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County Will Scrap For Iron Bridge Capacity

By Donna Estes
Herald Staff Writer

With development hanging in the balance, Seminole County says it's ready to go to court, if necessary, to force Orlando to give the county a promised 1.4 million gallons-a-day sewer capacity at Iron Bridge.

The Iron Bridge sewer plant, near Oviedo in Seminole County, was designed to serve parts of Orange and Seminole counties but is owned by the city of Orlando.

A letter from Orlando Mayor Bill Frederick, received by the county earlier this week, said he plans to give capacity Seminole believes was promised to Seminole to an independent agency to divvy up.

That agency is the South Seminole-North Orange Transmission Authority, created in 1978 under a special act of the legislature to construct a sewage transmission line to Iron Bridge for Casselberry, Winter Springs, Seminole County, Winter Park

and Maitland.

Seminole County Administrator Ken Hooper said if Orlando reneges on its promise to Seminole building could be halted in the southeast portion of the county.

Development has already been on hold there since May, 1984, when the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the state Department of Environmental Regulation, working in concert, ordered a stop on new customers connecting to Iron Bridge, designed to

handle 24 million gallons per day.

The stop order came about when it was discovered that the Iron Bridge plant's effluent, dumped into the Eronlockhatchee River, contained a high level of nitrates — an ingredient of fertilizer — and this was polluting the river.

For the time being, the county is taking the position that Frederick is unaware of an agreement between Orlando and Seminole and will inform him all about it in a letter today.

Hooper said.

Hooper explained that when Seminole County, several years ago, granted a special exception to allow Orlando to locate its sewer plant in Seminole County, the exception was conditioned upon Orlando guaranteeing Seminole 2.245 million gallons of sewer capacity daily at the plant.

Seminole still has 1.4 million gallons of unused sewer capacity coming under that agreement, Hooper said.

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Reagan Calls For Revolt, Revision

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Reagan, saying a time of reckoning faces the nation, is mustering support for a "second American revolution" to overthrow long-entrenched federal policies — including the nation's tax structure.

Reagan used his 37-minute State of the Union address Wednesday night to claim "we

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did what we promised" to put the nation back on track in the first four years, "but it's only a beginning."

The president, speaking to a House chamber packed with members of Congress and his administration, went on to outline the prime targets of his second term — saying a controversial Treasury Department plan to revamp the nation's tax system would be

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Arrest In Slaying Of Ex-Sanford Man

An arrest has been made in the murder of a former Sanford man who was shot to death in Pearson, Ga.

Dead is Charles Williams, 33, who lived in Sanford until about a year ago, according to William Jewell, police chief of Pearson, located about 100 miles north of Lake City, Fla.

Jewell said Williams was killed at 2:30 a.m. Feb. 3 when he was shot during a domestic argument with another man. The man reportedly shot Williams once in the right side of the face with a .16-gauge shotgun.

Being held on a murder warrant was Willie Vell Ashford, 28, of Pearson.

—Deane Jordan

Only The Beginning, Polk Says

8 'Drive-In Drug Dealers' Nabbed In Sheriff's Raids

By Susan Loden
Herald Staff Writer

Early morning raids today on six reputed "stash houses" on the outskirts of Altamonte Springs, netted Seminole County lawmen eight suspected drug dealers.

Deputies arrested at least six men and two boys accused of supplying marijuana, cocaine and heroin for street deals. Illegal drugs were reportedly found in all six of the private homes.

The simultaneous raids are "only the beginning" of arrests in connection with drive-up drug deals in the North and Marker Street areas near Altamonte Springs, said Seminole County Sheriff John Polk.

Polk's forces have for the past three weeks, at the conclusion of a three-month investigation, photographed hundreds of street drug deals in that neighborhood and within the next two years Polk said his officers will use those photos to identify and ultimately arrest both drug dealers and buyers.

He called the drug operation a "supermarket" where at times cars were lined up in the streets with their drivers, many from outside the neighborhood, waiting their turn to buy small quantities of illegal drugs from various street vendors.

The dealers signal the availability of drugs with what the uninitiated might believe is nothing more than a friendly wave to passing motorists, Polk said. And it is common for motorists who stop in that area and invite a drug dealer's approach to have gold jewelry ripped from their necks.

"I don't feel sorry for them,"



Deputy Barry Brady irisks Tommy Bell III, following Bell's arrest at 121 Plymouth Ave.



Seminole SWAT deputies Greg Futch (left) and Sam Gibson exit a raided Leon Street home.

Polk added.

Polk said he didn't expect the "stash house" raids to yield a large quantity of illegal drugs, but the operation would help dry up the brazen, street drug dealing that has a significant impact on the supply and availability of

drugs in the county. The amount of illegal drugs confiscated had not been calculated early today.

"There's no question in my mind that they (the street dealers) played a very large part in funneling drugs to the res-

dents not only of Seminole County, but to others who were aware of this area as a distribution point and were driving there to make a purchase," he said.

Sixty lawmen including the Seminole County and Volusia County SWAT (Special Weapons

and Tactics) teams and Seminole deputies simultaneously converged at 8:55 a.m. in six 9-man teams on homes on DePugh, Leon and Marker streets, and DeSoto, Plymouth and

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Double Trouble

Two crumpled vehicles await towing following separate accidents within 200 feet of each other Wednesday afternoon. No injuries were reported. According to the Florida Highway Patrol, which did not have details early today, the southbound



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car, left, was forced off state Road 427 south of Sanford by another vehicle making a turn. The northbound truck, unable to stop to avoid the accident, left the road, hitting a tree. The truck driver was cited for careless driving.

Ex-Dog Track Manager In Likely Murder-Suicide

The former manager of Seminole Greyhound Park apparently killed his estranged wife then fatally shot himself, according to police.

Dead is Carol Toler, 64, and his wife Judith, 47, both of Cooper City, west of Ft. Lauderdale, according to Det. Richard Dellapetra of the Cooper City Police Department.

The Tolers lived at 401 N. Sweetwater Blvd., north of Altamonte Springs, before moving to Broward County.

Mrs. Toler died Tuesday afternoon from three gunshot wounds and Toler died of a single shot to the head, police said. Investigators expect an autopsy report today will confirm their suspicions that Toler shot his wife and then killed himself.

Police were called to the scene after neighbors heard screams coming from

the Toler residence.

According to the police, the Tolers were living in a new house in the neighborhood and were not well-known.

"They have been having continuous domestic problems and the police have been called out there often," said Dellapetra.

Toler was manager of the Casselberry pari-mutuel dog track in 1981 and 1982. He was removed during a management shake-up and an investigation by the state into alleged gambling ties and questionable management practices.

In 1982, a hearings officer for the state ruled that Toler was guilty of seeing John Fountain, of North Carolina, who was convicted of gambling and conspiracy charges.

—Deane Jordan

Reagan, Hawke To Meet On Pact Crisis

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Reagan meets Australian Prime Minister Bob Hawke today amid severe strains on the 34-year-old South Pacific defense pact of Australia, New Zealand and the United States.

The meeting comes one day after both administrations caved into pressure from the Australian left and decided the United States would hold a MX missile test in the area this summer without Australian help.

A senior administration official said Reagan's White House meeting and lunch with the 55-year-old charismatic Australian would cover "a great breadth of issues." Atop the agenda will be the apparent crumbling of the ANZUS defense pact reached by Australia, New Zealand and the

United States in 1951 to counter a feared postwar Japanese resurgence.

"It would be absurd to suggest that on all of these subjects we will find complete agreement," the official said. "Inevitably there will be some differences on specific issues in a relationship as broad and intense as this one."

The U.S. decision to monitor the MX missile splashdown in the Tasman Sea without using Australian support facilities was announced Tuesday by Secretary of State George Shultz following a two-hour meeting with Hawke.

It was the second reversal for U.S. military might in the South Pacific in as many days. On Tuesday, the administration cancelled March ANZUS naval maneuvers with New Zealand and

Australia because of New Zealand's refusal to allow a U.S. destroyer to dock at its ports.

Elected in July, New Zealand Prime Minister David Lange included in his platform a promise to ban American nuclear ships from New Zealand ports.

The Australian government said initially facilities in Sydney would be provided American reconnaissance planes monitoring the unarmed MX missile landing in international waters between Australia and New Zealand. But confronted by domestic charges the Labor government was a "puppet of the Reagan administration," Hawke changed his mind.

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NATION

IN BRIEF

U.S. Opens Worldwide Hunt For 'Angel Of Death' Mengele

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The United States is opening an intensive worldwide search for Dr. Josef Mengele to resolve allegations the Nazi "angel of death" slipped out of U.S. custody soon after World War II.

The announcement Wednesday by Attorney General William French Smith came as an international panel in Jerusalem asked "all governments, all heads of religions and creeds, all international associations" to help bring Mengele to trial.

If he is still alive, Mengele is 73. He was last seen in 1962 in Paraguay.

Mengele conducted grisly experiments, aimed at developing a superior race of humans, on people brought to the Auschwitz concentration camp in Poland during World War II. Named the "angel of death," he was particularly interested in twins.

Smith declined to speculate on what would happen if the United States located Mengele in a foreign country.

Reports two weeks ago that Mengele may have been captured by American authorities soon after World War II and released helped prompt the reopening of the case.

General Feared 'Bombshell'

NEW YORK (UPI) — The military intelligence chief in Vietnam testified at Gen. William Westmoreland's \$120 million libel suit the general withheld enemy troop counts from Washington because they were a "political bombshell."

Gen. Joseph McChristian testified Wednesday he told Westmoreland in May 1967, seven months before the disastrous Tet offensive, to revise the count of irregular Viet Cong troops in the official estimate.

Before the Tet offensive, the official Army estimate was 300,000 troops, while other estimates — including those of the CIA — were as high as 800,000.

Earlier in the trial, Westmoreland testified that he never made such a claim and said the expression "political bombshell" is "not in my lexicon."

Westmoreland says CBS libeled him in a documentary that charged he deliberately reduced the number of irregular forces in the official enemy troop count so President Johnson would commit more troops to the war.

Nitro Blast Kills Two

RADFORD, Va. (UPI) — Two workers were killed in a mushroom-cloud explosion of 2½ tons of nitroglycerine that vaporized a concrete building at an Army munitions plant and rattled windows 20 miles away.

"There's nothing left to piece together the possible cause of the explosion," Lt. Col. Craig Curtis, commander of the Radford Army Ammunition Plant, said after the Wednesday morning explosion.

Curtis said a 5,000-pound charge of nitroglycerine was being piped to a storage area when the explosion occurred.

Plant spokeswoman Frances Selnow said special blast barricades around the nitroglycerine building, which makes propellants for tank artillery, directed the explosion force up and out, preventing damage to other buildings at the 4,000-acre complex.

Seven people working nearby were treated for minor cuts and shock, but all returned to work later in the day.

FLORIDA

IN BRIEF

Evinrude Helress Killer Asks Court To Spare His Life

TALLAHASSEE (UPI) — A man sentenced to die for his part in the abduction and murder of an heiress to the Evinrude boat motor fortune has asked the Florida Supreme Court to spare his life.

Alphonso Cave was convicted along with three other men for the execution-style slaying of Frances Julia Slater during a robbery at the convenience store she worked at against her family's wishes. Her body was found in a ditch 13 miles from the Lil General store in Stuart the day before she was to celebrate her 19th birthday.

The justices did not say when they will rule on Cave's automatic appeal.

In oral arguments Wednesday, lawyer Wayne McDonough conceded his client had taken part in the robbery and abduction but said Cave had not known Slater was to be killed and did not fire the shot that ended her life.

Two other men were sentenced to death for their roles in the slaying; another accomplice drew a minimum 25-year sentence.

Drinking Age Bill Not Dead

TALLAHASSEE (UPI) — The chairman of a Senate committee that stalled action on a bill raising the legal drinking age from 19 to 21 says the controversial measure will come to a vote early in the 1985 session.

Senate President Harry Johnston, D-West Palm Beach, intervened Wednesday and notified Commerce Committee chairman Maitox Hair, D-Jacksonville, that he does not want the bill to languish on the committee calendar all year. Hair's committee had voted Tuesday to indefinitely postpone a decision on the bill by Sen. Don Childers, D-West Palm Beach.

Hair said he doubted the Childers bill, making the legal drinking age 21 on Oct. 1, would have passed if it had been put to a vote this week. The chairman said the committee staff had prepared some amendments phasing in the drinking age, so people now 19 and 20 years old could continue to drink.

STOCKS

These quotations provided by members of the National Association of Securities Dealers are representative inter-dealer prices as of 4:00 p.m. Thursday. Intra-day market changes throughout the day. Prices do not include retail markups/markdowns.

Atlantic Bank.....	29	unchanged
Bank of America.....	47 1/2	47 1/2
First Federal Bank.....	44	47 1/2
Florida Power.....		

A. Light.....	31 1/2	31 1/2
Fla. Progress.....	24 1/2	unchanged
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HCA.....	69 1/2	47 1/2
Hughes Supply.....	39 1/2	unchanged
Marriott's.....	19 1/2	20 1/2
NCR Corp.....	99 1/2	104
Plessey.....	19 1/2	unchanged
Scott's.....	15 1/2	15 1/2
Southland Bank.....	29	29 1/2
Sun Bank.....	30 1/2	31



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Rock 'n Roll Graffiti

For all you readers who aren't contemporary music buffs, ZZ Top is a rock band. Apparently, a fan armed with a can of spray paint wants motorists who pass this sign at Oak Lane and Markham Woods Road, Lake Mary, to know just how he feels.

Chances Appear Good For Non-Smoking Bill

TALLAHASSEE (UPI) — A bipartisan group of lawmakers says the prospects for passage are good this year for a bill to require that non-smoking areas be set aside in public buildings, work places and most restaurants and bars.

At a news conference Wednesday, proponents of the measure said they already have several co-sponsors in both the House and the Senate, all of them non-smokers who believe they should have the right to avoid breathing second-hand smoke.

"The voluntary effort at providing non-smoking areas has not worked and it's time for the state to take action to see that it's done," said Rep. Sam Bell, D-Ormond Beach.

"Second-hand smoking is like second-hand love — there's a lot of diseases associated with both of them," said Sen. Doc Myers, R-Hobe Sound, a physician.

Proponents said a similar measure failed in the House last year only because of a parliamentary move inspired by tobacco industry lobbyists. The sponsors call the

bill's prospects for passage this spring "excellent."

The measure would make it a crime to smoke in an area posted as non-smoking. A first conviction would carry a possible fine of up to \$100. Fines for subsequent offenses would range up to \$500.

The bill would exempt restaurants and bars with capacities of under 50 occupants and local ordinances, if stronger, would take precedence over the state statute.

"The tobacco lobby will still be in the hallway but I think increasingly the public is demanding that this be done," Bell said.

Sen. Jeanne Malchon, D-St. Petersburg, noted that many elderly people move to Florida for their health and many of them suffer from lung-related problems. "We feel that in this state we cannot afford not to protect these people when they are in public places or the workplace," she said.

The measure is being pushed by a coalition of health groups, including Florida chapters of the American Lung Association, the American Cancer Society and the American Heart Association.

Homestead Filing Deadline March 1

March 1 is the deadline for Seminole County homeowners to file homestead exemption forms with Seminole County Property Appraiser Bill Suber's office at the county services building in Sanford or at branch offices in Sand Lake Center, off state Road 434 and Sand Lake Road, near Longwood, and Seminole Plaza, Casselberry.

Norma Oliver, homestead exemption supervisor in Suber's office, said about 46,000 homestead exemption renewal cards have been sent to homeowners who have previously filed for the exemption.

To be eligible for the \$25,000 homestead exemption, a person must be a legal

resident of Florida, must own his home and must have lived in that home prior to Jan. 1, 1985.

Widows and disabled veterans may file for an additional \$500 exemption, she said.

However, if a veteran is totally and permanently disabled and has been a resident of the state for five years or more, he may file for a total exemption from property taxes.

Ms. Oliver said those filing homestead exemptions for the first time should bring their deed and driver's license with them to Suber's office.

All three offices are open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Pair Of Janitors Accused Of 'Cleaning Up'

Two janitors have been charged with grand theft in connection with the theft of about \$400 worth of items from an Apopka store they were assigned to clean.

Seminole County sheriff's deputies reported a third janitor told the manager of Walgreens, Hunt Club Corners, that he had found items in the crew's truck that he believed had been stolen from the store.

A radio, cassette tapes, a camera, film, makeup and jewelry were among the items the suspects reportedly smuggled out of the store in their pockets and shoes, the report said.

Joseph James Smith, 20, and Clifford Glen Couchman, 20, both of Orlando, were charged in the case Tuesday and were being held in the Seminole County jail in lieu of \$5,000 bond each.

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tion was checked the suspended driver's license charge was added, police reported.

Herbert Augustine McGill, 20, of 1408 W. 18th St., was arrested at 5:03 a.m. Sunday. He was released on \$1,500 bond and is scheduled to appear in court Feb. 18.

EX-SPOUSE ABUSE?
A Longwood man told a sheriff's deputy that his former wife broke his finger.

The deputy notes in the inci-

dent report that one of the man's fingers was slightly swollen.

Richard Nazareth, 41, of 120 Springside Court, made the report Friday at 8:35 p.m.

Nazareth said he was leaving his former wife's residence when she broke his finger. Specific details were not included in the report.

No charges were filed.

RECKLESS CYCLE
A 21-year-old Sanford man has been charged with reckless driving, fleeing and eluding police and driving without a license after he reportedly fled from Sanford police who were investigating a complaint of a reckless driver.

Police spotted the suspect on Mattie Street, Sanford, at about 8 p.m. Tuesday. They reported

pursuing the motorcyclist onto a dirt road, then to 29th Street, as the rider ran stop signs and almost collided several times with several police cars.

They caught up with the suspect when he stopped at his home, the report said.

Joe Ashton Veltman, of 209 Palm Place, was arrested at 8:08 p.m. Tuesday. He was later freed on \$500 bond.

DUI ARREST
The following person has been arrested in Seminole County on a charge of driving under the influence:
—Marcia Louise Jones, 29, of 2100 Howell Branch Road, Maitland, was arrested at 2:05 a.m. Wednesday after her car was seen traveling on state Road 438, Casselberry, with its headlights off.

Lung Cancer Will Be No. 1 Killer

NEW YORK (UPI) — More women will die of lung cancer than breast cancer this year because more women are smoking cigarettes, the American Cancer Society said today.

Estimates are that 38,800 women will die of lung cancer this year, compared to 38,400 who will die of breast cancer — the previous No. 1 fatal cancer, the 1985 edition of the society's annual publication "Cancer Facts & Figures" reported.

"The time is at hand for the National Organization for Women, the National Women's Health Network ... all concerned women ... to speak out against the manipulation of young women by cigarette manufacturers and against cigarette smoking in general," Dr. Arthur Hobbie, vice president for medical affairs, wrote in an

accompanying editorial.

Cancer Society President Robert J. McKenna said the organization is calling for a congressional investigation of cigarette advertising and marketing practices aimed at young people.

"The rising number of women affected by lung cancer is a direct reflection of the increasing numbers of women who became hooked on cigarettes during the years since World War II," said Lawrence Garfinkel, the society's vice president for epidemiology and statistics and its director of cancer prevention.

About 144,000 Americans — 98,000 men and 46,000 women — will be told this year that they have lung cancer and 125,000 of both sexes will die of the disease, the report said.

Escapee Pleads Guilty; Killer's Defense Bill OK'd

One of two brothers who escaped from the Seminole County jail and remained at large for two months has pleaded guilty to escape.

In a separate case, a man now serving a 34-year prison sentence for murdering his girlfriend's daughter had payment of his defense bill approved.

Jed Allen Chyles, 19, of Tampa, entered the escape plea before Seminole Circuit Judge Robert B. McGregor who set sentencing for April 29.

Chyles, originally jailed on charges of burglary, faces up to 15 years for the escape. Chyles and his brother Michael are awaiting trial on the burglary charges.

The brothers slipped out of jail Aug. 23 and were captured Oct. 26 after a crime spree in Tennessee.

In making their escape, the pair scaled a 20-foot wall, slipped under a razor-sharp coil of barbed wire atop the wall and fled from an outside volleyball court at the jail. The wire has since been lowered.

At the time of their escape, the Chyles were being held on charges of two counts each of burglary and were scheduled to be transferred to DeSoto County to face additional charges.

They also face charges in Tennessee.

In a separate case, Circuit Judge C. Vernon Mize Jr. Monday approved a \$1,804.65 bill for the defense of Donald Glenn McDougall, 27, convicted killer of Ursula Sunshine Asaaid, 5.

The bill was submitted by special public defender Leon B. Cheek III, of Casselberry. The bill will be paid by Seminole County.

McDougall was sentenced to 34 years Nov. 4, 1983 for the torture death of the girl. Susan Barrett Asaaid, mother of the child and McDougall's girlfriend, pleaded guilty to manslaughter March 25 in connection with the girl's death and was sentenced to 15 years.

—Deane Jordan

AREA DEATHS

CHARLES WILLIAMS
Mr. Charles Williams, 33, a former Sanford resident, died Sunday in Pearson, Ga. Born July 21, 1951 in Sanford, he moved to Pearson a year ago. He was employed by the city of Pearson.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Williams, Sanford; two sons, Charles Jr. and Charles Emanuel; daughter, Cherelle, all of Sanford; three sisters, Minnie Cashe and Sheila Collins, both of Sanford, Janie Ruth Collins, Compton, Calif.; three brothers, Joe, Johnny, and Alvin Williams, all of Sanford.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete. Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, is in charge of arrangements.

MILDRED E. PEAVY
Mrs. Mildred Elizabeth Peavy, 92, of 989 Orienta Ave., Altamonte Springs, died Wednesday at Life Care Center, Altamonte Springs. Born Sept. 12, 1892 in Reading, Mass., she moved to Altamonte Springs from St. Cloud several years ago. She was a homemaker and a Methodist.

She is survived by a sister, Marion Thayer, Orlando.

Flak Funeral Home, St. Cloud, is in charge of arrangements.

JOSEPH A. MARINAK JR.
Mr. Joseph A. Marinak Jr., 65, of 116 Country Club Circle, Sanford, died Monday at Central Florida Regional Hospital. Born Aug. 11, 1929 in New York City, he moved to Sanford from Or-

lando in 1984. He was a stockman for an automotive supply company and a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Orlando.

He is survived by a sister, Victoria Stone, Orlando; sister, Catherine Steuerwald, Bath; three nieces; three nephews.

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WORLD IN BRIEF

Communist Party Blames Troubles On Mitterrand

PARIS (UPI) — Delegates to the 25th national congress of France's Communist Party faced a debate today on a resolution aimed at halting the party's declining popularity and uniting its members.

Opening the congress Wednesday, Secretary General Georges Marchais blamed the loss of some 100,000 members and nearly 50 percent of the party's electoral support in three years on President Francois Mitterrand's ruling Socialists.

The Communists left Mitterrand's government last year over the Socialists' economic austerity measures.

Marchais, party leader since 1972, acknowledged there was growing discontent among the rank and file, but warned he would not tolerate any move to undermine the party structures and "divide the party into different currents."

His remarks came on the eve of the debate today on a draft resolution that calls on the party to maintain its pro-Soviet policy and centralized structure.

Vatican Workers Threaten Strike

VATICAN CITY (UPI) — Pope John Paul II, back in the Vatican after his tiring sojourn in Latin America and the Caribbean, faced troubles at home today after civilian employees threatened the first strike in the tiny city state.

A statement issued Wednesday by the Association of Vatican Lay Dependents announced a "state of agitation to the bitter end" to press the Vatican to keep what the civilian workers' union claims is a promise of a pay increase.

Union leaders said, for the moment, the industrial action will take the form of a series of meetings of employees of the Vatican's 45 administrative sectors.

The statement, however, clearly indicated leaders would use strike action if the Vatican continues to stall on implementing a pay increase, which the union said it agreed on during pay talks held last year.

In the past, the pontiff has repeatedly spoken in favor of workers' rights to organize themselves in labor unions, but it is believed to be the first time he has been faced himself with a serious threat of a strike.

Apartment Building Collapses

CASTELLANETA, Italy (UPI) — A six-story apartment building collapsed in the Italian hill town of Castellaneta today, burying up to 20 families under tons of rubble, officials said.

Firemen, police and hundreds of troops sent to the scene had dragged six dead residents from the huge pile of masonry by 10 a.m. (4 a.m. EST). Rescue officials said the death toll could go as high as 70.

Seven injured residents, one of them in very serious condition, were rushed to a hospital at Taranto, an Italian naval base and seaport 25 miles southeast of Castellaneta.

Firemen and other rescuers managed to evacuate around 100 residents from an intact portion of the building.

The six-story apartment building collapsed shortly after 4 a.m. (10 p.m. EST). Fire brigade experts said first indications were that the structure had been weakened by water seepage from recent days of torrential rain marking Italy's severest winter in 29 years.

The building was constructed on the edge of a steep slope on the outskirts of the hill town.

All Get Lengthy Prison Terms

Priest's Killers Sentenced

TORUN, Poland (UPI) — Grzegorz Piotrowski, ringleader of a group of four secret policemen convicted in the kidnap-murder of a dissident priest, was sentenced today to 25 years in prison, the official state news agency PAP said.

The judge also sentenced police Col. Adam Pietruszka to 25 years for inciting the killing of Rev. Jerzy Popieluszko and handed out prison terms of 15 years to Lt. Lezek Pekala and 14 years to Lt. Waldemar Chmielewski.

Prosecutors had demanded the death sentence for Piotrowski — the ringleader in the Popieluszko kidnap-murder — but judge Artur Kujawa ruled against it.

Popieluszko, an outspoken supporter of the outlawed Solidarity union was kidnaped Oct. 19, beaten and gagged and then dumped in a reservoir. His body was retrieved Oct. 30.

Pietruszka had pleaded innocent and lawyers for the other three officers, who maintained the priest's death was an accident and that they only wanted to intimidate the cleric, had demanded the murder charges be dropped.

The four have the right to appeal the sentence — first to the Supreme Court and then to the Polish president for clemency.

The trial began with the prosecution saying the plot resulting in the priest's death originated in high levels of the government, but the defendants later said Pietruszka was the highest official involved in the crime.

Polish authorities maintain the evidence that emerged during the proceedings demonstrates that only the four officers on trial were involved in the murder.

Military leader Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski,

who assailed the murder as a provocative act that opposed the interests of Poland, assumed immediate personal control of the Interior Ministry, which controls the secret police.

Lawyers representing Popieluszko's family have implied that the plot to kill the priest was hatched in a communist country and maintain that a murder plan could not have originated in Poland as it was against the state's interest.

Chief prosecutor Lezek Pietrasinski has dismissed the suggestion, but said a new investigation was underway to establish whether Piotrowski had links in the West and acted as a possible double agent.

Autopsy results revealed Popieluszko was dealt at least 14 club and flat blows by his kidnapers. The priest, whose bound and gagged body was retrieved from the reservoir, suffocated, the results showed.

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The county commission received Frederick's letter earlier this week.

Meanwhile, announcement has been made that Orlando is preparing to sign a consent agreement with the federal and state agencies pledging the pollution problems at the plant will be solved.

After negotiations over the past nine months, the federal and state agencies have agreed to let Orlando add new customers up to the plant's daily capacity of 24 million gallons if Orlando will sign a "consent order" promising to make improvements to the plant to remove the nitrates over a three year period according to a specific time table, Hooper said.

When Frederick's intention of turning Seminole County's capacity over to the transmission authority was brought to the county commission's attention this week, Commissioner Bill Kirchhoff said: "No, that capacity belongs to Seminole County, not the transmission authority."

"Frederick apparently doesn't

know an agreement exists between Orlando and Seminole County. We are just trying to get this straightened out. It (the agreement) is apparently something he overlooked."

Hooper said, "We will ask Mayor Frederick to release the capacity to Seminole County directly."

Frederick wants the transmission authority to decide "who has how much capacity left," Hooper said, but adding Seminole County knows how much capacity it has left — the 1.4 million gallons a day.

"If necessary, the county will take legal means to protect its interests," he said.

In the meantime, Hooper said, at least four Seminole housing projects have been held up from developing because there was no sewer capacity available.

If the unused capacity is released for Seminole County these developers will be permitted to proceed with their projects, he said, and so will other developers who have already completed work necessary for various approvals by the county, including appropriate zoning and platting of their projects.

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Both Hawke and Shultz sought to minimize the action. Hawke said the administration made its decision to monitor the missile test through other means before his meeting, although he "conveyed the concerns that have arisen in Australia."

Australia's commitment to ANZUS "remains un-

diminished," Hawke said. "It would be totally mistaken for any conclusion to be drawn that the decision of the United States to monitor the MX test in another way has any impact in the ANZUS relationship. It has none," he said.

Hawke also praised Reagan for progress on nuclear arms control. Three Australian newspapers reported Hawke would voice opposition to Reagan's "Star Wars" missile-defense plan.

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Longwood avenues.

The forces met no resistance, but one suspect nabbed at 110 DeSoto Avenue fainted when the lawmen, with warrants in hand, dressed in camouflage gear, confronted him in his home, Seminole SWAT Commander Lt. Marty La Brusciano said.

At least two of the suspects had firearms in their possession when they were taken into custody, sheriff's spokesman John Spolaski said.

The operation was coordinated with the aid of a Volusia County helicopter from which officers watched for suspects who might try to escape the ground forces. Some occupants of the houses, including a pregnant woman, were not arrested, lawmen said.

The crackdown came, Polk said, after complaints by residents of the area north of state Road 436 and east of state Road 427. It follows the redevelopment of a situation that was curbed to a degree about nine months ago when deputies increased their patrols of the neighborhood, he said.

"It's an area where they think they can get away with it (open drug dealing)," Polk said.

"There are many good citizens in that area, some aided in our investigation, and there are others who don't have anything to do, so they say they'll sell drugs. They're too lazy to work."

Among those arrested were Theo Small, at 110 DeSoto Ave.; Milton Wilson, 336 DePugh St.; Gregory Jerome "Rolo" Atkins, 409 Longwood Ave.; Tommy Bell III, 121 Plymouth Ave.; Wendell J. Calter "Big City," Leon Forest; and Vernon Andrews, 715 Marler Street.

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WEATHER

NATIONAL REPORT: A Pacific storm expected to produce as much as a foot of snow plowed into the Northwest today, while an Eastern storm that dumped up to 14 inches of snow drifted out to sea and was replaced by cold air invading from the Midwest. Early-morning temperatures in the Tennessee Valley fell below 32 degrees.

AREA FORECAST: Today variable cloudiness and cooler. A 20 percent chance of showers. High mid 60s. North wind 10 mph. Tonight much colder. Low near 40 to mid 40s. North wind 10 to 15 mph. Friday partly sunny and rather cool. High near 60 to mid 60s. Northeast wind 10 to 15 mph.

AREA READINGS (9 a.m.): temperature: 56; overnight low: 55; Wednesday's high: 80; barometric pressure: 30.15; relative humidity: 100 percent;

winds: north at 9 mph; rain: .52 inch; sunrise: 7:10 a.m., sunset 6:10 p.m.

FRIDAY TIDES: Daytona Beach: high, 10:56 a.m., 11:24 p.m.; low, 4:27 a.m., 4:52 p.m.; Port Canaveral: high, 10:50 a.m., 11:16 p.m.; low, 4:18 a.m., 4:43 p.m.; Baysport: high, 3:19 a.m., 3:40 p.m.; low, 5:42 a.m., 10:24 p.m.

BOATING FORECAST: St. Augustine to Jupiter Inlet out 50 miles — Wind north around 15 knots continuing through tonight then increasing to 20 knots Friday. Sea 3 to 5 feet but higher in the Gulf Stream increasing Friday. Scattered showers.

EXTENDED FORECAST: Fair and very cool north and cool south through Monday. Lows mid 30s to low 40s north and 50s south except low 60s in the lower keys. Highs from low 60s north to low 70s south.

...Reagan

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his key roadmap for the future.

He also plunged into turbulent political waters by bluntly saying it is time to cut or abolish most domestic subsidy programs — including those going to farmers, the poor and the Amtrak rail system.

"This nation is poised for greatness," Reagan said. "The time has come to proceed toward a great new challenge — a second American revolution of hope and opportunity."

He warned that "nearly 80 years of government living beyond its means has brought us to a time of reckoning. Ours is not a moment in history. But one moment of courage, idealism and ingenuity may change American history

forever." For the first time, Reagan endorsed most parts of the Treasury Department's proposal to scrap the current income tax system and adopt a simplified flat-tax method, with some changes.

Reagan called it "an excellent reform plan" that "will guide the final proposal" he seeks.

He also opposed the size of most federal subsidy programs, including those going to farmers. In all, Reagan hopes to eliminate 26 subsidy programs, including the one funding the Amtrak rail system. The other programs would be cut or frozen.

Reagan tried to pressure Congress to go along with the defense budget, which seeks nearly a 15 percent spending increase next year, by saying his program would "influence" the Senate to reduce that bill next month.

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Poor Losers

Residents of Indiana's 8th Congressional District are being denied representation in Washington in a blatant abuse of power by Democrats controlling the House of Representatives. Richard D. McIntyre was elected to the House from the 8th District last November, but he still is on the outside looking in.

The election was a close one. Mr. McIntyre was certified the winner over Democrat Frank McCloskey by a scant 34 votes in December. Mr. McCloskey demanded a recount, which was not unexpected.

Now the recount has been completed — by county commissions that were dominated by Democrats in 11 of the 15 counties comprising the 8th District. Mr. McIntyre again emerged the winner — but by the more substantial margin of 435 votes.

The Democrats are turning out to be poor losers. Rep. Tony Coelho of California, chairman of the party's congressional campaign committee, insists the returns still are not conclusive. He points out that 1,000 ballots were ruled invalid in a precinct with a heavy pro-McCloskey vote, but conveniently ignores the fact that thousands more were ruled invalid in precincts that favored Mr. McIntyre.

Election officials in Indiana are satisfied that the election of Mr. McIntyre was on the up-and-up, but the Democratic leadership in the House is insisting that the seat remain open until the House Administration Committee, which it controls, has had a chance to "investigate" this case. The investigation, of course, is a last-ditch effort to find some reason to give the seat to Mr. McCloskey.

This is believed to be the first time the House of Representatives has ever refused to seat a person whose election was duly certified by state election authorities. If the Democratic majority is allowed to impose its will in this manner, the implications are frightening. Why bother to have elections if the party controlling Congress can overrule the results?

With Mr. McIntyre not seated promptly, voters in Indiana should seek an order from a federal court granting them the representation in Congress that is being denied to them by the losing side in the November election.

Ed's Legal Costs

Presidential counselor Ed Meese, who's worked hard these last four years to kill the federal legal services program for the poor, is billing the government for more than \$700,000 to pay his lawyers.

It's all within the law. The legislation that set up the process under which the misconduct charges against Meese were investigated provides for such reimbursement if the subject of the charges is cleared. In Meese's case, however, there are some questions about the amount. The Reagan administration, meaning Meese himself, has been trying to limit reimbursement of lawyers in similar cases to a rate of \$75 an hour. Meese's lawyers billed at \$225 an hour, the going rate in leading Washington firms. In addition, it's not certain that everything that's been billed was, in fact, for Meese's defense in the special prosecutor's investigation, or whether some also went for personal business. The court examining the claim is now asking for more documentation.

It's all a little awkward, particularly since the Justice Department, which is supposed to make certain that the claims are fair, will probably be run by Meese himself in another few weeks. And considering Meese's position on legal services and on that \$75 limit, it is, to put it mildly, not a little ironic. That \$700,000 would support one fair-size legal services office with 15 lawyers and supporting staff for a year. Somebody ought to ask him how he feels about legal services now — for the poor, and for Ed Meese.

BERRY'S WORLD



DONALD LAMBRO

Deep Budget Cuts Sunder GOP Unity

WASHINGTON — Fear among House supply-siders that President Reagan and Senate Republican leaders are leading their party down the road to political disaster by pursuing "draconian budget cuts" has split the GOP's otherwise-united ranks.

While Senate Republicans, led by Robert Dole of Kansas, seek deep, across-the-board spending reductions, their House counterparts shudder at the thought of passing an austere "no-growth" budget that strikes at Social Security cost-of-living increases and revenue-sharing grants to poor localities.

In a Jan. 24 letter signed by Reps. Jack Kemp of New York, Jim Courter of New Jersey and Newt Gingrich of Georgia, among others, the disgruntled lawmakers privately warned Reagan that too much political capital was being invested in "draconian budget cuts and not enough in the central program of your fall campaign: economic growth, opportunity and jobs."

The supply-siders urged Reagan to reject the counsel of Dole and other GOP senators "that deficit reduction should be the top priority of the

new Congress. In the absence of robust economic growth."

Instead, they urged him to "put forward an agenda to reach the stated goal of the 1984 GOP platform: tax reform and further marginal tax-rate reduction to boost output, economic and income growth."

The deficit-reduction-first strategy being pushed by Senate Republicans, they warned, "is an economic and political trap set by opponents of your defense build-up and tax cuts."

Last week, as Republican leaders emerged from a meeting with the president, Oregon's Bob Packwood, chairman of the tax-writing Senate Finance Committee, said that GOP members of his panel and the Ways and Means Committee want no tax reform until Congress cuts the deficit. That would mean no action on tax-rate reduction until 1986 at the earliest.

"Spending cuts, spending cuts, spending cuts," was the myopic fiscal advice they gave the president, said Packwood.

But forecasts of no tax reform this year may be premature. After all, Reagan got spending cuts and tax reduction through Congress in

1981, and this time around he enjoys an even larger mandate for change than he did in 1980.

In fact, tax reform is already in the works. The administration is planning to sit down with Kemp and Sen. Robert Kasten Jr., R-Wis., who are pushing their own tax plan, as well as with Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J. and Rep. Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., co-sponsors of a similar Democratic alternative.

White House strategists say Reagan is committed to sending tax-reform legislation to Congress this year, but first wants to work out a bill that has a reasonable chance of passage.

But the White House knows there's more at stake here than merely keeping Reagan's word on tax reform. Failure to send Congress a reform proposal could mean losing critical congressional support for the administration's politically difficult deficit-cutting efforts.

Indeed, the supply-siders bluntly warned Reagan that they "cannot support any further social spending cuts unless and until a growth-oriented tax bill is sent to Congress. That threat alone insures that a tax-reform plan will go to Capitol Hill early this year."

SCIENCE WORLD

Fast Food Chicken Is Okay

MANHATTAN, Kan. (UPI) — If you are an average American, you eat about 64 pounds of poultry each year and spend one-third of your food dollar away from home, which means you probably eat a lot of fast-food chicken.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture wants to make sure you are eating right, so the agency has given Kansas State University almost \$94,000 to find out if chain store fried chicken, a \$250-million-a-year business, is good for you.

The Kansas State researchers are in the final stages of a year-long study to determine the vitamin, mineral and fat content of fried chicken from six fried chicken chains across the country.

The findings are still preliminary, but Prof. Jane Bowers, head of the school's department of foods and nutrition, said overall that fast-food fried chicken is all right to eat.

"It's as good for you to eat as any fried chicken is," Bowers said. "Some people have the idea that fast food isn't nutritionally good for you. That isn't true."

The Agriculture Department took five breast-wing and five thigh-leg samples from Kentucky Fried Chicken, Church's, Pioneer, Jim Dandy, Bojangles and Popeye's in cities that included San Francisco, Los Angeles, Dallas, Houston, St. Louis, Chicago, New York, Washington, Atlanta, and Tampa.

The Kansas State researchers have found that dark and light meat varies somewhat in vitamin and mineral content, and that some of the chains had differences in fat content, probably due to different frying methods, Bowers said.

"We're hard-pressed to explain the differences in fat content, because the companies are reluctant to give out their recipes, especially for the batter. We think it may have something to do with the flour they use in the batter."

"The findings won't be released according to chain," Bowers said. "because the findings did not vary significantly from chain to chain. The differences we found were significant to us, but to the average consumer, practically, there isn't that much difference."

Similar studies of fast food burgers have been done in previous years, and an Arizona University research team is completing a study of chain Mexican food.

JACK ANDERSON

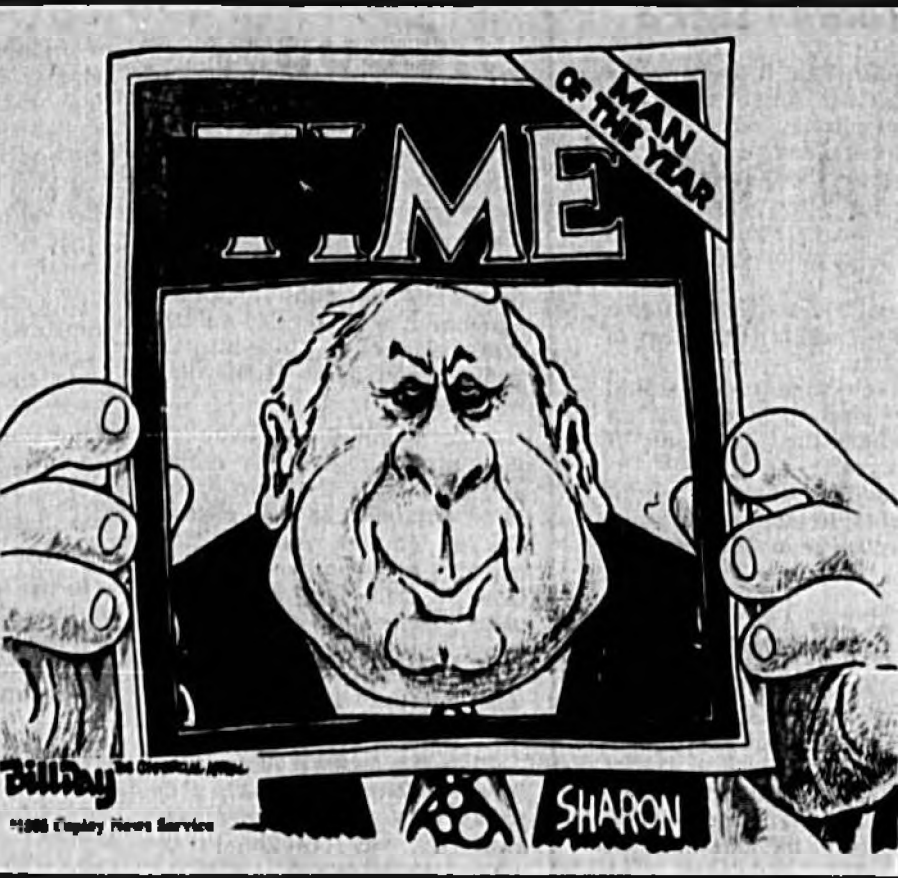
Soviets Routinely Violate Arms Terms

WASHINGTON — The Reagan administration is putting on a great show of willingness to reach an arms-control agreement with the Soviet Union. But the president's negotiators are laboring under a heavy burden of distrust, born of the Soviets' past responses to complaints of treaty violations.

The negotiators know all too well the secret history of Soviet violations of the SALT I and II treaties. Though SALT II was never ratified, both countries pledged to abide by its terms, and the United States has tried to hold the Soviets to their word.

I can illustrate the U.S. frustration by drawing on a highly sensitive National Security Council report on the verification attempts of recent years. The report was reviewed by my associate Dale Van Atta. Keep in mind that this is just a single example of the problem.

One provision of SALT II was intended to restrict the proliferation of intercontinental ballistic missiles by allowing each side to develop



MICHAEL K. EVANS

Trade Deficit Woes

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The trade deficit last year totalled \$123.2 billion, almost twice as high as 1983, which itself was a record at the time. Furthermore, economists are virtually unanimous in agreeing that the deficit will soar even higher this year, exceeding \$130 billion.

The four major implications of this huge trade deficit are as follows:

1. Consumers are getting more bargains. While some imported goods, such as cars, continue to rise in price along with U.S. increases, most other consumer goods are cheaper than they were a few years ago. Foreign travel is as much as 50 percent cheaper than in 1980.
2. The strong dollar, which is the primary cause of this huge deficit, is widely credited with keeping inflation at least 2 percent per year below the rate otherwise.
3. In the area of consumer hard goods and capital equipment, imports have soaked up about 2-3 of the growth in the past three years; these are sales that otherwise would have gone to domestic producers. In addition, our export markets are stagnating. The trade imbalance cost approximately 1.5 million domestic jobs last year.
4. The flip side of the huge trade deficit is almost an equally large inflow of capital into this country; close to \$100 billion last year. The interest and profits earned on this capital flow back to their foreign investors. As this debt to foreigners keeps accumulating, the historical surplus

of income from capital that the U.S. has enjoyed will be reversed, and by 1986 we will owe foreigners more than they owe us.

Thus depending on whether you are an individual who likes foreign products and enjoys traveling in Europe, or whether your job used to be manufacturing machine tools, the effects of the trade deficit are completely different.

But in spite of the virtual doubling of the trade deficit last year, some steps were taken to try to reduce the flood of imports.

One way, of course, is to have the Fed intervene in foreign currency markets and drive the value of the dollar down somewhat. The Fed has rarely used this weapon. The other way is to press for increased protectionism.

The auto, steel, and textile industries have already been successful in reducing the growth of imports into this country.

Rather than actually diminish the amount of imports, they have argued for quotas that effectively fix market share near its present level.

This permits domestic manufacturers to raise prices without having to worry about losing market share.

Because of this increased protectionism, some decline in the value of the dollar this year, and the slower growth of the domestic economy, the trade deficit will only inch up instead of exploding as it did last year.

DON GRAFF

An Able Advocate For U.S.

Whatever else is to be said about her — and there is plenty — Jeane J. Kirkpatrick certainly made them sit up and pay attention.

There are a number of words for her performance the past four years as ambassador to the United Nations — forceful, blunt, uncompromising, abrasive and courageous, just for starters.

No one could be in any doubt — or at least not much — as to what she thought of the institution to which she was accredited — not much. She made that outspokenly clear at the very start, and repeated herself frequently on the off chance that someone might have missed or forgotten her point.

In her opinion, the world organization was not a solver of problems but itself a problem.

She put down not only the established critics of the United States but its putative friends if she thought they had gotten out of line on an issue of importance.

She has the courage of her convictions, sometimes to a diplomatic fault. She came to public — and Ronald Reagan's — attention as the author of a treatise on the relative virtues of right-wing "authoritarian" governments of the Latin military type in contrast to left-wing "totalitarian" regimes.

So what could be more natural than that she keep a dinner date as guest of honor at the Argentine Embassy in 1982, precisely as the U.S. government was siding with Britain in the Falklands business. To, also naturally, the utter consternation of the State Department.

She describes herself as an intellectual in a world of bureaucrats.

"After a shaky start," the New York Times observed editorially the other day, "Dr. Kirkpatrick became an able advocate for Mr. Reagan's foreign policy and won the sometimes grudging respect of adversaries."

But respect is not agreement. Jeane Kirkpatrick will not soon be forgotten at the United Nations, but how much of a lasting impact she may have had is another matter.

Still, she will be missed, especially in those fervently conservative circles where she has acquired symbolic stature as a preacher of the true faith in an administration heavily infiltrated by pragmatic infidels.

of its re-entry vehicle (warhead) telemetry consistently (have) been encrypted since the test program began. It adds that "except for the first test, virtually no information useful or relevant to verification has been transmitted in the clear."

The Soviets again denied violating anything, suggested the U.S. figures were the result of "a wrong approach" and noted that information on any aspects of SALT II "are provided as a gesture of goodwill," not obligation, because the treaty was not officially in effect.

The CIA went back to its computers and re-checked its figures for the SS-25. It concluded that its original estimate was correct.

On Oct. 12, 1983, the U.S. representative in Geneva stated that "until this matter is satisfactorily resolved, the United States requests that the Soviet Union suspend flight-testing of the SS-25."

The Soviets responded 13 days later. They flight-tested another SS-25.

Generals: Time Was Ripe To Trade Sipe

JACKSONVILLE (UPI) — Now both Doug Flutie and Brian Sipe can start alongside Heisman Trophy winning running backs in the USFL.

The New Jersey Generals made Coach Walt Michaels' toughest decision for him Wednesday by trading 12-year veteran quarterback Brian Sipe to the Jacksonville Bulls. The move paved the way for Doug Flutie, the 1984 Heisman Trophy winner from Boston College, to start as the Generals' quarterback.

Sipe was traded for a high-round 1986 draft choice and future considerations just hours after Flutie com-

pleted his first workout with New Jersey at the club's Orlando training camp.

"There was going to be an awkward situation in New Jersey," Sipe said. "This is one solution. I prepared myself all the way up until about three hours ago to be battling Doug Flutie. I would not call this a relief. I would call this a great opportunity."

The Bulls last week signed 1983 Heisman Trophy winner Mike Rozier, the former Nebraska running back who became a free agent when the Pittsburgh Maulers folded. The Generals' top running back is 1982 Heisman

Pro Football

winner Herschel Walker, who signed as an underclassman out of the University of Georgia in 1983.

With Flutie earning more than \$1 million a year and Sipe, 35, making an estimated \$700,000, Michaels was faced with the prospect of having to bench one of his star quarterbacks.

New Jersey owner Donald Trump formally signed Flutie Tuesday in a fanfare ceremony in New York, culminating weeks of negotiations. In

unloading Sipe, the multi-millionaire real estate developer made clear it was essential for Flutie to start and thus increase ticket sales and television ratings.

Sipe said he is looking forward to playing for Bulls Coach Lindy Infante, who has a reputation as a passing coach.

"I'm the type of quarterback who likes to throw the ball," Sipe said. "For professional reasons, I'm very happy to be down here with Lindy and his type of football."

Sipe's best pro season came in 1980 when he led the NFL in passing while

throwing for 4,132 yards and 30 touchdowns. He was named AFC Player of the Year that season.

Jacksonville general manager Larry Coonka said he has been trying to acquire Sipe for at least eight months.

"As soon as they found out that we got Boston College as a territorial school (in the USFL draft), the Bulls contacted us," New Jersey President Jason Seltzer said.

Sipe joins a crowded quarterback scene in Jacksonville. The Bulls now have five passers, including former Duke quarterback Ben Bennett.

SPORTS IN BRIEF

Lake Mary Seniors Go Wild, Trounce Father Lopez, 10-0

It was Senior Night at Lake Mary High Wednesday — boy, was it ever.

All five seniors on the Rams' roster scored goals Wednesday as Lake Mary rolled to a 10-0 prep soccer victory over Father Lopez.

Senior forward Andre Sanders led the way with three goals while seniors Paul Holmes, Eric Zimmerman, Tom Misuraca and Jay Sapp added one each. Juniors Mike O'Reilly and Seth Sberman also added goals while the 10th score was an own goal that occurred when the ball deflected off a Lopez player and into the goal.

Lake Mary improved to 19-8 overall with the win. The Rams have an important Five Star Conference match Saturday at Daytona Beach Mainland. "We're 4-4 in the conference and we could finish as high as fourth if we win or as low as seventh if we lose," Lake Mary coach Larry McCorkle said.

The Rams rout of Father Lopez Wednesday came as a surprise to McCorkle. Lopez had upset Daytona Beach Seabreeze, a team that beat Lake Mary and tied top-ranked (4A) Lake Howell, earlier in the year.

Lake Mary took 55 shots on goal Wednesday compared to 14 for Father Lopez. Along with the goal scorers, Holmes and Louis Rosen added two assists each.

Brick Kicks Lions To Easy Win

OVIEDO — Greg Brick kicked in two goals as the Oviedo Lions routed Leesburg, 8-1, at Oviedo High School.

Oviedo finished the regular season with a 6-8 record. The Lions will open the district tournament Tuesday.

Along with Brick, Mike Amrhein, Mike Chester, Jeremy Mason, Steve Nelson, Tim DeZego and Jon Breedlove scored for the Lions.

Oviedo bolted to a 7-0 first-half lead and never looked back. "That's about the best game that we played," said Oviedo coach Chris Hall. "But we have to realize Leesburg is a one-year team."

Hall said he is hoping to get seeded in the district tournament. "Blashoff Moore will be on top and Montverde will be second," said Hall. "But if we play like we played against Montverde last Thursday (5-0 win), I believe we can do well."

Gordon King, Oviedo's sophomore keeper, had an easy day with three saves.

In one other game Wednesday, Lyman improved to 12-8-2 with a 4-0 victory over DeLand. Keith Young kicked two goals for the Greyhounds while Pat Howard and Brian Ocasek had one each.

Person's 39, FTs Derail Gators

GAINESVILLE (UPI) — Carey Holland buried eight of 10 crucial free throws and Chuck Person scored 39 points to lead Auburn to an 81-78 overtime SEC win against the Florida Gators Wednesday.

Holland's free throws accounted for eight of Auburn's 10 overtime points.

Florida, 15-5 and 7-4 in the SEC, tied for the league lead as Mississippi fell to Louisiana State, setting up a three-way split of the top spot.

The win puts Auburn, 13-7 and 5-6 in the conference, into the eight-team race to two games out of first.

"This hurt us a lot, not only because of the conference implications but because we're in a position to win," said Florida Coach Norm Sloan, who watched the Gators blow a 15-point lead in the second half and then let another opportunity slip away in the final seconds of regulation play.

Moten led Florida with 24 points and five assists. Eugene McDowell had 16 points and 12 rebounds, followed by Darryl Gresham with 11 points and Maxwell with 10.

Pettit, Greene Lasso Kowboys

KISSIMMEE — John Pettit poured in a game-high 24 points and Allen Greene funneled in 22 Wednesday night as Oviedo's freshman closed out their most successful season ever with a 80-63 victory over Osceola Kowboys.

The freshman Lions ended the season with a 13-5 record and 8-0 in Orange Belt Conference play. It was the first time an Oviedo freshman team ever went unbeaten in the conference.

Oviedo raced to a 19-12 lead after the first quarter and took a 41-22 lead by halftime. Behind Pettit and Greene, Chris Fore popped in 14 points, Pete Linsard added 12 and J.D. O'Neil contributed eight for coach Bernie Barbour's Lions.

Barbour said that all four of his freshman starters will be moving up to either varsity or junior varsity for the last two weeks of the season.

Bandits Send Peace To Breakers

TAMPA (UPI) — The Tampa Bay Bandits traded quarterback Wayne Peace to the Portland Breakers Wednesday for two future USFL first round draft picks.

Peace was a territorial draft selection by the Bandits last year after an outstanding career at the University of Florida.

He started two games during his rookie year, completing 18 of 43 passes for 215 yards and one touchdown.

Sox' Fisk Charged With Battery

CHICAGO (UPI) — White Sox catcher Carlton Fisk has been charged with battery after a scuffle at a church league basketball game involving a 13-year-old boy, team owner Jerry Reinsdorf said Wednesday.

Fisk allegedly tangled with a 13-year-old Will County boy who had become involved in a fight with Fisk's son, Casey, also 13, during a church league basketball game Saturday in a Chicago suburb, Reinsdorf said.

Lady Raiders Seek Playoff Berth Tonight

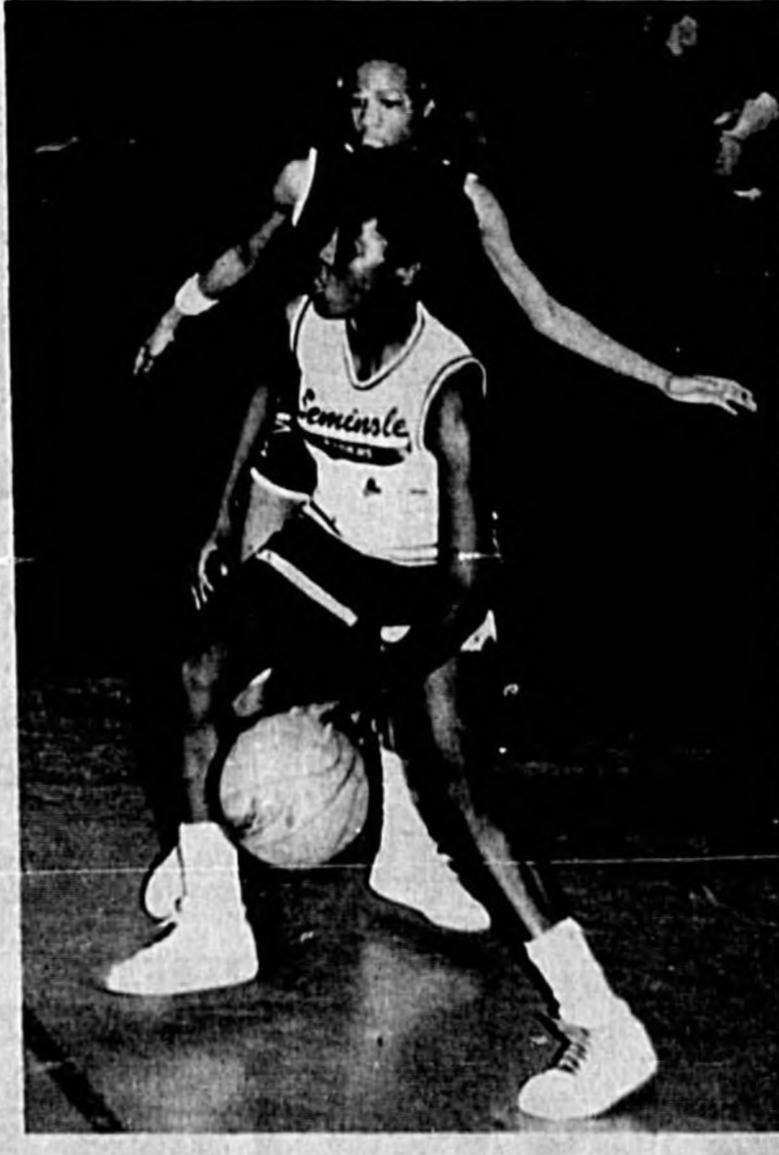
Seminole Community College's Lady Raiders can clinch a berth in the state tournament with a victory tonight over Santa Fe Community College. The Lady Raiders host the big Mid-Florida Conference showdown tonight at 7 at the SCC Health Center. Admission is free.

SCC improved to 13-8 overall and 3-2 in the conference with a 76-43 rout of Florida Junior College Tuesday. A victory tonight would tie the Lady Raiders for first place in the conference with Santa Fe and force a playoff for the conference title.

The top two teams in the conference go to state which SCC is hosting Feb. 28 through March 2. If the Lady Raiders lose tonight they will probably have to play FJC again to determine the second team from the conference to get a state bid.

"It's a big one," SCC coach Heana Gallagher said of tonight's game. "It would be nice if we had a big crowd. Everybody who comes should bring about three or more friends."

The Lady Raiders crushed Florida Junior Tuesday night as Tammy Johnson popped in 20 points and Juana Coletti added 17 points and nine rebounds. Freshman Kim Lemon tossed in 16 points while Pam Lee chipped in eight with 10 assists.



Pam Lee, SCC's quick guard, moves down the baseline. Herald Photo by Bonnie Wiesbold

Merthie's 29 Lift JV Rams

EATONVILLE — Oscar "Big O" Merthie matched his season-high of 29 points Wednesday and he also pulled down 11 rebounds to lead Lake Mary's junior varsity to a 67-54 victory over Wymore Tech's Bobcats Wednesday night at Wymore Tech.

The JV Rams improved to 14-2 with the win. Lake Mary, 13-1 in the Five Star Conference, hosts Daytona Beach Seabreeze Friday. "We're in the drivers' seat if we keep playing tough," Lake Mary coach Charles Steele said.

Before Merthie for the Rams, Terry "The Cat" Miller added 10 points and four assists and Jimmy Stewart tossed in eight points and grabbed 10 rebounds.

Five players scored in double figures for the JV Bobcats led by Dale Marcus and Sean Timms with 12 each while Larry Mack, Willie Sprulings and Dorian Leach contributed 10 apiece.

Lake Mary's varsity topped Wymore Tech, 85-65.

LAKE MARY JV (47) — Merthie 29, Miller 16, Stewart 8, Gibbs 5, Napoli 4, Gaines 2, Sutton 2, Benham 2, Colvin 2, Drowdy 2. Totals: 27 13 25 67.

WYMORE TECH JV (54) — Marcus 12, Timms 12, Leach 10, Mack 10, Sprulings 10. Totals: 22 6 12 54.

Halftime — Lake Mary 34, Wymore 24. Fouls — Lake Mary 13, Wymore 18. Fouled out — Mack, Gaines, Technical — none.

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PEOPLE

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Concealment Law Trips Up Youth

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 17-year-old senior in a Christian high school and my problem is this: Recently I was stopped in a department store for shoplifting, but I didn't steal anything. Here's the whole story, OK?

I went into that store to buy some cassette tapes when I saw a rack of sunglasses. I tried some

on, found a pair I liked, and for some stupid reason I stuck it in my pocket. (Oh, maybe I should mention that I had been caught stealing in that store before, but was let off.)

Well, I found the tapes I wanted, and while paying for them, I kept thinking about all the trouble I got into with my



Dear Abby

and ceremony in the ritual. The more formal the service, the "higher" the church. High churches use holy water, prayer bells and a lot of fancy trappings. Low churches are more laid back, and their rituals are as plain and unpretentious as any Baptist service.

However, please tell the Baptist lady that if her country club friends regard "low church" as inferior to high church, and Baptists as "worse," she should look elsewhere for lunch, and friends.

NOT AFFILIATED IN DAYTON

DEAR ABBY: Please set me straight. If my credit cards are stolen or lost, is it true that once I report the loss or theft, I am not responsible for the charges on my card?

I was also told that under federal law, regardless of how much the thief charges on my credit card, I cannot be held responsible for more than \$50 per card.

Did I hear right or not?

MAC IN THE BIG APPLE

DEAR MAC: You heard right. But in order to protect yourself against credit card fraud, you should have a neat little booklet, "Who's Got Your Number?"

It's put out by the Consumer Affairs Office of American Express Co. and the Federal Trade Commission. It explains how to guard against credit card fraud. It also explains the legal rights and procedures for victims of fraud.

This valuable little booklet can be obtained for free by writing to: Consumer Affairs Office, 19th Floor, Dept. DA, American Express Co., 125 Broad St., New York, N.Y. 10004. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request.

DEAR ABBY: What do you do when the grandparents forget their grandson's birthday?

WABASH, IND.

DEAR WABASH: Gently "remind" them of the oversight. (Better late than never.) And next year remind them about two weeks in advance of the date.

family when I was caught shoplifting, and I thought to myself, "I don't want to go through that again," so I headed for the sunglasses rack when I was stopped by a security guard. He asked if I was going to pay for the sunglasses I had in my pocket. I told him no. I was putting them back.

Well, he took me into his office and asked me a lot of questions, then he told me they had me on "concealment." I asked why I was in trouble when I hadn't left the store with anything I didn't pay for, and he said that under Maine law, concealment was the same as stealing.

Now I'm in big trouble with my family and my school administrator, too. I don't think this is fair. I didn't steal anything.

How do you feel about this law, Abby? I think a person should have to leave the store in order to be caught for stealing.

INNOCENT IN MAINE

DEAR INNOCENT: How I "feel" about a law makes no difference. And regardless of whether or not the law is "fair," you broke it. And maybe I should mention that because you had been caught stealing in that store but were let off, you may have a tough time trying to prove that you had no intentions of stealing the sunglasses. However, if "concealment" is the same as stealing in Maine, you are in a lot of trouble, my friend.

DEAR ABBY: The born-again Moravian Baptist lady (signed "Curious in Dayton") asks what "low church" means to an Episcopalian. Let me assure her that it has nothing to do with how tall the building is.

Actually the difference between high church and low church is the degree of pomp

Wordart Poetry Contest

Florida authors are invited to submit entries and compete for cash awards in Wordart '85, the third annual poetry competition at Arts on the Park, the Lakeland Center for Creative Arts.

Each author may submit a handling fee of \$5 covering up to 10 works. Manuscripts should be typewritten with name, address and telephone number of the author appearing on each page and must be received at Arts on the Park, 209 E. Main St., Lakeland 33801 on or before 4

p.m. Feb. 24. This year's winning poems will be forwarded to the National Poetry Competition in California. Judge's selections will include a first prize winner with three merit awards and discretionary honorable mentions.

Award will be announced and winners are invited to read at a reception at Arts on the Park, March 8 at 7-9 p.m. For further details contact Arts on the Park, 813-683-0622, Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Dr. Joyce Brothers To Open Woman's Clinic

Woman's Enrichment Clinic, formerly Woman's Worry Clinic, will celebrate its 12th anniversary, Friday, April 12, with a program featuring one of America's best-known personalities, Dr. Joyce Brothers who will speak on "Unlocking Your Hidden Powers."

This year's clinic will offer nine sessions, beginning with

Dr. Brothers' talk at 9 a.m. at Orlando's Expo Centre.

The \$10 coat includes registration, keynote speaker, three topics, refreshments and lunch. Deadline for the limited reservations is April 5. Mail check to University of Central Florida, P.O. Box 25000, Orlando, 32816, or phone 275-2824. UCF, for information.

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Is It Memory Loss Or Lack Of Concentration?



DEAR DR. LAMB — I am a 64-year-old female. I feel fine and am in good health, retired and loving it. However I have a problem remembering things. I go into the other room for something and when I get there, I have forgotten what I went for. I think of something while doing the dishes, and by the time I dry my hands I have forgotten what it was.

Am I losing my mind? I understand that there is a vitamin that helps to improve memory. Which one is it? I am extremely concerned about this and feel that if I don't do something, it will only get worse.

disorder — and I don't mean Alzheimer's, which has been over-emphasized. I have discussed some aspects of changes in the brain with aging in The Health Letter 14-2, The Aging Mind.

Recent studies show that metabolism is decreased with mild amounts of atherosclerosis (fatty-cholesterol deposits in the arteries) or very mild high blood pressure (which is detected by a PET scan). All of this suggests that brain slowing and dysfunction can be related to disease.

The studies also suggest that the things one does to prevent heart attacks and strokes — such as eating a proper diet, controlling weight and blood pressure, and not smoking — also may be very useful in preventing changes in the brain with increasing age.

Send your questions to Dr. Lamb, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y., 10019.

DEAR READER — With the current concern about the effects of age on the mind, one would think children never forgot their books, left a coat behind or forgot anything. I'm afraid that is not the case. Youth is not a guarantee of having a good memory, and getting older is not necessarily associated with a decrease in memory.

What do the child and the older person have in common? Most often, they both lack concentration. A child hasn't learned to concentrate yet and is easily distracted, while you may be "woolgathering" partially because you are retired and don't have the same degree of responsibility you once had. You may improve markedly not by taking vitamins, but by training your memory and improving your concentration.

People usually do not have significant changes in brain function until their late 70s or 80s. Then they usually retain verbal memory, and many of them have memory functions that are as good as those of young people who were tested the same way.

Acetylcholine is important in brain chemistry regarding impulses that are related to memory. However, one can't count on getting it into the brain by taking lecithin, choline, vitamins or minerals. This is why recent studies have used a pump to gradually infuse acetylcholine directly into the brain in the hope of alleviating Alzheimer's disease.

Yes, aging does cause changes in the brain, but most of the people who have significant changes also have some medical

ACROSS

- Field mouse
- Japanese sashes
- In case
- Drive out
- Wine (Fr.)
- Kick type
- Legal claim
- Small pastries
- Publishable
- Puts to work
- Railroad station (Fr.)
- Wears away
- Dye compound
- Ventilated
- Prod sharply
- Furze genus
- Tickle
- Abraham's father
- Beverages
- River in Europe
- Twist
- Fit for food
- Simple sugar
- Streamlet
- Wey out
- Small amount
- Noun suffix
- Coin of Bulgaria
- Biblical king
- Heat scale
- Shoe parts
- Astrea Lupino
- Religious denomination
- bone
- Book flap
- Biblical king
- Long time
- Chemical suffix
- Strike out
- Spring

DOWN

- Refer to (Lat.)
- 2 Japanese
- 3 in case
- 4 Drive out
- 5 Wine (Fr.)
- 6 Kick type
- 7 Legal claim
- 8 Small pastries
- 9 Publishable
- 10 Puts to work
- 11 Railroad station (Fr.)
- 12 Wild goat
- 13 Freshwater porpoise
- 14 Royal Scottish Academy (abbr.)
- 15 Distributing apparatus
- 16 Noun suffix
- 17 Compound
- 18 Vivid
- 19 Cargo
- 20 Dye compound
- 21 Network
- 22 Ventilated
- 23 Drunkard
- 24 Place
- 25 Reducing program
- 26 River in Europe
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- 49 Casts ballot
- 50 French author
- 51 Scalawag
- 52 Clamped
- 53 Territories
- 54 Gloazy fabric
- 55 Biblical garden
- 56 River in the Congo
- 57 Knitting stitch
- 58 Volcano in Italy
- 59 Talk back (sl.)
- 60 Article

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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WIN AT BRIDGE

By James Jacoby

The jump to three spades by North was not 100 percent forcing, but it was strongly invitational. The South hand, although minimum in high-card strength, was strong distributionally. Knowing that North had four-card trump support and about 10 high-card points made it easy to go to game. But making the game was a little tricky.

The opening lead of the club jack was covered by dummy's queen and the king from defender East. South won the ace and noted that he seemed to have a club loser as well as the three top spade honors to give up. The key to making the game was to

compress the defenders' trump suit so that three potential tricks would become two actual ones.

A diamond to the queen and a diamond back to his ace allowed declarer to play the third high diamond. West could see that dummy's club loser was about to disappear, so he ruffed with the spade three. This was overruled by dummy's six. Now a low heart was led and trumped, and still another diamond played. West discarded on this, dummy's small club was sluffed, and East ruffed with the spade five. Later, when trumps were first led, the queen and ace fell together. The defenders made two trump tricks, plus the earlier spade five, but that was all.

NORTH 1-7-25

10882
AQ1043
Q7
Q8

WEST EAST

A3 KQ3
J8532 KQ7
83 883
J1000 K754

SOUTH

J874
...
AKJ1064
A33

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

West	North	East	South
Pass	17	Pass	10
Pass	30	Pass	40
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: 8J

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What The Day Will Bring...

YOUR BIRTHDAY FEBRUARY 8, 1985

This coming year you will put a lot more energy and imagination into satisfying your personal ambition. These extra efforts will be the ingredients that will bring you success.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Everyone is entitled to his opinion. Keep this in mind today and don't overreact when friends express viewpoints contrary to yours.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Move cautiously today in your business dealings. Mistakes made at this time could have lingering negative effects.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Make it a point today not to associate with anyone who doesn't understand the values of

teamwork. The wrong allies could cause complications.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Neglected, distasteful chores that you've shoved aside are about to catch up with you. Begin today to rid yourself of these tasks or they may overwhelm you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Do not let yourself get involved today with groups or cliques including individuals with whom you feel uncomfortable. Stick close to true pals.

CANCER (June 21-July 21) It will prove wise today not to let outsiders become too involved in your family's personal affairs. Confine your discussions to members of your household.

LEO (July 22-Aug. 21) Today you may feel tempted to level a few choice unaided comments at a certain individual who bugs you. However, it's best to leave them unspoken.

VIRGO (Aug. 22-Sept. 21) Be extremely cautious and prudent

today in your financial affairs. Don't let anyone talk you into buying something you can't afford at this time.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Someone you are closely associated with is not satisfied with the way the relationship is going. Do all that you can today to establish harmony.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 23) Others may make your day more difficult for you than necessary. You might have to take steps to cover up their ineptness.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be extremely tactful and tender today when dealing with a touchy friend. Think before speaking so you do not wound his sensitivities.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Your peers will have unfavorable things to say about you today if you try to take too much credit for something others played a big role in accomplishing.

ANNIE by Leonard Starr



All Agree, Reagan's Speech 'Good Show Biz'

WASHINGTON (UPI) — While Democrats and Republicans differed over the impact of President Reagan's State of the Union address on a "second American Revolution," most agreed with Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., that it was "good show biz."

Members of Congress lined up along party lines Wednesday night praising or criticizing Reagan's address to a joint session of Congress, where he talked about budget deficits, taxes, social issues and military aid.

While most lawmakers agreed the president said nothing new, Reagan's critics maintained he had little grasp on the problems facing the nation today.

"Only Ronald Reagan could have made that speech," said Rep. Bill Alexander, D-Ark., one of the House Democratic leaders. "I'm amazed people continue to believe him."

Alexander said there were no new ideas, no convincing arguments and, "in a way, it was shameful the way he tried to take credit for

helping the poor and handicapped."

House Budget Committee Chairman William Gray, D-Pa., said Reagan offered a "vision most Americans share" but, "I question the president's grasp of the reality of America today. ... His budget doesn't articulate that same vision."

Kansas's Democratic Gov. John Carlin, head of the National Governors Conference, criticized Reagan for downplaying the federal budget deficit and said the president stands little chance of getting everything he wants in his budget.

"He gave the deficit little more importance than school prayer," Carlin said. "He started with tax reform, which will be important, mentioned the deficit, but quickly skirted it."

And as for things like "a giant defense budget and doing away with social programs to fund it, he can probably kiss it goodbye."

With the debate running high in Congress over cutting programs to reduce the budget deficit and increasing military spending, Republicans said

Reagan's address showed his commitment to tax reform.

Rep. Jack Kemp, R-N.Y., author of one leading tax reform proposal, said Reagan "laid his reputation on the line to bring about tax reform in 1985."

Senate Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas agreed Reagan had "said it all before" but had "challenged the Congress and the American people" to meet the goals he had outlined.

Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz., chairman of the Armed Services Committee predicted Congress will approve the production of 21 MX missiles in March "if the president keeps pushing."

Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., said Reagan's address showed he is committed to making America safer, stronger and freer in his second term.

But other politicians were not as generous with their praise.

Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, called Reagan's

speech, "good show biz, that's all."

Rep. Claude Pepper of Florida, broke into a rendition of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" when asked about the speech.

"It was a fine Fourth of July speech," Pepper said. "We were inspired. We were made more patriotic. We were lifted up and we felt good because he soared into eloquence. Of course, he didn't say anything very helpful to solve any of the problems of this nation today."

Rep. Jamie Whitten, D-Miss., chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, said, "John Wayne couldn't have done any better."

Whitten said it was "hard to get around a good speech like this and look at the facts, which are frightening."

House Speaker Thomas O'Neill called Reagan's address "a night of eloquent generalities."

"Tomorrow, he must begin to inform people as to the sometimes difficult realities of the Reagan revolution," O'Neill said.

Water Shortage In 5 Counties

BROOKSVILLE, Fla. (UPI) — Mandatory controls on the use of water will go into effect at 12:01 a.m. Monday in a five-county area of west central Florida.

The governing board of the Southwest Florida Water Management District, which oversees the use of water in an 11-county district, issued a severe water shortage declaration Wednesday for Sarasota, Manatee, Charlotte, DeSoto and Hardee counties.

The severe water shortage declaration provides strict mandatory controls on the use of water in the five counties and violation is a second-degree misdemeanor punishable by a \$500 fine and 60 days in jail.

Even though the controls go into effect Monday, the governing board has scheduled a public hearing for 7 p.m. February 25 in Sarasota to discuss the water situation and regulations with residents of the affected counties.

Spokesman Bob Bryant said the restrictions cover all areas of use — domestic, sanitary, livestock, industrial and emergency use — and vary according to the designated use.

Rain fell over most of the affected area Wednesday but was far too light to alleviate the water shortage.

Lavish Historical Pictures Dominate Oscar Nominations

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Lavish historical films dominated the 57th Academy Award nominations with "Amadeus," the story of a rival composer's jealousy of Mozart's musical brilliance, and "A Passage to India," the epic tale of waning British colonial rule in India, each receiving 11 Oscar nominations.

Another true story, "The Killing Fields," about an American reporter's friendship with his interpreter set against the bloody backdrop of war-torn Cambodia, and "Places in the Heart," the saga of a widow's struggle to keep her Texas farm in the Dustbowl 1930s, picked up seven nominations each at Wednesday's announcement.

All four films were nominated for best picture along with "A Soldier's Story," a story of racism and a murder investigation in a black unit at a Southern Army base during World War II.

The co-stars of "Amadeus" were nominated for best actor — Tom Hulce as the young, tormented Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, and F. Murray Abraham as the jealous Salieri. Also nominated for best actor were Jeff Bridges for "Starman," Albert Finney in "Under the Volcano" and Sam Waterston in "The Killing Fields."

Best actress nominees were Judy Davis for "A Passage to India," Vanessa Redgrave for "The Boatman's Boy," Sally Field

for "Places in the Heart," Jessica Lange for "Country," and Sissy Spacek for "The River."

Field, Lange and Spacek all starred in films about the hardships of rural life.

A surprise nominee for best director was Woody Allen for "Broadway Danny Rose." Other nominees were Milos Forman for "Amadeus," Roland Joffe for "The Killing Fields," David Lean for "A Passage to India" and Robert Benton for "Places in the Heart."

Nominees for best supporting actor were Adolph Caesar, the tough sergeant in "A Soldier's Story," John Malkovich for "Places in the Heart," Noriyuki "Pat" Morita for "The Karate Kid," Haing S. Ngor for "The Killing Fields" and the late Ralph Richardson for "Greystoke: The Legend of Tarzan, Lord of the Apes."

Supporting actress nominees were Peggy Ashcroft for "A Passage to India," Glenn Close for "The Natural," Lindsay Crouse for "Places in the Heart," Christine Lahti for "Swing Shift" and Geraldine Page for "The Pope of Greenwich Village."

The Oscars will be presented March 25 during a nationally televised program from the Los Angeles Music Center. The host will be former Oscar winner Jack Lemmon.



4-H Gourmet At Work

George Nunnery, left, of Chuluota, bastes several pieces of chicken with the BBQ sauce he will enter in the State Fair in Tampa next weekend as part of the 4-H poultry contest. Nunnery is pictured with

some of the members of the Sanford Mighty Clovers and Lake Mary Dolphin 4-H clubs during a recent trial barbecue to perfect his culinary creation.

New Test Makes Rape Detection Easier

BOSTON (UPI) — A new test that detects small amounts of semen up to 48 hours after intercourse will help prove cases of rape and may help get convictions in sexual attacks, a group of doctors reported.

The test is more sensitive than current tests and will allow police to document rape cases when very small amounts of semen are present or 48 hours have passed. The test does not require

the presence of sperm, which means rapists can be caught even if they have had a vasectomy.

The problem with the current tests for semen, which are used to document cases of rape, is that they look for an enzyme called prostatic acid phosphatase, which is present in semen at high levels but is also present in vaginal fluid at low levels. After 14 hours the level from semen has dropped below normal vaginal levels.

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