rest of the league. They were at it again Sunday, playing tantalizingly lousy defense when it meant the most, then turning around and beating the New York Giants 19-17 anyway.

Steinfort had a happy welcome to the NFL. The Seattle Seahawks and Tampa Bay Buccaneers—well, that's another matter. Both lost, although Seattle gave St. Louis a fight before falling short 30-24 while Tampa Bay was a punchless 20-0 loser to Houston.

Hank Stram, a long-time pro coach with Kansas City, returned as the head man at New Orleans—and the Saints got their heads handed to them, getting whomped 40-9 by Minnesota.

Four other men made their NFL head-coaching debuts. Two won. Two lost. Monte Clark's San Francisco 49ers beat Green Bay 26-14 and Bob Johnson's Cincinnati Bengals downed Denver 17-7 while Cleveland clobbered Lou Holtz' New York Jets 38-17 and Dallas drubbed Dick Vermeil's Philadelphia Eagles 27-7.

In the rest of Sunday's NFL openers, Baltimore defeated New England 27-13, Los Angeles beatn Atlanta 30-14, San Diego toppled Kansas City 30-16.

Connors outlasts Borg in marathon

FOREST HILLS, N.Y. (AP) — The sun finally set on Sweden's Bjorn Borg, the crown prince of world tennis.

And it was James Scott Connors, the pugnacious lefty back in the limelight after a year in the shadows, who turned out the lights.

Connors regained the title he lost last year and vaulted back into the international spotlight Sunday when he beat Borg in the finals of the U.S. Open Tennis Championships. The match lasted three hours, 10 minutes, the scores were 6-4, 3-6, 7-6, 6-4, and when it was over, Connors had sweet revenge against those who branded him an also-ran after his second-place finishes at Wimbledon, the Australian championships and the Open last year.

Sunday's match began in bright, late afternoon sunshine and ended under the lights at the West Side Tennis Club. It was a curious contest, full of errors by both players. There was no tempo. No one really took command. In the end it was the third-set tiebreaker that determined the outcome.

Connors and Borg split the first two sets and broke each other almost at will as the third set went to 6-6. Borg missed several opportunities to win the tiebreaker as Connors fought off four set points. He saved the first one with a short volley and the second one with a stinging forehand down the line.

At 7-8 he raced to net and smashed an overhead and at 8-9 he did it again. Finally Connors drove a backhand shot past Borg and watched as the Swede hit a forehand wide to win 11-9. Borg never recovered.

Connors broke Borg's serve in the fifth game of the final set when the Swede batted a backhand into the net and then whacked a forehand long. Connors had only to hold serve for the match and he did.

"I was very surprised he played so well," said Borg, calm and expressionless even in defeat. "This is the best he's played against me."

The doubles championships were also decided Sunday. Marty Riessen and Tom Okker knocked off Australians Paul Kronk and Cliff Letcher 6-4, 6-4 to win the men's doubles; South Africans Linky Boshoff an Ilana Kloss whipped Virginia Wade and Olga Morozova 6-1, 6-4 to take the women's crown.

Floyd downs McGee for World Open title

PINEHURST, N.C. (AP) — "I hope," said Jerry McGee, "I lost to the Player of the Year."

And Ray Floyd, who beat McGee on the first hole of a sudden death playoff for the title in the World Open Golf Tournament Sunday, may have a shot at that title this season.

"He ... wins going away. His record in the majors is fantastic. He's won twice. He's been in contention every week, it seems. I hope he make it," McGee said.

"I think I've got a chance," said Floyd, who birdied the 72nd hole to gain a tie and then beat the bitterly disappointed McGee with a birdie on the first playoff hole on the famed No. 2 course at the Pinehurst Country Club.

"I'd have had more than a chance if I'd won the last two weeks," Floyd said. "I really thought I was going to. And that could have fulfilled a lifetime's goals in one year. But I still have a chance."

College scores

By The Associated Press
Saturday's Results

EAST
Army 16, Lafayette 6
Boston College 14, Texas 13
Bowling Green 22, Syracuse 7
Colgate 13, Connecticut 7
Delaware 37, East Kentucky 21
Hamline Univ 30, Concordia, St P 20
Kings Point 9, Coast Guard 7
Lehigh 29, Kutztown 6
Maine 49, St Mary's, NS 14
Massachusetts 28, Toledo 14
Morgan State 28, Virginia State 23
New Hampshire 28, Holy Cross 3
Penn State 15, Stanford 12
Rutgers 13, Navy 3
South Carolina St 30, Delaware St 0
South Conn St 10, Albany St, N.Y. 0
West Virginia 28, Villanova 7
William & Mary 34, Virginia Military 20

SOUTH
Albany St, Ga 26, Kentucky State 20
Cincinnati 21, Tulane 14
Clemson 10, Citadel 7
Duke 21, Tennessee 18
East Carolina 48, South Mississippi 0
Elon College 32, Norfolk State 0
Fairmont 21, Edinboro St 17
Fayetteville 29, Ft Bragg 0
Furman 17, Tennessee Tech 7
Gardner-Webb 21, Wofford 12
Georgia 36, California 24
Kentucky 38, Oregon St 13
Marshall 21, Miami, Ohio 16
Maryland 31, Richmond 7
Memphis State 21, Florida State 12
Mississippi 10, Alabama 7
Nebraska 6, LSU 6
North Carolina 24, Florida 21
Oklahoma 24, Vanderbilt 3
South Carolina 27, Georgia Tech 17
Virginia Union 14, Fisk Univ 0
West Kentucky 10, Troy State 10

MIDWEST
Albion 38, Defiance Col 0
Dayton 41, Youngstown 16
DePauw Univ 28, Hope College 22
Evansville 31, Butler 28
Illinois 24, Iowa 6
Iowa State 58, Drake 14
Kansas 35, Washington St 16
Kansas St Univ 13, Brigham Young 3
Kansas Wesley 13, Baker Univ 12
Kearny State 23, Wisc Eau Claire 0
Kent State 20, Cent Michigan 10
Michigan 40, Wisconsin 27
Minnesota 32, Indiana 13
Minot State 28, Rocky Mountain 7
Mississippi Val 41, Lincoln Univ 0
Montana St 18, North Dakota 14
Nebraska, Omaha 38, Morningside 21
Northeastern, Ill 21, Concordia 0
Ohio State 49, Michigan St 21
Oklahoma St 33, Tulsa 21
Pittsburg 31, Notre Dame 10
Purdue 31, Northwestern 19
Temple 23, Akron 13
Wis LaCrosse 64, Upper Iowa 0
Wis Oshkosh 14, Valparaiso 7
Wis Stout 15, Winona State 14
Yankton 29, So Dakota Sprfld 13

SOUTHWEST
Abilene 21, Northern Colo 14
Arkansas 33, Utah State 16
Houston 23, Baylor 5
Lamar 17, NW Louisiana St 6
North Texas St 24, Texas Arlington 7
Sam Houston St 14, Stephen F. Austin 14
SE Oklahoma St 13, Austin College 7
SMU 34, TCU 14
Texas A&I 58, Slippery Rock 7
Texas A&M 19, Virginia Tech 0
Texas Tech 24, Colorado 7

FARWEST
Air Force 26, Pacific Univ 3
Arizona 31, Auburn 19
Idaho 16, Boise State 9
Long Beach St 19, Weber State 7
Missouri 46, Southern Cal 25
Nevada 21, Montana 19
New Mexico St 13, Texas El Paso 10
Oregon 17, Colo State Univ 3
San Jose State 48, Hawaii Univ 7
Washington 38, Virginia 17
Wyoming 48, South Dakota 7

Houston routs Tampa behind '74 free agents

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers got both satisfaction and vindication Sunday from their National Football League season-opening 20-0 shutout of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

Satisfaction came from watching a pair of 1974 free agent signees, running back Ronnie Coleman and safety C. L. Whittington, provide key performances in the victory.

Vindication came for the team after losing all six preseason games and for kicker Skip Butler, greeted by a chorus of boos each time he took the field Sunday.

"You kind of look forward to that first game at home after the preseason," said Coleman, who rushed 25 times for 142 yards to mark the third straight year he's rushed over 100 yards in the regular season home opener. "I was just taking the seams the whole game."

Oiler quarterback Dan Pastorini, resisting the urge to go for the bomb, connected on scoring shots of 13 yards to fullback Fred Dillis and 42 yards to Kenny Burrough. Butler booted field goals of 33 and 44 yards to complete the Oilers' scoring.

Whittington, who earned a spot on Houston's specialty teams in 1974 as a free agent from Prairie View, worked himself up to a starting safety position and Sunday proved he deserved it.

Whittington returned pass interceptions eight and 50 yards to thwart Tampa scoring attempts.

"I'm just glad I could show everyone what I could do," Whittington said. Coming in as a free agent, I'm trying real hard to prove myself."

The Oilers managed only a 7-0 halftime lead on Willis' td reception, which completely baggled the Tampa defense. The play came on third and one at the Buc 13 and the defense expected a pass and Willish floated into the flat and went untouched into the end zone.

Whittington's first interception came in the third quarter and stopped a Tampa drive at the Houston 30.

OJ says OK to Buffalo

BUFFALO (AP) — O.J. Simpson is back with the Buffalo Bills, ready to play against the Miami Dolphins tonight and saying he'd never ask to be traded again.

The superstar running back rejoined his National Football League teammates Sunday night after a flight from his home in Los Angeles.

He was in a sweat suit about an hour later, working out in Rich Stadium where the Bills open their NFL season against the Dolphins in a nationally televised game (ABC-9 p.m., EDT).

Simpson watched his teammates run through punting, kickoff and offensive drills, then stepped into his old slot and carried the ball seven times.

"He looked in good shape and still has his same old speed," Coach Lou Saban said.

Simpson's separation from the Bills ended officially Sunday morning when owner Ralph Wilson announced that he and Simpson had reached agreement on a "long-term understanding during two days of talks on the West Coast this past week."

It was on June 12 that Simpson asked to be traded to a West Coast team, preferably the Los Angeles Rams, because of family and business considerations.

Wilson was unable to make a deal with the Rams and the trade deadline passed at 4 p.m. last Wednesday.

Wilson flew to Los Angeles Friday, talked with Simpson and his wife, Marguertie, that day and again Saturday.

After long discussions with his wife and the Saturday negotiation, Simpson told Wilson he would return.

"It was a difficult decision to make and Marguerite pushed me, knowing I wanted to play football," Simpson said.

He said he had a three-year commitment to the Bills.

Under a five-year contract Simpson signed following his 2,003-yard rushing performance in 1973, he reportedly was paid $250,000 a year.

Wilson said on June 12 he was prepared to offer Simpson a contract of $500,000 a year for the next two years.

Neither Simpson, Wilson nor other Bills' officials would say how much Simpson will get in the new contract, but the yearly amount was believed well above $500,000.

Simpson said his present plans call for playing two or three years.

"If I leave here I'll retire," he said. "I won't play for any other team," adding that he never again would ask to be traded.

Moore, Neal grab wins in bird race

V.C. Moore and Clyde Neal had first - place birds Saturday in the Top O' Texas Racing Pigeon Club's weekly competition.

Moore was first in the "A" race from Plainview with a blue check hen averaging 1686.53 yards per minute. Neal, who was second in the "A" race, won the "B" division with a dark grizzle cock, which flew 1738.22 yards per minute.

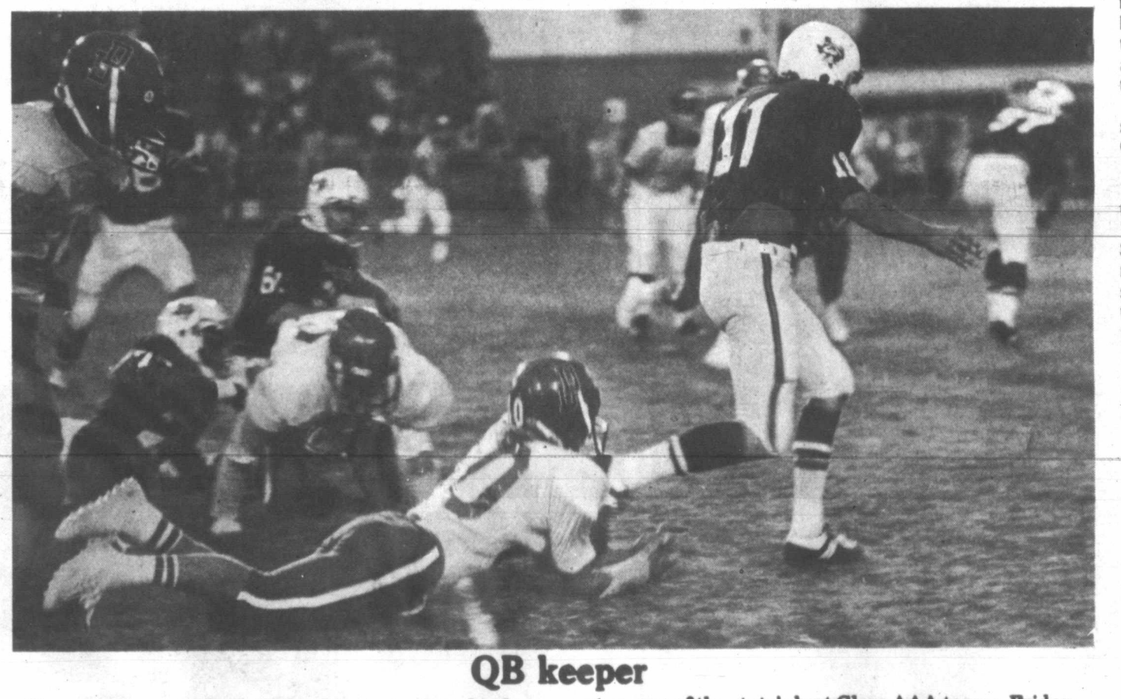
Neal also was second in the "B" race.

A.P. Coombes captured third and fourth place in the "A" race and third in the "B".

Seventeen lofts were entered in the races. The "A" race had 138 birds, and the "B" had 136.

"A" RACE
1. V.C. Moore, blue check hen, 1686.53; 2. Clyde Neal, red grizzle cock, 1679.71; 3. A.P. Coombes, blue bar cock, 1676.03; 4. A.P. Coombes, blue bar cock, 1664.05; 5. Clyde Neal, blue check splash hen, 1657.08; 6. A.P. Coombes, blue check w-flt cock; 7. Jim Cantrell, blue bar hen, 1611.64; 8. Linda Baird, blue bar splash cock, 1607.15; 9. Linda Baird, red check hen, 1590.19; 10. Jim Cantrell, blue check hen, 1586.53; 11. Jim Cantrell, dark check cock, 1585.83; 12. V.C. Moore, red grizzle hen, 1587.83; 12. V.C. Moore, red grizzle hen, 1587.54; 13. Bob Baird, blue bar cock, 1571.85; 14. Jerry Mirabella, blue check cock, 1558.19.

"B" RACE
1. Clyde Neal, dark grizzle cock, 1738.22; 2. Clyde Neal, red check hen, 1736.51; 3. A.P. Coombes, blue check w-flt cock 1727.08; 4. Bob Baird, blue bar cock 1690.61; 5. V.C. Moore, blue check cock 1688.11; 6. V.C. Moore, grizzle hen, 1682.58; 7. Bob Baird, blue bar cock, 1674.89; 8. Linda Baird, blue check hen, 1668.94; 9. V.C. Moore, dark check hen, 1668.25; 10. Linda Baird, dark check pied hen, 1653.62; 11. Bob Baird, blue bar cock, 1647.57; 12. Linda Baird, blue check hen, 1640.32; 13. Linda Baird, red check hen, 1596.66; 14. Jim Cantrell, blue check hen, 1579.10.



QB keeper

Harvester quarterback Mike Lancaster breaks free from a Dumas tackler on a keeper in Pampa's 21-8 win Friday night in Harvester Stadium. Pampa, visits Perryton, one of the state's best Class AAA teams, Friday. (Pampa News photo by Michal Thompson)

Shock Saturday in SWC

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

Southern Methodist and Houston are leading the Southwest Conference race, Texas is no longer in the top 20, Texas Tech can play defense, and the Texas Aggies own an aerial circus.

The above paragraph is NOT fiction. Repeat: These are cold hard facts. The above paragraph is NOT fiction.

It was SHOCK SATURDAY in the SWC with upsets and other assorted pyrotechnics sweeping the scene in one of the wildest opening weekends in years.

Seventh-ranked Texas lost 14-13 to Boston College on a two-point conversion gamble that failed and a field goal after time had expired that was 36 inches wide of the upright.

Southern Methodist stunned Texas Christian 34-14 in new Coach Ron Meyer's debut and Houston joyously celebrated its entry in the SWC with a 23-5 thumping of favored Baylor.

Texas Tech's much-maligned defense put the clamps on Colorado in a 24-7 Red Raider victory and the Texas Aggies gained 186 yards passing in a 19-0 shutout of Virginia Tech.

Arkansas checked in with a sluggish 33-16 thumping of spunky Utah State.

Texas played for three quarters without All-American fullback Earl Campbell, who had a pulled hamstring.

"I said we had problems but nobody believed me," said Royal. "So many things went wrong. A guy on the field (12th man) on a long completed pass. We go all the way to the four then fumble ... two field goals missed.

"But these aren't alibis. We don't make alibis. We lost and it wasn't a flue. We lost on the field and we didn't play well."

The game had a weird ending. A 60-yard pass play was nullified with two minutes to play because Texas had 12 players on the field. Boston College then incurred a roughing penalty on what should have been the last play of the game. But placekicker Russell Erxleben just missed a 53-yard field goal that was long enough but a yard to the left.

"I just missed it ... it was my fault," said Erxleben in tears.

"We win or lose as a team, it wasn't one guy's fault," said Royal.

Baylor Coach Grant Teaff said of new entry Houston: "I don't think they will win it (the SWC) but they have a good football team and great incentive. This early victory will help them down the line. They'll certainly determine who wins it."

Arthur Whittington scored three touchdowns in SMU's crunch of TCU and Meyer gushed: "It was a fantastic, big play night. Oh, this is so great! I wouldn't take anything for it."

Nor would Tech Coach Steve Sloan for the masterful defense of his Red Raiders.

"Our defensive guys had been sort of been run down a little bit and they had a lot to prove—they proved it tonight," said Sloan. "The defense was the game for us ... it was just magnificent."

Tech quarterback Tommy Duniven added "My hats off to the defense

Texas A&M completed 11 of 17 passes against Virginia Tech. The Aggie defense was it usual hard-nosed self, holding the Gobblers to 11 first downs. In the much-heralded debut of Curtis Dickey, the super freshman running back, the statistics showed he carried six times for 51 yards.

Baseball standings

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	87	54	.617	—
Balt	77	65	.542	10½
Cleve	72	70	.507	15½
Boston	68	74	.479	19½
Detroit	66	76	.465	21½
Milwau	62	79	.440	25
West				
Kan City	82	60	.577	—
Oakland	77	65	.542	5
Minn	73	72	.503	10½
Calif	65	79	.451	18
Texas	64	78	.451	18
Chicago	61	82	.427	21½

Saturday's Results
Detroit 6, New York 5
California 7, Chicago 3
Kansas City 8, Minnesota 6
Baltimore 5-3, Milwaukee 1-2
Cleveland 6, Boston 5
Oakland 1, Texas 0

Sunday's Results
Detroit 6-1, New York 0-3
Boston 11, Cleveland 8
Kansas City 16, Minnesota 6
Baltimore 3, Milwaukee 1
Oakland 9, Texas 5
Chicago 2-5, California 1-1

Monday's Games
Kansas City (Leonard 16-7 and Fitzmorris 15-11) at Chicago (Brett 9-9) and Knapp 2-1), 2
Cleveland (Eckersly 10-12) at Boston (Lee 3-6), (n)
Detroit (Crawford 0-6) at New York (Holtzman 13-8), (n)
Baltimore (May 12-11) at Milwaukee (Travers 15-12), (n)
California (Ross 7-15) at Texas (Boggs 1-5), (n)
Oakland (Norris 4-5) at Minnesota (Luebber 4-4), (n)

Tuesday's Games
Oakland at Minnesota
Kansas City at Chicago
New York at Cleveland, (n)
Detroit at Baltimore, (n)
Boston at Milwaukee, (n)
California at Texas, (n)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
Phila	86	55	.610	—
Pitts	82	59	.582	4
New York	74	67	.525	12
Chicago	65	78	.455	22
St. Louis	62	77	.446	23
Montreal	48	91	.345	37
West				
Cincinn	93	52	.641	—
Los Ang	80	61	.567	11
Houston	71	74	.490	22
San Diego	67	78	.462	26
San Fran	65	81	.445	28½
Atlanta	61	81	.430	30½

Saturday's Games
New York 4, St. Louis 1
Cincinnati 8, San Francisco 5
Pittsburgh 4, Montreal 3
Atlanta at Los Angeles, 2, ppd., rain
Chicago 4, Philadelphia 1, 12 innings
San Diego 4-1, Houston 1-2

Sunday's Games
St. Louis 6, New York 5
Philadelphia 8, Chicago 0
Pittsburgh 6, Montreal 1
Atlanta 3-0, Los Angeles 2-2, 1st game 10 innings
San Francisco 3-8, Cincinnati 1-9, 2nd game 11 innings
Only games scheduled

Monday's Games
Atlanta (LaCorte 2-9 and Ruthven 13-14) at Los Angeles (Hooton 9-3 and Rau 14-10), 2
Montreal (Blair 0-0) at Philadelphia (Carlton 16-6), (n)
New York (Seaver 12-10) at Pittsburgh (Demery 10-4), (n)
Chicago (Stone 3-6) at St. Louis (Forsch 4-10), (n)
San Francisco (Montefusco 15-12) at San Diego (Strom 11-15), (n)
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games
Houston at Atlanta, 2, (tn)
Montreal at Philadelphia, (n)
New York at Pittsburgh, (n)
Los Angeles at Cincinnati, (n)
Chicago at St. Louis, (n)
San Francisco at San Diego, (n)

Gold Sox even series

AMARILLO (AP) — Amarillo exploded for six runs in the fifth inning and five more in the seventh to blast error-prone Shreveport 13-8 and even the Texas League championship series at two games apiece.

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Soldiers are reminder dark side of Korea

By BARRY J. SHLACHTER
Associated Press Writer

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — By day the streets of this city rebuilt from the rubble of war are clogged with cars assembled in South Korea. High-rise buildings poke through the smog. Shops and restaurants bustle with people.

By midnight, however, a stillness falls over the city and the same wide streets are crisscrossed with roadblocks manned by soldiers who enforce a strict curfew.

The soldiers, armed and in battle trim, are a reminder of what the government says is the darker side of the South Korea reality — the threat from the Communist North, and it has used this fear as grounds to deprive citizens of basic civil rights, according to South Korean and Western sources.

The nation presents a picture of economic vitality combined with political repression. The past 15 years have brought remarkable industrial expansion together with harsh measures that have all but silenced critics of President Park Chung-hee.

Intellectuals, clergymen and opposition politicians are in Seoul's Sudaemun Prison.

Criticism of the political system is a criminal offense and for those accused of it, habeas corpus — a writ preventing indefinite detention without trial — and other legal rights don't exist.

"President Park hears from his advisers that if he doesn't clamp down, there would be students rioting in the streets," a Western diplomat said. "He exhibits a degree of insecurity which is unwarranted."

Critics and supporters of Park both agree, however, that South Korea has experienced unparalleled industrial growth during his regime, and the average Korean's lot has never been better than under the stern army general-turned-politician.

In terms of real growth, the South Korean economy expanded at an annual average rate of 10 per cent over the past 15 years.

Since Park came to power in a military coup in 1961, South Korea has developed from an economy based predominantly on agriculture and fishing, which utilized 80 per cent of the labor force, to an increasingly industrialized one with more than half of the country's workers engaged in manufacturing and service industries.

With increasing wages and a dropping birthrate, the average Korean has benefited, said a Western diplomat specializing in economic affairs. In the past 15 years, the population growth rate dropped from 2.9 per cent to 1.7 per cent in this nation of 35 million people.

The annual per capita income, a gauge of economic performance, nearly doubled in the past five years from $266 in 1971 to $531 in 1975, and the government predicts it will top $600 this year. The 1975 annual per capita income in the United States was $5,800. The average monthly wage of miners and factory workers increased in the past five years from $37.99 to $96.72.

Every month, Park holds a "performance meeting" with Cabinet ministers who report on how the economy actually has done against their earlier forecasts.

"The fact that the highest authority in the nation asks about performance is a tremendous incentive to perform," the diplomat said, adding that South Korean officials "have planned well and accomplished what they set out to do."

"The people in general obviously are energetic," he went on. "A very good labor force. They have a greater productivity rate than workers in Hong Kong or Taiwan. And therefore, even with higher wages here, over the same year the cost per unit of manufactured goods is less in South Korea.

A Korean critical of Park's political policies nevertheless credits him with much of the country's economic growth.

"Because of Park, for the first time South Korea has a long range goal oriented policy," he said.

Born into a poor rural family, during the Japanese control of Korea, Park advanced through the Japanese-run education system, and when few Koreans were permitted to attend a university, his academic performance won him admission to college and later to a military academy in Japan. At the end of World War II, Park was an officer in the Japanese Imperial Army.

Critics often say his political thinking is more characteristic of pre-war Japan than contemporary Korea.

"Park makes no attempt to be a charmismatic leader," a U.S. observer of Korean affairs commented. "He's a stern, upright Confusicianist who brooks no opposition."

"Whenever he needs an excuse for repression, the North Koreans provide it," he added. he he added. "It's incredible. You would think park and (North Korean President) Kim Il-sung were working in tandem."

Th 1950-53 Korean War left harsh memories and the belligerent behavior of Kim Il-sung continually reinforces fear of invasion.

"North Korea is only 30 miles from Seoul. They can be down in an hour and that's clearly in the people's mind," a Western diplomat said.

Despite pressure the U.S. government reportedly has applied on the Park regime to relax its measures on critics, the harsh measures continue.

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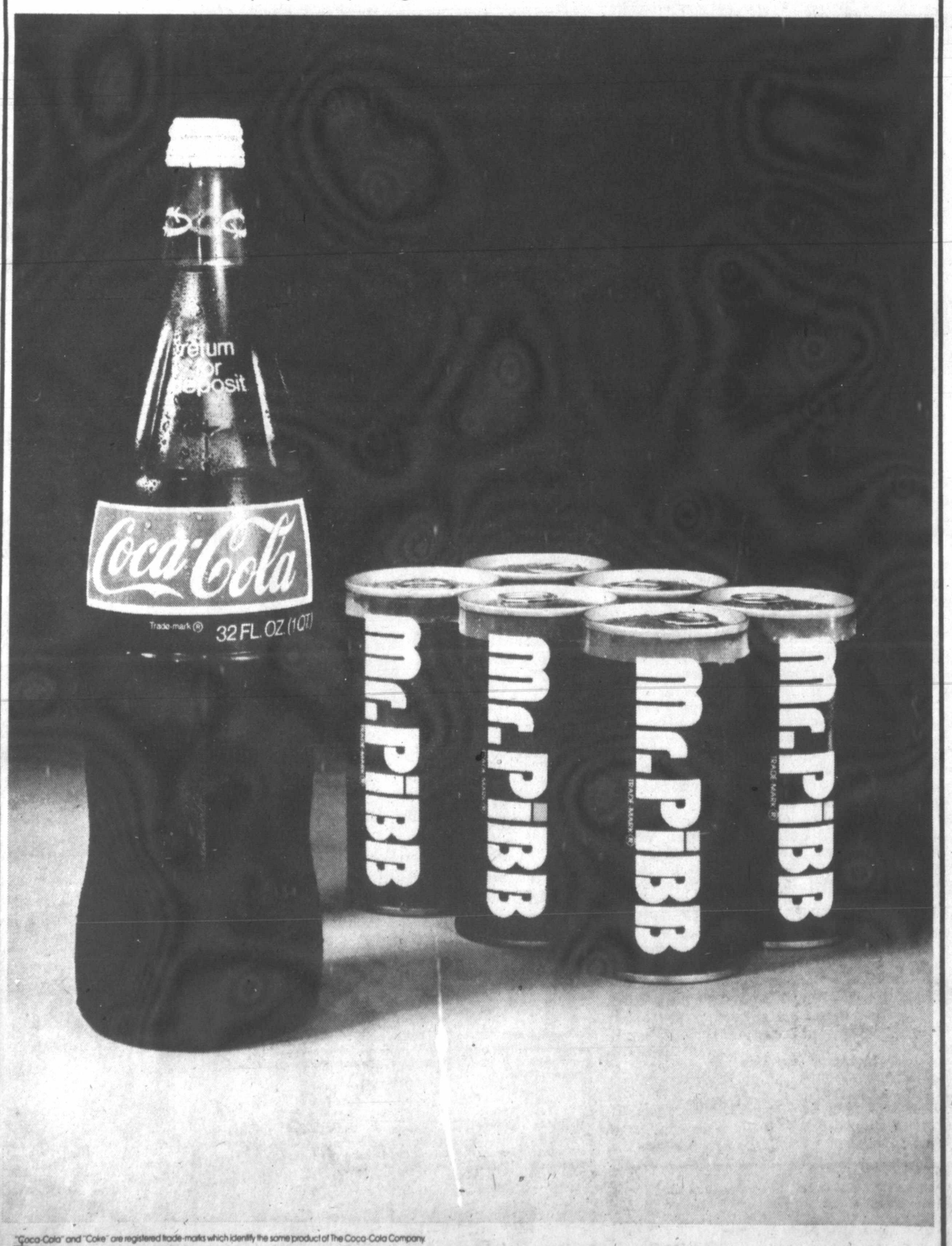
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Texas lawmakers push for financial disclosure

By BILL CHOYKE
Pampa News' Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Two Texas lawmakers are among nearly two dozen House members pushing for Congress to pass a stronger financial disclosure bill this year.

The pair, Rept. Charles Wilson, D-Lufkin and Robert Eckhardt, D-Houston, signed a letter June 29 asking that the Democratic Caucus, the group of all House Democrats, prod the Judiciary Committee to take action on a financial disclosure bill before the scheduled Oct. 2 congressional adjournment.

While financial disclosure legislation has cleared the Senate in the past, it has bogged down in the House. The Judiciary Committee has considered a bill three times in the past three years, but has never approved the measure.

By having the Democratic Caucus state at its July 21 meeting that House Democrats believe financial disclosure legislation should be considered this year, Wilson and Eckhardt hope to push the Judiciary Committee into action. The caucus resolution, however, is not upon the panel.

Currently, House and Senate members file only limited public financial disclosure statements. Additionally, senators file a more comprehensive, confidential report to the General Accounting Office.

Critics of the current law say that the lawmakers do not file enough information to assure the public that members are void of potential conflicts of interest in their votes and legislative duties.

Currently, House members must state only: the sources of income more than $5,000; capital gains of more than $5,000; reimbursements from loans of more than $1,000 and honoriums of $300. However, no specific dollar amounts are required to be listed.

New proposals would force a congressman to disclose the value of all assets and liabilities as well as net worth.

Generally, all federal employes with salaries above $25,000 would be affected. One proposal even includes financial disclosure for a government employe's spouse and children.

An aide to the House Judiciary Committee said hearings on financial disclosure legislation are tentatively scheduled for late July.

Rep. Alan Steelman, R-Dallas, is the leading Republican sponsor of a bipartisan financial disclosure bill, also authored by Rep. Robert Kastenmeier, D-Wis.

Episcopal priest stabbed

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — An Episcopal priest from Texas was found stabbed to death in his hotel room early Saturday, police said.

The Hennepin County medical examiner's office identified the victim as The Rev. James Kilpatrick, 44, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church at Center, Texas.

Kilpatrick was scheduled to attend the triennial national general convention of the Episcopal Church, which opened Saturday.

Police were called to the Andrews Hotel in downtown Minneapolis about 4:40 a.m. to check reports of someone bleeding and found the victim.

The medical examiner's office said Kilpatrick died of multiple stab wounds and was dead at the scene.

Homicide detectives said no arrests have been made but an investigation is continuing. They declined to release further details.



GREAT PLACE for a swim, although sometimes it's difficult to find the water for the swimmers. On a hot day in Tokyo, the pool at Korakuen amusement park instantly becomes one of the most popular spots in the city.

Names in the news

NEW YORK (AP) — Former Beatle George Harrison was not aware of it, but he infringed on a copyright when he wrote the melody for "My Sweet Lord" in 1970, a federal judge says.

U.S. District Court Judge Richard Owen, a composer himself, convicted Harrison of copyright infringement Tuesday. Although Harrison did not deliberately plagiarize the melody of "He's So Fine," he did essentially use the work, the judge said.

"His subconsciousness knew that song had worked out but his conscious mind did not remember," Owen said. "This then under the law is infringement of a copyright...."

Owen scheduled a trial for Nov. 8 on the issue of damages in the lawsuit brought by the Bright Tunes Music Corporation, which owns the copyright to "He's So Fine."

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Commerce Secretary Elliot L. Richardson will receive the 1976 Thomas Hart Benton Award of the Kansas City Art Institute.

The award, named for the late Kansas City artist, was established in 1974 "to be presented annually to a living American whose life and values best exemplify the ideals, concerns and human qualities of the great Thomas Hart Benton."

Richardson was named Tuesday as winner of the 1976 award. John W. Gardner, founder of Common Cause, won the award last year.

WASHINGTON (AP) — A scholarship has been set up in the name of First Lady Betty Ford to help pay the tuition of students in fashion education.

The Washington Fashion Group announced the scholarship Tuesday. Margy Grigg, a director of the group, said the scholarship was named for Mrs. Ford because she "has focused great attention on a great American fashion industry by spotlighting its talented designers through her wearing of American clothes in all price ranges."

AMSTERDAM, The Netherlands (AP) — The Soviet government has officially requested that chess grandmaster Viktor Korchnoi, who has defected from Russia, be barred from the next world championship series, the International Chess Federation says.

However, federation president Max Euwe said Tuesday that nothing can prevent Korchnoi from taking part in championship matches. Korchnoi is a candidate in his own right under federation rules, he said.

Korchnoi is in The Netherlands on a six-month permit while he awaits a decision on his application for political asylum. He did not return to Russia in July after competing in a tournament in Amsterdam.

CHICAGO (AP) — The wife of heavyweight boxing champion Muhammad Ali, Khalilah Ali, has filed for a divorce on grounds of mental cruelty and desertion.

"It is not my desire to be vindictive against my husband. At this point: I want to work further on my own career and to raise our children free of further pain," Mrs. Ali said in a statement.

In a certificate of parenthood filed in Berrien County, Mich., last month, Ali acknowledged he fathered a girl born Aug. 6 to Veronica Porche, a frequent Ali companion during the past two years.

YAUN WINS AT HOME

GROSSINGER, N.Y. (AP) — Radford Yaun, 20, a junior at Jacksonville, Fla., University, was right at home when he won the New York State Amateur gold title with a 72-hole score of 295. The Liberty, N.Y., resident was playing his home course at Grossingers here when he shot rounds of 74-75-74-72. Yaun scored by six strokes.

Joseph Sindelar of Horseheads and George Zahringer 3rd of Rye tied for second at 301. Sindelar parred the second hole to win a sudden-death playoff for the runnerup spot.

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Detailed plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of Wilson - Doche, Inc., Architects at 501 West 9th, Amarillo, Texas - (806) 373-3542.

The plans and specifications shall be returned in good condition not later than ten (10) days after the opening of bids.

Each proposal shall be submitted on the architect's proposal form contained in specifications. All blanks shall be in longhand. The completed forms shall show no errors, alterations, qualifications or additional material of any kind whatsoever.

A five per cent Bid Bond will be required with each bid.

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5 Special Notices

Top of Texas Masonic Lodge No. 1381 A.F. & A.M. Saturday, September 25, Certificate Examination. Beginning at 9:00 a.m., Lunch will be served. All visitors welcomed.

Pampa Lodge No. 966, A.F. & A.M. Thursday, September 16, Open meeting. 50 year Service Award to be presented to K.H. Brannon, also Certificates of Recognition from Masonic Home and School Building Program. Light refreshments.

Top of Texas Masonic Lodge No. 1381 A.F. & A.M. Monday September 13, Study and Practice. M.M. Study Club, Tuesday, September 14, Fellowcraft Examination.

10 Lost and Found

Lost: Pair of glasses on Comanche or 23rd Street. Reward. If found call 665-4235 after 6 p.m.

13 Business Opportunities

MONEY MAKING service station for lease. See Doyle Sewell at 420 W. Brown or call 665-8464.

14A Air Conditioning

CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONING
SAVE HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS
Install all or part of it yourself. We do all the rest. Call for an appointment.
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FOR ROOMS, Additions, repairs, call H.R. Jeter Construction Company. 669-2961, if no answer 665-2704.

ADDITIONS, REMODELING of all kinds. For estimates call Jerry Reagan, 669-9747, or Karl Parks 669-2648.

BUILDING OR Remodeling of all types. Ardell Lance. 669-3940.

FOR BUILDING New houses, additions, remodeling, and painting, call 669-7145.

KITCHEN CABINETS
& VANITIES
Low prices - prefinished - custom designed. Call for an appointment for our free kitchen and bath plumbing service.
Buyers Service of Pampa
669-9263

WE WILL install durable masonite siding on your home at economical prices. J&K Contractors. 669-9747 or 669-2648.

14E Carpet Service

Carpet & Linoleum Installation
All work Guaranteed. Free estimates
Call 669-2623

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Steam extraction or Shampooing
Free Estimates 669-2046

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CONCRETE SPECIALISTS. All types concrete work guaranteed. Precast concrete storm shelters and basements cheaper for you and faster for us. Top of Texas Construction. 669-7308.

CONCRETE SPECIALISTS. Drives, patios, sidewalks. Free estimates. Call 669-7228.

PARKING LOTS stripped. Lowest rates. Free estimates. All work guaranteed. Call 665-6102 or 665-6498.

SEWER AND DRAIN Line cleaning. Call Maurice Cross, 665-4329.

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WINDOWS
We have replacement and storm windows. At the lowest price for the best quality. Call for an appointment for free estimates and measurements.
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PAINTING AND DECORATING
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Neat, Reliable, Reasonable Rates,
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15 Instruction

SPECIAL TUTORING
Limited groups of 3. Grades 1-6. Slow students a specialty. Phone 665-8577.

18 Beauty Shops

PAMPA COLLEGE OF
HAIRDRESSING
613 N. Hobart 665-3521

SEPTEMBER SPECIAL at the Beauty Parlor, 115 N. Ward. Regular $17.50 permanent, $12.50. Patsy (Adams) Bright and Lola Hughes. Call 665-2773.

19 Situations Wanted

PRACTICAL NURSE will care for your loved ones in hospital or home, day or night. 669-2864 Lola Byars.

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Babysitting in state registered home. 2 women present. Excellent care, reasonable rates. Call 665-3409 or 665-2555.

21 Help Wanted

SKILLED AND unskilled jobs available. No experience necessary. Starting wage $3.10 per hour, group insurance, paid holidays, fringe benefits. Packerland Packing Company of Texas, Inc. Pampa, Texas. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

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CARRIERS
THE PAMPA Daily News has immediate openings for boy or girl carriers in some parts of the city. Needs to have a bike and be at least 11 years old. Apply with circulation department, 669-2525.

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EARN EXTRAS for Christmas. Sell PLAYHOUSE toys and gifts. Party Plan - no collecting or delivery. Call (5 to 7 p.m.) 665-6058 or 669-6396.

21 Help Wanted

ELECTRICIAN HELPER or experienced electrician. Apply at York Electric, 218 Main Street, Spearman, Texas or call 659-3625.

CONTROLLER - Degree and experienced. Excellent opportunity with large corporation in small panhandle town. Immediate need - Call now. Employer fee paid. $18 K $22 K. Vance Employment Agency 917 Barfield Building Amarillo, Texas 79101 806-372-3456 — After 5 p.m. and weekend 806 - 353 - 0410.

Receptionist: Youth Center. 4-10 p.m., Weekdays 1-5 p.m., Saturday. 2-5 p.m. Sunday. May hold another job. Call 665-2622 or 665-4361.

30 Sewing Machines

3115, COMMERCIAL sewing machine with button covering attachment. 779-2319 McLean.

48 Trees, Shrubbery, Plants

DAVIS TREE SERVICE, PRUNING, TRIMMING AND REMOVAL. FREE ESTIMATES. FEEDING AND SPRAYING. J.R. DAVIS, 665-5659.

PAX, EVERGREENS, rosebushes, garden supplies, fertilizer, trees.
BUTLER NURSERY
Perryton Hi-Way & 28th
669-9681

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420 W. Foster 669-6881

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Pampa Lumber Co.
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Your Plastic Pipe Headquarters

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Call for an appointment to see these beautiful products.
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Fully guaranteed, low prices. Call for an appointment for a free estimate. We also have Gutter - Soffitt and Facia for your eaves.
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57 Good Things to Eat

OKRA FOR sale. 665-4937. 35 cents a pound. $9 a bushel.

THE CARTER orchard has a nice crop of apples this year, and they are now ready. Also, some okra and mellons. 6 miles South of Alanreed. 779-3106.

OKRA FOR sale. 665-2550.

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59 Guns

FRED'S, INC.
GUN STORE moved to 106 South Cuyler. Guns, ammo, reloading supplies, scopes, mounts, holsters, etc. Phone 665-2902.

60 Household Goods

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60 Household Goods

For Sale: washer and dryer, desk, ½ bed with mattress and springs, ice box, and apartment size stove. Call 665-8233.

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NEW OWNERSHIP. Plants, pots, wrought iron, and Gay's macrame. (The Ladybird - come on. 118 S. Frost.

LUDWIG SNARE drum, stand, carrying case, and all. Perfect shape. $85. Call 665-5374.

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Firewood for sale, $50, heaping pickup load. Will deliver. 868-4541 or 868-4284.

MOVING SALE: 108 Sunset Dr. 6 room house for sale. All furnishings must be sold. Sale begins Sunday til?

NOW OPEN for business; Margaret's Second Hand Store, 2300 Alcock. Appliances, washers, dryers, lamps, and lots of miscellaneous items. Open Monday thru Saturday, 9:00 to 5:00.

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French Horn with case. Excellent condition. New CB Base Radio. Reasonable. 665-1497 - 665-3450.

Polyfoam Cut any size, Pampa Tent & Awning, 317 E. Brown. 665-8541.

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New & Used Pianos and Organs
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80 Pets and Supplies

B & J Tropical Fish
1918 Alcock 665-2231

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PROFESSIONAL POODLE grooming and toy chocolate stud service (weighs 4 pounds). Suzie Reed, 665-4184, 1105 Juniper. I am now grooming SCHNAUZERS.

4 MONTH old female AKC Shetland Sheep dog (miniature collie) for sale. Beautiful sable and white markings, show quality or excellent pet. 665-8016.

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Toy Poodle puppies for sale. $25. Call 669-2203.

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RENT TYPEWRITERS, adding machines, calculators. Photocopies 10 cents each. New and used furniture.
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Bonnie Schaub 665-1369

102 Bus. Rental Property

OFFICE SPACE available, in Pioneer Offices, 317 N. Ballard. Contact F.L. Stone, 665-5226 or 665-5788.

103 Homes For Sale

W.M. LANE REALTY
Equal Housing Opportunity
669-3641 Res. 669-9504

2 BEDROOM. Very close in. 108 Sunset Dr. MLS 442
Malcolm Denson Realtor
665-5828 Res. 665-6443

FOR SALE by owner: 3 bedroom house, fully carpeted, tile bath. Call Paul Keim, 874-7513 - 352-5266.

FOR SALE by owner: clean 5 room house, carpeted, garage, carport, fenced, panelled, basement. 1019 E. Fischer. 669-7387 or 669-7121.

3 BEDROOM house in Skellytown. Shown by appointment only. Call 848-2567.

OWNERS READY to sell this darling 2 bedroom home on Hamilton. Oversized corner lot, inside completely redecorated with shag carpeting and new floors in bath and kitchen. Priced at $14,500. 669-2429.

3 BEDROOM house, 1225 square feet, extra large double garage, fully carpeted. All appliances. Call after 5 p.m. 665-4617.

3 BEDROOM, carpeted, country kitchen, cook top and oven, fenced. 1164 Terrace. 665-1189 or 669-6116.

2 STORY house, basement, completely remodeled, new shop building, 40 x 60 x 14 feet high. Miami, Texas. Call 353-5160, Amarillo.

HOUSE FOR sale: 2 bedroom and den or 3 bedroom, 1 bath, built-ins, large utility room on back of closed in carport, fenced back yard, metal storage building. Equity and assume $88. month payments or new loan. By appointment 665-4344.

IN MIAMI. Very nice brick home, 2300 square feet, 3 baths, 3 bedrooms, fireplace, central heat and air, storm cellar, carport, beautiful location. Sits on 1 acre inside city limits. Call 868-4131.

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2 BEDROOM house, central heat, fenced back yard, some carpet. $6800. 932 Brunow. 669-3581.

SMALL HOUSE, COMPLETELY Remodeled, storm windows and doors, carpeted and furnished. See owner at 607 N. West. 665-2067.

House For Sale - 2 bedroom, wall to wall carpet, fenced backyard. 1040 S. Nelson 669-7150

104 Lots for Sale

75 x 150 mobile home lot. Chain link, small utility house. 525 N. Christy. 669-9703.

LOT FOR sale: 100 x 120 foot, 1908 Holly. Underground utilities, (level lot). Call 669-7184 after 6 p.m.

300 Miami St. Hook-ups for trailers. 669-2078.

Lot 91, Molly Bee Street, Sherwood Shores, Greenbelt Lake. $400. Call 806 - 665- 1940.

110 Out of Town Property

HOUSE ON private lake at Sandspur Lake near McLean. Good fishing. Call 665-2040 for appointment to see.

113 House to Be Moved

6 ROOM, 2 bedroom, bath. $2600. Phone: 669-7044.

114 Recreational Vehicles

Superior Sales
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1973 Red Dale Mini Motor Home, 1604 Hamilton.

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1972 model mobile home, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, skirting and refrigerated air conditioner included. ALSO, 1975 Yamaha mini Enduro in excellent condition 835-2278.

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1972 PONTIAC Lemans, 350 V-8, power and air, must sell, price reduced. 1137 Cinderella. 665-3090.

1968 AMERICAN Motors AMX hardtop, new motor, tape deck, power. 665-2516 or 2209 Evergreen.

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120 Autos For Sale

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1975 Triumph Trident. Still under warranty. Take up payments. Call 665-1218 or 665-2036.

1972 Mercury Montego MX, 36,000 actual miles, nice. Black on red. Radial tires. Call 669-9687.

121 Trucks For Sale

FOR SALE: 1928 model International truck, 2½ ton, complete, will run. Call after 5 p.m. 665-4987 or 665-8020.

1975 RANGER, loaded Gem top and C.B. Serro Scotty trailer. Call 665-6437.

1 ton 1958 Dodge Hydralic ladder truck with 40 foot scope. 665-5659.

122 Motorcycles

MEERS CYCLES
Yamaha - Bultaco
1300 Alcock 665-1241

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1973 Honda, 750, fully dressed $1395. See Harold Starbuck, Pampa Chrysler Dodge, Inc. 665-5766.

1971 SUZUKI 500, for sale. One owner, good condition. $550. Call 669-9268.

3 motorcycles, a 450, a 100, and a 70. All street legal. 1967 Ford Fairlane, nice school car. Call Jim Baird, 665-4226. 1100 McCullough.

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126 Scrap Metal

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90 acres with carpet and panelled 2 bedroom home, garage, 3 out buildings roping arena, well and other improvements. 56.2 acres of mineral interest included two-third of acreage in cultivation. $45,000. MLS 387 RF

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Well cared for three bedroom brick home on corner location. New carpet, one and ¾ baths, curtains and drapes. Double car garage and metal storage building. $32,500 MLS 380

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Well-kept 3 bedroom older home. Kitchen completely remodled. Refrigerated air conditioning and nice yard. $15,000 MLS 419

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Low move - in on FHA loan, available to qualified buyer, 2 bedroom, living room, and dining area, carpet in 4 rooms. MLS 409.

Perfect
For family living. Over 2800 square feet in this 4 bedroom, living room, large kitchen, and dining area, with birch cabinets and panelling. Has 2¾ baths, with 20 x 32 foot den and game room. Corner lot and a great location. MLS 450

2334 Navajo
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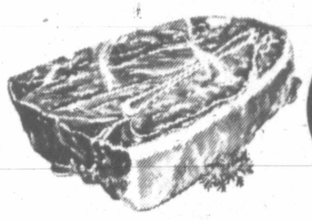
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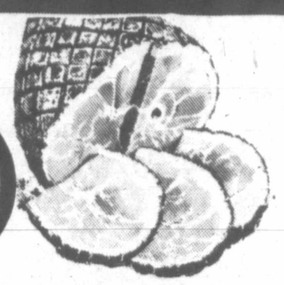
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$1,000	25	1 in 140,800	1 in 10,831	1 in 3,911
100	200	1 in 17,600	1 in 1,354	1 in 489
10	400	1 in 8,800	1 in 676	1 in 245
5	1,000	1 in 3,520	1 in 271	1 in 98
2	3,000	1 in 1,174	1 in 91	1 in 33
1	20,000	1 in 176	1 in 14	1 in 5
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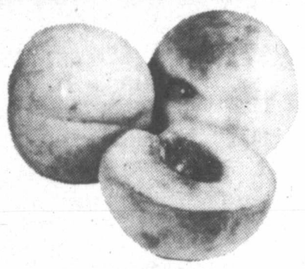
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