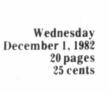
Violent storm kills six in the West

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The Pampa News



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Pampa chief needs public's help with anti-crime program

Pampa's Chief of Police, J. J. Ryzman, wants to enlist the aid of local civic minded individuals who are interested in organizing a Crime Stoppers program.

Crime Stoppers is a program in which the private citizen joins with law enforcement officials to solve difficult crimes Through the Crime Stoppers program, citizens who have knowledge of a specific crime are encouraged, either for civic or monetary reasons, to come forward with

information on a crime which they have either witnessed or have knowledge of. The program allows any citizen supplying information to remain completely anonymous, if necessary

Currently, there are approximately 80 local Crime Stoppers programs operating in Texas. Local Crime Stoppers programs are designed to achieve

citizen interest and involvement through two methods: The establishment of a reward system which will pay for information leading to the arrest and indictment of persons involved in felony crimes

2. The selection of an unsolved "Crime of the Week" to be featured by reenactment in a weekly newspaper article.

Local Crime Stoppers programs are established as non profit corporations by applying for a charter under Texas law. As such, any money contributed would be tax

Chief Ryzman said he needs to organize a board of directors, broadly representative of the community, to oversee the general operation of the program and administer the funds received through public contributions.

Ryzman said a local police officer, designated as police coordinator, will be responsible for overseeing the day - to day operation of the program and will also serve as liaison between the Pampa police, the board of directors and the

The Crime Stoppers program gives everyone an opportunity to become involved in crime solving. Everyone will have a chance to improve the quality of life in Pampa Ryzman said citizen involvment is the key to success

Believe all starving horses are now found

PITTSBURG, Texas (AP) -Investigators looking for malnourished horses "adopted" by an East Texan under a federal program designed to save wild mustangs from starvation say it appears all of the stricken animals have been found.

Another horse died Tuesday, the 38th taken from an overgrazed pasture three miles east of here, said rancher Jerry Owens of Brownsboro, who is helping to take care of the animals.

Last week, officials discovered the remains of about 30 dead horses and more than 150 other horses that appeared to be starving. A lost deer hunter reported finding the carcasses.

Federal officials from Sante Fe. N.M., flew to Dallas Tuesday to discuss with the U.S. Attorney there possible federal charges against ranch owner Joe Corbett, Gumert said

The Wild Horses Act carries a maximum penalty of \$10,000 fine and 10 vears' imprisonment

Corbett obtained the wild horses last December under a BLM "Adopt-a-Horse" program to reduce the population of wild horses and burros on federal lands. Reports that many of the horses were starving brought about the program

BLM investigator John Gumert said officials were sorting the herd at a ranch near Tyler to determine which of the horses are federally owned and which were Corbett's personal property. Colts born to federally owned horses would belong to Corbett, he said.

Camp County Attorney Paul Mayben said Monday he plans to dismiss a general complaint filed last week against Corbett and replace it with multiple charges based upon Texas' statute on cruelty to animals.

The state charge carries a maximum \$2,000 fine and a year in jail. "It's the worst one I've ever seen

said John Whitley, a Bureau of Land Management official based in New Mexico. "I've been with the wild horse program for 12 years now and this was the worst instance.

Whitley said recent federal budget cuts hampered the BLM's effectiveness at policing programs in Texas.

They took a lot of money out of the wild horse program and when they reduced the budget they pulled me back. into New Mexico," Whitley said. "So I don't travel to Texas anymore unless it's to check on violations.

Whitley said he expected the case to trigger some changes in the 'Adopt-a-Horse' program. Under the 'Adopt-a-Horse'

program, a person can adopt a maximum of four horses, but Corbett obtained power of attorney to acquire additional horses for 42 people living in Texas and Oklahoma.

The Dallas Times Herald reported that many low-income East Texas residents were promised a free horse if they gave Corbett their power of

'A guy came around here and said he was gonna get a bunch of horses from the government, said Billy Ray Linwood, 41, who gave Corbett his attorney "I was thinking I power of was gonna get a horse for free. I can't understand why if he had the horses, he didn't contact people.

Under Whitley's supervision, about 80 horses on Corbett's land were taken Sunday to a ranch near Brownsboro. where they were fed. The rest of the horses were moved late Monday by community volunteers.

Although Corbett paid the government \$200 for each of the horses. he wasn't due to receive official ownership of the animals until Dec. 31, Whitley said

KPDN is gone...hello to KSZN

By LORI-ANN D'ANTONIO Staff Writer

Radio station KPDN no longer exists in Pampa.

Today it became KSZN, "Kissin" Country 1340" AM. Phil Zeni, managing partner of the station, announced the call-letter change today as the last step of a two-month modernization effort at the station

KPDN began operation on April 6. 1936 at 1310 on the AM dial, and was then owned by The Pampa News. The 'PDN" in the old call letters originally stood for Pampa Daily News. When the newspaper was bought by the R.C. Hoiles Freedom Newspaper Group in 1952. Freedom sold the station to Warren Hasse, then city editor of the paper. Hasse owned the it until 1981 when K & M Leasing of Dallas bought the station

'It is the first call-letter change in the 46-year history of the station said. "It follows a carefully thought-out decision, in the wake of a an earlier switch to live, comtemporary country

Major steps in the changes included changing both the way music is played and the music itself. Zeni said. Both listener and advertiser response to the changes has been positive . he said. Not only are advertisers buying more time on the station, but "stores that never would have played this radio station before are playing it now," he said.

The change to "modern contemporary country music" reflects a change toward "mainstream American music." he said.

Contemporary country music also represents more sophicsticated production methods and smoother. more polished sounds. Some of the

music being played now on "Kissin" Country" (by artists like Kenny Rogers, Crystal Gayle and the Oak Ridge Boys) is also played on top 40s and pop stations.

Other renovations include the addition of twice daily reports from local oil, gas and agricultural officials, like the Gray County Extension Service, the Texas Farm Bureau and the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA). The station carries some Texas State Network sports programs as well. In addition, "Kissin' Country" has a "professional broadcast news, weather and sports center." according to Zeni.

KSZN is also the only "live local country station" in Pampa, Zeni said. The staff at the station can take requests and phone calls from their listeners, thereby respond more quickly and easily to the listeners'

Zeni said that the listener response to the new music and format has been positive. Zeni came to Pampa September 9 to run KSZN, which will eventually be part of a 'communications group' of more stations, he said

The change to "Kissin' Country" was Zeni's idea, using a word that is popular in country music and country station names. After searching through many possible combinations, and cooperating with the Federal Communications Commission and the U.S. Coast Guard, Zeni settled on KSZN as the station's new call letters. KSZN had previously been the radio call sign of a coast guard ship named the Olympic

Zeni says that by being live, local and country, and offering a good news. sports and weather package, KSZN will continue to grow and prosper as "Kissin' Country



and news director Melanie Miller KPDN officially became KSZN

Morning personality Dusty Rhodes Pampa radio this morning when spin their way into a new era in (Staff photo by Bruce Lee Smith)

Reagan talking of sending in more troops By JAMES GERSTENZANG

By JULIA CLARK

He's not ready to

go...not yet!

An unidentified 78 year - old Pampa man became a bit confused Tuesday morning when he was told he had been dead for three years.

Tuesday morning Pampa patrolman Terry Cox stopped the Pampa native for a minor traffic violation, and as a matter of routine, the officer asked the dispatcher to check with the drivers license division

in Austin about any information on the man. The dispatcher relayed the message: no entries, current status cancelled, deceased.

Cox told the dispatcher the information was strange, seeing as how he was talking to the man at the

Upon further investigation, the drivers license office determined the wife of the Pampa native had died in 1979, her license number was similar to his, which resulted in the confusion.

BRASILIA, Brazil (AP) — President Reagan, in

Brazil for meetings with this nation's military president, said today the Untied States is talking with its allies about expanding the multinational peacekeeping force in Lebanon using troops from other nations. While Reagan and President Joao Baptista

Figueiredo focused on their nations' economic problems during 90 minutes of talks this morning. Reagan discussed the Lebanese proposal with reporters after the meetings ended. He said the Beirut government's request for a

larger international peacekeeping force "has been talked about for some time. It's not a new idea. But he indicated the proposal would not involve sending more U.S. Marines into Beirut to join the

American, French and Italian forces already there. Reagan said the Lebanese request was intended 'to see if there are other nations that would like to Kennedy's lead in dropping out of the 1984 presidential race, Reagan said, "You know, I don't think there's much of a record of me immitating Teddy Kennedy

Reagan, on a five-day tour of Brazil and three other Latin American nations arrived shortly before midnight Tuesay in this central Brazilian city built on the high plains 25 years ago.

"We all know of the strong and steady advance of Brazil both domestically and internationally, Reagan said. He praised the nation's Nov. 15 congressional and gubernatorial elections - the first in almost 18 years - as a demonstration of "Brazil's confidence in itself and its stability in

Figueiredo told Reagan: "Present difficulties not withstanding, we are fully confident that we will follow the road of democracy and progress chosen by the Brazilian people.

"It is high time," he said, that the United States

and Brazil discuss their mutual problems and 'move toward genuine and equitable partnership.' The streets of Brasilia were quiet when Reagan arrived, although anti-Reagan demonstrations took place earlier in Brasilia and Rio de Janeiro.

Reagan met last May with Figueiredo in Washington and Secretary of State George P Shultz described the Brazilian on Tuesday as "a real guy, full of pep, vim and vigor ... a very enjoyable person. He and the president hit it off well, and their conversation is likely to roam all

Figueiredo is the fifth in a string of military men who have ruled the country since a 1964 coup overthrew the last democratically elected

Shultz, demonstrating sensitivity to Latin American concern that the United States overlooks its hemispheric neighbors, reminded reporters during the 81/2-hour flight that the "real world includes our neighbors, and don't you forget it.'

Kevin Francis's lawyers seeking his release

By JEFF LANGLEY

AMARILLO - Lawyers for Kevin Francis, the Pampa native convicted of asking to have his business partner murdered to collect insurance money, a crime called solicitation of capital murder, have asked an appeals court to dismiss the case

The 7th Court of Criminal Appeals in Amarillo earlier this year overturned Francis's 1980 conviction and 40 - year prison term, and now his lawyers want the case dismissed and want Francis released from prison.

The petition to dismiss the case was filed by Francis's lawyers with the Amarillo appeals court Monday. It asks the Amarillo court to forward the issue to the Texas Court of

Criminal Appeals in Austin for that higher court's decision. The action to dismiss by the defense lawyers for Francis, who include former state bar president Travis Shelton. follows the Amarillo appeals court's decision August 31 to

throw out the 1980 conviction. The appeals court ruled then that Amarillo 251st District Court Judge Naomi Harney made an error when she instructed the jury which convicted Francis.

The appellate court said Harney should have used the word "and," instead of the word "or." when she told the jury to consider whether or not Francis asked three business associates about how to find a hit man to kill his partner.

Francis's partner in an Amarillo clothing store, Frank Potts, was found brutally stabbed to death inside the store

The victim was hacked and stabbed a total of 28 times, according to prosecutor John Tull

The state says Francis had Potts knocked off in order to collect a \$175,000 insurance policy. The policy named Francis the beneficiary, and it was taken out just months before the vicious murder, according to testimony during the

The husband - wife death team of George and Bedale Hicks were convicted of actually committing the murder. Each received 99 - year prison terms. A witness at the trial of Bedale Hicks, a female customer who came into the store at the time of the killing, said she saw a blood - covered Bedale Hicks behind the counter where Potts's butchered body was found. Witnesses also placed her husband at the scene.

No link between the Hicks's and Francis was ever

established, but the state said the hit team somehow received a payoff for the murder.

Following the appeals court's August ruling, the Hicks's were returned to the Potter County Jail November 8, and they remain there today. The murderers were returned to Amarillo on a bench warrant issued by prosecutors. The return of the Hicks's for questioning led to speculation that

the murderers were giving them additional information, about the killing.

But Tull said he would have "no comment" about the Hicks's except to confirm that they are being questioned in connection with the slaying, which occurred just more than five years ago.

Tull previously said he would ask the Austin court to reconsider the Amarillo appeals court's action to overturn the Francis conviction. But he said Tuesday that the petition filed by the defense makes that state pleading unnecessary. He said the state plea to the Austin court will come in the state's answer to the defense "petition for discretionary review" filed Monday. Tull said the state has 30 days to

Tull said the final criminal appeals court for the state has three options: to dismiss the case and release Francis; to uphold the lower appellate court's decision and order a new trial; or to affirm the trial court's guilty verdict.

Weather

Partly cloudy with a chance of showers today, highs in the low 60s. Partly cloudy with a chance of showers or snow flurries tonight, lows in the upper 20s. Partly cloudy windy and colder Thursday, highs in the upper 40s. Chance of precipitation 20 percent today and tonight. Lake wind advisories in effect today and Thursday. Winds out of the south and south west 20 to 30 m.p.h. and gusty today, 15 to 20 m.p.h. tonight, becoming northwesterly 15 to 25 m.p.h. and

services tomorrow

No services for tomorrow were reported to The Pampa

obituaries

No obituaries were reported to The Pampa News today

stock market

Dorchester 101/2
Getty closed Tue 46%
Halliburton 36
HCA 56%
110A
Ingersoll - Rand
Inter North 26%
Kerr - McGee
Mobil 24
Penny's 521/2
Phillips 31%
Fittiipe
DNA
PNA19%
SJ 39%
Southwestern Pub 15%
Standard Oil
Tenneco 33
Texaco 304
Zales
London Gold 440
Silver 9.8

animal shelter report

These animals are currently being boarded at the Pampa Animal Shelter, located in Hobart Street Park.

The shelter is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. On Saturday, the shelter is open from 11 a.m. to noon and from 4 to 5 p.m. For more information, call 669 - 6149 or (emergency no.) 669 - 7407.

Male adults: black and tan Doberman, black and tan basset hound, black and tan bloodhound, blond terrier, black poodle, black Labrador mix, black and white shepherd

Male puppies: two black Labrador mixes.

Female adults: black and white terrier, black and white border collie, black and brown terrier mix, brown and black shepherd mix, black and white cowdog mix, gray and black Pekingese, tan and white shepherd mix

Female puppies: black and brown dachshund mix, tan and

Gray County Court report

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Michael Edward Cook and Kemberly Kay Rodgers Kurt Warren Kelley and Kathy Marie Simmons Ronald Lee Preston and Vickie Lynn Ruyle David Albert Pearson and Rita Faye Fillingim Herman Spencer Branscum and Patricia Louise Guffey Sang Ju Cho and Karla Jan Spiller Richard Lee Kingery and Julia Ann Fowler

DIVORCES Mary Lorraine Kirkham and William Earnest Kirkham Bobby Gale Whitten and Jean Whitten GRAY COUNTY COURT

A warrant for the arrest of Rodney S. Donahue for alleged

violations of probation was issued. A warrant for the arrest of Jack Forrest Stevens, Jr. for

alleged violations of probation was issued. A warrant for the arrest of George McMonigle II for alleged violations of probation was issued.

A warrant for the arrest of Farris Glen Reeves for alleged violations of probation was issued

A charge of driving while intoxicated against Roy Dean Burton was dismissed because it should have been filed as a

Johnny Joe Rosalez pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, was fined \$200, jailed for 30 days, given two years probation and ordered to pay court costs.

Chester Louis Jackson pleaded guilty to driving while cense was suspended, was fined \$100, placed on six months probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs. He also pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana and was fined \$50, and placed on six months probation without a fee.

Jerry Lynn Howard pleaded guilty to criminal trespass and was fined \$100, placed on six months probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs. Billy Ray Hahn pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated

and was fined \$200, placed on two years probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs. Larry Dean Wrenfrow pleaded guilty to driving while

intoxicated and was fined \$200, placed on two years probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs. Adjudication was deferred in the case of Velma Necum McDaniel, who was charged with driving while intoxicated. McDaniel was placed on six months probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs and fined.

Danny Eugene Bennett pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and was fined \$200, ordered to jail for 30 days, placed on two years probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs.

A guilty verdict against Eddie Joe Pitt was reversed.

A charge against Gilbert Pierce was dismissed because restitution was made

minor accidents

Tuesday, November 30

7 30 p.m. - A car driven by Betty Helms of 733 N. Nelson struck a parked car in the 1600 block of Hamilton. Police said Helms was cited for making an improper start from a

hospital notes

CORONADO COMMUNITY

Admissions Willie Phillips, Pampa Purtain. Rudy

Panhandle Carol Kervin, Warren Royce Womack, Pampa Hermelinda Ortiz

Skellytown Jane Skinner, Pampa Roy Rodriguez, Roy Lee Hobbs, Pampa J.H. King, Pampa Jessie Pyle, Pampa Annie Neal, Pampa Andy Diaz, Liberal

Bert Jones, Pampa Dissmissals Lisa Anderson, Pampa Ronnie Anderson, Pampa

Lou Ann Davis, Pampa

Courtney Broadduss, Miami

Carol Coryell, Pampa Baby Boy Coryell, Pampa

Troy Guthrie, Pampa John Hall, Pampa Robert Jack, Pampa Zelona Johns, Skellytown Karen Killough, Pampa Charles McNabb, Pampa

Kathleen Moon, Pampa Brandon Niccum, Pampa

Johnny Niccum, Pampa Linda Parker, Lefors William Robinson, Pampa

Linda Short, White Deer Baby Girl Short, White

Servando Leal, Pampa Kathleen Smith, Wheeler SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions

Loretta Gibbs, Estelline

Melvin Zimmerman, Shamrock Kathy Jones, Wheeler Diana Kirkland,

Shamrock Katherine Plunkett, Wheeler Births

Mr. & Mrs. Earl Kirkland, Shamrock, a baby girl **Dismissals** Margaret Glass,

Shamrock Diane Hudson, Erick, Okla. Lena Blackketter,

Leedy, Okla. Virginia Harris, Shamrock

Calendar of events

FINAL UNITED WAY CHECK - IN Way's final check - in and victory party is

scheduled for tomorrow, Dec. 2, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Citizens Bank and Trust Co.

city briefs

FLOCKED CHRISTMAS Trees - Call 669-2698 after

FOR RENT - 3 bedroom, 2 baths, service room and den. Ott Shewmaker Realtor 665-1333 or 665-5582.

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LOOKING FOR That perfect Christmas gift that keeps on giving year after year? Adorable AKC Shih Tsu Puppy. Call 665-3046.

BAR B Q by "The

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SPECIAL FOR the holiday - table placemats in many colors. Dinner sets discounted up to 50 percent. 45 piece sets. Las Pampa

THE D.A.V.A. and the D.A.V. annual Christmas dinner will be Friday December 3, 6 p.m. 527 W Brown and bring a covered

school menu

THURSDAY

Taco salad, pinto beans, fried beans, fried tortilla, apple burrito, milk.

FRIDAY Broiled weiner, macaroni & cheese, fried okra, sliced

peaches cornbread, milk.

senior citizen menu

THURSDAY

Salmon croquets or tacos, macaroni & cheese, green beans, beets, slaw or jello salad, black & white pudding or

Hambuger stroganoff over noodles or fried cod fish, french fries, green peas, glazed carrots, toss or jello salad, cherry crisp or bread pudding.

police report

Pampa police reported the following incidents for the 24 hour period ending at 7 a.m. Wednesday. The police department received a total of 29 calls for the period. Allsups 81, Amarillo Highway, reported two men took two

six - packs of beer from the store without paying Danny Hammer of 1008 Darby reported theft from his

vehicle. Estimated loss \$250. Michael Guy Gabriel of 1145 Seneca reported a theft Wil - Mart at 600 E. Frederic reported a theft. Estimated

fire report

The Pampa Fire Department received no calls during the 24 - hour period ending at 7 a.m. Wednesday.

Water Gate bridge?



The normally scenic view at Fort Point was wet and wild Tuesday when a Pacific storm, the remnants of

Hurricane Iwa, hit the Golden Gate with winds to 55 mph. The storm toppled trees and left many Bay Area residents without power. (AP Laserphoto)

Storms rip the West, leaving death and desolation behind

By BETSY BROWN KRAFT **Associated Press Writer**

A fast, ruthless storm bulldozed across California and careened into the Rockies today, with driving rain and heavy snow that left six people dead and four people missing. The storm cut power to hundreds of thousands of homes and flooded rich farm lands

It stomped into Arizona and Nevada, blasting more rain and snow, and kept going. Winter storm warnings were issued today for Utah and the Colorado Rockies, with a storm watch in Montana, according to the National Weather

Heavy winds toppled a 110-foot crane in Long Beach, killing the operator. In Humboldt Bay, a man's body washed ashore after his crab boat broke up in rough waters and two other men were missing. A Napa man was missing after being swept into stormy Bodega Bay.

In Southern California, the storm dumped 2.33 inches of rain in less than 12 hours and washed a \$500,000 home into the

In Long Beach and San Diego Bay, dozens of pleasure boats were ripped from their moorings. In Marina del Rey, wind gusts of up to 70 mph blasted panes of glass out of high-rise office buildings, but no one was injured, authorities

Rocks and mudslides closed parts of the Pacific Coast Highway, and Southern California Edison Co. reported 877,000 customers blacked out.

The power was out for anywhere from a few seconds to eight to 12 hours," said spokesman Bob Hull In Escondido, 8,000 chickens were trapped under a tin roof

after gusting winds collapsed it. The birds were evacuated in The San Diego Zoo was closed Tuesday for the fifth time in

its 66-year history after wind blew down eucalyptus trees In Orange, Calif., thousands of people were allowed to return home after being evacuated when a toxic cloud escaped into the air when a storage tank exploded. The tank overheated when its refrigeration system died because the power was cut off in the storm

last week was estimated at \$181.5 millon. Forecasters had feared a new storm was brewing, but said Tuesday the threat had diminished

In Hawaii, meanwhile, the damage from Hurricane Iwa

The storm, the worst of the season, battered California on Tuesday from San Francisco to San Diego, dumping snow as fast as 3 inches an hour in the Sierra Nevada; ripping up power poles, trees and roofs with winds up to 78 mph; triggering mudslides and sinking boats.

The assault came just one day after the National Weather Service forecast a cold, wet winter for the West.

"It was a complete mess," said California Highway Patrol Officer Jerry Skelton in Los Angeles. "Trees down everywhere, lines down everywhere, cars and traffic accidents everywhere.

As the storm moved east, it blanketed northern and central Nevada with a foot or more of snow and flooded Las Vegas streets with rain. Two avalanches closed roads in the

In Arizona, 10 inches of snow fell in Flagstaff by Tuesday night and school buses had to be towed. In Kingman, wind gusts were clocked at 84 mph, and in Phoenix, a building roof collapsed from the weight of rain.

High winds kicked up dust storms from Yuma, near the California border, to Gila Bend, south of Phoenix. The storm struck California with little warning as winds

shifted from light to 50 mph "within a matter of minutes," said Keith Ewing, the state's chief National Weather Service As the storm plowed inland into Northern California, rain combined with record high tides to rip a 50-foot hole in a .

levee, flooding Venice Tract, a 3,000-acre island on the Sacramento-San Joaquin River delta. Floodwaters were expected to reach 15 feet over the rich .

Winds gusted to 82 mph on the Santa Cruz coast and turned a parked Boeing 707 jet in a half-circle at San Francisco

International Airport. Falling trees knocked down wires and cut power to up to 400,000 Northern California electric customers. But workers restored power to all but about 22,500 customers by late Tuesday

By mid-afternoon, 73 inches of snow had accumulated in Norden, Calif., and avalanche warnings were issued for the eastern Sierra.

Four people were missing in the storm and at least six people died, including a 4-year-old boy who was swept into the De Luze River when his family's Jeep overturned. Two men died in San Diego County traffic accidents.

Kennedy won't run

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen Edward M. Kennedy, bowing to the wishes of his three children, will not seek the Democratic presidential nomination in 1984, sources said early today

"The reason is personal," said one aide, who added the Massachusetts Democrat would disclose his decision publicly at a news conference later in the day.

"His kids really feel very strongly that they don't want him to run," added this aide. Kennedy is in the process of arranging a divorce settlement with his wife Joan. Their children are Edward M. Jr., Kara, and Patrick.

Kennedy, 50, has been the early front-runner in public opinion polls for the party's 1984 presidential nomination and this aide said that the senator has private polling data that indicates he would do well if he ran. But Kennedy, after going over the political information

one final time with senior aides on Tuesday, reportedly told

them, "I think you guys are right, and I think I can win, but I'm not going to do it.

Kennedy spent Tuesday evening at his home telephoning friends and political adversaries to tell them of his decision. Among those called were House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., a longtime political ally. Kennedy also called several other Democrats who are exploring the presidential candidacy for themselves, including former Vice President Walter F. Mondale and Sens. Alan Cranston of California and John Glenn of Ohio

One aide said Kennedy's decision not to run is for the 1984 campaign only, and does not rule out the possibility of seeking the presidency in the future. At his age, Kennedy could be expected to be a potential presidential candidate through at least the early 1990s.

The aides provided information to The Associated Press on . condition that they not be named

Houston's power company: Well, the lights are still on there, but just barely, says PUC

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Public Utility Commission. which tagged Houston Lighting and Power with a penalty of about \$15 million, says the company would have mismanaged itself into oblivion if it weren't a monopoly guaranteed a profit by the state.

But an HL&P official says the company has done its job. "We are keeping the lights on in Houston," said Graham

Painter. HL&P public relations manager. HL&P won a \$185 million rate increase from PUC on Tuesday. However, the company had sought \$336 million, and a hearing examiner had concluded it should get a rate increase of \$200 million

The commission, upset with what it called company mismanagement, approved the hearing examiner's report, but subtracted a penalty that could add up to \$15 million.

Were this company in a purely competitive, non-monopolistic, non-regulatory business, I dare say that many of its decisions might have by this time put it out of business." said PUC member George Cowden

Painter said later Tuesday, "We do not feel like there has been mismanagement. Every decision we have made has been made with the objective of retaining reliable service at the lowest possible price.

The exact outcome of the PUC ruling won't be known until later in the week when rates are calculated. PUC and HL&P officials say the rates should be slightly higher than the bonded rates - based on a \$181 million increase - put into effect on Oct. 20 for the company's 1.1 million customers.

The mismanagement penalty, proposed by Cowden, cuts HL&P's rate of return on equity from the 16.85 percent recommended by Hearing Examiner Angela Williams to 16.35 percent. Cowden said that should mean about \$15

Cowden called the penalty "a signal to management, to its board of directors and to its shareholders that this commission will not, cannot continue to condone the type of management that has gone on over the last several years."

HL&P's aborted plans to build the Allens Creek nuclear project in Austin County drew criticism from the commission. Cowden called HL&P's handling of the ill-fated project "unusual and almost strange."

The project was cancelled by HL&P in August 1982. Ms.

Williams said it should have been scrapped in January 1980 She said ratepayers should not have to cover any costs run up at Allens Creek after January 1980, costs which she said added up to \$160 million. The commission agreed with that recommendation

Commissioners rejected Ms. Williams' call for a \$1.7 billion ceiling on costs at the South Texas Nuclear Project, which is years behind schedule. Cowden said he feared HL&P would misinterpret the ceiling as a free-hand to spend up to \$1.7 billion without justifying the expenditures.

Also part of the commission's 3-0 decision was an order barring HL&P from automatically passing fuel cost increases on to customers as fuel adjustment charges. HL&P will be required to come to PUC for quarterly reviews of the fuel costs.

Beginning in February, the fuel adjustment charge will not be shown on HL&P bills, but will be figured into the bill. In final arguments to the commission, HL&P lawver Robert Webb said there was no mismanagement by HL&P. only some decisions — based on best possible advice — that

But Cowden and PUC Chairman Moak Rollins said it went much further than that

"Repeatedly through the years (HL&P) management has blamed someone else," said Cowden, who, along with Rollins, called for major changes in the HL&P board of

Rollins said the board of dirctors is responsible for HL&P's problems, which he said improperly includes the company's banker and lawyer as "nominal outside members." He said the company should seek directors with greater

big-business experience. Painter said HL&P would "certainly consider everything

the commission ordered and suggested.' "The commissioners are feeling the irritation of our customers at rapidly rising costs and we recognize that

irritation is there." said Painter. "We also feel like we are coping very well with a difficult situation. We are keeping the lights on in Houston and keeping service reliable in the face of the most rapid growth of any area in the country." he said

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Canadian will have its first police chief

contract for law enforcement with the Hemphill County Sheriff's office and voted to line the town's first police chief at its meeting Tuesday evening.

The new chief comes to work January 1, and he will start up a city police department which should be operational by January 31, according to City Manager Van James

Robyn Masingill, 35, who is presently police chief at Morrilton, Ark., was hired to stat up a Canadian police

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CANADIAN - The when called, but there was no Canadian city council voted traffic control. We were not to terminate the city's "pleased," Canadian Mayor Therese Abraham said today about why the council voted to establish a city police

> Hemphill County Sheriff C.H. Wright said today that "no one with the city has contacted me," about the decision to start up a police department

Wright said his deputies do work traffic inside the city limits, and he said the mayor never previously said anything to him about traffic control problems.

"We do what we can,"

The sheriff said he has no basic reaction to the city decision to hire a chief.

"I'm going to hold my comments, until I see what happens," Wright said.

Abraham said the city will terminate the law enforcement contract with Hemphill County January 31, though the new chief starts

his job January 1. But the sheriff said no contract has been signed for the past two years.

The city manager said the town has paid the county about \$80,000 per year for law enforcement in Canadian. James said the chief will probably use most of the first

month setting up shop and

will build a department from the ground up. The city manager said the council also approved the hiring of one patrolman and the purchase of patrol cars,

radios and other necessary items The new Canadian police station will be located in

newly - remodeled offices in

The city manager said additional police officers will probably be added to the force in the future.

The administrator said Canadian's population has increased to about 5,000, up from the 1980 census of 3,900 people. He cited the increase as one reason the town needs

Wright said there is no way a chief and one patrolman can handle the duties in Canadian

'We're thrilled to have him. He comes highly recommended. There were a lot of smiles at the council meeting last night,' Abraham said of the new

we didn't have the money. Now we've seen our way clear to do it," the mayor

James said the current fiscal - year city budget provides for the founding of a city police force. He said the budget allows \$40,000 to pay Hemphill County for law enforcement for part of the year, while another \$69,000 is budgeted to start up the new department.

The city manager said he "anticipates some sort of agreement" with the county sheriff for housing city prisoners in the county jail.

But Wright said the city has not yet mentioned any plan to

Perryton appeals huge judgment

Special Correspondent

PERRYTON — The City of Perryton will appeal a judgment in a federal lawsuit which city officials say can bankrupt this town of about 8,000 people.

In a unanimous vote Tuesday night, the city council authorized City Attorney Otis Shearer to file a motion for a new trial today in Amarillo federal court, in connection with an \$895,000 judgment against the city and the city - owned gas company

A U.S. District - Court jury in Amarillo last week awarded that sum to Donald Jacks, 54, who was seriously burnd in a natural gas explosion in 1979 at a Perryton construction site.

THE CHRISTMAS PLACE."

resulted in second and third degree burns over two - thirds of Jacks's body

Jacks

Few specifics about the outlined his plan for appeal following the session.

outstanding, he said.

Another basis of appeal, he said, is that the award itself is excessive. The jury gave Jacks \$600,000 for loss of past and future earnings, \$150,000 for medical expenses and \$45,000 for pain and suffering. Shearer said the award for wages was particularly excessive, and he said he will ask the judge to reduce the jury award.

Another reason for appeal,

Perryton Mayor Quentin Rizley said he believes the city has a good chance of "at least some relief" on the

The jury award to Jacks works out to more than \$100 for every man, woman and child living in Perryton.

city and its gas company is also pending in federal court. Don Merkle, the owner of the Keye Motel in Perryton, claims the city is responsible for a natural - gas explosion there early this year. The north wing of the motel was destroyed, and the remainder of the facility received some

A bond election to repair the city gas and water systems was passed by voters last spring. Work on replacing and maintaining

By SHERRILL McLEARAN The fire and explosion

The plaintiff and his lawyers say the city was negligent for a leaking gas line which caused the explosion. The jury agreed and awarded the damages to

city's plan to appeal were discussed at Tuesday's council meeting, but Shearer

The city lawyer said he has numerous grounds for appeal, but three are

Shearer said federal judge Mary Lou Robinson's ruling that testimony about other gas explosions in Perryton could not be presented to the trial jury is one ground for appeal.

Shearer claims, is his contention that the city cannot be considered negligent for the leaking city gas line. He explained that the city had "no prior knowledge of a gas leak in

appeal to be filed today.

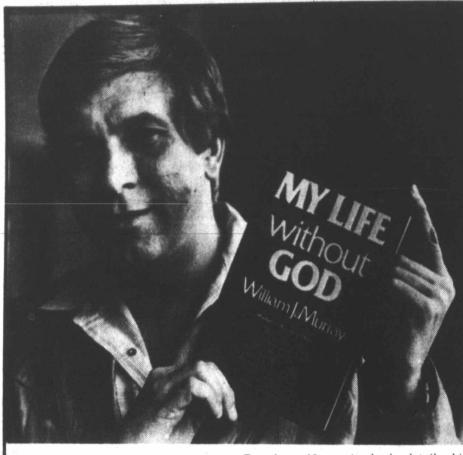
Another suit against the

damage in that explosion. gas lines has begun.

"We've been working on this for about three years, but Home Country

Jeff Langley

State Editor



William J. Murray III, son of atheist Tuesday.

Murray's book details his Madalyn Murray O'Hair, promotes his childhood in an atheist household and book. "My Life Without God." in Dallas offers insight into his mother's attitudes and beliefs. (AP Laserphoto)

Atheist's son says his mom used him for financial gain

DALLAS (AP) - William J. Murray III to change from other students. Asked by a says that his mother, outspoken atheist Madalyn Murray O'Hair, used him for her own financial interests during her successful crusade to abolish mandatory prayer from public schools.

'She used me and everyone around me for her own profit and gain," said Murray, 36, who wrote a book about his experiences of being raised in an atheist household and helping his mother with her cause before he became a born-again Christian.

The plaintiff of record in the U.S. Supreme Court case that ruled open Bible readings and prayer in public schools to be unconstitutional. Murray portrayed his mother as a self-centered opportunist whose beliefs drew her to communism and destroyed their family.

"During the (court) case, she used to agitate kids in the neighborhood to beat me up, so that she could send out newsletters about the beatings and raise more money for her cause." Murray said Tuesday

His mother's efforts were successful, he said because he was regularly threatened with physical abuse by schoolmates, who at cne point chased him several blocks and began beating him with a belt.

He said he was called a "commie" and shunned by other students. He had to eat alone at lunch, he said.

Mrs. O'Hair refused to respond to the book. My Life Without God," when she was contacted in Austin, where she runs the American Atheist Center

"You know I'm not going to do that," she said. "It's an exercise in futility to call me."

The landmark Supreme Court decision arose from a lawsuit filed on Murray's behalf by his mother while he was a 14-year-old student in Baltimore's public school system. The suit sought to force the board of education to stop Bible readings and prayer

"At the time, I did cooperate with my mother," Murray said. "At that age, I had been raised believing that the United States was a fascist labor camp, and that the country was run by a bunch of Jewish bankers in New York.

He became so steeped in Marxist philosophy, he said, that his viewpoints began

teacher where he wanted to spend the summer, Murray replied he wanted to go to a Caspian Sea resort to be with communist

His mother had pulled him out of public school rather than allow him to be exposed to Bible readings and prayers. But she demanded later that he return there to enhance her court case against the district he said

"At that point, the case started." Murray said. "I just didn't want to go back to school though.

He detailed family fights in the book including one in which he said Mrs. O'Hair would became enraged, brandishing a knife and hurling dinner plates.

Murray said that on another occasion, his mother bit him at the dinner table during a violent argument.

The wound drew blood and he was taken by his father to receive tetanus shots for it.

Murray said the fights were prompted by his mother's beliefs that each atheist is "the center of the universe.'

"If you are raised up with hatred toward your community and society, you tend to go to the opposite direction," he said in an interview. "I was raised in an absolutely miserable environment and it was only natural for me to go in the opposite

He said he left his mother's household at age 17 after he could not tolerate Marxist propoganda and atheism any longer. He said that, like other young men his age, his attention had shifted to "girls and cars, in

He said he has not spoken with his mother since 1977.

"I have decided it is best for me to keep my distance," he wrote. "But each day I pray

that she, too, will come to God. For 10 years after Murray abandoned his mother's home, he tried to shake off his reputation as being the son of an atheist who had mockingly proclaimed herself the world's "first female Pope.

"I have had my life threatened many times, and I was attacked by people in North Carolina while promoting the book," he said. "Atheists would get in autograph lines and then start arguments with me

Harrelson says he twice offered to plead guilty to killing judge

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Charles Harrelson denies he assassinated U.S. District John H. Wood Jr. but confirms he twice offered to plead guilty if the government, among other things, would give his wife a \$250,000 reward and alow him conjugal visits in jail.

Harrelson said Tuesday his demands also included immunity for his wife, Jo Ann Starr Harrelson, stepdaughter Teresa Starr Jasper, Joe Chagra, Elizabeth Chagra, El Paso businesswoman Virgina Farah, a man called Leo, ex-convict William Mallow and all alibi witnesses who placed him in Dallas on the day of the killing.

He said he first made that offer in a March 23, 1981, meeting with FBI agents, who said he also told them that Huntsville gambler George Edward "Pete" Kay should not be granted

"What I said was, 'If you grant Kay immunity, you will never find out what happened in this case," Harrelson said Tuesday Harrelson also said he made a similar offer to plead quilty to

prosecutors through his attorney in September of 1980. Harrelson is charged with accepting a \$250,000 payoff from convicted drug smuggler Jamiel "Jimmy" Chagra for killing Wood on May 29, 1979. He is on trial with his wife and Elizabeth Chagra, the wife of Jimmy Chagra.

Both women are accused of conspiring to obstruct justice and Mrs. Chagra also is charged with conspiracy to murder the judge. Chagra will be tried later for murder Joe Chagra pleaded guilty to a murder conspiracy charge in

exchange for his testimony against Harrelson Harrelson also said he could have covered his steps more professionally if he, as the government alleges, was the

Harrelson testified he would not have driven a car owned by his wife or used a rifle she purchased 12 days before the

Government witnesses have placed Mrs. Harrelson's car at the San Antonio airport just before the shooting and prosecutors contend Harrelson shot the judge with a rifle his wife was later convicted of buying illegally under an assumed

"If I'd needed a gun, Jo Ann would be the last one I'd have asked to get one. I'd have stolen it," Harrelson testified. " ... I would not pay \$1,000 for a gun and fire it one time.

Harrelson contends the FBI is trying to frame him for Wood's killing, and that his movements during the time he allegedly was "stalking" Wood were orchestrated by Kay, a lifelong friend, whom Harrelson maintains was working with the government

Extension information day

An Information Day on educational activities sponsored and conducted by the Gray County Extension Service office will be held at the Pampa Mall from 2 to 9 p.m. Thursday.

Extension staff members and volunteers will have exhibits. slide programs and publications on display and will also visit informally with visitors to the display area.

Many of the Extension Service programs fall into the broad categories of 4 - H club programs for youth; horticulture for the home owner and gardener; crops for the farmer; range and livestock for cattlemen; family living, including foods nutrition, clothing, resource management, health, housing and family stability; and services and programs for the aging,

according to Donna Brauchi, county extension agent. She said representatives of groups and organizations the Extension Service works with will be on hand to answer

Mrs. Brauchi, along with County Extension Agents Joe VanZandt and Joanna Warminski, invite the public to come by th exhibit in the Pampa Mall Thursday.





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No obituaries were reported to The Pampa News today.

stock market

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animal shelter report

These animals are currently being boarded at the Pampa Animal Shelter, located in Hobart Street Park.

The shelter is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. On Saturday, the shelter is open from 11 a.m. to noon and from 4 to 5 p.m. For more information, call 669 - 6149 or (emergency no.) 669 - 7407.

Male adults: black and tan Doberman, black and tan basset hound, black and tan bloodhound, blond terrier, black poodle, black Labrador mix, black and white shepherd -

Male puppies: two black Labrador mixes.

Female adults: black and white terrier, black and white border collie, black and brown terrier mix, brown and black shepherd mix, black and white cowdog mix, gray and black Pekingese, tan and white shepherd mix.

Female puppies: black and brown dachshund mix, tan and white dachshund mix

Gray County Court report

MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Mary Lorraine Kirkham and William Earnest Kirkham Bobby Gale Whitten and Jean Whitten **GRAY COUNTY COURT**

A warrant for the arrest of Rodney S. Donahue for alleged violations of probation was issued.

A warrant for the arrest of Jack Forrest Stevens, Jr. for alleged violations of probation was issued.

A warrant for the arrest of George McMonigle II for alleged violations of probation was issued. A warrant for the arrest of Farris Glen Reeves for alleged

violations of probation was issued. A charge of driving while intoxicated against Roy Dean Burton was dismissed because it should have been filed as a

Johnny Joe Rosalez pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, was fined \$200, jailed for 30 days, given two years probation and ordered to pay court costs.

Chester Louis Jackson pleaded guilty to driving while icense was suspended, was fined \$100, placed on six months probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs. He also pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana and was fined \$50, and placed on six months probation without a fee.

Jerry Lynn Howard pleaded guilty to criminal trespass and was fined \$100, placed on six months probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs

Billy Ray Hahn pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and was fined \$200, placed on two years probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs.

Larry Dean Wrenfrow pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and was fined \$200, placed on two years probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs. Adjudication was deferred in the case of Velma Necum McDaniel, who was charged with driving while intoxicated. McDaniel was placed on six months probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs and fined.

Danny Eugene Bennett pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and was fined \$200, ordered to jail for 30 days, placed on two years probation with a monthly fee, and ordered to pay court costs.

A guilty verdict against Eddie Joe Pitt was reversed. A charge against Gilbert Pierce was dismissed because

restitution was made

minor accidents

Tuesday, November 30

7:30 p.m. - A car driven by Betty Helms of 733 N. Nelson struck a parked car in the 1600 block of Hamilton. Police said Helms was cited for making an improper start from a

hospital notes

CORONADO COMMUNITY

Willie Phillips, Pampa Purtain,

Carol Kervin, Warren Royce Womack, Pampa Hermelinda Ortiz

Jane Skinner, Pampa Roy Rodriguez, Roy Lee Hobbs, Pampa J.H. King, Pampa Jessie Pyle, Pampa Annie Neal, Pampa Andy Diaz, Liberal Lou Ann Davis, Pampa Bert Jones, Pampa

Lisa Anderson, Pampa Ronnie Anderson, Pampa Courtney Broadduss,

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Miami Carol Coryell, Pampa Baby Boy Coryell,

Pampa Troy Guthrie, Pampa John Hall, Pampa Robert Jack, Pampa Zelona Johns, Skellytown Karen Killough, Pampa Charles McNabb, Pampa

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Kathleen Smith, Wheeler SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions Loretta Gibbs, Estelline Melvin Zimmerman,

Shamrock Kathy Jones, Wheeler Diana Kirkland, Shamrock

Katherine Plunkett. Wheeler **Births**

Mr. & Mrs. Earl Kirkland, Shamrock, a baby girl Dismissals Margaret Glass,

Shamrock Diane Hudson, Erick, Okla. Lena Blackketter,

Leedy, Okla. Virginia Harris Shamrock

Calendar of events

FINAL UNITED WAY CHECK - IN United Way's final check - in and victory party is

scheduled for tomorrow, Dec. 2, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Citizens Bank and Trust Co.

city briefs

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THURSDAY

Taco salad, pinto beans, fried beans, fried tortilla, apple burrito, milk.

FRIDAY

Broiled weiner, macaroni & cheese, fried okra, sliced peaches cornbread, milk.

senior citizen menu

THURSDAY

Salmon croquets or tacos, macaroni & cheese, green beans, beets, slaw or jello salad, black & white pudding or

Hambuger stroganoff over noodles or fried cod fish, french fries, green peas, glazed carrots, toss or jello salad, cherry crisp or bread pudding.

police report

Pampa police reported the following incidents for the 24 hour period ending at 7 a.m. Wednesday. The police department received a total of 29 calls for the period.

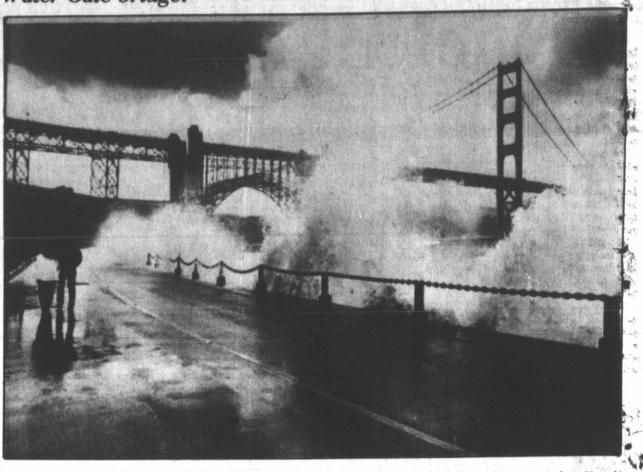
Allsups 81. Amarillo Highway, reported two men took two six - packs of beer from the store without paying. Danny Hammer of 1008 Darby reported theft from his vehicle. Estimated loss \$250.

Michael Guy Gabriel of 1145 Seneca reported a theft. Estimated loss \$600. Wil - Mart at 600 E. Frederic reported a theft. Estimated

fire report

The Pampa Fire Department received no calls during the 24 - hour period ending at 7 a.m. Wednesday.

Water Gate bridge?



The normally scenic view at Fort Point was wet and wild Tuesday when a Pacific storm, the remnants of

Hurricane Iwa, hit the Golden Gate with winds to 55 mph. The storm toppled trees and left many Bay Area residents without power. (AP Laserphoto)

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Storms rip the West, leaving death and desolation behind

By BETSY BROWN KRAFT **Associated Press Writer**

A fast, ruthless storm bulldozed across California and careened into the Rockies today, with driving rain and heavy snow that left six people dead and four people missing. The storm cut power to hundreds of thousands of homes and flooded rich farmlands.

It stomped into Arizona and Nevada, blasting more rain and snow, and kept going. Winter storm warnings were issued today for Utah and the Colorado Rockies, with a storm watch in Montana, according to the National Weather

Heavy winds toppled a 110-foot crane in Long Beach, killing the operator. In Humboldt Bay, a man's body washed ashore after his crab boat broke up in rough waters and two other men were missing. A Napa man was missing after being swept into stormy Bodega Bay.

In Southern California, the storm dumped 2.33 inches of rain in less than 12 hours and washed a \$500,000 home into the

In Long Beach and San Diego Bay, dozens of pleasure boats were ripped from their moorings. In Marina del Rey, wind gusts of up to 70 mph blasted panes of glass out of high-rise office buildings, but no one was injured, authorities

Rocks and mudslides closed parts of the Pacific Coast Highway, and Southern California Edison Co. reported 877,000 customers blacked out.

'The power was out for anywhere from a few seconds to eight to 12 hours," said spokesman Bob Hull. In Escondido, 8,000 chickens were trapped under a tin roof

after gusting winds collapsed it. The birds were evacuated in The San Diego Zoo was closed Tuesday for the fifth time in its 66-year history after wind blew down eucalyptus trees.

In Orange, Calif., thousands of people were allowed to return home after being evacuated when a toxic cloud escaped into the air when a storage tank exploded. The tank overheated when its refrigeration system died because the power was cut off in the storm

In Hawaii, meanwhile, the damage from Hurricane Iwa last week was estimated at \$181.5 millon. Forecasters had feared a new storm was brewing, but said Tuesday the threat had diminished.

Tuesday

The storm, the worst of the season, battered California on Tuesday from San Francisco to San Diego, dumping snow as fast as 3 inches an hour in the Sierra Nevada; ripping up power poles, trees and roofs with winds up to 78 mph; triggering mudslides and sinking boats.

The assault came just one day after the National Weather Service forecast a cold, wet winter for the West. "It was a complete mess," said California Highway Patrol

Officer Jerry Skelton in Los Angeles. "Trees down everywhere, lines down everywhere, cars and traffic accidents everywhere.' As the storm moved east, it blanketed northern and

central Nevada with a foot or more of snow and flooded Las Vegas streets with rain. Two avalanches closed roads in the mountains. In Arizona, 10 inches of snow fell in Flagstaff by Tuesday * night and school buses had to be towed. In Kingman, wind

gusts were clocked at 84 mph, and in Phoenix, a building roof collapsed from the weight of rain. High winds kicked up dust storms from Yuma, near the California border, to Gila Bend, south of Phoenix.

The storm struck California with little warning as winds shifted from light to 50 mph "within a matter of minutes," said Keith Ewing, the state's chief National Weather Service As the storm plowed inland into Northern California, rain

combined with record high tides to rip a 50-foot hole in a levee, flooding Venice Tract, a 3,000-acre island on the Sacramento-San Joaquin River delta. Floodwaters-were expected to reach 15 feet over the rich -

Winds gusted to 82 mph on the Santa Cruz coast and turned a parked Boeing 707 jet in a half-circle at San Francisco

International Airport. Falling trees knocked down wires and cut power to up to 400,000 Northern California electric customers. But workers restored power to all but about 22,500 customers by late

By mid-afternoon, 73 inches of snow had accumulated in Norden, Calif., and avalanche warnings were issued for the eastern Sierra.

Four people were missing in the storm and at least six people died, including a 4-year-old boy who was swept into the De Luze River when his family's Jeep overturned. Two men died in San Diego County traffic accidents.

Kennedy won't run

WASHINGTON (AP) - Sen Edward M. Kennedy, bowing to the wishes of his three children, will not seek the Democratic presidential nomination in 1984, sources said early today.

"The reason is personal," said one aide, who added the Massachusetts Democrat would disclose his decision publicly at a news conference later in the day.

"His kids really feel very strongly that they don't want him to run," added this aide. Kennedy is in the process of arranging a divorce settlement with his wife Joan. Their children are Edward M. Jr., Kara, and Patrick.

Kennedy, 50, has been the early front-runner in public opinion polls for the party's 1984 presidential nomination and this aide said that the senator has private polling data that indicates he would do well if he ran But Kennedy, after going over the political information

one final time with senior aides on Tuesday, reportedly told

them, "I think you guys are right, and I think I can win, but I'm not going to do it.

Kennedy spent Tuesday evening at his home telephoning friends and political adversaries to tell them of his decision. Among those called were House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., a longtime political ally. Kennedy also called several other Democrats who are exploring the presidential candidacy for themselves, including former Vice President Walter F. Mondale and Sens. Alan Cranston of California and John Glenn of Ohio

One aide said Kennedy's decision not to run is for the 1984 campaign only, and does not rule out the possibility of seeking the presidency in the future. At his age, Kennedy could be expected to be a potential presidential candidate through at least the early 1990s. The aides provided information to The Associated Press on .

condition that they not be named.

Houston's power company: Well, the lights are still on there, but just barely, says PUC

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - The Public Utility Commission, which tagged Houston Lighting and Power with a penalty of about \$15 million, says the company would have mismanaged itself into oblivion if it weren't a monopoly guaranteed a profit by the state.

But an HL&P official says the company has done its job. "We are keeping the lights on in Houston." said Graham

Painter, HL&P public relations manager. HL&P won a \$185 million rate increase from PUC on Tuesday. However, the company had sought \$336 million, and a hearing examiner had concluded it should get a rate increase of \$200 million.

The commission, upset with what it called company mismanagement, approved the hearing examiner's report, but subtracted a penalty that could add up to \$15 million.

"Were this company in a purely competitive, non-monopolistic, non-regulatory business, I dare say that many of its decisions might have by this time put it out of business," said PUC member George Cowden.

Painter said later Tuesday, "We do not feel like there has been mismanagement. Every decision we have made has

been made with the objective of retaining reliable service at

the lowest possible price.'

The exact outcome of the PUC ruling won't be known until later in the week when rates are calculated. PUC and HL&P officials say the rates should be slightly higher than the bonded rates - based on a \$181 million increase - put into effect on Oct. 20 for the company's 1.1 million customers.

The mismanagement penalty, proposed by Cowden, cuts HL&P's rate of return on equity from the 16.85 percent recommended by Hearing Examiner Angela Williams to 16.35 percent. Cowden said that should mean about \$15

Cowden called the penalty "a signal to management, to its board of directors and to its shareholders that this commission will not, cannot continue to condone the type of management that has gone on over the last several years."

HL&P's aborted plans to build the Allens Creek nuclear project in Austin County drew criticism from the commission. Cowden called HL&P's handling of the ill-fated project "unusual and almost strange."
The project was cancelled by HL&P in August 1982. Ms.

Williams said it should have been scrapped in January 1980. She said ratepayers should not have to cover any costs run up at Allens Creek after January 1980, costs which she said added up to \$160 million. The commission agreed with that

Commissioners rejected Ms. Williams' call for a \$1.7 billion ceiling on costs at the South Texas Nuclear Project, which is years behind schedule. Cowden said he feared HL&P would misinterpret the ceiling as a free-hand to spend up to \$1.7 billion without justifying the expenditures.

Also part of the commission's 3-0 decision was an order barring HL&P from automatically passing fuel cost increases on to customers as fuel adjustment charges. HL&P will be required to come to PUC for quarterly reviews of the fuel costs.

Beginning in February, the fuel adjustment charge will not be shown on HL&P bills, but will be figured into the bill. In final arguments to the commission, HL&P lawyer Robert Webb said there was no mismanagement by HL&P, only some decisions - based on best possible advice - that

But Cowden and PUC Chairman Moak Rollins said it went much further than that.

"Repeatedly through the years (HL&P) management has blamed someone else," said Cowden, who, along with Rollins, called for major changes in the HL&P board of

Rollins said the board of dirctors is responsible for HL&P's problems, which he said improperly includes the company's banker and lawyer as "nominal outside members.

He said the company should seek directors with greater big-business experience. Painter said HL&P would "certainly consider everything

the commission ordered and suggested. "The commissioners are feeling the irritation of our customers at rapidly rising costs and we recognize that

irritation is there." said Painter. "We also feel like we are coping very well with a difficult situation. We are keeping the lights on in Houston and keeping service reliable in the face of the most rapid growth of any area in the country," he said.

Canadian will have its first police chief

Canadian city council voted to terminate the city's contract for law enforcement with the Hemphill County Sheriff's office and voted to lifte the town's first police chief at its meeting Tuesday evening.

The new chief comes to work January 1, and he will start up a city police department which should be operational by January 31, according to City Manager Van James

Robyn Masingill, 35, who is presently police chief at Morrilton, Ark., was hired to stat up a Canadian police

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when called, but there was no traffic control. We were not pleased," Canadian Mayor Therese Abraham said today about why the council voted to establish a city police

Hemphill County Sheriff C.H. Wright said today that "no one with the city has contacted me," about the decision to start up a police department

Wright said his deputies do work traffic inside the city limits, and he said the mayor never previously said anything to him about traffic control problems.

"We do what we can," he The sheriff said he has no basic reaction to the city

decision to hire a chief. "I'm going to hold my comments, until I see what happens," Wright said.

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Abraham said the city will terminate the law enforcement contract with Hemphill County January 31, though the new chief starts

his job January 1. But the sheriff said no contract has been signed for the past two years.

The city manager said the town has paid the county about \$80,000 per year for law enforcement in Canadian. James said the chief will probably use most of the first

month setting up shop and

will build a department from the ground up. The city manager said the council also approved the hiring of one patrolman and the purchase of patrol cars, radios and other necessary

The new Canadian police station will be located in newly - remodeled offices in city hall, James said.

The city manager said additional police officers will probably be added to the force in the future.

The administrator said Canadian's population has increased to about 5,000, up from the 1980 census of 3,900 people. He cited the increase as one reason the town needs

Wright said there is no way a chief and one patrolman can handle the duties in Canadian

'We're thrilled to have him. He comes highly recommended. There were a lot of smiles at the council meeting last night," Abraham said of the new

"We've been working on this for about three years, but we didn't have the money. Now we've seen our way clear to do it," the mayor

James said the current fiscal - year city budget provides for the founding of a city police force. He said the budget allows \$40,000 to pay Hemphill County for law enforcement for part of the year, while another \$69,000 is budgeted to start up the new department.

The city manager said he "anticipates some sort of agreement" with the county sheriff for housing city prisoners in the county jail.

But Wright said the city has not yet mentioned any plan to

Perryton appeals huge judgment

PERRYTON - The City of Perryton will appeal a judgment in a federal lawsuit which city officials say can bankrupt this town of about 8,000 people.

In a unanimous vote Tuesday night, the city council authorized City Attorney Otis Shearer to file a motion for a new trial today in Amarillo federal court, in connection with an \$895,000 judgment against the city and the city - owned gas company

A U.S. District - Court jury in Amarillo last week awarded that sum to Donald Jacks, 54, who was seriously burnd in a natural gas explosion in 1979 at a Perryton construction site.

THE CHRISTMAS PLACE."

By SHERRILL McLEARAN The fire and explosion resulted in second and thirddegree burns over two - thirds

> explosion. The jury agreed Jacks.

Few specifics about the city's plan to appeal were discussed at Tuesday's council meeting, but Shearer outlined his plan for appeal

numerous grounds for appeal, but three are outstanding, he said.

appeal.

said, is that the award itself is excessive. The jury gave Jacks \$600,000 for loss of past and future earnings, \$150,000 for medical expenses and \$45,000 for pain and suffering. Shearer said the award for wages was particularly excessive, and he said he will ask the judge to reduce the jury award.

Another reason for appeal, Shearer claims, is his contention that the city cannot be considered negligent for the leaking city gas line. He explained that the city had "no prior knowledge of a gas leak in

Perryton Mayor Quentin Rizley said he believes the city has a good chance of "at least some relief" on the appeal to be filed today.

The jury award to Jacks works out to more than \$100 for every man, woman and child living in Perryton.

Another suit against the city and its gas company is also pending in federal court. Don Merkle, the owner of the Keye Motel in Perryton, claims the city is responsible for a natural - gas explosion there early this year. The north wing of the motel was destroyed, and the remainder of the facility received some

damage in that explosion. A bond election to repair the city gas and water systems was passed by voters last spring. Work on replacing and maintaining

of Jacks's body The plaintiff and his lawyers say the city was negligent for a leaking gas line which caused the

and awarded the damages to

following the session. The city lawyer said he has

Shearer said federal judge Mary Lou Robinson's ruling that testimony about other gas explosions in Perryton could not be presented to the trial jury is one ground for

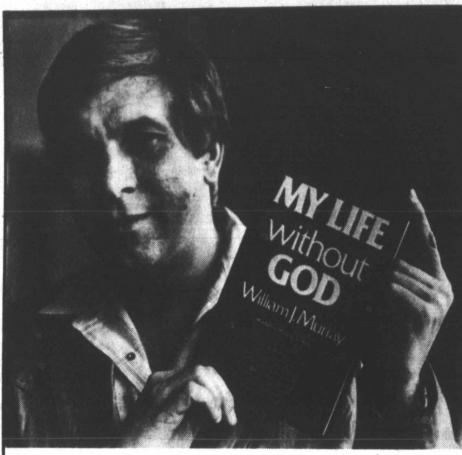
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gas lines has begun.

Home Country

Jeff Langley

State Editor



William J. Murray III, son of atheist Tuesday.

Murray's book details his Madalyn Murray O'Hair, promotes his book, "My Life Without God," in Dallas offers insight into his mother's attitudes

Atheist's son says his mom used him for financial gain

DALLAS (AP) - William J. Murray III to change from other students. Asked by a says that his mother, outspoken atheist Madalyn Murray O'Hair, used him for her own financial interests during her successful crusade to abolish mandatory prayer from public schools.

'She used me and everyone around me for her own profit and gain," said Murray, 36, who wrote a book about his experiences of being raised in an atheist household and helping his mother with her cause before he became a born-again Christian.

The plaintiff of record in the U.S. Supreme Court case that ruled open Bible readings and prayer in public schools to be anconstitutional, Murray portrayed his mother as a self-centered opportunist whose beliefs drew her to communism and destroyed their family.

"During the (court) case, she used to agitate kids in the neighborhood to beat me up, so that she could send out newsletters about the beatings and raise more money for her cause," Murray said Tuesday.

His mother's efforts were successful, he said, because he was regularly threatened with physical abuse by schoolmates, who at one point chased him several blocks and began beating him with a belt.

He said he was called a "commie" and shunned by other students. He had to eat alone at lunch, he said.

Mrs. O'Hair refused to respond to the book My Life Without God," when she was contacted in Austin, where she runs the American Atheist Center

"You know I'm not going to do that." she said. "It's an exercise in futility to call me."

The landmark Supreme Court decision arose from a lawsuit filed on Murray's behalf by his mother while he was a 14-year-old student in Baltimore's public school system. The suit sought to force the board of education to stop Bible readings and prayer

"At the time, I did cooperate with my mother," Murray said. "At that age, I had been raised believing that the United States vas a fascist labor camp, and that the country was run by a bunch of Jewish bankers in New York.

He became so steeped in Marxist philosophy, he said, that his viewpoints began then start arguments with me

teacher where he wanted to spend the summer, Murray replied he wanted to go to a Caspian Sea resort to be with communist

His mother had pulled him out of public school rather than allow him to be exposed to Bible readings and prayers. But she demanded later that he return there to enhance her court case against the district. he said

"At that point, the case started," Murray said. "I just didn't want to go back to school though.

He detailed family fights in the book including one in which he said Mrs. O'Hair would became enraged, brandishing a knife and hurling dinner plates. Murray said that on another occasion, his

mother bit him at the dinner table during a violent argument. The wound drew blood and he was taken by

his father to receive tetanus shots for it.

Murray said the fights were prompted by his mother's beliefs that each atheist is "the center of the universe."

"If you are raised up with hatred toward your community and society, you tend to go to the opposite direction," he said in an interview. "I was raised in an absolutely miserable environment and it was only natural for me to go in the opposite

He said he left his mother's household at age 17 after he could not tolerate Marxist propoganda and atheism any longer. He said that, like other young men his age, his attention had shifted to "girls and cars, in that order.

He said he has not spoken with his mother

'I have decided it is best for me to keep my

distance," he wrote. "But each day I pray that she, too, will come to God. For 10 years after Murray abandoned his

mother's home, he tried to shake off his reputation as being the son of an atheist who had mockingly proclaimed herself the world's "first female Pope. "I have had my life threatened many

times, and I was attacked by people in North Carolina while promoting the book," he said "Atheists would get in autograph lines and

Harrelson says he twice offered to plead guilty to killing judge

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Charles Harrelson denies he assassinated U.S. District John H. Wood Jr. but confirms he twice offered to plead guilty if the government, among other things, would give his wife a \$250,000 reward and alow him

Harrelson said Tuesday his demands also included immunity for his wife, Jo Ann Starr Harrelson, stepdaughter Teresa Starr Jasper, Joe Chagra, Elizabeth Chagra, El Paso businesswoman Virgina Farah, a man called Leo, ex-convict William Mallow and all alibi witnesses who placed him in Dallas on the day of the killing.

He said he first made that offer in a March 23, 1981, meeting with FBI agents, who said he also told them that Huntsville gambler George Edward "Pete" Kay should not be granted immunity "What I said was, 'If you grant Kay immunity, you will

never find out what happened in this case," Harrelson said Tuesday. Harrelson also said he made a similar offer to plead quilty to

prosecutors through his attorney in September of 1980. Harrelson is charged with accepting a \$250,000 payoff from convicted drug smuggler Jamiel "Jimmy" Chagra for killing Wood on May 29, 1979. He is on trial with his wife and Elizabeth Chagra, the wife of Jimmy Chagra.

Both women are accused of conspiring to obstruct justice and Mrs. Chagra also is charged with conspiracy to murder the judge. Chagra will be tried later for murder Joe Chagra pleaded guilty to a murder conspiracy charge in

exchange for his testimony against Harrelson Harrelson also said he could have covered his steps more professionally if he, as the government alleges, was the

Harrelson testified he would not have driven a car owned by his wife or used a rifle she purchased 12 days before the

Government witnesses have placed Mrs. Harrelson's car at the San Antonio airport just before the shooting and prosecutors contend Harrelson shot the judge with a rifle his wife was later convicted of buying illegally under an assumed

"If I'd needed a gun, Jo Ann would be the last one I'd have asked to get one. I'd have stolen it," Harrelson testified. " ... I would not pay \$1,000 for a gun and fire it one time

Harrelson contends the FBI is trying to frame him for Wood's killing, and that his movements during the time he allegedly was "stalking" Wood were orchestrated by Kay, a lifelong friend, whom Harrelson maintains was working with the government

Extension information day

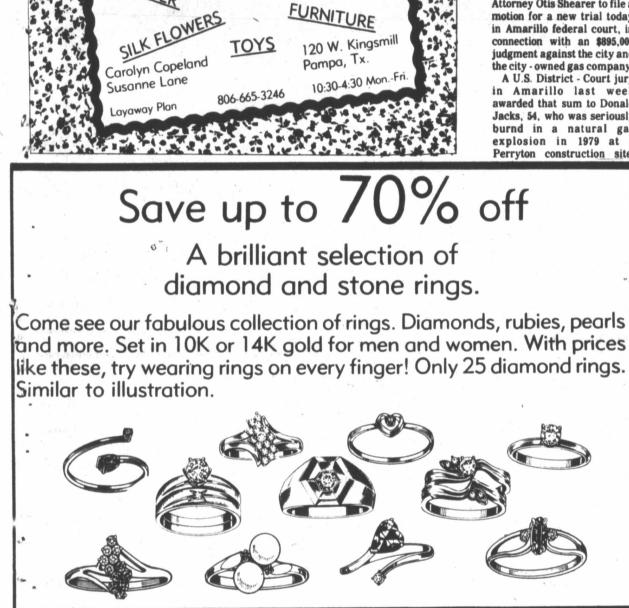
An Information Day on educational activities sponsored and conducted by the Gray County Extension Service office will be held at the Pampa Mall from 2 to 9 p.m. Thursday.

Extension staff members and volunteers will have exhibits, slide programs and publications on display and will also visit informally with visitors to the display area

Many of the Extension Service programs fall into the broad categories of 4 - H club programs for youth; horticulture for the home owner and gardener; crops for the farmer; range and livestock for cattlemen; family living, including foods nutrition, clothing, resource management, health, housing and family stability; and services and programs for the aging;

according to Donna Brauchi, county extension agent. She said representatives of groups and organizations the Extension Service works with will be on hand to answer

Mrs. Brauchi, along with County Extension Agents Joe VanZandt and Joanna Warminski, invite the public to come by th exhibit in the Pampa Mall Thursday.



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Dishing it out

common appearance of satellite receiving units — looking like huge. ungainly dishes — in suburban neighborhoods is interesting primarily for the pitiable pettiness of the municipal officials who play a minor role in the story

A few television fanatics in Englewood Cliffs, N.J., now have dish antennas to pick up the variety of programming others might get from cable, and Mayor Joseph Parisi is in an absolute dither. He never expected such awful things to be built in his affluent suburb, and he's scurrying around looking for old laws, trying to draft new laws anything — to ban them, or regulate them, or something. 'It's huge,' says Parisi. of a nine - foot - square antenna on top of a sports fanatic's roof. "It looks like, like I don't know what. Like space invasions or something

So Parisi has his borough attorney drawing up an ordinance to ban dish antennas on aesthetic grounds. He proclaims: They are unsightly and kind. A pox and a plague on him and dangerous, a threat to property all his spiritual brothers, sisters, values." Ah, property values. Throw a little fear into a few homeowners and you can get away with almost richly deserve.

A recent article on the increasingly anything. Maybe you can even destroy property rights in the name of property values.

Humanity will probably never be rid of the eternal busybody, the person who is unhappy when not sticking his or her nose in other people's business, telling other people what to do. pronouncing half witted judgment on other people's taste. It is probably not surprising that such people gravitate to municipal government as a moth to a flame, for government gives them a chance to try to impose their half vast opinions on others and be described (in some circles) as civic-minded and community spirited to boot. Healthy attitudes of respect for privacy and property have been eroded of late, in part by the assaults of meddlers in affluent tracts with Mercedes. Porsches and Saabs in the driveways. We want to believe, however, that they're only

dormant and not deceased. We wish all the ill luck in the world to the earnest Mayor Parisi and his cousins and aunts! May their efforts



Youth versus age, a mismatch

By PAUL HARVEY

Prof. Peter Drucker is frequently sought out by labor and management leaders for counsel.

He hears fears that unions are becoming irrelevant and Prof. Drucker believes we need unions as a countervailing power.

He does not, however, expect our nation's central social conflict over the next 50 years to be between labor and management -But rather between young people and

old people To support our nation's older population - in Social Security and pension fund contributions — costs

today's young workers 20 cents of every

dollar available for wages and salaries. If only because Americans are living longer that will be 30 cents within 10

Up to now, younger workers have been compenstaed with wage inceases - unitl resultant inflation began to punish both workers and retirees.

From now on, as non - workers become an increasing "burden" on workers, resentment and friction are inevitable numbers of older citizens with more time, more money and more clout — will exercise increasing power over politics and society.

Unless human nature undergoes some miraculous metamorphosis, age and youth are on a collision course.

Pension funds now own up to 50 percent of our large businesses.

Retirement money has become the largest single asset of the average American past 45. those moneys are traslatable into

power ... in the marketplace and in the voting booth. Another inevitable source of friction

will result from older Americans postponing retirement and thus limiting upper echelon oportunities for younger workers.

Presnetly, Americans 55 and older control 80 percent of all deposits in savings and loan institutions and make 25 percent of all consumer purchases. Americans past 50 receive one - third of all personal income.

Properly concerned about "poor old folks" we have tended to forget that Americans 55 to 64 are per capita the most affluent of all Americans.

With the graying of Americans with out nation's average age rising so rapidly — public policies must not flow from false notions.

American's must not predicate plans on perpetuaiton of a "youth cult" which, exaggerated by advertisers, has preoccupied us recent years.

Because young people are an endangered species — soon to be out numbered, outspent and outvoted! (c) 1982, Los Angeles Times

Moderation prolongs life

You don't have to know the cause Most family doctors are more of cancer to prevent it, according to a nationally - known researcher.

Dr. Ernst Wynder, president of the American Health Foundation and the man credited with producing the first studies linking cigarette smoking to lung cancer, tolk the 13th International Cancer Congress in Seattle recently Americans can do alot about cancer by simply changing their lifestyle

What's a safer lifestyle? According to Wynder, it is one where the person does not smoke, uses alcohol moderately, lowers fat intake and increases fiber intake

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concerned about healing diseases than preventing them. Wynder said. "I think American medicine would see a better day if in addition to geing healers we also were preventors of disease.

Wynder's call is for moderation. says he believes it will help reduce the risk of cancer. As it turns out, the lifestyle urged by Wynder is also (with regular exercise) the basic lifestyle promoted by many heart specialists.

So by working to reduce one's cancer risk it's also possible to reduce the risk of heart disease. That's something worth considering.

Letters to the Editor

Rainbow Division

42nd (Rainbow) Division during W.W.I competence which time brings about, and II. If they only served at Camp Gruber, then shipped to another outfit: served with the division in France and Germany, or joined the unit in Austria after the war; they are eligible to join the Rainbow Division Veterans Association.

We have a magazine, hold annual reunions and have the joy of writing and meeting old friends again. This year ('82) we held our reunion in Tulsa. Okla. and next year it will be in Dallas, Texas, 11 - 14 July. We dedicated a memorial in Muskogee, Okla. this year and Real People TV was there with special guests; two former prisoners from Dachau.

If you are a former member, or know of anyone who is, please send the veterans name, address, and unit number to Rube Evanoff, 5101 West 109th St., Bloomington, MN. A member of your old company will make contact

Discrimination?

Bill Hanna

Lubbock

The County Commissioners have responded to their female employees with only a 5 percent increase in salary for the coming year, while yielding to an antiquated thought pattern that bespeaks of rural America by giving the male employees a higher yield in

The typical line prevailing for part of this might be that they are heads of households carrying double responsibility. This no longer is true in American society where single female heads of households grow larger every day. Female employees are holding down two jobs in order to privide not luxurious living for their children, but just to meet everyday demands.

In most instances, salary discrimination exists on both jobs. The county's rebuttal to this will be that they are not responsible for the condition that American families find themselves in. This is a misconception. They will find themselves picking up the tabs in other areas of socialization. People will find themselves in need of help because of pressurized living in an unstable economy.

The county will pick up the tab automatically because they are keepers of some of these social institutions. Let us be responsible parents by being paid salaries comparable to our abilities and our education, not our sex.

At a time when inflation eats away at our dollar anyway, the county responds with only a five percent increase as

compared to a 10 percent increase a traveling southbound when the year ago. We are actually penalized This is a request for assistance in with a decrease of five percent. Instead locating veterans who served in the of being awarded because of tenure and we are penalized with a lower raise as compared to a year ago.

> Except for the fact that we are responsible and will carry on our work accordingly, it could create low morale which leads to errors and an ebb in attitude. This does not prevail, but we are not being paid for being responsible employees. This is an officious capacity and we believe in responding in a professional manner to our duties.

> If the county did not have the funds available, this would be a different story, but it is a proven fact that the funds are there, provided largely by the people who want their records handled in a professional manner by competent people. Commissioners are only custodians of this money and are to use it in a prudent and judicious manner. Prudence chould be used in areas where "things" are concerned, not

> It is a fact that the state responded to their employees in September with an 8.7 increase. Potter County has responded with a seven-percent increase. Hutchinson County responded with a flat \$150 a month increase to a salary bracket that is already way out front of Gray County's. No one has responded on as low a level as Gray County. It is not because we are not able. In order for we, the people, to know that the right men sit on our County Commissioners Court, it would behoove us to look at their standard of living to see if their thinking is in line with their own pocketbooks. If not, it is then time for the people to ask the question, "Why?"

Lou Dean Franklin

Fatal intersection

I have read with sadness a recent account of the accident east of Pampa involving a car and a Trailways bus. My heartfelt sympathy is extended to each family.

Following that account, I then read a report, "Pampa's 'Death Crossing' has killed before, changes are due" in a later edition of the Pampa News. I am very pleased that this particular highway location is being considered for some modifications in an attempt to lessen the dangers which it present. My letter is not intended to bring any further grief to anyone by reviewing past events; however, some of the statements in the article need to be clarified in reference to the accident of

November 8, 1980 I refer back to the reporting in the Pampa News of that accident and am enclosing copies of those reports.

Our son, Jay Kipling Craft, 19, was almost through the intersection

ambulance that he was driving was struck on the passenger side by a car which was eastbound. The force of the impact was so intense that the ambulance rolled, exploded, and burned. Our son was critically injured. He underwent many hours of major surgery. He died the morning of November 10, 1980 of traumatic

Our son was very dedicated to his work as an Emergency Medical Technician. He felt a deep compassion for people and a great pride in the vehicles and equipment which he and his fellow workers used. He had been trained in defensive driving for ambulance drivers to aid him in his work. Therefore, I know that this sense of responsibility was uppermost in his mind at all times. The latest news article infers that he ran the stop sign. There were no witnesses to the accident and all reports and visible evidence at the scene of the accident did not and do not support this statement.

We and other families were touched with irreplaceable loss and sadness that day in November, 1980.

I am writing this letter on behalf of our son because the recent articles are lacking in some necessary information for use in any further studies which might be undertaken regarding possible highway improvements.

Jane Craft · Denver, Colorado **Mistaken Identity**

My name is ale AlviWall.

IPampa and have been having trouble over my name. There is a guy in Mobeetie whose name is Dale Alvin Wall, also, and I have been mistaken for him. I recently got laid off from Black Hills Trucking and have been looking for a job, but when I mention my name or introduce myself they shy away! Then I have to explain.

This other Dale just got in trouble over some drugs, and it was published in the paper in the police report. My relatives poobably thin I'm some kid of delinnquent, and I would like everyone to know that there is another Dale Alvin

For the record, my name is Dale Alvin Wall. I'm 26 years old. I live in Pampa at 745 Denver. I'm 6', 155 lbs. I have blond hair and hazel eyes. I was born Sept. 18, 1956 in Pampa, but spent most of my life in California.

I'm the one that's known as "Sticks" and all you have to do to tell us apart is to put us both behind a set of drums. Dale Alvin Wall

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Litterbugs I read in the paper about the unfortunate people who, "through no fault of their own", have been put out of work, and how they are "just getting by" on unemployment insurance.

I am told to feel sorry for them because their families may even be denied a "nice Christmas"; there isn' enough money to meet all their needs.

Every Monday I am reminded of just how many people in the Pampa area are out of work. They park on the streets around and near my house They block my driveway. They park on my lawn, well it was a lawn before i was torn up by their vehicles.

Empty containers of inexpensive drinks like beer, whiskey and pop litter the streets, lawns and the park in my neighborhood. Paper bags and foed containers from "cheap" places like Burger King, Taco Villa and Kentucky Fried Chicken are discarded by these 'poor' people in the handlest spots: my neighbors' and my lawns and the park across the street. We know because every Monday night we are out there picking up their trash! Where is their community and personal pride? How can people be so careless?

Why do they feel free to block my drive and park on my lawn? Granted. there isn't much grass, but what chance does it have to grow? What has happened to respect for other's property?

What has happened to self respect? One of the ideas behind unemployment insurance was to give a person money with which to support his family while he looks for gainful employment, thus preserving his self respect. Is this how people show it?

Julia Clark Pampa

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know about 'decision analysis.'"

TYLER, Texas (AP) - A Nacogdoches County Palestine man linked to a West Texas bank recently closed by federal examiners has been accused by the FBI of altering two \$1,000 certificates of deposit from the bank so they would appear to be \$100,000 certificates.

Orrin Shaid Jr., 38, allegedly used the altered CD's as security for a \$200,000 loan he received from a small bank in Chandler, a community 12 miles southwest of Tyler, authorities said.

Shaid was arraigned Monday before U.S. Magistrate Houston Abel on charges of making a false statement to defraud a bank. He was ordered held in lieu of \$250,000 bond pending a preliminary hearing Dec. 9.

Shaid, his father, and seven other people were convicted by a federal jury in 1972 of altering certificates of deposit from a bank in Chireno, a small

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community, where Shaid was chairman of the board.

The defendants received prison sentences except for Shaid's father, who was released on probation. Shaid served five years of an 8-year sentence, authorities said.

FBI agent Larry Tongate testified Tuesday that Shaid has been living in a \$400,000 residence on Lake Palestine with Lynn Carruth Maree, the owner of record of Ranchlander Bank of Melvin, Texas, when it was shut down Nov. 19 by federal examiners.

The certificates of deposit Shaid is accused of altering were purchased from that bank, located in a community of 250 people off U.S. 87, about 50 miles southwest of San Angelo, Tongate said.

Banking examiners said in a statement that "serious loan losses, coupled with suspected fraudulent activity" depleted the bank's funds.

Tongate testified that Ms.

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Maree was working as a \$600-a-month secretary in Dallas last year, shortly before she bought controlling interest of Ranchlander Bank from Doyle Todd of Brady.

The FBI agent also testified that before becoming owner of the bank, Ms. Maree told friends that her parents had left her a substantial amount of money and property.

The agent said he could find no evidence of such an inheritance. The Lake Palestine residence is listed in Ms. Maree's name, as are a yacht and a Rolls Royce, he

Contacted by telephone Tuesday at her home at Lake Palestine, Ms. Maree told the San Angelo Standard-Times she had no comment about the Shaid case or her inheritance.

"I don't know how to handle such things. Thank you. Goodbye," Ms. Maree said. Shaid is a partner of Jean Moon, president of the Melvin

bank, in a company known as

Central Texas Factors, Inc. which was funded through the Ranchlander Bank. The company, Shaid, Mrs. Moon and Ranchlander Bank are among defendants named in a suit filed Oct. 22 in Brownsville.

The suit charges defendants with defrauding a Brownsville television station of tens of thousands of dollars by selling the station's uncollected advertising revenue for 93 cents on the

Mrs. Moon and Shaid are also partners in Ultimate. Inc., a corporation formed to acquire a Central Texas radio

Ranchlander Bank in Melvin was organized in 1917 and was purchaed by Doyle Todd, a native of Brady, in

In April of 1981, he saw an advertisement expressing interest in the purchase of a small bank, Todd told The Associated Press. Todd said he answered the ad, and an Austin attorney came to Melvin, got the bank's financial statements and said he was acting on behalf of Ms.

The sale was finalized in September of 1981. It was at that time that he met Shaid, Todd said. He said Shaid was not listed as a principal in the

Equipment goes



Farmer Louis Goodrich stands next to auctioneer Loren Squires, as Squires exhorts farmers to bid on farm equipment that Goodrich is forced to sell. Goodrich was

selling equipment that he acquired over 31 years as a farmer, blaming high interest rates and low grain prices. (AP Laserphoto)

Hinckley says Dallas is favorite city

DALLAS (AP) - John Hinckley, confined to a hospital near Washington since his trial for shooting of President Reagan, says he prefers rock music and would like to return to Dallas when he is pronounced sane.

Hinckley was found not guilty by reason of insanity on charges he wounded Reagan outside a Washington hotel on

In a letter to Dallas radio station KZEW-FM, Hinckley wrote that when he was following President Carter around the country, and later President Reagan, he liked a song called 'Heroes," adding that "It got me in a strange mood.

KZEW aired the letter Tuesday. The station said Hinckley wrote in response to a letter that producer Mike Rhyner wrote to him. Hinckley's letter was postmarked Nov. 26. Rhyner gave a copy of the letter to WFAA-TV, a Dallas

television station, which said it talked to St. Elizabeths Hospital, where a staff member confirmed with Hinckley that he had written the letter.

Hinckley wrote that he remembered KZEW, since it was the one he listened to when he lived in Dallas, where he attended Highland Park High School. Since you are the 'Official John Hinckley information

station for D-FW (Dallas-Fort Worth) I'll let you in on a few

secrets," Hinckley wrote. "1. I like new wave music, especially Devo, since I co-wrote a song on their new album. The song is called 'I Desire' and I

want you to play it 58 times each day. "2. I still have fond memories of Highland Park (a Dallas suburb) and every once in a while I get a letter from an old

high school mate. I always answer their mail. "3. I used to listen to the song 'Heroes' by David Bowie when I was stalking Carter and Reagan. It got me in a strange mood. -"4. In March and April of '80, I hung out at Peaches Record

Store on Fitzhugh "5. I didn't mean to make Rocky's Pawn Shop so notorious: I could have bought the gun anywhere.

"6. Dallas is still my favorite city and I plan to live there when I get out of the hospital. Hinckley signed the letter, "More Later, John Hinckley.

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Curtis Sharp Jr., center, joins his wife 44 - year - old Sharp, from Newark, N.J., said he and Barbara were "going to get a divorce, but she seems not to sure now. Tuesday to celebrate his winning the New He introduced Miss Bernabela as his "wife

Economic recovery seen at hand

Antifreeze 'moonshine' is deadly

The men apparently

container while partying with

some teen-agers, said Sgt.

"Appparently, two teen-age

boys had stolen it out of a

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Private economists generally agree that a mild recovery is imminent, based on a government report that its main economic barometer has risen for the sixth time in the last seven months.

The Commerce Department said Tuesday that its Index of Leading Indicators, a measure of future economic activity, rose 0.2 percent in October. The department said it made a mistake earlier in the day when it reported the increase was 0.6 percent.

Robert Sinche, chief economist at the investment firm of Bear, Stearns & Co. in New York, said he viewed the steady improvement in leading indicators as clear evidence that the economy was headed toward a mild recovery.

'There are indications from our own analysis that the November increase will be pretty substantial." Sinche said.

Lawrence Chimerine, chairman and chief economist of Chase Econometrics, told delegates at a forecasting seminar in New York that he viewed the underlying forces in the economy as "brighter now than at any time in the past three or four years.

He pointed to reduced levels of higher productivity and improved supplies of

One young man died and two

companions became

critically ill after drinking

antifreeze they thought was

Leo Warren, 24, died Tuesday in Lake Charles

Memorial Hospital, police

said. Don McDougal, 24. and

Michael Wooley. 25, both of

DeRidder, were listed in

critical condition, authorities

'moonshine,'' police said.

The stock market, meanwhile, got a boost Tuesday from President Reagan's disclosure that he had decided against asking Congress to move up the effective date of the July cut in personal income tax rates to January. The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials soared 36.43 points to 1,039.28 on Tuesday. The gain was the fourth-largest in history and pushed the average to its highest close since Nov. 12.

The Commerce Department said the mistake in Tuesday's announcement of the leading economic indicators occurred when someone used September's factory order figures instead of October's — in compiling

In other economic developments:

-The Conference Board's index of help-wanted advertising rose in October, the first monthly upturn in a year. The business-sponsored research group, which checks the classified ads in 51 major newspapers, said the index rose to 76 in October from 73 in September, but was 34 points lower than a year ago. The index is figured on a base of 100 in 1967.

-The Agriculture Department said prices received by farmers in November rose 0.8 percent from the month before - but they were still 0.8 percent below year-ago levels.

consumed the antifreeze some of it, says he became

Sunday from an unmarked numb and then he drank a lot

of water.

Mexico's new president takés office today

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Miguel de la Madrid begins a six-year term as president of Mexico today, unveiling an economic recovery program expected to include an appeal for "moral renewal" and an end to institutionalized corruption.

De la Madrid, 47, is replacing President Jose Lopez Portillo with the traditional inaugural pledge to "look after the well-being and prosperity of the union. And if I do otherwise, let the nation cast blame upon me."

Following the ceremony at the newly built House of Representatives palace, de la Madrid planned to deliver a nationally televised speech providing the first details of a political program that has been a tightly guarded secret.

The hour-long address to the country's 70 million people was expected to touch on plans to repair the near-bankrupt economy, while stressing the related combat corruption, especially in government, and uggests that offenders may go to jail.

The agenda also included an open motorcade carrying de la Madrid and Lopez Portillo along the capital's broad Paseo de la Reforma avenue, where they were to lay floral wreaths at the monuments to Mexican independence, the 1910-1920 Revolution and to revolutionary hero Benito Juarez.

On the eve of the inauguration, de la Madrid announced the 21 members of his Cabinet, holding over six ministers from Lopez Portillo's administration.

envoy to Washington, Bernardo Sepulveda Amor, dollar reserves.

Institutionalized corruption is widely was named foreign minister, and is expected to acknowledged as the hidden factor in Mexico's maintain the nation's policy of balancing friendly financial problems. De la Madrid has pledged to contacts with the United States, Cuba and Nicaragua's Sandinista government.

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Mexican political tradition prohibits presidents-elect from making policy statements or from directly criticizing their predecessors after

But de la Madrid is widely believed to disagree with many recent economic decisions imposed by Lopez Portillo, a fellow member of the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party. The party has held a monopoly on Mexican politics since it was founded 53 years ago.

The new president has confided that he was not Topping the list is Treasury Secretary Jesus Silva consulted when Lopez Portillo nationalized the Herzog, chosen to retain the job he has held since private banking system Sept. 1, imposing exchange April as Mexico's top financial manager. Mexico's controls in an attempt to save the nation's sinking

Ambassador to U.S. is named in Mexico

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Mexico's president-elect has been handling delicate negotiations to postpone announced two major Cabinet appointments Tuesday night, naming the ambassador to the United States as foreign minister and retaining the treasury secretary, who is involved in negotiations for an IMF loan to rescue the nearly bankrupt

Miguel de la Madrid said on the eve of his inauguration that Bernardo Sepulveda Amor, 40-year-old envoy to Washington, will replace Foreign Secretary Jorge Castaneda and Jesus Silva Herzog will remain in the nation's top financial The two appointments topped the Cabinet list

read by de la Madrid's official spokesman, Manuel Alonso. Six of the 21 appointees are holdovers from the outgoing administration of President Jose

Silva Herzog was appointed earlier this year and

payments on Mexico's \$81 billion foreign debt. The treasury secretary has kept his distance from recent stern economic moves imposed by Lopez Portillo, blamed for imprudent planning during the worst recession to hit the country since Mexico's 1910-1920 revolution.

Sepulveda has been de la Madrid's foreign policy

adviser for more than a year, and accompanied the president-elect to an October meeting with President Reagan in San Diego. De la Madrid, 47, will be sworn in for a six-year

term Wednesday at a ceremony that officials say will be stripped of extravagance to reflect government concern over the worst recession this

"The government ends on Nov. 30 at midnight. On Dec. 1, everything starts from the beginning," de la Madrid was recently quoted by aides as saying.

De la Madrid and his predecessor belong to the Institutional Revolutionary Party, a political machine that has ruled Mexico for 53 years.

Presidents are limited to a single term, and former chief executives have rarely held subsequent public offices. Most of them have accepted minor diplomatic appointments abroad. returned to the private sector, or simply retired.

They have retained varying degress of influence with the ruling party's inner council, but traditionally do not speak out publicly on major

Tradition also mandates that a new president refrain from criticizing his predecessor in public. before or after his inauguration.

For desperate woman

Letter to queen lands palace job

LONDON (AP) - Twenty-year-old Jean Potter had no job, little training and even less hope when she wrote a desperate letter to Queen Elizabeth II asking the monarch to give her work.

But she had plenty of luck. Now she's "absolutely over the moon" about her new post as a royal housemaid at the sovereign's country estate at Sandringham, 100 miles northeast of London

"I wrote the queen in all seriousness but never expected to be taken on," Miss Potter told The Associated Press in a telephone interview Tuesday from her Bridgwater home in western

A Buckingham Palace spokeswoman said Miss Potter "is not the first person to be taken on in this way but the examples are rare. You could say she applied at the right time and fitted the

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unemployed in Britain, the palace is bracing now for a flood of appeals from job-seekers.

"Inevitably, there will probably be a lot of applications for royal jobs after all the publicity this case has generated," the spokeswoman said. 'But there are only 340 full-time staff at Buckingham Palace and very few

permanent residents at Sandringham.' Neither Miss Potter nor the spokeswoman would disclose her salary. Miss Potter said she will share a furnished cottage on the estate with another maid. She will be on probation

for the first six months. Miss Potter left school at 16 to look for work but after four years had landed nothing but short-term jobs - in a store, a beauty salon and for the local industrial pump-making firm where her father is an accountant.

Miss Potter, whose unusual case has attracted nationwide press and television publicity, said she wrote in September asking the queen whether there were any vacancies in the royal household

"I remember saying I was prepared to do anything but cannot recall my the exact words," she said.

"When the palace replied, I wasn't very encouraged. They said there were lots of people asking for jobs and a long waiting list. I thought it was just the usual answer and forgot all about it.

"Then a second letter arrived saying a job had come up in Sandringham Estate and I was asked to fill out an application form and send a recent photograph of myself," she recalled.

Eleven days ago, she received a telephone call from the palace asking her to come for an interview with the Sandringham housekeeper and the chief housekeeper at Buckingham

Last congressional races settled

ATLANTA (AP) - Two incumbent Democrats won handily Tuesday as voters in a pair of Atlanta districts settled the nation's last two congressional races of 1982.

In the 5th district, which includes most of the city, U.S. Rep. a white Democrat seeking renewly reapportioned district that is 65 percent black, easily defeated two black challengers

In the neighboring 4th 1 rict, voters returned U.S. Rep. Elliott Levitas to office, giving him a big win over Republican

Both elections had been delayed because of a prolonged legal battle between the state and the U.S. Department of Justice over reapportionment of the districts.

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With returns from 141 of 161 precincts counted in the 4th District, Levitas had 31,935 votes, or 65.5 percent, to Winder's

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In the 5th District race, where 187 of 238 precincts were reporting, Fowler had 33,388 votes, or 79.1 percent, to independent candidate Billy McKinney's 6,853, or 16.2 percent,

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At present, there are 243 Democrats and 192 Republicans in the House. As of Jan. 1, there will be 269 Democrats, including

and Republican Paul Jones' 1,984 votes, or 4.7 percent. McKinney pitched directly to the black vote with the

Levitas and Fowler, and 166 Republicans

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Regan will veto Demo job plan

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Reagan has told Republican congressional leaders he firmly opposes a \$5 billion public works jobs plan Democrats are drafting and will veto the measure if it reaches his desk.

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At the same time, a Reagan administration plan for a 5-cent-a-gallon hike in the federal gasoline tax to finance \$5.5 billion worth of highway, bridge and mass transit repairs is moving toward consideration in the full House and Senate.

Transportation Secretary Drew Lewis lobbied for the administration measure Tuesday before the Senate Finance Committee and was making a similar appearance before the House Ways and Means Committee today. Both panels hope to draft their own versions of the plan this week.

The president delivered his message on the Democratic plan to GOP leaders Tuesday during a White House meeting before he left for a four-nation tour of Latin America.

House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill

Jr., D-Mass., says Democrats hope to attach their public works measure to a stopgap spending bill that Congress must pass before adjourning in mid-December. Without the so-called continuing resolution, federal agancies

and programs will technically go broke Senate Majority Leader Howard H. Baker Jr., R-Tenn., said that during Tuesday's meeting Reagan said, "if we garland it (the stopgap measure) up with all sorts of other things ... he would

have no hesitation" to veto it. "There's

no doubt about it." "He said he'd veto it," said Rep. Silvio O. Conte, R-Mass., who also attended the meeting. "He didn't care" if the bill reached him "the day before Christmas" and Congress was about to

Even if Democrats, who control the House, pass their jobs measure in that chamber, it faces a bleak future in the GOP-controlled Senate, despite O'Neill's claim that Senate Republicans may be willing to meet

Democrats "half way." Senate Appropriations Committee Chairman Mark O. Hatfield, R-Ore., said Senate Republican leaders agree that "the 5-cent gas tax and those jobs (it is supposed to create) will be the major and only action" on jobs during the lame duck session.

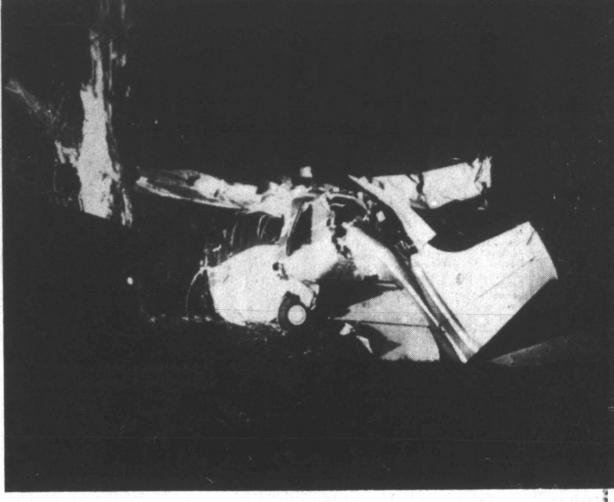
Conte and Hatfield have expressed interest in creating more than the 320,000 jobs the administration estimates in its highway construction legislation.

But, Hatfield said, the \$5 billion Democratic plan "becomes a tremendous target and the president will veto it.

Hatfield suggested, instead, that pumping money into existing programs could be studied as a quick source of

For example, he said, 396 authorized recreation areas around dams and resevoirs that have been closed by the Army Corps of Engineers could be reopened for \$4 million.

Cessna crash



Two people were killed and a third injured when a light airplane originating from Fort Collins. Colo. crashed in

Sioux Falls, S.D. late Tuesday night. Floodlights illuminate the plane, which was difficult to find in dense

Nationwide paging service is proposed

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) -Rochester Telephone Corp. is seeking permission today to operate paging services in eight large cities from Boston to Los Angeles.

The nation's sixth largest independent phone company is expected to be among dozens of operators filing applications today as the Federal Communications Commission opens a new band of pager

frequencies around 900 megahertz. 'Based on our studies, we believe radio paging has a tremendous growth potential." James Henderson, the

release Tuesday. Rochester Telephone would operate the pagers through a newly formed

company president, said in a news

subsidiary, USA Page Inc.

The company is filing to operate in Boston, Cincinnati, Dallas-Fort Worth,

Houston, Los Angeles, Philadelphia, San Diego and San Francisco.

Rochester Telephone already serves about 1,000 pagers in the Rochester area, according to Richard Smith, the company's planning director.

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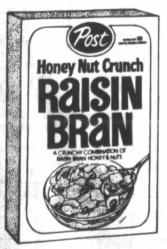
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Tax on unemployment benefits was the pits By WALTER R. MEARS

AP Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP) - As an exercise in public relations, political timing, and coping with a more Democratic Congress, the White House suggestion that unemployment benefits be taxed was the pits.

That's where it wound up. The idea surfaced on Thanksgiving, began sinking the next day, and was buried the day after that. Nobody is saying who produced it, and Reagan's spokesmen say he never saw it. Not until he saw it on television, shortly after which he killed it.

The proposition turned up on the Thanksgiving menu at Santa Barbara, Calif., after Reagan aides told reporters that Reagan was considering new options to deal with unemployment, the highest in 42 years.

Chief spokesman Larry Speakes gave no details, but he said the administration was working on proposals for the new

Reagan considered a six-month stepup in the withholding tax reductions due next July 1, but dropped that idea on Tuesday. The proposal would have faced heavy going in a Congress short on time and wary of adding to the record deficit already in prospect.

Reagan, spurred by Congress, proposed a 5-cent increase in the gasoline tax for highway and transit improvements, and that would create jobs, although Reagan said it was not intended as a jobs program. It really doesn't fit Reagan's style, for it harks back to the kind of government-financed programs he always has criticized.

Under the circumstances, Reagan's men had reason to promote the idea of a new Reagan initiative, measures to help urb joblessness. And the time was right. It is White H habit to leave for any vacation with a bit of news to be disclosed while the president is on holiday.

Speakes told reporters that Reagan was considering a tax on unemployment benefits "to make it less attractive" for people to be out of work and collecting them. He said there we studies showing that unemployment benefits discourage people from seeking work.

Democrats and labor protested within hours. Aides say Reagan learned of the idea, and the controversy, when it turned up on television

By Friday, Reagan's aides were saying — anonymously that the idea was going nowhere. Counselor Edwin Meese III said Reagan himself never had considered it. Speakes said nothing for the record.

Actually, there are circumstances in which unemployment pays better than working. Jobless pay is exempt from taxation unless it is going to a family with an income of \$18,000 or more. In a family with one of two wage earners out of work, tax-free unemployment benefits can be worth more than the second job until the total hits \$18,000.

The government says about 60 percent of the 11.6 million jobless Americans live in households which have two or rhore

Trooper who sued bosses is ordered transferred to Dallas

HOUSTON (AP) - A state trooper, who sued his bosses contending they harassed him for objecting to a traffic ticket quota system, says he has been ordered to move to Dallas to become a driver's license examiner.

Trooper James Wade, of Orange, said he was ordered to report to Dallas today Wade's attorneys received a stay of the order earlier this

year, but U.S. District Judge Joe Fisher of Beaumont this week declined to extend the stay

"It was a shock," said the officer. "They (his superiors) are pushing it so I have no alternative.' Wade's attorney, Harris D. Butler III, said Fisher's ruling

will be appealed to the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. Last summer Wade filed a lawsuit contending his superiors in the Department of Public Safety were conducting a campaign of harassment against him because he objected to a system of traffic ticket quotas.

The suit asks \$15 million in damages for Wade and another \$3 million for his wife, Neva, who the suit claims also has been victimized by harassment.

The suit also asked for an injunction forbidding the DPS from transferring Wade to Dallas. Fisher granted a temporary stay of the move, but refused to extend it.

Wade said Tuesday that since he filed the suit, he has been treated "like a stepchild" by the DPS.

Instead of patrolling the highways, as he has done for 14 years, the veteran officer said he is required to sit eight hours a day in an office furnished only by a desk, a chair and a black

"My only orders are to answer the phone if it rings." he said. "It's rung four times in two months.

Wade said he also has to ask permission to leave the building for lunch and is the only trooper who is not permitted to take car home at night. Other troopers, he said, are ordered to pick him up at home in the morning and return him there at night.

James B. Adams, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, has denied that there is any type of traffic ticket quota system, but he and other officials decline to discuss any of the allegations in the lawsuit.

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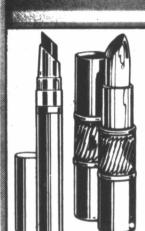
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Richard Peet, a part - time faculty member of Clarendon College's Pampa Center, was awarded for his teaching service recently at a reception honoring Pampa's Clarendon College faculty members. Peet has taught government courses at the community college since it opened on Dec. 1. 1978. making him the senior member of the part - time faculty. Peet also teached government at Pampa High School. (Staff photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Dear Abby

Sure-fire deal burns up savings

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am desperate. I am in charge of my mother's money. She had \$2,500 in the bank — her life's savings — until I drew it all out last June. I also took \$1,500 from the account my husband and I had in the same bank, added it to my mother's money and invested the whole \$4,000 in a deal that was guaranteed to triple

my money in two months.

Well, I lost the \$4,000, and now I don't know what to do. My mother knows nothing of this and neither does my husband. I was going to surprise them when I tripled the

I have prayed and prayed to the Blessed Virgin and to St. Jude, but it hasn't helped. I don't know what I will do when my mother and husband find out.

Abby, do you know any rich Catholics who believe in the Blessed Virgin and St. Jude and would be willing to give me \$4,000 to help me out? Please tell me what to do.

DEAR DESPERATE: Please don't look for any "rich Catholics" to bail you out. First, tell your husband and mother what you have done. Then notify the fraud division of your police department. You may not get your money back, but if this was a case of fraud, the police may be able to track down the people who took advantage of you and prevent them from swindling other innocent victims.

DEAR ABBY: Now that it's gift-giving time again, please say a few reassuring words to those of us who give grandchildren, nieces, nephews and other loved ones a check instead of a gift.

Shopping is not always easy for older people. I've been giving checks for birthdays, graduations, Christmas and weddings for years. Sometimes I'm thanked by telephone, in person or with a lovely note. Occasionally, the only way I know that my check was received is when my bank statement and cancelled checks arrive with the endorsement on the backs of the checks.

I'd be fibbing if I said I didn't feel a wee bit hurt, but my gifts always come from the heart, and I have never given a gift because I wanted a thank-you.

CHECK AND DOUBLE CHECK

excuse the bad manners of those who fail to acknowledge your gifts. Read on for a letter from a reader who offers an excellent suggestion for acknowledging checks:

DEAR CHECK: Your unselfish motivation doesn't

DEAR ABBY: Many in my family now receive checks for birthdays, etc. When they endorse the checks, they always write a little message on the back: "Thanks, mucho!" "This will buy that neat sweater I've had my eye on. Thank you." "You are a doll, and I love you, Grandma," etc. And sometimes a clever drawing is added.

I usually get a note farther down the road from each of them, but when the cancelled checks come back to me, I enjoy the cute messages on the back.

NO NAME, PLEASE

DEAR NO NAME: Another correspondent wrote to say that he had sent his grandson a check for his bar mitzvah, and he was thrilled beyond words to receive the most beautiful thank-you letter he had ever received written on the back of the cancelled

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The"Nutcracker Suite" sponsored by the Pampa Fine Arts Association will be performed only at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 4, at M. K. Brown Auditorium. It was incorrectly reported in Sunday's edition of The News that the performance would take place on two nights. The Pampa News regrets the error.

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Dawn Michelle Fields - granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Whitten and great - granddaughter of Mrs. A. B. Whitten and Mrs. M. W. Stockton, all of Pampa, recently was picked winner in the 0 - 12 months category of the Starlight Pageant in Elk City, Okla. She is the daughter of Mike and Marilyn Whitten Fields, of Elk City. Dawn will travel to Kilgore in June to participate in the National Starlight Pageant finals.

Candy making topic of next FOL meeting

Gay Weatherford of Gay's Cake and Candy Decors will demonstrate holiday candy making at the Lovett Memorial Library auditorium from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Dec. 2.

The presentation, open to the public, is sponsored by Pampa's Friends of the Library Club.

Weatherford, who also teaches her skills at Clarendon College here, will show interested persons timely hints on how to make molded candies for the holiday season.

Types of candy to be covered in the demonstration include chocolate covered cherries, peanut butter cups, carame centers, and all types of quick and easy fudges. Also, she will show how to make molded mints, suckers, pretzels dipped in chocolate and peanut clusters.

To top off the meeting, Weatherford will teach those present how to make a chocolate card

Friends of the Library officers, in addition, wish to remind Pampans to begin saving paper backs and old books for the club's annual book sale conducted each spring. Books can be taken to Lovett Memorial Library or can be picked up by a club volunteer by phoning, 665



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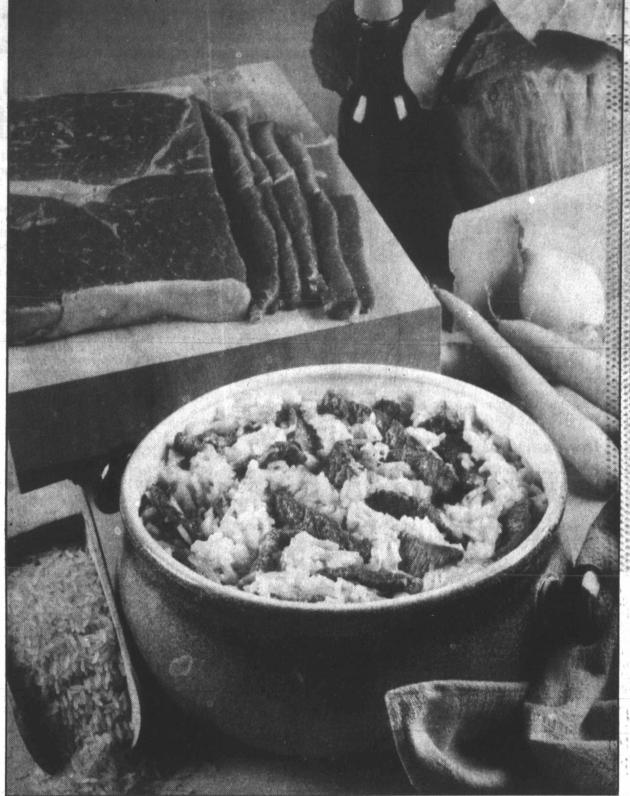
To shorten the cooking time, the round steak thin strips. The meat is browned on a surface unit of the range before it is mixed with the rice, slicedcabbage, grated carrots,, chopped onion and a savory sauce made with a can of celery soup. A sprinkling of Cheddar cheese completes this creative casserole that satisfies dinner appetites

BEEF STEAK OVEN DINNER 2 lbs. beef round steak, cut ¾ inch thick 2 T. cooking fat

% t. pepper ½ c. water 4 c. thinly sliced cabbage 11/2 c. grated carrots 1 c. rice 1 med.onion, choopped 1 can (10% oz.) cream of celery soup 1 c. water 2 t. soy sauce

½ c. shredded Cheddar cheese Cut round steak into thin slices 2 to 3 inches long and brown in cooking fat. Pour off drippings. Season meat with salt and pepper; add water, cover tightly and cook slowly 30 minutes. Stir in cabbage, carrots, rice and onion. Combine celery soup with 1 cup water and soy sauce; stir into meat - vegetable mixture and place in 3 - quart casserole. Cover tightly and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 45 minutes. Remove cover, sprinkle with cheese and continue baking 15 minutes. 6 to 8 servings.

With beef, rice and vegetables all in one dish, planning the rest of the menu is easy. The salad should be cool and crisp. A tossed vegetable salad meets these specifications deliciously. For a dessert that's worth waiting for, bake apple dumplings along with the casserole



Round steak beefs up main dish casserole.

College researchers create tastes

By JOE B. McKNIGHT **Associated Press Writer**

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COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) -The job market is never a problem for students of Dr. Wilbur Gould.

Making potato chips that taste like roast beef or popcorn that tastes like pecans hardly sounds like prime job qualifications but Gould, director of the food technology program at Thio State University, says those are passing fancies en route to a greater goal.

making demands for our students in the technical side of the food business," he said. "Our students are in great demand. We don't have enough of them.

The 40 students currently enrolled in the program, which comes under the College of Agriculture, are about evenly divided in their work between graduate and undergraduate.

While his program deals with the science of preserving fruits and vegetables, some The food industry is meat and dairy products, it is

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The tempura process deep-fat frying — is the way of the future in food preparation, Gould said, taking note of a fast food trend toward Mexican dishes.

its byproducts.

'Most Mexican products are corn-based, dried, ground, reformulated extruded, rolled into sheets. he said. "We do some work here on corn and potato chips. It's an area where the industry is begging for

more specifically concerned

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Preserving offers a wide

choice of study areas for his

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technology."
Much of the research in the program is done by students and for private industry which brings many of its problem to the university.

One such item is potato chips with a ketchup flavor. It grew from a long habit of dipping french fries in ketchup and while the chips aren't big yet in Ohio, Gould

says they are catching on fast in East Coast restaurants.

The tomato industry came to him a few years ago for help in sorting tomatoes for commercial use, separating ripe from less ripe and unripe fruit. The result was a water trough developed by Gould, who knew that ripeness of tomatoes related directly to their density and water

The test kitchen used by the program has all the equipment of any modern commercial kitchen with a few extra devices for experimentation. One developed at the university is a tomato peeler.

Aside from potato chips flavored to taste like beef or ketchup, Gould, the program's five faculty members or the students make chips taste like chicken or popcorn taste like peanuts. " If taste seems relative,

Gould says the first aim of technicians in preparing a food is how it looks

"We eat with our eyes," he said. "After we know it looks good then we - most of the time — taste it. We make sure first that it is safe to eat and the microbiology lab determines this

Try this blueberry funny cake pie

By CECILY BROWNSTONE **Associated Press Food Editor** According to cookbook author Edna Eby Heller, in Pennsylva-

nia Dutch kitchens "practically everything under the sun is put into pies." There are fruit pies, custard pies, milk pies, wet and dry molasses or brown sugar pies and funny cake pies.

Mrs. Heller gives a recipe for Chocolate Funny Cake Pie and explains its name. She says that to the Pennsylvania Dutch "funny" means out of the or-

layer goes to the bottom. To make it, a vanilla cake batter is added to a pie shell and then a mixture of cocoa, sugar, water and vanilla is poured over

the batter. Recently an inventive cook developed a recipe for Fresh Blueberry Funny Cake Pie to serve a la mode for a lunch or supper dessert. Old-time Pennsylvania Dutch folk would have enjoyed it for breakfast

served plain. This funny cake pie has a certainly odd because the top batter rather than poured over ½ cup milk

the top. It is a sturdy offering, not at all rich.

FRESH BLUEBERRY FUNNY CAKE PIE 2 cups fresh blueberries. washed and drained 3/4 cup sugar

2 tablespoons lemon juice 11/4 cups fork-stirred all-purpose flour 1 teaspoon baking powder

1/4 teaspoon salt 1/4 cup butter 1 teaspoon vanilla

cup sugar and the vanilla; add the egg and beat until blended. Add the flour mixture in 2 additions, alternately with the milk beating gently each time just

> warm blueberry mixture just enough to marble. Pour into the unbaked pie shell. Bake in a preheated 375-de-gree oven until a cake tester inserted in the center comes out

Unbaked 9-inch pie shell

In a medium saucepan, over

moderate heat, gently stir to-

gether the blueberries, 1/2 cup

of the sugar and the lemon juice until the sugar dissolves

and the mixture simmers. Let

this sauce stand off heat to cool

In a medium bowl cream the

butter with the remaining 1/4

until smooth. Fold in the luke-

to lukewarm.

clean - 30 to 35 minutes. Serve

Makes 8 servings.



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Lefors guard Monte Baskett penetrates the middle against Miami, but doesn't Del Scott (34) forced Baskett into a seem to know wheither to shoot or pass as walking violation. However, Lefors posted he pauses in mid-air to study the situation an easy 41-25 victory in the Miami High during the schoolboy basketball game gym. Miami won the girls' game, Tuesday night. He did neither as strong

defense by Miami's Ty Greenhouse and 38-22. (Staff Photo)

Area Basketball Roundup

Lefors splits with Miami

MIAMI-Lefors cruised past Miami, 41-25, Tuesday night in high school boys' basketball

Miami was held to only one field goal the first half as Lefors built up a 27-11 halftime bulge

Russell Taylor paced Lefors in scoring with 14 points while Billy West added eight.

Robbie Brines and Ty Greenhouse had seven and six points respectively for Miami. Miami turned the tables in the girls' game with a 38-22 victory

Mary Ann Gill led Miami with 10 points while Juanita Cook and Haley Clark added eight points each. Teresa Turner had nine points for Lefors

and Angie Stanley had seven.

GROOM-Silverton captured two games from Groom in a basketball doubleheader

In the boys' game, Shane Reagan tossed in 23 points to lead Silverton's scoring attack during a 67-58 victory. Tracy Britten, Rodney Bohr and Aaron Wieberg had 12 points apiece for Groom

Kyle Couch added 15 points for the winners. Silverton used a balanced scoring attack to

defeat Groom, 56-42, in the girls' contest. Judy Northcutt had 16 points, followed by Missy Brown and Kathy Brown with 12 points

Tina Weller led Groom with 19 points while Kathleen Koetting added eight.

Canadian came from behind to win the girls' game, 49-47.

Nena Barber, a 5-4 senior, led Canadian with 12 points while Beth Ramb tossed in

Shanna Urban and Belinda Crelia had 15 and 14 points respectively for Wellington. Canadian is entered in the Spearman Tournament Dec. 2-4.

WHEELER-Wheeler edged Booker, 68-65, Tuesday night

Billy Westmoreland led the winners with 18 points while Scott Wright chipped in 15. Gregg Ammons had a 28-point night for

Mona Jennings poured in 23 points to spark Wheeler past Booker, 39-37, in the girls'

CANADIAN-0-1Canadian won a pair of close games against Wellington Tuesday

Canadian boys' triumphed, 46-42, by holding off Wellington in the fourth quarter. Mark Hunneycutt led the losers with 18 points while teammate Dwayne Culpepper contributed eight.

Harter Johnson and Jimmy Anderson had 10 and eight apiece for Canadian.

Canadian was leading by 10 after three quarters and held off a Wellington rally in the closing minutes.

College Cage Roundup

Tar Heels surprise Georgetown, 63-62

AP Sports Writer

Michael Jordan hasn't lost his touch on those 20-foot jumpers, it seems

In last year's NCAA finals, if you remember, a long shot by the North Carolina guard gave the Tar Heels a 63-62 victory over the Georgetown Hoyas in the New Orleans Superdome.

Tuesday night, another long shot by Jordan helped Dean Smith's 15th-ranked basketball team pull out a 70-68 thriller over Tulane in three

"Coach Smith wanted us to deny them the ball." Jordan said. "I just saw the ball fall into my hands and fired away. It just happened to fall in.'

Jordan's 20-foot shot followed a Green Wave turnover on an inbounds play near the end of regulation that sent the game into its first overtime. The Tar Heel sophomore then helped to win the game with a three-point play in the third overtime. "Actually, it should have never gone into

overtime," said Tulane Coach Ned Fowler. "This has to take a great deal out of us. A win here (at Chapel Hill, N.C.) would have been awfully big for

Jordan's three-point play came with 1:48 left in the third overtime. The Tar Heels trailed 59-57 when Matt Doherty hit a jumper with 2:18 remaining to force the second extra period. Doherty's two free throws with 38 seconds left in the second overtime put North Carolina on top 63-61, but Howard Jenkins' shot beat the buzzer. creating a need for another period.

In the third overtime, Jim Braddock hit a 20-foot jumper and Jordan followed with his three-point

play to extend North Carolina's edge to 68-63. Buzz Peterson added a free throw to make it a six-point margin, providing the Tar Heels with their first victory of the year after two opening losses.

In other college basketball action involving the Top Twenty, second-ranked Georgetown routed Morgan State 91-57, ninth-ranked Missouri hammered Augustana (S.D.) 85-55 and No. 20 Nevada-Las Vegas edged Nevada-Reno 85-84.

Pat Ewing scored 19 points and grabbed 11 rebounds to lead Georgetown over Morgan State. The Hoyas started slowly against the Bears. But with the score tied at 6-6 four minutes into the game, their overall quickness and height advantage began to take its toll.

With the Hoyas ahead 29-18, Ewing scored on three straight trips down the court. He then stole a pass and was credited with an assist as he fed Michael Jackson for a layup and a 37-18 Georgetown lead with 3:22 remaining in the half. From there, the undefeated Hoyas coasted to their third straight victory of the season.

"You are never secure at this time of the year," said Georgetown Coach John Thompson. "And you don't look at every game in relation to the final score. It was a good test.'

Steve Stipanovich scored 20 points, and Jon Sundvold added 17 to lead Missouri's rout of Augustana. Stipanovich led the assault early by scoring 13 of his points in the first half. The 6-foot-11-inch center hit his first five field-goal attempts as Missouri outscored the Vikings 17-4 in with four seconds left offset a barrage of three-point an eight-minute span to take a commanding 27-12 lead with 7:06 left in the half.

"I thought that Steve Stipanovich came to play.

He was ready to play both offensively and defensively," said Missouri Coach Norm Stewart. 'But overall, I thought we could have had a much better reaction just in being mentally ready to - Tit

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Even Stipanovich wasn't satisfied after scoring his game-high point total and grabbing 11 rebounds. was fortunate enough that the first couple of shots went in and I got going early, but throughout the game I was inconsistent," he said. "The team

as a whole wasn't consistent throughout the game, and that's something we're going to have to work on. Each player is going to have to work on getting

Sidney Green's 28 points and nine rebounds paced Nevada-Las Vegas to an emotion-packed victory over upstate rival Nevada-Reno.

UNR led by a point at the half, and nearly erased an eight-point deficit in the final three minutes. But UNLV, paced by Green's dunks, deft outside shots and domination of the boards, held on to win.

The game reached an emotional peak with about four minutes left ihen slapped Las Vegas center Eldridge Hudson in an angry exchange. Mosley was ejected from the game as teammates restrained Green and Hudson.

In other action, Roy Hinson's 19 points led Rutgers over Princeton 60-55, Clyde Vaughan scored 26 points as Pittsburgh broke away from stubborn Duquesne in the closing minutes to defeat the Dukes 62-53, Terence Stansbury's free throw field goals by George Washington as Temple beat the Colonials 68-67, David Little, Chucky Barnett and Wayman Tisdale combined for 62 points -

Pampa meets Grand Prairie in tourney opener

Coach Garland Nichols hopes the tough will get tougher after his Pampa Harvesters finish with the Holiday Invitational Tournament in Fort Worth.

Sixteen teams of Class 5A and 4A classification are entered in the three-day tournament at the W.G. Thomas Coliseum.

"You might say we're going to play the big boys,' Nichols said. "Some of the top teams in the state are entered in the tournament. We'll be able to tell more about us as a team when it's over.'

Pampa meets the Grand Prairie Gophers at 9:30 p.m. Thursday in the opening round of the double-elimination tournament. The

championship finals are scheduled for 9:15 p.m. Saturday night.

"The main reason we're going to this tournament is to give the players a chance to look at some different teams and some different players," Nichols said. "A lot of teams in our area run the same thing and it really doesn't prepare us for the playoffs."

The Harvesters have a worthy first-round opponent our defense than anything

in the Gophers, who won the District 8-5A title last season. Five lettermen return, including 6-4 senior Blake Brueggemeyer, an honorable mention all-district pick.

with a 2-0 record, whipping Amarillo High, 49-40, in the season opener, and then disposing of Palo Duro, 84-57, last Tuesday night.

Pampa enters the tourney

"I was more pleased with

else in those two games." Nichols said. "Anytime you can hold a team like Palo Duro to 17 points in a half, you've done something." Nichols has been concerned

with the mistakes the Harvesters have been making. Pampa had 20 turnovers against Palo Duro and 22 against Amarillo High. 'We've got to cut down on

our turnovers," Nichols said. "It's an area that needs a lot

of work, but we're getting there. "Our guards are more relaxed and seem to know more about what they're doing."

Other teams entered in the tournament are Tascosa. L . D . B e 1 1 Lakeview-Centennia. Wichita Falls, Rider High, South Garland, Weatherford, Nolan, Trinity, Richland, Haltom, Eastern Hills, Justin Kimball and Richardson.







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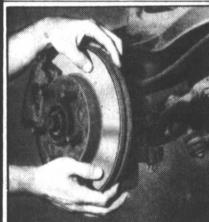
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Penn State head football coach Joe Paterno appears to be deep in thought as he eyes the trophy that will go to the Paterno the trophy and a probable national winner of the Sugar Bowl during a visit to New Orleans championship. (AP Laserphoto).

Tuesday, A victory over Georgia Jan. 1 would give

All-District Picks Bucks' coach receives honors

Paul Wilson, who led White Deer to its first winning record in six years, was named District 1-2A Football Coach of the Year is his first season as Bucks' mentor

White Deer compiled a 9-2 record and shared the district title with Stratford All-District 1-2A selections are listed

First Team Offense: Center-Billy Murphy, Stinnett; Linemen-Jim Jones, Stratford; Todd Freeman, White Deer; Luke Bodey, Stinnett; Lonnie Burnam, Gruver; Tight End-Rod Goodwin, Stinnett; Wide Receivers-Jere Keener, Stratford and Darren Ruthardt; Quarterback-Darin Bennett, White Deer; Running Backs-Rodney Clawson, Gruver,

Tommy Gibson, Stinnett: Sammy Gomez, Stratford; Steve May, White Deer. Punter-Darin Bennett, White Deer

First Team Defense Linemen-Robert McCown, White Deer; Earnest Noble, Stinnett; Carey Cligan, Gruver; Lonnie Burnam, Gruver: Jim Jones. Stratford Ends - Gary Opdenhoff. Sanford-Fritch; Rod Goodwin, Stinnett; Billy DeBard, Sunray; Linebackers-Tommy Gibson, Stinnett; Mike Burnam, Gruver; Chad Grange, White Deer; Albert Olivias, Stratford: Backs-Darin Bennett. White Deer; Craig Cartwright, Sunray; Kevin Stanley, Stratford; Austin Lafferty, White Deer, Kicker-Rod Goodwin, Stinnett.

Coach of the Year-Paul Wilson. White Deer. Honorable Mention Offense:

Center-Chad Grange, White Deer; Linemen-Brian Kendrick, Stratford: John Ingle, White Deer; Mike Burnam, Gruver: Eddie Cunningham, Sanford-Fritch; Wide Receiver-Jeff Franks, White Deer; Quarterbacks-Ken Holman, Stratford; Jeff Laird, Sanford- Fritch; Running Back-Gary Opdenhoff,

Honorable Mention Defense: Linemen-John Ingle, White Deer; Ed Cunningham, Sanford-Fritch; Mike Bernum, Gruver; End-Larry Martin, White Deer.

Pitt eager to meet Southern Methodist

By CHARLES RICHARDS chance to be No. 2 or 3 if we out," Fazio said, referring to head coach at Pitt.

Associated Press Writer DALLAS (AP) - The University of Pittsburgh will have plenty of incentive when it meets Southern Methodist

in the Cotton Bowl on New Year's Day, Pitt Coach Foge Fazio says 'After what happened last Friday (a loss to Penn State in the regular season finale),

our guys want an opportunity - to come down here and show they are an outstanding football team," Fazio said Tuesday. "We've got a you're going to get blown

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win. There are not that many 10-2 teams around.

Cotton Bowl officials presented Fazio and SMU Coach Bobby Collins to Texas sportswriters at a press conference Tuesday

Following the 19-10 loss to Penn State, Pitt, 9-2, dropped from fifth to seventh this week among the nation's top 20 football teams. SMU, 10-0-1, remained fourth.

"If you're not motivated to play against Eric Dickerson.

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All-Southwest Conference team for the second straight "I know he (Dickerson) is a great back. I haven't seen too many films of SMU yet, but I saw them on TV and Ltalked ******* to Jackie Sherrill today, and he said he's a great back and A&E Mobile Homes

> runs against them," Fazio Fazio became head coach of the Panthers after Sherrill was coaxed into becoming head coach at Texas A&M, a Southwest Conference

that he broke about two long

the Mustangs' running back.

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Fazio said Dickerson is

more dangerous because

SMU also has great backs in

Craig James, who alternates

opponent of SMU. The pressure he experienced in taking over as

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head coach at Pitt, "I wouldn't wish on my best friend or my worst enemy. The hype of the first game was like a zoo. It was so hard to keep distractions away. And then, on top of that, the type of schedule we had to

play." Fazio said. with Dickerson at tailback, "But if I din't want the and quarterback Lance pressure, I'd be at Slippery McIlhenny. The trio made up Rock or somewhere else. I'm the backfield on the AP's at Pitt and I'm happy. I wouldn't trade it for anything.

Pittsburgh went 11-1 for three straight years from 1979 through 1981, but Fazio said he's satisfied with the job he and his staff did in compiling its 9-2 record in 1982. Like Fazio, Collins is in his

first year of a new job. Collins left Southern Mississippi a year ago to succeed Ron Meyer, who was hired to coach the New England Patriots of the National Football League. Collins was named Tuesday by The Associated Press as Southwest Conference coach of the year.

Collins said his team still has an eve toward a possible national championship. Georgia, 11-0, and SMU are the only unbeaten major colege football teams this seaso

"Ife culdve success against Pitt, it would enhance our chances as far as the national championship is concerned. and certainly that's a big incentive to us," Collins said.

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Mustangs dominate All-SWC squad

By DENNE H. FREEMAN AP Sports Writer

To the champions go the spoils.

The Cotton Bowl-bound Southern Methodist University Mustangs, who earned their second consecutive league title. landed eight players on The Associated Press 1982 All-Southwest Conference first team as selected by the league's coaches.

Again, it was an all-SMU backfield for the second year in a row with senior running backs Craig James and Eric Dickerson joining quarterback Lance McIlhenny, a junior.

Guard Joe Beard, a senior. was the fourth Mustang to make the mythical first team on offense.

It was almost an all-Mustang secondary. Seniors Blane Smith and Wes Hopkins, and junior Russell Carter were named to the defensive backfield

Linebacker Gary Moten, a senior, was the eighth Mustang chosen to the first

SMU Coach Bobby Collins was named the SWC Coach of the Year in his first season at the helm.

Dickerson, who gained 1,617 yards rushing with an average of 147 per contest and a seven-yard average, was named the Offensive Player of the Year

James also made the first team as a punter.

SMU had three players on the second team including offensive tackle Brian O'Meara, and defensive linemen Russell Washington and Kevin Chaney.

The other offensive members of the first team included center Jay Bequette of Arkansas, wide receivers Gerald-McNeill of Baylor and Herkie Walls of Texas, tight end Deron Miller of Rice, guard Steve Korte and tackle Alfred Mohammed of

Arkansas, tackle Bryan Millard of Texas, and placekicker Ricky Gann of Texas Tech.

The Defensive Newcomer of the Year was defensive back Domingo Bryant of Texas A&M.

Hilton of Houston.

DALLAS (AP) — Here is the 1982 Associated Press All-Southwest Conference football team: OFFENSE Wide receivers — Gerald McNeill, Baylor,
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Herkie Walls, Texas, Sr., 5-8, 153, Garland,
Quarterback — Lance McIlhenny, SMU,
Jr., 6-0, 195, Dallas,
Running Backs — Eric Dickerson, SMU,
Sr., 6-2, 215, Sealy-, Craig
James, SMU, Sr., 6-1, 220, Houston,
Tight end — Deron Miller, Rice, Sr., 6-4,
217, Perksasie, Pa.
Guards — Joe Beard, SMU, Sr., 8-3, 240,
Waco; and Steve Korte,
Arkanass, Sr., 6-3, 270, Littleton, Colo.
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2 5-5, Crystal City, Mo.
Placekicker — Ricky Gann, Texas Tech,
Soph., 5-9, 174, Arlington,
DEFENSE
Linemen — Gabe Rivera, Texas Tech, Sr.,
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Ray Smith, Arkansas, Sr., 6-3, 228, Plano;

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Linemen — Kevin Chaney, SMU, Earl Buckingham. Arkansas; Russell Washington, SMU; Clenzie Pearson, Rice; Pat Coryat Bert Zinamon, Arkansas; Stan Williams, Texas Tech: and Bobby Strogen, Texas A&M. Secondary — Vic Vines, Baylor: Talvin Eason, Houston; Mossy Cade. Texas, and Domingo Bryant, Texas A&M. Punter — Ron Stowe, Raylor. Coach of the Year — Bobby Collins, SMU, Offensive Player of the Year — Dickersive Player of the Year — Rolfensive Newcomer of the Year — Bryant Texas A&M.

NBA Roundup

76ers, Celtics still tied for first place in Atlantic Division

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD AP Sports Writer

The Philadelphia 76ers and Boston Celtics have battled on even terms for the last three years, trading haymakers against each other while dominating other rivals for conference sumpremacy.

On Tuesday, however, they kept pace in an uncommon way - losing on the same night. The defeats kept them tied for first place in the Atlantic Division of the National Basketball Association with 13-3 records.

The Detroit Pistons, despite missing two starters, defeated the Celtics 123-116 in a game played at Hartford. Conn., while the 76ers lost 111-97 to the Hawks in Atlanta.

"Our best effort of the season, no doubt," Detroit Coach Scotty Robertson said of his 11-6 Pistons. "We got a lead and were able to hold it."

"Whenever we play Philadelphia it's always like a playoff game, and when you beat them it's definitely special," said Eddie Johnson. who led Atlanta with 27 points. "You just get up to play those guys.'

In other NBA games, Golden State beat Phoenix 110-98, Portland topped San outscored Denver 140-129, Los Angeles edged San Antonio 137-132 in double overtime, Milwaukee outlasted

29-21 loss to New England.

Cleveland 88-78, New Jersey defeated Atlanta 112-103 and New York bombed Utah 124-93.

Detroit played without injured regulars Kelly Tripucka and Kent Benson. And another injured starter, John Long, played for the first time in nine.

Boston's eight-game winning streak as Isiah Thomas scored 29 points. Vinnie Johnson 21 and Long 20. "A great win for Detroit, a

But the Pistons snapped

lousy loss for Boston," Boston Coach Bill Fitch said. "Our team defense let us down.' The Pistons broke from a 65-all tie at halftime to lead

by 10 after three quarters as Long scored 11 points in the third period. Then Thomas hit 10 in the

final quarter as Detroit held

off several threats by the Celtics, who got 29 points each from Larry Bird and Robert Parish. Hawks 111, 76ers 97

Johnson has been slowed this year because he was overweight due to medication used to treat manic depresssion, but his 27-point contribution against Philadelphia was the key to Atlanta's victory.

Rookie Dominique Wilkins added 26 points and Dan Diego 121-114, Dallas Roundfield 24 for the Hawks. Moses Malone had 25 points and 24 rebounds for the 76ers. but he was only 7-of-17 from the field and missed eight of

The Hawks broke away

from a 67-67 deadlock after three quarters to score 44 points in the fourth period, using a fast-break offense and trapping defense effectively. Lakers 137, Spurs 132

Los Angeles won its sixth straight game as Kareem Abdul-Jabbar scored 27 points, including six of the Lakers' last eight points in the second overtime.

San Antonio, which got 29 points from Mike Mitchell, led by as many as 19 points and never trailed in regulation play. The Lakers didn't manage their first deadlock until Norm Nixon's basket with no time on the clock tied the score 116-116.

Mavericks 140, Nuggets 129 Mark Aguirre scored 37 points and Dallas fought off several Denver rallies to outlast the Nuggets.

The Mavericks never trailed after taking a 51-50 lead in the second period, and they extended their margin to as many as 13 points in the third quarter. But the Nuggets, who got 34 points from Alex English, cut the deficit to 103-100 going into the fourth period, trailed by one a few minutes later and narrowed the lead to 123-121 with 3:47 to play. But each time Dallas pulled away

Nets 112, Kings 103 points, 11 of them in the final

quarter, and Darwin Cook added 21 to lead New Jersey

over Kansas City The Nets led by as many as 18 points twice in the second quarter. The Kings, who got 29 points from Larry Drew. tied the score on four occasions in the third period. butnever could take the lead.

Knicks 124, Jazz 93

Trent Tucker scored 17 of his 21 points in the third quarter, when New York outscored Utah 40-11 to turn the game into a rout.

The Knicks led only 58-54 at halftime, but they scored the first 12 points in the third quarter, 10 of them by Tucker, to overcome the Jazz, who got 29 points from Darrell Griffith.

Bucks 88. Cavaliers 78 Junior Bridgeman scored 17 of his game-high 20 points in the second half as Milwaukee overcame poor first-half shooting to beat Cleveland

The Bucks missed nine of their first 11 shots and had another drought of two baskets in 14 attempts in the second quarter, but still led 38-34 at halftime.

Warriors 110, Suns 98

Purvis Short scored 40 points and Joe Barry Carroll 24 to help Golden State beat Darryl Dawkins scored 24 Phoenix and break a seven-game losing streak.

Oilers' defense main concern for Biles Manning or Gifford Nielsen, sidelined with a sprained ankle.

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston Oiler Coach Ed Biles already has taken care of a couple of problems by picking a starting quarterback and waiving a punter.

Now comes the hard part. It would be hard to replace an 'The defense is a bother right now,' Biles said. "They've

got to recognize the fact that they can't live on the past. They've got to go out and prove themselves every game.' Biles sidestepped a week of speculation about a starting quarterback Monday by naming Archie Manning to start Sunday against the New York Giants. Biles also waived punter Cliff Parsley, who averaged 33 yards on four punts in Sunday's

The Oiler defense, once the backbone of the Oilers teams that advanced to the NFL playoffs three striaght years, suddenly is a liability.

"If you start trying to live in the past, there is always somebody there to take care of things for you," Biles said. 'Sometimes it's just a step here or there.

'Our tempo just wasn't real good out there. Our defensive line is not getting any surge and the linebackers are not scraping up to fill the gaps. We got beat at the line of

scrimmage both offensively and defensively. Biles did not give a bell-ringing endorsement to either

"Gifford didn't play poorly enough against Pittsburgh to lose the job and Archie didn't play well enough against New England to win the job," Biles said. "But today, we are getting ready for the Giants and to avoid all the speculation, we are saying now that Archie is the starter. 'We haven't made any decisions about next week.'

The Oilers have lost to Pittsburgh and New England on successive weeks since resumption of the NFL schedule. Nielsen suffered a sprained ankle during workouts last week and Manning moved into the starting lineup

Manning directed the Oilers to two late touchdowns, although the last came on a broken play with Manning shoveling the ball to Mike Renfro for the score

"It's frustrating," Nielsen said. "But you can't pay attention to things that are going on around you. I'm just grateful for the chance to be playing pro football. I can't worry about things I have no control over.

Biles said Parsley simply wasn't doing the job 'The biggest problem has been his lack of consistency.'

The Oilers dropped to a 1-3 record Sunday, but Parsley said he didn't feel like a scapegoat for the team's ills. "If they got rid of all the scapegoats, the dressing room

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Richard Attenborough. "This is not a diatribe. I tried to

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Queen Elizabeth, known affectionately to Britons as the "Queen Mum," appeared Tuesday at a fundraising event for the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

She choked on a fishbone during a dinner party last week. After several hours of coughing, she was taken to a London hospital for an operation to remove the object.

Her doctors said the effects of the anesthetic were similar to jet lag. Even so, an aide said she was "in splendid form."

WASHINGTON (AP) - Joy Baker, wife of Sen. Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee, is expected to be released this weekend from Georgetown University Hospital, where

News briefs

LANSING, Mich. (AP) - A woman raped and assaulted by a teen-ager has been awarded \$2 million in a civil suit, but her attorney doubts any money ever will be paid.

An Ingham County Circuit jury granted the award Tuesday to Tammy Jakovac. 21, who was raped, beaten and slashed by her 19-year-old assailant Michael Simons pleaded guilty to the crime in August 1981 and was sentenced to up to 20 years in prison.

Ms. Jakovac's attorney Camille Abood, said payment was "highly unlikely," but if Simons ever obtained property. "We will be able to collect.

CHARLEVOIX, Mich. (AP) — Slightly radioactive waste water found in a septic tank and drain field at a nuclear power plant may have reached a town sewage plant but is not dangerous. plant officials say

"There is no cause for public alarm because (the radioactivity) is far below what the NRC (Nuclear Regulatory Commission) says is safe." Big Rock Point nuclear power plant spokesman Robert Grupp said Tuesday

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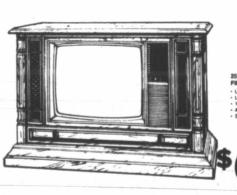
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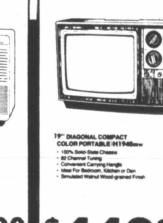
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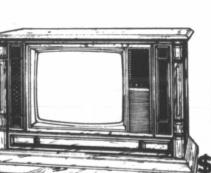
















Pastor promotes little known Wends history

By JOHN MAKEIG **Houston Chronicle**

SERBIN, Texas (AP) - John J. Socha, director of Giddings' Chamber of Commerce, encounters a common reaction from those who spot, for the first time, his large, red-and-white 'KISS ME I'M WENDISH" button.

"They say, 'The who? What's a Wend?" says Socha, a Lutheran pastor who for years has been churning out literature about the Wends, one of Texas' smallest, oldest and least-known ethnic minorities.

Virtually the entire population of this tiny Lee County town is fully aware of who the Wends are and why they chose to settle here.

And around towns such as La Grange, Warda, Dime Box, Winchester and Swiss Alp, which were settled by Wends in the last century, there is nothing mysterious about them. But outside this area, hardly anyone is familiar with the proud group that has been all but assimilated into American culture.

Their assimilation is so complete that in 1982. Wends farmers, store owners, restaurateurs, landowners, schoolteachers and church pastors — are indistinguishable from the very people they once hated and fled Prussia to

The Wends fled Prussia to avoid becoming "Germanized," only to move to Texas and then intermarry with the numerous German immigrants they had as their new neighbors.

Unlike the Amish and other religious groups that stayed together in one small region and worked hard to preserve their heritage, the Wends have all but vanished into Americana. Their language, Wendish, a Slavic mixture of Polish and Czechoslovakian, remains alive only among a handful of older individuals

The very heartland of the area settled by the Wends is a mile from here, set in a grove of trees off a narrow farm road that snakes past oil derricks and farmhouses to the tall, white, solid structure of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, which was built in

Not far from the church, with its balcony pews, raised pulpit, irreplaceable chandeliers and thick walls, sits the Wendish Museum which has, out front, a sign stating "Witaje Knam!" That's Wendish for "Welcome!"

The museum's hand tools, colorful costumes worn by mannequins, aging primers and books, lanterns and farm implements, kitchen gear and memorabilia make up a considerable portion of all the remains of the U.S.-Wendish

Also in the small complex, between the museum, church and Wendish graveyard is the St. Paul's Lutheran Church school, a two-classroom structure that has 66 students in kindergarten through eighth grade. Among them are many descendants of original Wendish settlers, but when they were asked if they could speak - to whatever extent - the Wendish language.

The school's principal, Dan Engler, pointed to a small, glass-enclosed area, near the front entrance, that contains the students' Wendish heritage - a few prayer books, primers and

"That's all there is," says Engler, whose school is supported jointly by members of St. Paul's congregation and a 6-year-old

Socha says the Wends were more or less serfs in Upper Lusatia, a region of the present East Germany that is bounded by the countries of Czechoslovakia and Poland, and the cities of Berlin and Dresden. In the 1800s, the Wends lived in small hamlets, spoke their own language and were diehard Lutherans

Their situation began to change, Socha says, when their forces were defeated by Napoleon's French troops at the Battle of Bautzen in 1803. Thereafter, the Prussians decided to

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Mexico has become the principal supplier of crude oil to the United States, slightly ahead of Saudi Arabia, the National Energy Commission said in a report made public Monday.

The Mexican state petroleum monopoly PEMEX supplied 14.7 percent of all the oil imported by the United States during the first semester of this year, and during the second semester American companies bought 52.5 percent of the oil exported by

Mexican oil exports to the United States averaged 690,000 barrels a day during the third quarter of the year, and are

Mexican oil is the short distance between the two countries. which sharply reduces transportation costs.

better their position, so they freed the serfs, reinforced their army and, in 1817, turned the tables on the French by beating Napoleon.

This led to the formation of the Prussian Union. The Prussians, says Socha, carried matters a step further by calling for a merger of the evangelical, orthodox and reform Lutheran factions and said that, henceforth, there would exist no distinction among the groups.

This didn't set well with the conservative, orthodox Wends, who then numbered 50,000 to 100,000 and were disinclined to give up their religious choice in the face of demands by Germans who held a negative opinion of the Wends.

The catalyst for transplanting the Wends from Eastern Europe to Texas was a young theological student at the University of Leipzig, Jan Kilian, who was among those opposed to a merger of the Lutheran factions. By the 1830s, a group of Wends and anti-Prussian elements already were

beginning to migrate westward to the United States and other more liberal nations

In 1854, just after 200 Wends from Lusatia left by ship for Australia, Kilian led 588 Wendish men, women and children, carrying featherbeds, animals in cages, footlockers filled with tools and other personal goods, on a railroad trek to Hamburg. They reached England in two groups, were reunited, and then sailed for Texas on the 167-foot Australian sailing ship Ben

Between the time they left Lusatia and their arrival in Galveston on Dec. 14, 1854, about 75 Wends had died of childbirth, cholera, old age and more.

They reached the Gulf Coast just in time for another epidemic - yellow fever - and fled Houston, leaving a handful of weary Wends behind, for the wooded, rolling hills of

what is now Lee County. Public construction costs to soar

NEW YORK (AP) - Public construction spending last year amounted to \$53.6 billion for all levels of government, perhaps a significant sum by your estimates but a piddling amount in the view of contractors.

The Associated General Contractors of America are talking real money, at least \$909.9 billion by 1990 to meet documented public works needs: urban water supplies, dams, sewage plants, highways.

High as that figure is, it can be made to look small. "We're looking at the here-and-now, nothing blue-sky" said John Berard, AGC public affairs director. Some estimates, he claims, are up to \$3 trillion by the year 2000.

Such vast numbers put the contractors in a position in which the question becomes one of who benefits most, they or the public. For effect, they must stress the public good. For credibility, they cannot deny the private gain.

Recognizing the terrible state of budgets at every level of government, Berard said, the contractors concentrated only on those projects that should not or cannot be postponed. Credibility enters the picture at this point because AGC

members perform 80 percent of all domestic construction. The association, therefore, has carefully culled its figures mainly from official or semi-official sources.

Commenting on a recent AGC publication, "Our Fractured Framework," which contains the documentation and arguments, Berard attempts to show the problems when society's physical structure collapses.

But of course the AGC isn't forgetting itself. Construction has been depressed. In 1980 it accounted for \$240 billion of the nation's gross national product; in 1981, \$236 billion; and in 1982, only \$225 billion. Unemployment in construction is close to twice the 10.4 percent national average, with about 1.3 million workers idle. And bankruptcy is higher than in other

"It would be foolish for me to tell you our members won't do this work when it comes on line." said Berard. But he insists that money spent on the so-called "infrastructure" would convey employment benefits far beyond his own.

He cites government estimates that \$1 billion spent on highway projects creates 13,000 on-site, or direct, construction jobs, and another 50,000 indirect and "induced" jobs.

They stayed on the farms dressed up as women to avoid. recruiters, and others went to Wisconsin to avoid the draft." Lammert says.

Meanwhile, the Wends, who had fought against relinquishing their Wendish language in favor of the Prussian-endorsed German, found themselves surrounded by German immigrants and German-speaking neighbors.

"The very language they despised in Europe suddenly became very helpful to them," says Lammert. "And the German people in Giddings owned land right next to them, and they were no better off than the Wends. So they got along. And a lot of them started intermarrying with the Germans and forgot they were Wends."

Over the decades, Wendish settlers moved to the Port Arthur area to work in refineries, others spread to Austin and Fort Worth, and still others went back to the Houston area to

The Wends, thus, were almost wholly absorbed into the Texas population, and the language began to disappear.

"The language really is gone now," Lammert says, "and it's hard to preserve a heritage and a people without a language.

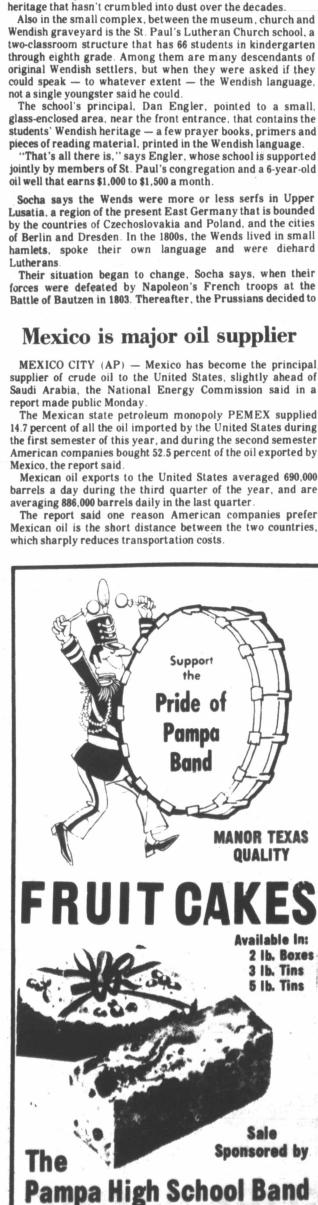
Socha says the Wends, whose hopes had been buoyed along by glowing reports they'd received the previous year from Wends who had come to Texas, arrived at the Colorado River and found land selling for the lofty price of \$1.50 an acre. They couldn't afford it, Socha says.

So they settled for 50-cent-an-acre, stony land and eked along, living in dugouts and shanties during a three-year legal process before they finally were declared owners of the

Ted Lammert, 74, a retired schoolteacher in Katy and president of the Texas Wendish Heritage Society, says his ancestors had so much trouble getting their initital crops going they had to live off then-plentiful game and every so often traveled by wagon to Houston and Mexico to swap cotton for

They'd barely arrived, says Lammert, before the Civil War began and Confederate recruiters began trying to conscript young Wends into the Southern army. Since they'd fled Europe to avoid slavery, says Lammert, the Wends were far from pleased to be forced into service to fight on behalf of a causa that called for the continuation of slavery for blacks.





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