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"HELLO, THERE!" — This friendly Irish Setter "nosed" in on a backyard picture-taking session Thursday before trotting off down the alley. Local residents are reminded that animal owners who let their pets roam free are breaking city ordinances and are subject to a heavy fine. This handsome dog

is appealing, but by not being confined he creates problems for other property owners, a hazard for automobile drivers and possibly becomes a danger to pedestrians. (PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

# Big Spring Herald

'The crossroads of West Texas'

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## Nuclear dump for WT?

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — Sites being considered by the federal Energy Research and Development Administration for dump sites for nuclear waste in the near future include the Texas Panhandle, the South

Plains and East Texas, according to an ERDA report. Nuclear dump sites require geologic formations suitable for storage of radioactive waste that must be isolated deep underground from

man's environment for thousands of years. ERDA spokesmen said this week the agency's National Waste Terminal Storage program involves studies in 36 states.

Zerby said the geological studies in West Texas would determine the underground stability of the area and the conditions of the salt beds several thousand feet underground that are considered ideal for nuclear storage.

## Stetson nomination clouds decision role

The announcement by President Jimmy Carter Tuesday that John Stetson will be nominated as Air Force secretary leaves the question of who will make the decision on Webb Air Force Base up in the air.

Houston Post, could take two or three weeks. Stetson, as the nominee, was to have met with Sen. John Tower at 4 p.m. Wednesday in Tower's office. Tower is ranking Republican on the Senate Armed Services Committee which will confirm Stetson.

ERDA said it has been working closely with state governments involved in the studies. In Austin, John Barry, a nuclear studies specialist with the governor's energy advisory council, said the decision to build the dump sites will not be made without local and state consultation. He said there are bills in Congress aimed at giving state legislatures veto power.

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A Pentagon spokesman said Wednesday that he did not know whether Stetson or present Air Force Secretary Thomas Reed will make the decision.

The Pentagon spokesman said that while the decision on which and how many training command bases to close belongs to the Air Force secretary, the secretary "realistically has a relationship" with the President and secretary of defense. He said they would likely be conferred with prior to any public announcement.

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The decision paper, he said, has probably cleared Air Staff and is in the office of the secretary.

The spokesman said the decision package "could" reach the Air Force secretary's desk this week, but there were consultants and others in the picture which could slow it down.

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## Park improvement plans discussed at dedication

By MARJ CARPENTER

Future plans for developing the Big Spring in Comanche Trail Park into a tourist attraction were among the items included in talks at the dedication of the observation deck at the Big Spring Tuesday.

Hohertz also told how many things had already been accomplished in the area in recent years including the cable fence to keep cars and cycles out of walking areas, the hike and bike trail and bridges, the improvements at the Dora Roberts Community Center and the tennis center, the old windmill in that area, the waterfall into the spring and the Johnny Johansen Circle.

Speakers included Mrs. Janell Davis, representing the tourist development council that funded the project; Foresyth and Craig Fischer. The construction of the tower was one of two projects of this year's building trades class. The other is improvements at the Northside Day Care Center.

The outline of Carter's program was unveiled today by Interior Secretary Cecil Andrus, who told the House Interior Committee that details would be spelled out in a presidential message later in the day.

Daryle Hohertz, architect, included such possible future items as a road directly from the highway to make the area more accessible to tourists.

All of the speakers at the dedication pointed out that the purpose of the development of the area is twofold — to preserve the heritage of the Big Spring and to develop a tourist at-

The city contracted with the class this year for the two projects. Ordinarily, the class constructs a residence for some citizen in the community.

He said the administration proposed \$300 million in community water supply loans and \$150 million in grants under the Economic Development Administration and Farmers Home Administration.

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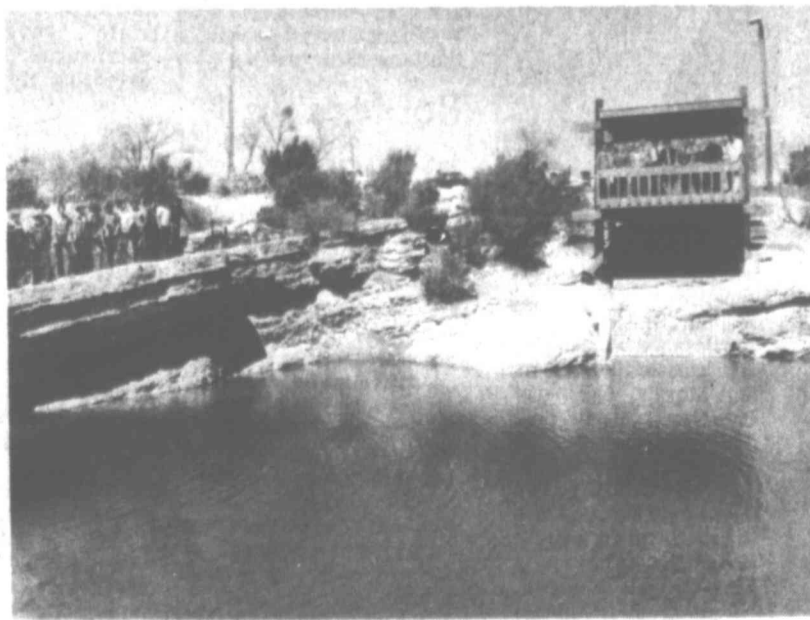
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BETTER TO SEE IT WITH — A very sturdy observation platform holds quite a crowd at the dedication ceremony Tuesday morning. The youths at the left, with their building trades instructor, Paul Hood, actually constructed the facility at the site of the Big Spring. (PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

Free shots offered

## Measles now epidemic

Rubeola, or common red measles have hit Big Spring in epidemic proportions according to the City-County Health Unit.

of six months and 18) but have never received the inoculation, are also urged to be vaccinated.

As of today, some 93 cases of the measles have been reported by hospitals in the Big Spring area.

All those that have been exposed to the measles, up to the age of 18, should go to the City-County Health Unit for a vaccination.

Big Spring High School, which reported 222 absences Tuesday out of an enrollment of 1,767, today reported 199 absences. The actual number of students absent because of combined cases of measles was 43.

Vaccinations will be free of charge, but parents must fill out and sign an immunization form at the Health Unit. The clinic is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Dr. Stuart Draper, M.D. M.Ph., Director of Midland, Ector, and Howard County Health Units said that since the disease has reached epidemic proportions, many people in the Big Spring area will be offered the vaccine who previously were not believed to need it.

It is important to check with your family doctor before receiving the vaccination according to Dr. Draper to determine if you have ever had any allergic reactions to medicines.

The City-County Health Unit, 201 Lancaster, will give the measles vaccine to anyone between the ages of six months and 18.

If you are over 18 years of age, and have never received a vaccination for the measles, or if you are not sure whether you've ever had the rubeola measles, Dr. Draper suggests that you consult your family physician.

The clinic wants to re-vaccinate anyone who received the measles inoculation before they were six months of age, and anyone who was vaccinated with the "kill-virus" vaccine between the years of 1963 and 1967.

The television film on Soviet versus American Military Power will be shown tonight on KOSA-TV, channel 7 at 7 p.m.

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The film is called "What Price Freedom?" and involves discussion of possible defense and military cut-backs and its effect on America.

## Freedom film

## Pot sentence signals standards change?

District Attorney Rick Hamby commented briefly on the two-year guilty sentence handed down to Paul Douglas for delivery of one pound of marijuana yesterday.

Hamby told the jury that the sale of drugs was a covert activity, and asked them to disregard Department of Public Safety officer Eddie Everett's testimony that he could not remember several items about the evening of the sale and the following two days.

Zerby said that by coming back with a two-year sentence, "they certainly put a value on it. I think this was a keystone decision. If another trial indicates community standards are changing further, we'd have to adjust to that."

"That's a lot of smoke kicked up by the defense," said Hamby. "Don't be distracted by minutiae. Don't disregard your common sense. Remember that the root of reasonable doubt is reason."

However, I will not be bound in plea-bargaining by this jury. I will certainly attach significance to it."

McKinney attacked the credibility of Everett, recalling his testimony that the person who sold him the drug was, at various times, "slim, husky, well-built, stout". McKinney said there was reasonable doubt in the identification of Douglas as the person who brought 13 ounces of marijuana Jan. 24, 1976.

The final sentence was returned at 9 p.m. Tuesday evening, after defense attorney Mike McKinney submitted a motion sequestering the jury. Named in the motion was Tuesday's Herald article on the trial, which McKinney maintained was prejudicial to the sentencing procedure.

Paul Douglas testified Tuesday, in response to Everett's testimony, that he did not own the clothes Everett said he was wearing and he did not have access to the types of car Everett said he was driving.

The guilty sentence was reached in under an hour of debate.

Both Hamby and defense attorney Mike McKinney wound up their final arguments Tuesday before the jury.

## Focalpoint

### Action/reaction: No conflict

Q. Do you think that Bob Fuller, son-in-law of Ray Ebling, tax representative for Cosden Oil & Chemical Co., represents a conflict of interest in offering for the school board?

A. No. If we looked into the background of everyone who volunteers for public service, in a small community such as ours, we could conceivably find a relationship that might disqualify all of them. Fuller's record has always had the interests of Big Spring and the school district at heart.

### Calendar: Blood donor day

Everyone is invited to the orientation lecture of the Inner Peace Movement, given by Mrs. Dora Watkins at 8 o'clock in the Reddy Room. There will be no charge to hear the lecture.

Donor day for the Community Blood Donation Center at the emergency room of Malone-Hogan Hospital, from noon to 6 p.m.

Chamber Singers from the University of Florida concert at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Public is invited.

THURSDAY  
The organizational meeting for the Church Fall Pitch League will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday in the fellowship hall of the Evangel Temple Assembly of God, 2206 Goliad.

Coahoma City Council meets in regular session, 7:30 p.m. to discuss its appeal to the Public Utilities Commission, among other items.

Captains meeting for American Cancer Society crusade meets 7:30 p.m., First Federal Savings and Loan.

Kiwanis Club Pancake Supper, 5 to 8 p.m., Howard College Cafeteria. Tickets are \$2 with pre-schoolers accompanied by parent admitted free.

### Offbeat: Surprise, surprise!!

MADILL, Okla. (AP) — A Texas woman bought what she thought was a box of adhesive bandages at a drug store here, but found \$1,461 inside it instead, authorities Tuesday.

The woman, identified as Sue Sharp of Weatherford, Tex., turned the money over to the Marshall County Sheriff's Department after making the discovery last week.

But officials said Tuesday they still have not located the owner.

### TV's best: What price peace?

The Special "What Price Freedom?" will be broadcast on KOSA-TV, channel 7 at 7 p.m. tonight. This is a film on Soviet versus American military power.

### Inside: Malpractice debate

HOUSE, WORN from daylong malpractice debate, to take up bill giving right-of-way to coal slurry pipelines. See p. 2A.

FORMER NAVY and Treasury Secretary John Connally says news media display certain smugness which seems to imply that "We are judge, jury and prosecutor, not merely the recorder of human events." See p. 6B.

ENVIRONMENTAL Protection Agency accuses Houston police of tampering with pollution control devices on police cars. See p. 2A.

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### Outside: Windy

Cloudy skies will bring warmer temperatures and gusty winds to Big Spring through Thursday. High today is expected in the upper 60s, low tonight in the upper 40s, high Thursday in the mid 70s. Winds will be out of the south at 15 to 25 miles-per-hour and gusty, decreasing slightly during tonight, but increasing Thursday.



# Digest



SHALL WE DANCE? — Pedestrians found the winds that gusted to 60 miles an hour during a snow storm Tuesday in Cleveland were a force to reckon with. Some told of being unable to stop at the buildings they had intended to enter. Here two hold a shouted conference that looks more like a dance.

## Rationing in Frisco

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Surrounded by drought-stricken counties already rationing water, San Franciscans now will have to cut their use to face what the mayor calls "the most desperate matter facing this city since World War II." Car washes and full swimming pools are banned in the regulations passed Tuesday by the Public Utilities Commission. The water conservation policy, which goes into effect April 1, is designed to cut overall consumption by 25 per cent.

## Violence mars gay talks

MIAMI (AP) — Violence is marring what was supposed to be a peaceful electoral solution to Miami's growing dispute over an ordinance that forbids discrimination against homosexuals in housing and employment. The car of a Cuban-born gay activist was firebombed Tuesday. Another activist committed suicide last week after receiving phone threats in response to a radio show he did. Others, on both sides of the issue, report numerous threats.

## Labor party safe?

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister James Callaghan apparently has made a deal to win the support of the small Liberal party for his Labor government. The Liberals' 13 votes in the House of Commons would give the government a safe majority on a no-confidence vote scheduled for tonight. A defeat tonight would force the Laborites into a general election they probably would lose to the Conservatives.

## Rebels regain town

KINSHASA, Zaire (AP) — Katangan rebels who have invaded southern Zaire apparently have regained control of one town from government troops and continue to hold several others, despite government claims of success. The invasion force from neighboring Angola is believed to consist of 2,000 exiled secessionists who were defeated in the 1960s in an attempt to separate Katanga province, now Shaba, from the rest of Zaire.

## Some oppose vote package

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Democratic majority in Congress is gearing for swift and favorable action on President Carter's election law package, but some Republicans are ready to fight Carter's plan for public financing of congressional campaigns. Sen. Bob Packwood, R-Ore., coined the phrase "kept congressmen" in voicing his opposition to public financing of campaigns, a phrase echoed Tuesday by other GOP members of Congress.

## New consumer laws

WASHINGTON (AP) — If you are a struggling musician trying to pay for your leased clarinet, or if you can't get credit simply because of your color or religion or because you're over 65, you may find comfort in two new consumer laws. The Consumer Leasing Act, one of the two laws taking effect today, is designed to make leasing companies let customers know exactly the terms of their lease contracts before they sign on the dotted line. The second new consumer protection law extends three-year-old prohibitions against credit discrimination on the basis of sex or marital status.

## Just a plain cook

WASHINGTON (AP) — There's a new job in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare that pays \$12,763 a year and sounds pretty important. "The nature of the assignment requires a continuing day-to-day association with the secretary and other high-level executives during high-level policy discussions involving plans and objectives," the official job description says. But in plain language, the jobholder is Secretary Joseph A. Califano Jr.'s personal cook.

## 'Gay' Aggies face court fight

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — Texas A&M regents took a hard line Tuesday against organization of homosexuals on the campus, vowing that the issue will be fought in the courts if necessary. The regents' statements came in response to a suit filed earlier this month in federal court in Houston by three A&M students. A declaration, unanimously endorsed by the board, was issued on the subject: "So-called 'gay' activities run diabolically counter to the traditions and standards of Texas A&M University, and the Board of Regents is determined to defend the suit filed against it, and, if necessary, to proceed with every legal way with such goals any group with such goals on organizing or operating on this or any other campus for which this board is responsible."

# Backers of coal slurry measure win

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Backers of a coal slurry pipeline bill won an early victory in the House today, beating down an amendment that the sponsor said would kill the measure. Senators, meanwhile, passed and sent to the House a bill giving legal recognition to the written wishes of terminally ill persons that their lives not be prolonged by artificial means.

## Police beat Man threatens to kill officer

Officer Raymond Hall arrested two local men, 11:25 p.m., Tuesday, after a scuffle in the parking lot of the Giant Food Store. According to reports, one of the men was first apprehended for public intoxication. Searching the suspect, Hall found an Italian-made switchblade knife on him, and arrested him for carrying a prohibited weapon. Meanwhile, another man told Hall that "Hall was a dead man, and that he would either kill (Hall) or have him killed." Following this, the man was arrested for public intoxication.

Hubert Lee Perkins Jr., 1103 N. Gregg, told police that he was assaulted on the way home from work, 8:15 p.m. Tuesday. According to reports, Perkins argued with an unidentified man at the corner of Northeast Tenth and Runnels. While the argument was going on, a crowd gathered, and someone in the crowd threw a rock which struck Perkins in the head. Officer George Quintero broke up the crowd after the incident. Burglars unsuccessfully attempted to break into the home of Diane Vera, O.K. Trailer Courts, around 8:45 p.m. Tuesday. A screen on the window of the residence was torn out, and steps had been moved beneath the window, but no entry was gained. Damage was estimated at \$15.

## EPA accuses Houston police with tampering

HOUSTON (AP) — The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has accused the Houston Police Department of tampering with pollution control devices on police cars. The city was accused March 9 by the agency of illegally using leaded gas in police cars designed for unleaded gas. The EPA proposed a civil penalty of \$46,750 in that case. An EPA spokesman said Mayor Fred Hofheinz had requested a hearing to contest that penalty. The EPA said the new citation has been delivered to Houston Police Chief B. G. Bond. Bond was not available for comment but Deputy Chief R. J. Clark said earlier that if removal of the pollution devices was illegal, they would be replaced. Clark said the catalytic converters were burned out with leaded gas and then removed after an EPA official in Dallas said it was not illegal. That was later called a misstatement.

## 'Diamond' UFOs sighted

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A pair of diamond-shaped objects trailing streams of blue danced above the skies of Southern California before several witnesses early Tuesday and then disappeared, authorities said.

Seven airmen at March Air Force Base, two Los Angeles County sheriff's helicopter crewmen and two California highway patrolmen were among those who witnessed the erratic early morning display. The helicopter deputies spotted the unidentified flying objects Monday night in the Whittier Hills area, about 25 miles northeast of downtown Los Angeles. They said they saw a bright orange light. They tried to follow it but it sped away out of sight, the officers said. The airmen were next to sight the objects, "traveling at high speeds, south to north, at approximately 3,000 feet," said Maj. Brian Daly, information officer at March Air Force Base, about 50 miles east of Los Angeles. The objects did not show up on radar, Air Force spokesmen said. Then, they were spotted nearly 50 miles away in the Firestone area of Los Angeles county by two patrolmen. A Firestone resident said his home was bathed in a flood of blue light from the objects.

## Deaths Juanita Renteria

Mrs. Juanita Corrallez Renteria, 76, died at 3:30 a.m. today, in her home, after a sudden illness. Services are pending at River Welch Funeral Home. She was born Jan. 30, 1901 in Valentine, and she and her husband, Lewis Renteria, came from there to Big Spring in 1925. She is survived by three sons, Manuel C. Renteria, Joe C. Renteria, and Lewis C. Renteria Jr. all of Big Spring; six daughters, Mrs. Margarita Galan, and Mrs. Lupe Villanasa, both of Big Spring; Mrs. Angela Rincon, Dallas; Mrs. Patsy Anderson, Odessa; Mrs. Reyna Duanan, Guam; and Mrs. Trovia Hughes, Denver; 65 grandchildren, and 18 great-grandchildren.

could easily follow existing highway and railroad right-of-way. Pipeline and power companies are pushing for passage of the bill, but railroads violently oppose it on the ground it would weaken them financially. Railroads are major haulers of coal.

The bill grants to pipeline companies that pump 50-50 mixtures of water and crushed coal the same power to condemn land for rights-of-way that oil, gas and railroad companies have.

Houston Natural Gas Co. has been the prime mover of the bill and hopes to build a line bringing water and coal from the Rocky Mountain West.

"The bill does not build a line. It doesn't give them water. It just makes them even with the railroads," said Rep. Joe Hanna, D-Breckenridge, the House sponsor.

Hanna said the need for coal in the future would be so great that "the railroads are going to have all they can handle."

Representatives also could take a final vote on a medical malpractice insurance bill that was tentatively approved Tuesday, 144-1, with only Rep. John Wilson, D-La Grange dissenting.

The real battles were fought over amendments, one of which failed by a single vote, drawn by the Texas Medical Association. The TMA claimed the compromise bill did not go far enough.

Statewide associations of several other medically related professions had agreed to support it, however, along with plaintiffs' attorneys.

The malpractice bill contains more than 20 features that backers hope will bring down the cost of insurance that protects the assets of doctors who injure patients through medical error.

Included are provisions that: —Base rates on the more favorable of either Texas or nationwide experience with successful malpractice claims. —Place a \$500,000 ceiling on malpractice judgments, with additional amounts to cover actual costs of medical and custodial care. —Require malpractice

suits to be evaluated by three-doctor screening panels before they can be taken to court. An effort to make the panels' findings admissible as evidence in a trial failed, 91-53.

—Prohibit insurance companies from increasing doctors' premiums merely because claims were filed against them. A claim would have to result in payment to a victim before a doctor could be surcharged. —Give the State Board of Medical Examiners new power to discipline doctors for incompetence.

Rep. Tom Uher, D-Bay City, architect of the compromise, repeatedly warned the House that the measure was so fragile that any major change in the bill could result in defeat.

Wilson said he voted against the bill because he is convinced that only one thing would put a stop to rising malpractice rates — taking cases out of the courts and submitting them to binding arbitration.

"Anything short of that, I really believe, won't solve the problem," he told reporters.



ROOTS REUNION — "Roots" author Alex Haley, left, Chuck Connors, center, who played Massa Tom Moore, and LeVar Burton, who played the young Kunta Kinte, rejoice together Monday night in Beverly Hills at a reunion party for the people who made television's most-watched show "Roots." Executive producer David L. Wolper, who hosted the dinner, said that there will be a sequel called "Roots II" that they are presently working on.

## Kidnap victims found

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Autopsies were to be performed today on the bodies of two women found in a shallow Northeast Oklahoma grave.

A five-day search for Kendal Ashmore, 35, and Kathy Anne Brown, 22, ended about 1:30 p.m. Tuesday in a densely wooded area north of Sallisaw, Okla.

Officials said the 80-acre farm where the bodies were found was owned in part by Larry Eugene Chaney, 34, of Jenks, who has been charged with kidnaping the women.

Chaney, named on two counts of kidnaping for extortion, was being held in the Tulsa county jail in lieu of \$500,000 bond on each count.

Mrs. Ashmore, wife of a Tulsa area businessman, and Miss Brown, an employee at the Ashmore's horse farm near Jenks, a Tulsa suburb, disappeared Thursday.

They were believed to have been buying oats for the horses and possibly looking at other horses at the time.

Thursday evening Ashmore received an anonymous telephone call demanding \$500,000 ransom.

The caller phoned again Friday to give instructions for dropping the money. The instructions were followed, but nobody picked up the money and the caller phoned again to say the drop had been made at the wrong place.

Authorities traced the second call Friday to Chaney's trailer home and officers arrested him shortly after 3 a.m. Saturday.

Authorities searched for the women Monday in the Jenks-Tulsa area and then turned their attention to the Sallisaw farm Tuesday.

The bodies were found by Tulsa County Sheriff's Lt. Art Lee when he noticed a footprint and a slight depression in the ground. They were in a 20-inch deep grave and were covered by about six inches of soil.

Both were clothed, and were bound hand and foot with towels tied around their necks.

A preliminary examination at the scene indicated the women were strangled.

Authorities reported that Chaney, a carpenter, had a record of conviction previously and had served time in prison.

It was also reported that he had tried to borrow money from the Riverside National Bank of Jenks, of which Ashmore was board chairman until last year.

Ashmore said he had never known Chaney and only learned of the loan efforts after his wife disappeared.

Mrs. Ashmore was the daughter of Haskell G. G. G. G., publisher of the The Jeffersonian, a weekly newspaper at Pryor, Okla.

She had been Miss Pryor while at high school. She also was graduated from Oklahoma State University.

## Markets

Volume	8,190,000
Index	346.97
30 Industrials	Off 3.99
20 Rails	Off 7.73
15 Utilities	Off 38
Adobe	14
Allis Chalmers	28 1/2
American Airlines	10 1/2
AGC	19 1/4
American Motors	4 1/2
American Petrofina	34 1/2
A.T. & T.	62 1/2
Apeco	1 1/2
Baker Labs	33 3/4
Baxter Laboratories	47
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## Youth award deadline

The annual Zales-Herald Youth Achievement award nominations need to be sent to the Big Spring Herald by March 31.

Seniors in Big Spring, Coahoma, Sand Springs and Sands High in Ackery are eligible for the annual awards, which are to be presented at a special awards dinner in May at the Big Spring Country Club.

Entry blanks are included in today's Big Spring Herald. Any citizen may submit an entry for any senior in the four high schools in the county.

The finalists in each school and their parents are to be honored at the dinner in May. Selections are made on a basis of leadership, scholarship and participation in school and community activities.

## Letter proves Hughes a Texan?

HOUSTON (AP) — Aides of Texas Atty. Gen. John Hill say they have discovered a letter written by Howard Hughes in which the late tycoon said he was a legal resident of Texas.

The letter quotes Hughes as saying his will is deposited in Houston, Hill staff members said.

Hill is trying to prove Hughes was a legal resident of the state so Texas can share in inheritance taxes. How much would depend on the value of the estate.

## 'Roofers' fail to linger

LAMESA — Two traveling roofers left here last week after discussing their business with the local police chief and have not returned, according to Chief Lee Bartlett.

A traveling camp of 30 trailers, traveled through the Brownfield area when "roofers" suddenly appeared in every town in a 100-mile radius of Brownfield, according to the report of one area newspaper.

Several West Texas cities reported paying fees to roofers who failed to fix their roofs. Citizens were alerted to report to their local police if traveling roof repairmen come through the respective cities.



PERFORMS TONIGHT — Willis Bodine will direct his award-winning singers in a program of sacred and secular music of the renaissance, baroque, and classic periods at St. Mary's Episcopal Church at 7:30 p.m. This performance tour of the 24-voice University of Florida Chamber Singers is made possible in part through a grant from the Fine Arts Council of Florida, Division of Cultural Affairs, an Agency of the Department of State, and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

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### 'Living will' bill advanced

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — With surprising ease, the Senate has approved Sen. Ray Farabee's bill that would allow Texans to write a "living will" to keep their lives from being prolonged by machines.

The tentative approval, by a 20-9 vote Tuesday, came after no floor debate on the measure, which has been opposed by several pro-life groups.

The proposal would, in effect, allow patients to order their doctors to withhold or withdraw any artificial life-sustaining procedures when the patient is found to be terminally ill.

Farabee, D-Wichita Falls, whose terminally ill mother died four years ago after lingering 10 days with the help of a machine, said the bill is designed to remove the burden of such a decision from family members.

Opponents have claimed it would lead to euthanasia or "mercy killing," but Farabee disagrees, explaining that the "natural death" orders can be given only by the patient and only when death is imminent.

### Reporter killed

LUFKIN, Tex. (AP) — A two-car crash Tuesday near Madisonville in East Central Texas killed Lufkin News reporter Deb Chaplin.

Police said the 27-year-old writer's small foreign car ran off Texas 21 and plowed into the rear of a parked car. She was pronounced dead at the scene.

The occupant of the parked car received minor cuts. Miss Chaplin was reportedly en route back to Lufkin from a weekend in Austin where she visited friends.

### Journalist dies

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Jack Hollister, whose journalism career spanned a half a century until his retirement from the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette in 1974, died Sunday at the age of 76.

He had worked for The Associated Press, the Pittsburgh Post, Gazette-Times, Sun-Telegraph, Chronicle-Telegraph and radio station KDKA before joining the Post-Gazette in 1942.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

**MURDERED ARCHBISHOP** — Emile Cardinal Blaiyenda, the Roman Catholic archbishop of Brazzaville, was kidnaped and murdered by three persons Tuesday night, the Congo government announced today. This 1973 file photo shows Cardinal Blaiyenda wearing the miter and holding the staff of his titular church after his elevation to cardinal at the Vatican City. It was the first killing of a cardinal in many centuries, Vatican sources said.

### Volunteer firemen ask payments boost

COLORADO CITY — Volunteer firemen appeared before city councilmen here Tuesday night to request an increase in annual payments.

The city presently gives them \$900 per year for entertainment, gifts, contributions and dues to firemen associations.

Pat McKinney said the group received an additional \$800 in contributions last year and that during the year, the group spent \$1,600. No action was taken on the request.

City Manager James Campbell suggested that the fund be eliminated and firemen simply charge expenditures to the city. He told the council that the city could pay for the expenses out of its general fund.

The spokesman for the volunteers said he would have to consult with the firemen. However, McKinney said that he was sure the group would want to

continue the independence of having their own money.

The council also discussed the renewal of the contract with the Chamber of Commerce on lease of space at the civic center. The charge is to be \$100 per month. This will replace the former contract which called for \$50 a month and \$450 in services to the city.

The council also approved a motion which calls for the city approval of any subleasing by the chamber.

The group then voted to eliminate discounts for early payments of taxes, on the recommendation of the city manager. They also agreed to establish a police reserve force of 25 persons or less. So 72 hours of classroom training will be required. Police Chief Fred McWhorter said details will be worked out with school superintendent Lloyd McKee about possible classes at Wallace School.

### Two Alamo City officers quit

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Officials say no charges are expected to be filed against two officers who quit the San Antonio police force after one of them allegedly admitted planting heroin on a drug suspect.

"They were trying to help us out, but we don't need that sort of stuff," said Police Inspector Marion Talbert, who acknowledged the two officers had quit their posts.

"I asked for their resignations and they gave them to me," Talbert said. Charges against the suspect, described by Talbert as a known drug addict and pusher with an extensive criminal record, have been dropped.

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# Rebels entrenched in Zaire

KINSHASA, Zaire (AP) — Katangan rebels appear to be firmly entrenched and fighting hard in southern Zaire despite government claims of success against them.

It was learned Tuesday that the invading exiles from neighboring Angola apparently have regained control of Kasaji, a town 130 miles west of Kolwezi, the

### Fiddler dies

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Country music singer and bluegrass fiddler Stoney Cooper died Tuesday at a hospital where he had been confined since Feb. 4. He was 58. He and his wife, Wilma Lee, had appeared on the Grand Ole Opry radio program for 20 years.



LEON JAWORSKI

### Teens to hear Leon Jaworski

Big Spring teenagers attending the 30th annual YMCA Youth and Government State Conference in Austin will hear Leon Jaworski, Special Watergate Prosecutor, speak on integrity in government to over 800 Texas high school delegates at the opening night session Thursday in the House chamber of the state capitol.

Author of "The Right and the Power (The Prosecution of Watergate)," Jaworski served as president of the American Bar Association in 1972-73 and as advisor to President Johnson from 1964-69. He has been honored with the Legion of Merit and was Chief of the War Crimes Trials Section of the U.S. Army in the European Theatre after World War II.

Earlier on Thursday, Gov. Dolph Briscoe will host a reception for the YMCA Conference's youth governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state and 1978 youth gubernatorial nominees in his capitol offices.

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copper mining center in southern Shaba province, the former Katanga.

Kasaji was first reported taken by the invaders on March 14 after heavy fighting in which President Mobutu Sese Seko's forces were estimated to have suffered about 200 casualties. The government claimed on Saturday that its troops had recaptured the town, which is nearly halfway between the Angolan border and the Kolwezi mines, the likely immediate target of the invasion.

Copper from Shaba is Zaire's biggest export, and about half of the U.S. supply of cobalt, a byproduct of the copper mines, comes from the province.

The Katangans also were reported still holding the towns of Dilolo, on the border west of Kasaji and Kolwezi; Sandoa and Kesenge, and Kapanga, 155 miles northeast of Dilolo and 45 miles from the border, despite government claims of "massive bombing raids"

that were driving the invaders back into Angola.

Foreign observers doubted these claims, estimating that Zaire's air force at the most has only eight operational jets and that they carry only two rockets each.

The invasion force is estimated to consist of 2,000 Katangan troops who fled to Angola after losing a war for the independence of their province from the former Belgian Congo in the 1960s. Five thousand more Katangan troops are reported still in Angola.

Zaire's 25,000-man army is handicapped by fuel shortages, poor communications and long supply lines. According to one report, the government owes its troops in some areas two months pay but has managed to pay those in Shaba.

Mobutu charges Cuban troops in Angola trained and may be leading the invaders. Cuban President Fidel Castro denies this. Mobutu also charges that the Katangans are equipped with Soviet arms, which is quite likely, and the official Chinese news

### Egg hunts discussed

LAMESA — Easter egg hunts, beauty shops, alleys and annexations highlighted the discussion at the Lamesa City Council meeting Monday night.

The council approved allowing the Retail Trade Committee of the Chamber of Commerce use of three baseball parks for the annual Easter Egg Hunt for community children from 1-4 p.m. April 8.

They also heard a delegation of 15 citizens discuss property lines in an alley. One group was led by H.M. Walker as spokesman and one by Mrs. Lynn Jones. The dispute was settled by the city who got out the official property line maps.

The council also agreed to loan the Optimist Club city equipment to get the rodeo grounds ready for a tractor pull.

They also passed on first reading a request for amending the zoning ordinance with a special permit for a beauty shop in a single family residence at 1105 N. Main.

They also approved on first reading the annexation of Crestview Baptist Church to the city limits.



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## Weather

### Guadalupe Pass Winds gust to 38

By the Associated Press

Warming spring weather graced Texas today and promised to stay around at least through this weekend.

Clouds developed over the southwest and extreme south parts of the state during the night;

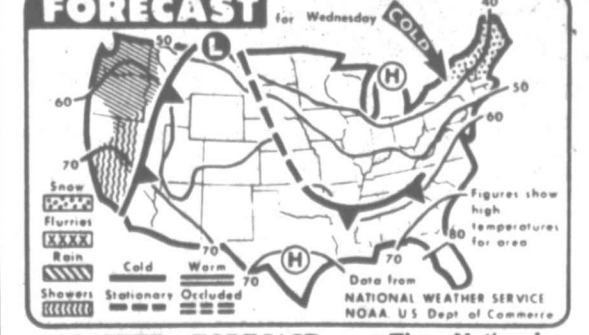
skies remained clear in other sections. Forecasts called for the overcast to spread over the rest of the state by early Thursday.

Gusts up to 38 miles per hour whistled through Guadalupe Pass in the West Texas mountains.

FORECAST	WEST TEXAS	Fair north portion and partly cloudy south tonight. Warmer, most sections tonight. Windy north and partly cloudy south Thursday and warmer southeast. Low tonight middle 40s north to low 50s southeast except near 30 mountains. Highs Thursday near 70 Panhandle to near 90 in Big Bend valleys.
EXTENDED FORECAST	WEST TEXAS	Dry Friday through Sunday. Above normal temperatures with minor day-to-day changes. Highs near 70 Panhandle to the low 80s south and near 90 Big Bend. Lows about 40 Panhandle to mid 40s south except 20s mountains.

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	68	35
Amarillo	70	36
Chicago	42	32
Cincinnati	50	23
Denver	65	40
Detroit	40	22
Fl. Worth-Dallas	65	38
Houston	66	50
Los Angeles	77	56
Miami	92	69
New Orleans	70	50
Richmond	60	36
St. Louis	51	33

Sun sets today at 6:59 p.m. Sun rises Wednesday at 6:45 a.m. Highest temperature this date 88 in 1922. Lowest temperature 24 in 1974. Most precipitation .88 inches in 1919.



**WEATHER FORECAST** — The National Weather Service forecast for today calls for snow over northern New England and rain or showers for the Pacific Coast as far east as parts of Idaho and the Nevada area. A cold front is moving into the Northeast from Canada.

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### Traffic panel meets Friday

The Big Spring Traffic Commission will meet 10 a.m. Friday in the city council room of City Hall. Commission members will discuss:

- A study of Highway 350 at Second, Third and Owens.
- A request for a stop sign at the intersection of Monmouth and Auburn.
- A request for the removal of a flashing light at Sixth and Runnels.
- The removal of no-left-turn signs at Third and Fourth on Main.
- The matter of parking cars on the street at 2210 Lancaster.

### Speech team wins at Pecos

The Big Spring Speech team won Sweepstakes honors at the Pecos Invitational over the weekend. Their next meet will be the University Interscholastic League competition April 1 and 2 at Cooper High School in Abilene.

In the Pecos tournament, Big Spring garnered 114 points with Andrews second with 60.

First in debate went to Angie Fulgham and Donnie Knight, second went to Hardy Wilkerson and Lucian Grathwol, all of Big Spring.

Jan Whittington won second in prose. James Burleson placed first in extemporaneous speaking and Sean Grathwol placed second in poetry interpretation.

Others making it to the finals were Robin Von Rosenberg, Cindy Cowan, Joe Edwards and Cappy Tatom. Ms. Janice Cook serves as debate coach.

### Local student council ties

Big Spring High School Student Council tied for honors as outstanding student council in the West Texas region when it attended the spring forum meeting in Colorado City Tuesday.

Andrews High, which recently held the state presidency, tied with Big Spring for the honors. Big Spring is competing for the state presidency slot this year.

The Big Spring High Council, sponsored by Craig Fischer, was also named outstanding Safety Council in the region.

Electing regional officers, Big Spring came up with the secretary-treasurer slot for 1977-78. Reagan County defeated Permian High for the presidency; Fort Stockton is vice president and Andrews is parliamentarian. Crane Middle School will have the middle school director's slot.

Irene Little and Donnie Knight led discussion groups at the forum.

Others attending from Big Spring were Steve Evans, Donna Carpenter, Paul Spence, Bubba Stripling, Scott Sullivan, Andrea Hohertz, Kenneth Coffey, Del Poss, Mary Ella Wise, Donna Dominguez, Barry Fish, Craig Drake, Teresa Hohertz and Carrie Little.

The Fall Forum will be held at Permian High School and the Spring Forum at Big Lake.

### Legion stages birthday party

The American Legion birthday party was held Saturday with Capt. N.A. Wilson from Webb AFB as the main speaker.

Legion Commander T.A. Trevino welcomed veterans from the V.A. Hospital, gold star mothers and fathers, members representing the Disabled Veterans Association and their auxiliary, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and World War I Barracks.

Commander Trevino gave out awards to members who met membership goals and certificates of appreciation to members who had worked for the good of the Legion during the past year.

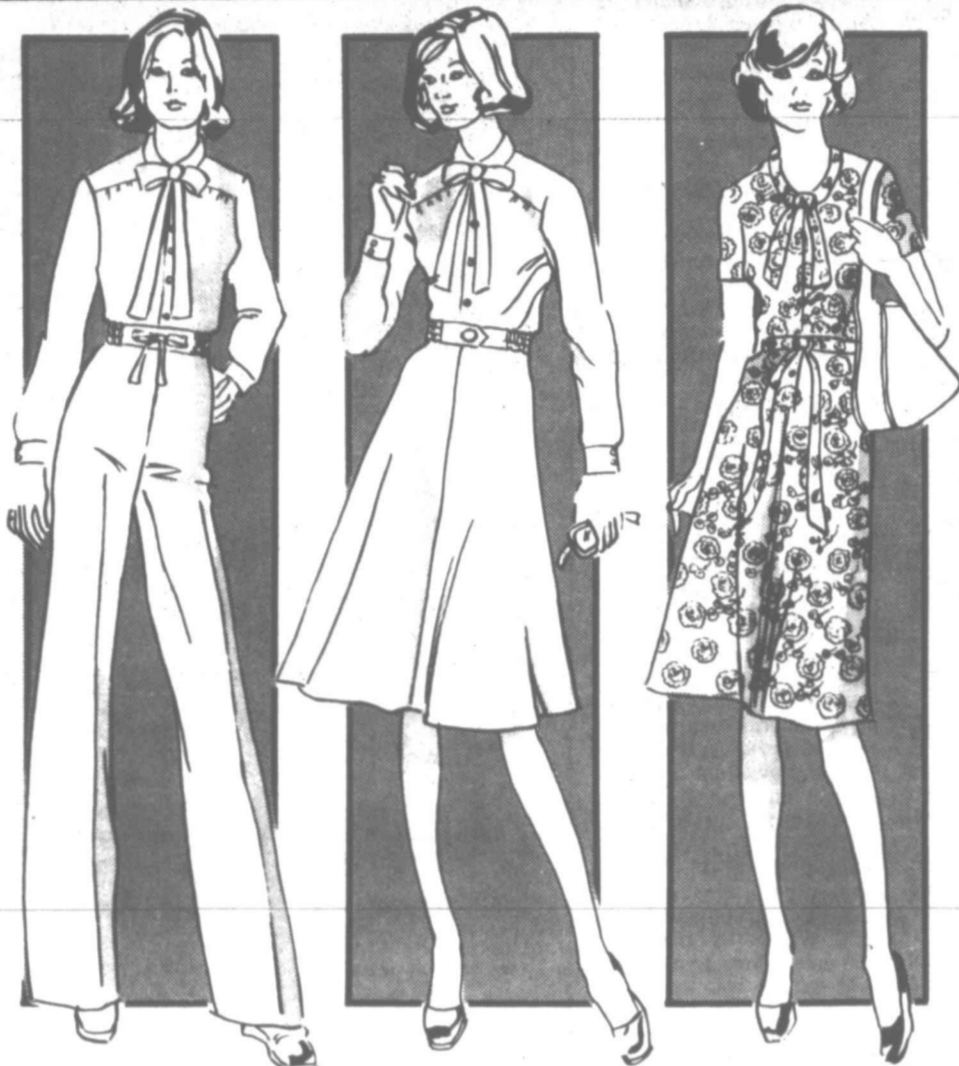
The Legion is now devoting time to plans for the 19th District Convention to be held at the local post April 16 and 17. All members are urged to attend the convention so that they can vote for district officers, a Legion spokesman stated.



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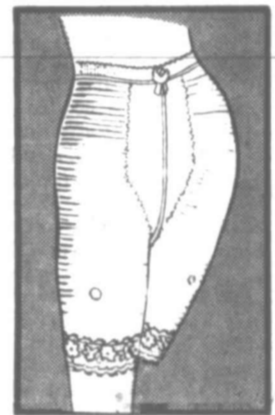
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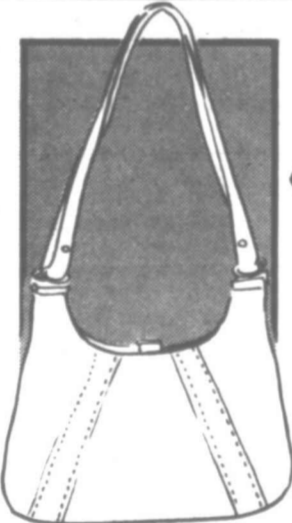
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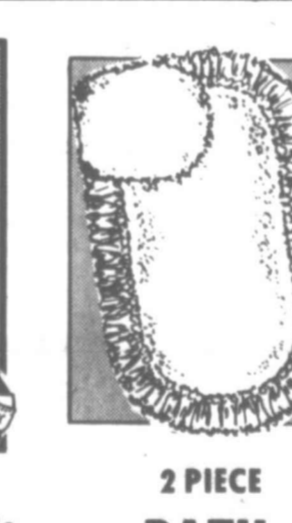
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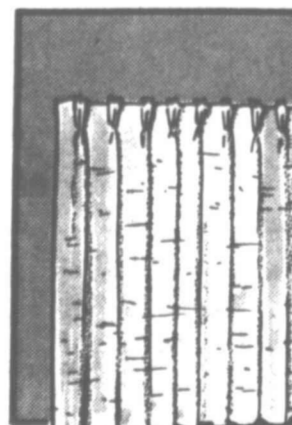
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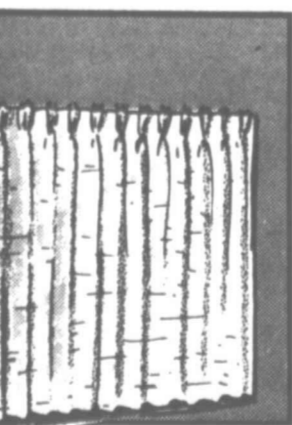
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## Pancakes Thursday

The annual Kiwanis Club pancake supper will be held Thursday, from 5-8 p.m. The event is to be held at the Howard College cafeteria with tickets selling for \$2 and pre-school children accompanied by a parent to go free. Co-chairman Noel Reed, Jack Davis and Jere Sink, vow that it will be good or the cooks, Jim Beam, Billy Smith, Dub Moore, Wendal Parks, Herman Smith, Joe Walker, Sherman Smith and Ernest Welch, will have to answer to the rest of the club.

They are hopeful that Don Green, Jack Lee, William Rothel, Robert Ball, Eugene Gresham, Craig Fischer and Charles Warren will not burn the bacon. They can't figure out any way that Ben Bancroft and John Hale can mess up the syrup. Other Kiwanis members have other duties and will be on hand to greet old friends at the annual supper.

## Crawford open house Friday

The open house at Don Crawford Pontiac and Datsun Inc., located at 502 E. FM 700, will be held Friday rather than Thursday, as previously announced. Dignitaries from both General Motors and Datsun Motor Company will accompany Crawford and his employees in greeting the public. Visitors will be given a tour of the Crawford plant, which recently moved from 504 E. Third St. Refreshments will be served to those attending the open house. A number of prizes will also be given away during the day. Hours Friday will be 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.

## Mayor casts absentee vote

The deadline for voting absentee in-person for candidates in the April 1 school board and city council elections is 5 p.m. next Tuesday, according to Tom Ferguson, finance director for the city. Completed ballots will be accepted by mail until 10 a.m. March 31. "The turnout has been awfully slow for absentee voting. We have had only two ballots completed, and one of those was the mayor's," said Ferguson.

## Cancer Crusade captains called

All captains who are helping with the forthcoming crusade for the local unit of the American Cancer Society are urged to meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at First Federal Savings and Loan. Don Robbins, crusade chairman, urges all captains to be present at this important meeting.

## Choir backers accepting gifts

The High School Choir Boosters organizations are accepting \$2 donations toward choir projects. A 1976 Ford Pinto will be donated as a gift to some \$2 donor in the near future. The opportunity to donate to the project will be available to the public all day Saturday at Gibson's Discount where choir boosters will be on hand. Money donated will go toward the cost of the spring trip for the choir to the Dallas-Fort Worth area where it will perform at several colleges. The Meistersingers were the first high school choir to ever be invited to appear at the Texas Music Educators Association. The choir sang at the meet this year and received a standing ovation. This will be the only money-making project of the Big Spring Choir Boosters for the entire school year.

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## Donations needed for rummage sale

The annual rummage sale sponsored by the Volunteer Services Council, Big Spring State Hospital, will be held this year in a building located at the rear of La Casa Realty in the Town and Country Shopping Center.

Dates for the event are March 31 and April 1, 2 and 4, with hours being from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on those days.

Donations of any type, including furniture, decorator items, housewares, books, etc. are needed for the sale. These may be delivered to the Volunteer Services office on the hospital campus. If donors are unable to deliver the items, they are asked to call 267-8216, ext. 308.



Dear Abby

## Look Twice At A Wrong Match

DEAR ABBY: I just slapped my son and realized it was because he looks like his father. I am trapped in a miserable marriage with three children (all accidents). I married more out of stubbornness than love. My parents and even friends told me not to marry him, but I wouldn't listen.

When we were going together, he'd borrow money from me and "forget" to pay it back. Now all the money is "his" money. He never takes me out, saying he can't afford it, but he always has enough to entertain his buddies.

My second baby was 3 and my third was on the way before I got a washing machine. (And then it was his mother's old one.)

He used to twist my arm, now he hits me regularly. He tells me what to do, what to say and even what to wear. I wish I had listened, but it's too late now.

SORRY

DEAR SORRY: It may be too late for you, but it's not too late for girls presently involved with fellows who fit your husband's description.

A tip to girls "in love" with a man who everyone thinks is wrong for her: Listen and take a good long second look at him. And a third. And then a fourth.

(P.S. You didn't ask for any advice, but if you're interested in getting your head together, you're tired of being a punching bag and have had it with accidental pregnancies, write again. Have I got a letter for you!)

DEAR ABBY: Our granddaughter just completed her nursery school term at St. Edmunds Episcopal Church, and each parent was given a copy of some words of wisdom.

I hope you will find it worthy of printing in your column. MRS. S., SAN MARINO, CALIF.

DEAR MRS. S.: I do. And I shall pass it on to my readers:

### CHILDREN LEARN WHAT THEY LIVE

- If a child lives with criticism, He learns to condemn...
- If a child lives with hostility, He learns to fight...
- If a child lives with ridicule, He learns to be shy...
- If a child lives with jealousy, He learns to feel guilty...
- If a child lives with tolerance, He learns to be patient...
- If a child lives with encouragement, He learns confidence...
- If a child lives with praise, He learns to appreciate...
- If a child lives with fairness, He learns justice...
- If a child lives with security, He learns to have faith...
- If a child lives with approval, He learns to like himself...
- If a child lives with acceptance and friendship, He learns to find love in the world.

WITH WHAT IS YOUR CHILD LIVING? Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

## Relatives visit Forsan families

FORSAN (SC) — Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holguin's children, Rudy and Sylvia, were home recently on spring break. They attend Texas A&M in College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Tillman Shoults and family of Woodrow were guests of Shoults' parents and Mrs. Shoults' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nobles.

Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Henry have returned home after visiting in Paducah with their son and family, the Danny Henrys.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. McCall and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wash were in Seminole Sunday to attend the wedding ceremony of Mrs. McCall's granddaughter, Miss Denise Archer, and Charley Holycross of Amarillo.

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## Spring brings advice for local gardeners

"Flower beds need to be four inches lower than the soil level in the lawn to hold water," said Miss Fannie Clark during a program presented Tuesday for the After Five Garden Club in her home, 1202 Pennsylvania. Mrs. John Hughes was cohostess.

Entitling her presentation, "Easy Gardening with Drought Resistant Plants," Miss Clark continued by saying that gardeners must plan to mulch to conserve moisture. This can be done by utilizing coffee grounds, grass clipping, shredded newspaper, straw, wood shavings or chips.

Suggested as hardy trees that can stand dryness were Russian olive, Siberian elm, box elder, mimosa, almond, chinaberry, redbud, crepe myrtle and honey locust.

### Baseball socks fashion fad

Baseball socks, the same style worn by professional players, are popular this spring for women. Wear them inside your shoes or on the outside, like old-fashioned spats!

Vines which do well in this climate are Morning Glory, clematis and trumpet vine. Popular annuals are sand verbena, dusty miller, cosmos and California poppy.

Mrs. Henry Dirks, president, presided, announcing that the club will provide cookies for the State Hospital in April. Mrs. Eva Greenwood will deliver the cookies to the Volunteer Services office.

## Guests join in Rook Club play

High score for members was won by Mrs. S.V. Jordan when the Rook Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Felton Smith, 1409 Runnels, with two tables in play.

The four guests were Mrs. T.G. Adams, Mrs. Alice Holt, Mrs. G.C. Broughton and Mrs. Billie Foster, the latter winning high score for guests.

At the close of the games, a salad plate was served. The party accessories used by Mrs. Smith, as well as a floral arrangement of daisies with Dutch irises, were sent to Mrs. Smith for the occasion by a granddaughter who lives in Dimmett.

Mrs. C.R. Moad will be hostess for the April 15 meeting.



**SUMMER DRESSING** — The covered and uncovered look for the season of soft, gentle breezes. Notice, too, the new, shorter lines of the "jacket." This easy-going duo from Leslie Fay is also easy-care handling.

## Local candidates give views at meeting in G.I. Forum Hall

The G.I. Forum, its Ladies Chapter and the Mexican-American Service Council held a joint, open meeting Friday at the G.I. Forum Hall to hear brief talks by candidates for the Big Spring City Commission and the Big Spring Independent School District board.

### Houseguests in area homes

WESTBROOK (SC) — Mrs. O.J. Brown and Mrs. J.B. Wilkinson, Sweetwater, were recent guests of the Altis Clemmers.

Mrs. Frank Oglesby has returned from Tahoka, where she visited her son, the Rev. F.B. Oglesby Jr., while he was hospitalized.

The Rev. Clinton Eastman, Stanton, has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist Church in Sterling City. Rev. Eastman is a former pastor of First Baptist Church, Westbrook.

Mrs. A.C. Moody has returned home from Claxton Lodge in Colorado City where she has been residing. She spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. N.L. Fuson, Big Lake, who returned her to her home in Westbrook Monday.

J.A. Moody was admitted to Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene Friday. Mrs. Moody accompanied him.

Noah Leyva, chairman of the G.I. Forum, introduced the candidates. They were Mrs. Gail Kirkpatrick and Al Stephens candidates for the City Commission, Place 4; Al Valdes, Mrs. Carol Hunter and Delbert Donaldson, candidates for the school board.

### Club meets in Forsan home

FORSAN (SC) — The Pioneer Sewing Club met the afternoon of March 15 in the home of Mrs. Anne Fairchild. Various handicrafts were worked on, and refreshments were served.

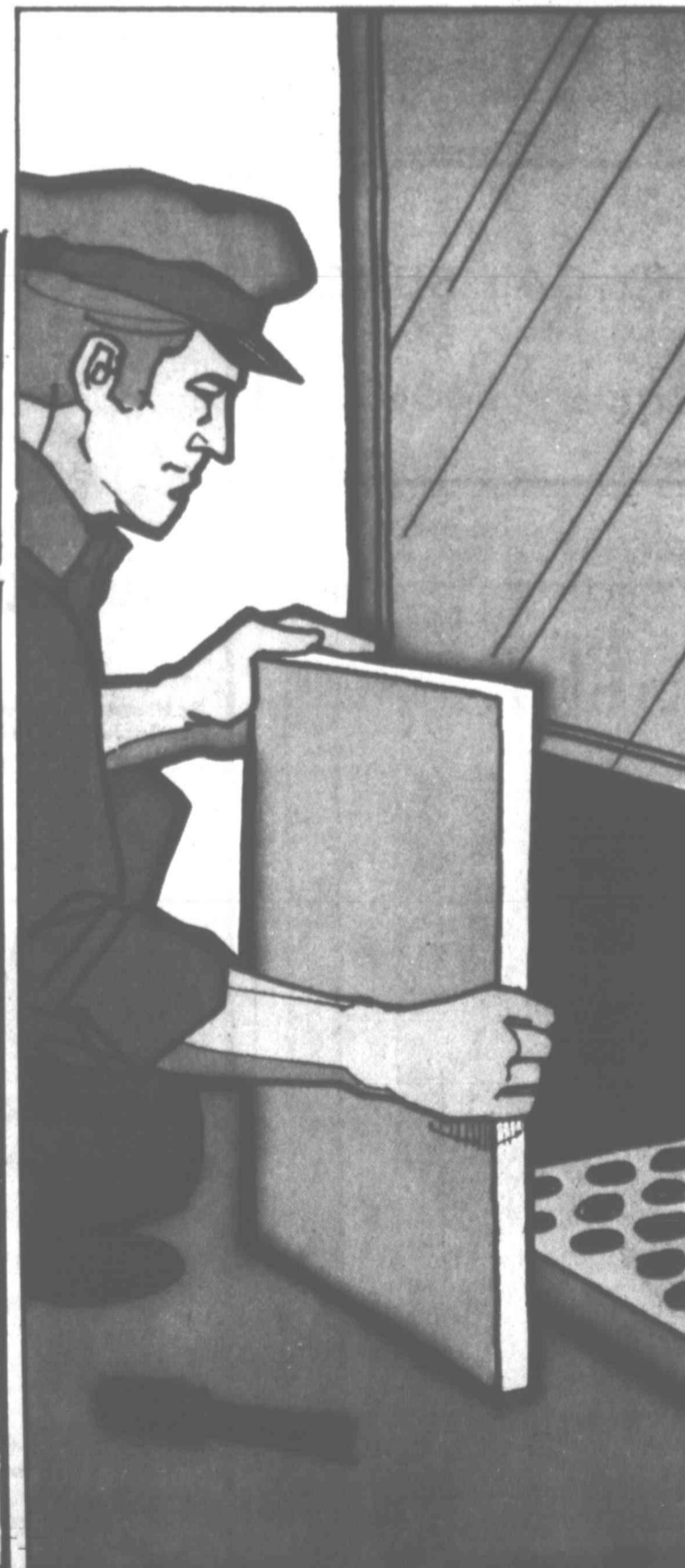
The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. C.L. Gooch at 2 p.m., April 5.

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## Ridin' fence

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If it's rained hard between Sunday and today, I'm going to become an avid reader of the Farmer's Almanac.

I write my columns several days ahead of time, and this one is being pounded out on Friday afternoon.

I was just handed a copy of the 1977 Farmer's Almanac and it says between March 20th to 23rd, "Heavy rain in Texas eastward to mid-Atlantic states, then fair."

We haven't seen too much moisture around here this year so I thought that sounded pretty exciting.

Sunday was the first day of spring. And Monday was deemed agriculture day across the nation. So I started thinking about farmers.

Now I've known all kinds of farmers through the years. I grew up in the Rio Grande Valley and until I was 10 years old and went on my first trip out of that place, I really thought that all towns had city limits that almost touched and that all farms were irrigated with a canal system.

I thought everybody grew everything. We had oranges, grapefruit, dates, lemons, limes, tangerines, pomegranates, and papayas growing in our yard and I didn't know they were luxuries.

We grew carrots, cotton — just to name a few in the few acres around the house when I was a child. We had a canal that ran across in front of the yard and we were taught from infancy "to stay away from the canal bank or you will drown." As we grew older, we broke the rules by climbing in willow trees near the banks and swinging out over the water.

I thought all farmers irrigated and the first time I visited in a hilly farm country, I turned and asked the farmer how they ever got the irrigation water up hill.

In the late 40s, I lived in the Coastal Bend area and my husband taught vocation agriculture. There was lots of cotton and lots of grain and a lot of the farmers depended on those coastal rains coming at the right time.

One problem there was that it often rained too much too fast. And I remember being in a farmer's club one day when a Dutchman named Bill Hedtke came in the club with sticks of dynamite in his hip pocket and he told another farmer there, "Your dam has backed up water on my cotton crop and I'm getting ready to blow that blankety blank sky high." We got out of there fast.

When we moved to Pecos, my husband was vice president and field representative for the farmers for Security State Bank. And I discovered another kind of farmer.

In Pecos, in those days in the early 50s of fast land development in an irrigated area, the land was cleared and caliche dirt blew like no sandstorm. I've ever seen before or since.

It was almost impossible to live on the farms and the farmers lived in nice homes in town and in those days drove big Cadillacs and wore fur coats and were a whole new breed.

Then I moved to Andrews where I was news editor of the paper over there. That was oil country and the farmers just kind of hung on the edge of sand dunes out there and grew what they could.

Then I came on over to Big Spring and found the area of the serious cotton farmers. In Howard and Dawson and



DIE HARD COTTON FARMERS the best kind

Martin and out around St. Lawrence and over in Mitchell County — these cotton farmers grow every available acre in cotton.

They join cotton production groups that push the industry and they attend meetings to learn the latest facts on things like nematodes and verticillium wilt and boll weevils and weed control.

You know when I look at the whole bunch — the Yankees that came down to grow the oranges, the Coastal Bend farmers that blew up the dams, the get-rich quick and then get-poor quick farmers of the sudden irrigation era in Pecos, the farmers clinging on the sand dunes out at Andrews — I believe my favorite are the serious West Texas cotton belt farmers.

They came to farm and if today is a good spring day and the emphasis is on agriculture, I thought it would be as good a time as any to tribute the serious, conscientious farmers from St. Lawrence to Ackerly, from Puntkin Center to Loraine, from Lamesa to Knott, from Luther to Colorado City. Here's to you and your families. May the almanac be right and may the rains come before planting time.

Where I go out ridin' fence.

Someone You Know Would Love a HAPPY DAY BUNCH from Faye's Flowers.

1013 Gregg St. 267-2571

## Thunderbirds booked for Webb open house

Webb Air Force Base faces a lively spring of events, the highlight of which will be an appearance by the Thunderbirds at the base open house May 22.

Col. Harry Spannaus, wing commander, told the Base Community Council meeting Monday that the open house was now firm for the fourth Sunday in May.

The Thunderbirds will be invited to stay over that evening for an Air Force Association meeting.

Among the other activities upcoming at the base are: —The annual Wives Appreciation Day on April 13.

—The annual Air Force Association campaign, with the base drive headed by Capt. Dave Klatt and the civilian side handled by Dr. John Key.

—The annual mini-barbeque and rodeo sponsored by the Century Club on May 7. This year, the allied students also will be invited.

—Art auction by the Officers Wives Club on March 26.

—Flight line social on April 15 at 4:30 p.m. in Hangar T-1. The Century Club also will sponsor this event for enlisted personnel.

In other reports, the Odessa site of meeting

The Women's Presbyterial meeting will be held March 31, at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 4901 Maple Avenue, Odessa.

Registration will be from 9:30 to 10 a.m. The meeting will start at 10 a.m. with a break for lunch and then concluded with an afternoon session. The meeting will be over by 3 p.m.

A guest speaker and several study groups are on the agenda. The registration fee is \$2.50 which will include lunch.

Anyone interested in going will please call Mrs. Lee Porter, 267-8801, by Friday or Saturday. The group going from here will meet at the First Presbyterian Church at 8 a.m., Thursday March 31.

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## HC schedules class in Western dancing

A new class in Country and Western Dancing will be taught at Howard College for six weeks.

The class meetings will be held from 7-9 p.m. on April 7, 13, 21, 25, May 3, and 10. The instruction will take place in the College Student Union Building and will cost \$12 per person.

May A. Williams will conduct the course. This will be the third time the course has been offered. Pre-registration is important since the class must be limited to 30 people. For additional information or to pre-register, those interested may call the Continuing Education Office, 267-6311, extension 70.

SUNDAY APRIL 10

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# Steers pluck speedy Eagles from sky

By DANNY REAGAN  
Sports Editor

"Intensity" has been coach Tom Collins' password throughout the entire pre-district baseball campaign.

Tuesday afternoon in Steer Park, the locals illustrated the definition of that word to a "T" by intensifying the visiting Abilene Eagles off the diamond 12-3.

Frankie Rubio, using a sharp curve ball and a change-up, plus a bat that was heavy in the extreme, handcuffed the hapless Eagles for the entire seven innings.

"The Rube" went four for five from the plate, with two

one-baggers, a double and a grand-slam homer that brought the respectable sized crowd and the rest of his teammates to their feet in an exhilarating scene of rejoicing.

Rubio yielded only four hits, as Abilene sent three pitchers to the hill in a vain attempt to choke off the powerful Steer battery.

The Bovines chalked up five runs in the opening frame on two hits, a bunt, three walks, a hit batter and an error.

Steven Evans led the batting order, and was given a free ride to the first bag.

Then Kyle Pfeiffer came up to get one of his three hits for the day. Arthur Olague then walked up to the plate and gave an exhibition of a picture-perfect bunt that loaded the bases.

Frankie Rubio, in the clean-up position, rapped a one-bagger over the third baseman's head to drive in Evans and Pfeiffer. Abilene pitcher Weldon Bragg, noticeably unnerved, walked Tony Mann and Mike Harris to send in two more runs and to gain his pass to the dugout.

Steven Evans led the batting order, and was given a free ride to the first bag.

Billy Hayes rounded out the devastating opening

inning by popping a sacrifice bunt to score Mann.

Abilene came back in the second inning in a vain attempt to make the game respectable. The Eagles tallied three runs on two base hits, two errors and a walk, but Rubio fanned the last two batters with only seven pitches to leave two men on base.

Ricky Myers set the tone for the nail-driving third inning, in which the locals piled up six runs. He drove a solid double into right field, but Abilene's Mark Pierce scooped up the ball, relayed it to second sacker Roberts

who threw to Rich who was covering third base, just in time to arrest Myers.

But the fire had been lit. Billy Hayes walked to first, then stole second, designated hitter Johnny Jones pounded a hit to left field, Evans walked to load the bases, and Kyle Pfeiffer socked a solid hit down the middle to send in the first run.

Arthur Olague nailed a buzzing hornet past the pitcher's head to drive home Jones, and then "Rube" sauntered up to the plate, took a ball and a strike and then candy-grammed his grand-slammer over the center field fence to take the

last feather of hope from the Eagles' wings.

Arthur Olague sent in the last Steer run in the sixth inning, as he rapped a sacrifice fly to score Evans.

The Steers, averaging almost nine runs an outing after 11 contests, racked up 12 runs on 11 hits and only five errors.

"Each team has its own personality," said coach Collins, "and ours is to play with a great deal of intensity."

The Steer dugout was constantly on its feet throughout the course of the game chanting to their fellow batters and causing

the crowd to join in.

"Abilene will never do that," explained Collins, "they're just not like that. A lot of people said that they (Abilene) weren't ready to play. They were just underestimated us."

"I knew that if we could do the things we were capable

of, we would be tough. I'm just glad the home town folks got to see the intensity of these guys," Collins concluded.

Collins added a special thanks to the vocal crowd that greeted the Steers' first district contest. The locals will be back in action in Steer Park this Saturday at 2 p.m.



BACK IN TIME — Steer second sacker Steve Evans dives back to first base head first in third inning action Tuesday in Steer Park. Evans is hugging the bag in plenty of time (See ball at right). Eagle first baseman

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES) Terry Austin went to the mound shortly after this picture was taken to become the third hurler of the day for the visitors. The locals bombed Abilene 12-3.

BIG SPRING 12, ABILENE 3		ABILENE		(BS) Hayes, Jones, SF — (BS) Olague.	
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## Name that Toone: 'Hey, talk to me Al!'

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Al McGuire made it clear he wouldn't have done it with just any player. But then, Marquette University's nonconformist basketball coach doesn't consider Bernard Toone just any player.

"I never get personally involved with a player who's not great," said McGuire, who would cap his coaching career if his Warriors, 23-7, compete in the NCAA finals. They are to meet North Carolina-Charlotte, 28-3, at the semifinals Saturday in Atlanta.

"I don't take my ball players aside," McGuire said. "I don't talk. I dictate. But I wanted to talk to Bernard last week. I made an exception."

Toone, a sophomore averaging only 4.3 points a game despite immense potential, and McGuire had their private discussion before the Marquette-Wake Forest game last Saturday. Toone responded with 18 points, 16 in the second half, as the Warriors won 82-68 for the NCAA Midwest Regional title.

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SECTION B

*It's not how you play,  
it's just if you win*

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Rockets guard Calvin Murphy says the Rockets are not playing well but they are winning and that's the big thing.

Houston defeated Indiana 106-99 in a National Basketball Association game Tuesday night but the NBA Central Division leaders had to struggle to get past the Pacers, who have lost 15 of their last 16 road games including the last two by a combined 83 points.

Rudy Tomjanovich scored 26 points and Mike Newlin came off the bench to add 18 in leading the Rockets to their 10th victory in 11 games.

However, the Pacers led with just under five minutes to go.

"We are not playing well but we are hanging in there," said Murphy, who had 16 points and four assists.

"But if you make the play when you have to, it doesn't matter. What good does it do to play good and lose?"

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# Billie Jean still reigns as King

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Superstar Billie Jean King and transsexual Dr. Renee Richards took another step today on a possible collision course in the McFarlin Cup women's tennis tournament here.

Ms. King, 33, playing her first competitive match since an operation on her right knee last October, crushed Sue Stap of Chicago, 6-2 and 6-3 Tuesday in a first-round match.

The 42-year-old Dr. Richards advanced to today's second-round play with a first-round victory Monday.

Ms. King and Dr. Richards could meet in Friday's semifinals, but both must conquer opponents today and in the quarter-finals Thursday.

Ms. King faced Carol Bailey and Dr. Richards met Pat Medrado in matches this afternoon.

Playing her first singles match in seven months, Ms. King, a six-time Wimbledon singles champ, appeared little affected by her knee operation.

She opened her own service in the first set with an

ace to Miss Stap, 23, and had the first set under control from the outset. Ms. King lost service only once when she trailed 0-2 in the second set, but won the next four games to take command.

"I feel my mobility is getting closer to 100 per cent, but I still have a long way to go," said Ms. King. "I'm just so happy to be on the court again. I didn't have any pain."

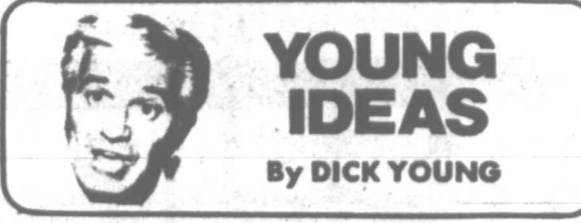
She said she is working to get her right knee as strong as the left.

Asked about a possible confrontation with Dr. Richards, Ms. King said, "To me, she's a tennis player just like everyone else."

## Golf tournament slated Sunday

The Big Spring Golf Association will hold its second tournament of the season this Sunday at Municipal Golf Course.

Entry fees of \$3 must be in by noon, and tee off time is 1:30 p.m. Committee members for the Louisiana Draw tourney are Mills, Caffey, Crockett and Gonzales.



## TV TAKEOVER OF BOXING

SAN JUAN, P.R. — Let me tell you something about the fight racket that you don't see in a movie like "Rocky." Let me tell you about something rotten, about big-city double-dealing, about take-over tactics, about how television is getting its hands dirty with the whole smelly mess. Let me tell you about Frank Gelb.

For years, Frank Gelb managed Jimmy Young, heavyweight. Frank Gelb was at ring-side here, watching Jimmy Young beat George Foreman for \$250,000 and for another manager. Frank Gelb, a year ago or so, sold Jimmy Young's contract for \$30,000.

"I DID IT FOR JIMMY," says Frank Gelb. "I wasn't able to get him the good fights. I couldn't get him Ali. Oh, I could if..."

If what? "If I wanted to give up control of my fighter. If I wanted to give up a piece of him to the promoter."

How big a piece? "Twenty per cent, but that's not all. There was options. I'd have to give up the right to pick his fights for the next two or three years if we won. They'd pick his opponents."

Who would? "Don King. King and Herbert Muhammad both. I wouldn't make a deal like that. So, I left it up to Jimmy. I had only eight, nine months to go on our contract anyway. I said to Jimmy, I can't get you Ali. Maybe these other people can."

Jimmy Young wanted Ali. He felt he had the style to beat the champ. Frank Gelb sold Young's contract to Jack Levin and Ray Kelly. As though somebody waved a magic wand, Jimmy Young had a commitment to fight Muhammad Ali for the title.

"I don't blame Jimmy a bit," says Frank Gelb. "I was happy for him. I just couldn't do business that way."

It was decided that before Jimmy Young could be put in with Ali, he needed a good win. Don King put him in with Joe Roman as the semi-windup to the Ali-Coopman stinker here in San Juan last Feb. 20. Jimmy beat Joe Roman, but almost blew the Ali fight in the process. It was a stinker in its own right. Jimmy Young looked terrible. Roman, a punching bag, punched back occasionally.

"How can they put Jimmy Young in with Ali now?" everybody asked.

Simple. Don King just put Jimmy young in with Ali, as promised. Some networks always will buy Ali, you can bet on it.

Two months later, Ali climbed into the ring against Jimmy Young at Washington's Capital Centre. Ali puffed climbing up the four steps, that's the kind of shape he was in. Why train for Jimmy Young?

When Frank Gelb still had Jimmy Young, why didn't he take him to Madison Square Garden and offer them Ali-Young, instead of having to sell out to Don King? Or why didn't he go to the third choice? Don Arum.

"I did. I went to the Garden. Teddy Brenner told me Young was no draw. He had fought a bad, losing fight against Randy Neumann. That was four years earlier. But Arum said he wasn't interested."

Frank Gelb shook his head. "What irks me," he said, "is the power that certain promoters have over the TV people. Television can make better fights than they make with New York promoters. Let them come to Philly. We're independent. We don't tie up people."

That's the answer. TV wants to tie up people. One network wants exclusive rights to freeze out the other network. A network will commit to a promoter who can guarantee a steady supply of beef, prime, choice, or even government inspected. In some instances the network bypasses the promoter to deal directly with the fighter and ties him up.

EXCLUSIVE TIE-UPS WITH NETWORKS  
ABC has exclusive rights to Sugar Ray Leonard; also first rights to George Foreman.

CBS has tied up Howard Davis and Leon Spinks, and has Ken Norton on a string.

It smacks of antitrust violation. It is a wonder the Justice Department hasn't moved in by now. How can it tolerate the television networks signing up boxers?

"They can't get me on monopoly," says Don King, "because I give the fighters more money than anybody. The only thing they can put me in jail for is giving away my money."

# .610 is not forever

By the Associated Press  
Mitchell Page is a realist. He knows that the gaudy .610 batting average he now has will not last a whole season.

But the Oakland A's rookie outfielder-first baseman feels he can hit at least half that during the 1977 baseball season.

"If I play, I know I can hit," Page said after driving in one run with a triple and scoring the winning run as Oakland edged the San Diego Padres 3-2 in an exhibition

game Tuesday. Acquired from the Pittsburgh Pirates in a trade last week, Page has 11 hits in 18 at-bats this spring. Five of his hits have been for extra bases.

In the fifth inning, with the score tied 2-2, Page walked, moved to third on Jerry Tabb's single and scored on a groundout.

In other exhibition games Tuesday, the Montreal Expos defeated the Minnesota Twins 12-8, the

Philadelphia Phillies blanked the Pittsburgh Pirates 6-0, the Detroit Tigers stopped the Boston Red Sox 6-2, the Milwaukee Brewers crushed the Cleveland Indians 15-4, the Baltimore Orioles trounced the Chicago White Sox 12-4, the St. Louis Cardinals whipped the Cincinnati Reds 10-2, the Seattle Mariners downed the California Angels 10-5, the Houston Astros nipped the Los Angeles Dodgers 6-5, the New York Mets downed the Toronto Blue Jays 6-4, the Atlanta Braves beat the New York Yankees 7-5, the San Francisco Giants defeated the Chicago Cubs 7-5 and the Texas Rangers topped the Kansas City Royals 8-5.

Veteran Steve Carlton and rookie Randy Lerch combined for a three-hitter as Philadelphia blanked Pittsburgh. Carlton gave up two hits in five innings, while Lerch struck out six in four innings.

A one-out double by Sandy Alomar in the ninth inning

snapped a 5-5 tie and led Texas to its victory over Kansas City. Biff Poceroba slammed a pinch-hit double in the seventh and scored the winning run on Barry Bonell's single as Atlanta won its fourth straight game.

John Montefusco hurled four hitless innings and scored San Francisco's first run after walking to lead off the Giants' three-run third. A triple by John Milner in the fifth drove in Lee Mazzilli with a tie-breaking run and leading the Mets to their first victory in three games against the American League expansion Blue Jays.

Jose Cruz drove in four runs with a homer and a triple, leading Houston over Los Angeles. Rookie Juan Bernhardt homered and tripled twice as Seattle pounded 15 hits in snapping a four-game losing streak.

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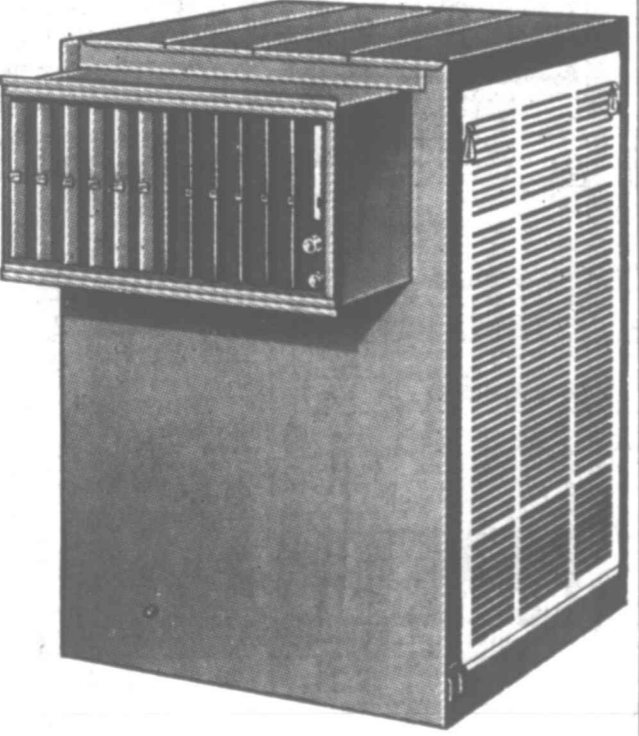


KING — Billy Jean King amuses the court audience by pulling a tennis ball from beneath her playing shorts in Tuesday's action against Sue Stap. Ms. King recent surgery marks show on her knees.

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**FOR SALE:** 1974 Honda 350. \$350. Fair condition. Also, mini bike \$40. Call 263-6562.

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**1974 KAWASAKI 750cc; 4000 ACTUAL Miles.** Sissy bar, fairing, like new. \$1,450. Call 263-4184.

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**Motorcycles M-1**

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**1974 TOYOTA PICKUP.** Air conditioned, automatic, low bed, 22 miles per gallon, 8 months (16,000 miles), \$2,750 cash-fin. 263-6420 after 6:00 weekdays.

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1973 PLYMOUTH GREAR PUREY, 4-door, one owner with air, automatic, power steering, power brakes, AM radio, good tires.

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1971 CHEVROLET PICKUP, 1/2 ton, long, wide 47,000 one owner miles, only one like it, with air, automatic, power steering, power brakes, AM radio.

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DISCOUNT \$1,800

1972 FORD PICKUP, short narrow bed, 4 cylinder, standard.

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DISCOUNT \$1,450

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**Connally raps 'smugness' of press**

By ROB WOOD  
Associated Press Writer  
HOUSTON (AP) - John Connally, former Secretary of the Navy and of the treasury, says the news media of today has a certain smugness which seems to imply that "we are judge, jury and prosecutor, not merely the recorder of human events."

Connally, also a former Texas governor, told a Houston Press Club forum Tuesday, "we recognize the ageless value of freedom of the press, but we should be concerned that this freedom carries with it the dangerous freedom to oppress."

"I assure you that anyone who feels he has been wronged by the press has never found a way to have the last word with a newspaper or a television camera."

Connally, still a powerful voice in the Republican Party, said the news media is "a giant financial and influential power center equivalent to the presidency, the congress or the supreme court."

"This private, profit-making enterprise has a greater right of confidentiality than a government elected by the people," he said.

"Throughout American history there have been abuses of power in all branches of government and in business and labor. Mechanisms exist in our political system to deal with these abuses. No real exist for checking possible abuses by the media, except the responsible attitude and self-discipline of those in the media."

Connally said the press can oppress with petty ways, such as "misleading or damaging headlines fashioned by some deskman

taking out his bias or anger in bold, black letters; or by the technique of make-up which gives magnified attention to a story; or the quiet but deadly technique of neglect or burial of a story."

During a question and answer session, Connally said the news media "has the power to destroy any public official. Some members of the press would destroy an individual if they could. There are irresponsible newsmen as well as

irresponsible lawyers or doctors. I'm not going to anoint newsmen with the holy water."

**Farm Milk decision defended**

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) - Deputy Secretary of Agriculture John C. White strongly defended President Carter's decision to increase government price support for milk, which triggered consumer protests that the move would drive up retail costs of milk by as much as 6.2 cents per gallon.

"The decision was made basically in an effort to stabilize and to protect income of dairymen and prices to consumers," White said here Tuesday.

White made his statements during a press conference after an address to about 1,000 members of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association meeting in Tarrant County Convention Center.

"An extensive survey showed that where the entire family worked seven days a week on a dairy their annual income was less than \$7,000 per year," White said.

The dairy industry and the USDA said an increase in milk price is needed to cover inflation costs, recommending the new support be set at 80 per cent of parity.

Carter chose 83 per cent, or \$9 per 100 pounds of milk.

This statement brought anger from dairyman John Grafa of Crowley.

"These wage and price people use the media by giving only their part of the story, and that's what's printed," Grafa decried.

"They don't tell about losses. We've taken a 90 cents per 100 pounds cut in price since Nov. 1, and during the same period feed and other costs kept going up and up."

White, in reply to a question comparing price of beer and milk said, "Beer ought to be cheaper than the price of milk. Milk is better for you than beer."

White told the cattlemen that he and Agriculture Secretary Bergland believe it's time to take another look at the 1964 Meat Import Act. It has "loopholes", according to cattlemen, permitting excessive amounts of beef to enter into the U.S. in competition with domestic production now in over supply.

Following the afternoon business session, a tour of the Rolling Plains Cotton Compress is scheduled.

Sixteen soil and water conservation districts are members of the West Texas Association of SWCD's. They include: Upper Colorado, Upper Clear Fork, Concho, Middle Clear Fork, Mitchell, North Concho River, Coke County, Runnels, Middle Concho, Sandhills, Mustang, Howard, Midland, Nolan County, Andrews and Central Colorado Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

Current officers of the association are J.M. Sterling, Colorado City, president; J.D. Crawford, Midland, president elect; and Cone Robinson, Sr., Norton, treasurer.

**Coahoma plans water talks**

A meeting of the Coahoma City Council will be held at the City Hall at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

The Austin hearing on the Coahoma appeal for a rehearing of the water district decision will be discussed.

Other items will be cemetery funds and markers, the police department functions, the installation of a radio for the city, a discussion about front door repairs at City Hall, the Dairy Queen septic tank and designation of an auditor to audit books for 1976-77.

**Rep. Martin to make speech at SWCD meet**

TEMPLE - State Rep. Elmer Martin of Colorado City and Dr. F.M. Churchill, Abilene Christian University, will be the principal speakers at the West Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts meeting to be held next Monday in Sweetwater.

J.M. Sterling, president of the association, said that the meeting will begin at 10 a.m. in the Nolan County Coliseum Annex. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m.

Joe Antilley, vice-chairman of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, and Kenneth Kuykendall, president of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts, will address soil and water conservation district directors on activities relative to each organization.

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**Boats**

1975 POLAR CRAFT (16 foot), 90 horsepower Evinrude (less than 30 hours), trolling motor, trailer, cover, extras. 263-8041 or 267-2511 extension 2454.

1975 LA SALLE TRAVEL Trailer. 28 foot, double bed, refrigerated air, and all extras. Call 293-5371.

OPEN ROAD 11 foot cabover camper. Self-contained, three-way refrigerated air conditioner, sleeps six. See at Lot 41 Ok Trailer Court.

1975 CHEVROLET MERRYMAID - 350 V8, AM-FM stereo 8 track, fully carpeted, cruise control, three burner butane stove, ice box, sink. Asking \$8,000. 263-8292.

1974 PROWLER TWENTY Foot. Self-contained. Used twice. See at 3706 Caroline. Call 263-4800.

1974 STAR Camper. Like new. See at 2707 C. 263-4466.

1974 STAR CRAFT. Sleeps six, butane stove, ice box, boat rack. Very nice. \$1,495. 263-4057.

1973 - 20ft FOOT TERRY TRAVEL Trailer. Self-contained. Tandem axle, refrigerated. Call 267-7483.

**Local firm providing 'Stand-by 7' service**

Based on the previous year's success in assisting farmer-customers, International Harvester dealer Broughton Truck and Implement Co., Big Spring, is again providing special parts and service for area farmers during planting time.

This special company-dealer program, called "Stand-by 7," was first initiated during 1976 Spring planting. Like last year, it is again designed to provide parts service seven days a week. In other words, the dealer and his national parts and service support groups are available weekends, ready to make any part available just as fast on Saturday or Sunday as it would be on a weekday.

If Broughton Truck and Implement doesn't have the needed part in stock, he simply phones a special "Stand-by 7" telephone number which features three alternatives stock sources. The part will be located regionally, nationally or from the manufacturing plant producing such parts.

"Like the 1976 program," said Wilbur R. Stringer, manager of IH's Dallas Agricultural Equipment Region which covers this area, "this year's program reflects our opinion that the company and dealers have a mutual obligation to our customers. We must provide them service to keep downtime to a minimum."

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**

**FOR SALE:** AKC Irish Setter pups. 263-2379 for more information.

**SLIGHTLY USED:** 10x20 custom built two room portable building. Wired, insulated, paneled, carpeted. Has own foundation. Bank terms - 111 deliver. 267-3469.

**FOR SALE:** 1966 Ford Ranchero, good condition. Standard, low mileage. Call 267-8253 after 5:00 p.m.

**EXCEPTIONALLY CLEAN:** 1953 Ford two door. Extra good motor and tires. 1900 Runnels. 267-8078 after 5:00 p.m.

1973 GRAN TORINO Sport - 48,000 miles, excellent condition! Priced to sell. 263-0513; 1207 East 14th Street.

1974 IMPALA FOUR door sedan. Original owner, power brakes, steering, air, vinyl top, cruise control, steel belted tires, 30,000 miles. \$3,250. 263-4087.

1970 PONTIAC FOUR - Door. 70,000 miles, power and air. Excellent condition. \$850. Electric concrete mixer \$75. Phone 267-1362 after 6:00 p.m.

14 FOOT FIBERGLASS Boat. 40 horsepower Mercury, electric start, water ready, 3975. Camper shell - long, wide, headhigh, lined, ladders. \$200. 2721 Lynn. 263-8171.

**Farm markets**

ABILENE - The market at Abilene Livestock Auction was fully steady to strong from last week's close on a run of 2,850 head of cattle at its sale Tuesday, according to R.C. Williams, market reporter.

Butcher calves: choice, 30-33; good, 29-31; standard, 25-29; rannies, 22-25; cows, fat, 25-29; cutters, 22-25; canners, 18-21; stockers, 24-29; \$190-275 per head.

Bulls: bolagna, 32-36; stockers, 34-37; utility, 24-29.

Stocker Steer Calves: choice, 40-45; good, 38-40; medium, 36-38; common, 32-36.

Stocker Feeder Steer Yearlings: choice, 39-42; good, 36-38; medium, 34-36; common, 32-34.

Stocker Feeder Heifer Yearlings: choice, 32-35; good, 30-32; medium, 28-30; common, 24-26.

Cows & Calves: good, \$275-360; plain, \$180-240.

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