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Tax reformer crusades in Midland

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Howard Jarvis, author of California's tax-cutting Proposition 13, spoke to Midlanders at Midland Center Wednesday night about securing the rights of initiative and referendum. With Jarvis was former state

attorney general Waggoner Carr who represents Texas 13, a group designed to secure such rights in Texas. (Staff Photo by Brian Hendershot)

The size of Texas' state government and the cost of operating it are increasing faster than the population count. To put a hold on these numbers, Howard Jarvis was in Midland Wednesday advocating the right of initiative and referendum.

Jarvis, 78, author of Proposition 13 in California, held a news conference in The Midland Hilton and spoke at a public meeting in Midland Center during the evening. Traveling with Jarvis and drumming up support for Texas 13 was Waggoner Carr, former state attorney general and speaker of the Texas House.

Texas 13, explained Carr, is a non-profit organization of Texans dedicated to pushing through legislation allowing residents the right of initiative and referendum. Deane Stoltz of Midland is on the Texas 13 board.

Jarvis contended that citizens have two basic rights — the right to vote and the right to petition the government. The latter isn't allowed in Texas, he said.

In California, the right of initiative allows any citizen who wants to add a law to the books to write the legislation and obtain 550,000 signatures. Once this is done, the proposal goes before the voters, said Jarvis.

Although Jarvis wrote Proposition 13 in 1963, it wasn't until 1978 and many property tax increases later that the public took note. Previously, Jarvis had encountered difficulty getting enough qualified voters to sign the petition.

Instead of causing a decline in state services as some California legislators had claimed, the proposal "created 600,000 new jobs."

"I've never seen too much tax relief," he said vehemently. "Half of all you make goes for taxes. If you raise taxes, you create unemployment. We need to do everything to create employment."

He explained that although taxes have been cut, instead of decreasing state revenues, the cut in California created more jobs and thus more revenue.

Jarvis, who has been in demand for speaking engagements

throughout the country since the passage of Proposition 13, said taxes in his home state had increased so much that many people couldn't afford to pay taxes on their property. "They were foreclosing 7,000 properties a month for non-payment of taxes. It was just impossible to pay them. What had started at \$40 a month had gone up to \$160 a month."

To explain his theory that the "tax system here is manufacturing poor people very rapidly," Jarvis said he purchased an \$8,000 car last year. He had an organization research what all the taxes on that car cost, from the time the ore was dug for the body until it was delivered to the car lot. On that automobile, he said, \$4,500 of the price reflected taxes.

Unless a restraint is placed on the State Legislature through initiative, Jarvis forecasts a future of gloom for the nation. He talked with Britain's Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher recently, said Jarvis. She spoke of the problems with her country and said it is going down the drain.

But what bothers her more, according to Jarvis, "is that the U.S. is following England down that drain. Do you have the guts to do something about it?" he asked of the audience.

"Yes," replied a few of the 75 Midlanders in the room while others nodded their heads.

In supporting Jarvis's contention that government is costing too much, Carr claimed that cost of state government has gone up 158 percent in the past 10 years. Meanwhile, state population has risen only about 17 percent, he said.

The state welfare department has upped its cost 370 percent. And a study shows that 64 percent of state employees reported they didn't have enough work to keep them busy, Carr recited.

Today, 45 cents out of every dollar a person earns "is going to the tax collectors. By 1988," said Carr, "you will keep only 37 cents of each dollar. How are you going to live on 37 cents if you can't live on 55 cents?"

The state government has grown so large it no longer hears the taxpayer but turns its ears to the lobbyists, Carr charged.

He called for the taxpayers to unite and push for the right of initiative and "put reasonable restraints on state government."

Hostage meetings underway

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) — America's chief hostage negotiator, on a hastily arranged visit to Algeria that stirred fresh hopes for the release of 52 Americans held in Iran, met today with Algerian Foreign Minister Mohamed Behyahia.

Deputy Secretary of State Warren Christopher, who earlier said U.S. and Iranian positions appear a little bit closer, met for two hours with Behyahia. Neither side released any information on the meeting.

The Algerians are acting as inter-

mediaries in the U.S.-Iranian negotiations for release of the Americans. In Washington, Secretary of State Edmund S. Muskie said that the purpose of the Christopher mission was to provide the Algerians with a "full understanding" of the U.S. position.

Interviewed on the Cable News Network, Muskie said the fact that Iran had posed a series of questions about U.S. proposals indicated a "show of interest" in ending the crisis. But he added that it was not clear whether the questions "revealed the full scope

of our differences." Christopher arrived in Algiers earlier in the day. "I don't want to say anything more than I said in Washington," he told reporters at Houari Boumediene airport.

His arrival, the third such trip he has made to the Algerian capital, was first reported by Rehdia Malek, the Algerian ambassador to the United States who is currently in Tehran with two other Algerian intermediaries.

Malek told a reporter in the Iranian capital he and the other intermediaries had no plans to fly to Algiers today. "We are busy working," he said, meaning negotiations were still under way with the Iranians.

"The process is continuing and the distance between us, which is still measured in very large numbers, seems to be narrowing somewhat," Christopher told reporters Wednesday night as he left Washington to discuss the latest U.S. note to Iran with Behyahia.

Christopher added, however, that "serious problems remain, communications are difficult, and time is running out" for the Carter administration, which has only 12 days before President-elect Ronald Reagan takes office.

Another senior U.S. official, who asked not to be identified, said prospects for a breakthrough before Reagan's inauguration Jan. 20 were "very small indeed."

Meanwhile, Reagan refused to

guarantee he would implement any unfulfilled promises left by the Carter administration.

"I would have to look and see exactly what had been done. I don't want to write a blank check here," the president-elect told reporters in Washington.

U.S. officials said Christopher would elaborate on the U.S. reply sent Wednesday to questions transmitted by Algeria from Iran about the substance and mechanics of the U.S. proposal to set up an escrow account in Algiers with several billion dollars in frozen Iranian assets. The money would be released when the 52 hostages, spending their 432nd day in captivity today, were freed.

Last month the Iranians demanded that the United States put \$14 billion in the Algerian Central Bank to ensure that the estimated \$8 billion to \$14 billion in Iranian assets frozen by the United States is eventually released, and that it deposit an additional \$10 billion to guarantee that any assets of the late Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi in the United States would be turned over to Iran.

But \$5 billion or more of the frozen Iranian assets are blocked by U.S. courts that are hearing claims against the Iranian government by American firms and individuals. And the U.S. government has no control over the shah's wealth and is not known to have offered any financial guarantees to Iran regarding it.

Bodies of two Iran men found in wreckage of plane

IRAAN (AP) — The bodies of two Iran men were discovered Wednesday in the wreckage of a single engine plane that crashed about three miles east of this Southwest Texas town, authorities said.

The Bellanca plane took off from the Iraan airport about 6:15 a.m. Tuesday, but the wreckage was not discovered until shortly after 11 a.m. Wednesday, said Texas Department

of Public Safety and Federal Aviation Administration officials.

A DPS official identified the dead as Eugene Clemons and Lloyd Keith Blakeslet, 42, both of Iraan.

He said the plane was en route to Wichita Falls. An FAA spokesman in Fort Worth, however, said it was headed for Amarillo, but that no flight plan was filed.

Federal authorities were investigating the crash site Wednesday.

Amvets here want signatures on petition to Iranian people

By SUE FAHLGREN
Staff Writer

Jim Baker of Amvets Post No. 7 on Rankin Highway wants to give the Iranians a piece of his mind.

Baker is collecting Midlanders' signatures on a statement to be telegraphed to the Iranian students demanding the release of the 52 American hostages there.

Baker, who once carried a petition for the hostages' release some 350 miles as he walked from New York to Washington D.C., said the hostage situation has "gotten out of hand." He advocates sending a petition from the American people to the Iranian people in lieu of government confrontations which have been virtually ignored by those holding the hostages captive.

Baker said the students who send broadcasts "to inform the American people" should get a message from Americans saying, "the American people are informed (and) we demand the unconditional release of the American hostages."

After collecting signatures — at a charge of about 50 cents per person — Baker plans to send a telegram to the students Jan. 19, "the day prior to the inauguration." The charge is to cover the expense of adding the name to the telegram, he said. "Nobody's making a profit here."

Baker wants to involve other communities and states in his campaign for the hostage surrender. He plans to speak on radio shows to obtain publicity for his cause.

"The governments have gone back and forth (on the issue of release)," Baker said. "We need to let the Iranian Revolution know that the American people — strictly separate from the government — want the American people (hostages) back. If we the people let the Iranian people know," he added the hostages might have a better chance.

Persons wishing to add their signatures to the telegram campaign may do so at the Amvets center on Rankin Highway. Baker said schools and businesses may participate by collecting signatures and money which will be added to the list at the Amvets center.

"We would like to get a unified 100 percent American program," Baker said. "We don't want it associated with the government or any particular person. We just want one telegram just stating: We demand the unconditional release of the hostages."

Granville was not shy about taking responsibility for the drop. Reached by The Associated Press late Wednesday, he said it could be "totally traced" to him.

Hours before, the legions of investors and stockbrokers who make up his avid following — the "Granville groupies," as one Wall Streeter refers to them — had spread the word through the investment world.

He had recommended to his telephone subscribers that they sell out all their stock holdings, and even go short — sell stock borrowed from brokers, in hopes of profiting from price declines — on those stocks that had gained the most ground in recent months. Many people clearly followed his advice.

By one standard of the established order on Wall Street, Granville is a maverick. His weekly market letter, which at last report had some 11,000 readers at a price of \$250 a year, is regularly peppered with jibes at orthodox economists and money managers.

They are, in his description, "bagholders" — losers in the investment game.

For most of the year, Granville takes his message on the road in "shows," usually sponsored by local brokers, across the country and abroad. Between now and the end of February, he has dates in such diverse places as Garden Grove, Calif.; Dayton,

Ohio; and Vancouver, British Columbia.

In these appearances, Granville fills his presentations with exotic showmanship — jokes, ringing bells, puppets, plus a musical composition of his own called "The Bagholder Blues."

Because of this, even one Wall Street analyst who professes to admire some of Granville's work in analyzing the market describes him as "a snake-oil salesman. He can mesmerize an audience like an evangelist."

Many Wall Streeters also bridle at his practice of suddenly shifting opinions on the market outlook. When he helped touch off a 30.72-point jump in the Dow Jones industrials last April 22 with a buy recommendation to his "early warning" subscribers, critics point out, those who received only his regular letter still had his previous negative views.

At present, they add, the most recent issue of the letter, dated Jan. 3, is emphatically bullish. "Straight up," it is titled. It advises new subscribers to "do some aggressive new buying. The market is signaling a sharp upswing ahead."

More is likely to be heard from his detractors in the days ahead, given the stunning impact his sell message had.

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Weather

Decreasing cloudiness tonight. High Friday near 60. Details on Page 2A.

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Want Ads..... 682-6222
Other Calls..... 682-5311

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685-1190

Bill would cut property tax, increase sales levy

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Property taxpayers in Midland would receive more than \$1.4 million in tax relief while local sales tax revenues would increase by more than \$2.9 million under a plan by Victoria Rep. John Sharp to substitute sales tax revenues for property tax revenues.

Sharp has prefiled a proposed constitutional amendment (HJR 16) to authorize exemption of residence homesteads from taxes for any purpose other than retirement of bonded indebtedness.

Also prefiled by the second-term lawmaker is HB 317, a bill to make up the revenues lost from the exemptions by allowing cities and counties to split a one-cent increase in the sales tax.

The bill also provides for reimbursement to school districts of \$350 million by the state to further reduce property taxes.

An exhibit prepared by Sharp's staff shows the following effects of the proposal for communities in the Midland area:

Midland County, 1979 property taxes, \$3,343,622.47; revenue loss from tax relief to homesteads, \$966,724.49; revenue gain from sales tax, \$1,233,165.28; net surplus, \$566,446.79.

Midland, 1979 taxes, \$5,231,215.71; percentage of bonded indebtedness, 19.05 percent; revenue loss, \$1,482,134.19; revenue gain, \$2,962,416.75; net surplus, \$1,480,282.56.

Ector County, 1979 taxes, \$6,576,299.84; revenue loss, \$1,314,059.97; revenue gain, \$3,770,471.13; net surplus, \$2,456,411.16.

Odessa, 1979 taxes, \$6,500,626.55; percentage of bonded indebtedness, 8.99 percent; revenue loss, \$2,070,677.08; revenue gain, \$2,586,400.50; net surplus, \$513,723.48.

Goldsmith, 1979 taxes, \$6,073.99; net loss, \$2,125.90 (other figures not given).

When he talks, everybody listens

NEW YORK (AP) — His critics call him a "clown" and a "Wizard of Oz type," but few people can shake up the stock market the way Joseph E. Granville can.

If there was any doubt about that, it was removed on Wednesday, after the Holly Hill, Fla., investment adviser recommended in his telephone "early warning service" that subscribers dump all the stocks they owned.

As the market opened, it was inundated with sell orders that forced trading delays in more than 100 stocks.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, which had soared past the 1,000 level Tuesday to its highest closing level in more than four years, abruptly turned around and plummeted.

By mid-afternoon Wednesday, the Dow was down more than 30 points. Even after a modest rally before the close, the Dow still showed a 23.80-point loss, to 980.99, wiping out a large portion of the nearly 41-point gain it had built up in the first three trading days of 1981.

Trading volume reached record levels of \$2.89 billion shares at the New York Stock Exchange, eclipsing the previous high of \$4.06 billion last Nov. 5, and 15.76 billion shares at the American Stock Exchange.



Joseph Granville looks over predictions he made in his book on stock market strategy. (AP Laserphoto)

WEATHER SUMMARY



Cold weather is forecast today through Friday from the northern Plains through most of the Midwest and into the Northeast and mid-Atlantic states. It is expected to be warmer in Florida and the Southwest. Snow flurries and showers are forecast for the Pacific Northwest, with snow due in Minnesota, the Dakotas and the Carolinas. (AP Laserphoto)

Midland statistics

WEATHER FORECAST

Decreasing cloudiness tonight with a low in the lower 30s. Partly cloudy Friday with high near 60. Winds will be light and variable through Friday.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE

Yesterday's High: 30 degrees
 Overnight Low: 34 degrees
 Forecast today: 49 to 60
 Sunrise tomorrow: 7:56 a.m.
 Precipitation: 0 inches
 Last 24 hours: 0 inches
 This month to date: 0 inches
 1981 to date: 0 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

11 a.m.	50	4 p.m.	52
1 p.m.	51	7 p.m.	49
3 p.m.	52	9 p.m.	47
5 p.m.	53	11 p.m.	45
7 p.m.	54	1 a.m.	43
9 p.m.	55	3 a.m.	41
11 p.m.	56	5 a.m.	39
1 a.m.	57	7 a.m.	37
3 a.m.	58	9 a.m.	35
5 a.m.	59	11 a.m.	33
7 a.m.	60	1 p.m.	31
9 a.m.	61	3 p.m.	29
11 a.m.	62	5 a.m.	27
1 p.m.	63	7 a.m.	25
3 p.m.	64	9 a.m.	23
5 a.m.	65	11 a.m.	21
7 a.m.	66	1 p.m.	19
9 a.m.	67	3 p.m.	17
11 a.m.	68	5 a.m.	15
1 p.m.	69	7 a.m.	13
3 p.m.	70	9 a.m.	11
5 a.m.	71	11 a.m.	9

SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES:

Arlington	57	41
Denver	59	33
Amesbury	58	34
El Paso	57	42
Fl. Worth	58	35
Houston	59	37
Lubbock	58	44
Marfa	58	43
Odessa	59	37
Wichita Falls	58	43

The weather elsewhere

Thursday

City	Hi	Lo	Pre	Obs
Albany	49	31	cl	
Albuquerque	49	31	cl	
Annapolis	41	34	cl	
Ashville	41	34	cl	
Ashville	41	34	cl	
Atlanta	41	34	cl	
Atlanta City	41	34	cl	
Baltimore	41	34	cl	
Birmingham	41	34	cl	
Bismarck	41	34	cl	
Boston	41	34	cl	
Boston	41	34	cl	
Bryn Mawr	41	34	cl	
Buffalo	41	34	cl	
Charlottesville	41	34	cl	
Charlottesville	41	34	cl	
Chicago	41	34	cl	
Cincinnati	41	34	cl	
Cleveland	41	34	cl	
Columbus	41	34	cl	
Dallas	41	34	cl	
Denver	41	34	cl	
Des Moines	41	34	cl	
Detroit	41	34	cl	
Duluth	41	34	cl	
El Paso	41	34	cl	
Harford	41	34	cl	
Houston	41	34	cl	
Houston	41	34	cl	
Indianapolis	41	34	cl	
Jacksonville	41	34	cl	
Juneau	41	34	cl	
Las Vegas	41	34	cl	
Little Rock	41	34	cl	
Los Angeles	41	34	cl	
Louisville	41	34	cl	
Madison	41	34	cl	
Miami	41	34	cl	
Memphis	41	34	cl	
Minneapolis	41	34	cl	
Nashville	41	34	cl	
New Orleans	41	34	cl	
New York	41	34	cl	
North	41	34	cl	
Omaha	41	34	cl	
Philadelphia	41	34	cl	
Phoenix	41	34	cl	
Pittsburgh	41	34	cl	
Plymouth	41	34	cl	
Rapid City	41	34	cl	
San Antonio	41	34	cl	
San Diego	41	34	cl	
Seattle	41	34	cl	
St. Louis	41	34	cl	
St. Paul	41	34	cl	
Tampa	41	34	cl	
Tulsa	41	34	cl	
Washington	41	34	cl	

Texas temperatures

City	High	Low	Pop
Arlington	57	41	
Alice	58	42	
Alpine	59	43	
Amarillo	58	42	
Austin	59	43	
Beaumont	58	42	
Brewster	59	43	
Childress	58	42	
College Station	59	43	
Corpus Christi	58	42	
Dallas	59	43	
Del Rio	58	42	
El Paso	57	41	
Fort Worth	59	43	
Galveston	58	42	
Houston	59	43	
Jefferson	58	42	
Lubbock	58	42	
Marfa	58	42	
McAllen	59	43	
Midland	58	42	
Mineral Wells	59	43	
Palacios	58	42	
Prentiss	59	43	
San Angelo	58	42	
San Antonio	59	43	
Seagraves	58	42	
Stephenville	59	43	
Tyler	58	42	
Victoria	59	43	
Waco	58	42	
Wichita Falls	58	42	
Wink	59	43	

Extended forecasts

Saturday Through Monday

West Texas: Partly cloudy with above seasonal temperatures. Highs upper 50s and low 40s north to 50s south. Lows mainly 30s except low 40s extreme south.

North Texas: Clear to partly cloudy with only minor day to day temperature changes. Highs 50s. Lows 30s.

Decreasing cloudiness anticipated

There's still no rain for 1981 and, according to the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport, and the chance of precipitation will disappear tonight.

A mild 20 percent chance of rain Wednesday night through today showed nothing more than a few clouds.

The cloudiness should decrease to

night and remain partly cloudy on Friday.

The low tonight should be in the low 30s, with light and variable winds through Friday. Friday's high should be near 60.

Wednesday's high of 58 was much cooler than the record 75 degrees set in 1965. This morning's low of 36 was quite a bit warmer than the record 10 degrees set in 1967.

Refiners raising wholesale prices

By The Associated Press

Refiners across the country say they are raising wholesale prices of home heating oil as much as a nickel a gallon and wholesale prices of gaso-

line a penny or 1.5 cents a gallon following jumps in crude oil prices.

"The recent substantial increase in foreign crude oil prices and the continuing price decontrol on domestic crude" were main reasons for Shell Oil Co.'s 2 cents-a-gallon increase in

Mutilation allegations again denied

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — The commander of an Israeli unit that killed five Palestinian guerrillas in Lebanon on Christmas Day, today denied charges by U.N. peacekeeping troops that his men had mutilated the guerrillas' bodies.

The officer told reporters the five bodies were intact when the Israeli detachment re-entered southern Lebanon on Dec. 29 and brought them to Israel for burial. The army command said the corpses had been turned over to the police and buried in northern Israel.

The United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon, UNIFIL, has claimed a Dutch unit saw the Israelis pile up the bodies and explode them shortly after a clash near Majdal Zum, a Lebanese village three miles north of the Israel-Lebanon border.

The U.N. statement on the incident was released on Jan. 2, four days after the Israelis reportedly brought the remains to Israel.

The 29-year-old lieutenant colonel, whose first name, Ofer, was all that was released for publication, said his unit had been on the Israeli side of the border when the Palestinians were spotted inside Lebanon. He said the Israeli soldiers went after them and cornered the five in a small cave where there was a short clash.

Israeli troops threw grenades, and the explosions blew all five Palestinians out of the cave, the colonel said. The Israelis searched the bodies — four were completely intact and one had suffered a massive head wound — and found documents from Fatah, the main fighting group of the Palestine Liberation Organization, the officer said. He said they received radioed instructions to blow up the guerrillas' ammunition and leave the bodies.

Three charges were used on the colonel, he said, speculating that from a distance the U.N. troops might have thought the explosions were destroying the bodies.

Four days later, he said, he was ordered to return to the scene and retrieve the bodies when neither Lebanese villagers nor the U.N. troops buried them.

A rabbi from the army chaplain's command accompanied the troops to make sure the bodies were handled correctly, he said.

Farm labor suit filed

The federal government has lodged a \$1,775 civil suit against Nicolas Ortiz, an Odessa farm labor contractor, whom the government contends has violated the Farm Labor Contractor Registration Act of 1963.

The suit was filed this week in federal court in Midland by U.S. Attorney Jamie Boyd in behalf of the Department of Labor.

The suit is the result of a 2 1/2-month investigation in 1977 by an agent of the Department of Labor.

The funds the government seeks in the suit cover penalties for seven alleged violations by Ortiz. Those violations include his alleged failure to maintain required records, failure to carry vehicle insurance, failure to disclose certain information to farm workers, failure to maintain posting at worksite, and failure to hold an authorization certificate while transporting farm workers.

The petition says that Ortiz did not respond to the notice, that he allegedly violated the act, that he did not request an agency hearing to counter the government's claims and that he did not pay the \$1,775 in fines.

The assessing of penalties for the alleged violations "does not preclude the taking of other enforcement action" by the U.S. Department of Labor, the petition says.

Ortiz' Odessa address is listed as 616 S. Texas Ave.

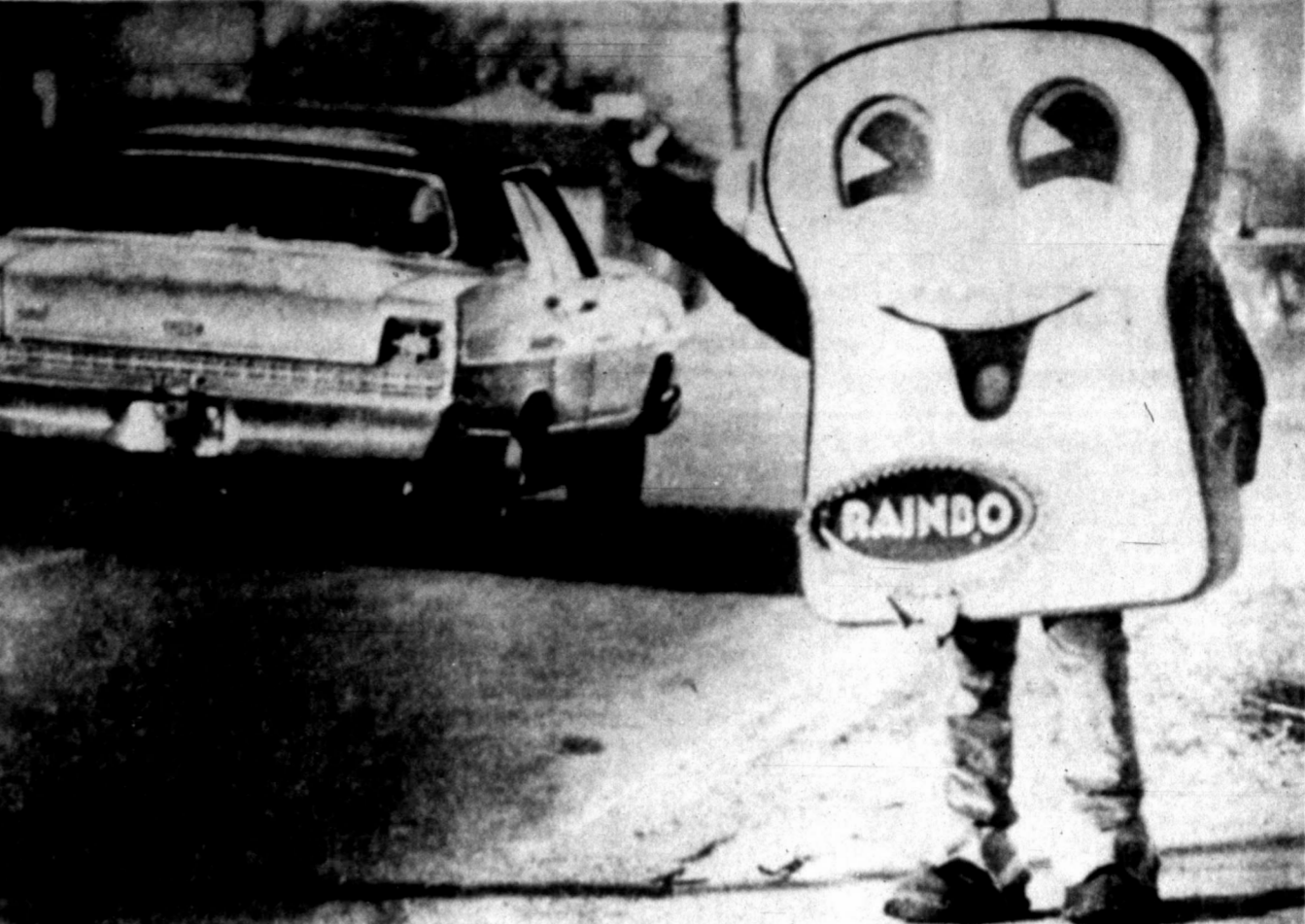
Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Considerable cloudiness with a slight chance of light rain or showers today. Decreasing cloudiness tonight, partly cloudy Friday. Highs 50s except near 70 Big Bend. Lows 30 to 36. Highs Friday 50s and 60s except near 70 Big Bend.

North Texas: Mostly cloudy and cool through Friday with slight chance of rain mainly south ending from west tonight and Friday. Decreasing cloudiness west Friday. Highs 50s. Lows 30 to 41.

South Texas: Increasing cloudiness today, becoming mostly cloudy tonight and Friday. A chance of light rain mainly south today and over all sections tonight and Friday. Highs upper 50s north to upper 60s south. Lows 40s north to 50s south.

Fort Arthur to Port O'Connor: Mostly easterly winds near 10 knots through Friday. Seas 2 to 4 feet. Scattered areas of light rain mainly tonight and Friday.



Motorists on Highway 6 in Hastings, Neb., encountered this crusty pedestrian Wednesday as they passed Gas N'Shop. Jess Vetrovsky, dressed

as a slice of bread, beckons customers to share "a slice of life" with him at the grand opening of the store's new building. (AP Laserphoto)

Former CIA operative sentenced for selling intelligence secrets

BALTIMORE (AP) — David H. Barnett, a former CIA operative, was sentenced to 18 years in prison today for selling intelligence secrets to the Soviets for \$92,600.

"I don't think there is any question you did harm to this country," said U.S. District Judge Frank Kaufman.

Kaufman said the sentence was intended to deter others from selling intelligence secrets. The maximum sentence for espionage is life in prison.

Barnett pleaded guilty last Oct. 29 to a single count of transmitting information to a foreign power. The plea came as part of a bargain with the federal government.

The government had agreed not to make any recommendation for sentence but made a statement detailing Barnett's crime.

"Mr. Barnett did not withhold the lion's share of the information he had about the American intelligence community," said Assistant U.S. Attorney David D. Queen.

"The most damaging information in the hands of Mr. Barnett, in the opinion of CIA analysts, was transmitted to the KGB," Queen added in the statement at Barnett's sentencing.

Kaufman told Barnett: "I am perfectly willing today to accept what you state, namely that you did not pass everything you knew on to the Soviets and you didn't do everything they asked you to do.

"Nevertheless, you did convey to them enough to get you \$90,000. And, if everybody who had the kind of information you had, Mr. Barnett, takes it on themselves to pass on some of the information that they knew, then this country is in danger."

Barnett told Kaufman he had nothing to say.

When he pleaded guilty last October in U.S. District Court here, Barnett, a 47-year-old father of three from Bethesda, Md., who runs an import-export business, was described as a debt-ridden former CIA agent whose actions had sparked a KGB operation spanning three continents.

George Matava, a Justice Department lawyer, had described the allegations against Barnett, during the early stages of his trial last fall — before the plea bargain was reached.

Matava said then that the government would prove Barnett left the

CIA in 1970 in hopes of making more money. He then failed as a businessman in Indonesia, Matava said, and more than \$100,000 in debt, turned to the Soviet KGB in 1976 to sell U.S. secrets.

Over the next 3 1/2 years, Barnett proved an indifferent Soviet spy, Matava said. He lied to the KGB, disobeyed orders, failed to meet goals and was caught by the FBI.

But Barnett did reveal the names of 30 CIA undercover agents, several foreign CIA collaborators and details of a CIA undercover operation known as HA-BRINK, then "one of its highest priority operations," the government said.

Matava said HA-BRINK obtained manuals and plans from almost every weapon the Soviets had supplied to one nation — not named by Matava but identified by sources as Indonesia.

Because of Barnett, Matava said, the Soviets probably have issued tactical orders to counter the U.S. Navy's knowledge about how long Soviet submarines can stay submerged.

Soon after Barnett offered his services for \$70,000 to the Soviet cultural attaché in Jakarta, Indonesia, he gave information to an agent called "Dmitriy," who paid him \$25,000, the government said.

Later, the KGB pressed Barnett to get back into intelligence work with the CIA or another government agency, Matava said, eventually paying him a total of \$92,600.

Barnett resisted trying for a CIA job for fear a lie detector test would disclose he was a Soviet spy, Matava said, but did agree to try to get congressional or White House jobs. Those efforts failed.

The CIA took Barnett back as a part-time contract employee in Washington in January 1979 to train agents, and three months later, he was in contact with the KGB.

Man reports theft of tools; Most fire calls false alarms

An estimated \$4,000 in stolen tools were reported to police Wednesday.

Reggie Weeks told officers that he parked his pickup in the Super Bowl parking lot, 3920 W. Wall Ave., between 8:30 and 11:30 p.m. Tuesday. He then drove home, 4715 Ric Drive, and parked the pickup in the street.

On Wednesday he discovered that two tool boxes, an assortment of tools, hand calibrator, jack, hand regulators and 100 feet of oxygen and acetylene were missing.

A 22-year-old woman was in City Jail this morning on charges of possession of a dangerous drug.

Officers stopped a pickup, in which the woman was a passenger, at 1:25 a.m. today in the 3200 block of West Front Street. The car pulled into a parking lot, and the driver was arrested for being drunk. The woman was asked to get out of the car.

The officer was in the process of arresting the woman for also being drunk when she took her hand out of her coat pocket and raised it to her mouth, according to reports. The officer said he grabbed her hand and a pill fell to the ground.

The pill was identified as Preludin, police said.

Two accidents Wednesday resulted in minor injuries to five Midlanders.

At 3:49 p.m. in the 700 block of South Midland Drive, Dora Sanders Frazier of 715 S. Lincoln St. and Yolanda Jimenez of Lubbock were both northbound on Midland Drive. Their vehicles collided in the 700 block of Midland Drive, injuring 4-year-old

Three Louisiana men arrested in kidnap-slaying of girl, 14

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — Three young men were arrested in the kidnap-slaying of a 14-year-old girl, who was last seen alive two months ago when she got into a car with four men.

Virginia Smith disappeared on Nov. 1, and her body was found on Dec. 6 on a levee behind a pasture in a rural area of Bossier Parish.

Charged in Shreveport with kidnapping were Allen K. Gaskin, 17; Steven Seth Scott, 20, and James Earl Thomley 18, all of Shreveport.

Bossier-Webster District Attorney Henry Brown said Wednesday night that all three will be transferred to Bossier Parish Friday for arraignment on charges of second-degree murder.

The victim was black, the three men are white.

Details of the investigation, the motive and the cause of death were not released.

Thomley was arrested on Dec. 20 following a police chase, during which shots were fired, that followed the robbery of a filling station.

Police said that when they caught

Police, Fire Roundup

way The two vehicles collided at the intersection of Andrews Highway and West Louisiana Avenue.

Injured were Klemppner and his passenger, Jessie Klemppner, 76, also of 3208 Sentinel. Both were taken to Midland Memorial Hospital emergency room where they were treated and released.

Black and his passenger, Craig Calley of 2207 Huntington St., were injured but refused medical treatment at the scene.

Firemen kept busy Wednesday night, but the calls turned out to be mostly false alarms.

Water leaking in the old Sears building at Cuthbert Street and Midkiff Road set off the fire alarm at 12:40 a.m. today. And at 10:26 p.m. Wednesday, a closed fireplace damper at 4403 Roosevelt Ave. resulted in yet another fire alert.

A controlled burn at 3:44 p.m. Wednesday, sent firement out to County Road 1160 North and East Highway 80.

Man reports theft of tools; Most fire calls false alarms

Danni Carter, a passenger in the Frazier vehicle.

Medical treatment was refused at the scene.

Four people were injured in an accident at 6:57 p.m. Wednesday.

According to police, Gustaf Robert Klemppner, 3208 Sentinel Ave., was southbound on Andrews Highway and Ronald Craig Black of 2518 Gulf Ave. was northbound on Andrews Highway.

Pulling unit, testing truck damaged in Andrews oil field fire; None hurt

ANDREWS — An oil field pulling unit and testing truck burned Wednesday around noon at Midland Farms outside of Andrews. There were no injuries in the fire, but estimated equipment loss was set at approximately \$200,000.

Cause of the fire was attributed to a slip of paper which had been used to light a gas stove in a trailer and then thrown outside, a spokesman for the Andrews Volunteer Fire Department said.

The incident occurred as the men who were overhauling an oil well

were getting ready for lunch. The fire started when the slip of paper ignited on the ground.

The men were unable to keep the fire from spreading and they called the Andrews Volunteer Fire Department. The fire was put out in 30 to 45 minutes, the fire department spokesman said.

Damage occurred to the pulling unit, which was being used to overhaul the well, owned by Prince Well Service and a truck owned by Basin Testers. Both companies are located in Andrews.

Two injured in refinery explosion

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — An apparent explosion ripped through a petroleum refinery early today, setting two gasoline tanks on fire and injuring two workers, fire officials said.

R.K. Gibson, assistant fire chief, said two unidentified employees of the Southwestern Refinery were injured.

Four fire units responded to the call about 4:08 a.m. and found three large gasoline storage tanks on fire, he said. The tanks have a 100,000 to 200,000 barrel capacity.

Firemen still were fighting the blaze in one tank at about 8 a.m., Gibson said.

heating and diesel fuel prices east of the Rocky Mountains, said Kitty Borah, a Shell spokesman in Houston.

Other companies confirming wholesale price increases Wednesday included Standard Oil Co. (Indiana), Gulf Oil Corp., Sun Co. Inc., Scallop Petroleum Co., Conoco Inc. and Clark Oil & Refining Co.

Most gasoline price increases amounted to a penny or 1.5 cents a gallon, while heating oil and diesel fuel price increases generally were in the range of 1 cent to 3 cents a gallon. Clark, a Milwaukee-based refiner serving 13 Midwest states, said it raised heating oil and diesel fuel prices 5 cents a gallon.

The latest wholesale gasoline price increases may not be fully reflected at service stations because demand has been weak following earlier boosts in prices. But analysts said homeowners are likely to continue to see heating oil prices climb.

"The vast majority of (heating oil) dealers are going to pass these increases right on through," said Doug O'Boyle, editor of the trade newspaper U.S. Oil Week. "Because of the cold weather, demand is increasing," he added.

Saudi Arabia, Venezuela and several other members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries recently raised crude oil prices by \$2 to \$4 per 42-gallon barrel. OPEC oil ministers last month decided to let the cartel's oil prices rise about 10 per-

cent following a 150 percent jump since the end of 1978.

The lifting of federal price controls from domestic oil production, meanwhile, is adding about 1.5 cents a gallon each month to refiners' costs. The price controls started to expire last January and will be eliminated by Oct. 1.

In New York City, the city's Department of Consumer Affairs said the average retail price of a gallon of heating oil had risen to \$1.115 as of Dec. 30, up from \$1.0414 a gallon in November. By Monday, the department said, dealers were quoting prices of \$1.06 to \$1.15 a gallon.

Scallop Petroleum, a Royal Dutch-Shell Group subsidiary, said its 2 cents-a-gallon heating oil increase this week raised the price of a wholesale cargo of the fuel to 93.25 cents a gallon, up 10.5 cents a gallon since September 26.

Among others: Indiana Standard's Amoco gasoline rose 1 to 2 cents a gallon and heating fuel climbed 2 to 3 cents a gallon, depending on region; Sun's heating oil rose a penny to 2 cents a gallon and gasoline was up 1 to 1.5 cents a gallon in sections of the East and Midwest; Shell's heating oil rose 2 cents a gallon east of the Rocky Mountains; and Gulf's heating oil gained 3 cents a gallon in the same regions.

Tenneco Inc. said it raised heating oil prices 2 cents a gallon and Conoco Inc. increased gasoline prices 1 cent a gallon in several areas.

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New Polish confrontation shaping up

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — A new confrontation between Poland's independent labor movement and the communist government appears to be taking shape over the 40-hour work week.

The presidium of Solidarity, the nation's largest independent union with about 10 million members, was expected to give final approval today to a demand for a five-day, 40-hour work week with no reduction in pay.

The government, seeking a solution to the nation's grave economic problems, says the country cannot afford the 40-hour week yet.

Deputy Premier Mieczyslaw Jagielski, who negotiated the agreements that ended last summer's wave of strikes and recognized the workers' right to form unions free of Communist Party control, said in a television appearance that the government was standing by its counterproposals.

They call for either two Saturdays off each month or all Saturdays free but with an extra 30 minutes on the job each day.

"Not everyone was unanimous in this complicated matter," Jagielski said. "However, taking into account all factual arguments, a close study of the possibilities and the economic aspects basic for every citizen, the government expects that its decision will meet with understanding on the part of the crews and trade unions."

Solidarity claims the Gdansk strike settlement on Aug. 31 promised a five-day work week with no extension of the working day.

Meanwhile, the government was grappling with a regional labor dispute in the southeastern corner of the country 10 miles from the Soviet border.

Workers and farmers occupying a government building in the town of Ustrzynki Dolne refused to negotiate with a government delegation led by Stanislaw Ciosek, a minister without portfolio responsible for trade union affairs.

Jan Wolinski, a spokesman for Solidarity's regional office in nearby Rzeszow, claimed the government delegation "cannot undertake any decision and is not authorized to sign any agreements."

He said the militants would not negotiate until the Warsaw government dispatched a "competent commission" to deal with their complaint that local authorities were harassing Solidarity activists.

About 70 farmers and workers took over the administrative building in Ustrzynki on Dec. 29. Workers in 17 local enterprises staged a one-hour sympathy strike Tuesday.

A student protest loomed in Lodz, Poland's second largest city. Dissident sources said students in the law and administrative colleges were threatening a sit-in Friday unless the regime agreed to some 30 demands. They include freedom for political prisoners, screening of a controversial film on last summer's strikes in the Baltic seaport of Gdansk and curbs on the security services.



Solidarity leader Lech Walesa, left, meets with members of Solidarity in Gdansk, Poland. A new labor conflict sharpened as militant workers and farmers in a town near the

Soviet border refused to negotiate with a government commission dispatched to hear their grievances. (AP Laserphoto)

DEATHS

Louie Harrell

RIVERSIDE, Calif. — Services for Louie Charles Harrell of Salem, Ore., brother of Mrs. J. Webb Sellers of Midland, will be at 10 a.m. Friday at the national cemetery for servicemen near Riverside, Calif.

He died Sunday in a hospital in a U.S. Army hospital after a brief illness.

Harrell was born Aug. 7, 1904, in Mississippi. He served in World War II and the Korean War and retired as a chief warrant officer in the U.S. Navy.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, two sisters, a brother, six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Sheppard Funeral Home. Mrs. Keading died Monday in Ozona.

She was born July 15, 1900, in Robert Lee. She was married to Frank Keading Jan. 28, 1920. She was preceded in death by her husband and a son, J.F. Keading.

Survivors include a sister, Lillie Pittman of Bronte, and eight grandchildren.

Isabelle Walker

Isabelle Walker, 78, 2901 W. Ohio Ave., died Tuesday in a Midland nursing home following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 3, 1902, in Washington, D.C., where she also grew up. She moved to Midland in May of 1977 from Hartford, Conn., where she had lived for many years. She was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

Survivors include a son, James E. Walker of Midland and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

Evie G. Keading

BIG LAKE — Services for Evie G. Latham Keading, 80, of Big Lake, will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Big Lake Methodist Church. Burial will follow in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens at San Angelo under the direction of

Hunts buying in Canada

VANCOUVER, British Columbia (AP) — Money from the billionaire Hunt brothers of Texas is gushing into Western Canada.

Nelson Bunker, William and Lamar Hunt invested \$93 million in Western Canadian mineral properties in a buying binge this week and New York bankers say the brothers have been given the go-ahead to purchase holdings in "at least a half a dozen mining ventures."

This week's buying involved three Western Canadian mining concerns, but a spokesman for Hunt Energy Corp. of Dallas would not confirm or deny that other approved acquisitions also involve Canadian properties.

The Vancouver-based Inveq group said it sold royalty interests in two of its mining properties Tuesday to Procan Exploration Co., the Hunt brothers' Calgary-based partnership.

The same day, Cadillac Explorations Ltd. of Calgary said it sold Procan a 40 percent royalty interest in some of its mining claims and leases for \$55 million.

The purchases came one day after the Hunts bought for \$35 million a 50 percent royalty interest in certain mining claims and leases in the Northwest Territories owned by Terra Mining and Exploration Co. A royalty interest is a percentage of

net profit, as opposed to a working interest which gives the owner the right to put the mine into production.

Terra operates three high-grade silver mines in the Camsell River district near Great Bear Lake, 250 miles northwest of Yellowknife. The Silver Bear Mine and the North Mine (parallel vein systems about 440 yards apart) are wholly owned, while Norex Mine, about seven miles east, is 50 percent owned by Terra.

Alan Savage, president of Inveq Resources, said Procan agreed to provide \$1.5 million for exploration and development required at its Kelly Creek copper and silver property near Terrace in northwest British Columbia.

The Kelly Creek property is a joint venture between Inveq Resources and Cathedral Minerals Ltd., which in turn is controlled by Inveq.

Procan has also spent \$1.75 million on a royalty interest in Imperial Metals and Power. Under the agreement, Imperial will core drill its Groundhog coalfield licenses to establish whether mineable reserves of thermal coal exist.

Before the Hunts embarked on their spending spree, they needed to get permission from Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. of New York and First National Bank in Dallas under the terms of a \$1.1 billion refinancing program to bail the brothers out of a disastrous foray into the silver market last year.

The Hunt brothers bought considerable amounts of silver in 1979, including a contract to buy 19 million ounces at \$35 an ounce. But when the speculative market began to crumble, the Hunts failed to meet the margin calls

Houston won't wave flag

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston City Council has turned down a request for \$900 to hire an instructor to teach a course in flag-waving.

The proposal suggested that an instructor from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches come to Houston and give 30 workers in the wastewater division lessons on how to be flagmen.

Councilman Dale Gorczynski said, "It's no big deal, \$900. But it's a principle." The course would have included lessons in "The flagman, who he is and what he does," "The flagman versus Environment," "The flagman versus humans" and "The flagman versus vehicles."

Derailment forces evacuation

ADDIS, La. (AP) — Officials of this Louisiana town, where the derailment of four chemical tanker cars forced a brief evacuation of all residents, say they had complained to federal officials months ago about the area's frequent rail troubles.

Four railroad tanks cars carrying 30,000 gallons of toxic anhydrous ammonia derailed in a switching yard Wednesday, and two overturned. There was no leak.

It was Addis' 22nd derailment of cars carrying hazardous material in just over a year, said Mayor Carroll Bourgeois.

"We wrote to the federal authorities. They came and found some discrepancies, and we were under the impression that it was all taken care of," Bourgeois said. "And here we are 77 days later with another one."

The latest accident forced the temporary evacuation of all 1,300 residents of this community near Baton Rouge. A crane righted the two cars without incident within a few hours, and everyone was allowed to return home.

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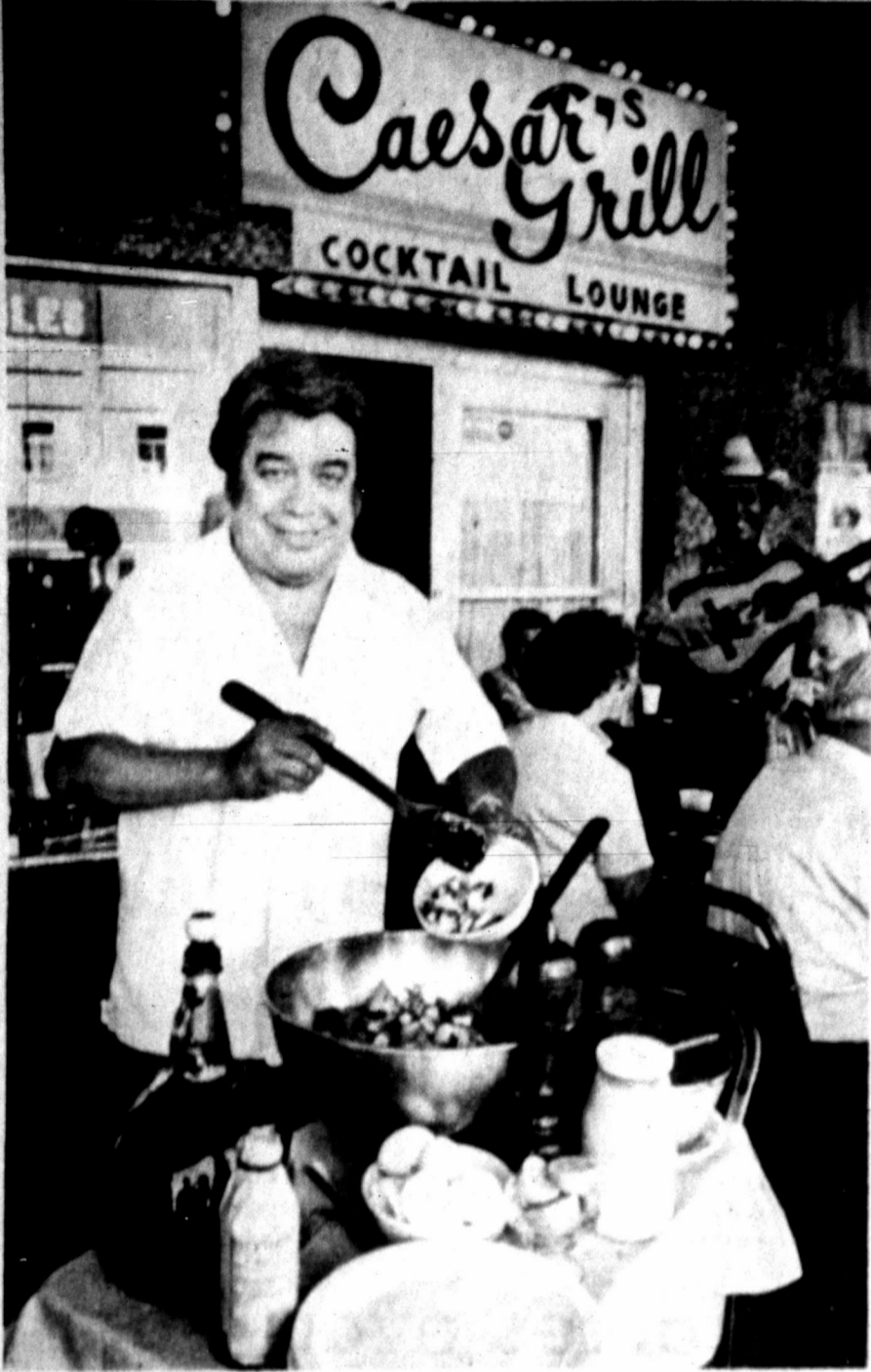
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Raul Miramontes Najera prepares a Caesar Salad outside the downtown Tijuana restaurant where the world-famous dish was invented almost 50 years ago. Tourists — even movie stars — ask for it. (AP Laserphoto)

Tijuana also known for Caesar Salad

By NORM CLARKE
Associated Press Writer

TIJUANA, Mexico (AP) — To most of the 12 million tourists who annually pour through this border city, Tijuana is best known for its notorious nightlife, gory bullfights and bargain shops.

Only a few know it as the birthplace of the original Caesar Salad, one of the salad family's most celebrated members.

It happened almost half a century ago, at the downtown Caesar Hotel and restaurant, built and operated by Caesar Cardini, an Italian restaurateur.

According to published accounts, Caesar had concocted a salad dressing that became a favorite of his customers. As business boomed, he was joined by his brother Alex, a World War I ace pilot in the Italian air force.

In a tribute to the pilots at a nearby San Diego air base, Alex took his brother's salad dressing, modified it with other ingredients and called it "Aviator's Salad."

Soon, however, the popular, often-copied dish became internationally known simply as "Caesar Salad."

Today, the famous salad remains a major drawing card at the restaurant. The beige-colored, three-story hotel is a landmark along Revolution Avenue, Tijuana's busy main street.

Patrons have included such Hollywood greats as Gary Cooper, Elizabeth Taylor and Victor Mature, says restaurant manager Carlos Spinga.

"We used to have a menu with the autographs of all the famous people, but that was stolen," Spinga said.

"A lot of people, maybe 60 percent, just come to eat the salad," said Maitre d'hotel Tony Espericueta. Up to 150 a la carte orders of the \$2.75 salad are served per day, mostly

to American tourists, Spinga said. "The secret is the oil," said Raul Miramontes Najera, owner of the restaurant. "Cloves of garlic are placed in a gallon jug of olive oil for a month to add flavor."

Traditionally, Caesar Salad is prepared from scratch at the patron's table. That formality, however, has been phased out except on demand.

"Everybody's in a hurry today, so we make the dressing in large quantities," explained Spinga.

Although the original recipe called for anchovies, Miramontes said they are left out because "they are too salty."

"Some recipes called for bacon, too, but we don't use that," he said.

Here is the Original Alex-Caesar Cardini Salad Recipe:

Wash and dry 10 romaine lettuce leaves and refrigerate in a bowl before crisping. Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Put six half-inch slices of french bread onto an ungreased baking sheet and bake until crisp — 45 minutes to one hour. Brush with 1 1/2 tablespoons from one-quarter cup of olive oil and return to the oven to brown, about 15 minutes.

Crush together three cloves of garlic and six anchovy filets and gradually add one tablespoon of the oil. Spread this mixture onto the bread slices, cut into cubes and set aside. Cover one egg in boiling water and cook for one minute. After placing the lettuce leaves into the salad bowl, add one tablespoon of fresh lime juice, one teaspoon of Worcester Sauce, quarter cup of freshly grated parmesan cheese, and the cubed bread, toss the ingredients and add salt and pepper to taste.

Cellmate forged petition

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The cellmate of convicted arsenic killer Katie Stricklin forged 166 signatures on a petition and letters sent to the governor seeking Mrs. Stricklin's release, corrections officials say.

Jack Bursack, head of internal affairs for the Corrections Department, said Tuesday the cellmate, Irene Jan Calhoun, voluntarily demonstrated her efforts for officials.

"Resident Calhoun readily admitted that she had signed all the names on the petition in the behalf of her cellmate, Katie Stricklin," said a report to Commissioner Harold Bradley from the internal affairs division.

"Resident Calhoun stated she only wanted to help her roommate Katie, mainly because she felt Katie was innocent of her charge and had spent too much time in prison for a crime that she had not committed," the report said.

Mrs. Stricklin, 41, was convicted in 1972 in the arsenic poisonings of her father-in-law and mother.

In 1979, then-Gov. Ray Blanton commuted a life sentence in her mother's death. It could not immediately be determined what term she currently is serving.

Mrs. Calhoun is serving a three- to five-year sentence for passing bad checks and a two-year sentence for a drug conviction.

The petition urged Mrs. Stricklin's parole and the forged letters sought clemency from Gov. Lamar Alexander, officials said.

"Forty of those names were relatives of Mrs. Calhoun, one was a recently deceased person and two were names of minors under 7 years of age," Bursack said.

The forged documents arrived prior to a state Paroles Board meeting Dec. 22 when Mrs. Stricklin's case was scheduled to be considered.

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Armed Forces News

Marine Pvt. Carl D. LaForge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. LaForge of 1305 Sparks, Midland, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

During the 11-week training cycle, he learned the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

He joined the Marine Corps in January, 1980.

Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training. During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the communications-electronics systems field.

Airman Lynn A. Dickinson, daughter of Inez C. Dickinson of Midland, has been assigned to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

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Airman 1st Class Roy L. Parson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Parson of Route 3, Midland, has arrived for duty at Offutt Air Force Base, N.C.

Parson, a commercial operations specialist, was previously assigned at Kadena Air Base, Okinawa, Japan.

Pvt. John R. Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Keller Jr. of Big Spring, recently completed a tracked-vehicle mechanic course at the U.S. Army Armor School, Fort Knox, Ky.

During the course, students were trained to repair engines, transmissions, and the fuel, electrical and hydraulic systems of the Army's tracked-vehicles. They also learned to perform recovery operations for abandoned, damaged, disabled or mired vehicles.

Pvt. Stanley W. Gilbert, son of Carrie J. Gilbert of 1118 E. Estes, Midland, has arrived for duty at Giesse, West Germany.

Private Gilbert, a missile crewman, was previously assigned at Fort Sill, Okla.

Pvt. Daniel W. Milburn, son of Doris T. Milburn of Route 1, Midland, recently completed One Station Unit Training (OSUT) at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

OSUT is a 12-week period which combines basic combat training and advanced individual training.

The training included weapons qualifications, squad tactics, patrolling, landmine warfare, field communications and combat operations. This qualifies the soldier as a light-weapons infantryman and as an indirect fire crewman.

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Pvt. Carl D. LaForge



Airman Rex T. Akins



Airman Lynn Dickinson

Airman 1st Class Sharon D. Lockner, daughter of Irlie L. Bardwell of Midland, has arrived for duty at RAF Bentwaters, England.

Lockner, a food service specialist, was previously assigned at Bergstrom Air Force Base, Texas.

Pfc. Alberto Martinez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto Martinez of Stanton, recently completed One Station Unit Training (OSUT) at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

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2nd Lt. Charles R. Keese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Keese of Lamesa, is now wearing U.S. Air Force silver wings following graduation

from pilot training at Reese Air Force Base.

The fully-qualified pilot will now fly the C-130 at Rhein-Main Air Base, West Germany.

Jesse Alvarez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alijandro Alvarez of 423 E. Pecan, Midland, has enlisted in the U.S. Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program, according to Joe I. Leos Ssgt., Odessa Air Force Recruiter.

Alvarez, a high school graduate of Lee High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on May 13, 1981. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course, Alvarez will receive technical training in the Airlift Bombardment Aircraft Maintenance Specialist.

Marine Lance Cpl. Randy J. Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Reeves of Andrews, recently participated in "Desert Fire Exercise 1-81" in the California desert.

He is a member of 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines, based at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Conducted at the Marine Corps Air/Ground Combat Center, Twenty-

nine Palms, the exercise tested the combat effectiveness and readiness of participating units. War games were conducted under simulated battlefield conditions, and were evaluated on their ability to deliver accurate fire on targets, both at night and during the day.

A 1976 graduate of Andrews High School, Reeves joined the Marine Corps in April 1979. His wife, Elsie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Jimenez also of Andrews.

Airman Gregory G. Davis, son of Charles V. Davis of Big Spring, has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

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Cartier throws hottest holiday Hollywood party

By DOROTHY TRELOAR
Beverly Hills News Service

There's nothing like a good party, and Cartier, newest tenant on famous Rodeo Drive in Beverly Hills, knows how to throw it. All you have to do to enhance the evening, for starters, is have a 107-plus carat \$22 million diamond (on display, but not for sale) flanked by seven guards, and the right telephone numbers of every celebrity in the country.

The event was a strictly royal holiday-opening gala. Black tie was de rigueur, and guests were the fluent, affluent, star-clubby types. The man off the street was not seen.

Patrick Terrail, proprietor of one of Hollywood's famed bistros, Ma Maison, catered the affair, which included California champagne and caviar, plus all the accoutrements during the cocktail hour, to a dinner ranging from its famous salad, with hot lobster, milk veal, exotic vegetables, opera cake and petit fours, more California wines and champagne.

J.R. (Larry Hagman) Ewing was sitting dead center at a table with his wife, reaping his rewards from you-know-what segment in Dallas, topping the highest Nielsen rating ever recorded.

When Alana Ladd, wife of popular ABC radio talk-show host, Michael Jackson, lighted a cigarette, Hagman pulled his famous trick, placing a small portable fan on the table returning the smoke to the sender. He doesn't believe in anything hazardous to your health just in case he gets shot again.

Sitting with prominent Beverly Hills Physician Dr. Rexford Kenamer (happy to see so many of his patients looking in good health) were Gale and Fred Haymen, owners of THE store, Giorgio's, on Rodeo Drive, who revealed that Patti Davis, daughter of Nancy and President-elect Ronald Reagan, had that day purchased her goodies for the inaugural balls, personally "coached" by Gale. Her selections for the big affairs in Washington, D.C., include a Stephen Burrows red chiffon ruffled long dress (shoes dyed to match) and Christian Dior's long slinky black matte silk dress with multi-colored beaded jacket.

Patti, who is enjoying her new success as an actress, is 5'8" and a "perfect size 8," offered Gale. "She is a lovely, sweet, very undemanding girl, and it was a pleasure to help her."

What is equally exciting is that Patti Davis (she took her mother's name for professional purposes) is dating Tim Hutton who, young as he is, will be one of the biggest stars in Hollywood because of his magnificent performance in "Ordinary People", which also stars Mary Tyler Moore and Donald Sutherland. It will be interesting to see if Tim is Patti's escort at her parents' big night.

ways among the best-dressed ladies, in Adolfo's beautiful red antique satin (long) with bugle-beaded top. Also attending were producer Ray and Fran Stark (with daughter Wendy), Erlene Perkins, widow of the late actor Judge Voltaire Perkins, who was leaving shortly for Washington, D.C., to work on the galas at her own expense. One might have expected New York's social moth-mouth Jerry Zipkin, the Reagans' close friend, to zip in any minute, but he was in New York helping our future first lady with some super shopping.

The Robert Stacks, Rosemarie in Bill Blass' black bouffant short dress had photographers clicking at her every turn. Jill St. John, in clingy red satin, announced, I have outskilled myself in Aspen and want to go back to acting for a while. I've done so many segments of 'Love Boat' and 'Fantasy Island' I was beginning to feel like part of the crew. Next I will do a couple of movie features.

Frances (Mrs. Edgar) Bergen, also in red sequined dress was asked if daughter Candice is enroute, via her recent marriage to French director Louis Malle. "Not that I know of," she laughed, "but it would delight me to be a grandmother. Candy and Louis have a very happy marriage," she added.

Zsa Zsa Gabor was with her husband, Michael O'Hara, whom she left momentarily to greet one of her many ex-husbands, Herbert Hutner and his present wife. Directly behind mama was daughter Francesca Hilton with an East Indian girlfriend, both of whom were wearing cumbersome Indian saris. Georgette Muir (Mrs. George Barrie of Faberge fame) was with Richard Gully (George in NYC). Showman-entrepreneur Allan Carr was milling around kiss-

ing everyone, and wearing a "Shogun," weird, multi-colored top over his baggy black trousers.

Statuesque beauty, Joann Pflug, looking elegant in strapless black chiffon and feathered skirt, was with husband, musician-actor Charles Woolery, this re-born Christian couple seemingly reconciled after a long separation.

Suzanne Pleshette with husband Tommy Gallagher told us she is not working at the moment, but is working at being a housewife. "until I go back to acting," she sighed. (It's a well-known fact Suzy is no cook and admits it.)

Altovise and Sammy Davis were a symphony in black. Altovise wearing a treader outfit complete with huge brimmed hat, under which Sammy stood most lovingly and beaming. Kathleen (Mrs. Clark) Gable with daughter Joan Spreckels, was greeting friends happy to see her looking so well after two major surgeries.

More celebrities were Dani Janssen, David's widow, in slinky white backless knit, showing every curve of her curvy figure. Camilla Spary Hoover (once married to Robert Evans and currently divorced from vacuum heir, Hoover, by whom she has two children, who looked anything but a mother — these Scandinavians do have a flair for glamor and glitter.

Also the Joseph Cottens, Contessa and Dan Cohn, and greeting each other somewhat cordially were Carol Connors and Robert Culp, a most steady duo (off and on) during the past year, who this night came with other dates.

It was past midnight. Five hours away from arrival time, and couples were still dancing. Outside, black Rolls Royces purred, waiting to carry guests away.

More subs to be converted

By L. EDGAR PRINA
Copley News Service

WASHINGTON — The Carter administration has decided to let the Navy proceed with the conversion of two more aging Polaris fleet ballistic missile (FBM) submarines to attack types before the first of the big new Trident boats is combat ready.

This was reported yesterday by Pentagon sources who said the conversions would begin sometime early this fall at about the time the Navy is to take delivery of the USS Ohio, first of the 18,700-ton Trident submarines. But although General Dynamics' Electric Boat Division, the builder, is expected to turn over the Ohio in late August or September, it will be the spring of 1982 before the ship is ready to go on "boomer duty" or patrol, because of crew training, at-sea exercise and shakedown cruise requirements.

Some administration officials had argued that taking the Polaris submarines out of the deterrent force before the first Trident was ready could send a wrong signal (unilateral disarmament, for example) to foes and friends alike at a time of Soviet aggression in Afghanistan and Kremlin threats against Poland.

The Navy, however, contended and contends that, even though it now has 80 fewer ballistic missile launchers at sea because of the withdrawal of five of what had been its remaining 10 16-tube Polaris boats, it has actually increased its nuclear striking capability by retrofitting the longer-range, more accurate Trident I missile into five Poseidon FBMs.

The Polaris boats are armed with the 2,500-mile Polaris A-3 missile, which carries three warheads. But these warheads are not independently targetable and, therefore, would strike a single target. On the other hand, each 4,000-mile-range Trident I now aboard five 16-tube Poseidon submarines carries eight MIRVs or multiple independently targetable re-entry vehicles (warheads).

Seven additional Poseidon submarines are due to be retrofitted with the Trident I. Nineteen other Poseidon boats will continue to carry the Poseidon missile, which has 10 MIRVs and a range of 2,500 miles.

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Evening TV Schedule



Lead singer

Charlie Daniels and his band are the attraction on the premiere of the sixth season of "Austin City Limits," to air Thursday, Jan. 8, on PBS. As the season continues, the weekly series will feature appearances by George Jones, Bobby Bare, Bill Monroe, Crystal Gayle, Rodney Crowell, Carlene Carter and Larry Gatlin.

PBS, Channel 13

THURSDAY JANUARY 8, 1981

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7:00	NBC Movie "Golden- Goddess"	The Waltons	Mork & Mindy Buddies	Bazan La Carabina	Gunsnake	News Day Sneak Pre	Rockford Files
8:00	Magnum, P.I.	Barney Miller It's A Living	Casa De Huespedes	Movie Mayday	World At War	Make A Deal News	700 Club
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10:00	News Tonight	News Jeffersons	You Bet Life ABC News	Noche	M.T. Moore Bob Newhart	Lawmakers National	Movie
11:00	Tomorrow	McMillan & Wife	Charlie's Angels	Cinema II Pajaros	Movie Great	Geographic Movie	Colorado Territory
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Your horoscope

By JEANE DIXON

Friday, January 9, 1981

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: 1981 should be a year of many new successes for you! Highly capable and supremely self-confident, you can deal with almost any crisis that might arise. Your one weakness is a tendency to fly off the handle when faced with even the mildest of criticisms. Learn to control that temper! Certain desired employment benefits will not come your way until the end of the year, but they should be generous when you finally receive them. Domestic bliss can be yours if you are willing to work for it. Mate, partner stands ready to meet you halfway. Build your life around those you love!

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Home life is more settled, rewarding now. If tired or "blue," plan a quiet weekend. A hectic holiday may have taken a greater toll than you realized. Mate is understanding, supportive.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Extra demands may be made on your time. Your determination to attain success will not go unnoticed. Those connected with entertainment or the arts can make great gains. Romantic wound needs time to heal.

GEMINI (May 21-June

20): Avoid making important moves until you have consulted mate, partner. Letter or phone call could fill you with joy. You should be able to move ahead at a steady pace.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Concentrate on developing your creative talents and you can earn extra income. Family life will be more harmonious if you exercise greater tact. Development in romantic relationship will thrill you.

LEO (July 23-Aug 22): Some new financial gains are due to past efforts. Perseverance is the key to success. Promise you have been counting on may not be honored. Diplomacy is required to avert destructive quarrels.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Devote more time to private matters and draw closer to loved one who lives at a distance. Imaginative ideas can be psychologically, financially rewarding. Self-improvement project boosts ego.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Business problem can be put to rest thanks to help from an unexpected quarter. A sense of humor plays a key role in your rapport with member of the opposite sex.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Stay close to home base

today. Unexpected developments will require careful handling. Do not sign something meant for another person's signature. Effort to help could lead to legal entanglements.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Prestige may be easier to come by than money right now. Change for the sake of change is dangerous. Do not contemplate an alteration or modification unless certain it will provide long term gains.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You can make a real difference in someone's life now. Your influence is much greater than you think. Romance is on a smooth course. Be willing to make intelligent compromises.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your willingness to try new methods, procedures stands you in good stead with higher-up. Show your appreciation to loved one for his or her steadfast support. Loyalty deserves tangible thanks.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be more selective when choosing your associates. Some so-called friends could be trying to bring you down. Keep your guard up, but resist the urge to retaliate. Their efforts are likely to backfire!

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES K. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

Both vulnerable. South deals.

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

The bidding:
 South West North East
 1 NT Pass 3 NT Pass
 Pass Pass
 Opening lead: Five of ♣

Mathematically, all fineses stand an equal chance of success. However, when faced with a choice of fineses, that does not mean it doesn't matter which one you take! Often, your choice should be predicated not so much on which would win, but on which you can afford to lose.

There was nothing unusual about the auction. After South opened one no trump, North might have probed for a 4-4 heart fit by employing Stayman. But he had no ruffing value and decided that his hand would play equally well in no trump, so he made the value bid.

West led the fourth best of his longest suit, and declarer captured East's ten with the jack. The play to this trick made it virtually certain that West held both the ace and queen of clubs.

Declarer could count eight running tricks, and the ninth trick could be established in either red suit via a finesse. However, it was not a toss-up as to which finesse declarer should take—he could not afford to let the danger hand, East, gain the lead. A club return from East would put the king of clubs under the

axe and almost surely lead to the contract's defeat. Therefore, declarer ruled out the diamond finesse, for that could be taken only into the danger hand, in favor of the heart finesse, which could be taken with complete safety.

Declarer crossed to the king of spades in dummy and led a low heart to his jack. He did not much care whether this won or lost. If it lost, dummy's ten of hearts would be set up as the game going trick and, with West on lead, declarer's soft spot was safe from attack. If the heart finesse won, declarer would have his ninth trick there and then.

Note that if the heart finesse loses and West shifts

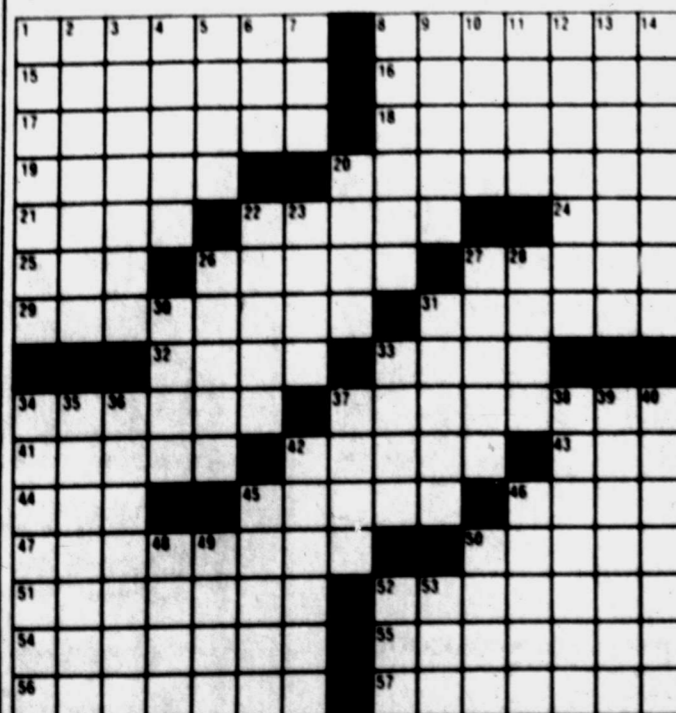
to a diamond, declarer cannot afford to finesse. To guarantee the contract he must risk with the ace of diamonds, cash the ace of hearts and then take his tricks in the correct order, lest he block himself out of a winner.

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 - Slip
 - Recent egg, breaker
 - Amie — live here
 - Man Friday, in a way
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 - Feel qualms
 - Church regulation
 - Light phenomenon
 - President before Andrew
 - Bases of law suits
 - Caution
 - Quite severe
 - Tea set, perhaps
 - Smooth the feelings of
 - Some ladies of our 50th State
 - With zeal
 - Poetical measure
 - Swedish port features
 - Multi-player groups
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 - Iran VIP's
 - Dressmaker's need
 - Chang's twin brother
 - View
 - Pool hall events
 - Sacred Prefix
 - Word in SALT
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 - Commence
 - Chocolate mousse for example
 - Impair movement
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 - Less honest
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 - Sabbath purpose
 - Money paid in
 - The people
 - Allowed use of
 - Made certain deals
 - Having a flat surface
 - Payment of oats in Old England
 - Not common
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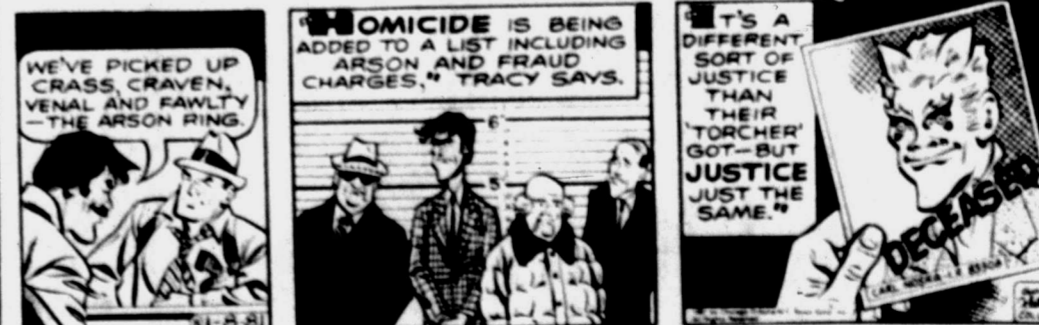
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Aminoil finals Borden discovery

Aminoil USA, Inc. of Midland has announced potential on a Pennsylvania Strawn C oil discovery in Borden County, four miles southeast of Gail.

No. 1 Chilton flowed 230 barrels of 44-gravity oil, with no water, on a 14/64-inch choke, with gas-oil ratio of 88-1.

Production was through perforations from 7,954 to 7,962 feet, which had been acidized with 230 gallons. Drilled to a depth of 8,740 feet, where 5.5-inch casing was set, it was plugged back to 8,130 feet.

Strikesite is 2,200 feet from north and 800 feet from east lines of section 11, block 30, T-4-N, T&P survey. The following tops were picked on Kelly bushing elevation of 2,404 feet: Pennsylvania Strawn C, 7,928 feet; Mississippian, 8,350 feet; and Ellenburger, 8,643 feet.

Garza Prospector Hinkle Exploration Ltd. of Monterey, California, has staked location for a 9,000-foot wildcat in Garza County.

No. 1 Swenson is 2,173 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 30, block 2, H&G survey, seven miles south of Calgary.

It is three-fourths mile southwest of an 8,075-foot dry hole, and 3 1/2 miles northwest of the Swenson-Garza (Strawn) field which produces from 7,356 feet. Ground elevation is 2,336 feet.

Lubbock Explorer Hunt Energy Corp. will re-enter a former Amoco well in Lubbock County, and drill deeper for wildcat tests. No. 1 Erceel Givens "A" is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 29, block D-7, EL&RR survey, two miles north of Heckville.

Originally Amoco Production No. 1 Harris, it was drilled to a depth of 9,650 feet, and plugged and abandoned in July 1971.

Hunt Energy will deepen to 9,850 feet. The test is 2 1/2 miles southeast of a 9,500-foot failure, and is 4 1/2 miles northeast of the Hickville (Strawn) field, which produces from 9,240 feet.

Terry Wildcat Houston Oil & Minerals Corp., Midland, has staked location for a 12,200-foot wildcat in Terry County, eight miles southeast of Brownfield.

No. 1 MAPCO, et al is 2,173 feet from south and west lines of section 16, block T, D&WRR survey. It is 1 1/4 miles northeast of the Corrigan, East (Fusselman) field, which produces from 11,615 feet, and 3 1/4 miles southeast of another 12,200-foot active wildcat, Houston Oil & Mineral Corp. No. 1 Simpson-Ward, which is currently testing.

Ground elevation is 3,179 feet.

Fisher Tester SRG Oil Corp. of Abilene No. 1 J. J. Stanford has been scheduled as a 3,650-foot wildcat three miles south-east of McCaulley in Fisher County.

The prospector is 1,582 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of section 3, block E, Sallie English sur-

vey. The site is 5/8 mile east of the one-well McCaulley, North (Flippen) field which produces at 3,240 feet.

Irion Explorers Texas Oil & Gas Corp. of Midland announced locations for a pair of wildcats in Irion County.

No. 5 Jones "K" is to be drilled as a 6,750-foot operation 14 miles south of Merton and 1,650 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 24, block 20, H&TC survey. Ground elevation is 2,270 feet. The project also is a northeast offset to Canyon D oil production in the Dove Creek multiphase field.

Texas Oil & Gas Corp. of Midland No. 2 Winterbotham "J" has been staked as a 6,850-foot wildcat in Irion County, 12 miles southeast of Merton. Operator spotted the test 1,650 feet from the most northerly south line and 2,310 feet from the most westerly west line of section 1, C.E.P. I&M survey.

The location is 1 1/4 miles northeast of the only Cisco well in the Dove Creek multiphase field. It also is 1,924 feet northeast of Texas Oil & Gas No. 1 Winterbotham "J," an active wildcat which is bottomed at 7,100 feet waiting on production facilities. It showed for Cisco production when it gauged gas at the rate of 2 million cubic feet per day, through a 1/4-inch choke and perforations from 5,739 to 5,832 feet.

Crockett Re-entry Wendell W. Iverson of Midland announced plans to re-enter the former Wahlenmaier, Currie & Bosworth No. 1 A George Bean, which was the opener and lone producer of the Bean (San Andres) field.

Iverson will attempt to recomplete the depleted well to reopen the Bean (San Andres) field.

It will be operated by Iverson as No. 1-48 Joe Bean. Location is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 48, block UV, GC&SF survey. It is surrounded by gas production in the Donham field and is 11 miles northwest of Ozona.

Upton Move Exxon Corp., operating from Midland, will drill No. 9 Giddings Estate Fee as a southeast twin to and replacement for its No. 7 Giddings Estate Fee, 13,400-foot wildcat in Upton County, 1 1/2 miles north of Rankin.

The new drillsite is 2,028 feet from north and 4,953 feet from east lines of section 4, Throckmorton County School Land survey.

The No. 7 Giddings Estate Fee was junked and abandoned, with the last reported depth being 9,548 feet.

Runnels Wildcat Charles M. Childers of Abilene No. 1 Tinkle is a new 4,200-foot wildcat in Runnels County, 3.6 miles southeast of Winters.

The drillsite is 800 feet from north and 2,831 feet from west lines of John C. McKean survey No. 534. Ground elevation is 1,804 feet.

Wildcat locations staked in Glasscock, Pecos counties

Lomax Exploration Corp., operating from Houston, has staked location for a wildcat in Glasscock County, four miles southeast of Garden City.

No. 1 J. Cox is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 21, block 33, T-4-S, T&P survey.

It is 1 1/4 miles northeast of production in the Garden City, Southeast (Strawn) field, which produces from 9,377 feet.

Contract depth is 9,500 feet.

Pecos Prospector Four C Oil & Gas Corp. of Dallas will drill a 6,000-foot wildcat in Pecos County, one mile north of Imperial.

No. 1 Fogleman is 3,328 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 17, block 3, H&TC survey.

It is five miles southwest of the opener and lone producer of the Abell (McKee, Northwest) field, which produces from 6,078 feet, but is separated by shallow production.

Andrews Oiler The Wemac (Wolfcamp) field of Andrews County gained another producer with completion of Sanchez O'Brien Oil & Gas Corp. Laredo, No. 2 Frances McCollum Albright.

Operator reported the well finished New Mexico work reported

RPM Energy, Inc., of Midland No. 2 State is to be dug as a 1,700-foot wildcat in Eddy County, N.M., five miles north of Artesia.

Location is 2,310 feet from south and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 16-16-26e. Ground elevation is 3,335 feet.

The location is seven miles northeast of San Andres production in the Eagle Creek field.

The new test is 990 feet west of RPM No. 1 State, scheduled 1,700-foot wildcat which apparently has not been spotted.

Lea Project Shell Oil Co., operating from Houston, will drill No. 2 State Communitized "B" as a project in the Custer (Ellenburger) field of Lea County.

The 13,000-foot test is 1,650 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 36-24s-36e, three miles northwest of Jal.

Chaves Producer The Diamond Mound (Morrow) field of Chaves County, N.M. gained another producer with completion of Mesa Petroleum Co., Midland, No. 1 White State.

Operator reported the well flowed 16 barrels of oil and 5 barrels of water on a 16/64-inch choke, on 24-hour potential test, with gas-oil ratio of 100-187.

The gravity of the oil was not reported. Production was through perforations from 8,909 to 8,988 feet, which were fractured with 30,000 gallons.

Total depth was reached at 9,130 feet, and plugged back depth is 9,034 feet. Casing size and placement was not reported.

Wellsite is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 35-15s-27e, 13 miles southeast of Hagerman.

Dry Holes Andrews County Wildcat: Aaron F. Giebel, Midland, No. 1 Hill, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 12, block A 29, pl. 30 miles northwest of Andrews. Total depth 7,761.

Borden County Wildcat: Kenal Oil & Gas Inc., Midland, No. 1 Bear, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 12, block H&TC survey, 10 miles northeast of Vealmore. Total depth 7,700.

Coke County Wildcat: Mark IV Energy, San Antonio, No. 2 Wend, 1,370 feet from south and 2,560 feet from west lines of section 27c, block 1, H&G survey. Total depth 4,810 feet in Tannehill.

Culberson County Wildcat: Petroleum Technical Services Co., Midland, No. 1 Prewitt, 2,800 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 24, block 58, T-1, T&P survey, 20 miles northwest of Orla. Total depth 2,650 in Delaware.

Dickens County Wildcat: Hunt Oil Corp., Fort Worth, No. 1 Ben Boland, 1,370 feet from south and 2,560 feet from east lines of section 27c, block 1, H&G survey. Total depth 4,810 feet in Tannehill.

Fisher County Wildcat: Terrell Operating Co., Hamlin, No. 1 J. W. Voss, 467 feet from south and 2,173 feet from west lines of section 46, block 1, H&TC survey, 18 miles west of Hamlin, 4,200 feet.

Gaines County Wildcat: Forest Oil Corp., Midland, No. 1 Barron, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 11, block A 21, pl., seven miles southwest of Seminole. Total depth 4,651, junked and abandoned.

Menard County Wildcat: Fred G. Brown of Midland No. 1 R. S. Ranger, 1,660 feet from south and 2,560 feet from west lines of section 11, block 219, and 18 miles west of Menard. Total depth 4,180.

Nolan County Wildcat: Wes-Tex Drilling Co., Abilene, No. 1 Ruth Harp Gibson, 467 feet from south and 2,173 feet from west lines of section 11, block X, T&P survey, 12 miles southwest of Sweetwater, 4,306 feet in the Strawn.

Pecos County Wildcat: Lomax Oil Co., Midland, No. 2 San Pedro Ranch, 2,132 feet from north and 880 feet from east lines of section 1, block 211, L. Smith Jr. survey, 16 miles northwest of Fort Stockton. Total depth 5,828.

Runnels County Wildcat: Haines Exploration & Development Co., Dallas, No. 1 M. D. Hoper, 467 feet from north and east lines of section 11, John L. Lynch survey, No. 412. Five miles west of Winters. Total depth 4,738.

Stonewall County Wildcat: W. W. West of Midland No. 2 Durbin, 1,800 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of John H. Gibson survey No. 11. Total depth 4,286.

Stonewall County Wildcat: JEM Petroleum Corp., Englewood, Colo., No. 1 Laird, 1,800 feet from north and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 226, block D, H&TC survey, five miles north of Swenson, 4,740 feet in the Ellenburger.

Wildcat: Jack C. Staley, Wichita Falls, No. 1 Peacock, 467 feet from north and 21,000 feet from east lines of section 282, block D, H&TC survey, four miles west of Aspermont, 43,670 feet.

to pump 84 barrels of 39-gravity oil and 15 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio too small to measure.

Production was through perforations from 8,981 to 9,230 feet, which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons.

Originally scheduled as a wildcat, the well drilled to a total depth of 9,473 feet, where 4.5-inch casing was set, and was plugged back to 9,258 feet.

The pay was topped at 8,981 feet, on ground elevation of 3,121 feet.

Wellsite is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 11, block A-44, Public School Land survey, 3.5 miles southwest of Andrews.

Culberson Projects Tuxaco Inc., Midland, has staked location for a 4,100-foot project in the Ford, West (4100) field in Culberson County, seven miles northwest of Orla.

No. 4 Culberson "V" Fee is 1,860 feet from south and 467 feet from east lines of section 21, block 58, T-1, T&P survey.

Orla Petco, Inc. of Midland has amended the field designation on No. 2 Bill Meeker, in Culberson County.

Originally scheduled as a wildcat, it has been placed in the Ford, West (4100) field.

Location is 467 feet from north and 1,129 feet from east lines of section 28, block 58, T-1, T&P survey, and 10.5 miles northwest of Orla.

Orla Petco, Inc. of Midland will drill No. 3 Bill Meeker in the Ford, West (4100) field of Culberson County, 10.5 miles northwest of Orla.

It is 1,468 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of section 28, block 58, T-1, T&P survey.

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Summit Locations Champlin Petroleum Co., operating from Midland, has staked two locations in the Conger, Southwest (Pennsylvanian) field of Sterling County, 18.4 miles southwest of Sterling City.

No. 2 D. L. Glass is 680 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 46, block 32, T-5-S, T&P survey.

It is scheduled to 8,800 feet.

No. 3 D. L. Glass is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 46, block 32, T-5-S, T&P survey.

It is also contracted to 8,800 feet.

Summit owns well interest DALLAS — Summit Energy, Inc., has announced it owns a 25 percent interest participation in a Wilcox formation gas-condensate discovery in Karnes County.

The well, Exploration Ltd., No. 1 Wilton L. Janssen, is bottomed at 8,368 feet.

The well potential, through perforations from 7,424 to 7,452 feet, for 2,250,000 cubic feet of gas per day, plus 96 barrels of condensate per day, through a 14/64-inch choke, with 2,413 pounds flowing tubing pressure.

The calculated absolute open flow potential is 17,400,000 cubic feet of gas per day.

Summit Energy and its partners own 1,325 acres of oil and gas leases around the discovery.

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Operators report Basin field activity

D. D. Feldman Oil & Gas, Abilene, has completed the third well in the Harp (Strawn) field of Nolan County, nine miles southeast of Maryneal.

No. 4 R. H. Gibson pumped 79 barrels of 39.5-gravity oil and 29 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 290-1.

Completion was natural through perforations from 6,160 to 6,167 feet. Total depth was reached at 6,490 feet in the Strawn, and 4.5-inch casing was set at the plugged back depth of 6,300 feet.

Wellsite is 5 feet from south and 870 feet from east lines of section 36, block X, T&P survey, abstract 764. It extends the field one-fourth mile north.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 2,590 feet: base Coleman Junction, 3,500 feet; base Breckenridge, 4,450 feet; Canyon sand, 5,683 feet; and Strawn reef, 6,155 feet.

Gage & Co. of Midland No. 1-A Jahew Jameson, scheduled as a wildcat, has been completed to extend the Jameson, North (Strawn) oil pool 3/4 mile into Nolan County.

It infilled for a daily flow of 150 barrels of 45-gravity oil, with a gas-oil ratio of 5,400-1, through a 12/64-inch choke and perforations from 5,884 to 6,048 feet.

The pay was acidized with 2,500 gallons. Total depth is 7,326 feet, 5 1/2-inch

pipe is set on bottom, and hole is plugged back to 7,286 feet.

Wellsite is 467 feet from north and east lines of section 224, block 1 A, H&TC survey and 19 miles west of Blackwell.

Fisher Field Work The Raven Creek (Strawn) field of Fisher County gained another producer with completion of Hill Production Co. No. 1 Dycro-Estes.

On 24-hour potential test



The ice bridge that spans the lower Niagara River, is an annual winter spectacular in the honeymoon capital of Niagara Falls. The bridge started to form in late December of last year and for the first time since 1976, has encrusted the lower river at this early date. (AP Laser-photo)

McGovern gets tacky with priest

HOVEN, S.D. (AP) — A Roman Catholic priest who criticized campaign workers for leaving leaflets on cars parked outside church says he's sad that a letter from former Sen. George McGovern called him a "horse's ass" and "a disgrace" to the church and to politics.

"The letter doesn't hurt me, but it saddens me," said the Rev. Leonard A. Nemmers of St. Anthony's Rectory at Hoven.

Nemmers had asked McGovern for an apology for some campaign tactics during the November election, which the veteran senator lost to Rep. Jim Abdnor.

A McGovern campaign committee distributed literature on windshields of cars parked at church services, and the priest, a registered Democrat, objected, contending the workers were using the church for politics.

Nemmers said he received an apology from campaign manager Harvey Wollman and thought the issue was dead.

Then came McGovern's letter, dated Dec. 18. "Far from giving you an apology, I want to say that if I had to pick the Number One candidate for the biggest horse's ass in South Dakota in 1980, you would win hands down. I think you are a disgrace, both to the church and to decent politics," said the letter.

Nemmers said he had the letter printed in the Hoven paper.

"I had the letter printed ... because a man of his stature shouldn't be writing letters like that," Nemmers said. "It's uncalled for. Throughout our differences in the campaign, I never once attacked his person."

Nemmers said the letter indicated McGovern was bitter over the election loss.

McGovern was unavailable for comment on the letter, but longtime aide George Cunningham said the letter had to speak for itself.

McGovern's secretary, Pat Donovan, said she typed the letter for McGovern.

"Senator McGovern wrote the letter and believed what he wrote," she said. "I think the letter would have to speak for itself."

Begin may resign

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Prime Minister Menachem Begin will resign next week, setting the stage for early elections, possibly by this summer, Israeli newspapers predicted today.

Begin will quit unless a compromise is reached on salary demands by the nation's 58,000 teachers, and both Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz and Education Minister Zevulun Hammer decide to stay in office, the papers said.

Hurvitz, seeking to cap an inflationary spiral that left Israel with the world's highest inflation rate — 131 percent — last year, has threatened to quit if the Begin government gives in to the teachers' demands for higher pay, while Hammer says he resigns if the teachers don't get salary hikes.

The resignation of either minister would almost certainly topple the government, and the newspapers said there was little hope a compromise could be found.

Israel is scheduled to hold parliamentary elections in November, but the balloting could be pushed up to the beginning of summer if Begin quits.

The newspaper Yedioth Ahronoth said Begin would submit his resignation to President Yitzhak Navon on Sunday, if a Cabinet meeting scheduled for earlier in the day is unable to work out a compromise on the teachers' demands.

A second newspaper, Maariv, said Begin would see Navon on Tuesday. Both papers said there was little chance a formula could be found to keep the Begin coalition together.

A spokesman for Begin denied the prime minister had made a final decision and said the Israeli leader was determined to continue searching for a compromise between Hurvitz and Hammer.

Meanwhile, Shlomo Nakkidmon, a former Begin aide, said in an interview on Armed Forces Radio that the prime minister's determination to stay in office as long as possible stemmed from fears that if the opposition Labor Party won the next election it would go ahead with its plan to trade parts of the occupied West Bank of the Jordan River for a peace settlement with Jordan.

Begin wants to headoff such a deal with Jordan by reaching agreement with Egypt on a plan for Palestinian home rule on the West Bank before he leaves office, Nakkidmon said.

Israeli political sources said there was growing support for early elections among Begin's key coalition partners.

If Begin resigns now he could stay on as a caretaker until elections in the summer. The Labor Party, however, hopes to push a bill through Parliament that would set an election for within 100 days from the moment the bill passes.

Questions, Answers on new draft registration

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are questions and answers about the latest round of draft registration under way this week:

Q. Who is supposed to register for a military draft this week?

A. Any male born in 1962, and thus celebrating his 19th birthday this year. The Selective Service estimates 1.9 million young men fall into this category.

Q. Who will have to register next?

A. There will be no further mass registrations by birth years. Instead, any male who turns 18 years old must register within 30 days of his birthday on an individual basis.

Q. What will happen to draft registrants?

A. Their names and other personal information goes into a computerized pool of potential draftees for call-up in the event of a national emergency and reinstatement of an actual military draft. The name of a registrant is dropped from the pool when he reaches his 26th birthday.

Q. Can a registrant claim a draft deferment as a conscientious objector or a hardship case?

A. Only at the time a draft is reinstated and he is summoned for pre-induction classification and examination. Requests for deferments are decided by local draft boards. In addition, he may be one of the 50 percent of all potential draftees who are disqualified for physical or mental reasons.

Q. What happens if an eligible male doesn't register?

A. He is subject to prosecution in federal court as a felon, and risks a maximum penalty set by Congress of five years in prison and a \$10,000 fine.

Q. How many 19-year-olds and 20-year-olds failed to sign up under the first round of draft registrations last July?

A. Of the 3.9 million eligibles in that category, 87 percent registered during the prescribed two weeks and subsequent late registrations have pushed the total to 3.7 million or 95 percent. Those eligibles still are signing up at the rate of about 5,000 per week.

Q. Does the Selective Service expect a drop-off in registrations this time because the advance publicity — and controversy — seems to be less than in July?

A. Brayton Harris, assistant draft director, says registrations "seem to have gone very well" on Monday, the first day of this week's round. He predicted the sign-up rate would be about the same as in July, with the usual late registrations.

Q. How does the Selective Service determine who should have registered but hasn't?

A. The service has a computerized list of names of eligible registrants compiled from a variety of sources, including driver's licenses, high school graduate and mailing lists. Use of Social Security lists, however, is forbidden by law, officials said.

Q. Will the government go after those who still haven't signed up for a draft?

A. Selective Service officials won't act until after Ronald Reagan is sworn in as president on Jan. 20. Then they will discuss draft registration enforcement with the new administration's Justice Department officials, who are responsible for prosecution.

Q. How does Reagan stand on draft registration?

A. During his election campaign, Reagan opposed peacetime draft registration as ordered by President Carter and approved by Congress as a military preparedness measure in response to the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan. Reagan said it was a "meaningless gesture" that would only add to the federal bureaucracy and restrict the personal freedom of registrants. Since his election in November, however, Reagan has been silent on the issue.

Automakers receive more time

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Environmental Protection Agency, citing the "financially troubled" U.S. automobile industry, said Wednesday it will let major car makers an extra two years for certain engines to meet automobile emission standards.

The government agency has given General Motors, Ford, Chrysler and American Motors until 1983 for seven of their engine models to meet the 1981 standard for carbon monoxide of 3.4 grams per mile. Cars using these engines will be allowed to meet the standard of seven grams per mile.

"The EPA granted the waivers to give the financially troubled companies flexibility to improve the competitiveness of these cars," Agency officials said. "Agency officials said the cars are particularly important both to the economic health of the companies and to the nation's need for more fuel-efficient vehicles," the EPA said in its official announcement.

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The ice bridge that spans the lower Niagara River, is an annual winter spectacular in the honeymoon capital of Niagara Falls. The bridge started to form in late December of last year and for the first time since 1976, has encrusted the lower river at this early date. (AP Laser-photo)

McGovern gets tacky with priest

HOVEN, S.D. (AP) — A Roman Catholic priest who criticized campaign workers for leaving leaflets on cars parked outside church says he's sad that a letter from former Sen. George McGovern called him a "horse's ass" and "a disgrace" to the church and to politics.

"The letter doesn't hurt me, but it saddens me," said the Rev. Leonard A. Nemmers of St. Anthony's Rectory at Hoven.

Nemmers had asked McGovern for an apology for some campaign tactics during the November election, which the veteran senator lost to Rep. Jim Abdnor.

A McGovern campaign committee distributed literature on windshields of cars parked at church services, and the priest, a registered Democrat, objected, contending the workers were using the church for politics.

Nemmers said he received an apology from campaign manager Harvey Wollman and thought the issue was dead.

Then came McGovern's letter, dated Dec. 18. "Far from giving you an apology, I want to say that if I had to pick the Number One candidate for the biggest horse's ass in South Dakota in 1980, you would win hands down. I think you are a disgrace, both to the church and to decent politics," said the letter.

Nemmers paid to have the letter printed in the Hoven paper.

"I had the letter printed ... because a man of his stature shouldn't be writing letters like that," Nemmers said. "It's uncalled for. Throughout our differences in the campaign, I never once attacked his person."

Nemmers said the letter indicated McGovern was bitter over the election loss.

McGovern was unavailable for comment on the letter, but longtime aide George Cunningham said the letter had to speak for itself.

McGovern's secretary, Pat Donovan, said she typed the letter for McGovern.

"Senator McGovern wrote the letter and believed what he wrote," she said. "I think the letter would have to speak for itself."

Begin may resign

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Prime Minister Menachem Begin will resign next week, setting the stage for early elections, possibly by this summer, Israeli newspapers predicted today.

Begin will quit unless a compromise is reached on salary demands by the nation's 58,000 teachers, and both Finance Minister Yigael Hurrvitz and Education Minister Zevulun Hammer decide to stay in office, the papers said.

Hurrvitz, seeking to cap an inflationary spiral that left Israel with the world's highest inflation rate — 131 percent — last year, has threatened to quit if the Begin government gives in to the teachers' demands for higher pay, while Hammer says he resigns if the teachers don't get salary hikes.

The resignation of either minister would almost certainly topple the government, and the newspapers said there was little hope a compromise could be found.

Israel is scheduled to hold parliamentary elections in November, but the balloting could be pushed up to the beginning of summer if Begin quits.

The newspaper Yedioth Ahronoth said Begin would submit his

resignation to President Yitzhak Navon on Sunday, if a Cabinet meeting scheduled for earlier in the day is unable to work out a compromise on the teachers' demands.

A second newspaper, Maariv, said Begin would see Navon on Tuesday. Both papers said there was little chance a formula could be found to keep the Begin coalition together.

A spokesman for Begin denied the prime minister had made a final decision and said the Israeli leader was determined to continue searching for a compromise between Hurrvitz and Hammer.

Meanwhile, Shlomo Nakdimon, a former Begin aide, said in an interview on Armed Forces Radio that the prime minister's determination to stay in office as long as possible stemmed from fears that

if the opposition Labor Party won the next election it would go ahead with its plan to trade parts of the occupied West Bank of the Jordan River for a peace settlement with Jordan.

Begin wants to headoff such a deal with Jordan by reaching agreement with Egypt on a plan for Palestinian home rule on the West Bank before he leaves office, Nakdimon said.

Israeli political sources said there was growing support for early elections among Begin's key coalition partners.

If Begin resigns now he could stay on as a caretaker until elections in the summer. The Labor Party, however, hopes to push a bill through Parliament that would set an election for within 100 days from the moment the bill passes.

Taxpayers will lose in banks' lawsuit

DALLAS (AP) — Taxpayers will be the big losers — "as usual" — if 52 Dallas-area banks win a lawsuit being tried here that challenges local governments' rights to include bank stock in making tax assessments.

"If they (the banks) win this one, it will have statewide effects," said Dallas County tax official A.L. Curtis as jury selection began for the trial. "It would set a precedent — that the banks could not be taxed on anything but real estate and that would take a great deal of money from local governments."

"The taxpayer — as usual — would pay in the long run."

Jury selection for the suit continued today, with local officials estimating the City and County of Dallas would stand to lose at least \$15 million in tax revenues if the banks can carry the field.

Financial administrators said bank taxes account for about 5 percent of the budget in Dallas County alone.

The 39 bank members of the Dallas Clearing House Association initiated the suit. They claim taxing bank stock violates the Texas Constitution and federal law.

Thirteen other area banks joined the suit, which also claims local governments are illegally taxing bank-owned federal securities which are exempt from taxation under federal law.

A November decision dealing with another lawsuit filed by two Dallas banks is currently on appeal to the Texas Supreme Court.

Automakers receive more time

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Environmental Protection Agency, citing the "financially troubled" U.S. automobile industry, said Wednesday it will let major car makers an extra two years for certain engines to meet automobile emission standards.

The government agency has given General Motors, Ford, Chrysler and American Motors until 1983 for seven of their engine models to meet the 1981 standard for carbon monoxide of 3.4 grams per mile. Cars using these engines will be allowed to meet the standard of seven grams per mile.

"The EPA granted the waivers to give the financially troubled companies flexibility to improve the competitiveness of these cars."

"Agency officials said the cars are particularly important both to the economic health of the companies and to the nation's need for more fuel-efficient vehicles," the EPA said in its official announcement.

Questions, Answers on new draft registration

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are questions and answers about the latest round of draft registration under way this week:

Q. Who is supposed to register for a military draft this week?

A. Any male born in 1962, and thus celebrating his 19th birthday this year. The Selective Service estimates 1.9 million young men fall into this category.

Q. Who will have to register next?

A. There will be no further mass registrations by birth years. Instead, any male who turns 18 years old must register within 30 days of his birthday on an individual basis.

Q. What will happen to draft registrants?

A. Their names and other personal information goes into a computerized pool of potential draftees for call-up in the event of a national emergency and reinstatement of an actual military draft. The name of a registrant is dropped from the pool when he reaches his 26th birthday.

Q. Can a registrant claim a draft deferment as a conscientious objector or a hardship case?

A. Only at the time a draft is reinstated and he is summoned for pre-induction classification and examination. Requests for deferments are decided by local draft boards. In addition, he may be one of the 50 percent of all potential draftees who are disqualified for physical or mental reasons.

Q. What happens if an eligible male doesn't register?

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