

# Mexican dance band to play here Monday

Little Joe, Johnny and la Familia, a dance band, will present a concert sponsored by the Committee for Awareness of Mexican-American Culture at 8 p.m. Monday in Rudder Auditorium.

"Instead of the kind of music played in Mexico the band will play the music that originated here," CAMAC member David Oviedo said. "The band will be like many Mexican bands, with guitars and brass, but will present music with both English and Spanish lyrics. The

music will show a little of the mixture of the Mexican and American cultures."

Pat Bernal, another CAMAC member, said that this band usually plays for dances and rarely accept concerts, but that they were lucky to get to come to Texas A&M University.

"Little Joe (the bandleader) is real popular down in the Valley and he and his band even go out-of-state to play for dances to cities like Chicago," Bernal said.

Oviedo added that the band had just lately been to California and New York.

Oviedo said that this is CAMAC's first concert, and although they have little idea how big the turnout will be, they have been getting good response from the people in the community for their past programs.

Tickets for the concert are \$2 in advance and \$2.50 at the door and may be purchased at the MSC Box Office.

# New York City sending donations to tornado victims

**United Press International**

NEW YORK — Mayor Edward Koch and a group of local businessmen kicked off a fund-raising campaign Thursday to help the victims of the recent tornado in Wichita Falls.

"The rest of the country has helped us and we have a duty to help others, even if they don't ask," Koch said while making a \$100 personal donation to the fund.

Members of the Association for a Better New York contributed another \$10,000 and association chairman Lewis Rudin, a real estate developer, set a goal of \$100,000 for the drive.

Koch said the money already collected would be sent immediately to Wichita Falls, where three tornados last week killed 54 persons and injured more than 500 others.

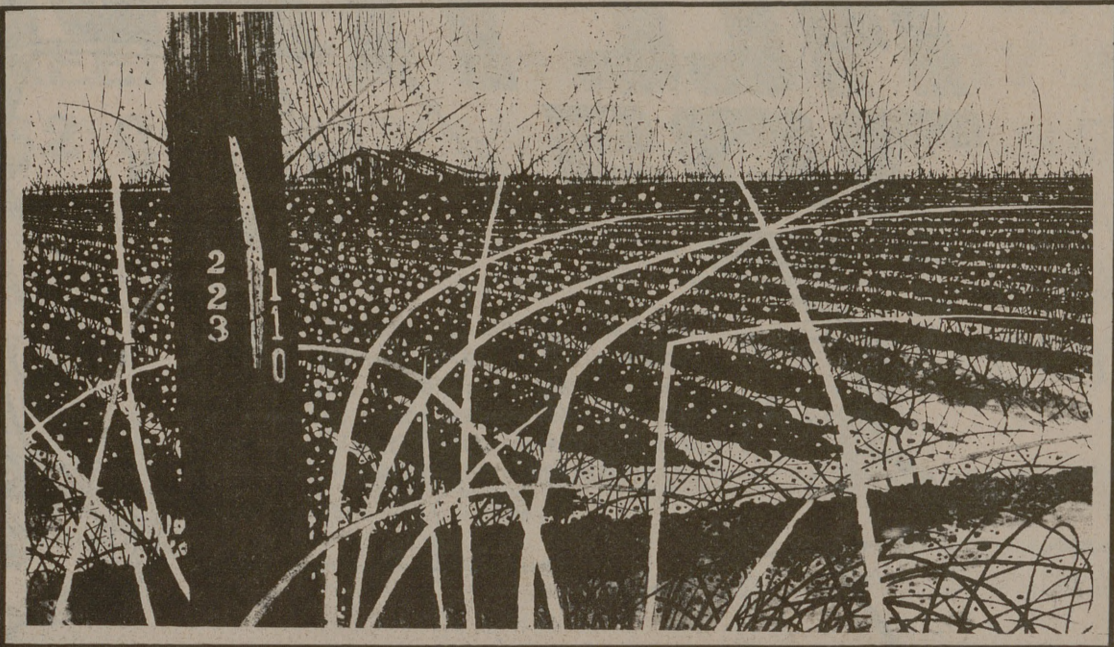
Koch said he had spoken by telephone with Wichita Falls Mayor Kenneth Hill to offer help.

Koch urged other New Yorkers to contribute to the drive. He said checks should be made payable to the "Wichita Falls Disaster Relief Fund" and can be sent to the Association for a Better New York, 1270 Avenue of the Americas, New York, N.Y., 10020.



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WASHINGTON — The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) staff said Thursday it will ask the major hairdryer manufacturers to begin issuing warnings and recalls for millions of dryers which may pose a health hazard because they contain asbestos.

The request for voluntary action also will contain a notice that the staff of the Federal Trade Commission has decided any future advertising for hairdryers with asbestos may be unfair and deceptive unless they mention there is a controversy over the product.

"The people are alarmed," members of the staff told the commissioners. The agency is receiving 3,000 calls a day and many more that cannot be answered. Telephone traffic was so heavy, they said, the entire government telephone network broke down five times in one day.

The letters went out to about 10 manufacturers either Thursday or today. The letters will ask that the companies take voluntary action, including public notice to consumers and recall where necessary. In addition, the letters will inform the com-

panies the commission could order such action in the future.

The CPSC still has not determined the extent of the hazard. It has, however, issued more than 100 hand-held dryers which used asbestos as part of construction and which might be hazardous if the cancer-causing mineral is blown into the users' face.

The letters will also ask whether any of the units are still being sold and whether the companies have been in contact with their distributors.

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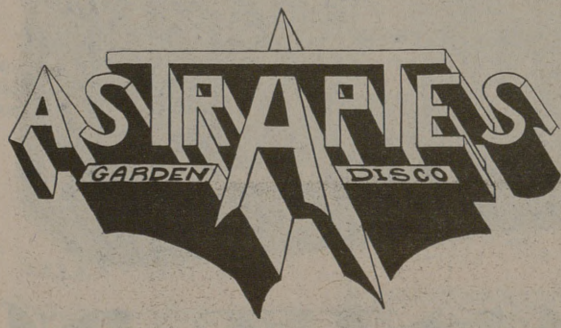
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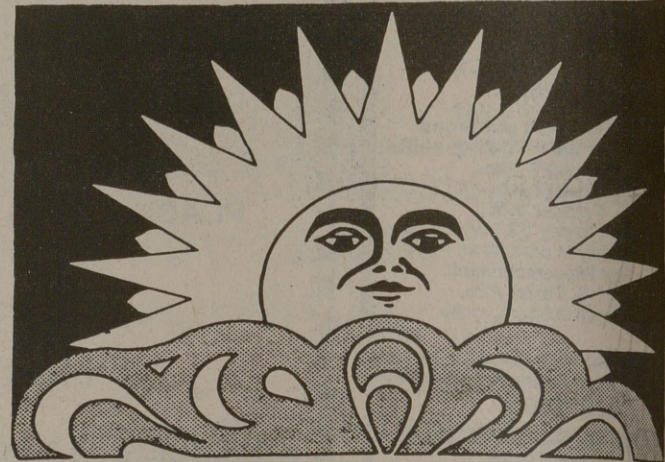
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