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The SDN Column

Apparently some voters are still confused over the "place system" used in selecting trustees in the Snyder Independent School District.

The school district now uses the same system that the city uses to elect councilmen . Each board member holds a numbered position and the positions are filled by number. This means that the voter selects one for each place when he casts his ballot.

Until a couple of years ago, the school district elected its trustees from a single list——if there were three places to be filled, the top three were elected. This enhanced the possibility of trustees being elected without receiving a majority of the votes. So, the trustees were assigned positions, and, in addition, if no candidate receives a majority for a place on the board there is provision for a runoff between the top two.

There are no precincts involved in the school election. Every voter in the district may vote for one for each place.

Also, we have been asked about the polling places for the college district election, which also elects trustees next Saturday. The college district election will be held simultaneously with the public school elections and at the same sites. The college district tried to arrange its voting boxes so that the voters would cast ballots for their school district trustees and college trustees at the same polling place. Since county voting box lines do not follow school district boundaries, however, there will be a few cases where voters will cast public school ballots at one place and college district ballots at another.

Voters in county voting Box No. 5 will vote on junior college trustees at Fluvanna; those in county voting Boxes 7-8-10 will vote on junior college trustees at Ira and those in county voting Box No. 13 will vote on junior college trustees at Hermleigh. All others will vote in Snyder at the school adminstration building.

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Streaking appears to be on the decline, or else people are paying less attention to it. Someone has suggested that perhaps the streakers are rendering one desirable service——they are keeping a lot of analysts busy trying to figure out what it means, thereby diverting them from other topics.

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The Environmental Protection Agency has come out with a booklet rating automobiles on fuel consumption. It is titled "Miles Per Gallon Ratings for 1974 Cars," and is available free from Consumer Information, Pueblo, Colo. 81009. They say they tested all 1974 cars and light-duty trucks that met 1974 Federal Pollution Emission Standards, using conditions average drivers encounter from home to work.——WACIL McNAIR.

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Today In History

Today is Tuesday, April 2, the 92nd day of 1974. There are 273 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1917 President Woodrow Wilson asked Congress to declare war on Germany, saying the world must be made safe for democracy.

On this date: In 1972, Congress established the U. S. Mint.

In 1882, the outlaw, Jesse James, was shot and killed by a member of his gang in St. Joseph, Mo.

In 1932, Charles Lindbergh turned over $50,000 to an unidentified man in a Bronx, N. Y., cemetery as ransom for his kinapped son.

In 1944, Soviet forces entered Romania during the World War II.

In 1947, the United Nations assigned the United States as a trustee of Pacific islands formerly held by Japan under mandate.

In 1963, Blacks in Birmingham, Ala., began mass civil rights demonstrations.

Ten years ago: A new government took over in Brazil after the overthrow of President Joao Goulart. The provisional President was Ranieri Mazzilli.

Five years ago: Former President Dwight D. Eishehower was buried in the chapel of the Eisenhower center at his Boyhood home of Abilene, Kan.

One year ago: President Nixon and President Nguyen Van Thieu of South Vietnam opened talks at Nixon's home at San Clemente Calf.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Monday, 78 degrees; low, 51 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 51 degrees.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Colder and windy tonight and Wednesday. Widely scattered showers tonight and Wednesday. Lows tonight 30s in the Panhandle to the 50s south. High Wednesday near 50 north to the 70s south.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Widely scattered thunderstorms east tonight and over the area Wednesday. Turning colder central and west and not quite as warm east Wednesday. Lows tonight 47 northwest to 58 southeast. Highs Wednesday 67 northwest to 85 southeast.

South Central and Southeast Texas: Considerable laternight cloudiness and fog near the coast otherwise clear to partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Warm to hot afternoons. Turning a little cooler western portion Wednesday. Low tonight 53 northwest to 70 south. High Wednesday 78 northwest to 98 south.

Coast: Southerly winds 8 to 18 knots tonight and south to southwesterly 15 to 25 knots Wednesday. Winds gusty near the coast during the afternoons.

Rewriters Get Their Turn

OPENS SESSIONS—Nelson Rockefeller, right, chairman of the Commission on Critical Choices for Americans, opens the second annual meeting of the commission at the Lyndon B. Johnson Library in Austin Monday. At left is Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson and Henry L. Diamond, executive director of the commission. (AP Wirephoto)

With Eye On Recess

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Legislator-delegates to the Texas Constitutional Convention were told it was their turn to be "special interests" today as they took up the article on legislative powers.

"You have heard about special interests in this convention. Well, today you get to be one because that is what this article is all about," said Rep. Bob Maloney, R-Dallas, chairman of the convention committee that drafted the legislative article.

The article is shot through with the stuff of controversy, from legislators' pay to the size of the House and Senate to the question of whether the voters should have the right to initiate, pass and repeal laws.

But Convention President Price Daniel Jr. said the stack of proposed amendments—the chief way in which the controversies are fought out—was smaller than expected.

"We should have no trouble getting through by Friday," the day the convention goes into a political season recess until May 6, Daniel said.

Late Monday the 180 legislator-delegates decided to give Texas voters this fall the job of deciding if counties should have the same self government powers that many Texas cities have now.

However, the question will be in a separate issue on the ballot—not in the basic proposed new constitution.

"The Local Government committee heard a great deal about threats and implied threats that implied certain people would work against the entire document, that's why we made it an alternate submission," said Rep. Tom Massey, D-San Angelo.

"Some of your county judges are bordering on political senility in trying to confuse this (county home rule) with metro government and they are not the same in any way," argued Rep. Richard Reynolds, R-Richardson. "Those of you who can't handle your county judges are pretty weak in my judgment."

An effort to return the home rule issue to the basic document failed 120-31.

The entire Local Government Article was approved 117-45.

The Local Government committee fought off all attempts to change a committee-approved plan that could set new debt limits and tax ceilings for counties and cities. Essentially, the proposal would separate those taxes used for retiring debts from those used for operations, allowing more flexibility both ways, the committee argued.

The new maximum tax limit for certain cities would be $2.45 instead of the current $2.50, the committee said. For certain counties the present $1.25 tax maximum would become $1.55. The rates would vary according to debt sizes, assessments and valuations.

"If you leave unlimited debt limits in this you will have the biggest albatross this convention will have to carry and it will be extremely difficult to sell to the people," said Rep. DeWitt Hale, D-Corpus Christi. His plan to leave tax maximums as they are now failed 115-40.

Last week the convention approved Local Government provisions that retain the county judge and the county commission, not commissioners court, as governing body of counties. If the legislature provides the legal authority the constitution would let a majority of voters create, eliminate or combine duties of county officials. Even the usual four-member county commission could be reduced or increased.

Counties would be allowed to pass ordinances, as cities do now, provided voters give them the power. Where city and county ordinances overlap, the city comes first.

The size of cities that can be governed by home rule charters was decreased from the current 5,000 to 1,500.

A new provision of the proposed constitution says that no special law can be passed to help a special district or authority if an existing county, city or town can provide the same service.

Commission Warned Not To Be Optimistic

By ROBERT HEARD
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Nelson Rockefeller's Commission on Critical Choices for Americans, freshly warned not to be too optimistic, hears today from experts on ecology and energy.

Dr. Edward Teller, a pioneer in nuclear research, is among today's speakers.

The privately funded commission seeks solutions to the problems of 1985 and 2000. Four professors told the commission in broad terms Monday that it should not set its goals too high.

"We do not know how to change human nature," said Harvard government professor James Q. Wilson.

For example, prisons were invented by reformers, Wilson said. Before that, criminals either were executed or branded. Society has tried more of everything in its prisons—group therapy, education, work programs—and none of it has worked, he said.

Two men who rob a service station get different sentences or different treatment on parole on the mistaken ground that authorities think one is more apt to reform, he said.

"Reform is a dangerous idea because it leads to people not being treated equally," Wilson summed up.

Dr. Irving Kristol, Henry Luce professor of Urban Values at New York University, said mankind has not yet resolved the philosophies of "right" and "left" that grew out of the French Revolution.

The left says politics can order a society in which people will be happy, he said, and the right doubts that it is that easy to make people happy.

Kristol said if a man could have predicted in 1945 the material gains that would be made by 1974, he would have been convinced that everybody would be happy in 1974. But people probably are less happy today than they were then, he said.

Political science professor Martin Diamond of the University of Northern Illinois answered a commission member's question about whether today's problems are unprecedented by saying they may be extraordinary but not unprecedented.

"To say they are unprecedented is to say precedents are irrelevant, which is barbarian," Diamond said.

This was the same point made by economics professor Thomas Sowell of UCLA.

Diamond said the founding fathers "never thought they would provide perfect justice or anything close to perfect justice.

Tornadic Winds Hit Southeast

By The Associated Press

Tornadoes, high winds and severe thunderstorms that ripped across the Southeast Monday night and early today have left three persons dead, scores injured and severe property damage.

Authorities in Cherryville, N.C., said 5-year-old Patricia Denis Humphries was killed and 10 persons injured when high winds accompanying a violent thunderstorm wrecked at least 15 house trailers in two mobile home parks.

A policeman who investigated a trailer park near Cherryville said some of the mobile homes "were flattened like you would stomp a can."

High winds overturned a trailer home just north of Rockett City in the Huntsville, Ala., area, killing a man identified as Willie McCarey. The victim's widow and three children were hospitalized.

Nineteen persons were reported injured in Alabama.

Another mobile home resident, tentatively identified as Decker Teague, in his 90s, died when a tornado struck Campbellsburg, Ky., authorities said. Three businesses and several homes were destroyed there, and 12 injuries were reported.

A total of 28 twisters swept through a wide area including Tennessee, Ohio and Mississippi in addition to Alabama and Kentucky.

A tornado swooped down the sprawling 100 Oaks Shopping Center in Nashville, Tenn., where hundreds of persons were shopping. Windows were blown out, stores were inundated and debris was strewn about.

High winds smashed into Central State Hospital, a few miles eastward, collapsing part of one building, blowing away a guard shack and knocking out power to the 1,800-patient hospital.

Another tornado churned through Cincinnati, Ohio, narrowly missing the downtown area.

WTC Grant Is Okayed By EPA

WASHINGTON—Congressman Omar Burleson today announced approval of a $4,400 reimbursement grant by the Environmental Protection Agency to Western Texas College at Snyder for a waste water treatment plan.

The check will be forthcoming in about 10 days, the 17th District Congressman said.

Service For Mrs. Murray

Mrs. J. M. (Dollie) Murray, 78, who lived at 2308 Avenue N., died at 3:10 p.m. Monday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p.m. Wednesday at Bell-Seale Chapel, with the Rev. R. Virgil Mott officiating. Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Murray was a native of Nolan County but had lived here most of her life. She was married in 1969 at Spur to John M. Muarray, who preceded her in death in 1973.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Howard Gibbons of Snyder; three sons, Fred Day of Bedford, Raymond and J. C. Day Jr. of Ruidoso, N. M.; 39 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Also surviving are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Virgie Phillips of Kansas City, Kan., and Mrs. Jewell Oxford of Vivian, La.; six stepsons, Virgil Murray of Lubbock, Cloe and Weltdon Murray, both of Spur, Johnny Murray of Red Oak, Herman Murray of Los Angeles, Calif., and George Murray of Midland; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Lou Swegart and Mrs. Minnie Evans, both of Snyder, Mrs. Cuba Day of Big Spring and Mrs. Bettie Brown of Munice, Ind.; two brothers, Tom Brooks of Grand Rande, Ore., and George Brooks of Goldthwaite.

Negotiations Continue For Release Of Oilmen

By HOLGER JENSEN
Associated Press Writer

ASMARA, Ethiopia, (AP) — African runners and tribal chiefs are acting as middlemen in negotiations for the release of five American and Canadian oilmen held by guerrillas in northern Ethiopia.

The Eritrean Liberation Front captured the men, four of whom are employes of the Tenneco Oil Co., last Tuesday when their helicopter went down in rugged canyon country during a storm.

There are no roads in the area, which is controlled by the guerrillas who for 10 years have been warring against the Ethiopian government.

"All travel is on foot and only the locals have free access," said Edward P. Burtchaell, project manager for Tenneco Ethiopia Inc., who is negotiating for the release of the men.

"Last week we sent a runner on foot carrying a message with the radio frequency that we were listening to. He covered a distance of 25 to 30 miles and we finally established contact.

"We also sent a delegation of tribal chiefs and elders to appeal for their release. We sent them two days ago and we haven't heard from them yet, but it's a long way to walk."

The only radio contact so far, conducted from an isolated police post on the edge of the guerrilla-controlled area, has established that the five men are "in good spirits, physically and mentally all right," Burtchaell said.

An army helicopter is the link between the police post and the Tenneco official in Asmara.

Burtchaell said the only condition the guerrillas have set for the release of the men is that there be no retaliation by the Ethiopian government. He said the government has promised not to send the army after them.

"They might come out with the tribal chiefs. They might simply be dumped alongside some road and told to find their own way back to Asmara. Or we might have to negotiate some more," the Tenneco official said.

Tenneco's headquarters in Houston, Tex., and other sources identified the captives as John W. Rogers, a geologist on loan to Tenneco from Texaco; Powers William Cayce, 36, of Plainview, Tex., a Tenneco geologist; Motta Pauela, a U.S. geochemist with the Ethiopian ministry of mines; Tenneco geologist Cliff James of Toronto, and Donald Werdefort of Calgary, Alta., the helicopter pilot.

Texas Due Cool Front

By The Associated Press

Forecasters promised further cooling today from unseasonable heat in West and North Texas and somewhat lower temperatures in other sections.

They also predicted a round of showers and thunderstorms across the north half of the state would accompany a new Pacific cool front due to push into Texas from the west by early Wednesday.

Meanwhile skies were mostly clear this morning as remnants of the last frontal system were breaking up across the Lower Rio Grande Valley. A few clouds lingered in parts of West and extreme South Texas, and fog appeared before daylight in places along the Middle and Upper Texas Coast.

Temperatures near dawn ranged from 43 degrees at Dalhart in the Panhandle up to 67 at Galveston and McAllen in the south.

While Monday's top readings were somewhat lower than the summery marks a day earlier, the afternoon maximums still reached the nation's high of 95 at Brownsville and McAllen. Those at other points ranged down to 68 at Dalhart and Wink.

City Voting Is Underway

Snyder voters were electing a mayor and three members of the city council this morning at the polling place at city hall.

A total of 117 votes had been cast shortly before noon, which was regarded as a moderate turnout for the morning hours.

The only contested race on the ballot is that for mayor in which Winifred Poyner and Bill Vestal are candidates. Both are completing two terms on the council.

Unopposed candidates for council seats are Jack Cummins for Place 2, John Fagin for Place 4 and Charles Blakey for Place 6. Blakey is the only incumbent seeking re-election to a council post.

The polls will close at 7 p.m.

AFTER THE RIDE—Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and his bride, Nancy, prepare to return to their honeymoon house after a boat ride in Acapuco Bay. In background are secret service agents and some of the approximately 50 vacationers who met them at the boatdock. (AP Wirephoto)

Three Major Airlines Threaten To Leave DFW

DALLAS (AP) — Three major airlines are threatening to leave the new $700 million Dallas-Fort Worth Airport and return to Dallas Love Field because of what they call "unbearably high" landing fees.

Attorneys for Delta, Continental and American airlines warned Monday they will be forced to reschedule flights at the old near-downtown Love Field unless all scheduled air carriers are forced to suspend operations at Love Field and operate exclusively at the new facility, some 15 miles away, thereby sharing the costs.

In briefs filed in federal court here, the airlines cited "competitive reasons" for their consideration to return to Love Field.

In related action, the Dallas City Council voted to begin talks aimed at whopping landing fee increases at Love Field which would offset any loss in landing fee revenues at the Dallas-Fort Worth Airport because of present or future returns to Love Field.

The council indicated landing fees at Love Field might jump from a nickle per 1,000 pounds to 65 cents per 1,000 pounds.

The controversy brings back memories of the nearly-deserted Greater Southwest Airport located between Dallas and Fort Worth, a forerunner of the new Dallas-Fort Worth Airport, built in the early 1950s.

The GSW airport was developed as a regional airport, too, but an exodus of major airlines back to Love Field caused the financial collapse of GSW. Weeds are now growing through its runways.

The current squabble began in 1968 when major airline companies agreed that upon completion of the Dallas-Fort Worth Airport they would move en masse from Love Field.

Southwest Airlines, not in business at the time and thus not a signatory to the agreement, continued commuter operations at Love Field which drained off passenger traffic from competitors who were forced to operate at the more distant and less convenient new airport.

Braniff returned a portion of its operation to Love Field to compete, and Texas International announced it would follow.

Those airlines remaining at DFW complained their share of landing fees, used to pay off bond indebtedness at the new airport, would become increasingly higher as more and more airline companies shifted service back to Love Field.

Numerous law suits have been filed in federal courts in efforts to stage off a panic return back to Love Field by the airline companies.

Attorneys for American, Delta and Continental said in their briefs "the entire financial structure of the regional airport could be jeopardized." They cited the "implication of a conspiracy between Braniff and the City of Dallas against Southwest" should have no bearing on the issue of forcing all airlines to operate at DFW.

U.S. Dist. Court Judge William Taylor already has ruled that Southwest can operate at Love Field so long as the terminus is maintained by the city as an airport.

His ruling is now on appeal.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Roxanne Bachus, 3011 Forty-first; Earl Leach, Rotan; Lynn McCaleb, 2901 Thirty-fourth; Jeanie Fambro, 2102 Forty-first; Dan Hamil, 4400 Ave. U; Jewel Brown, 3600 Jacksboro; Ella Eubanks, 3007 Ave. S; Ruby Browning, Dermott.

DISMISSALS: Mrs. Bob Clifton and baby girl, Edith Gladson, Mildred Rochelle, Verna Webb, Frank Farquhar, James Bryant, James Minor, Agnes Cheathum, A. J. Williams.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stockton, 2406 Ave. L, are the parents of a 7 lb. baby girl, born at 9:44 a.m. April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hammit, 1208 Twenty-first, are the parents of a baby girl, born at 7:55 a.m. March 31 in a Rotan Hospital. She weighed 8 lb. 10 oz. and has been named Angela Dawn.

MIDDAY STOCKS

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AT&T	49	off ⅛
Atl Rich	93⅝	off ⅝
Beth Stl	32¼	
Borden	23	off ⅜
Brit. Pet	12½	up ⅛
Cat Trac	58	up ⅛
Celanese	31⅛	off ⅛
Crysler	18	up ⅜
Cities Svc	46⅝	off ⅞
Coca Cola	108⅞	off ½
Cont Oil	40⅜	off ½
Dow Chem	60	off ¼
duPont	165½	off ⅛
Eastman	106⅛	up ⅛
El Paso NG	15	up ⅛
Exxon	80¼	
Fairchild Cam	46	up ¾
Ford	48½	
Gen Elec	54½	up ⅛
Gen Foods	25¼	
Gen Mtrs	49⅞	off ⅛
Gen Tel	23⅝	off ⅜
Goodrich	18⅛	off ¼
Gulf Oil	22⅜	off ¼
IBM	232¾	up 3
Int Paper	50¾	off ¼
John John	108⅛	
Litton	9	off ⅛
Marathon	41⅜	off ⅛
Marcor	23⅝	off ⅛
Mobil Oil	44⅞	up ¼
Monsanto	57½	up ⅜
Penn Cent	2¾	
Penney	68½	
RCA	19½	up ⅜
Safeway	40	up ¼
Sears	83⅛	up ⅛
Sony	28⅛	off ⅛
Stand Ind	92½	off ½
Sun Oil	45	off ⅜
Texaco	28	
Texas Inst	95⅞	off 1
Un Carbide	36½	up ⅛
Uniroyal	9¼	off ⅛
US Steel	42⅜	off ¼
Woolwth	17⅝	up ½
Xerox	114¼	

Two Vehicles Are In Mishap

Minor damage resulted from a two-car collision at the bowling alley at 11:15 p.m. Monday.

Involved were the 1966 Model Ford of Johnny Lynn Schwettmann of Stamford and the parked 1966 Model Chevrolet of Milton Hollis, 2405 Forty-first Street.

Theft Reported

City Police are investigating the theft of a battery from the B&B Garage, 612 East Highway. The theft was reported at 9:41 a.m. Monday.

Officers also are investigating an act of vandalism. Someone shattered a plate glass window at the White Star Laundry. It was reported to police at 8:26 a.m. Monday.

Kissingers Lunch With Stars

By CHARLES GREEN
Associated Press Writer

ACAPULCO, Mexico (AP) — The honeymooning Henry Kissingers lunched with one of the brightest stars of the international social set and had dinner with Mexico's foreign minister.

The American secretary of state and the former Nancy Maginnes spent the rest of Monday reading or chatting beside the pool of their honeymoon villa, an informed source reported.

The Kissingers went to lunch with Gloria Guinness and her British banker husband, Loel, at their hilltop villa, one of the showplaces of Acapulco.

A Mexican television crew rang the doorbell at the Guinness home before the Kissingers arrived, and the houseboy admitted them. They got as far as the patio before Guinness became aware of their presence. Leading the cameraman by the lens of his camera, he escorted them out.

The newlyweds returned about 4:30 p.m. to the pink and white Mediterranean-style villa that Mexican banker Eustaquio Escandon has lent them. They drove out again, smiling for newsmen kept five blocks away, at 8:45 p.m. to be the dinner guests of Foreign Minister Emilio O. Rabasa at another house overlooking Acapulco Bay.

A foreign ministry spokesman said the dinner was an informal affair and the guests were friends rather than government officials.

School Vote At Hermleigh

HERMLEIGH—Voters in the Hermleigh Independent School District will elect two trustees in the election to be held Saturday at Hermleigh High School. Foster Watson will be the election judge.

Trustees whose terms are expiring are Doyle Wemken and Jimmy Roemisch. Wemken has announced for re-election, but Roemisch has decided not to be a candidate for re-election.

Jerry Gannaway, Rex Glass and Julius Roemisch have announced as candidates for the two positions. All are local farmers and ranchers and all have students currently attending Hermleigh schools.

Mysterious Object Is Hot Star

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — A mysterious object detected by Mariner 10 has turned out to be a very hot star rather than a moon.

The extremely bright object at first was believed to be a moon circling the planet Mercury, which Mariner has been photographing.

But Dr. A. Lyle Broadfoot of the Kitt Peak National Observatory near Tucson, Ariz., said Monday it was a star in the constellation Corvus.

He said an instrument aboard Mariner which was sweeping space in search of a moon was designed to search for an atmosphere around Mercury and had not been expected to detect stellar radiation.

Dr. James Dunne, Mariner project scientist, said the confusion arose when both Mercury and the object grew fainter as Mariner shot away from Mercury at 24,000 miles an hour.

He explained that quick calculations indicated that the object's movement and change in brightness could be the pattern of a moon circling the planet.

"That was an unfortunate coincidence that fooled us," Dunne said.

He said that after the moon theory was announced at a news conference Sunday "a couple of bright young navigation scientists" noticed there was a star in the area and might be what was believed a moon.

It was later discovered that the object actually wasn't becoming dimmer as Mariner moved away.

Mariner encountered a heat problem Monday.

A Jet propulsion Laboratory spokesman said temperatures inside a vital equipment compartment soared to 109 degrees, nearly 40 degrees above normal. The rise continued slowly.

"We can live with the temperature" for the present time, he said. He added that engineers were uncertain what temperature would silence the spacecraft.

Officials said the overheating and a power shortage might make it impossible to bring the spacecraft back for another flyby of Mercury next September as scientists had hoped.

Honor Roll At Fluvanna

FLUVANNA—The honor roll for the third nine weeks of the 1973-74 school term at Fluvanna Public Schools has been announced by Vernone Smith, principal.

Making the "A" honor roll were:

First and second grades, Paul Chapman, Debbi Davis, Patricia Gregory, Keith Martin, Misty Merritt and Jennie Ynguanzo; fourth grade, Jeffery Martin; 10th grade, Sandy Smith; 11th grade, Ronald Gill and Chuck Jones.

First and second grades, Duane Summers; fourth grade, Vickie Gregory, Tammy Merritt and Carl White; fifth and sixth grade, Mickey Smith, Rauniya White, Danny Boulware; seventh grade, Zenda Ball, Junior Smith; eighth grade, Donny Dunnam; ninth grade, Joyce Chapman and Susie Jones; 10th grade, Rene Bilano; 11th grade, David Beaver; 12th Neely Landrum.

Adapting to the geography over the centuries, the people of Lapland evolved into three distict groups — coastal, forest and mountain people. The more settled coastal and forest Lapps have been drawn into the mainstream of modern European life.

Mills Confirms Aiding Dairymen

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Wilbur D. Mills has confirmed that he aided dairymen in their quest for a 1971 increase in federal milk price supports. At the same time, a new report shows the nation's three largest dairy cooperatives were the principal financial backers of Mills' brief 1972 presidential campaign.

The report says the Arkansas Democrat's campaign got 23.5 per cent of its itemized contributions from the three dairy cooperatives, including one that also aided his campaign with apparently illegal corporate money.

The three giant co-operatives gave $54,100 of the total $231,027 in itemized contributions, according to the report by Ralph Nader's Tax Reform Research Group.

The report, released Monday, was based on public records and doesn't count money given to the Mills campaign in secret before a new campaign finance law took effect April 7, 1972.

"The milk people have always been friendly with me in my state," Mills said in a television interview. "I've got a number of them in three counties in my state who operate these grade-A dairies."

Mills spoke on a Public Broadcasting Service interview program.

He said that in 1971 he helped set up a meeting in the office of House Speaker Carl Albert, during which two co-op officials pressed White House lobbyist Clark MacGregor for a price increase.

Mills also said he spoke to Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz about the matter.

The White House, denying that President Nixon ordered the increase because of money that the three huge co-ops gave to his own 1972 campaign, cited these actions by Mills as part of "heavy pressure from the Congress" for a boost in milk price supports.

Mills denied that his actions amounted to pressure. "I don't consider that pressure by any means, because I didn't twist somebody's arm and tell him 'You've got to do this or else,'" he said. "I've never done that."

The largest single gift to Mills' campaign was $25,000 from the political trust of Associated Milk Producers, Inc., the largest dairy co-operative in the nation. Dairymen Inc. gave $12,500 and Mid-America Dairymen gave $16,000.

President Nixon received at least $437,000 from these same groups, but the money amounted to less than one per cent of the total $60 million raised by his campaign.

In addition to the recorded and apparently legal dairy gifts to Mills' campaign, Associated Milk Producers Inc. also dipped into its corporate treasury to pay salaries and expenses of two workers in the early draft-Mills campaign, before he declared himself an active candidate.

This apparently illegal corporate donation was made public only last week. "If I'd had any knowledge, certainly it would not have been received," Mills said. "But I was unaware of what was going on in the so-called 'draft-Mills' (campaign)."

Art Show Is Set At Post

POST—The Post Art Guild has scheduled its Easter Art Show for Saturday and Sunday, April 6-7.

The show will be held in the junior high gym in the 200 block of South Avenue M. The entry fee is $3 per painting or sculpture with no limit and work in all media will be accepted.

There will be a $100 cash award for public choice and in addition there will be several purchase awards topped by $300 for a painting or sculpture to be presented by multiple donors to the Garza County Museum. Entries will be received from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Friday.

The juror will be Tom Ryan of Stamford.

Dana Rites Here Friday

Graveside rites will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Snyder Cemetery for Sam Dana Jr., 20, of Pueblo, Colo. He died there Sunday.

A native of Forth Worth, he was married in 1972 in Fort Worth to Teresa Gambino, who survives.

Also surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dana of Pueblo; two sisters, Mrs. Jimmie Sue Tanner and Mickie Jo Dana, both of Pueblo.

Gass First In Saddle Bronc Riding Event

Johnny Gass from Western Texas College placed first in saddle bronc riding at the Angelo State University NIRA rodeo held in San Angelo last week end.

The WTC Rodeo Team received a total of 144 points at the Angelo rodeo to retain fourth place in the region.

Greg Welch from WTC placed third in bull riding with a mark of 72. Jesse Rollins, another bull rider, received a mark of 58. Johnny Trout received a mark of 55 in bareback riding and 60 in bull riding.

Ann Rigby of Snyder, representing Texas Tech in the Angelo rodeo, placed third in barrel racing out of 45 contestants. She will also be representing Tech at the WTC rodeo in Snyder Thursday through Saturday.

Cigarette Tax Revenue Up

AUSTIN (AP) — State revenue from cigarette taxes rose to $19,378,193 in March, an increase of $408,933 from March 1973, state treasurer Jesse James reported today.

Fire Put Out

City Fireman extinguished a grass fire half a mile east of Hermleigh at 4:52 p.m. Monday.

Conservationist Appointed Here

ERWIN A. PAVLIK

Erwin A. Pavlik, district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, in Columbus, Tex., for the past 6 years, has been promoted to district conservationist for the Snyder Field Office, assisting the Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District, effective March 31.

Pavlik had been the district conservationist of the Columbus Field Office assisting the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District since February, 1968.

He was an SCS soil conservationist on the Edna Field office staff from November 1961 to 1968. Prior to working for the Soil Conservation Service Pavlik taught school at Schulenburg and Nazareth.

A native of Weimer, Pavlik is a 1957 graduate of Texas A&M University where he majored in agricultural education. Active in professional societies, he is a member of the Soil Conservation Society of America, was president-elect of the Mid-Gulf Coast Chapter SCSA annual photography competition.

He was an active member of the Columbus Noon Lions club serving as first vice president. Active in several positions in the scouting program in the David Crockett district, Pavlik served as Cubmaster of Columbus Cub Scout Pack 312.

He and Mrs. Pavlik, the former Shirley Jilek of Schulenburg, have four sons, Gregory, Stanley, John and Roger. Mrs. Pavlik and the boys will move to Snyder after the end of the current school term.

Election Set At Fluvanna

FLUVANNA—The Fluvanna School Trustee Election will be held Saturday from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the high school library. Three places are to be filled on the Fluvanna board. They are those now held by Jeff Martin and Gilbert Merritt, which expire, and the unexpired term of Dean Ball who resigned recently.

Martin and Merritt have both filed for re-election, and Bobby Stansell is a candidate for a place on the board. Stansell is a farmer in the community.

Fluvanna voters also will cast ballots for Western Texas College board members and two members of the county school board. Candidates for the college board are Bentley Baize, Place 3, and Robert H. Hargrove Jr., Place 4. Both are unopposed. Ray Fulford is unopposed for the county board from the Fluvanna community, and Bob Bell is unopposed for county trustee-at-large.

Mrs. H. B. Lemons will be the election judge at Fluvanna.

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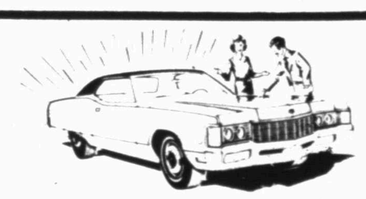

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No Gasoline Sales on Sunday

VISIT FARM—On March 28, the girls in Brownie Troop 223 enjoyed a trip to the Grinslade Farm near Ira. Mrs. Grinslade showed them baby chickens, pigs, goats, and rabbits. The troop is made up of first graders from Stanfield, West, North and East Elementaries. The leaders are Mrs. D. V. Merritt Jr. and Mrs. Guy Sullivan. Pictured, front row, left to right, are Janetta Pylant, Denise Merritt, Christi Gore, Sabrina Sullivan, Karen Slawson, Mary Warren, Sue Ann Smylie; standing, Tonya Bennett, Karen Stipe, Lisa Stephens, Loreli Jones, Kim Frost, Sonya Adams, Melissa Rinehart, Carrie Lynn Lieb; third row, Mrs. Guy Sullivan and Mrs. D. V. Merritt Jr. Not pictured is Kim Albin.

SCHOOL MENU

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Wednesday
Sloppy "Jane" on French Roll
Green Beans
Potato Salad
Celery Stuffed with Peanut Butter
Carrot Fingers
Chocolate Cake w-Chocolate Icing
Milk

Thursday
Pizza (Sausage)
Garden Salad
Chilled Orange Juice
Applesauce Cake
Milk

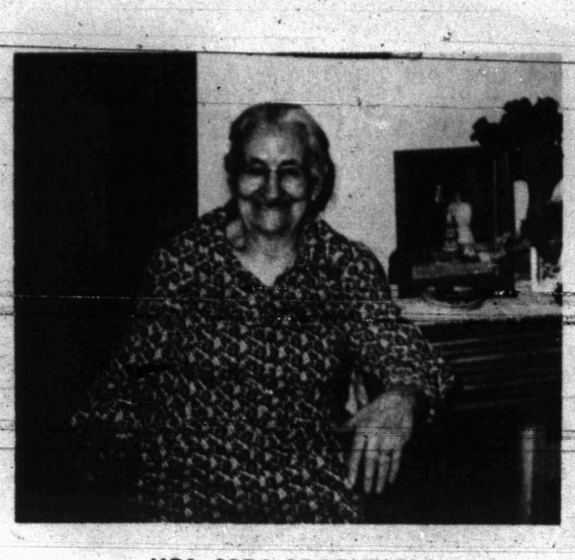
Friday
Manager's Choice

SECONDARY SCHOOL

Thursday
Honest to Goodness Fried Steak w-Country Gravy
Peach Slice (garniture)
Buttered Whipped Potatoes
Early Green Peas
Cherry Jello w-Whip Topping
Hot Cornmeal Rools w-Butter
Milk

Wednesday
Chuck Wagon Stew w-Celery Stuffed with Peanut Butter
Bell Pepper Wedges
Fruit Cobbler
Cowboy Bread w-Butter
Milk

Friday
Manager's Choice



MRS. CORA GREENFIELD

Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Cora Greenfield was honored on her Eighty-seventh birthday on Sunday, March 31. The reunion was held at Mrs. Greenfield's home at 3101 Ave U.

She was born March 31, 1887, in Hill County. She married Elvie Greenfield on February 17, 1907, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Scrivner.

Guests at the birthday celebration included all of her children. They were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenfield, Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Greenfield, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Greenfield, Bluffton; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Greenfield, Dermott and Mr, and Mrs. H. B. Patterson Jr. of Seminole. Also in attendance were several grandchildren and great grandchildren from Sherman, Hearst, Odessa, Seminole and Marietta, Oklahoma.

Theft Is A Big Problem At Sale

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Tag sales can be a lot of fun if you keep your perspective in conducting such ventures, which can lure some light-fingered people and others who are not well-intentioned. It is something to keep in mind as we approach the acceleration of such sales in spring and summer.

Country sales may come off with fewer problems because they are usually conducted outdoors or in garages or at appointed times indoors when the numbers of lookers makes such business transactions less intimate.

In the city apartment where one might be selling the contents of many rooms, one might need to be wary. One moving company executive usually cautions his clients against conducting open sales in apartments or he suggests that they conduct them when there is a man at home. In addition to robberies, there have been other "regrettable incidents" when women welcome strangers into their homes, he observed.

Here are some pointers suggested by people who have conducted such sales:

...Weekends are the best time to hold sales — when the family can be about. If your husband doesn't like people milling about when he is at home, you could enlist the aid of neighbors and have the sale during the week. But don't "be a sitting duck," as one woman put it, and try to do it yourself.

...If you advertise sale hours do not let anyone in your house at any other time, unless you know the person. One tag-sale expert suggests there is a risk of holdup after the sale. Women who conduct such sales should have a man handle the money if possible.

...If you plan to offer small valuables, keep them together where they can be watched. Anything small enough to be put in a pocketbook or pocket may disappear in a sleight-of-hand that would surprise a magician. Many people miss things that weren't "bought." One woman, needing the money, decided to sell an heirloom watch which she put out with other valuables. It disappeared within minutes and while she watched, she claims.

...A large indoor tag sale should have a cashier at the door, a person watching each table and someone in each room. Lightfingered people often work in pairs, one distracting the watcher while the other pockets a valuable. In one instance a tall candlestick disappeared "in a blink," one tagger says. Although she spotted the loss immediately, she couldn't accuse anyone. In fact, she couldn't even see a likely candidate for suspicion.

...If the sale is outdoors, it is not without its problems. Be sure you are covered with homeowners' insurance. Also, it is advisable to make sure everything is in good repair as people have a way of tripping over their own feet. If house tools are being sold, be sure someone is watching those that have sharp blades or prongs and power tools or mowing machines. Post an "at your own risk" warning notice.

...Indoor sales should be advertised as "weather permitting," not only to avoid the traipsing about in boots bad weather brings, but also because it is a prime time for accidents to salables. There are more cracks, chips and breaks on a rainy day when people are milling about in raincoats and boots than any other time (not to mention the wear and tear on your floors). You can put up the warning signs — "if you break it, you own it," and so on — but how are you going to make them pay? It is often difficult to pinpoint responsibility.

...Before conducting your first tag sale, go to several and consult with people who have had them. You can pick up many tips, such as where to keep the money while the sale is on. One woman put all the bills in a brown paper bag and kept the coins in her pocket. At some point the bag disappeared. Fortunately she hadn't collected much at that time.

Community sales are becoming very popular. Two or more women will pool all their expendable odds-and-ends and have one tag sale at someone's backyard, porch or garage. That way more people are involved and the sale can be adequately supervised. There isn't an awful lot of money made at that kind of tag sale, usually, where all the items are likely to be those that are easily carted. But it is one way to get rid of extraneous objects that have a way of accumulating in the house.

Woman's Calendar

TUESDAY

TOPS No. 56 will meet at 7 p.m. at the Stanfield School.

Alpha Study Club meets at 3 p.m. at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Hostess is Mrs. J. T. Hughes.

Atheneum Study Club meets at the Science Bldg. on WTC campus at 4:30 for tour of the WTC museum. Tour guide will be Mrs. Mal Donelson. Hostess is Mairl McFaul.

Beta Sigma Phi will meet at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Mrs. Travis Rhoades is hostess.

Twentieth Century Club meets at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lois Bartels.

The Ladies Golf Association is having a noon business meeting and luncheon at the Snyder Country Club.

WEDNESDAY

Altururian Daughters meet at 3:30 p.m. at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Hostess is Mrs. Lee Smyth.

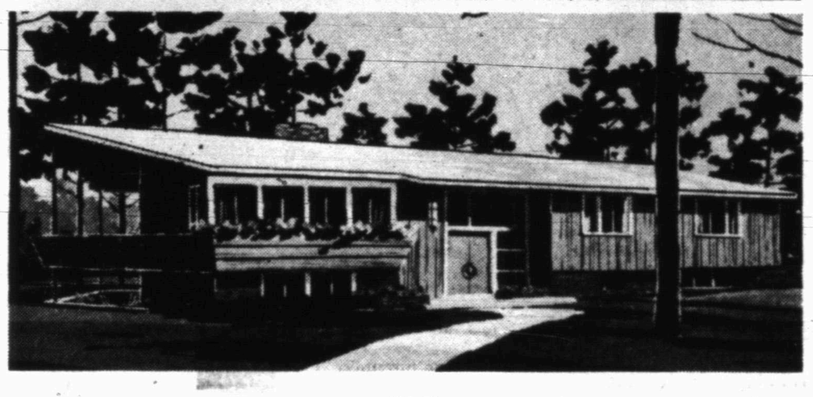
THURSDAY

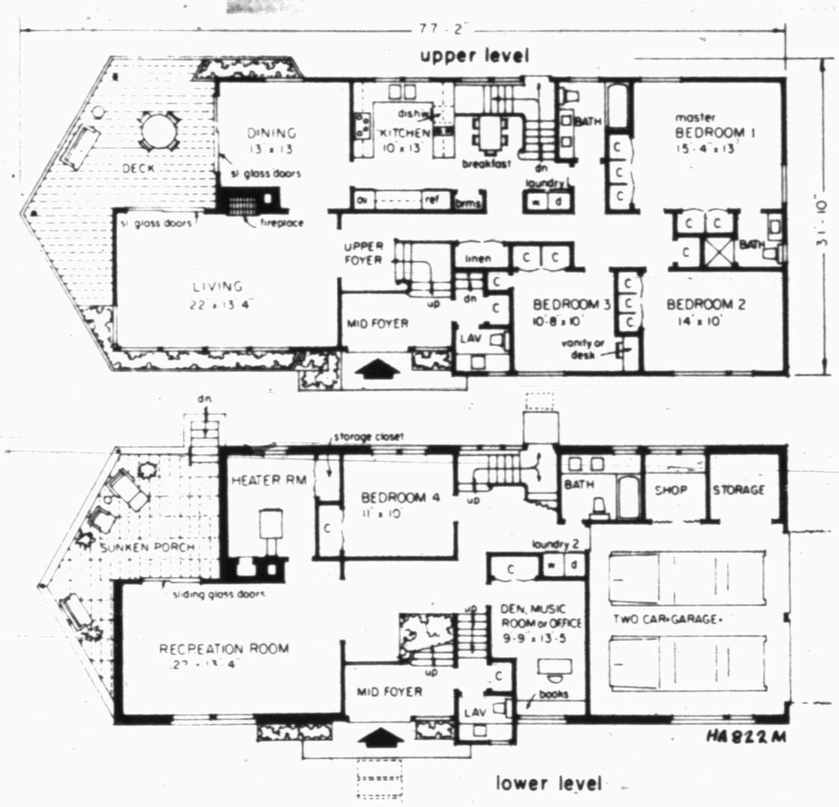
Snyder Garden Club meets at 9:30 a.m. at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Hostess is Mrs. F. G. Sears.

FRIDAY

The Newcomers Club will hold duplicate bridge lessons and games from 9:15 to 12.

HOMES FOR AMERICANS





HA822M is a split entry home with the foyer at ground level, the first floor about half underground, and the second floor about four feet above ground level. By popular demand the architect has included an outdoor deck along the upper level with glass sliding door access to the living room and dining room. Below the deck is a sunken porch, a cool outdoor retreat on a warm day. The upper level 1,801 square feet) containes three good sized bedrooms, a private bath, hall bath (plus a powder room lavatory on the foyer level), large kitchen and breakfast room and the living and dining rooms. The lower level (1066 square feet) provides additional living space that is most important to a medium sized family. A design of this type works well for a professional man who has his office in his home. To obtain the cost of the blueprint write to the architect, Rudolph Matern, Master Plan Service Inc., 89 E. Jericho Tpke., Mineola, N. Y. 11501. Include a stamped self-addressed envelope for reply.

Herbs, Fruits, Nuts Used For Skin Care

BY VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Many women are chopping, blending, whipping and grinding home grown or store-bought herbs, fruits, nuts and so on, all in the interest of beauty for the skin, hair and hands.

Even the prolific plantain is a skin smoother regarded by the Greeks as a healing herb. Says Dian Dincin Buchman, author of the recently published "The Complete Herbal Guide to Natural Health and Beauty." The book doesn't concentrate on herbs, but it has recipes from nature for everything from mouth sweeteners and hair darkeners to foot baths.

"The old recipes are marvelous, but sometimes they must be brought up to date, like one cleansing cream, my favorite, which needed more wax to keep it from being too runny and it also looked prettier made whiter by whipping."

That recipe, like many in the book, came from Mrs. Buchman's grandmother, a Rumanian herbalist. Others were researched in England and other countries.

Every little thing that grows seems to have some function in beautifying the skin one way or the other, she remarked in an interview. Chamomile, the long-time favorite, is a skin smoother and has been well known as a hair lightener, "but less familiar plants like yarrow and lady's mantle may be made into great astringents. And elder flower water once was considered almost a necessity to have on hand for the complexion," she continued. "It is still used by many present-day herbalists."

You do not need too many of the elderberry blossoms to make a nice complexion wash, she pointed out, offering this formula: Heat about one-half pint of buttermilk and soak in it about 5 tablespoons of the elder blossoms, simmering it for about one-half hour until blossoms are softened. After removing it from the heat, steep it for 4 hours, reheat and strain. Add 2 tablespoons of honey and put it in the refrigerator to be used as a cleanser.

There are lots of impromptu pick-ups that might be utilized. For example, mix the leftover cooked oatmeal with almond meal, gently plaster the face with it. After a while remove it with warm water. Save the remainder for a daily face wash, she advises.

Anyone who must thin out rhubarb beds each year will appreciate a recipe that makes good use of the roots. As a hair lightener, this formula excels, she insists. It is a favorite of a 17-year-old relative of hers. Simmer rhubarb root in water or wine for 20 minutes, steep it for several hours and then strain it twice. Rinse it through your hair several times to get nice highlights. To get a more effective color, especially at the roots, it should be mixed with kaolin into a paste. A recipe for that is in the book.

She also offers recipes for hair darkeners which make use of everything from the leaves of artichokes to the essence of green oranges. And there is a timely recipe for henna, the hair color that is again being adopted by fashionable women, even the younger set. Perhaps its strong appeal is that it is a nontoxic herb. The recipe in the book has been used for thousands of years in the Near and Far East, according to Mrs. Buchman's research.

The process is a long, tedious one, but, as she points out, stabilizing the color requires experience, so one is on one's own. Once you get the hang of it, you may get a rich auburn, brown, black or red color. But one must coat the scalp with safflower or corn oil before using it as it has an astringent quality.

Delightful facials and masks for refreshing the skin in spring and summer may be made with carrots, parsley, cucumber and so on, she says. A cucumber mask goes like this: extract juice of the cucumber in a juicer or blend a small one quickly, add one-fourth teaspoon of cider vinegar or pure lemon juice, 1 teaspoon of witch hazel, 1 teaspoon of alcohol. Take the mixture out of the blender and add one whipped egg white. Pat this mixture on the face and allow it to dry for 15 minutes or more. Wipe it off with tepid water and a soft flannel. Pat dry and use a favorite astringent.

Two optional tightening products for this or any other mask, she says, would be one fourth teaspoon of simple tincture of benzoin or a pinch of alum powder.

Although the recipes have nothing injurious in them, Mrs. Buchman cautions those with very sensitive skins to avoid using any substance that might irritate them.

Inside the ears of the cats are tiny hairs that catch the most minute vibrations in the air, alerting the animal to movements even before it sees them.

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

MEATLESS SUPPER

Spinach Souffle — Yams
Cauliflower — Rolls
Ice Cream with Chocolate Sauce

SPINACH SOUFFLE

Patterned on a recipe of Lady Bird Johnson's.

10-ounce package frozen chopped spinach
¼ cup butter or margarine
¼ cup finely chopped onion
2 tablespoons flour
1 cup light cream
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon white pepper
½ cup grated Parmesan cheese
3 eggs, separated

Cook the spinach according to package directions but use no salt; drain well — there should be 1 cup. In a 2½-quart saucepan over low heat melt 2 tablespoons of the butter; add the onion and cook until transparent but not brown; stir in the remaining butter until melted, then the flour, salt and pepper; gradually stir in the cream; cook over moderately low heat; stirring constantly, until smooth and thickened. Remove from heat; stir in the Parmesan. Whisk in the egg yolks one at a time. Stir in the spinach. Beat the egg whites until stiff; gradually fold in. Turn into an ungreased 1½-quart souffle dish. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven until brown and puffed as high as top of dish — 35 minutes for a souffle with a slightly soft spot in center. Serve at once. Makes 4 servings.

Rebekah Meet

Rebekah Lodge No. 295 of Snyder met recently with Eppie Crain, noble grand, presiding. Mrs. Ruth Cowan, district deputy president, and Mrs. Emma Lee Lanier, lodge deputy, received their commissions from the state president and were read.

Mrs. Pearl Sellars was installed as chaplain. The meeting was closed. The next meeting will be April 8. Refreshments were served following the meeting.

The "multiple wardrobe look" is strong fashion-wise and economy-wise. A consumer can switch separate and coordinated garments for variety—at less cost than purchasing individual outfits, points out Mrs. Becky Culp, clothing specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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CHINA GROVE NEWS

BY MRS. N. F. HALL

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hall of Stanton visted Mrs. Jess Brown during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockey Allen and family of Big Spring recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete White were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rainey of Colorado City.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall and family of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Nail of Dunn; Lyda Shipp of Snyder; Charles Ray Dunn of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Pete White.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete White visited Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn White of Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Farmer of Ira recently visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Fenton and family of Snyder recently visited Mr. amd Mrs. Arlis Cotton and Son.

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Ford's Son Is Engaged To Wed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Michael Ford, 24, son of Vice President Gerald R. Ford, is engaged to marry a 22-year-old bank teller, Gayle Brumbaugh.

The vice president's office made the announcement Monday on behalf of the young woman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Brumbaugh of Catonsville, Md. Her father is a junior high school principal.

Miss Brumbaugh works at a bank in South Hamilton, Mass., where young Ford is a theological student at Gordon-Conwell Seminary.

CORRECTION!
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GOT TO PROVE HE STILL HAS IT!

Experiment Ordered On Negotiated Rates

By JOHN CUNNIFF
P Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — On orders of the Securities and Exchange Commission, brokers now are experimenting with negotiated charges on orders for $2,000 or less of stock. Rate competition at last comes to Wall Street.

Under plans laid down by the commission, to some extent with the cooperation of the industry, the substitution of negotiated rates for fixed commissions will spread to all orders by April 1, 1975.

First indications are that charges will fall, but whether that will prevail is far from assured. Brokers planning lower rates have bragged about it, but many brokers have remained suspiciously silent.

About the best a small investor can hope for is about a $5 saving on the odd-lot purchase or sale of $1,000. At Merrill Lynch, for example, he might pay $20.65 on such an order, versus the old fixed rate of $25.30.

No matter how important the rate situation is in bringing back business, most Wall Streeters would agree that it is only one of several factors that must be dealt with before mass interest in the market is aroused again.

A bull market would excite people, but a bull market isn't likely to develop unless the mass of investors is already participating. And there are some obvious reasons why stock investments aren't popular.

Even the most forgiving cannot erase from their memories the debaucheries of the late 1960s when recordkeeping, common sense, ethics and money seemed to disappear into air.

Others are aware that stock markets aren't quite the random assemblage of buyers and sellers, small and large, rich and poor. Not when 70 per cent of trading on the New York Stock Exchange is by institutions.

These institutions, such as pension and mutual funds, bank trusts and insurance companies, have enormous influence on stock prices, in some instances being able to whipsaw the stocks which small investors hold.

There is the matter of taxes too. Many leaders of the investment community, and heads of corporations which depend on it for financing, are convinced that capital gains taxes are too high.

If taxes were lowered, they say, many investors would be encouraged to seek appreciation in stocks instead of putting their funds into bonds and savings accounts that pay interest.

The introduction of negotiated rates on small orders is, it appears, just the beginning of a long uphill fight to return popular interest to a market that just a decade ago was the hope of millions.

THE MIXER

Select words meaning the opposite of the words above the squares, arranging the letters in the two words to form a new word which means:

language; tongue

BAR □□□ SWEET □□□□

The MIXER word is: □□□□□□□

Previous Mixer Answer
Opposite words: LOSE and GAIN.
Mixer word: GASOLINE.

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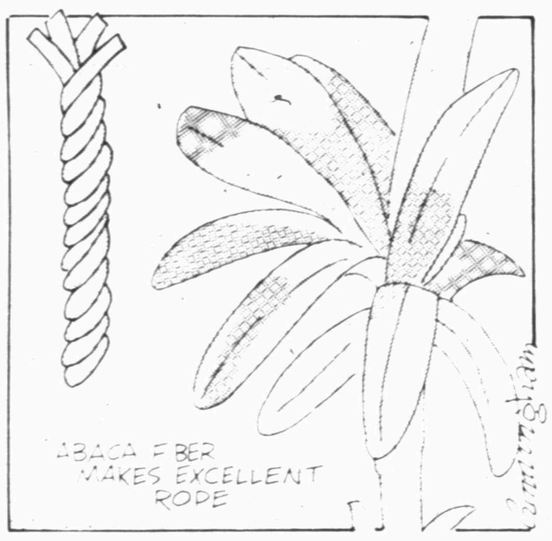
Junior Editors Quiz on ABACAS



QUESTION: *What is Abaca?*

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ANSWER: Abaca is a plant of the musaceae or banana family, a group of stout tropical herbs, usually woody and large. A few members are striking ornamentals, others are grown for fruit. A small number are cultivated for their fiber. The abaca, also called the Manila hemp plant, is important because of its cordage fibers. It is not related to the true hemp plant, which is a member of the mulberry family. It is native to the Philippine Islands where it has been grown since the 16th century. The fruit of the abaca resembles a small banana, but is inedible. No seed is produced by the fruit, so suckers or root shoots must be cut up and planted to produce a new crop.

The fibers pulled from the stalks of the abaca are strong and durable. The coarser ones are used for making rope, particularly marine cordage, since abaca fiber is not affected by salt water. The finer grades are used in making mats, huts, shoes and other native fabrics. The abaca plant is also raised in Panama, Costa Rica and Guatemala. 4-2

(Judy Patterf of Newton, Kansas, wins a prize for this question. You can win $10 cash plus AP's handsome World Yearbook if your question, mailed on a postcard to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper, is selected for a prize.)

English Language Changing

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — The whole country today seems to be suffering from a bad case of "automobilitis." Not only that, but "decidophobia" and "loserism" are rampant, "rumor-tism" is rife, the "Nixonologists" are out in force, and "logocides" are filling the political air.

Loosely translated, what all this means is that the world has been changing rapidly within the past year or so, and the English language has been changing right along with it.

These new words are among some 125 that have come into the language from various sources and are being studied by editors of Merriam-Webster dictionaries for possible inclusion in future editions.

"Automobilitis," as though anyone has to be told, is the problem caused by the increasing use of automobiles. "Decidophobia" is abnormal dread of making decisions. "Loserism," according to the editors, is lack of faith in oneself. "Rumor-tism" is a state or condition marked by widespread rumors — one of the more common occurrences in the year of Watergate. A "Nixonologist" is one who studies the policies and practices of Richard Nixon and "logocide" is the distortion of the meaning of a word.

"This is the first time in several years that most of the new words did not come from young people, the black experience, or such areas as sports and music," said Dr. H. Bosley Woolf, editorial director for dictionaries for Merriam.

"Curiously enough, Watergate itself added few words," Dr. Woolf continued. "Such terms as 'inoperative' and 'deep six' are already in our dictionaries. Even 'water gate' is in, defined as a floodgate, although that definition could be expanded in the future."

Among new words found by the editorial staff, which reads hundreds of publications in its search are: "courtocracy," a form of government in which the courts make the laws; "carrotize," to entice into a deal by the promise of immediate gain; "ecolomics," the application of the principles of ecology and economics to land development; "ethnocide," the deliberate destruction of an ethnic culture.

Not all new words are serious or come from the striking events of the time. From sports, for instance, there is "sky surfing," in which participants tied to delta-wing kites glide down from cliffs. From fashion there is "baggies," high-waisted pants that flare from the thigh and have deep cuffs. From the world of drugs we get "soapers," small white pills containing a depressant drug.

Some of the more colorful new words found by the editors include: "administrivia," unimportant administrative duties; "carboholic," a compulsive eater; "topless radio," radio programming that features sexually-oriented telephone conversations with listeners who call in; "gray panther," a member of an organization of militant elderly people; "flipper freak," an enthusiastic player of pinball machines.

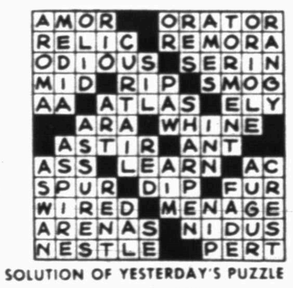
"Aunt Tom," a successful businesswoman who is not interested in furthering the cause of women's liberation; "alimony drone," a self-indulgent indolent divorcee who lives on alimony; "chicklib," the women's liberation movement.

"Cooper's droop," the drooping of the female breasts caused by the stretching of the ligaments attaching the breasts to the chest; "latrinalia," graffiti found on the walls of public toilets.

Man Eats 102 Red Ants

FT. LEWIS, Wash. (AP) — S. Sgt. Charles Chapman ate 102 red ants during an ant-eating contest that highlighted a survival symposium. Contestants plucked the ants from a can. "They have a sour almond taste," said S. Sgt. David Bradshaw, who took third place among 15 insect eaters after munching 26 ants.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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15. Make edging
17. Consumed
18. Numeral
19. Greek letter
20. Potables
21. Clerical degree
22. Garden tool
23. Unpaid
24. Mirthful
25. Chest
26. Land measure
28. Haven
30. Creeper
31. Lincoln
32. Medieval money
33. Digit
34. Seth's brother
35. Place of oblivion
37. To wit
39. Aye-aye
40. Join
41. In a foxy manner
42. Oddments

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1. Tennis score
2. Leather flask
3. Wing
4. Boil
5. Party giver
6. Grampus
7. Spirit
8. Growing out
9. Lassoes
10. Leap
12. Yokel
16. Three-toed sloth
19. Demure
20. Arctic bird
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23. Uninteresting
24. Recording artist's award
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26. Poplar
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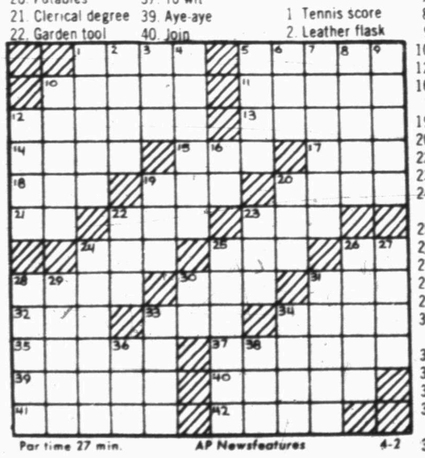

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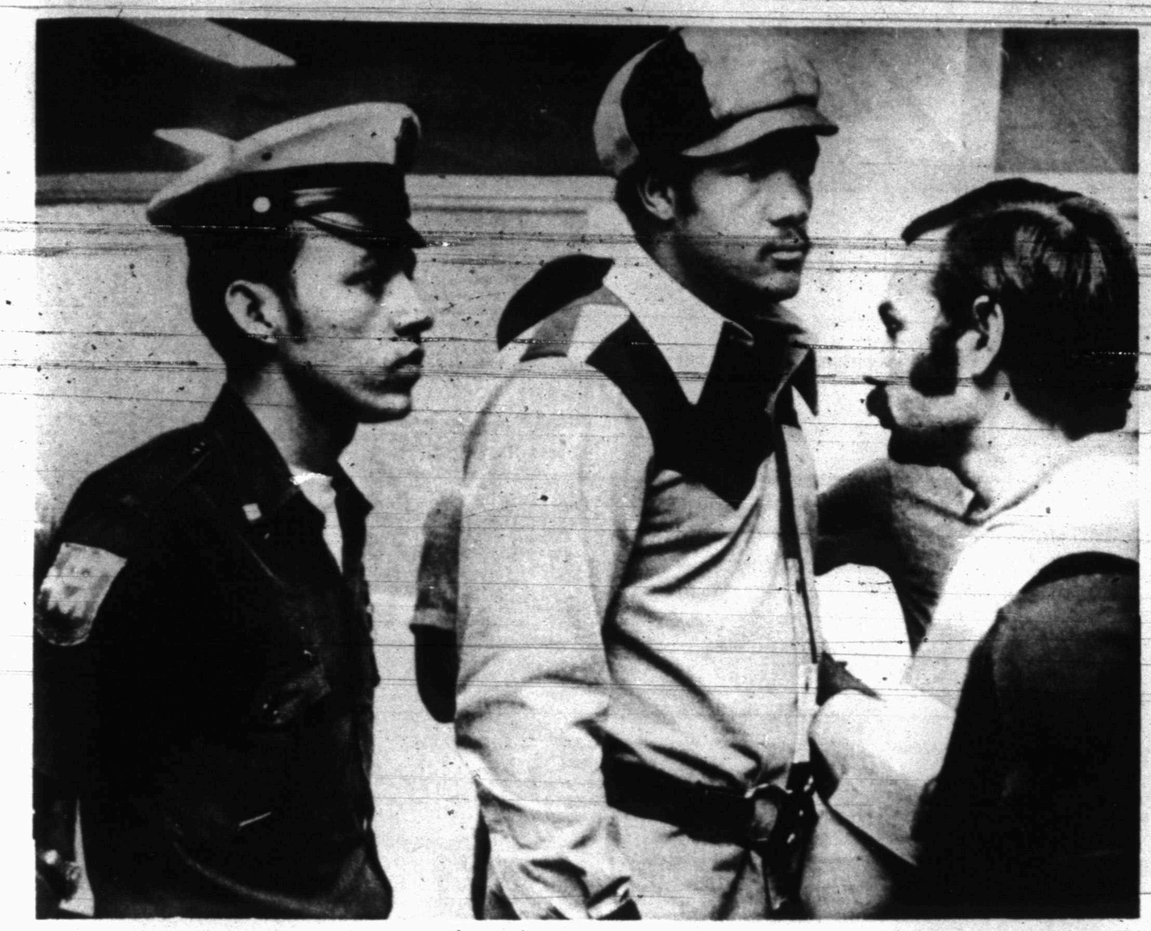

FOREMAN WAITS—World heavyweight champion George Foreman, center, waits Thursday at Caracas airport after Venezuelan officials bent on collecting taxes on his earnings from Tuesday's title fight with Ken Norton barred his departure. Norton was also being kept in Venezuela. But spokesmen for both fighters said final agreements with the Venezuelan government were in the works. (AP Wirephoto by cable from Caracas)

Aaron Cracks Homer

By The Associated Press

Hank Aaron is ready to play ball ... even if he isn't ready.

The reticent superstar, who'd prefer not participating this week in Cincinnati, sharpened up for the 1974 baseball season with a home run in Atlanta's 7th spring training victory over Baltimore Monday.

Aaron, with 713, had hoped to break Babe Ruth's home run record of 714 in Atlanta and originally indicated he would sit out the Braves' three-game series with the Reds.

But he has been overruled by Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn, who in effect recently ordered Aaron to play at least two of the three games against the Reds.

Aaron's blast, his third of the exhibition season, was struck as a designated hitter. The homer was one of five the Braves hit Monday.

Dave Johnson hit two homers, and Dusty Baker and Ivan Murrell one each.

Elsewhere, the Milwaukee Brewers defeated the Oakland A's 6-2; the Boston Red Sox nudged the St. Louis Cardinals 5-4; the Cleveland Indians tripped the Chicago Cubs 9-2; the Cincinnati Reds crushed the Pittsburgh Pirates 15-9; the Chicago White Sox edged the Minnesota Twins 4-3; the Montreal Expos blasted the Philadelphia Phillies 7-1; the New York Yankees nipped the New York Mets 2-1; the California Angels lashed the University of California-Irvine 10-2; the Houston Astros trimmed the Detroit Tigers 4-1 and the San Francisco Giants shaded the Los Angeles Dodgers 7-6.

Helped by two Oakland errors, Milwaukee broke a 2-2 tie with four eighth-inning runs to defeat Oakland. Sal Bando's three-base error put the Brewers' Bobby Mitchell on third base to start the eighth, and two walks, a ground-rule double by Bob Coluccio, a wild pitch and Pedro Garcia's two-run triple did the rest.

Rico Petrocelli hit a two-out, ninth-inning home run with a teammate aboard to lift Boston over St. Louis.

Cleveland raked Steve Stone for three triples and two doubles in the opening innings and went on to rout Chicago. Gaylord Perry, pitching seven innings for the second time this spring, limited the Cubs to four hits.

Roger Freed, already reassigned to a Cincinnati minor league club, hit two home runs and added a double and a single to help the Reds crush Pittsburgh.

The Chicago White Sox came from behind with three runs in the sixth inning and got three scoreless innings from reliever Wayne Granger to edge Minnesota.

Winning pitcher Mike Torrez hit a bases-loaded triple off Steve Carlton, giving Montreal its victory over Philadelphia.

Gene Michael drove home Graig Nettles with a single in the eighth inning, providing the Yankees with their victory over the Mets. Nettles walked off Harry Parker, moved to second on an infield out and came home on Michaels' base hit.

Joe Lahoud drove in four runs with a home run and double Monday as California pounded the University of California-Irvine.

Dave Roberts pitched seven innings of scoreless ball and knocked in a pair of runs to lead Houston past Detroit.

Short Ready To Sell?

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Texas Rangers owner Bob Short apparently was ready to sell the American League baseball club today to a group of Fort Worth and Dallas business men.

A spokesman said Short and the prospective buyers would meet at 8 a.m. in the Dallas offices of William Seay to take the first major step toward closing the deal.

Short was in Fort Worth Monday night and attended a dinner at the home of millionaire Brad Corbett, principal figure in the move to purchase the team.

"If the deal is not finalized Tuesday," a member of the Fort Worth group said, "then Short at least should get a down payment."

The reported asking price is $9 million with Short retaining 10 per cent of the club.

TRAVIS SEVENTH—These girls are members of the Travis 7th grade girls volleyball team. They are, from left to right, bottom row, Holly Green, Lorena Selmon, Pam Biddle and Dena Waller; and, top row, Myrtle Willis, Rachael Chaidez, Gloria Rios, Cindy Koonsman and Coach Melvia Jones. Not pictured is Marlene Thompson.

Sports

JV Hosts Andrews

The Snyder High School junior varsity baseball team hosts Andrews' Mustangs at 4 o'clock this afternoon in Moffett Field.

Coach Albert Lewis listed probable starters for the Snyder team, according to batting order, as follows: Kelly Ragland ss, Phil Robinson 3b, Randy Gressett rf, Richard Tovar lf, Barry Blalock 1b, Danny Brumley cf, Bo Wright c, Kyle Sikes 2b, and Charlie Hammond p. R. Terry will be the backup pitcher.

The JV hosts Lubbock Coronado at 4 p.m. Thursday, also on the Moffett Field diamond. The varisty Tigers will tangle with Plainview's Bulldogs there at 2:30 p.m. Friday in another District 4-AAAA doubleheader

Seales-Flores Fight Set

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — Olympic gold medal winner Ray Seales will fight Jose Martine Flores April 16 in a 10-round welterweight match at the University of Puget Sound fieldhouse, Seales' camp said Monday.

DEFECTION GIVES MIAMI PROBLEMS

MIAMI (AP) — The Miami Dolphins won't lose Larry Csonka, Jim Kiick and Paul Warfield until the 1975 season, but the affect of their defection to the World Football League could be immediate.

Coach Don Shula's molding of his team into a close, family-type relationship has been credited with helping them win National Football League titles the past two years.

After the signing of Csonka, Kiick and Warfield by Toronto of the WFL, Shula himself admits he doesn't know what attitude will prevail when training camp begins this July.

"I certainly hope not," said Shula when asked Monday whether animosity might develop between players, coaches and club officials. "Our whole goal is to go back to camp, put the best players together and try to win the Super Bowl again."

Shula said he was misquoted Sunday as saying he might not want to play Csonka, Kiick and Warfield this season.

"I've never been confronted with this situation before," he said. "I heard Csonka said they intended to honor their commitment and it was the responsibility of the club to live up to its commitment."

Csonka said, "We intend to give the Miami fans 100 per cent effort this season, so I assume they'll hold no grudges against us."

Shula's problem is if he plays the trio this year in hopes of recapturing the Super Bowl, he'll face a major rebuilding job in 1975. The alternative is to begin rebuilding now with new players.

But that would require major changes in offensive strategy, which has been built around the bull-like rushes of fullback Csonka with Mercury Morris and Warfield keeping defenses honest with outside runs and pass patterns.

Don Nottingham was acquired last year from Baltimore where he started, but at 5-foot-10 and 210 pounds, he could hardly be expected to provide the durability or the power which made Csonka's line charges so threatening.

Csonka is a 6-2, 237-pound bomb aimed at the line about 16 times a game. He has gained over 1,000 yards the last three seasons, a lot of it strictly on brute strength.

Warfield's experienced successors are Howard Twilley, 29, and Ron Sellers, 27. Twilley saw little action last year because of back problems and Sellers was inactivated by two leg injuries.

Kiick played behind Morris the last two seasons and would be the easiest to keep on the bench.

The next in line is Charlie Leigh, 28, a proven reserve who should have recuperated from a dislocated shoulder suffered in the playoffs last season by the time camp opens.

The Dolphins' concern is that the three players signed so far might not be the last to move to the WFL.

Fourteen other veterans are unsigned, and they include starting tight end Jim Mandich, defensive backs Dick Anderson and Tim Foley, defensive tackle Manny Fernandez, linebacker Mike Kolen and offensive guard Bob Kuechenberg.

Aaron Is Durable

By ED SHEARER
AP Sports Writer

ATLANTA (AP) — Hank Aaron's path to baseball greatness has been one of remarkable consistency and durability.

The icy-nerved Atlanta Braves slugger never had the kind of super season that evoked the hysteria among fans that surrounded such modern stars as Willie Mays and Mickey Mantle.

His highest single season batting average was .355, giving him the National League batting crown in 1959.

The 40-year-old star never approached the immortal Babe Ruth's achievement of belting 60 home runs in a season. Although he won or shared four NL home run titles, Aaron's best output of 47 at the age of 37 was only second best in the league in 1971.

In retrospect, it probably was a blessing that he lived in virtual obscurity for most of his career. Only in recent years, when it became apparent he had a shot at Ruth's lifetime home run standard of 714, has Aaron been constantly hounded for interviews by sports writers and broadcasters.

"This year has been confusing," he said last season. "I'm not used to all this attention."

Some of the lack of publicity stemmed from his playing in Milwaukee and Atlanta rather than in New York and its intense media competition.

Aaron began his career as a shortshop with the Indianapolis Clowns in 1951 and continued at that position in 1952 with the Braves' farm club at Eau Claire, Wis.

He moved to second while playing for Jacksonville in 1953 and was being switched to the outfield when he reported to the Braves' spring training camp at St. Petersburg, Fla., in 1954.

He entered that first spring ticketed for the Class AA Atlanta Crackers, but found himself in left field on opening day for the Milwaukee Braves.

Milwaukee had acquired Bobby Thomson from the New York Giants to start in left field. Thomson, who belted the dramatic home run that gave the New York Giants the 1951 NL pennant in a playoff with Brooklyn, fractured his ankle on March 13, 1954, while sliding into second in a spring game against Cincinnati.

The next day Aaron made his first start in a preseason game and belted three hits, including a long home run, against the Boston Red Sox.

After Aaron had collected his 3,000th hit in 1970, Thomson recalled the skinny kid who took his place 16 years earlier.

"Magic is the only word to describe it," Thomson said. "You just had this feeling, even then, that this guy was something special. He was far removed from the ordinary class of ball player, like the rest of us.

"Henry had the greatest hand action — the most lethal way of whipping that bat around — that I've ever seen. And he hit nothing but line drives, even on home runs those balls jumped out like they'd been fired out of a cannon."

The incredible wrist action was the secret of Henry's power. It is said the quality was developed as a youngster when he delivered ice in his neighborhood.

His first year statistics did little to indicate what the future held. Aaron hit only .280 and had 13 home runs in a season cut short by the only serious injury of his career — a broken ankle while sliding into third against Cincinnati on Sept. 5, 1954.

Aaron's power was reflected in his sophomore season when he cracked 27 homers and led the league in doubles with 37. He was selected to play in his first All-Star game that year and had two singles in two trips. He's been on the NL All-Star team each season since.

His first of two league batting titles came in 1956 when he hit .328 with a league-leading 200 hits.

The Hammer smacked 74 home runs, drove in 227 and hit over .320 in the next two seasons as the Braves captured NL pennants, splitting a pair of World Series with the New York Yankees. He cracked a trio of homers in his first Series, won by the Braves.

The 1959 campaign was his best over-all — hitting .355 with 223 hits and 400 total bases. Included were 39 home runs and 46 doubles, along with 123 runs batted in.

The steady effort continued through the 1960s as his batting average drifted below the .300 level only three times. He cracked only 24 homers in 1964, his lowest output except for his rookie campaign. He led the league in homers with 44 in 1963 and 1966 — the club's first season in Atlanta — and again in 1967 when he smacked 39.

He added 44 more in 1969 and hit .300 in leading the Braves to the NL West Division flag, but the team lost in the playoffs to the Miracle Mets of New York despite three homers by Aaron.

By then, the talk of breaking Ruth's revered mark of 714 lifetime homers had begun. Hank collected his 3,000th hit in 1970 and was closing in on the 600-homer mark at the season's end with 592.

He became only the third player to do so when he smashed No. 600 off San Francisco's Gaylord Perry on April 27, 1971.

The Hammer hit his 14th grand slam homer in 1972, tying the NL record, and passed his fellow Alabama native, Mays, with the grand slam off Philadelphia's Wayne Twitchell on June 10. It lifted his total to 649 and left him behind only the Bambino.

Aaron ended the 1972 season with 763 home runs and two years remaining on a contract that gave him $200,000 annually. Thus, it seemed, Ruth's record was certain to fall.

His 700th homer came off Ken Brett of Philadelphia last July 21 and each homer thereafter began taking on historic significance.

He entered the final week of the season needing two to tie but had to settle for only one more, a Sept. 29th blast off Houston's Jerry Reuss.

Bulls Finally Win On Road

By JOHN NELSON
AP Sports Writer

The Chicago Bulls finally have won their first-ever playoff game on the road, but it isn't exactly with optimism that Coach Dick Motta views the milestone.

"We didn't break the ice tonight; there was no ice. It's a new game tomorrow," Motta said Monday night after the Bulls evened their best-of-7 National Basketball Association Eastern Conference playoff against Detroit at 1-1 with a 108-103 victory.

"I expect each team will lose another home game before the series is over," Motta added. Each team now has won on the other's court, with the series returning to Chicago Friday.

The Detroit-Chicago game was the only NBA playoff action Monday, but there were four American Basketball Association quarter-finals.

In those ABA playoffs, New York took a 2-0 East Division advantage over Virginia by beating the Squires 129-110; Kentucky beat Carolina 118-102 in their first East Division game; Indiana bludgeoned San Antonio 128-101, evening that West Divison series at 1-1, and Utah jumped to a 2-0 lead over San Diego in the West with a 119-105 victory over the Conquistadors.

Bob Love got 38 points and Chet Walker added 20 to a revived Chicago offense. "Our offense did a better job tonight," Motta said. "Our defense did as good a job as they did Saturday when they held Detroit to 97 points and lost."

There are no ABA playoff games tonight, but in the NBA, Boston takes a 1-0 advantage into Buffalo in the Eastern Conference, Capital and the Knicks will break a 1-1 tie at New York in their East series, and the Milwaukee Bucks, holding a 2-0 edge in the West Conference, play in Los Angeles. Laker officials have indicated that superstar guard Jerry West may be back in the line-up for that one.

Nets 129, Squires 110

Julius Erving scored 16 of his game-high 35 points in the second quarter, staking the Nets to a 24-point halftime lead en route to a convincing victory over Virginia.

The series now moves to Virginia for two games, and Squires Coach Al Bianchi says, "We've always played them well at home. A sweep is always possible, but anything can happen in Virginia."

Colonels 118, Cougars 102

"I guess we'll just have to circle the wagons because the Indians came tonight," said Carolina Coach Larry Brown, after Kentucky's Artis Gilmore massacred the Cougars with 33 points, 19 rebounds and six blocked shots.

Pacers 128, Spurs 101

Billy Keller scored 27 points on nine buckets, all three-pointers, and wound up with 39 to lead Indiana. The nine triples set a new ABA playoff record.

Forward George McGinnis also had 30 points for Indiana, and Rich Jones led San Antonio with 26.

Stars 119, Conquistadors 105

Gerald Govan grabbed 19 rebounds and Willie Wise scored 23 points to give the Stars "such a commanding lead right from the beginning that our people had a lot of freedom throughout the game," said Utah Coah Joe Mullaney.

World Hockey Playoff Set

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Crusaders said Monday tickets will go on sale at 10 a.m., EDT, Friday for the first two games of the opening round of the World Hockey Association playoffs — even though the Crusaders don't know yet who they'll draw as opponents.

If the East Division champion New England Whalers are the opposition, the first two games will be April 10-11 at Cleveland Arena. If the Toronto Toros are the opponent, the two teams will play in Cleveland April 12-13.

WTC Golf Team Nips Angelo St.

SAN ANGELO—The Western Texas College Westerners' golf team defeated Angelo State University's junior varsity by seven strokes in a dual match here yesterday afternoon on the Riverside Golf Course.

Each school played six players and counted the four low scores in medal play. Western was 16 over par with a 304 while Angelo was 23 over par with a 311.

Individual scores of WTC golfers: Mark Hargrove 70, Robert McFaul 77, Danny Walters 78, Ricky Hopper 79, Kyle Howard 81, and Mark McCraney 82. Par is 68.

Freshman Mark Hargrove led the Westerners in the victory over A.S.U. and was medalist in the dual match with an outstanding score of 70, two over par. Chris Ostrander had the best score for the Rams with a 76. Scores by both teams were higher than normal since there was a strong wind from the northwest and the greens were very hard.

It was the third victory over A.S.U. this season, two in the fall and now one in the spring. WTC golfers have now won 11, lost one, and tied one in dual match competition this year.

Next action for the Westerners will be a 36-hole dual match Friday and Saturday against North Texas State University in Denton. North Texas has one of the finest college golf programs in the United States.

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Prize Didn't Excite Boyle

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Hal Boyle, the Associated Press columnist who died Monday, was singularly unexcited on learning he had won a Pulitzer Prize in 1945, a onetime fellow war correspondent recalled today.

The word caught up with Boyle as he lay sick and tired in a Paris hotel, said Bob Wear, a newsman with the Dallas Times Herald who now lives here.

Wear, then reporting about the war in Europe for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, related that he and Boyle were accredited to Gen. George Patton's Third Army, which was forced by the Yalta agreement to pull back behind the River Elbe after pushing into Germany.

"We both caught the flu then, so we hitched a courier plane ride into Paris and shared the last available room in the Scribe Hotel," said Wear.

"It was 2 o'clock one April morning when other correspondents came hurrying up from the hotel bar and pounded on our door while they waved a dispatch that Hal had just won the Pulitzer Prize.

"That's when he simply raised up and asked them, 'Did you so-and-sos bring me a drink? I'm sick and tired. Let me go back to sleep.'

"And with that he pulled the bedcovers over his head and dozed off again."

Wear recalled Boyle as "just one of the greatest—a man who never complained about the hardships of war reporting, even though we often had to drive 150 miles—weaving in and out of military convoys—to reach the Army communications center in order to file our stores."

"Boyle," he added, "was one of Patton's favorites. The general felt that Hal was telling the real story of the rifle-toting GIs."

Wear was among former correspondents who accompanied Boyle back to Europe in June 1949 as guests of the British and French governments for a Normandy beachhead revisited ceremony. In Paris, French President Vincent Auriol conferred on Boyle the Medaille Libere.

As the newsmen again turned toward home, they stopped at Shannon and Boyle's Irish kinfolk came down from Dublin to give a big dinner for them.

"That night, on the flight crossing the Atlantic," said Wear, "Boyle—as he had done so many times—sat in the aisle with his typewriter on his knees writing his column. He had to file it the next momrning as soon as we landed at St. Johns, Newfoundland."

New Medical Center Pondered

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—The Army is considering the construction of a new facility to replace the Brooke Army Medical Center here, Rep. Henry Gonzalez, D-Tex., said Monday.

Gonzalez, who has long advocated new facilities for the hospital, said he received a letter from Army Secretary Howard Callaway last week saying studies for a new hospital were under way.

Gonzalez said the current Brooke facilities at Ft. Sam Houston cannot provide "optimum operation."

Midlander Found Safe In Canyon

FORT COLLINS, Colo. (AP) — A Midland, Tex., student was one of two from Colorado State found safe Monday in Soldier Canyon.

The pair was identified as Isabelle Martin Adams, 18, of Midland and James C. Dryer, 17, of Matawan, N.J.

The sheriff's office in Larimer County said the two were found after an air and ground search.

Both had been scheduled to return Sunday from a camping trip near Horsetooth Reservoir.

Political Calendar

The Snyder Daily News is authorized to announce the following candidates for political office, subject to action of the Democratic and Republican Primary:

CONGRESS
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Michael Ezzell
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Bonnie Brooks
Irene Hardy
Eura Beckham
Evelyn Schulz
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Johnnye Warren
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Billy Wayne Thompson
Lois Leech
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
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Earl (Hassie) Sneed
Jimmy (Hoss) Clayton
Neil Holder
Billy Ray Browning
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Gerrel W. Bigham
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Cone J. Merritt
Lloyd Merritt
Bobby Goodwin
J.E. (Edgar) Galyean
CONSTABLE
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Earl Davis
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Geologists For Energy Legislation

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — The Federal Energy Office believes "deregulation of natural gas is perhaps the most important single piece of energy legislation before the Congress today," an FEO administrator says.

Duke Ligon, assistant administrator for FEO policy, planning and regulation, spoke Monday to the annual convention of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

Ligon said, "We are making every effort to encourage the Congress to act quickly on this critical issue, as it would greatly increase the nation's ability to achieve self-sufficiency in the near term."

Ligon continued, "Effective natural gas legislation is in many ways the key to U.S. energy problems—near the long term."

Interstate natural gas prices currently are regulated at the federal level, resulting in what "artificially low field prices."

He said low prices "also inflated demand and reduced the market share for competing fuels, especially coal."

He said, "Regulation of wellhead prices for natural gas has been more harmful to the consumer than beneficial."

President Nixon's energy messages have called for the deregulation of wellhead prices of newly discovered gas reserves dedicated to interstate markets.

Ligon said proposed legislation "would permit prices of new gas to seek competitive levels, thereby stimulating natural gas exploration and production and reducing demand."

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Panel Votes To Drop Depletion

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee, suddenly changing its mind on a key part of the energy tax reform bill, has voted to eventually abolish the controversial petroleum depletion allowance.

This allowance, a chief target of tax-reform advocates, saves oilmen some $2 billion a year in federal taxes.

The committee voted 18-7 Monday to drop the present 22 per cent depletion allowance to 15 per cent Jan. 1, 1975, to 8 per cent Jan. 1, 1976, and finally to zero on Jan. 1, 1977.

The tax-writing committee thus reversed itself on the issue of oil depletion, which has permitted 22 per cent of gross income from oil and natural gas property to be deducted from taxable income up to a maximum of 50 per cent of the taxable total.

Earlier, the committee had tentatively accepted just a partial phaseout plan that would have wiped out the 50 per cent ceiling, while lowering the depletion percentage rate itself as prices rose over the next few years.

The new approach could produce a $1-billion government gain in revenue from the industry in its first year and a total $3 billion over a three-year span. The previous plan, if fully effective, would have raised some $2.8 billion by 1981.

Committee Chairman Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., and Rep. Herman T. Schneebeli, R-Pa., the panel's senior GOP member, joined in advocating the new concept.

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Film Industry Gives Oscar Awards Tonight

By BOB THOMAS
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The film industry puts on the 46th Academy Awards tonight with stars from Ann-Margret to Elizabeth Taylor on the program and Marlon Brando and Robert Redford as no-shows.

Of the 10 male nominees for acting awards, only Brando and Redford failed to respond to the invitation to appear.

Glenda Jackson, making a film in Rome, and Barbra Streisand have also declined, although friends were still trying to convince Miss Streisand to appear.

Otherwise, tonight's telecast proceedings at the Music Center appears likely to be one of the most stellar turnouts in the colorful history of the Oscar awards.

The atmosphere befits the optimistic attitude in Hollywood, which has been heartened by a series of blockbuster movies.

Producer Jack Haley Jr. has booked double presenters for most of the awards. The list includes Liza Minelli, Gregory Peck, Linda Blair, Cher, Burt Bacharach, Susan Hayward, James Caan, Yul Brynner, Candy Bergen, Marcel Marceau, Charlton Heston, Charles Bronson and Paula Prentiss.

The program will feature three former wives of Eddie Fisher — Debbie Reynolds, Miss Taylor and Connie Stevens. Fisher is not attending.

Miss Stevens will sing one of the nominated songs, "Live and Let Die." Also singing will be Dyan Cannon, "All That Love Went to Waste;" Jody Foster and Johnny Whittiker, "Live"; and Peggy Lee, "The Way We Were."

Telly Savalas — the tough television detective Kojak — will also be singing "You're So Nice to be Around."

The sentimental highlight of the evening will be a special award to Groucho Marx for his contributions to film comedy. The presentation will be made by Jack Lemmon following a film tribute and a number from "Minnie's Boys," the Broadway biography of the Marx Brothers."

As in previous years, the Oscar cast was threatened by a labor dispute. But early Monday NBC reached agreement with a union representing air conditioning workers in its Burbank tudio.

The show is scheduled to begin at 10 p.m. EDT.

Major nominees for the awards include:

Best picture — "American Graffiti," "Cries and Whispers," "The Exorcist," "The Sting" and "A Touch of Class."

Best actor — Brando, "Last Tango in Paris;" Lemmon, "Save the Tiger;" Jack Nicholson, "The Last Detail;" Al Pacino, "Serpico;" and Redford, "The Sting."

Best actress — Ellen Burstyn, "The Exorcist;" Miss Jackson, "A Touch of Class;" Marsha Mason, "Cinderella Liberty;" Miss Streisand, "The Way We Were;" and Joanne Woodward, "Summer Wishes, Winter Dreams."

FOOD, STEEL AND HEALTH

Council Keeps Controls On Most Inflation Prone

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Cost of Living Council is leaving until last the lifting of wage and price controls from industries it considers to be the most inflation-prone in the economy, including food, steel and health.

However, the council lifted controls Monday from 165 other industries in its biggest action yet to decontrol the economy in advance of the April 30 deadline for ending most if not all controls.

Industries included in the latest decontrol action were banks and other financial institutions, the apparel industry, hotels, motion pictures and furniture and home furnishings.

Council director John T. Dunlop said these industries did not have serious inflation problems, but it nevertheless was likely there would be some price increases.

Dunlop said the industries remaining subject to controls were those where inflationary pressures were considered the worst. Besides food, steel and health, industries still subject to controls include copper, retail auto sales, machinery, construction and wages of state and local government employes, including school teachers.

However, unless Congress grants a last-minute reprieve to the administration's controls, all controls will end April 30. The administration has asked authority to continue controls in some specific areas, such as health and construction, but Congress so far has indicated it prefers to let the entire program die April 30.

There is some disagreement within the administration on how serious the price bulge might be in some areas when controls are lifted.

Top administration officials, including Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz, and Chairman Herbert Stein of the Council of Economic Advisers have indicated they feel the ending of all controls would have little effect on most prices, although they give at least luke-warm support to the proposal for continuing selective controls.

Dunlop has publicly warned that health costs could rise sharply without some continuing controls, and council officials are known to be concerned that prices in steel, food and construction also could get out of hand.

About 24 per cent of all consumer prices and 27 per cent of the labor force remained subject to price and wage control after Monday's action.

Industries decontrolled Monday, by category, included:

Manufacturing — apparel, leather goods, tools, motor vehicles and passenger car bodies not covered in the Dec. 10 exemption for the auto industry, photographic equipment and clocks and watches.

Wholesale trade — auto tires and tubes, furniture and home furnishings, lumber and construction materials, sporting goods, toys, apparel, chemicals and beer.

Financial institutions — banking, credit agencies, life insurance and real estate agencies.

Services — hotels and rooming houses, auto repair and parking garages, motion pictures and other amusements, legal services and educational services except for public employes.

Gas Hike Expected

HOUSTON (AP)—Houston Natural Gas Corp. customers will pay an additional 22 cents per thousand cubic feet if a requested rate increase is approved.

The new adjustment would increase the customer's monthly bill to 66.1 cents per thousand cubic feet or a total monthly increase of about $1.50.

Houston Pipe Line Co., a subsidiary of Houston Natural, has asked the Texas Railroad Commission to adjust its "domestic city gate rate" to equal increases in the field price of gas, Robert Herring, chairman and president of Houston Natural, said Monday.

The city gate rate is the wholesale price charged by Houston Pipe Line for gas it sells to Houston Natural for retail distribution to domestic customers in Houston and the 115 other communities.

Herring said Houston Pipe Line is trying to recover only the increase in the cost of gas it sells. He said the same amount will be passed along to Houston Natural customers.

The basic city gate rate was last increased in 1971 from 33.7 to 38.3 cents per thousand cubic feet with periodic "cost of gas" adjustments increasing the rate to its present 44.8 cents per thousand cubic feet.

It would be about three months before the increase could be passed along to consumers if the hike is granted.

Scott Newman To Stand Trial

MAMMOTH LAKES, Calif. (AP) — Scott Newman, son of actor Paul Newman, has been ordered to stand trial June 5 on a pair of misdemeanor charges stemming from a disturbance at a resort early this year.

Mono County Justice Court Judge W. Garfield Daniel said Newman, 23, will have a Justice Court trial by jury on charges of destruction of jail property and destruction of Continental Trailways Co. property.

Newman was arrested after a fight at the winter resort of June Lake in late January. He allegedly kicked one of the amnesty officers in the back of the head while being transported to jail and had to be subdued by three officers while trying to keep the patrol car from careening off a road, authorities said.

FCC Acts On License Permits

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Communications Commission on Monday announced these actions:

Conroe, Tex.-KIKR, Montgomery County Broadcasting Co. Inc., granted assignment of license to Family Group Enterprises Inc.

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Vacation Travel Encouraged

WASHINGTON (AP) — The administration is acting to encourage vacation travel, the deputy director of the Federal Energy Office said Monday.

John C. Sawhill told the Senate Commerce Committee the FEO will raise gasoline allocations for all states during April and said they will be higher in succeeding months if supplies permit.

"Since these actions will increase gasoline supplies, uncertainties about finding gasoline will be reduced and travel encouraged," he said.

Sawhill said if the supply situation worsens and all other steps do not achieve results, "the FEO will consider the provision of special allocations to gas stations on Interstate highways in order to ensure that travelers will not run the risk of being stranded."

Meanwhile, two major oil companies announced fuel price reductions.

The Standard Oil Co. of Ohio announced an immediate reduction of three-tenths cent per gallon in the wholesale cost of diesel fuel and home heating oil.

BP Oil, Inc., reduced prices for the same two products by four-tenths cent per gallon.

Bentsen Sees Nixon Impeached

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Tex., says he believes President Nixon will be impeached but that the Senate will not convict him.

Bentsen made his remarks here in a news conference. He has been widely discussed as a possible Democratic presidential nominee. He was here to address a business group.

The Senator said the nation would not be harmed if Nixon resigned and admitted guilt. But he added that if the president resigned while denying any wrong-doing, many would say he had been hounded out of office.

The latter, he said, would be "a serious situation."

"My guess is that the House will vote for impeachment. But as of today, I don't think you would find the two-third vote in the Senate for conviction," Bentsen said.

"This could dramatically change as we see what is before the Judiciary Committee of the House," he said.

Bentsen said Nixon could be impeached for something that was not an indictable crime.

"I think you could have an abuse of the power of the office that is not an indictable crime but still is impeachable," he said.

Youth Held In Murder

FORT WORTH (AP) — Edward Corbin Jr., 16, accused of murdering his teen-age brother and sister, was ordered held Monday in the county juvenile detention center.

Investigators said they wanted specialists to conduct psychiatric tests and other examinations.

Juvenile Court Judge Scott Moore granted the family's request that young Corbin be permitted later Monday to attend the funeral of his brother, Jeff, 14, and sister, Kim Diane, 17.

The two victims were shot to death Friday night in their suburban Bedford home.

With his mother's arm around his waist and his father standing next to her, the tall, handsome youth showed little emotion as he heard Moore order him confined in the juvenile center.

Police told the district attorney's office that Corbin got drunk on beer and then became angered when his brother and sister threatened to tell their parents he had been drinking.

The brother was shot first, they said, and then the girl as she tried to grab the shotgun.

After the shootings, police said, Corbin apparently tried to kill himself by swallowing a large amount of aspirin. The youth's parents were out of town at the time.

Dist. Atty. Tim Curry said no decision has been made on whether prosecutors will seek to have young Corbin tried as an adult or as a juvenile.

Under state law, a 16-year-old may be tried as an adult if the juvenile judge waives jurisdiction.

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WINGED BULLFIGHTER—The World's only bullfighting buzzard, shown here in an arena, will be featured at the Western Texas College NIRA Rodeo opening Thursday in the Scurry County Rodeo Arena. He belongs to Ralph Fisher of Houston, the rodeo clown.

Ralph Fisher To Appear As Rodeo Clown

Ralph "Fizzie" Fisher of Houston will be appearing as rodeo clown and presenting specialty acts during the second annual Western Texas College NIRA Rodeo April 4-6 in the Scurry County Rodeo Arena.

Fisher's specialty acts will feature Oscar, billed as the world's only bullfighting buzzard.

Advance tickets are now on sale for the nightly rodeo performances and may be purchased from any member of the WTC Rodeo Club. Dances are scheduled in the coliseum each night following the rodeo and tickets may be purchased at the door.

Guilty Plea Attempt Fails

BROWNSVILLE, Tex. (AP)—An accused bank robber failed Monday in an attempt to plead guilty after questioning by U.S. District Court Judge Reynaldo Garza.

Santos Marin Vasquez, 32, of Edcouch appeared before Judge Garza to plead guilty in the 1972 armed robbery of the Elsa State Bank.

Under questioning, Marin Vasquez denied actually robbing the bank. The judge then ordered a jury selected for the man's trial.

Marin Vasquez escaped from the Cameron County jail in December 1972 while awaiting trial on the robbery charges. He remained free until about three weeks ago when Mexican authorities released him to the FBI at the International Bridge. The man pleaded guilty March 25 to federal escape charges.

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Texas On Threshold Of Drought

By The Associated Press

A spot survey of cities across West Texas indicates a broad area of the state is badly in need of rain and is perhaps on the threshhold of a drought.

Lack of rainfall coupled with high winds have triggered sand and dust storms in some areas and contributed to a flurry of grass fires around San Angelo.

Scattered rainfall has eased the situation in some sections but for the most part ranchers and farmers have expressed concern that a severe drought is developing.

A good rain three weeks ago in the Amarillo area and across portions of the South Plains breathed new life in dryland wheat drops, but more is needed.

Cotton farmers, who enjoyed bumper crops and record prices in 1973, must have moisture soon to plant new crops. And the moisture also is needed to bring up sorghums and feed grain already planted.

Several observers were reluctant to label the situation a severe drought but all those surveyed said the dry conditions are serious and becoming more so each day.

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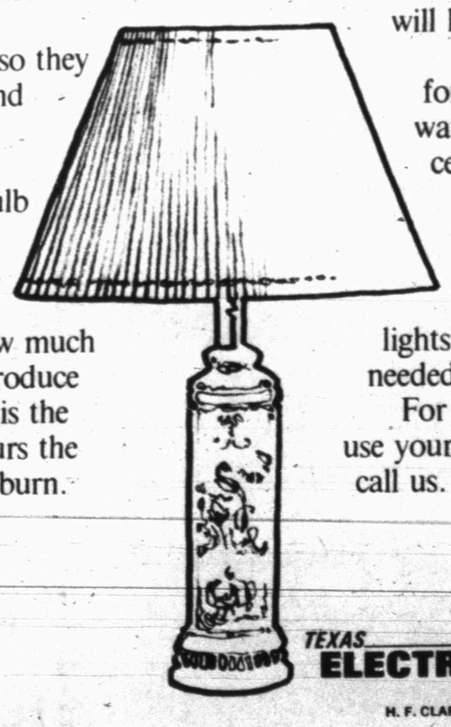

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LEADER DEVELOPMENT—These boys are attending a Troop Leader Development session conducted by Boy Scouts of America, Lone Buffalo District. Claude Woolsey, right center, conducted the seminar. Woolsey is a Woodbadge graduate and is the district Scout training chairman. Fifteen boys attended a day-long session held Saturday on the Richardson Ranch, two miles east of Dunn.

Hal Boyle Dies At 63

NEW YORK (AP) — Hal Boyle, a gentle spirit in an ungentle world, has died at 63.

Harold Vincent Boyle was for 30 years as much a fixture in hundreds of American newspapers as the weather report. His promise was always, in 7,680 columns for The Associated Press, a brighter tomorrow.

Boyle died of a heart attack at his home here Monday.

Funeral arrangements tentatively include a memorial service in New York, where he worked more than half his life as a daily columnist. Burial will be in Kansas City, Mo., the place of his birth.

Boyle's death came four months after he had learned that he was the victim of a rare, crippling, incurable disease—amyotrophic lateral sclerosis. The disease is commonly known as "Lou Gherig's Disease" because it felled the famed baseball player.

In his last column, which appeared Feb. 22, Boyle wrote:

"I hate to relinquish my daily column because writing it has been ... a magic adventure that enabled me to meet thousands of people, 67 countries and every continent but the Antarctic.

"I am somewhat abashed that my wordage output is four times more than that of William Shakespeare. But I savor the fact that it enabled me to have more bylined stories on the main wires of The Associated Press than any other writer in its 126 years."

Boyle won early fame as a war correspondent. But in the unsettled times between conflicts he solaced and soothed millions of readers with gentle thoughts such as this:

"If the Lord whispers in your secret heart that you had but one month to live and let you pick that month, which would you choose. I'd say October.

"The wind of night now has become a violin playing a love song for the young, a last tune of youth for the old ..."

Boyle, with thousands of GIs, stumbled into World War II on the shores of Africa. He walked with them to Berlin, then lugged his typewriter to the Pacific theater to chronicle their daily experiences on that front.

His column became a staple in more than 700 newspapers. He wrote about such things as "the dazed relief of climbing out of the ditch, moments later weak-kneed but knowing for the first time how wonderful it is to be really alive ... when someone is trying to take life from you."

For his "distinguished correspondence" he was awarded the Pulitzer Prize in 1945, but an equally treasured prize was the Omar N. Bradley Award of the Veterans of Foreign Wars won in 1950 for his Korean War coverage.

From Vietnam, the third war Boyle covered, he began one column as an open letter to his wife and daughter:

"You may be wondering what's going on here. So do I."

Boyle was the son of a butcher and an Irish immigrant farm girl. He began his career as a copyboy in the AP burcau in Kansas City in 1928 and after a short tour in the AP St. Louis bureau moved to New York in 1936.

In 1937 Boyle married Mary Frances Young, whom he met in Kansas City. She died in 1968. They had one daughter, Tracy Ann, 20, who survives. Two brothers also survive, John Boyle of Kansas City and Edward Boyle of Sun City, Ariz., and a sister, Mrs. Donald Newton of Kansas City.

Echeverria Is Going To Cuba

MIAMI (AP) — Havana Radio says Mexican President Luis Echeverria is going to Cuba. The broadcast said the visit was diclosed by Mexican Foreign Minister Emilio O. Rabasa, who met with Cuban Prime Minister Fidel Castro. No date was set.

Less Fuel Is Consumed

BOSTON (AP) — The average oil-heated household in Massachusetts has consumed nearly 20 per cent less fuel this year, according to a Needham computer specialist. This represents a savings of some 400 gallons for a typical home that last year had used 2,000 gallons, Richard J. Carroll said. Carroll is a petroleum marketing consultant for Business Computer Services which contracts with more than 70 oil dealers in Massachusetts and southern New Hampshire.

Jane Fonda Is In Moscow

MOSCOW (AP) — Antiwar actress Jane Fonda is in Moscow and is on her way to make a film in Vietnam.

A spokesman for the Indochina Peace Campaign said Miss Fonda plans to visit North Vietnam and "liberated areas of South Vietnam." She was invited by a group affiliated with the Provisional Revolutionary Government of Vietnam, the political army of the Viet Cong.

The film will be about life in South Vietnam. The spokesman said it may include interviews with former prisoners in South Vietnamese jails.

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Scouts Prepare For Leadership

Many of Snyder and Colorado City Boy Scout Troop leaders became aware of their leadership responsibilities in a Troop Leader Development session held Saturday on the Richardson Ranch 2 miles east of Dunn. Troops 20, 27, 36, and 273 sent their leaders to the session conducted by Claude Woolsey, Scout leader training chairman for the Lone Buffalo District and a Woodbadge graduate.

Those attending the training were from Troop 20: Sam Stricklin, Scribe; DaWayne Iglehart, Patrol leader; Kelly Welch, Patrol leader from Troop 27, Dennis Gary, quartermaster; Chris Chamblee, scribe; Walt Williams, Patrol leader; David Webb, Senior Patrol leader Troop 36, Daniel Peralez, Senior Patrol leader; Johnny Williamson, Assistant Patrol leader, Troop 273: Daniel Martinez, Patrol leader; Ruby Garza, Patrol leader; Bobby Hernandez, Assistant Patrol leader; Ismael Ortegon, Assistant Patrol leader, Mike Ortegon, Assistant Patrol leader; and Jesse Ramos, Patrol leader.

The day long training session taught the boys to make a flag pole from 4 separate poles, how to pitch a tent and make a campsite, cook patrol-style, be aware of the natural surroundings, and how to cook peach cobbler in a dutch oven.

These boys are now ready to assume the duties to which they have been elected and be managers of learning in their respective troops. Each boy received a special bit of knowledge which he now can take back to his Troop and pass along to the other boys in his troop.

Strauss Opens Law Week

DALLAS (AP) — National Democratic party Chairman Robert Strauss opened Law Week at Southern Methodist University with a warning that America faces a crisis of law, morality and public trust.

"Over the last 18 months, we have seen a severe strain placed on our cherished system of constitutional law," Strauss said in a campus speech.

"The entire scope of legitimacy that rests with and depends on the judicious use of power and authority in a society" has been taxed, he said.

"Many who have been in places of high honor have confessed crimes that boggle the imagination of decent Americans, whether they be Democrat, Republican or independent," he said.

Strauss sidestepped direct judgment of President Nixon in the Watergate scandal, but added: "I have every faith that the constitutional process devised by our founding fathers for just this contingency can be applied, and applied within the bounds of justice and non-partisanship."

"Let the system respond, and by responding, demonstrate its strength and integrity," Strauss said. "Let us give every opportunity for the innocent to be proven innocent. But let us insure that the guilty are found guilty and punished."

Tot May Be Only Witness

GALVESTON, Tex. (AP) — Police believe a 2-year-old boy was the only witness to the disappearance of two persons from a hotel fishing pier.

The body of the woman, identified as Bernadette Walker, about 20, washed ashore from the Gulf of Mexico and was recovered in the surf early Monday.

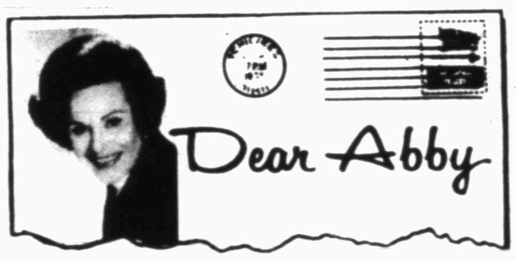
The spot was about a mile from where the woman and Henry Vorsburgh were believed fishing Sunday with his son Edric, 2.

The little boy was found early Monday by a hotel security guard on the corner of the pier near a car belonging to Vorsburgh. Two fishing rods and reels with lines in the water were next to the pier rail.

Police said papers indicated Mrs. Walker and Vorsburgh both reside in Camden, Tex. The boy was turned over to the county welfare department and later released to relatives.

A search was started for Vorsburgh along the Galveston beach front.

Lapland knows no fixed boundaries; it extends across arctic Sweden, Norway and Finland into Russia. Archeologists have discovered that Lapps roamed the region as early as A.D. 400, according to the National Geographic Society's book, "Vanishing Peoples of the Earth."



Examine your feelings before helping couple

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Our son [he is 24] and his finance have been going steady since they were 16, and plan on being married when she finishes college [out of town] in June. They have been spending every weekend together for some time. [They each have an apartment.] I knew about this and have told them I disapproved, but since they are both over 21, I had no say in the matter.

Last weekend the girl's mother checked on them and discovered what had been going on. She said she would not give them the big church wedding that was planned as it would be hypocritical.

The girl is well off in her own right and plans to pay for a big church wedding herself. She has asked me to help her with the plans, and now I am in the middle.

They are a wonderful couple, and I love them both, but I don't want to irritate her mother by doing for this girl what her own mother has refused. Yet, I don't want to alienate my future daughter-in-law. Can you help me?

IN THE MIDDLE

DEAR IN: How do you feel about being a party to a big church wedding for a couple who have been spending weekends together for some time? If you feel it would be hypocritical, then have no part in planning it. But if you feel differently about it, then go ahead and help. How the girl's mother feels about it shouldn't dictate your actions.

DEAR ABBY: As my eight-year-old son's birthday approached, I found myself in the dilemma of wanting to give him a birthday party, but being turned off by the idea that each child invited would feel compelled to buy a gift.

Now that we are beginning to realize that the resources on our planet are not inexhaustible, we must be more conservative, so I suddenly hit upon the idea of "recycling" gifts. I sent a note with each invitation saying: "Doesn't your child have something that he has enjoyed but has grown tired of and would like to pass along to a friend?"

It resulted in a beautiful sharing experience. My son appreciated the gifts all the more knowing they had been enjoyed by his friends. And his friends had the pleasure of giving something they had enjoyed. And nobody had to spend a dime!

If you think this is a good idea, please pass it on. D. B.

DEAR D. B.: It's a lovely idea! But it's hardly new. Adults have been quietly "recycling" gifts for years.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 65-year-old man and have been married to the same woman for 35 years. About ten years ago my good wife went through menopause, and during this period she gave me a very bad time. Since then I have been completely "turned off" sexually, especially since she now has grown a mustache.

She complains that I don't "love" her anymore. I love her in the real sense of the word because I care about her, but I do not "love" her enough to make love to her. In fact, I don't think I can! What do you suggest? OVER THE HILL

DEAR OVER: First, tell her to get rid of the mustache, and then make an honest effort to make love to her. Most men can, if they want to enough. Force yourself. You may like it.

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