

Midland United Way at 60 percent of goal

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## Community spirit loss contributes to crime

By ED TODD  
Staff Writer



Listening closely to Texas Attorney General Mark White, right, while he addresses a "Citizens Against Crime" luncheon Wednesday in the Tall City is Sgt. Lalo Camarillo with the Midland Police Department's Crime Prevention Unit. White gave the talk as part of Crime Prevention Week in Midland. (Staff Photo by Mike Kardos)

The loss of community spirit and the "lost concern" for neighbors in urban areas have contributed to the rising crime rate, thus inhibiting crime-prevention measures, Texas Attorney General Mark White said at a Wednesday luncheon following the "Citizens Against Crime" workshops here.

"People don't get to know each other today," White said, "and what's more, they don't care."

White said crime in Texas rose 3 percent in 1978 and totaled 721,000 incidents of major criminal acts. Of those, 650,000 were committed in cities and towns while 72,000 were carried out in rural areas.

"Most people hold a marked fear for their personal safety and will not walk alone" at night in urban areas, he said.

White suggested a deterrent to crime is more stringent punishment for those convicted of crimes, particularly violent crimes.

"More emphasis should be placed in more punishment...and must deter criminals from committing more crimes and, most importantly, to protect our citizens."

White said he is pushing for mandatory prison sentences — and not probation terms — for those convicted of violent crimes.

In turning to the Texas Department of Corrections, White contended Texas operates an efficient penitentiary system wherein inmates are involved in work programs, including agriculture to grow their own food.

Texas spends \$7.15 a day to room and board each inmate, while California — which allows its prisoners to "lay around" — spends \$30 per day prisoner, he said.

The attorney general described the poor, the elderly and the minorities as among those most hurt — the victims — of crime.

"Crime hurts those (who are) most vulnerable," White said.

He said crimes often are reasoned by the one committing the act. Risks

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## Chambliss sentenced to 99 years in prison

By BILL MODISSETT  
Staff Writer

An eight-man, four-woman jury Wednesday night found 18-year-old Kelly Joe Chambliss of Midland guilty of murder in the July 18 shooting death of Army Sgt. J.B. England. Chambliss was sentenced to 99 years in prison.

The verdict and punishment were identical to that returned last month for a co-defendant in the case, 20-year-old Raymond Wesley Mathis of Midland.

Jurors deliberated about 2½ hours Wednesday before returning the guilty verdict. At 5 p.m. the jury began nearly four hours of deliberations on the punishment phase of the trial.

Chambliss sat emotionless as 238th District Court Judge Vann Culp read the jury's decision of a 99-year prison term. Chambliss' mother wept quietly.

During the punishment phase of the trial, Assistant District Attorney Charles Seltzer told jurors Chambliss shot a complete stranger without provocation. Then he went back to the site and "played target practice on his face," Seltzer charged.

Defense attorneys Allen McFall and Eddie Garza, asking for leniency because of the defendant's age, said there would be no rehabilitative effect from a lengthy sentence.

Chambliss had contended he was innocent of the charge. It was the

co-defendant, Mathis, who shot the 39-year-old Army sergeant in the early morning hours of July 18 about 10 miles east of Midland on Interstate 20, he said.

Throughout the trial Chambliss had contended when Mathis shot Sgt. England, it took him (Chambliss) by surprise that morning.

But during his September trial, Mathis gave law enforcement officers a statement which indicated it was Chambliss who shot England.

England, on his way from Marion, N.C., to Fort Bliss at El Paso, was

wounded three times in the face and once in the left arm, according to testimony during the trial.

He was found by sheriff's deputies about 4:30 a.m. that day, some 20 minutes after the shooting, and died at 5:55 a.m. at Midland Memorial Hospital.

The pathologist who performed the autopsy on Sgt. England testified the man literally drowned in his own blood after being shot on I-20.

Testimony indicated the first shot

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## United Way at 60 percent

United Way of Midland has achieved 60.02 percent of its \$1,017,000 goal for 1980, with a total of \$610,442 in pledges collected as of 10 a.m. today.

A full account of contributions was expected to be reported at noon today during a volunteer meeting. This week's total was considerably less than the objective of 90 percent, campaign chairman W.F. "Bill" Orloff said.

"We appreciate all the hard work of the volunteers involved in the campaign, but I am concerned that we are so short of our weekly objectives. I urge all volunteers to conclude their work so that the campaign can be completed successfully on time," Orloff said.

By now, Orloff added, most every business should have been contacted by a United Way volunteer. If there are any businesses whose employees have not had the opportunity to contribute, Orloff said he would appreciate their contacting the United Way office at 682-4358 or 2101 W. Wall.

An objective of 99 percent of goal has been set for the next volunteer report meeting at noon Nov. 1 in the Texas Electric Service Co. Reddy Room.

## Carter encouraged by rally Says he's not afraid of competition

WASHINGTON (AP) — Encouraged by the first rallying of his troops, President Carter says he isn't afraid of competition in his 1980 reelection bid, even the expected challenge from Sen. Edward M. Kennedy.

Carter told 500 of his firmest supporters at a dinner-rally in a Washington hotel Wednesday night that when he formally announces his reelection plans, "you will not be disappointed."

Kennedy used similar words when

he signalled to backers that he plans to oppose Carter for the Democratic nomination next year.

A Kennedy spokesman confirmed earlier Wednesday that the Massachusetts senator will announce next Monday the formation of an exploratory presidential committee, which will make him legally a candidate.

The Kennedy committee will be headed as expected by the senator's brother-in-law, Stephen Smith. But in a surprise move, Morris Dees, nation-

al campaign finance director for Carter's 1976 campaign, said Wednesday he has agreed to handle that chore for Kennedy this time around.

Like Kennedy, Carter has not formally announced. He assumed candidate status last March when he registered a campaign committee with the Federal Election Commission, however.

The White House has said his formal announcement will be made Dec. 4.

## Policy change will cost Texans millions for gas

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Railroad Commission has changed a long-standing policy that will cost natural gas consumers around the state millions of dollars in extra charges.

The Austin American-Statesmen said Thursday the new policy also sets a precedent that allows every gas company in Texas to take advantage of rate increases applied retroactively.

The policy change was adopted at an open but unrecorded conference of the three railroad commissioners in July, the newspaper said. Gas companies can now collect rate increases retroactively to the date the commission received the case, rather than after the increase is approved.

The commission, which regulates the oil and natural gas industry in Texas, hears gas-rate cases on appeal.

There is usually a lag of from six months to a year between the time a utility applies for an increase and commission action, the paper said, and that means rate payers could face a year's worth of surcharges.

Lawsuits have been filed by the cities of Irving and Austin within the past month to prevent the commission from allowing higher rates to be applied retroactively. The suits stem from rate increases granted Southern Union Gas Co. of Austin and Lone Star Gas Co. of Dallas in mid-July.

The newspapers said those cases mark the first time the commission had voted unanimously to allow retroactive increases. Since then, the commission has approved 20 other gas utility rate increases, and all had their rates made retroactive to the day they appealed to the commission, a staff member said.

## Kennedy tabbed odds on favorite

LONDON (AP) — One of Britain's biggest bookmakers, Ladbrokes, has started taking bets on the 1980 presidential race in the United States, and Sen. Edward Kennedy is the early favorite. President Carter is a close second choice.

The odds include Kennedy 7-4, Carter 2-1, John Connally 4-1, Ronald Reagan 5-1 and Gen. Alexander M. Haig Jr. 10-1.

Other odds offered by Ladbrokes: ex-President Ford 12-1, Gov. Jerry Brown 16-1, Vice President Walter Mondale 20-1, Sen. Robert Dole 25-1, Sen. Howard Baker 33-1 and Rep. Philip M. Crane 33-1.

## Biennial oil pioneer reunion set Saturday in Midland

The 11th biennial reunion of Permian Basin Petroleum Pioneers will be held Saturday in the Tall City.

To recognize the many persons who developed the Permian Basin oil and gas industry, the Reporter-Telegram will publish its special Pioneer Edition Friday.

Persons engaged in the petroleum industry, including those who have worked in allied industries 30 years ago or longer are eligible to be called Permian Basin Petroleum Pioneers.

The Friday edition is dedicated to those people. Registration for the day-long celebration will start at 9 a.m. Saturday in the Midland Hilton.

A reception and luncheon will begin at noon in the Hilton, featuring Congressman Kent Hance of Lubbock. Pioneers will tour the Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, Library and Hall of Fame as well as oil and gas installations in the Midland vicinity.

An informal reception for men and women will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Petroleum Club.

The celebration is sponsored and staged by the Pioneers in cooperation with the Petroleum Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

## Chevron says it plans dealer price reduction

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Chevron gasoline, diesel and heating oil dealers throughout the United States will be paying their suppliers three cents less per gallon effective today, Standard Oil Co. of California has announced.

But a Chevron spokesman said Wednesday the firm is forbidden by law to tell the dealers what to charge for a gallon of gasoline so gasoline pump prices may not necessarily change.

Chevron said the price cut was not required either by Energy Department price controls or voluntary anti-inflation guidelines set by the Carter Administration.

The firm did not provide figures for current wholesale per gallon prices of its various products.

The San Francisco-based company said its reductions "result from a moderating trend in Chevron's costs, brought about by its ability to supply its customers with more products processed in its own refineries."

As a result, Chevron, the nation's seventh-largest gasoline seller, said it "has been able to reduce purchases of costly supplies of finished product it formerly had to buy on the spot market."

## Answer Line

By Franchelle Moore

P.O. Box 1650, Midland 79702



I would like to complain about three very large dogs that a family on Preston Street has. These dogs are very large and are free to roam the neighborhood (the gate is constantly left open).

I am mainly concerned about small dogs (like ours) and all the small children in the neighborhood.

I have called the Animal Shelter, whose hours are from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and nothing can be done before or after these hours.

With all the concern about rabies, not to mention the bodily harm these dogs could inflict, isn't there something to be done or said that this family contains their dogs? By the way, why isn't this city ordinance enforced? — C.S.

ANSWER: Just contact the Animal Control Center again and give more details on the situation, such as the family with the dogs involved.

Dalton Byerly, director of the center, said the address of the owners would be very beneficial. He also said if an area is considered bad enough, calls are made and citations are issued after the regular hours. He did say this is done only when there is sufficient reason and when it is the best interest (paying overtime to em-

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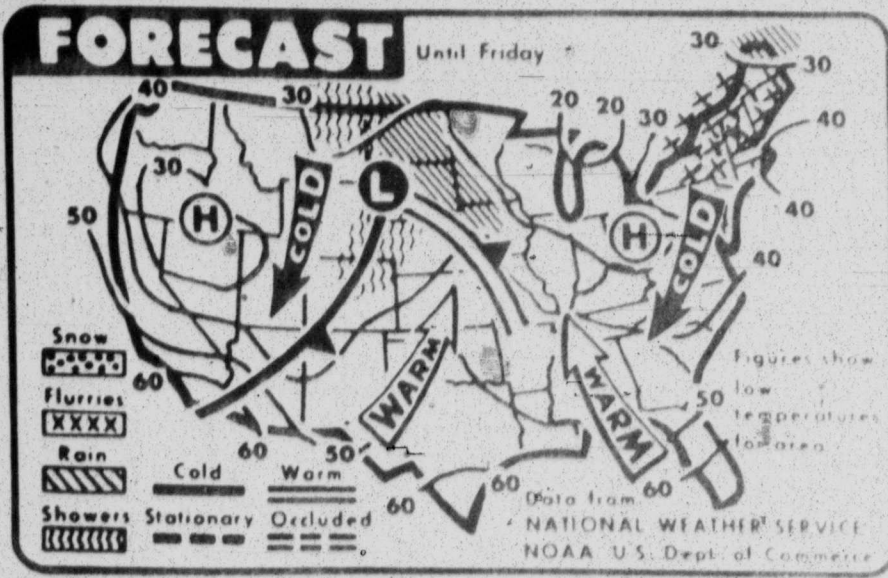
Fair with warm days, cool nights. High Friday in the low 80s. Details on Page 2A.

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Snow flurries are expected today through Friday for New York state and New England. Rain and showers are expected from the central Plains and upper Midwest to the northern Plains.

Midland statistics

Pair with warm days and cool nights through Friday. High Friday in the low 80s, low tonight in the low 50s.

Table with 2 columns: Time/Category and Value. Includes National Weather Service Readings and Local Temperatures.

The weather elsewhere

Table with 2 columns: City and Temperature. Lists various cities and their current and forecast temperatures.

Texas thermometer

Table with 2 columns: City and High/Low Forecast. Lists major Texas cities and their weather forecasts.

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Fair with warm days and cool nights through Friday. Highs 70 to 80, lows 40 to 50.

Extended forecasts

Friday: High 80s, low 50s. Saturday: High 80s, low 50s. Sunday: High 80s, low 50s.

Border states forecasts

Oklahoma: Fair and warmer through Friday. Highs 70 to 80, lows 40 to 50.

Explosion rocks small Kansas city

LATHAM, Kan. (AP) — An explosion ripped through this tiny south-eastern Kansas town, killing at least two people, injuring five elderly persons and reducing half the downtown area to a pile of smoking rubble.



More than two dozen Latham, Kan., residents search the rubble that was once the downtown business district. An explosion early Wednesday evening rocked the town, killing two persons.

The blast occurred at 6:32 p.m., minutes after the last customer of the day left the Latham Cafe and less than an hour before some 50 persons were to meet to judge.

The explosion damaged a vacant grocery store and the community center, where about 15 members of a county extension Home Economic Unit were preparing a dinner.

Chambliss gets 99 years

Chambliss was sentenced to 99 years in prison for the murder of a woman in England. He was found guilty of first-degree murder.



The smoking ruins are all that remain of the Greene County Office Building, foreground, and historic county courthouse in Stanardsville, Va. An explosion, caused when a backhoe ruptured a gasoline tank, rocked the buildings Wednesday, injuring 15. (AP Laserphotos)



Most escaped unhurt from the cascading masonry, but five were taken to Allen Memorial Hospital at El Dorado. Four were treated and released.

New 'clashes' reported in Iran

Tehran radio today reported violent new clashes between Kurdish guerrillas and revolutionary guards in northwest Iran and said a conspiracy by elements of the deposed regime to infiltrate the new government had been quashed.

Commerce minister Reza Sadr was quoted as saying at a press interview that the plot had been planned for months. He alleged Abdohossein Nik-Khoj, supervisor of the grains and sugar organization, was a member of SAVAK and was involved in a number of misappropriations.

Cool mornings, warm afternoons to continue

The weather should encourage more wool-gathering at least through Friday, the weatherman said today. The cool "sweater-weather" nights and mornings will be coupled with warm, "forget-your-coat" afternoons at least until Friday, forecasters noted.

Friday's high is expected to be in the low 80s after an overnight low in the low 50s. Winds should be southerly at 5-15 mph tonight.

White speaks in Midland

White said he believes that dope pushers make rational decisions. He said the pushers reason that "He who makes the risk gets the benefits."

Midlander indicted in Odessa death

Lennie Bernard Flowers Jr. of Midland was indicted by the Potter County grand jury in connection with the Oct. 3 stabbing death of an Odessa man.

Answer Line

ANSWER: Call the Midland County Welfare Office at 683-5511.

Citizens group files SEDCO suit

HOUSTON (AP) — Acting as a "citizens group," the Texas AFL-CIO has filed a federal court suit seeking civil penalties from SEDCO Inc. because of the record Mexican oil spill.

The Tall City's labor force registers continued growth

Unemployment continues to decline in the Tall City while the labor force continues to grow. That was the case for the month of September, according to statistics released by the Texas Employment Commission.

Bank to close for Kelly rites

The First National Bank of Midland will be closed Friday from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. so employees may attend the funeral of former bank president C.J. Kelly.

White suggested teachers and other educators be educated in ways to recognize "the signals and symbols" of drug effects in an effort to purge drugs from the campuses.

Police said Osie Lee Phillips Jr. died in the front yard of an Odessa home after being stabbed during and argument in the back yard of the same residence.

ANSWER: A check with the Midland Theatres Office revealed that the property is up for sale at the present time. It still is private property, so the trespassers could be reported to the Midland Police Department.

Hubbard said Wednesday, "It was not politically motivated." Hubbard told newsmen the union had indicated last month it would file a lawsuit.

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# This Is Midland:



The city of Midland's maintenance garage keeps 600 pieces of machinery repaired and running. All city-owned vehicles and machines, ranging from lawn mowers to police cars and earth movers, are serviced at the facility, located in the 500 block of North Carver Street. (Staff Photo by Bruce Partain)

## Gambling center to open soon

By TOM STUCKEY

PIKESVILLE, Md. (AP) — Patients likely will be bright, aggressive, and talented — and distraught, defeated and perhaps suicidal, the experts say, when Maryland's new compulsive-gambling counseling center opens for business.

The center, billed as the first of its kind in the nation, was hailed at a dedication ceremony Wednesday as a pioneering effort that will set the standard for other states to follow.

There are an estimated 40,000 compulsive gamblers in Maryland, and until now they had no place to go for full-time, professional help.

But by next week the center, operated by Johns Hopkins University, will be ready to start accepting up to 45 patients whose lives have been shattered by uncontrollable gambling. The pilot program will cost nearly \$100,000 for the first year.

The dedication, in a red brick house set among the trees at the Mount Wilson Center, attracted several persons active in the national movement to aid compulsive gamblers, including Dr. Robert L. Custer, a Veterans Administration psychiatrist.

Custer, who set up a VA counseling

center for gamblers, said there is a remarkably consistent pattern among compulsive gamblers.

"They are bright, expressive, competitive, athletic, hardworking," he said. "They are good gamblers at the beginning. They win, and it makes them optimistic."

Then they inevitably begin to lose, he said. As the debts mount, they use up their savings, exhaust their credit, borrow from friends and family and even, in some cases, resort to crime to get the money they must have.

Custer said a compulsive gambler who reaches the stage of seeking professional help is usually in a desperate condition.

"I've never seen people so defeated. They are really beaten," he said. "Their thinking is confused. They have marital problems. They have financial problems, legal problems. They aren't eating well or sleeping well. They are often thinking of suicide."

The center will offer group and individual counseling for patients and help for their families. It also will maintain a 24-hour crisis hotline.

The counselors say they will use standard psychological treatment to get the gamblers to better understand

their gambling problem and to gain enough self-confidence to cope with the problem.

Since the treatment is new, the group will be trying to determine what type of counseling works best.

Three Gamblers Anonymous chapters in Maryland will contribute outside support for compulsive gamblers and their families.

Robert M. Pollitzer, director of the center, said it already has a list of about 20 persons who have called asking for help.

### BIRTHS

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Oct. 19, 1979  
Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Gallagher, 3712 Monty Drive, a boy

Mr. and Mrs. Wayburn Bernard Glenn, 3611 Shell Ave., a boy

Oct. 20, 1979  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Earl Berry, 1305 E. Cuthbert Ave., a girl

Oct. 21, 1979  
Mr. and Mrs. Celestino Salinas Chavez, 108 E. Pennsylvania Ave., a boy

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eugene Davenport, 2602 Northrup Drive, a boy

Oct. 22, 1979  
Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Gothard Hutchinson, 3306 W. Dengar Ave., a boy

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry David Deramus, 3117 W. Ohio Ave., a boy

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mycock Jr., 4207 Thornberry St., a girl

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hinojos, 802 E. Kentucky Ave., a girl

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dwayne McCullough, 4715 Wilshire Drive, a girl

Oct. 23, 1979  
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Teague, Route 2, a girl

## \$5.5 billion war against drugs slowing, but not stopping trade

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 10-year, \$5.5 billion federal war against illegal drugs has slowed but not halted the lucrative drug trade in the United States, congressional investigators said today.

A study by the General Accounting Office reported success in the government's efforts to disrupt some drug supply lines but added that greater commitment and cooperation are needed from government agencies.

"Federal agencies have fought hard to reduce the adverse impact of illegal drugs on American society," the GAO said, noting a drop in drug-related injuries and deaths.

But the agency added: "The drug trade continues to flourish and the problem persists for reasons tied to the enormous supply of and demand for drugs."

In its report, the GAO called for increased cooperation among government officials and a stronger drive to apprehend and prosecute major drug traffickers.

The report complained that the war against the drug trade lacked a comprehensive border patrol plan, suffered from uneven prosecuting efforts and was hampered by the failure of judges to consistently mete out stiff sentences to drug traffickers.

The GAO report was released today at the start of hearings on the drug trade being held by a Senate Appropriations subcommittee on justice, chaired by Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz. The GAO is the investigative arm of Congress.

Despite its criticisms, the GAO praised "notable successes" achieved by the federal campaign against drug smuggling.

The congressional investigators said heroin supplies have been sharply reduced because of the interruption of smuggling routes from Turkey and Mexico and the cooperation of those countries in reducing production.

"Current indicators suggest that there is a major shortage of heroin in the United States, a significant accomplishment against the nation's No. 1 drug enforcement priority," the

GAO said.

"However, this and other hard-won successes are short-lived," the GAO said. "Growing areas, shipment routes, trafficking organizations and even the types of drugs abused all readily change and adapt to new conditions."

"Today's concern is that as Mexican heroin availability declines, heroin from Southeast Asia and the Middle East will fill the gap. Some also fear that use of dangerous synthetic drugs will continue to increase."

The GAO said efforts to stem the flow of illegal drugs were also ham-

pered by the tremendous demand for drugs from millions of Americans. The government estimates that Americans spend \$13 billion to \$21 billion a year for marijuana alone.

"The enormous profits of drug trafficking attract an ample number of entrepreneurs who see opportunities that far outweigh those offered by legitimate businesses," the GAO said.

The congressional agency added that the lucrative drug trade attracts dealers from all walks of life, including doctors, lawyers, accountants, businessmen and entertainers.

### Boys rescue baby girl

GLENDALE, Ariz. (AP) — Two youngsters apparently were not supposed to be playing on a vacant lot, but it is lucky they were, police said. They found a newborn baby in a paper bag.

"Two boys were walking across a vacant lot when they heard this paper bag 'crying.' Just a plain brown paper bag. They looked inside and there was this baby," said Lt. Stanley Kobojek.

Doctors said the baby girl was about 4 hours old when "discovered" Wednesday afternoon. She was taken to a Phoenix hospital, where she was reported doing well.

"I hear they're in a little trouble at home," Kobojek said of the boys.

"Someone said they weren't supposed to be where they were. Of course, if they hadn't been there, she would have died."

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will be closed from 1:30 until 3:30 p.m.

Friday, October 26

In Memory of C.J. Kelly

Past President and Chairman of the Board of The First National Bank of Midland

## South Dakota's treasurer, attorney general fined \$100

WINNER, S.D. (AP) — South Dakota's attorney general and treasurer turned themselves in on gambling charges and were fined \$100 apiece.

The charges stemmed from an incident early Saturday when reporters surprised Attorney General Mark Meierhenry playing blackjack in a casino at the back of a Winner bar while Treasurer David Volk was shooting craps.

The two elected Republican officials signed complaints against themselves Wednesday night, pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor gambling charge and paid the maximum fine. Each could have been jailed for 30 days as well.

After talking with reporters early

Saturday, Meierhenry had closed the bar down and told States Attorney Tom Tobin of the incident.

"We weren't sure what action would be taken down there," Volk said Wednesday. "When it appeared that nothing would be done, we decided to sign the complaint against ourselves."

"We made a mistake and we felt we should pay for it and we went down there and tried to do that," he said. "We really don't feel that we are above the law."

Meierhenry said the action satisfied his conscience, but added that the matter would be "an embarrassment to me and my family for many years to come."

## Navy judge can't prosecute sailor

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — A U.S. Navy judge ruled a sailor cannot stand trial for killing a bargirl because his recruiter enlisted him fraudulently.

The theory is that the man never should have been in the service and therefore does not come under military jurisdiction.

The decision by Cmdr. Edward W. Hosken Jr. apparently means that John Timothy Whelan, 20, of Westboro, Mass., will not be prosecuted despite at least three confessions that he strangled Sonia Camas.

Filipino investigators, who had primary jurisdiction in the case, said the confessions probably were coerced and that they found insufficient evidence to prosecute.

Whelan was absent without leave when Miss Camas was strangled in a motel near Subic Naval Base in April. He was arrested two weeks later.

The Philippine government decided not to prosecute and a general court-martial was formed. Lt. Paul G. Keough, brought in from New London, Conn., to represent Whelan, invoked a little noted ruling from the military court of appeals from early this year.

He said Whelan's recruiter was told before Whelan signed on in September 1976 that Whelan had used LSD and other narcotics within the past year, had only nine years' education; had six prior juvenile convictions; and was suspended from school at least five times. Any would have disqualified him.

In addition, Keough charged that the recruiter doctored an enlistment test paper, on which Whelan

had scored 32, to reflect a passing 62 grade.

The Whelan case is not finished. Since the decision Saturday, Whelan has been restricted to the naval base 50 miles northwest of Manila, purportedly to complete paperwork removing him from the Navy.

Keough charged, however, that he was told by base authorities that the U.S. government would pressure the Philippines to reopen the case if he successfully pressed the fraudulent enlistment claim.

The U.S. Embassy said there was no plan to do that. But Keough said just in case, the American Civil Liberties Union in Honolulu was petitioning the U.S. District Court to order the Navy to return Whelan to American soil immediately.

Once away from Philippine territory, it is unlikely that Whelan could be extradited back for trial in Philippine courts.

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## ART BUCHWALD

### Mum's the word, but spell Chappaquiddick correctly

WASHINGTON — The campaign manager and one of the presidential candidates were having a meeting. "The one thing I have no intention of bringing up if Teddy runs is Chappaquiddick," the candidate said. "You're absolutely right, sir," his manager said. "I think it would be a big mistake."

"I believe we should put out a press release saying that I will not talk about Chappaquiddick because I consider it a personal matter that has no place in American politics."

"A media release could get lost," the manager said. "I think you should hold a press conference and make a strong statement spelling out your reasons for not making Chappaquiddick an issue."

"What about a TV commercial that we could play during the campaign? I could do it on Martha's Vineyard. I would talk about inflation, energy and SALT and then say at the end, the one thing I will not talk about is what happened here," the candidate suggested.

"It's a good idea. By the way, I've been in touch with the other campaign managers and we're trying to see if we could arrange a TV panel with all the presidential candidates. Each of them could give their reasons why they will not discuss Chappaquiddick. We could get John Chancellor, Walter Cronkite and Barbara Walters to host it."

"I like it," said the candidate. "I'm running into trouble putting it



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together. Connally's man said he won't agree to it unless we all announce we won't bring up his milk fund trial. Reagan's manager says he'll only agree if we promise not to talk about Reagan dyeing his hair. And the Carter people say if any candidate brings up jogging all bets are off.

"Anyone heard from Jerry Ford?" "His man says that Ford's pardon of Nixon has to be off limits. Frankly, sir, we may have to go it alone."

"Could we rent the Goodyear blimp during the Superbowl and announce it that way?"

"I'll check it out. The other candidates might demand equal space and the blimp can just handle so many announcements."

"This is a problem," the candidate said. "I'd like to be the first one to say that Chappaquiddick is not the issue, but if one of the candidates announces it before I do, it will look as though the idea did not originate with me."

"Agreed. At the same time if Teddy, at the last moment, decides not to run we'll have used up a lot of money for no good reason."

"There is also the possibility that Carter could beat Kennedy for the nomination. We don't want to peak on refusing to discuss Chappaquiddick too early."

"We're covering all bases," the manager said. "Our advertising agency has reserved billboards in New Hampshire, Florida, Iowa, Pennsylvania and New York. It will have your picture on it and say, 'Vote for the man who kept Chappaquiddick out of his campaign.'"

"I wish I could do it more subtly. Maybe we could rent that big sign over Times Square, put my name up in lights and flash on and off. INFLATION SI — CHAPPAQUIDDICK NO."

"I'll check it out. Now let's talk about your speech tonight to Radar Trappers Union. We put in the paragraph you used last week in Detroit about not panicking in a crisis. The Kennedy people raised hell about it. Do you want to leave it in?"

"Sure, but add a line that when I'm speaking about panic I am certainly not referring to Chappaquiddick as that would be dirty pool."

## Now, let's join hands

Yes, indeed, voters of the Midland Independent School District had their say at the polls Tuesday, defeating the proposed \$10.2 million school bond issue by an almost 2 to 1 count (4,806 to 2,948).

This is the American way. The people have spoken, those at least who took the time to go to the polls, and the public school system will take it from there, doing the best it can with the situation at hand.

But school authorities undoubtedly are wondering just what the people want and are willing to finance in meeting the needs of the school system and in expanding and improving the overall school program.

The results of the election did not eliminate the needs as expressed in the various issues involved. It must be considered a delaying action.

It might not be a bad idea for the school board to call a mass meeting of residents, at the proper time, to explain existing conditions and to gain citizen input in developing a revised bond proposal.

At the same time, one cannot blame school board members and administrators for being disappointed, and even somewhat discouraged. Right or wrong, they had worked long and hard in developing the program, which they considered essential, and particularly in getting the various issues before the public in recent weeks. They had said over and over that their sole objective in submitting the bond issue was "to bring our schools up to adequate."

Everything possible was done to get their message across. They should have no regrets in this respect.

The trustees at the moment may feel like throwing in the towel, but they won't. Rather, they will go right ahead, conducting their responsibilities and assignments in the very best interests of the school district at large. This is the way it should be.

But right now, as school trustees and school personnel adjust to the situation at hand, it would be well for all residents of the community to take a new look at their public school system and its needs, forgetting past differences and what has taken place in the past, as all of us strive earnestly to bring our schools up to adequate.

Our schools are too important in the life of the community and its residents to do otherwise.

Midland, through the years, has been known far and wide for the excellence of its public school system and the high quality of its educational process. Let's all join hands here and now in keeping it that way.

## WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND



By JACK ANDERSON

### Jamaican leader leads toward left

WASHINGTON — We have warned in past columns that Cuban Premier Fidel Castro is working with his Soviet mentors to undermine neighboring regimes throughout Latin America. Now State Department experts have secret evidence of precisely this danger in the sun-blessed, troubled island of Jamaica, just south of Cuba. This follows leftist gains in nearby Grenada and Nicaragua.

U.S. intelligence sources report that Jamaican Prime Minister Michael Manley has been making use of Soviet and Cuban intelligence agents. The disturbing results, he has moved his government sharply to the left in the past year.

The possible drift toward another communist triumph in the Caribbean has caused a major brouhaha at Foggy Bottom. It is the subject of a series of secret memos to Secretary of State Cyrus Vance.

One confidential memo warns that Manley has "a fairly well-established record of increasingly intimate contact with Soviet KGB personnel in Jamaica." A possibly innocent reason for Manley's ties to the Soviet secret police is suggested in another State Department memo: He may be using the KGB as a counterweight to the real or fancied operations of our Central Intelligence Agency.

The memo explains: "While Manley's KGB contacts are disturbing, his paranoia about the opposition in his own country and possible activities by the CIA is well known. He may simply be looking to the KGB as another source of information on these activities."

But this comforting spy-vs. spy theory is not borne out by a couple of recent developments. One was a visit

to Cuba by Manley's foreign minister, P.J. Patterson, in the course of which he endorsed Castro's positions on everything from the U.S. naval base at Guantanamo to the Camp David accords.

Then Manley himself appeared at the meeting of non-aligned nations in Havana a few weeks ago. In his address, the Jamaican prime minister not only paid elaborate tribute to Castro, but spoke favorably of the leftist government in Grenada and of the Puerto Rican independence movement.

In other words, State Department analysts fear that Manley may be coddling up to the KGB for ideological reasons. They have one hope for the situation — than Manley may have left his supporters behind when he turned left, and may no longer be in control of his own party. They predict that he couldn't win an election held today, but unfortunately the next election isn't required until 1981.

As for the U.S. response to a Jamaican defection, our reporters Bob Sherman and Ron McRae have learned that the likeliest reaction would be reduction in the massive agricultural aid. Another aid program has been stalled in Congress, and Sen. Richard Schweiker, R-Pa., has asked for a General Accounting Office audit of the grants given to Jamaica.

If the administration decides on the drastic step of aid cutoff, it would reverse the position laid down by the State Department in an economic report just one year ago. "U.S. assistance strategy should support Jamaican efforts to recover from the present economic crisis and continue its economic and social development with full participation of its poor majority," the classified report advised.

Meanwhile, the Jamaican question and the way it is handled may provide a clue to the winner of the long-smoldering policy feud between Secretary of State Vance and the president's national security adviser, Zbigniew Brzezinski. Brzezinski seeks an uncompromising anti-Soviet line in the Caribbean, while Vance favors a less doctrinaire, more-flexible policy.

For now at least, it looks as if Brzezinski has President Carter's ear. The author of the memos on Jamaica, Undersecretary of State for Inter-American Affairs Viron Vaky, has quietly resigned. William Fowler, a Brzezinski protégé, will replace him.

**BOREN'S BOONDOGGLE:** An unpublished General Accounting Office report rips into a provision in Medicare-Medicaid legislation pending in the Senate, charging that it would strip the federal government of controls it now has over U.S. funds used to reimburse nursing home operators.

The measure is being pushed by Sen. David Boren, D-Okla., as a way of saving money. But the GAO auditors found that the savings would be minimal at best.

What really bothers the GAO is that the Boren provision would allow states to revert to variations of the old system that paid nursing home operators a flat fee for services to Medicare patients. This let unscrupulous operators spend as little as they could get away with on their patients, and pocket the money they saved by shortchanging their patients.

Such sleazy shenanigans are often curtailed by federal regulations requiring nursing home operators to file detailed cost reports with the state agencies that disburse Medicare funds before they could get their money.

Of the Boren measure, the GAO warns: "It appears that the Department of Health, Education and Welfare would not have authority to disapprove state nursing home payment methods and standards. Enactment would appear to effectively remove HEW from the rate-setting process."

In other words, Uncle Sam would be handing out the money without any say in the way it was spent — or mis-spent.

## BROADSIDES



## IT HAPPENED HERE

30 YEARS AGO (Oct. 25, 1949):

Sgt. Dick Hemingway and Officer Leroy Stewart of the Midland Police Department made the prize catch of their law enforcement careers here Monday night. They apprehended a porcupine in the 1000 block of West Wall Street. The "suspect" is being held at the SPCA animal shelter. It is believed to be a pet strayed from its owner.

Mrs. William Potts was elected president of the Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church for the 1950 term at a business session in the Parish House Monday afternoon. She will take office in January, succeeding Mrs. John M. FitzGerald.

A neon sign at Mackey Motor Co. was damaged by fire Monday night.

## The Country Parson

by Frank Clark



"Older folks should be happy — the longer they've lived, the less they have left to worry about."

## BIBLE VERSE

Be not forgetful to entertain strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels unawares. — Heb. 13: 2.

## NICK THIMMESCH

### Misuse of federal millions by United Farm Workers Union

WASHINGTON — A citizen can only gnash his or her teeth at reading how seemingly deserving federal programs wind up as fraudulent or illegal.

If you want to risk such dental exercise, read the first-rate piece of investigative reporting by Patty Newman on how the Feds gave \$2 million to provide services to farm workers, only the money was largely spent for the benefit of Cesar Chavez' United Farm Worker's Union. Her article appears in the current Reason, a little-known but valuable magazine published in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Now Chavez is immediately appealing. Who can't sympathize with farm workers? I am for them, whether they are citizens or aliens. They work hard and help bring food to us.

Once exploited solely by employers, today all manner of politicians, righteous bureaucrats and other interlopers prey on these sweetly toilers. Indeed, political celebrities love to spend taxpayers' money to build and expand Chavez' increasingly political vehicle for their own ultimate purposes.

By establishing a network of tax-exempt organizations with emotionally appealing titles (Robert F. Kennedy Medical Plan, Martin Luther King Jr. Farm Workers Fund), the union wangled, for example, \$800,000 to build a microwave communication system, supposedly to serve a string of medical clinics and Campesino (so-



Nick Thimmesch

cial service) Centers for farm workers.

Instead, according to Newman's well-documented article, the communication system is nothing more than the union's "publicly financed private phone, television, FM and expansive two-way radio system serving union headquarters and regional union facilities." The medical clinic system, she reports, is nonexistent, and the so-called social service centers are exclusively for union members' use and are located in union hiring halls.

Since she got the runaround from union officials, Newman had to nail down the communications story by checking FCC license records and using U.S. Geological Survey maps to fix the locations of the microwave equipment. The federal grant for this system prohibits its use for union activities, but neither the Community Services Administration nor HEW seems to care.

Another \$684,000 federal grant went for the union's job-training program and was proudly announced by Labor Secretary Ray Marshall. This one

smelled so bad, though, that 32 congressmen immediately asked the General Accounting Office (GAO) to investigate.

It developed that this taxpayers' money was used to repair and maintain the union's buildings and grounds and to provide kitchens and printing services as well. A second component — a language instruction program — was overstaffed and also provided questionable travel allowances, room and board, and entertainment. It was clearly a ripoff of the taxpayer for the benefit of the union.

According to the GAO report, the director of the farm workers' program at the Department of Labor dissented and voiced concern about a federal program supporting unionization efforts. The Department of Labor is still embarrassed and uncommunicative about the GAO report that California's school system was already providing the language services the union was being paid for.

Newman also reports that \$349,000 in federal money subsidizes the United Farm Workers' credit union. The grant application bragged that its loans were at a 1 percent rate, though it turns out that they were 1 percent a month. Moreover, depositors got nothing for use of their money, probably because salaries and expenses were unconscionably high.

Who champions this chicanery at taxpayers' expense? Sen. Edward Kennedy (D-Mass.) and California's Gov. Jerry Brown, to name two of the

ambitious. Brown even waived his governor's right to sign-off approval.

Who is trying to stop it? Rep. Henry Hyde (R-Ill.) for one, who declares: "I am asking GAO for a complete audit investigation. It is outrageous that taxpayers' money is used for a union's purposes."

"Who cares? Well, most foundations pursuing the public interest would consider it a sacrilege to look into anything Cesar Chavez does. I imagine that if Newman had gone, say to the Fund for Investigative Journalism for a grant to pursue this story, she would have been laughed out of its offices. As it turned out, Reason, paid her way, and we can all be glad for it.

Investigative journalism should be a tool, not a cause for those who only rake muck on one side of the street.

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## by Brickman



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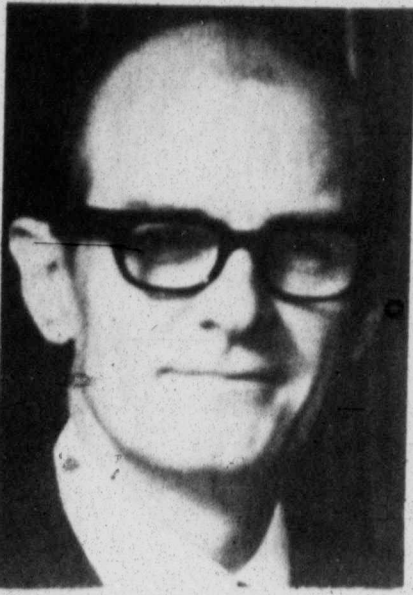
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DEATHS



Cullen J. Kelly

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Cullen J. Kelly, 57, a Midland banker and community leader, died Wednesday in a Midland hospital after a long illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church with Dr. L.L. Morris of Dallas officiating, assisted by Dr. Daniel Vestal. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park directed by Newell W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Kelly was born Jan. 25, 1922, in Rosebud. He was graduated from high school there and attended North Texas State University in Denton until 1943 when he began working for the Denton County State Bank. He was an assistant state bank examiner from 1944 to 1948 when he joined the First National Bank of Midland as assistant cashier.

Following several promotions to executive vice-president, he became a director of the bank in 1955. He became president of the bank in 1962 at 39, becoming one of the youngest presidents of a major bank in the country. In 1975 he became chairman of the board of directors and chief executive officer of the bank. He was named an honorary director after he retired.

Kelly also was active in community affairs. He promoted the idea to build

The Midland Hilton to start downtown rehabilitation and led the drive to finance the initial project. He helped establish Midland College and was instrumental in making Midland a federal court district.

He was past president of the Midland Chamber of Commerce and served on the first "Objectives for Midland" planning conference. He was an early member of the Midland Industrial Foundation.

He had been chairman of the Arthritis Foundation Campaign Fund, president of the Midland United Fund, director and treasurer of Midland County Heart Association, director and treasurer of the Buffalo Trail Council of Boy Scouts of America and was on the advisory committee for the Midland Council for Retarded Children.

He also served as a director for the Museum of the Southwest, vice president and director of Junior Achievement of Midland, and on the board of directors executive committee for the YMCA. He had been on the board of governors of Midland Community Theatre and, as a trustee of the theater endowment fund, was instrumental in the decision to build Theatre Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Frances; two sisters, Mrs. Alan A. Anderson of Houston and Mrs. James A. Thomas of Little Rock, Ark.; three brothers, J.V. Kelly of Belton, Thomas G. Kelly of Hearne and Robert R. Kelly of Pittsburgh, Pa.; several nieces and nephews, including John V. Kelly Jr. of Midland.

The family requests memorials be made to the Midland County Heart Association, Theatre Midland or a favorite charity.

Pallbearers will be M.W. "Buddy" Branum, E.M. "Red" Little, H.C. Avery Jr., Hugh D. McCullough, Elmore Cook, John P. Butler, Clarence Scharbauer Jr. and Paul L. Davis Sr.

Honorary pallbearers will be J.J. Travis of Rockport, Floyd Watson of Pampa, Charles Priddy and P.D. Sams, both of Midland, and the officers, directors and employees of First National Bank of Midland.

Clara Mae Mann

LAMESA — Services for Clara Mae Mann, 93, of Lamesa will be at 3 p.m. Friday in the First Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Lonnie Fortner, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Lamesa Memorial Park directed by Branon Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mann died Wednesday in a Lamesa hospital after a brief illness. She was a native of New Matamoros, Ohio. She lived nearly all her life in Tulsa, Okla., before moving to Lamesa five years ago.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Raymond Fox of New Matamoros, Ohio; a granddaughter, four great-grandchildren, and six great-great-grandchildren.

Beverly E. Borron

CRANE — Services for Beverly Elizabeth Borron, 19, of Imperial were to be at 3 p.m. today in the Imperial Community Center. Burial was to be in the Imperial Cemetery directed by Larry D. Sheppard Funeral Home in Crane.

Miss Borron died Tuesday in an airplane crash near Sonora. She was born May 23, 1960, in Fort Stockton. She was a student at Angelo State University. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Imperial.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Borron of Imperial; a sister, Brenda Borron of Lubbock; two brothers, Bill Borron of San Angelo and Bob Borron of Austin, and a paternal grandmother, Marie Elizabeth Borron of Crane.

Pearl Carlock

LAMESA — Services for Pearl Carlock, 90, of Lamesa were to be at 2 p.m. today in Branon Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Cecil Foster, retired Baptist minister, officiating.

Burial was to be in Lamesa Memorial Park directed by Branon Funeral Home.

She was born in Arkansas. She had lived in Lamesa since 1924.

Survivors include two sons, G.H. West of Lamesa and C.M. West of Austin, six grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Some pray for recovery, others for shah's death

NEW YORK (AP) — Some followers are praying for the deposed shah of Iran's recovery from cancer and gallbladder surgery, but others say they hope he will survive only to meet a violent death.

Four Iranian women conducted a prayer vigil Wednesday inside New York Hospital for Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi as surgeons removed his gallbladder. Outside, demonstrators chanted "Death to the shah!"

The shah, whose six-year battle with cancer of the lymph system was disclosed following the operation, was described as "resting comfortably."

During the procedure, doctors sought to determine the extent of the lymphoma, which a team of French specialists has been secretly treating, according to the shah's spokesman, Robert Armao.

A spokesman for the hospital, where the shah is in a \$300-a-day room surrounded by bodyguards and private security agents, declined Wednesday to give any further clues to his condition.

But Armao said "recovery without complications is anticipated" from the gallbladder surgery. He said the shah, who celebrates his 60th birthday Friday, would be hospitalized for two to three weeks.

Armao said the shah, deposed in January by the revolutionary government of the Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, had not wanted his long battle with cancer to be known because it would not be "in the best interest of his country."

During the 2½-hour operation, about 150 demonstrators held back by police barricades outside the hospital shouted anti-shah slogans and waved a banner reading "A peaceful death is too good for the shah!"

The shah was tried in absentia and sentenced to death by a revolutionary court in Iran. A \$131,000 reward and free trip to Mecca have been promised to any person who assassinates him.

The demonstration could not be heard by the deposed ruler or his wife, Empress Farah, who kept a vigil at the hospital while her husband was on the operating table.

The Iranian women in American dress prayed nearby. "The royal family is alone and I just wanted to lend my support," said one, who declined to be identified.

The shah and his wife flew to New York from Mexico late Monday night on a special visa for medical attention. Armao said the trip was planned after the shah's condition worsened two weeks ago and he became jaundiced, causing doctors to suspect gall bladder trouble.

11 dead following truck, bus collision

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A heavy coal truck and a bus collided near Johannesburg today, killing at least 11 persons and injuring more than 100, press reports said. The accident occurred on the highway between the black township of Soweto and Johannesburg.

Armao said the surgical team, which included the Shah's personal physician, Dr. Benjamin Kean, removed the gallbladder after finding stones in it, and also removed a stone from the main bile duct from the liver to the small intestine.

He said "analysis of the lymphoma is in progress." The kind of lymphoma suffered by the shah has not been disclosed, but while some varieties are more dangerous than others, it has become one of the more curable cancers.

Lymphomas such as Hodgkin's disease strike the lymph system that transports the fluid that bathes the

body's cells and manufactures cells that help fight disease. Depending on how extensive it is, lymphoma can be treated with X-rays or drug therapy. More than half the people with Hodgkin's disease can live five years or longer. Non-Hodgkin's lymphomas tend to spring back faster.

The State Department has assured the Iranian government the shah's visa is only for medical treatment and not asylum. Meanwhile, the official Iraqi News Agency reported the Iranian Foreign Ministry would send a doctor to New York "as an observer to supervise the treatment of the former shah."

Advertisement for 'ANTIQUE SHOW and SALE' at Dellwood Mall, October 25, 26-27, 1979. Includes an illustration of antique items.

Advertisement for 'Makin' Faces' Halloween costumes, featuring a pumpkin illustration and a list of items like 'Kooky Spooks' and 'Sinky Crazy Eyes'.

Advertisement for 'Makin' Faces' with price details: Regular 4.99, Reg. 5.99.

Advertisement for 'Kooky Spooks' costume kit, priced at Regular 4.99, 3.99.

Advertisement for 'Sinky Crazy Eyes' sunglasses, priced at Regular 1.49, 99¢.

Advertisement for 'WHAM O Squint Stick', priced at Regularly 3.98, 99¢.

Advertisement for 'PEYTON'S TOYS - HOBBIES - CRAFTS' with address and hours.

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Vote of approval predicted in Spanish referendums

BILBAO, Spain (AP) — After years of violence by Basque separatists, the Basques and Catalans of northern Spain voted in regional referendums today on the central government's plan to restore some of the home rule dictator Francisco Franco took away from them 40 years ago.

A vote of approval was predicted in both areas. But the fear of violence by the terrorists of ETA, the Basque separatist organization, was expected to reduce the turnout from among the 1.3 million eligible voters in the three Basque provinces in northwest Spain.

There was no organized opposition in Catalonia, and officials predicted a good turnout from among the 4.5 million voters with 67 percent approval.

But official confidence was shaken by the discovery in Barcelona, the Catalan capital, of a tunnel presumably dug by terrorists planning to blow up an apartment block in which 2,000 army officers and their families lived.

Officials believed the tunnel had been dug by Basque terrorists, not Catalans, because it was like the tunnel ETA dug beneath a Madrid street in 1973 to blow up Premier Luis Carrero Blanco.

The home rule proposals would give the new autonomous regional governments limited control of education and health programs; the courts and police plus a share of local tax collections that now go to the central government. In addition, the Basque and

Catalan languages would have official status, and Basque and Catalan culture would be fostered officially.

The plan for Basque home rule was supported by the Basque Nationalist Party, Premier Adolfo Suarez's Centrists, the Communists and the Socialists.

It was opposed by ETA, which is fighting for independence and has slain more than 60 persons this year, and its political front, the Herri Batasuna Party.

Sen. Miguel Castells, the head of Herri Batasuna, said his party's opposition to home rule would continue regardless of the referendum result. He asked the Basques to boycott the vote.

OAS members criticize U.S. for show of force

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP) — Two more members of the Organization of American States criticized the United States for its show of force in the Caribbean in response to the presence of Soviet combat troops in Cuba.

Foreign Minister Carlos Ozores of Panama told the OAS General Assembly Wednesday the Marines' practice landing at Guantanamo last week and the U.S. plans to expand its military maneuvers in the Caribbean were "potentially dangerous...to the peace and security of the hemisphere."

The Caribbean cannot "continue being a scene for the cold war, much less be considered a sphere of influence to be dominated by a power just because it is close to that power," he said.

Grenada's foreign minister, George Louison, also said the U.S. military maneuvers were a "threat to the stability and peace of the region."

"In light of President Carter's own admission in his speech of Oct. 1, that Soviet troops in Cuba constitute no threat to the United States, we view the setting up of a Caribbean task force and the decision to expand military maneuvers in the regions as a hostile, intimidating and threatening act," he said.

He charged that the U.S. government was reacting "to the wind of change which has brought in new governments in Nicaragua, Grenada, St. Lucia and Dominica."

Venezuela criticized the American action during the opening session of the assembly Monday.

Bombs planted in Paris set fire to oil tanks

PARIS (AP) — Bombs planted early today by Corsican nationalists set fire to five small oil tanks at a military depot in the suburbs and caused extensive damage to the Ministry of Universities in Paris. No injuries were reported.

Five bombs exploded in a 15-minute period in the city and its suburbs.

The Corsican National Liberation Front, which has set off hundreds of bombs in Corsica and in Paris over the past few years, claimed responsibility for the latest blasts.

The explosion at the military depot caused a major oil fire, but firemen from six Paris stations managed to prevent it spreading from the five tanks to a nearby 5,000-ton storage area.

The bombers also struck in various suburbs: at a building of the French state tobacco monopoly, a railroad shunting yard and an oil pumping station.

The nationalists contend Corsica should be autonomous from France and protest what they claim is mainland financial domination of the Mediterranean island off the southern coast.

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for PDAP. Although the goal of \$50,000 was reached, the drive isn't over and donations still are being accepted. The program has been in operation for six weeks and has 37 young persons participating. (Staff Photo)

## Indicted Italian financier free on \$3 million bail, under guard

NEW YORK (AP) — Indicted Italian financier Michele Sindona was free on \$3 million bail and under 24-hour guard today after telling a federal judge he was kidnapped and freed only after he agreed to help "punish" corrupt political figures and rich people in Italy.

Sindona told U.S. District Judge Thomas P. Griesa on Wednesday that the kidnapping had prevented him from appearing for trial last month for alleged fraud that led to the biggest bank failure in American history.

Sindona is accused of looting the Franklin National Bank of some \$45 million in 1974, causing its collapse. He also is wanted in Italy for the alleged theft of \$225 million from two banks he owned in Milan.

He said he was abducted Aug. 2 by several men, one of whom had claimed to be a friend of Sindona's lawyer in Italy and who claimed to need the financier's help.

Authorities suspected the 59-year-old financier, who had been free in \$3 million bail, had fled to avoid prosecution in the Franklin National case. But Sindona told Griesa he was kidnapped when he went to

meet the man who claimed to be his lawyer's friend.

Sindona said the kidnapers, who he said spoke broken Italian, said they wanted him to provide documents and other evidence that would help them bring down the "Christian Democrats" (the ruling political party in Italy) and rich people.

"They tried to convince me I was completely a criminal because I was pro-establishment, pro-America — against the leftists, against the people," Sindona told Griesa.

He said he was freed after some 10 weeks only after he agreed to his captors' demands.

When Sindona returned Oct. 16 his bail was not revoked but he was placed under arrest at Doctors Hospital, where he was treated for a leg wound. He said he had been shot in the leg earlier when he tried to escape.

Griesa made no judgment about whether Sindona had actually been kidnapped and continued his bail. But Griesa ordered the financier temporarily confined to his Hotel Pierre apartment in the custody of his lawyers and under 24-hour private guard.

Meanwhile, Sindona's trial was rescheduled for Nov. 26.

## Laughing gas could cause trouble

DALLAS (AP) — Dentists and dental workers who chronically sniff laughing gas as they use it in their work could develop liver, kidney or neurological problems, a study released by the American Dental Association says.

The study says dental patients are not endangered, because infrequent doses of laughing gas — nitrous oxide — are not harmful.

"The report offered evidence suggesting an increase of specific health problems in male and female dental personnel exposed to trace inhalation anesthetic sedatives, compared to those who were

not," said Dr. William Greenfield of New York City, who did the research.

The ADA released preliminary results of Greenfield's study during the group's Dallas convention, which ends today.

"Significant increases among heavily exposed dentists and female assisting personnel were noted relative to liver, kidney and general neurologic diseases."

The study showed that nitrous oxide was used as a sole inhalation anesthetic in 81 percent of dental administrations, and that the health problems could be associated with its use by itself in dental operations.

The study concentrated on nitrous oxide specifically. Greenfield said the study showed no statistically significant increases in cancer incidence.

The problems extended to the families of the dentists and assistants, Greenfield said.

"Presence of a reproductive hazard was indicated by an increase of spontaneous abortion in wives of heavily exposed dentists as well as female dental assisting personnel," Greenfield said. "The latter group (female assistants) also showed an increase in congenital abnormalities of their children. No such increase in congenital abnormalities was recorded in the children of wives of...exposed dentists."

Greenfield cautioned that final analysis of data from the survey has not been completed.

The survey was sponsored jointly by the ADA and the Stanford University Medical School, and was supported by the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health.

The survey was based on questionnaires answered by 64,209 dentists and dental auxiliaries.

## Police turn back demonstrating students

SEOUL (AP) — Police turned back 500 students demonstrating for democracy today as they tried to march out of the Kyemyung University campus in the southern city of Taegu.

There were no reports of violence or arrests in the latest protest against President Park Chung-hee's authoritarian government. Informed sources said 800 policemen were rushed to the campus when the students held a mass meeting and adopted a resolution calling on the government to carry out democratic reforms.

It was the third public manifestation of anti-Park feeling in a southern city this month. Martial law was imposed last week in Pusan and Masan to quell student rioting.

In Seoul, Park's Democratic Republican Party reconvened the National Assembly for the first time in two weeks in an effort to end the political crisis that touched off the riots. But the session lasted only three minutes before another adjournment. It was expected that the assembly would remain closed for the rest of the month while Democratic Republican leaders negotiate with leaders of opposition parties.

All 66 members of the New Democratic Party and three deputies from splinter groups resigned Oct. 13 to protest the expulsion from the assembly of New Democrat leader Kim Young-sam. Kim was expelled by unanimous vote of the Democratic Republicans because of his criticism of Park.

Park Joon-kyu, chairman of the Democratic Republican Party, said earlier this week that the riots were evidence of "considerable dissatisfaction" with the government. He promised the party would review its policies.

But he said if the opposition deputies did not return to the assembly by December, the Democratic Republicans would have to go ahead and consider major legislation, including the 1980 budget. The budget must be approved by Dec. 2.

The party chairman originally said Kim would not be allowed to return to the assembly "under any conditions." Later he said Kim could return if he won a by-election, but no election is scheduled.

### WORLD NEWS

#### Ministers meet on Mideast talks

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Israel's chief negotiator in the Palestinian autonomy talks flew to London today to meet Egyptian Premier Mustafa Khalil and U.S. envoy Robert Strauss to discuss the future of the stalled negotiations.

"I hope we can prove the momentum continues, and in any case, that Israel is not the cause for what I'd call the 'anti-momentum' in the talks," Interior Minister Yosef Burg told reporters at Ben-Gurion Airport.

"We have to find new methods for making progress," Burg said. "That's the purpose of our meeting in London."

The negotiations on establishing autonomy for 1.2 million Arabs in the West Bank of the Jordan River and the Gaza Strip have been held up because of disagreement over the extent of the autonomous administration's authority.

Burg hinted that he would present several new Israeli proposals during the talks, but refused to elaborate.

#### Party leader stoned

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — Raj Narain, head of the major party in India's ruling coalition and a close advisor of Prime Minister Charan Singh, was hospitalized today with head injuries after being attacked by a mob hurling stones and sandals, an Indian news agency reported.

United News of India said Narain, 62, and B.P. Maurya, another leader of the Peoples' Party, were attacked Wednesday night at a political meeting in the northern India town of Kota.

Five other persons were injured when Narain's supporters swung cane clubs at the protestors, who shouted anti-Narain slogans and hurled stones and sandals at him.

#### Soviet journalist defects

TOKYO (AP) — A 38-year-old Soviet journalist has flown to the United States seeking political asylum.

Defector Stanislav A. Levchenko left Wednesday night after getting permission to enter the United States, the U.S. Embassy said. Kyodo, the Japanese news agency, said he travelled on a Pan Am airliner.

Levchenko had been Tokyo correspondent for the Soviet magazine Novoye Vremya (New Times) since February 1975. A Foreign Ministry official said he left his wife and child in Japan.

The official said Levchenko visited the U.S. Embassy on Wednesday, informed officials he hoped to obtain asylum in the United States and later told the Foreign Ministry and the National Police Agency of his intention to defect.

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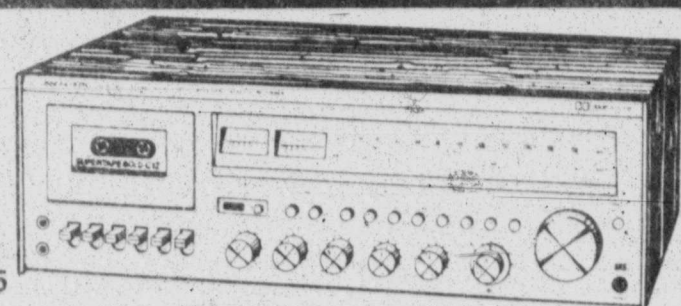
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## Names in the news

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Allen Hunter voiced no regret for smacking atheist Madalyn Murray O'Hair in the face with a chocolate pie. But he says he hopes it was completely thawed.

Mrs. O'Hair filed assault charges against the Albuquerque man Wednesday. George Morrison, a spokesman for the Bernalillo County district attorney's office said the charges would be investigated.

The incident occurred Tuesday night after Mrs. O'Hair, addressing the newly formed Albuquerque Chapter of American Atheists, asked all Christians to leave the room. About a dozen persons refused.

Hunter, who was sitting in the front row, opened his brief case, removed the pie and hit Mrs. O'Hair in the right side of the face. Police were summoned to remove Hunter and the hecklers.

Hunter, who was not arrested, said he hoped the pie was completely thawed, adding, "She got the Supreme Court to outlaw prayer in public schools while I was a little kid in school. I really first got mad at her back then."

LONDON (AP) — Fund-raising efforts for the Vietnamese boat people will apparently have to get by without a little help from the Beatles.

Ex-Beatle Paul McCartney dashed speculation about a charity concert when he told reporters Wednesday night, "We all talked together, but the Beatles will not be getting together again." They broke up in 1971 but last played together in 1969.

McCartney, 37, who founded the successful Wings group with his American wife, Linda Eastman, after the Beatles broke up, was in town to receive honors from the publishers of the Guinness Book of World Records.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Alexander Godunov has performed for the first time since he defected from the Russian Bolshoi Ballet in August.

Godunov danced the pas de deux from "Le Corsaire" with prima ballerina Cynthia Gregory on Wednesday for a segment taped for airing on the "NBC Sunday Spectacular" on Dec. 30.

In an interview prior to the taping, Godunov seemed nervous about his American television debut. "I have not danced for months," he said through an interpreter. "That is terrible. Being on stage is necessary in my profession. Otherwise I am dead."

The segment will run about six to seven minutes on the two-hour show but was taped in five segments at the Goldwyn Studios.

CALCUTTA, India (AP) — The tiny nun whose nickname "Saint of the Gutters" — is known worldwide after she won the Nobel Peace Prize has come home to her family — the beggars, lepers and hollow-eyed street urchins who haunt the Calcutta ghettos.

Wednesday's reception for Mother Teresa was attended by 5,000 cheering people.

The 69-year-old Roman Catholic nun who heads the Missionaries of Charity was awarded the peace prize last week. She has served and nursed the poorest inhabitants of this crowded city for 25 years.

## TVA attacks suit filed by Cherokees

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The Tennessee Valley Authority, saying its embattled Tellico Dam has been discussed in court more than any other federal project, wants a judge to dismiss a suit by Cherokee Indians seeking to halt construction again.

TVA filed a 31-page brief Wednesday attacking the Cherokees' suit and contending the Indians have opposed the dam for more than a decade but only this month raised religious objections to it.

"We think it is clear that under all accepted principles of equity, parties cannot sit back while over \$111 million is spent on construction of a project and then — when construction is completed and the project ready to operate — seek to halt it on the basis of religious claims advanced for the first time," TVA said.

U.S. District Judge Robert L. Taylor has set a hearing for Friday on the Cherokees' motion for a restraining order to prevent TVA from closing the dam's gates and on TVA's motion to dismiss the suit.

Two bands of Cherokees, one in North Carolina and the other in Oklahoma, filed the suit Oct. 12, charging a lake created by the dam will flood their ancestors' sacred burial grounds.

The suit contends that covering graves with water is against Cherokee religious beliefs and therefore violates their First Amendment rights to freedom of religion.

The dam will turn a 33-mile stretch of the Little Tennessee River into a 16,000-acre lake for industrial and recreation development.

TVA last week completed all the work needed to begin impounding the lake.

## Lee speech team sweeps awards in tournament

The Lee High School speech team had the highest percentage of wins of the 33 participating schools of the recent MacArthur High School Speech Tournament in San Antonio.

Third place debate honors in the tournament went to seniors Deanne Durfee and Marvin Moore, Juniors Eric Fryar and John Kimberly and sophomores Kenny Jonsson and Randy Iola tied for fourth place.

Fryar qualified for the Texas Forensics Association State Tournament in oratory while Miss Durfee qualified for the state meet in girl's extemporaneous speaking.

## Continental starts new service

Continental Airlines is starting a new service to New York-Newark via Houston from Midland Regional Airport effective Sunday, according to Charles Logue, regional director for the Permian Basin.

The airline plans to operate a daily service with a plane leaving Midland at 6:30 a.m. and arriving at Newark Airport at 11:50 a.m. Return flights will leave Newark at 11:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m., arriving in Midland at 4:08 p.m. and 10:48 p.m., respectively.

## Ex-scoutmaster draws six-month term in killing

MIAMI (AP) — Carmine "Chuck" Falco, the former scoutmaster who set a firearm booby trap in his home and killed a 14-year-old member of his Boy Scout troop, has been given a six-month jail term.

Falco, 31, pleaded no contest to manslaughter Wednesday in the death of Richard Brush Jr. He had described the boy as "my right-hand man, a key leader in my Scout troop."

Falco was sentenced to spend every other week in jail for a year and to two years' probation. Defense attorney Paul Lipton said Falco will appeal.

Before passing sentence, Circuit Judge Frederick Barad heard several character witnesses praised Falco's record of service to youngsters.

"But I must point out to you, Mister Falco, that on July 18 you failed to obey the law with tragic consequences," Barad said.

Falco never denied rigging a .22 caliber rifle to a chair in his living room with the trigger connected to a bathroom door by a string.

"I knew exactly how to set it up, how to scare somebody away," Falco said of the booby trap in an earlier interview.

He said he learned how to set booby traps while in Vietnam. "Unfortunately the only thing the Army taught me was how to use a weapon to destroy an individual in every possible way."

The booby trap was designed to shoot at anyone coming out of the bathroom. The night before the shooting, a burglar had entered Falco's home through the bathroom window.

The night of July 18, Brush, a neighbor, close friend and member of

Falco's Scout Troop 85, apparently climbed through the bathroom window and tried to enter the living room.

He died instantly as the rifle fired a single shot into his chest.

"I haven't the slightest idea why the boy broke in," Falco said. "Anything I had I would have shared with him. He was too beautiful a person to do something like this."

Falco's attorneys said the family had been beset with burglaries while Falco and his wife, Kerri, worked at a home for troubled juveniles. Lipton said state law gives homeowners an implied right to defend their homes with deadly force, even when the homes are unoccupied.

"If he'd known it was a kid, he wouldn't have set it," said the Rev. Joseph Carroll, who spoke for Falco at the hearing. "He had been burglarized three times, the last time the day before. He just set the gun, a little single-shot gun, to scare someone."

"Surely, the victim had committed a crime," Barad acknowledged. "But Mr. Falco, did a 14-year-old youngster have to die for that?"

Barad made no official finding of guilt in order to leave Falco without a criminal record.

Falco was sentenced to serve his time in a minimum-security Dade County jail to allow him to keep his youth-oriented county job.

He was released pending a ruling on his appeal.

Brush's father, Richard, interviewed before Falco was charged, said "Richard was a little boy. He was a nice boy. He was an ordinary boy who loved camping. Why he went in that house I don't know."

## Wayne County struggling with debt of \$19.5 million

DETROIT (AP) — Vital services to 2.6 million residents of Wayne County, the third most populous in the nation, will shrink but will be maintained as the county struggles with a \$19.5 million debt, county officials promise.

But there's no doubt the residents will be affected, Commissioner Alex Pilech said Wednesday. "The courts have to run, clerks have to register people to vote, deeds must be taken care of. People depend on these things."

Commissioners voted Tuesday to lay off 1.8% of the county's 5,300 full-time workers, later recalling 2,100 to their jobs. The county, which missed last week's \$2.3 million payroll and isn't expected to deliver \$1.8 million in paychecks this week, said it will pay the recalled workers with IOUs.

The rest, Pilech said, will be on indefinite layoff but will be back on the job Dec. 1 when the 1980 fiscal

year begins. However, Assistant Attorney General Milton Firestone said his staff is doing research on the legality of the plan to pay recalled workers with promissory notes.

And representatives of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees were to go to court today to bar the county from using the IOUs and to request a freeze on all county expenditures until employees are paid.

The county is trying to come to grips with a deficit in its \$350 million 1979 budget. Hearings on a 1980 budget, projected at \$280 million and including wage and salary freezes and the elimination of six departments, begin next week.

In the meantime, county officials must figure out how to get through November.

On Tuesday, Pilech submitted a resolution to the 27-member commission that asks the state to free \$12 million in tax advances.

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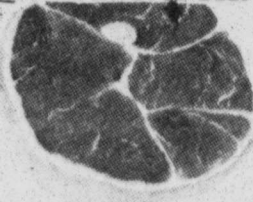
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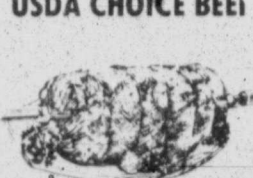
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## A Halloween party is brewing with cookies

CHICAGO, Ill. — The night wind howls and the wise old owl hoots in the distance. It's Halloween night and time for a party. The witches brew has boiled and bubbled for days and is ready for the first guests to arrive. The door creaks open and through a maze of cobwebs the first ghost arrives.

If you're planning a Halloween party for your children and their friends, let the little goblins have fun with Create-A-Pumpkin Oatmeal cookies. Witches and ghosts alike will enjoy decorating these delicious cookies with raisins, semi-sweet chocolate pieces, red cinnamon candies and candy corn. Let them personalize their own cookies.

To make these cookies, it couldn't be simpler. Just mix convenient oatmeal cookie mix, water, butter and pumpkin pie spice, form cookies and bake. The cookie mix eliminates extra mixing and measuring (something every goblin's mother will appreciate.)

The trick to this treat is making enough! They are fun to decorate and so good to eat. Make up lots for your party gathering and greet Halloween with a smile!

### CREATE-A-PUMPKIN OATMEAL COOKIES

- Cookies:**
- One 18-oz. pkg. oatmeal cookie mix
  - 1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted
  - 2 tbsps. water
  - 1 1/2 teaspoons pumpkin pie spice
  - 2 tbsps. butter of margarine, softened
  - 2 tbsps. orange juice or milk
  - 6 drops yellow food coloring
  - 3 drops red food coloring
  - semi-sweet chocolate pieces
  - candy corn
  - red cinnamon candies
  - raisins

### Frosting:

- 2 cups confectioners sugar

For cookies, combine all ingredient; mix well. Shape to form eighteen 1 1/2 inch balls. Place on greased cookie sheet about 3 inches apart and 2 1/2 inches from edge of cookie sheet; flatten with bottom of glass coated with sugar to form 2 1/2 inch cookie. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 9 to 10 minutes or until light golden brown. Cool one minute on cookie sheet; remove to wire cooling rack. Cool thoroughly. For frosting, combine sugar, butter, juice and

food coloring; beat until smooth. Spread cookies with frosting. Decorate as desired with raisins, chocolate pieces, candy corn and cinnamon candies to form faces. Makes 1 1/2 dozen cookies.

Let your little goblins have fun with Create-A-Pumpkin Oatmeal cookies.

## Meal for two may cause problems

By TOM HOGE  
AP Wine And Food Writer

Statistics show that half the households in the United States today are made up of one or two people. This poses a problem: how to find easy and economical dishes to cook in such small amounts.

There are lots of recipes suitable for four, six or even eight at the dinner table, but not many for two.

A friend recently told us of one solution she had hit upon for a couple or a single person entertaining a guest. She turned to the nourishing and versatile banana.

Bananas are the diet mainstay in the East Indies and Central and

South America, as well as the Pacific Islands and most of Central Africa. So they must have something going for them. For one thing, nutritionists discovered

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long ago that bananas sustain life in hot lands better than such tropical starches as arrowroot or tapioca.

And when there is only a small amount of growing space, as on many islands, bananas will support more consumers than wheat will.

Man is not the only fan of the banana. Among other creatures fond of it, there's a tropical

American oriole that likes the fruit so much that it is known as the banana bird.

For small households, the banana has been packaged by nature in a size ideal for single or double portions. And this does not apply just to salads and desserts.

One savory main dish tried recently is the banana squash boat. It consists of a halved acorn squash baked and stuffed with diced bananas, sausage meat, onion, celery, bread crumbs and seasonings. Buttered walnuts are sprinkled over the squash, which is baked only a few minutes.

It is practically a meal in itself, requiring only a tossed salad, or sliced tomato and cucumber

plate to round out the repast.

If you are weary of potatoes, rice or noodles as a side dish, try Golden Bananas. Breaded and fried, they are good served with beef, pork or poultry. Here's a recipe.

- 2 small yellow bananas, peeled
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 1 egg, slightly beaten
- 1/4 cup Italian-seasoned bread crumbs
- 3 tablespoons vegetable oil

Slice bananas into 1-inch pieces; dip in flour, then egg, and finally in bread crumbs. Heat oil in a medium-size skillet. Sauté bananas till they are golden brown on all sides. Serves 2. Good with a dry, chilled white wine with poultry, or a slightly chilled Beaujolais with beef or pork.

(For the best in gourmet cooking, order your copy of "101 Recipes" from Tom Hoge's Gourmet Corner. Send \$1 to Gourmet Corner, AP Newsfeatures, 50 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10020.)

fourth teaspoon peppermint extract, then gradually add three cups of cold milk. Pour into chilled glasses and top with a scoop of peppermint ice cream for four to six servings.

When making white sauce, do remove the saucepan from the source of heat when adding the milk to the butter-flour mixture. Keep stirring with a whisk as

Bring out the full flavor of nutmeats by toasting with butter. Spread four cups of nutmeats on a shallow baking pan, dot with one-half cup of butter and sprinkle with salt. Place in a 350 degree oven for about 20 minutes, stirring occasionally.

## For your information

ROSEMONT, Ill. — Cottage Vegetable Bake makes a delightful supper dish that's as good to eat as it's nice to look at with a golden puff topping. Place a 20-ounce package of frozen mixed vegetables, thawed and drained, in a 1 1/2-quart buttered, shallow casserole. Beat two cups of cottage cheese and one-fourth cup of dairy sour cream until smooth; add two tablespoons flour, one teaspoon salt and a dash of pepper. Add two eggs and beat until well blended. Pour over vegetables and bake 40 minutes in a preheated 350 degree oven. Serves 6-8.

Two out of three pounds of butter are produced during summer months when fresh green grass is a large part of the cow's diet. Cows produce more milk, hence there's a greater supply for manufactured products, such as butter.

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By Terry Hodges

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The occasional chair should be small enough to move around easily, to "pull up" for conversation or extra seating wherever it is needed. But it should also be striking enough, because of its beautiful lines, style or just because it is different, to create an extra focus of attention.

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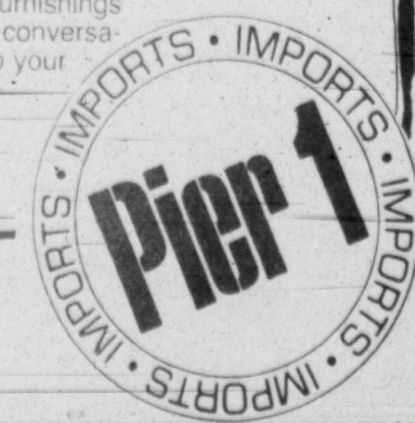
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**Comedy is the new attraction**

LUBBOCK — A high-flying comedy, "Boeing Boeing," is the new attraction at Lubbock's Country Squire Dinner Theatre.

The hilarious farce about a swinging bachelor who keeps three airline stewardesses on the string by keeping close tabs on their respective flight schedules in and out of Paris — and who finally gets tripped up by conflicting schedules — will be the Country Squire's featured offering through Nov. 24.

"Boeing Boeing" has performances at 8 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday each week, preceded by buffet dinner served between 6:30 and 8 p.m. nightly. Table reservations may be made by telephoning the box office, 806-792-4353.

The Country Squire, formerly the Hayloft Dinner Theatre, is located 2½ miles west of Loop 289 just off the Brownfield Road, in extreme southwest Lubbock.

**Falk to star in 'The Scout'**

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Peter Falk will star in "The Scout," an original comedy set against a baseball background.

Howard Zieff will direct "Private Benjamin," starring Goldie Hawn as a woman soldier. Robert Duvall stars in "The Great Santini," based on the life of Marine Corps air ace Col. Don Conroy.

Lawrence Kasdan, who wrote the sequel to "Star Wars," will write and direct an original screenplay called "Body Heat."



An unexpected bonus for visitor Robert, played by Dennis Sullivan, is provided by airline stewardess Judith, played by Nancy Compton, when Robert makes an appearance at the apartment of a swinging bachelor friend. The scene is from "Boeing Boeing," a zany comedy which is the new attraction at Lubbock's Country Squire Dinner Theatre. The comedy will play through late November.

**Big Bend orchestra, chorus to give season's first concert**

ALPINE — The Big Bend Chamber Orchestra and Chorus will present the first concert of its 1979-80 season Sunday night.

Programmed for the event, scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. in Graves-Pierce Gymnasium on the campus of Sul Ross State University, are works by Mozart, Haydn, Beethoven and Brahms. The concert theme is "A Night With the Classics in Music."

The public is invited to attend the event free of charge.

According to Dr. T. Rex Wilson, musical director and conductor, the concert will feature some of "the finest moments in musical history — compositions which have thrilled listeners for centuries."

The orchestra, under the baton of Dr. Wilson, will play one of Mozart's most celebrated works, the famous Symphony No. 40. Another high point of the evening will be the presentation of Beethoven's Symphony No. 1.

Still another highlight of the evening will be the presentation of Brahms' "Songs of Destiny," featuring the 50-voice Big Bend Chamber Chorus. The choral ensemble combines the Sul Ross State University

Concert Choir with the Big Bend Community Choir.

The latter ensemble is made up of people of varying ages and occupations from Alpine, Fort Davis and surrounding areas.

Concerts of the Big Bend Chamber Orchestra and Chorus are sponsored jointly by Sul Ross State University and residents of the Big Bend region, with financial support provided by the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

Wilson said that grants received from the state and federal agencies are matching grants.

Therefore, anyone wishing to support the orchestra and chorus in a positive manner is asked to make a contribution to be used to help meet the matching grants. Funds will help defray costs of the Sunday concert as well as for a children's concert in February and a closing concert next spring.

Persons may send their contributions to the Big Bend Chamber Orchestra and Chorus, in care of Sul Ross State University, Alpine 79830.

**'October Affair' set for this weekend**

KERMIT — The 7th annual "October Affair" art and crafts festival will be held this weekend at the Winkler County Youth Center in Winkler County Park of Kermit.

The fall festival will open at 10 a.m. Saturday, continuing until 6 p.m. On Sunday, the fair will be open from 1 to 6 p.m.

Artists and craftspeople from throughout the Permian Basin and from many other sectors of the Southwest will be on hand to display their creative specialties at the festival, including those from Dumas, Lubbock, Plainview, Sonora, Monahans, Gardendale, Tyler, Fort Worth, Brownfield, Van Horn, Midland and Odessa, Portales, Ruidoso, Jal. Artesia, N. M., Glendale and Scottsdale, Ariz.

There will be 80 indoor booths at the upcoming fair, offering paintings in all media, etchings and graphic woodcuts, dried floral arrangements, tile painting, weaving and fiber art; stained glass, original jewelry, lapidary work, metal art, dolls, ceramics and pottery, Christmas ornaments, and knitting and crochet work.

Demonstrations of various art and crafts techniques will be presented during the weekend and there will be a number of "working booths" where craftspeople will actually be making their creative specialties. There also will be several food booths, offering a variety of snacks.

**Musical features Blake song hits**

LUBBOCK — In 1916, Eubie Blake had already been active for almost 20 years as a stage performer and songwriter. But his great hits such as "I'm Just Wild About Harry" and "Love Will Find A Way" were still to come.

These hits and others from Blake's collection of 1,500 songs are featured in the new-from-Broadway musical honoring the now 96-year-old Blake, "Eubie!," which comes to Lubbock Municipal Auditorium for one performance only on Nov. 7.

Tickets for the performance are on sale daily at the Texas Tech University Center, priced \$8, \$7 and \$5 for the public, and \$4, \$3.50 and \$2.50 for students.

Although he is known for his syncopated sounds of the early decades of the 20th Century, Blake's music, as presented in "Eubie!," spans a lifetime of types, from classic vaudeville music to hot Latin, tango and even gospel music.

After a stint in vaudeville, Blake expanded his horizons to the musical industry, a task that would not be easy for a black man in the early 1920s. However, on May 23, 1921, after a year's hard work, the curtain in the 63rd Street Theatre in Manhattan opened on the musical "Shuffle Along." It was the first show on Broadway ever written, produced, performed and directed by American black people.

The milestone musical introduced jazz dancing to Broadway, plus a blending of ragtime and operetta-type music that became like a trademark for Blake. And, "Shuffle Along" was the first black musical to play in "white" theaters across the United States.

Now, 31 years after normal retirement age, Eubie Blake continues to write songs, fill club dates all over the country and perform on national television.

But despite his reputation and the national recognition gained over the years, Blake did not receive his first "Tony" (Antoinette Perry) Award nomination for best score of a Broadway musical until this year. At age 96, Blake is the oldest nominee in the history of the prestigious Broadway awards.

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Mallard schedules wildcat in Gaines

Mallard Oil & Gas of Midland staked an 8,500-foot wildcat in Gaines County...

Mallard No. 1 E. H. Jones Estate will be drilled 3.5 miles west of Higginbotham in Gaines County...

Drill site is 1,650 feet from south and east lines of section 16, block, A-7, psd survey and two locations north and two locations west of production in the Tex-Pac (Clear Fork) field...

SCURRY WILDCAT

Oklahoma Oil Co. of Dallas No. 1 J. W. Beavers is a new 7,000-foot wildcat in Scurry County...

The site is one mile northeast of depleted Pennsylvania production in the Camp Springs, South field and 1,773 feet from north and 2,947 feet from west lines of section 10, block 3, H&TC survey.

EDDY EXPLORER

Yates Petroleum Corp. of Artesia, N.M., No. 1-MA South Avalon-Federal is a new 11,400-foot wildcat in Eddy County...

The prospector is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 14-21s-26e and one and three-quarter miles east of the Catclaw Draw (Morrow gas) pool and one and one-quarter miles northeast of an 11,496-foot dry hole.

TOM GREEN TRY

Honcho International Corp. of Houston No. 4 Moss-Powell is a 2,500-foot wildcat 7.5 miles west of Christoval in Tom Green County.

It is 660 feet from south and 2,036 feet from west lines of section 19, block 20, TCR survey, bstract 1190. Ground elevation is 2,373 feet.

The drillsite is 136 feet east of Hon-

cho No. 2 Moss-Powell, an active wildcat, and two and three-eighths miles east of the Dove Creek, East (Clear Fork) pool.

COKE PROJECTS

Sun Oil Co. No. 8 H. L. Bloodworth is a 6,000-foot wildcat in Coke County...

It is one location west of production in the six-well Bloodworth field which produces at 5,700 feet and 660 feet from south and 2,153.8 feet from west lines of section 325, block 1-A, H&TC survey.

TURNER PROPERTIES

Turner Properties of Big Spring has rescheduled No. 3 Turner Properties-Jameson as a 7,000-foot wildcat in Coke County...

Originally staked as a 6,600-foot test two miles northeast of the James (Strawn oil and gas) production, it is 467 feet from south and west lines of A. J. Foster survey No. 6. It is 5/8 mile northwest of the Bloodworth, North oil pool which produces at 5,560 feet.

RUNNELS TESTER

Trojan Oil Production & Services, Inc., of Irving, will drill No. 1 E. H. Dean in an attempt to reopen the Big Ed (Gardner lime) field of Runnels County.

Scheduled on a 4,500-foot contract, it is 660 feet from southeast and 2,937 feet from northeast lines of August Kleineck survey No. 418.

It is a twin to the depleted opener of the Big Ed (Gardner lime) field.

It also is one location northeast of Trojan No. 1 Palmer, a re-entry operation three miles west of Ballinger.

The No. 1 Palmer was scheduled to be cleaned out to 4,130 feet, the old total depth.

It originally was drilled by J. Frank Stringer Co. and abandoned in May 1953.

The Big Ed field was discovered in 1973 by Stringer No. 1 E. H. Dean.

Hance casts aye vote

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Kent Hance of Lubbock, who represents Midland County in Congress, voted in favor of lifting price and allocation controls on gasoline Wednesday.

The House voted 225-189 in a roll call vote to reverse itself and to refuse to lift price and allocation controls on gasoline, however.

Voting "yes" were 60 other Democrats and 128 Republicans.

Voting "no" were 202 Democrats and 23 Republicans.

Saudis may hike yield

LONDON (AP) — Saudi Arabia is considering stepping up oil production by one million barrels a day to 10.5 million in a bid to stabilize prices, says The Economist, the London financial weekly, in its latest issue.

Officially, Saudi Arabia, the world's biggest oil exporter, has promised to keep production at its present record level, 11 million barrels above normal, only until December.

But The Economist said that privately, Saudi oil planners are certain the 9.5-million-barrel level will run through the first quarter of 1980.

"And, more importantly, they are considering producing as much as 10.5 million b-d (barrels a day) for a few months," the magazine said.

The report caused some surprise in London oil circles. One expert said that while it appeared possible the Saudis might be able to step up production still further for a brief period, it seemed unlikely they could sustain higher levels.

The expert added: "More interesting than the Saudis' physical ability to increase production is whether the Saudis in the Saudi government who want to hold down production would permit it politically."

The Economist said the Saudis want to provide a "shock" that will end recent increases by some exporters — notably Kuwait, Iran and Libya — above the \$23.50 ceiling set by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries June 28 at its meeting in Geneva.

As long as price "leapfrogging" threatens, oil companies will stockpile and spot prices will also increase, The Economist said.

"The spiral is self-perpetuating — until some outside shock takes the steam out of the spot market and makes agreement on a single central OPEC price possible," said the magazine.

"The Saudis are considering supplying the shock. A promise to produce 10.5 million b-d, even for a relatively short period, would produce the sort of change in sentiment needed."

On whether the Saudi oilfields could run at 10.5 million a day, the magazine said: "Probably yes — but only for a limited period, and only if the Saudi government suspends its rule that only 65 percent of the total be light crude."

Politically, the magazine said, the lobby for an increase might be overruled.

"The desire to hold down oil production has always been strong in Saudi ruling circles, and it must have been strengthened by the Iranian revolution," The Economist said.

"But that such a proposal is even being made shows how keen the Saudis are to regain some of their price leadership when OPEC next meets in December in Caracas."

Fuel supply shows drop

NEW YORK (AP) — Supplies of heating oil and gasoline fell slightly last week but remained substantially ahead of inventories at this time last year, the American Petroleum Institute said Wednesday.

For the week ending Oct. 9, supplies of distillate — heating oil — declined to 239.1 million barrels from 239.6 million the previous week.

The Carter administration had asked the oil industry to have 240 million barrels on hand by the end of October in preparation for the winter heating season.

An API spokesman said the drop in supplies last week, after several consecutive weeks of increases, probably was due to the start of winter deliveries. "The drop is considered normal at this time of year with the advent of colder weather in some parts of the nation," he said.

But supplies remained well ahead of last year's distillate inventories — 214.9 million barrels — for this time.

Distillate production of 3.2 million barrels daily was unchanged from the previous week's level.

Gasoline supplies also declined in the week ending Oct. 9 to 223.4 million barrels from 225.1 million barrels a week earlier. But they were substantially above the 216.9 million barrels on hand a year ago.

The output of gasoline from refineries slipped to 6.4 million barrels daily from 6.6 million barrels daily in the previous week.

Speaker O'Neill terms oil industry profits 'disgrace'

By JAMES GERSTENZANG

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter threatened today to pursue unspecified proposals that "could be quite punitive to the oil industry" if Congress does not pass a satisfactory "windfall profits" tax.

Carter also said the surge of profits posted by major oil companies in the third quarter "vividly demonstrate the need for a major portion of unearned profits from the oil companies to go into the general service of the American people."

The president made his comments, the first on the oil industry's new financial reports, in a speech to a citizens' coalition having breakfast at the White House before visiting Capitol Hill to push for passage of Carter's tax plan.

It would tax oil company revenues stemming from the presidential decision to remove price controls on oil.

Carter vowed that if he fails to bring the Senate around to supporting a bill stronger than that before the Senate Finance Committee, "we will shift our combat zone" to the House-Senate conference that will work out differences between the Senate bill and a bill more to Carter's liking that the House approved.

If the final measure does not meet his approval, "we'll move toward additional proposals to the Congress which could be quite punitive to the oil industry," the president told the National Citizens' Coalition for the Windfall Profits Tax.

"I will not hesitate to do that if necessary," he said, without spelling out any specifics.

Referring to the coalition's mission and his belief that the Senate bill is inadequate, Carter said: "I think the aroused voices of the American public led by you is the best possible way we can meet the tremendous influence of the oil lobbyists on Capitol Hill."

Energy and politics were the focus of Carter's public activities throughout the day. He was flying to New Jersey in the afternoon to address an energy forum in New Brunswick and then to attend fundraisers for Democratic Party legislative candidates in East Rutherford.

House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill called the oil industry profits announced this week "a disgrace to the nation. It's just an absolute and utter disgrace."

Among the third quarter profits was Exxon's surge of 118 percent, to a net income of \$1.1 billion. Conoco's profits were up 134 percent and Gulf's up 97 percent.

O'Neill told reporters Wednesday the oil company profit statements "should send a message to the Senate to get a windfall profits tax out and a strong one."

Rep. Toby Moffett, D-Conn., chairman of a House energy subcommittee, said: "Soaring oil company profits are only the tip of the iceberg. When decontrol of prices hits full force, the profits will be much higher."

Charles Schultz, chairman of Carter's Council of Economic Advisors, said the increases were a "pointed reminder of the need for speedy enactment of the president's windfall tax."

The subject made its way into Senate Finance Committee debate Wednesday as the panel continued work on Carter's proposed "windfall profits" tax.

As Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, D-Conn., criticized the profits, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, said: "I dare say that more of that (oil company) stock is owned in the Northeast than in Texas, by far."

The committee met to work out the mechanics of a formula to help middle-income persons cope with rising energy costs, but made no decisions.

Although the committee has approved the details of the windfall tax itself, it is still working on the overall proposal, which includes suggested ways to spend the tax money.

The committee-approved tax would produce \$142 billion from 1980 to 1990, about half the amount sought in the original Carter proposal.

In a statement distributed at the White House, Schultz said passage of "a substantial windfall profits tax, not diluted by unneeded and unwarranted exemptions, is a critical link in an economically sound energy policy."

"The American people are being asked by their government to pay out billions of hard-earned dollars in higher prices for domestic oil, in the interests of a sensible long-run energy policy," he said. "They have every right, in turn, to expect that their government will take steps to insure both a fair and a productive use of those billions of dollars."

"Only a windfall tax, that is not watered down by unneeded exemptions, can achieve this purpose," he said.

Earlier Wednesday, the House, bowing to Carter's wishes, reversed itself and voted to retain price and allocation controls on gasoline through mid-1981.

By a vote of 225-189, it overturned an Oct. 12 decision for immediate and full gasoline decontrol — action some critics said might have sent prices at the pump soaring toward \$2 a gallon.

The vote means the controls, which opponents claim have done little to check spiraling prices at the pump, will stay on until Sept. 30, 1981, when they are set to expire automatically.

DRILLING REPORT

ANDREWS COUNTY Amoco Production No. 1 LAW Mid-lands, drilling 6020 feet in line and dolomite.

BORDEN COUNTY V-F Petroleum No. 1 Price, id 6682 feet, rigged up and released packer, circulated out 20 barrels of oil and 1 barrel of salt water.

BREWSTER COUNTY Texas Pacific No. 1 Madre Grande, id 2000 feet, set 1 1/2 inch casing at 2996 feet on cement.

CHAVES COUNTY Cola Petroleum No. 1 Lario-Stat, drilling 8130 feet in shale.

COCHRAN COUNTY Cola Petroleum No. 1 Daniel, drilling 9875 feet in line.

CRANE COUNTY Crown Central Petroleum No. 1 Lademman, drilling 3185 feet in line and shale.

GALT No. 1 A Lex, id 8272 feet, flowed 30 barrels of oil and 70 barrels of water in 24 hours on choke size not reported. Perforations from 1413 to 4322 feet, laid down tubing, shut in.

Gulf No. 1160 Waddell, id 6075 feet in line and sand, installing production equipment.

CROCKETT COUNTY Southern Royalty No. 1-35 Todd, id 90 feet, reaming to straighten hole.

DAWSON COUNTY Gulf No. 1 A Yvonne, Foundis, id 4396 feet in line, circulating, pulled out of hole and caught fish.

ECTOR COUNTY Amoco Production Co. No. 5-B Faxon, id 13,207 feet, flowed 44 barrels of oil and 74 barrels of water through perforations from 10,378 to 10,269 feet.

Amoco No. 1-3G David Faxon, id 10,262 feet, testing, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 11,844 inch choke through perforations from 10,636 to 10,667 feet.

Amoco No. 4-AJ Midland Farms, drilling 9222 feet in line.

Cities Service No. 15-A Bagley, id 4412 feet in line, moving out fish being dropped from report until completion.

John L. Cox No. 1 Edwards Estate, drilling 4275 feet.

EDDY COUNTY Amoco Production No. 1 HE State, drilling 10,200 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 10,322 feet with 400 gallons of acid, pumped 1 barrel of water and 1 barrel of water in 10 hours.

Amoco No. 1-2E State, id 4797 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 10,322 feet.

Amoco No. 1-2 Federal, drilling 8228 feet.

Morris R. Antwell No. 1 Indian Wells, id 10,855 feet, shut down.

J. C. Barnes Oil Co. No. 4 Big Chief Communitarian, id 12,720 feet, water tank set, lines installed to salt water disposal tank — open well ended and 2 1/2 inch casing at 12,720 feet.

Florida Gas Exploration No. 8 Ross Draw, drilling 2950 feet in line and sand, set 1 1/2 inch casing at 2950 feet, cement didn't circulate, waiting on cement.

Amoco No. 1-AV Eddy State, id 8064 feet in line, reaming to bottom.

The Petroleum Corp. of Delaware No. 2 Parkway, drilling 10,972 feet in line and shale.

Southern Royalty No. 1-25 State Communitarian, id 12,068 feet, set 4 1/2 inch casing at total depth, moving out fish.

EDWARDS COUNTY Amoco No. 10 H&C Petroleum, id 2923 feet, preparing to add acid perforations from 2944 to 3256 feet.

GAINES COUNTY J. C. Barnes Oil Co. No. 8-2 Sam Jenkins, drilling 6584 feet in line.

H. L. Brown No. 1 Jones, id 8023 feet, pumped 313 barrels of water in 24 hours through perforations from 4914 to 5123 feet.

Jake L. Hamon No. 1 Doss, drilling 3136 feet.

V-F Petroleum No. 1 Schamburg, drilling 8712 feet in line.

10,430 feet, pumped 330 barrels of water in 24 hours, through perforations from 10,254 to 10,400 feet.

Amoco No. 1-HQ State, drilling 4,150 feet in line.

Amoco No. 1-1H State, drilling 6,833 feet.

Amoco No. 1-1C State Tract II, id 4500 feet, testing, flowed 50 barrels of oil and 2 barrels of water in 24 hours, through a 48-64 inch choke and perforations from 6,710 to 6,822 feet.

Amoco No. 1-AC Federal, drilling 9,510 feet in line and shale.

Amoco No. 3-B Grizzell, drilling 6,833 feet.

David Faxon No. 1-2 Baetz, id 13,580 feet in shale, taking straddle drillstem test from 6,140 to 6,210 feet.

Gulf No. 9 Seabrook-Estate, id 7,866 feet, pumped 113 barrels of oil and 4 barrels of water in 72 hours, through perforations from 7,237 to 7,394 feet.

LOVING COUNTY Clayton Williams No. 3-A Gataga Gas Unit, drilling 3,028 feet.

Getty No. 1 Malcolm Madera, id 13,000 feet, set 1 1/2 inch casing at 12,986 feet, waiting on cement.

LUBBOCK COUNTY Gulf No. 1 Mary L. Crawford, id 4,730 feet in line and anhydrite, set packer at 4,730 feet, spotted 100 gallons acid across perforations from 4,628 to 4,730 feet, reset packer at 4,472 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 4,472 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 4,472 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 4,472 feet.

LYNN COUNTY Southern Royalty Co. No. 1 T-Bar Edwards, id 5,285 feet in line.

MARTIN COUNTY John L. Cox No. 1 Maber Ranch, id 374 feet, running 1 1/2 inch casing.

PECOS COUNTY Gulf No. 2-1 Emma Lou, id 29,822 feet in dolomite, found top of fish at 23,317 feet and bottom at 28,822 feet, finished milling and now cathering over tool joint.

Gulf No. 2-D Ivy B. Weathersby, id 4,995 feet in line and anhydrite, washing and reaming.

Gulf No. 18 Millar, id 5,300 feet, swabbing and testing, through perforations from 5,017 to 5,072 feet.

Getty No. 1-18 Slaughter-Fix, drilling 13,350 feet.

Getty No. 1-Miriam Ratcliff, drilling 6,297 feet.

Hunt Energy No. 1-9F Ranch, drilling 10,200 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 10,200 feet, moving in completion unit.

North American Royalties No. 1-1 Herndon, id 1,111 feet, logging.

REAGAN COUNTY Cola No. 1-138 Hill, drilling 2,800 feet in line and shale.

Cola No. 1-138 Hill, id 2,450 feet, waiting on electricity.

Southern Royalty No. 3-Oak Wells, id 11,700 feet in line and shale, set 4 1/2 inch casing at total depth, waiting on completion unit.

REEVES COUNTY Gulf No. 1 Norma Sherman, id 6,443 feet in line and sand, pulled out of hole with fish.

Gulf No. 2 Zeek, id 12,900 feet in shale, move out rotary log.

Gulf No. 10 S. Ligon-Stat, id 6,700 feet in line and sand, open well, remove and installed new valve, clean up to fill.

Gulf No. 11 S. E. Ligon-Stat, id 6,700 feet in line and sand, running 3 1/2 inch casing.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY H. L. Brown No. 1-2 Federal, drilling 8,137 feet.

Enserch No. 1 A. G. Boyce, drilling 4,287 feet, set 1 1/2 inch casing at 255 feet, set 9/8 inch casing at 2,004 feet.

Enserch No. 3 Lambirth, id 7,131 feet, shut in to evaluate pressure.

Enserch No. 8 Lambirth, id 7,906 feet, squeezed fracture formation, drilling soft cement.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY Discovery Operating Inc. No. 1 RIC, id 6,950 feet, logging.

SCURRY COUNTY Cola No. 1 Jones, drilling 7,700 feet in line and sand.

Terra Resources No. 3 Dan Whitley, id 8,396 feet, ran logs, set 3 1/2 inch casing, depth not reported.

STONEWALL COUNTY Crain Oil Co. No. 1 Mackie Brown, id

5,854 feet, drilled out cement, ran logs, preparing to perforate.

TERRELL COUNTY Coquina Oil No. 1 Barbee, id 9,956 feet, took drillstem test at 9,950 to 9,956 feet, recovery not reported.

TERRY COUNTY - Union Texas No. 1-81 O. D. C., id 13,356 feet, fishing.

WTC Exploration No. 1 ODC, id 13,160 feet, perforated from 3,643-3,662 feet, rig up and set packer at 5,330 feet, acidized perforations with 500 gallons, preparing to re acid with 2,000 gallons.

TOM GREEN COUNTY Champion No. 1-A Duff Estate, id 6,730 feet, set 4 1/2 inch casing at total depth.

Champion No. 1-B Duff Estate, id 6,670 feet, shut in, waiting on pipeline connection.

Amoco No. 15-A Hobbit Jacobs Ranch Co., id 5,867 feet, plugged and abandoned.

UPTON COUNTY Coquina No. 1 Half, drilling 4,905 feet in line.

John L. Cox No. 2 Amerada-Neal, drilling 4,310 feet.

Southland Royalty No. 2-3 Woolley, id 8,450 feet, shut in, waiting on tank battery and completion unit.

WARD COUNTY Southern Royalty No. 1 Janelle Edwards, drilling 5,466 feet in line and dolomite.

John L. Cox No. 1 George Sealy, id 1,006 feet, running 8 1/2 inch casing.

Clayton Williams No. 1 Pattee, phd 6,000 feet, flowing to pit.

Gulf No. 108 Hutchings Stock Association, drilling 10,068 feet in line and shale and dolomite.

Gulf No. 109 Hutchings Stock Association, drilling 4,403 feet in line and shale, set 2 1/2 inch casing at 3,349 feet.

Gulf No. 2-18-31 University, drilling 10,187 feet in shale and sand.

Gulf No. 1-XU State, drilling 12,008 feet in line and shale.

Getty No. 1-13 State, id 3,500 feet in line and sand, set 3 1/2 inch casing at 5,290 feet, rig down and move out rotary log.

Adobe No. 12 Barstow, id 4,471 feet, hooked up test tank, started well pumping, pumped 128 barrels of water in 14 hours, with trace of gas, through perforations at 4,827 to 5,845 feet.

Adobe No. 13 Barstow, id 11,507 feet, flowed 126 barrels of fluid, out 10 percent oil in 21 hours, through a 31-64 inch choke and perforations at 5,822 to 5,862 feet.

Adobe No. 13 Barstow, id 4,465 feet, flowed 50 barrels of fluid, out 30 percent oil in 18 hours, through perforations at 6,003 to 6,023 feet, shut in.

Adobe No. 14 State, id 3,500 feet, flowed 40 barrels of oil and 20 barrels of water in 4.5 hours, through a 10-64 inch choke and a 16-64 inch choke and perforations at 10,381 to 543 feet.

Getty No. 1-42-20 University, drilling 11,456 feet.

WINKLER COUNTY Rita L. W. Smith & Smith, id 9,000 feet in shale, circulate to log.

Southern Royalty No. 1-19 Keystone, id 11,507 feet, set 2 1/2 inch casing at total depth, waiting on cement.

Adobe No. 1-A Ida Hendrick, side track total depth, 12,267 feet, fishing.

Getty No. 1-11-11 University, id 6,800 feet, ran logs, preparing to run casing.

Getty No. 1-32-31 University,



# 177 oil, gas projects spotted in Permian Basin counties

Operators announced locations for 177 oil and gas projects in the West Texas and southeast New Mexico areas of the Permian Basin.

Forty-one of the projects were scheduled in wildcat country, and 146 were staked in proven field areas.

District 7-C of the Railroad Commission of Texas, with headquarters in San Angelo, worked 72 field operations and 16 wildcats.

District 8, with headquarters in Midland, reported 40 field projects and eight wildcats.

Schleicher and Tom Green counties each gained four of the District 7-C explorers, with others being staked in Runnels, 3, and one each in Coke, Concho, Crockett, Menard and Sutton.

Andrews and Howard each gained two of the District 8 wildcats, and Mitchell, Pecos, Sterling and Crane each gained one.

County Wildcat Field  
District 8  
Andrews 2 6  
Crane 1 4  
Ector 0 5  
Howard 2 5  
Martin 0 2  
Midland 0 2  
Mitchell 1 7  
Pecos 1 3  
Sterling 1 1  
Winkler 0 6  
Total 8 40

District 8-A  
Cochran 3 0  
Gaines 2 6  
Garza 0 6  
Hockley 2 4  
Lubbock 2 0  
Lynn 1 0  
Scurry 0 6  
Terry 0 2  
Yoakum 0 3  
Total 7 25

District 7B  
Fisher 0 3  
Nolan 2 1  
Stonewall 4 1  
Total 6 5

District 7C  
Coke 1 8  
Concho 1 0  
Crockett 1 15  
Ison 0 5  
Menard 1 0  
Reagan 0 24  
Runnels 3 4  
Schleicher 4 5  
Sutton 1 6  
Tom Green 4 2  
Upton 0 3  
Total 16 72

District 1  
Edwards 0 1  
Total 0 1

New Mexico  
Chaves 3 2  
Eddy 1 1  
Total 4 3

Grand Total 41 146  
District 8 177

ANDREWS COUNTY  
Fuhrman (Glorieta)—OWWO—Getty Oil Co. No. 5 W.T. Ford, 743 feet from north and 473 feet from west lines of section 16, block A-43, PSL survey, eight miles southwest of Andrews, 6,200.

Wildcat—Clem George No. 1 University, 660 feet from north and 1,650 feet from west lines of section 38, block 9, University Lands survey, 11 miles south of Andrews, 11,400.

Wildcat—Amoco Production Co. No. 209-AC Midland Farms, 1,470 feet from south and 1,220 feet from west lines of section 25, block 41, T-1-N, G&MMB&A survey, 15 miles southeast of Andrews, 11,000.

Fullerton—Rule 37—Exxon Corp. No. 517 Fullerton Clear Fork Unit, 1,320 feet from north and 1,225 feet from east lines of section 5, block A-32, PSL survey, 17 miles northwest of Andrews, 7,300.

Fullerton—Rule 37—Exxon Corp. No. 627 Fullerton Clear Fork Unit, 2,640 feet from north and 2,420 feet from east lines of section 4, block A-32, PSL survey, 17 miles northwest of Andrews, 7,300.

Fullerton—Rule 37—Exxon Corp. No. 1325 Fullerton Clear Fork Unit, 1,240 feet from north and 1,100 feet from west lines of section 14, block A-32, PSL survey, 17 miles northwest of Andrews, 7,300.

Fullerton—Rule 37—Exxon Corp. No. 1425 Fullerton Clear Fork Unit, 2,640 feet from north and 1,100 feet from west lines of section 14, block A-32, PSL survey, 17 miles northwest of Andrews, 7,300.

Means—Amended—Exxon Corp. No. 1920 Means San Andres Unit, 2,000 feet from north and 1,900 feet from west lines of section 11, block A-35, PSL survey, seven miles

north of Andrews, 4,700. (Amend location)  
Hutched (Dean)—Amended—Westland Oil Development Corp. No. 1-6-39 University, 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 39, block 6, University Lands survey, 20 miles northeast of Andrews, 14,000. (Amend field)

Triple N (Pennsylvania) Upper & Wolfcamp—Getty Oil Co. No. 7-F University, 1,400 feet from north and 1,260 feet from west lines of section 42, block 9, University Lands survey, 13.5 miles southwest of Andrews, 12,485.

CRANE COUNTY  
Dune—Rule 37—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 218 Weekly, 1,005 feet from north and 1,600 feet from east lines of section 22, block 30, University Lands survey, eight and one-quarter miles north of Crane, 3,900.

Dune—Sea & Sand Oil Co. No. 5-E University, 1,650 feet from north and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 4, block 30, University Lands survey, nine miles north of Crane, 4,000.

Wildcat—Windfhr Oil Co. No. 9-C M.B. McKnight, 467 feet from north and west lines of section 10, block B-21, PSL survey, 13 miles southeast of Monahans, 4,950.

Armer (Clear Fork)—OWPB—W.M. & A.P. Fuller No. 3 Ewell McKnight and others, 660 feet from south and 1,900 feet from west lines of section 10, block B-17, PSL survey, 24 miles northwest of Crane, 5,020.

ECTOR COUNTY  
Edwards West (Canyon)—John L. Cox No. 1 Edwards Estate, 990 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 3, block 43, T-4-S, T&P survey, 15 miles southwest of Odessa, 9,200.

Penwell—OWPB—Texaco Inc. No. 73 W.E. Connell, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 1, block B-16, PSL survey, one mile southwest of Judkins, 3,900.

Foster—Rule 37—Tenneco Oil Co. No. 9 Charlie Judkins and others, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 16, block 42, T-2-S, T&P survey, Odessa city limits, 4,500.

Foster—Rule 37—Tenneco Oil Co. No. 10 Charlie Judkins and others, 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 16, block 42, T-2-S, T&P survey, Odessa city limits, 4,500.

Cowden, North—Wagner & Brown No. 4 TXL, 1,770 feet from north and 2,630 feet from east lines of section 5, block 43, T-1-S, T&P survey, four miles west of Goldsmith, 5,000.

HOWARD COUNTY  
Wildcat—Westland Development Corp. No. 1 Choate and others, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 17, block 31, T-1-S, T&P survey, five miles east of Big Spring, 9,550.

Wildcat—Florida Gas Exploration Co. No. 1 McDowell, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 44, block 33, T-1-S, T&P survey, five and one-half miles south of Big Spring, 9,550.

Iatan, East (Howard)—Walsh & Watts Inc. No. 15-K Denman, 990 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of section 14, block 30, T&P survey, five miles southwest of Coahoma, 3,250.

Snyder—Walsh & Watts Inc. No. 13-C TXL, 1,650 feet from north and 990 feet from east lines of section 23, block 30, T&P survey, seven miles southeast of Coahoma, 3,250.

Knott, West (Pennsylvania) Reef—Cola Petroleum Inc. No. 1 Johnson, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 18, block 33, T-1-N, T&P survey, two miles northeast of Knott, 9,500.

Iatan, North—American Petrofina Co. of Texas No. 7 W.L. Foster, 330 feet from north and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 43, block 29, T-1-N, T&P survey, seven miles east of Coahoma, 2,900.

Moore—Trey Exploration Inc. No. 11-1 Shirley Waldron and others, 2,310 feet from south and 1,650 feet from west lines of section 13, block 34, T-1-S, T&P survey, five miles southwest of Big Spring, 3,500.

Iatan, East (Howard)—Amended—Rule 37—Amoco Production Co. No. 100-A-A Texas Land & Mortgage Co., 935 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of section 5, block 30, T-1-S, T&P survey, five miles southwest of Westbrook, 3,400.

Turner-Gregory (Clear Fork)—E.F. Spiller No. 6-A Morrison, 330 feet from south and 1,322 feet from east lines of section 36, block 29, T-1-N, T&P survey, five miles west of Westbrook, 3,400.

Turner-Gregory (Clear Fork)—Abraxas Petroleum Corp. No. 1-A Brennan, 330 feet from south and west lines of section 17, block 28, T-1-N, T&P survey, five miles north-west of Westbrook, 3,400.

Iatan, East (Howard)—Amended—Rule 37—Amoco Production Co. No. 108-A-A Texas Land & Mortgage Co., 430 feet from north and 380 feet from east lines of section 5, block 30, T-1-S, T&P survey, three miles east of Coahoma, 2,800. (Amend to add Rule 37)

MARTIN COUNTY  
Wildcat—Amended—Parker & Parsley Inc. No. 1 Dickenson, 2,025 feet from north and 2,200 feet from west lines of section 18, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey, eight miles northeast of Midland, 11,800. (Amend operator)

Spraberry Trend Area (Dean Wolfcamp)—Beach & Snoddy No. 3 Joe Hale, 1,320 feet from north and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 21, block 36, T-3-N, T&P survey, eight miles north of Lenora, 9,300.

MIDLAND COUNTY  
Spraberry Trend Area—Mobil Oil Corp. No. 2108 Preston Spraberry Unit, 1,980 feet from north and 710 feet from southwest lines of section 20, block 37, T-4-S, T&P survey, 26 miles southeast of Midland, 8,100.

Parks (Spraberry)—Tamarack Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1 Parks, L. 980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 19, block 40, T-3-S, T&P survey, nine miles southwest of Midland, 10,000.

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 1 Stimson-Burley, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 17, block 38, T-1-S, T&P survey, six and one-quarter miles north of Midland, 9,500. (Amend acreage)

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 2 Stimson-Burley, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 17, block 38, T-1-S, T&P survey, six and one-quarter miles north of Midland, 9,500. (Amend acreage)

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 3 Stimson-Burley, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 17, block 38, T-1-S, T&P survey, six miles from north of Midland, 9,500. (Amend acreage)

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 4 Stimson-Burley, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 17, block 38, T-1-S, T&P survey, six miles from north of Midland, 9,500. (Amend acreage)

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 1 A Stimson-Burley, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 20, block 38, T-1-S, T&P survey, five and one-half miles north of Midland, 9,500. (Amend lease name, well number)

Spraberry Trend Area—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 2 A Stimson-Burley, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 20, block 38, T-1-S, T&P survey, five and six-tenths mile north of Midland, 9,500. (Amend lease name and well number)

MITCHELL COUNTY  
Maude (Clear Fork)—John S. Goodrich No. 1 Jones, 2,272 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 13, block 29, T-1-S, T&P survey, six miles southwest of Westbrook, 3,400.

Coleman Ranch—American Petrofina Co. of Texas No. 203 Coleman Ranch Unit, 900 feet from south and 2,150 feet from east lines of section 76, block 97, H&TC survey, two miles west of Cuthbert, 2,900.

Coleman Ranch—American Petrofina Co. of Texas No. 504 Coleman Ranch Unit, 330 feet from north and east lines

of section 70, block 97, H&TC survey, two miles west of Cuthbert, 2,900.

Coleman Ranch—American Petrofina Co. of Texas No. 807 Coleman Ranch, 330 feet from south and 1,775 feet from east lines of section 70, block 97, H&TC survey, two miles west of Cuthbert, 2,900.

Turner-Gregory (Clear Fork)—E.F. Spiller No. 6-A Morrison, 330 feet from south and 1,322 feet from east lines of section 36, block 29, T-1-N, T&P survey, five miles west of Westbrook, 3,400.

Turner-Gregory (Clear Fork)—Abraxas Petroleum Corp. No. 1-A Brennan, 330 feet from south and west lines of section 17, block 28, T-1-N, T&P survey, five miles north-west of Westbrook, 3,400.

Iatan, East (Howard)—Amended—Rule 37—Amoco Production Co. No. 108-A-A Texas Land & Mortgage Co., 430 feet from north and 380 feet from east lines of section 5, block 30, T-1-S, T&P survey, three miles east of Coahoma, 2,800. (Amend to add Rule 37)

COCHRAN COUNTY  
Levelland—D.H. Radtke & Associates, Inc. No. 2 A Snodgrass, 1,980 feet from south and 435 feet from west lines of labor 9, league 131, Carson County School Lands survey, five miles southwest of Lehman, 5,000.

Levelland—D.H. Radtke & Associates, Inc. No. 3 A Snodgrass, 660 feet from south and west lines of labor 9, league 131, Carson County School Lands survey, five miles southwest of Lehman, 5,000.

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WINKLER COUNTY  
Keystone (Colby)—Rule 37—Bass Enterprises Production Co. No. 106 J.B. Walton, 1,600 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 9, block B-3, PSL survey, seven miles northeast of Kermit, 3,700.

Ward-Estes, North—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1181 G.W. O'Brien and others, 1,650 feet from north and 990 feet from west lines of section 13, block F, G&MMB&A survey, seven miles north of Wickett, 3,350.

Ward-Estes, North—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1182 G.W. O'Brien and others, 990 feet from north and west lines of section 13, block F, G&MMB&A survey, seven miles north of Wickett, 3,350.

Ward-Estes, North—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1183 G.W. O'Brien and others, 1,650 feet from north and 2,310 feet from west lines of section 13, block F, G&MMB&A survey, seven miles north of Wickett, 3,350.

Ward-Estes, North—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1184 G.W. O'Brien and others, 1,650 feet from north and 2,310 feet from west lines of section 13, block F, G&MMB&A survey, seven miles north of Wickett, 3,350.

Monahan's (Clear Fork)—Re-entry—Shell Oil Co. No. 15 Sealy Smith Foundation, 1,980 feet from south and 661 feet from west lines of section 37, block A, G&MMB&A survey, four miles northeast of Monahan's, 5,281.

Walker—Amended—William B. Wilson No. 1-51 Wilson Ranch, 2,110 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of section 51, block Z, CCSD&RNG survey, 15 mile west of Iraan, 2,200. (Amend location)

Heiner, South (Detrital)—Re-entry—National Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Kenower, 660 feet from south and 2,170 feet from west lines of section 15, block 105, G&CSF survey, 19.5 miles northeast of Fort Stockton, 5,848.

Wildcat—NAPECO, Inc. No. 1 Goree, 660 feet from south and 760 feet from west lines of section 25, block C-2, PSL survey, seven miles southwest of Coyanosa, 7,000.

Gomez (Upper Wolfcamp)—Tenneco Oil Co. No. 1-22 Mendel Estate, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 22, block 48, T-9, T&P survey, 18 miles northwest of Fort Stockton, 11,750.

REEVES COUNTY  
Scott (Delaware & Cherry Canyon)—Amended—Re-entry—William B. Wilson No. 1 Worsham, 10,013 feet from south and 800 feet from east lines of section 14, block 6, H&GN survey, five miles southeast of Barstow, 6,700. (Amend field)

STERLING COUNTY  
Conger (Pennsylvania)—Wagner & Brown No. 18-18 Hildebrand, 660 feet from south and 864 feet from east lines of section 18, block 31, T-5-S, T&P survey, 11.8 miles southwest of Sterling City, 8,600.

Wildcat—Hanson Corp. No. 1 Copeland, 649 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of section 64, block 2, H&TC survey, 11 miles northeast of Sterling City, 4,700.

WARD COUNTY  
Quito, East (Atoka & Fossil)—Rule 37—Amended—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 2-18-31 University Gas Unit, 990 feet from south and east lines of section 31, block 18, University Lands survey, 10 miles west of Pyote, 16,850. (Amend field)

Wagon Wheel (Pennsylvania)—Amended—Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1048 Hutchings Stock Association, 1,980 feet from north and 2,000 feet from east lines of section 4, block O, G&MMB&A survey, three miles southeast of Wickett, 8,800. (Amend location)

War-Wink (Delaware)—Amended—MGF Oil Corp. No. 1-30 University, 1,680 feet from north and 960 feet from west lines of section 30, block 17, University Lands survey, 10 miles northwest of Pyote, 5,200. (Amend field)

Garza—George R. Brown No. 16-R A City of Post San Andres, 1,042 feet from south and 2,016 feet from west lines of section 1225, EL&RR survey, Post townsites, 3,200.

Garza—George R. Brown No. 17-R A City of Post San Andres, 300 feet from south and 2,500 feet from east lines of section 1225, EL&RR survey, Post townsites, 3,200.

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Jan Leasure, a junior high school English teacher from Waukegan, Ill., hands coupons she has saved to a cashier in a Waukegan store Wednesday.

Mrs. Leasure says she has saved \$2,400 in the last year by being an "aware consumer." (AP Laser photo)

## Coupon-conscious teacher fights inflation, saves \$1,400

CHICAGO (AP) — Jan Leasure figures she has 3,000 money-saving coupons around her house, more than she can ever use.

So the 30-year-old English teacher, who estimates she has saved \$1,400 in the last year by battling inflation with coupons and refunds, attaches some to each copy of her monthly newsletter, "Refunders Against Inflation" — a publication with its own refund offer.

"I have 500 coupon-clipping subscribers in 28 states and the circulation is growing," the Waukegan junior high school teacher said Wednesday. "A year's subscription is \$10. A person can save that much by just going to her medicine cabinet and reading some of the refunds available on certain items."

Mrs. Leasure said she became coupon-conscious two years ago.

"My husband also is a teacher and we just couldn't seem to keep up a lifestyle we wanted on our two salaries. Then, too, we had a daughter 17 months ago," she said.

"I started looking for coupons and refunds during my regular shopping," she said. "Now I spend about four hours a week making the rounds of hardware stores, drug stores and supermarkets in Lake County."

There's a big difference between coupons and refund

forms, said Mrs. Leasure. Coupons are cash-off deals on many items, while refund forms can be sent in for cash returns. Most forms are on the packaged product or displayed nearby.

"I make the rounds of stores, take notes on refund offers I find and list them in my newsletter," said Mrs. Leasure. "Usually about 200 offers are listed every month — most of them are new, but some are holdovers with a 60- to 90-day expiration date."

"I buy only the regular items my family uses and get my refund forms that way — dog food, baby food, pop and so forth," she said. "You certainly wouldn't buy something you didn't need just to get a form. In the first 18 days this month, I've gotten \$29.50 in refunds. In the last year it amounted to \$366 in cash. Savings by using coupons for the same time were \$1,040."

Mrs. Leasure said that during a year, 80 percent to 90 percent of grocery items use coupon come-ons. A particularly big coupon-coup comes when she finds an appealing bargain and buys in bulk. "I've gotten as much as \$130 worth of groceries for \$30 cash," she said.

She started the newsletter in September after a brief advertising campaign. Readers get \$1 for every new subscriber they recruit.

## Carter loses to Congress in ship battle

WASHINGTON (AP) — A two-year battle between Congress and President Carter over building a \$2.1 billion nuclear aircraft carrier is coming to a close with Congress the clear winner.

Carter won the first round last year by successfully vetoing the huge ship. Congress came back with a knockout punch this year by approving the carrier with a landslide margin in the House, leaving little hope that another veto would be upheld.

The ship was included in legislation authorizing \$41.4 billion in weapons purchases. The bill, a compromise between earlier versions passed by the Senate and House, was approved Wednesday by the Senate and is expected to be passed by the House by Friday.

Sources say Carter will sign this year's bill.

The nuclear-powered carrier will cost about \$477 million more to build than the smaller, oil-fired carrier Carter originally proposed. Supporters of the bigger ship say the rising cost of oil makes a nuclear carrier a better buy in the long run.

In a victory for Carter, Congress agreed to drop a Senate provision of the bill that would have forced the president to lift trade sanctions against Zimbabwe Rhodesia.

Instead, the bill now contains a non-binding "sense of Congress" resolution saying the United States should have unlimited access to strategic and critical materials from Zimbabwe Rhodesia.

Overall, the legislation totals \$1.3 billion more than Carter requested.

The bill includes \$6.7 billion for 14 new ships, including the carrier, a nuclear-powered Trident submarine, two nuclear attack submarines and the conversion of an LPH amphibious ship to a light carrier.

In addition, the legislation earmarks \$13.6 billion to buy 705 aircraft, \$5.1 billion for new missiles and \$1.7 billion for tanks and other tracked vehicles.

The aircraft include 30 F-14A fighters, 25 F-18 fighter-attack planes, 10 C-12A utility aircraft, 15-AH-1S helicopters and six A-6E medium attack planes. The administration had requested no money for the utility aircraft, helicopters or A-6E attack planes, and had asked for only 15 of the F-18s and 24 of the F-14As.

It also authorizes \$13.5 billion for military research and development, including \$670 million requested by Carter to develop the MX mobile missile, and \$107 million for civil defense.

### LEGAL NOTICES

The annual report of the private foundation identified below is available at its principal office for inspection during regular business hours by any citizen who requests it, within 60 days after this date.

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## Mass murder victim's father sues steakhouse

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The father of a 15-year-old girl killed in the worst mass murder in Oklahoma history is suing the steakhouse restaurant where she worked for \$2 million.

Oklahoma City resident Jerry Horst filed the lawsuit Wednesday in Oklahoma County District Court claiming he is seeking to force the Sirloin Stockade restaurant chain to increase its security.

Horst's daughter, Terri, was killed in July 1978 with five other workers in a southside Sirloin Stockade.

Roger Dale Stafford was convicted Oct. 17 in connection with the incident and was formally sentenced to death Tuesday.

Stafford was to be arraigned a 1 p.m. today at Purcell, some 35 miles south of here, on three first-degree murder charges in connection with the

June 1978 slayings of the three-member Melvin Lorenz family of San Antonio, Texas.

The state contends that one of the guns used in the Lorenz family slayings also was used in the steakhouse killings, and that a gun stolen from the Lorenz family also was used in the slayings here.

In a related development Wednesday, a committee responsible for distributing a \$62,500 reward fund collected after the murders is trying to get help from the court.

The five-member committee has recommended several persons, who they have refused to name publicly, to receive some of the reward for their part in helping solve the murders.

The committee, which includes Oklahoma City police Chief Tom Heggy and Sirloin Stockade official Wes Gant, asked the court Wednesday to help determine which persons should receive the reward

money.

Another committee member, Wes Gant, the executive vice president of the Oklahoma Restaurant Association, said Verna Stafford's name was mentioned in connection with the reward, but he declined to say if she was included in the committee's list.

Mrs. Stafford was Roger Stafford's wife and the prosecution's main witness against him. In testimony she admitted being involved in a robbery at the restaurant, which resulted in the shootings.

In a related development, Stafford was moved from Oklahoma City by county sheriff's officials and was taken to the Lexington Corrections Center Wednesday.

His conviction in the steakhouse murders is under appeal, but Stafford told District Judge Charles L. Owens Tuesday that he didn't wish to remain in the county jail while the appeal is being processed.

## Ship's pilot charged in Cuyahoga collision

PORTSMOUTH, Va. (AP) — A ship's pilot has been charged by the Coast Guard with failing to sound a danger signal "in a timely manner" before an Argentine freighter's fatal collision with the Coast Guard cutter Cuyahoga in Chesapeake Bay.

Eleven men aboard the Cuyahoga died when the cutter sank within minutes of the collision with the 528-foot Santa Cruz II on Oct. 20, 1978.

The charge against John Hamill of Maryland was filed by Cmdr. John C. Midgett Jr., hearing officer for the 5th Coast Guard District, Coast Guard spokesman Fred Maldonado said today. Hamill has 30 days to respond to the civil charge, which carries a

maximum penalty of a \$500 fine.

The charge was filed as a court-martial was held in Yorktown for the Cuyahoga's skipper, Chief Warrant Officer Donald K. Robinson.

Robinson is charged with negligently hazarding his vessel by failing to determine the Santa Cruz II's exact position before turning left into its path.

Four cutter-crewmembers testified for the prosecution Wednesday on what led up to Robinson's left turn, order minutes before the accident.

They painted a picture of a captain trying hard to be everywhere at once on a ship manned largely by inexperienced trainees.

They said Robinson was trying to instruct the cadet who was standing deck watch, take navigation bearings and keep an eye on the Santa Cruz II.

Ensign Earl E. Fairchild said he first spotted the running lights of the Argentine coal freighter — one red and one white — and told the captain about it.

Fairchild, then a cadet, said Robinson told him after coming out of the radar room the vessel was eight miles away and it was OK to make a turn.

The ensign said he did not inform the captain after he noticed later the approaching ship had two white lights and one red one, which meant it was more than 50 meters long.

## Wanted: Gifted psychic to contact Jesse James

LIBERTY, Mo. (AP) — WANTED: Gifted Psychic to contact Jesse James. Seasoned pros only. Apply Clay County Parks Department, Liberty, Mo.

Parks Director Stephen Davis asserts he's serious about his plan to use a psychic to ferret out information from the county's most infamous son.

"It just might be a stupid thing to do but, then again, who knows what we might learn," Davis says.

Davis admits it will take a real pro in the psychic business, since the famous outlaw has been dead 97 years.

He's looking for someone with extraordinary mental abilities who might be able to contact James through a visit to the county-owned cabin near Kearney, Mo., where James was born in 1847.

His psychic search has been less than successful, so he released word this week that he's on the lookout for someone in the contact business.

It marks the most unusual research project attempted by his department since it took over as James historians 19 months ago. It was then that the county bought the outlaw's birthplace and 36 acres of land east of Kearney for a historical park.

Since then Milton Perry, curator for the historical site, has employed a variety of research methods — poring over books, talking to elderly residents, even digging up the outlaw's original grave in an effort to separate fact from trivia.

"I'm not sure what we could come up with that would have any credibility, but we thought it would be fun to get a group of people (with psychic powers) out at the farm and see what they could come up with," Perry said.

The psychic idea was inspired by a phone call to Jack Wymore, owner of the Jesse James Bank Museum in Liberty, from a California woman last January. She told Wymore she'd received a message from Frank and Jesse James.

"I don't hang this thing up with a pooh-pooh because there's too damned much we don't understand," Wymore said. "It's hard to understand the special powers that some people have. It's a gift."

## Work resumes at site of fatal Willow Island tower accident

WILLOW ISLAND, W.Va. (AP) — Construction crews have mounted scaffolding and have begun to pour concrete on a section of a cooling tower at a Willow Island power plant where 51 workers were killed last year.

Work resumed Wednesday just below where scaffolding ripped free in the accident, said Phil Cocco, spokesman for Research-Cottrell Inc. in Bound Brook, N.J., the main contractor on the project.

Construction workers laid concrete in rings, one atop the other to form the tower.

"They started this afternoon on the 27th ring," Cocco said.

"The 28th ring was the one that went down," he said.

The tower was about 170 feet high — about 40 percent complete — when the accident occurred in April 1978. Workers were pouring concrete when the scaffolding pulled loose.

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration has cited Research-Cottrell, Pittsburgh Testing Laboratories and United Engineers and Constructors with civil violations of federal safety law in the accident. The citations are being appealed.

Research-Cottrell has made some modifications in its construction method on the tower as a result of the accident. It is using a giant crane to haul material to the top, instead of a cathead system. The cathead system was one of the factors cited by OSHA in a preliminary report on the causes of the accident.

## Test firing of space shuttle delayed

BAY ST. LOUIS, Miss. (AP) — A test firing of a cluster of space shuttle engines probably will be delayed up to two weeks after a minute hydrogen leak was discovered in the system, officials say.

The test firing at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's National Space Technology Laboratories at Bay St. Louis was postponed Wednesday because of the leak, said Mack Herring, spokesman for facility.

The test, the sixth in a series of 12, was to have been conducted on a cluster of three engines mated with a simulated orbiter section and a huge external fuel tank, he said.

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