

Refugees find bittersweet purgatory in France

By PAUL CHUTKOW

CRETEIL, France (AP) — Vietnamese refugee Huynh Tho, his wife and 13 children are finding a bittersweet purgatory in France. Their memories of 40 days of anguish aboard the freighter Hai Hong are all too fresh, their dreams of freedom too uncertain.

At two refugee "transit centers" in the Paris suburbs, Huynh and 221 other refugees who fled Vietnam aboard the Hai Hong have had six days' induction into their new life, with medical examinations, fresh clothes and large helpings of "Asian cooking a la Francaise."

Within the next two weeks, all of them will be transferred to some 100 "lodging centers" in the French provinces, where public and private refugee agencies will try to find them jobs, locate relatives already in Europe, and integrate them into French life.

For the moment, though, Huynh and the others are in limbo. In their little dormitory rooms, with orange peels, ends of French bread, and nearly empty wine bottles on the table, they speak in whispers, so as not to wake their children. And they ask about the ones left behind.

"We hear there are no more boats coming. Is it true, are we the last?" Huynh asked this week.

But then there were fresh reports from Kuala Lumpur that Thai air reconnaissance patrols have spotted more boats fleeing Vietnam and headed for Malaysia, the route of the Hai Hong.

Huynh, who has become a one-man message center because he speaks French, English, Mandarin Chinese and several Vietnamese dialects, quickly flashed this news, sending waves of smiling chatter down the center's orange-enamelled corridors.

"We are all a bit nostalgic, for our people, for our country. Even me, now in France, I am always thinking back, for I have seen with my eyes the story of what happened in my country," Huynh said.

The soft-spoken, 52-year-old Huynh, who still wears Vietnamese sandals but now has a gray second-hand French suit and a turtle-neck for the damp winter, said he used to work as a business representative in Saigon for an American-based firm. He lost his job in 1975 after the fall of Saigon.

"I tried a little farming but it didn't work," Huynh told Paul Hartling of

Denmark, U.N. high commissioner for refugees, who toured the center this week as part of his first official visit to France.

After Hartling had left, Huynh told how he and some 2,500 other refugees bribed, conned, sneaked and begged their way onto the Hai Hong, which was docked in the port of Vung Tau near Saigon.

The Malaysian government would not allow the refugees to land, and many remained on board the ship for weeks, running low on food and water. In addition to the refugees here, most others went to the United States, Canada and Germany.

Those who managed to get aboard the ship were "mostly merchants, many of them of Chinese origin," said Huynh, who has some Chinese blood. Many had been made to do farm work after the government took their property, houses and personal belongings, he said.

Li Thoi Huyen, a former bank employee and friend of Huynh, said he had to pay 70 taels, gold worth about \$17,000, to get his family onto the boat. Others had to bribe guards at the dock, he said, adding: "There's all

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Four students killed in truck-bus collision

ROBY, Texas (AP) — An oil servicing truck smashed broadside Friday into a school bus carrying boys' and girls' teams high school basketball players to a tournament. Four students were killed and 21 persons were hospitalized, six in critical condition.

Killed were a freshman girl, a sophomore boy and two senior girls. The injured "just rolled and tumbled and twisted" as they were being loaded into ambulances, said P.L. Burnett, who lives near where the accident occurred 11 miles west of this West Texas town.

The bus, carrying students from McCaulley High School, was ripped in two and tossed upside down off U.S. 180. A trooper with the Texas Department of Public Safety said the truck,

going south on Farm Road 611, hit the bus in the center of the right side at the intersection.

"We just laid the dead at the corner (of the intersection) because we ran out of ambulances and back boards and stretchers," Burnett said.

The accident occurred about 30 minutes after the bus left McCaulley, a small community 12 miles east of Roby. The teams were to have played in a tournament at Hermleigh, a community 20 miles southwest of the accident scene.

"Most of the kids were lying behind the bus" in subfreezing weather, said J.C. Cave, a passer by who stopped his car to help. He said some of the students were still lying inside the buses and had to be pried out, he

added.

The dead were identified as Rita Wilkerson, a freshman; Britt Jeffries, a sophomore; Bonnie Pippin, a senior, and Loleta Perales, a senior.

The Texas Highway Patrol said the injured were taken to five area hospitals — 11 at Snyder, five at Abilene, four at Rotan and one at Sweetwater. Two of the injured at Snyder were later transferred to Lubbock.

The school's superintendent and principal — the coaches of the boys' team — were among the injured. Doyle Bell, school principal and apparently the driver of the bus, was listed in critical condition.

The truck was a 1967 truck tractor owned by Cardinal Survey Co. of Odessa, Texas.

Views mixed on possible gasoline price increases

By GUY SULLIVAN
R-T Staff Writer

Opinions on whether gasoline prices are on the increase because of anticipated shortages over the next month or so are mixed among Midland service station owners.

Chester Pallanes, owner of Chester's Chevron at 2300 Wadley Ave., said Friday his price will stay the same at 58.9 cents a gallon for regular.

"That's the way the distributor sold it to me, so that's how I'm selling it to my customers," he said.

He said he asked the company if the price would be going up following widespread news reports concerning shortages, and his bosses said, "No, not as long as there are no short-

ages."

Frank Madrigal of C & W Fina at 2101 S. Midkiff Rd., said the price of his gasoline went up by three cents a gallon two weeks ago.

"There was no reason given," he said, adding, "I've had to raise my prices to customers because of the hike. But business has been about the same, though."

Charlie Duree of Duree's Exxon service station at 3301 Interstate 20 said, "My price hasn't gone up, but if the company does go up on the price of fuel, I will have to do likewise. As far as Exxon goes, we haven't got any word about the price going up yet."

Owner Steve Karman of Karman's West 80 Shell Station at 3614 W. Wall St. said, "As far as I know, our fuel price is stable. In fact, it just went

down one half cent Thursday."

The news comes as somewhat of a surprise, he said, because Shell Oil Co., the nation's largest gasoline producer, announced earlier it had cut supplies of all products to service stations.

This originally meant fuel allocations to Karman's station for December was 75 percent of the same month's allotment during the previous year.

"Gasoline prices are to a considerable extent linked to governmental regulation, especially as concerns allocations based on the quantities of petroleum products which a company has imported from abroad within a particular time period."

The one half cent decrease in price was announced to Karman, he said, "because it was something to do with adjusting the price month-to-month."

Karman said the original supply cut had not affected his station to start with.

However, he said, "Now that the other stations have been closing down early like at 6 p.m. and on Sundays, my volume of business has jumped in the last two days."

He said he must also now consider closing on Sundays and Dec. 21-25.

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Record lows may continue for a spell

Winter apparently has come to Midland to stay for a spell.

Midlanders winced under punishing 14-degree weather Friday night, with the mercury still descending, — as the season's first serious seeming sprinklings of snow fell on the Tall City earlier in the day.

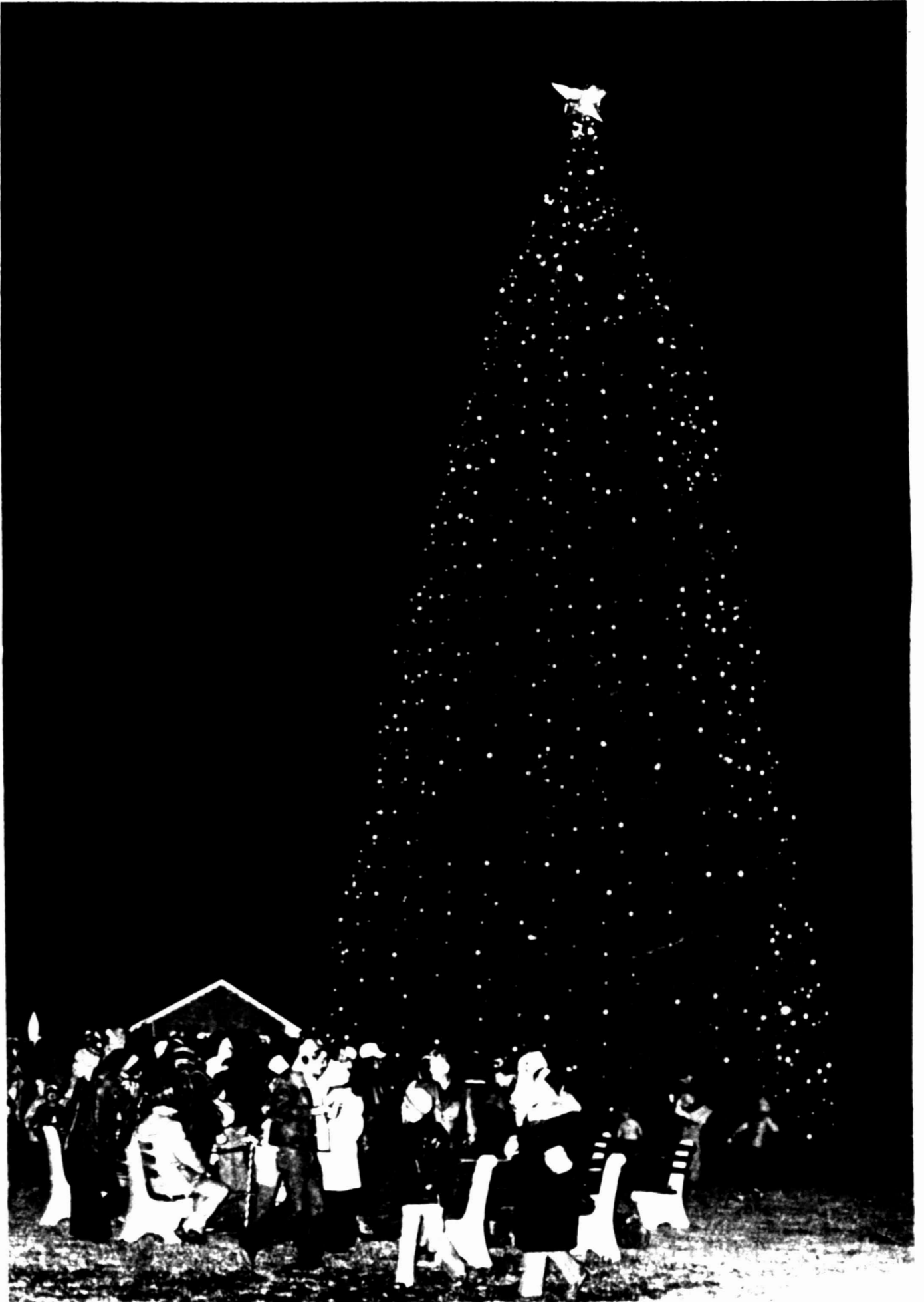
And no end to the cold is in sight. Although the weatherman is calling for it to clear up and get a bit warmer today, the low tonight still should be only in the upper teens, with today's high predicted in the low 40s.

Sunday should warm up to the low 50s, according to the National Weather Service office at Midland Regional Airport.

Friday's high of 27 degrees was expected to slide to a record low near 10 degrees overnight to put 1978 on the record books. That would beat a former record for Dec. 8 of 22 degrees, set in 1932.

While it left only a trace of moisture in the Weather Service rain gauge, the season's first snowfall was heavy enough in some areas of the Permian Basin to excite the younger set. Still, few Midlanders indeed located enough snow for a snowballs — most of the blowing white stuff melted as it hit the ground.

That trace of snow represented the only moisture recorded so far this month at the Weather Service, leaving the annual total to date at 17.09 inches.



Midlanders by the hundreds gathered at Dennis the Menace Park Friday night to witness the annual lighting of the city's Christmas tree and to participate in related activities. There were sever-

al fires for warmth, a visit by Santa Claus, free pony rides for the children and music provided by the Goddard Junior High School Band. (Staff Photo by Mike Kardos)

Testimony places trio together in Davis trial

By MIKE COCHRAN

HOUSTON (AP) — A secretary testified Friday she saw David McCrory in mid-July climb into a maroon car driven by Pat Burleson and containing a woman who looked like the platinum blonde wife of millionaire Cullen Davis.

That is the trio the defense in Davis' murder conspiracy trial contends plotted to frame the Fort Worth industrialist.

The surprise courtroom disclosure puts the three alleged co-conspirators against Davis together at a meeting

although each has testified they never met the other two together in 1978.

Dorothy Neeld, 37, a secretary receptionist for a company which shared a building with a Davis-owned company, said the meeting occurred sometime between July 15 and July 20 outside the company in Dallas where McCrory was employed.

It was almost one month to the day before Davis was seized outside a Fort Worth restaurant and charged as the mastermind of a scheme to kill his divorcee.

Mrs. Neeld identified a picture of Burleson, a karate instructor, as the man perched behind the wheel of a burgandy-colored Mercury or Lincoln.

She said she could not positively identify the woman in the back seat but said, "She looked like Priscilla Davis."

She said she had never met Mrs. Davis or Burleson previously but that she had seen the buxom blonde on television newscasts.

Mrs. Neeld said she worked in a Dallas building and that McCrory passed her desk to and from his job at

Jet Air, one of some 80 companies in the worldwide Davis business complex.

She said there was a third person in the front seat of the car that she could not identify at the time.

"David got in the car and they drove away through the parking area," she testified. "I saw them drive away."

She said she thought at the time that it was "strange" that McCrory would be associating with Mrs. Davis while working for her husband and shortly before the pending divorce trial.

Mrs. Neeld said both Burleson and the woman she believed to be Mrs.

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Coming Sunday...



RICHARD NIXON

Although he has retired from politics, he has not "retired from life," former president Richard Nixon told his audience during a recent visit to Europe.

And upon his return, Nixon reiterated that point in a revealing and exclusive interview with columnist Nick Timmesch.

The Timmesch report, in which Nixon speaks candidly on a variety of subjects, will be published in this Sunday's Reporter-Telegram.

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Weather

Fair and not as cold today and Sunday. Low tonight in the upper teens. Details on Page 4A.



Carter may seek consumer boycott

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Carter administration may ask consumers to boycott stores and other businesses that raise prices in defiance of government guidelines, the president's chief inflation adviser said Friday.

"It seems to me you have to place a great deal of reliance on local community action, surveillance, protests, boycotts," Alfred Kahn said at a breakfast meeting with Associated Press editors and reporters here.

While such an approach "does not present a definite decision yet," Kahn said it is one of measures the government is actively considering to put teeth into the largely voluntary wage and price guidelines.

He said the administration is also pondering whether to deny revenue-sharing funds to state and local governments where guidelines are exceeded, although it would require congressional approval.

"It is clearly an idea worth considering, and it

is being considered," Kahn said. While he did not specify what actions could trigger a cutoff of revenue-sharing funds, it presumably could include such things as the approval by Illinois legislators of a 40 percent pay raise.

He said there are "a whole series of next steps" being considered to win compliance with the program, which calls for maximum wage increases of 7 percent a year and price increases averaging 5.75 percent.

Kahn made these other

known. Although the figure of \$5 billion has been speculated upon as the potential cost to the government, Kahn said it depends on a lot of things, including the maximum salary that would be subject to insurance, and at those decisions haven't been made yet.

—The administration will issue revised guidelines next Wednesday, including a provision to limit the amount of increased profits to which companies are entitled as the result of higher prices.

—Details of the wage insurance proposal Carter is preparing for Congress aren't yet

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Permian Ballet's 'Nutcracker' brings color, musical magic

Permian Civic Ballet's annual presentation of "The Nutcracker" here Thursday night brought to the city once again all the color, the enchantment and musical magic that this beloved Christmas ballet offers so abundantly.

For many Midlanders, young and older, this famous fantasy ballet has become a happy holiday tradition—a fact that was made quite obvious by the large audience in Lee High School auditorium for this seventh "Nutcracker" presentation.

Permian Civic Ballet's three dance companies — senior, intermediate and junior — were joined by a number

ballet's second act, she was partnered in the *dewdrop pas de deux* by guest dancer Larry Taylor of Mexico City. The pair worked quite well together.

The various ensemble sequences in the second act which provide much of the color and delight of "The Nutcracker" were nicely presented. The Hot Chocolate (Spanish) sequence featured Dru Anne Perry, Douglas Woodall, Ann Stroh and Bradley McCaskill.

The Coffee (Arabian) segment presented Kathleen Sutton, Jesse Salazar, Laura Black, Katy Feldt, Carolyn Britton, Mary Katherine McGee, Kristi McClathrey, Latayne Swinney, Susy Carter, Molly Franklin, Jill Votaw and Julie Lauterbach. The Tea (Chinese) segment featured Sissy Cantrell, Gaetano Welch and Jennifer Henk, while the Mirlitons, or reed flutes, were danced by Betsy Halvorsen, Anne Reeves and Kelly Walker, and the Candy Canes were danced by Barbara Vives, Johanna Dodson, Gerrie Tipton and Linda Wilson.

The famous Waltz of the Flowers segment, one of the loveliest and most melodic sections of the second act, was danced with authority and artistry by Betsy Halvorsen and Kelly Walker.

"Mother Ginger" (a comic role traditionally taken by a man) was played by Gary Johnston and "her" brood of youngsters included Andrea Comola, Heidi Atkinson, Lori Garner, Lisa Triplett, Gina Fatout, Sully Hunt, Nancy Sumner, Bitsy Hopper, Georgia Fetters, Stacy Owens, Keith Beck, Raoul Faulkner, Jeffrey Marcum, Michele White and Tracy Boase.

Leslielyn Hohstadt and Leo Alexander were featured as Clara and Fritz, the brother and sister for whom the second act entertainment is planned. Other featured performers in the ballet were Janet Overton as the mother, Jay H. Floyd as the father, Gertrude Alstrin as the grandmother, Gary Johnston as the ominous Herr Drosselmeyer, Julie Lauterbach and Mary Katherine McGee as mechanical dolls, Bradley McCaskill as the nutcracker, Douglas Woodall as the king rat. The first snowflake was danced by Betsy Halvorsen, the second by Kelly Walker and the third by Dru Anne Perry. The snowflake pas de quatre was performed by Betsy Halvorsen, Larry Taylor, Kelly Walker and Bradley McCaskill.

A group of Midland and Odessa adults were in the roles of guests in the first act party scene, and a group of toddlers as angels provided special delight for the audience between acts.

ROGER SOUTHALL

A review

of guest performers in solo or featured roles in the current production. The resident dancers for the most part handled their respective assignments very well, and guest artists lent a special lustre and an extra degree of polish and professionalism to the performance.

Adding to the effectiveness of the performance was the "live" orchestral accompaniment, provided by the Midland Odessa Symphony under the baton of Dr. Tom Hohstadt.

"Nutcracker" presentations here in previous seasons have utilized tape recordings — nothing wrong with that, of course, but the live accompaniment can, and did, provide added dimension to the performance.

Susana Benavides of Mexico City, who has danced with Permian Civic Ballet on several past occasions, displayed her lyrical style and strong classic technique in her portrayal of the Sugarplum Fairy. She was partnered by Bill Martin Viscount in the role of the Prince Cavalier. Martin Viscount, artistic director for Permian Civic Ballet, has danced in all seven "Nutcracker" presentations here. His interpretation of the cavalier role Thursday night was strong and positive.

Undoubtedly of special interest to the audience was the performance of Midlander Susan Clark, a former member of Permian Civic Ballet, as guest artist with the company in the role of the Snow Queen. Miss Clark, now a member of Ballet Repertory Company of New York, seemed to capture the essence of the part very well and she gave an excellent performance. Her strong classical line was nicely in evidence, but it was softened and shaped by an intelligent approach to the special demands of the part. Martin Viscount partnered her in the forest scene pas de deux, while in the

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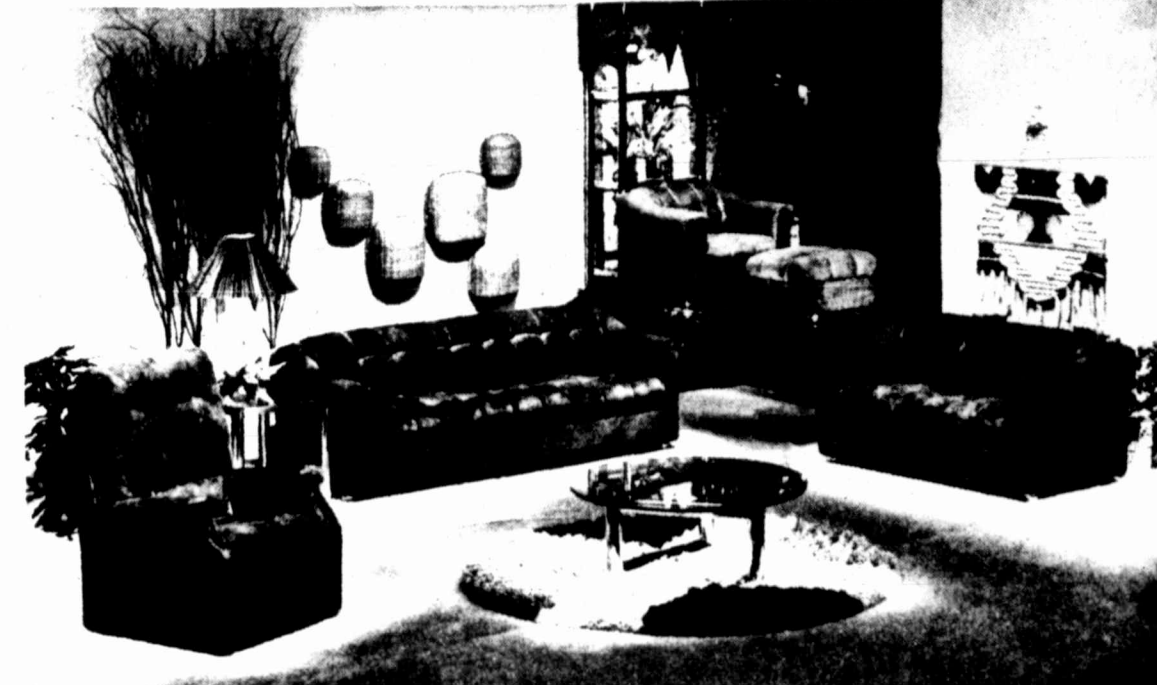
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Democratic National Chairman John White of Texas gives the thumbs up sign after he inspected the convention hall in

Memphis, where the Democratic Midterm Convention opened Friday with an address by President Carter. (AP Laserphoto)

Disco darlings dance, snip

By DOLORES BARCLAY

MERRICK, N.Y. (AP) — Maximus. The name almost goes unnoticed at the end of a row of shops on busy Merrick Road. But once inside, it's hard not to notice.

Stylists snip to the demands of thundering disco music. Some step in time to the beat as they circle barber's chairs. They're the disco darlings of the shampoo set, blow-drying their way to beauty with a capital B.

And doing so not at a trendy salon on Manhattan's East Side, but at a neighborhood hair parlor in a quiet middle-class suburb.

It's difficult, sometimes, being upbeat, says Richard Calcasola, who opened Maximus eight years ago.

"When they hear you're from Long Island, they think you're some kind of farmer," he says. "But I think I bring more inspiration to hair than some of the other 'in' places. I don't like to show hair styles. I like to show hair moods."

There are many moods at Maximus. Like the King Tut look with a multitude of tiny, precise braids, beads, feathers and jewels. Or the un-styled style. What inspired Calcasola here was a children's Christmas book about a bunch of ragamuffins.

"They had cowlicks and their hair stuck up in all the wrong places," he says. "Voilà! A new hair style."

Old movies also gave the 34-year-old hairdresser ideas. It was "the kind of beauty my mother had in the '30s and '40s," he says. "We went through piles and piles of photos to see how they wore their hair then. There was a certain sex appeal to these women. They weren't liberated. They were always in the kitchen waiting for the men."

Maximus has about 6,000 names on its mailing list and an additional 3,000 customers not on the list. The salon draws clients — men and women — from as far away as New Jersey, Connecticut and Pennsylvania. Once a husband and wife even flew up from Florida to have their hair done, then flew back the same day.

But being a minor celebrity on Merrick Road is not enough for Calcasola. "I would like to have something that's not just a flash in the pan," he says. "I would like to be something that's more permanent."

He talks between snips. His words flow in a steady stream — a fast one at that. He seems to be the only person in the salon who is oblivious to the constant pounding of the Top 40.

More permanent, he says. Like a beauty columnist. Or the personal hair stylist for a very important person. Or a salon in a major department store. Or the hairdresser called for designer shows and full-length movies.

"Five years from now I would like to have earned the respect of the

rest of the beauty industry and I'd like to tie in with a company that has national and international clout," he says. "I'll be more effective than ever five years from now and I'd like to be comfortable about myself and enjoy the respect of my peers and people in the industry and not have to promote and sell myself."

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Carter tangles with Byrd

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter is threatening to leave four new federal judgeships in Virginia vacant unless Sen. Harry Byrd changes his list of nominees to include women and minorities.

Byrd, Ind.-Va., said he will stick by his original nominee list of 10 white males, who were recommended to the senator by two citizens' commissions he set up.


Carter told a group of reporters Thursday that unless the senator's list is expanded, "there may be no judicial appointments in Virginia."

Under a practice known as senatorial courtesy, senators have the power to block federal judicial nominations in their states. However, Carter noted that the president is charged with starting the process by placing the names before the Senate for confirmation.

"Either the senator or I can in effect veto the appointment of the judge," Carter said.

Congress created 117 additional federal judgeships, including four for Virginia, in legislation passed this year.

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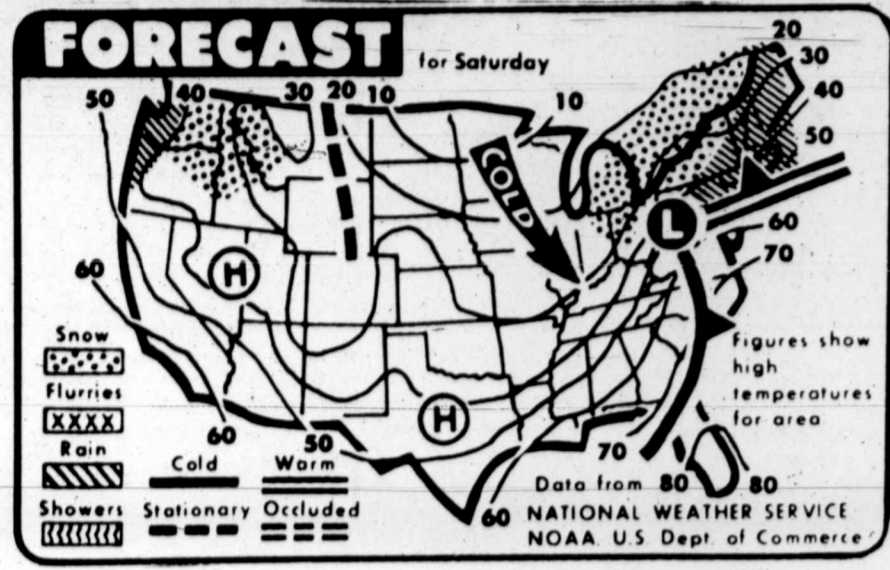
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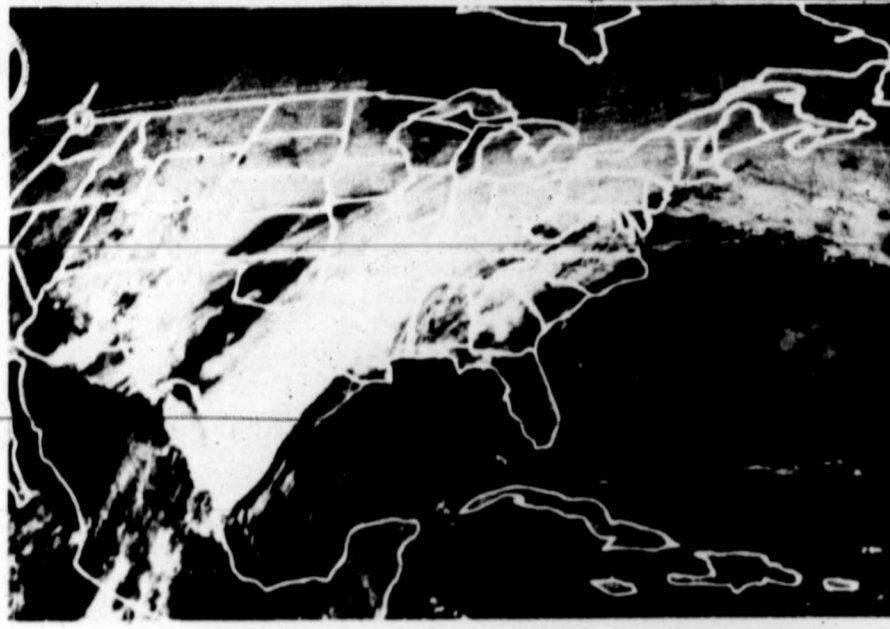
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WEATHER SUMMARY



The National Weather Service forecast for today includes rain in the far Pacific Northwest and in a band extending from Pennsylvania northeast into the New England states.



Friday's satellite cloud picture, recorded at noon, shows the eastern half of the nation cloudy and the west clear.

Midland statistics

MIDLAND, ODESSA, HANKIN, BIG LAKE, GAR DEN CITY FORECAST: Fair and not as cold Saturday through Sunday.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS: Yesterday's high 27 degrees, low 19 degrees.

Table of local temperatures for Midland, Odessa, and Hankin at various times of the day.

Table of southwest temperatures for various cities including Abilene, Amarillo, and El Paso.

Extended forecasts

West Texas: Partly cloudy and warmer the first of the week becoming fair and cooler by the middle of the week.

North Texas: Fair Monday increasing cloudiness Tuesday with showers likely Wednesday.

South Texas: Partly cloudy Monday. Cold in the morning with low near 40s Saturday and Sunday.

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Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Fair and not as cold Saturday through Sunday. Highs Saturday low 30s north to upper 40s south.

North Texas: Fair Monday increasing cloudiness Tuesday with showers likely Wednesday.

South Texas: Partly cloudy Monday. Cold in the morning with low near 40s Saturday and Sunday.

Meir was treated for lymph cancer

By ARTHUR MAX

JERUSALEM (AP) — Golda Meir, the iron-willed grandmother who led Israel through its toughest trial by fire, died Friday in a hospital where she was being treated for cancer of the lymph system.

The immediate cause of death was not disclosed. A Hadassah Hospital spokeswoman said the former prime minister had suffered for more than a decade from malignant lymphoma, a cancer of lymph organs that causes overproduction of lymphocytes, one kind of white blood cell.

The illness was a closely guarded secret during her term as head of government, 1969-74, which ended with her resignation in the aftermath of the Yom Kippur War against the Arabs.

"Deep mourning has fallen on all of Israel and on the whole Jewish peo-

ple in the Middle East," he said.

The gray-haired elder stateswoman died at 4:28 p.m. Friday. The hospital said family members were at her bedside in the final hours.

She had been in and out of the hospital recently. She was admitted to Hadassah for the last time Oct. 29. It was reported then she was suffering from back trouble caused by a slipped disc. Later it was reported she had developed a viral infection and was being treated for jaundice, a liver ailment.

A hospital spokesman said Friday that cancer had been detected 10 or 12 years ago, and she was first treated with radiotherapy and later by chemotherapy.

She is survived by a son, Menachem, a daughter, Sarah, and a sister, Clara Stern of Bridgeport, Conn. Her husband, Morris Meyerson, from whom she was separated in 1933, died in 1951.

Death came to Israel's fourth prime minister as the nation stood on the brink of a lasting peace with Egypt, something that has eluded it for three decades.

In 1974, Mrs. Meir said that peace would come, "but I doubt that I will still be here to see it."

Recently, Mrs. Meir let it be known at party meetings that she did not like the direction Prime Minister Menachem Begin had taken in his peace talks with Egypt. She opposed Israel's withdrawal from all of the Sinai Peninsula, including giving up a belt of Sinai settlements that were built during her five years and 78 days as prime minister.

A year ago, though, when Egyptian President Anwar Sadat made his peace-making visit to Jerusalem, his meeting with Mrs. Meir and their exchange of jokes and small presents was one of the warmest moments of that historic weekend and an emotional signal that peace was possible.

Sadat sent messages of condolence Friday to Israeli President Yitzhak Navon and to Mrs. Meir's family, a Sadat spokesman said in Cairo. The messages' contents were not disclosed.

It was expected that the body would lie in state briefly at Israel's Parliament building, the Knesset, after the end of the Jewish Sabbath at sundown Saturday. Government radio said the Cabinet would meet Saturday evening to decide on details of the state funeral ceremony and mourning period.

An official statement of mourning by President Navon was read over Israel Radio, but a spokesman for Begin, who was in Oslo, Norway, to receive the Nobel Peace Prize this weekend, said the prime minister would have no statement until after the Sabbath.

Mrs. Meir became prime minister after the death in office of Levi Eshkol. At the time she appeared to be a compromise candidate who would be pushed aside when the Labor Party sorted out its rivalries. Instead she became an institution, running the government with a firm hand.

Though she hated the image of the "grandmother prime minister," she could not help contributing to it. She would often invite her closest Cabinet advisers to her home for a meeting and then fess over them serving coffee and cakes.

The initial reverses of the 1973 war — and the public's demand for accountability at the top of government — led her to step down in 1974.

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ple," Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan said in Switzerland, echoing sentiments of Israel's other leaders.

Similar sadness was expressed by many in America as well. As a young Russian-born immigrant, Mrs. Meir had taught for several years in Milwaukee before leaving for Palestine, and she later traveled often to the United States on fund-raising missions.

Americans "have always felt a special love and affection" for her, President Carter said in a statement released at the White House.

Carter said Mrs. Meir's first dream — a strong and free Israel — had been realized in her lifetime. "We pray that the second great dream of Golda Meir's life, for which she worked and hoped and prayed all her life, will soon be realized: a just and lasting

Midlanders reflect on contributions of Golda Meir

News of Golda Meir's death Friday caused Jewish persons in Midland to pause and reflect on the contributions of the former Israeli leader and what the world will be losing with her death.

Although she spent most of her life in Israel, immigrating there from the United States, Golda Meir's death "will be a loss to the entire free world," said Stanley Saiken. "She was a steady force between the Israeli government and the Jewish people in the United States."

Although Mrs. Meir left the post of prime minister in 1974, she still played a part in Israel's politics. Saiken said he had "no idea what kind of political effect" on the country her death will have.

Another Midland resident, Evelyn Gould, said she was "extremely saddened" at the news of Mrs. Meir's death.

"It's too bad she didn't live to see a permanent peace settlement (between Israel and Egypt). I admired her very much," Mrs. Gould said.

Carter speaks of 'Democratic' partnership' at party conference

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — President Carter, giving fellow Democrats an account of his stewardship, spoke Friday night of "a new Democratic partnership," and harked back to Watergate as an example of "our nation's highest public trust betrayed."

Carter, who rarely recalls the fall of resigned President Richard M. Nixon, did so just a few days after Nixon made new moves to re-establish himself as a world figure.

In the text of Carter's keynote address for his party's midterm conference in this Southern city, the president coupled talk of betrayal and "break-ins and buggings" with references to the divisive Vietnam war and the recession and high inflation that he said characterized the administration of former President Gerald R. Ford.

"Democrats will never permit such anguish and embarrassment in the nation which we love," Carter asserted.

The president did not name Nixon, nor did he use the term Watergate. But the meaning of Carter's capsule review of "a painful decade" was clear.

The president contended that his administration has substituted a Democratic partnership among the president, Congress, governors, mayors, legislators and local officials, for Republican "leadership by veto and government by stalemate."

He said, "Republican presidential candidates said they wanted to run government in the worst possible way, and that is exactly what they did."

"We Democrats pledged to have government as good as the American



Wanda Johnson shouts at Lau members during morning gathering.

Castro to free

HAVANA (AP) — 112 Cuban exiles and Fidel Castro Friday agreed to free prisoners and reunite by political differ.

Castro, seven Communist Party Central Committee members, and 112 Cuban exiles and Fidel Castro Friday agreed to free prisoners and reunite by political differ.

The emigration former political families, along with relatives abroad, than 500,000 Cuban States.

A group of 96 Cubans out the U.S. arrive a special Cuban flight from Atlanta. The group returned day.

Other exiles in Cuban capital or Miami, Puerto Rico and other points — number expected — Seventy-five of the first meeting and Castro last received special the new talks. M their wives, and

Snow and cold winds hit the Texas Panhandle Friday and carried the bad weather into the day. Temperatures Friday in Amarillo dipped to 7 degrees with the wind blowing. Lynn Jones tried to fight off the cold in downtown Amarillo by bundling up in a heavy coat and covering her head with a long scarf. (AP Laserphoto)

Surprise witness tells of meeting in Davis trial

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Davis were wearing sunglasses.

Admittedly caught by surprise, prosecutor Tolly Wilson said "you can't positively tell the jury under oath that Priscilla Davis was the woman in the back seat."

"No, I can't," she replied. "When did you come forward with this story you've told the jury today?" Wilson asked.

She said she was contacted Tuesday or Wednesday by Steve Sumner, a Dallas attorney and the chief investigator for the million-dollar defense team.

"Have you been furnished any money to appear here by the defense?" Wilson asked.

"No," she said. A defense lawyer questioned Mrs. Need at length about a black pickup which she saw parked around the Jet-Air offices on at least four occasions while McCrory was working there.

She said the pickup resembled one owned by her ex-husband, but the relevancy of that testimony was not apparent at once.

Outside the courtroom, a defense lawyer said he did not know the identity of the third person in the car.

"But there is somebody that's close to Priscilla Davis that drives a maroon or purple Lincoln town car," he said.

Earlier Friday, Davis' personal secretary testified her boss was cautious to the point of paranoia in the weeks prior to his arrest last August.

Brenda Adcock, 24, a stunning brunette, said a private investigator hired by Davis twice "swept his Fort Worth office probing for electronic bugging devices."

She said Davis made telephone calls on outlets other than his own, conducted meetings with attorneys in different offices and once told her to "watch" the window washers.

She told a defense lawyer Davis grew more "cautious" during the summer of 1978 and on cross-examination conceded that his actions might be described as "paranoid."

Miss Adcock, testifying previously as a state witness, was recalled by the defense.

McCrory was wired for sound in two meetings with Davis and those tape recordings provide the heart of the state's case. Burleson is the one who put McCrory in touch with the FBI.

The defense says Davis suspected early last summer he was being "set up" by a "vindictive greedy wife." The executive was acquitted of murder in the slaying of Mrs. Davis' daughter in late 1977.

A string of witnesses paraded to the stand to rebut testimony by McCrory that he and Davis conducted clandestine meetings.

DEATHS Harold Simpson

CASPER, WYO. — Services for Harold Simpson, 58, of Casper, Wyo., brother of Mrs. Sam Joffille of Midland, were Friday in George Lewis & Sons Funeral Home with burial in Memorial Oaks Cemetery in Houston.

Simpson died Monday in a Denver, Colo., hospital after an illness. He was born July 24, 1920, in Lamesa. He was district manager of operations for Union Oil Co. He was Presbyterian.

Other survivors include his wife, two sisters, and several nieces and nephews.

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French develop system for handling refugees

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ways corruption. Nguyen Ngoc Long, a surgeon friend of Huynh, got his family of eight onto the boat by hiding in an alley beside the dock and then blending in with the big group getting aboard.

"We benefitted from the confusion," Long said, smiling. "Before leaving, I heard many stories about ships sinking but I was not afraid," Huynh said. "But while we were on board, we suffered very much. Three died and three babies came."

Some of the teen-age boys and girls now hold hands as they scurry through the center in their handed-down windbreakers and often new sneakers. Huynh said this is new.

"No romance on the ship. It was too sorrowful," he said. "Now is another story. We are happy now."

France, which has long prided itself on being a "land of asylum," has taken in 56,458 refugees from Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos since 1975 and has subsidized the major portion of their assistance.

According to official statistics, this influx has swelled France's immigrant population to about four million, or nearly 8 percent of the country's total population of 53 million.

President Valery Giscard d'Estaing has pledged to accept another 1,000 refugees per month through 1979, according to Christine Lakah, director of refugee transit centers from a private group called "France Terre d'Asile" — France, Land of Asylum.

This and other private groups, along with the French Red Cross, have developed a system of handling the refugees, from meeting them on arrival to providing advice long after they have found jobs.

Views vary on gas price increases

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However, Karman said he plans to stay open regular working hours otherwise.

"When Shell Oil Co. originally announced they would only be able to supply 75 percent of their requirement for Dec. 1977 volume allocation, I wondered. But since that announcement, they found they could provide 85 percent," he said.

He said, in effect, his allocation had been increased. "What with the increased demand, right now I am overrun with business from other service stations. It's going to be tight."

The price rise had been expected to continue as long as the tight gasoline supply predicted by authorities in New York City is not relieved.

Some observers said this meant at

least a month. However, other experts believe the crunch will last even longer.

The national average price of gasoline rose about half a cent in November and four cents since the year started.

Standard Oil Company of Indiana (Amoco) has slashed allocations of unleaded gasoline. Other major oil companies said their supplies are tight, but they have not announced ration plans.

Young broadcasters attend workshop

ODESSA — Some 16 of the youngest television broadcasters in Texas attended a workshop on the Odessa College campus Friday.

Students from Lamesa Middle School learned about color television equipment and videotape editing techniques in the OC lab, according to Tom Barnett, associate professor of journalism and television.

While at OC, the young broadcasters produced a color newscast to be broadcast on the Lamesa Cablevision today. The program will be a lead-in for a local fund raising event.

"We opened our facilities to the junior high students and helped them learn how to use color equipment," Barnett said.

The students, taught by John Sparks, are enrolled in a comprehensive television production class in Lamesa.

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Wanda Johnson, right, who told news people she has had no word on the fate of her 12-year-old son who was in Jonestown, shouts at Laura Johnston, left, one of the Peoples Temple cult members arriving at the Federal Building in San Francisco Friday morning. (AP Laserphoto)

Peoples Temple survivors begin testimony

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Survivors of the Peoples Temple murder-suicide testified behind the closed doors of a federal grand jury room Friday as the panel began probing the murders of Rep. Leo Ryan and four others near the cult's Guyana jungle commune.

Meanwhile, federal authorities dropped arrest warrants against eight Temple members in the case after learning they had died in the murder-suicide that claimed over 900 lives.

Nine survivors who were away from Jonestown during the mass poisonings were ushered through a throng of reporters and cameramen into a witness room adjacent to the grand jury meeting room on the 19th floor of the Federal Building here.

They said nothing, and Peoples Temple attorney Charles Garry, who accompanied them, refused to answer questions. Later, survivor Paul McCann, 27, also was brought to the witness room by his attorney, Susan Jordan.

When the jury recessed for the day, it was not known how many of the 11 witnesses who had entered the room had answered questions.

As Garry entered the building with the witnesses, Temple defector Wanda Johnson shouted at them: "Do you know if my son is dead? Do you know if my husband is dead? Tell me if you know!"

There was no response. The 23-member grand jury is looking mainly at whether a conspiracy to murder Ryan, D-Calif., was hatched in the United States. The Peoples Temple maintained a headquarters here while most church members were living at the Jonestown commune in Guyana.

Law enforcement sources said the jury also hoped to be able to "confirm the identity" of those who fired the fatal shots. One man, Larry Layton, is being held in Georgetown, Guyana on murder charges in connection with the airstrip slayings of Ryan and four others.

In Guyana, meanwhile, Assistant Police Commissioner Cecil A. Roberts said a tape recording of part of the suicide-murder agony was found at the Peoples Temple settlement the morning after troops arrived there.

He said the tape was not turned over to the police.

until recently and that it has been heard by only a few people. He said to his knowledge the tape has not been copied and he has not heard it. He also said about \$1 million of Jonestown funds, most of it in \$100 bills, had been found.

In its Friday editions, the New York Times reported that American government sources said children's screams are audible throughout the tape, as well as the sound of gunshots in the background.

According to the sources, who were not named, the tape is dominated by the voice of the Rev. Jim Jones, the cult leader, urging mothers to calm their children.

O'Neill says Democrats will stick with Carter

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill predicted Friday that President Carter and Vice President Walter Mondale will be the party's ticket again in 1980.

"You don't change a winning team," the Massachusetts Democrat said on his way to Memphis on Air Force One with Carter for their party's mid-term conference.

O'Neill speculated that Ronald Reagan would be the Republican candidate.

Castro formalizing agreement to free political prisoners

HAVANA (AP) — A delegation of 112 Cuban exiles met with President Fidel Castro Friday to formalize an agreement to free 3,000 political prisoners and reunite families separated by political differences.

Castro, seven members of the Communist Party Central Committee, and Aleida March, widow of Cuban revolutionary hero Che Guevara, met with the exiles in Havana's Palace of the Revolution.

The emigration of all current and former political prisoners and their families, along with all Cubans with relatives abroad, could result in more than 50,000 Cubans going to the United States.

A group of 96 exiles from throughout the U.S. arrived in Havana aboard a special Cubana Airlines charter flight from Atlanta late Thursday. The group returns to Atlanta on Sunday.

Other exiles were already in the Cuban capital or arriving later from Miami, Puerto Rico, Venezuela and other points — bringing to 150 the number expected here.

Seventy-five exiles were here for the first meeting between refugees and Castro last month and 75 others received special invitations to join in the new talks. Many of them brought their wives, and for many it was the

first time they had returned to their homeland since shortly after Castro took over in 1959.

Castro culminated the first two-day dialogue with exiles on Nov. 22 by announcing that some 3,000 of 3,500 political prisoners in Cuban jails would be freed as rapidly as the United States would accept them. He also provided for an exchange of visits to and from the island by exiles and residents.

The exile delegation brings back word to Castro that the U.S. government is prepared to accept 400 political prisoners and their families each month.

Attorney General Griffin Bell announced last week that the larger question of former political prisoners still living in Cuba who wish to emigrate to the United States would have to be considered after the current prisoners are released, a process that could take about eight months.

"This is a serious matter," said Reimol Gonzalez of Miami, an exile delegate who had served 16 years in a Cuban prison for counter-revolutionary activities.

"Many of these prisoners were freed eight, 10 and 12 years ago," he said. "They've been waiting a long time to leave. Now, the U.S. wants them to wait even longer."

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710 Colorado St.
C.O. Martin, Pastor
10:45 a.m. Morning service

Ferlian Church of Religious Science

3400 North A St.
Rev. Betty E. Mendez
12:00 Noon Morning service

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223 S. Lorraine St.
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10:00 a.m. Church school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
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9:30 a.m. Sabbath School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service

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First Apostolic Church

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Rev. Lawrence Casan, Pastor
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
10:30 a.m. Bible study
7:00 p.m. Evangelistic service

Iglesia Apostolica

De La Fe En Cristo Jesus
2300 S. Ft. Worth St.
Rev. Valentin B. Torres, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evangelistic service

New Bethany Apostolic Church

811 S. Stonehall St.
Pastor E. B. Roberts
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Young peoples meetings
7:45 p.m. Evening worship

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600 W. Pine St.
Glen and Betty McVernin, Pastors
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:30 p.m. Evening worship

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R. M. Jones, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
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Calvary Assembly of God

905 S. Johnson St.
Rev. Gayle Reeves, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

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Rev. J. W. Farmer, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Gardens Assembly of God

2001 W. Kansas St.
Rev. Paul Case, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Christ Ambassadors service
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Jerusalem Assembly of God

710 N. Tilden St.
Rev. Carmelo Villagas, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
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10:00 a.m. Morning worship
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Bethel Baptist

1120 Travis St.
Dr. R. E. Day, Pastor
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10:00 a.m. Morning worship
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6:30 p.m. Evening worship

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Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Parklea Baptist

2000 Franklin St.
Rev. T. T. Stewart, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Temple Baptist

4000 Thomson Drive
Rev. Curtis Hodge, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Trinity Baptist

2000 Culbert St.
Rev. Helen, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Bible study

BAPTIST—MISSIONARY

Antioch Baptist

130 E. Golf Course Road
Johnny A. Hensel, Pastor
8:30 a.m. Teacher's meeting
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Dellwood Baptist

West Ohio and 11th St.
J.P. Jones, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training service
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Mt. Calvary Baptist

303 E. Shadown St.
Rev. Horace F. Doyle, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
5:00 p.m. Bible study
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Oklawm Park Baptist

2001 N. A St.
Rev. David Pleasery, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Baptist Training Course
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Tall City Baptist Church

1500 Anetta Drive
W. R. Simpson, Missionary Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Baptist training course
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

BAPTIST—SOUTHERN

Alamo Heights Baptist

1305 Midland Drive
Milo A. Aruback, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:55 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Belview Baptist

1701 N. W. Spring St.
Rev. G. A. Hages, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Training Union
7:30 p.m. Evening worship

Calvary Baptist

1001 S. Main St.
Rev. Glenn Shoemaker, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
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7:00 p.m. Evening worship

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First Baptist

2104 W. Louisiana St.
Dr. Daniel G. Vestal, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Morning worship
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Church training program

Greenwood Baptist

Rt. 1, Box 142-D
Jerry Pittman, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union

Midwest Heights Baptist

201 Nichols St.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Midkiff First Baptist

Rev. Gordon Burks, Pastor
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Training Union

Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana

2021 N. Tyler St.
Rev. Axel Chavez, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:45 p.m. Training Union
7:45 p.m. Evening worship

South Memorial Baptist

1700 W. Carter St.
Rev. J. W. Stovall, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Radio program
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
10:55 a.m. Morning worship
5:30 p.m. Training Union
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Tower Baptist

Two miles south on Tower Road
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Travis Baptist

1000 E. Gut St.
Rev. Roy Roach, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Valley View Baptist

Valley View Community
Rev. Ralph James, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

West Kentucky Baptist Chapel

1907 W. Kentucky St.
Bob Porterfield, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Church service
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Wilshire Park Baptist

1515 S. Bestwood St.
Rev. John D. Riggs, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

BAPTIST—OTHERS

Galilee Missionary Baptist

Fairground Rd.
Rev. G. B. Williams, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Goodwill Baptist

1200 S. Main St.
Rev. A. W. Washington, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Grace Baptist

(Missionary Baptist)
2101 S. Fort Worth St.
Rev. J. G. Ross, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Ideal Baptist

1515 S. Tyler St.
Rev. Earl Gowan, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Morning worship
5:00 p.m. Training Union
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Layman's Bible Baptist

South on Rankin Highway to Sandy Acres Drive (Five blocks W sat)
Rev. James L. Garrett, Pastor
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
7:30 p.m. Evening worship

Mt. Rose Baptist

211 N. Tyler St.
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
5:00 p.m. BTU
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

New Hope Baptist

511 Stonehall St.
L. L. Patrick, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
5:00 p.m. Baptist Training Union
6:00 p.m. Morning worship

New Jerusalem Baptist

1201 E. Cowden St.
Rev. John P. Campbell, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
5:30 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

People's Protestant Missionary Baptist Church

1201 E. Spruce St.
Rev. L. L. Martin, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Primitive Baptist

411 W. Shadown St.
Elder J. E. Harrington, Pastor
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

West Side Free Will Baptist

6031 W. Illinois St.
Denny Potter, Minister
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
5:30 p.m. Church Training Service
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

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Sunday Masses: 7:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11 a.m. 12:15 p.m. 4:15 p.m. 8 p.m.
Weekday Masses: 8:45 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Confessions: Saturday 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 7:45 to 8:30 p.m.
Baptisms: By appointment

CHRISTIAN

Christian Church of Midland

2000 Neely St.
Robert E. Blash, Minister
Mark C. Worley, Associate Minister
9:45 a.m. Bible classes
10:45 a.m. Morning worship. The sermon topic will be "The Wedding of the Lamb."
6:00 p.m. Youth meetings
9:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. ad. w. p. m.
Confessions: Saturday 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 7:45 to 8:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN-DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

First Christian

1301 W. Louisiana St.
Rev. Steve Edwards, Senior Minister
Steven M. Church, Associate Minister
9:30 a.m. Church school
10:45 a.m. Morning worship. The sermon topic will be "The Unpardonable Sin."
5:00 p.m. Ch. Hho.
6:00 p.m. C.Y.F.

Memorial Christian

1001 Andrews Highway
Dr. John W. Long, Minister
Rev. J. Allen Love, Minister of Nurture and Educational Programming
9:30 a.m. Church school
10:30 a.m. Morning worship. Dr. Long will speak on "The Comfort of Christmas."
The scripture will be Isa. 40:1-5:9:11
9:30 a.m. - Children's school
5:30 p.m. - Youth groups and adult study groups

MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

First Alliance Church

1810 W. Wall St.
Rev. Les Harmon, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
9:45 a.m. Evening worship

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist

100 W. Tennessee St.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Training Union
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Church of Christ

1511 N. Ft. Worth St.
Clude O. Freeman, Minister
9:30 a.m. Bible study
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
5:00 p.m. Youth meeting
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

North A and Tennessee Streets
9:30 a.m. Bible classes
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

110 W. Pennsylvania St.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

1701 Hughes St.
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

600 W. Donnard St.
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
7:30 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

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1301 Cherry Lane (Northeast of city)
Ireneo Requena, Minister
11:00 a.m. Bible class
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

Corner Calhoun and Austin Streets
Leon Odum, Minister
9:45 a.m. Bible study
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ

3300 W. Golf Course Road
Larry Vanhook, Minister
9:30 a.m. Bible classes
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship
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Church of Christ, Eastside

611 S. Webster St.
Lucky L. Randle, Sr., Minister
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ, Gardendale

Corner of Lily and Elaina St.
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ, Main Street

Corner North Main and Parker Streets
Rich Deason, Minister
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ, Midkiff

Clifford Paul, Minister
10:00 a.m. Sunday Bible study
10:35 a.m. Morning worship
6:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ, North Side

715 N. Lamesa Road
Dan Johnson, Minister
Collier McKinzie, Assistant Minister
10:00 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ, Spanish

Orchard and Loma Vista Streets
Lope Valares, Minister
10:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of Christ, Westside

4410 W. Illinois St.
Owen Cogrove, Minister
9:00 a.m. Sunday school and Bible study
10:00 a.m. Morning worship
5:30 p.m. Young persons class
6:30 p.m. Evening worship

CHURCH OF GOD

Alexander Temple Church of God in Christ

200 N. Tyler St.
Rev. C. S. Johnson, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Youth Hour
8:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of God

5300 Thomson Drive
Rev. George W. Ivy, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening worship

Church of God of Prophecy

5301 W. Thomson Drive
Rev. R. A. Sirey II, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evangelistic services

Church of God of the Seventh Day

300 E. Cowden St.
Joe V. Romero, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sabbath school
3:30 p.m. Evening service

Church of God Union Assembly, Inc.

1221 W. Hicks St.
Harold Cozdra, Larry Hamilton, Pastors
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
8:00 p.m. Evening worship

Faith Temple Church of God in Christ

1801 N. Terrill St.
Rev. W. C. Kean, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
6:30 p.m. Youth Hour
8:00 p.m. Evening worship

Free Church of God in Christ in Jesus Name



Daryl Anderson, a 29-year-old employee of Westinghouse in Tehran, Iran, arrives at Mehrabad Airport Friday with his Iranian wife Parasah and their three-year-old daughter Julie for the trip back to San Bernardino, Calif. "I've been shot at several times and there's been shooting around our house just about every night," Anderson said. The Andersons are among hundreds of American and European families who are leaving Iran due to anti-government protests. (AP Laserphoto)

Rioters burn down Grumman Corp. in Iran

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Anti-government rioters burned down the Iranian headquarters of Grumman Corp., the U.S. aerospace company, during clashes with troops Friday, the U.S. Embassy reported.

Six Grumman employees in the building escaped unhurt, a spokesman reported. No other casualties were reported in the incident at Isfahan, 500 miles south of the capital.

The spokesman said the building was set ablaze after a demonstration got out of hand as troops moved in to disperse protesters demanding the ouster of Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi.

The attack came a few hours before the military-led government, under threats of a "bloodbath in the streets," said it would allow religious and political opponents of the shah to demonstrate in Tehran on Sunday.

"We want to avoid a confrontation in the streets," said a military spokesman.

The government's decision was a reversal of earlier warnings that it intended to combat "mercilessly" any demonstrations during the emotion-charged Mos-

lem holy month of Moharram, which peaks Sunday and Monday.

As fears of bloodshed swelled, hundreds of foreigners continued to leave the country. Westinghouse Electric Co. flew more than 200 employees and their families out Friday in chartered jets from Tehran's Mehrabad Airport.

American Bell Telephone Co. airlifted 400 of its personnel and dependents to Europe. The Italian Impreglio and Tessa Construction Co. sent out 185 Italian and British workers and their families to Rome in a chartered Alitalia jetliner.

U.S. diplomats said that 90 per cent of the dependents of 850 U.S. military personnel based in Iran were being evacuated "until things quiet down."

Sporadic attacks on Americans and other foreigners have been reported in the past few weeks. The foreigners have kept the country's vital oil industry network functioning in the face of a crippling five-day

walkout by Iranian workers. Oil industry sources said the strike has cut production to 2.6 million barrels a day, or 43 per cent of normal.

The Sunday march approved by the military was called by Moslem priests seeking the shah's abdication and has received the backing of the shah's broad-based political opposition.

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Rodriguez, aide plead guilty in Laredo scandal

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Former Laredo Street Commissioner Jose Rodriguez and his one-time top assistant pleaded guilty here Friday to theft charges stemming from the scandal in the city's troubled street department. Rodriguez was sentenced to four years in prison.

Rodriguez, a one-time top lieutenant of former Laredo political boss and mayor J.C. Martin, pleaded guilty to one count of theft of services as part of a plea bargaining arrangement.

Luis Guardiola, the former No. 2 man in the department, pleaded guilty to one count of felony theft. His sentencing was deferred pending a probation report. Webb County District Attorney Charles Borchers has recommended that Guardiola be sentenced to two years in prison.

State District Judge Peter Michael Curry also said he would await a probation report on Rodriguez before deciding whether to send the former commissioner to prison.

Rodriguez headed the Laredo street department for 29 years until taking a leave of absence without pay in October 1977, two months after financial irregularities were uncovered in the department.

He was named last January in 21 indictments alleging theft of services, felony theft, tampering with government records and engaging in organized crime.

Guardiola, who was fired from his position in April after an extended leave of absence with pay, had been

named in 15 indictments alleging similar charges.

The remaining charges against the two men were dropped as part of the plea bargain.

A total of 24 Laredoans have been indicted since the financial irregularities were uncovered in the department's 1976 financial records.

The records showed that a third of the department's \$3 million budget was being spent to maintain its 87 vehicles. That \$1 million total, however, did not include gas, oil and tires.

The department, the records show, used an average of 55 auto batteries per month and a total of 107 radiators for the 87 vehicles.

Several alleged cases of "phantom employees" were also uncovered, in which some Laredoans were allegedly paid with street department money for work they did not do.

Laredo, a border city of 100,000, has about 2,700 blocks of unpaved streets.

Rodriguez pleaded guilty to using a street department employee for two weeks to help demolish a building owned by the commissioner.

Guardiola admitted to stealing a \$400 check he ordered city treasurer Ramiro Sanchez to issue to a "phantom employee."

Francisco "Panchito" Rodriguez, the son of the former commissioner and a street department official, and Erasmo Guzman, another top street department official, also have charges pending against them.

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'Grandmother minister' ruled with steel will

By LARRY THORSON

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — In her time, Golda Meir was one of the most famous women in the world.

A bit stout in her later years, deep-voiced, her grey hair drawn into a bun, she was to many "the grandmother prime minister" — a nickname she didn't like — but it added something to the underdog image of the country she directed with a steel will.

Mrs. Meir was many things in her lifetime: schoolteacher in Milwaukee, swamp-draining kibbutznik in Palestine, director-general of the Histadrut Labor Federation, minister of labor, foreign minister, secretary-general of the Mapai (Labor) Party, and prime minister 1969-1974 as the Israel-Arab conflict reached a bloody peak.

HER POLITICAL CAREER stumbled on the public's dismay at her leadership in the 1973 Yom Kippur War. But by 1977 she had a warm meeting with President Anwar Sadat of Egypt, who plotted the surprise attack.

Sitting side-by-side during Sadat's visit to Jerusalem in November 1977, the two old enemies joked about Sadat's former habit of calling her "that old lady."

He gave her a cigarette case. She gave him a present for his new grandchild — "from a grandmother to a grandfather," she said, adding to an already historic event a touch that only Golda Meir could provide.

She was born Golda Mabovitch on May 3, 1898, in Kiev, Russia. One of her first memories, she once said, was of her carpenter father nailing the windows and doors shut against a coming pogrom threatening death to Jews.

It was not an auspicious beginning. But at age 79 in 1977 she was at the Broadway opening of the play "Golda" based on her life and her dedication to the survival and prosperity of Jews and the Jewish state of which she was a pioneering founder.

Her family escaped the pogroms, emigrating to the United States in 1906 and settling in Milwaukee where her father, Moshe, was a railroad worker. As a teen-ager she became interested in Zionism, the idea that Jews should have a state in their ancient homeland, Palestine.

HER INDEPENDENT STREAK also showed early. Her parents didn't want her to attend high school. "It doesn't pay to be too clever," her father said. So she ran away to a sister in Denver, Colo., to study and absorb more Zionism.

At age 15, she met Morris Meyerson, a sign-painter, and "it was mutual love from the beginning." At 19 she became Golda Meyerson but their love had its troubles.

Morris was shy, introverted, a lover of music and literature, and no Zionist. Golda was a speech-maker and political enthusiast, convinced

that her place was in Palestine helping to carve a country out of the rocky hills and swampy lowlands.

She taught fourth grade in Milwaukee for several years, then in 1921 Golda and the reluctant Morris sailed for the Middle East, where their marriage eventually flourished.

Their first home was Kibbutz Merhavia in the Jezreel Valley. Work started at dawn and ended at dusk, planting trees, tending chickens, draining the swamps. The diet, which Golda tried to enliven with some variety, was bully beef and chickpea mush, laced with quinine to ward off malaria.

"I was too tired to eat, but I ate anyway, so that others wouldn't say, 'The American girl can't take it,'" she said years later.

AS IT TURNED OUT, MORRIS couldn't take kibbutz life, and they moved to Jerusalem where their children were born, Menahem in 1924 and Sarah in 1926. Now Golda was unhappy, not doing anything to advance the Zionist cause. She took her first political job in 1928, head of the Women's Labor Council.

It was hard on Morris and the children, for Golda started working with the eventual leaders of the Jewish state — David Ben-Gurion, Levi Eshkol, Moshe Sharett. They recognized her oratorical powers and dispatched her to the United States to raise funds and attract immigrants.

Her daughter Sarah recalled later, "We were always lonesome for mother, for we saw so little of her."

Mrs. Meir said, "I did not see as much of my children as a mother should. I was in America raising money for arms or machinery, or in Paris at a conference, and so on... My marriage was a failure."

Golda and Morris officially separated in 1933. He died in 1951 while she was in the United States. Yet Golda always kept a photograph of Morris in her bedroom.

Her obsession was salvation for Jews, a people who in the 1930s were headed for Hitler's "final solution" to the "Jewish problem." In Palestine there was trouble too, with Arabs rioting and rampaging against the increasing Jewish presence in the Holy Land, then held by Britain as a mandate from World War I.

THE FUTURE BROUGHT THE establishment of Israel and it was fated to fight four wars with its Arab neighbors.

Mrs. Meir's analysis: "The root of the problem is that our neighbors have never reconciled themselves to our existence."

But in the 1930s the immediate problem was the Jews of Europe, and Mrs. Meir found exactly how much the world cared. She was sent in 1938 to a world conference called by President Franklin D. Roosevelt to find ways of delivering European Jewry from Hitler's oppression.

"This may be the most important conference in all of Jewish history," she told her children as she left for Evian-les-Bains in France.

Delegates from 32 nations decided nothing. The American promise to

accept 27,370 Austrian and German refugees a year was a drop in the ocean. Mrs. Meir was disgusted.

"They say the Jews are the chosen people," she said. "We are — chosen to take all the knocks and beatings and then turn the other cheek." In later years the United Nations would condemn Israel for its heavy military reprisals, and Mrs. Meir responded bitterly, "The world hates a Jew who hits back.... The world loves us only when we are to be pitied."

HITLER'S DEATH MACHINE consumed six million Jews, fully a third of the world's Jewish population. Yet the wretched death-camp survivors found little pity as many of them sailed for Palestine in crowded refugee boats. The British authorities turned large numbers of them back and again they were behind barbed wire — in refugee camps on the Mediterranean island of Cyprus.

The Jewish struggle against British rule in Palestine intensified, the British handed the problem over to the United Nations, and the world body voted on Nov. 29, 1947, to partition Palestine into Jewish and Arab states.

Mrs. Meir was then head of the Jewish Agency, and Jews were dancing in the street outside the agency building when Mrs. Meir leaned from a balcony to declare: "For 2,000 years we have waited for our deliverance.... It surpasses human words."

Overcome by emotion, she shouted, "Jews — mazel tov!" — good luck.

Israel declared its independence on May 14, 1948, and the Arabs declared war. Mrs. Meir got her first diplomatic mission for the Jewish state: disguised as a Bedouin Arab woman, she slipped across the Jordan River in a vain effort to persuade King Abdullah to keep his Jordanian troops out of the war.

WHEN THE FIGHTING ENDED, Prime Minister Ben-Gurion named her Israel's first ambassador to the Soviet Union. Her appearance at a Moscow synagogue on the Jewish new year attracted 40,000 Jews to see the envoy from Israel.

Her next job, 1949-56, was minister of labor, an important position as Israel tried to absorb, feed, house and employ the flood of refugees from Europe and Arab countries.

Then Ben-Gurion named her foreign minister, at the same time requiring that she abandon Meyerson and take a Hebrew name. She chose Meir, meaning "that which gives light." She explained it was "the closest I could get to a Hebrew version of Meyerson."

The world began to notice Golda Meir, the woman directing the diplomatic efforts of little Israel. But the job gave her one of her most distasteful moments, when she announced at the United Nations that Israel would withdraw from Sinai Peninsula territory conquered in the 1956 war with Egypt over its nationalization of the Suez Canal.

Gold Meir won world's affection with her common sense, humor

JERUSALEM (AP) — Golda Meir won the affection of her nation and of much of the world for her simply stated common sense and humor, delivered in a Midwest American slang.

Mrs. Meir became prime minister when she was 71. Her age and her matronly appearance helped cultivate the image of a doting Jewish grandmother which delighted most Israelis.

Mrs. Meir, her wiry hair pulled back in a tight bun and her stout frame garbed in simple dresses, hated being called "the grandmother prime minister," but she could not help contributing to the image.

She would invite her closest cabinet advisers to her home for a crucial meeting, and fuss over them serving coffee and cakes. When she retired in 1974, she said she was looking forward to "cooking for my children and

grandchildren — something I have not done for a long time."

Her humor was often self-deprecatory. "It's no sin to be 75, but it's no joke either," she said at a birthday party.

She was often accused of being stubborn and failing to put forward peace plans. But she scolded her Israeli critics by saying, "the Arabs don't want peace. So there is no point in the Jews arguing about it."

Simple language was her trademark. She once wrote that asking Israel to evacuate captured Arab territory was like saying that "because our national home had been broken into once, twice, three times, we should now move out and go elsewhere, instead of putting iron bars on the windows and extra strong locks on the doors."

Her distrust of the Arabs lasted beyond Egyptian President Anwar

Sadat's visit to Jerusalem, even though the two laughed together about the days when Sadat called her "that old lady."

Upon hearing that Sadat was going ahead with a deal to buy French warplanes after the Camp David summit, she asked if he would use them "to bring vegetables from Alexandria to Tel Aviv."

She admitted to xenophobia, but she had no illusions about her own people. Asked once about reports that Israeli travelers were being warned not to speak Hebrew abroad for fear of terrorist attacks, she quipped, "I know my average Israeli — he'd rather risk his life than shut up."

Although a symbol of women's liberation, the movement bored her. When asked how she felt about being a woman cabinet minister, she snapped, "I don't know. I've never been a male minister."

Her speech was always tinged with humanism, often with sadness at Jewish suffering. "There is one thing I wish to see before I die," she often said, "and that is that my people should not need expressions of sympathy any more."



Then Israeli Prime Minister Golda Meir, right, and then Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan, second from right foreground, visit Israeli troops on the Syrian front in the Golan Heights during the 1973 Middle East War. Mrs. Meir, 80, died Friday at a Jerusalem hospital. (AP Laserphoto)

Begin praises Israelis for 'great sacrifices'

OSLO, Norway (AP) — Israeli Premier Menachem Begin, arriving in Oslo Friday to accept his half of the 1978 Nobel Peace Prize, praised the Israeli people for "their love of peace and the great sacrifices that they have made to attain it."

Hundreds of police and special security men were on duty as Begin landed at a military airfield here. Troops from Norway's special anti-terrorist squad stood ready with M-16 rifles and patrolled the airport.

Begin stood hatless in the freezing temperatures and thanked the Norwegian Nobel Committee "for the great dignity bestowed jointly to the president of Egypt and the prime minister of Israel."

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat, co-winner of the prize, said he would not attend the ceremonies and sent a special assistant, Sayed Marei, to receive his share of the \$165,000 prize.

Begin said he was accepting the prize "on behalf of the people of Israel."

The peace effort negotiated by Begin, Sadat, and President Carter at the Camp David, Md., in September has bogged down and the peace talks

that were to draw up the peace treaty have been suspended since mid-November.

After his brief remarks, Begin was whisked by helicopter to the Royal Palace of King Olav V in Oslo, where he is to stay until the award ceremony Sunday.

Begin's plane landed only about two hours before the early Scandinavian dusk signaled the start of the Jewish Sabbath, and the premier went into seclusion to observe it.

Through a spokesman, Begin said he would not comment on the death of Golda Meir until the Sabbath ended Saturday afternoon. Begin will remain in Oslo for the award ceremony, but members of the entourage said they expected him to cut short his visit and return to Israel shortly afterward.

After the prime minister's arrival, police and demonstrators scuffled with about 20 young Norwegians demonstrating for the rights of the Palestinians in the Mideast.

Police and demonstrators engaged in a tug-of-war over an anti-Begin banner, and the tussle ended with the police seizing it.

Volume of Christmas mail mounting

WASHINGTON (AP) — The volume of Christmas mail is building up, and postal officials are urging Americans to mail their cards and parcels as soon as possible.

Volume is reported running at about the same level as at this time last year.

Bad weather in the West and Mid-

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Gourd granddaddy gives pleasure, not business, top spot

By LAURIE BECKLUND
The Los Angeles Times

NATIONAL CITY, Calif. — One man had come to buy Wilbur Bradley's gourds. Another, a farmer, had come to sell.

But Bradley, for 20 years the undisputed granddaddy of gourds in this area just south of San Diego, puts pleasure before business. (As if his business itself weren't a pleasure.)

He sat down on a crate in front of a pile of some 10,000 drying, buff-colored gourds, and took out his ukulele — his three ukuleles.

"Bubbles, tiny bubbles..." he began, singing in a sprightly, 85-year-old voice as he played.

Before the song was finished, he began another. "Oh, the old gourd king, he ain't what he used to be..."

"Don Ho Bradley," chuckled the man who had come to buy gourds. The other man just chuckled.

Bradley, clad in a Hawaiian shirt and work pants splattered with pumpkin-orange paint, went on to a hillbilly tune.

Bradley is a gourd middleman of sorts. He contracts for gourds from growers and sells them to those who have big plans for the dusty, rattle-like gourds.

Only, when he starts making too much money, he cuts down his prices, he said.

Thousands of gourds are sold each year to Hawaiian buyers who, in turn, convert them into native drums.

"We sell 'em for \$1, the big ones, and when they get 'em over there, they sell 'em to the tourists from California for \$20," Bradley said, punctuating his sentence, as usual, with a chuckle.

Other gourds are sold to craftsmen who make them into birdhouses, planters, puppets and ornaments of all kinds.

Bradley himself cleans a fair portion and paints some into holiday knickknacks. "Halloween's over," he said, looking at the orange-bright pumpkins. "Tomorrow it's turkeys."

But Bradley may be best known for the tours and entertainment he gives the thousands of girl scouts, handicapped persons and others who ring up his wife, Zilpha, every day for appointments.

The lean, white-moustached man has been in the gourd business since 1956.

But he used to be a chemist before he retired in 1955.

When he graduated from the University of Southern California with a degree in chemistry in 1916, he asked for a ukulele.

Two years later, he asked for Zilpha's hand. They were married on a Christmas Eve during a flu epidemic as soon as the quarantine signs came down. They will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary this year.

Bradley still has his ukulele, his wife and the gourd that started it all.

Pulling a huge, bowl-like gourd filled with onions from under the kitchen sink, Bradley identified the relic as the same one his mother-in-law had used to store onions under her sink.

"She was the one that told me to try gourds when I bought this property," he said. "She gave me the seeds."

But Bradley gave up the growing

himself in 1959 and now grows only a few vines in his two-acre backyard, mostly to show the kids.

"Gourds self-pollinate," he said, holding two entwined vines, one with flowers sticking up along its entire length, the other laden with small green fruit.

"This is Interstate 5," he said, pointing to the vine with the fruit and reverting to the light-hearted spiel he delivers to visiting children. "This is my mama."

"And this is the 24th St. offramp," he added, holding up the flowers. "This is Daddy. Daddy blooms at night on the vine with the flowers and then they make babies."

Bradley also shows the children how he cleans the gourds by soaking them in a barrel and scrubbing them afterward.

"One little brownie complained (soak) water smelled bad," he said, lifting up the barrel lid and thereby proving the truth of the anonymous little girl's complaint.

"'Funny,' I said, 'Doesn't taste bad.'"

He leaned over and slurped a handful of the murky water.

"When it gets too bad for even me to stand it, I throw it on the plants for fertilizer. Anything smells bad, got to be good for fertilizer."

All around the shed with the wood-burning stove that Bradley uses for his gourds are signboards explaining the Bradley work ethic.

"No such thing as poor soil," says one. "Only poor farmers."

"I never worked a day in my life," another says, "I just had fun."

But why, of all the things in the world to which to dedicate your golden years, why gourds?

It took a while for Bradley to answer that one.

Not that he didn't speak right away. But he started spinning tales for a while about the other gourd farmers he knew in Los Angeles first, and the dinners he had had with the Italians who grew one of his favorite varieties.

"I love gourds because I like people. Every one has its own idea of it."

Somehow, at least at the time, that seemed enough of an answer.

Bradley calculates that he must have 100,000 gourds lying around his front and back yards, in stacks of 25-centers, 50-centers and others.

And not a one of them is ugly, Bradley says.

"Quality gourds, thick-shelled," he said, picking one up, shaking it and listening for the rattle. "Looks like this one's taking the Fifth Amendment."

"I like this work," he added. "When you're working with people and nature, you're not deteriorating."

Then he turned back to the two men and addressed the one who had come to sell him gourds.

"Here's what God intended," he began. "Plant in April or May and when the frost first hits, cut off the stems..."



Wilbur Bradley, 85, a retired chemist, is the granddaddy of gourds in National City, Calif.

Bradley, often while strumming a ukulele, sells thousands of gourds each year. When he

finds himself making too much money, he cuts the price. (Los Angeles Times Photo)

Buddhism taking over in Burma

By DENIS D. GRAY

PAGAN, Burma (AP) — The fervor for Buddhism is on the wane in most of Southeast Asia but here in Burma the ancient religion thrives.

Although Burma has one of the world's lowest annual per capita incomes, its Buddhist pagodas glitter with gold, diamonds, rubies, sapphires and other precious ornaments given by the faithful.

When an earthquake in 1975 toppled the ancient temples of Pagan — one of the world's greatest examples of Buddhist culture — the public

rushed to give the equivalent of almost \$7 million for restoration. More than two metric tons of 18-carat gold plates adorn the dome of Rangoon's Swedagon Pagoda which soars above the capital city in a country with an \$850 million foreign debt and a per capita income of \$135 a year, in contrast to more than \$7,000 in the United States.

On religious holidays, and a good number of days in between, families gather at temple compounds to picnic and pray, often watching traditional plays depicting Buddha's life and moral teachings long into the night.

Despite economic austerity, Burma's 150,000 monks never return with empty begging bowls

after their daily rounds to receive food offerings from the laity. A Buddhist proverb goes: "When you cook a pot of rice, the top (the choicest part) goes to the monk."

Buddhism in Burma, a country which has cut itself off from most foreign influences, plays the kind of role it used to enjoy in other corners of Southeast Asia, where in the last few years the religion has suffered some of the worst setbacks in its 2,500-year-old history.

Refugees from Cambodia, where the religion was a cornerstone of life since the 13th century, say a radical Communist regime has suppressed worship. Communist leaders in Vietnam and Laos have clamped controls which some experts say could cause Buddhism to wither, if not die.

In Thailand, there are frequent complaints akin to those heard from staunch Christians in the West that modern ways have sapped religion's strength, with a young generation more interested in discos and movies than going to temples. Some Thai Buddhist teachers have even said that the future of Buddhism lies in the West where its philosophy and meditation practices have attracted a growing number of disciples.

According to the refugees, victorious Communists in Cambodia turned monasteries into granaries, smashed images for use in road repairs, disrobed and in some cases killed monks after seizing power in April 1975. Although the constitution allows freedom of religion, official pronouncements do little to discredit the refugee stories.

Cambodian leaders have said that "the people" — 85 percent of whom were Buddhists — had found the religion incompatible with a new revolutionary society. And a clause in the 1976 constitution notes that "reactionary religion destructive of Democratic Kampuchea (Cambodia) and the Cambodian people is absolutely forbidden."

Foreign visitors to Phnom Penh have described the eerie emptiness of the Cambodian monasteries, once filled with saffron-robed monks, the chanting of sutras and incense.

Vietnam's attacks on Buddhism appear to stem from fears of potential threats to the state and Communist Party rather than opposition to religion itself. Refugees and some foreign visitors to Vietnam say church lands have been confiscated, some monasteries closed and that in some areas worship and the ordination of

new monks has been restricted. But in general, individual practice is allowed.

In Laos, news reporters recently saw monks in the streets of Vientiane receiving their morning offerings as before but Buddhist activities are on a far smaller scale. A senior official told the reporters that the government had no plans to abolish monasteries but that with attempts to build a new society the monks might some day have to "join with the masses to build their country."

The group work ethic espoused by all three Communist Indochinese countries goes against the grain of Buddhism, which lauds individual improvement, a live-and-let-live attitude and prohibits monks from most kinds of labor. Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos all talk about fashioning the "new man" — whose ideals from the cradle up are selfless work for the state and the masses, total loyalty to the party and rewards in the material world. Monks who beg for food and lay people who meditate and stress spiritual goals could be denounced as "parasites."

Although Communist rebels in Indochina often tried to win the sym-

pathy of Buddhists, the Communist victors now appear to equate the ways of Buddhism with the "reactionary societies" that must be eradicated.

Little Buddhist opposition has emerged in Communist Indochina.

There is little tradition of militancy in Buddhism especially in the the Ravana School which has dominated in Laos, Cambodia, Thailand, Burma, Sri Lanka (formerly Ceylon) and in the Mekong Delta of southern Vietnam. Buddhism has no solid international organization and only loosely knit national ones which in the opinion of some scholars makes it

less able to resist attack. In Thailand and Burma, Buddhism is the state religion.

But the governments of both countries some time ago took over formal schooling which was once the province of the temples, and have opted for the separation of state and religion in most matters.

Pinit Sombatsiri, director-general of Thailand's religious department, says the cliché about only older people going to temples is more and more true. But there are also strengths, including a growing interest by some students in Buddhist theology.

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More than half of the country's 1.8 million miles of paved roads are pocked by potholes, laced with broken and rutted pavement and bandaged with "temporary" fillings, the information group estimates.

Bad roads not only cost the driver for vehicle maintenance, but they also are the second leading cause of auto accidents, TRIP reports. In 1976, the latest year for which records are complete, road conditions were at fault in 3.6 million accidents, amounting to \$5.1 billion in losses, it says.

Drivers can hold down their vehicle operating costs and reduce their chances of having an accident by sticking, whenever possible, to the newer roads, such as the Interstates, TRIP president H.W. Reece suggests.

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Texan agrees world's small Play, counterplay equally important

WASHINGTON (AP) — For Rep. Jack Hightower, D-Texas, the adage, "It's a small world," took on a real meaning earlier this month during a visit to Red China.

While touring the docks at Shanghai, Hightower noticed some cotton bales being unloaded. Markings on the bales indicated the cotton had been grown and ginned in West Texas. "I learned a lot and had a good trip but I certainly wouldn't recommend anybody going to Red China for a vacation," said Hightower during a recent interview after returning from a two-week tour of Red China with six other members of the House Agriculture Committee.

Prior to visiting Red China, Hightower participated in an Interparliamentary Symposium in Tokyo. He and three members of the agriculture committee spent a week in Japan. Both the Japan and

China trips were paid for by the U.S. government. In two symposium speeches, Hightower urged Japanese officials to increase their importation of American beef, wheat and feed grains.

Cotton dominated his meetings with officials in Red China. "We're hoping to expand our export market to China. They produce quite a bit of cotton but they also import a lot. China, with 800 million people, is a vast potential of all consumer goods as you can imagine."

Hightower also noted that the political atmosphere appears to be changing in China which should create "more opportunities for American goods and raw materials."

Hightower said the congressional delegation visited several agricultural communes and "a good many gardens which is interesting if you're a connoisseur of oriental gardens." The group did most of its traveling by train which "were old but reasonably comfortable...the hotels are not up to the standards of accommodations we know in the U.S....and we had no access at all to news. An agriculture attache to the American legation in Peking had a short-wave radio and he listened to the Armed Forces Network every morning...that was the only way to get information of what was going on outside China."

BRIDGE Play, counterplay equally important

By ALFRED SHEINWOLD

We end our week-long study of ruffing losers in dummy with an example of play and counterplay. When the defenders threaten to remove dummy's trumps, show them that you have something up your sleeve in addition to your elbow.

South dealer
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♦ A Q 2
♥ 7 6 4 3 2
♦ 8 4
♠ 7 5 4

WEST
♦ 9 8 7
♥ Q 9 8
♦ A Q 10 5
♠ Q 10 3

EAST
♦ 5 3
♥ J 10 5
♦ K J 7 3
♠ J 9 8 2

SOUTH
♦ K J 10 6 4
♥ A K
♦ 9 6 2
♠ A K 6

South West North East
1 ♦ Pass 2 ♦ Pass
4 ♦ All Pass

Opening lead — ♦ 9

Declarer had nothing up his sleeve and little above his eyes. He won the

first trump and led a diamond. West won and led a second trump, whereupon South led a second diamond. West naturally led a third trump, and that was the end of the road for South since he had to lose three diamonds and a club.

South should have foreseen the sure outcome of his futile line of play. After winning the first trump South should cash the top hearts. Only then should he lead a diamond.

HEARTS SET UP

If West returns a trump, dummy wins and leads a heart for South to ruff. Declarer then leads a trump to the ace, drawing the last missing trump, and takes two good heart tricks.

The only defense against dummy's hearts is to make dummy ruff a diamond before the hearts are set up. But if dummy gets a diamond ruff, that is declarer's tenth trick.

The odds are against finding a 3-3 break in the six missing hearts, but it costs nothing to try. A doubtful second chance is better than none.

DAILY QUESTION

Partner opens with one heart, and the next player passes. You hold: S-AQ2; H-76432; D-84; C-754. What do you say?

ANSWER: Bid two hearts. Despite the fine trump support this is a weak hand and you can afford only a weak response.

Official charged

PAWHUSKA, Okla. (AP) — Charges of attempting to bribe the district attorney of Osage and Pawnee counties and concealing stolen property filed against a convicted bank robber have been dismissed because he aided the FBI in an undercover operation, a Tulsa newspaper reported Thursday.

David Gary Hall, 36, formerly of Jennings, provided information to the FBI in an operation that resulted in the recovery of \$2 million in stolen equipment and figured in the arrests of 25 persons, the Tulsa World reported in Friday editions. Hall was arrested in August 1977 after an undercover FBI agent reportedly paid him \$7,500 for a bulldozer and a tractor concealed near Jennings in Pawnee County, the World said.

The day after Hall was arrested, a telephone caller identifying himself as David Gary Hall offered District Attorney Bill Hall a \$25,000 campaign contribution. The next day, the prosecutor filed the attempted bribery charge.

"He was real cool and calm on the phone," Bill Hall said. "He never did come right out and say it was a bribe, but I knew he wanted me to take care of the charge against him in Pawnee County."

The prosecutor said he learned of Hall's role as an informant from FBI agent Thomas Goldsworthy. "The FBI didn't recommend the charges be dismissed but he (Goldsworthy) said neither he nor the agency would oppose leniency," Bill Hall said.

The district attorney's office moved to dismiss the attempted bribery charge Nov. 2, noting that David Gary Hall "without discussion or urging from this office, elected to cooperate and assist the FBI in the investigation of a large number of criminal acts" in and beyond Oklahoma.

A similarly worded motion was filed Thursday in Pawnee on the concealing stolen property charge.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Bill Price of Oklahoma City confirmed Hall's role as an informant.

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Scouts name Texan new executive

NEW YORK (AP) — A Dallas scouting leader will take over as chief executive of the Boy Scouts of America shortly before the organization moves its headquarters from New Jersey to Texas. Scouting officials announced Thursday that

James L. Tarr has been named to the top professional job in the four million-member Boy Scouts of America. He will succeed Harvey L. Price of Princeton, N.J., who will retire next April after 42 years as a scouting professional.

The Scouts have announced plans to move national headquarters by next August from North Brunswick, N.J., to Irving, Texas, near Dallas. Tarr's selection was

announced by national president Downing B. Jenks during the executive board meeting. Tarr is scout executive of the Circle Ten Council in Dallas.

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How much inflation is really too much?

By RANDOLPH E. SCHMID

WASHINGTON (AP) — Once upon a time, Hershey bars cost a nickel and unless the President of the United States happened to be eating one, he didn't think much about them.

Things change! Today these candies have become a small symbol of the nation's struggle with inflation, the subject of questioning at a presidential news conference.

It all seemed simple enough at the time. President Carter had recommended standards to limit price and wage increases, and the Hershey Foods Co. raised the price of chocolate bars from 20 cents to a quarter.

Carter's rules were aimed at limiting price increases, and the candy was going up 25 percent. So a reporter wanted to know if the increase, as it appeared, broke the rules.

No, it doesn't, the government determined. Nothing is as simple as it seems.

The size of the candy bar increased, you see. So if you consider the increase in size, the price rise came to 9.4 percent, not 25 percent.

Hershey reported that it increased the price of all its products 13.75 percent in each of the past two years. Carter's rules seek to limit increases to half a percentage point less than the average of those years or to 9.5 percent, whichever is less. The figure under the two-year average would be 13.25 percent, so the 9.5 percent would apply.

So the chocolate bar hike of 9.4 percent fits within the rules.

But that's just one case and the inflation-fighting standards being developed by the Council on Wage and Price Stability have to apply to thousands of situations.

When Carter announced his anti-inflation program Oct. 24, administration officials talked about limiting price boosts next year to approximately 5.75 percent. The administration expects that figure to be achieved if its standards are followed.

The rules aren't final yet and some questions have to be resolved by top government officials or the president himself. But let's have a look at how things stand right now.

Just as brakes cause your auto to slow, the government wants its standards to slow increases in prices of goods and services.

So the basic rule is that price rises in the fiscal year which started Oct. 1 must be below half a percentage point less than the average price increase of 1976 and 1977.

That means firms that raised their prices more in those years will be allowed larger increases. For example, if a company raised prices 8 percent in 1976 and 12 percent in 1977, the average is 10 percent. Its limit would be 9.5 percent, also the maximum increase allowed. If your average was 15 percent, 9.5 is still the limit.

On the other hand a firm which raised prices 3 percent in 1976 and 5 percent in 1977 would have an average of 4 percent and new increases would be limited to 3.5 percent under the rules.

This average applies across all product lines.

To understand what this means, let's assume a company makes half of its money from turbine generators and half from hairpins. It could increase the price of generators 19 percent, leave the

price of hairpins the same, and still comply with the rules.

And there is a special provision for firms which cannot meet this rule, such as companies which didn't raise prices at all in 1976 or 1977 and so don't have anything to decelerate from.

Also, some companies may face uncontrollable cost increases because of things like crop shortages which are not their fault.

So under certain conditions, some firms will be allowed to follow the "profit margin standard." Under that plan, firms could figure out the profit they made in the last three years, average the best two of those years and use that average as a limit.

For example if a firm had profits of 4 percent, 3 percent and 5 percent they would take the 4 and 5, average them and have a 4.5 percent profit limit.

This policy is still under consideration, however, with decisions being made on tightening it up. It is intended only for firms facing severe hardship, not those just uncomfortable with the standards.

Turning to wages, the standard simply states that the increase can't be more than 7 percent a year, including the cost of fringe benefits.

But the rule divides employees into three groups — collective bargaining units; non-union, non-supervisory people; and supervisors. The 7 percent limit is the average for all three. Thus one group could get more than 7 percent and the others less and the average could still meet the rule.

But there is a problem here. There have been big increases in the cost of some fringe benefits such as health insurance and pensions. So the government is considering exempting these cost increases that don't result in increased benefits.

Bolles slayer assessed 48-49 years

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP)

— John Harvey Adamson, one of three men convicted in the slaying of Phoenix reporter Don Bolles, has been sentenced to a term of 48 to 49 years in prison.

"We are still investigating all matters that came up with the name of Don Bolles," prosecutor William Schafer III said Thursday after the sentence was handed down by Pima County Superior Court Judge Ben Birdsall. "I don't see a time when we will stop investigating."

Adamson entered a guilty plea to a charge of

second-degree murder in January 1977 as his trial for the death of Bolles was about to begin.

Adamson implicated Phoenix contractor Max Dunlap and James Robison, a Chandler plumber, in the plot to kill Bolles, an investigative reporter for the Arizona Republic.

Dunlap and Robison were convicted of first-degree murder and sentenced to death.

Bolles was killed in June 1976 when a bomb exploded beneath his car in a hotel parking lot in Phoenix.

Adamson said he was hired by Dunlap to lure Bolles to the hotel, where the bomb, supposedly made by Robison, was placed beneath the car.

When Adamson entered his guilty plea,

prosecutors asked that he serve 20 years in prison. Thursday's sentence of 48 to 49 years was calculated to ensure that with time off for good behavior, credit for time already served and other considerations, Adamson would spend a total

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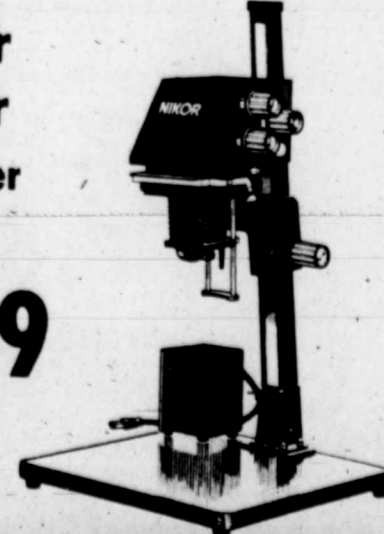
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Space ballet to debut near Venus

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (AP) — A space ballet choreographed by American controllers and involving six separate unmanned spacecraft...

On Friday, scientists analyzed radar maps sent for a second day by the orbiting Pioneer Venus 1 to see if new data confirms the existence of a 600-mile-wide crater never before observed from Earth.

The crater, if it turns out to be that large, would be one of the largest discovered by man in the solar system.

On Saturday, five spacecraft will plunge into the Venusian atmosphere as a sixth craft orbits overhead. For a one-hour period, all six are designed to spew a wealth of information about Earth's nearest neighbor to tracking stations in California and Australia for later analysis.

Officials at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Ames Research Center here, from which the \$225 million, 243-day Pioneer Venus probes are being controlled, say the multi-craft mission is the first of its kind.

The largest, the Pioneer Venus 1 orbiter, has been following an elongated oval path around the planet since Monday. Once controllers finish tinkering with its orbit, it is supposed to pass within 90 miles of the Venusian surface once every 24 hours for 243 days and perhaps longer.

It is mapping the planet's torrid, rocky surface, charting the "solar winds" which ravage its ionosphere, and sampling the ultraviolet radiation reflected by the dense, sulfur-dioxide clouds that shield the surface from Earth-bound observers.

Space toys must have warnings

WASHINGTON (AP) — A warning label program which may involve as many as 1 million Battlear Galactica space toys was announced Friday by Mattel Inc. and the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

The program follows reports of three incidents in which children swallowed or inhaled small red missiles which come with the toys. The children received medical treatment.

The missiles are included with Mattel space vehicle toys "Colonial Viper" (No. 2531), "Colonial Scarb" (No. 2534), "Colonial Stellar Probe" (No. 2533) and "Cylon Raider" (No. 2532). Each of the toys is equipped to launch the missiles, officials said.

The new labels, which will be attached to warehouse stocks of the toys, state: "Caution: Do not point or fire red missiles into mouth or toward face."

Mattel Vice President Spencer Boise said the missiles are about one and one-quarter inch long and one-eighth inch in diameter and the launcher can shoot them about six feet.

He said the company has had 1 million labels printed for the program and hopes to place them on all toys not already sold. Most of the toys are still in warehouses around the country, he said.

He noted that the toys meet all existing or proposed product safety standards. The Battlear Galactica toys are intended for children older than 3 years. The CPSC limits small parts on toys aimed at younger children.

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LARGE GAME ROOM w/ lots of built-ins plus a 3-car garage are added features to this 3 bdrm., 2 1/2 bath, & den brick home. Lots of good storage incl. separate storage bldg., patio & pretty landscaping. Ref. air & fireplace. \$72,000.

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DELLWOOD AREA A freshly painted 3 bdrm., 2 bath & den brick home with a Franklin fireplace & ref. air in a nice neighborhood. Patio, good closet space & storage space including separate storage bldg. \$44,500.

NEW LISTING A neat & clean 3 bdrm., 2 bath & den brick home with a fireplace, ref. air, enclosed patio & built-in kitchen. Touches of wallpaper & built-in bookcase & cabinet in den. \$51,900. Call Mary Jo.

1475 E. HEBBURN 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath & den brick home with ref. air & a fireplace. Complete built-in kitchen with a nice bay window, breakfast room, covered patio, nice carpeting throughout incl. kitchen. Located on a quiet street. \$55,900. Call Mary Jo.

IDEAL HOME plus approx. 2 acres of land with a water well 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath & den home with a separate dining room with built-in china cabinets. Also has a hobby or sewing room. Needs some work, but make us an offer. \$36,000. Call Wanda New Carpet recently installed in this 2 bdrm., 1 living area cottage. It has been completely repainted inside & out. Kitchen even has a cupboard. Call Goodrich.

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3316 BEDFORD Don't miss seeing this home, situated in a very pretty neighborhood. Three bedrooms, two baths, livingroom and den with fireplace. Lots of cabinets in kitchen, nice utility area. Large master bedroom, good closets. \$56,000

SPECIAL OF THE WEEK
WARD HOME V. V. 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, master bedroom is sequestered. One living area with vaulted beamed ceiling. Courtyard entry. Call for more information.

513 BENTWOOD This lovely home is less than one year old. It has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. Lots of cabinet space and counter tops. Touches of wallpaper, beautiful sculptured shade carpet throughout. Lots of windows to let the sunshine in. \$45,500

COUNTY ROAD 1140 SOUTH Move this lovely home to the land of your choice. Three bedrooms, one bath, in excellent condition. Offers wanted. \$12,500

COUNTY ROAD 1213 SOUTH Touches of wallpaper and paneling dress up this 2 bedroom, 1 bath home in the country. Has a big utility room for storage and a good water well. \$19,500

703 NORTH "D" Lots of potential for investment property. Furniture remains with this duplex. One side has 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. \$22,000

102 S. DEWBERRY Nice three bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath home. New vinyl in kitchen. Interior paint new this year. \$36,000

1146 S. DEWBERRY 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, refrigerated air, humidifier, water well for yard. New carpet in bedrooms. \$36,000

2814 DURANT Lots of storage space and pretty wallpaper throughout. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, separate living room and den. Extra large den has pretty fireplace, built-in bookcases and window seats. \$79,500

3505 IMPERIAL Lovely 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home in nice neighborhood. This total electric home has a good livable floor plan. Nice sized master bedroom, walk-in closet with built-in drawers. Good closets throughout. \$79,500

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2002 MICHIGAN Don't let this one get away! Huge den with peg wood floors, beautiful cabinets around fireplace, beamed ceiling. Separate living room, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Very spacious home. Rental unit has a private drive. \$42,500

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Carew nixes trade; Harrah to Tribe



Toby Harrah goes to Indians

By HAL BOCK

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Rod Carew listened for three hours to San Francisco owner Bob Lurie Friday and then rejected a trade that would have sent the seven-time American League batting champion from the Minnesota Twins to the Giants.

Carew's veto did not prevent the Twins from acquiring veteran left-hander Jerry Koosman from the New York Mets in a deal which had seemed to hinge on Minnesota's ability to complete the transaction with the Giants.

In exchange for the 35-year-old Koosman, the Mets received minor league pitcher Greg Field and a player to be named later, New York had wanted left-hander Phil Nasti in the Koosman deal. Nasti was one of the three players the Giants had agreed to ship to the Twins for Carew.

AFTER THE Koosman trade was announced, Cleveland and Texas completed a major swap of third basemen. The Indians sent Buddy Bell to the Rangers in exchange for Toby Harrah. Bell, 27, the son of ex-major league Gus Bell, had been a top priority in trade talks at major league baseball's winter meetings. To get him the Rangers surrendered the long-ball power of Harrah, a 30-year-old veteran who has played both shortstop and third base for the Rangers.

Pitcher Floyd Bannister was swapped by Houston to Seattle for shortstop Craig Reynolds and Texas sent infielder Jim Mason to Montreal for outfielder Mike Hart as clubs raced the midnight inter-league trading deadline.

BUT CAREW blocked what would have been the biggest inter-league swap of all. The Twins and Giants had

completed terms of the transaction Thursday and all that was required was approval by the perennial batting champion. Lurie flew from the Florida sunshine to Minnesota in an attempt to get that OK, but failed.

Tom Mee, public relations director of the Twins, announced the decision here. "Because of so many factors, Rod is not ready to accept the deal," Mee said. "He has softened his position. He now indicates that going to San Francisco is not out of the question."

But he won't be going right now. Mee said Carew's objections to the swap did not involve money. Carew is entering the option year of his contract and would be available on the free agent market next winter if he does not sign. He has been reportedly seeking a 5-year, \$3.5 million contract.

"Carew said money was not a question," said Mee. "He said he wanted

to talk to other players about playing in Candlestick Park, and that he wanted to know more about the city," Mee said.

THE VETO upset Calvin Griffith, owner of the Twins, who came to these meetings determined to trade his unhappy superstar. Griffith has lost several outstanding players via the re-entry free agent draft including pitcher Bill Campbell and outfielder Lyman Bostock and infielder Hise. If Carew leaves, the Twins' owner wants something in return.

"I am disappointed that the trade wasn't made, but I am also somewhat encouraged that Carew removed absolute objections to San Francisco," Griffith said.

While Carew turned down his trade, Koosman welcomed it. The left-hander, who has struggled through two straight losing seasons and a composite 11-35 record since 1976, has long wanted to return to his native Minnesota. He told the Mets that the Twins would be the only team he would accept in a deal.

"He was elated," said Mets' General Manager Joe McDonald, who had delayed the deal until there was no option. Field split last season with Toledo and Orlando with a combined 8-8 record.

Might the player coming to the Mets later turn out to be Nasti after all?

"I can't name the player, but you can figure it out for yourself," McDonald said.

THERE WERE no complications in the Bell-Harrah swap—the second major deal completed between Texas and Cleveland since the end of the season. Earlier, the Rangers obtained reliever Jim Kern in a multi-player swap that sent Bobby Bonds to the Indians.

"We're moving Bell, the finest third baseman in baseball, to acquire more power and speed," said Phil Seghi, general manager of the Indians. "We'll miss Bell, one of the best defensive players in all of baseball."

Bell batted .282 and had six homers and 62 RBIs with the Indians last season and has been one of Cleveland's most popular players since coming to the majors in 1972. Harrah had an off-year at Texas, batting .229 with 12 homers and 59 RBIs.

"WE HATED to give up Bell," said Jeff Torborg, manager of the Indians. "But you have to give something to get something. Harrah with a bad year hit 12 homers. He gives us speed and power added to Bonds' speed and power. He gives us versatility and we're very excited about the deal."

Bannister, a one-time No. 1 selection in the amateur draft, was 3-9 with a 4.83 earned run average for Houston last season. Reynolds batted .292 with five homers and 44 RBIs for Seattle.

Mason hit .190 as a part-time player for Texas in 1978. Hart batted .320 playing for Montreal's Denver farm club in the American Association.

Permian tackles Plainview today

LUBBOCK—It's the Odessa Permian Panthers vs. the Plainview Bulldogs.

The weather may be cold today, but there most likely will be a heated battle on the artificial turf at Jones Stadium in a Class AAAA state quarterfinal football playoff game. Kickoff is set for 1:30 p.m. when Mojo tangles with the Angry Red crew from the South Plains.

Plainview (11-1) is in the state grid playoffs for the very first time in the school's history while Permian is there again for the ninth time since the Odessa school opened in 1959 and Coach John Wilkins sends his team into the playoffs for the fourth time in the past six years.

"We are going to have to throw the football in order to beat Plainview," said Wilkins. And the Panthers have a great quarterback in Vic Vines, who has passed for 2,342 yards in two seasons while connecting on 31 touchdown passes. The 176-pound senior has 21 TDs on the year and with his combined rushing and passing, has a total offensive output of 3,259 yards in two seasons and 11 TDs rushing.

WHILE PERMIAN has a strong passing attack, the Panthers also have a good infantry attack with tailback Gregg Lambert, Vines and fullback Roger Lightfoot paving the way. Vines has rushed for 873 yards and 13 TDs while Vines has 494 yards and Lightfoot 605 yards. The Panther defense has given up 76 points in 12 games and given up 145 points.

The Panthers are averaging 32 points per game and the Bulldogs 35, but Plainview is giving up more than

12 points per game and Mojo just over six.

Plainview has a gifted backfield with Royce Coleman (195), Ervin Davis (210), Billy Williams (165) and quarterback Scott Sherwood, Coach Greg Sherwood's son, leading the way.

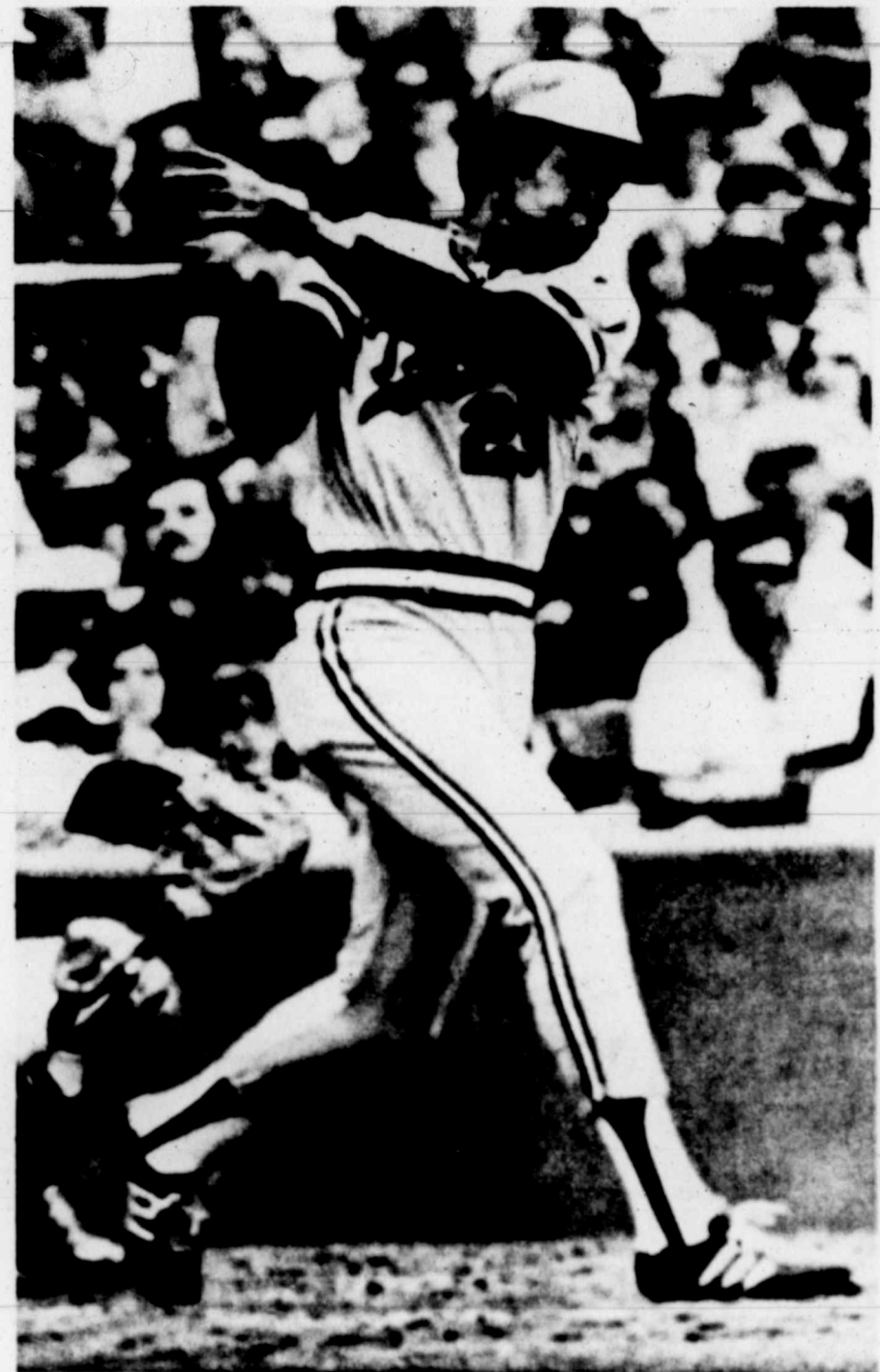
BOTH TEAMS run out of the Wing-T, but the Bulldogs, while they do pass, rely on the running of Coleman, Davis and Williams while Permian pretty well mixes up its offense, throwing and running.

Coleman has rushed for more than 1,600 yards while scoring 24 TDs for 144 points and Davis is over the 800-yard mark in rushing. Sherwood throws when he has to. "They (Plainview) kind of lull you to sleep and then suddenly pass," commented Wilkins. Sherwood has 10 TD tosses.

Permian, as usual, is smaller in the line, but quicker with Kirby Sanford (220) and Tim Hendrix (232) anchoring down the offensive line. Dee Witt (195) and Carl Cunningham (200) are the biggest on defense.

Permian's passing good is powerful with four great receivers in David Loper, John Muery, Tom Strickland and Gary Smith. Loper has 25 catches for 467 yards and seven TDs while Muery has 20 catches for 339 yards and six scores. Strickland has 16 receptions for 297 yards and three TDs while Smith has latched on to 14 passes for 249 yards and four TDs.

KELLY RAPER (228) and Tim Burge (227), anchor down the Bulldog interior line while on defense, Robert Wafer (220) and Kevin Woods (248), give the South Plains team plenty of heft.



Rod Carew rejects trade to San Francisco.

Steelers won't go easy on Baltimore

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Although the hard-driving Pittsburgh Steelers have clinched a National Football League playoff berth, they don't plan to soft-pedal today's game with the Baltimore Colts.

"We remember the whupping we got last year from them — and we're going to try and get a little revenge," said Steelers defensive tackle Joe Greene.

Baltimore defeated the Steelers 31-21 last season after leading 31-7 at one point in the game. But this year, the Colts are limping into Saturday's game with an injury-riddled team and a 5-9 record.

"They've had their injuries and they've had some internal problems which have kind of decimated the team," Greene said. "But to us, it's still the same."

QUARTERBACK BERT Jones, who led Baltimore to last season's victory over the Steelers, has been plagued by injuries this year. Currently nursing an ailing shoulder, he's behind Bill Troup and Mike Kirkland.

"People don't believe me, but I still say we've got a better football team than we've ever had — when we're healthy," said Baltimore Coach Ted Marchibroda.

"We just had too many people that got banged up."

If Kirkland and Troup are injured,

Jones could enter the game and hand off, although he would be unable to throw.

"I don't think he'll play the rest of the year unless the other two guys get hurt," Marchibroda said.

NONETHELESS, the Colts hope to make things interesting.

"I think you're talking about two teams who've been in the playoffs. They've got a lot of character and pride," said Marchibroda.

The Steelers, 12-2, beat Houston last Sunday to clinch the American Conference Division title and the home-field advantage in the first round of the playoffs.

A victory Saturday over Baltimore would insure Pittsburgh the home-field advantage in the AFC championship game, if Pittsburgh makes it that far.

The Steelers paid a physical price for their win in Houston. Safety Mike Wagner and linebacker Loren Toews will definitely miss the Baltimore game with injuries. Running back Rocky Bleier also may be sidelined. Wagner's absence figures to result in some playing time for Ray Oldham, a six-year veteran who was cut after two games with Baltimore.

OLDHAM, PICKED up by the Steelers for help on the kick coverage teams, will be used Saturday as a fifth defensive back in passing situations.

Earl-ers' Earl goes down slow

When Houston Oilers Coach Bum Phillips was asked if he noticed how slowly his prize rookie Earl Campbell gets up, he countered, "Yep, but he goes down real slow, too."

The running back may enjoy greater glory, but it is a comparative moment to the pro football life of, say, a defensive back. Ray Brown is still going strong as a safety for New Orleans while one wonders whatever happened to his teammates at West Texas State. Brown, not only was a teammate, but played in the same offensive backfield as Duane Thomas and Mercury Morris, both late of the NFL...



TED BATTLES

When the Midland Cubs GM Bill Rigney, Jr., headed for the baseball winter meetings in Orlando, Fla., his only expressed objective was to offer an unemployed pitcher a contract, and if "Andy Messersmith can make it with us, perhaps we can sell him to a major league club..."

TEXAS RANGERS' majority owner Brad Corbett is dutch with his fans. When the business office made preliminary contacts with 5,000 season ticket holders, more than half expressed no interest. Brad's trades are the primary source of dissatisfaction and when he unloaded some long-time favorites as Mike Hargrove, he picked up the relief pitching he needed last year. But with the likes of Bobby Bonds departed, there probably won't be any leads to protect.

One Rangers' writer informs that when Billy Hunter was fired as manager before the season's last game, they were taking bets

as to whether Pat Corrales would last as interim manager for the rest of the season...

But Rangers' fans shouldn't despair. In baseball, today's bum is tomorrow's hero. Yes, Houston Astros fans, wherever you may be, the Spec Richardson who was named as major league executive of the year for his rebuilding of the San Francisco into a viable contender is the same Spec Richardson who was fired by the Astros in 1975 and left behind the reputation of single-handedly turning Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Philadelphia and Los Angeles into

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Pack bows to Mineral Wells

By BOB DILLON R-T Sports Writer

SNYDER — The Midland High Bulldogs were as cold as the weather outside Friday afternoon.

The Class AAA Mineral Wells Rams, last year's runnerup to Huntsville in the state tournament, had too much quickness and rebounding power as they toppled Coach Don Humphrey's Bulldogs, 54-43, in the second round of the 24th annual Canyon Reef Invitational Basketball Tournament in the Scurry County Coliseum.

With the victory, the fast moving Rams move into the semifinals against the Haltom City Buffaloes at 2:30 p.m. today. Haltom held on to edge past Lubbock Monterey, 48-47, in the other second round contest Friday afternoon.

Mineral Wells led Midland by 10 points throughout the contest until the Bulldogs pulled within eight at 48-40 with less than two minutes left in the game. That was the closest that Midland was going to come, however.

Roy Lee Jefferson, hitting from long range for the Bulldogs, scored

eight points in the final period, but the Rams still managed to outscore the Tall City outfit, 18-17, after the Pack outscored the Rams 6-5 in the low scoring third period.

Although Midland had the taller outfit, the Rams had some leapers, who outthrust and outjumped the Bulldogs during most of the contest.

Coach Phil Kina's well disciplined team got balanced scoring from three players as it was chalking up its ninth win of the season against one loss. That one loss was to AA Bowie earlier in the season.

Leading the way for the Rams were Rory Nowak, Jesse Kimbrough, and Darrell Milton. Nowak, a 6-6 center, dumped in 17 points while Kimbrough, a muscular 6-3 forward, added 14. Milton chipped in with 12 more for the winners.

Midland only had two players in double figures with Charles Johnson and Jefferson scoring 10 points each as Midland now takes a 7-6 season record into today's 1 p.m. contest in the Snyder High gym against either Big Spring or the loser of the Dim-

mitt-El Paso contest.

Mineral Wells took a 16-8 first period lead and led at intermission 31-20.

The Bulldogs only hit five of eight free throws while the Rams conncted on 12 of 16 charity tosses.

In other games Friday, in loser's bracket games, Lubbock Estacado took a 59-52 win over Abertnathy, Canyon blistered Odessa 64-41 while Sweetwater posted a 49-44 win over Graham and San Angelo took an easy 70-42 over hapless Pecos.

Dimmitt met El Paso in one second round winner's bracket game followed by the Snyder-Big Spring contest in the late games.

Tournament action winds up today with the consolation finals set for 5 p.m., the third place game at 6:30 p.m. and the championship at 8 p.m.

Midland (43):

Spring, 2-0-4; C. Johnson, 2-0-10; Sanders, 4-1-2-9; South, 1-0-2; H. Johnson, 2-2-1-4; Jefferson, 4-2-10. Totals: 19-5-16-43.

Mineral Wells (54): Milton, 2-8-12; Nowak, 9-1-17; Kimbrough, 7-0-2-11; Fincher, 2-2-2-6; Birt, 2-1-2-5. Totals: 21-12-11-54.

Score by periods:

Midland 12 12 17-43

Mineral Wells 16 18 5 18-54

Dolphin back doubtful

MIAMI (AP) — The Miami Dolphins may be without leading rusher Delvin Williams this Sunday against Oakland, a spokesman said Friday.

Williams, who suffered swelling after he was hit below the knee last week, has not worked out at all this week. Club spokesman Charley Callahan said Williams probably will be

replaced in the starting lineup by Gary Davis.

Williams has gained 1,250 yards and is averaging 4.7 yards a carry, while Davis has gained 215 yards and is averaging 6.1 yards a carry.

The club also said Friday that 5,000 seats remain unsold for the 4 p.m. EST game.

Weekend TV, radio sports

Today

PRO FOOTBALL—Colts vs. Steelers, noon, KMD-TV. Vikings vs. Lions, 3 p.m., KOSA-TV. PREP FOOTBALL—Permian vs. Plainview, 12:45 p.m., KQUIP, 97-FM. BOXING—Leonard vs. Muniz, 4 p.m., KMOM-TV. BASKETBALL—North Texas vs. TCU, 7 p.m., Cable 4. Notre Dame vs. UCLA, 10 p.m., Cable 4.

Sunday

PRO FOOTBALL—Jets vs. Browns, noon, KMD-TV. Cowboys vs. Eagles, noon, KOSA-TV. Oilers vs. Saints, 3 p.m., KMD-TV.

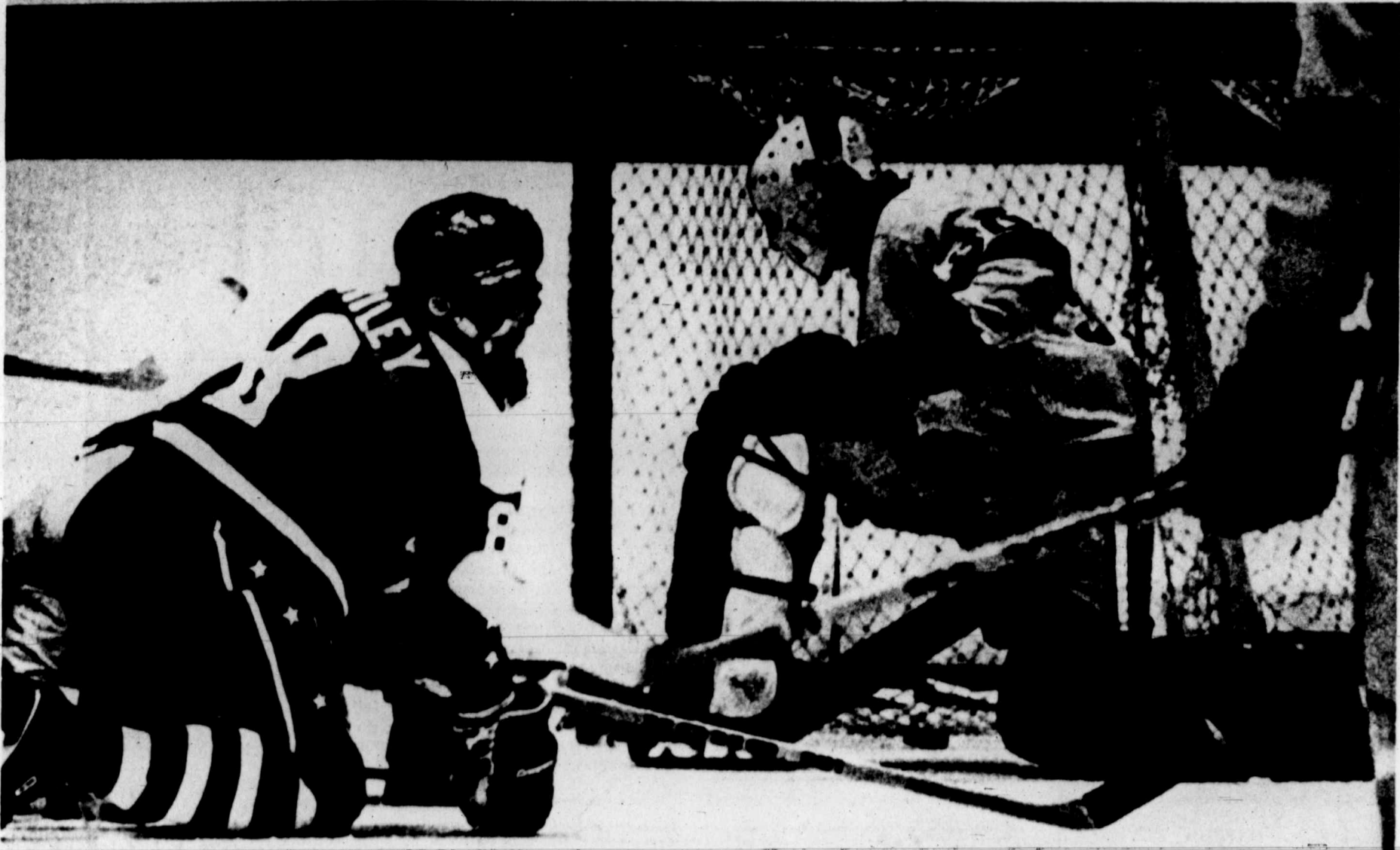
Monday

PRO FOOTBALL—Bengals vs. Rams, 8 p.m., KMOM-TV.

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Washington Capitals Billy Riley kneels in front of Los Angeles goalie Ron Grahame in slipping a puck by in NHL action. (AP Laser-photo)

Clemson hopes 4th time is the charm

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Atlantic Coast Conference champion Clemson will try this weekend for the NCAA Division I soccer title that's eluded the Tigers the last three times they've been in the finals.

The Division I championships at Tampa Stadium Saturday and Sunday feature the strongest four-team field in the history of the division.

In the opening games Saturday third-ranked Clemson, 17-0-1, takes on the University of San Francisco, 26-1 and ranked second, at 1:30 p.m. EST and No. 4 Philadelphia Textile, 17-0, meets No. 1 Indiana, 22-4, at 3:30 p.m.

WINNERS MEET in the championship game Sunday at 3:30 p.m. Saturday's losers play a consolation round at 1:30 p.m. the same day.

For the seventh straight year Clemson is the Atlantic Coast Conference champion and in the NCAA tournament.

Coach Ibrahim Ibrahim, however, brings a potent forward line led by Nigerians Christian Nwokocha (16 goals) and Damian Ogunsuyi (11 goals) and a stingy defense in front of goalkeeper John Bruens.

In a matchup against three-time champ San Francisco, Ibrahim doesn't know what is in store for his club.

"There are all sorts of keys," says Ibrahim. "I feel everybody will be healthy. This game could be a beautiful game or a lousy game to watch depending on the tactics. Both teams will be cautious, I feel."

MOST OF the players on Coach Steve Negroesco's San Francisco Dons

were members of the 1974 and 1976 championship teams, as well as last year's squad which lost to Hartwick in the finals.

Negroesco knows things won't be easy. "We'll play the two toughest games of our season," he says. "This is the toughest national finals I've ever been in based on the quality of the teams involved. It's no accident the top four teams happened to make it this far."

The Dons' strength in scoring comes from three players — midfielders Godwin Odiye and Felipe Magalhaes (14 and 10 goals, respectively) and sophomore forward Dag Olavsen (15 goals).

IN THE second game, Coach Barry Barto's Rams from Philadelphia Textile will be up against top-ranked Indiana. Textile likes to play a strong air game, while Indiana concentrates on short, crisp passing on the ground.

"I don't see any difference in these games," said Barto, "except that they stand for a lot more than the regular season games. The toughest part is out to get here — the regular season just to get here. This is the easiest part because we only have to play two teams. Sure there's more pressure, but there is nothing to make us change our game plans."

Indiana has the toughest defense in the two-day tournament. Coach Jerry Yeagley says his squad plays "a tough high-pressure game" marking men tightly. The defense has allowed only 13 goals all season.

"There is no weak sister this year," says Yeagley. "No question about it, every game will be highly contested. I think we have the team to do it."

Battle Scene

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pennant and division contending with his bartering... The Willie Sanchez named AAA executive of the year for luring 231,000 fans into the Pacific Coast League ball park at Albuquerque, was a three sport star at El Paso High in the mid-1960s, quarterbacking the football team three years, lettering as a guard two seasons in basketball and playing four years of baseball... Willie figures, if he deserved the award, it was in 1977 when the Dukes drew 192,000 fans while finishing 20 games out of first place. This year the Dukes shared the pennant with Tacoma...

CARY WALLACE, a seventh grader at San Jacinto, scored 33

points against Goddard the other day, breaking the school record by a point. Since each player must sit out four minutes of each quarter, it rates as quite a stunt. Despite his heroics, however, SJ lost 52-51...

And with five straight victories, including three in Western Junior College Conference play, the youthful Midland College Chaparrals seem to be putting it together. The big problem in trying to defend the Chaps is that the opposition never knows where the fire is going to break out. One night it's Kenneth Young, the next it's Tim Shelby or Luis Alvarado, or a Cullen Mayfield and just when you've got these dudes boxed in, here comes Henry White or Chucky McGill.



Brittain's John Lloyd grimaces on way to loss at hands of John McEnroe. (AP Laserphoto)

Mottram, McEnroe post wins in openers of Davis Cup

RANCHO MIRAGE, Calif. (AP) — Englishman Buster Mottram survived a tense, grueling 4½-hour match in quickly dropping temperatures Friday to even the score at one match apiece in the Davis Cup championship round against the United States.

Mottram defeated American Brian Gottfried 4-6, 2-6, 10-8, 6-4, 6-3. Earlier, 19-year-old American sensation

John McEnroe, the 19-year-old ace of the American team, scrambled and pounded to beat Englishman John Lloyd 6-1, 6-2, 6-2 in the opening match.

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Carew not bitter over trade flop

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Minnesota slugger Rod Carew says he isn't bitter toward anyone, but that he is disappointed in the hurry-up trade tactics of the Twins, who tried to deal the first baseman to San Francisco Friday.

"I don't know how they (the Twins) think they could have made a deal and expected me to jump at it like that," said the 33-year-old Carew.

"I guess I'm in limbo. I want it to be known that I'm not bitter toward anyone, but I am disappointed."

TWINS OWNER Calvin Griffith tried to trade the seven-time American League batting champion a few days before the trading deadline last June, but ran out of time problems there, too.

Carew said "I'd have to think about it," when asked if there was still a possibility of remaining with the Twins, his team for the past 12 seasons.

The American League's 1977 MVP has been unhappy with Minnesota's efforts to negotiate an extension of his

contract which would allow him to finish his career with the Twins, which Carew and his family prefer.

"I would have liked to have been able to do something, but it was such a short time," Carew said of the offer by San Francisco. "We had a very nice meeting. Mr. Lurie is very pleasant. But I didn't want to do something that I would regret."

"THERE'S definitely more to it than money and I would consider the Giants for a future trade."

Bob Lurie, co-owner of the Giants, agreed that the negotiations needed more time than they had Friday.

"Basically it comes down to the complexity of the deal. It just cannot be completed by midnight," he said of the interleague trading deadline.

Carew had asked the Twins for \$3.5 million over five years, a figure the Giants reportedly were willing to pay. Minnesota offered Carew \$2 million for the same time period.

Carew will be on the final year of a three-year contract which pays him about \$200,000 in 1979, making him a free agent after the season ends.

Walton aiming for Feb. 1 return

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP) — Bill Walton is aiming for a Feb. 1 return to the National Basketball Association and said Friday he expects to be playing with either San Diego or Golden State.

The 6-foot-11 Walton was voted the NBA's Most Valuable Player in 1977-78 in his fourth season at Portland, although he missed the last third of the season because of foot injuries.

Portland's bringing him back into action in the playoffs last April, when a broken bone in his foot was discovered, led to his break with the Trail Blazers. They agreed last summer to trade him if a deal can be worked out.

"I don't negotiate in the press," Walton said when asked what kind of contract he seeks in his talks with owners Irv Levin of the San Diego Clippers and Franklin Mielu of the Golden State Warriors.

He declined to confirm reports he wants to equal or surpass the reported \$4 million five-year contract given David Thompson of the Denver Nuggets.

"That's what I read in the newspa-

pers," Walton said. "I'm trying to work out a good contract. That's all I'll say about that."

Walton still isn't running, but daily swims, weight-lifting and "electro-galvanic stimulation of my left foot" are designed to build him back to strength gradually, Walton said in an interview Friday.

While a stress fracture in his left foot was healing, he wore a cast on the foot from April 22 to Oct. 18.

"When it feels better I'll be able to run," Walton said after one of his daily workouts at the training quarters of the Los Angeles Rams of the National Football League. The sessions are supervised by Rams trainer Gary Tuthill.

"When I play again it will all work out," Walton said. "I don't have any doubts."

Asked if there is any chance he might reconsider playing for Portland, Walton said: "I'm not headed in that direction. It's time for new things to happen. It would be better for me to play in either San Francisco (with Golden State) or San Diego, if they can get a satisfactory trade."

Carew slips, but wins title

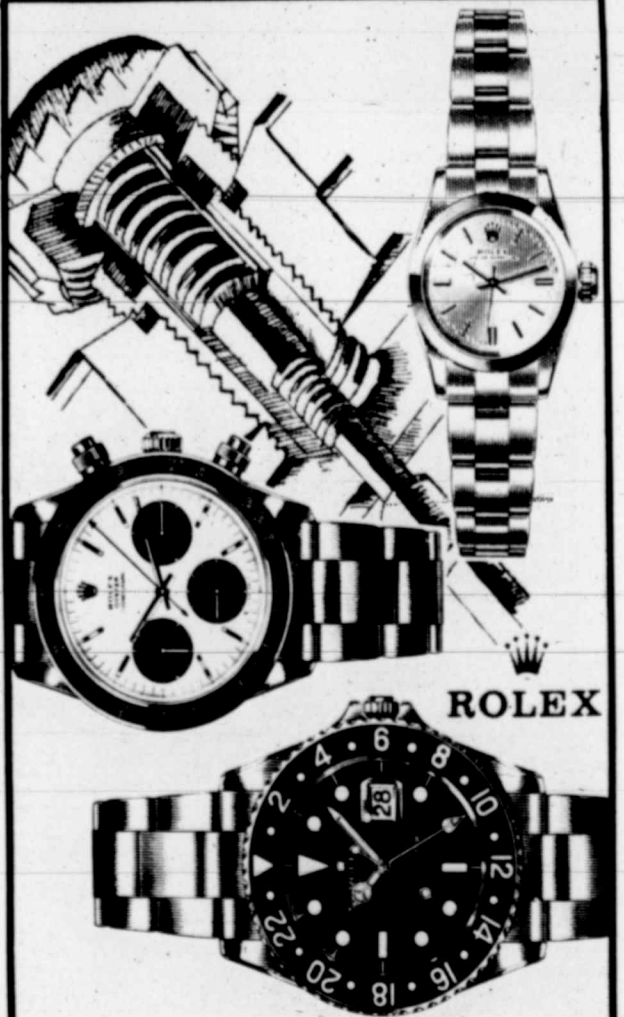
NEW YORK (AP) — Rod Carew's batting average slipped 55 points from 1977 to 1978 but the veteran Minnesota Twins star still captured his seventh American League batting championship, according to official figures released Saturday.

Carew batted .334, finishing 10 points ahead of Texas outfielder Al Oliver. A year ago, Carew won the batting title with a .388 average.

Jim Rice of Boston, the American League's most valuable player, finished third at .315 but dominated most of the other batting categories. Rice led the major leagues with 46 home runs, 139 runs batted in, 15 triples, 213 hits, and a .600 slugging percentage.

DETROIT'S Rusty Staub finished second to Rice in RBI with 121. Don Baylor of California and Milwaukee's Larry Hise shared the No. 2 spot in home runs with 34 apiece. Carew and another Minnesota Twin, Dan Ford, finished tied for the runner-up spot in triples with 10 each.

Ron LeFlore of Detroit led the league in runs scored with 126 followed by Rice with 121. Kansas City's George Brett was tops in doubles with 45 with Carlton Fisk of Boston and Kansas City's Hal McRae tied for No. 2 at 39.



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Austin Reagan Rebels Lee, 55-51

AUSTIN—Austin Reagan defeated Midland Lee, 55-51, in the Austin High School Invitational Basketball Tournament here Friday. It was the Rebels' second loss of the tournament.

Lee plays its final game at noon today.

Reagan jumped in front early and led all the way as George Freeman pumped in 24 points for the winners.

Ken Van Hoozen had 14 and Bruce Crawford 13 for Lee.

Reagan jumped to a 20-13 lead in the first period and led 36-23 at halftime before the Rebels began to come back. By the end of the third period, Lee had cut the lead to 47-37.

Midland Lee (51)—Ken Van Hoozen 14, Bruce Crawford 13, Tyler Alcorn 8, Mike McGinnis 8, Tim Walker 6, Austin Reagan (55)—Harvey Bennett 12, George Freeman 24, Jimmy Carter 10, Nathan Clark 8.



Midland Lee's Lynette Taylor (34) guards Lubbock Estacado player in action Friday night during Midland Girls Basketball Tournament at the Lee High gym. (Photo by Mike Ford)

Rebels defeat Estacado, 42-22

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
R-7 Sports Writer

If it hadn't been for the Midland Lee Rebels, the first annual Tall City Girls Invitational Basketball Tournament would have been an opening day disaster.

The Rebels gunned down hapless Lubbock Estacado, 42-22, but that was the only first round victory for four Midland teams. If the Rebels had stumped their toes, we would have had four teams fighting for consolation honors today when the tournament comes to a close.

DEBORAH KITTLE was the only Rebel to reach double figures with 14 points, but the Rebels were allowed to empty the bench in this one. Patty Adams managed eight points.

The Midland High Bulldogs struggled through a terrible first half against Amarillo Caprock, and ended up losing, 37-29, despite a second half turnaround. Midland scored only seven points in the first half and fell behind at 19-7. The Bulldogs came back and tied the score at 23 before letting things fall apart again.

JANA TROLINDER led Midland High scorers with 10 points while Sandra Rock and Gail McDonald each contributed six. But Melanie Mixon countered with 10 for Caprock while Shelia Lamb and Gloria Harris each had nine markers.

The two local junior varsities also lost opening round matches. The Lee JV dropped a 56-37 verdict to Lubbock Coronado as expected and the Midland High JV lost to Permian, 46-38.

Myrna Smith led Permian with 16 points while Charla Brown added 11.

Sandra Black had 15 for Midland while Jane Dau contributed seven.

Coronado's victory was paced by Dona Boyd with 16 points and Laura Wade had 10. The Lee JV didn't have anyone in the double digits, but Kay Rowe led the way with eight and Evelyn Oudems managed seven.

NOW IT is up to Lee to bring home the first Tall City title. They will meet Lee at 12:30 p.m. today in a second round game while Coronado and Caprock tangle at 2:15 p.m. to see who will advance to tonight's 9 p.m. championship game.

Midland High will face the Lee JV at 10:45 a.m. in a loser's bracket game while Estacado takes on the MHS JV at 9 a.m. to start today's action. Midland is in good position to take consolation honors in the 5:30 p.m. decider.

Duran kayoes foe in eighth

NEW YORK (AP) — Roberto Duran, his world lightweight title not at stake and his eyes on the future, ripped Monroe Brooks with vicious head shots for seven rounds and knocked him out with a body punch in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-round over-weight match at Madison Square Garden Friday night.

It was a devastating performance by Duran, who is having trouble making the lightweight limit and is thinking of moving into the welterweight division. In fact, the Panamanian weighed the welterweight limit of 147 pounds, which is 12 pounds more than the lightweight limit.

If there were any questions about Duran handling the added weight, they were answered Friday night. Brooks, a top welterweight from Los Angeles, never had a chance.

Duran also showed no ill effects from a broken right hand he suffered in training last summer. He staggered Brooks, 143, on several occasions with right-hand bombs. And as the two men feinted in the middle of the ring in the eighth round, Duran suddenly shot a left hook to the body just beneath the ribcage.

Brooks dropped as if shot and was counted out at 1:59 of the round.

Wilfredo Benitez of Puerto Rico pounded out a 10-round decision over Vernon Lewis of Guyana in a co-featured 10-rounder. Benitez now will fight World Boxing Council welterweight champion Carlos Palomino for the title Jan. 14 in Puerto Rico.

Duran could be looming on the horizon for either Benitez or Palomino.

The Duran-Brooks fight was a savage one from the opening bell. The two men touched gloves at the beginning of each round and then engaged in a series of three-minute wars.

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Prep football

Class 2A	
Wylie 28, Pittsburg 9	
Childress 9, Kermit 2	
San Antonio Randolph 22, Kennedy 17	
Sealy 22, West 7	
Class A	
Franklin 20, Hawkins 6	
Haskell 34, Stratford 8	
Lexington 6, Falls City 5	
Class B	
Wheeler 17, Italy 9	
Class 4A	
Houston Stratford 36, LaPorte 14	

NFL at a glance

American Conference						
W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA	
New England	10	4	0	.714	329	239
Miami	9	3	0	.643	328	272
Baltimore	8	6	0	.571	318	297
Baltimore	5	9	0	.357	212	262
Buffalo	4	10	0	.286	227	314
National Conference						
W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA	
Pittsburgh	12	2	0	.857	300	165
Houston	9	5	0	.643	242	241
Cleveland	7	7	0	.500	281	274
Cincinnati	2	14	1	.143	184	249
East						
Denver	9	5	0	.643	241	174
Oakland	8	6	0	.571	278	240
Seattle	8	6	0	.571	312	302
San Diego	7	7	0	.500	273	275
Kansas City	4	10	0	.286	221	286
West						
Dallas	10	4	0	.714	323	188
Washington	8	6	0	.571	246	249
Philadelphia	8	6	0	.571	237	216
N.Y. Giants	5	9	0	.357	204	278
St. Louis	5	9	0	.357	206	258
Central						
Minnesota	5	1	0	.667	260	234
Green Bay	5	1	0	.667	235	221
Chicago	5	1	0	.667	252	264
Detroit	5	1	0	.667	212	222
Tampa Bay	5	1	0	.667	228	236
West						
Los Angeles	13	0	0	.786	266	211
Atlanta	8	6	0	.571	199	231
New Orleans	6	8	0	.429	232	271
San Francisco	1	13	0	.077	199	314

NHL summaries

Penguins 3, Canadiens 3

PHOENIX (124)—Davis 0-0-16, Scott 2-2-6, Adams 4-12-13, Bue 1-1-2-3, Westphal 12-6-7-30, Byrnes 5-2-12, Kramer 2-5-9, Lewis 3-4-16, Forrest 11-1-9, Brate 2-2-6, Heard 2-0-4, Totals 52-29-124.

BOSTON (184)—Barnes 6-0-12, Knight 6-2-14, Archibald 3-3-9, Maxwell 3-7-9, Autry 1-0-2, Judd 1-1-2, Penalties—Charraw, Mon, 12-38, Lattinway, Mon, 17-13.

Third Period—4, Montreal, Mondou 12 (Schutt, Savard), 2-11, Penalties—None. Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 8-13-4-25, Montreal 12-10-3-30. Goalies—Pittsburgh, Herron, Montreal, Larocque. A-16,628.

NBA summaries

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WASHINGTON (108)—Dandridge 7-5-19, Hayes 6-9-17, Unsel 4-14-12, Greig 3-3-10, Williams 2-3-8, Griffin 0-2-10, James 11-0-22, Totals 41-18-101.

DETROIT (117)—Carr 13-5-31, Pogue 3-4-10, Douglas 4-6-22, Porter 2-3-4, Tatum 3-0-8, Tyler 2-0-4, Totals 41-18-101.

HOUSTON (118)—Barry 5-2-12, Tomjanovich 7-2-18, Malone 6-11-13, Goodrich 7-1-12, Griffin 0-2-10, James 11-0-22, Totals 41-18-101.

INDIANA (114)—Banton 2-4-9, Roberts 6-11-23, Edwards 7-7-20, Sobers 5-12-22, Davis 3-12-31, English 7-5-19, Calhoun 1-0-2, Griffin 0-2-10, James 11-0-22, Totals 41-18-101.

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Bullpups gain semifinals

The Midland High junior varsity basketball team muscled their way into the semifinals of their own Midland Junior Varsity Basketball Tournament by picking up a pair of easy wins Friday.

THE MIDLAND JV, coached by Eddie Shirley, ran its record to 10-0 on the season by blasting the Andrews junior varsity, 78-54, in first round action at the Bulldog gym and following with a 67-44 second round win over Big Spring.

The Lee junior varsity also won their opening contest of the tourney to move into the second round against the Midland High sophomores. Lee nipped the Permian JV, 44-43, to advance in the winner's bracket.

THE WINNER of the Lee junior varsity-Midland sophomores matchup gets a straight shot into the finals, with no semifinal game. Midland High, on the other hand, must face the Odessa Ector jayvee in the game to decide the other finalist.

Perry Bolger has been the big gun for Midland's unbeaten junior varsity through their two games. In the first contest against Andrews, Bolger canned 18 points and then came back with a brilliant 23-point effort against Big Spring in the second game.

BOLGER WASN'T the high point man in the 78-54 win over Andrews however. Those honors went to Anthony Carroll who dumped in 19 points in that first game. He came back to hit double figures again in the win over Big Spring with 15 points.

Steve Miller was also in double figures in the Andrews win with 10 points. Mike Feldt and Wade Johnson each chipped in 10 in the win over Big Spring.

Big Spring earned its way into the second round game against Midland by defeating the Lee sophomores, 69-57, in first round action, sending the Rebels south into the loser's bracket. Berry topped Lee scorers in that one with 18 points and Oudems was right behind with 17 in the losing cause.

THE LEE sophomores were eliminated from the tournament in their next game, losing to Andrews, 59-47. Berry once again had a valiant effort for go for as he scored 17 points. Van Percy topped Andrews with 19.

The Midland High sophomores earned the right to meet the Lee junior varsity for a shot at the tournament finals by dusting off the Lamesa sophomores, 62-47. Steve Henry had a brilliant game for the Bulldog sophomores, scoring 29 points.

IN OTHER first round games, the Lamesa JV downed the Odessa High sophomores, 55-51 and the Ector JV blasted the Big Spring sophomores, 89-41.

Greenwood boys reach tourney finals

Greenwood defeated Klondike, 90-42, and Foran downed Borden County, 72-54, Friday to move into today's finals in the Greenwood High School Invitational basketball tournament.

Borden County advanced to the girls finals with a 51-40 win over Ira while Klondike beat Greenwood, 57-50, to gain the other championship game berth today.

In today's other games, Borden County meets Klondike for third; Sundown and O'Donnell clash for fifth and Rankin and Ira tangle for seventh in the boys division. In the girls meet, Ira plays Greenwood for third; Sundown and Foran meet for fifth while Greenwood JV and O'Donnell are in the seventh place game.

Greenwood JV (Swofford 20, Mobley 17, Evans 12, Williams 11, Taylor 10) Klondike 42 Hayes 11 Foran 72 (Cragar 22), Borden County 54 (Smith 16), O'Donnell 61 (Moore 21) Ira 54 (Mitchell 20), Sundown 59 (Henderson 27) Rankin 55 (Cobb 27).

Klondike 57 (Echols 20) Greenwood 50 (Pilllock 16), Borden County 51 (Edwards 17) Ira 50 (L. Cooley 16), Foran 48 (Poyner 14) O'Donnell 42 (Clark 14), Sundown 35 (Pryor 12) Greenwood JV 29 (Elliott 11).

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WESTPHAL SPARKS CELTICS' WIN BOSTON (AP) — Paul Westphal, one of the National Basketball Association's leading scorers, hit for 30 points Friday night as his Phoenix Suns snapped Boston's four-game winning streak with a 124-104 victory over the Celtics.

Westphal, a sharp-shooting guard traded by the Celtics after the 1975 season, rallied the Suns with 16 points in the first half and then triggered a 12-2 surge with a long bomb after Boston had pulled to within four points, 80-76, in the third quarter.

NBA at a glance

Eastern Conference				
W	L	T	Pct.	GB
Washington	18	8	.692	—
Philadelphia	18	8	.692	—
New Jersey	15	11	.577	3
New York	13	13	.500	5
Boston	12	14	.462	6 1/2
Central Division				
Atlanta	13	10	.565	—
Oakland	10	12	.455	2 1/2
Houston	10	12	.455	2 1/2
Detroit	10	12	.455	2 1/2
New Orleans	10	12	.455	2 1/2
Cleveland	7	18	.286	7
Western Conference				
Kansas City	14	9	.609	—
Denver	13	10	.565	1 1/2
Milwaukee	11	12	.476	3 1/2
Indiana	9	15	.375	5 1/2
Chicago	9	15	.375	5 1/2
Pacific Division				
Seattle	17	6	.739	—
Portland	17	6	.739	—
Los Angeles	17	6	.739	—
Golden State	14	11	.560	4
Phoenix	12	13	.476	6
San Diego	11	17	.393	8 1/2

NBA at a glance

Campbell Conference						
W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA	
N.Y. Islanders	16	3	1	.813	71	71
N.Y. Rangers	15	6	1	.714	87	87
Atlanta	15	10	2	.600	110	110
Philadelphia	13	10	4	.565	78	78
NHL at a glance						
W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA	
Vancouver	12	13	.476	89	89	
Chicago	10	15	.400	87	87	
St. Louis	10	15	.400	87	87	
Colorado	6	18	.250	73	124	
Wales Conference						
W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA	
Boston	17	4	.813	114	79	
Toronto	13	14	.481	89	89	
Buffalo	10	17	.370	74	74	
Minnesota	8	14	.364	89	89	
North Division						
Montreal	17	10	.630	107	68	
Los Angeles	12	10	.545	82	82	
Pittsburgh	9	13	.409	99	99	
KeyStone	6	13	.310	84	84	
Washington	6	17	.261	76	123	
Friday's Games						
Pittsburgh at Montreal, 7:05 p.m.						
Atlanta at Colorado, 8:35 p.m.						
Saturday's Games						
New York Rangers at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.						
Buffalo at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.						
Boston at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m.						
New York Islanders at Toronto, 7:05 p.m.						
Washington at Vancouver, 7:05 p.m.						
Colorado at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.						
Chicago at St. Louis, 8:05 p.m.						
Atlanta at Los Angeles, 10:05 p.m.						

WHA at a glance

World Hockey Association					
W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Cincinnati	11	3	.786	113	86
New England	11	3	.786	113	86
Quebec	14	2	.869	87	87
Winnipeg	11	3	.786	107	80
Edmonton	11	3	.786	81	81
Birmingham	10	12	.455	91	91
Indianapolis	10	12	.455	81	81
Saturday's Games					
Soviet All Stars at New England, exhibition.					
Cincinnati at Quebec.					
Edmonton at Birmingham.					

College hockey

Friday's College Hockey Scores Boston College 4, Providence 2 Bowdoin 3, Connecticut 0 Bowling Green 8, St. Louis 5 Elmira 10, Plattsburgh 3 St. Anselm 10, Canisius 2 North Dakota 10, Northern Arizona 2 Northeastern 10, Brockport 4 Notre Dame 4, Wisconsin 2 Oswego St. 4, Brockport St. 3

Colorado ski report

DENVER (AP) — Colorado Ski Country USA reports the following conditions at major ski areas on Friday, Dec. 8: Aspen Highlands — 38 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Aspen Mountain — 32 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Buttermilk — 27 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Snowmass — 35 depth, 2 new snow, powder, packed powder. Berthoud Pass — 31 depth, 2 new snow, powder, packed powder. Breckenridge — 28 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Ski Broadmoor — 12 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Copper Mountain — 23 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Crested Butte — 41 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Eldora — 30 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Genesis Basin — 36 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Hidden Valley — 36 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Ski Liftwell — 27 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. KeyStone — 41 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Arapahoe Basin — 36 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Monarch — 51 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Pikes Peak — 22 depth, 10 new snow, powder, packed powder, open Saturday and Sunday. Powderhorn — 43 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Purgatory — 71 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Steamboat — 35 depth, no new snow, powder, packed powder. Sunlight — 26 depth, open Saturday. Telluride — 34 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Vail — 29 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Winter Park — 24 depth, T new snow, powder, packed powder. Wolf Creek — 18 depth, 38 inches new snow, powder, packed powder. Snow depth in inches refers to new snow depth at midpoint. New snow refers to snow within the last 24 hours. T-trace figures reported here are supplied to Colorado Ski Country USA, a ski industry organization, by individual ski areas.

McCamey teams post victories

MCCAMEY — The McCamey varsity and junior varsity girls basketball teams each picked up important wins here Friday to earn spots in the finals of their respective divisions in the McCamey Girls Invitational Basketball Tournament.

DuPree just wants to be best tight end in NFL

As the Dallas Cowboys superb tight end Billy Joe Dupree spiked what turned out to be the winning touchdown in the NFC Eastern Division clinching 17-10 win over the New England Patriots Sunday, a single thought occurred to some present.

The thought? What more does Billy Joe Dupree have to do in the 1978 season to finally be recognized as The All-Pro tight end in the NFL? A few days before he streaked behind the Patriots' secondary to catch Roger Staubach's 36-yard scoring bomb, Dupree's ninth touchdown reception of the season, the often overlooked, always-gentlemanly Dupree got a few thoughts off his chest.

IT SEEMS that being named to the Pro Bowl in 1976 and 1977 were especially nice honors for Dupree, but

being completely overlooked in the All-Pro balloting those two seasons catches Billy Joe right in the craw.

"There's plenty of good tight ends in this league," says the Cowboys sixth-year pro from Michigan State, a 6-4, 229-pound combination of muscle, all-around athletic ability and competitiveness. "And there are a few who dominate the publicity at the position."

He continued, "Last year, for instance, the two starting tight ends in the Super Bowl (Dupree and Denver's Riley Odoms) were coming off good seasons, but neither of us got much support for All-Pro."

"It has never been my style to bring this up, but I think I've earned the recognition. I said at the beginning of this season that I've achieved all the goals I wanted to achieve in pro foot-

ball, except All-Pro and that was my personal target for this year."

"YOU CAN place football players in two categories, the individualist and the team player. Even though I'm speaking right now like I'm an individualist, really I've always been appreciated around here as a team man. On the Cowboys, one must be a team player. So I'm satisfied with that."

"If I am asked to block, I block. If they only throw to me on the goal line, then I'll catch it down there. Whatever they ask, because the work gets spread around. I'm proud of my blocking. I was told the other day that one of the newspapers here said I'm blocking better this year than in the last three or four seasons. Well, I've blocked well since I've been here. Damed well. And I've blocked hard

this season. I made up my mind before the game today that I was going to block like hell so their guys would know right from the beginning what kind of a day they would be in for."

TOO OUTSPOKEN?

Is that rally Billy Joe Dupree, the team man personified, talking?

You bet. And what does already All-Pro wide receiver and teammate Drew Pearson think of BJ's statements? "Let me put it this way, who on this team do you suppose has the most game balls?"

Oh, most game balls to go with touchdown receptions. Toss in 32 receptions in 14 games and 472 yards and at least one scoring catch in eight different games, and if you don't have the best tight end in football, at least

you have the Cowboys' most consistent, game-in-and-game-out player. Mr. 60 minutes.

When Dupree announced after the 1976 season (when he set a Cowboys' record for most receptions by a tight end with 42) that he wanted to be considered the bet, Mike Ditka, the guy whose club record he broke and who now coaches Cowboys' receivers, said: "Dupree already is the best tight end in the business."

Mike went on, "Billy Joe can make the consistent, needed play for you, and when you have to have it, he can make the demanding, clutch play. He's money in the bank."

ADDS ROGER Staubach, "Dupree is simply a superior tight end with an overwhelming amount of desire."

As a rookie in 1973, Dupree came to

the Cowboys' dubious about his chances of making a team just one season removed from his first Super Bowl championship.

The 1973 team was a veteran club which listed Jean Fugett and Billy Truax ahead of Dupree. Fortunately, Ditka retired that year. Fortunate for a couple of reasons, he removed himself from the competition, and also became Dupree's coach...and very soon his biggest fan.

Fugett remained the starter through '73, although Dupree had several big games replacing Jean when the former was injured. For instance, in one game that year against the Cardinals, Billy Joe caught six passes for 74 yards and three touchdowns. He finished that first year with 29 receptions.

DUPREE TOOK charge of the position in '74 as the Cowboys slumped to 8-6 and missed the playoffs for the only time in the last 13 seasons, but relinquished to position again during an injury-marred '75 season. Then Fugett left for free agency and the Washington Redskins and Dupree was no longer a messenger tight end or even battling for the job.

He responded with 42 catches, two touchdowns and averages 16.2 yards per catch. Last year Dupree caught 28 passes for three touchdowns and a 12.4 average per catch as the Cowboys utilized his blocking talents more with Tony Dorsett on the scene. "There's a point of fact," says Dupree, "All of a sudden last year I'm known as a better blocker because we're rushing for yards as a team. Tony did make a difference, but I blocked just as well as I did last year."

Phipps to start

CHICAGO (AP) — Mike Phipps will start at quarterback Sunday for the Chicago Bears against the Green Bay Packers, Coach Neill Armstrong said Friday.

It marks Phipps' third start this season. He also was the starting quarterback in a 17-14 loss to Minnesota last month and again against the Atlanta Falcons in a 13-7 victory in which Bob Avellini came on in the second half and finished the game.

Phipps has attempted 54 passes with 29 completions for a 53.7 percent completion rate with six interceptions. Avellini has completed 141 of 264 passes for a 53.4 percent completion rate and has had 16 interceptions.

SPORTS SCRATCHPAD

Wilt, at 42, may try comeback with Chi Bulls

Wilt Chamberlain, 42, who has scored more points and pulled down more rebounds than any other pro player, reportedly is joining the Chicago Bulls as a second string center. Wilt has met twice with John Kolver about the possibility. "We started out kibitzing," Kolver was quoted as saying. "But then I told him I was serious, and he said he was serious and that he would be coming to Chicago soon for some other business." Chamberlain would be backup center to Artis Gilmore, Kolver said.

Michigan because of a knee injury suffered in the final of the regular season. Coach John Robinson the 225-pound sophomore has undergone surgery to repair ligaments torn in last Saturday's game at Hawaii. Sperling was fourth on the team in tackles with 64. The Montreal Expos acquired shortstop Jim Mason from the Texas Rangers for switch-hitting outfielder Mike Hart.

The New York Cosmos, who have been stockpiling foreign stars since signing the legendary Pele in 1975 and have won the past two North American Soccer League championships, added another outstanding player — Brazilian defender Francisco Marinho. The 26-year-old Marinho was a member of Brazil's 1974 World Cup team.

Notre Dame and Miami expect to play their 1979 football game in Tokyo instead of Florida with each team receiving a guarantee of \$200,000 in addition to expenses. Assistant athletic directors Joe O'Brien of Notre Dame and Paul Massey of Miami are in Japan and negotiations are expected to be completed today.

Minnesota's Twins acquired veteran left-hander Jerry Koosman from the New York Mets for rookie right-hander Greg Field and a player to be named later. Koosman, 35, had requested to be traded to his native Minnesota and the Mets satisfied that demand.

Russia's Traktor hockey team will open its U.S. tour Dec. 26 with a game against the Maine Mariners of the American Hockey League, the U.S. Amateur Hockey Association. Mark Roth, who already has won a record number of titles this season, took a 110-pin hold on first place in the \$100,000 pro bowling event here after Friday's round. The women's leader was Donna Adamek, who passed Cheryl Robinson, who had been in the lead since the competition began Wednesday. Adamek had a 9-4 score in matches and a total pinfall of 6,444 compared to Robinson's 6,388. Earl Anthony was second to Roth. Arkansas running back Jerry Eckwood, 23, received cuts and bruises Friday afternoon when his car collided head-on with another car on U.S. Highway 71. The accident occurred shortly after noon when Eckwood lost control of his car on an icy curve. Young said Eckwood's car crossed the center line and struck a car driven by William A. Priest, 53, of Mountain Brook, Ala.

Clint Ewald, coach of the record-breaking Macalester College football team — loser of 42 straight games — is being fired. Athletic Director Dennis Keihn recommended Ewald's dismissal. Ewald said he hopes to get a coaching job elsewhere — and doesn't feel his three years at Macalester were entirely unproductive. If

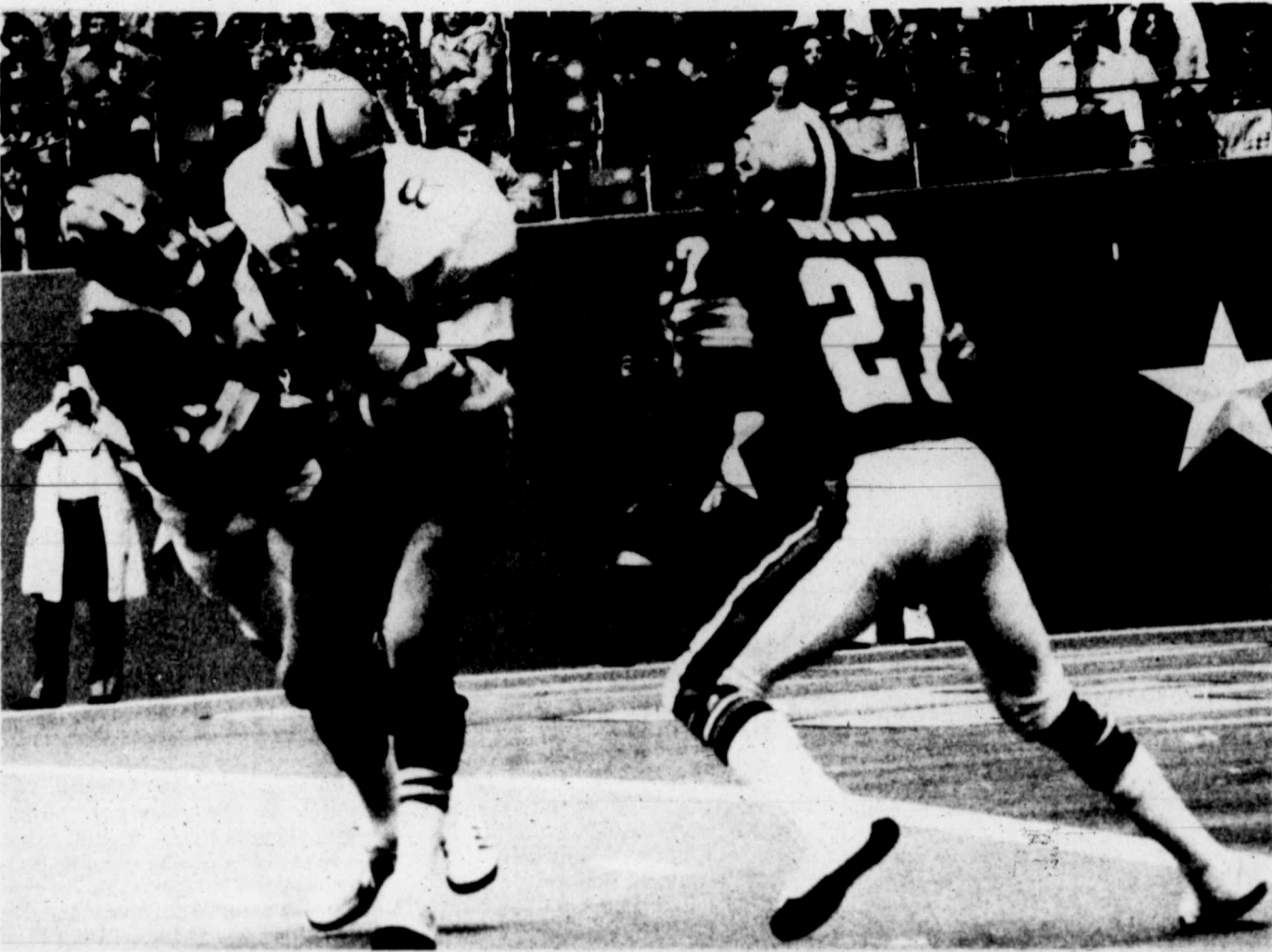


Jerry Koosman

you look at the record, there isn't any denying what happened."

Quarterbacks Chuck Fusina, Penn State, and Rick Leach, Michigan, were honored Friday by the Pigskin Club of Washington during the annual dinner. The club also honored Oklahoma guard Greg Roberts, NCAA lineman of the year; Bo Schembechler of Michigan, coach of the year; and halfback Charles Alexander of Louisiana State University, for outstanding achievements on the football field.

USC defensive tackle Ty Sperling will miss the Rose Bowl game against



When Dallas Cowboys' tight end Billy Joe Dupree goes out for a pass, he usually catches it in a crowd as shown above and below. (Staff photos)



January seizes big lead in Mexico Cup

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Don January shot an 8-under-par 64 Friday to jump to a five-stroke lead after 36 holes in the Mexico Cup Golf Tournament.

January, 49, tied the course record on the par-72 Club de Golf Mexico course with five consecutive birdies. The Texan had a 36-hole score of 132, 12 under par.

David Graham of Australia, the first-round leader, shot a 1-under-par 71 to go seven strokes under through 36 holes.

THE 1967 PGA winner, who took two years off the tour to build golf courses in Texas, had shot a 68 Thursday and was tied for second. But he opened his second round with birdies on the first and fifth holes before stringing together birdies on the ninth through 13th holes.

"I can't remember ever making five birdies in a row before," the craggy-faced January said. "It's a record for me." His 64 tied the course record held by Art Wall Jr., and Tommy Bolt.

"Oh, Lord, I don't know if that's a career low or not," January said. "That's what happens when you play so long. It may be my lowest, I just don't remember."

Graham and January met as Graham finished his round. The previous leader joked with the new leader.

"Would you like to join us for dinner tonight? We will give you salad, water, and unpeeled fruit," Graham said. The foreign golfers have been warned to stay away from such food to avoid stomach problems which often plague visitors to Mexico.

JANUARY'S putter turned to gold as he sank 15-footers on the first, ninth, and 12th holes. He missed a 30-footer for an eagle on the par-5 11th hole. He birdied from 5 feet on the 10th and from 6 feet on the 13th. He sank 12-foot putts on the fifth and 16th holes.

"I only missed one green and I wasn't in trouble then," January said. "On the 10th, I hit into the right rough but there the rough is just like the fairway."

Graham made his first bogey of the tournament on the third hole and "that upset me a little." He bogeyed the next hole before settling down to bird in the sixth, seventh, and 18th.

"I didn't play a whole lot different today," Graham said. "I kept hitting the greens with 18-25 foot putts, but I didn't hit the long ones."

VICTOR REGALADO of Mexico moved into contention with a 4-under-par 68 for a 140 total. That tied him with Bobby Watkins.

Jack Nicklaus, playing for the first time in almost three weeks, matched par but the 75 he shot on the first round left him back in the pack.

The scores were generally better the second day after the golfers adjusted to Mexico City's 7,347-foot altitude — which gives a golf ball 20 to 30 yards more carry than at sea level. The greens, still slow by U.S. tour standards, also caused some first-day problems.

Beefy Minutemen tangle with Reno in I-AA semi

RENO, Nev. (AP) — A Massachusetts offensive line averaging 248 pounds will test the stingy Nevada-Reno defense today when the two teams meet here in clear, cold weather in a semifinal NCAA Division I-AA football playoff game.

"They will be the most physical we will have played this year, without a doubt," Nevada-Reno Coach Chris Ault said.

The Massachusetts offense is led by Dennis Dent, an all-purpose tailback wingback-flanker, who rides the crest of a wave of beefy linemen averaging 248 pounds.

Also in the picture are center Mike McLaughlin and right Bruce Kimball. The ground-

oriented Minutemen have relied on the three all season as Massachusetts finished with a 5-0 record and championship in the Yankee Conference. Although Massachusetts finished the season with an 8-3 mark, those three losses came against Division I-A teams.

Coach Bob Pickett's team also won the Lambert Cup signifying the top middle-sized school in the Northeast, and 11 Minutemen starters were named to the all-conference first team.

The Wolf Pack, No. 1 in the Division I-AA and the only undefeated team among the division's 38 schools, prides itself in its defense, which chalked up four shutouts this seasons.

Jackson State to make own scoring opportunities

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Coach W.C. Gorden says his Jackson State football team will have to generate its own scoring opportunities against Florida A&M on Saturday because "the Rattlers just don't make many mistakes."

The winner of the regionally televised NCAA Division I-AA semi-final game at Mississippi Memorial Stadium advances to the Dec. 16 Pioneer Bowl in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Nevada-Reno is hosting the University of Massachusetts in the other

semifinal match. "I see this as a game between two evenly matched teams who play with very much the same philosophy," Gorden said. "Florida A&M's coach was a football player and coach at Ohio State, so they play the Woody Hayes-type football."

Gorden said the matchup had all the makings of a high-scoring battle, noting that both teams are 10-1 on the season and were ranked high nationally in team and individual statistics.

Cash from Rams laundered, Zorn

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Quarterback Jim Zorn of the Seattle Seahawks was quoted Friday as saying he was paid with laundered money by the Los Angeles Rams during the 1975 National Football League season.

The Rams never activated Zorn, who was a free

agent that year after being cut by the Dallas Cowboys and failing to win a place on the Los Angeles roster in a tryout. But, was he on the Rams' payroll?

"I was getting paid through a realty company," he told Jack Murphy, sports editor of the San Diego

Union, in a telephone interview. "I don't know how they worked it."

MURPHY ASKED the name of the real estate company and Zorn replied: "Don't ask me. It was kind of weird."

Pete Rozelle, NFL commissioner, recently lifted a draft choice of the Oakland Raiders and several years ago levied a \$15,000 fine on the Houston Oilers for "stashing" players.

In his case, Zorn said, "I don't know if you'd call it stashing but I was definitely in the wings, waiting" for a call from either the Rams or the Cowboys. He was the last player dropped by Dallas after the Cowboys signed running back Preston Pearson.

Lucchesi suit ends in friendly handshakes out of court settlement

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Former Texas Rangers Manager Frank Lucchesi's damage suit stemming from a 1977 fight with infielder Lenny Randle ended in handshakes and an "amicable" out-of-court settlement Friday.

"I hope never again does something like this happen in baseball," said an emotional Lucchesi after the settlement was announced. "I hope he (Randle) has 10 years of good luck in the big leagues."

Randle extended his hand urging Lucchesi, "Shake, and let's both have our tears." They clasped hands.

Lucchesi sued Randle for unspecified damages after the March 28, 1977 incident just before a Rangers exhibition game at Orlando. Randle, who now plays for the New York Mets, was fined \$1,000 on a battery conviction stemming from the incident.

Lucchesi admitted in testimony Thursday that he had said four days before the fight that he was "tired of \$80,000-a-year punks complaining 'play me or trade me.'"

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St. Louis sings Blues over falling attendance

By FRANK BROWN
AP Sports Writer

Low attendance figures can't explain everything about the decline of a franchise. Team presidents can. And once you have heard the hair-raising ordeal the St. Louis Blues endured, those little numbers at the bottom of the box score might be more easily understood.

The low point came on June 14, 1976. Emile Francis, executive vice president of a club with an uncertain future, made defenseman Scott Campbell his first-round selection in the National Hockey League's draft of amateur players.

Norm Kaplan, Campbell's agent, told Francis, "The worst thing happened today: you guys drafted Campbell and you got no money."

"I was trying to keep the thing together and I went as far as I could," recalled Francis, who had been in office for two harrowing months. "I arranged a meeting with Kaplan in Chicago and I said, 'What I'll do is give you a personal check for \$25,000 and I'll guarantee he'll get the balance of the signing money on the opening day of training camp.'"

THAT, OF course, was a grandstand play since Francis had little reason to believe there would be a

training camp in the first place.

Francis, his assistant Dennis Ball, and a secretary were all that was left of the office staff that had to run the Blues and their Central Hockey League affiliate in Kansas City. Both clubs had finished first and had earned bonuses for doing so — but those bonuses went unpaid, legally nullifying all the contracts.

Shrewd businessman that he is, Francis did not dwell on these points when dickering with Kaplan. But when all was said and done, the bottom line was money.

"He said, 'We happen to have a (World Hockey Association) team waiting for us in Houston, and unless you come up with \$75,000 by tonight, we're catching a plane and Scott's going to sign tomorrow' at noon," Francis recalled.

"NOW, I just didn't have \$75,000 hanging around that I could use to sign a player when I didn't know if we were going to have a hockey team," he continued.

Campbell went on to sign with the Aeros, who went on to go out of business.

The Blues, remarkably, didn't. Francis had the last laugh.

It might have been the only one he's had since. The team still is recovering from the harrowing year without

money (Francis says he went three months without pay at one point) and without strong fan support at home because the team has played so poorly since.

No money, no players.
No players, no fans.
Simple mathematics.

IT GOT so bad, prior to training camp last season, that a friend of Francis' called from Port Huron, Mich., and said: "If you'd like to come here and train, fine. I'll get you a good rate at the hotel."

Since negotiations with more than a dozen groups for sale of the team had fallen through, Francis accepted the offer "because at that point we didn't know if we were going to be in the league."

They played last season as if they weren't in the league. "From the standpoint of team performance, it was brutal," says Francis.

From the standpoint of survival, though, some commendation was in order. The Blues came very close to beating the Cleveland Barons in the race to become the first folded NHL franchise in some 35 years.



City of Midland swimmers, from left, Mike Seay, Andy Williams, Coach John Jordan, Andrew Jordan and Karl Schmidt were ranked 10th in boys 11-12 400 free style. The AAU also announced that

Williams ranked 7th nationally and 13th world in the 100-free style. The boys train under Coach Jordan. (Photo by Brian Hendershot)

TEE TIME

Cold weather is rough on greens at Hogan Park

By REX WORRELL

Weather, first aid, construction and Christmas make up the Hogan Park golf news this week.

Dormant Bermuda grasses are extremely vulnerable to winter traffic. During the time the Bermuda grass is dormant and freezes, any traffic will break off leaves and stems. This wearing down process during the winter months subjects the grass to extreme amounts of stress, and makes it hard to reestablish the turf in the Spring.

Tougher golfers, who like to play when the weather is bad, please use the following as a guide as to whether the golf course will be open or closed to play. If the thermometer is going down, the golf course will close when the temperature reaches 32 degrees. When the temperature is going up, we will begin play when it reaches 30 degrees.

The golf shop staff attended the CPR classes conducted by Pat Owens

at the downtown YMCA recently. The classes were extremely informative, and the golf shop staff will make an effort to stay abreast of the emergency medical system of our community as it continues to move toward a total emergency medical system.

The following is a brief construction progress report:

MONDAY: Clubhouse—City inspection of the plumbing was completed and continued gas line installation and levelling of foundation in preparation for pouring the slab. Golf Course—Continued root plowing and clearing.

TUESDAY: Clubhouse—Completed installation of gas line and continued levelling of foundation. Golf Course—Root plowing and clearing continued.

WEDNESDAY: Clubhouse—Continued levelling of foundation and began placement of rebar. Golf Course—Root plowing and clearing continued.

THURSDAY: Clubhouse—Continued levelling of foundation and place-

ment of rebar. Golf Course—Continued root plowing and clearing.

FRIDAY: Clubhouse—Continued levelling of foundation and placement of rebar. Golf Course—Continued root plowing and clearing. The crew began rigging up in preparation to begin the next stage of construction, which will be fairway shaping. Scrapers and other heavy equipment for this phase should be on site and work begun early next week.

The Hogan Park Women's Golf Association will hold their annual Christmas and Membership party Thursday at the home of Anelle Mack, the 1978 president. The party will be held from 10 a.m. to noon with an awards presentation at 11 a.m.

Any interested lady golfer is invited to attend the party. Membership fees for the 18-hole division and the 9-hole division will be \$10, and will be collected at the party. Officers for the 9-hole division are Mary Davis, president; Rita Boe, vice president; and Peggy Parkins, secretary-treasurer.

EARLIER, THE Salomon family (then-owners of the Blues) tried to sell the team's home arena to the city of St. Louis because that's where most of the debts had piled up — through the mortgage on the building and in taxes owed the city. When the city wouldn't buy, the Salomons threatened to move the club.

Aside from the money, defenseman Bob Gassoff was killed in an off-season motorcycle accident; Campbell was lost to the WHA; Chuck Lefley, a 43-goal scorer in 1975-76 signed a new contract in August and "retired" in October, only to surface weeks later in the uniform of a German team.

"The people who had supported the club through the good and bad days said, 'Hey, what the heck is going on here?' And the dropoff in attendance started," Francis explained.

THE BACKLASH has not been overcome, though the financial problems finally were settled — just under a week before last season began — when the Ralston-Purina people bought the team.

Now, all they can do is try to earn back the fans' trust. "You pay a good dollar, you want to see a good effort," says Francis, whose good efforts helped keep hockey alive and struggling in St. Louis.

Concordia seeks NAIA II title

FINDLAY, Ohio (AP) — Concordia (Minn.) running back Bob Believeau and Findlay safety Kevin Cassidy may be the key players Saturday in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Division II football title game.

Beliveau, who rushed for 927 yards and 11 touchdowns during the regular season, posted an NAIA playoff single game record of five touchdowns in a 49-0 quarter-final romp over Northwestern (Iowa).

CASSIDY INTERCEPTED three passes, leading the Oilers to a 27-9 decision over Missouri Valley in the national semifinal.

Findlay, third ranked nationally, will match its 11-0 record against Concordia's 10-1 and No. 7 national ranking at 1 p.m. EST. Concordia's Cobbers stunned top-rated Linfield (Ore.) 24-23 in last week's semifinals while Findlay was disposing of Missouri Valley 29-7.

Findlay has the edge on offense and Concordia has the better defensive performances this season.

THE OILERS ranked 12th in NAIA Division II with 401 yards per game while Concordia accounted for 361 yards per contest.

Argentina leads Brazil, 2-0

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — A one-sided victory by Jose Luis Clerc and an upset triumph by Ricardo Cano gave Argentina a commanding 2-0 lead over Brazil in the 1979 South American Zone Davis Cup tennis semifinal Friday.

Cano, Argentina's No. 3 ranking player, scored a 3-6, 6-3, 6-2 victory over top-ranked Brazilian Carlos Kirmayr in the

first match of the best-of-five series.

Clerc defeated Casio Motta 6-1, 6-0, 6-0 in the second match at the Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club.

Fighter cleared of charge

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Michael Spinks, the younger brother of former heavyweight boxing champion Leon Spinks, has been found innocent of possessing marijuana and striking a police officer at Lambert Field.

After hearing four hours of testimony in the case, St. Louis County Magistrate Dennis Quillin acquitted the 21-year-old Spinks.

Spinks was arrested June 13 at the airport when a fight broke out after officers asked him to move his car from a no parking zone near the airport's entrance, authorities said. When he refused, the marijuana was discovered, police said.

During his testimony Wednesday, the former Olympic gold medal winner in boxing said he did not own the marijuana found in the car he was driving at the airport and denied striking two airport policemen.

Boston College risks 0-10 record in Mirage

NEWTON, Mass. (AP) — Winless Boston College may be the first 0-10 football squad in history to play in a bowl game — although the invitation was tendered long before the Eagles' dismal season began.

Boston College plays Temple in the Mirage Bowl this weekend in Tokyo, hoping to salvage the tattered remains of Coach Ed Chlebek's nightmarish first year.

The two teams were invited by a

Japanese auto manufacturer a year ago. The hosts couldn't have guessed that the Eagles would turn out to be such a flop.

Temple is 6-3-1, while Boston College has lost 11 straight, going back to the 1977 season finale defeat by massive underdog Holy Cross.

SINCE THEN, Coach Joe Yukica quit — taking a job in Hanover, N.H., where he led Dartmouth College to the Ivy League championship.



Kent Waldrep, 24, former TCU footballer who was paralyzed four years ago, poses with his parents at Leningrad's airport prior to departing for the U.S. Waldrep had been receiving treatments unavailable in the U.S. for his paralysis at Leningrad's Neurological Institute. (AP Laserphoto)

Drooling baseball scouts wait in wings for Kirk

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON

NEW YORK (AP) — Kirk Gibson, a wide receiver who made pro scouts drool and then broke their hearts by choosing a baseball career, will put on a football uniform for the final time in the Senior Bowl.

Baseball is his job now, but loyalty is the name of Gibson's game. Loyalty to Michigan State University, which is why he played his senior year this fall after signing a lucrative baseball contract with the Detroit Tigers and spending most of the summer as an outfielder in the Florida State League.

And loyalty to Spartan quarterback Ed Smith, the nation's fourth leading passer on the NCAA charts, which is why he'll suit up in Mobile, Ala., on Jan. 13.

"When I signed with the Tigers, their first thought was that I shouldn't play football," Gibson said. "But I made it clear that there was no way I would sign unless I could play football. I owe too much to the university, to my friends and to my coaches."

"I WASN'T going to the Senior Bowl until I found out that Eddie was going. I have an opportunity to help Eddie, to maybe determine where he'll go and how high he'll be drafted."

The Tigers, who are enraptured by Gibson's raw slugging power and blazing speed, can only hold their breath and hope the injury jinx ignores him one more time. Gibson doesn't even know what that means.

"I've been asked about it all season," says the second-team Associated Press All-American, who was named the nation's top offensive end by the Downtown Athletic Club Thursday night and who might have been the first wide receiver drafted had he opted for pro football.

"I live carelessly, I guess. It's no secret. I'm very active and I do a lot of things. I did all my life, even before I came to Michigan State. I know what's careless and what's not and I have great confidence that I won't get hurt. I don't want to quit football, but I know I have to. But I'll go out and give it all I've got one last time."

GIBSON SAID the only time he even thinks about getting hurt is "when someone asks me about it." Thus far, he's been lucky.

"I suffered a slightly separated shoulder the last game of my sophomore year," he said. "And I missed three games last year when I tore some ligaments and fibers in my heel. This season, there was nothing out of the ordinary."

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Rams host Western St. in semis

SAN ANGELO, Texas (AP) — Angelo State and Western State Colorado clash Saturday afternoon in a battle of unbeaten football teams in semifinal playoff game of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA).

Angelo State beat Oregon College of Education 32-0 last weekend to raise its record to 12-0. Western State, which has won six straight Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference titles, is 10-0.

The winner of the Division I NAIA playoff battle will advance to McAllen, Texas, next week to play in the City of Palms championship game against the winner of Saturday's other semifinal game, between Grand Valley Michigan and Elon, N.C.

Angelo State represents the Lone Star Conference, which has won the national title eight of the past nine seasons.

WESTERN State's Mountaineers enroute game as the leading NAIA offensive team in the nation with an average of 489.1 yards per game. Angelo State dominated defensive statistics this season in the LSC.

Angelo State running back Jerry Aldridge has been the Rams' chief offensive weapon. The 210-pounder ran for more than 1,400 yards in the regular season and has rushed for more than 100 yards in 15 consecutive games.

Quarterback Charlie Thompson has averaged more than 235 games of total offense per game for Western State.

Gridders says no violations

ATLANTA (AP) — Georgia Tech linebacker Mackel Harris says he has told NCAA investigators that no regulations were broken when Auburn football officials tried to recruit him from Americus High School in 1975.

Harris told The Atlanta Journal that Auburn officials did not offer him a car, although certain alumni of the Alabama school did tell him "where I could get a good deal."

"THE SCHOOL didn't do anything illegal that I know of," Harris said in an interview published by the Journal Thursday. "But there were some alumni... they didn't come right out and offer me a car, but they told me where I could get a good deal."

"And there were some little small things, like giving me a lift in a car," he said. "They asked if my parents would be interested in being flown over for games. They said they could arrange that."

The Birmingham Post-Herald reported earlier this week that Auburn officials would meet Dec. 18 in San Diego with the NCAA infractions committee to defend against 64 allegations of recruiting violations.

HARRIS told the Journal he had been questioned twice by the NCAA since graduating from Americus and once by investigators from Auburn.

"The NCAA asked about some other schools," he said, "but in particular about Auburn."

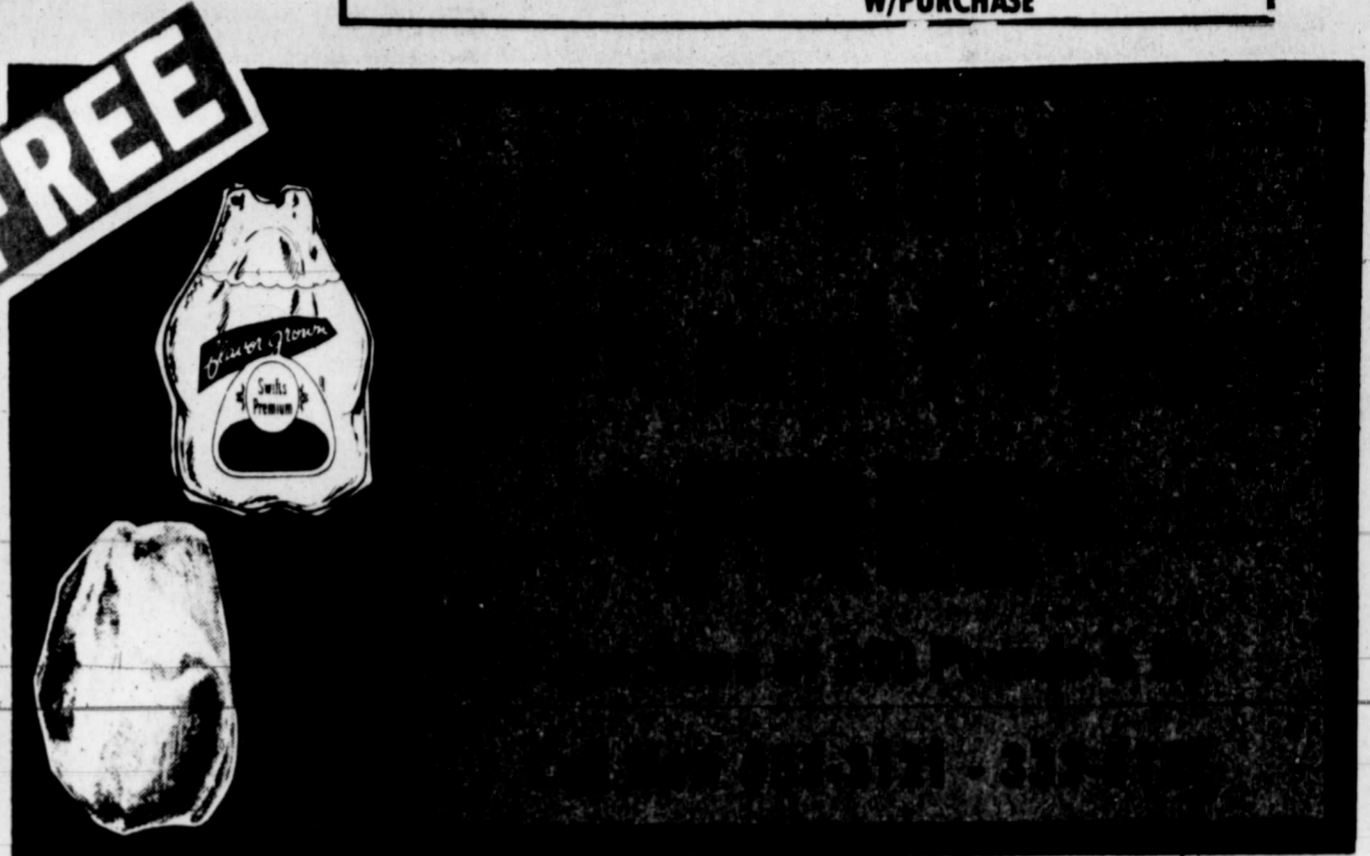
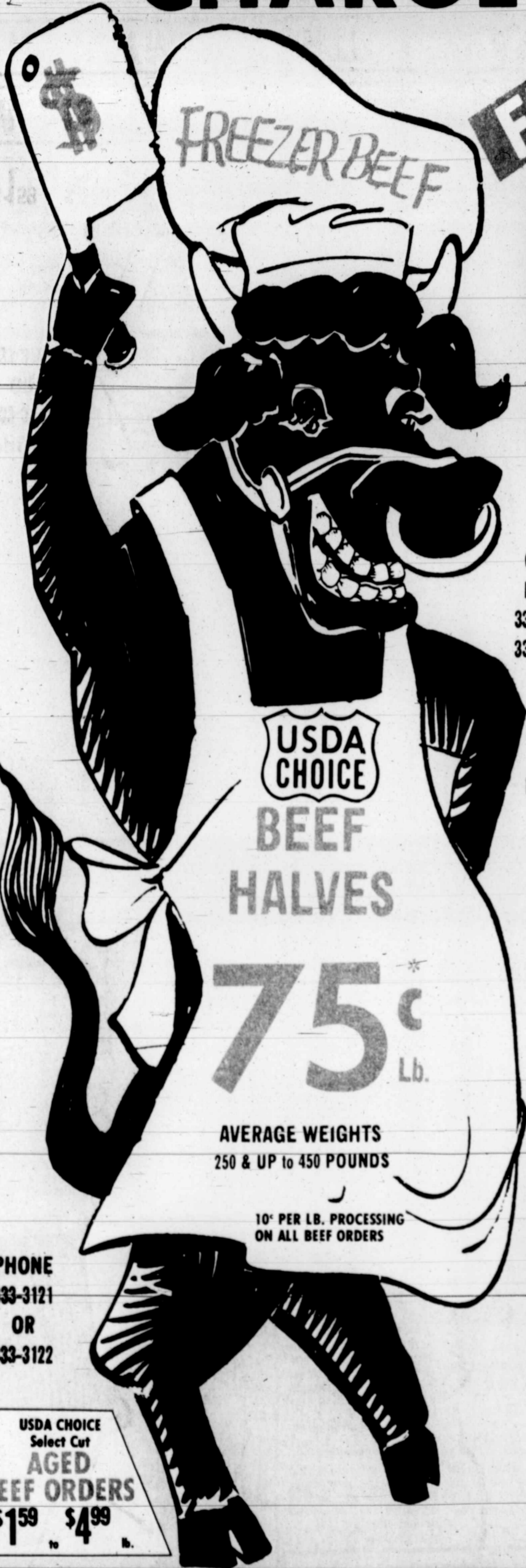
NCAA officials asked him about being offered "money in a suitcase," he said, but "I didn't take any cash."

"That's something I don't have to worry about," he said. "It didn't scare me because I wasn't going to Auburn anyway. And I didn't tell them anything that hurt Auburn. I just told them the truth. They didn't give me any money."

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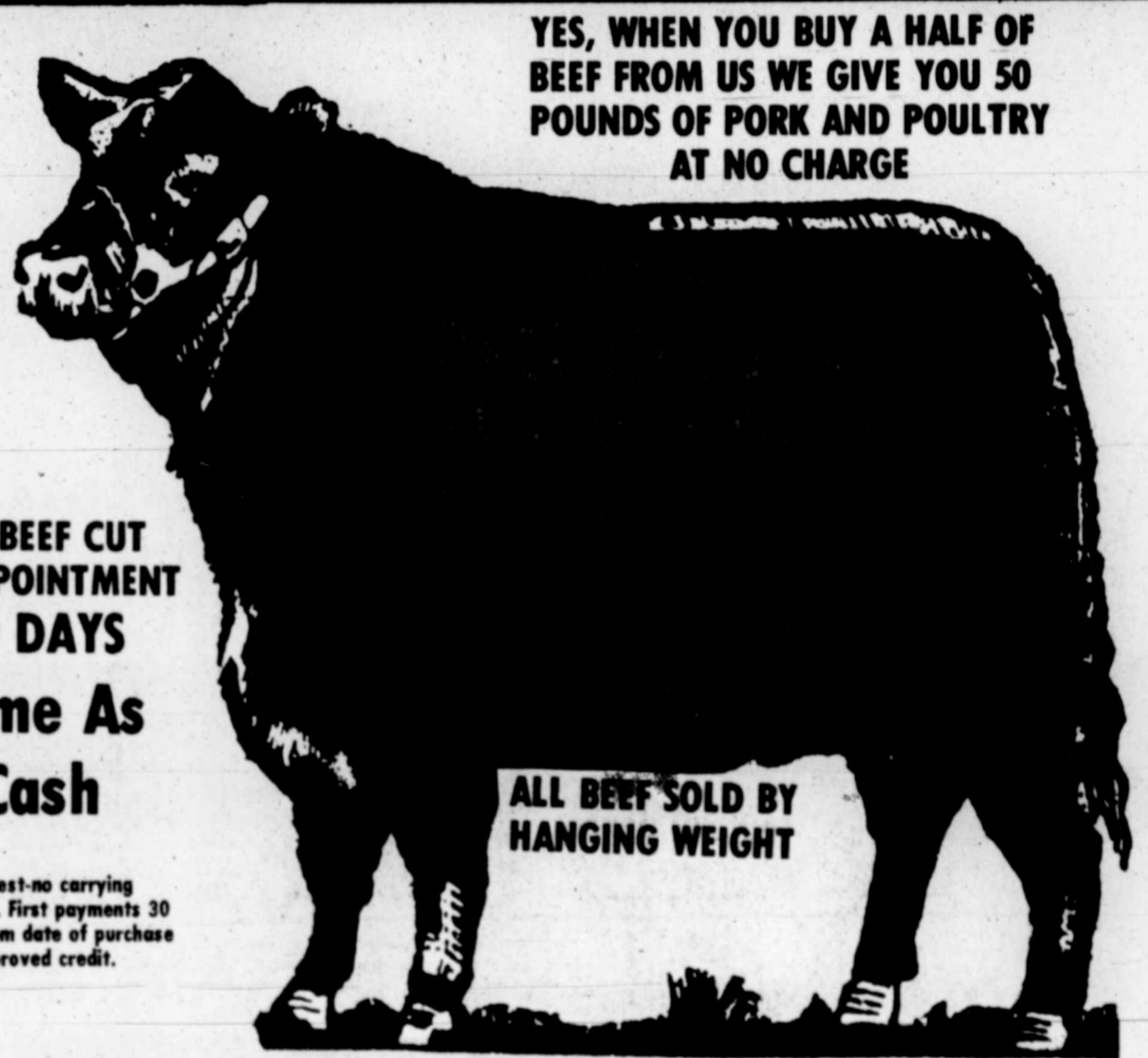
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