

State

# Houston liable for Webster's death

United Press International  
HOUSTON — A \$1.4 million civil damages award to the parents of an unarmed teen-ager shot and killed by police officers apparently is the first verdict to hold a city responsible for brutality by its employees. The decision handed down Wednesday by the six-member civil court jury delighted the slain youth's parents, who had sued for \$2 million. City attorney Jim Gardner said he anticipated an appeal. Randall Alan Webster was 17 when he was shot to death by policeman Danny H. Mays three years ago following a 100 mph chase in a stolen van. Although officers said Webster

was armed, subsequent investigations showing he was not and that police had placed a "throw down" gun by his body led to earlier federal civil rights violations convictions. All officers involved in the case are no longer on the city force. Mays, who declared personal bankruptcy two weeks ago, was ordered to pay \$1 million of the award; officer John Thomas Olin, who participated in the coverup, was ordered to pay \$200,000; and the city of Houston was directed to pay \$200,000. A third officer, Norval Wayne Holloway, was exonerated for his part in the death and coverup. U.S. District Judge George Cire

had dismissed three other ex-policemen as defendants. "I'm tickled to death, not by the money, but because the facts were brought to light," said Webster's father, John Webster of Shreveport, La. Webster's attorney, K. Michael Mayes, called the case a landmark because no other city had ever been held responsible for a case of police brutality. After the jury was dismissed, foreman Raymond Barone said the jurors felt the city must be responsible for the actions of its employees. Webster stole the van in February 1977 and led police on a 100 mph

chase through the city before wrecking the vehicle. Mays initially claimed Webster came out of the van with a gun and fired at officers and that he returned fire and killed the youth. Other officers also swore to that version. It was determined, however, that Webster was unarmed when he got out of the van and that Mays actually stepped up to the youth to pistol

whip him. Mays' gun discharged when it came down on Webster's head, killing the youth. In the federal civil rights violations trial, testimony showed the officers agreed to place a "throw down" gun — a .22-caliber revolver taken from the police property room — by Webster's body to justify the shooting. Mays and Holloway were convicted of perjury and conspiracy in the coverup.

CAMPUS INTERVIEWS  
FRI. 17 OCT.

## CHALLENGING CIVILIAN ENGINEERING POSITIONS WITH PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

- Mechanical Engineers
- Electrical Engineers
- Industrial Engineers
- Civil (Structural) Engineers
- Nuclear Engineers
- Chemical Engineers

- Excellent opportunities for advancement under the Merit System to Senior Engineer levels with pay levels in \$22,911 to \$35,000 range.
- All Federal Civil Service Benefits — liberal vacations allowance, paid sick leave, partially employer-funded life and health insurance programs, excellent retirement plan. Relocation allowance for self and dependents. (U.S. Citizenship required.)
- Puget Sound Naval Shipyard, with over 11,000 employees, has been established for over 85 years. Located in scenic Bremerton on a deep water arm of Puget Sound, with a mild climate, only one hour from Seattle, recently recognized by several publications as the city with the best "quality of life" in the country.
- Starting salaries to \$22,911 depending on qualifications.
- Contact your Placement Office for an interview on 17 Oct. If this date is inconvenient, you may call toll free by dialing 1-800-426-5996; or, if you wish, you may mail a resume to:

PUGET SOUND NAVAL SHIPYARD  
(ATT: 170.2CK)  
BREMERTON, WASH. 98314  
AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER M/F

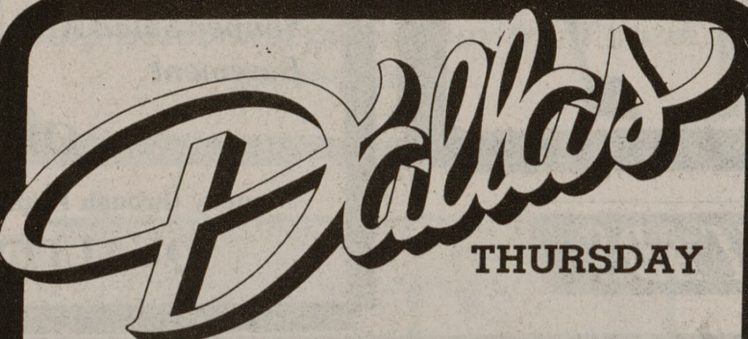
### 'Sharing' helps schools save

## Computer cuts energy bills

United Press International  
DALLAS — Texas schools could cut their energy bills by 15 to 30 percent and save up to \$23 million a year — money that could be better used in the classroom — by buying into a computer system, a study shows. The study, released Tuesday by Honeywell's Energy Management Information Center, said savings occur by "tying into" an existing computer system that regulates heating, lighting and air conditioning for 80 buildings in Texas. "The shared computer service can be paid for out of fuel savings with no drain on operating or capital budgets," a Honeywell spokesman said. "The system is linked to a school by telephone lines and operates chillers, lights, boilers, motors, pumps and fans at peak efficiency in each building it controls." Under the system, schools are spared the high cost of purchasing individual computers because they share the services of one central energy-control computer and its operators. One of the computer control centers is located in Dallas and another in Houston. Roger N. Schmidt, spokesman for the Information Center in Dallas, projected total annual energy cost savings in all Texas elementary and secondary schools as \$11.6 million to \$23 million. One "typical working example" cited in the report was Brazoswood School in Clute about 50 miles south of Houston. The school was audited in 1979 and again in 1980, after in-

stallation of a time-shared energy-control system. In the first eight months, the report said, gas consumption fell 48 percent and electricity use dropped 36 percent, for a combined savings of \$63,000 during one of the hottest summers in Texas. The school has 2,050 students. It cost almost \$36,000 to install

sensor and control points in the school and link them to the computer system. The first-year fee for use of the computer was \$35,000, giving a total first-year expense of almost \$71,000. The study said, however, "The system will pay for itself in nine months with \$23,642 in energy savings to spare in the first year."



THURSDAY

### LADIES NIGHT

UNESCORTED LADIES NO COVER AND ONE FREE DRINK

4 FOR 1 HAPPY HOUR	4:00-5:00
3 FOR 1 HAPPY HOUR	5:00-6:00
2 FOR 1 HAPPY HOUR	6:00-8:00

DALLAS NIGHT CLUB IN DOUX CHENE COMPLEX  
BEHIND K-MART, COLLEGE STATION  
693-2818

ATM STUDY ABROAD ATM ST

### ARE YOU INTERESTED IN STUDYING ABROAD? WORKING IN EUROPE FOR THE SUMMER? TRAVELING & GETTING TO KNOW ANOTHER CULTURE?

The Study Abroad Office is sponsoring a seminar on Study/Travel Abroad on Monday, October 27, 1980, 12 p.m., Room 206 MSC. Topics discussed will include: study abroad opportunities, student tours, international student cards, work permits, train passes, travel bargains, passport applications, cheap hotels and youth hostel cards etc.

Study Abroad Office  
International Hall  
Bizzell Hall  
845-1824

ATM STUDY ABROAD ATM ST


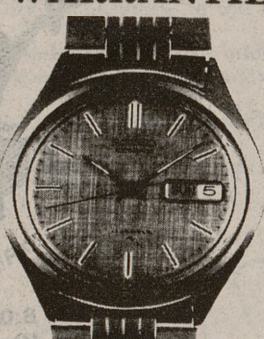
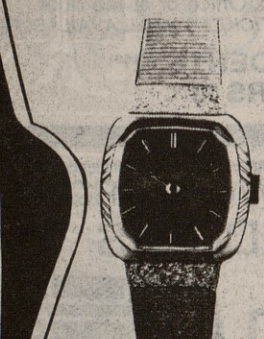
SHEAR CLASS

# GIG 'EM AGS

SHEAR CLASS supports the fighting Texas Aggies

SHEAR CLASS

### COWARTS JEWELRY AND SEIKO COMBINE TO BRING YOU UNSURPASSED SEIKO QUALITY WATCHES AT UNHEARD OF PRICES AND WITH VALID SEIKO WARRANTIES...

 \$59.50	 \$59.50	 \$69.50
 \$79.50	 \$95.00	 \$79.50

MANY-MANY MORE STYLES OF SEIKO WATCHES TO CHOOSE FROM AND ONLY AVAILABLE AT YOUR AUTHORIZED SEIKO DEALER. COME IN AND LET US SHOW YOU WHY SEIKO IS THE WORLD LEADER.

*Cowart's*

415 UNIVERSITY IN: NORTHGATE 846-5816

YOUR JEWELRY STORE  
"ACROSS FROM THE UNIVERSITY"

ENGINEERS: ChE, CE, EE, ME



## Join us now—before we become big and famous. And, that won't be long.

BEOCO—Bunge Edible Oil Corporation—is celebrating its first birthday. Our name is new, but we have years of expertise behind us. Having been an integral part of a major food processing company, we possess the technologies and facilities needed to reach our goals. And, we're on our way to becoming the number one supplier of shortenings, margarines and oils to the food processing, food service and baking industries. Join us. And, from day one, you'll put your education to work. You'll start off in Production Management—working closely with top managers. And, most important, you won't be locked into bits and pieces of projects. You'll get a meaningful overview that will enhance your skills and equip you for increasing responsibilities. You'll also benefit from the vast resources of our parent company—the Bunge Corporation—a worldwide leader in processing, storage and shipping of agricultural commodities.

Right now, we have three major facilities operating at peak production. Whether you select Bradley, Illinois; Ft. Worth, Texas; or Chattanooga, Tennessee, you'll find a company dedicated to growth—yours and ours.

**FOR DETAILED INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUR PLACEMENT OFFICE.**

Or, write to Ms. L. Fidao, Bunge Edible Oil Corporation, P.O. Box 192, Kankakee, Illinois 60901. An equal opportunity employer, m/f.

