

**Pennian Basin OIL & GAS LOG**

### Gaines, Ward, Garza Probes Are Planned

Exploration has been slated for Gaines, Ward and Garza counties.

National Co-Op Refinery Association, Midland, will drill No. 1 Crump as a 10,000-foot wildcat in Gaines, 23 miles southwest of Seminole.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 9, block A-28, PSL survey, abstract 1933; 3/4 mile south of the depleted one-well Tex-Mex, Southeast (San Andres) field.

### Garga Try

Remuda Oil & Gas Co. of Midland has scheduled No. 1 Moore, a 3,000-foot wildcat in Garza, a twin to a 2,688-foot failure and one mile west of the Justiceburg (San Andres and Gloria) field, but separated by depleted producers.

Location is 2,173 feet from north and west lines of section 6, block 6, H&G survey, 3 1/2 miles east of Justiceburg.

### Ward Probe

Gulf Oil Corp. plans to drill No. 96 W. A. Estes as a 3,400-foot searcher in Ward County, one mile west of the two-well Queen area of the HSA field.

Drill site is 330 feet from north and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 12, block B-19, PSL survey, 6 1/2 miles south of Monahans.

### Ventures Slated In Sterling Sector

Marathon Oil Co. has slated two 8,000-foot wildcats in Sterling County.

No. 1-20 E. J. McIntyre spots 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 20, block 14, SPRR survey, six miles northwest of Sterling City and 1 1/4 mile southeast of the McEntire (Fusselman) oil field.

No. 1-32 J. Cole, 2 1/4 miles southeast of the McEntire field, is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 32, block 14, SPRR survey, five miles west of Sterling City.

### 6,000-Foot Test Set For Dickens

Fox & Ransdell of Abilene, staked site for No. 1 Pitchfork Land & Cattle Co. as a 6,000-foot venture in Dickens County, 12 miles east of Spur.

Location is 2,310 feet from south and 330 feet from west lines of section 4, block A.S. Callaway, abstract 443, 1 1/4 mile northwest of a 7,413-foot failure which picked the top of the Canyon at 5,420 feet, underground elevation of 2,131 feet.

It also is five miles east of the Croton Creek, South (Tanehill) field, but separated by failures.

### West Tom Green Workover Slated

John L. Cox of Midland has filed application to re-enter and plug back to wildcat depth of 8,000 feet, probably for tests of the Wolfcamp and Canyon zones, at No. 1 Miss Ela, 8,801.

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### Weather

**FORECAST:** Continued cloudy through this afternoon, becoming clear in partly cloudy this evening through Friday. Warmer Friday. High 65, low 45. High 70, low 50. Low tonight, lower 50. High 70, low 50. North to southeasterly winds 10-20 m.p.h. this afternoon and early in southeasterly at 8:30 m.p.h. tonight.

**National Weather Service Headings:**  
Wednesday's high 51 degrees  
Overnight low 31 degrees  
Temp today 41 degrees  
Sunset today 6:58 p.m.  
Sunrise Friday 7:09 a.m.

**Pre-forecast:**  
This month to date 48 inch  
1975 to date 48 inch

The record high temperature recorded for a Jan. 15 was 79 degrees in 1955. The record low for a Jan. 15 was 15, set in 1974.

**LOCAL TEMPERATURES:**

11 a.m.	55	1 a.m.	40
1 p.m.	57	3 a.m.	38
3 p.m.	61	5 a.m.	36
5 p.m.	63	7 a.m.	35
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5 a.m.	32	7 a.m.	35
7 a.m.	30	9 a.m.	35
9 a.m.	28	11 a.m.	35
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# Women

2A—THE MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM, THURS., JAN. 16, 1975

## Camp Fire Girls Council Meets Sunday

The Midland Council of Camp Fire Girls, Inc., will have its annual meeting at 1:30 p.m. Sunday in the American Legion Hall.

Officers for 1975 will be elected and the board of directors will be approved. Scott Hickman, president, will present the annual report. Mrs. John Culver, Midland County judge, will be the featured speaker. She will discuss ways volunteers can aid a program on the Camp Fire Girls' approach to assist today's youth.

Awards will be made to the top salesgirls in the recent Camp Fire Girl Candy Sale, the only financial resource of the council. Many Horizon, Discovery, Adventures and Blue Birds will be honored. Mrs. Bob Smith, candy chairman for 1974, will assist with the presentations.

Plant Care  
Water newly potted plants by placing them in a tub that is partly filled with water. Watering this way eliminates any chance of disturbing the new plant, giving it a chance to get properly rooted.



LVN SCHOLARSHIP—Evelyn Levisay, left, vocational chairman of the Altrusa Club of Midland, Inc., and Mrs. F. R. Myers, right, director of Licensed Vocational Nursing Education for Midland College, present Mrs. Betty Ellis with an LVN scholarship. The \$300 check has been presented to Mrs. Ellis through the Founders' Fund of Vocational Services, one of the Altrusa Club's two national projects to aid women in furthering their educations.

## Study Club Has Business Meeting

The Modern Study Club had a business session recently in the Midland Woman's Club.

Mrs. E. R. West, president, announced her nominating committee, which includes Mrs. Harry Lovejoy, chairman, and Mrs. Harrie A. Smith and Mrs. John Casselman.

A collection was taken for the Banteen Book credited to the Big Spring State Hospital patient, who is being sponsored by the club.

Members were requested to contribute favorite recipes for the cook book being prepared by the Western District, Texas Federation of Women's Club.

Grace Sweatt of Laguna Beach, Calif., was a guest.

Hostess to the social period was Mrs. G. A. Plummer.

## Dear Abby

—By Abigail van Buren

### It Seems Everybody Has Fish Story

DEAR ABBY: "Sorry for fish" asked if fish felt pain. She said she goes fishing with a friend who filets the fish right after it's caught, and she can't bear to watch because it's still alive and wiggling.

You told her that since fish have nervous systems, they must have feelings, and suggested that she tell her impatient friend to wait until the fish dies before he filets it.

Abby, you certainly don't know much about fish. What's so humane about letting a fish die gasping for breath out of water? An expert fisherman first cracks the fish on its head to stun it, then quickly cuts off the head with a sharp knife.

Dead fish decompose very quickly (About 200 times faster than pork or beef.) The sooner after a fish is caught it is prepared for eating, the better it will taste.

FISHWIFE

DEAR FISHWIFE: Since my piscatorial expertise is limited to suckers, that one fish letter prompted a flood of letters. Here's another:

DEAR ABBY: If fish feel pain, there must be a lot of suffering fish in Japan where we have made our home for the last four years.

The Japanese take great pride in serving whole fish with their bellies sliced in strips while the fish is still breathing! (This is called "sashimi.")

The diners exclaim with delight, "Oh, look how fresh the fish is!" Another Japanese delicacy is live trout, skewered and placed over burning coals. And this is done right before your eyes, Abby.

So tell "Sorry for fish" if she ever visits a fine Japanese restaurant, she had better bring her handkerchief.

ALSO SORRY FOR FISH

DEAR ABBY: The proper procedure for preparing freshly caught fish is as follows: First, rap the fish smartly on the head. This will kill it humanely and immediately. Then clean the fish at once, and either eat it or freeze it as soon as possible.

Some of my friends think I know what I am talking about because I am not only the president of the Rainbow chapter of Trout Unlimited in Anchorage, Alaska, but I was recently elected to the House of Representatives.

MIKE HERSHBERGER

DEAR MIKE: Your presidency of "Trout Unlimited" suggest

## Foreign Exchange Student Gives Sorority's Program

Janice Hiscox, Midland's foreign exchange student from Australia, presented a program of slides when the Upsilon Conclave of Kappa Kappa Iota held its January meeting in the home of Mrs. Larry Gnagy, 3103 Metz Drive. Mrs. Bill Zeitler was co-hostess.

The slides covered a wide range of topics, including history and characteristics of Australia, as well as life styles of the people. A question and answer period followed.

Miss Hiscox, who is from Melbourne, Victoria, will be in the United States through the summer. She will be available for programs to interested groups.

Mrs. Ralph Buffington, president, read a note of appreciation from Casa de Ninos for the chapter's Christmas donation.

The sorority's annual state convention, it was announced, will be held April 18-19 at Fort Worth and the national convention June 22-27 at Biloxi, Miss.

Greta Elmore was introduced as a guest.

The next meeting, which will be held Feb. 10, will include a salad supper. Hostesses will be Mrs. Frank Stewart and Mrs. Matt Gilmore.

Midkiff Club Meets  
MIDKIFF — Mrs. Allen Whorton was hostess to the Midkiff Bridge Club meeting recently in her home. The bridge are Mrs. Roy Barrett, Mrs. Son Jackson, second Mrs. Fred Hill, low, and Mrs. Annie Rosenbau, traveling. Mrs. LaHoma Wilson of Midland was a guest.

Storing Spices  
Always store spices in the coolest, driest, darkest place in the kitchen. Stove heat and bright sunlight are bad for them.

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3A—THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1975

## HOROSCOPE

by Carol Richter

**GENERAL TENDENCIES:** You can't do a great deal accomplished, especially through persons in positions of power and authority, if you make a point of always pushing matters that go your way, no matter when things don't go your way.

**ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)** Use more tact with others, or you could get into big trouble. Find a better way to handle any problems you may have.

**TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20)** Being generous to friends is fine, but do not involve yourself in their problems, especially emotional ones. Use your judgment instead of advice.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)** Follow your own nose, but to say instead of getting so involved with a fellow worker who could lead you astray. Do not waste time with the fanciful.

**MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 22)** Concentrate more on how to expand in the near future and forget that work is so exacting for the time being.

**LEO (July 23 to Aug. 23)** Forget that announcement you have to attend and get busy with whatever is truly important to make your life more successful.

**VIRGO (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23)** Handle partnership problems wisely and don't disturb your family with them. Find some new associates better for you.

**LIBRA (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23)** Organize your work so you have few interruptions from troublemakers. Eat proper foods that will strengthen you. Sociable p.p.s.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24 to Nov. 21)** You have creative ideas that need to be brought to the attention of those who can help you make a success of them.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)** Any affairs of financial importance should be checked over very carefully now and advice taken from the influential.

**PISCES (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)** If you use direct methods in going after personal aims, you get the results now. Rely on trusted friends for the greater progress you want socially.

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**LAS VEGAS PARTY**—Mrs. Frank Schatz, Mrs. Dean Eige, Mrs. Charles Fishel and Mrs. Gale Butterfield, from the left, are shown at a Las Vegas Night Party held recently by the Permian Basin Geological-Geophysical Auxiliary.

### Las Vegas Night Theme Of Party

The Permian Basin Geological-Geophysical Auxiliary met recently in the Kimber-Lea Clubhouse for a Las Vegas Night card party, featuring bridge, Tripoli and hearts games.

Elected to the nominating committee during a business session preceding the games were Mrs. Ted Ashford, Mrs. Henry Libby, Mrs. J. Stewart Martin, Mrs. Richard Mercurio and Mrs. Donald Wambaugh. They will serve with Mrs. A. E. Simmons, chairman, and Mrs. Richard Warwick, co-chairman, who were elected by the board of directors.

Co-chairmen for the party were Mrs. Gale Butterfield and Mrs. Dean Eige. The hostesses were Mrs. J. W. Besselle Jr., Mrs. Charles Fishel, Mrs. Howard Green and Mrs. Frank Schatz.

The membership prize was won by Mrs. Jack Jordan. The bridge winners were Mrs. Robert Jefferies, high; Mrs. Gerald Calhoun, second; Mrs. Richard Mendenhall won the Tripoli prize, and Mrs. Joseph Reese was winner of the hearts games.

**Dicing Parsley**

When you want to dice parsley real fine, wash the parsley in hot water instead of cold and it will cut easier and finer.

**HINTS FROM Heloise**

**When Is A Frump Not A Frump—At 6 A.M.**

Dear Heloise:

"In endless arguments in your columns about the housewife's right to look 'natural' (read 'frumpy') in the morning, no one, to my knowledge, has offered the alternative I've found to be a solution to the problem.

**It is: Set your alarm for 10-15 minutes earlier. Go to bed earlier if you need that sleep.**

Those extra minutes give the old man a delicious feeling of stealing extra time in the sack, and gives you just enough time to brush your teeth, put on a pretty robe and slippers, take your hair out of rollers and comb it out, put on lipstick and maybe even a dash of cologne.

The investment in a new (inexpensive) robe each year, plus the self-discipline required to get up a little earlier each day, will reward you tenfold. If your husband can put bread on the table, you can make a neat appearance when you sit down to it.

**Jelly side down**

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"Hm. Could you ravel the legs, tie-dye them, and put a rescue patch on the seat?"

The best reward comes to you when you look in the mirror and see something better than a walking disaster. You will find the day goes much better when you feel good about yourself, and how you look.

Mrs. C. B. Wakeman

You're so right, doll!!!

Just because you have that ring doesn't mean you can stop trying to look nice. This could apply to hobbies as well!!!

Dear Heloise:

With postage so high, your readers might like to know that 4 1/2" x 6" is the legal limit for postcards. This is bigger than those sold at the postoffice. You can really get a lot more on the card by typing.

When I write my children a letter, I include a stamped, addressed postal card and that way I'm sure to get at least a postcard back.

Letters take longer and are more bothersome, so they are apt to be postponed.

Mrs. Donald Dill

Dear Heloise:

What clown told us dummies you could freeze onions! (Whole? — H.)

I bought a whole sack and put them in the freezer and now I have five pounds of smelly, soggy onions!

Wiser Reader

Honeychile, the hint said peel and chop them first and then you should use them only in cooking. Onions that have been frozen won't keep after thawing, but are scrumptious in stews, meatloaves, etc.

Dear Heloise:

I have almost waist-length hair and I like to wear it down, but I like the ends to have just a little curl.

When I go to sleep at night, I put my hair on top of my head in a bun. I bend over and brush all my hair forward, catch it with my hand, then straighten up and twist the hair into a bun. My trick is that I dampen the bottom three inches and then wind this tightly around the core of the bun (like a big pin curl).

When I brush it out, my hair is turned under just a little at the ends. It is perfect for me, and my hair seems to have more body to it from doing this.

Dear Heloise:

I have wall-to-wall carpeting in my room and it's up to me to keep it clean.

Between vacuuming the rug "grows" those little balls of fuzz. Mom said I'd have to use "elbow grease" to get them up. Well, I hate any kind of work, so I came up with my own idea to clean them up.

Find an old, clean nylon hairbrush that no one uses, and simply trash a few swipes, and the carpet with it. You'll be surprised at the results!

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Lisa Ruffino  
Age 14

THIS COLUMN is written for you . . . the housewife and homemaker. If you have a hint or a problem write to Heloise in care of this newspaper. Because of the tremendous volume of mail, Heloise is unable to answer all individual letters. She will, however, answer your questions in her column whenever possible.

### Coming Events

- Friday**
- MCC Ladies' Association, duplicate bridge games, 12:30 p.m., Clubhouse.
  - Shoppers' Luncheon, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Midland Woman's Club. All members and friends are invited.
  - Midland Newtime Couples Bridge, 8 p.m., RICC. Reservations: Mrs. Leonard White, 694-5285.
  - Senior Citizens Center, 10 a.m., crafts with Sarah; 1 p.m., games, First Christian Church.
  - Midland Chapter No. 22, Permian Without Partners, 8 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Sans Souci, 106 South A St.
  - St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church, 9:30 a.m., W-Study, church.
  - AAUW World Affairs group, 7:30 p.m., at National Room, The First National Bank.
  - Midland Society of University Women, dinner and luncheon, 7 p.m., Midland Country Club.
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### Mrs. Solon Crain Elected Regent For DAR Chapter

The Col. Thesius Dey Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Monday at Hillander School to observe a regular meeting of the Jun Bowle Chapter, Junior American Citizens, whose activities for students in grades 4-6 are sponsored by the DAR chapter.

During the DAR business session, conducted by Mrs. George VanHusen, regent, officers for 1975-77 were elected. They were Mrs. Solon Crain, regent, Mrs. W. C. Hubbard, first vice regent; Mrs. Frank Esser, second vice regent; Mrs. Richard Hughston, chaplain; Mrs. Charles Welch, treasurer; Mrs. George Glash, recording secretary; Mrs. Edward Gideon, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bruce Pearson, registrar and Mrs. Charles Martin, historian-librarian.

Mrs. Essex, national defense chairman, gave me a report on the World Population Conference and the World Food Conference.

Mrs. Ben Black read a historical account of an attack by a band of Tories on the

home of Co. James Drake during the American Revolution. Colonel Drake, from Nash County, N.C., is the Revolutionary War ancestor of Mrs. Black.

The following delegates and alternates were elected to attend the state DAR convention scheduled March 19-20 in Amarillo: Mrs. Crain, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Black, Mrs. John Butler, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Robert Hudson.

Delegates and alternates elected to attend the Continental Congress in April at Washington, D.C., were Mrs. Crain, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Essex.

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HEAT WAVE HITS SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Becky Austin, 19, frolics in the surf with her daughter, 2, near their Huntington Beach home as temperatures in southern California soared to 90 degrees. (AP Wirephoto.)

## Bribery Indictments Expected On Ex-Oklahoma Governor

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—A federal grand jury was expected to return indictments today accusing former Gov. David Hall and two Texas men of trying to bribe Secretary of State John Rogers to influence the investment of \$10 million in state funds. The source said Rogers had refused to discuss his testimony but other federal sources said the indictments probably would be returned today. The source said Rogers had cooperated with federal officials and with the aid of federal agents, had recorded

conversations with Hall and Rogers and John DeWitt, an FBI agent, who testified Wednesday on charges they tried to bribe him. The grand jury, which reconvened Wednesday after several months' recess, has been conducting a lengthy investigation into allegations of kickbacks on contracts during the Hall administration. A companion Internal Revenue Service probe has been in progress for more than a year. But the alleged attempt to bribe Rogers apparently was something that developed in the past few weeks. If the jury returns any indictments as a result of the bribery probe, a report on the other investigation still would appear to be at least several weeks away because the IRS report has not been made final. Only two witnesses

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The complaint against Taylor and Mooney alleged Rogers told federal officials the two men offered to pay to him the sum of \$31,250 to influence the vote of the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System. Rogers is chairman of the seven-member board that administers the \$93 million retirement fund for state employees. Max Stange, director of the fund, said Taylor and Mooney had been trying to persuade the board to invest \$10 million in Southwest Mortgage Co., the firm Taylor heads. Jim Cook, state commissioner of charities and corrections, and L. P. Williams, former state labor commissioner, were in the federal building Wednesday and both said they expected to testify today. Cook is a member of the board and Williams was a member until his term expired Monday. **Members Named**  
Other board members include State Treasurer Leo Winters, Tax Commission Secretary J. R. Merrill, State Finance Director J. O. Spiller and State Highway Director Richard Ward. Hall appointed Williams, Spiller and Merrill. Ward was named by the Highway Commission, whose members are gubernatorial appointees. Rogers was provided protection by FBI agents after the arrests Tuesday. **Girl With Longest Hair Dies At 73**  
DETROIT (AP)—Jackie Walls, 73, who gained fame in the 1930s as "the girl with the longest hair in the United States," died Dec. 22, it was announced Wednesday. Her death was not announced earlier because of difficulty locating relatives. At its maximum length, her hair reached 7 feet, 4 inches. She toured the country exhibiting her hair and selling hair tonic. Her hair was cut in 1931 when it became entangled and a hair expert couldn't unsnarl it.

# Court Studies Jacobsen's Case Arguments

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—The Justice Department with special prosecutors. Wayne O. Woodruff, one of the prosecutors appointed by Hill, argued that the executive branch of the government can dismiss indictments only "by leave of the court." Turkheimer said that meant only that the executive branch, represented by the Justice Department, merely has to protect the public by explaining why it is dismissing an indictment.

Government lawyers told the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals Wednesday that the judge violated principles of checks and balances by pursuing the embezzlement case. Jacobsen, a former milk lobbyist, was a key government witness in the Watergate-related grand jury investigation which resulted in a bribery indictment against former Texas Gov. John C. Connally, a presidential aspirant.

"Do you believe that under our Constitution the court is entitled to know the reason why an indictment is to be dismissed?" asked Chief Judge John R. Brown. Turkheimer said, "Yes." "Then," said Brown, "what you're saying is that you are required to give some reason, but whatever reason you give, it is conclusive." Turkheimer again responded, "Yes." "It seems to me there is

some middle ground here," said Judge John Minor Wisdom, another of the three judges who heard the oral arguments before taking the case under advisement Wednesday. "Even if the leave of the court is required for dismissal of an indictment," Wisdom said, "that still doesn't give the court power to appoint special prosecutors. It's still up to the President of the United States, acting through his chief legal

officer, to prosecute the case. The President takes an oath to see that the law is faithfully executed." "It was a bad bargain, and Judge Hill recognized it," Woodruff said. "Looking at it from a national perspective, the attorney general may deem it more important that a man in a high place be given a lighter sentence than that a man in a lower place be given a heavy sentence," Wisdom said.

While serving as secretary of the treasury under former President Nixon, Connally is accused of taking \$10,000 in illegal payments from Jacobsen. In return for testimony in Connally's trial, the Justice Department agreed to drop charges against Jacobsen of misapplying about \$825,000 of a San Angelo savings and loan company's funds.

U.S. District Court Judge Mace Thurman rejected Montoya's motion to quash the indictment despite arguments by his lawyers that the site of the alleged crime was his home county of Hidalgo. No motion has been filed to change the trial site on grounds of excessive publicity because, his lawyers say, that would imply agreement that Travis County was the proper place to

file charges in the first place. The judge is expected to rule on the venue issue at the Jan. 27 trial. Montoya could have the trial postponed until after the legislative session if he wanted to, regardless of who his lawyer is because Montoya himself is a legislator, Washington said. The state contends Montoya paid Olivia Silva, Fernando Silva, Victor Ramirez, Marcelo Cavazos and Joel Garcia a total of \$2,929.56 in state money for doing no state work. Most of the money, \$1,705.34, was paid to Ramirez in 10 checks from January through October 1974.

Olivia Silva, 24, and her brother, Fernando Silva, 21, work in the store. The state contends the brother drove a truck to pick up purchases from a state auction in Austin and carry them back to the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Judge Thurman granted a defense motion to require disclosure by the state of the names of its witnesses and to furnish copies of the state warrants (checks) it expects to introduce at the trial.

Brown added, "We're dealing with a situation in which a judge — no matter how noble — doesn't have the information or the means to get the information on what is more important: to go after the secretary of the treasury or a more-or-less routine embezzlement."

## Attorneys For Rep. Montoya Want To Get On With Trial

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Lawyers for Rep. Greg Montoya say they are anxious to get on with his trial on theft charges Jan. 27. "I want to lift the burden from this man's shoulders," Rep. Craig Washington, D-Houston, told reporters following the Elsa Democrat's pre-trial hearing Wednesday. State District Court Judge Mace Thurman rejected Montoya's motion to quash the indictment despite arguments by his lawyers that the site of the alleged crime was his home county of Hidalgo.

One of Montoya's lawyers, Rep. Craig Washington, D-Houston, asked for the names of "complainants" in the case. "There are no complainants in this case other than the 12 members of the grand jury," said Dist. Atty. Bob Smith. "I'll be happy to furnish those names."

Montoya diverted the services of Olivia Silva to his wife, who runs an auto parts store in Elsa. In a second count of the indictment, the state alleges Montoya diverted the services of Olivia Silva to his wife, who runs an auto parts store in Elsa.

But Woodruff said, "I don't think district court judges are so parochial. Remember, too, that the months after it was made." Judge Alfred P. Murrah, the third judge on the panel, said: "We're dealing here with the raw exercise of power." He cited several other court cases as precedent, summing up: "Each one of them says unequivocally that the power resides in the executive."

"The separation of powers was not intended to be, nor has it ever been, water-tight. There's always been some lapping over," Woodruff said. But Murrah declared: "If these categorical statements are correct, you lose."

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## All Officials Claim Figure Heard Talks Legal Contributions

NO (AP)—W. L. claims the phone company is guilty of irregularities including illegal political contributions. Holman described in the tape how the contribution to Reagan was made. "Mr. Warren Hatfield who, at the time, was one of our, frankly, lobbyists here in the state Capital, came down to Corpus Christi and Mr. Reagan—Sen. Reagan, myself and Mr. Hatfield had breakfast together on one occasion at which time he gave him a sum, as I recall, of \$200," Holman said. "Another time he sent me a check which I delivered to Mr. Reagan for \$200," he added.

Expenses Voucher Holman said while he never discussed where the Reagan funds came from, he assumed Hatfield recovered the money through an expense voucher some way. While Holman acknowledged not knowing specifically where the money came from, he says, "it came from the company. Certainly."

In other developments: —A deposition by Ashley was filed Wednesday in federal court in the antitrust suit. It dealt mainly with a detailing of Ashley's claims of irregularities in Bell operations as noted in the libel suit in state court. —Waggoner Carr, an unsuccessful U.S. Senate candidate when he ran up a \$30,000 phone bill, denied claims by Holman that the phone company in effect wrote off the debt by arranging legal work which was never done.

Southwestern Bell promised an answer today to both the Holman-Ashley tape and the Ashley deposition. Allegations in the Holman tape included that Southwestern Bell executives were encouraged to distort expense records regularly to cover up expenditures ranging from baby-sitting the boss's daughter to retiring Carr's phone bill. Allegations of corporate monies funneled to political candidates besides Reagan included Rep. John Young of Corpus Christi and several former and current city officeholders across the state.

Southwestern Bell denied that any illegal political fund now exists, but did not contradict Ryan's charges that illegal payments were made for more than 10 years and up until mid-1973, when Ryan was dismissed by the company. Ryan said he personally ad-

ministered the political fund during the nine years he head- ed the firm's operations in North Carolina. He said the fund was fueled by payments from his eight top executives. Ryan said they were given salary increases with the understanding that they would kick back part of the money to the fund. The former executive said that in 1972, he paid \$30,000 in campaign contributions, giving money to four candidates in the race for North Carolina governor. Gilchrist said he has requested the North Carolina Department of Justice to assign

Midlander's Story Bought By Magazine Mary J. Goodwin of Midland has a story accepted for publication in the December issue of The Beehive, a children's magazine published by the United Methodist Publishing House, Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Goodwin is employed in the advertising department of The Reporter-Telegram and is a free-lance writer.

an agent from the State Bureau of Investigation to assist in the investigation. North Carolina Atty. Gen. Rufus Edmisten offered additional lawyers and investigators to Gilchrist. Edmisten added that he is considering further Justice Department support in a "joint effort" with Gilchrist. In another development, U.S. Atty. Keith Snyder of Asheville, whose district includes Char- lotte, said he has briefed the Justice Department in Wash- ington on the matter. He declined to say whether a

formal investigation would be launched, saying only that the matter was under considera- tion. Both state and federal laws prohibit corporate contributions to political campaigns. Ryan said Wednesday that Bell executives under his authority were still making monthly contributions to the fund when he was fired 17 months ago. Ryan has said he plans to sue Southern Bell in an attempt to clear his reputation. He said he believes his case is similar to

one involving a vice president of Southwestern Bell, who committed suicide and left a letter accusing the company of har-assing him. Ryan said he also has filed a complaint with the U. S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, claiming he was fired for trying to eliminate dis- crimination practices against women. Hawaii's sugar plantations occupy 236,500 acres of land on four islands.

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## Says There's a Chance For Wheat Price Drop

(AP)—U.S. Secretary Earl L. Butz figures indicate a chance for a drop in wheat prices in 1975.

World conditions are going to require it. World demand is going to insist on it." He also predicted production would be the order of the day for the foreseeable future.

Waters said world food is "everybody's problem, not just the farmers' problem, and everybody is going to have to share the bill." He said that he personally opposes export controls.

Bill Mead of Dallas, board chairman of the American Bankers Association, said, "I am concerned about supplies—not price. Personally I want a target price (for wheat) at \$3.50 or \$4 per bushel."

Carl Brunthaver, formerly with the Agriculture Department and now with Cook Industries International Grain, said although the nation's reserve program is far superior to other nations', it is not adequate to supply the needs of the entire world.

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# Texas Legislature Acts Swiftly On Unemployment, State Salaries

By LEE JONES  
AUSTIN (AP) — Reacting to both recession and inflation, Texas legislators acted today on bills providing extra unemployment relief and raising state employe salaries.

Both houses passed their respective versions of an emergency bill entitling 25,000 jobless Texans to an extra \$5 million in federal benefits. Another vote will be needed, on either the Senate or House version, to send it to the governor.

making \$410 a month now would get a \$58 raise to \$468, while one making \$651 would get a \$92 raise to \$743.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe submitted the unemployment compensation bill to the legislature Wednesday morning as an emergency matter, and Clayton said the \$5 million would be lost if it does not become law by Jan. 20.

for the 25,000 Texans who used up their eligibility unemployment compensation. The federal bill, signed Year's Eve by President provides up to 13 weeks of extended jobless benefits.



**CLOWNING IT UP**—Joe Joe, left, and Happy, right, are making the rounds promoting the "little people's" carnival which opened this afternoon in the Dellwood Plaza Mall. The indoor carnival will continue through Jan. 22. Here they visit with Mrs. William E. Quattlebaum.

## Trustee Interpretations Vary On Boundary Action

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and to determine if it is a feasible plan. If the plan is found feasible it will be implemented in the fall of 1976.

The next motion, offered by Gilbert C. Tompson and seconded by James Ramsoure, called for implementation of the Fannin-Crockett plan in the fall of 1975.

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the economic factors that would justify it."

Supt. Dr. James H. Mailey this morning said his staff's study would include data on a one-campus arrangement as well as for two campuses of one school.

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still a study until the staff sees how it will work and we see how it will work.

"The public should be made aware this business of consolidation is not just to keep the staff busy and make news," he continued. "It's a serious look at doing it and it is a plan that is being very seriously considered by all members of the board, as I understood it—at least to different degrees."

Ramsoure said he understood the Fannin-Crockett plan was to be implemented in the fall of 1975 regardless of action taken this summer at the conclusion of the six-month study on the consolidation proposal.

Craig said he felt the intention of the board was to pass the consolidation plan if it proves to be workable.

## Craddick Attends Capital Briefing

AUSTIN — Rep. Tom Craddick of Midland was named Texas representative to a special White House briefing in Washington today on economic and energy matters.

Craddick told The Reporter-Telegram Wednesday night in a telephone call from Washington that he is honored to have been selected to represent Texas.

"I will do my best to get Texas' position across to the President, and am hopeful I can have a private audience with President Ford," Craddick said.

President Ford was to conduct the White House briefing, being held to give state leaders the chance to review and counsel with the President on elements of his State of the Union message.

## Clark To Speak At Dell City Event

Harry W. Clark, vice president economic development of the First National Bank and chairman of the Local Action Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the speaker tonight at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce at Dell City.

Clark also is chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce. He is a former executive director of the Texas Industrial Commission.

## Where's The Fire?

10:30 p.m. Wednesday — Trash fire, 2000 Sinclair St. set by children, no damage.  
1:30 p.m. Wednesday — Grass fire at 1106 E. Pennsylvania St., probably set, no damage.

## CIA Closed Hearings Continue

WASHINGTON (AP) — CIA Director William E. Colby met in closed session with the Senate Armed Services Committee today to answer questions about his admission that the CIA spied on antiwar groups and other dissidents in the United States.

Former CIA Director Richard Helms, now U.S. ambassador to Iran, also appeared before the committee, sitting next to Colby. Helms headed the agency from 1966 to 1973, during which many of the domestic activities acknowledged by Colby occurred.

Meanwhile, Rep. Paul Findley, R-Ill., said in a speech prepared for delivery on the House floor today that Helms should not be permitted to return to his diplomatic post until he is completely cleared of wrongdoing.

## Bell Says Tapes Involve Hearsay

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dent in charge of Bell's Texas operations.

Goodson said Wednesday that a Bell executive in San Antonio picked up a fourth of the \$300 monthly rental for about a year but that Goodson later reimbursed the executive, who he identified as H. S. Schodde, now a Bell executive in St. Louis, Mo.

"It was during our internal investigation in San Antonio that we learned of the deposit to hold the house for occupancy. Our district manager in Victoria indicated he had been instructed to find a house, put down a deposit and hold it because there was a housing shortage. We were not aware he had placed a \$175 deposit and had vouchered the payment. The company has been reimbursed the \$175," the statement said.

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## Accidents—Fast Action Due On Ford Program

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wire go into the mouth of the stripper. He reached for it and suddenly his arm was jerked off. "I drove the stripper to the end of the row, got into my pickup and drove home," Chandler said. "My wife then took me to the emergency room."

Duke completed stripping his field and had driven his tractor to the house. He was taking the stripper off his tractor when a part of it fell and hit him in the back of the head, cutting his head and breaking his neck.

Five hundred of the 1,500 acres Duke and his sons farm are owned by the City of Midland. He is a member of the Midland County Farmers Union and the Midland County Farm Bureau.

About six weeks ago, another area farmer, Forrest Eggemeier of Midkiff was killed when he became entangled in a cotton stripper.

## Snelson Sets Up Operating Rules For Senate Panel

AUSTIN — State Sen. Pete Snelson of Midland, new chairman of the Senate Intergovernmental Relations Committee, Wednesday predicted the panel would once again be very active.

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## Courthouse

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fault in the design of the drainage pipes.

Commissioner Win Brown proposed the pouring of sodium silicate over the jail floor to stop the leaking. "It adheres like epoxy (resin) itself and becomes part of the floor," he said. His proposal "might be at the way to seal the inner roof."

Courthouse woes not affected by the general contract include over-due bulletin boards that arrived Monday from the Big Spring supplier.

They were damaged, and promptly returned.

## Texas High Court Denies Odessa's Plea For Hearing

AUSTIN — Don W. Hogue, seeking to collect for personal injuries allegedly suffered when he inhaled some gas, has been denied an appeal hearing by the State Supreme Court.

Hogue, an employee of Fish Engineering Construction Inc., claimed he was injured while working on a contract expansion at the El Paso Products Co.'s plant at Odessa, Jan. 27, 1967.

Judge of the 161st District Court in Ector County had directed the jury to find against Hogue.

And the Court of Civil Appeals at El Paso agreed with the judge's directive, that Hogue had shown no evidence of negligence or omission that would cause gas leakage.

Hogue had also agreed with company officials that the gas could only escape if something was broken.

## Hearing Slated On El Paso Air Bid For Charter

AUSTIN (AP) — A Feb. 12 hearing has been scheduled before the Texas Aeronautics Commission on an application for charter by the El Paso Air Transport Inc.

The application says El Paso Air Transport proposes to provide scheduled passenger and cargo air service between Big Spring and the Dallas-Fort Worth Airport, with an intermediate stop at Abilene and the Midland Regional Air Terminal.

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## Registration Set Tonight

Registration is tonight on the Midland College Campus from 5 to 9 p.m. for spring semester classes.

The time slot from 5 to 6 p.m. is open to all persons. Students whose last names begin with letters A through L will enroll from 6 to 7:30 p.m. and students M through Z will sign up from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Registration will be in the administration building on the new campus, 3600 N. Garfield St.

## Floyd Family Sues For Damages

The Jay E. Floyd family of Midland is seeking actual and punitive damages of \$37,167.75 in a breach of warranty against Morris J. Fitzgerald of Fitzgerald Weather Mart here.

The plaintiffs claim they suffered "undue mental and physical stress" when they were without air conditioning "in the midst of summer heat" last year.

Of the judgment sought in the suit, \$25,000 is in punitive damages.

## Church Schedule Special Screening

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"The strike action is being delayed as negotiations continue at various locations," said union spokesman Jerry Archuleta. "They have not reached agreement, but are still in very serious negotiations. It appears both sides are very earnest about trying to avert a strike." Sources on both sides of the

## Fast Action Due On Ford Program

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faced up to the nation's problems and that it is now up to the heavily Democratic Congress to act. The views of House leaders were considered particularly significant because the Constitution requires all revenue legislation to originate there.

Proposals Discussed  
Most of Ford's proposals had been disclosed earlier in his nationally televised and broadcast speech Monday night and in briefings by White House officials.

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Services will be at 2 p.m. today in Stevens Chapel, Cole.

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Two representatives from Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation will tour MH-MR and program facilities in Odessa Friday.

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For the 25,000 Texans who used up their eligibility for unemployment compensation under the federal bill, signed last year by President Ford, provides up to 13 weeks of extended jobless benefits. Briscoe, meanwhile, plans to be in Washington to complain at a White House briefing about the President's economic and energy proposals. "I am told that these proposed actions of the President will take \$3.4 billion out of the economy of the state through higher utility bills and the increased cost of gasoline," Briscoe said in a statement.

# Program Due

His proposals included: —A two-stage tax reduction including a 12 per cent rebate on 1974 taxes up to \$1,000 per family, and a permanent lowering of rates, mostly for lower income families, starting this year. —A package of energy proposals expected to raise fuel prices by 10 cents a gallon, and increase windfall oil company profits. —Refusal to propose any domestic spending program other than those devoted to energy research, and a veto of spending programs proposed by Congress. —A five per cent ceiling on federal pay increases and of-living hikes for Social Security and other pension payments by the federal government.

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# Oil Facing Workers Union

Amoco has 4,700 employees in states for whom the refinery is a major employer. In Indiana, Wyoming, Illinois, Texas, Utah, North Dakota and Missouri. Texaco, the nation's largest refinery, has 2,960 employees represented by the union. The union said strikes set at Texaco locations in California, Washington, Wyoming, Texas, Oklahoma, Illinois and New Jersey. The union said the strike at Mobil Oil Co.'s Mont. Tex. refinery was only one being called against Mobil, partly because other unions, such as the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, have also issued strike notices. About 1,500 workers are employed there.

# Low, Middle-Income Families Would Benefit Most From President's Proposed Tax Reduction Program

WASHINGTON (AP) — Taxpayers at low-and-middle income levels would get a better tax break from President Ford's proposed tax reductions than high-income taxpayers. Ford has urged lower tax rates, beginning with taxes being withheld this year, in order to offset a new round of proposed energy price increases. The lower rates are in addition to the one-shot 12 per cent tax cut proposed for taxes on 1974 income.

At the \$12,500 income level, the tax savings would be \$300, and at \$40,000, it would be \$130, meaning taxpayers in the higher bracket would receive \$120 less than the average increase in energy prices. Everybody at the low end of the income scale would at least get \$80. Zarb said this would more than cover higher energy costs at low income levels, which he estimated at \$44 a family.

If a person has insufficient taxable income to pay any taxes, he or she would receive an \$80 check from the government to cover higher energy costs, a kind of negative income tax. This payment would go to every adult 18 years and over who earns too little income to pay any taxes and who is not eligible to be included as an exemption on someone else's tax return.

A total of \$2 billion would be distributed in this fashion to about 25 million adult Americans, Treasury Department officials said. The tax program announced by Ford in his State of the Union address altogether would return \$38.5 billion to individual taxpayers in 1975, counting a 12 per cent tax rebate for 1974, totaling \$12 billion, and a \$16.5 billion cut in income taxes for 1975.

Under Ford's plan, a family of four with income of \$5,000 or below would not pay any income tax. The current tax on \$5,000 income is \$185. In contrast to the tax rate reductions for 1975 and beyond, which would give proportionally greater benefits to low-and middle-income earners, the tax rebate for 1974 would benefit all income levels.

Families of four with incomes somewhere between \$12,500 and \$15,000 would break even under Ford's plans, getting a tax cut about equal to the increase in their energy costs, according to government estimates.

Energy costs for a family of four are expected to increase about \$250 due to higher energy taxes, according to Federal Energy Administrator Frank Zarb. The \$250 also represents the approximate tax savings to the typical family of four with an income of between \$12,500 and \$15,000.

At the \$12,500 income level, the tax savings would be \$300, and at \$40,000, it would be \$130, meaning taxpayers in the higher bracket would receive \$120 less than the average increase in energy prices.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's energy program is a big, confusing package featuring plans to sock the public for \$30 billion in higher energy costs, then give the money back. Here, in questions and answers, is an explanation of the energy policy proposed Wednesday in Ford's first State of the Union address.

Q. You've lost me already. I thought high energy prices were part of the problem. Why does the President want to raise them even higher? A. He thinks that if energy costs more you will use less and save fuel. And he figures future energy supplies will be costly to produce, so it will take higher prices to pay for them.

Q. What will this program cost me? A. Zarb says the program would add about \$250 to the average family's fuel bill, a 26 per cent increase. The administration estimates its proposals would raise the cost of petroleum products around 10 cents a gallon.

Q. So the oil companies pick up a bundle in higher prices for doing nothing, right? A. Not the way Ford sees it. He also wants Congress to pass a windfall profits tax that would scoop up around 88 per cent of the companies' increased profits.

Q. What about natural gas? A. The gas industry estimated the average residential price last year at about \$1.17 per thousand cubic feet. Ford is proposing to add a new federal tax of 37 cents per thousand cubic feet.

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# THE STATE OF THE UNION

# Proposed Tax Schedules

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Treasury Department has released tax schedules that would apply if Congress approves the decreases in tax rates proposed Wednesday by President Ford to begin this year. The first column in each schedule lists taxable income, or the amount of income that is taxable after all exemptions and deductions have been subtracted. The second column lists the amount of tax at present, and the third lists the amount that would apply if the decreases are approved.

Taxable Income	Present	Proposed
16,000	3,830	3,640
18,000	4,510	4,320
20,000	5,230	5,040
22,000	5,990	5,820
26,000	7,590	7,460
32,000	10,290	10,160

Schedule Y — Married taxpayers filing joint returns:

Taxable Income	Present	Proposed
\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1,000	140	70
2,000	290	170
3,000	450	300
4,000	620	450
6,000	1,000	790
8,000	1,380	1,170
12,000	2,260	2,050
16,000	3,260	3,050
20,000	4,380	4,210
24,000	5,660	5,530
28,000	7,100	6,970
32,000	8,600	8,530

Schedule Z — Single heads of households:

Taxable Income	Present	Proposed
\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
1,000	140	70
2,000	300	190
4,000	660	490
6,000	1,040	870
8,000	1,480	1,290
10,000	1,940	1,750
12,000	2,440	2,250
14,000	2,980	2,790
16,000	3,540	3,350
18,000	4,160	3,970
20,000	4,800	4,630
22,000	5,500	5,350
24,000	6,220	6,090
26,000	6,980	6,850
28,000	7,780	7,670

# Nation Free Of Major Storms

By The Associated Press Snow sifted into scattered areas from the central Rockies to New England today, but temperatures moderated further after an arctic outbreak that began with last weekend's Midwestern blizzard. Subzero cold persisted in the northern Rockies and Plains, but a gradual warming continued from the Midwest to the Deep South. Readings before dawn ranged from -14 at Alamosa, Colo., to 66 at Key West and West Palm Beach, Fla. Some other reports: Atlanta 38 clear, Boston 26 partly cloudy, Buffalo 23 cloudy, Chicago 25 snow, Cincinnati 26 snow, Cleveland 21 snow, Dallas 41 clear, Denver 31 cloudy, Detroit 23 cloudy, Honolulu 70 partly cloudy, Indianapolis 27 snow, Kansas City 27 cloudy, Los Angeles 56 clear, Louisville 35 cloudy.

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# U.S. Industrial Output Declines

WASHINGTON (AP) — American industrial output slipped by 2.8 per cent in December, the largest monthly drop in nearly 16 years.

The Federal Reserve Board, reporting the drop Wednesday, warned that further cutbacks are in store for the auto industry.

The report came as President Ford presented Congress with economic proposals designed to shift the administration's focus from fighting inflation to fighting recession.

**Index Lags**

The monthly decline left the Fed's industrial output index 6.5 per cent behind where it was a year ago — the largest calendar year drop since a 7 per cent decline in 1973.

Meanwhile, wholesale prices declined in December for the first time in 14 months. The Labor Department put the drop at five-tenths of 1 per cent.

Government analysts said the decline indicated a break in the nation's inflationary rate. But the December rate still left wholesale prices for all of 1974 up 20.9 per cent.

That was the biggest annual increase since prices rose 31.1 per cent in 1946 following the end of World War II price controls.

More Americans collected unemployment checks during Christmas week than at any time since the government began paying jobless benefits in 1937, the Labor Department said.

It reported 3,923,700 checks were collected that week, a weekly jump of more than 623,000.

The Fed attributed the December decline in industrial output to a broad weakness in the economy.

**Production Down**

Auto assemblies were down nearly a quarter to an annual rate of 5.4 million units, meaning that cars came off the assembly line in December at a rate 35 per cent below last year's.

Because new car inventories are still at near-record levels, the Fed said the outlook is for further cutbacks.

Ford Motor Co. has become the fourth major automaker to announce sharp sales drops for the first 10 days of January — down 29 per cent compared to last year.

Ford said it sold 34,092 cars in the 10-day period, compared to 47,937 during the same period in 1974.

## Testimony Continuing In Pair's Murder Trial

GEORGE WEST, Tex. (AP) — More testimony was on tap today in the capital murder trial of two men accused in the slaying of an undercover narcotics agent.

Doyle Edward Skillern and Charles Victor Sanne are being tried in the shooting death of Patrick Allen Randle, who was working for the Department of Public Safety. He reportedly was on a mission to buy narcotics.

Narcotics agent Dennis Vickery testified Wednesday that he saw Randle leave a Beville motel with Skillern and Sanne shortly before he was killed.

The state's first witness was Dr. Joseph Rupp, Nueces County medical examiner, who described the six bullet holes in Randle's body and identified bullets removed from the body.

Rupp said Randle was shot at close range by an assailant sitting in the right hand seat of his automobile.

Under cross-examination by

Vickery and agent Dennis De-Charles Victor Sanne are being ment said they did not see Randle drink the afternoon before he died. Vickery testified that he, Dement, and Randle had set up a listening device in adjoining rooms at a Beville motel.

Vickery said that while De-Charles Victor Sanne was listening, he watched Sanne leave the motel with Randle in Randle's car. He said Skillern followed in a car that had reported been stolen by Eva Gonzalez of Austin, who testified she was "next door neighbors" to Sanne and Vickery also identified a diamond ring and a pearl-handled pistol he said had belonged to Randle. He said the pistol later was found in Sanne's possession after he was arrested in Hartington.

## Judge Prevents Beef Packing Firm From Spending Money

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Senior U.S. District Court Judge Richard E. Robinson ruled in favor of General Electric Credit Corp. Wednesday in its attempt to prevent American Beef Packers, Inc. from spending any money which might affect its secured loan to the beef packing firm.

General Electric claims the loan totals \$50 million.

The firm had hunted earlier it might reopen beef slaughtering at its plant in Oakland, Iowa.

During questioning of the firm's lawyer, the judge asked how much it would cost to run the operation. The lawyer replied it would cost \$650,000 daily.

The judge remarked that spending such sums before a hearing is held by the bank.

Robinson's ruling reversed a decision by Bankruptcy Judge David Crawford and came after the large credit corporation filed a petition to enjoin American Beef from spending money owed to it.

A spokesman for the firm said the decision would be appealed and a hearing had been set for today in the Eighth District U.S. Appeals Court in St. Louis.

Meanwhile, the U.S. attorney's office has entered the American Beef legal tangle.

U.S. Atty William Schaphorst said his office has ordered a preliminary inquiry by the Postal Inspection Service into allegations of possible mail fraud against the company.

Schaphorst said the investigation was prompted by allegations that American Beef Packers, Inc. issued checks drawn on bank accounts in "remote parts" of the country when those accounts had been closed before the checks were issued.

American Beef filed a Chapter 11 Bankruptcy petition in U.S. District Court last week. The action, under the Federal Bankruptcy Act, asks court protection while the firm pays debts.

## Shell Promises To Reduce Vinyl Chloride Emissions

HOUSTON (AP) — Shell Chemical Co. promised Wednesday to reduce its vinyl chloride emissions from 250 to less than 100 pounds per hour at its suburban Deer Park plant by mid-1975.

Shell engineers told a Texas Air Control Board hearing Wednesday that the company has been working to reduce vinyl chloride emissions under a separate program since early last year.

That was when vinyl chloride was first identified as the cause of a rare liver cancer among long-time vinyl plant workers. About 20 deaths have been confirmed.

Shell engineer Charles Rivers said the Deer Park plant is complying with strict federal limits on worker exposure, and will comply with an outside-the-plant regulation now being developed by the Environmental Protection Agency.

## Midland Memorial Names Assistant Administrator

Carlton Royce Morris has been named assistant administrator of Midland Memorial Hospital, Wayne E. Ulrich, administrator, said today.

Morris comes to Midland from Palacios, where he was administrator of the Wagner General Hospital for two years. Prior to that, he was assistant administrator at Houston's Ben Taub General Hospital, where he was responsible for the outpatient department, emergency center, admitting offices, cardiac catheterization laboratory, electrocardiology department and electroencephalography department.

In 1945, Morris joined the U.S. Navy as a seaman recruit and retired from active duty in 1968 with the rank of the lieutenant commander. He holds a B.B.A. from Northeast Louisiana University and has completed in-depth courses in medical administrative technique and hospital administration through the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

**First Visitor**

The Mormons' Jedediah Strong Smith was the first United States citizen to enter California.

# Letter Carriers Threaten Strike

WASHINGTON (AP) — Letter carriers are threatening a nationwide strike in March if the U.S. Postal Service implements a new delivery system designed to increase efficiency but which union leaders say will eliminate 15,000 jobs.

The National Association of Letter Carriers has sent letters to all locals urging its nearly 200,000 members to prepare for "the possibility of a national job action as a result of implementation of computerized route adjustments contrary to the best interest and welfare of our membership."

The union says the new system would turn its men into "robots" and show the mail by overburdening mail carriers.

Postal officials charge the union is formulating "a nationally organized plan to soften the public and the press for a possible illegal strike against the government."

A strike, if it comes, would be the first against the postal system since the historic walk-out of March 1970 when federal troops were called in to help deliver the mails. The walkout helped lead to the reorganization of the Post Office Department as an independent semi-government agency.

Strikes are prohibited against the government, but President James H. Rademacher of the

## Angola Gains Promise Of Freedom

ALVOR, Portugal (AP) — Angola, the last major colony in Portugal's once great empire, has been given a formal promise of freedom next Nov. 11 in an agreement that President Francisco da Costa Gomes called "a generation late in the currents of history."

Representatives of Portugal and three black Angolan liberation groups signed the independence agreement Wednesday night here on the Algarve coast after six days of negotiations. It promises an end to 14 years of guerrilla war in the southwest African territory.

With 1 1/2 million square miles and 6 million people, Angola represented 60 per cent of the area and 38 per cent of the population in Portugal's African possessions. One other of these, Guinea-Bissau, is already independent; Mozambique is self-governing and gets its freedom in June; the islands of Sao Tome and Principe will probably be released by July, and the Cape Verde Islands have been promised a referendum to decide their future.

## Angola Gains Promise Of Freedom

Before independence, the Angolans are to elect a constituent assembly that will choose a president and write a constitution.

The transitional government will have a Portuguese governor-general as its head but will be run by a 12-member cabinet, with the three liberation groups and Portugal each having three ministers. The premiership will be rotated among the three black factions.

The three liberation groups will also contribute an equal number of men to an integrated army, and Portugal will match their total force until Angola is independent.

The blacks guaranteed to protect the rights of those of the 250,000 white settlers who choose to remain after independence.

Portuguese sources said the toughest problem in the negotiations was to paper over the differences among the Africans, who until recently were constantly at odds over tribal and ideological issues. The sources said there is a possibility of an armed struggle for power after independence if not before.

The three movements are the National Liberation Front of Angola headed by Holden Roberto; the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola, led by Jonas Savimbi, and the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola.

## Aerialist Petit Leaves Hospital

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Philippe Petit, the French aerialist who performed on a cable stretched between the towers of New York's World Trade Center last year, has been released from a hospital here after treatment for injuries suffered in a fall during a circus rehearsal.

Petit suffered a broken wrist and several broken ribs in the Jan. 7 25-foot fall from a high-wire. A spokesman said the performer will recuperate for several weeks and then rejoin the Ringling Bros. Barnum & Bailey Circus.

Letter carriers at their Seattle convention last August voted overwhelmingly to strike the Postal Service if new work standards now being tested at Kokomo, Ind., are put into effect.

Postal officials say the Kokomo plan, officially known as the Letter Carrier Route Evaluation System, was developed to measure individual carriers' performance so that more efficient routes can be established.

However, before the pilot program can be implemented nationwide, postal officials agreed to discuss the Kokomo results with union officials after March 1.

But Rademacher says the Postal Service appears ready to go ahead with the Kokomo plan regardless of the results. He contends that 15,000 jobs will be eliminated with the same volume of mail to be handled by fewer people.

James C. Gildea, assistant postmaster general for labor relations, said in a separate interview that the union is drawing conclusions to questions that haven't been answered yet. "I don't see how Rademacher can say jobs are going to be eliminated," Gildea said. "We may be adding carriers around the country."

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# Battle Scene

By Ted Battles



## Rebs End Long Drought

While the future of high school athletics, to a certain degree, rests on the future choice of the Midland School trustees concerning boundary realignment or consolidation, something special in Midland football history will take place tonight at the Lee High cafeteria.

The 1974 Rebels became the Roger Bannister of Tall City football. Bannister broke the four-minute barrier in the mile after years and years of eager anticipation and Midland Lee broke a football barrier that seemed almost as elusive when it became the first Tall City eleven to win a Class AAAA district title last season.

The wait was a long one. Bannister's historic 3:59.4 mile came in 1954, just one year after Midland first began competing in AAAA circles.

But then 1974 was a year of widespread football revolution with the long-suffering Baylors, Mississippi States and Pittsburgh Steelers turning on long-time tormentors to earn unexpected laurels.

Lee's championship in many ways parallels Baylor's Southwest Conference title. Both were unexpected, coming as they did after Baylor had experienced a 2-9 season and Lee had struggled through a 3-7 campaign in 1973.

Neither ranked among the 1974 pre-season favorites with the Bears tabbed to finish in the second division of the SWC while Coach Jim Acree's Rebels were ticketed behind such perennial 5-4A powers as Odessa Permian, San Angelo and Abilene Cooper.

## Gained Playoff Berth

Lee, of course, shared its title with San Angelo, but earned the right to represent the league in post-season play, which, after all, is what it's all about.

After one of the most exciting races in recent 5-4A history, Lee finished with an 8-2-1 record, which tops the 8-2 record compiled by the 1972 Maroon since the Rebels did advance into post-season play while their predecessors missed by a point.

We suspect most Lee fans will look back on the 34-7 win over Odessa Permian as the high point of the season, but the pivotal game that made it all possible was the 21-7 win over co-champion San Angelo. Heading into the final seven minutes it was 7-7 and looked like it could go either way. Then, the Bobcats' fourth-and-10 gamble at the Lee 40 failed and the Rebels quickly struck for the two touchdowns to seal it up.

It was a vital victory since the Rebels were coming off their lone regular season defeat at the hands of Abilene Cooper and another loss at this stage would have knocked the Rebels out of the running.

The Rebels encountered their Penn State against Wichita Falls Rider, but that could prove to be a future blessing in disguise. Like Grant Teafur's Bears, the Rebels have the ingredients to make another run at the title in 1975 and if they should happen to win, it will be a playoff-bound team with a purpose.

However, the important thing is that Lee won and eliminated a nagging mental block about Midland teams and championship football.

That attitude perhaps is reflected by a coach, now on a college staff, after he took over a district team a few years ago. Someone asked him how he expected to fare in 5-4A and he said, "We may not win it, but at least we'll beat the two Midland schools."

Now that the break-through has been accomplished, the next one should come easier.

When Coach Acree and his co-captains were recognized after the season at a Chamber of Commerce fete, he said, "I hope we, or our sister school across town, can bring home another title next year."

## Atlanta Falcons Hire Ed Khayat

ATLANTA (AP) — The Atlanta Falcons of the National Football League have hired Ed Khayat of the Detroit Lions to coach their defensive line.

Khayat, hired Wednesday by Falcon Coach Marion Campbell, has been defensive line coach at Detroit since 1973.

A 10-year veteran of the NFL, Khayat played for Washington and Philadelphia, and

Boston of the old American Football League.

He was on the coaching staff of the New Orleans Saints from 1967 to 1970 and moved to the Philadelphia Eagles' staff in 1971.

In 1972, Khayat became interim head coach when the Eagles were 0-3 and finished the season with a 2-11-1 record. He then joined Detroit.

## LA SALLE, NORTH CAROLINA WIN—

# Maryland, NC State To Square Off

COLLEGE PARK, Md. (AP) — For the past three years, David Thompson and successful Maryland basketball haven't mixed.

Thompson, who carried North Carolina State to the NCAA championship last season, leads the fourth-ranked Wolfpack into Cole Field House for a nationally televised game (7 CST) against fifth-ranked Maryland tonight.

A sellout home crowd of 14,500 will turn out for a last look at Thompson, hoping they finally got to see the Terps score a victory over State while the sensational senior is around.

The Wolfpack has whipped the Terps six straight times over the past two seasons, only once by more than six points, and Thompson has averaged 31 points a game. The two losses at home were by 86-80 and 87-85.

Maryland is 11-1 for the current season, losing only to second-ranked UCLA 81-75. The Terps have twice beaten Wake Forest, which handed State its only loss in 11 starts, 83-78, ending a 36-game winning streak.

Thompson missed 15 of 30 shots against Wake Forest's zone, but Maryland Coach Lefty Driesell plans to use his usual man-to-man defense with muscular sophomore Steve Sheppard assigned to guard Thompson.

Lucas Wants Job "Join Lucas wanted to guard Thompson," Driesell said of Maryland's star guard. "But he's cocky and wants to guard everybody. He even wanted to guard Bill Walton last year."

Actually, Lucas, Owen Brown and Mo Howard are all considered possible shadows for Thompson, the super jumper who is averaging 32.6 points a game. Lucas tops the Terps with a 19.6 average.

Only two of the nation's major ranked teams were in action Wednesday night. LaSalle, No. 11, defeated St. Joseph's, Pa., 68-60 and North Carolina, No. 14, beat Wake Forest 86-78.

Charlie Wise sank four crucial foul shots in the final minutes as LaSalle beat Big Five rival St. Joseph's in the second game of a doubleheader at the Palestra in Philadelphia. In the opener, Larry and Keith Heron scored 42 points between

them to spark Villanova over Niagara 69-60.

Walter Davis hit two free throws and Phil Ford added another in the closing seconds as North Carolina beat Wake Forest. Davis, who finished with 18 points, went to the line with 35 seconds remaining in the game and Ford finished the Tar Heel scoring at the 23-second mark.

Hits 1,000 Darryl Brown scored the 1,000th point of his career in a 20-point performance by Ray Kelly.

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**PRO FAMERS** — Four former greats are to be inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame at Canton, Ohio, this August. They are, from left, Dante Lavelli, top, Cleveland wide receiver; Lenny Moore, Baltimore Colts running back; George Connor, Chicago Bears' tackle, and Roosevelt Brown, New York Giants tackle. (AP Wirephoto.)

# Ali Voted 'Greatest'

## AP Names Heavyweight Champ Year's Top Athlete

NEW YORK (AP) — Muhammad Ali evened two scores last year — beating Joe Frazier and regaining the heavyweight championship he had lost out of the ring. For his successes, he was named The Associated Press Male Athlete of 1974.

Ali, who regained the title by knocking out George Foreman in Africa, received 162 votes in a nationwide poll of sports writers and sportscasters. Hank Aaron, who broke Babe Ruth's career home run record by hitting No. 715 in April, finished second with 110 points and Lou Brock, who set a major league base-stealing record of 118, was third with 67.

Tennis star Chris Evert was named Female Athlete of the Year for 1974 Wednesday.

"Do they pick the best athlete or the most famous," asked Ali when informed of winning the 44th annual poll. "The best," he was told. Ali smiled. The 32-year-old champion had a lot to smile about in 1974. "It was my greatest year," said Ali who opened it by beating Joe Frazier on a unanimous 12-round decision Jan. 28 at Madison Square Garden to average a 15-round decision loss to Frazier, then champion, March 8, 1971.

But it was Oct. 30, in the early morning hours in the Equatorial African nation of Zaire that Ali reached another peak in a career marked by the dramatic and unexpected — his title-winning upset of Sonny Liston in 1964; the conviction for refusing induction into the military and his being stripped of the title in 1967; his dramatic return to the ring in 1970 against Jerry Quarry; the first Frazier fight in 1971 and the U.S. Supreme Court reversal of the draft-evasion conviction that same year; and his broken-jaw loss to Ken Norton in 1973, which many boxing observers felt signaled the end of his career.

On that morning in Zaire, as a 3-1 underdog, Ali knocked out George Foreman in the eighth round and regained the championship, a decade after he first won it and seven years after he had it stripped from him.

"I told you I was the greatest of all time," Ali chided reporters after the fight. "Never again say I'm going to be defeated."

"All of you suckers bow. Now you have to recognize me as the scholar of boxing." The year of 1974 was also a big one to Ali financially. He got about \$3 million for fighting Frazier and \$5 million for his effort against Foreman.

In winning the 44th annual AP poll, Ali became only the third boxer to do so. The others were heavyweight Joe Louis, in 1935 when he won the title by knocking out Jim Braddock, and Ingemar Johansson, in 1959 when he gained the title by knocking out Floyd Patterson.

In the race for the 1974 award, golfer Johnny Miller, who won eight tournaments and a record \$553,000, finished fourth.

## SPORTS IN BRIEF

### Killebrew Inks With KC Royals

**BASEBALL**  
BLOOMINGTON, Minn. — Harmon Killebrew, who played for the Minnesota Twins for 14 years, signed a standard player contract with the Kansas City Royals for the 1975 season.

**HOCKEY**  
MINNEAPOLIS — Dave For-

bes of the Boston Bruins was indicted by a grand jury on a felony charge of aggravated assault and received a 10-day suspension from National Hockey League President Clarence Campbell, all in connection with an incident during a league game Jan. 4 against Minnesota.

**TENNIS**  
FREEPORT, Bahamas — Top-seeded Jimmy Connors defeated England's John Feaver 4-6, 6-0, 6-1 and second-seeded Juan Gisbert of Spain beat Jeff Austin of California to move into the quarter-finals of the \$50,000 Bahamas International.

**HUMACAO, P.R.** — Arthur Ashe defeated Andrew Pattison 7-5, 6-0 and advanced to the semifinals of the \$102,000 CBS Tennis Classic.

**SARASOTA, Fla.** — Top-seeded Chris Evert beat unseeded Time Zwaan 6-7, 6-1, 6-2 in the second-round of a \$75,000 women's tennis tournament.

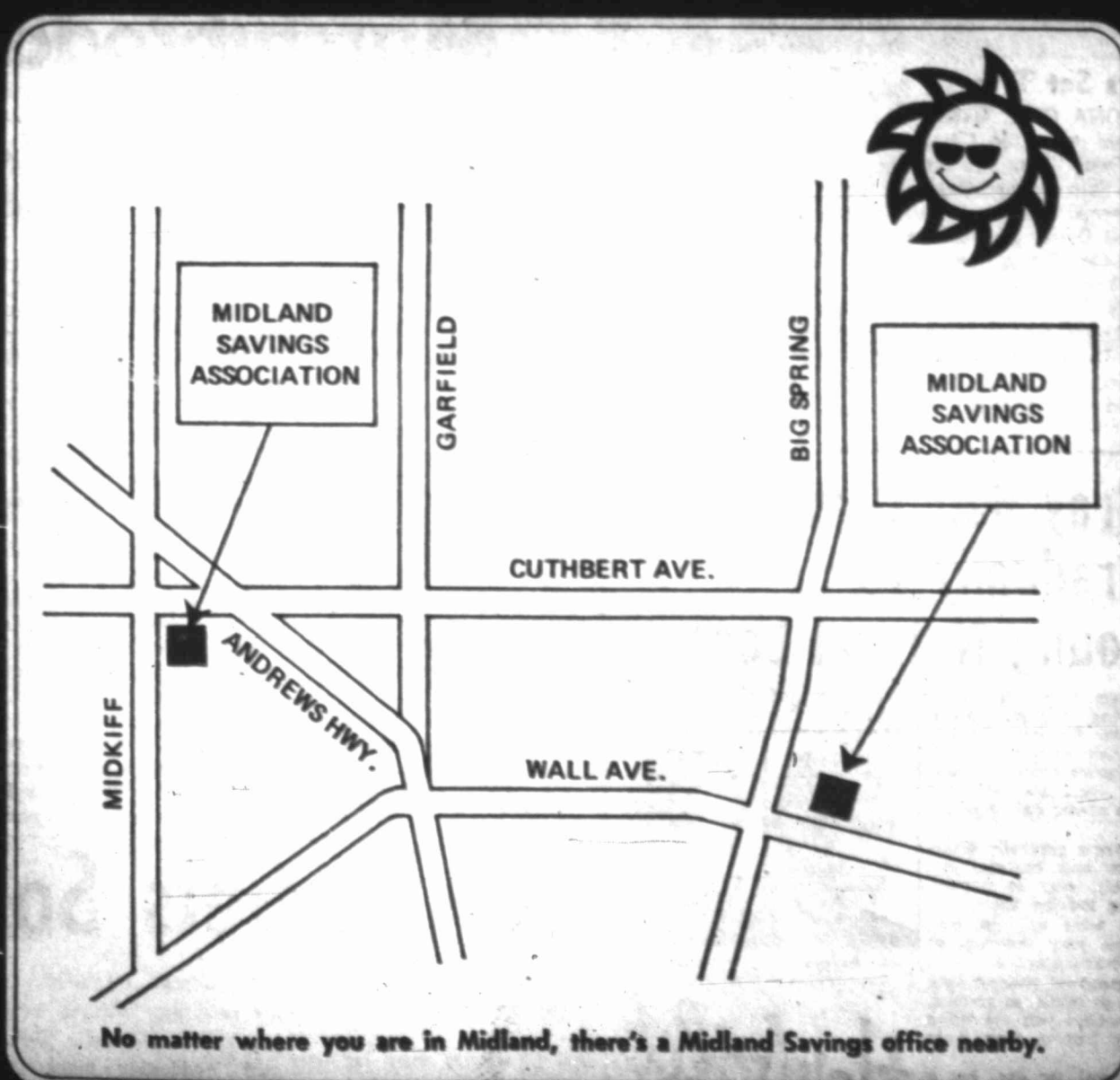
**BALTIMORE** — Former collegiate All-American Paul Gerken pulled the first upset in the \$30,000 Baltimore International Indoor Tennis Championship when he defeated third-seeded Ross Case of Australia 6-3, 6-7, 6-2.

**LUCKNOW, India** — New Zealand's Onny Parun outlasted Indian ace Vijay Amritraj 4-6, 6-2, 10-12, 6-3, 6-4 to give his country a 1-0 lead in an Eastern Zone Davis Cup semifinal.

**GOLF**  
TUCSON, Ariz. — Ben Crenshaw carded a six-under-par 66 to win the pro-am portion of the \$200,000 Tucson Open Golf Tournament by two strokes over Rod Curl and Al Gebberger at 68.

**BOWLING**  
LAS VEGAS, Nev. — Johnny Petraglia of New York averaged 235 for the first 12 qualifying games to grab a 63-pin lead as play began in a \$100,000 PBA Tournament.

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# Key Area Games On Tap Friday Night

By TERRY WILLIAMSON  
It may be pushing it a bit to say that area cage squads have already reached the critical stage of the season, but there are some key games on the slate Friday night that can be listed as critical for those involved.

The Rankin Red Devils, winning their last two District 6-A outings, face a stern test Friday night when they host Marfa. Rankin is 2-1 in loop

play after losing their opener against league leader Balmorhea. Coach James Hefner's crew will need a win to stay in the race with Balmorhea.

District 2-AAA also faces a big challenge Friday when league leaders Odessa Ector and Pecos travel in Pecos. Both squads own 3-0 first half marks, and the winner will own sole possession of first place with only two games

remaining in the first half. The Andrews Mustangs, just a step behind with a 2-1 mark, will travel to Seminole with hopes of keeping their first half alive. Monahans will host Kermit in the other battle.

The Greenwood Rangers of District 11-B will travel to Pecos in another battle of league leaders. Both teams own 2-0 loop marks and the

winner will capture sole possession of first place.

Coach Jim Williams' Stanton Buffaloes open District 5-A play in Plains. Plains lost its first district outing of the year Tuesday with a narrow 45-42 loss to O'Donnell.

The McConney Badgers of Coach Max Mainord also sees district action for the first time when they travel to Ozona to open 7-AA play. The

Crane Golden Cranes, already owning a loop win over Ozona, travels to Sonora while seeking their second district victory. The Reagan County Owls, who won their first loop outing Tuesday over Sonora, will draw the district's open slot, but will host AAA Fort Stockton in an attractive non-conference game.

The heated District 3-AAA race will also unfold what may be the league's most crucial

game to date when the league leading Snyder Tigers (4-0) host Lubbock Dumber (3-0). Lamesa's undefeated Golden Tornados, owning a 21-0 record, will host Lake View and could share the lead with Dumber if the Panthers beat Snyder. Sweetwater is at Brownfield in the other district game while Lubbock Estacado draws the open date.



**PRIZE CATCH** — Alan Love, 18, of Midland, shows off the mouflon he brought down with a bow and arrow while hunting on the Derrick Ranch near Robert Lee recently.

## Pros In Court

More Drama Than On Playing Field

By JACK MURPHY  
Copley News Service

These are troubled times for sports promoters... Many of the things they hold dear, if not sacred, are under attack in the U.S. judicial system and the club owners have reason to be nervous.

A federal judge in San Francisco has declared pro football's Rozelle Rule illegal and questioned the propriety of the col-

legiate draft.

Soon baseball's reserve clause is to be tested before the same arbiter (Peter Seitz) who decided Jim Hunter's contract had been breached and granted him a divorce from the Oakland Athletics.

Freedom was precious indeed to Hunter. Now he's a multimillionaire in the employ of the New York Yankees.

Another Challenge

Pro football is girding for another challenge in a suit involving John Mackey. And the rich men who control the franchises are even more concerned about a legal action in Atlanta which could deprive them of huge tax benefits.

The heavy drama of professional sports will occur in courtrooms rather than on playing fields.

No final answers are anticipated in 1978, but a trend has been established in the Joe Kapp and Catfish Hunter cases. An arbitrator and a federal judge have ruled that professional athletes have the same rights under the Constitution as other Americans.

The next test, the one involving Bobby Tolan, seems especially significant.

The issue is baseball's reserve clause which binds an athlete to a ball club until he is traded or released.

"Don't call it the Bobby Tolan case," protests the San Diego Padres' Buzzie Bavasi. "Bobby has signed with us for last season and the coming season. He has no argument with the Padres."

the 1974 season unsigned his contract was automatically renewed under baseball law. This kind of thing could have gone on indefinitely. Had he again refused to sign for the 1975 season, his contract would have been renewed a second time without his consent. Unlike Hunter, Tolan would have had no opportunity to sell himself to the highest bidder.

The athletes have gone to the courts for relief because they've been unable to obtain the freedom they seek through collective bargaining or from Congress. Perhaps they ultimately will be denied in the tedious and lengthy appeal process which leads to the U.S. Supreme Court.

## Two Fishing Records Go Into Texas Books

Peacock Bass In Texas

Some 75 peacock bass eggs have hatched at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Heart of the Hills Research Station near Kerrville and the now three-week-old fry are feeding on zooplankton and doing well.

The eggs were part of a second shipment of South American peacock bass which arrived in Texas Dec. 14 under the care of TP&WD biologist Bob Chew.

According to Chew, this may be the first time that eggs of any fish have been successfully gathered in the wild, transported to another continent and hatched.

Chew returned last month after seven days on the Vaupes River in Colombia, a tributary of the Amazon, where he collected several hundred peacock bass eggs.

Back in November Chew returned from Brazil with 300 one-month-old fish.

"Our efforts to collect young bass in Colombia with minnow seines proved unsuccessful," said Chew. "We observed adult peacock bass spawning around submerged logs and gathered eggs by diving into the river and chipping away portions of the logs with eggs attached."

The eggs were taken upstream to a village where they were flown to Bogota and then to Dallas and on

in the same stretch of the Guadalupe River. On Jan. 18, 4,000 of the fish will go into the Brazos River below Possum Kingdom Dam.

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## Point Of Law

Nevertheless, the Major League Players Association is asking Seitz to decide a point of law.

When Tolan played through

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## Bulldogs At Home

(Continued From 2B)

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## Friday's Scoreboard

College Basketball Results				WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS			
<b>EAST</b>				Pittsburgh 3, Atlanta 3			
Bucknell 71, Francis 53				Montreal 3, Boston 3			
LaSalle 68, St. Joseph's 50				New York Rangers 5, Minnesota 3			
N. Caro. 80, Wake Forest 78				Chicago 2, Vancouver 1			
Pitt. 63, Tulane 57				Toronto 4, St. Louis 1			
Villanova 82, Colgate 67				Buffalo 4, California 0			
Navy 78, Middlebury 36				<b>TODAY'S GAMES</b>			
Conn. 72, New Hampshire 67				Low Angelo at Boston			
Cant. Guard 83, Clark 67				Edmonton at Philadelphia			
<b>SOUTH</b>				Kansas City at Detroit			
Auburn 87, Georgia Tech 75				<b>World Hockey Assn.</b>			
Texas 82, UT-Chattanooga 50				East W L T Pts GP GA			
Duke 75, Clemson 72				New England 23 15 2 46 140 136			
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Pitt. 63, Tulane 57				Indianapolis 7 31 3 17 90 172			
Va. Commonwealth 88, Md.-East. Shore 50				<b>West</b>			
<b>MIDWEST</b>				Houston 23 12 0 36 139 117			
VMI 88, Christopher Newport 66				Phoenix 19 17 6 44 141 138			
Old Dominion 81, Madison 54				Minnesota 20 18 0 40 162 151			
V. Va. 51, 50, Concord 45, OT				San Diego 19 19 3 29 129 133			
Alabama 51, S. Sullivan Col. 46				Michigan 13 26 3 29 196 177			
Jacksonville 52, S. Shorter 72				<b>Canadian</b>			
Delaware 51, 100, Coppin St. 30				Quebec 36 15 0 52 170 133			
Ky. St. 22, Pikeville 15, 101				Toronto 23 17 2 48 190 137			
Southern-New Orleans 80, Rust 72				Edmonton 19 23 2 40 125 113			
<b>SOUTHWEST</b>				Winnipeg 17 17 3 36 139 130			
C. Mich. 83, Bowling Green 73				Vancouver 17 20 2 36 119 127			
E. Michigan 84, Kent St. 53				<b>WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS</b>			
Ohio U. 82, Miami, Ohio 90, 2 OT				New England 7, Chicago 3			
Iowa 73, E. Kentucky 65				Minnesota 4, Cleveland 3			
W. Michigan 72, Toledo 58				Boston 5, Edmonton 3			
Cincinnati 88, SMU 74				Vancouver 4, Winnipeg 2			
Indiana 51, E. Illinois 41				Toronto 5, Phoenix 5, 60, OT			
Kansas St. 73, Arkansas 71, OT				<b>TODAY'S GAMES</b>			
Butler 81, DePaul 51				Chicago at Michigan, postponed.			
N. Dakota St. 41, Concordia, Minn. 50				Cleveland at Indianapolis.			
<b>SOUTHWEST</b>				Edmonton at San Diego.			
McNeese 82, SW Texas 53				<b>National Basketball Assn.</b>			
<b>FAR WEST</b>				Washington at Atlanta.			
Pacifi. Sound 81, Gonzaga 61, 39				Portland at Cleveland.			
UC-Davis 68, San Jose St. 55				Golden State at Milwaukee.			
<b>TOURNAMENTS</b>				Seattle at Houston.			
C.W. Post 78, Fla. Tech 73				<b>Thursday's Games</b>			
<b>National Hockey League</b>				Washington at Atlanta.			
Division 1 W L T Pts GP GA				Portland at Cleveland.			
Philadelphia 27 18 6 60 151 92				Golden State at Milwaukee.			
Pittsburgh 22 12 5 57 129 124				Seattle at Houston.			
Atlanta 19 25 9 47 125 122				<b>American Basketball Assn.</b>			
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Division 2 W L T Pts GP GA				Kentucky 29 13 297 34			
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Division 3 W L T Pts GP GA				San Antonio 36 7 337 3			
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Pittsburgh 16 17 5 41 171 106				Utah 20 26 425 175			
Detroit 19 25 7 27 112 136				<b>WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS</b>			
Washington 1 28 3 11 9 237				Kentucky 104, Virginia 102			
Division 4 W L T Pts GP GA				St. Louis 104, Memphis 99			
Buffalo 27 5 7 61 187 131				Indiana 111, New York 108			
New York 24 11 2 52 201 129				San Antonio 86, Utah 81			
Toronto 16 20 7 29 149 164				San Diego 121, Denver 109			
California 11 27 8 26 119 180				<b>THURSDAY'S GAME</b>			
				Denver at Utah.			

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**WHO'S THE HAM?** — Muhammad Ali, left, gags it up with former middleweight champion Carmen Basilio during recent Hickok belt Pro Athlete of the Year presentation. Ali today also was named Associated Press Athlete of the Year. (AP Wirephoto.)

## OLYMPIC-IMPERILING STRIKE— Government To Act

QUEBEC (AP) — Premier Robert Bourassa's plan to tell reporters Wednesday night what the cabinet's decision will be, as did Labor Minister Jean Coutu.

The strike, which began last Nov. 27, forced a complete shutdown of construction last week at the east-end Montreal site for the Games, provoking dire predictions they may nev-

er be held there at all.

Premier Bourassa refused to tell reporters Wednesday night what the cabinet's decision will be, as did Labor Minister Jean Coutu.

It was Coutu who convened both sides in the eight-week labor dispute before a two-day national assembly committee to explain why they could not reach agreement on indexing workers' salaries to the cost-of-living.

The iron workers walked off the job to demand a 50-cent hourly wage increase but are now asking for a \$1 hourly increase. They install steel reinforcing rods without which no concrete can be poured.

Their demands have darkened prospects for the Olympics, already under public scrutiny after it was revealed cost estimates had soared to \$653 million from the original \$310 million.

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# Sheinwold On Bridge

By ALFRED SHEINWOLD

## Right Suit Not Guesswork

Sometimes your contract depends on starting with the correct suit. This is not just a matter of guesswork; you can get the right answer by simple reasoning.

South dealer  
North-South vulnerable

**NORTH**  
♠ 6532  
♥ K 6  
♦ J 9 4  
♣ K 7 6 3

**WEST**      **EAST**  
♠ 10 4      ♠ Q J 9 8  
♥ Q J 10 8 7 4 2      ♥ 5 3  
♦ K 7      ♦ 6 5 3 2  
♣ 8 2      ♣ A 9 5

**SOUTH**  
♠ A K 7  
♥ A 5  
♦ A Q 10 8  
♣ Q J 10 4

South West North East  
1 ♦ 3 ♥ Pass  
3 NT All Pass  
Opening lead — ♥ Q

West leads the queen of hearts. Where should declarer win the trick, and which suit should he tackle first?

The hand depends on the location of two key cards — the king of diamonds and the ace of clubs. If West has both, the contract is doomed; West will

be able to set up and cash his hearts.

South must be careful if West has just the king of diamonds. South will lose his contract if he tackles the clubs first.

East will take the ace of clubs and lead his other heart. West will eventually get in with the king of diamonds to run the hearts.

### Right Start

South makes his contract if he starts the diamonds first. He wins the first trick with dummy's king of hearts and leads the nine of diamonds for a finesse.

West takes the king of diamonds and leads another heart to set up his long suit. East eventually gets the ace of clubs but cannot lead a heart, so South is safe.

### DAILY QUESTION

As dealer, you hold: S-10 4 H-Q J 10 8 7 4 2 D-K 7 C-8 2. What do you say?

ANSWER: Pass. If you are not vulnerable you may be tempted to make a shutout bid with that long, topless heart suit. Resist the temptation because of the king of diamonds. Avoid shutout bids when you have defensive strength.

# Government Units To Divide Funds

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — A report prepared by the Texas Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (TACIR) says Texas governments will receive an estimated \$1.4 billion of the total \$30.2 billion in federal general revenue sharing funds. The program runs for five years, through 1976.

Broken down categorically, state government receives one-third of the \$1.4 billion, and cities receive approximately 43 per cent. The remaining 24 per cent goes to the state's 254 counties.

Arlington Mayor Tom Vandergriff, TACIR chairman, says that perhaps the state's congressional delegation will receive the most benefit from the study.

Vandergriff says TACIR has assisted the delegation on other matters, and he believes the data will be "real helpful to them in supporting the program and refining it to benefit Texans."

Allocations of revenue sharing funds to the states resulted in per capita allocations in 1972 ranging from about \$20 in Ohio to almost \$40 in Mississippi. Texas received a relatively low \$21 per capita and ranks 45th among the states in revenue sharing funds received relative to population.

The report is part of an extended study undertaken by

TACIR at the request of the 63rd Texas Legislature.

The best part of the program, Vandergriff says, is that revenue sharing funds have prevented an increase in property taxes. He called continued funding "essential for better and improved services" from all levels of government.

TACIR's report says that the \$316 million in federal revenue sharing funds appropriated to state government in the 1974-75 biennium comprises about 3.25 per cent of the total state budget of \$9.75 billion and about 15.6 per cent of the \$2 billion appropriated from general revenue sources.

At the community level, the report says, the funds allowed most cities to add 10 per cent to their per capita operating outlays. The 27 largest cities in the state received about 67 per cent of revenue funds going to all Texas cities in 1972.

At the county level, the revenue-sharing allocations amounted to less than \$5 per capita in 1972.

Began under the Nixon administration, the revenue sharing program represents a large portion of all federal aid.

In 1974 the \$6.1 billion allocation was equivalent to 13 per cent of all federal aid going to state and local governments. As a percentage of total federal aid it exceeded all other individual federal grant programs in 1974 including highway trust fund aid (\$4.4 billion), medical assistance (\$5.8 billion), and income maintenance grants (\$5.3 billion).

The "strings" attached to revenue sharing are relatively few compared with other federal programs, and most of the funds are being spent.

Actual reports submitted by the state's 27 largest cities and 22 counties covered by the study indicate that around 70 per cent of all funds received through June 30, 1974, had been spent.

## Drexel Professor Probably Most Prolific Author

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — From the Watergate trial to local courts throughout the United States, Drexel University's Ronald A. Anderson appears as an authority.

Not Dr. Anderson in person, but some of the 45 volumes he has published. Publishers' records show that the law professor has written more professional, collegiate and business law texts than any other author at any time or in any language. They believe that at least one of his texts is used every day by one or more U.S. courts.

Dr. Anderson's "Wharton Criminal Law and Procedure," "Wharton's Criminal Evidence" and "Couch's Encyclopedia of Insurance" are references in the U.S. Supreme Court Library. His criminal texts have been referred to in a visit by Japanese Prime Minister Kakuei Tanaka.

Today's birthdays: Musical comedy star Ethel Merman is 66. Auto racer A. J. Foyt is 40.

Thought for today: An error is a blunder when it is repeated — anonymous.

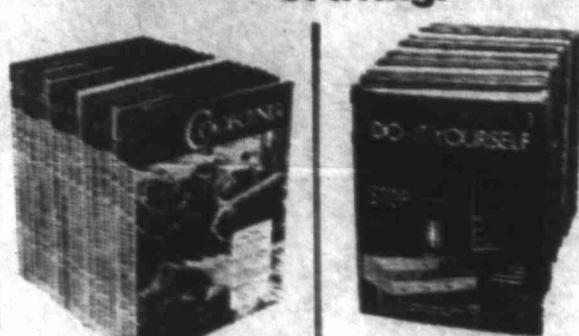


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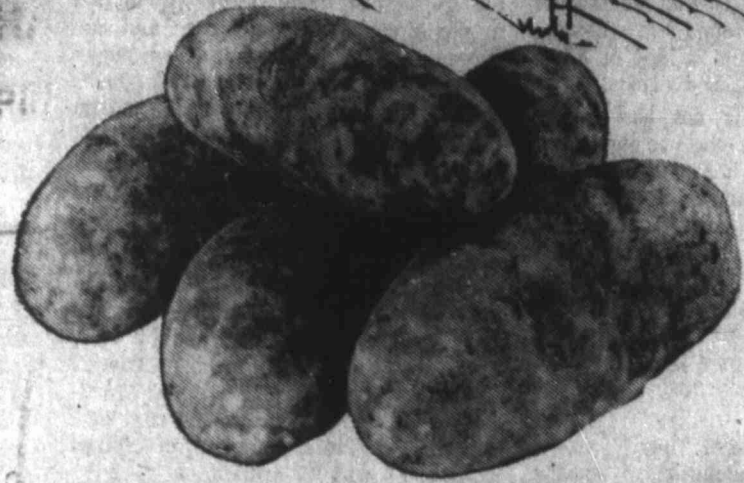


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## Thomas Jefferson Attributed Longevity To Temperate Ways

Copley News Service  
CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — The best seller among the reprinted letters of Thomas Jefferson on sale in the gift shop of his Monticello home is not on the subject of politics or government.

Instead, it is a letter, written by the third president of the United States on March 21, 1815, at the age of 76, on the subject of his personal health habits.

"I live so much like other people, that I might refer to ordinary life as the history of my own," Jefferson wrote in the letter to his personal physician, Dr. Vine Utley.

Foot Baths Helped  
A salesclerk at the gift shop confirmed what the racks of Jefferson letters on display suggested: "We sell twice as many of those letters on Jefferson's health and diet as we do of his writings on freedom, government, politics, religious freedom and other subjects."

In the letter, Jefferson ascribed his good health as being due, in part, to "bathing my feet in cold water every morning for 60 years past."

A request by Jefferson in a postscript to the letter has been ignored by the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation, which reprinted the letter from the original held by the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C. The P.S. said: "A great unwillingness to be obtruded on the public notice on any occasion, but especially on one so little worthy of it, induces me to request that this letter may not be permitted to find its way into the public papers."

Jefferson, who died at 83 on July 4, 1826—50 years to the day after the signing of the Declaration of Independence—practiced a "temperate way of life" that many physicians would find recommendable today: Jefferson said it was his practice to eat "little animal food, and that, not as an aliment so much as a condiment for the vegetables, which constitute my principal diet." Jefferson's doctor had prescribed a glass and a half of wine daily for the famed statesman and patriot but Jefferson wrote that he would usually double that ration.

"and even trouble it with a friend; but have its effect by drinking the weak wine only. The ardent wine I cannot drink, nor do I use ardent spirits in any form."

"Malt liquors and cider are my table drinks," he wrote, "and my breakfast, like that also of my friend (the doctor) is of tea and coffee."

Jefferson remarked that "I have been blest with organs of digestion which accept and concoct, without over muzzling, whatever the palate chooses to consign them, and I have not yet lost a tooth by age."

Irregular sleep patterns often bother the elderly and Jefferson was no exception, getting five to eight hours of shut-eye nightly "according as to my company or the book I am reading interests me."

Jefferson wrote that he never went to bed without an hour or half-hour's previous reading "of something moral, wheresoever to ruminate in the interval of sleep."

"But whether I retire to bed early or late," he said, "I rise with the sun."

In the letter, Jefferson noted that he had not had a chest cold more frequently than once every eight or 10 years throughout his life.

Periodic Headaches  
The author of the Declaration of Independence said he had suffered fevers only two or three times in his life but that he had suffered periodic headaches for two or three weeks at a time, once every six to eight years.

At 76, Jefferson wrote, "I enjoy good health; too feeble to walk much, but riding without fatigue six or eight miles a day, and sometimes 30 or 40."

Jefferson—who asked in his prewritten epitaph to be remembered as author of the Declaration of Independence, of the Virginia statute of religious freedom and as the father of the University of Virginia—said he used spectacles at night, but not necessarily during the day, unless reading fine print.

"My hearing is distinct in particular conversation, but confused when several voices cross each other, which unites me for the society of the table," he wrote.

## Gold's Everywhere If You Can Find It

By L. EDGAR PRINA  
Copley News Service  
WASHINGTON — Although few Americans have seized the first opportunity in 41 years to own gold bars and ingots legally, government experts are expecting the usual epidemic of old-fashioned "gold fever" next summer.

There is a popular expression, "Gold is where you find it," which may have developed out of a misinterpretation of the biblical reference (Job 28:1), "Surely there is a vein for the silver and a place for the gold where they fine it." (Today, one would say "refine.")

But the fact is that traces of gold are present in varying amounts, virtually everywhere, even in you and me.

The fever, which claims many amateur prospectors each year, is pretty much limited to the search for the precious metal in the rocks and streams in the more likely areas of the United States.

The U.S. Geological Survey says, judging by the numerous inquiries it receives every year, prospecting for gold offers a special excitement as a summer vacation diversion. It would certainly be more fun than buying a one-ounce ingot (for \$175 or more) at a bank.

"A sort of old-fashioned gold fever seems to strike many people in the late spring and summer. Requests for maps and reports that describe the known deposits of gold in the country—particularly in the West—mount rapidly," a USGS geologist asserted.

Although the agency usually points out—in replying to inquiries—some of the difficulties and disappointments related to amateur prospecting, a spokesman said it has no wish to discourage prospectors.

As a matter of fact, the USGS has prepared three nontechnical leaflets which might be of interest to anyone who is thinking about joining the hunt for the yellow stuff.

Entitled, "Gold," "Prospecting for Gold" and "Suggestions for Prospectors," single copies of each may be obtained upon request from the Information Office, U.S. Geological Survey, National Center, Reston, Va. 22092.

According to the geological survey, gold is not only contained in the earth's crust, but is found in ocean water, streams, groundwater, plants, insects, animals and humans.

On the average, a cubic mile of earth crust contains about 62 metric tons of gold while the gold content of seawater ranges up to 44 parts per billion (ppb) and averages about 0.05 ppb.

At least 10 times more gold has been found in the North Atlantic than in the South Atlantic and the total in seawater, worldwide, is estimated to be nearly 27.5 million tons—which comes, at \$175 an ounce, to about \$170 billion.

Analyses of animal life for gold content have been made on four types of insects, seven types of marine organisms, and seven types of warm-blooded animals.

"The amount of gold ranged from as little as 0.0012 ppb in the dry matter of fish muscle to as much as 430 ppb in human hair," the USGS said. "Human teeth showed 19 to 30 ppb gold. Marine animals, by far, contain the least amount of gold and terrestrial animals the most."

Varying amounts of gold are even found in the ashes of algae, fungi, lichens, mosses, herbs, shrubs and trees. The maximum amount detected in plant ash is 36 parts per million, and the average is about 7 ppm.

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EDITORIALS

# A 'Choice' Problem

The State of Texas, like most other states of the Union, has a money problem—but Texas' money worry is far different from that of other states.

Texas has a surplus of funds, and the big problem of its newly convened legislature is how to spend it, or rather, how not to spend it.

This is a most unusual situation, although it will may turn out to be a more troublesome situation than not having sufficient funds with which to operate.

The Associated Press reports that approximately a third of the nation's 50 states face possible tax increases this year. Among the worst hit are New York, Vermont, Michigan, Washington and Minnesota. On the other hand, tax cuts are proposed or are being talked by Texas, Idaho, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Tennessee, West Virginia, Indiana and Kansas.

The Lone Star State is looking at a possible billion dollar-plus surplus . . . and this presents a real challenge. There are those who already are scheming on how to spend this money, while the more conservative legislators are contemplating ways to set aside some of the surplus as an investment reserve for a rainy day. This is good business.

This is where the real challenge arises. It is hoped that sound judgment will prevail when it comes to appropriating funds.

Anyway, it is an enviable position in which state government finds itself, something which doesn't happen too often.

Excellent business conditions and the collection of oil and gas production taxes have accounted for most of the surplus.

It is a good time to have an experienced legislature . . . and this is the classification of the legislative body which convened Tuesday.

The Senate, for instance, has 27

### Bible Verse

If you really fulfill the royal law, according to the scripture "You shall love your neighbor as yourself," you do well. James 2:8

### Barbs

People who whistle while they work may be happy, but that doesn't necessarily apply to their long-suffering colleagues.

A lot of us look sharp on the job—fewer look sharp AT the job.

holdovers and four new members. The House has 120 returning members and 30 newcomers. This is far different from two years ago.

The leaders of both House and Senate have indicated a conservative approach to spending in 1975. This is most encouraging to the taxpayers and it is hoped the chiefs will be able to hold the line on unessential spending.

Education, the welfare program, and pay raises for state employees will take big bites out of the budget, along with hundreds of other requests. It will be a busy session. It can be a most rewarding one.

It is a year of challenge and opportunity.

All best wishes ride with the legislators as they launch a brand new session. Texans are counting on them to get the job done in the best possible manner, benefitting all residents of the Lone Star State.

## THE BIBLE

Can you quote it?

By LAVINA ROSS FOWLER

1. Paul is said to have written 7 epistles while in prison: Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, Philemon, 1st and 2nd Timothy and Titus. Apparently Silas, Luke and Timothy were with him on his first mission to Philippi. There were not enough Jews there to maintain a synagogue. A woman there opened her home to them. Who was she? Acts 16:12-15.

2. Was Eve tempted by wealth, beauty, sex or knowledge? Gen. 3:4

3. How did the great Sisera meet death? Judges 4

4. To whom did Jesus say, "ye have taken away the key of knowledge?" Luke 11

5. In what land was the stage set for Exodus? Exodus 1

Four correct . . . excellent. Three correct . . . good.

### The Country Parson

By Frank A. Clark



People have a funny way of getting protein — first they feed it to a cow and then they feed the cow.

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### NICK THIMMESCH

# South Vietnam, Israel Depend On Our Word

WASHINGTON — It's the dry season in Vietnam, the time when armies can move and strike as the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong have for these many years. Like a trouble-prone relative, South Vietnam comes back onto our consciousness. Again we must ask ourselves what we are all about.

The United States helped South Vietnam get into much of this trouble. From Dwight Eisenhower through Richard Nixon, American Presidents backed Saigon. John Kennedy made it into a real fight. Lyndon Johnson expanded it to a huge war. Nixon made it last in the name of "peace with honor."

Now South Vietnam is threatened again. Naturally, the North Vietnamese ignored the January, 1973, peace agreement and poured men, tanks and other big weapons into the south.

So there was a big fight recently, and South Vietnam lost its first provincial capital since "peace with honor." The Communists shelled Phuoc Binh, with disregard for the lives of 28,000 civilians trapped in the city, and American voices who hate President Nguyen Van Thieu holler about bloodshed, saying nothing of who causes it.

Naturally, Sen. George McGovern (D-S.D.) stood up and predicted South Vietnam's collapse, claimed there is no way Congress will help and said the "deterioration" could have been forecast. Having voted against military funds for South Vietnam, McGovern is in the position of helping the "deterioration," but, oh well, what can you expect from him?

Actually, South Vietnam isn't likely to "go down the drain," as Sen. McGovern hopes, but is strapped for ammunition and other military supplies. According to the peace agreement, the United States pledged one-for-one replacement of weapons, as of Jan. 27, 1973, and pretty well maintained that until Congress cut the Administration's 1975 \$1.5 billion request for Vietnam in half.



Consequently, South Vietnam's ammunition supply is expected to last until June, unless more heavy fighting breaks out, and then it could be depleted in early spring. The Soviets and Chinese have adequately supplied North Vietnam, so no problem for them.

All this sounds a little like the Middle East situation, doesn't it? Reports of the Soviets resupplying Syria and Egypt, and the United States getting urgent requests for military equipment from Israel. Israel and South Vietnam are much different, but there are interesting similarities.

Both are threatened by terrorists



## The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By JACK ANDERSON, LES WHITTEN

WASHINGTON — Looking ahead to the end of the century, a blue-ribbon commission anticipates an uneasy world of Russian-Chinese clashes, lesser military conflicts, acute hunger and nagging depression.

The draft study, circulated only in confidential, numbered copies, is called "The Future World Environment." We have obtained a text.

The commission, selected jointly by Presidents Nixon and Ford, and Senate and House leaders, include such prestigious members as Vice President Nelson Rockefeller, Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield, D-Mont., and House foreign experts Clement Zablocki, D-Wis., and Peter Frelinghuysen, R-N.J. The chairman is ex-Undersecretary of State Robert Murphy.

"A confrontation between Russia and China, possibly involving limited armed clashes, dominates world politics," the secret study forecasts.

"War becomes a major instrument of policy in countries of the Third World," the study adds. "Some U.S. interventions occur, most likely in Caribbean, possibly in Latin America, (with) military units of 40,000 or larger, resembling occupation armies."

A tortured Asia will watch the "militarization of India (and) collapse of Indian democracy," it is predicted, "under the weight of the food-population crisis, leading to Indian aggression against Pakistan and perhaps some oil states."

Despite these dark war clouds, the study predicts that long-range nuclear weapons will be sharply curtailed and nuclear warfare between the superpowers, therefore, will be averted.

But this will make the world "safe" for conventional warfare, thus increasing the "chances of Soviet pre-emptive strike against China and of war between Western and Communist powers" as the danger to the civilian population decreases.

"More A Peninsula" During this anxious era, the United States gradually will re-establish control over Europe, the panel predicts, until Europe becomes "more a peninsula than a power." The Soviets, in turn, will

dominate the Mideast while China controls "Southeast Asia, makes headway in Africa and makes trouble in India."

Internally, "the USSR will be subject to growing pressures" and the future of China without Mao Tse-tung "is unpredictable." However, "the turnover in governments everywhere is likely to be unusually rapid."

As a New Year's prediction 10 years from now, the American "presidential leadership will be taxed to the utmost. Public opinion will assume greater importance." But the commission concludes that the public will support the President's predicted call for moderate sacrifices, somewhat to the discomfort of Congress.

Eventually, the dollar will be re-established, the study says, "as the world's major reserve and trading currency." But this will not prevent a continuing spiral in costs of food, oil and other necessities.

In fact, these distinguished crystal ball gazers see "starvation in some regions," rampant unemployment around the world and, in the more developed lands "a rapid, worldwide rise in wage levels" as a result of inflation.

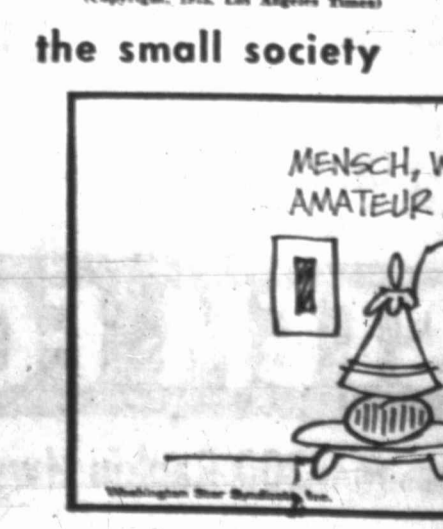
The 12-page summary, collected from both expert testimony and staff research, makes clear that some of the predictions are more probable than others. Chairman Murphy hopes to submit the final version to President Ford and Congress by June 1975.

Footnote: The commission's research director, Peter Szanton, insisted to our reporter Ira Rosen that the secret study was still preliminary. But he said it contained the "raw material" for the final, more comprehensive study.

CIA WHISPERS: The Central Intelligence Agency secretly provided the Justice Department with confidential information on numerous Americans for "antiriot" purposes during the Nixon years. The strange deal was arranged at a meeting between a high Justice Department official and a CIA representative, even though the CIA is barred from domestic surveillance by federal law. During the past several days, the press has revealed one violation after another of this stricture. But little has been

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of the peace agreement and warns that "it must accept the full consequences of its actions." This is a signal that the Ford Administration will ask Congress to appropriate enough money to see South Vietnam through the spring military crisis. All the talk about hoping that the North Vietnamese will get back to the negotiating table with Saigon or help organize free elections in South Vietnam is meaningless. Vietnam seems destined for regular flare-ups in fighting for a long time. So, it comes down to our word. Do we give it lightly, or do we mean it? Do we keep it with Israel and break it with South Vietnam? Are we idealistic or cynical? Does it all come down to who holds the power in Congress? (Copyright, 1974, Los Angeles Times)



KEVIN P. PHILLIPS

# Sugar And Slavery Altered U.S. History

MADEIRA, PORTUGAL (KFS) — Despite the high price of sugar, only a few sugar mills still operate in Madeira and the slaves that once toiled in the cane fields are gone. Little remains to commemorate the role that Madeira and the other Portuguese Atlantic islands played in launching the New World sugar industry. The legacy of that cultivation is more readily found in Boston, Newark, Richmond and a host of other U.S. cities torn by racial divisions.

The connection is not obscure or far-fetched. Without the colonial era sugar industry begun in Portugal's Atlantic islands — the Madeiras, Azores, Cape Verde and Sao Thome — the West African slave trade would have been small, perhaps even negligible, and the racial make-up of the U.S. quite different. If spices lured Europe to the East Indies, sugar was a powerful force in shaping the society and culture of the New World.

"Europe's Sweet Tooth" Statistical documentation of sugar's critical role in the slave trade can be found in the new book, "Time on the Cross," by Robert W. Fogel and Stanley Engerman of the University of Rochester. They argue that "it was Europe's sweet tooth, rather than its addiction to tobacco or its infatuation

with cotton cloth, that determined the extent of the Atlantic slave trade . . . Between 60 and 70 per cent of all the Africans who survived the Atlantic voyages ended up in one or another of Europe's sugar colonies."

Europe's sugar industry began in the 12th Century Mediterranean — in Cyprus, Crete and Sicily — but by 1450, the Portuguese began larger production in the Madeiras, Cape Verde and Sao Thome. And to cultivate the new sugar islands, they began taking black slaves from nearby West Africa. "Of the 130,000 Negro imports between 1451 and 1480, 90 per cent were sent to these islands," according to Fogel and Engerman, "and only 10 per cent to the New World."

As sugar cultivation grew, slavery grew with it, and emphasis shifted to the Americas. By 1600, Portuguese Brazil was the leading producer, and by 1700, the French and British Caribbean Islands (Jamaica, Barbados, Haiti and Martinique) had come to the fore. From 1451 to 1870, the total number of slaves transported was 9.7 million.

Only 6 per cent of these (596,000) went to the United States. Brazil got 38 per cent, Spanish America 17 per cent, the British Caribbean 17 per cent, the French Caribbean 17 per cent and the rest of the Caribbean, 6 per cent. Authors Fogel and Engerman admit that "to those who identify slavery with cotton and tobacco, the small U.S. share in the slave trade may seem unbelievable." In point of fact, more slaves were shipped to Haiti (864,000) than to the U.S. Sugar was the key — cotton was still in its infancy when the U.S. slave trade was cut off in 1808.

Smaller Slave Traffic Without the large and profitable tropical sugar industry to provide the basic economic foundation, New World slave traffic would have been much smaller. Arrangements would have been erratic, prices much higher. Absent the Caribbean trade, the number of blacks brought into the U.S. would have been far fewer, and the course of American history would have been quite different. (Moreover, what if Europe had developed its sugar industry in Asia and Africa?)

At this point, readers will be wondering why, if so few black slaves were brought into the U.S., do we have the largest black population in the Western Hemisphere? Fogel and Engerman offer this answer: Conditions in the United States were so much better, in terms of treatment, health and climate, that blacks reproduced at a rapid rate during the 18th and 19th centuries. By way of contrast, French, British and Spanish Caribbean conditions were so cruelly unfavorable that slave deaths exceeded births, necessitating replacement from Africa.

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### EYE ON CUBA:

# Mexico Anxious To Get In On Action

By ALFONSO CASTRO Capley News Service MEXICO CITY — Mexico is trying to convince Cuban Premier Fidel Castro that he should rely more on Mexico and his other Caribbean neighbors than on the rest of Latin America.

Practically everyone of political importance in Mexico, except President Luis Echeverria himself, has been on a mission to Havana in the last year or so.

The president's sons and his cabinet ministers have been there. Even, early this January, his wife made the pilgrimage, at the head of a cultural mission.

To judge by reports coming back, they all have extolled the multiple advantages to Communist Cuba of closer relations with Mexico.

It seems that Mexico is trying to make up for lost time.

For, although Mexico is the only one of the Latin nations that never broke with the Castro dictatorship, Mexico never made much of the continuing relationship.

Other countries in Latin America that were vociferously anti-Communist and anti-Castro in the 1960s, and which severed their relations with the Cuban regime, have had changes of heart and seemingly profited.

Peru, Argentina and Panama are the three prime examples.

Peru is building fishing boats for Cuba. Argentina is selling Cuba hundreds of millions of dollars worth of autos and trucks. And Panama, at least, is receiving very vocal Cuban backing of its demands for jurisdiction over the

U.S.-built and run Panama Canal. Mexico gets only passing mention, if that, in Castro's occasional speeches on hemispheric relations.

More recently, Venezuela decided to defy the 1964 foreign ministers' ban on ties with Cuba and reestablish relations with Havana. Already Venezuela has started selling rice to Cuba and expects to resume supplying Cuba with the crude oil and refined products that Castro has been getting from the Soviet Union most of the last 15 years.

So far, trade with Cuba has been mostly one way. Sugar, Cuba's principal export product, is also grown in most of the Latin American countries.

But Mexico, nevertheless, seems very anxious to get in on the action and in its eagerness sometimes makes what appear to be false moves.

Such was the interview that Mexico's newest ambassador to Havana, Edmundo Flores, gave to the Cuban radio recently.

According to the report, broadcast from Havana, and monitored abroad, Flores declared that the Latin American countries should join in a bloc to defend themselves during the current world economic crisis.

"The crisis today makes it imperative that we unite," he said.

"I am referring, basically, to the countries of the Caribbean, to Venezuela, to Mexico, to Cuba, to Panama, to Colombia."

Then he added that the countries of the "Southern Cone" of South America are "passing through grave difficulties."

"I believe that they are going toward the extreme right."

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# Culver Youth Home Provides Family-Type Setting For Youngsters Held In Custody

By JAN WILLIAMS

Many things separate a jail cell from a room at the Culver Youth Home and some Midland County youths are getting a chance to find out what they are.

The youth home, at 3800 N. Lamesa Road, provides temporary detention for youths picked up by police for offenses which would otherwise lead them to jail.

Grover Green, chief juvenile probation officer for Midland County, has been in charge of the home since its opening Jan. 1, 1969.

Most juveniles who spend time at the house are referred by the Midland Police Department, and Engerman, "and the New World."

judge for a detention hearing and the judge decides whether the juvenile will go to the home or be released to his parents.

The home is used for youngsters 10 to 17 years old and the maximum length of stay is 10 days at one time. If supervision for the youth is not worked out within that time, he must go through another detention hearing to be granted another 10 days stay. Most youths stay an average of 6 1/2 days.

A family type setting is used at the home under the supervision of houseparents Mr. and Mrs. Willie Morgan, who are on sick leave and are being replaced by relief parents Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Riley.

Some youths who are in school during the time they are at the home are taken to school in the mornings, and picked up in the afternoons. This is done only in cases which are not considered risky.

Green says the possibility of holding regular school classes at the home is being studied.

Youths generally have the run of the home within the fenced-in area and can occupy their time with such things as table games, basketball, volleyball, football and softball.

Green says the youths generally get along well together and if anyone misbehaves the only punishment is to be locked in his room. Real troublemakers, however, are

sometimes transferred back to juvenile detention at the city jail.

The youths are also expected to help with the cooking, cleaning, doing the dishes and other regular household chores.

While at the home, the youths are also taken to a doctor or the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center for testing should they need it. The parents pay the fee if they can afford it. Otherwise the county pays for it.

**County Pays**

There is no charge to individuals for staying in the home. The county picks up the tab for running the home, which last year had a budget of \$18,836 and spent \$17,711.

Green says the home is strictly a local operation and will accept youths from out of the county only in cases of emergency. In out-of-county cases, a daily fee of \$2.50 is paid by either the youths parents or the county where he lives.

The home also gets many runaways from other cities and states. They are allowed to stay until they can be returned home.

Green says out of every 155 youths who come to the home, 40 return.

**Some Flee**

"Many get in trouble again just to get to come back. The home means good food, a shower and a clean bed for many who never get those things somewhere else."

However, not everyone who comes to the home feels that way. Green says a few try to get away by climbing over the walls or fences that surround the home. But they're usually caught by police and returned within a few hours.

Green says there is very little vandalism at the home, however, because more of the youths who are there appreciate it.

According to Green, Midland is one of only 15 cities in the state which has a juvenile detention home. Completely funded by the county, the home was built at a cost of \$125,000 with \$5,000 worth of furnishings and equipment. The 4.8 acres of land it occupies were donated by the City of Midland.

Last year the home handled 155 youths. Counseling and placement of youths is handled by Green and Lorraine Miles, assistant juvenile probation officer.



COME AND GET IT—Mrs. Joan Riley, a relief houseparent at the Culver Youth Home in Midland, prepares dinner for some hungry youths.

# Ulster Hospital Lives With Horror

By MIL CHIPP

Copley News Service  
BELFAST — "Imagine having to cope with a plane crash a month for three years," sighed a tired surgeon at the Royal Victoria Hospital here. "and you have some idea of what violence in Northern Ireland has meant for medical personnel."

When the hospital radio crackles out a code word—"Red! Red! Red!" (short for bombing)—the emergency ward of the busiest hospital in the province begins the ceaseless routine of trying to staunch the running wound called Ulster.

**Totals Multiply Brutally**

Since violence first flared in 1969, the Royal has taken the lion's share of the patients, about 5,000 of the estimated 9,500 killed and wounded. Each year the totals multiply brutally according to William Rutherford, the softspoken, unflappable surgeon who has led the institution's casualty service since he returned from 20 years of medical missionary work in India in 1966. Rutherford thinks coping with plane-crash victims probably is easier than with the type of patients hurried into the Royal. "Here we get people in pieces: maybe 15 per cent of the violence victims with high-velocity bullet holes through them; over 30 per cent with shrapnel in them or covered with gasoline burns; kids with their heads kicked up to the size of soccer balls by mobs; even tar-and-leather victims," Rutherford says.

**Photographs Used**

The color slides are a gallery of the kinds of wounds to expect from an urban guerrilla war. "Later, if you show a patient what his wound looked like when he came in, you get far fewer complaints about stitch scars that are, perhaps, a little too visible," he says.

Other objects of his researches are head injuries and wounds caused by the so-called rubber bullets fired at rioters by troops.

With so many emergency cases tended to each month, Rutherford does not find every case disturbing. "I am more disturbed sometimes by the fact that I don't get disturbed," he says. "Your training makes you

take this attitude. It is important, if you are going to make good professional decisions, to learn to control your feelings."

Rutherford's cluttered headquarters is a tiny office just off the main waiting room, which is filled perpetually with tearful relatives asking about casualties: grim-faced policemen trying to get eyewitness identification of gunmen and bombers; and rifling Tommies bringing in wounded soldiers. Three telephones on his desk seem to ring constantly and simultaneously. Two blood-stained white coats behind his door show plenty of use.

Research minded, he is intent on learning from the horror which he sees wheeled daily into the hospital. In his desk drawer is a camera that photographs every victim on entry.

He insists that normal paper work procedures should be followed, even if 50 patients are coming in all at once. The only indication that a new patient to the Royal is admitted as a result of the street wars, rather than because of routine injury or sickness, is that his name goes into the Royal's record books in red ink.

Rutherford has devised his own four-carbon-copy form for the hospital and routes one copy per patient regularly through the waiting room desk.

This becomes the information center for the police, press and relatives. In an emergency, a battery of four phone operators feeds data to the anxious public. Fifteen minutes after an incident, the Royal usually can release a complete and accurate list of all the casualties it has admitted, thanks to its streamlined information procedure. Of course, no fundamental cure for Ulster's medical and psychological problems can be found at the Royal or other Belfast hospitals. The remedy must be political and spiritual.

**Patch, Stitch, Hope**

Until such a miracle is found, the doctors, nurses and technicians can only patch and stitch as efficiently as possible, and hope.

"When you have to put up with the carnage night after night, you get a bit fed up sometimes," says Kathleen Robb, a nurse. "You wonder about getting out of Ulster, just leaving."

But somehow the dedicated people at the Royal don't.

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# Ford Joins Others, Reports Sales Drop

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. on Wednesday became the fourth major automaker to announce sharp sales drops for the first 10 days of January.

Ford announced sales for the first 10 days of the year were off 29 per cent compared to a year ago.

The announcement came a few hours after United Auto Workers Vice President Douglas Fraser blasted Chrysler management for pessimism on the auto industry's future.

Chrysler Board Chairman Lynn A. Townsend said earlier this week that Chrysler's long-range planning assumes that automakers may have to live

with sales of about six million vehicles a year instead of the nine million of the past.

Fraser, noting Chrysler's "sales carnival" promotion, said, "It takes a real genius to start a multimillion-dollar sales campaign and then predict the doom of the industry all on the same day. The real carnival is right in the (Chrysler) executive offices."

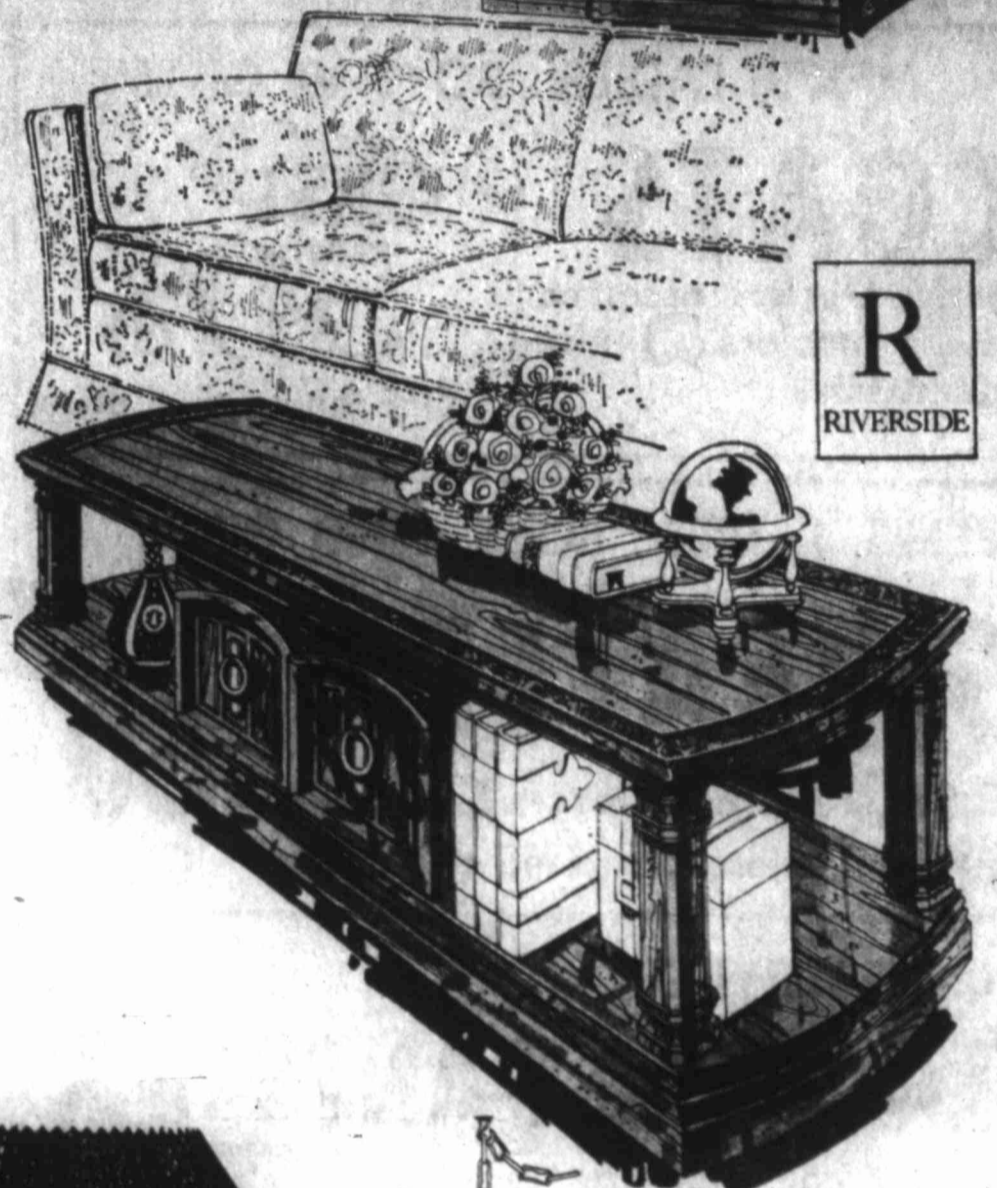
Chrysler also came under continued fire from other automakers for its sales promotion offering customers rebates on some models. The other carmakers have blamed the latest sales slump in part on customers waiting for the Chrysler promotion to go into effect.



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# Acupuncture Not Miracle Cure-All, Practitioner Says

MIDDLEBURY, Conn. (AP)—Adjacent to an empty field and an abandoned farmhouse stands a new, multi-colored brick building where medical techniques of the ancient Orient are practiced alongside those of the western world. A sign outside reads: "S. J. Liao, M.D. Professional Corp."

Inside there is a large waiting room and seven examination rooms similar to any other doctor's office. The only difference is that acupuncture is performed here. In Dr. Liao's office, several Chinese charts of the human figure hang from the walls. They show the 1,000 points of

the body in which needles can be inserted during acupuncture treatment. Liao says the public has been misinformed about acupuncture, perceiving it as a painless cure-all shrouded in mysticism. Liao, who came to the United States in 1947 from the People's

Republic of China, has been a licensed physician in Connecticut since 1964. He attended Yale-in-China Medical College and did post graduate work in public health and bacteriology. He has done extensive research into rheumatism and arthritis. "The public is entitled to the proper information about ac-

puncture," he says. "The American public thinks of it as an 'in' thing to do like yoga and transcendental meditation. They equate acupuncture with the mysterious, the ying, the yang, and the five elements of health, although this is played down in China today as his-

to aspirin: "It gives temporary relief of pain. There's no permanency in it and we should not expect it to be a miracle. For some, there is prolonged relief. But its use is limited. It works well for pain problems in cases where western medicine has nothing else to offer. It alleviates symptoms."

Liao specializes in treatment of pain for patients who come from all over the country. Acupuncture is only part of the treatment they may receive from him and his associate, Dr. Clifford Chu.

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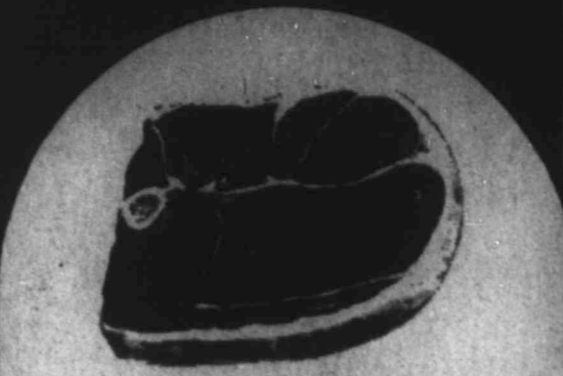
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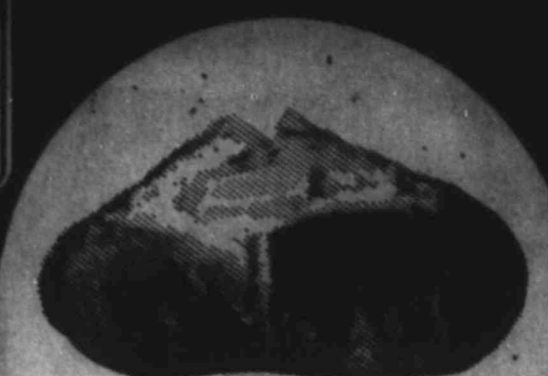
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## ARBOR DAY FRIDAY— Third Graders To Get Young Live Oaks Free

Twelve hundred live oak saplings will be distributed free among all third grade students in Midland's public, private, and parochial schools on Friday as part of a nationwide observance of Arbor Day.

Sponsored and financed by the Visual Improvement Project Committee (VIP) of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, the program is designed to improve Midland's tree population. Students will be encouraged to take the trees home for immediate planting.

**Trucked From Louisiana**  
The two-year-old trees, averaging about two feet in height, were trucked to Midland this week from a tree farm in Louisiana. Each sapling is in a container and will be accompanied by printed instructions on how to plant and care for the tree.

"We chose third graders to receive these trees because a national survey indicates this age-group is very possessive of living plants and old enough to be responsible for them," said Gordon Knox, VIP Committee chairman.

Students will be given the trees at the close of the classes Friday. Members of the Midland Garden Club are assisting with the project and will be on hand

**Park Visits Down**  
SANTA FE, N.M. (AP)—New Mexico's National Park Service facilities attracted 10 per cent fewer visitors in 1974 than in 1973, the Regional Park Service headquarters reported Wednesday. The new count was 1.65 million visits, compared with 1.97 million in 1973.



ARBOR DAY FRIDAY — Mrs. Henrie Mast, left, project chairman of the Midland Garden Club, and Mrs. Paul Karcher, project chairman of the Midland Chamber of Commerce's VIP committee, consult with James Armstrong about planting saplings to commemorate Arbor Day.

## TOP GIRL SHOWMEN — The girl's showmanship awards, sponsored by W. E. Chaney, of the Midland County Livestock show, were won by, from left, Linda Meroney, horse competition; Kathy Knox, cattle, and Sandra Smith, sheep.



OUTSTANDING SHOWMEN — The Leslie E. Floyd Showmanship Awards for the male competitors in the Midland County Livestock Show which ended Tuesday went to, from left, Ricky Minzenmayer, horse; Lee Schweitzer, sheep; Tommy Bryant, swine, and Tom Magee, cattle.

## Grand Champion Calf Sells For \$1,130 At Show Auction

Kathy Knox's grand champion calf brought the top price at the Midland County Livestock Show auction which closed the three-day show.

Miss Knox's animal brought \$1 per pound for a total price of \$1,130. Paying the price was The First National Bank.

The reserve champion, shown by Robin Mertz, was sold to Baca Cattle Feeders for \$784.

**Showmanship Award**  
Miss Knox won the W. E. Chaney showmanship award in the cattle division. Other Chaney award winners were Linda Meroney, horse competition, Sandra Smith, sheep, and Patty Quaila, swine.

The Leslie E. Floyd Showmanship Awards for male competitors, sponsored by the Midland Kiwanis Club, went to Ricky Minzenmayer, horse; Lee Schweitzer, sheep; Tommy Bryant, swine, and Tom Magee, cattle.

**Grass Identification**  
In the grass identification competition, sponsored by the Midland Soil and Water Conservation District, an FFA team from Snyder took first place. Its members include Trace Brice, Tammy Maxfield, Lee Jarrell and alternate Sandra Cumbie.

**Mrs. Meir Has Cataract Surgery**  
JERUSALEM (AP) — Former Premier Golda Meir underwent a successful cataract operation today, Hadassah Hospital reported.

Hospital sources said the 76-year-old matriarch of Israeli politics was in excellent condition following the operation.

Mrs. Meir entered the hospital Wednesday.

Second place went to Stanton FFA. Doing the judging were Ronnie Mims, Gary Hall and Jackie Romine. Gary Barnes was the alternate.

Another Stanton FFA team — Dean Christian, Ricky Lewis and Terry Smith, took third place.

Mrs. David Schweitzer was in charge of the grass judging competition. She was assisted by Joe McAdams, Sam Nance and Jody Schumann.

This is the first year that grass identification has been included in the annual Midland County Livestock Show.

In the animal judging, a Sheffield 4-H Club team made up of Gregory Mendoza Jr., Dennis Harper, Wayne Crummins and Randy Garner, took first place.

An Idalou 4-H Club team took second. Members were Jeff Watkins, Lawrence Simmons, Ricky Boyd and Curtis Williams.

**Champions** — Grand champion calf, Kathy Knox, The First National Bank, \$1,130; Champion ineweal lamb, Mike Sherrill, Well Head Equipment Co., \$222; Champion crossbred lamb, Kevin Pearce, KMD-TV, \$222; Champion swine, Vicki Calhoun, Mid-West Electric and Wire, Texas Office Supply, \$382.96; Champion medium weight lamb, Angie Cashner, Jimmie Miller, \$490.20; Reserve champion calf, Robin Mertz, Baca Cattle Feeders, \$784; Reserve champion swine, Mike Pruitt, Midland National Bank, \$418.20.

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## Sadat Sets Three-Month Deadline

By The Associated Press — President Anwar Sadat of Egypt set a three-month deadline today for a simultaneous Israeli withdrawal from some of the Egyptian, Syrian and Jordanian territory it occupies.

Otherwise, he said, he will abandon Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's attempts to advance Israel and its Arab adversaries toward a settlement by negotiation of bilateral, step-by-step agreements between Israel and Egypt, Israel and Syria and Israel and Jordan.

"I will accept nothing less than an Israeli move on all three fronts within three months," Sadat told an interviewer from the Beirut newspaper An Nahar.

"This is a decisive year because next year is an election year in America. If nothing is accomplished very soon, we will go to Geneva, all of us Arabs including the Palestinians, and explode everything there."

Sadat said if the Geneva conference becomes the forum for Arab-Israeli negotiations, "it will have to be final and conclusive, not merely to discuss a few kilometers under disengagement agreements."

Sadat also rejected another unilateral Israeli-Egyptian agreement for an Israeli troop pullback on the Sinai front only. He said any Israeli withdrawal from Egyptian territory must be accompanied by a simultaneous withdrawal from Syria's Golan Heights and the West Bank of the Jordan River.

Meanwhile, Israeli forces continued their nightly raids on villages in southeast Lebanon which Israel claims are used as bases by the Palestinian guerrillas.

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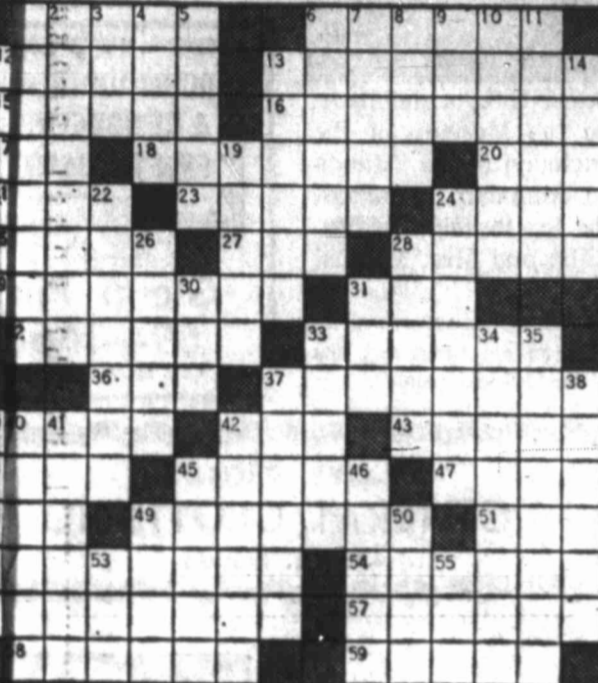


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53 Cowboy-actor  
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Refer to yesterday's puzzle on second page of Classifieds.

### SCRAM-LETS

That Intriguing Word Game with a Chuckle

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words.

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ROPIR  
RIPEZ  
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2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES

3 UNSCRAMBLE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

4 Complete the chuckles quoted by filling in the missing word you develop from step No. 3 below.

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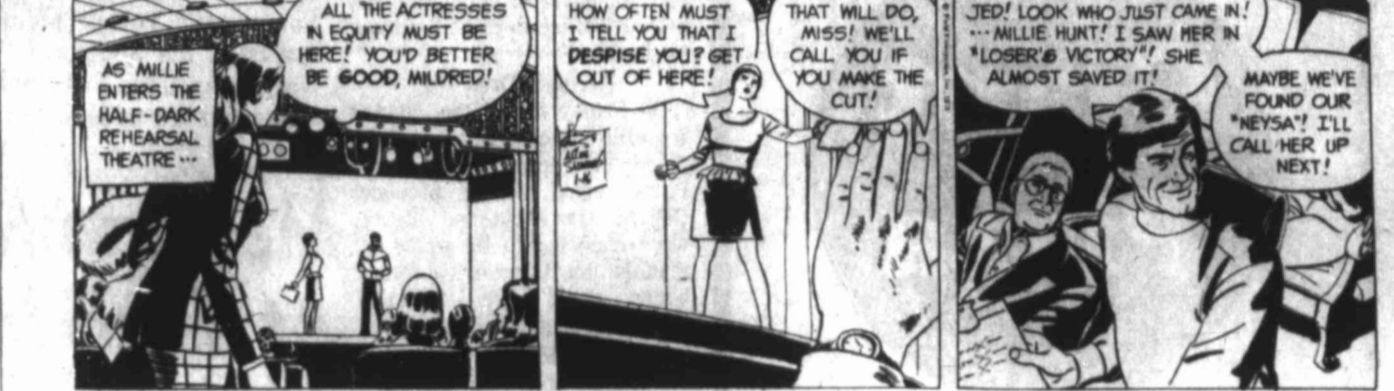
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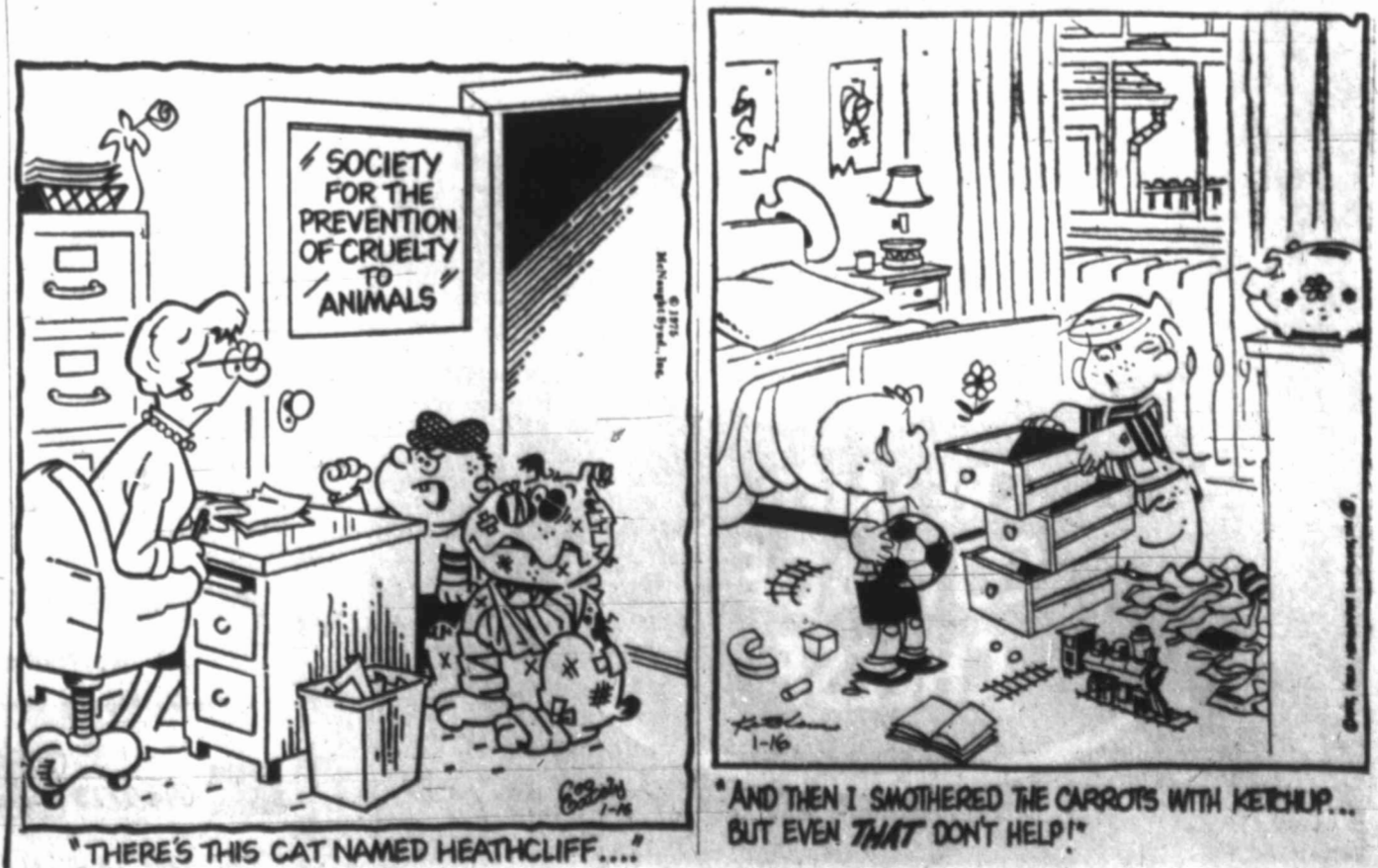
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# Belmondo Fights To Keep Tv From 'Killing' Movie Industry

By JOHN VINOUCUR  
 PARIS (AP) — William Holden kissed Kim Novak. Elizabeth Taylor looked like a teenager again. And Yves Montand died bravely.

It was a good Sunday on French television, said Micheline Bernard, who went to a friend's house to watch the day's three tv movies.

It was an awful Sunday, complained actor Jean-Paul Belmondo, who accused the new state television system of trying to kill the French film industry.

He called on producers to refuse to sell their films to French television and an actors' union backed him up by asking its members to refuse to work for the three national channels until the government agrees to cut the number of films shown on tv by half.

**Recent Reorganization**  
 "If we don't do something now," Belmondo said, "we'll be killed by the television. Take England and Germany as examples. They have great actors but no film industry. Real television isn't a home box for showing movies. It's a scandal that they've picked the best movie box-office days for showing three films."

Belmondo's complaints relate to the reorganization of French television since Jan. 6. The three national channels now have more competitive programming that includes three good films on Friday nights and Sundays, traditionally the best box-office days at the movie theatres.

**Receipts Drop Off**  
 On Friday night, Jan. 10, the box-office receipts were down 40 per cent from normal in the Paris region. Movie producer Gerard Oury claimed figures were expected to be worse for Sunday Jan. 12 when viewers at home could see "Picnic," "Little Women" or "Z."

French television will show 500 movies this year compared to 470 in 1974. The law requires that half the films be French. Both the union and the High Film Production Council, which groups technicians, film makers and producers, say that the industry can't really survive when it makes only 120 films a year.

The calls for bans on cooperation with the television system by actors are unlikely to have any great immediate effect because a rival union has not gone along with the boycott recommendation.

**Leaking Tank Car Brings Evacuations**  
 HOUSTON (AP) — About 15 families in Northeast Houston were evacuated from their homes briefly Wednesday when a leaking tank car dumped sulphuric acid into a ditch.

A Southern Pacific Railroad spokesman said an SP freight was switching cars when four jumped the track. Two were empty and two held acid. Workmen plugged the leaking cars and the spilled acid was neutralized. No one was injured.

**DANCE CALLER** — Chuck Bryant of San Antonio will be the caller for a Friday night square dance sponsored by the South-A-Way club in the M-Square on Warren Road. The dance will be open to the public and tickets will be available at the door before the start of the 8 p.m. event.

**Lots Of Air Travel**  
 It is estimated that two trillion miles are covered each year by ground and air passengers in the U.S.

**Antiques** — A handmade musical instrument from the Southeastern U.S., a dulcimer, intrigues Mrs. Richard Spore and 2½-year-old Chad Cloud during recent visits to the Museum of the Southwest's Turner Memorial Gallery. The instrument is one of almost 100 items included in the "Handicrafts of the Southeast" exhibition, which showcases traditional crafts work from Alabama, Arkansas, North Carolina, Louisiana, Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky. The display from the Smithsonian Institution's folklife collections will be on view here through Jan. 26. Chad is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cloud of Midland.

**Mexican Mask Exhibit Opens At Tech Museum This Sunday**  
 LUBBOCK — An important exhibit composed of 151 Mexican masks from the collection of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cordry of Cuernavaca, will go on view Sunday at The Museum of Texas Tech University.

The folk carvings will remain on display until March 2. The Museum is open to the public from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sundays and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday of each week. There is no admission charge.

The exhibit represents more than 30 years' study and research on the part of the Cordrys, both trained artists whose collections of Mexican art have been shown in galleries and museums throughout Mexico and the U.S.

Most of the carvings are ceremonial masks from the states of Oaxaca, Morelos, Guerrero, Michoacan and Jalisco in southwestern Mexico.

In pre-Hispanic times masks were used to inspire fear in an enemy, to demand respect from all onlookers and to enable the wearer to be transformed into a higher being. Wearing the mask of a god changed the wearer "into the god himself," Cordry wrote.

Some ceremonies, such as the Dance of the Viejitos (Little Old Men) and the Dama del Pescado (Dance of the Fish) pre-date the conquest. Others, such as the Conquistadors, the Moors and Christians, and the Santiagos were brought from Spain. Many of the present-day ceremonies have basic Spanish, Christian or historical themes while retaining traces of paganism.

In ancient times, masks were made of stone, wood and possibly of copper, sometimes inlaid with semi-precious stones. Masks in modern times are made principally of clay, leather, papier mache and wood, with animal skins, hair, rope or other vegetable fibers attached.

The Cordry exhibit was assembled by the Amon Carter Museum of Art at Fort Worth, and was initially shown there.

Andrea del Sarto was known as the faultless painter.

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**Chamber Music Composers Invited To Enter Contest**

FORT WORTH — Composers of chamber music in Texas and the Southwest are invited to enter a special creative competition here. The competition will be held in conjunction with Fort Worth's third annual Mayfest, scheduled May 1-4 on the banks of the Trinity River.

According to Mrs. Richard F. Brown, chairman of the Art at Mayfest Committee, cash awards totaling \$1,800 will go to winning composers in the chamber music contest, titled the Shenna Meeker Memorial Composers Competition. Mayfest is an annual spring festival which features sporting events and races, a variety of food booths, musical performances and a creative area for children, in addition to an arts area offering demonstrations of crafts and exhibitions of quality art works.

Held on the banks of the river in Trinity Park, the annual weekend event has been extended to four days this year: from 3 until 9 p.m. on May 1 and 2 and from noon until 9 p.m. on May 3 and 4. Prize-winning works in the new competition will be performed by the chamber orchestra of the Fort Worth Symphony under the direction of John Giordano. The first performance will be given during Mayfest in the outdoor shell of the arts area, followed by a later program at the Kimbell Art Museum here.

**Tech Ensemble To Perform Today**

SNYDER — Western Texas College will be host to the Faculty Chamber Ensemble of Texas Tech University for a concert at 8 p.m. today in the WTC Fine Arts Theater. Instrumentalists of the ensemble include Thomas Redcay, piano; James Barber, violin; Anthony Britten, French horn; Keith McCarty, clarinet; and Margaret Redcay, flute. All are members of the music faculty at Texas Tech. Tonight's program will be open to the public, with tickets priced at \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.

bequest from the estate of the late Mrs. Julian Robertson Meeker, who had lifelong involvements with music, gardening and the preservation of natural beauty. The Meeker bequest has been augmented this year by special grants from the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency. The grants were received by the Junior League of Fort Worth, Inc., one of the groups sponsoring Mayfest.

**Cash Prizes**  
Prizes to be awarded are \$500 for first place; \$400, second; \$300, third, plus three honorable mention awards of \$200 each. Chairman of the jury for the competition will be Dr. William P. Latham, director of graduate studies in music at North Texas State University, Denton. Jurors will include Dr. Paul Cooper, newly appointed composer-in-residence at the Shepherd School of Music at Rice University, Houston; Dr. Ray E. Luke, chairman of the instrumental music division at Oklahoma City University; Dr. Martin Mailman, coordinator of composition in the NTSU school of music; and Maestro Giordano, music director of the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra.

All interested composers may submit entries of a new work for chamber orchestra scored for any combination of from 12 to 23 instruments (plus prepared tape, if desired) from among the following: one flute, one oboe, one b-flat clarinet, one bassoon, two trumpets, two French horns, one trombone, one tuba, two percussion, three first violins, three second violins, two violas, two cello and one bass.

Composers must complete and return a special application form listing the title and approximate duration of each entry (between eight and 12 minutes) prior to Feb. 1, and scores must be mailed before March 15. Copyrights will remain with each composer, and efforts will be made by the Mayfest committee to find publishers for the winning works. Additional information is available from the Junior League of Fort Worth, Inc., 3505 W. Lancaster Ave., Fort Worth 76107.

**'Ironside' Ends Tonight**

NEW YORK (AP) — "Ironside" has its last NBC performance tonight after eight seasons on the air. But Raymond Burr already has left the wheelchair he occupied as the paraplegic Chief Robert Ironside to work on other projects, including a possible new series. He reports it feels "great, just great" to be out of the wheelchair.

"I'm not a sinner, anyway," says Burr, 57, who went directly from eight years as "Perry Mason" on TV into "Ironside," which already is in reruns, syndicated in 130 American cities by his count. The Canadian-born actor, who began his career at 19 in Toronto, lives on a three-acre spread in the Hollywood Hills when he's working and relaxes on a copra plantation he owns on Naituba in the Fiji Islands.

Burr, who has made enough from "Ironside" to loaf for life if he so chooses. Why, then, consider plunging back into the grind of a series? "It's not a question of plunging back," the veteran actor said. "It's a question of making my plans for the next five or six years. I don't want to leave television, but I do want to limit my work in it."

And now I'm in a position to ask both a network and the production company working with my company to limit the number of shows each year so that I'm only working six months of the year on television." Burr, who said he's been tailing 10 months each year on TV in the past, said he'd use the remaining six months of his new work schedule for movie projects, business matters or simple relaxation. He said he already has two theatrical movie projects on the drawing boards now — one on the life of Pope John XXIII, whom he portrayed last year in an NBC special, and a satire set in the South Pacific.

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**Two Operas Planned For Saturday Broadcast**

NEW YORK — Two beloved operatic staples — Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana" and Leoncavallo's "Pagliacci," will share honors on the Texaco Metropolitan Opera broadcast Saturday afternoon. The perennially-popular twinbill will be heard over Station KCRS in Midland, Tex., beginning at 1 p.m.

Singing principal roles in "Cavalleria Rusticana" will be soprano Grace Melzia Bumby, mezzo-soprano Joann Grillo, soprano Carlotta Ordassy and baritone Anselmo Colzani. A replacement for tenor Richard Tucker, who died suddenly last week, will be announced Saturday.

Sharing singing honors in "Pagliacci" will be soprano Na Moffo, tenor James McCracken, baritone Sherrill Milnes, baritone Lenus Carlson, and tenor Robert Schmor. John Nelson will conduct both presentations.

During the single intermission between these two one-act operatic masterpieces, the radio audience will hear a lively edition of the feature "Musical Chairs." With Edward Downes serving as MC, panelists will be Alberta Masiello, David Stivener and Richard Weitach. All members of the Metropolitan Opera's musical staff.

**Wins BBA Degree**  
WACO — Alan Lee Miller, son of S. T. Miller of 3108 Seaboard St. in Midland, was awarded a BBA degree in accounting at the close of the fall semester at Baylor University.

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**Dance Program Presented**

The influence of folk dance on classical ballet was traced by guest speaker Margo Dean of Fort Worth at a meeting Tuesday night of the Midland Music Club, an affiliate of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs. The Midland club's study topic for the current year is folk music.

Mrs. Dean, who has owned and operated a dance studio in Fort Worth for a number of years, also is artistic director of Ballet Concerto Inc., a unique, non-profit dance organization established in 1969 for the purpose of presenting educational ballet programs to students in the Fort Worth public schools. The ballet company currently is preparing to present its winter program, "Dance International 1975," funded by a grant from the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities, in a series of performances in Tarrant County Convention Center Theater. The presentations for foreign language students in Fort Worth area schools are designed to exhibit the cultures of five countries and to demonstrate the influence of folk dance of these countries on classical ballet.

In her special presentation here, Mrs. Dean spoke on folk dances of Ireland, Russia, Germany, Spain and France. **Dance Examples Presented**  
Through a series of quick costume changes, she provided such examples of folk dance as the flamenco dances of Spain, Irish jigs, the polkas of Germany and Central Europe, the stylized court dances of the French court at the time of Louis XIV and the vigorous and spirited peasant dances of Imperial Russia, pointing out some of the facets of these dances which have been incorporated into ballet.

Mrs. Dean, a graduate of Ward Belmont College at Nashville, where she majored in ballet, has studied ballet and other dance forms in Paris, Cannes, New York City and Buenos Aires. She has studied Spanish dance in Madrid, Seville and Mexico City. She has danced in the Dallas Summer Musicals, was a resident member of the Louisville Musicals and served for a number of years as resident choreographer for the Fort Worth Opera, where she also was a principal dancer. She has choreographed works for Dallas Civic Ballet and the Fort Worth Symphony and has been a guest artist with Dallas Civic Ballet, the Civic Ballet of Little Rock, Seaboard St. in Midland, was Ari. She was choreographer of the first musical for children presented at Fort Worth's Casa Manana.

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**Financial Aid Now Available At Midland College**

Bill Burns, Midland College financial aids director has announced today a substantial amount of financial aid is available for the spring semester. In addition to the grants available, the college also has five work study positions open to full time students.

The Basic Educational Opportunity Grant (BEOG) provides up to \$381 for the semester to a student attending school full time who demonstrates financial need and has not attended any institution of higher education before April 1973. The work study positions are open to full time students demonstrating financial need who can work at least 15 hours a week. Positions available include secretarial, maintenance, and library assistance. Work hours will be arranged in the day around class schedules.

Burns said short term loans for educational needs such as books and tuition and various local scholarships are still available this semester.

**Dallas Symphony Musicians Accept New Contract**  
DALLAS (AP) — Musicians in the Dallas Symphony Orchestra have voted to accept a new contract by what an orchestra spokesman described as a bare minimum. Their agreement with the Dallas Symphony Association provides for a 27-week season with minimum base pay of \$285. It calls for them to be engaged for 24 consecutive weeks starting Jan. 21, two weeks' vacation and a 27th week in September. In addition, it was disclosed, there will be a 1975-76 season of 39 weeks exclusive of the Dallas opera season at a \$300 weekly minimum.

**Midland Countians On ASU Honor Roll**  
SAN ANGELO — Seventeen Midlanders and one Midkiff resident have been named to the dean's honor roll for the fall semester at Angelo State University. Midlanders were Cecilia Alcala, Julia Lynn Grown, Andrea Eileen Carlsen, Jane Evelyn Gaines, Geary Herman Garton, Elizabeth Betsy Gourley, Cynthia Lou Johnson, Joseph David Pickering, Ramona Sue Roetschke, Betty Sue Sandel, Kathryn Janice Turner, Kent Dewayne Williams, Barbara Elaine Artley, Nancy Kay Belt, Ann Eschberger, Monte Lee Holman and Diane Kay Lowe. Deborah Kay Cole of Midkiff also was named to the honor roll.

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## Houston Bucking Trend

**By JIM BARLOW**  
HOUSTON (AP) — Aided by a booming oil business and a state law which permits the city to annex suburbs freely, Houston is growing and prospering while many other cities in the nation face stagnation.

While the country struggles with a 7.1 per cent unemployment rate, the latest figures here show only 4.5 per cent of the city's work force is without jobs.

Alone among major cities, Houston continues to grow while other cities see the tax base eroded as the white, affluent middle class moves to the suburbs.

### Simple Base

Fred Hofheinz, 33, the tall, wealthy and handsome lawyer who put together a coalition of labor, minorities and liberals a year ago to grab the mayor's job from the downtown establishment, says the city's present prosperity rests on a simple base — the oil industry and municipal expansion.

"About 35 per cent of the petrochemical production in the United States is produced on the Houston Ship Channel," said Hofheinz, whose speech reflects his doctorate in economics. "While the rest of the world suffers in a very real sense, the city of Houston benefits. We are headquarters for many of the international oil companies. We are fortunate that our basic industry is the international industry."

### Fifth Largest City

In the latest figures released in December by the Census Bureau, Houston's standard metropolitan area moved up from 14th place to 13th place while the city itself is generally thought to be the nation's fifth largest.

The reason, says Hofheinz, is the state's annexation law that allows cities to annex up to 5 per cent of surrounding territory without a vote of either the city or those being annexed.

"The difference between Houston and Cleveland (which has had a declining population in recent years) is that we capture our suburbs," Hofheinz said. "White flight occurs in Houston as in other places," he said. "It is that we just go out and annex it. The final result is we have a far less rate of decline in our central city because we recapture the tax base."

### 'Ahead Of Game'

Between 1968 and 1974 more than 150 companies moved corporate headquarters, subsidiaries, divisions and branch offices to Houston.

But Hofheinz says while these changes account for more jobs here, the real migration pattern shows unskilled and semiskilled persons from the farms and small towns of East Texas and Louisiana coming to Houston to find better jobs.

"The history of American growth is like a tiger chasing its tail," Hofheinz said. "We're still ahead of the game. The people are going to come here to look for jobs and right now those jobs are growing faster than the migration."

"If we stop our growth, we are not going to stop people from coming. All you are going to do is stop the jobs," he said.

## Court Dismisses Robinson Appeal

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals has upheld the dismissal of a non-profit Texas antipovetry organization employe for allegedly making false expense claims.

Robert E. Robinson was dismissed three years ago by the Wichita Falls and North Texas Community Action Corp.

He appealed the dismissal to the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas, claiming the procedure under which he was fired was unconstitutional.

After the district court dismissed his appeal, he appealed to the 5th Circuit, claiming he had been deprived of his day in court.

In its brief written opinion Wednesday, the court said Wichita Falls' procedures "conformed to the applicable requirements of due process."

## No More Shotguns

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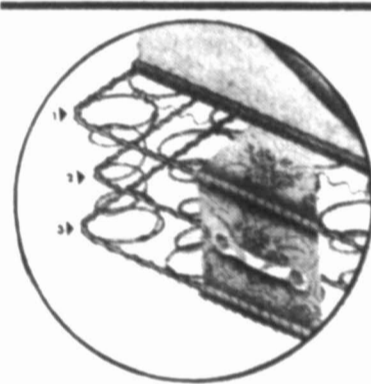
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# Will Imported Crude Tax Tug Nation In Right Direction?

By JOHN CUNIFF  
AP Business Analyst  
NEW YORK (AP) — The President's proposed 12 per cent income tax rebate and his determination to "turn the country in a new direction" probably will relieve the pervasive feeling among Ameri-

cans that they are economically adrift.  
Nobody really knows for certain just what the characters and needs are of so varied a people as Americans, but polls show they are upset over what they feel is an inability of leaders to tug hard on the reins.  
Now that President Ford has

promised to take a firm hold, they have reason to wonder if the horse is to be tugged in the right direction by the tax on imported crude oil.  
As does any industrial society, America runs on energy, and to a greater extent than may be evident, it dines on energy, communicates via


energy, travels on it, heats by it, and prices are likely to be higher for the refined, consumer product. Conceivably, the tax could lead to generally higher prices, not just for oil.  
Farmers use it to bring crops to market. Retailers use it to light, heat and advertise their stores. Trace any other product

to its source and you find the same pattern.  
What the tax might do is provide a supportive argument for utilities and others already disposed to use more domestic coal at the expense of clean air and tidy landscapes. It could be a spur to and excuse for the changeover.

While the increased costs to industry would be ameliorated by raising the investment tax credit to 12 per cent from 7 per cent, a question remains about the possible impact on particular industries.  
Utilities, for instance, already are suffering sharply higher costs and a reluctance on the

part of consumers to approve more rate increases.  
The automotive industry is depressed, and it could become even more depressed by higher prices for gasoline.  
The total impact really cannot be measured yet. To the extent that higher energy prices

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Araca Lodge No. 1414, A.F. & A.M., 200 West Industrial Avenue, Stated communication 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Called meeting January 17 for presentation of 30-year award. Lodge to meet at 7:30 p.m. on Jan. 21, 7:30 p.m. on Jan. 28, 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 4, 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 11, 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 18, 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 25, 7:30 p.m. on Mar. 4, 7:30 p.m. on Mar. 11, 7:30 p.m. on Mar. 18, 7:30 p.m. on Mar. 25, 7:30 p.m. on Apr. 1, 7:30 p.m. on Apr. 8, 7:30 p.m. on Apr. 15, 7:30 p.m. on Apr. 22, 7:30 p.m. on Apr. 29, 7:30 p.m. on May 6, 7:30 p.m. on May 13, 7:30 p.m. on May 20, 7:30 p.m. on May 27, 7:30 p.m. on Jun 3, 7:30 p.m. on Jun 10, 7:30 p.m. on Jun 17, 7:30 p.m. on Jun 24, 7:30 p.m. on Jul 1, 7:30 p.m. on Jul 8, 7:30 p.m. on Jul 15, 7:30 p.m. on Jul 22, 7:30 p.m. on Jul 29, 7:30 p.m. on Aug 5, 7:30 p.m. on Aug 12, 7:30 p.m. on Aug 19, 7:30 p.m. on Aug 26, 7:30 p.m. on Sep 2, 7:30 p.m. on Sep 9, 7:30 p.m. on Sep 16, 7:30 p.m. on Sep 23, 7:30 p.m. on Sep 30, 7:30 p.m. on Oct 7, 7:30 p.m. on Oct 14, 7:30 p.m. on Oct 21, 7:30 p.m. on Oct 28, 7:30 p.m. on Nov 4, 7:30 p.m. on Nov 11, 7:30 p.m. on Nov 18, 7:30 p.m. on Nov 25, 7:30 p.m. on Dec 2, 7:30 p.m. on Dec 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32 CAMPER TRAILERS & COVERS 45 FIREWOOD
1971 102 WINNERGO Indian, deep...
1972 134 1/2 Power Travel Trailer...

ITEMS FOR SALE
33 GARAGE SALES
GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE
Antique English sideboard...

48 AIR COND. & HEATING
ASSORTED SIZES
Good used furnaces and units...

51 BUILDING MATERIALS
GLASS blocks, 4" thick, many uses...

52 PETS
M'LADY'S KENNELS
Lou Alice Wallington
Boarding, Breeding & Grooming...

53 MIS. FOR SALE
PUMPS, pumps, pumps! Four one hp...

54 HOUSEHOLD GOODS
WAREHOUSE FULL OF FURNITURE
A Mobile Homes is having a sale...

55 MERRIMAN APPLIANCE
Sant Bankhead Hwy 694-6474
For sale extra firm mattress and box...

56 MUSICAL RADIO, TV
JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE
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2 BEDROOM
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69 RENTAL HOUSES, UNFURN.
70 FOR RENT, EAST SIDE
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### Many Bills Flood Legislative Hopper

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Rep. Chris Miller, D-Fort Worth, has introduced a bill cutting the state gasoline tax from five cents to four cents and imposing a penny a gallon tax on oil refineries.

She said it would raise \$200 million a year by taxing gasoline that is sold out of state.

The bill (HB17) was among the first stack of measures filed with Chief House Clerk Dorothy Hallman in the new legislature's opening two days.

Other measures introduced included: —HB20 by Rep. Mickey Leland, D-Houston, allowing drugists to fill prescriptions for brand name drugs with cheaper, generically equivalent products unless doctors specify no substitutions.

—HB1, by a group of liberals and conservatives, calling a Jan. 27, 1976, election on whether Texans want to have a new constitutional convention, consisting of 72 elected delegates.

—HB3, by Rep. Ronald Coleman, D-El Paso, repealing the state tax on the quart per trip of liquor that a Texan can bring across the border from Mexico.

—HB5 by Coleman, raising from 40 to 400 the number of cigarettes that can be brought into Texas from Mexico.

—HB7 by Coleman, requiring service stations to display in a manner visible to motorists their prices for all grades of gasoline.

—HB14 by Coleman, enabling counties to regulate land use outside of city limits.

—HB18 by Leland, curbing the use of "detail men" who promote brand-name drugs with free samples by allowing only registered pharmacists to dispense drugs to physicians for subsequent distribution to patients.

### Mrs. Domney, 57, Dies; Rites Slated

AUSTIN — Mrs. Louise R. Domney, 57, formerly of Midland, died Wednesday in an Austin hospital after a short illness.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the Weed-Corley Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Billie Wilkinson of Midland officiating.

Interment will be in Austin Memorial Park.

Mrs. Domney was born Jan. 14, 1918, at Weatherford, Okla. She was reared in Oklahoma and at Austin. She attended The University of Texas and was a Midland resident in 1967 and 1968.

Survivors include two sons, Joe Domney of Midland and Charles Domney, a student in Zurich, Switzerland; a daughter, Mrs. Spalding Boldrick of Austin; her mother, Mrs. Ruth Stubblefield of Washington, D.C.; a brother, G. W. Remund of Overland Park, Kan., and three grandchildren.

### Midlander's Mother Dies; Rites Saturday

WICHITA, Kan. — Mrs. Lena Hutchinson, 85, died in a nursing home here this morning. She was the mother of Mrs. Fayallena Steele of Midland, Tex.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Maple Grove Cemetery here.

Other survivors include two sons, seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

### Landmark Court Ruling Bolsters Party Powers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democratic and Republican leaders say a landmark ruling by the Supreme Court has strengthened the two political parties and added to their responsibilities.

The court ruled unanimously Wednesday that national party conventions play such a crucial role in the political process that the parties can refuse to seat delegates chosen in state elections.

Democratic National Chairman Robert Strauss said the decision "places even greater responsibility on the political parties of this nation."

"I as chairman would expect that the national Democratic party would devote itself to . . . a guarantee that the voters of any state will never in the future be disenfranchised without due cause," Strauss said.

Republican National Chairman Mary Louise Smith said the decision appeared to be very significant.

"Such a ruling will clarify who has authority over the delegate selection process and would certainly appear to strengthen the function of a political party," Mrs. Smith said.

The court's ruling wiped out contempt of court proceedings against 50 Illinois delegates whose seating helped swing the 1972 Democratic presidential nomination to Sen. George McGovern of South Dakota.

The delegates, chosen in private caucuses, were seated in

place of a slate backed by Chicago Mayor Richard J. Daley, which had been elected in the state primary election.

The convention's credentials committee held that the Daley slate violated party guidelines regarding representation of youth, women and minorities.

Speaking for the court, Justice William J. Brennan Jr. said the importance of national nominating conventions overrides the need of the states to safeguard their elections.

### Mrs. Grist, 85, Dies; Rites Slated

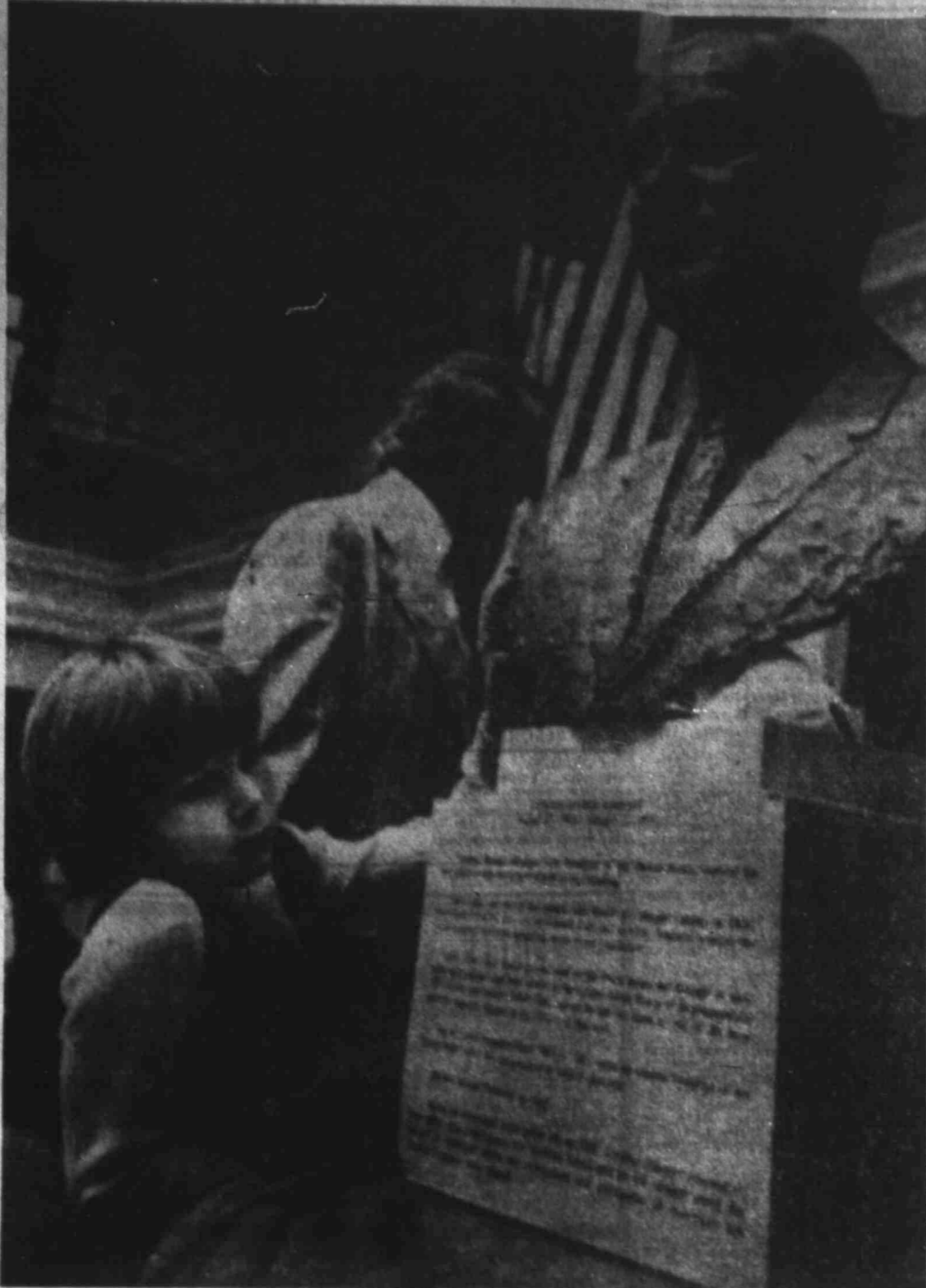
Mrs. Fred T. (Ella Jo) Grist, 85, died Wednesday in a Midland hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel with the Rev. Bruce McNair, pastor of the Alamo Heights Baptist Church, officiating. Additional services will be at 4 p.m. Friday in the Oakwood Cemetery in Cisco.

Mrs. Grist was born Dec. 1, 1889, in Alabama and reared in Cisco, where she lived until moving to Midland in 1960.

Survivors include the husband; two daughters, Betty F. Grist and Freda L. Grist, both of Midland, and a sister, Mrs. E. L. Howard of San Antonio.

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CLOSE LOOK — Patrick Lyndon Nugent, grandson of the late President Lyndon B. Johnson, takes a close look at the bust of his grandfather which was unveiled Wednesday at Austin before a joint session of the Texas Legislature. The bust will be on permanent display in the Capitol building. Father Pat Nubent is in the background. (AP Wirephoto.)

### Senolio Hinojos Dies; Rites Friday

Senolio Hinojos, 80, died Wednesday afternoon in his home here.

Services will be at 3:30 p.m. Friday in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery, under direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

Hinojos, a Midland resident since 1962, was born Oct. 30, 1894, at Toyah. A retired Texas-Pacific Railroad engineer, he worked for the firm 35 years.

Survivors include the widow; a son, Manuel Hinojos of Midland; a brother, Angel Hinojos of Bastrop, and four grandchildren.

### Industrialist Dies

DETROIT (AP) — Don E. Ahrens, 84, a retired vice president of General Motors and general manager of its Cadillac Division, died Tuesday. He retired in 1956.

### Ford's Social Security Ceiling Believed Doomed

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's proposed 5 percent ceiling on cost-of-living increases for Social Security recipients won't even get a hearing, says Chairman James M. Burke D-Mass., of the Ways and Means subcommittee on Social Security.

The President proposed the ceiling Wednesday in his State of the Union address. He said it would save \$2.5 billion in the Social Security program and another \$110 million in the welfare-related Supplemental Security Income program in fiscal 1976.

But Burke's refusal to plan Social Security hearings indicates Ford's proposal has little chance of passing, says Chairman James M. Burke D-Mass., of the Ways and Means subcommittee on Social Security.

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The increase has been projected at 8.7 per cent, which would mean that the minimum monthly benefit would go up to \$102 from the present \$91.00.

Maximum Social Security payments would rise to \$343.90 for retirees, compared to the present \$316.30. Under Ford's proposal, benefits would be held to a new minimum of \$88.50 and a new maximum of \$332.20.

Robert M. Ball, former Social Security commissioner for 11 years, said Ford's proposal "flabbergasted" him.

"While giving a \$1,000 tax refund to those who are well off, he pushes the elderly and poor into the front ranks of inflation fighters," Ball said. "I think the President has gotten very bad advice."

Forty people were employed at the New Mexico facility before the present strike against the airline by its airport and reservations agents began on December 1. Annual payroll at the office was \$500,000.

The Albuquerque consolidated reservations office handled an average of 2,000 daily calls from the airline's customers in California, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah. In the future those calls will be answered at the airline's other U.S. reservations office, located in Longview.

Mrs. Adams, 41, Dies At Odessa

MCCAMEY — Mrs. C. M. Adams, 41, died Tuesday in an Odessa hospital after a short illness.

Services were at 10 a.m. today in the McCamey First United Methodist Church, with interment to be at 10 a.m. Friday in Pleasant Hill Cemetery at Burnet.

She was born July 7, 1933, at Big Spring and was married to Ormie Mack Adams June 5, 1950, at Burnet.

Survivors include the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Connie Robinson of Hobbs, N.M., and Mrs. Loretta Kennedy of McCamey; a son, Doyle Adams of Odessa; her mother, Mrs. Grace West of Adamsville; her father, Ed Helms of Alamogordo, N.M.; a brother, Billy Sanders of Odessa, and two grandchildren.

Sale Well

The Pointed Mountain gas field in the southwest Territories is the sole producing gas well in the Canadian North.

### V. P. Baucum, 55, Dies; Rites Held

ODESSA — Virgil Preston Baucum, 55, died Tuesday in an Odessa hospital.

Services were to be at 2 p.m. today in Calvary Baptist Church with interment in Sunset Memorial Gardens under direction of Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

He was born Jan. 28, 1919, at Newton, Miss., and moved to Odessa in 1950 from Mississippi. He was a longtime employee of A. W. Thompson Drilling Co.

Survivors include the widow; two daughters, a son, three stepsons, four sisters, three brothers, six grandchildren and six step-grandchildren.

Services Today For Mrs. Simmons

Services for Mrs. Ruth Simmons were to be at 2 p.m. today in the Gotton Flat Baptist Church, interment was to be in Twilight Gardens under direction of the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel.

Mrs. Simmons, 32, died Tuesday in a Dallas hospital.

Pallbearers were to be Bob Cottee, Robert Frazier, Bill Lamnack, Roy Reynolds, John Phillips, Roy Webb, Ray Byerley and L. C. Baker.

Services Slated For Mrs. Yoder

Services for Mrs. Elmire Yoder, 84, were to be at 4 p.m. today in the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel, with interment in Resthaven Memorial Park.

She died Tuesday afternoon in a Midland hospital.

Pallbearers were to be Jerry Fides, Ralph Danner, R. M. Leubrock, Howard Cauby, Eugene Branson and Roy Harrison.

Services Slated For Mrs. Yoder

Services for Reginald L. Jones were held this morning in the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel, and interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

He died Tuesday morning. Pallbearers were Jim Schooley of Jal, N.M., B. F. Mannef of Odessa, Harold Droman, Roddy Tindle, Carmen Garcia and Dewey Baucum, all of Midland.

Services Held For A. D. Downs

Services for A. D. Downs were held this morning in the Newmie W. Ellis Chapel. Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Downs, 66, died Tuesday in a Big Spring hospital.

Pallbearers included Raymond Hundle, Raymond Robison, Preston McCleskey, Jack Irion, Peter Briggs and Pat McMullen.

Midlander's Sister Dies At Rising Star

RISING STAR — Madge N. Bell, 73, died in a nursing home here Saturday after a lengthy illness. She was the sister of Mrs. I. L. Edwards of Midland.

Rites were held Sunday and interment was in Sipe Springs Cemetery.

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# Single Teacher Wanted Family—So She Adopted Three Children

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Beverly Emmert, one of seven children, always wanted to raise a family of her own. When still single at age 30, she decided to adopt one.

"I love children," said Miss Emmert, now 34. "When I hadn't found anybody I wanted to settle down with and have

my own children, I figured I'd better get at it and adopt some."

An elementary school teacher, Miss Emmert is now the mother of three.

Sarah Beth, now 4, was adopted in 1970. Jason, now 2, joined the Emmert family when he was 7 weeks old.

Katie, the baby of the family, will be 1 next month. Sarah Beth is white; Jason and Katie are mulattos.

"There was really no red tape," Miss Emmert says. "The adoption people were thorough but there was no hesitancy on their part because I was single or because the chil-

dren were racially different."

Since becoming a mother, Miss Emmert says she has formed strong opinions about the family bond.

"Perhaps my beliefs are just reinforcements of my upbringing," she says, "but I think I have to provide a strong home environment for the kids.

I don't want them going to nursery or day-care schools. I have a marvelous babysitter to watch them while I'm working. It allows them to stay in familiar surroundings."

The Emmerts return as often as possible to Syracuse, N.Y., where Miss Emmert grew up. Miss Emmert's mother was

surprised at first with her new grandchildren, but "she wasn't upset," says Miss Emmert.

Miss Emmert's father is dead.

The Emmerts live in a little house owned by the school teacher. But she foresees the day when her family will out-

grow its present home. "I would love to have more children, but I don't think it is financially feasible right now," she said. "I still would love to get married and have my own children, too. I wouldn't mind having seven or eight children."



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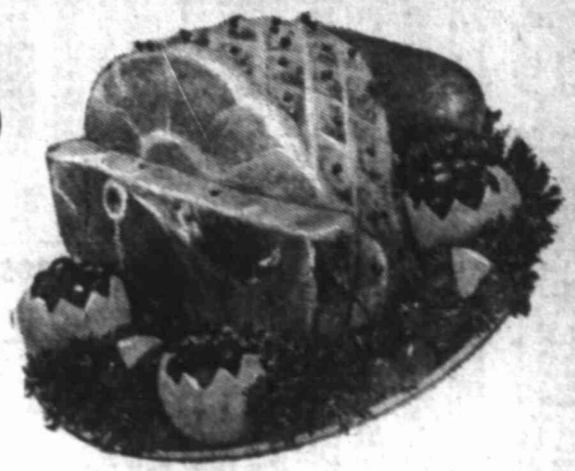


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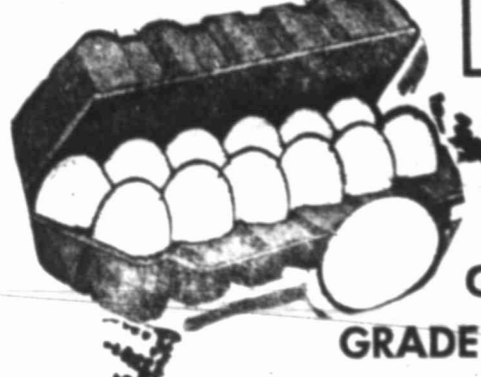


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**Chuck Steak** **77¢**  
**LB.**



**GORTON'S FROZEN FISH STICKS or FILLETS**  
 Your Choice **1.87**  
**2-LB. BOX**

**MARKET PACKED SLICED SLAB BACON** **87¢**  
**LB.**

**BEEF SHORT RIBS** **47¢**  
**LB.**

**STEW MEAT** **1.07**  
**LB.**

**STEAK FINGERS** GOOCH **89¢**  
**12-OZ. PKG.**

**ALL MEAT FRANKS** OSCAR MAYER **1.07**  
**LB.**

**CHEDDAR CHEESE** RED RIND WISCONSIN **1.19**  
**LB.**

**GERMAN SAUSAGE** GOOCH **99¢**  
**12-OZ. RING**

**CHAP NO MORE LOTION** **99¢**  
**16-OZ. SIZE**



**SOFTWEVE TOILET TISSUE** **29¢**  
**2-ROLL PKG.**



**CONSORT . . . HAIR SPRAY** **79¢**  
**FOR MEN 13-OZ. CAN**

**CREST TOOTH PASTE** **69¢**  
**7-OZ. TUBE . . . . .**



**Clairol . . . FINAL NET** **1.09**  
**8-OZ. BOTTLE**



**ARRID EXTRA DRY Anti-Perspirant DEODORANT** **79¢**  
**9-OZ. CAN**

