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## President's half-brother killed

LEBANON, Tenn. (AP) — Leslie Henry King, President Ford's 53-year-old half brother, was killed today when his car collided head on with a tractor-trailer loaded with pipe, police said.

Ford learned of King's death shortly after 7 a.m. when King's widow called the President, a White House spokesman said. There was no immediate word whether Ford would attend the funeral.

State police Sgt. Ron Hill said King's car was westbound in the eastbound lane of Interstate 40 about 5 1/4 miles west of this central Tennessee town when it hit the tractor-trailer. King, a resident of Cookeville,

Tenn., where he owned an auto parts store, was alone in the car and apparently was killed outright, Hill said.

The driver of the tractor-trailer, Billy Hudson, was not injured, Hill said.

Hill said it took more than an hour to cut King's body from the tangled wreckage.

Witnesses told police that King had been driving in the wrong direction for several miles, Hill said.

Operators of Citizens Band radios who saw King driving the wrong way said they tried unsuccessfully to warn him off the highway.

His body was taken to McFarland Hospital in Lebanon.

Hill said an investigation would be made.

King was one of three children born to Ford's father, Leslie L. King, by a second marriage.

President Ford, born in Omaha, Neb., in 1913, was the only child of the first marriage and originally was named Leslie L. King Jr.

His parents divorced in 1915, and the following year his mother married Gerald R. Ford of Grand Rapids, Mich., who adopted the baby and renamed him. Mrs. Ford subsequently bore three other sons.

Ford did not learn until he was a teenager that he was the adopted son of his mother's second husband.

King, who also was a hunting guide, said he recalled first meeting his half-brother when Ford was an assistant football coach at Yale University in New Haven, Conn., where Ford attended law school.

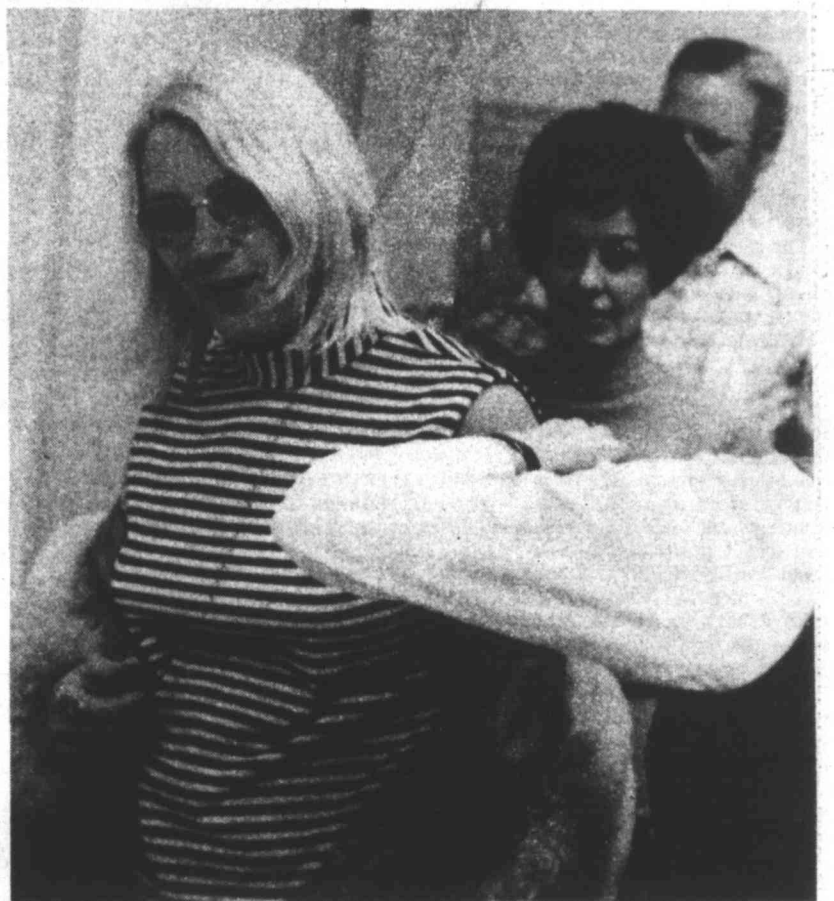
During the years that followed, they exchanged letters and met whenever Ford's political trips took him into Tennessee.

After Ford became president in 1974, King, who was a member of the state Republican executive committee, invited him to visit the state. He said then he felt closer personally to Ford than to either of his two full sisters "because of our political

thinking."

King was an active supporter of Ford's recent election campaign in Tennessee. While campaigning in the

state, he indicated he was thinking of seeking office himself, saying he might "run for something instead of somebody."



(Photo by Troy Bryant)

CONTINUING OPERATION — Marsha Dean took time off Wednesday to get her swine flu shot at the County Health Department. Marsha is one of 2,906 local persons who have received inoculations against the disease. The shots will be offered to the public from 8 to 11 a.m., and again from 1 until 4 p.m., next Wednesday.

## Gilmore due to be shot Monday

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — As death penalty opponents met to map strategy to stop the Monday sunrise execution of convicted killer Gary Gilmore, the Utah state prison warden said today he is preparing to carry it out.

Warden Sam Smith said details of the firing squad execution will be geared to accomplish the execution "in the way most efficient and without complications."

He said he was preparing "whatever detail has to be taken care of. There are a number of details relative to the whole situation."

He would not say whether he would grant Gilmore's request to face his executioners standing and without a blindfold. The condemned men at previous Utah executions have been seated and hooded.

Dabney to map strategy. Some indicated they would act independently in court today regardless of what others did.

Dabney predicted the case eventually will go to the U.S. Supreme Court.

The time of the execution, two days after Gilmore's 36th birthday, was set by District Court Judge J. Robert Bullock.

Robert Van Sciver, an attorney for other Utah convicts, said, "It's really going to be a concerted effort on the part of a lot of interest groups. We just want to be certain there isn't any

overlap" in plans to stop the execution.

Asked how Gilmore, who has consistently fought for a speedy execution, would react to a delaying appeal, his attorney, Ronald Stanger, said, "I don't think he would be happy."

If carried out on schedule, Gilmore's execution would be the first in the United States since June 2, 1967, when Luis Jose Monge died in Colorado's gas chamber.

In Texas, convicted murderer Robert Excell White, 30, is scheduled to die in the electric chair four days

later on Dec. 10. However, White's attorney appealed to a justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, who referred the request to the full court. There was no indication when the court would act.

The National Weather Service said sunrise in Salt Lake City on Monday will be at 7:37 MST.

Gilmore had said he wanted a six-pack of beer as his last meal, but he has been on a hunger strike since Nov. 19 because officials refuse to let him talk with his girl friend, Nicole Barrett, 20. She was confined to a mental hospital on her mother's orders after she and Gilmore took sleeping pills in an abortive suicide pact on Nov. 16.

## Focalpoint

**Action/reaction: Bird doing well**

Q. What ever happened to the hawk left at the Herald, which apparently had been shot?

A. The hawk is in fair condition at a bird hospital in Midland, and under the close supervision of Mrs. W.S. Erskine. Contrary to previous veterinary diagnosis, the bird has no symptoms of ever being shot.

According to Mrs. Erskine, the hawk is an immature "RedTail" that is exceptionally small for its age, and at the time the Big Spring Herald was given the bird, it was nearly starved to death.

As of now he is resting comfortably on a heating pad, and dining on vitamin B and tidbits of rabbit and mice. Thanks to Mrs. Erskine's installation, the bird is going to make it.

**Calendar: Frolics**

TODAY

8 p.m. City Auditorium, Festival Frolics, admission \$1 per person, presented by Ricks College, located in Rexburg, Idaho, and owned by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

8 p.m. Jazz concert, high school auditorium sponsored by the Big Spring Band Boosters, admission \$1.

SATURDAY

Swap 'n Shop Sale at Webb AFB recreation center, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Open to public.

Mexican dinner, High School cafeteria, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. sponsored by the Big Spring Band Boosters. Dinner \$2.50 each, tamales to go, \$2.50 per dozen.

**Offbeat: Callers go ape**

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Coleman and Katherine Powers have fallen victim to the King Kong-mania inspired by a new production of the classic film about the giant ape who terrorized New York City.

Their telephone number is practically the same as the one for the Cleveland Free Clinic, which is sponsoring a Dec. 17 benefit showing of the new movie.

"It's been a nerve-racking experience," Mrs. Powers said. "As fast as we would hang up, the telephone would ring again. We've had at least 600 telephone calls at all hours of the day and night."

Akron-area callers who forget to put the number one before the clinic's number get through to the Powers.

"We can't keep our telephone off the hook and we don't want to change numbers," Mrs. Powers said. "We've been patient and tolerant as long as we can."

**TV's best: Romantic idol**

Tonight will be "The Legend of Valentino," a documentary of the romantic film idol of the 20's, that can be viewed on the public tv station at 7:00.

At nine o'clock a great film called "Life With Father" starring William Powell and Elizabeth Taylor, will be aired on CBS.

**Inside: Plane victims found**

MEXICAN PEASANTS find wreckage of plane, bodies of screwworm eradication team from U.S. in rugged mountain country of northern Mexico. See p. 8A.

STATE COMMISSION on Jail Standards adopts rule saying at least 30 per cent of the space in each Texas jail must consist of single-inmate cells. See p. 8B.

FEDERAL OFFICIAL says pesticide made in Houston plant may be cause of nerve disorders that affected several workers at the facility. See p. 9A.

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**Outside: Sunny, mild**

Steady winds today and tonight will bring sunny and mild weather today, clear and cold tonight, and partly cloudy and warmer tomorrow. High today in the mid 50s, low tonight in the mid 20s, high tomorrow near 60. Winds will be from the west at 10-15-miles-per-hour today, 5-10 tonight.



## Frasier takes 'lateral' transfer to former home

Texas Ranger George Frasier announced today his Jan. 1, 1977 transfer to Eastland to man a new office for the Rangers.

Frasier, who was born in Eastland County and finished the second grade there, requested the "lateral" transfer to the new post despite his struggles to Big Spring. He will be responsible for three counties in his new job: Eastland, Callahan, and Stephens.



GEORGE FRASIER

Said Frasier, "My wife, Faye, is from Arkansas and I'm from central Texas, so we're headed towards home."

"Eastland is just about as far east as you can go and still remain in the same Ranger company," he said, "I enjoy working with 'E' company and I want to continue."

"But it would be very easy not to go now. We have made a lot of friends in Big Spring in the two years we've been here."

Frasier came to Big Spring from Odessa where he had worked seven years in the Highway Patrol. Howard

County was his first appointment as a Ranger, and he was Howard County's first Ranger. He will also be opening the Eastland office.

Frasier said he is proudest of the Town and Country and Seven-Eleven robbery case he has been working on. Frasier praises the cooperation he has had with the police department, particularly with Det. Avery Falkner.

Concerning the move, Frasier said, "I understand Eastland has a football program. They'll be getting a couple of good ones when we move."

Frasier's sons Rusty and Johnny play for the Coahoma Bulldogs and the Bulldog J.V. His son Scotty played Gra-Y football. Frasier also has a daughter, Debbie.

Big Spring will have Ranger Thomas Edward Almond posted to replace Frasier. Almond has served nine and a half years with the Highway Patrol in Greenville. Big Spring will be Almond's first post as a Ranger.

## Connally says executions should be featured on TV

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Former Texas Gov. John B. Connally says the execution of convicted prisoners should be nationally televised to serve as a deterrent to crime.

"I just happen to believe the death penalty is a deterrent and the more dramatically it can be demonstrated, the more dramatic is the deterrent," Connally told a newsman for radio station KBUC after a dinner address here Wednesday night.

Connally said that if death row convicts are not executed, they should



be imprisoned until their natural deaths.

"There have to be certain rules, certain disciplines within an orderly society," said Connally. "Heinous crimes have to be punished severely and swiftly."

"The only acceptable alternative that I know would be to incarcerate murderers for life. And I really mean life — no parole under any circumstances," he added.

Connally said he has always been a supporter of capital punishment for certain crimes.

Announcing the long-expected decision, Rumsfeld said, "We have concluded that proceeding with this contract approach is in the national interest" because of the momentum of Soviet strategic weapons buildup, and because the plane, which has been under development for six years, is ready to be built.

**Drys continue to win by 61**

LAMESA — There apparently are 61 more dries than there are in Justice Precinct 2 in Dawson County, no doubt about it.

On Wednesday, the election to decide on off-premises sale of beer in that precinct was defeated by a margin of 162-101. This is a difference of 61 voters.

In April, when an election was held in that same precinct on off-premises sale of any alcoholic beverage, the vote was 179 against and 118 for with a 61 vote difference.

The precinct includes Ackerly, Sprenburg and the extreme south of Dawson County.

FINA EMPLOYEES HONORED — Paul D. Meek (third from right), shows one of the diamond-studded gold emblems awarded to 39 area employees of American Petrofina during a Service Awards program held following a dinner at the Big Spring Country Club Wednesday evening. From the left are M. B. Taylor, T. C. Early, recognized as the individual having

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## Gift wrapping service by scouts inexpensive

The Senior Girl Scouts will again operate a gift wrapping service in the Highland Mall from noon to 5:30 p.m. on each of the Saturdays in December. The girls specialize in quick but efficient service.

Prices start at 10 cents. In most cases, boxes can be provided at no extra cost.

Money realized from the service will help the seniors with their on-going projects this year. The troop's main project currently is providing the leadership for the Junior Troop 36. Members are also active on the

Senior Planning Board of the West Texas Girl Scout Council.

Diana Garcia serves as the president of the board, Jerri Davey is vice president and Pat Ferguson is editor of the senior newsletter. Miss Davey also represents the council on a six-council committee that is planning a senior retreat in March at Camp Boothe Oaks, near Sweetwater.

The scouts urge the public to come by and take advantage of their "wrap while you wait" service.

## Parochial schools having hard time keeping nuns in teaching

By CANDY SMITH

Fewer nuns exist today in the Catholic church than 10 years ago. Many parish schools around the country are losing nuns both to careers other than teaching within the order and to family life outside the order.

Those who remain, and those who have entered recently, have adapted to a different and still changing role in the church. A role which has left behind the security of tradition as well as the limitations. Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic parish and

school is "still essentially the same" although it is one that has been forced to operate without the long cherished 'sisters' it housed up until last year," said Virginia Ross, principal.

"Even though we miss them terribly, we have to be broad enough to realize that they simply left for other interests," said Mrs. Wayne Rock, who supervises the day care center now housed in the old living quarters of the departed Sisters of the Immaculate Heart.

Many parents who at first doubted the quality of education, especially the religious education that would be continued in the absence of the "dedicated professionals," said Mrs. Ross, are finding that the things which distinguished the school, catechism, training in discipline and respect, have not changed.

"I've bent over backwards as far as keeping it the same," she added.

It is the new life and role of today's Catholic nun that has changed.

Catholic nuns, within the last ten years or so, have been permitted to live much as ordinary parishioners might, including lifestyles and clothing. The habits were discarded for street wear by those who wished. Other restrictions were lifted in an attempt to bring the sisters closer to their parishioners.

It used to be that the Mother Superior of a particular order would simply assign each nun to a parish and position there. Today, in the field of teaching, the Mother Superiors may offer a contract to members of her order. The school board has an option in approving the contract as does the sister in accepting it.

"It all stems from Vatican II," believes Mrs. Ross, and the new ideas which resulted from it. Many nuns are expanding their work into social areas.

Many other young women today are finding that the revered and cloistered image they have of religious life does not exist anymore to the degree that it once did.

"When you take off the habit (traditional nun's clothing) a little of the respect you were held in so highly may be lost," said Mrs. Ross.

Whereas before, all needs of the order's members were met by the Mother Superior, today members are expected to support themselves, said Mrs. Rock. They are having to take financial responsibility for themselves.

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## Annual Christmas punch party set

The Ladies Golf Association will sponsor its annual Christmas punch party 11:30 a.m. tomorrow, Nov. 3 in the Big Spring Country Club. The party will be followed by a regular business meeting, said Mrs.

Louise McAdams, president.

Reservations should be made with the Big Spring Country Club. The new state of officers will be announced and other business will follow during the lunch.

## Marketbasket bill more encouraging

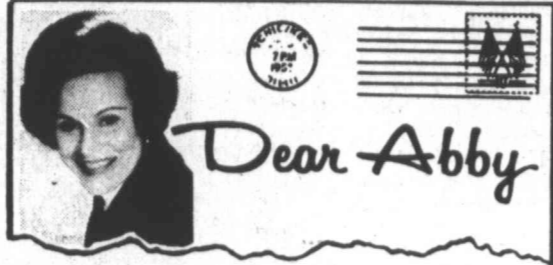
By LOUISE COOK Grocery shoppers managed to break even last month. An Associated Press marketbasket survey shows prices remained stable during November, with increases and decreases generally balancing each other out on a nationwide basis.

and has rechecked on or about the start of each succeeding month.

The latest survey showed that the marketbasket total of the checklist store increased in six cities — up an average of 2.3 per cent — and decreased in six — down an average of 2.6 per cent. The total was unchanged in the 13th city, Los Angeles.

The AP drew up a random list of 15 commonly purchased food and nonfood items, checked the price at one supermarket in each of 13 cities on March 1, 1973,

On an overall, nationwide basis, the marketbasket bill at the checklist stores declined one-tenth of a per cent during November.



## Suspects in-law's brotherly love

DEAR ABBY: Before my husband and I were married, he and his sister not only shared an apartment, they slept together in a double bed! (They were both over 21 at the time.)

I told him I didn't think this was normal. He said nothing happened between them, and I had a dirty mind. Even today, every time they meet she kisses him on the lips. She is still unmarried, and if anyone asks her how come, she says, "Because I've never met anybody as wonderful as my brother."

Abby, I think my sister-in-law is in love with her brother. Is that possible, or am I jealous for no reason? I suppose I should mention that if it weren't for the strange relationship between these two, my husband would be a perfect husband.

What are your thoughts on this?

ANONYMOUS

DEAR ANONYMOUS: It's possible that your sister-in-law is "in love" with her brother, but you say he is otherwise a perfect husband, so it's obvious that he isn't in love with her. I agree that it was highly irregular for a brother and sister of their ages to be sleeping together, but it IS possible that nothing happened. Forget it.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 20-year-old girl and very nice-looking, or so people tell me, but I've got to be the loneliest girl in Toronto, Canada!

I'm rather shy, and I'm not the type to sit in a bar and make eyes at a stranger. I go to dances with my girlfriends on the weekends, but I always wind up going home with the girls I came with.

The men stare, but they never ask me to dance. Why is it that men don't ask nice-looking girls to dance, Abby? Are they afraid we may think they aren't good enough for us?

I'm sure other girls wonder about this, too. Can you help us?

DEAR PRETTY: Being pretty has never been a disadvantage, so there must be another reason. How's your attitude? Do you act superior? Or disinterested? If a girl (whether she's pretty or plain) will meet a fellow halfway, she's got it made.

DEAR ABBY: The problem of "adoptive parents" in your column recently was one we faced many years ago. When we brought home a beautiful little baby girl, many of our friends and neighbors were inquisitive and wanted to know the details. On the advice of our pediatrician, we stood our ground and told them nothing.

When they asked, "Where did you get her?" we looked them in the eye and replied, "She's OURS. And we have the papers to prove it."

Or when they asked, "Do you know anything about her parents?" we replied, "WE are her parents, and we know each other very well."

They may have been momentarily offended, but they understood that to question us further was useless.

MUM'S THE WORD IN KENOSHA

DEAR MUM'S: Another way to handle people who ask questions that are none of their business is to look them squarely in the eye and ask, "Why do you want to know?"

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (24¢) envelope.

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 RATH 1-LB. SLICED **89¢**

**PORK ROAST** BOSTON BUTT LB. **59¢**

**BACON** RATH 1-LB. SLICED **\$1.39**

**FRYERS** FRESH DRESSED LB. **39¢**

**T-BONE STEAKS** LB. **\$1.59**

**PORK CHOPS** LEAN FIRST CUT LB. **89¢**

**TOMATOES** FRESH VINE RIPE LB. **29¢**

**ONIONS** NEW CROP YELLOW SWEET **7 1/2¢ LB.**

**AVOCADOS** CALIF. MED. SIZE **6 \$1**

**POTATOES** NEW CROP RUSSETS 10 LB. BAG **59¢**

**JEWEL** GIANT 42-OZ. **89¢**

**JOY** LIQUID 22-OZ. BOTTLE **69¢**

**CORN** KOUNTY KIST 16-OZ. CAN **4 \$1**

**TOMATO JUICE** LIBBY GIANT 46-OZ. **49¢**

**GREEN BEANS** DEL MONTE 16-OZ. CUT **4 \$1**

**PEAS** JOAN OF ARC EARLY PEAS 16-OZ. CANS **4 \$1**

**PINTOS** NEW CROP BULK 5 LBS. **5 \$1**

**CRISCO** 3-LB. CAN **\$1.39**

**CORN** DEL MONTE 16 OZ. CANS **3 \$1**

**PEACHES** COCK'O THE WALK GIANT 29-OZ. CAN **39¢**

**CAKE MIXES** BETTY CROCKER 6 VARIETIES **49¢ PKG.**

**PEAS** DEL MONTE 17-OZ. CANS **3 \$1**

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## Farm Conservation assistance

The Howard County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Services have announced their new sign-up for conservation measures.



SANDRA KILLOUGH  
**'The Marvels of Microwave'**

Due to the increasing interest in microwave cooking, Texas Electric Service Company will be presenting "The Marvels of Microwave" in place of its annual Christmas program this year.

In order to accommodate the public, the workshop is scheduled for two sessions. The same information will be presented in each session. The programs will be presented on Dec. 7, from 7 to 9 and again on Dec. 9 from 1 to 3 p.m. in the TESCO Reddy Room, 409 Funnels.

Mrs. Sandra Killough, TESCO home economist, will be conducting the workshops with the assistance of the Creative Homemakers Club and Howard County Extension Agent, Miss Jan Sargent.

Various brands from local dealers will be used and on display during the program. Some of these local dealers are: Texas Discount, Wheat's Appliances, G...  
The workshop is open to the public and husbands are welcome. So that TESCO might better plan audience seating, employees of the firm would appreciate those planning to attend calling their office at 267-6383 and notifying them if you plan to attend and which session you will be attending.

measures are those practices which the Howard County ASCS committee feels will improve or maintain conservation for soil and water.

The committee, composed of Buddy Barr, Donnie Reid and Neil Fryar are farmers elected to their post by fellow farmers and ranchers to oversee this program as well as others under ASCS jurisdiction in Howard County.

The county program is reviewed and approved by the state ASCS committee composed of five farmers and ranchers from throughout the state.

The state committee approves funds to counties to improve or maintain conservation within their county. The county committee then processes each application and determines the need and the particular benefit the practice could derive. This allows the committee to choose which practices signed up for applications of cost share can provide the most benefit.

The practices for which a farmer or rancher may sign for and be eligible for cost share assistance at half the cost include:

—Brush control (root plowing, tree dozing). This practice is for pasture land improvement only and cannot be put into crop land.

—Establishment of permanent cover on pasture or cropland.

—Construction of livestock tanks.

—Construction of terraces, diversion, parallel or standard.

—Construction of waterways.

—Application of cotton burrs as a wind erosion measure.

—Construction of concrete water storage tanks for livestock water.

—Drilling and casing of waterwells.

—Livestock water pipelines.

The county committee has funds available for the 1977...

...should contact the Howard County ASCS office, phone 267-2557 or visit them at the Federal Building in room 208.

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## Weather

### Dense fog socks South Texas

By the Associated Press  
Some dense fog was reported in South Texas between the Lower Rio Grande Valley and the gulf coast and some rain was reported between Houston and Victoria early today to mar an otherwise perfect day.

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	50	32
Amarillo	50	30
Chicago	29	24
Denver	40	24
Detroit	26	18
Ft. Worth	50	30
Houston	50	30
Los Angeles	52	31
Miami	76	64
New Orleans	58	34
Richmond	39	23
St. Louis	33	19
San Francisco	45	32
Seattle	39	34
Washington, D.C.	38	34

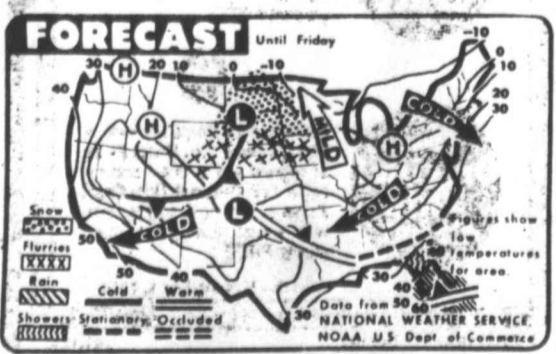
**FORECAST**  
WEST TEXAS: Sunny and mild today. Clear and cold tonight. Partly cloudy Friday. Cooler panhandle. Warmer south and west. Highs today mostly 50s. Lows tonight mainly 20s. Highs Friday 40s. Panhandle to 60s south.

**EXTENDED FORECAST**  
WEST TEXAS: Generally clear Saturday through Monday. Turning cooler central and south Saturday and Saturday night. Highest low 50s Panhandle to the upper 60s Big Bend. Lowest lower 20s Panhandle to the mid 30s extreme south.

Skies were clear over the rest of the state and forecasters said the fog would burn away and the rain would end, giving almost perfect weather to the entire state today. A warming trend was to continue, with temperatures expected to reach the 50s and 60s statewide.

Early morning temperatures ranged from a bone-chilling eight degrees at Marfa in Southwest Texas to a comfortable 52 at Brownsville in the Valley. Other early morning readings included 29 at Amarillo, 27 at Wichita Falls, 32 at Tyler, 30 at Waco, 40 at San Antonio, 43 at Houston, 45 at Alice, 37 at Del Rio, 24 at El Paso and 28 at Lubbock.

Del Rio and Junction both had highs of 60 Wednesday for the warm spot in the state while Marfa recorded 10 degrees early Wednesday for the state's coldest early morning low.



**WEATHER FORECAST** — Snow is forecast today for the northern Plains states with the weather changing to snow flurries in the central Plains states. Rain and showers are predicted for most of Florida. Temperatures will remain cold over the eastern half of the nation but the weather will be a little warmer in the Rockies and western Plains.

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Attorneys dominate

## Congress profile

WASHINGTON (AP) — A typical member of the House of Representatives in the next Congress will be five years younger than his Senate counterpart, slightly less educated, somewhat less certain to be a white male, and more than twice as likely to be a Catholic.

These are findings from an Associated Press survey of demographics of House and Senate members who are to take their seats next month.

The study also shows that new members are somewhat less likely to be lawyers than are returning senators and representatives. But as a group, attorneys still dominate the law-making bodies.

Here is a rundown on characteristics of the next Congress:

—AGE: House members average 40 years, senators 54. But about half the 67 new House members are under 40 and four are under 30. Despite an apparent infusion of youth, the average age of 49 is the same as when the 94th Congress began two years ago. Three new senators are under 40, but one, S.I. Hayakawa of California, is 70. Only four of the 536 members of the House or Senate were born before 1900.

—EXPERIENCE: Members who have served two terms or less will constitute a narrow majority in the House, where the seniority system of picking committee chairmen took a beating two years ago. Only 36 of the 436 members have served more than 10 terms. In the Senate, 18 of the 100 members are new and 30 others have served all or part of only one six-year term.

—RACE: Five per cent of the House and 4 per cent of the Senate is composed of racial or ethnic minorities. In the House, that includes 16 blacks, four Spanish-surnamed members and two of Oriental descent. In the Senate, there is one black and three of Oriental descent, including two newly elected members.

—SEX: There are no women in the Senate, 17 in the House.

—EDUCATION: In the Senate, 79 per cent of the members have advanced degrees and just 3 per cent have less than a college degree. In the House, 64 per cent hold a post-graduate degree, while 9 per cent have less than a college diploma.

—RELIGION: Of those whose affiliation is known, 72 per cent in the Senate and 64 per cent in the House are Protestants. Catholics make up 27 per cent of the House and 12 per cent of the Senate.

—FAMILY: Eighty-six per cent of House members and 98 per cent of senators are married. The number of children per member averages just under three.

—OCCUPATION: Forty-nine per cent of the House and 65 per cent of the Senate were lawyers. But the November elections showed a slight trend away from lawyers in the election of new members.

In the Senate, 56 of the 93 returning senators, or 60 per cent, are lawyers. But of the 17 newly elected senators, only eight are lawyers. The 18th new senator, Wendell Anderson of Minnesota, who will be appointed to fill a vacancy, also is a lawyer.

In the House, just under 50 per cent of the 373 returning members are lawyers. But among the 67 newcomers, the percentage of lawyers drops to 42. Among House members elected two years ago, 45 per cent were lawyers, which at that time was eight points below the proportion of then-incumbent members who were lawyers.

## Energy

### Borden County has re-entry

A re-entry in Borden County was included in the mid-week oil activity in the Oil Patch.

Third producer and a location east extension apparently was assured to the Lucy, North (Pennsylvania oil) field of Borden County with the swabbing of 149 barrels of oil, along with 120 barrels of formation water, in 7 1/2 hours at Mitchell Energy Corp., Houston, No. 1-27 Morris Miller, in 277-97-G&TC, 10 miles east of Gairi.

Recovery was through perforations at 7,902-04 feet. Testing continued.

Slated as an 8,650-foot wildcat, it was drilled to 8,134 feet and plugged back to 8,001 feet.

It indicated gas production with the flowing of gas at the rate of 5.7 million cubic-feet daily and the recovery of 2,484 feet of heavily gas-cut mud and 100 feet of oil and gas cut mud, along with 1,719 feet of water, on a drillstem test at 7,900-026.



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## Sands senior to submit speech on 'What America Means To Me'

Lisa Martin, Ackerly resident and senior at Sands High School, will represent Howard County at the district competition in the Veterans of Foreign Wars Voice of Democracy Contest. Each contestant is required to submit a taped speech on the subject of "What America Means To Me." All speeches must be

composed completely by the contestant. Lisa's tape will be sent to the VFW District Commander in Odessa on Dec. 6, the deadline for all applicants. Her composition will then be placed into competition with entries from a five-county area which includes the cities of Big Spring, Midland, Odessa, Andrews and many

others. The winner of this competition will then vie for the state championship, followed by a trip to Washington, D.C. for the national competition. Those lucky enough to place in the national competition will receive a \$10,000 scholarship for first prize, a \$5,000 scholarship for second, a \$3,000 scholarship for third, and a number of scholarships for other finishers.

## Bond sales hit \$549,396

September sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Howard County were reported today by County Bond Chairman Jimmy Taylor. Sales for the nine-month period totaled \$549,396 for 78 per cent of the

1976 sales goal of \$700,000. Texas sales during the month amounted to \$21,049,985, while sales for the first nine months of 1976 totaled \$198,746,369 with 73 per cent of the yearly sales goal of \$272.4 million achieved.



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**NOMINEE FROM ACKERLY** — Lisa Martin (center), will represent Howard County in district competition in the VFW Voice of Democracy Contest. With Lisa are Pauline Petty, longtime member of the VFW Auxiliary and George Dreher, VFW representative.

## Wrecked plane with five bodies found in Mexico

MISSION, Tex. (AP) — Two Mexican peasants ended a massive two-day search for a missing U.S. Agriculture Department DC3 Wednesday when they stumbled upon the plane's wreckage and the bodies of its five occupants in the rugged mountains of northern Mexico.

Dr. M.E. Meadows Jr., director of the Southwest Screwworm Eradication Program here, confirmed Wednesday night that the wreckage and the bodies of an insect dispersal team had been found in a remote area about 150 miles south of the Rio Grande.

"Word has been received that it was our airplane and there were no survivors," Meadows said in a brief

statement. The aircraft, on a screwworm fly-distribution flight from Mission, Tex. to Tampico, Mex., had been missing since Tuesday.

Those aboard the plane were identified as pilot Lee F. Raybourn of Edinburg, co-pilot James F. Hoyle of Mission and insect dispersers Paul Faris of Mission, Lupe Puente of Edinburg and Urbano Garcia of Edinburg.

USDA spokesman Don Nielson said the two Mexicans told local authorities Wednesday afternoon they had seen a "machine" with bodies in it. U.S. and Mexican officials made their way through the desolate, mountainous terrain on horseback to the

crash site, about 40 miles north of Ciudad Victoria, where they made the identification.

The site is inaccessible to surface vehicles, Nielson said.

The crash site is approximately 15 miles from where airplane wreckage was rumored to have been found earlier Wednesday.

A massive ground and air search by U.S. and Mexican officials had been underway since Tuesday afternoon when the plane failed to make its scheduled landing at Tampico.

The craft left Mission Tuesday morning on a three-hour flight during which crew members were to drop boxes of sterile flies over Mexican territory.

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\$20	444	1 in 24,714	1 in 1,901	1 in 951
\$10	888	1 in 12,357	1 in 951	1 in 475
\$5	5,001	1 in 2,194	1 in 186	1 in 84
\$2	7,824	1 in 1,402	1 in 100	1 in 54
\$1	28,291	1 in 375	1 in 29	1 in 14
TOTAL	43,810	1 in 285	1 in 18	1 in 10

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Delicious	<b>Perch Fillets</b>	Lb. <b>89<sup>c</sup></b>
Fillet	<b>Red Snapper</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.19</b>
Fillet of	<b>Flounder</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.19</b>
Pink	<b>Salmon Steaks</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.39</b>

Fresh Boston Butt

### Pork Roast

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Lean Meaty Beef	<b>Short Ribs</b>	Lb. <b>59<sup>c</sup></b>
"Chuck Quality" Lean	<b>Ground Beef</b>	Lb. <b>99<sup>c</sup></b>
Heavy Aged Beef Boneless	<b>Top Round Steak</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.49</b>
Heavy Aged Beef Bottom Round Or Rump	<b>Boneless Roast</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.29</b>
Center Cut	<b>Pork Chops</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.49</b>

Fresh

### Spare Ribs

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Lb.

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**PORK SPECIALS**

Smoked	<b>Pork Hocks</b>	Lb. <b>89<sup>c</sup></b>
Boston Butt	<b>Pork Roast</b>	Lb. <b>88<sup>c</sup></b>
Half or Whole	<b>Loin Roast</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.08</b>
Breakfast, Wafer Thin	<b>Pork Chops</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.79</b>
Country Style	<b>Spare Ribs</b>	Lb. <b>\$1.19</b>

Fresh Boston Butt Cut

### Pork Steaks

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Red Hot Smoked	<b>Link Sausage</b>	Lb. <b>99<sup>c</sup></b>
Farmer Jones	<b>Sliced Bologna</b>	12-oz. Pkg. <b>99<sup>c</sup></b>
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May be cause of nerve disorders

# Pesticide probe pressed

DALLAS (AP) — A pesticide manufactured in a Houston chemical plant may be the cause of nerve diseases that have affected several workers at the facility, a federal official says.

The possible connection has set off a search for as many as 100 former employees at the Velsicol Chemical Corp. plant, said George Pettigrew, regional consultant for the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) in Dallas.

The pesticide, lephthophos, was manufactured at the plant from 1971 until the company ceased production of the material in January 1976.

NIOSH.

"EPA expressed concern that a toxic pesticide was being produced at the plant and wondered about its effect on employees," Pettigrew said.

Pettigrew said some of the affected workers had symptoms similar to those associated with multiple sclerosis. Other employees have complained of such symptoms as dizziness, blurred vision, vomiting and, in some cases, a general failure of muscular coordination.

In the company's Chicago home office, spokesman Sander Allen said lephthophos, sold by the company under the brand name of Phosvel, had never been

licensed in the U.S.

"As soon as we became aware of the serious potential occupational health problem, we retained independent medical experts to review the health of our employees," Allen said. "We have reported fully on this matter to the appropriate government agencies."

Pettigrew said the firm has cooperated in the investigation.

"Most of our concern is directed toward past employees who might be experiencing some neurological symptoms," Pettigrew said. "We want to track them down to insure that any attending physician knows of the possible pesticide connection."

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# Health agency plays detective

Detective work is supposed to be the special province of the police — but it's a part of the everyday routine at the Texas Department of Health Resources. Every time the state's public health agency receives a serum or tissue specimen from a physician, hospital, or local health facility, it's up to the technicians and scientists of the Bureau of Laboratories to determine what diseases, if any, the specimen reveals.

About one and three-quarters million laboratory tests are performed each year by the department's central laboratories in Austin, and another one and a quarter million are done by the 24 regional laboratories around the state. In the past year, such major health problems as brucellosis, St. Louis encephalitis, tularemia, rabies, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, and leptospirosis have been detected through standardized laboratory procedures — along with more routine, but equally serious, ailments such as influenza and venereal disease.

This amount of work, and its quality, may be surprising to many people. But in professional circles, the state health department's laboratory is considered one of the best in the country.

In fact, the central laboratory in Austin has recently been licensed by the national Center for Disease Control, in Atlanta, Georgia, under the provisions of the Clinical Laboratories Improvement Act of 1967. It's one of only two state laboratories in the nation that have met the strict

guidelines for licensure. Charles E. Sweet, chief of the Bureau of Laboratories, points out that the DCD licensure is not required of the Texas laboratory because specimens are not shipped across state lines. However, Dr. Sweet — who is a Doctor of Public Health — said, "It seemed appropriate to me to voluntarily accomplish this step for professional standing. There is no reason why some independent and hospital laboratories should face mandatory standards more strict than those which we voluntarily meet. I don't think we should do anything less than other laboratories in having top quality." Dr. Sweet added, "Now we can say to any laboratory, 'We have done no less than you in meeting good laboratory standards.'"

Meeting those standards, Dr. Sweet explained, involved the entire laboratory, including instruments, personnel, preventive maintenance, testing of procedures by outside sources, the references used in tests, and the rewriting of manuals. The manuals contain detailed instructions for each of the dozens of laboratory procedures used to detect various diseases.

"Just rewriting the manuals was a tremendous task," Dr. Sweet said. "But knowing this is behind us and that it was something needing to be done was very rewarding to all of the staff."

The Bureau of Laboratories contains ten separate branches, three of which — clerical services, scientific services, and the Laboratory Improvement Branch — serve as resources to the other seven.



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**MOURNS SLAIN BIG BROTHER** — When Dallas policeman Robert Wood died, the promise of a friendship with 10-year-old John Jody died too. The 27-year-old officer, shot and killed Sunday was matched with the Irving, Tex., youngster in the Big Brother program. The relationship was more than occasional trips outdoors, both had mutual backgrounds. Wood was an American Indian, a Choctaw. Jody is a Chicasaw. Jody wonders who, if anyone can take Wood's place in his life. Wood was gunned down by an unidentified motorist he had stopped for a traffic violation.

## Christie hints he'll seek U.S. Senate seat

LONGVIEW, Tex. (AP) — State Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie, stopping short of a formal announcement, has strongly indicated he'll seek the U.S. Senate seat of John Tower, R-Tex., in 1978.

Christie also told newsmen here Wednesday that he will not complete his insurance board term, which ends in 1981.

"I have not been coy or evasive about the issue," Christie said. "His (Tower's) is the only political office I would be interested in running for."

The Democrat quickly went on to say he was speculating and not formally announcing a candidacy.

"I've made no secret of the fact I won't be on the board much longer but I don't need his (Tower's) job to make a living," Christie said.

Christie said he would not serve the rest of his term because "My threshold of boredom is too low and I've made most of the changes I've wanted."

Noting that new ideas are needed on the board, Christie indicated another board member, Durwood Manford, should either step down or not be reappointed by Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

## Phone records turned over to Bell attorneys

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — The general manager for Southwestern Bell testified Wednesday that the telephone records of James Ashley were turned over to Bell attorneys after Ashley filed a \$29 million damage suit against the company.

Ashley charges invasion of privacy in his suit and says Bell not only turned over his long distance records to attorneys, but also tapped his phones.

"I forwarded them (the records) to be used as the attorneys felt necessary in processing the lawsuit," C.L. Todd testified in district court.

"I wanted to be sure the bills were handled properly and were legally correct. The main reason the long distance records were inspected was to figure Ashley's bill, since he was no longer going to receive Bell privileges."

Ashley, a former Bell employe, and the family of the late T.O. Gravitt filed the \$29 million suit. Gravitt was head of Bell operations in Texas. He committed suicide.

## Ford may try to outlaw sex discrimination

WASHINGTON (AP) — As one of his last official acts, President Ford may ask Congress to outlaw sex discrimination in the multitude of federally funded programs reaching almost every American community.

White House and Justice Department officials said Wednesday they are drafting legislation that would prohibit anyone receiving federal funds from discriminating against women in their employment practices and in any other aspect of their operations.

This would give women the legal protection that Congress gave blacks and other racial minorities in the 1964 Civil Rights Act.

It would mean thousands of state and local governments and private groups receiving federal funds for public projects would risk losing the money if they failed to treat women the same as men.

Jeanne Holm, the President's special assistant for women's affairs, said her staff has been working on the proposal for several months and she expects to submit a final draft to Ford soon.

In an interview, she said she hopes Ford will offer the legislation in his final State of the Union message before leaving office Jan. 20. She indicated many White House staff members favor such a step.

She said the legislation would "prohibit discrimination on the basis of sex or marital status" in any federal program of financial assistance.

Assistant Atty. Gen. J. Stanley Pottinger, head of the department's civil rights division, told a news conference such legislation is a vital tool to protect the rights of women in some 400 federal programs spending about \$50 billion a year.

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# Carter's energy package will revive coal sales

WASHINGTON (AP) — If President-elect Jimmy Carter carries out all his past energy proposals, the nation can anticipate higher natural gas prices, tight oil supplies and the revival of Appalachia's coal country.

Carter may not get to carry them out; Congress and circumstances may change his mind or thwart his plans.

In position papers and comments on energy during his campaign, however, Carter has laid out lengthy blueprints for his energy plans.

"The major thrust of the energy program," Carter has argued, "should be away from oil toward coal and solar energy, with heavy emphasis on conservation."

"Whatever we cannot accomplish with these measures would have to be made up temporarily and as a last resort by atomic power," he said.

President Ford's administration has urged a doubling of coal production by 1985 and has moved to resume leasing of federal coal lands in the West.

"If there is a choice to be made," said Carter, "my own attitude would be to strengthen the production of coal in the Appalachian regions."

"You've got some very serious problems in the West," added Carter, referring to strip mining and other environmental impacts and the scarcity of water.

And Appalachia, where coal once was king, badly needs the economic revival that a new coal boom would bring, Carter pointed out.

The Federal Energy Administration estimated last year that eastern coal production would rise some 22 percent by 1980, but its share of the total market would slip from 76 to 70.5 percent as production races ahead in the West.

That potential shift represents some 46.6 million tons of coal worth nearly \$1 billion a year, at recent prices, to the region that gets to produce it, and Carter seems to feel most of that business should stay in Appalachia.

Eventually, coal will be converted into synthetic oil and gas, Carter noted, but he suggested these processes should center not in the West but in the upper Midwest where water is abundant.

To stimulate natural gas production, Carter has favored removal of federal regulation over prices charged for new supplies by producers to interstate pipelines, at least for a five-year trial period.

The Federal Power Commission recently tripled the producers' ceiling price and estimated this would cost consumers an additional \$1.5 billion in the first year — about \$15 more each year on the average homeowner's gas bill.

If the same amounts of gas were deregulated entirely and climbed to recent unregulated prices, the consumer impact might hit

some \$2.35 billion, adding \$23 to the average yearly gas bill, with further increases sure to follow.

To hold down U.S. dependence on foreign oil, Carter has proposed "a quota system that would keep imports at the present 40 per cent level."

But American Petroleum Institute statistics estimate that oil imports will average 41 per cent this year, and have been increasing 2.5 percent a year since 1968.

At that rate, unrestricted imports would supply 51 per cent of the nation's oil four years from now. A strict 40 per cent limit would amount to a self-imposed 11 per cent oil shortage by the end of Carter's first term — roughly equal to the worst of the Arab oil embargo of 1973-1974.

Whether such a quota would create actual shortages of gasoline and heating oil would depend on the nation's success at energy substitution and conservation.

"If it becomes necessary," Carter has warned, "petroleum supplies available for consumption should be allocated" as was done during the Arab embargo.

Carter has proposed a series of strong energy conservation measures, including: efficiency standards for electrical appliances; mandatory improvements in building insulation; a ban on advertising that promotes electricity consumption, and abandonment of utility rates that charge the lowest electricity prices to the biggest users.

Carter even has proposed "stand-by excise taxes" that could be imposed on selected petroleum products to reduce consumption.

Gasoline would be the prime target, as the petroleum fuel with the most flexible demand and the only major category whose consumption now surpasses its 1973 levels.

Carter has not indicated how large the excise tax might be, but past experience suggests it would have to start at several cents per gallon, at least, to have any substantial effect.

On the other hand, some Carter proposals would tend to reduce the prices of petroleum products, so the final consumer impact cannot be predicted.

Carter wants to encourage U.S. oil production, but has

not said how. The encouragement might come through appropriate price regulations favoring new production. Carter opposed removal of price controls from domestic "old" oil, suggesting its price be held about \$3 per barrel below international oil prices.

New oil, presumably, could claim the higher international price. This policy might require amendment of last year's energy act, which provided for phasing out oil price controls by late 1979.

To the extent that these measures still leave a gap between U.S. energy supply and demand, Carter said, nuclear energy would have to fill it.

Carter, who was trained in nuclear engineering in the Navy, has proposed strict, and probably costly, new safety measures: placing atomic plants underground; enclosing reactors in large, double-walled vacuum chambers so air would rush in through any break instead of out, and posting federal agents in control rooms, with

authority to shut down a plant in an emergency. Such measures might make nuclear power more acceptable to present opponents, but would increase the cost of fission-generated electricity.

Carter's energy package also included: —A slowdown in development of the nuclear "breeder" reactor, which would both use and produce plutonium, a hazardous radioactive metal suitable for atomic bombs. —A shift of research funds

from nuclear power toward solar energy, conservation and cleaner ways to burn coal.

—Proposal of a five-year moratorium on all U.S. and Soviet nuclear explosions. —Convening a World Energy Conference. —Direct negotiation of imported oil prices by the U.S. government, rather than individual companies, with foreign oil nations.

—Consolidation of the Federal Energy Administration, Federal Power Commission, Energy

Research and Development Administration and parts of the Commerce and Treasury departments, Securities and Exchange Commission, Interstate Commerce Commission and Nuclear Regulatory Commission into a single new department of energy.

—And consideration, though not immediate endorsement, of proposals to break up major oil companies or prohibit them from controlling coal, uranium and other competing fuels.

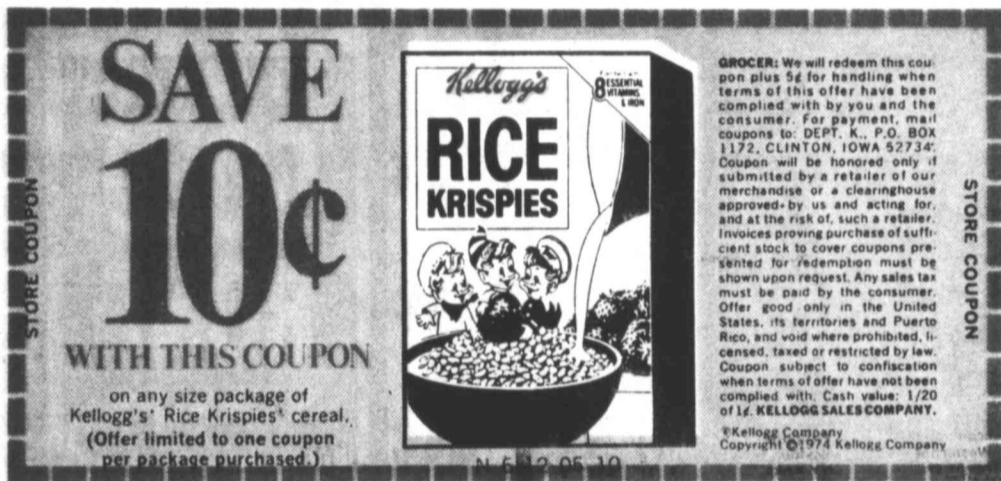
It is a heavy agenda that

could keep Carter, Congress and the courts busy for years, but Carter sees energy as a true crisis demanding a national policy.

"If we fall into the trap of seeing the energy problem as just another marketing opportunity, or just another political opportunity, with the benefits of production and distribution fought over like highway funds or defense bases," he has said, "then our country will wind up without energy."

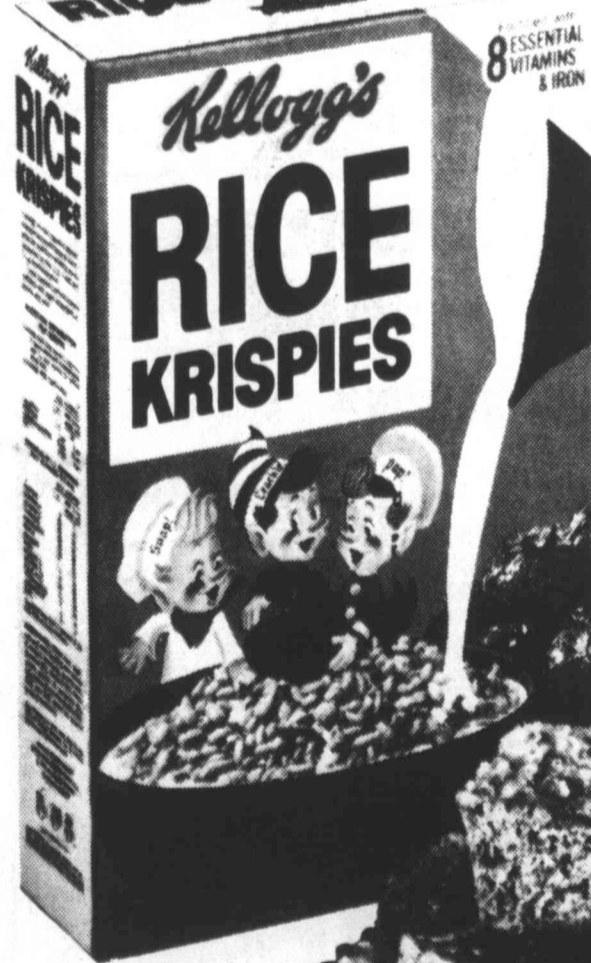
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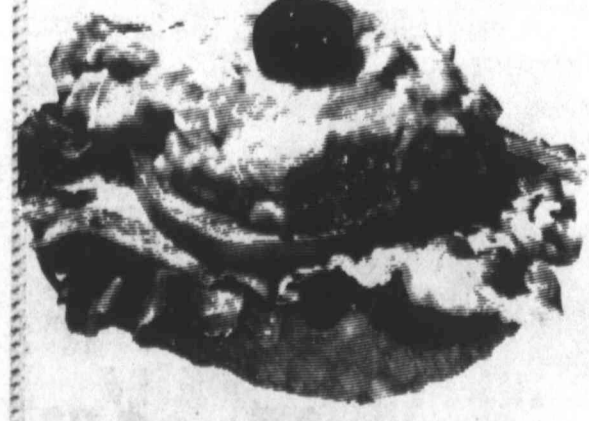


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**VOLUNTEER LUNCHEON** — Members of the Malone-Hogan volunteer group set a beautiful table in the home of Mrs. Wade Choate, giving a preview of the volunteer recruitment luncheon to come. Shown from left to right are Kay Shaw, Caroline Rekoif, Mrs. Clyde Angel and Mrs. Wade Choate.

## Malone-Hogan helps volunteer recipes

To start the holiday season off in a festive way, the Malone-Hogan Volunteers are giving a Recruitment Coffee. With a Christmas theme, the coffee will be held in the home of Mrs. Clyde Angel at 706 Hillside Drive on Friday, December 3, from 10:00 a.m. till noon.

This coffee will be an opportunity for the newcomers of Big Spring and the members of the Volunteer organization to become acquainted, enjoy some warm conversation and

partake in some holiday culinary delight.

New residents of Big Spring are encouraged to attend and bring a friend to the coffee.

The Malone-Hogan Volunteers provide services to patients in the hospital to make their stay as comfortable as possible. Operating the information desk, a library cart, delivering mail and flowers, handling the blood donor bank, and sponsoring educational health seminars.

**DIP FOR FRESH RAW VEGETABLES**  
By MRS. CLYDE ANGEL  
2 16-oz. cartons small-curd cottage cheese  
18-oz. carton sour cream  
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
Dash of Tabasco (more if desired)  
1 jar or can of pimientos (six, seven or eight ounces)  
¼ tsp. salt  
¼ tsp. celery salt  
2 cloves garlic (will be dropped whole into blender before mixture becomes too thick.)  
Lemon juice (will be used to make blender work.)  
Make mixture at least three to seven days before party. Place all ingredients in blender a little at a time. Mixture will thicken and flavor will improve with time. Will serve 50-75. Service in lazy Susan surrounded by celery, carrot strips, cauliflowerettes, little radishes and cucumbers.

**CURRIED TUNA DIP**  
By MRS. CLYDE ANGEL  
2 c. tuna (white chunk)  
1 c. diced celery  
3 chopped hard boiled eggs  
1 small onion, grated  
¼ c. sweet pickles, minced  
½ c. shredded toasted almonds or pecans  
1 c. mayonnaise  
1 tsp. curry powder  
Dash of Tabasco to taste  
Mix all ingredients together and serve.

**BANANA SPLIT CAKE**  
By TONI CHOATE  
Combine:  
2 c. graham-cracker crumbs  
1 stick melted butter  
Form crust in 9x13x2 inch pan.  
Beat together for 15 minutes on high speed of mixer:  
2 c. powdered sugar  
2 sticks oleo  
1 tsp. vanilla  
2 eggs  
Pour over crust.  
Slice 5 bananas  
Arrange bananas over pie.  
Spread over bananas:  
1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple, drained  
Spread over this:  
1 large carton Cool Whip  
Top with:  
½ c. chopped pecans  
Maraschino cherries  
Refrigerate for 24 hours. Serves 15-20.

**PECAN TASSIES**  
By MRS. CLYDE ANGEL  
For the Crust:  
13-oz. pkg. cream cheese  
¼ c. butter or margarine  
1 c. sifted flour  
Let cream cheese and butter soften at room temperature, blend together. Stir in flour. Chill at least one hour. Shape into 24 small balls. Place in 1¾" muffin pans. Press dough on bottom and sides of pans.  
FILLING:  
¾ c. brown sugar  
1-3rd c. melted margarine  
1 tsp. vanilla  
¼ tsp. salt  
1 c. pecans, finely chopped  
Beat the above ingredients together until smooth. Put filling into each pastry cup. Bake at 325 degrees for 25 minutes. Cool and remove from pan. Makes 24.

**CINNAMON ROLL COOKIES**  
By KAY SHAW  
1 stick oleo  
1 c. flour  
13-oz. pkg. cream cheese  
Mix thoroughly. Chill dough. On a piece of waxed paper roll dough to ¼" thickness. Spread with softened oleo. Sprinkle with ½ c. sugar and 1 tsp. cinnamon. Spread ½ c. finely chopped pecans over the top. Roll like a jelly roll then place in foil and chill. Slice in ¼" slices and place on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees eight to ten minutes or until lightly browned.

**PINEAPPLE-CHEESE BALL**  
By TONI CHOATE  
2 (8-oz.) pkgs. cream cheese, softened  
1 (8½-oz.) can crushed pineapple, drained  
¼ c. finely chopped green pepper  
2 tbsps. chopped onion  
1 tsp. seasoned salt  
1 c. chopped pecans  
Combine cream cheese, pineapple, pepper, onion, and salt. Mix well. Chill. Form mixture into a ball, and roll it in pecans.

**STUFFED MUSHROOMS**  
By TONI CHOATE  
2 lbs. fresh spinach, cooked briefly and chopped. Drain well  
1 c. sour cream  
½ c. grated cheddar  
½ c. grated Monterey Jack  
½ c. grated Parmesan  
¼ c. chopped scallions  
½ tsp. salt  
½ tsp. oregano  
2 cloves minced garlic  
1 lb. ground chuck  
2 tsp. salt  
12 large, fresh mushrooms, washed and stems removed  
TOPPING:  
½ c. shredded cheddar  
½ c. Monterey Jack, shredded  
A bit of grated nutmeg  
Finely chop mushroom stems, add to cooked spinach and mix well with sour cream, cheeses, salt and oregano. Saute ground beef lightly with scallions, garlic and ½ teaspoon salt.  
Fill mushroom caps with meat — spoon spinach mixture around edges and top with cheese and nutmeg. Bake at 350 for 25 minutes.

**THUMB PRINT COOKIES**  
By KAY SHAW  
½ c. shortening (half butter)  
¼ c. brown sugar  
1 egg yolk  
½ tsp. vanilla  
1 c. sifted flour  
¼ tsp. salt  
Mix together thoroughly shortening, brown sugar, egg yolk and vanilla. Sift together sifted flour and salt and stir in other mixture. Roll mixture into one inch balls. Dip in slightly beaten egg whites. Roll in finely chopped nuts (¾ c.) Place about one inch apart on ungreased baking sheet. Bake five minutes at 375 degrees. Remove from oven. Quickly press thumb gently on each cookie. Return to oven and bake eight minutes longer. Fill indentation with jelly if desired. Yields about 2 dozen cookies.

**ANGEL FINGERS**  
By CAROLINE REKOFF  
2 sticks butter, melted  
1 lb. box confectioner's sugar  
3 egg whites, stiffly beaten  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1 angel food cake  
1 cup finely chopped pecans  
Mix butter and sugar. Add egg whites and flavoring. Cut cake into strips size of finger. Dip in mixture, coating well. Roll in nuts and refrigerate.

**CELERY AND PECAN CASSEROLE**  
By CAROLINE REKOFF  
3 c. diced celery  
1 tbsps. sugar  
1 c. pecan halves  
½ stick of butter  
3 tbsps. flour  
½ pint cream  
1 tsp. salt  
½ tsp. red pepper  
1 egg, well beaten  
Ritz crackers, crushed  
Place celery and sugar in water to cover. Cook until tender. Drain and mix with pecans. Make cream sauce with butter, flour and cream, stirring until thick. Add salt, pepper and egg. Mix with celery and nuts. Pour into buttered 1½ quart casserole; top with cracker crumbs. Bake ½ hour at 350 Degrees.

**SPICY HOT PECANS**  
By TONI CHOATE  
4 c. pecans  
4 tbsps. cooking oil  
4 tbsps. Worcestershire sauce  
Cayenne pepper (to taste)  
Mix and bake in shallow pan at 225 degrees for one hour. Turn nuts over 15 minutes. Salt after cooked.

**NUT DATE MUFFINS**  
By MRS. CLYDE ANGEL  
3 eggs mixed, not beaten  
¼ c. sugar  
1 pkg. of dates (small) cut finely  
1 c. pecans, chopped finely  
1½ rounded tbsps. flour, sprinkle over dates  
1 tsp. vanilla  
Pinch of salt  
Put salt into eggs. Mix all ingredients together and bake 20 minutes at 350 degrees. Put 1½ tps. of mixture into each muffin ring. Will keep well in tight container.

**PEANUT BUTTER STICKS**  
By MRS. CLYDE ANGEL  
1 loaf of sandwich bread (do not use extra thin)  
Equal parts creamy peanut butter and cooking oil  
Trim crusts from bread and save. Cut each slice into six equal strips. Toast crusts (including end pieces of bread) and strips at 250 degree for 2½ hours. Roll the crusts and end pieces into fine crumbs. Thoroughly mix peanut butter and oil. Dip sticks into peanut butter and oil mixture. Shake off surplus. Roll in toasted crumbs. Yields 120 sticks.

**PUMPKIN BREAD**  
By CAROLINE REKOFF  
3 c. sugar  
1 c. salad oil  
4 eggs, beaten  
1 (1-lb.) can pumpkin  
3½ c. all-purpose flour  
1 tsp. baking powder  
2 tpsps. soda  
2 tpsps. salt  
½ tsp. ground cloves  
1 tsp. ground cinnamon  
1 tsp. ground nutmeg  
1 tsp. ground allspice  
2-3rd c. water  
Combine sugar, oil and beaten eggs. Add pumpkin and mix well. Combine dry ingredients and add to pumpkin mixture. Add water, beat thoroughly and pour into two greased 9x5x3 inch loaf pans. Bake at 350 Degrees for one hour.

**SWEET POTATO MUFFINS**  
By CAROLINE REKOFF  
2 c. all-purpose flour  
2 tpsps. baking powder  
½ tsp. soda  
1 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. ground cinnamon  
½ tsp. ground cloves  
1 egg  
2-3rd c. firmly packed brown sugar  
½ c. melted shortening  
1 c. buttermilk  
2 c. lightly packed shredded raw sweet potatoes  
Combine flour, baking powder, soda, salt, cinnamon and cloves. Beat egg in a second bowl and add sugar, shortening, and buttermilk. Make a well in the center of the dry ingredients. Pour in the liquid mixture and mix by hand just until ingredients are well moistened. Stir in shredded sweet potatoes. Bake in muffin tins at 350 Degrees for 20 minutes. Yield: 8 muffins.

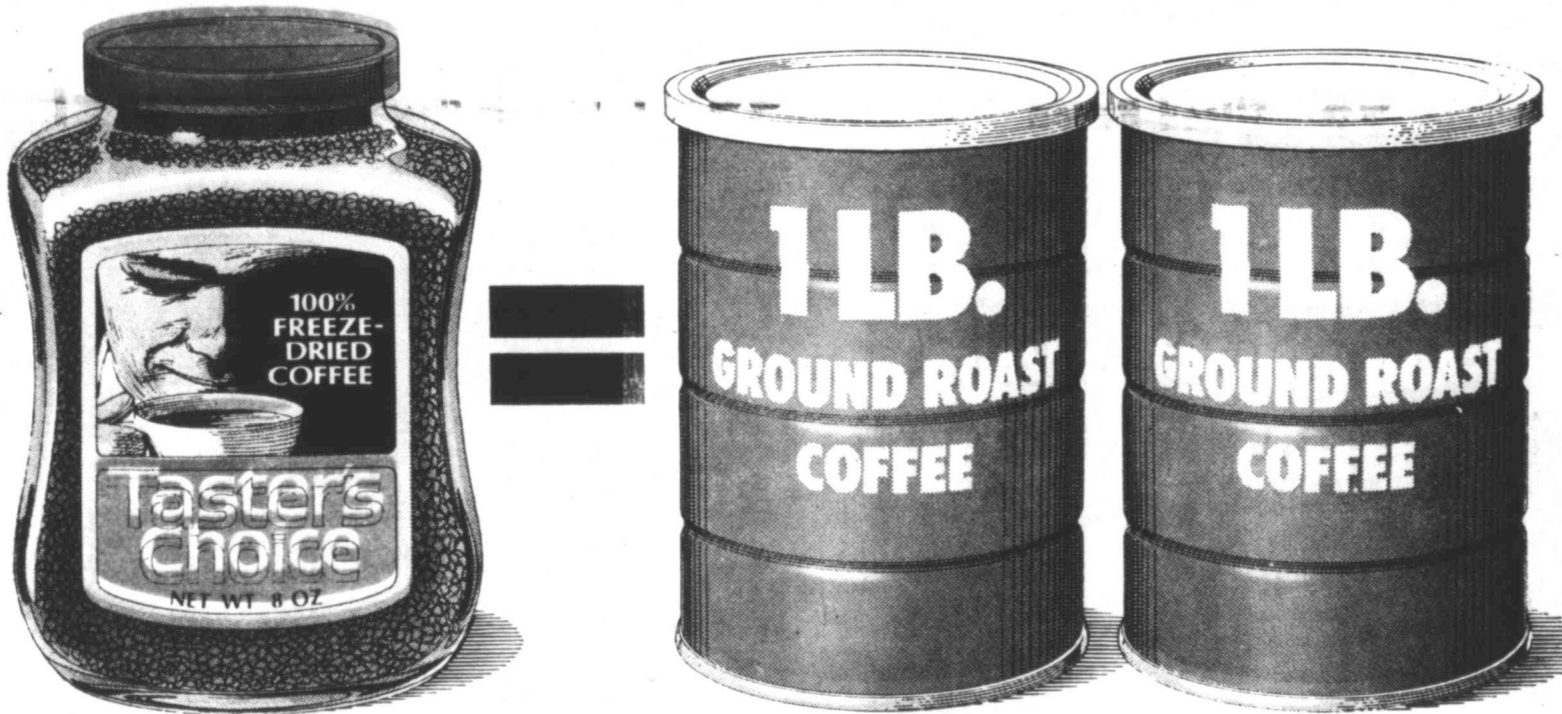
**SPICED HERB TEA**  
By CAROLINE REKOFF  
7 or 8 tea bags (Mattie Orange Spice Herb Tea by Celestine Seasonings)  
Honey  
Two oranges  
Two lemons (or lime)  
Grated orange peel  
Pour 16 cups of boiling water over tea bags. Steep 3 to 6 minutes. Remove bags and add honey to taste. Squeeze juice of oranges and lemons into the tea. Add a small amount of grated orange peel. Serve iced or hot.

**BEVERAGE BITES**  
By MRS. CLYDE ANGEL  
1 c. oleo  
2 c. sifted flour  
3-oz. sharp cheese, grated  
½ tsp. cayenne or chili powder  
½ tsp. salt  
2 c. Rice Krispies  
Combine softened oleo and flour, add grated cheese and other ingredients. Pinch off small pieces of dough and shape into balls (about ¾"). Place on ungreased baking sheet, bake 350 Degrees for 15 minutes. Makes 8 dozen. Freezes well.

**MINTS**  
By TONI CHOATE  
Mix to consistency of dough:  
2 ozs. cream cheese, softened  
1-2-3rd c. sifted powdered sugar  
¼ tsp. flavoring mint of your choice  
Color is your choice  
Put into molds or press flat and cut or roll into tiny balls and press flat.

**UNCOOKED PEANUT BUTTER CANDY**  
By TONI CHOATE  
Combine and mix well:  
½ c. peanut butter  
½ c. strained honey  
¾ to 1 c. powdered sugar  
Mix together, turn on buttered wax paper and press to thickness of ¼ thick, cut into cubes.

**UNBAKED COOKIES**  
By TONI CHOATE  
1 c. carnation milk  
1 c. sugar  
1 stick oleo  
1 tsp. vanilla  
Bring to rolling boil, continue to boil 5 minutes.  
Pour this over:  
2 c. crushed graham crackers  
1 c. chopped dates  
1 c. chopped pecans  
Mix until well blended and drop from spoon on waxed paper.



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## New Finks Ridin' fence in town take over

FINK, Tex. (AP) — The new Finks in town have taken over.

This North Central Texas hamlet — Mecca for Finks everywhere — underwent a smooth transition of power in city hall Wednesday.

Actually city hall is the Fink General Store and Museum, which was turned over to new owners by Patricia Albright, Fink's mayor for the last 14 years.

Along with the deed to the store, Robert Lattimore got the title of mayor. His wife will be vice-mayor.

"We did it in the usual Fink fashion," Mrs. Albright said of the transition. "Willard (her husband) and vice-mayor Lucy Clement and myself just voted them in after me and Lucy resigned."

The arrival of the new city officials and their three children swells the population of Fink to 16. "That's pretty near enough to qualify for revenue sharing," joked Albright.

Fink, set in rolling, wooded countryside dotted with herds of cattle, has been the site of the National Fink Day each summer for the past decade. This year the Albrights sponsored the Bicentennial Fink Olympics in connection with Fink Day. The Albrights plan to stay in Fink, where town name signs are stolen as fast as they are put up.



Have you ever talked to Bill Jackson out at Cactus Point? If there is anybody around that understands Mexico, it's probably Bill. "I should have been born there," Bill relates. "My dad was in the diplomatic service in Mexico but mother came back to San Marcos for me to be born. I wish I'd been born down there and could have dual citizenship. Two of my sisters were born in Bogota, Columbia and Lima, Peru."

Jackson continued, "While I was growing up, I lived in Mexico two or three times and also in several other South American countries."

Jackson was down in Mexico in 1953 the last time the peso took a severe devaluation. "I remember that a lot of major companies simply carried accounts from Mexico on the books until things got back to normal. The Mexican people owed the American companies in dollars and they had to have their credit extended."

From 1963-68, Jackson worked with development work for two major American chemical plants. "I spent 25 or 30 million of their dollars down there," Jackson recalls.

He also recalls that he checked out some probable Mexico investments for a local business man at one

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time. One of them was a "gold mine" but I told him "by the time he got through paying fees, expenses and searching costs, he sure was going to spend lots of money searching for a dream" Jackson relates.

Jackson has had many interesting jobs. He originally came to Big Spring with Shell as a chemical engineer. He has worked all over Mexico and South America. At one time, he was vice president of an oil company.

"I'm a big company dropout," Jackson laughs. "I just got to the point where I couldn't handle it anymore... all the dealings with international banks, big companies, and big shots. I guess I'm just not the executive type."

Jackson added, "I like it out here in Big Spring where everybody's friendly and everything's great. I'm treasurer of this Cactus Point Corp. and happy as I can be."

On the subject of present crisis in Mexico and the devaluated peso, Jackson believes that "Somehow they'll come out of it again. I didn't think it would happen because of the oil strike down there, but I guess they were too far in debt."

He pointed out that where the peso used to be worth

about eight cents, it's now worth about four cents. Jackson knows people all over Mexico and knows people in Venezuela, Columbia, Peru, Panama, and Cuba. He's lived in all of those places.

Jackson can think like a Latin if he wants to and he can think like an oil or chemical company executive if he wants to. He also can think in the lines of diplomats, if he is of a mind to do that.

But Bill Jackson would just as soon sell paint and visit friends and look at all of

the hub-bub from afar.

"I know we have to have diplomats. I know we have to have big business and international intrigue. But I didn't have to be up to my ears in it," Jackson laughed.

For traveling in Mexico, Jackson recommends out of the way places. "Well, if you like New York City, you'll like Mexico City. It's a little bit prettier — but not much."

I have a feeling Jackson has ridden lots of fences in his lifetime and if you find him now, he's going to be out ridin' some out of the way fence line.

## Lousy trip

KANSAS CITY, Kan. (AP) — The son-in-law of a Texas deputy sheriff isn't likely to forget his trip here very soon, not after spending seven days in the Wyandotte County jail for driving without a license.

Marvin Elder, 25, who hopes to become a law enforcement officer, was released from jail Tuesday afternoon.

Elder said he and a friend were driving to Pilot Grove, Mo. to pick up the friend's family and return home to Navarro County, Tex. They spent what little money they had on car repairs, and did not have the \$5.75 toll when they tried to leave the Kansas Turnpike here Thanksgiving Eve.

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## Need for single cells stressed

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—At least 30 per cent of the space in each Texas jail must consist of single-inmate cells, according to rules adopted Wednesday by the State Commission on Jail Standards.

The rules take effect Dec. 23. Commissioners said they really would like to see half the inmates in every jail in single cells, although mandating only 30 per cent.

"The purpose of single cells is to separate certain classes of prisoner from others, for their safety, for their health. The more single cells a facility has, the better job it can do for the individual prisoner in protecting him from attacks by other inmates," said Chairman James Greenwood III.

Also adopted was a rule requiring that single cells provide at least 40 square feet of clear floor space. Cells designed for more than one prisoner must have at least 40 square feet for the first inmate plus 18 square feet of clear floor space for each additional inmate.

The commission said new jails with a capacity of more than 20 inmates shall not be built as part of another building but should provide a secure walkway to court rooms.

Each sheriff will be required to prepare a written classification plan designed to separate first offenders

from those with previous convictions, juveniles from adults and violent prisoners from all other inmates.

Starting as soon as a training program is available, jailers must be certified by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education.

Greenwood said if a sheriff's wife is working as a matron in a small rural jail, even she must be trained—"for her protection."

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Knitted polyester and wool jersey pantsuit with suede leather front. Qiana nylon shirt. All three pieces tinted deliciously pale coral or blue, **132.00**

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Wool and nylon fleece so painstakingly tailored it can be worn either side... swaggering lapels and outside pockets. Mock leather welted. Flips from beige to white, **140.00**