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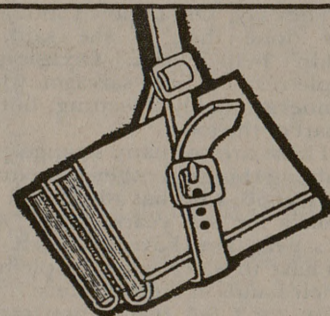
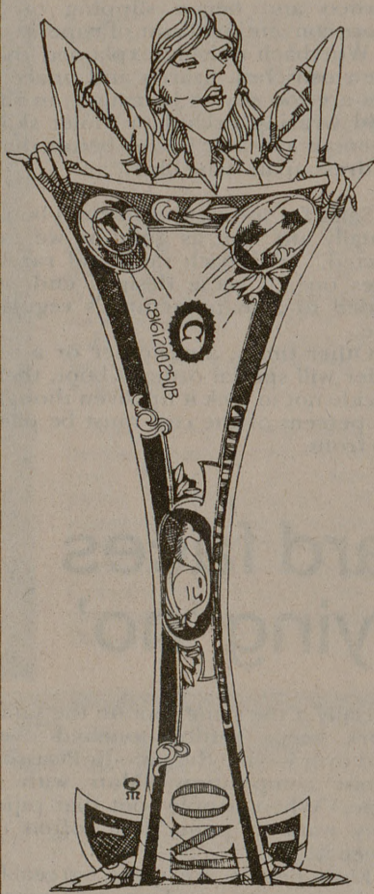
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Rate of inflation expands despite better economy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The economy expanded at a healthy 3.1 percent annual pace from April through June, but rising food, energy and clothing costs pushed the inflation rate to 4.7 percent, its highest level in almost six years.

Some private economists worried that the big jump in inflation was signaling the concluding stages of the current long economic recovery and could well result in a recession some time next year. The White House dismissed the inflation figure.

The Commerce Department reported that the growth rate in the gross national product, the economy's total output of goods and services, was down only slightly from a revised 3.4 percent increase in the first three months of the year.

But inflation, as measured by a price index tied to the GNP, registered the biggest advance since the third quarter of 1982. The GNP price index had risen at 3.5 percent in the first quarter.

The Reagan administration, which is counting on a strong economy this year to keep the White House in Republican hands, hailed the strong growth numbers and dismissed the higher inflation rate as an aberration.

"Prices have temporarily picked up, but they are not a harbinger of more general inflation," Beryl Sprinkel, the president's chief econ-

omist, said. "The price increases are reflecting the drought and higher import prices because of the fall in the dollar."

Others were more concerned. "We have had a definite upturn in the inflation rate which is a by-product of our long expansion," Allen Sinai, chief economist of the Boston Co., said. "The demand side of our economy is now exceeding our ability to produce, which is causing price pressures."

The Federal Reserve has already pushed interest rates higher as a way of dampening demand, and Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan said the central bank stood ready to tighten further if inflationary pressures did not abate.

Michael Evans, head of a Washington forecasting firm, said he agreed with the administration's assessment that the spike in inflation in the second quarter was likely to moderate in coming quarters. He said it was produced primarily by higher clothing and energy costs, which have already declined since spring. He predicted that food costs would moderate as well, especially if more rain falls in the parched Midwest.

All economists agreed that overall growth during the second quarter showed the hoped-for movement away from a consumer-led expansion to export-led growth.

Study shows rural housing may succeed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal mortgage subsidies that allow the nation's rural poor to own their own home are cost-effective and should be expanded, Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez said Wednesday in releasing a private study showing the program has succeeded in "the very toughest hard-to-serve places."

The non-profit Housing Assistance Council study found participants in the Farmers Home Administration's low-income homeownership program had excellent repayment records, their savings declined and their incomes increased over a five-year span, and the number of children living below the poverty level decreased significantly.

The HAC tracked 894 sample families nationwide who obtained subsidized mortgages in 1981 and concluded the rural homeownership program "represents a cost-effective strategy to provide decent shelter for low-income households and to assist them in overcoming the burden of poverty."

The study, financed by a grant from the Ford Foundation, also found homeownership had indirect benefits, particularly on children such as stabilizing family lives of children.

Among those sampled, two-fifths of the borrower-households were or below 125 percent of the federal poverty level when the loans were made, the study said. Nearly one-fifth of the households had incomes below the poverty threshold.

U.S. officials impose rules for dealing with hostages

WASHINGTON (AP) — Still nursing scars from the Iran-Contra affair, Reagan administration officials are publicly imposing ground rules which seemingly limit flexibility to win the liberation of American hostages in Lebanon.

Officials at the White House and State Department say no deals will be negotiated with Iran and that the U.S. government will discuss the hostage situation only with "authoritative" representatives of Tehran.

Neither of these limitations was placed on the jockeying in 1985-86 that led to the clandestine sales of U.S. arms to Iran, the diversion of proceeds to Nicaraguan rebels and the subsequent indictment of two one-time White House officials.

Two American hostages — David Jacobsen and the Rev. Benjamin Weir — were released during that mercurial period.

President Reagan subsequently argued that he was merely seeking an opening to Iran, not an arms-for-hostages trade, when he approved the transfer of TOW anti-tank and anti-aircraft missiles to Tehran.

A presidential panel disagreed with him, and so did a joint congressional investigative committee.

Reagan eventually acknowledged that what had started out as an overture to moderate political elements in Iran had turned into what the public perceived as an arms-for-hostages swap.

Iran's acceptance last week of a U.N. resolution imposing a cease-fire in the long war with Iraq has raised expectations of an improved climate for getting the hostages out of Lebanon.

When asked Monday if the time was ripe to try again to talk to the Iranians about the hostages, Reagan said of the Iranian officials, "If they're ready and willing to talk, it's time."

But administration officials followed that broad brush remark with a series of statements stressing limitations on U.S. willingness to deal with Iran on this subject. They said the administration would not again fall prey to something that can be construed as bargaining with a terrorist nation for the release of hostages.

While steadfastly insisting that officials are doing all they can to learn the whereabouts of the nine Americans and get them out, minimization of the significance of statements from Iran suggesting a new interest in the issue has ensued.

FAA scrambles to understand airline changes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Aviation Administration vainly is scrambling to catch up with a rapidly changing airline industry whose decisions at times are driven by dollars and not safety, a congressional study said Wednesday.

The 183-page report by the Office of Technology Assessment suggests that Congress provide the FAA with additional funds and press for more inspectors and air traffic controllers as well as organizational streamlining that places more emphasis on safety.

Unannounced inspections and periodic in-depth inspections of both large and small airlines by the FAA "are indispensable tools for ensuring public safety" but currently the FAA doesn't have enough inspectors, the report said.

The OTA is a nonpartisan agency that helps Congress deal with complex and often highly technical issues.

Rep. Norman Mineta, D-Calif., the subcommittee chairman, said the report's call for "stable and adequate funding" for the FAA is among its most important findings.

"For the balance of this century, the FAA's funding needs will continue to increase if we expect to maintain the high level of safety which the public demands of aviation," Mineta said. But he acknowledged those funds may be hard to find "under the enormous deficits that have piled up in recent years."

Safety records of U.S. airlines rank among the best in the world but the intense changes in the industry and airline competition poses safety concerns, the report said.

World briefs

Girl escapes on U.S. Navy destroyer

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — An Irish teen-ager with a history of running away from home stowed aboard a U.S. Navy guided missile destroyer, and five sailors accused of helping her during 10 days at sea have been arrested, officials said Wednesday.

Police in Ireland identified the girl as Suzanne Twomey, 15, of Cork. She was hospitalized in satisfactory condition Wednesday after an illness delayed attempts to return her to Ireland.

The five sailors accused of helping her during the USS Con-

nyngham's trip were being held at their parents' home in the Norfolk Naval Base.

The teen-ager was found aboard the guided-missile destroyer on Saturday when it returned from its visit to Ireland. She was being taken to Atlanta for a return flight when she became ill.

The girl apparently slipped aboard the Conyngham while it was on a courtesy call in Cork Harbor. The ship held an open house during the visit, officials said.

Sematech appoints inventor as leader

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sematech, a research consortium of 14 semiconductor manufacturers in partnership with the federal government, announced the appointment of longtime industry leader Robert N. Noyce as chief executive officer.

Noyce, once called "the Mayor of Silicon Valley," is a co-inventor of the integrated circuit, a critical element in computers and other electronics. He is also the co-founder of Intel Corp. and its

vice chairman.

Charles E. Sporcik, chairman of the Sematech board of directors, also announced the appointment of Paul P. Castrucci, a top technical executive at International Business Machines Corp. with 32 years' experience, as Sematech's chief operating officer.

Sporcik said Sematech's executive search committee went through those Noyce out of 200 names.

Newlyweds disappear for 3 months

CHICAGO (AP) — A pair of missing newlyweds have turned up in California, police said Wednesday, 3 months after the couple dropped out of sight without a word to relatives or classmates at a suburban Christian college.

Carolyn MacLean, 22, and Scott Swanson, 23, had eloped a week before they vanished April 2. Their ransacked luxury car was found in an alley, its motor still running.

The couple were not seen or

heard from until they sent letters to their parents and contacted the MacLeans by telephone Tuesday. Commander Ettore DiVito of the police department's youth division said Wednesday.

DiVito refused to provide details about the condition or whereabouts of the couple except to say they had called from the San Diego area.

"As far as I know, there is no criminal activity involved in the case," said DiVito.