

# Action Group Will Open 'Drop-In Pad' for Drug Users This Week

A "drop-in pad" for drug addicts who are experienced in drug problems and withdrawal. The new unit will not be open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week. It will be staffed by PAAG members, some of whom are former addicts themselves, and two psychologists from the Weber County Mental Health Center who are experienced in drug problems and withdrawal.

"The services for addicts available at PAAG Four will include group therapy, private consultation, social activities and an educational program," said Jack Clark, executive director of PAAG.

"The drop-in pad will be run strictly on a voluntary basis and will cater to those addicts who feel they need somewhere to go for help," he added.

PAAG Four will be run entirely on an informal basis. It is comfortably furnished, has two counseling rooms and features free coffee.

"We feel there is a definite need in the Ogden area for a program that will help drug addicts identify with other people without resorting to drugs," said Mr. Clark.

"It is our goal that PAAG Four will give more of these people the help they need to climb out of the drug subculture and find a place in the community," he added.

If an addict comes to PAAG Four, and requests help, then PAAG members will arrange for needed back-up assistance from other agencies in the community.

"There will be no medical treatments such as methadone available to addicts, but the PAAG Four members will provide activities to socially reinforce the addict and let him "tap" out his problems.

"I feel that our drop-in pad is located in a good spot," pointed out Mr. Clark.

He indicated that local police are concerned that users might "hang around" the house and try to peddle dope.

"We're going to make real effort to control this particular problem... and I think there's a lot we can do to prevent the sale of dope in and around the house," said Mr. Clark.

He noted that PAAG is a rapidly becoming self-supporting but always needs donations of useful furnishings and small appliances to be set down on the costs of operating various PAAG units.

A full-time program set up along the same lines as Alcoholics Anonymous, PAAG is comprised of people with chronic histories of mental health problems, alcoholism and drug addictions.

And they're helping each other help themselves through a wide variety of social, educational and therapy programs.

PAAG One and PAAG Two have been in operation for six months now and are apartment living situations where people with chronic problems can reside with a nominal payment each month for room and board.

Plans for two more PAAG units that will be "crash-pads" for alcoholics are nearly completed and under way.

PAAG Three and PAAG Five will probably be activated by July or August.

PAAG members run the entire program themselves, but rely heavily on back-up help from local agencies such as the mental health center.

## PLANNING COMMISSION TO CONSIDER PETITIONS

Petitions not yet resolved will be taken up by the City Planning Commission Wednesday at 4:30 p.m., providing information is received that has been requested.

These include the rezoning and planned residential development review for Tom Miller and for Clark Anderson.

Scheduled for action is a petition by Lester Froerer to add an attended, non-coin operated car wash to the permitted uses of the C-1 zone.

Mr. Miller is asking for a zone change from R-1 to R-1A east of Knollwood Estates while Mr. Anderson and others are asking for rezoning from R-4 to C-1 at the southwest corner of 35th Street and Harrison Boulevard.

The zoning ordinance also is scheduled for review by the planners who will meet in the City Council chambers on the sixth floor of the Municipal Building.

## Mills Schedules Major Address?

Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., is considering using a July 10 visit to Ogden as the platform for a major economic address that could thrust him into the national spotlight as a full-fledged contender for the Democratic presidential nomination.

The major point of his Ogden address could be a tax cut proposal built around an investment tax credit to spur industrial expansion.

Commonly referred to as Mr. Taxation on Capitol Hill, Rep. Mills is chairman of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee which determines the rate of most legislation dealing with taxes and other economic matters.

He will keynote a banquet here honoring Utah freshman congressman K. Gunn McKay.

**NOT DETERMINED**

A spokesman for Rep. Mills told the Ogden Standard-Examiner today the Arkansas Democrat hasn't "definitely" determined his specific topics but they will involve some aspects of the economy.

He would neither confirm nor deny that Rep. Mills is considering traveling his own tax cut package during the Ogden speech.

"The odds are at least 20 to 1 it will relate to current work under review in the Ways and Means Committee," the Mills spokesman said.

Rep. Mills has held a number of lengthy conferences recently with various economists.

## FAIR WEATHER WILL REMAIN

Skies are expected to continue to be generally fair through Wednesday in the Ogden area and Northern Utah with slightly cooler temperatures than today's highs in the middle 50s.

Maximum Wednesday will be near 50 with tonight's minimum in the middle 40s. About a 10 per cent chance for scattered thunderstorms will exist in the region during the afternoon.

## 2 YOUNG HORSEWOMEN TO SEEK NATIONAL TITLE

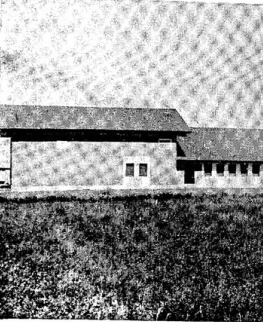
Two young horsewomen from Weber County will compete for the title of National Appaloosa Queen during the National Appaloosa Horse Show July 12 to 18 in Las Vegas, Nev.

Laura Cunningham, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Cunningham of 7400 W. 5500 S., Hooper, will represent the Utah Appaloosa Horse Show in the contest.

Debbie Spiers was chosen by the Internountain Appaloosa Horse Club as its representative. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Spiers of 1245 E. 3100 N., North Ogden.

Representatives from 110 regions will compete for the title in the largest horsemanship contest for western riding in the world.

They will be judged on horsemanship, appearance, personality and knowledge of the appaloosa. The winner will receive riding clothes and equipment as prizes.



NEW juvenile detention home, located west of Weber Memorial Hospital in Roy, will be open later this month or in early August. Installation of furnishings and landscape work will complete the \$350,000 project paid for by Weber, Davis and Morgan counties and Utah Division of Family Services.

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COMMUNICATIONS equipment for central control security desk in Mowoda juvenile detention home is examined by Tony Hassell, director (left) and Ronald Gibson, a custodian.

## New Juvenile Detention Home Soon Will Replace Old Center

ROY — A new \$350,000 juvenile detention center built to replace the old center, will be completed in a few months, according to David C. Smoot, director of the Utah Division of Family Services.

Other features include a central security control unit, a home economics room and multipurpose recreation with basketball, volleyball, badminton, and shuffleboard space, punch and body bags, chinups, bar, climbing pegs, trampolines, tumbling mats and other body-building equipment.

A \$15,000 grant from Omaha Crime Act helped furnish the center.

Although youths referred to the center may be detained only 48 hours, the building will provide space for group and individual counseling, educational courses and crafts and other therapeutic programs.

Mr. Smoot said some 90 per cent had applied for positions at the center. Screening committee expects to announce soon 5000 with degrees in behavioral science and possibly five custodians, most from the old detention center.

The board has advertised for bids to let July 9 for a spring planting and landscaping work. Plans are available from Brock McFarlane, Weber County purchasing officer.

## EARLIER CONTRACT

Lights at 145 interchange between 31st and Hot Springs are being installed under a \$269,539 contract let earlier this year to Cache Valley Electric Co., a six-year-old highway contractor, by the Utah Division of Family Services.

The highway department has also called for bids on construction of 145 in Iron, Millard and Salt Lake counties.

The Iron county job calls for surfacing of 10.5 miles, while the Millard county project requires construction of roadway and four structures from Baker Canyon to Mostow, a distance of about 15 miles.

Landscapeing of 145 in Salt Lake County over a distance of 2.5 miles in Midvale comprises the third project planned for the interstate highway.

Still in progress and about 50 per cent completed at the last report was interchange lighting between 31st and Hot Springs on 145. Construction of six-lane divided highway on 145 in Davis County from Pag Lane to Layton is 35 per cent completed.

## DONE SOON

Architect Richard D. Lowe said interior work and installation of furnishings should be completed in a few weeks.

The youth home has its own heating and air conditioning plant, laundry and food service will be purchased from the state.

Build of comm block and kitchen, the youth home has already gained attention for its attractive design and functional interior.

Other directors are committee members T. Frank Weber and Ken W. Sommer of Weber County, James T. Brown of Riverdale, F. Brian McCook of Bonifant, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Tucker of Morgan, Mrs. David Adams of Layton and David L. Duncan, Weber County treasurer.

Finishing and landscape work will complete the \$350,000 project paid for by Weber, Davis and Morgan counties and Utah Division of Family Services.

## \$200,000 Road Safety Project in Bidding Stage

Improvements Will Be Made In Ogden-S. Layton Stretch

A safety project designed to reduce serious traffic accidents along Interstate 15 from South Layton to Ogden, expected to cost about \$200,000, is being bid currently by the Utah Department of Highways.

Offers will be opened on July 27 at 2 p.m. in Salt Lake City on a job which involves the removal of some guard rails and the installation of signs with "break-away" bases.

Scheduled for completion in 120 working days, the project will bring that 12.6-mile section of interstate, terminating at 31st Street, up to par in line with most federal highway safety regulations, according to a spokesman for the highway department.

Approximately 150 sign posts designed to give way "easily" before cars that strike them, will be installed along the route, the highway department said.

**RAILS COMING OUT**

Guard rails which will be removed are those now placed between the roadway and signs and judged by the state and federal agencies to be no longer necessary, or safe.

Howard Richardson, planning engineer for the highway department, Ogden District, said all signs should have break-away bases so that if they are struck by a car they give way quickly and easily, permitting the motorist to bring the car to a stop.

Mr. Richardson said it is believed in national highway safety circles that guard rails are not needed on the highway.

He said signs with break-away bases already have been installed along sections of interstate highway built and completed in recent months.

**ON USE 2 YEARS**

The South Layton to 31st Street portion of 145 was completed and opened to traffic in November 1966, although signposts were not installed until 1970.

**PLANS AVAILABLE**

Plans and specifications of the proposed project are available to Ogden area contractors at the office of the Ogden District Engineer, 129 1/2th Street.

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The Iron county job calls for surfacing of 10.5 miles, while the Millard county project requires construction of roadway and four structures from Baker Canyon to Mostow, a distance of about 15 miles.

## Rezoning Proposal Denied by Council

A rezoning petition filed by Robert Wagners of Wagners, Claydon, Stinson Co., to rezone a portion of the south and west end of Ogden, Utah, was denied by the City Council.

Denial came upon recommendation by the City Planning Commission, which encouraged the petitioner to attempt to solve the problems with traffic planning, then file a petition for rezoning from R-5 to C-1B.

Mr. Wagners said that the rezoning would be worked out and explained that the public will be satisfied if the alternate plan is improved and the traffic problem alleviated.

On two other zoning petitions, council filed reports from planners.

In one case, planners reported that they had had a petition from Thomas J. Miller to rezone from R-1 to R-1A property east of the existing Knollwood Estates subdivision, which was planned residential development (PRD).

Mr. Hurst said planners had informed Mr. Miller that all details were not in hand and that the commission needed it for review before approval could be suggested.

## AFTER SEVEN WEEKS

### Victim of Burning Returns to Family

KANESVILLE — In dependence Day was especially important for 6-year-old Marilyn Tippets, a former patient at McKay Hospital.

Marilyn was homecoming for the first time through their family since she was hospitalized for a year because of her nervousness.

She is now home with her family in Kanerville, Kan.

Coming home with Marilyn at 11 a.m. were a new baby brother, born Friday at 5:06 p.m., and her mother, Mrs. Wayne Tippets, 2327 W. 20th St.

She's really excited about the little baby boy, Mr. Tippets said.

It was a big day for the rest of the Tippets family, too, other daughters and another son, it's been seven weeks since we've all been together," Mr. Tippets said.

The other residents of Kanerville responded to the family's needs "It's been seven weeks since we've all been together," Mr. Tippets said.

They helped the other children tend the family store and cooked for them while Mr. and Mrs. Tippets stayed at the home of a friend for a week when Marilyn was in intensive care.

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## TOOK TO HOSPITAL

Mr. Favero rushed the mother and daughter to the hospital, calling for an ambulance, "telling her what a big girl she was" all the way to the hospital, Mr. Tippets said.

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## BULLETIN

About 17 employees of the Sanitation Division of the Ogden City Street Department reportedly were fired from their jobs today after they allegedly refused to go to work.

The employees apparently are members of the Teamsters Union Local 974. All officials of the union were out of town today and not available for comment.

City Manager Charles R. Kelley, the spokesman for Ogden City, was attending the funeral of a former Councilman Ham DeBor and also was not available for comment.