# FBI chief points finger at A-G for illegal acts

NEW YORK (AP) - J. Wallace LaPrade, pulled from his post here as head of the largest FBI office and threatened with dismissal for conducting improper wiretaps and breakins, has lashed out at U.S. Attorney-General Griffin Bell for ordering similar investiga-

LaPrade said Bell has acted "with the president's authority" and challenged Bell to debate the issue with him on television

The 51-year-old LaPrade made his claims at a news conference Thursday at which he announced he has been relieved of his duties here and pending investigation of the charges against him, which result from an FBI investigation of the radical Weatherman movement in the early "The issue at hand is politi-

been a political effort to control the FBI." "I think that Mr. (J. Edgar) Hoover in his tenure was strong enough to maintain the organization in such a fashion

cal, as opposed to legal,'

LaPrade said, "and there has

that that was not possible, although it was always tried." LaPrade called on all FBI agents now involved in such

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"warrantless investigations" to stop work until they have written orders from President

A New York FBI source who did not want to be named said

ignation Monday after he was named an unindicted coconspirator in an indictment charging former acting FBI Director Patrick Gray and two former aides of ordering the

In Washington, the justice department acknowledged that LaPrade had been served with "a notice for proposed administrative action." but a spokesman denied his accusa-

tigations similar to those of the Weatherman. There was no immediate response to LaPrade's remarks from Bell, who was

Justice spokesman Terry Adamson said searches without warrants had been carried out only against "foreign agents under

rigorous internal executive branch approval."

The justice department contends the Weatherman investigations were illegal because the underground group had no significant foreign ties and it was not a national-security

But LaPrade disagreed, telling the news conference:

"The American people should know that the Palestine Liberation Organization and the Weatherman organization were in collusion with each other during the early 1970s."

He said that the FBI pre-

agents, acting on "information from warrantless sources," found three bombs placed by

Justice department sources said that if LaPrade is found guilty of the alleged illegal activities, he might be censured, demoted or dismissed from the \$47,500-a-year job.

Bell, asked today by a reporter about LaPrade's criticism, said: "I don't know of anything illegal we are doing in the FBI or in the justice department. If we find that there is, we certainly will prosecute.'

LaPrade is a 27-year veteran



LaPRADE

#### The world

BRIEFLY

## Larry Flynt flown home to Columbus

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) -Hustler magazine owner Larry Flynt was flown to his home town from Atlanta today 54 weeks after being partially paralysed by a gunshot wound while standing trial in Georgia

on pornography charges. His transfer from hospital to the airport in Atlanta was made under police guard, and police in Columbus kept reporters several hundred metres from the private jet after it landed. An ambulance was driven alongside, then quickly left on the trip to University Hospi-

#### Sixteen perish

BUDAPEST (AP) - Sixteen persons were killed and 25 injured when an express train plowed into the waiting room of a Budapest station during the evening rush hour, the Hungarian news agency MTI

The train arrived late Thursday afternoon from the industrial suburb of Csepel, tore through the terminal buffers at the end of the track and crashed into the waiting room, which was crowded with homeward-bound commuters.

#### Morale boosted

GLASGOW (Reuter) -Britain's ruling Labor Party scored a morale-boosting victory early today in a special parliamentary election here, beating back a strong chal-lenge from Scottish national-

After a heated, highlypublicized campaign in the grim Garscadden consti-tuency of Glasgow, Labor can-didate Donald Dewar collected 16,507 votes and Keith Bovey of the Scottish National Party (SNP) polled 11,955.

### Fighting halts

BEIRUT (AP) - Syrian peacekeeping forces and Lebanese Christian rightists announced a ceasefire Thursday after five days of fighting in which more than 100 persons were reported killed.

Heavy gunfire subsided in southeast Beirut by midafternoon as Syrian troops halted rocket and tank shell attacks on the city's Ein Rummaneh Christian sector occupied by rightwing militiamen.

### **Dollar** gains

LONDON (AP) - The U.S. dollar took on a healthier look in Europe's money markets today and edged up slightly against the strong Japanese yen to end the week at 219.425, compared with Thursday's closing rate of 218.875.

The Tokyo price rose as high as 219.55 yen after opening at 219.20. Traders said the rise was in anticipation of a Japanese government announce-ment Saturday of what is believed in the market to be a record or near-record trade surplus of about \$2.2 billion in

### Slight problems

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP). - The biggest solar flare activity in four years is causing only slight communications problems, a spokesman at the headquarters of the North American Air Defence Command (NORAD) said Thursday. In an unrelated development, NORAD said it has revised its estimate of when a Soviet satellite, Cosmos 849, will re-enter the earth's atmosphere.

### Miners trapped

GRUNDY, Va. (AP) -Three miners were trapped by a slate fall deep in a coal mine near this southwestern Virginia town Thursday, and a spokesman for the mining company said all are presumed dead.

International

Carter.

Bell asked for LaPrade's res-

warrantless surveillance of

tion that the Carter administration was carrying out inves-

department

out of Washington Thursday.

vented the possible deaths of 300 people here in 1973 when

## WHITES SHARE POWER

# Nine black ministers join Rhodesian gov't

Rhodesia's first predomi-nantly black government was sworn in today-four days before senior U.S. and British officials are scheduled to arrive here in a bid to forestall a black administration that excludes nationalist guerril-

The nine new black ministers swore oaths of allegiance at a simple ceremony conducted by a black Anglican archdeacon.

Until Dec. 31, when the first black government elected by universal suffrage in this breakway British colony is scheduled to take over, the new ministers will share their jobs with nine whites appointed this week by Prime Minister Ian Smith.

U.S. State Secretary Cyrus Vance and British Foreign Secretary David Owen were conferring in Tanzania today with Rhodesian guerrilla

Vance and Owen are making an urgent attempt to call a new conference involving the guerrillas, Smith and the three moderate Rhodesian-based black leaders who struck a deal with the white prime minister last month to set up a transitional administration and organize elections among

Nkomo and Robert Mugabe have denounced the settlement, which includes constitutional safeguards for whites, as a sellout and pledged to step up their five-year war to gain

Vance and Owen are reported to be hopeful that Nkomo and Mugabe will now accept the Anglo-American plan put forward last September for a British-headed transitional administration in which guerrillas would have a major role.

Smith and the black moderates-now joined in a ruling executive council-have said they do not favor a new conference, and are pressing ahead with their domestic settle-

One of the new ministers. former guerrilla leader James Chikerema, rejected outright oday the proposed Anglo-American sponsored confer-

Chikerema said Vance and Owen should simply carry Nkomo and Mugabe—who conduct offensives from bases in neighboring black states-into the Rhodesian capital with them on Monday.

"That is the only business

Rhodesia's 6.7 million blacks and 263,000 whites. they (Vance and Owen) have here," Chikerama told repor-ters after taking his oath of here," Chikerama told reporters after taking his oath of allegiance to Rhodesia, to be called by the nationalist name of Zimbabwe at the end of the

> There could be "no conference, no renegotiation," said Chikerema, who returned to Rhodesia last year from Zambia after renouncing violence. He headed a small guerrilla movement consisting of dissidents from both Mugabe's Zimbabwe African National Union army and Nkomo's Zimbabwe African People Union forces.

> The independent Rhodesia Herald newspaper, which generally reflects views of moderate whites here and backs the internal settlement, said today the executive council could urge Vance and Owen to try to induce Nkomo to join the settlement.

> Sources in the transitional government said Smith and the three blacks see Nkomo's involvement as central to winning across-the-board tribal support. But they are all opposed to including Mugabe, who has pledged to transform Rhodesia into a pro-Marxist state similar to neighboring Mozambique, the sources aid

## HILLSIDE STRANGLER

## Murder tape for sale

'Zero chance' for Manson

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A Massachusetts prison escapee says a tape he wanted to sell to a newspaper was made during the murder of Kathleen Robinson, one of the 13 Hillside Strangler victims, the newspaper

Another

idea

reported Thursday.

The Los Angeles Herald Examiner said George Shamshak told the paper in a collect phone call from prison Saturday that the tape was made in a van while Miss Robinson, 17, was being strangled last Nov. 16.

Shamshak said he has five tapes relating to the murders and that their

GREELEY, Colo. (AP)

- Convicted mass murderer

Charles Manson will be

eligible to apply for parole in September, but the man

who prosecuted him pre-

dicts parole will be denied

Wednesday there is "zero chance" Manson will be

freed anytime soon.

Vincent Bugliosi said

Bugliosi, who in 1971 won

convictions of Manson and

four Manson followers for

the murders of Sharon Tate

for Manson.

contents show three persons were involved in the slayings—one of them a woman who later became a strangler victim, the paper said. Shamshak's lawyer, Henry Wynn, denied his client had any tapes, how-

George Coakley of Cupertino, Calif., who packaged and peddled the pet rock, has

become a magnet for wacky ideas. He's pictured with the latest - a multi-colored

poster of a rainbow which sells for \$4.95. He expects to gross at least \$3 million in sales

Shamshak contended that the tapes would clear him of any involvement in the murders. He is quoted as say-

ing:
"I have never killed anyone in my life. I just happened to be a willing dupe—a pawn. Somebody held something over my head."

Colorado

## Cruel west drives out Judy Carne

NEW YORK (AP) Actress Judy Carne has moved to New York with the goal of "looking for a new life, which I expect to find."

In her first interview since leaving Los Angeles on April talked Thursday of searching for a new apartment and reclaiming a career in the wake of two drug arrests.

Miss Carne, 39, once the sockit-to-me girl on the popular Laugh-In show, says she is through being the target of the "cruelty of the people on the West Coast."

She is bitter about her arrest with husband Robert Bergman Feb 18 in Santa Monica, Calif. "The car Robert had rented was incorrectly reported stolen." she said. "We were stopped: the police dragged me from the car by my hair. When they searched the car, they found a handbag - not even mine - with some drugs.

caused you

## **SHEVCHENKO**

## Russian planned book

Arkady Shevchenko, the top Soviet UN employee who has been in hiding for a week, signed a contract three years ago to write a book, a spokesman for Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.,

said Thursday.
Ashbel Green, a senior editor of the New York-based publishing company, said the book is about a year overdue, "but we still consider the con-

tract to be valid. Shevchenko, the \$76,000 a-year under-secretary-general for political and Security Council affairs, is refusing to return to the Soviet Union.

Ron Newson's T.V. & Appliances

**CORRECTION** 

In Thursdays, April 13 Citizen, the Admiral Re-

frigerator and Range were not exactly as illustrated.

We apologize for any inconvenience we may have

citing political differences with his government.

Green said that from the few chapters he had seen of Shevchenko's book, it appeared to be non-con-

"It's certainly not the type that could have provoked this sort of controversy," he said.

UN sources said Shevchenko, 47, has offered to resign if he is given the money he has paid toward the UN pension for which he is not yet eligible, a lump sum of at least \$100,000 for the two remaining years of his contract and assurances he can stay in the United States.

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## 'Berkowitz mentally incompetent'

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NEW YORK (AP) - With David Berkowitz in attendance, a defence psychiatrist told a closed-door hearing in Brooklyn Thursday that the Son of Sam suspect is mentally incompetent to stand trial, sources said.

Dr. Martin Lubin was hired to testify at the hearing before state Supreme Court Justice Joseph Corso after two courtappointed psychiatrists reversed their earlier finding that the 24-year-old postal clerk from Yonkers was incompetent to face trial.

The hearing was being held behind closed doors in the recreation room of Kings County Hospital's psychiatric building where Berkowitz has been housed since his arrest last August.

Bronx and Queens. The Brooklyn hearing pertains only to the Brooklyn mur-

The session was closed to the news media and public to prevent a repetition of sensational reporting that accompanied last October's first hearing, at which Berkowitz was found competent.

Berkowitz is charged with killing six persons and injuring seven others with a 44-calibre revolver during a 12-month shooting spree in Brooklyn, the

and Leno LaBianca in Los

Angeles, made the com-

ment in a speech at the

University of Northern

Bugliosi, now in private

practice, said it was "unthinkable" that Manson

might get out of Folsom Pri-

son in California soon.
"He'll spend a minimum of

20 to 25 years in jail" Bug-

liosi said. "And there's a

distinct possibility that he'll

spend the rest of his life in

jail. He was convicted of

nine murders.

der of Stacy Moskowitz, the last of the Son of Sam victims.

Berkowitz says he wants to plead guilty to the charge, although his defence lawyers want to defend their client on the basis of insanity

### CANCER CITY

## Don't panic, people told

Six cases of leukemia have

 A state epidemiologist has confirmed the worst fears of local residents—the incidence of leukemia among children and teenagers here is abnormally high.

But an authority on leukemia told a community gathering Thursday not to

"I don't think you should sell your homes; I don't think you should keep your children out of school," said Dr. Arnold Rubin of the Leukemia Society of America. "There is no danger. This is not a threat to this

been reported during the last five years among residents and former residents between five and 19 years old, Dr. Ronald Altman, state epidemiologist, said Thur-sday. The normal incidence of leukemia in a town with 20,000 residents, such as Rutherford, is less than one, but even two cases would not be considered abnormally high, he said.

Two boys, both students at the Pierrepont Elementary School, have died of leukemia

Calling the statistics "mean-

and related blood cancers were reported. "We do not have an excessive rate of leukemia for the

leukemia cases occurred in a cluster around the Pierrepont

In all, 13 cases of leukemia.

11 cases of Hodgkins disease

and eight cases of lymphoma

town as a whole for all age groups," Dr. Altman said. "We do have more cases of Hodgkins disease than would be expected in a town this



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