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Tractorcade due here on Tuesday

The farmers' protest will finally reach Big Spring Tuesday morning with a tractorcade expected to arrive around 8 a.m.

Farmers in the Ackerly area began the plans for the demonstration and expect to be joined by farmers from Stanton, and Coahoma, according to Larry Shaw, area cotton farmer.

The Ackerly and Knott area farmers will gather around 7 a.m. in that

community and head for Big Spring. "We are not planning to interfere with anyone's business. We will come in on FM 700 and gather at the shopping mall south of town," Shaw stated.

He added, "Although the cotton farmers are not suffering as bad as the wheat farmers in the Panhandle, we made a very small margin of profit on a bumper crop this year."

A rally was held in Ackerly Saturday with Troy Brown from the Panhandle area speaking to the group who gathered. He told them that a second demonstration was scheduled in Lubbock Tuesday with farmers to drive around the loop.

The group is attempting to keep the public aware that the farmers have had no relief or any indications that anything will change.

One farmer said here at Saturday's meeting, "We take a big risk with expenses of around \$100,000 or over each season and this season the profit was less than most people's salaries."

Shaw emphasized, "We are not belligerent. We simply want people to be aware that the farmers are dissatisfied with their lot. We realize that most Big Spring businessmen are also concerned because they realize the plight of the cotton farmer."

Snow and ice to contribute to death toll

Department of Public Safety officials say dangerous road conditions across the northern half of the state may cause the New Year's weekend Texas traffic death count to increase drastically.

So far, at least 18 persons have died on Texas highways and streets since 6 p.m. Friday.

The DPS said last week it expected 30 persons to die in traffic mishaps during the weekend period that ends tonight at midnight.

DPS spokesman Richard Grimmert said Sunday evening that several highways in the state's northern regions had been described as dangerous because of snow, rain and ice.

India won't accept safeguards

Carter, Desai disagree on uranium

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — President Carter and Indian Prime Minister Morarji Desai disagreed sharply today over safeguards to prevent American nuclear fuel sold to India being used for weapons.

Despite the Indian leader's refusal to agree to safeguards demanded by the United States, White House press secretary Jody Powell said Carter told the prime minister he would recommend that an export license be granted for the shipment of 7.6 tons of enriched uranium for a nuclear power plant in western India.

Powell said this was being done "because of our desire to work in harmony, to work in cooperation."

The president disclosed his disagreement with Desai in a conversation with Secretary of State Cyrus Vance that was overheard and recorded by a radio technician.

Carter said the prime minister at a 30-minute private meeting this morning was "pretty adamant" in opposing safeguards demanded by the United States.

"When we get back, I think we ought to write him another letter, just cold and very blunt," the president said.

Carter also said he told the 81-year-old prime minister he "would authorize transfer of fuel now, ... but it didn't seem to make an impression on him."

The president said Desai told him negotiation of an international ban on all nuclear testing "might be enough of a change to warrant some modification" in India's position.

"He didn't give me any commitment," Carter went on, "but I told him I wanted to avoid any complications in the future because our Congress is going to pass a law" to control the transfer of American nuclear technology and materials.

Powell said Carter was not aware that his remarks were overheard and recorded by an American radio network.

The term "cold and very blunt" was "not in any sense a reference to the tone of the relationship (between the president and Desai) or the discussions of the issue," Powell said. It was "simply a statement of his feeling that following the visit there ought to be a written communication which set down the facts of the situation."

He added that he was confident the differences can be resolved.

The United States has a contract to supply enriched uranium to a nuclear power plant near Bombay but is demanding safeguards to prevent diversion of the uranium because Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's government exploded a nuclear device three years ago.

The Indian government, while disclaiming any intention of developing nuclear weapons, refuses to agree to any restrictions that the major nuclear powers do not agree to.

Carter's two-day visit to New Delhi also included an address to the Indian Parliament and a visit to the memorial to Mahandas Gandhi, the architect of Indian independence, who was assassinated in 1948.

Despite the nuclear disagreement, Carter told a reporter several hours after his conversation with Vance that this third stop on his nine-nation tour was "doing well. We're very pleased so far. We have had good and fruitful discussions."

Carter also had an unscheduled 45-minute meeting with Desai after his arrival Sunday. Afterward the president's chief foreign policy advisor, Zbigniew Brzezinski, told reporters the two leaders developed a "personal and spiritual rapport."

Carter in his address to the Indian Parliament made only a fleeting reference to the nuclear issue. He said the United States is "working hard to restrict the proliferation of nuclear explosives."



WREATH AT GANDHI MEMORIAL — President and Mrs. Jimmy Carter lay a wreath at the Rajghat Samadhi today in New Delhi where Mahatma Gandhi's body was cremated.

Third worst plane crash kills 213

BOMBAY, India (AP) — An Air India jumbo jet with 213 persons reported aboard exploded and crashed into the Arabian Sea off Bombay Sunday night, and all aboard apparently were killed.

Another Boeing 747, flown by British Airways with 371 persons aboard, blew a tire early Monday as it took off from Bombay but it landed safely in Rome.

The Indian airliner was on a flight from Bombay, on India's west coast, to Dubai, on the Arabian peninsula in the United Arab Emirates. The airline said most of the 190 passengers were Indians going to the U.A.E. to work, but 11 were foreigners with Arab names.

Auto tags to go on sale Tuesday

Sale of license tags begins at the county tax assessor-collector's office in the courthouse Tuesday.

Car owners will be billed from seven to 20 months with notification of the amount to be received in the mail.

By next year, the license tag renewals will be staggered by months, similar to the present approach of inspection stickers.

This should, according to the theory, be the last year for lengthy lines. However, motorists will get a jolt when they are billed for up to a year and a half in some cases instead of one year.

Renewal schedules are staggered according to the digits on the tags, state tax officials announced.

Temperatures drop but snow light

Light sleet fell around 5:30 p.m. New Year's Day, but failed to materialize into any measurable moisture in Big Spring.

Although 10 p.m. weather warnings were directed at Howard, Martin, Glasscock, Andrews, Midland and Ector counties, it must have been wishful thinking on the part of Howard County residents.

Streets and highways never became slick in Big Spring during the night Sunday and residents awoke to another dry, cloudy morning today.

Shauna Rodriguez 78's first baby

The Air Force may be pulled out of Big Spring, but the New Year's Baby was still an Air Force child.

Joe and Kathy Rodriguez, 1006 Baylor, had a baby girl at 5:18 p.m. Jan. 1 at Malone-Hogan Hospital. The infant weighed seven pounds and 3/4 ounces.

The father is due to be transferred to Tinker AFB in Oklahoma. The New Year's baby has been named Shauna Michelle.

Last year's winner was also to a Rodriguez couple. She was Christy Sue Rodriguez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Rodriguez of Big Spring.

The foreigners included two holders of American passports issued in San Francisco, U. Khan and Mohammed Ami Abdul Khazi, who were residents of Saudi Arabia, Air India said.

It was Indian aviation's worst crash, and the toll was the third highest in the history of civil aviation.

Fifteen hours after the crash, there was "no trace of any survivors," a spokesman for the Indian navy said. An official said 35 bodies had been sighted, nine had been taken from the water and part of the plane's tail had

been recovered. Helicopters, Indian navy ships and fishing boats searched the crash area three miles off the coast. Pieces of wreckage, lifejackets and clothing were found.

The Boeing 747 took off more than 12 hours behind schedule on the 1,100-mile flight across the Arabian Sea. An Air India source said a bird hit one of the plane's flaps during a flight Saturday, and repairs had to be made.

Guests at Bombay's Seacrook Hotel, which overlooks the coast, said they

heard a loud explosion that shook card tables in the hotel game room. They were unable to see anything at sea, but one coastal resident, Namdev Revatandkar, told reporters he saw the plane's Air India markings as it went down.

An officer aboard a navy ship reported seeing the plane breaking up in the sky. The officer "saw the explosion and the aircraft disintegrating," said A.K. Sarkar, deputy director general of civil aviation.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Smoke trails

Q. Where are the jets from that are leaving smoke trails in the skies? They are not from Webb are they?

A. No. They are probably air refueling exercises with planes possibly from Holloman AFB in Alomorgordo, N.M. or jet tankers from Omaha, Neb.

Calendar: Gospel singing

TODAY
Gospel Singing Program, Kentwood Older Adult Center, 7 p.m.
Campus Review tickets continue to be on sale at the high school at \$5 each. Dates of the show this year are Jan. 19-21 and Jan. 26-28.

TUESDAY
American Legion Post No. 506 will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Kentwood Older Adult Center.
American Cancer Society, board of directors meeting, 12 noon, Spanish Inn.

All public schools open today at regular hours in Big Spring, Coahoma, Forsan, Sands and most surrounding schools.

Offbeat: Snooty neighbors

SALINA, Kan. (AP) — Owners of the Pork Motel are giving in to their Salina neighbors who have been turning up their noses at the motel's operation.

It's not that the Pork Motel is a low-rent operation. In fact, the motel's capacity numbers in the thousands. But the boarders are hogs and sheep. The feedlot has been put up for sale, and its owners cite bad publicity as the cause of a decrease in its operating income this year.

During the last year, suits have been filed against the feedlot by the Kansas attorney general's office and the state Department of Health and Environment. The state action came in response to numerous complaints about the pungent odor the lot is said to have.

The controversy surrounding the smell of the facility is a major reason for the sale, according to Frank Norton, a Salina attorney and one of two owners.

The asking price for the property, which can accommodate up to 4,400 hogs and 8,800 sheep, is about \$300,000.

Tops on TV: Dickens classic

Football fans have another evening of enjoyment as the Arkansas Razorbacks and Oklahoma Sooners meet in Miami for the Orange Bowl beginning at 7 p.m. ABC Theatre at 8 p.m. presents Lee Remick in "Breaking Up," a drama about a woman whose marriage comes to an unexpected end and cable viewers can watch Charles Dickens' classic "A Tale of Two Cities," with Ronald Coleman, at 9 p.m. on Channel 11.

Inside: Top story of 1977

THE SEVERE WINTER of 1977 was the top news story of the year, according to an Associated Press poll of editors across the country. See p. 3A.

FEDERAL SPACEMEN aren't very excited about unidentified flying objects these days, not even with a president who once said he saw a UFO. See p. 10A.

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Outside: Warmup

The weather forecast includes a possible low of 22 degrees tonight with weather expected to warm up to the low 50s by Tuesday. No snow is predicted. The high today was expected to be near 40. Clouds were to clear by Tuesday.



IN A FLAMING PANIC — Engulfed in flames, Daniel Yoder, 24, pushes his way through the crowd attending the Dallas Cowboy-Minnesota Vikings playoff game in Texas Stadium. Yoder suffered second degree burns on his legs and neck Sunday night when the snowman costume he

was wearing caught fire. Fans wrestled Yoder to the ground and extinguished the flames. He is listed in fair condition in a Dallas hospital. The cause of the fire has not been officially determined. (Copyright Paul Iverson—The Dallas Times Herald/Jan 1, 1978).

Fan's condition is fair after clothing burns at Cowboy game

DALLAS (AP) — For a few brief moments Sunday, Dan Yoder was a human torch as a capacity crowd at Texas Stadium and a national television audience looked on in horror.

Clad in a rented snow man costume, Yoder had just left his seat at the stadium where the Dallas Cowboys were whipping the Minnesota Vikings for the National Football Conference title and was making his way down to the field to "dance with the Cowboy cheerleaders,"

according to his companion, Madeline Gray. Suddenly, he was enveloped in flames. "Everyone around tried to cover him with blankets and put the fire out," Ms. Gray said, "but he panicked and ran and the flames got worse."

Yoder was rushed to nearby Parkland Hospital and was reported in fair condition early today with second degree burns on his legs and neck.

The cause of the blaze is still not clear.

Irving police spokesman John Sweeney said fire investigators had talked with four witnesses and concluded that Yoder bumped into a stadium vendor who was using a can of liquid heat to combat the 20-degree temperatures. The stadium is inside Irving city limits.

However, when Sweeney was told that stadium officials denied any of their vendors were involved in the incident, he called fire investigator "Pistol" Mitchell,

then told The Associated Press "the matter is still under investigation. All we have is hearsay right now."

Some spectators said the vendor had the canned heat, others said they thought it belonged to one of the chilly fans.

Clarence Williams of Dallas said, "He (Yoder) started running up the steps. He ran right into me. I didn't realize he was on fire. Suddenly he just burst into flames. I tried to tackle him, then people started throwing blankets on him."

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Digest



GIFT OF LOVE — Four-year-old Prem, whose name means "Love" in Hindi, applies a spot of dry colored powder to the forehead of First Lady Rosalynn Carter Monday at a boarding school in New Delhi. The ceremony, called Tilak, is a sign of friendship and respect. Mrs. Carter visited the Navayug School while the president met with Indian leaders.

UMW may compromise

BECKLEY, W. Va. (AP) — United Mine Workers President Arnold Miller says he would be willing to compromise on an issue whose resolution could breathe new life into the talks aimed at ending the four-week-old nationwide coal strike.

Miller told members of UMW District 29 on Sunday that he would accept a contract proposal that calls for fines against miners who refuse to cross picket lines during wildcat strikes.

But he said the only way he would go along with such an agreement is if there is a similar contract clause forcing coal companies into resolving the local issues that cause such walkouts.

Olga Korbut to marry

MOSCOW (AP) — Soviet gymnast Olga Korbut, who won the heart of an international television audience with her performance at the 1972 Olympics, now has the heart of Russian pop singer Leonid Bortkevich, the Tass news agency reports.

The brief announcement Sunday mentioned wedding plans but gave no date. But Tass released a photograph of Miss Korbut, 21, and her tall, mustachioed fiance, who is about 30, chatting in Minsk, Byelorussia, on Christmas Eve.

Rumors about a marriage between the gymnast and Bortkevich, lead singer with the Soviet group "Pesnyari," have been circulating for several months. Miss Korbut lives in Grodno, Byelorussia, near the Polish border, and Pesnyari is based in Byelorussia.

Movie doesn't spoil boy

DOUGLASVILLE, Ga. (AP) — Cary Guffey's mom says the 5-year-old hasn't let his starring role in "Close Encounters of the Third Kind" go to his head.

"He's of course been real excited over it," says Sue Guffey, "but lately he's been more excited over his Christmas toys."

Mrs. Guffey said she and Cary's father, Larry, have been surprised and concerned by the attention drawn to the boy over the science-fiction movie. But his teachers at school and church says he's handling his celebrity status just fine.

The Guffeys said they turned down an offer for Cary to appear in Stanley Kubrick's new film, "The Shining."

"It's a horror story about a little boy with ESP," Mrs. Guffey said. "We wouldn't let him do anything we didn't feel good about. In fact, I don't know if we'll let him do anything else after this. We felt good about 'Close Encounters.'"

Most watchable girls

SAN DIEGO (AP) — The International Society of Girlwatchers has announced its choices for women most worthy of ogling in the new year. The winners in 10 categories are:

Actress Sophia Loren, wife; anti-Equal Rights Amendment leader Phyllis Schlafly, mother; Bernadette Peters, TV actress; Georgia Engel, comedian; Natalie Cole, singer; Jan Stephenson, golfer; Phyllis George, sportscaster; Jodie Foster, teen-ager; Cheryl Tiegs, model; and Jacqueline Bisset, film actress.

Each woman received a sticker that said the award was "presented as a sincere compliment for your lovely, wellgroomed appearance."



CONDOLENCES — King Khaled Bin Abdul Aziz of Saudi Arabia, left, greets the new emir of Kuwait, today in Kuwait, after arriving to offer his condolences on the death of the previous emir, Sheikh Sabah Salem Al-Sabah. The Kuwaiti government declared a 40-day period of mourning for the late ruler.

Babysitter sacrifices life to save infant from fire

By the Associated Press

A Massachusetts babysitter gave up his life to save a 4-month-old child, four children were killed in their Oregon home and an old hotel along the route of the Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, Calif., was gutted, all in New Year's weekend fires.

Chelsea, Mass., police said

Jordan owner of new firm

DALLAS — In a joint announcement, Lee Roy Jordan, formerly of the Dallas Cowboys, and Kenneth B. Moore, president of Redwood Lumber of Dallas, today announced that the assets of that company have been acquired by the Lee Roy Jordan Redwood Lumber Company.

Redwood Lumber of Dallas is the state's oldest wholesale lumber yard dealing exclusively in redwood products. It has been in continuous operation since 1952. Through its offices in Dallas and Austin, the company provides redwood products to approximately 500 lumber yards throughout Texas.

Jordan's redwood lumber offices are located in Dallas at 2510 W. Northwest Highway, Dallas, Texas 75220 and in Austin at 3300 Gonzales, Austin, Texas 78702, the same locations formerly occupied by Mr. Moore's company.

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Walter Juskiewicz, 23, tossed a baby boy from an upstairs bedroom window into the arms of a neighbor at the height of a New Year's Eve fire in a three-story brick duplex.

Juskiewicz and two other children, Michael and Dennis Elliott, aged 2 and 4, were taken from the second floor, but they were dead of smoke inhalation upon arrival at a hospital.

Capt. James Trainor, 54, a 30-year veteran of the fire department, collapsed and died in heavy smoke while trying to cut a hole in the roof of the Chelsea apartment.

The surviving boy, Sean Viele, was not believed seriously injured.

The four children of Carolyn Van Strum died in a 3 a.m. blaze that destroyed the family's isolated two-story home near Waldport, in western Oregon, on New Year's Day.

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New Port, Ark.: 11 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Listed as pallbearers are Rob Reid, Don Lee Crawford, Billy Yale Crawford, Rupert Pearce, and Larry Glasson.

Cleo Flowers

Funeral services for Cleo Flowers, 59, Lenorah, are set for 2 p.m. Tuesday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with burial to follow in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Mr. Flowers, killed Friday in a car-pedestrian accident in Coke County, was a fruit and vegetable dealer in the Lenorah area.

Omer Brooks

Omer Dallas Brooks, 55, brother of Mrs. Pearl Sherman of Big Spring, died at his home in Odessa Saturday following a short illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home in Odessa. Burial will occur in Sunset Memorial Gardens there.

A native of Abilene, Mr. Brooks was a WW II veteran.

Winter of 1977 was last year's top news story

By the Associated Press
A large part of the United States was under ice and snow as the year 1977 began. Natural gas had become scarce, factories had closed. Thousands suffered financially and physically. Many died.

It was the coldest weather "since the founding of the republic," the National Weather Service said.

And it was the year's top news story, the editors and broadcasters of Associated Press newspapers and radio and TV stations decided.

In balloting before Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's dramatic trip to Israel at year's end, the editors and broadcasters also placed these stories among the top 10:

- 1-The spread of international terrorism;
- 2-The Panama Canal treaty;
- 3-The resignation of Bert Lance's;
- 4-Elvis Presley's death;
- 5-Gary Gilmore's execution;
- 6-The collision of two jets at Tenerife;

8-The administration's energy policy;

9-The capture of the suspected Son of Sam murderer, and

10-The investigation of Tongsun Park's alleged influence peddling.

It was no secret that natural gas supplies were trailing demand, but it took the Winter of '77 to drive the point home. And rivers froze, blocking barges carrying fuel oil, aggravating the problem.

With residential customers having first claim on the

limited gas, many industries had to shut down. On Feb. 2, the Federal Energy Administration said more than 8,500 plants had been closed, throwing 1.4 million Americans out of work.

The winter threw its severest blast in January. Temperatures in the Ohio Valley, for example, which were about 8 degrees below normal from December through February, averaged 15 to 20 degrees below normal in January. In New England, they were about 4 degrees below normal over

the three months but 8 to 10 degrees below normal in January.

Mostly confined to the eastern part of the country, the unusual cold stretched from the extreme South to the North. A hard freeze damaged much of Florida's citrus crop, with some growers even witnessing snow on their trees.

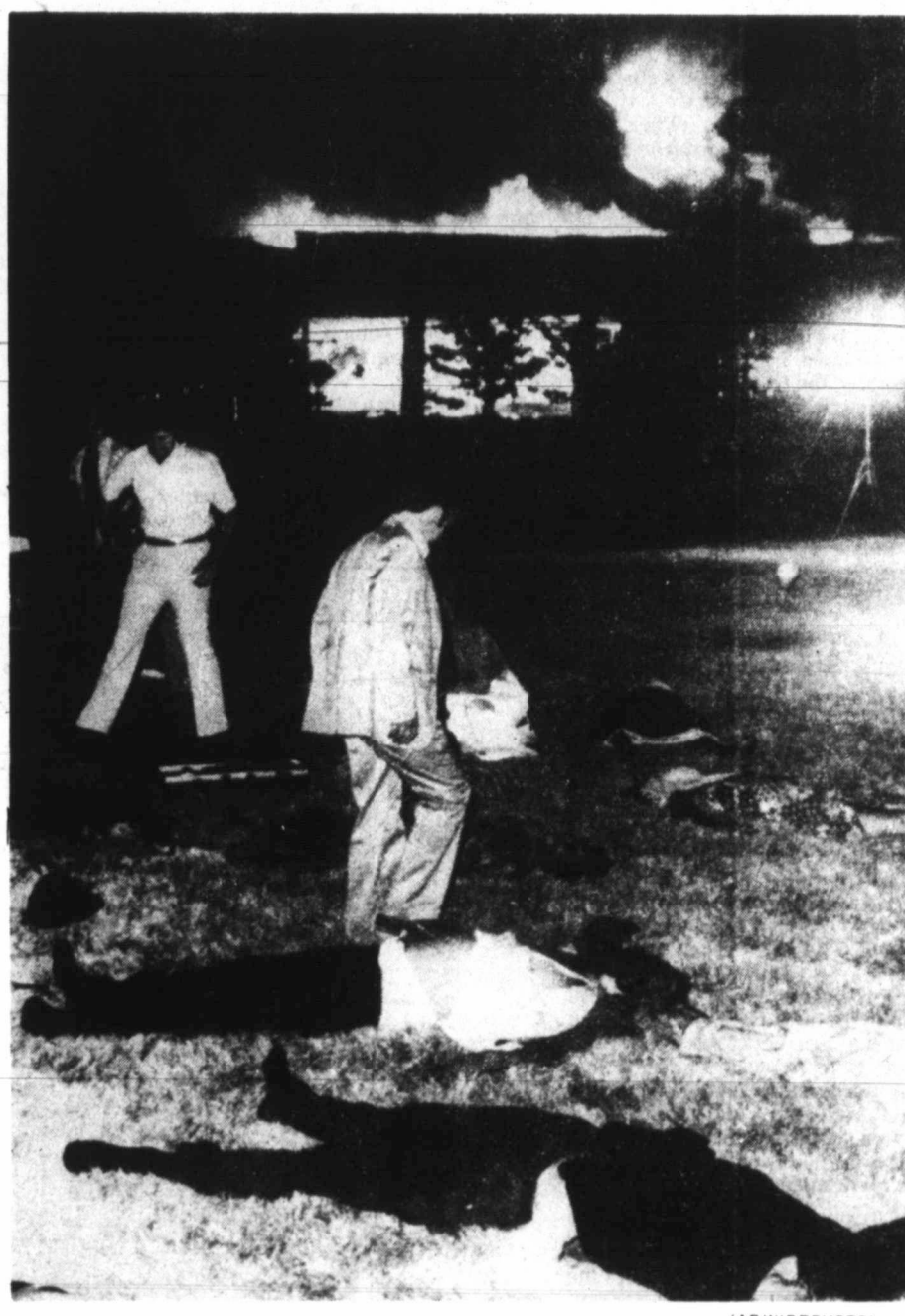
In the North, the upstate New York city of Buffalo was paralyzed. On Jan. 28 a 17-hour blizzard added four inches of snow to the 37 inches already on the ground. Thirteen people died there that weekend.

Particularly hard hit were poor people in central cities, who shivered in freezing homes, their deliveries of fuel oil blocked by weather and their inability to pay.

When it was all over, the typical U.S. household had spent \$139 more for heat than in a normal winter.



WHICH ONE DO WE DIG OUT FIRST? — A group of people gather around their snow-covered autos in a parking lot in Buffalo, N.Y., last February. Buffalo was one of the hardest hit cities in last winter's severe weather. (AP WIREPHOTO)



KENTUCKY SUPPER CLUB FIRE — Rescue workers stand amid some of the victims as the Beverly Hills Supper Club in northern Kentucky blazes in background last May. Authorities said this was one of the worst fire disasters in recent history. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Pilot survives

15 hours by treading water

KAILUA-KONA, Hawaii (AP) — The pilot of a single-engine airplane that ditched in the Pacific Ocean about two miles off the island of Hawaii treaded water for 15 hours before being rescued.

His wife and another passenger were missing today and presumed drowned.

The pilot, Harold Corbett, 49, of Honolulu, was listed in satisfactory condition at Kona Hospital after being picked up by a charter boat Sunday.

Rescuers said he told them he and his wife, Diane, were the only ones who managed to scramble out of the plane before it sank Saturday night.



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Competition keen for F-4 contract

A question often being asked in Big Spring these days is:

"How good are Lockheed's chances of getting the F-4C contract?"

Quite good, I think. When the number of bidders dropped from eight to three, that improved the odds tremendously.

Lockheed Air Service Co. is one of the world's strongest firms in aircraft renovation with an outstanding track record. It is aggressive and competitive, and it will be hard to beat.

But nothing is certain when it comes to government contracts. The chief competitor for the contract is the McDonnell Douglas Tulsa Division, an Oklahoma-based portion of the company that originally built the F-4 fighter.

ACCORDING TO a recent article in the Tulsa (Okla.) Tribune, the

McDonnell Douglas Tulsa Division has "pulled out all the stops" to win the F-4C project.

"The Tulsa division has long been considered the corporation's modification factory," the newspaper said, "but in recent years there has been a trend for the military to do its own modification work in places like Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma City, and manufacturers like McDonnell Douglas have higher wage scales than firms that specialize in modification which makes competition for the remaining contracts difficult."

The newspaper said that at stake in the F-4 contract may be whether McDonnell stays in the modification business, or gets out.

Tulsa Division General Manager Robert C. Lindstrom was quoted as saying: "If the (contract) award is

made strictly on financial considerations, we probably won't have much of a chance."

The Tulsa newspaper said that while McDonnell has applied a sharp pencil to the cost aspects of its proposals, Lindstrom was quoted as saying that "what we (McDonnell) are selling is a high-priced product...a superior job."

Lindstrom admitted that there was a certain risk to that proposal, but Lindstrom apparently feels that McDonnell's best shot at the contract is to claim to be "technically superior."

WHETHER McDONNELL can put together a proposal that is in any way superior to Lockheed's growing and thriving Air Service Co. is doubtful to me, but McDonnell is using that approach since it appears to concede

that Lockheed can beat the Tulsa division's price.

Still, the article in the Tulsa Tribune gives Big Spring readers some idea of just how keen the competition is to modify the 328 fighter planes. The article hints rather strongly that McDonnell Douglas might abandon aircraft modification work if it does not win the F-4C contract. That too, I suppose, could be a tactic to win the award.

However much McDonnell is doing, we in Big Spring know that Lockheed is trying at least equally hard.

It is a battle among giant, technically brilliant companies on a battleground that encompasses everything from complicated aerospace engineering to politics. And the outcome makes a lot of difference to Big Spring.

—J. TOM GRAHAM



Witch-hunt

William F. Buckley, Jr.

It's CIA-picking time again, and the season is jolly. It is alleged — indeed it is established — that journalists have been used by the CIA in the past few years, causing much consternation particularly, one gathers, in the bosom of Congressman Les Aspin, the chairman of the House intelligence oversight subcommittee. Now there is nothing the matter with Les Aspin that could not be cured if only the Soviet Union would renounce the doctrines of Karl Marx. Mr. Aspin's subcommittee should study that problem, and issue a report.

It really does come down to that. Like policemen — do away with crime, and you can do away with policemen. Do away with foreign superpowers bent on oppressing the world, and you can do away with the army, the navy, the CIA and, for that matter, Mr. Aspin's subcommittee. What is seldom considered, in our holy war against the CIA, is: What are we supposed to do to survive in a resourcefully hostile world?

I say the question is seldom considered. In fact it was brilliantly illuminated in a single phrase used by Ray Cline, a former official of the CIA and sometime director of the State Department's Bureau of Intelligence, at the hearing. Mr. Aspin asked Mr. Cline whether he didn't agree that the CIA should be barred from dealing with any foreign newsmen or news organizations. Cline replied, "I do not believe in unilateral disarmament."

THAT REALLY tells it all. The trick is to reason a posteriori, from the data back to the principle. Do we need to know — for instance — what the KGB is up to in Mexico? In Quebec? If so, how do we go about finding out? One would suppose, judging from the attitude of Mr. Aspin and a few other critics of the CIA, that we should devise a uniform for all CIA agents, who should keep regular office hours at highly advertised addresses in the metropolitan centers of the world, with signs: "Information about anti-western espionage, plots, hijackings, terrorism, and atomic development gratefully received. Informants should bring passports, proof of citizenship, and certified copy of income tax return."

What appears constantly to surprise students of the CIA is that the kind of activity the agency engages in can and sometimes does cause problems. For instance, if you pay a foreigner \$1,000 for slipping you secret information that permits you to abort a plan to kidnap the American ambassador in the Sudan, money has actually passed hands; money that flowed through the hands of an agent of the United States, into the hands of someone who might be hostile to the regime in his own country. That could represent a problem, but the correct question to ask is whether that problem should be faced — or whether in order to avoid facing it, we should forbid the American agent to bribe the foreign informer.

The problem principally dealt with by Mr. Aspin's subcommittee has to do with what they call the "domestic blowback." Here, stated theoretically, is a problem. 1) The CIA is not permitted to operate domestically, which includes a ban against attempting to influence domestic opinion. 2) In the course of influencing foreign opinion, CIA activity conceivably disseminates information, or misinformation, that wafts back across the seas contaminating our own pure air, which is the domestic "blowback."



THE ECONOMY LEADER
EARTH CHARGES REBORN



Ovaries usually split up duties

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I had my right fallopian tube removed about a year ago. Now I'd like to know what's going on inside of me. I still have a period every month, but one month it's a 28-day cycle and the next one is 39 days.

I wonder if I ovulate only from my left ovary now. Do ovaries take turns — one month on, one month off as far as ovulating is concerned? Is it possible for me now to ovulate only every other month? And can I get pregnant now only every other month? — Mrs. J.W.

A tube is not necessary for ovulation. It is necessary for pregnancy. It appears that the ovaries do "split up" the ovulation chores — one month on, one month off — as you suggest. Occasionally they both get into the act at the same time, resulting in the conception of fraternal (not identical) twins.

With one tube missing, I'd say your chances of conceiving are less, but you should nevertheless act on the assumption that you can get pregnant at any time since one tube remains apparently intact. So that no doubt remains, go back to your doctor and find out exactly how extensive your surgery was. Then you will know just how likely you are to become pregnant. The rest of your letter betrays some confusion about the whole matter.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I just read an article saying that epilepsy is linked to a deficiency of the mineral manganese. I would like to know what foods contain this. My daughter is an epileptic. — M.M.

Until recently there was no evidence that such a thing as a manganese deficiency existed. Experimental work is under way on a possible link with epilepsy. As far as food is concerned, manganese is one of the trace minerals present widely in all foods.

Epilepsy can occur without any evidence of manganese deficiency. Also, manganese in excess can be poisonous to the system. Studies in this important area of medicine are being watched closely.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I get sieges in

which the left side of my face (from the top of my forehead to under the ear) throbs with pain. I was told this is due to the fact that my blood vessels are dilated on that side. Is this vasculitis? — Mrs. C.A.M.

Vasculitis means inflammation of blood vessels. The ones involved in your sieges may or may not be inflamed. I doubt it. You may be dealing with migraine. If your attacks begin with vision disturbance (flashes of light or blacking out) or if there is nausea and vomiting with them, suspect migraine. That requires special attention.

In migraine there is first a constriction, then a dilation of cerebral blood vessels. The dilation is what causes the severe pain, and that is what must be controlled. You should be examined.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: What is the cause of pterigium? I never heard of it until a few weeks ago. Is surgery needed? Does it recur? Would neglecting to get necessary eyeglasses cause it? — Mrs. G.S.

It's pronounced ter-rij-ee-um, a thickening of the conjunctiva, the delicate membrane lining the eyeballs. The word is from the Greek, meaning "winglike." A wing-shaped fold occurs in the conjunctiva and may spread over the eyeball proper. The usual cause is overexposure to heat, sunlight or dust. It is usually of little consequence unless it affects vision, in which case it can be removed surgically. It may also be removed for cosmetic purposes. The pterigium may recur. The need for

eyeglasses is not involved.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Is salt absolutely necessary for life? — G.S.

Absolutely, but sodium (salt) is contained in most foods, so you need not worry about getting it.

Headaches! You can beat them. Write to Dr. Thosteson, in care of the Big Spring Herald, for a copy of his booklet, "How to Tame Headaches." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Do frozen vegetables have the same nutrient as fresh garden kinds? — Mrs. H.H.

Freezing doesn't affect the protein, carbohydrates, or fat content of most foods, including vegetables. Prolonged storage may alter color, consistency, and taste of frozen foods a bit. Dietitians tell me the nutritive quality is maintained for at least two years. What's lost is usually lost in cooking.

If afflicted with problem fingernails or toenails, learn the practical, medically correct form of treatment. Write to Dr. Thosteson, in care of the Big Spring Herald, for a copy of his booklet, "Solving Your Nail Problems," enclosing a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 35 cents.

Dr. Thosteson welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.



My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: During the Christmas and New Year's holidays, I seem to have such a letdown feeling. Do you have any suggestions about this? — T.L.A.

DEAR T.L.A.: Statistics indicate that there are more attempted suicides during the Christmas and New Year's season than at any other time of the year. It is tragic that instead of the peace and great joy of which the angels sang, many people are filled with emptiness and despair at Christmas.

There may be several reasons for this. For one thing, the holiday season often brings a lot of extra (and sometimes unnecessary) activity — cards and letters to write, gifts to select, people to entertain. For many people the season brings unwanted (and sometimes unnecessary) financial strain. All the frantic activity results in worry and physical exhaustion, and that opens the door to depression. Many people also consume large amounts of alcohol during this time, and, contrary to popular opinion, alcohol is not a stimulant but

a depressant.

For some, the holiday season is particularly painful because of loneliness. Such individuals need to seek out other people and do things for them. Also, I think the end of one year and the beginning of another is discouraging to many people because they realize how little they have accomplished and how little hope they see for the future.

Whatever the reason, I believe the "holiday blues" can be overcome. The key is to focus our attention on Jesus Christ and the real significance of the holiday season. This time of the year, we should take time to reflect on the greatest gift of all — God's gift of His Son. Because God loves us, there is hope for us when we seek to live for Christ. The Bible says, "Be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord" (I Corinthians 15:58).

Begin this new year by committing yourself without reservation to Christ and His will for your life.



The good life

Around the rim

Starbuck Reagan

My name is Starbuck Alphonso "Bucky" Reagan. As of the next full moon, I will be 18 months old. I am a cat. No more, no less.

My mother was a pure blood Persian. Although her dog-loving masters were too cheap to take out papers on her, she was a classy chick.

My daddy came through town on a train one night and was gone the next day. All my mother remembers of him is the scar she still has on her left cheek. I haven't seen my mother in a year. Last I heard, her masters had her putting out a new batch of kids every four months...at five bucks a shot.

Right now I'm living with my quote, unquote "masters", the Reagans. They're a pain in the old sand box, but at least they're not too independent, not like most masters I've heard of.

I'VE GOTTEN a lot of bad press lately from my master, in this spot, and I had to threaten him with a complete defoliation of the philodendron to get a chance at a rebuttal.

You have to make allowances for him, (I call him "Alpo"). He sees himself as the next Aldous Huxley. But his brave new world has little room for anything but the allegorical cat. I find it hard to forgive him for that.

Sorry if I sound somewhat brusque. Have had a tedious day. First thing this morning, I had to sneak into my masters' bedroom, climb onto the window sill above their bed without waking them, and then jump right on the pretty one's head, and then run like hell.

This usually gets me put outside until they come home for lunch. This morning was no exception. As I came flying out the door, my adopted sisters "Starblack" and "Snake" were waiting for me as usual. (That "Starblack" is a fox.)

Both of them worship the dirt I roll in. I told them it was me who talked my master into fixing them a shelter on the patio for the winter. (I also took the credit for the daily ration of Meow Mix.)

The three of us went down to get "Mel" and "Winnie" Burton and the unnamed kid who lives in the laundry room. "Roscoe" Werrell hasn't let us sniff him yet, so we haven't let him into our little circle of friends as yet.

Then, it was four hours of scampering and getting into stuff. God, I hate scampering. I'd rather be at home taking a nap in anyplace I'm not supposed to be. But I have an image to maintain.

Then we picked up the black and white with the mean master, and all went over to Mrs. Miller's place. Since

I'm the only one who knows how to knock on a door, I let her know we were out there. I looked as hungry as I possibly could.

She fed us all veal cutlets. That lady's a gem. I barely had time to clean myself after eating before it was time for "Alpo" and his wife to get home. I ran in like "Lam" Jones when the pretty one opened the door to check the mail.

I LOOKED as hungry as I possibly could. They gave me dry cat food. I wanted Tender Vittles. I blinked my eye like it hurt. No soap. I limped a little bit. Nope, I bit "Alpo" on the leg. It worked. He threw a chicken leg at me. I ate it, disregarding the wives' tale that chicken bones weren't good for cats. Dogs made that up you know.

Then I had to go hide so they couldn't put me out when they went back to work. I wish they would've put me out. There was too much work to do inside. First of all, I had to lie down on the pretty one's pair of black pants. That's a killer, man.

Then, I got a cigarette butt out of the ashtray, being careful of course not to spill ashes on the table. That's an "at least two weeks without Tender Vittles" offense. Then, I hid it under one of the cushions in the couch. I wanted to make it easy. The ugly one has started counting the butts before he leaves.

I hasseled the fish for about a half hour, then chewed a little on the master's Texas Tech stool. By three o'clock, I was beat. But I still had the energy to scatter half a ream of typing paper on the floor and drag the toilet paper in one long sheet from the bathroom to kitchen.

Time for a quick nap, and then I had to get up in the window and look like I was waiting for my masters to come home. "Isn't that sweet," I lip-read the pretty one say. "Bucky's waiting to see his mommy and daddy." The ugly one rolled his eyes up and said "Bull..." something or other.

"Look what he's done!" the ugly one screamed as he came in the door. I ran to the pretty one and purred.

"Oooh, he's so cute to his mommy, isn't he?" She said in a sugary sweet contralto, rescuing me from "Alpo's" tirade.

By bedtime, the ugly one had calmed down though, and I jumped up on the bed and cuddled up to him, purring 90 miles an hour, looking truly repentant and cute as Linda Ronstadt's cat.

That always gets him. He set down his book, rubbed my head and said, "Whatcha doin' Buck?" To which I turned around, passed gas and ran like hell.



Fight hampered

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — Bribed Latin American officials have opened the floodgates for the drug traffickers who are inundating the United States with tons of cocaine and spreading the \$2,500-an-ounce cocaine habit to every corner of the country.

Yet a timid State Department has hindered the drug enforcement effort for fear of offending corrupt Latin American leaders and upsetting the status quo. These are the findings, still under wraps, of an aghast Congressional Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control. Chairman Lester Wolf, D-N.Y., made a personal inspection tour of six Latin American nations. According to his unpublished report, only Chile is making an honest effort to stop drug smuggling.

Two of the other five, Peru and Bolivia, are accused of flouting the international laws that seek to cope with the illicit drug traffic. And in Brazil, Colombia and Ecuador, the report alleges, connivance between government officials and drug traffickers is rampant.

WOLFF AND HIS investigators understand why underpaid customs and police officials take payoffs to look the other way at Latin American airfields and seaports. But the report doesn't spare the State Department for its dithering.

"Our own State Department is acting as a restraint upon the improvement of enforcement efforts by the Drug Enforcement Administration," declares the report, "for fear of tilting our present status quo with foreign nations."

For an official document, the language is blunt. "The committee," it charges, "found the Drug Enforcement Administration to be understaffed in many countries and often hamstrung by actions of our own State Department."

The report claims the "chain of corruption" extends to "the upper echelons of government" and "provides the kind of protection any racket requires if it is to flourish." That the corruption reaches high into the ruling circles of Latin American governments is spelled out in a country-by-country summary:

COLUMBIA — Enforcement is sluggish "due to the ingrained high-level corruption which permeates its enforcement ranks." Those who resist corruption "face the danger of assassination." During Wolff's visit, not a single major trafficker was suffering the discomfort of a Colombian jail. Yet there exists a 200-

member smuggling community which banks its millions in Florida, Panama and Switzerland. They operate from an estimated 300 clandestine airfields, ferrying to the United States 70 per cent of the illicit cocaine sold in this country.

ECUADOR — The investigators came back with "the distinct impression that enforcement... is weak (and) corruption is widespread. Many instances of high-ranking government officials involved in cocaine trafficking have been reported and documented... Judges have been known to vie for major (drug) cases, knowing that the right verdict can bring a sizable payoff." Not until recently did the State Department have "any direct contact with the highest levels of government" to curb an illicit cocaine trade with a street value of \$8.8 million a month.

PERU — Although a signatory to a 1961 international covenant to prohibit narcotics production, the growing of the coca bush — the source of cocaine — is legal, and growers generally ignore a lip-service law to regulate production. An estimated 70 to 80 per cent of all Latin American cocaine originates in Peru. Sums up the report: "Political instability, poverty, social tradition and/or complicity on the part of corrupt officials" may render coca-growing control impossible.

BOLIVIA — At least 20,000 families make a living from cultivating the coca plant in a country which also pledged by treaty to curb the narcotics trade. Frantic customs agents, trying to cope with the cocaine ring, have two jeeps to patrol more than 400 miles of terrain with unmapped airfields. There is one government aircraft for surveillance but no pilot to fly it.

BRAZIL — Drug trafficking, though it breeds corruption in Brazil, is not flagrant "by South American standards." A Brazilian group which controls Chrysler marine imports and deals in real estate is alleged to be tied into the cocaine trade, the report says.

ONLY IN THE iron-fisted military dictatorship of Chile did the committee discover some affirmative action and this, the report adds, was mainly to butter up U.S. and world opinion. Even there, the report notes, 23 narcotics suspects were deported to this country, only to have 20 of them released and sent back to Chile. The regime there grumbled about U.S. "leniency."

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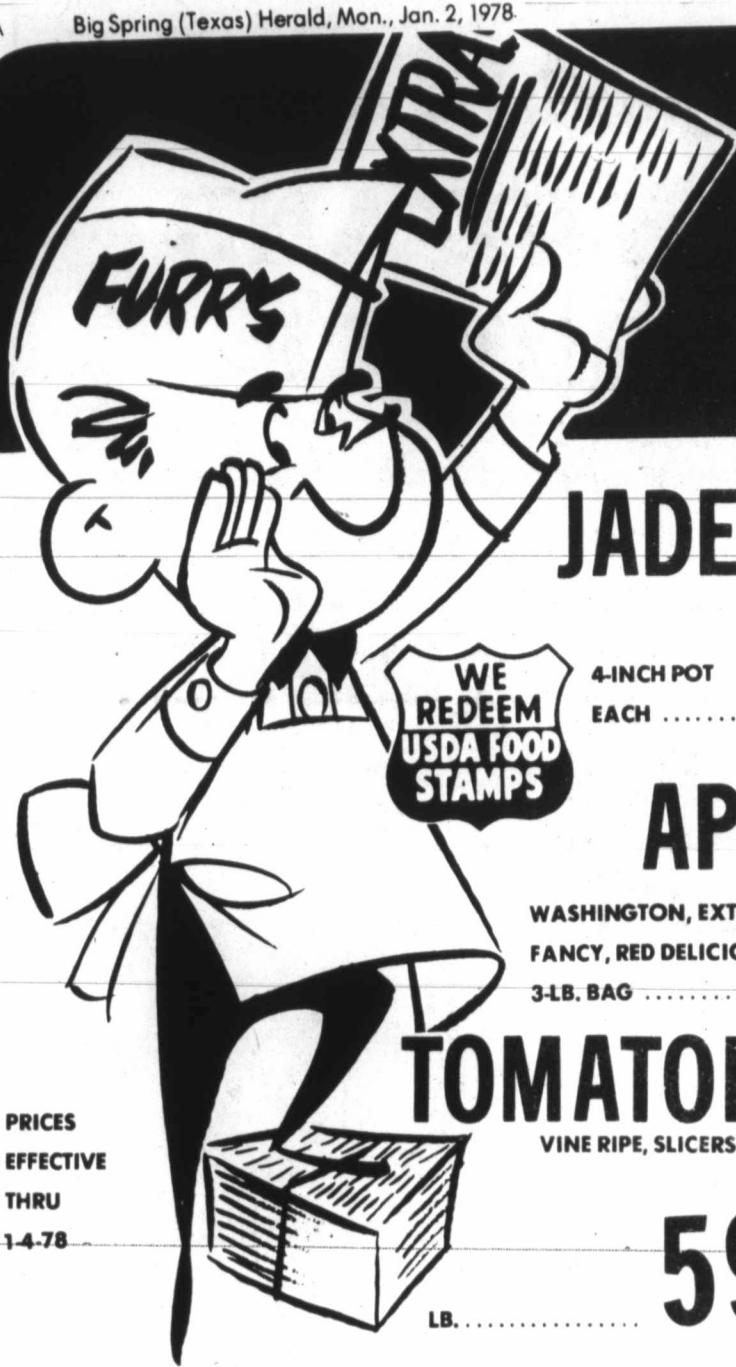
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New Year means bigger SS tax bite

WASHINGTON (AP) — Brace yourselves, fellow workers. The New Year means another government nick out of your next paycheck.

Not that you aren't painfully accustomed to it. This year's hike in withholding is the same story since 1970, an annual boost in Social Security taxes.

Social Security will now claim 6.05 percent out of every dollar of income up to \$17,700, or a maximum tax of \$1,070.85, with employers paying a matching amount. In 1977, the rate was 5.85 percent of income up to \$16,500, or a maximum of \$965.25.

For someone making \$10,000 per year, that means a Social Security bite of \$605, compared to \$585 in 1977.

But the 1978 hike is modest compared to what future years will bring. Under the new legislation designed to assure longterm solvency for the system, Social Security taxes will climb at a sharpened pace to 7.15 percent of income up to \$42,600, or a maximum tax of \$3,045, by 1987.

President Carter has promised a tax cut worth \$25 billion or so to offset the Social Security increases as well as the cost to consumers of his energy program. But that relief, probably in the \$150 to \$300 range for most

families, would not be forthcoming until later in the year.

When the president signed the new Social Security bill, he declared that, "With the help of...Congress in 1978, we'll have tax reductions which for every taxpayer

will result in a lesser tax burden even in spite of the fact this does increase taxes."

Social Security taxes have more than doubled since 1972, when the maximum tax was \$468. When Social Security began four decades

ago, the maximum was only \$30 a year, a figure that held steady until it jumped to \$45 in 1950.



MAP IS CONFUSING — Brian Wolfgang Skyum, 20, of Jylland, Denmark, puzzles over map in San Diego. He is traveling around the world mainly on a fold-up bicycle and trailer rig. Skyum has toured Canada already.

Carter's top aide may stay in '78

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hamilton Jordan, the president's top aide, says he'll probably stay at the White House another year — but after that he isn't sure.

Jordan, who hinted several months ago he might leave, said in a year-end interview he's happier now. He also said he doesn't know of any major changes in administration personnel in the year ahead.

President Carter has one big appointment left over from last year. He still must name a director for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to replace Clarence M. Kelley, who would like to leave by the end of this month.

The president had picked U.S. District Judge Frank Johnson of Alabama to succeed Kelley, but Johnson withdrew because of ill health. The search for another successor has been narrowed to four persons. Who they are is a secret.

It is likely, in fact, that some of the four don't know

they are being considered.

Nor is it a cinch that Carter will pick any of them. The president is known to be in no hurry and would rather appoint an acting director to run the bureau for a while than rush into making an ill-considered choice.

Otherwise, Jordan said, "I don't know of any major personnel changes you can expect here...I don't know of anybody around here that's going to leave, and I don't think anybody in the Cabinet is going to leave."

As for himself, Jordan said his talk about quitting last year was because the business of helping Carter make secondary personnel appointments simply got him down. Part of it was disappointing the people who didn't win jobs.

"I'm happier now than I was then," he said. "I had been through the thing with Carter and (Vice President Walter F.) Mondale and the Cabinet — and that was interesting, you know, working with them and trying to identify people for Carter to consider."

"But then all of a sudden to have to worry about who the regional GSA (General Services Administration) people are going to be and all that kind of stuff — it was kind of debilitating."

Now Jordan, who is the president's chief political adviser in the White House, heads a task force fighting for ratification of the Panama Canal treaty. He is deeply involved in the president's effort to bring a peaceful settlement in the Middle East.

And he is looking forward to agreement with the Soviet Union on a new strategic arms limitation treaty (SALT) and the drive to win its approval in the Senate.

"It's better," Jordan said. "But that's not saying I'm going to stay here forever, either."

"I'm probably good for '78," he said, "but I don't know how long I'll be around. I know I want to stay here to see the Panama thing through and the SALT thing through, but I haven't made any long-term decisions one way or the other."

License plate renewal different this year

AUSTIN — License plate renewal notices for almost 11 million motor vehicles are in U.S. post offices throughout Texas for delivery to owners beginning the day after Christmas.

R. W. Townsley, director of the Motor Vehicle Division, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, said the renewal notices were stuffed into envelopes, pre-sorted by zip code, boxed and delivered to post offices to expedite delivery. Work to get the renewal notices ready for delivery started in early October.

"The plate renewals for passenger cars and light trucks (such as pickups) will be different from last year. A new law requires that renewal dates be spread as equally as possible over 12 months, rather than have all expire at one time (April 1) each year," Townsley said.

Since the Motor Vehicle Division does not maintain records by owner's name or birth date, the license number of the vehicle has been used to determine the month of registration renewal in the future.

Renewal notices have been issued to reflect the number of months and the prorated fee to be paid to register each vehicle under the new system.

A complete explanation of the new system is enclosed with each renewal notice for passenger cars and light trucks (one ton or less). It is imperative that vehicle owners not lose the registration notice as it must be presented at the county tax collection office to obtain new license plates.

According to Tax Assessor-Collector Zirah

Bednar "Everyone will have to register their cars between January 3rd and April 1st. At the time you register your passenger car or light truck you will receive two stickers: a month sticker and a year sticker. The month sticker indicates the month you will next register your vehicle."

"Please," continued Mrs. Bednar, "check the renewal notice against the license number, make and year of your car to be sure they match. Make sure your mailing address is in order. The Highway Department will only give a credit, not a refund in case of error."

"Newsom's Grocery will be the only substation this year. The Webb Credit Union will not serve as a substation this year. A deputy will be at the Coahoma City Hall in March for people in that area."

"Remember that everyone should pay the full amount indicated on the renewal notice. This will assure you of getting a renewal when you next have to register the same vehicle."

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"Look for your friendly postman to bring your license plate renewal notice shortly after Christmas," Townsley said. "Do yourself a favor — take your renewal notice to your county tax office and register early. You'll be sorry if you don't."

Don't bite hand with allowance

BALTIMORE (AP) — Out of the mouths of babes come...well, you can never tell.

Take this collection of adages that third-, fourth- and fifth-graders at Baltimore's Cross Country and David E. Weglein Elementary Schools came up with. They were given the first part of an old saw and asked to complete it.

"Don't put all your eggs in your pocket." — Celestine Clark

"Don't bite the hand that has your allowance in it." — Lisa Tidler

"All is fair in love and fighting with your brother." — Lisa Rus

"If at first you don't succeed, blame it on the teacher." — Stacey Bass

"Children should be seen and given triple scoops of ice cream every hour." — Nancy Slepinski

"A bird in the hand is dead." — Rhonda Boozer

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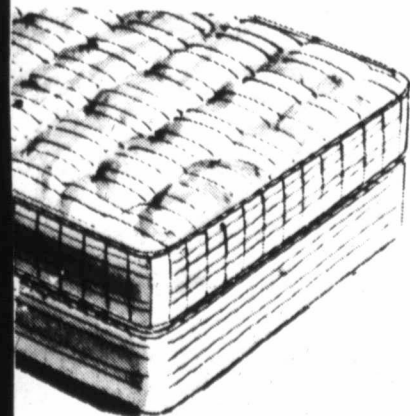
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IT TAKES PRACTICE — Some of the members of the Big Spring Steer band are shown during holiday rehearsals for Campus Review 78. Tickets are already on sale at the high school for the production which will be presented Jan. 19-21 and Jan. 26-28. This group includes

Mike Donald, Sherri Blalack, Leah Tolle, David Emerson, Angela Schmidt, Gay Tibbs, Twayne Bledsoe, Toni Myrick, Wanda Ray, Brent Pierce, Connie Welsch, Tamara Worthan, Liz Ray, John Malloy, Charlsa Hamner and Scott Vick.

Engaged in border war

Vietnam, Cambodia swap barbs

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — The Communist governments of Vietnam and Cambodia are accusing each other of making war along their border.

Cambodia broke diplomatic relations with Vietnam Saturday, charging that several divisions of Vietnamese troops backed by hundreds of tanks and planes had invaded Cambodian territory. Radio Phnom Penh said the Vietnamese were trying to overthrow the Cambodian government.

Replying Sunday, Radio Hanoi accused Cambodian troops of large-scale strikes deep into southern Vietnam. "In some places thousands of people were killed and wounded," Hanoi said. "Thousands of homes and an unaccounted amount of property were destroyed. Tens of thousands of innocent people were forced to leave their homes and resettle in the inner areas of the country."

"Along the routes of their attack, they looted and

burned down monasteries, schools and first aid centers. At many places, they raped young women, disemboweled pregnant ones, beheaded adults, threw children into fires and committed other untold atrocities."

The Vietnamese broadcast urged negotiations to end the conflict "in a fraternal manner," but the Cambodian ambassador to China, Pich Cheang, said in Peking that negotiations were impossible under present conditions.

The broadcasts were the first official acknowledgement of the border fighting which the two governments now admit began in April 1975, shortly after the Communist victories in Saigon and Phnom Penh. Both sides say the fighting has intensified in recent months.

Observers say the conflict stems from the ancient, traditional enmity between the Cambodians and the Vietnamese and disputes over the boundaries drawn

by the French colonial administrators. Sources in Bangkok said the Cambodians made a military stab "dangerously" deep into Vietnam in the direction of Saigon last fall. They said the initial Vietnamese military response apparently was weak but was followed in recent months by major drives into Cambodian territory by crack Vietnamese troops.

The Phnom Penh broadcast claimed foreign military advisors and commanders were with the invading Vietnamese. The nationality was not specified, and there was speculation that the Cambodians were referring to the Russians. But Western diplomats in Bangkok say Soviet involvement is highly unlikely.

Vietnamese refugees in Bangkok say Vietnamese soldiers at the southern end of the Vietnamese-Cambodian border told them

Chinese advisors were operating with the Cambodian forces.

Vietnam has close relations with the Soviet Union and Cambodia with China.

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Tower of Pisa's lean same as year ago

PISA, Italy (AP) — The Leaning Tower of Pisa stood still in 1977 for the first time since sophisticated devices to measure its movement were installed in 1913.

Prof. Giuseppe Toniolo announced at a New Year's Day reception that the inclination of the 179-foot, 804-year-old landmark is exactly the same as it was on Dec. 31, 1976.

The tower leans 17 feet off the perpendicular, giving more than 100,000 tourists each year the feeling of being at sea as they navigate the stone steps.

Toniolo, in charge of the monuments on Pisa's Square of Miracles, said experts are

It's anybody's race for mayor

BETHLEHEM, Ga. (AP) — Voters will have a wide choice of candidates for mayor in the city elections today.

Every adult citizen is eligible, said Mayor Thomas Bell, but there are no names on the ballot. Bell said he'd kind of like to have the job again, but he didn't officially seek re-election or pesz qs It's a little different in the city council races. Two seats are up for election and the two incumbents are on the ballot unopposed.

not quite certain why the lean didn't increase. But the rate has been slowing, averaging half a millimeter, or just over nine-hundredths of an inch, each year from 1974 through 1976. It tipped more than twice that in some previous years.

One explanation is that the pressure increased somehow on the water-bearing stratum under the tower. This would shore up the base of the tower.

However, Toniolo's news did not dispel fears that the tower may one day crash to the ground. The government expects to begin work soon on a project to strengthen its base.

The tower began to lean almost as soon as it went up in the 12th century because the subsoil shifted.

A few years ago, after scientists sounded an alarm, the government ran a save-the-tower contest. The 3,000 entries included such schemes as freezing the surrounding ground and erecting a supporting statue. But none was considered feasible.

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Exiled editor begins crusade against apartheid

MASERU, Lesotho (AP) — Silenced at home by the South African government, editor Donald Woods sets out today on a foreign crusade against racial repression in his country.

Woods, a 43-year-old white man who was put under restrictions by the South African government in October because of his writings against its apartheid racial policy, fled in disguise over the weekend. He was granted political asylum in this small

independent black African state ringed by South Africa and the black state of Transkei it established and controls.

Informed sources said a charter plane would take him to Mozambique today and he would board a flight for Europe. In an interview Sunday, he said he expects to settle in the United States or Britain.

Woods said he would devote his exile to seeking an end to the white South African governments

repression of the nonwhite majority and the foes of its apartheid racial policy. "Unless the Nationalist government comes to its senses very soon, there is no doubt in my mind South Africa is headed for civil war along racial lines," said the liberal editor.

He said his hopes for peaceful inter-racial negotiations to arrange for the sharing of power with the black majority vanished when the government staged its crackdown in October on black and white opponents of apartheid.

"The government has banned or detained those blacks and whites who were best placed to bring about a reconciliation," he said. "What is left in the field is two polarized racial groups who will carry on a collision course to racial war."

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PRICELESS — German artist Hans K. Neubert, wife Heike and son Norman admire a 19th century still-life restored by Neubert. The painting was done over 100 years ago by another German artist, Umbeck, and its value is beyond measuring in dollars. The painting represents Neubert's main profession, that of bringing back the old masters. Neubert and his family spent the weekend in Big Spring visiting the Bert Sheppard family.

Painted first official Kennedy portrait

V.I.P. and family spend New Year's in Big Spring

By EILEEN McGUIRE
Big Spring was indeed honored with the Dec. 29 arrival of German artist Hans K. Neubert, painter of the first official portrait of the late John F. Kennedy in his presidential office. The 62-year-old artist of Ramstein village, Germany is in town visiting dear friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sheppard, 2608 Lynn Dr., owners of S&H Tile. Accompanying Neubert is his wife, Heike, and eight-year-old son Norman, named for Norman Rockwell whom Neubert has admired since his youth. Born in Dresden, Neubert began his studies at Leipzig, the center for culture and art during that era, in 1929. Under the instruction of Heroux and Schroeder, masters of the art of restoring old paintings, Neubert mastered the old technique of hand lithography on stone, graduating to the master art school of graphics and oil painting. During World War II, Neubert served in the German command of Field-



SAN ANTONIO-BOUND — Gayle Glenn, the 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glenn, 707 Highland Dr., has recently been accepted to The University of Texas Dental School at San Antonio. She is currently classified as a junior at Texas Tech University and will enroll in the dental school in August, 1978. Miss Glenn graduated from Big Spring High School in May, 1976, and has maintained a 4.0 grade point average since entering college. She attended Howard College, where she was a member of Phi Theta Kappa, the national junior college honor society; the Lass-O Club and the Press Club. She is also a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta, the national pre-med honor society, at Texas Tech.

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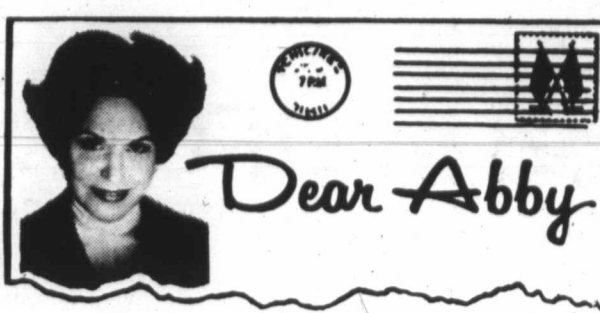
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DEAR ABBY: Your answer to JUST PLAIN JEALOUS had to be one of your worst! A woman wrote that her husband's firm sends him on business trips in the company of a pretty, young, single female, and she asks you how to handle it. You replied, "What's to handle? Say nothing, continue to trust him; expect the best and you'll probably get it."

Abby, you've got to be kidding! Would you have given the same advice to a jealous husband whose wife had been sent on business trips in the company of an attractive, young, single man?

If ever there was a perfect set-up for hanky panky, this is it! The man will be "lonely" for his wife, and the young woman will start crying on his shoulder about some unhappy love affair, and before you know it, they'll be comforting each other — in bed.

I would have told JUST PLAIN JEALOUS to (a) raise the devil with her husband's boss and insist that they put an end to such tempting business trips, or (b) pack a bag and go with him, even if she had to farm out her kids or hire a sitter.

NO DUMMY

DEAR NO: I've been deluged with mail from readers who agree with you. (Only ONE applauded my "trust him" view.) Please consider that JUST PLAIN JEALOUS stated that her husband had never fooled around. Shouldn't a history of faithfulness inspire trust?

I still maintain that if a man is going to cheat, he'll find a way to cheat on his lunch hour.

Your suggestion to "raise the devil" with the husband's boss would have the man come off looking like an overprotected little boy. And your "pack-your-bag-and-go-with him" solution would cast him in the role of a weak character who can't be trusted.

DEAR ABBY: Among our Christmas gifts this year, my wife and I received four cards stating that a gift in OUR name had been sent to such and such a charity.

Abby, we don't consider these "gifts." In fact, we resent others contributing to THEIR favorite charities in OUR names. Most gifts to charities are tax-deductible, which gives the giver — not the recipient — a tax break. (Some "gift!")

How do you feel about the gift-in-your-name gimmick? AGAINST IT

DEAR AGAINST: I'm FOR it. There are hundreds of worthy organizations that can put the money to good use. (So what if it is tax-deductible?) Most people receive more than they can use at Christmastime anyway.

DEAR ABBY: I noticed your "orchids" to the Yankee Silversmith Inn in Wallingford, Conn., for providing duplicate menus in braille for the blind.

I thought you might like to know that all the elevators at the Holiday Inn, Indianapolis, Ind., airport have the floor numbers in braille.

I had never seen this anywhere and thought at the time that it was a great idea.

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All newcomers to Big Spring and the surrounding area are invited and encouraged to attend the Jan. 4 meeting of the Newcomers Handicrafts Club. The meeting will be at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Theresa Lewis, 2806 Navajo Dr. Club member Mildred Beckom said that this will be a re-organizational meeting to elect new officers. "If you are interested in learning to make different handicrafts as well as meeting people and having fun then this is the club for you." Making cloth flowers will be the handicraft at this meeting, and all those planning to attend should bring scraps of material with which to work. The stem wire will be furnished. The club hopes to see a lot of new faces as well as regular members.

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Cowboys win ticket to New Orleans, SB XII

DALLAS (AP)—The Dallas Cowboys thrashed their Super Bowl XII opponents 14-6 two weeks ago, but they know they will face a brasher brand of Denver Bronco Jan. 15 in the Superdome at New Orleans.

The Cowboys mauled Minnesota 23-6 Sunday to charge into their fourth Super Bowl to face a team enjoying its first National Football League playoff in the Broncos' 18-year history.

"We know they (Denver) were just going through the motions and preparing for the playoffs when we beat them," said Dallas safety Charlie Waters. "It was no way indicative of the kind of team they will have in the Super Bowl."

Waters said "I was glad Denver beat Oakland. We want to play against (quarterback) Craig Morton. I enjoy going against Craig because he played for us six years. We were disappointed we couldn't go against him the last time."

Morton played only one series of downs as Dallas and Denver finished the year with the best NFL records, 12-2.

"It's hard not to love Craig," said Waters. "I guess you noticed the fans cheered him when they heard Denver won. We'll take advantage of what he knows about us. It should be interesting."

Waters added, "We are 5-0 against Craig when he was with the New York Giants. But we know that's when he was with an inferior team. He's a great player."

Dallas used a bristling defense headed by end Harvey Martin, who recovered two fumbles, to paralyze Minnesota and milked enough offense out of quarterback Roger Staubach and rookie Tony Dorsett to win the National Conference title.

"We were a little sloppy on offense," said Staubach. "But our defense played well and we just got a little conservative."

Dallas wasn't so conservative it didn't spring a new play on the Vikings. It was a fake quick screen which hoodwinked safety Paul Krause.

"Krause took the fake (to Drew Pearson) and Golden Richards was wide open," said Staubach, who winged a 32-yard scoring pass to Richards early in the first quarter.

Robert Newhouse rambled five yards for a touchdown and Efen Herrera kicked a 21-yard field goal as Dallas

rolled to a 16-6 halftime lead. The Vikings' only offense was field goals of 32 and 37 yards by the retiring Fred Cox.

Dorsett's 11-yard scoring run out of the Shotgun Offense in the fourth period got the game away as the Cowboys chanted "gumbo...shrimp...oysters"

charging up the tunnel to the wild locker room.

New Orleans is the site of Dallas' only Super Bowl victory in 1971 against Miami.

Dallas Coach Tom Landry, asked if he thought he had a Super Bowl caliber team in training camp, said "No, but our defense jelled early and about the 10th game Dorsett came around and our offense picked up. At the point, I thought we had a chance to make the Super Bowl."

"It's a happy New Year for us. I'm just glad we are playing Denver in New Orleans and not in Denver. Both teams should give a super performance."

Minnesota Coach Bud Grant said one of the fake plays of the game was a fake punt by Danny White which set up Dallas' second touchdown.

White gained 14 yards on a fourth-and-7 to the Viking 29-yard line. Dorsett streaked 13 yards up the middle and Newhouse ripped across for

the touchdown.

"It was a big play for them...they've done it before, you look for it...and you are aware of it, but if you look for it you look for it all day long," said Grant. "They block on it like any running play."

White said, "I saw it open up, but it wouldn't have meant anything had the offense not taken it down and scored. I just wanted to contribute something today."

Landry said, "the fake punt by White was a beautiful play. It was not planned. Those kind never are."

He said of Denver and Craig Morton: "Craig is a fine quarterback, just like he was when he was with us. He's capable of beating you and right now his team has a lot of confidence. They feel they can beat the world."

Viking running back Chuck Foreman, who was held to 59 yards on 21 carries,

said "Dallas was the best NFC team we've seen. We played one of the great teams. It's a big disappointment."

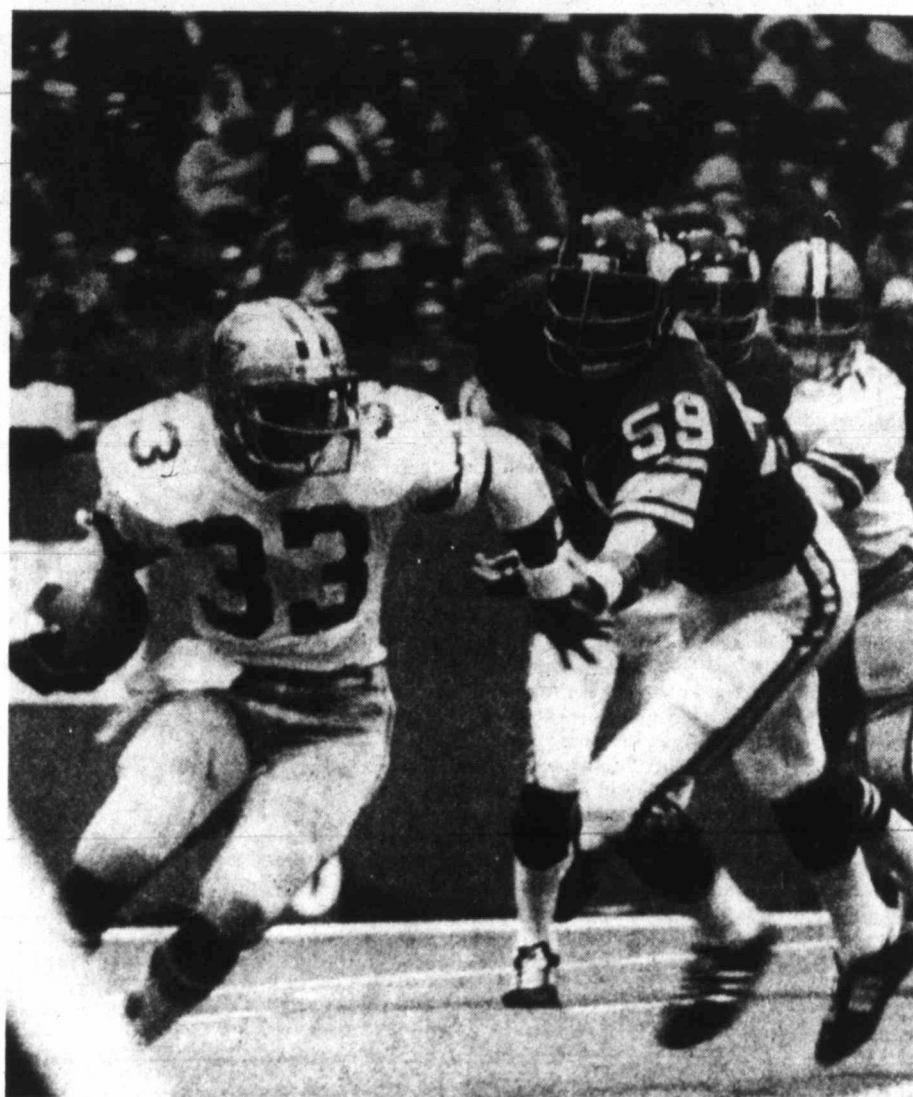
For Minnesota, it was their first loss in five NFC title games. The Vikings have been to four Super Bowls without a victory.

"Dallas is a lot better now than they were at the first of the year," said Ahmad Rashad. "I hope they beat Denver in the Super Bowl. I'll be rooting for them. We'll be back, as long as Bud Grant is here we'll continue to be good."

Cowboy running back Preston Pearson said, "the two best teams in the league are in the Super Bowl."

Dorsett, the million dollar running back from Pittsburgh who played on a national championship team last year, said "Hey, this is nice...I love it...now's the dash for cash."

For the record, the Super Bowl pays \$18,000 to the winners.



TD COMING UP — As Minnesota's Matt Blair (59) makes a futile attempt to catch a fleeing Tony Dorsett, the speedy Dallas running back already has his eyes set on the double stripe. Dorsett scored six points on this play, after taking a handoff from Roger Staubach in the fourth period of Sunday's 23-6 victory by the Pokes.

'We're determined to be the best'

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas coach Tom Landry says it was not until the season was 10 weeks old that he realized the Cowboys might make it to the Super Bowl.

"But our defense jelled...and about the 10th game Tony Dorsett came around and the offense picked up," Landry said Sunday after the Cowboys won the National Conference championship.

"At that point I thought we had a chance to make the Super Bowl. Overall our defense was outstanding this year."

Indeed, it was a sparkling performance by the Doomsday Defense that propelled Dallas to a 23-6 victory over the outclassed Minnesota Vikings.

And now it's back to Super Bowl XII in New Orleans and a Jan. 15 date with Craig

Morton and the Denver Broncos, a 20-17 winner Sunday over the Oakland Raiders.

"You don't get a chance to go the big one very often and it's a great feeling," linebacker Bob Breunig exclaimed. "I feel pretty close to perfect."

"Now we have the chance to go for the big one."

Breunig said he recalls quite vividly the 1975 Super

Bowl loss to Pittsburgh and "those of us left have had a lot of incentive to get back."

Defensive end Harvey Martin, who recovered two Viking fumbles, put it this way:

"We were determined at the beginning of the season to be the best. Now we are the best in the NFC with one more big one to go. It was a tough, hard-fought defensive game..."

"Ed Jones is really coming. He was stripping 'em of the ball and I was sweeping up the fumbles. I want that Super Bowl bad."

Several of the Cowboys said they are looking forward to playing the Broncos and Morton, the Denver quarterback who once played for Dallas.

"We will enjoy playing against Craig," safety Charlie Waters said. "We're all delighted that he's having such a great year with Denver and we all kinda love the guy. But when we get him on the field it'll be a different matter."

The Cowboys offered no predictions about the outcome of that game but Minnesota quarterback Bob Lee, filling in for the injured Fran Tarkenton, said:

"I think Dallas will win it...It's obvious they are the best team we've played this year...It will be a heckuva game to watch."

Viking safety Jeff Wright said he was impressed with the Cowboys offensively as well as defensively, adding: "Dallas is strong in all phases of the game. They pretty much controlled our offense...They can beat you so many ways, they really don't have a weakness. If you stop one thing, they get you with another."

Reflecting on the NFC championship, offensive tackle Ralph Neely of the Cowboys said: "Maybe it hasn't hit some of these young guys yet, but it'll make my banker happy."



LOCAL SUPPORT — Noel Hall and his friends Mike and Calvin of Big Spring let their feelings be known Sunday in Texas Stadium. The trio of football fans will travel down the road a bit today to attend the Cotton Bowl and lend their support behind the Texas Longhorns.

Five Pokes make All-Pro squad

NEW YORK (AP) — Five players from Dallas, four each from Oakland and Miami and rushing and scoring leader Walter Payton of Chicago have been selected to the 1977 All-Pro team by the Professional Football Writers of America, it was announced today.

Payton, chosen to the squad for the second straight year, was a unanimous selection. He topped the National Football League in ground gaining with 1,852 yards and in scoring with 96 points on 16 touchdowns.

Joining him in the offensive backfield on the PFWA team were quarterback Bob Griese of Miami, the league's top-rated passer with 22 touchdown tosses and 2,252 yards, and running back Franco Harris of Pit-

sburgh, who gained 1,162 yards and scored 11 times.

The remainder of the offensive team included: Drew Pearson of Dallas and Nat Moore of Miami, wide receivers; Dave Casper of Oakland, tight end; Dan Dierdorf of St. Louis and Art Shell of Oakland, tackles; Gene Upshaw of Oakland, and Joe DeLamielleure of Buffalo and Larry Little of Miami, who finished in a tie, guards; Jim Langer of Miami, center, and Efen Herrera of Dallas, placekicker.

The defensive unit included: ends Harvey Martin of Dallas and Lyle Alzado of Denver; tackles Cleveland Elam of San Francisco and Larry Brooks of Los Angeles; middle

linebacker Bill Bergey of Philadelphia; outside linebackers Tom Jackson of Denver and Jack Ham of Pittsburgh; cornerbacks Monte Jackson of Los Angeles and Roland Lawrence of Atlanta; free safety Cliff Harris of Dallas; strong safety Charlie Waters of Dallas; punter Ray Guy of Oakland and punt return specialist Billy Johnson of Houston.

The balloting was done by the 350 members of the PFWA who covered NFL games throughout the season. The organization will announce its selection of the league's most valuable player for the 1977 season during halftime of the Pro Bowl Game at Tampa, Fla., Jan. 23.

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GENERAL TENDENCIES: The early part of the day could be so closed in your mind that you miss the opportunity to gain a new beneficial course of action. New challenges will become easier as the day progresses.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Be sure to keep promises you have made to others. Handle a civic matter well. Take steps to improve your health. Be wise.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Study your work well so you can handle it more efficiently. Try to be more cooperative with others and get excellent results.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Plan new ways to get ahead in the near future. Engage in a recreational activity you enjoy. Avoid one who is stingy.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Make changes at home that will give more comfort. Take no chances where government matters are concerned.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Make plans with associates to be more productive in the future. In the evening devote yourself more to the one you love.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Do those things you know you must do that will add to your assets. Go to a clever expert for the advice you need. Be logical.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Take no risks in business that could jeopardize your monetary position. Handle personal affairs well later in the day.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Study whatever is puzzling you and come up with the right answers. Take health treatments that improve your appearance.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Consult a friend on best ways to gain personal aims. You may want to improve your social life, but this is not the right day.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Begin the day properly by looking into civic matters and handling them well. Strive to be more efficient in your work.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) A good day to figure out ways to get ahead in your line of endeavor. Don't force new ideas on higher-ups at this time.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Any hunches now could be erroneous, so forget them. Loved one is in good humor and you can easily come to a fine understanding.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be one others may want to spoil. Teach to stand on own two feet early in life, otherwise the fine promise in this chart could be lost. Send to schools where organization will be stressed. Don't neglect ethical training.

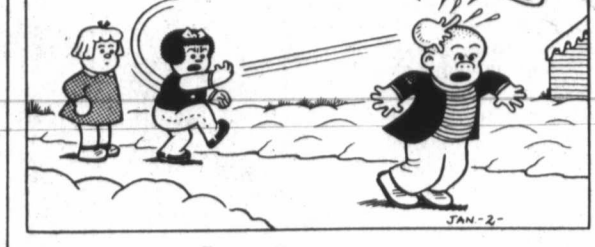
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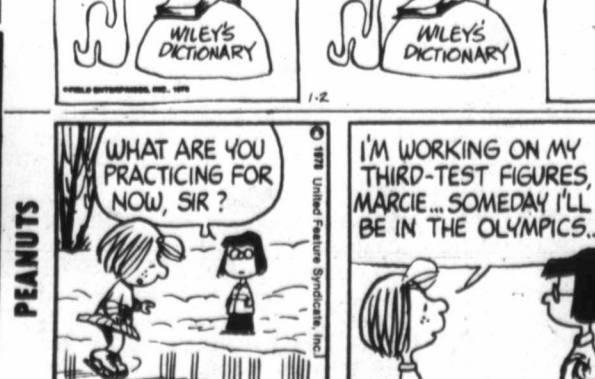
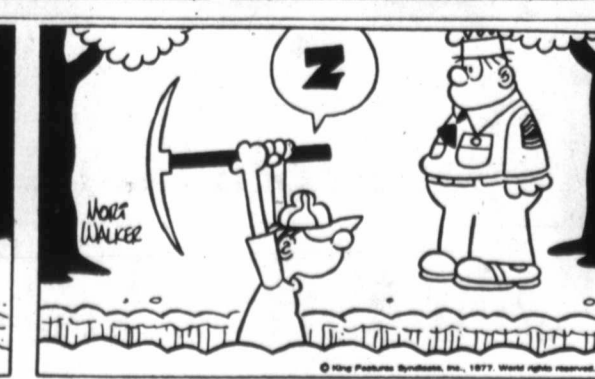
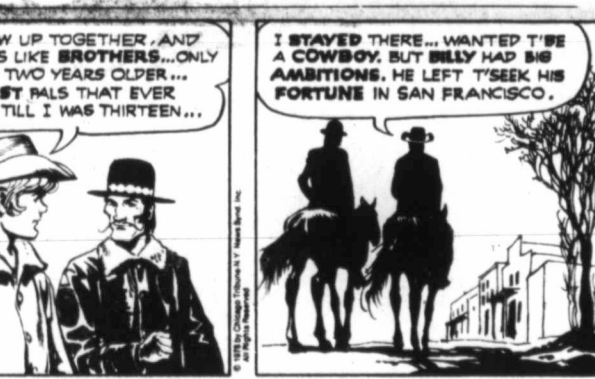
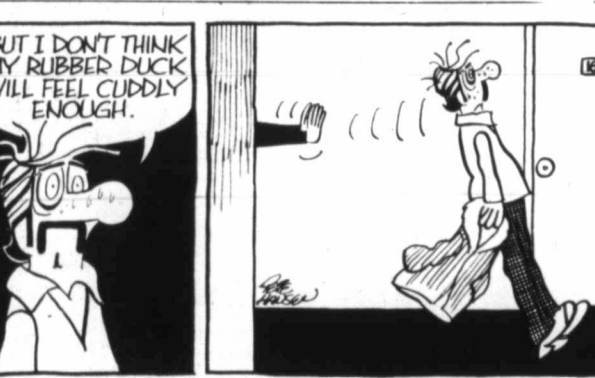
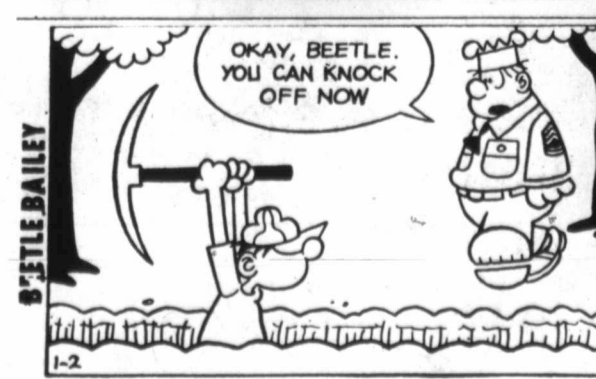
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Now will you take Denver seriously?

DENVER (AP) — Nobody took them seriously, this band of perennial also-rans who never seemed able to beat a powerhouse like the Oakland Raiders when it counted.

The Denver Broncos had spent 17 previous post-seasons in front of their TV sets watching other teams run off with the glory and the loot. Sunday, they earned some for themselves.

Was it a fumble?

DENVER (AP) — "Hell, it's a fumble. How can my guy come out of there with the ball and then (the referees) not call it a fumble?" asked John Madden, coach of the Oakland Raiders.

Madden was referring to a controversial third-quarter call on the play which preceded Denver's second touchdown in their 20-17 victory over Oakland Sunday.

Denver had a first-and-goal on Oakland's 2-yard line, and Rob Lytle tried to dive over for a touchdown. He was hit by safety Jack Tatum, the ball came loose and Oakland recovered.

But Head Linesman Ed Marion ruled that Lytle's progress was stopped and the ball was dead. On the next play Jon Keyworth scored for the Broncos, giving them a 14-3 lead.

Raider middle guard Mike McCoy, who came up with the ball, also thought it should have been a fumble.

"If he had bounced and run it could have been a touchdown," said McCoy.

Asked why he didn't protest, McCoy replied, "Well, Floyd Rice did and he got a penalty." Rice was called for unsportsmanlike conduct because he pushed Marion and Umpire Ralph Morcroft.

"My initial momentum was stopped. They had me stood up. They were pushing me back, and the referees blew the whistle," said Lytle of the play.

"I wasn't aware of the fumble, because I got hit on the hip and it really hurt," he said.

"Our man came running off the field with the ball. There wasn't two footballs out there, so we felt it was ours," said Madden.

However, he refused to blame that call for the loss. "This is a 60-minute proposition; it doesn't boil down to one play or one person. We were just three points short," said Madden.

SWC learned harsh lesson

By the Associated Press.

The Southwest Conference learned some harsh lessons in basketball tournament play last week but third-ranked Arkansas dealt some severe punishment of its own to outside foes in two tough road games.

The SWC finally gets into its league schedule this week with Texas at Texas Christian on Thursday night.

On Saturday, Baylor is at Rice, SMU is at TCU and Texas Tech is at Texas.

Arkansas whipped Louisiana State 67-62 and bombed Memphis State 95-70 in two games on the road to up its record to 10-0, bolstering its third ranking.

The SWC is 52-34 against outside competition.

Texas A&M captured just one out of three games in the All-College Classic at Oklahoma City.

Texas split in the Marquette tourney while Tech won one out of three in the Honolulu Classic. SMU was whipped twice in the Old Dominion Classic and Rice lost three games in the Far West Classic.

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Last Week's Results:
 Monday—Texas 74, Army 73.
 Tuesday—Baylor 97, Drake 87, Oregon State 75, Rice 58, Marquette 65, Texas 56.
 Wednesday—Miami (Ohio) 79, Texas A&M 48, Texas Tech 76, Rhode Island 73 (OT).
 Thursday—Arkansas 67, LSU 62, Washington 70, Rice 57, Michigan State 95, SMU 49, Austin Peay 76, Texas A&M 70, North Carolina 88, Texas Tech 76.
 Friday—Oregon 77, Rice 74, Texas A&M 84, Oklahoma City 79, Providence 53, Texas Tech 52, Texas Lutheran 77, TCU 78 (OT).
 Saturday—Arkansas 95, Memphis State 70.

This Week's Schedule:
 Tuesday—Baylor at Pan American 7:30 p.m.; California San Diego at TCU 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday—Samford at Texas Tech 7:30 p.m.; Hofstra at Arkansas 7:30 p.m.
 Thursday—Texas at TCU 7:30 p.m.; Houston Baptist at Houston 8 p.m.
 Saturday—Baylor at Rice 7:30 p.m.; SMU at TCU 7:30 p.m.; Tech at Texas 8 p.m.



HEAVE HO, THE GOAL POSTS GO — An enthusiastic group of Denver Bronco fans gang up to tear down the goal posts in Mile High stadium after Denver's 20-17 win over Oakland on New Year's Day. Fans then took the posts to the parking lot where some enterprising individuals cut up the posts in one-foot lengths and sold them for \$50 apiece.

Top team determined today

By the Associated Press.

By the time Barry Switzer leads his Oklahoma football team onto the field of the Orange Bowl tonight, he might know what kind of a season he had.

By then, the results of the Texas-Notre Dame game will be in — and Switzer will either be in or out of the running for a national championship.

Switzer, of course, has been lobbying for the No. 1 ranking ever since the major bowl participants were set up last month. No sooner were his Sooners pitted against No. 6 Arkansas (in a controversial reversal of field over lower-ranked Penn State) than did Switzer establish his goal-line stand on the matter.

The thinking of the Oklahoma coach went along the lines that if No. 5 Notre Dame defeated No. 1 Texas, then Oklahoma should move up to the No. 1 position purely by attrition.

Naturally if Texas wins today in the Cotton Bowl, college football's national championship will be a foregone conclusion.

While Switzer has been doing an aggressive promotional job for Oklahoma, Fred Akers meanwhile has been no shrinking steer for Texas. The Longhorn coach contends that his team deserves the No. 1 ranking, win or lose. "This is his logic:

"No one would have a better record than us and a few teams would be tied, so what would you use as a measuring stick? I think defending the No. 1 position week after week has been a very tough thing to do and we're the only ones who have defended it.

"Others had their shot at and didn't hold it. We did."

In all his weeks of rhetoric, Switzer has not mentioned the most salient point in the whole business — that his one defeat this year has been

at the hands of Texas. It would be hard for voters to give the Sooners the edge over a team that beat them.

Further, the Sooners are playing against an Arkansas team considered by most not to be up to its No. 6 ranking. Four of the Razorbacks' top players will be missing — All-American guard Leotis Harris is out with a knee injury while running backs Ben Cowins and Michael Forrest and wide receiver Donny Bobo were suspended by Coach Lou Holtz for a dormitory incident involving a woman.

Oklahoma started out as a 13-point favorite, but the spread went up to 18 and was even taken off the betting boards in many places when Holtz announced the suspensions late in December. The absence of Harris makes the game even more prohibitive for betting purposes, but even so Holtz is in a good mood.

In pre-game hoopla, Holtz flashed the "best sense of humor in Orange Bowl Land, showing an ability to kid both Switzer and himself. Talking about Switzer as a TV personality, Holtz quipped:

"He's got about three shows. I watch the one on Sunday, then I watch the one on Thursday night. I really enjoy them. As a matter of fact, that's where I get my pre-game talk."

Actually, Holtz won't have to tell his team anything before tonight's game in Miami. The Razorbacks are well aware of the Sooners' ground-consuming power, led by a stable of some of the best running backs in the country, including quarterback Thomas Lott, halfbacks Elvis Peacock and Billy Sims and fullback Kenny King.

Novel Bethea of Big Spring received an unexpected Birthday present Saturday morning while hunting deer just east of Robert Lee.

The local resident bagged a nine-point white tail buck with an exceptional spread of 20½ inches.

It was Bethea's last day of hunting and he had passed up a couple of other shots before the antlered beast came along.

Betha bags good buck

Danny Reagan
A strange game

The Cowboy game was weird, no doubt about it! The human fireball . . . the human dumbbell (Alex Hawkins) . . . Tony Dorsett's fumbleball . . . it was all weird.

Speaking of human, it was only human that the Pokes looked sporadic and uninspired on offense. After perfection, (as in last week's display of might against Chicago), everything else is on a lower rung of the ladder.

"Photolab Danny" Valdes, who spent two hours of delay in the plane back from Dallas Sunday night while it snowed, said: "There wasn't any doubt about who was going to win, even from the very beginning."

True. But, the Pokes were playing so badly on offense, the eyes wouldn't let the mind believe that everything was okay. Even in the fourth quarter, a time when no one can better Dallas, I was sure something terrible would happen.

"After it's over, they're going to say: 'Sorry Dallas, you don't win because you played so badly. Minnesota wins by default.'" my favorite spotter said.

But if the Cowboys can win under those circumstances, just think what they might do to Denver if they start clicking again.

I just can't believe Alex Hawkins. Those of you who called me yesterday can't either, I know. When he said that he was a Cowboy fan at the first of the game (a no-no for a supposedly neutral broadcaster) "he alienated half of the country right there" said "Mack" Hart.

And when Hawkins said that Roger "runs like a sissy", he took care of the rest of the population. What a nurd! And his comment about the burning man: "Anything can happen in Texas." How insensitive.

Alex was canned by one network a couple of year's back for foot-in-the-mouth disease. And he sure didn't dig a trench of longevity with his disconnected prose Sunday. Oh well . . . at least the Cowboys won.

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ALL-TOURNEY — Four talented and high-spirited area basketball players were named to the All-Tournament team of the Fifth Annual Bulldog Holiday Classic held in Coahoma last week. They were, left to right: Stanton's Todd Smith, Coahoma's Tim Greenfield, Most Valuable Player Randy Cregar from Forsan and Dennis Baggett, also of Forsan.

"Super Bowl," the Denver players kept repeating in the locker room after the 20-17 victory over Oakland in the American Football Conference championship game, vaulting Denver into Super Bowl XII on Jan. 15 in New Orleans against the Dallas Cowboys. For some, the real meaning of the words hadn't sunk in.

"It's unreal," said wide receiver Haven Moses, who caught two touchdown passes in what he admitted was "the greatest game of my 10-year career."

"It's probably the greatest thing that ever happened to me," said quarterback Craig Morton, whose painfully swollen left hip made it difficult for him even to stand up near the end of the game.

"If I'm dreaming, they'll wake me up," said veteran defensive tackle Paul Smith, the only man to play 10 seasons for the Broncos.

"I can't believe we're going, but we are...we're going to the big one," said rookie head Coach Red Miller.

In many ways it was an uncharacteristic victory for the Broncos. All season long, against highly regarded opponents, the Broncos had almost methodically capitalized on scoring opportunities. Sunday, they squandered one after another.

Old reliable placekicker Jim Turner missed three field goals from 40, 31 and 44 yards out. Early in the fourth

quarter, with a chance to ice the victory after moving to the Raiders 20-yard line, Morton threw his only interception.

But, with an assist from a controversial fumble call, the Broncos underscored Miller's philosophy of "whoever it takes."

"It is especially nice to beat the defending world champions," said Miller. "The game went just about the way we hoped. We didn't give up the ball in our end. We scored fast and played great defense. Our line did a terrific job, easily the best of the year."

"They said this team was too young, too this or too that. I wonder if they believe we're for real now. It's time for the Denver Broncos."

Oakland Coach John Madden said the Raiders simply "came up three points short. Give Denver credit. They have a fine defense, and their offense does just enough, getting a touchdown here and there. The Broncos are from our division, so we'll be rooting for them in the Super Bowl."

The Raiders scored first on Errol Mann's 20-yard field goal, capping a 54-yard drive in the first quarter. Oakland, which had beaten Denver in the last meeting between the two teams by running the ball behind left tackle Art Shell and guard Gene Upshaw, showed the potential of doing it again on that series. But the swarming, aggressive Denver defense neutralized the

Oakland ground game the Just 27 seconds after Mann's rest of the contest.

The Broncos came back 74-yard scoring tussle from the deficit in a hurry. Morton.



PICTURE OF DEJECTION — Quarterback Ken Stabler of the Oakland Raiders pauses for reflection in the dressing room in Denver, Colo., after the Denver Broncos beat the injured Stabler and the Raiders Sunday in the AFC championship game, eliminating Oakland's hopes for a spot in the Super Bowl game.

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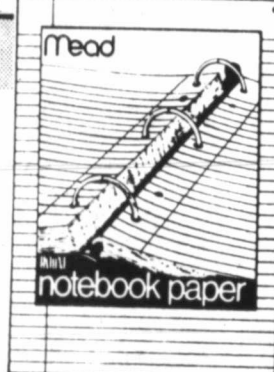
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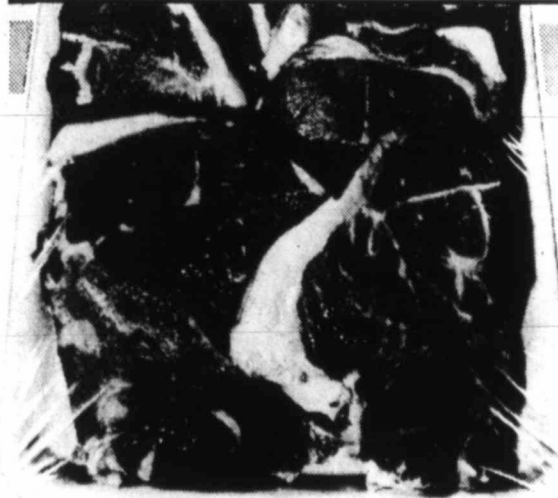
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YOU'LL HAVE a new outlook on life if you make this Kentwood home your own. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den, sep. living room, brick. Loan could be assumed.

PAY YOURSELF FIRST with income from the 3 room apartment included in this package deal. Main house has 3 bedrooms, ref. air, Forsan school district. \$30's. **MAKE A RESOLUTION** to enjoy the out-of-doors and the perfect spot would be this pretty 10 acres North of City. 3 bedroom brick home with comfortable large rooms.

NEW YEAR - NEW HOME can be yours for only \$22,500. Ask to see this 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick on Drexel. Den plus living room. A great buy! **"INSTANT ENJOYMENT!"** You'll adore this lovely brick home on 4 acres just outside the City. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, all the extras. Pretty landscaping and fences. Now only \$48,500. A real value!

FULL VALUE in this well located 3 bedroom with FHA financing. Extra big rooms, fully carpeted, new paint. Only 430 down, \$142 per month. Near College Park. **PACKED WITH POTENTIAL** - 10 acres with 1 mile frontage on F.M. 700 for only \$9,000. Ideal industrial site, or great for country living.

LIVE HAPPY ON THIS 3 acre tract - corner of Val Verde & Midway Rd. Restricted - just right for that pretty country home. \$5,000.

YOU WON'T BELIEVE this neat 3 bedroom house with paneled den is only \$15,000. All new paint inside and out, fresh shag carpet, garage, and fenced yard.

A LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY ideal starter home with 2 bedrooms in Sand Springs area. Neat and clean. We don't get many like this. Total \$9,000.

YEAR-END SPECIAL Owner will consider offers on this steady older home on E. 16th St. Large rooms, nicely paneled and carpeted. Check it out! Total \$10,000.

CUSTOM BUILT HOMES - \$39,500. - \$70,000. Come in to see our plans & locations, and get all the details.

AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

7777	SANTA'S HELPERS NEEDED. Make offer on this frame home and redo and remodel. This could be your bargain for the yr.	1006 NE RUNNELS
84,300	HANG HOLLY HERE: 2 bdrm w. aluminum siding. Nice hardwood floors.	510 NW 11th
84,300	MARY'S BEAUTY CENTER - 5 chairs, all equip. and inventory. Bldg. leases for \$125 mo.	207 W. 9th
86,000	THINKING of opening your own small business. Here's a perfect location. Corner 50x140 lot, w. small stucco bldg.	1013 JOHNSON
89,000	A PERFECT SMALL BUSINESS for one who is interested in gift items and pottery. Established business. All stock incl. Shop rents for \$125 mo.	NR. DOWNTOWN
89,500	"THE CHILDREN WERE NESTLED." We can have you moved and settled in before Xmas. This darling stucco has been appraised and is newly painted on inside.	1302 MAIN
110,000	"A PARTRIDGE in a pecan, almond, mulberry or plum tree." This cute 2 bdrm. is nestled among all. Located on dead end st.	1614 CANARY
112,500	START THE NEW YEAR in this cute 2 bdrm. (could easily be 3) lots of parking. Fenced frnt. and bk. yd. Many trees.	1109 MULBERRY
113,850	TIE A BIG RED BOW around this one for your family! Owner will carry papers on 2 bdrm that is clean as a pin. New paneling in bth, and new floor covering in kit. & bath.	1310 DONLEY
115,500	PREPARE A DELICIOUS TURKEY in this pretty kit. w. a spot for everything. Really nice cabinets. 2 bdrm; (master is 14x22). Concrete tile floor. Carpet.	1115 MULBERRY
117,300	GROW POINTSETTIAS in your own greenhouse. Dandy 3 bdrm., 2 bth., single car gar. New 40 gal. water heater.	4107 Mulr.
118,000	THE WISE MAN will choose this 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, in So. part of town. Garage, Oven range. A real doll house.	4214 CALVIN
119,900	CRACKLING FIRE on Christmas morn. in roamy den w. frpl. So many special features, unable to name them all. 3 bdrm. stucco in Coahoma School Dist. Cent. heat & ref. air. Btk. in o-r & dshwr. in kit. Dining rm.	SAND SPRINGS
126,000	CHRISTMAS FANTASIA - Imagine yourself in this livly. 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bth, decorated w. utmost taste. Den open to elec. push button kit. Special break over. Its a dream that could come true. Call for appt.	COAHOMA
128,000	WE WOULDN'T TRY TO KNOW YOU! You'll love this Wash Pl. home. If completely finished, would have over 2400 sq. ft. liv. space. Finished area include 3 bdrm., livg., dining, den and bth. in kit. Cent. heat & ref. air. Washer, dryer, & ref. stay. Game rm. and 1 bth. to be completed.	1108 MT. VERNON
137,500	SERVICE STATION Bldg., all equip. & stock. Good location. Established business.	SW PART OF TOWN
143,300	A SPECIAL ONE for Christmas is this 4 bdrm 2 bath brick home on 1 acre in Sand Springs. Extra acre in back may be purchased. Pretty built-in kitchen Total Elec. This home sparkles! Only 2 years young.	No. 13 Val Verde
148,500	SLEIGH BELLS & CHRISTMAS CAROLS would sound so clear on this 10 acre setting. And the added plus is a beautiful brick home w. 3 bdrm., 2 bth. Huge den. Btk. in kit. Sep. livg. rm. and dining. Will present any reasonable offer.	N. OF COAHOMA
154,000	HANG YOUR STOCKING in this livly. corner frpl. in roamy, den w. vaulted ceilings. This big brick home sets on 10 of Silver Heels liveliest acres. 4 bdrm., 2 bth. New paint throughout. 2250 sq. ft. Tot. elec. w. new heating & ref. air units. Screened porch. Water well producing 10 gpm.	CALLIHAN RD.
191,000	CHRISTMAS MAGIC - But seeing is believing! A fantastic brk. home w. 3331 sq. ft. under roof 4 bdrm., 2 1/2 bth. On 10 acres - (10 additional acres can be purchased if desired for \$120,000) New 80 gal. water heater. Oven-range, dshwr., dslp. in pretty kit. Cathedral ceilings. Many, Many extras.	SILVER HEELS
ACREAGE		
61,500	Buy one acre or 17. Good bldg. sites for home or industry.	MIDWAY RD.
62,100	1 acre tract. Sand Springs. Restricted.	VAL VERDE
62,200	.77 acre tract. Sand Springs. Restricted. (168x200)	VAL VERDE
62,300	217.8x200 lot. Sand Springs. Restricted.	VAL VERDE
64,000	7 acres - Wilson & Derrick Rd. Livly., rolling, wooded.	OFF MIDWAY RD.
64,300	4.33 acres. Sand Springs - Restricted.	VAL VERDE
620,000	20 acres. Livly bldg. site. Good water well, Septic tank, mobil home hook up. Stable, crib and storage bldg. Beautiful view.	TODD RD.
622,600	10 acres. 5 acre frontage. 2 good water wells. Has been cleared.	TODD RD.
637,000	58.22 acres. Partially in cultivation.	ANDREWS HWY.

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103 PERMIAN BDLG. - 263-4663

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A NEW HOME FOR THE NEW YEAR

1300 DOUGLAS STREET - Contemporary Design - Beautiful 2 story and elegance is the word for this home. Huge master bedroom suite with room size closets. His and her offices. Self-lined study adjoins master bedroom. Skylights enhance gorgeous liv. area with 2 level fireplace. Both informal and formal dining with large glass window and view of yard. It has EVERYTHING - If you don't look you'll never know how lovely this College Park home is! Beautiful yard, and each room shows tender loving care. Two nice baths, very good carpet thru-out. Has many more features. Must see to appreciate. Owner would like to sell to a deserving buyer.

1611 CANARY - A terrific investment at a price of \$11,200. Two large bdrm., 1 bath, big kitchen. Very good condition. If you need rental property or that first home, this is the one. Immediate possession.

307 JOHNSON - Buy for rent property or live in it yourself. Could be used for two-family living. Owner will finance w. \$2,000 cash down.

1402 MESA - Need a tax break? You can buy this 2 bdrm., 1 bath home for \$16,500. Vacant and ready for occupancy.

2516 LARRY - Make your New Year Resolutions in this charming 3 bdrm. w/bk. w-sep. den refrig. air. Equity reduced to \$4,500 and \$272.00 mo.

3412 CALVIN - Before it's too late, get the jump on this F.H.A. appraised home. Only 3 per cent down plus closing cost for this 3 bdrm. bk. w-den. patio.

3209 AUBURN - Resolve now to own your own home. This 3 bdrm. home is a real buy at \$16,000. New ceramic tile bath & fixtures, fenced yd. w-patio.

1008 E. 15th - Make the break in '78 - Don't rent anymore. With \$2,000 cash down owner will finance this large 2 bdrm. home w-sep. den, frnt. enc. back porch.

2508 W. 16th - Marry minded? Ideal home for newlyweds. 5 bdrm 2 bdrm. 1 bath home, sep. den w-frpl., dishwasher and stove. Included at unbelievable price of \$16,500. Cent. heat-air.

3618 CALVIN - Owner will sell V.A. Get in for closing cost only - 3 bdrm. 1 bath brk. w-carport and frncd. yd.

511 JOHNSON - Monthly message: It's about time to pay rent again. se your own landlord and buy this 3 bdrm. 1 bath home. Ideal location. \$10,000.

ROCK HOUSE ROAD - 8 acres. All fenced. 150 ft. concrete block barn. 8 stalls, feed and tack room. City water. Beautiful building site - \$25,000, enc. garage. Timedate possession.

618 HOLBERT - A lot of home for the money - 3 bdrm., large liv. rm., beautiful new kitchen cabinets, den, screened porch and bbq. in rm., Ref. air, \$17,200.

MOSS CREEK ROAD - 1 acre on corner. All fenced. Like new 14x80 mobile home. 2 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, den and din. Small barn. \$19,000.

601 W. 15th - Red brick on corner lot. 3 bdrm., 1 kit. w-btk. in O-R and bar, carpet, and playroom. refrig. air. Tile fenced yard.

1211 E. 8th - Price reduced to \$15,500. 2 bdrm., den home on corner. Garage w. storage. Owner will carry papers at 8 per cent.

1207 HARDING - Park your trailer and rent out 2 more spaces. All on pretty shaded lot. 2 bdrm., charter included \$4,500.

1107 LAMAR - Very neat and clean. All rooms large. 2 bdrm., all carpeted and draped. Spacious kitchen, new carpet and dishwasher, enc. gar. frncd. yard. \$18,200.

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2407 Connally, \$4600 Down
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NEW LISTING:
Sparkling clean 3-bdrm, 2 bath, partial brick. Central heat ref. air. Garage. Qualified Vet can assume loan.
SEE TO APPRECIATE:
2 bdrm, lg den, total electric, ref. air, garage, fenced yd with storage.
LOTS OF ROOM!
In this 3-bdrm brick. Lg kit with dining rm. Small apt or storage in rear.
NEAT & CLEAN
2 bdrm, carpeted, garage, fenced yd with storm cellar.
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BELOW FHA APPRAISAL

Owner says sell this 3 bedroom, frame on East side - 4 bths, 2 carport, paneled den, 1224 square feet, FHA appraised for \$14,500. Make offer.

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COOK & TALBOT

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YOU OVERLOOKED this terrific buy for Xmas, don't make the same mistake twice. It's brick, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 12x14 kitchen & dining area, carpet like new, draped, central heat, air ducted.

Farms & Ranches A-5

FARMS FOR SALE: 400 Acres-Pecos County, well improved, \$200 an acre; 320 acres - Martin County - some minerals, \$650 an acre; 140 acres, Martin County - some minerals, \$350 an acre. \$x35 trailer, horse, \$500, 1974 GMC pickup, low mileage. 263-1927.

ACREAGE FOR SALE A-6

10 ACRES for sale, Todd Road, Tubbs addition. Call 267-4002 after 6:00 pm.

ACREAGE EASTSIDE of Interstate. Good water well, two septic tanks, ideal for mobile homes. 263-2202.

Real Estate Wanted A-7

INDIVIDUAL WOULD like to buy up to one section of good dry land or good raw land. 806-792-3246, 9 to 5, 806-799-4291 after 7:00 p.m.

WANTED: THREE BEDROOM, two carport, double garage, 1,800 sq. ft. minimum. 267-2645.

HILLSIDE TRAILER SALES

New for sale-rent. Spaces and used mobile homes. West of Refinery on IS 20 East of Big Spring. 263-2788, 263-1315 nights

1978 CHAMPION DOUBLE wide-a-months old, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, formal dining, laundry room, up/downed, central heat and air, storm room, fenced back yard, on 1 acre near Coahoma, low equity take over payments. 263-4300 or 267-9068.

Afternoon for 14-year-old bullfighter

REYNOSA, Mexico (AP) — Like many nervous mothers, Barbara Renk does not want her teenage son to play high school football. Being an obedient son, David Renk does not bump helmets with 200-pound linemen. Instead, the 14-year-old spends much of his time practicing to tangle with 700-pound bulls. This past Sunday he became possibly the youngest American to go for a kill of a bull in Mexico. His father, Fred, a former bullfighter with the scars to prove it, knew it was a big

opportunity for his son, the "novillero." A good showing would impress the officials from the larger bull rings. "If he can kill well, they'll be looking," the elder Renk said. In David's mind's eye, he has often seen himself plunging the sword into the bull's back. But he had never attempted it on a full-grown animal. "If I can get it right between the shoulder blades... if I put it right in, he will go down," David said. Four hours before the fight, the Renks loaded into

their family car and headed for Reynosa. David feigned fear. But his father knew better. Next year, David will attend school in Mexico City so he can continue his training. He said his friends at Donna High School don't understand why he fights bulls. "I guess it's just what I like to do," the ninth grader said. Mrs. Renk said she attempted to discourage her son for a few years. She's changed her mind. "It's either help him now or he'll run away when he's 16 or 17 to do it," she said with a helpless grin. "They say it is like handling him dynamite. It is but he has trained with and studied the dynamite for years."

"I'm getting there," he said. After a prayer in the ring chapel, he awaited the end of the preliminary fights. Fred Renk said his wife broke down in tears on the way to the ring. "She said, 'this is really happening, isn't it?'"

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Farm Winter wheat crop due big drop within state

AUSTIN — Estimating the 1978 Texas winter wheat crop will be complicated this year, as government set-aside programs, dry weather and the farm strike combine to affect production, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown said today. The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service predicts wheat production in 1978 will be down a drastic 42 per cent, Brown stated. This is based on seeded acreage as of Dec. 1, 1977, down 10 per cent from a year earlier, and assumes normal harvesting procedures will be followed. Brown noted that the crop is predicted total 68,400,000 bushels, down from the 117,500,000 bushels harvested in 1977. "Although many uncertainties existed in the set-aside program at planting time, acreage is expected to be reduced as a result," Brown said. "In addition, some wheat will be used only for grazing and will never be harvested. The full effect of the farm strike also remains to be seen," Brown stated. "Some farmers have indicated their protest against current farm conditions by plowing under their wheat, and, if widespread, this could have a definite impact on production next summer."

Brown noted that the extended drought and gusting winds could also affect production. "Planting was slowed this year due to the dry conditions, although seeding Slaughter up four per cent AUSTIN — Texas consumers, polishing off the last of the holiday's turkey, might find it hard to believe that the turkey slaughter during the season's busiest month was up only slightly from a year ago. But, according to the Texas Department of Agriculture, turkey slaughter in the state during October increased only 4 per cent over the previous year, while slaughter in the U.S. dropped 3 per cent from last year's total. A total of 900,000 pounds of turkeys went to the chopping block in the state during that month. Chicken slaughter dropped 9 per cent from the previous month and was down 2 per cent from a year ago, Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service statistics show. Egg production increased 4 per cent above the point tallied a year ago, but were down 5 per cent from last month's levels. Layers on hand were up 2 per cent from a year ago, but 3 per cent less than October.

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Miscellaneous

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Men's Genuine Leather Belts, Ties and Neck Chains.

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Corner Benton & 3rd Street

FERTILE FRESH yard eggs for sale call 263-2562 after 5:00.

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Trucks For Sale

1972 FORD PICKUP — Short-wheel bed, six cylinder standard shift, good tires, \$250 down, take up payments of \$80 a month, 267-3284.

1973 GMC 1/2 TON. Long wheel, custom cab, transmission cooler, extra gas tank, good tires, camper shell, equalizer hitch. Looks and runs extra good. \$2,895, 267-8078.

TO SELL: 1974 Datsun 260Z, 43,000 miles, excellent condition, \$4,000, 9151 728-2635 daytime hours after 6:00 call 728-8474.

1973 BLAZER K5 CHEYENNE. Four wheel drive, loaded. Come make offer, 267-1931 for more information.

1973 FORD 1/2 TON Pickup. V8, automatic, power steering. Like new tires, 52,000 actual miles. \$2,450. Call 267-3284.

1971 FORD PICKUP, air conditioned, \$1,500, 2607 Rebecca.

1975 FORD F-150 V-8, standard shift, long wheel bed, extra clean and nice. \$2,500. 1972 Chevy Van \$850. 267-1011.

Autos

1974 CORVETTE — 13,800 miles, ONE owner, 454 speed, power steering and brakes, air, AM-FM radio. \$7,500. 694-0050, Midland.

1972 CHEVROLET IMPALA — 4 door sedan, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, \$250 down, take over payments with good credit. \$55 a month, 267-3284.

1977 THUNDERBIRD, LOADED, lipstick red with white interior, 7,400 miles, like new, 263-2725.

FOR SALE 1969 Camaro 350 auto Holley 4BBL headers, vinyl top, wide tires, good condition. \$1,500. Call 393-5377.

MUST SELL: 1974 Volkswagon (412), automatic, radio and heater. 28,000 miles, nice, will finance. 263-6797 or 393-5734.

FOR SALE 1973 Vega Estate Station Wagon, extra clean automatic, air, new tires, new brakes, 22,000 miles. Good gas mileage. See O. C. Lewis at Gregg Street-Safeway or 701 West 18th. \$1,295. Call 263-2725.

1975 MERCURY BOBCAT Good and economical. Make offer. Call 263-4161 for more information.

1970 CHRYSLER NEW Yorker. Four door. Extremely good condition. One owner. Relatively high mileage. \$895. From 8:00-4:30, 263-7361 ext 353 or 354. After 5:30, 267-7960.

MUST SELL 1969 Buick, perfect condition, air, tilt, well taken care of. \$700, 267-1326.

1970 PLYMOUTH DUSTER, 6 cylinder, standard transmission. Good work car. \$450. Call 263-4078 after 5:00.

1971 TOYOTA CORONA Deluxe. Four door, four speed, air. One owner. Good school car. \$300 down, take over payments with good credit. 267-3284 after 1:00 p.m.

1975 BUICK REGAL, tilt steering wheel, 6000 cc, power and air, radial tires, landau top. \$3,400 263-3322.

SIX CYLINDER 1968, blue Nova for sale, good school or work car. \$350. 353-4865.

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A representative of Higginbottom Fur Co. will be in Gall (9:30-10:00 a.m.) at the cafe, Vaalmoor (10:30-11:00 a.m.) at the Post Office, Big Spring (11:30-12:00 p.m.) at the Vins Truck Stop Cafe.

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TWO 14 INCH Astro mags with Firestone 500 tires, chrome lug nuts. Like New. \$80. Call 267-1169 after 5:30 or weekends.

VW ENGINE completely rebuilt \$375 exchange. Heads reconditioned. 267-0943 after 4:00

Trucks For Sale

1957 CHEVROLET 54 PASSENGER bus. Runs good — new brakes. See at Crawview Baptist Church on Galesville Street.

1973 JEEP PICKUP. 3/4 ton, automatic transmission, four wheel drive. 263-1914 for more information.

Like New Spinnet piano for sale, Mediterranean walnut. See at 2104 Alabama.

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GREEN WASHER and dryer, 8 years old. \$250. Will sell only as a pair. Call 267-8559.

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BARGAIN OF THE WEEK
(2) TOYOTA 1972 red and white, 4 door, loaded. Buy this one for \$1,488.
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The other night, I went to a picture show at the R70 called "Another Man, Another Chance". I don't manage to find time to see too many movies but I found myself enjoying that one. For one thing, it wasn't a typical western in that it included conditions in Europe at the time of the Old West. And in those days, the Old West was isolated enough that they didn't really think about that. But what fascinated me most of all was a handicap race. It was billed as a race sponsored by the Gazette in the West during the post Civil War period. It had one group running on foot who left a little earlier than a group with wagons followed by a group on horseback. I already knew who was

going to win. Before they even showed the contestants, I knew that it would be an Indian on foot with a man on horseback second. That's the way it came out even though the hero of the movie was riding horseback. When I searched my memory to find out how I knew, I recalled the race I was thinking of. The race I'm thinking of was part of the history of West Texas. It was in the late 1800s and was from Toyah to Pecos. It was sponsored — now here this — by the New York Times and they featured stories in their paper for days about the forthcoming race. There were postcards made of the race and sold all over America. The race was between one

man on horseback and an Indian on foot and it was an endurance race with the Indian leaving first. The Indian won. I couldn't help but think of the similarity of that race and the one featured in the current movie. When the movie showed the winner, there he was — an Indian. I thought, "I wonder how many Indians won races of that type in the old west" in the old days. A lot of money was won and lost around Reeves County on that particular race. I also thought it extremely interesting that both the race in the movie and the race at Toyah were sponsored by newspapers. I don't know if that was there promotion efforts in those days to sell

newspapers or what. I couldn't think of anything comparable today in the way of newspaper promotions. However, Ruby Alred, who lives out in the Knott-Ackerly area said that years ago, she rode in women's riding events in a rodeo in Abilene representing the Harte-Hanks chain of newspapers. That's the one that owns the Big Spring Herald and many other newspapers. I was surprised to learn they ever sponsored riders in a rodeo. But I'd be even more surprised if I find out they ever backed an Indian in a foot race. But the New York Times did — in the old days, in an area where I used to spend many hours — ridin' fence.

Drug raid signals tough times

BANDON, Ore. (AP) — A massive pre-dawn raid that resulted in the biggest marijuana bust in the history of the Pacific Northwest signals tougher times for dope smugglers on the Oregon coast, according to a U.S. Customs official. Fifteen men arrested in the raid early Saturday are to be arraigned in Portland Tuesday. Some eight tons of high-quality marijuana, with an estimated street value of between \$16 million and \$20 million, was seized in the raid on an isolated stretch of Oregon coastline 25 miles south of Coos Bay. The marijuana was in the form of "Thai sticks," presumably from Singapore or Bangkok. Federal authorities, assisted by Coos County sheriff's deputies, continued to search the wooded shoreline for suspects, including the owner of the beach farmhouse near where the raid occurred south of Bandon. The expensive Thai sticks are made from the flowering tops of female marijuana plants. They are dried separately and tied on a stick. The sticks were packed in plastic bags, then loaded in cardboard boxes, officers said. The seizure followed the Dec. 6 opening of a U.S. Customs office in Coos Bay, the only customs office on the Pacific coast between San Francisco and Seattle. Frank Grimes, director of the patrol division of U.S. Customs in Oregon, said investigators have long suspected Oregon's lightly patrolled 400-mile shoreline was a haven for dope

smugglers. "We've been wide open," he said, "the soft underbelly of the coast. It's been extremely tough to operate with no one on the coast. We finally got someone there and boom." "It's potent stuff and we have around eight tons of it," Grimes said. "There is no question that it was the largest seizure of marijuana ever made in Oregon and Washington," said Michael Wright, special agent in charge of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration in Eugene. The previous record bust occurred in November of 1976 when some \$5 million worth of marijuana was seized near Elsie, Ore. The arrested men are from California, New Jersey, Colorado, Massachusetts, Illinois, Texas, and Washington. Also seized in the raid was the 100-foot TV update. The following are last-minute changes or additions to the television line-up tonight. For a complete listing of tonight's television programs, see last Sunday's Leisure.

Panamanian freighter Cigale, three World War II-era amphibious vehicles, a semi truck and trailer rig and a 1977 4-wheel drive van. Wright said some 150 persons from the customs patrol office, the Coast Guard, Coos and Curry county sheriff's department and the Coos Bay and Bandon police were involved in the operation. Shots reportedly were fired as federal authorities moved into the area in helicopters. Coos County officials said most of the marijuana would be destroyed today. Some of it was being kept as evidence. Cmdr. George Passmore of the Coast Guard said the operation was watched for several hours before a flare was fired to trigger the raid at 4:48 a.m. He said the operation allegedly involved removal of the marijuana from the freighter, bringing it ashore in the amphibious vehicles, then loading it into the truck. As the raid began, the freighter attempted to put to sea, and an attempt to scuttle it was thwarted. Five

persons were arrested in a life raft. The rest were captured on the beach. The Cigale was empty when it was overtaken by the Coast Guard some five miles from shore. It was towed to Coos Bay. Thirteen of those arrested were taken to the Coos County holding facility in North Bend. They were identified as Gerald E. Maggiacomo, 28, Woodacre, Calif.; Derek S. Sherman, 23, Caldwell, N.J. and his brother, Spencer (age unknown); Stephen P. Scarano, 28, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Gary L. Heriaque, 26, Hermosa Beach, Calif., and James P. Hill, 26, Boulder, Colo. Also, Robert E. Belenz, 28, Boston, Mass.; Peter A. Diffenderfer, 26, Santa Barbara, Calif.; William P. Kolander, 27, Felton, Calif.; David E. Bourdeau, 31, New Salem, Mass.; Mark D. Hansen, 28, Lake Forest, Ill.; Wayne F. Lindsey, 32, Paris, Texas, and Kevin T. Kerr, 29, Playa del Rey, Calif.

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Sterling City Rt., Box 146, to Miss Donna Sue Carter, 24, 501 Ayilford.
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