

Farmers planning local blockade

By CARLA WALKER

Starting at 12:01 a.m. Tuesday, the American Agriculture Movement will begin its nationwide efforts to close down food lines to the nation's urban areas.

According to Clay Reed at the Big Spring AAM office, the only trucks stopped will be ones hauling food, and livestock trucks will not be halted.

"We will set up pickets on each side of Big Spring on US 87, north and south of town, and east and west of town on IS 20," Reed said.

"Many of the independent truckers have been contacted, and have been in meetings across the nation with AAM people. About 75 per cent of those contacted have said that they would honor our picket lines and close down for about three days," continued Reed.

"They say they will support us as long as they can, and we aren't going to do this long enough to hurt the truckers, just long enough to make our point."

"We have agreed to support the truckers' bill — allowing them to haul both ways on a given trip — and will help them in any way we can. Everybody is talking about energy conservation, and then federal regulations won't allow truckers to carry goods both directions. That is like a farmer plowing to one end of the field, picking up his plows to drive back, and then plowing only one direction again."

Reed says that the "cheap food" policies of the U.S. government are keeping farm prices artificially low, and that "nothing we do" can convince legislators and the public that farmers do not want a subsidy, but want parity at the marketplace.

"The steel industry is in trouble, and everyone admits that the fact that farmers cannot buy equipment is a big reason," Reed said. "Agriculture consumes 40 per cent of the steel in the United States, and we simply can't afford to buy the equipment, so the steel companies are hurting. Last week, President Carter came to the aid of the steel industry by making into law a triggering device that allows officials to stop steel imports when they reach a certain amount."

"The lack of credibility of the AAM is apparent in the problems at McAllen just this week. People would rather believe the story told by the political machine in South Texas than the story told by the farmers," Reed said.

Tijuana hit hard; coast death toll is mounting

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Flash flood warnings were in effect today for mountains and coastal valleys as residents of Southern California began cleanup operations from torrential rains that officials said killed eight people and damaged about 250 houses.

Four storm-related deaths were reported in Los Angeles County and one each was reported in Orange, Ventura, Riverside and San Diego counties.

Mexican officials said at least 26 people had died there, thousands had been left homeless and up to \$1 billion in damage had been caused by weekend rainstorms that created flood waters and mudslides.

The border town of Tijuana appeared hardest hit with 19 dead, officials said.

Ensenada, 60 miles to the south, was split in two by a torrent of water rushing through the city. More than 6,000 residents were homeless there with estimates reaching 100,000 for the entire 1,000-mile-long peninsula of Baja California.

All along the Baja coast, schools, churches, city halls and Red Cross centers were converted into refugee

The farmer told of vegetables coming across the border in bags marked "Produced in Hereford, Texas," with the truck drivers admitting that the produce came from as deep as 300 miles into Mexico.

"From 100 to 200 truck loads of those vegetables were coming in daily," Reed said. "They use DDT to kill bugs in Mexico, and it is sprayed directly on the vegetables, while American officials consider it so dangerous that it isn't even allowed to be sprayed into the air to kill mosquitoes."

Reed also said that the reports of the non-cooperation of the farmers with officials were also one-sided.

"The AAM made a deal with the mayor of McAllen that we would stop some trucks and inspect the goods. A Spanish guy started hollering over a bullhorn, and the farmers couldn't understand him. When they figured out that he was saying to get off the bridge, the farmers saw that the police were belligerent, so they placed their hands in their pockets and began walking off the bridge."

"Tear gas canisters were shot into the crowd — in the way of many trying to leave the bridge — and the police began using billyclubs and beating men and women alike. Many people were unable to leave the bridge because of the effects of the gas, and they were simply beaten for 'resisting'. All this time, the mayor of McAllen — who had made a lot of promises — was 'unavailable.' Many farmers felt that the mayor sent the men, intending that such a scene would take place," Reed stated.

"Politicians used the situation to make political hay and everyone from city officials to some of the politicians told one story to the farmers involved, and another to the press. All the AAM action intended to do was to publicize the fact that farm produce comes across the border from Mexico, is not properly inspected, and is sold to the American consumers under false labeling such as the vegetables which were in bags proclaiming that they had been produced in Hereford," Reed stressed.

"On this nationwide blocking of food lines," Reed said, "we are making every effort to insure that there is no trouble. Picket lines will be along the sides of highways, and only trucks with food will be stopped."

"We have talked to truckers, and the Texas Highway Patrol and Sheriff A.N. Standard locally. We want no trouble," Reed stated.

shelters. The U.S. Coast Guard flew in supplies by helicopter and airlifted 32 Americans isolated by flooding.



FLYNT REPORTED SHOT — Larry Flynt, publisher of Hustler Magazine, was reported shot while standing on the street in Lawrenceville, Ga., near Atlanta this morning. No word on his condition was immediately available.

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Carter looks to courts

Taft-Hartley Act invoked

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter invoked the Taft-Hartley Act on Monday, seeking to compel striking coal miners to return to work after a three-month strike because "the country cannot afford to wait any longer."

He suggested that the miners be paid at higher rates while they work under court order during the 80-day back-to-work period he seeks.

Carter said he expects the miners to abide by federal law, which provides for the 80-day cooling off period under

federal court injunction.

The United Mine Workers voted down a negotiated contract by an overwhelming margin, and Carter said that means collective bargaining is at an impasse.

"My responsibility is to protect the

health and safety of the American public, and I intend to do so," Carter said as he invoked the Taft-Hartley Act for the first time since Richard M. Nixon used it in a 1971 dock strike.

UMW President Arnold Miller said in advance that he would comply with Taft-Hartley even though he doesn't like it. He said if a back-to-work injunction is issued, he will observe it.

But Miller's control of his union rank-and-file is very much in doubt. He had called for approval of the contract the miners rejected.

Carter called on the miners, the mine operators, and all Americans "to join in a common effort under the law to protect our country, preserve the health and safety of the people and to resolve fairly the differences that have already caused so much suffering in our land."

The president said the law will be enforced. He asked the governors of the coalfield states to help "make sure the law is obeyed, violence is prevented, and lives and property fully protected."

While a Taft-Hartley injunction normally would order strikers back to work under the terms of their expired contract, Carter said he will seek to have the miners get the first-year pay raise provided by the contract they spurned. That would give them a \$1 an hour raise, from wages which now average \$7.80.

But it apparently would be up to the coal companies to decide whether to grant the raise.

Carter said he was opposed to any more liberal wage settlements than the miners already have been offered. The rejected contract provided for raises of 37 percent over a three-year period.

Survey team is due here

An Air Force pre-award contract survey team is expected in Big Spring Wednesday.

This time, the team will be inspecting the T-75 hangar and facility for possible use by an Aerospace Company of Abilene for construction of B-2 fire crash vehicles.

A Warner-Robbins Logistic Depot inspection team from Racon, Ga. will survey the facility, which is the hangar farthest to the south at the former Webb AFB.

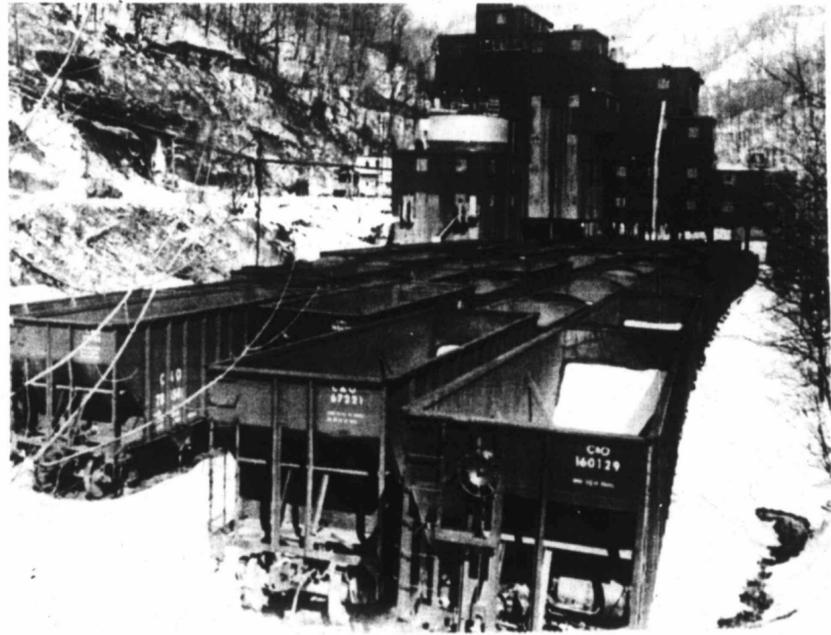
This will be the second pre-award Air Force Survey team, with the first one checking other facilities for possible use by Lockheed if they receive a contract to refurbish F-4 fighter aircraft.

Clements plans Tuesday vist

Bill Clements, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor of Texas, will be honored at an informal reception at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Chamber of Commerce, 215 W. 3rd.

The public is invited to meet the Dallas candidate for governor. He was honored Saturday night at the Hilton in Midland at a well-attended reception.

Clements has strong convictions for the Texas oilman, for improvements in public education, against the Panama Canal treaty and is eying the problems of the farmers.



THE WAY IT IS — Coal cars contain only snow as they stand idle at a coal tipple near Charleston W. Va., Sunday, the

90th day of the United Mine Workers strike and the day the miners overwhelmingly turned down a proposed contract.

At Colorado City

Three policemen resign

COLORADO CITY — Three city policemen resigned, citing as the reason the fact that they were forced to work an ambulance service as well.

Det. Sgt. Pat Fuller, Patrolman Joe Bob Martinez and Officer James Elson all quit.

Fuller, 28, with five years experience said "My reasons for quitting are many, but all stem from the department being forced to drive an ambulance for Mitchell County Ambulance Service."

"The service has been a thorn in the side of this department and I feel the

City Council should have demanded a new system be established when the county and hospital district pulled their men off the ambulance two years ago and placed the whole system on the police department."

Martinez in his resignation said, "Leaving was a difficult decision because this department is one of the best in the state for a town this size, but the ambulance service adds too much stress to a job that is at best difficult."

Elston also cited the service as the basic problem resulting in his resignation.

Originally the agreement included four men furnished by the hospital district and two county men. The police only had to work the ambulance one week out of very 12 at that time.

The runs have also increased from the first estimated 100 a year to 364 last year. The hospital district pays the salary of one policeman but no longer furnishes the personnel and the police force has not increased in manpower during that time.

All policemen are required to be on ambulance call during off duty hours. "The only thing that will solve the problem is for the community to understand," Fuller said upon his resignation.

Fuller has accepted a position with the Big Spring Police, according to city officials in Colorado City.

Honolulu judge catching flak over rape ruling

HONOLULU (AP) — A female jogger says she was raped after being run down by a car and threatened with broken glass. A judge tossed out the case on grounds of insufficient proof of force, prompting angry calls for a state investigation.

Some 700 women and men rallied across from the courthouse here Sunday to ask the state Supreme Court to consider the fitness for office of District Judge Robert Richardson.

"Judge Richardson has made a very dangerous decision. He's declared open season on all women joggers and he puts women in the

position of having to fight, even if fighting could mean death or serious bodily injury," Janice Arnold-Jones, chairman of the group Women Against Rape, said at the rally.

Richardson, who dismissed the rape charge in a preliminary hearing Feb. 24, said in a telephone interview after the rally that he would welcome an investigation.

"The record will speak for itself. Anyone who is interested can check the record. Every word is there. I can't erase and I can't add anything," said Richardson.

Offbeat: Confusing night

Lester Gunner, 1514A Sycamore, had a confusing night Saturday, as he wasn't the only visitor at 1516A Sycamore. A lady came to the door and asked him to keep a 12-gauge shotgun, saying that a man was trying to kill her with the gun. A few minutes later, a male came to the door, and demanded the gun. Upon receiving it, he threatened Gunner, saying he was going to "shoot your head off." Maria Lopez, also reported the same incident to police, except she was the lady who handed the gun to Gunner. A Mexican male, according to the report, struck her in the face several times, then got the gun and threatened to shoot Mrs. Lopez and her three sons. She managed to get the gun and the boys out of the house, left the weapon with Gunner, and reported the incident to police.

Tops on TV: Barris show

NBC has it all tonight, starting at 7 p.m. with the Chuck Barris Rah-Rah Show for the clowns in the family, and followed by Sally Fields stellar performance in "Sybil", documenting a young woman's descent into madness.

Inside: \$250 a-year magazine

A YEARLY publication called QUARREL has cut its costs from \$12,000 to \$250 per year in order to get the latest in language usage to the people. One such item calls shooting someone with a .45 handgun "social work". See 3A.

A SUNDAY AFTERNOON fire spread rapidly through Merkel's school building, causing an estimated \$350,000 damage and injuring two firemen. Arson is not suspected. See 8B.

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Outside: Low 70s

Partly cloudy skies and winds shifting into the northwest will bring cooler temperatures to Big Spring Tuesday. High temperature today is expected in the low 70s, low tonight in the low 40s, and high Tuesday in the mid 60s. Winds will be westerly at 15 to 20 miles per hour today and gusty, shifting into the northwest at 10 to 15 mph tonight.



Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Why less?

Q. Why are some public school cafeteria workers paid less than minimum wage? How is this legal.

A. According to Assistant Superintendent for Business Don Crockett, part-time employees in some cafeterias are paid less than minimum wage. This is allowable under a 1977 Supreme Court decision exempting school districts from minimum wage requirements. However, according to Crockett the difference is under a dime per hour, and "this is something which will definitely be addressed by the school board in its 1978 budget discussions."

Calendar: VFW program

TODAY

Licensed Vocational Nurses Association will meet in the Staff Development room at Big Spring State Hospital at 7:30 p.m. Clyde Alsop will discuss Alcoholism.

Goliad Junior High open house 7-8:30 p.m.

Texas Public School Week begins in all public schools. Visitations in classrooms are encouraged.

TUESDAY

The American Association of Retired Persons meets at 10 a.m. at the Kentwood Older Adult Center for a meeting, program, covered dish luncheon and table games. Bring a friend.

Kentwood Elementary PTA and open house, 7:30 p.m. at school cafeteria.

College Heights Elementary open house 7-8 p.m.

Marcy Elementary open house, 7:15-8:30 p.m.

Washington Elementary PTA and open house, 7-8:30 p.m.

Moss Elementary PTA meeting and open house, 7:45-8:45 p.m.

Petrofina National Sales Meeting Dinner, 7 p.m., Big Spring Country Club.

Bill Clements, Republican candidate for Governor of Texas, reception at Chamber of Commerce, 2:30 p.m.

V.F.W. Post 2013 meeting at 7 p.m. at Post Home on Driver Road with program on Drug Abuse.

WEDNESDAY

Meeting of the Howard County Tax Appraisal Board, 3 p.m., county courtroom.



PRIDE OF THE WEST — Paul Dean Ray, Howard County 4-Her, brought home over \$50,000 and all these banners from the Houston Livestock Show. His Chianina Cross steer was judged grand champion of the show, and sold for \$47,500 in the premium sale, a price that was \$2,500 off the world record. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams, purchasers of the steer, stand with Ray in the picture. The Chianina Association increased Ray's winnings, by awarding him \$3,000. Ray, the 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dois M. Ray of Luther, and the other Howard County showmen who exhibited at the Houston Exposition, brought home some \$81,000 in premiums and prize money.

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Getting there another matter Chartering flight easy

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

Qualifying for a low-cost charter flight is easier today than ever before, but making your way through the rules and regulations to avoid trouble is much harder. Civil Aeronautics Board figures show that domestic charter traffic in the 50 states, as measured by civilian, revenue-producing passenger miles, increased 36 percent from 1973 through 1977. By the same measure, scheduled service increased only 24 percent in the same period.

to the liberalization of rules on who can and cannot participate in a charter. You no longer have to belong to an organization to take a charter, for example. The CAB recently eased the rules still further, to help charter operators who said their survival was threatened by new discount fares on scheduled airlines. Among other things, the new regulations — in effect on an interim basis, pending permanent action — reduce the advance-purchase period required for ABCs (Advance Booking Charters) and eliminate minimum-stay

restrictions on ABCs and ITCs (Inclusive Tour Charters). The agency reports that 13 percent or 2,200 of the 17,000 complaints it received in 1977 concerned charters and some of the trouble may stem from confusion over who is responsible for what. According to a new CAB booklet, "Consumers Guide to Air Charters," the first thing to remember is that a charter is a flight which has been specially arranged by a contract between the operator of the aircraft and the charterer. You, in turn, sign a contract with the charterer. It is this charter operator — not the airline — who is responsible for such things as reservation changes, refunds and flight cancellations.

When you buy a charter, you may find yourself traveling on a plane flown by a scheduled airline or by a supplemental one which operates charters only. All of the airlines must meet CAB economic regulations and Federal Aviation Administration safety standards.

Even if you fly on a scheduled line, you are flying a charter. Rules governing charters apply; rules governing scheduled service do not.

Just about anyone can organize a charter flight; organizers are not licensed by the federal government. The CAB does require the organizers to comply with certain regulations, however. The notice "CAB Approved" in a charter advertisement indicates that the required paperwork has been filed and has not been rejected; it does not mean the CAB has endorsed or approved the program.

One of the key CAB regulations protects passengers' money in case a trip is canceled or there is some other problem. Under current rules, the charter organizer has one of two choices: post a large surety bond, similar to an insurance policy, or post a small bond and set up a special escrow account with a bank which holds passengers' money. The passenger contract must name the company which has posted the bond or the bank which has agreed to hold payments in escrow.

BS man dies in Lubbock

Preliminary reports indicate that Melvin Wesley Whitehead, 2206 Morrison, "aspirated and died from fluid in the lungs," in a Lubbock motel room, according to Lubbock County Justice of the Peace Wayne LeCroy. Whitehead, operator of the Culligan Water Conditioning Company in Big Spring, was found lying in his bed at the Johnson Motel at 4801 Ave. Q, about 4:35 p.m. Saturday by a motel clerk.

The autopsy had not been completed at 11 a.m. today, and LeCroy said lab tests were being conducted to determine the exact cause of death.

The clerk told officers he assigned the room to a new tenant earlier Saturday, but when that man found Whitehead still in bed he simply requested a new room and was given one. The clerk then went to Whitehead's room and found the man dead. Detectives told the Lubbock Avalanche Journal that several other tenants earlier that day had complained of a strong odor resembling gas in the area of Whitehead's room and were given new motel rooms.

Whitehead reportedly checked into the room about 3 a.m. Friday but was not seen after that time.

Born in Floydada, he had lived in Big Spring for eight years. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War, having served in the U.S. Army. He also was a member of the American Legion and the Elks Club.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Highland Baptist Church here with the Rev. H.C. Payne, a Baptist minister from Floydada officiating.

Burial will be in Lockney Cemetery under direction of Henderson Funeral Directors.

Survivors include his wife, Janet; a son, Timmy, a daughter, Tammy, both of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Whitehead of Floydada; three brothers, Ed and Aubrey, both of Lubbock, and James of Morton; three sisters, Helen McClure of Nashville, Tenn., Ethel Brown of Lubbock and Sue Trimble of Ratcliff, Ky.



ICE-JAMED RIVER — One of the many who came to Pequea, Pa. walks on the ice-jamed Susquehanna River wanting to get a glimpse of what resembles a sea of

Biggest ice jam since 1904

Stake on Susquehanna

PEQUEA, Pa. (AP) — Sitting on a bluff at eye level with soaring turkey buzzards, four Pennsylvania Power & Light Co. employees keep watch day and night over this tiny clapper town.

For six weeks they have

staked out a mammoth ice jam on the Susquehanna River a breathtaking 537 feet below. It is the biggest jam since the spring of 1904, when chunks of ice as big as box cars destroyed the upriver town of Safe Harbor, which never was rebuilt.

The men check the ice with binoculars and with stationary transit instruments whose crosshairs are lined up with two amber lights planted by helicopter on the ice, which resembles a sea of moon craters after a dirty snowfall.

One day, probably this month, the amber lights will stray from the point where the hairs meet, signaling the pack ice is on the move.

The men will relay the news from their mobile trailer at the lookout site. Sirens at two dams and at the firehouse will wail, alerting the people who live along the river of yet another spring thaw.

No one knows what will happen next.

"That's the \$64,000 question," says Jim Karr, postmaster of this hamlet of 100 residents. "It could take this building just like a toothpick, or the ice could rot away gradually and stay within the river's banks. We'll know pretty soon."

The latest spring thaw along this stretch of the river was April 2, according to surviving records.

Another Pennsylvania Power employee drops a tape into the river every two hours, noting in a log book whether the river is rising or falling.

He and another man have been doing that since Jan. 27, the day the ice arrived from Turkey Hill, a river bottleneck that almost every year fills with debris-packed ice.

"The temperature climbed into the 50s that day and we had three inches of rain," recalled Gordon Stark, 30, whose house sits on the river's bank here.

"That Friday night it was like watching cars on a freeway, those chunks were

doing 35 to 40 miles per hour. Then all of a sudden they stopped.

"The river is pretty shallow along here. The big chunks started digging into the mud, and the little ones stacked up behind."

The ice jam spans the milewide river and is about six miles long, starting a few miles upriver from Pennsylvania Power's Holtwood Dam, below town, and extending to the Safe Harbor Dam to the north. The Safe Harbor dam is owned jointly by Pennsylvania Power and Baltimore Gas & Electric.

The ice has already knocked the hydroelectric generating station at Safe Harbor Dam out of operation for six months to a year by backing water into generators, said Arch Knisely, a Pennsylvania Power official in Lancaster.

Door kicked in, cash is taken

Howard County deputies are investigating a burglary reported Friday night.

According to reports, Jimmy Leal of Lee's Bar on the Snyder Highway reported at 10:20 p.m. Friday that the back door of the bar had been kicked in and \$98.92 was missing from the cash register.

Man is charged with rape here

Charges of rape filed Saturday with Peace Justice Bob West against Ronnie Carter, 32, 1503 E. 3rd, will probably be replaced with felony indecency with a child charges, said Detective George Quintero today.

Carter was identified by the mother of a 10-year-old girl, who reported the Saturday night incident after her mother returned home.

Carter was arrested early Sunday morning by Quintero, who is heading the investigation.

West said he has not yet set bond on Carter.

Dean feud in court

DALLAS (AP) — Country-western entertainer Jimmy Dean has been named in a \$4.2 million libel and slander suit by his brother, Don, over a dispute between the two involving the Jimmy Dean pork sausage company.

Don Dean claims his older brother has caused him to suffer "disgrace, shame, embarrassment, humiliation, mental anguish and extreme injury to his reputation."

Jimmy Dean bought his brother out of the family sausage business last July. The family feud heated when Jimmy obtained a temporary restraining order against Don to keep Don from visiting their mother's home at Plainview, where one of Dean's sausage plants is located. That plant is to close this month.

Don's suit claims Jimmy's "malicious and slanderous" comments about him are "untrue" and "have affected (Don) in his profession and occupation" and have blemished Don's "reputation of complete honesty, unquestioned trustworthiness, absolute integrity and impeccable moral character, not only among his many friends and acquaintances in Texas, but also among countless individuals and business acquaintances, especially those in the meat processing industry."

Several newspaper articles were submitted with the suit filed Friday in Dallas federal court.

Weather

Gusty winds push clouds over state

By the Associated Press
Gusting winds were expected to push clouds across the state today bringing showers and thundershowers, some of them possibly severe in the south.

Widely scattered showers occurred in West and South Texas last night and early this morning. Visibilities were cut to 3 to 5 miles by the light drizzle and fog imports of the south.

Temperatures were rather mild statewide with pre-dawn readings ranging from the 40s in the Panhandle to the

upper 60s in the Rio Grande Valley. Winds were southerly and southeasterly in most areas at 5 to 15 miles per hour except in El Paso where gusts were reported up to 30 mph.

Other pre-dawn readings included Dallas-Fort Worth, 50, Longview, 49; San Angelo, 52; and Wichita Falls, 50. All were under cloudy skies.

The National Weather Service said afternoon highs should range from the lower 60s in the north to the lower 80s in the extreme south.

Table with columns: CITY, TEMPERATURES, MAX, MIN. Lists cities like Big Spring, Amarillo, Chicago, Cincinnati, Denver, Detroit, Ft. Worth, Houston, Los Angeles, Miami, New Orleans, Richmond, St. Louis, San Francisco, Seattle, Washington, D.C. with corresponding temperature ranges.

WEST TEXAS — It will be partly cloudy through Tuesday and tonight. Widely scattered showers or thundershowers are expected in the extreme west and north today. Highs today should be in the low 60s in the north to near 80 in the Big Bend area. Lows tonight should be near 30 in the north to the mid 40s in the southeast.

EXTENDED FORECAST
WEST TEXAS — It will be dry with a warming trend Wednesday through Friday. Lows will be in the 30s in the north to the 40s in the south Wednesday, warming to the 40s in the north and the 50s in the south Friday. Highs will be in the 60s in the north to the 80s in Big Bend.

WEATHER FORECAST — Rain is forecast Monday for the Pacific Northwest. Showers are forecast for the central Gulf. A band of rain and snow is expected from eastern Texas and Oklahoma to the Ohio Valley. Warmer weather is forecast for most of the West.

Ethnic factionalism evident in election

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Voters Saturday overwhelmingly defeated a \$98.4 million capital improvements bond package with each district following the position of its council member on an issue that has become characterized by ethnic factionalism.

The San Antonio City Council was divided 6-5 on whether to submit the package to the people in the first place. The one black and five Mexican-American members of the council favored the election. The five Anglo-American council members voted against it and campaigned for defeat of the bond issue.

Opponents of the issue argued that the bond proposal would raise taxes and that some of the projects could have been financed with federal community development funds.

The bond package itself was not controversial, but

council factionalism and the political fight over whether or not the voters should be offered the issue have been credited with the heavy turnout at the polls.

The predominantly Anglo-American north side of the city, where voter turnout was heaviest, generally voted against the issue. All seven proposals in the bond package were defeated by a final margin of about 3-to-2, although they carried in the districts of the six councilmen who supported the bonds.

Almost one-third of the eligible electorate, 102,387 voters, turned out to surpass the record set in 1961 when 67,000 votes were cast on an expressway issue.

Mayor Lila Cockrell led opponents of the bond package. Councilman Henry Cisneros, who is expected to run for mayor next year, led efforts to approve the bond issue.

Deaths

E.F. Baldock

E.F. Baldock, 57, died at 10:35 a.m. today in a local hospital after an illness. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

He was born December 3, 1920 in Decatur. He came to Big Spring in 1946 from Coleman. He started work for the Texas and Pacific in 1946 and retired as an engineer in 1977 due to ill health.

Survivors include his wife, Billie, Big Spring; two sons, Ronnie Baldock, Big Spring, and Louis Baldock, Presidio, Calif.; five daughters, Mrs. Dean (Betty) Atkinson, Mrs. Carl (Shirley) Johnson, Mrs. Ernie (Diane) Turner, Big Spring, Miss Kathy Baldock and Miss Michelle Baldock, of the home.

He was preceded in death by one son.

Bill Kay

Services for William H. (Bill) Kay, 72, who died at 7:35 p.m. Saturday, were at 2 p.m. today in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Greenwood Cemetery in Fort Worth.

Pallbearers were A.B. Maines, Herk Agee, Toby Purcell, Bob Jones, R. C. Utley, R. L. Baber, R. C. Nichols, C. A. Smauley, and Tip Anderson.

Don Minnick

Michael Don Minnick, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Minnick of Midland, died Sunday morning in a Midland Hospital.

Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. Monday at Trinity Memorial Park with the Rev. Curtis Hollis, pastor of Temple Baptist Church in Midland, officiating.

Survivors include a brother, John Wayne Minnick, of the home; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Minnick, Big Spring; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roman, Big Spring; two maternal great-grandmothers, Mrs. Fred Roman, and Mrs. G. W. Chapman, both of Big Spring; and paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skelton, Snyder.

Bob Smith

Edward Bob Smith, 58, died this morning in a local hospital after an illness of several months.

Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

He was born Dec. 17, 1919 in Ada, Okla., and came to Big Spring 20 years ago from Ada. He was a self-employed painter.

Mr. Smith married Genevieve Myers on July 12, 1975 in Big Spring. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Genevieve, Big Spring; one stepson, Gilbert Lee Myers, Big Spring; two sisters, Cecil Ann Carter, and Leola Myers, both of Ada, Okla.; one niece, Mary Ann Whelchel, Ada, Okla.

Public School Week is started with breakfast

Texas Public School week kicked off Monday morning with the annual breakfast honoring educators, sponsored by the three local Masonic Lodges.

Over 200 educators were special guests at the event, which was hosted by the Staked Plains Lodge 598, the Big Spring Lodge 1340 and the Coahoma Lodge 992.

Marvin Steene, Willard Wise, Archie Segrest and Jimmy Felts composed the committee in charge of the event with Bill Emerson as head cook.

Representing the lodges at the head table were Segrest, John Gee and Fred Simpson. Lee Porter acted as master of ceremonies and Bob Smith gave a brief talk on the history of the Masonic Lodge in connection with backing public education.

The early lodges allowed schools to be held in their buildings, prior to construction of buildings. Porter read the proclamation from the Grand Master of Texas designating the week as Public Schools Week all over the state.

Special guests included Al Valdes, school board member; Lynn Hise, Big Spring superintendent and Andy Wilson, Coahoma superintendent.

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Digest



SPRING IN THE AIR — Dawn Johnson, 7 (left), and Kim Thorley, 5 (right) take a close look at the year's first crocuses blooming in East Dulwich Park, South London as a sunny spell broke over the capital at the weekend.

Tower nixes role

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. John Tower, R-Texas, says his past association with Korean businessman Tongsun Park and other "Korean nationals" has led him to disqualify himself as a participant in the Congressional probe of alleged Korean influence-buying.

Tower told Sen. Adlai Stevenson, D-Ill., who is chairman of the Select Committee on Ethics, that he wanted to disqualify himself "to preserve the credibility of the inquiry."

Tower said in a statement released Friday by his office that he was disqualifying himself "because of my acknowledged previous association with certain Korean nationals."

"The Senate Ethics Committee has received no charges against Senator Tower," a statement released by Stevenson's office said. "The senator's action... implies no suggestion by the committee or its staff that he is guilty of any impropriety of any kind."

Stevenson's statement said Tower's "cooperation with the committee has been exemplary."

"Like several others who have acknowledged an association with Tongsun Park (they) have all opened their records to the committee staff," a Stevenson aide said.

Tower said he is not personally under investigation, and that he has received "no contributions that I know of" from South Korean government officials. The senator has said previously he went to parties hosted by Park.

According to the rules of the select committee, "a member of the select committee shall be ineligible to participate in any initial review or investigation relating to his own conduct, the conduct of any officer or employee he supervises or the conduct of any employee of any officer he supervises, or relating to any complaint filed by him and the determinations and recommendations of the select committee with respect thereto."

Wedding on skates

DAYTON, Ky. (AP) — It was a marriage made in Roller Haven.

The entire wedding party, including the minister, wheeled into the roller rink on skates for the marriage ceremony of Sharon and John Norris.

John, 26, and Sharon, 23, first met at Dave and Deb's Roller Haven, where the marriage ceremony took place Saturday. John was 16 and Sharon was 12 at the time they met.

When they decided to marry, they wanted something out of the ordinary to mark the ceremony, so they came up with the roller skates idea.

"This started out as a big joke," the groom said. "Then, we found out the minister had his own set of skates. So we said, 'Okay, why not?'"

Unique jump planned

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y. (AP) — Daredevils have been going over Niagara Falls in a barrel since the turn of the century, but a Portland, Maine, man has an Evel Knievel-style twist planned.

Perry Kerry plans to jump across the falls in a "steam-powered" snowmobile on Aug. 18.

The 29-year-old stuntman claims to have pioneered a new sport by jumping over obstacles in snowmobiles. He said that last year he maneuvered a snowmobile over nine full-sized automobiles.

"When I got into it, nobody was jumping with snowmobiles. They're difficult to control in the air. Doing it is unique, scary — for the people watching," he said, adding that "I do not know the meaning of fear."

Kerry said he visited the falls five years ago and that every day since then "I've been jumping that thing in my mind."

"Some people say I have a death wish. I'm a full-blooded Greek. My father came from Sparta, my mother from Athens. I'm sort of a philosophical warrior. If I die, I want it to be glorious," Kerry said.

Kerry acknowledged that he may have considerable problems convincing U.S. and Canadian officials that his jump merits gaining their permission to attempt it.

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Lead shield proposed

Mass x-rays may end

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Mass x-ray screening would be outlawed under new rules proposed by the Texas Radiation Advisory Board and sent to the state board of health Sunday.

radiation enforcement chief Ed Bailey, still use mobile x-ray screening vans, but they would be halted, except with the express approval of the state health department.

Another rule would require a lead shield one-fourth of a millimeter thick for the gonads — testes and ovaries — of patients of reproductive years when the organs are in an area being x-rayed.

time we've required gonadal shielding by regulation," said Bailey.



WORKINGS OF A WINDMILL — Elizabeth White of Midland explains a metal sculpture windmill to Medina Corwin, Lori Gilbert and Molly Thompson, members of Brownie Troop 88, who were touring the Rock and Gem Show here Saturday.

Farm Grain exports to grow

WASHINGTON (AP) — Exports of grain and other commodities to Communist countries have shown a phenomenal growth since 1970 and are likely to continue, an Agriculture Department trade analyst said today.

were valued at a record \$23.7 billion. Although optimistic, Neetz said that future export growth faces a number of obstacles related to U.S. trade with Communist nations.

China bought about \$625 million worth of U.S. farm commodities a year in 1973 and 1974 but then "ceased to be a significant U.S. market" in the following two years, he said.

From 1970 to 1976, U.S. farm exports to the Soviet Union, China and the Communist nations of Eastern Europe rose from \$210 million to \$3 billion, an "unusually high yearly growth rate" of 55 percent, he said.

Exports dropped to \$2.2 billion in the 1977 calendar year but Neetz said the upward trend is expected to resume this year in view of the large purchases of grain by the Soviet Union and soybeans and cotton by China.

Neetz said that increasing trade with Communist countries "will require bolder approaches than those already tried" by parties on both sides.

The report was included in a weekly issue of "Foreign Agriculture" published by Neetz's agency.

Total U.S. farm exports to all countries in calendar 1977

Solar dryers are studied

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department has published a new report about using the sun to dry grain which may help farmers decide on whether to install a solar system of their own.

According to the report, experiments have shown that costs of efficient solar collectors "came reasonably close to those of some low-propane gaspowered systems now used" to dry grain.

Costs are not yet so low that farmers would want to replace usable conventional dryers," the report said.

Single free copies of the report, "The Performance and Economic Feasibility of Solar Grain Drying Systems," AER-395, are available from: ESCS Publications, Room 0054-S, USDA, Washington, D.C. 20250.

First, around the neighborhood. Do you put your trash out for pickup the day the truck is due, or do you set it out a day or two early — inviting stray animals to scatter it all over the neighborhood? And speaking of stray animals, including dogs, do you walk your dog with a leash, or do you just open the door and let the dog walk itself? I'll bet your neighbors who have to clean up their yards and replace their damaged flowers and shrubs can answer that one.

Unattended pets also create traffic problems. More than one accident has been caused by a motorist

trying to avoid hitting someone's dog or cat. And when an animal has been run over, do you as a good neighbor remove it from the street, or do you just wait for someone else to do it? And what about your youngsters? Do you allow them to make themselves nuisances by cutting through yards, playing ball on the street where cars are parked, ride noisy trail cycles up and down the normally quiet residential areas? And speaking of riding. How about those bikes? Do your kids have lights on theirs, or are they members of that dangerous club who ride at dusk and after dark without light? And what kind of neighbor are the parents who drive their vehicles without much regard for others? Like poking their vehicles along at 20 in a 30 mph zone; or making a turn without signaling; or making a right turn into the left lane or a left turn into the

Ethiopia claiming conquest

Magazine is bargain Compared to old prices

By the Associated Press Ethiopia says it has recaptured Jijiga, the first major objective of its counteroffensive in the Ogaden War in eastern Ethiopia. But the Somali forces who took the city last summer deny that they have lost it.

CHICAGO (AP) — If you don't know how to "quantize" or can't find where your "wetware" is, you may want to subscribe to a new magazine called QUARREL, which is going at the bargain price of \$250 a year, marked down from \$12,000.

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Each day, QUARREL researchers around the world will rummage through dozens of newspapers and magazines, looking for new words, Urdang said.

Radio Addis Ababa said the Ethiopian flag flew over Jijiga, in the northern Ogaden Desert 40 miles from the Somalia border, after a victory "won at great cost to human life and property."

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Beginning in September, their discoveries, from "anti-reclining" to "zip trolling," will be collected

and offered in an average 350-page issue of QUARREL — or the Quarterly Report on the English Language.

The rebels of the Western Somali Liberation Front, who have been fighting since last summer to wrest the Ogaden plateau from Ethiopia and join it to neighboring Somalia, claimed they were fighting off attacks by Soviet and Cuban troops.

February had the lion's share of that contribution, handing over 1.42 inches of the wet stuff, twice the 79-year average for the second month of the year.

Wind velocity was lighter than normal, too, at an average of 4.5 miles-per-hour instead of 4.8 m.p.h. Temperatures for the month averaged lower than normal, with a mean temperature of 38 degrees, far below the normal mean of 46.

Urdang hopes the \$11,750 cut in the subscription price will attract 400 or 500 readers. He figures only 15 or 18 would buy the publication at \$12,000 a year. But even at \$12,000, QUARREL would be a real bargain for some subscribers, such as dictionary publishers, Urdang said.

A statement issued in Mogadishu, the capital of Somalia, said no Ethiopian soldiers were seen among the attackers.

February was rainy, according to Big Spring Experiment Station figures. With station head Bill Fryrear on the record with a prediction of 84 days of blowing dust in 1978, January and February have done their part to keep the dust tamped down by giving farmers 1.75 inches of rain so far.

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The words are either new, such as "Eurocommunism," or old ones used in new ways, such as "punk."

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DECA program honors Bell Billy Bell, area consultant for Office Education in Big Spring will be recognized for his outstanding contributions to the New Mexico Association of the Distributive Education Clubs of America — otherwise known as DECA — during the 26th Career Development Conference March 14-16 in Carlsbad, N.M.

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Thiel said there is a chance that pulsing laser beams would have struck the eyes of some musicians.

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A favorite item editors ran across, says Urdang, was from "Guns and Ammo" magazine.

He said the flashing beams looked like shots from spacecraft weapons in "Star Wars" and were five times stronger than those used in laser therapy of the eyes.

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Advertisement for DECA program honoring Billy Bell, featuring contact information for the New Mexico Association of the Distributive Education Clubs of America.

Advertisement for 'PATTERN FITTING SHOWCASE '78' featuring Lavon Langdon, a sewing instructor, and Sunburst pattern making services.

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Terrorists hit new low with tricks

In promoting their cause, that of a separate Middle East state, terrorists have resorted to an abundance of extreme measures — hijacking planes, killing athletes during the Olympic Games and bombing schools and market places to name a few.

In so acting, the terrorists have riveted the attention of the world on their movement. For the most part, the endorsement they have sought has largely been missing.

WHEN THE RADICALS starting poisoning oranges, however, they

reached a new low. That sort of business it, to put it the kindest way possible, despicable and should be condemned by civilized people everywhere.

No one can say at this time who is responsible but an organization calling itself the Arab Revolutionary Army Palestinian Commando is claiming credit. If that is true, that would be yet another splinter group of the Palestine Liberation Organization, if indeed the PLO regarded it as a blood brother.

The Palestine Liberation Organization was quick to announce that it had nothing to do with the poisoning and that it had no connection with the Palestinian commando group.

The poisoning was revealed in West Germany and was accomplished by injecting mercury into oranges. Its target reportedly was the Israeli economy.

For the moment, the poisoning was said not to be widespread. Only a few contaminated oranges were found and

no fatalities resulted. Several children in West Germany and Holland reportedly became ill, however.

Terrorism in any form is odious and shows that we haven't come very far in 4,000 years, as far as regard for our fellow man is concerned. It is especially bad when the targets are innocent housewives and children in neutral countries.

The terrorists may have scored a few points with other extremists but with the world in general their stock plunges farther still.



Much is expected

Around the rim

Carla Walker

They grade papers and try to find better ways of educating both the serious students and the jokers who go to school because Mom and Dad or the law says they must. They discipline and quiet classes of energetic kids, make up tests, grade themes and essays, and try to be both friend and guide to their students.

What a task! And yet that only scratches the surface layer of the duties we expect teachers to accomplish without ever getting irritable, losing their temper, or making any mistakes.

Seems like I'm always hearing about some student who can't get along with any of his (or her) teachers and is instantly in trouble with school administrators.

BEING STRICTLY truthful, I can remember two teachers I really disliked, and one that I never could get along with. If I narrowed it to teachers that I felt had treated me unfairly, the number would be down to only one teacher out of 12 years and better than 35 teachers.

That is a pretty good track record for any school system, and I might add that I had a noteworthy complaint against only one school administrator or employee in all that time.

I remember a large number of good teachers, and there are a few others for whom I have a special admiration.

I guess everybody remembers their first grade teacher, and I'm no exception. "Miz Jackson," the only name I remember her by, really put up with a lot. In that class, she had to referee disputes between two cousins — me and Tina Walker Affleck — who competed over everything from grades to our first boyfriend. (He was also in the class.)

After her, came many top-notch teachers, a few of whom I considered friends as well as capable instructors. Of course, none of them had first names; everybody knows that teachers only go by Mr., Miz, or Coach so-and-so. (That is why it took so long to write this rim — had to use the city directory to find first names.)

From elementary school, I remember that Mrs. Ray Cantrell always wrote her students over holidays when she traveled, and Mrs. Jess Slaughter was one of my favorites because she would read a chapter of "Charlotte's Web" to the

class after lunch.

In Junior High, Coach Bobby Zellars made a big hit with the kids because he didn't mind too much if we called him "Sunshine," referring to the way the sun reflected off the top of his head.

AND, I'LL NEVER forget my eighth grade English teacher, Mrs. John Talmadge. She was the first one who said I should try to sell what I wrote. (I'll let the readers blame or praise her for those words of encouragement, but whatever the verdict, she was a good teacher and a nice person.)

In high school, I liked Wilbur Cunningham and his classes so well that upon entering college, I was convinced that my future lay in teaching math.

Pat Lawrence even made me enjoy chemistry, a subject I had previously categorized as too "science-y" to be interesting; Bill Martin (now dean of students) and Susan Finley were such good teachers that their basic lessons snagged my interest and I ended up with a government minor at college.

Jane Smith, my junior year English instructor had a lot of influence on my writing style. Correct grammar and opinions substantiated by facts were the only compositions that were awarded an "A" in her class. (If she is reading this now, I hope that the only errors she can find were made in printing — not writing — of this rim. A graded clipping from her would neither surprise nor offend me.)

Among the counselors and office people, Mildred Wright, Ray Pope, Morris Molpus, Nita Allen, and Janice Rosson will always have a special place in my memories of high school.

All those people — indeed, 90 plus per cent of the teachers and administrators in public schools — are working because they love kids and are dedicated to helping them.

It has been said that "Those who can, do, and those who can't, teach," but I disagree. Teachers take a lot of flack from all sides, but they still keep on giving — of themselves, their talents, their time, and their love.

I had a lot of good teachers who were genuinely dedicated to teaching each student something useful.

To all of them: Thanks. (Even if the grammar isn't right.)



Real problem

Evans, Novak

WASHINGTON — Continuing expansion of Hamilton Jordan's jerry-built power at the White House, despite the titillating public debate over what he did in a Washington singles bar, reveals much about the Carter presidency and hints at future problems.

Once President Carter's principal aide became the target of political cartoons and Johnny Carson monologues, old Washington hands presumed Jordan's days were numbered. That betrayed the establishment's inability to understand Jimmy Carter. The Oval Office perception that anti-Jordan ridicule is a cultural attack on the Georgians now in power solidifies Jordan's position.

THE RESULT is more than mere survival. Rather, the unfavorable publicity coincided with the evolution of Jordan into a de facto chief of staff who will not and cannot fulfill the duties of that post. Because nobody else can perform those duties while Jordan holds the job, the trouble afflicting the White House in the first Carter year may be perpetuated.

Serious problems posed by Jordan's unsuitability for the role are now eclipsed by his difficulties with the gossipists. Other presidential aides say that for Mr. Carter to downgrade the beleaguered Jordan at this time would invite anti-Carter snipers to pick off others in his official family.

This admirable sentiment, however, hints at an "us-against-them" bunker mentality. By the account of presidential aides, the attack on Jordan stems partly from the Washington establishment's scorn for the Georgia upstarts and partly from a desire to damage the President himself. Such intense emotion tends to bury the real Jordan problem.

Jordan spent his early White House period as a patronage dispenser, but in easy, publicized steps has taken on the difficult assignment of coordinating action and policy. He was first assigned the task of political analysis on all questions, then given the job of coordinating all policy steps with political ends. He now runs meetings of both the senior staff and overall staff and attends national security staff meetings. Jordan has been the point-man on everything important: Lance, Panama, coal, Mideast, SALT.

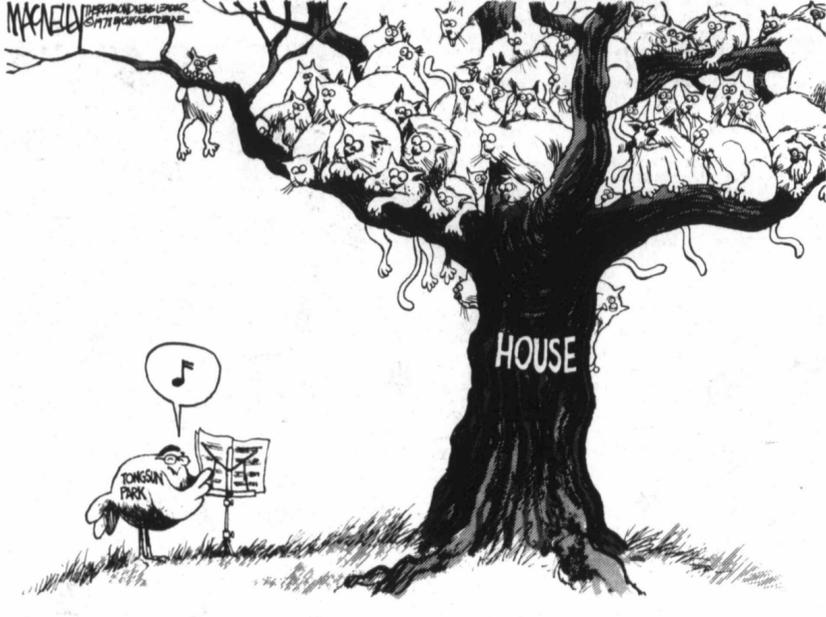
THIS LOOKS suspiciously like the conventional chief of staff that both the President and Jordan abjure, but herein lies the danger. While seeming to perform that necessary function, Jordan cannot really meet its administrative requirements. Of all the Georgians close to Mr. Carter, press secretary Jody Powell might best be qualified to handle that job, but never Jordan.

A symptom is his refusal to return press or congressional telephone calls. He explains this by saying he does not want to preempt press secretary Powell or White House lobbyist Frank Moore, but in fact he never returns anyone's call.

How explains this phobia about the telephone, unparalleled since the notorious phobia of Czar Nicholas II? Friends of Jordan insist it is not arrogance, but shyness and administrative incompetence. "Hamilton just can't handle hundreds of phone calls," one staffer told us.

If that administrative task is beyond Jordan, obviously he cannot handle what other presidential aides feel is urgently needed: a reduction of Mr. Carter's routine, an early-warning system for trouble ahead, a high degree of political coordination. While Jordan stays as ineffective chief of staff, obviously no effective chief can be installed.

MOREOVER, JORDAN is no formulator of coherent administration philosophy. Some colleagues say he is a committed liberal; others that he is more pragmatic than ideological. He was instrumental in the President's decision to scrap the B-1 bomber, but his argument was Mr. Carter's duty to fulfill a campaign promise.



'Slipped disc' a poor term

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: What is a disc and how many of them do we have — What happens when one slips? When a person has an operation for a slipped disc, do the doctors remove it completely? What causes one to slip? How long must a person be laid up after an operation? How is it diagnosed? — H. L. W.

A spinal (intervertebral) disc is a pulpy, fibrous structure between sections of the spinal column (the vertebrae). There are 24 of these sections.

The term "slipped disc" doesn't really describe what occurs. It is more of a bulging backward of one of the discs, usually from an injury. The most common sites are the lower and upper parts of the column of vertebrae, those subject to most heavy use.

A disc may be out of position and not produce any pain itself. The pain occurs when the bulged-out portion touches a nerve. If it is in the lower section of the spine, the pain may be in the leg area. If in the upper section, the neck, shoulders and arms are affected.

Surgery is not always required. Rest, use of braces, splinting, or traction is tried first. Surgery (laminectomy) is done if these conservative measures don't work. In this the lamina, a bony protective portion of each vertebra, is opened so that the surgeon can remove the portion of displaced disc.

While hospital stays are not necessarily lengthy after this surgery, it may be months before the patient can resume normal activity. Return to heavy physical labor is doubtful.

Diagnosis of a defective disc is done by myelogram, a special kind of X-ray that pinpoints the defect. The precise area of pain indicates which nerves are affected and hence the disc area involved. The surgery has a high rate of success.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I am 69 and I lose urine when I cough or sneeze. Can this be corrected, or will I eventually lose complete control later in life? Do we all get this sooner or later? — Mrs. W. E.

This is called stress incontinence. It usually occurs in women over 30 who have had several children, although some relaxation of the muscles and supporting pelvic tissues involved can be expected with age. The sphincter muscle controls release of urine from the bladder, normally in response to conscious efforts to open and close it. When weak it responds to involuntary forces, as stress from a cough or sneeze.

Before resorting to surgery try to improve matters yourself with the Kegell exercises. These consist of consciously tightening the muscles as though trying to stop urination. Then relax the muscles. Alternate this about 20 times in succession about six sessions a day. Do it also when you are urinating normally. There should be improvement in from six to eight weeks.

Infection of the urinary tract can contribute to stress incontinence, so you should be checked for that. If the exercises don't help, surgery to correct the muscle weakness can be tried. A pessary can be used, if your doctor thinks it would be effective.

This is not an inevitable consequence of aging.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I am told that milk (whole or skim) is high in natural sodium. I'm reducing my intake of natural sodium. But I'm worried about calcium lack. Would calcium tablets be permitted as a good alternative source? I am 47. I used to drink a quart of milk daily. — Mrs. D. R.

Milk contains moderate amounts of sodium, but you don't have to deprive yourself of it, even on a rigidly restricted sodium diet. Six to eight ounces a day are allowed. Nor do I think you need calcium tablets. This mineral is available in many other foods.

Prepared foods, to which manufacturers add sodium, are more common sources of excess than milk. Skimmed milk contains more sodium than whole milk, incidentally.

Don't take chances with "kidney trouble" — it could be dangerous. Read Dr. Thosteson's booklet, "Your Kidneys — Facts You Need to Know About Them." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelop and 25 cents.

Did you know that 80 per cent of stroke victims resume to some degree their former lives? In "Stroke Recovery — Hope and Help," Dr. Thosteson describes the causes and



My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: What is wrong with trying to make contact with the dead through spirit mediums or seances? I have a relative who passed on some months ago, and I would like to make contact with his soul. — L.D.

DEAR L.D.: It is wrong because it is forbidden by God. The Bible says, "There shall not be found among you... a medium, or a spiritist, or one who calls up the dead. For whoever does these things is detestable to the Lord" (Deuteronomy 18:10-12, New American Standard Bible). This reason should carry some weight with you, for it is a solemn and dangerous thing to disobey God. It is interesting that one of the signs of true revival in the Old Testament was the casting out of such practices (see, for example, II Kings 23:24).

Why does God forbid spiritism? The Bible does not give us a detailed answer, but one reason clearly is that such practices inevitably are associated with such things as magic

treatment of stroke. For a copy write him in care of the Big Spring, enclosing 35 cents and a long, stamped, and self-addressed envelope.

Arthritis sufferers can be helped. Dr. Thosteson's booklet discusses many types of arthritis and related joint diseases as well as effective treatments and medications. For a copy of "How You Can Control Arthritis," write to him in care of The Big Spring Herald.

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.

Big Spring Herald Mailbag

Dear Editor: I know it is legal for anyone to seek any public office for which he or she is eligible; but I wonder if Big Spring is aware of the consequences if Harold Hall loses in the City Council race?

Mr. Hall is not only serving Big Spring on the city council but is past president of the Permian Regional Planning Commission. This commission is composed of 17 counties and has direct influence on need for new industry and many other vital influences.

If Mr. Hall loses his race here, he is automatically off the Permian Basin commission. His successor, if he should be the victor in the city race, would not be appointed from one of the 17 counties. That post would go to a city council member from Odessa or Monahan or some other town in a rotating system.

Since Big Spring is still in its "Reach for Recovery" program with the loss of Webb, it certainly behooves us to re-elect Mr. Harold Hall. Mrs. Clyde Thomas 400 Washington Blvd.

and occult forces, which are satanic in nature. One of the most tragic men in the Old Testament was King Saul, who gradually turned his back on God. At the end of his life, he knew that God would not hear his prayers or give him guidance, so he consulted a spirit medium (I Samuel 28). Shortly afterward he committed suicide.

God has given us all that we need in Jesus Christ. Perhaps you are lonely and that is why you are thinking about spiritism. Let Christ come into your life and become your friend and comforter. Or perhaps you somehow think that spiritism will give you guidance. Let Christ guide you instead. "If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him" (James 1:5).

Avoid anything having to do with spiritism. God has forbidden it, and that is reason enough to keep away. In Christ you have the opportunity to have a personal relationship with the God of the Universe. Why should you settle for anything less?



Sources suspected

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — We began reporting a year ago that the 1957 "Big Smoky" atomic bomb test had left some invisible injuries. The military volunteers, who survived the test seemingly unscathed, are now in danger of dying from leukemia. They are victims of low-level radiation.

But nuclear tests aren't the only source of this insidious menace. We have also reported that some nuclear facilities have been bombarding the public with low doses of radiation for years. Unsuspecting workers and neighbors may be in the same danger as the survivors of Big Smoky.

THIS DISTURBING subject was discussed recently behind closed White House doors. Defense Secretary Harold Brown reported to President Carter that the "whole series of tests in the 1950s in Nevada are now getting attention because of the alleged after-effects."

Brown explained that he personally had attended some of the nuclear tests while director of the Livermore Laboratories. He assured the president that he had always worn a radiation badge and "at least one member of each group in an area" was supposed to have one.

Then Health, Education and Welfare Secretary Joseph Califano interrupted with his own report. According to the confidential minutes Califano informed the president that the Carter for Disease Control in Atlanta "is concerned that the incidence of leukemia in connection with these tests may indicate that more cancers result from low levels of radiation than previously thought."

The publicity over Big Smoky has stimulated a flood of letters and phone calls to the Pentagon from servicemen who participated in nuclear tests in Nevada and the South Pacific. Hundreds of them have reported they are suffering from leukemia and other maladies.

This does not mean, of course, that their diseases were caused by radiation exposure. But the Pentagon is busily pulling together the names of 200,000 to 300,000 military personnel who are believed to have participated in 190 atmospheric tests between 1946 and 1962. A spokesman promised to "fulfill the government's responsibility to the people involved."

In contrast, the Energy Department has joined the nuclear industry in hushing up the disagreeable information about the low-level radiation that emanates from peaceful nuclear facilities.

University of Pittsburgh Prof. Thomas F. Mancuso spent more than 12 years on an epidemiological study of atomic workers at the government's Hanford, Wash., plant.

His findings turned out to be the opposite of what the Energy Department had hoped. His superiors had encouraged him to debunk the research of another scientist who found inexplicable cancer increases

among Hanford workers. Instead, Mancuso confirmed these findings.

The professor was ordered to turn over his data to scientists at the government-controlled laboratories in Oak Ridge, Tenn., and the government-contracted Battelle Pacific Northwest Labs in Richland, Wash. None of these scientists had ever conducted a human epidemiological study.

At Battelle, the study was assigned to Dr. Ethel Gilbert whose preliminary analysis was so obtuse that associates complained they "couldn't make heads or tails of it."

At Oak Ridge, the government hired Dr. Edythelena Tompkins to make an "objective analysis" of the Mancuso data. She has a reputation as an apologist for the nuclear industry. Her husband, Dr. Paul Tompkins, headed the Federal Radiation Council in the 1960s when it raised permissible radiation dose levels for the general population by 20 times.

DR. EDYTHALENA TOMPKINS told our associate Howard Rosenberg that she still believes low levels of radiation not only are harmless but, in fact, "stimulate the body's natural repair mechanisms." This should startle the doctors at the Disease Control Center.

The superiors who took the research project out of Mancuso's hands were Assistant Energy Secretary Dr. James Liverman and project supervisor Dr. Sidney Marks. Now Marks has resigned from the government and turned up at the Battelle labs where he now supervises the analysis of the Mancuso project.

Embattled dissident scientists and environmentalists have raised such a huge and cry that the Energy Department has been compelled to conduct a grudging internal investigation. A House Commerce subcommittee, alerted by our stories, is also investigating. It has accused Energy Department officials of a "cover-up."

Despite Mancuso's alarming findings, the industry-backed National Council on Radiation Protection is recommending that permissible worker radiation doses should be raised fivefold. Government officials have recently quoted these recommendations as evidence that atomic workers are in no danger. The government is eager to suppress evidence that radiation exposure at low levels is an occupational hazard. For this could cost the nuclear industry millions in workman's compensation.

Footnote: Reps. Paul Rogers, D-Fla., and Tim Lee Carter, R-Ky., are considering steps to prevent any tampering or misuse of the Mancuso data. The Energy Department's internal investigators haven't yet filed their report.

Prevent could

PRINCETON, N.J. — It may be cheap to prevent the cavity than

That's the premise tested on about 1,000 children in 10 American cities in a national dental prevention project funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation here.

A variety of preventive measures, including fluoride, sealants, diet regulation, education in dental hygiene are being used over a year period on first, second and fifth graders.

The program could "pay for itself" by the insurance policy for care by allowing cost for preventive treatment said project director Harry Bohanan of American Fund for Public Health in Lexington, Ky.

"We are not experimenting with children," said Bohanan. "We are experimenting with products. We're using things that have been effective and safe."

Treatment will vary "everything you can do to the child to the least you can do," just examine the Bohanan said in a telephone interview.

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The sale is the band of encouraging parents continue contribute local music groups enthusiasm and support are two elements necessary continued interest activities of these people.

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By ROBERT WALLACE, Copley News Service

Dear Doctor, I have a problem mother, one that solved soon for the sanity.

I am in my first high school, and active in my school my church. I have a friend and a very friend, and I'd be happy life if it was mother. She is jealous.

Mother had a childhood and is an unhappy man can't stand seeing such a good time, stantly telling me my age (15) should not active; should not late, and should trips.

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The only solution think of is to stay at home all show her what a girl! I'm a band, for I'm a social person anything to stop driving me crazy think straight cause of her controlling.

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Preventive dentistry project could affect health insurance

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) — It may be cheaper to prevent the cavity than to fill it. That's the premise being tested on about 25,000 children in 10 American cities in a national demonstration project funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation here.

A variety of preventive measures, including use of fluoride, application of sealants, diet regulation and education in dental hygiene, are being used over a three-year period on first, second and fifth graders. The program could "turn around" the insurance payment policy for dental care by allowing coverage for preventive treatment, said project director Dr. Harry Bohannon of the American Fund for Dental Health in Lexington, Ky.

"We are not experimenting with children," said Bohannon. "We are not experimenting with new products. We're using only things that have been proven effective and safe."

Treatment will vary from "everything you can do for a child to the least you can do—just examine the child," Bohannon said in a recent telephone interview.

"All of the treatments have been applied with varying degrees of success," he said. "But nobody had ever developed a complete dentistry plan where all the preventive procedures would be combined to see what the cumulative effect would be."

The initial examinations of the children were completed recently, said Bohannon, and the actual preventive program is being implemented by American Fund for Dental Health staff.

Third, fourth, sixth, seventh and eighth graders also were examined to provide a cross-section of the general dental health in the communities. Their records will be compared to the progress of the children participating in the program at the end of the three-year period, said Bohannon.

Beside changing insurance coverage of dental care, any national health insurance program also might be interested in testing the concept that money is better spent on preventing the disease than treating it after it occurs, he said.

Each geographical section of the nation is represented in the project by two communities. Half the communities have flourished water supplies. Participating communities include Billerica, Mass.; a single school district in New York City; Minneapolis; Wichita, Kan.; Tacoma, Wash.; Hayward, Calif.; El Paso, Texas; Monroe, La.; Tallahassee, Fla. and Chattanooga, Tenn. In addition to clinical prevention techniques, the program has provided each teacher with an educational package designed to instruct the children on proper dental hygiene. Teachers also supervise in-class brushing and rinsing.

Area rugs make sense
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When my father sets a rule and does not enforce it, it's just like breaking a promise. If the girl's mom thought POP's rule was too harsh when he made it, she should have spoken up at the time. I agree, a year is too long, but once POP made the rule he should have stuck with it.

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His daughter was lucky. Do you know how many thousands of people die in accidents caused by incompetent teen-age drivers? Losing driving privileges for a year is not too severe a penalty.

Rather than complain about the severity of the punishment, the daughter should thank God for a father who cares enough about her to make rules and stick with them. There should be more parents like POP!

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If they start taking her everywhere they go, they will have her on their hands every move they make, and she will be primed and ready to go every time they are.

It is much easier not to start it than to try to break it off when it gets out of hand. I know. I've been in the widow's shoes and the neighbor's, too.

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AGE AFFECTS MARRIAGE
COLLEGE STATION — Age represents a key factor in marital satisfaction and happiness, says Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Couples who marry later in life, in their mid-to-late-twenties, have more stable marriages than couples who marry in their early twenties or before, she explains.

Recent research indicates that: •religious males generally delay marriage and thus have greater satisfaction when they do marry.

•men who marry young are less satisfied with their standard of living and experience tension.

•for males and females, later marriage and satisfaction in marriage are related.

•females from low income backgrounds marry earlier and are less satisfied with their marriage.

•many women who marry young are unrealistic about their economic expectations in a marriage (they think it will be better than it is).

Several situations generally accompany early marriage and tend to account for the higher divorce rate in this age group, the specialist continues.

Open champagne with caution
Plastic stoppers on champagne bottles can be lethal weapons.

To open, cover with a towel and point the bottle away from others, cautions Carla Shearer, health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Questions may be sent to Dr. Robert Wallace, Copley News Service, in care of this newspaper. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.



Drives Carefully, Thanks to Parents

DEAR ABBY: This is in regard to the letter signed by POP, who warned his 16-year-old daughter that if she was arrested for a traffic violation or was involved in an accident that was her fault, he would take away her driving privileges for a year. The daughter complained about the severity of the penalty, and POP asked for your opinion.

Well, I am also 16, and when I became eligible for a driver's license, my parents gave me a similar warning. At first I thought they were wrong, but now I realize that they were right. I drive defensively, always watching out for the other guy, and I've yet to have an auto accident or get a parking ticket.

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She'll take jets over soap operas

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, Ill. (AP) — While neighbors watch soap operas on TV, Arlene Grewe pursues her hobby of following jetliners over her home and into O'Hare International Airport on her four air-band radios.

"Once I was very concerned when a plane had been rerouted by the way of Alaska and was just about out of fuel and was requesting a landing at O'Hare before going on," said Mrs. Grewe, 52, a mother of six. "The pilots also tell of their worries over flights of geese, a dog on the runway, and once even an empty oil drum that had blown on a runway."

"Let the other women have their soap operas, I'll take my air-bands," she said.

Every morning for the last eight years, Mrs. Grewe has raised an America flag on a pole outside her home to tell the wind direction and then settles down in her kitchen to monitor the chatter of commercial pilots and traffic controllers.

She says she's seen and heard so many jets pass over her home that she now can tell the type of craft just by the sound of its engines.

"I have 500 different flights logged and follow them in on my air-bands," she said. "I know when they are late — and I get concerned — and when they are on time."

"When they come in on their approach pattern in the range of 2,500 to 4,000 feet high, I run outside and watch them," she said. "I also can see them through my kitchen window."

"The wind direction tells me what runways are being used for landing or takeoff. The various air-bands give me different frequencies and ranges to pick up the flights, far out and in close."

Pilots know of Mrs. Grewe, mainly through her church friend, Joe Weatherby, a United Air Lines pilot. He's spread the word.

"Sometimes when Joe is within radio range, he comes on with 'Top of the day to you, Mrs. Grewe.' I've even been given a certificate of 'Honorary Air Traffic Controller' from O'Hare," she said. "My kids, and husband, have taken my hobby in stride. They just say, 'Mom is chasing jets again.'"

Mrs. Grewe said that as a girl she used to go to the North Western railroad station in Evanston to wave at train engineers.

"And before World War II, I used to watch bombers land at the old Curtiss Field (Glenview Naval Air Base) and I learned just about every kind of plane there was," she said. "I guess in those days I started. I'd certainly get a thrill if the Concorde is permitted to land at O'Hare."

Mrs. Grewe said, "I'd love to be able to talk to the pilots as well as receive, but that would be too much confusion. I've only made two trips by plane — to New York and back and to Clinton, Iowa. I rode in a DC-10 from New York and when it landed I was invited into the cockpit. It was fantastic. That's probably my biggest thrill."

"Everyone seems to kick about jet noise around their homes, but its music to my ears and I love them," said Mrs. Grewe.



KEEPING THEM CLEAN — 8-year-old Robin Kanthal of Freehold, N.J. uses mirror to demonstrate how she was taught to brush her teeth correctly. About 25,000 children in 10 American cities in a national demonstration project found that it may be much cheaper to prevent the cavity than to fill it.

'Medley of Meats' is the tune Runnels Band plays this week

The Runnels Junior High Band is following up their last year's "Kitchen Auditions Cookbook" with this year's "Medley of Meats", designed to keep cooks in tempo with the biggest hits in meat recipes.

The band's three-day sale of "Medley of Meats Cookbook" takes place March 7-9. The price is three dollars and it may be purchased from any one of the sixth Runnels Band members.

The sale is the band's way of encouraging patrons to continue contributing to local music groups as enthusiasm and generous support are two crucial elements necessary for continued interest in the activities of these young people.

The cookbook will be a colorful addition to any cook's library. If you know someone who often asks,

"May I have your recipe?", offer her this opportunity to buy the edition for her own collection.

In addition to proceeds benefiting the band, band members will be eligible for team cash prizes. The ten team captains are Kama Minchew, Kelli Bearden, Brinton Ryan, Darleen Thomas, Arne Aamodt, Ann Mullen, Greg Franklin, Ralph Mendez, Elise Wheat and Raymond Delator.

Here are some samples of recipes featured in the book:

CHARCOALED TERIYAKI STEAK
1-2 pound flank steak
1/2 cup sugar
1 teaspoon sesame seed
dash of salt
1/2 cup soy sauce
1 teaspoon vinegar
1 teaspoon ginger
2 cloves of garlic, crushed
Trim steak, removing all fibers. Cut steak crosswise in

medium-thick slices. Mix sugar, sesame seed, salt, soy sauce, vinegar, ginger and garlic to make marinade. Place steak in marinade and let sit for at least two hours. Drain steak and grill over hot coals to desired doneness. Serve on toasted buns. Yield: 8 servings.

CREAMED CHICKEN AND BEEF OVER BAKED POTATOES
4 Idaho potatoes
3 tablespoons butter or margarine
1/2 cup finely chopped onion
2 tablespoons chopped celery
1-2 1/2 ounce jar sliced dried beef
3 tablespoons flour
2 cups milk
1/4 teaspoon dried leaf thyme
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

1/2 cup diced cooked chicken
Scrub potatoes, dry and prick with fork. Bake in 425 degree oven for 55 to 60 minutes until tender. Melt butter in medium saucepan. Add celery, onion and dried beef. Cook until vegetables are tender. Blend in flour. Stir in milk, thyme, pepper, lemon juice and Worcestershire sauce. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until sauce comes to a boil and thickens. Stir in chicken. Remove potatoes from oven when done and cut an X in tops with a fork. Push potatoes up with slight pressure of fingers on the side of each. Yield: 4 servings.

By ROBERT WALLACE, Ed.D. Copley News Service

What can I do?
Sylvia, Anaheim, Calif.

Dear Sylvia,
Quitting band and staying home all the time will not solve your problem with mother. In fact it would make you more miserable than you are now with her.

As long as mother allows you to be active in school and church and have close friends which results in your happy life away from home, don't be discouraged. Be pleasant at home and don't argue with mother. Remember, it takes two to argue — and if you don't...

Try to win over mother with kindness, consideration and lots of love. If you really give this a try and it doesn't help, seek outside help from the clergy of your church.

I have a super high IQ and get excellent grades in high school. Both of my parents are attorneys and have big plans for my college education (I'm 17 and a senior).

The only problem is that I don't want to go to college; I want to be an auto mechanic. I'm working part-time now at an auto tune-up shop and I really dig it.

My parents think it is terrible and get upset when I tell them I don't want to go to college. Please tell me how you feel about this.

Terry, Sacramento, Calif.
Dear Terry,
If I were your father, I

would encourage you to be the best auto mechanic possible.

Just because you choose not to attend college now, doesn't mean you won't later. College should be for those who want to attend not those who have to attend.

In fact, there are those that say a good auto mechanic might be more important in our society than a good lawyer.

Dear Doctor,
I have been told that jogging is an excellent way to lose weight. How long would it take me to lose this weight? How far would I have to jog each day?
Nancy, St. Louis, MD

Dear Nancy,
Jogging is not meant to lose weight. Jogging one mile will burn up 100 calories. Remember, one piece of chocolate cake contains about 500 calories. Don't use jogging as an excuse for overeating — it just doesn't work that way.

If you are trying to lose weight, combine jogging with a sensible diet. What jogging does is firm up muscles and slim your waistline.
If you are going to jog, start out slowly.

Questions may be sent to Dr. Robert Wallace, Copley News Service, in care of this newspaper. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.



TITLE CONTENDERS — Tammy Worthan, right, was the first to enter this year's Miss Diamondback Pageant which takes place March 14 at the Brass Nail, preceding the annual Jaycee-sponsored Rattlesnake Roundup March 17-19. Miss Worthan is 17 and a senior at Big Spring High School. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Worthan and her sponsor is Bob Brock Ford. The other young lady is Tami Washburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Washburn, age 17 and a student at Coahoma High School. She's being sponsored by Mort Denton Pharmacy. According to Mrs. Wayne Pierce, chairman, it's not too late to join Miss Worthan and Miss Washburn to compete for the title of Miss Diamondback. Mrs. Neal Roberts, 267-5654, will accept entrants through March 11.

Carter country opposed to ERA

ATLANTA (AP) — Despite President Carter's support of the proposed Equal Rights Amendment to the Constitution, the measure is doing poorly in Carter country. And legislative opposition to the ERA may cost Southern states millions of dollars, officials say.

In Carter's home state, Rick Myers of the Atlanta Visitors Bureau has estimated that the city may lose about \$10 million over the next four years from groups that boycott Atlanta because Georgia has not endorsed the ERA.

The proposed amendment to ban sex discrimination has been ratified in 35 states but needs approval from three more before March 22, 1979, to become part of the Constitution.

Tennessee, the only Southeastern state to ratify the amendment, has since voted to rescind approval. Two other states, Idaho and Nebraska, have voted to rescind. There is some question about the validity of those decisions.

In Georgia, the ERA was defeated in the House in 1974, died in the Senate in 1975 and never cleared a Senate committee in 1977 and 1978.

Alabama and South Carolina legislatures defeated the ERA this year. In Mississippi and North Carolina, it was given little attention, and in Florida and Louisiana, where 1978 legislative sessions are upcoming, the amendment is given little chance of passage.

Many opponents in state legislatures in the Southeast say they are concerned about the second paragraph of the three-paragraph amendment which says Congress "shall have the power to enforce by appropriate legislation the provisions of this article."

Some state lawmakers argue that the provision would give the federal government too much enforcement power.

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Special diets program topic

A film on special diets was presented by Janet Rogers, CEA, at the March 2 meeting of the Elbow Home Demonstration Club which was held in the home of Nell Parker.

Diets were given for heart disease, diabetes, low sodium and ulcers. According to Mrs. Rogers, even special diets should be based around the four food groups and balanced accordingly.

Never prescribe a special diet for yourself, she warned the club. Depend on doctors or dietitians for special diet instructions and then plan meals that follow doctor's orders.

Plans were made to have a speaker on multiple sclerosis, the date to be announced later.

The club will be hostess to the Home Demonstration Council April 3.

Members were urged to attend the District THDA meeting which convenes at Fort Stockton April 6.

In addition to Mrs. Rogers, Gertrude Nunnelee from Tulsa, Okla. was a visitor to the club. Manzanita Evans won the door prize.

The next meeting will be a luncheon at Forsan Baptist Church on March 16 with Deanne Riffe serving as hostess. The program will be a book review given by Ruth Morton.

Group enjoys potluck meal

Suzanne Haney's home was the meeting place for the Mu Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi when they gathered for a potluck supper Feb. 27.

Betty Bruner and Sandra Haney presented a double program on the famous dancer Isadora Duncan.

Plans were made for a St. Patrick's supper and scavenger hunt on March 11.

AARP plans fun meeting

The American Association of Retired Persons will meet at 10 a.m., March 7, at the Kentwood Older Adult Center, for their monthly meeting.

The business portion will be conducted by M.B. Ireland, president, after which a program on "Wealth" will be presented by city attorney James Gregg. A question and answer period will follow.

Members will then enjoy a covered dish luncheon and table games. All members are urged to attend and bring a friend.

Lawson talks on success

The Big Spring Chapter of the Business and Professional Women's Club met Feb. 28 at Coker's Restaurant for their monthly dinner meeting.

President Edith Gay called the meeting to order and made a few announcements before dinner was served.

After dinner, "Personal Development" program chairperson Helen Cobean introduced the guest speaker, Ed Lawson, President of the First National Bank of Stanton, who presented a program on "Personal Development".

Lawson gave a short, inspirational speech on "Success" elaborating on five main points: (1) self-

appraisal; (2) self-improvement; (3) awareness of the needs of others; (4) motivation; and (5) faith.

Table decorations were spring flowers and yellow tapers provided by Mrs. Cobean and her committee, Smitty McGowan and Myrtle Smith.

The next dinner meeting will be held March 28 at Coker's and will feature as its theme "The Young Careerist". Program chairperson will be Ivah Lou Parker and her committee will be Louise Nichols and Margaret Ray. A special guest, Pat Taylor, District Director of the Business and Professional Women's Club of Texas, of Snyder will attend.

Essay theme is announced

The Big Spring Credit Women International met at the Settles Hotel March 2, at which time it was announced that the annual essay contest for students in Home and Family Living classes at the high school is "America is Credit". Contest winners will be announced during Consumer Credit Week in April.

Mary Jones at the credit bureau led a discussion on credit grantors, credit bureaus and the Equal Credit Opportunity Act. She stated that the Equal Credit Opportunity Act is one of the most significant consumer credit protection laws enacted in this decade.

Crisis, stress are explained

The Centerpoint Home Demonstration Club met at the Kentwood Center at 2 p.m., Feb. 28.

The roll call theme, "How to Refinish Furniture", was answered by 18 members. The thought for the day was "Smiles and Friendliness."

Irene Smith gave the devotion, after which a program was presented by Mrs. Bob Wren on "The Five C's of Crisis." The five C's that characterize effective dealing with crisis, she said, is critique with crisis, contend with it, communicate one's feelings, cope with the crisis rather than cop out on it, and conquer the problem, using it as a stepping stone to a better life.

She told members that crisis is instantaneous and usually works itself out in one to six weeks.

She then spoke to members about stress, stating that each person has a personal indicator of tension. On the stress indicator, she said, death is the greatest stress-causer with divorce running a close second. A minor violation of the law is the lowest stress-causer.

Members were urged to save cancelled stamps to be turned in to the Home Demonstration Council and redeemed through the Food Club Plan for the needy overseas. The Food Club Plan is a swap method sponsored by the overseas division of the Salvation Army.

A T.H.D.A. donation of the one dollar per member was sent to the county treasurer of the council and the club's points, in compliance with the point system, were tallied up and sent to the district director. This was a scoring of 1977 activities which encompassed new members, visitors, 4-H programs, and T.H.D.A. annual projects.

A style show, sponsored by the Creative Homemakers Club, will take place at 7:30 p.m., March 14, at the Kentwood Center.

Pamela Holcombe feted with shower

A bridal shower honoring Pamela Ruth Holcombe of Stanton, bride-elect of Donald Luce of Stanton was held at the home of Mrs. Delbert Dickenson, Stanton, recently.

The bride's chosen colors of burgundy and pink were carried out on the refreshment table and in the orchid corsages presented to the honoree and the couple's mothers and grandmothers.

Guests registered numbered 47 and included Mrs. Alvin Luce and Mrs. Donald Lay of Coahoma, Mrs. Tommy Morris and Jennifer of Othsbay, and others from Odessa, Midland, Big Spring, and Trent.

Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Wheeler, Mrs. Ronny Christian, Mrs. Lloyd Mims, Mrs. Gerald Hanson, Mrs. Benny Welch, Mrs. O.R. Glenn, Mrs. W.S. Decker Sr.,

Brother visits sister here

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Atchley of Broken Bow, Okla., are in town visiting in the home of Atchley's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Camp, 1707 Jennings. According to Mrs. Camp, the couple will remain in Big Spring for about a week.

Half of the free show will be a display of homemade articles modeled by members and guests.

Fannie Kent won the door prize and refreshments of green were served carrying out a St. Patrick's Day theme in both food and table decorations.

The next meeting will be at 2 p.m., March 14, at the Kentwood Center with Lucille Pelley and Mrs. Birrolli serving as hostesses. The program will be on new material and living ideas, presented by Mrs. Mackline.

Wick-watering instructed on

The Texas Star African Violet Club met the evening of March 2 at the home of Mrs. Pete Witte.

Mrs. A.C. Moore, president, conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Doris Guy reported that the Alliance of Clubs will have a membership tea April 9.

A program on wick-watering was presented by

Mrs. Reba Backer. Wick-watering is popular among African Violet growers, she told the club, as it has the advantage of giving the plant water at a consistent rate and thereby eliminating periods of dryness. It's advisable, she said, to occasionally wash out salts from wick watering by allowing clear water to run through the soil and out the bottom of the pot for a few minutes.

To wick a plant, she instructed, purchase some nylon twine that hardware

stores carry for fish net. Cotton is not suitable as it will rot immediately in wet soil. The twine should be the size of kite string or slightly larger and about eight inches long.

Insert the wick by reaching down through the soil with a crochet hook, catching the twine and drawing it through so that the upper end is at the top of the soil and the rest hanging through the draining hole.

The next step is to fill a container, such as a cottage cheese container, with water

mixed with fertilizer if desired. Cut a hole about the size of a nickel in the lid and run the wick through the hole and into the water, setting the plant on the container lid. The container will need to be refilled in one or two weeks, depending on its size.

Refreshments were served to the 11 members present, including new member Mrs. J.L. Woods.

The next meeting will be April 6 at the home of Mrs. C.Y. Clinkscales, 705 W. 18th.

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Regionals tough!

MISSION, Kan. (AP) — Loaded with such heavyweights as Kentucky, UCLA, Arkansas and Marquette, the Midwest and West regionals have emerged as the super powers of the 1978 NCAA basketball tournament.

Nine of the first 11 teams in The Associated Press Top Twenty landed in the Midwest and West. The East and Midwest regionals, in contrast, contain only five members of the Top Twenty.

"There is real strength in the Midwest and West regionals," conceded Wayne Duke, Big 10 commissioner and NCAA basketball committee chairman, in announcing the pairings and at-large berths for the 32-team tournament.

Defending champion Marquette, Southwest Conference co-champion Arkansas, Big Eight titlist Kansas and Metro State power Florida State were among the 11 at-large teams picked by the six-man committee, whose task this year, Duke said, was "the most difficult it has ever been."

Among the notables left out were No. 12 Texas, which tied Arkansas in the SWC; No. 13 Illinois State, No. 16 Detroit and No. 17 Georgetown.

The committee chose 11 at-large teams and five squads received automatic berths but were seeded as at-large entries.

The four at-large berths in the West Regional went to North Carolina, 23-7; Arkansas, 28-3; Kansas, 24-4, and Fullerton State, 21-8.

Marquette, 24-3; Syracuse, 22-5; Providence, 24-7, and Florida State, 23-5, were picked to fill out the Midwest Regional.

In the East Regional, the committee picked Indiana, 20-7; St. Bonaventure, 21-7; Rhode Island, 24-6, and LaSalle, 18-11.

At-large entries in the Midwest Region are DePaul, 25-2; Notre Dame, 19-6; Utah, 23-5, and St. John's, N.Y., 21-6.

The three Eastern College Athletic Conference regional champions — St. John's, Rhode Island and St. Bonaventure — were automatic qualifiers but seeded as at-large teams, as were Fullerton State, the Pacific Coast A.A. titlist, and LaSalle, the East Coast Conference champion.

Automatic qualifiers were seeded based on their conference's tournament record the past five years and at-large teams were seeded according to their won-lost records this season.



CUTTING DOWN THE NET — With outstanding player of the tournament Mike Schultz (foreground) helping,

the University of Houston Cougars cut down the net after a 92-90 win over the University of Texas Saturday night.

Celts recall days of yore

By the Associated Press

It was just like old times for the Boston Celtics.

Just a shell now of their one-time National Basketball Association dynasty, the Celtics copied a page from the past Sunday with a 112-94 drubbing of the New York Knicks.

And it wasn't really that close. The Celtics, in what may be a losing battle for a playoff spot, led 50-30 at halftime and 80-50 after three periods, letting Coach Tom Sanders rest some of his regulars.

John Havlicek, Boston's 37-year-old retiring star, became only the third player in NBA history to score 26,000 career points.

Elsewhere, the Los Angeles Lakers downed the Cleveland Cavaliers 128-117, the Portland Trail Blazers crushed the Milwaukee Bucks 126-88, the Philadelphia 76ers turned back the Phoenix Suns 104-92, the San Antonio Spurs edged the New Orleans Jazz 98-97, the Atlanta Hawks beat the Seattle Super-Sonics 101-94, the Washington Bullets trounced the Houston

Rockets 106-88, the Detroit Pistons whipped the Indiana Pacers 122-110, the Chicago Bulls nipped the Golden State Warriors 96-95 and the New Jersey Nets shaded the Buffalo Braves 109-103.

Lakers 128, Cavaliers 117 Kareem Abdul-Jabbar scored 26 points to lead Los Angeles to its 17th victory in the last 22 games. The triumph moved the Lakers ahead of Seattle into third place in the Pacific Division.

Trail Blazers 126, Bucks 88 Portland, playing without Bill Walton and Lloyd Neal, scored eight consecutive points to take a 16-11 lead and rolled from there. Maurice Lucas and Tom Owens led all scorers with 20 points each.

76ers 104, Suns 92 Doug Collins scored eight of his 20 points in the final period to help Philadelphia pull away.

Spurs 98, Jazz 97 Mike Gale scored only four points in 31 minutes — Larry Kenon had 28 and George Gervin 26.

Hawks 101, Super-Sonics 94 Five-foot-8 Charlie Criss scored six points and Tom

McMillen and Armond Hill added a basket apiece in a late 10-point run that pushed Atlanta to victory.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — It was a contrast of personalities but a mixture of styles. Jimmy Connors, the brash, banty 25-year-old left-hander, long the ruler of men's tennis, beat Tim Gullikson 7-6, 6-3 in the finals of the U.S. National Indoor Tennis Championships Sunday.

Connors, who banters with the crowd during the match and issues expletives after bad points, slouches in his chair at the changeovers.

Gullikson leans forward expectantly when sitting courtside at the changeover.

Gullikson, 26, the right-handed member of a set of tennis-playing twins, is a crowd-pleaser. His on-court utterances are limited to animal-like cries and compliments to his opponent like "Nice shot" and "You got it."

He grunts and screeches unintelligibly when he mis-hits.

McLendon wins!

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Mac McLendon has spent 12 long years on the pro golf tour and, in that time, he's heard lots of locker room conversations.

"I've heard players say they'd won and they really weren't playing well. Well, I just put that down as a lot of bologna."

"Now I know what they're talking about."

"I don't know when I've hit the ball worse," he said after closing rounds of 69-68 in Sunday's 36-hole wind-up had given him a 2-stroke victory in the Florida Citrus Open Golf Tournament, only his third tour title.

"Any player who wins is fortunate," he continued. "But I was really fortunate. Every time I got tied up in the trees I had an opening. I could advance the ball, even put it on the green."

And then there was the putting. The slender man from Birmingham, Ala., used only 111 strokes on the rain-softened greens for the week.

In essence, McLendon said, he changed from his old, open stance to a more conventional, upright position.

It produced a 271 total, a whopping 17 strokes under par. "I've never been more than 12 under par before," he said. "I'm more proud of these four rounds than any

golf I've played in my life. It's always been a stumbling block to me to shoot those real low scores. Now I know I can do it."

His victory, worth \$40,000 from the purse of \$200,000 and assuring him of spots in the Masters and Tournament of Champions, actually was more comfortable than the two strokes might indicate.

He started the double-round wind-up, necessitated after Friday's play was washed out, in a tie for the top with Australian David Graham.

McLendon established sole control after the morning round and wasn't headed again.

Tom Kite, Ben Crenshaw and Hale Irwin all made challenges but none could catch him. Graham, who took a 72 in the morning, came on late in the bright, sunny, chilly day with a late birdie-eagle-birdie-birdie burst to claim second with a closing 66 and a 273 total.

Kite and Crenshaw, former teammates at the University of Texas, tied for third at 274. Kite had closing rounds of 69-70 and Crenshaw 69-68. Irwin, a third-place finisher three times this year, was fifth this time at 275 after Sunday rounds of 69-68.

Arnold Palmer, who shared the first-round lead, finished 71-71 for 280. Lee Trevino had 73-70—279.

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Schoolboys make it close

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — When announcer Phil Ransopher asked the state tournament basketball crowd — "Isn't this something?" — he meant the tournament's new home, the Super Drum at the University of Texas.

After the championship games had been played, he might have added, "Wasn't that something?"

Fans, including the second largest crowd ever to watch a Texas high school basketball game, saw the closest five title contests in tournament history.

Four championships were decided by one point — two in the last second — and Huntsville led Mineral Wells only 48-47 with about a minute left before winning the Class 3A finals, 55-49.

Huntsville was joined in the champion ranks by Houston Wheatley in 4A, Whitehouse in 2A, Snook in A and Krum in B.

It was Wheatley's fifth title, a record in 4A, although Buna holds the tournament record with seven championships — in A and 2A.

It was Snook's fourth crown, which ties the Bluejays with two other teams for the most titles in its division. Snook won its other three titles in B.

Krum captured its second title by defeating Avinger, 69-68, on Keith Copp's free throw with one second remaining. Jamie Nix pulled the identical feat for Whitehouse, a tournament newcomer, with a last-second free throw to nip Dimmitt, 60-59.

Wheatley, tied 78-78 at the end of regulation play, edged San Antonio Fox Tech, 84-83, with six seconds remaining in overtime on two charity tosses by Gilbert Thomas.

The crowd of 12,500 that

saw the game was second only to the 13,000 who watched Wheatley and Houston Worthing play in Houston in 1973, according to record-keeper Bill McMurray of the Houston Chronicle.

B.J. Heil of Snook swished a free throw with 11 seconds left for a 63-62 victory over Coppell, which had squeezed past defending champion

Broadus by the same score in the semi-finals.

Starters Roosevelt McGruder and Antonio Melbeaux return for Wheatley next year, along with super sub Tracey Bookman, who led Wheatley scorers against Tech with 15 points.

Huntsville loses only

Royce Craft, a Rice football recruit, from its starting lineup, and Whitehouse returns three starters.

Twelve of Snook's 15-player squad have more eligibility, including sophomore Mike Juneke, who scored 29 points in the championship victory over Coppell.



CONNORS CAPTURES FOURTH — Jimmy Connors makes a two-handed return to Tim Gullikson Sunday in Memphis, Tenn. Connors won 7-6, 6-3 to take his fourth U.S. National Indoor Tennis championship and his fourth tournament this year.

Baylor mauls SMU on diamond

By the Associated Press

Shane Nolan's grand slam homer and Mike Johanson's school record three doubles led Baylor's 18-hit, 27-18 mauling of Southern Methodist on a Sunday afternoon that featured a full slate of Southwest Conference teams in baseball action.

Baylor's bully Bears unleashed six homers against the Ponies in a slugfest that saw the hometown come away with a three-game, two-day sweep and an early lead in the SWC race.

The Bears managed both ends of a doubleheader Saturday, 9-5 and 5-4.

Catcher Ken Kolkhorst knocked in eight runs Sunday and freshman reliever took over in the sixth for John Perlman, now 2-1, and fanned seven Mustang batters. Kyle Hollister, one of eight SMU hurlers used,

got the loss. The visiting Houston Cougars could have used some of Baylor's early-inning power as they had to rally in the seventh inning Sunday to steal the last half of a doubleheader from Texas A&M, 4-3.

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Docs save finger

SOUTHFIELD, Mich. (AP) — What should have been one of Scott Russell's biggest days as a high school basketball star turned into a nightmare when the boy tore a finger off his right hand when his ring got caught in the net during a pregame drill.

But thanks to some quick work by surgeons, Russell probably will not lose the finger — and his basketball future seems secure. Russell, Southfield High School's star center, caught

game as the Aggies punched across five runs and shut the Cougs out, 5-0. Junior south-paw Mack Thurmond, now 2-0, allowed on three hits in the opener. Thurmond got help from Gary Bryant's three-run homer in the fifth. John Shannon was the loser, 0-1.

In the second game, the

In Austin, Texas' shortstop Ronnie Gardenhire looked as if he was trying to manhandle happiness. Arkansas singlehanded, knocking in a school record 10 runs as the Razorbacks clobbered the Cougars, 18-3.

Gardenhire, 4-5 on the day, tallied a three-run double, a three-run homer and followed up with a grand slam. Arkansas' Rick Erwin, now 0-2, was the victim. Keith Creel got the victory. The Razorbacks swept a doubleheader 2-1 and 5-4 from the Horns Saturday.

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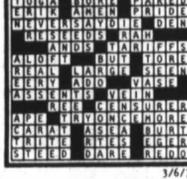
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FORECAST FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1978

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Adopt a new and improved attitude and set of circumstances of an unusual nature under which to operate in the days ahead. You are uncertain and unsure of yourself so make a point to carry through with decisions already concluded.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Make plans with friends early for socializing another day and then get to important work. Plan the future wisely, also. Get rid of any drawbacks you may have.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Get data you need directly from bigwigs and improve productivity. Put that unusual ability to work with the assistance of a good friend. Avoid one who is a genuine pest.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Study details of a new interest that will help fire your imagination and restore energies. Plan that trip early and consult with one who can also be helpful. Avoid insolent persons.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) First handle obligations to which you are committed and then take time to look into something new. Find a better way of pleasing loved one. Take no chances where credit is concerned.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Now is a good time to handle association matters. Later get into a new venture you started, get much done. Good day for a reconciliation with one who is important to your welfare.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Delving into some novel interest early is wise. Later get advice from an expert for best results. Take new treatments that can help to revitalize your system. Avoid long phone conversations.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Plan early some interesting recreational activity and then handle that vexing problem wisely. Put a unique ability you have to work and commercialize on it. Be joyful.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Do whatever will please kin before you dash out for fun with friends. You are highly inspired and can put over an important deal. Do something to improve health, also.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Talk over with closest ties where you are going, career-wise and financially and get good advice. Handle affairs wisely. Later have good family fun at home for best results.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Study into better ways to make your enterprises pay off better. Be sure to get your bills paid and avoid trouble. Out with congenials later for a good time.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Plan time to do those things you like the most and then get into the mundane that also must be handled. Improve looks at lower than usual cost. Be careful of dress.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Decide just how to proceed in the future and stick to a set course, and then start ball rolling in right direction. Eliminate anxieties and feel free. Relax.

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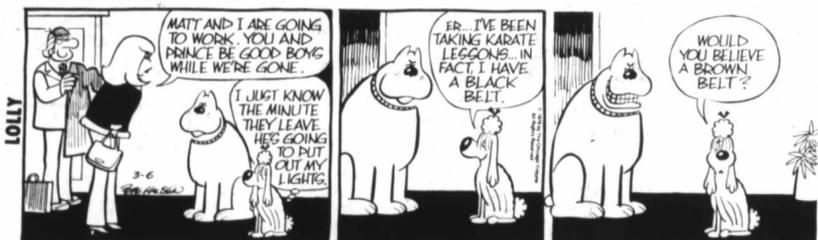
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Lemons praises Houston team

HOUSTON (AP) — Southwest Conference basketball followers have known most of the season that Houston had the best bench in the league and now Texas Coach Abe Lemons is ready to go one better.

"Hell, apparently they've got the best team, there's nobody left for them to beat is there," Lemons said Saturday night shortly after the Cougars had beat the regular season co-champions 92-90 in the finals of the SWC Basketball Tournament in the Summit.

Despite finishing third in the SWC regular season, the Cougars now advance to the first round of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) playoffs as the SWC representative at Tulsa, Okla.

"Men, I've got blood on my pants leg and I don't know where it came from," Houston Coach Guy Lewis said after his team had turned in its second thriller in as many nights. "It must have come from my heart at the end of the game."

Houston, which one night earlier had dispensed with fourth ranked Arkansas 70-69 in the tournament semifinals, did in fact battle its way through the tournament with the help of

superior depth. Senior center Mike Schultz was Mr. Inside and sophomore sharpshooter Ken Williams played Mr. Outside and the Off-the-Bench Gang was paced by Mark Trammell and George Walker.

"I thought we played hard but with their big guy on the inside and that little one outside shooting, it makes things a little difficult," Lemons said. "We just aren't physical enough to

play with some of these teams."

Texas, which drew a bye into the tournament finals, took the early lead but the Cougars took the lead in the first half shortly after Trammell bounced off the benches to hit two straight buckets that started the Cougars toward a 47-41 halftime lead.

"I didn't want this to be my last game," Trammell said. "Everyone was playing positive. Texas played hard,

were played hard, but it came up Houston."

In the second half, Texas' Jim Krivacs, only two of 12 in the first half, finally regained the form that made him the No. 2 scorer in the SWC. He finished with 25 points to lead all scorers and Ron Baxter hit 24 more.

Moore then sank two free throws that narrowed it to the final margin but that's where the Longhorns' season ended.

Records on ice at meet

LAREDO, Texas (AP) — Chilly temperatures and sometimes brisk winds preserved most records in the 46th annual Border Olympics—the season's first major outdoor track and field meet.

Not a single record was broken in the university division, which saw Rice edge out Texas A&M in the final competition Saturday night. Two college division records fell—in the mile and in the pole vault.

Rice's overall strength enabled the Owls to outpace the Texas A&M even though the Aggies claimed first place finishes in six events.

The university division Border Olympics team title was Rice's first here since winning consecutive meets in 1971 and 1972.

Rice trackmen won three first places—the 880-yard run, the 220-yard run and the long jump. Curtis Isaiah, who won the long jump, was the top point man for the Owls with 22.

The Aggies won the 400-yard relay, the mile relay, the 440-yard run, the 100-yard run, the high hurdles and the discus.

Mike Mosley, the Aggies' 19-year-old freshman who quarterbacked the football

team at the end of last season, was voted the outstanding athlete of the meet. He won the high hurdles, was second in the long jump, fourth in the 100-yard run and led off the 440-relay team. Mosley gathered 24½ points for his team.

Rice finished with 120 points to edge A&M, which had 116. Baylor followed with 101. Then came Texas 47, Lamar 43, Southern Methodist 31, Texas Tech 15, North Texas 14 and Texas Christian 8.

Texas was hampered by the absence of Olympic sprinter Johnny "Lam" Jones, who is still nursing a football injury.



PUNCH COUNTER PUNCH — Pipino Cuevas, right, of Mexico City ze roes in at the challenger Harold Weston of New York during 9th round fight action in Los Angeles

Saturday Cuevas broke Weston's jaw in the 9th round retaining his World Boxing Association welterweight title.

NIT chooses the leftovers

NEW YORK (AP) — After the NCAA picked the "best," the NIT got the rest. But, actually, it wasn't so bad with such teams as

Texas, Illinois State, Detroit and Georgetown among the crowd in the nation's oldest post-season basketball tournament.

Those four nationally-ranked teams were among 16 picked Sunday by the NIT selection committee in probably one of the strongest and undoubtedly one of the most intriguing fields in recent years.

Making their picks just hours after the NCAA completed the field for its playoffs, the NIT selectors grabbed an armful of successful teams — many of whom saw daylight in the Top Twenty at one time or other this season.

The worst record in the field belongs to South Carolina, at 16-11. But supporters point out that the Gamecocks, as a representative southern independent, play one of the toughest schedules in the country and in fact finished the regular season with a flourish.

There is speculation, of course, that South Carolina was a sentimental choice because of Coach Frank McGuire. This is the last season for the venerable coach, who has carried on a love affair with this city despite his defection to the South many years ago.

Also included in the field of the 41st NIT are Utah State, Nebraska, Temple, Virginia, Fairleigh, Dayton, Army, Rutgers, Indiana State, Virginia Commonwealth and

North Carolina State. Although there were no snubs of the NIT this time, as there had been in the past, there was dissatisfaction expressed by some of the participants.

Detroit Athletic Director Dick Vitale, for one, indicated some unhappiness at being passed over by the NCAA

tournament committee. "I'm just very disappointed," said Vitale. "I'd be a liar if I told you differently."

Detroit Coach Dave Gaines, similarly hoping for an NCAA bid, expressed some fear that his players might be affected by a let-down.

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Hole-in-one!

Mike Weaver scored a hole-in-one on the 160 yard, No. 13 hole at the Big Spring Country Club over the weekend.

Weaver used a five iron to score his first hole-in-one while playing with a foursome that included Mike Hall, Pat Weaver and Ted Griffin.

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 Need a home for your horses? Beautiful barn with 8 stalls — feed room and tack room on fenced acreage.

1314 Mt. Vernon
 Home in Washington School District. 3 bedroom, living room, dining area, den with 1 1/2 bath.

1402 Mesa
 Need an investment? Small home — living area with 3 bedroom, 1 bath.

3209 Auburn
 Don't rent for ever! Take advantage of this home. Living room, kitchen and dining area, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath in the Moss School District.

709 Johnson
 Cozy fireplace in this roomy, older brick home. Living room, dining room, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, utility room.

FHA-HUD Houses
 3619 Hamilton: \$17,750 — \$550 down
 4208 Muir: \$17,250 — \$550 down
 1507 N. Monticello: \$11,400 — \$350 down
 1402 Mesquite: \$9,450 — \$300 down
 1408 Bluebird: \$9,400 — \$300 down

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1. Just reduced rents — 3 units — app. 1 acre — all yours for tax shelter — total price \$9,750 — Hurry!
2. Build yourself a business — on these 3 choice com. lots — \$3,500 for inside lots. Level and ready for construction.
3. Brand new home — with 3 1/2 — double carport — ref. air, fireplace, Mid 40's, Coahoma schools — and quiet of country living.
4. Cute as a bug — won't last — Only \$17,000 for this 3 1/2 with carpeted den, owner will paint outside.
5. Sand Springs — Lots of room for the money — 3 1/2 den-walk-in closets throughout good carpet, sep. den — garage — double drive.
6. Answer to large family — needs 2 bedrooms — 2 1/2 baths — den — laundry room — double gar. — ref. air — custom drapes.
7. Move — this 2 story house and restore it to your taste — over 2400 sq. ft. — total price \$8,000.
8. New on market — Large rooms — ref. air — lots of yard — only \$18,500.
9. Prestige lot — app. 1/2 acre — with playground and bath — scenic location.
10. The charm of Washington — this 2 house estate in this home. Three bedrooms, 2 full baths, huge den, sep. L.R. Large kitchen, sep. din. rm. Beautiful yard. See this soon. Priced in 30's.
11. Beginner's bargain — 2 bedrm. carpeted, heat and air, tile floor. Basement. Priced right at only \$11,000.
12. Nature has provided a lovely location for this 3 bedrm. brick on 10 acres. Lots of trees and plenty of water. North of City — Priced in 30's.
13. Guest house convenience — this 2 house deal in Forsan school district. Main house has 3 bedrooms, ref. air, den, sep. L.R. also includes small 3 room house.
14. Pick a winner — in this immaculate brick home in College Park. 3 bedrm. den, sep. L.R. Pretty shag carpet. Only \$30,000.
15. The convenience of town, the quiet of country — in Coahoma School District. Darling 3 bedrm, 2 bath, den, L.R., ref. air, 2 garage, bit in kitchen. Pretty yard. Low 30's.
16. Choice location in Parkhill — 3 bedrm, 2 bath, completely remodeled kitchen, large den, sep. L.R. new ref. air. Priced in the 30's.
17. Beautiful location on 4 acres — 3 bedrm, brick home, 2 baths plus sep. cottage. Lots of trees and 2 water wells. Priced in the 40's.
18. A very livable home in Washington area — 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, ref. air, cent. heat. Low 30's.
19. Elegant home near college — over 2,000 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, 3 baths. Home is in excellent condition with beautiful yard.
20. Now in construction in Highland South in this 3 bedrm, 2 bath, large living area, fric. ref. air, double pane windows, extra insulation, many, many extras.
21. Immaculate — 2 bedrm. home in good location. Beautiful custom built cabinets, shag carpet, perfect home for couple or small family. Priced in teens.
22. For under 30,000 — you could own this adorable, 3 bedrm. brick, on Morrison Street. Pretty carpet and nice fenced yard.
23. Cozy cottage — 2 bedrm. home for only \$10,000. Carpeted and large rooms. Why pay rent when you could have your own!
24. Good investment on Val Verde — building site.
25. A home that says "come in" — located in East Big Spring. 3 1/2 bedrm. den, double carport, corner lot, country kitchen. DW. Only \$34,000.
26. Let's make a deal — on this 2 bedrm. home on corner lot, double carport, water well, kitchen appliances included in deal. Low teens.
27. All dressed up — Completely remodeled older home. 3 bedrooms, carpeted, completely furnished. All for only \$11,000.
28. A world of living can be done — on this 3 acres on Snyder Hwy. includes 3 bedrooms, with ref. air, cent. heat, carpet. Under \$20,000.
29. Mini-ranch — 20.82 acres located South of town. 2 well, set up for mobile home or great building site. Low "quity" & assume loan & take up a \$4,000. of \$100.00 per month \$9,000.00
30. This is the one for you. Two bedroom home with den, sep. L.R., carport & la qe fenced yard — All for \$12,000.00
31. Warm & inviting! A lovely spacious home, beautifully decorated with custom carpet, 1 1/2 brick well in liv. room. Huge den with w-c, turning fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, utility room, bit in kit, double garage, patio w/ brick bar-b-que.
32. The big family is needed for this home — over 1800 sq. ft. for only \$12,000.00 — 4 bedrooms, close to schools — see to appreciate.
33. Warehouse 8100 sq. ft. Office 2 warehouses detached garage, large living & dining rooms step to sunny garden room. Brick patio. Twenties.
34. Gregg St. Commercial — Established business in choice business area. 7 houses included — entrance from 2 streets — Own your own business, see this today!
35. Garden room a very charming brick home with 2 bedrooms large detached garage, large living & dining rooms step to sunny garden room. Brick patio. Twenties.
36. Light & bright floor length windows in liv. area overlooks patio & beautifully landscaped yard w/ tile fence. Bright colors accent kitchen & bath, pretty new earthtone carpet throughout this 3 bedroom brick & owner will consider VA or FHA Twenties.
37. Just right brick home in Wagon Addition with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, attached garage. The quiet neighborhood is "just right" for families. Low Twenties.
38. Under construction in Highland South — Luxury home with breath-taking view. Over 2,000 sq. ft. Large den with fric. sep. L.R., office 2 full baths, 3 bedrm.

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SPRING CITY REALTY 263-1005
 JIMMIE DEAN, MGR. 263-6402
REDUCED 110,750 — owner will carry note for 10 yrs.
 KENTWOOD h. SOLD, 2 br., 1 1/2 bath, liv. — Livy patio. You must see this one, \$27,000.
 FHA & HUD houses available. Contact us for latest list. Home for sale — all live acres sold, a few 1 acre tracts left to go. Call us on these.
 1/2 ACRE lot in Coahoma w/lookups & on sewer \$2,750.
 You need to sell! We need your listing! Let's get together. Need licensed salespeople. **NEED LISTINGS**

McDONALD REALTY BIG SPRING GOLDEN REALTY
 611 RUNDEN HOME 263-7615 263-4823

HOUSE IS HERE — owner is needing his money to buy a new home. With employer's assistance, owner can sell this home for \$16,500. 3 br 1 bath, brick, central heat, fenced yard. Similar homes in same block have recently sold for \$18,900. This is a bargain we believe. Just listed.

NEAT NEAT NEAT NEAT Such a nice home — 2 bedrm, den, 1 bath, new carpet, aluminum siding — near VA hospital shopping. This home has a warm, comfortable, inviting personality. New on market, \$16,500.

\$44,000 Executive home in one of Big Spring's very best neighborhoods. Near Howard College. Large spacious den, fireplace, formal liv. rm, separate dining rm, 3 br, 2 bath, oversized dbl garage. \$8,950.00 2 bedrm 1 bath, central heat plus 1 br cottage in rear (cottage now rented for \$90. per month). Combined square feet over 1200 at under \$8.00 per ft.

COMMERCIAL AND ACREAGE (1) 20 acre tract — FM 700 frontage, \$850 per acre. (2) 1 acre country site near Big Spring, Waco \$2,650. (3) Office Bldg. — Lamesa Hwy \$20's. (4) Lot — IS 20 — \$12,000.

WHAT COULD YOU DO with a large duplex? — divide your housing costs in half — & still have a fine, large 2 bedrm 1 bath place to live in a desirable, convenient hood. Double garage \$16,000.

\$12,500 2 bedrms — large bedrooms — quiet area near Safeway shopping & college. Fenced yard, ducted air, fenced yard, garage. A handy place to live & a neighborhood you'll enjoy.

\$24,000 Brick, 3 br 1 1/2 bath, carpet, fenced yard, new paint on quiet street in south east Big Spring. No down VA or \$450 down FHA, plus closing costs. You'll like this one.

Peggy Marshall 267-6765
 Ellen Ezzell 267-7685
 Juanita Conway 267-2244
 Gordon Myrick 263-8834

Mac McCarty 263-4455
 Leo Long 263-3214
 Jim Starville 263-0386
 Dean Johnson 263-1937

COOK & TALBOT CALL 267-2529
 1900 SCURRY
THELMA MONTGOMERY 267-8754

BEST REALTY 1108 Lancaster 263-2593

1815.00 3 bedrm, liv. kit w/din rm, small apt in rear, fenced carport w/ fric.

REDUCED: \$11,500. Extra lg 2 bedrm, liv. din. rm, bit in dishwasher, good lot.

\$11,800: 2 bedrm, cent heat, lg storm cellar.

\$20,000: or \$12,000 equity for Val. Super clean 3 bedrm, 2 bath. Cent. heat, ref. air.

\$13,800: Retirement home. Neat 2 bedrm w/ garage, storm cellar, fenced yard.

\$5,000: Lg 2 bedrm w/din rm. Perfect for rental.

NEED A GOOD location for a mobile home and garden space. I have 1/2 acre off Midway Road, just \$10,000.

150 FOOT business lot at 411 Nolan — \$12,000.

From Homes to Campers and Travel Trailers, Check The Big Spring Herald Classified Ads.

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SAVE, SAVE — on utility & house wk & have double time for your hobbies!!! Enjoy a lge chrmg red brk all insul — walls & ceiling. Home comp-crdpt, 2 air bits, 3 bds (mstr 24'x1) are seldom found in a \$28,000 home. The best no-wax cong., in red brk pattern in kid-ding. Lge gar, fncd yd... recessed at bk for extra priv... boats, trucks, etc.

UPSTAIRS, DOWNSTAIRS It's all the same, spac-rms: 2 1/2 bths. Hdly kit-den. Crptd, some drapes. Ref-air, C-heat. 3-car garage. Dr. Trees-trees but still no yd-wk on spac grounds. Could never rebuild for asking price.

BONANZA IN & OUT !!! "Great family brk tucked away in the Trees" Enjoy your oversized furn & antiques. Den-game rm. rty. elec-ht. pantry. Ding area w/ shade patio fncd. Long solid dr. 3-car gar. water well beautifies the livy grounds & garden spot. Under \$50,000.

OLDER HOME in need of repairs but could make it a livable, rmy home just bits of Galad Jr. Hi. 3 bds 1 huge bath. Nice bdy wkable kit lge bar divides dining area. Cits, cits, 2-car gar. Wk shop & bench. Water well, lots 105x145. Livy view of Highd St. Asking \$15,500. Make offer.

BUY OF THE YR!!! 150x150 corn lot... 30x40 steel & blk bldg... Conv-lv-qt. at 11000.00. Cash. C by appl.

COMM LOT, BLKS of Gibsons... 100x140 pvd corn gives abndnc of pking. Owner financing \$40,000.

HOME & INCOME on corn lot. 3-rm, bth dble gar apt... 3-bdrm house in good cond. Close in & only \$8,000.

SAVE SR & JR HI 4-lge rms, lge kit, D-washer, bit-in oven-range. Need repairs? but it could be just what you are looking for???

COUNTRY SPACE in city limits... Lge 3-bds, 2-nice rmy bths. Sep-ding rm. Bar & bit area in kit. Hwde floors crptd. Recessed utility area, prty. Sealed rmy gar. 2 1/2 w/ space... stg rms 27' x 12'-pane... Under \$30's.

PEACE & QUIET at this lge 4-rm brk... 2-full bths. Here's a kit for your Harvest table sep-ding rm. bit. Camp-grad like new... A livy view of Rolling hills and lights of B. Spring... \$30's.

NICE OLDER HOME near Sch!!! Nice fncd cor-lot. 2-bds 2-hub bths... Huge kit w/attr cabinets. Ref-air & C-heat... Clean, Neat & rmy. You will enjoy for a livable home or good invest.

LIV-HALL IN NEW All crptd, 3-bd, 1 1/2 bths. Nice kit-ding area. Plenty cits. Gar, patio... White brk trim... \$16,700 liv. avail... Den pmt. + cing. \$17,200 liv. avail.

NEAT, CLEAN All crptd, 3-bd, 1 1/2 bths. Nice kit-ding area. Plenty cits. Gar, patio... White brk trim... \$16,700 liv. avail... Den pmt. + cing. \$17,200 liv. avail.

ALL BRK, COMP All crptd, bit-in oven-range. 3-bds ceramic bth. It's all brk & its all crptd. West front for a shady bk-yd its fncd. 8 1/2% int. avail.

Castle Realtors 1600 Vines 263-4400
 Wally & Cliffa Slate 263-2068

LIVE IN KENTWOOD For only \$24,500. 3 Br. 1 1/2 Bath Break-fast Nook & Utility Rm in garage. Nice brick-white trim. \$24,500

LOTS, LOTS, LOTS 150x150 Corn Lot, 30x40 Steel & Blk Bldg, 4th & Donley.

COTTAGE FOR \$9,400 2 Br 1 Bath, Carpeted Nice & Clean. Ideal for retired person or young couple.

BRAND NEW, BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED, 3 Br, 1 1/2 Bath. Coahoma District. Beautiful kitchen.

BEAUTIFUL KITCHEN 2 Br 1 Bath, Carpeted w- nice trees and garden space in back.

3 BEDROOM BEAUTY ON DIXON Carpeted. Very nice home Cen heat. Evap Air.

WASHINGTON PLACE AREA 3 Lge Br-1 1/2 Baths. Carpeted with a nice den. Ref air. Make this beauty your home.

ACROSS STREET FROM COLLEGE HEIGHTS Painted throughout, Lng Bedrooms 2 Br-1 Bath, Lng Dining Room Fireplace in Liv Rm.

CLOSE TO MARCY SCHOOL Nice 3 Br-1 1/2 Bath Carpeted. Has a garage Only \$14,500.

LUXURY HOME Nice pool, 4 Br-2 Bath Den w/ fireplace. Undergound sprinkler sys. Lots of cement work.

SILVER HEELS Nice place to keep horses w- barn. Red Brick Home is real buy.

171 ACRE FARM: Some in pasture, some in cult., 4 wells, 3 stock tanks, 3 Br carpeted home with bit kit & paneled. Barn & corrals. 10 M. from town. Forsan Schools.

SHAFFER 2000 Birdwell 263-8251
 REALTOR
 FHA HOMES: 3 BDRM, 1 Bth, Gd Loc on Tucson. \$14,800. \$450 Down.
 3 BDRM, \$9,850. \$300 Down.
 2 STORY — 2 1/2 Bth, Dbl Gar. Ref Air Choice Location. \$33,900.
 3 1/2 MOBILE — 3 bdrms, Gd Well, 5 Acres, Net Wire Fenced, \$17,900.
 DUPLEX — Furnished, Across fm H- Sch. Owner carry note to gd party, \$9,230 or make offer.
 80 ACRES — Water Well, Tank, Roof polished. Reduced to \$200. A.
 ACREAGE — Have 6, 14 1/2 and 17 Acre Tracts close in.
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 CLIFF TEAGUE 263-0792
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AREA ONE REALTY 267-8296 1512 Scurry 267-1032

WE ARE MATCH MAKERS

\$103,000	COUNTRY CREAM 4 bedrm, 2 1/2 bath brk, on 20 acres 3331 sq. ft. under roof. All bit ins in bright, cheery kitchen. Cathedral ceilings. Everything in tip-top cond. 3 water wells, operation. Orchard w/ producing plum, peach and pecan trees. Total elec.	Silver Heels
\$68,900	SPACIOUS home and in excellent condition w/ new cpl. ref. air and cen. heat. Nice drapes. 2364 sq. ft. in 4 bedrm, 3 1/2 bath, livy frnt. in 27x16 den on 1/2 acre. Completely tile fenced. Good water. Triple carport. 2 stg. Bldgs.	2514 E. 24th
\$58,000	DON'T FIGHT CROWDS. Settle into this beautiful country home on N. side of Big Spq. You must see this 3 bedrm, 2 bth, brk with enclosed pool and play area on 1/2 acre. Clean as a pin.	Williams Rd.
\$45,000	OUTDOORS ARE PRETTY 10 acres of beauty. Furnished Mobile Home w 2 bths. Good water. Fences. Barn w feed storage. Has 16x16 room addition to mobile home. Dble carport. Many other extras.	Silver Heels
\$40,000	JERSEY LILY Own your own business, already established and doing great. California owner needs to sell. On 1 acre. 2 bedrm house included.	Snyder Hwy.
\$37,300	INVESTMENT PROPERTY. Service station. Bldg and all equip and stock. Good location. Established business.	Wasson Rd.
\$35,000	THINK SPRING Mobile home on 10 acres. Total Elec. 85x14. 3 bedrm 2 bth. 99 windbreak trees. Orchard. 2 good water wells. 24x24 garage and workshop. Very nice and private. Completely fenced.	N. Tubb Rd.
\$33,000	NEW LISTING! Lovely 3 bedrm 1 1/2 bath Brk w/ great floor plan the whole family will love. 1736 sq. ft. Kitchen built-ins Breakfast nook. Ash paneling in den, Dbl. garage.	1309 Johnson
\$29,900	GREAT INCOME PROPERTY A near new (bnt in 1974) 3 bedrm, 2 bth home for you to live in and 3 units to rent out. One unit is a separate 2 bedrm house now renting for \$135. mo. The other two units are furnished garage apts. now renting for \$50. mo.	1101 E. 6th
\$28,000	PICTURE YOUR FAMILY in this neat 3 bedrm, 1 1/2 bath home in the Wasson Addn. It's total elec, w/ heating, ref unit and hot water heater being only 1 yr. old. Nr. new cpl. and dishwasher also. Brick exterior, wood shingle roof, single carport.	3607 La Junta
\$25,500	SUPER NEAT 3 bedrm, 1 1/2 bath brk home within walking distance to Marcy School. Nice back yard. Immediate possession.	1704 Laurie
\$23,500	WALL TO WALL SPACIOUSNESS New on mkt. 3 bedrm, 2 full bths, large bdrm, sep dining rm, oversized kit w. codes of cabinets. Sep utility Nr. new cpl. Single car, which could be converted into den overnight. Run, don't walk, to see this one.	1400 E. 14th
\$19,900	FAMILY SIZE! Spacious 3 bedrm dining w. sep. living rm., den w. wood burning frpl, bit in kit, w. large stucco area, ref. air and cent. heating. Make offer!	Sand Springs
\$18,500	COZY HOME TO RETIRE IN in great cond., newly redecorated, 2 bedrm, 2 bth, large liv. rm., decorator kit w. bit in dishwasher. Sep utility. Single car gar. Spotless.	Nr. High School
\$12,500	A PRIVATE PLACE for you to relax at the end of a hard days work. No neighbors behind or to the right. 2 bedrm w. oversized living. Fenced front and bk. yd. Many fruit trees.	1109 Mulberry
\$10,500	FIND A SPOT for this nice 14x72 mobile home. 3 bedrm. 2 bth. Low down payment. \$104. mo. payments.	Make Appl. To See
\$6,000	GOOD BUY on lge comm. Lot with small cottage. Corner lot.	1013 Johnson
\$4,500	ALUMINUM SIDING on this 2 bedrm. Good house to move. Would sell for less.	310 NW 11th
\$2,000	USE YOUR IMAGINATION Needs work but price is right.	1006 NE Runnels

ACREAGE AND LOTS

\$1,500	Buy one acre or 10 acres. Good bldg. sites for home or commercial.	Midway Rd.
\$1,800	Lot 50x125. Light commercial.	1003 Wood
\$2,100	1 acre tracts, Sand Springs, restricted home sites.	Val Verde
\$3,300	Lot 85x150. Good home site w. feeling of country but in city limits.	Seminole St.
\$4,300	4 1/2 acre tracts, Sand Springs, restricted home sites.	Val Verde
\$8,000	18.8 acres. No improvements. Assumable loan.	Garden City Hwy.
12,000	GREAT COMMERCIAL Buy 2 lots w. building.	1100 E. 3rd
\$20,000	20 acres with improvements. (good well, septic and bldgs.)	Todd Rd.
\$37,000	58.22 acres. Partially in cultivation.	Andrews Hwy.

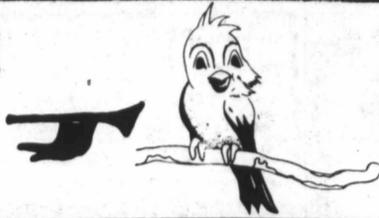
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Big Spring Herald

6-B Big Spring (Texas) Herald, Mon., March 6, 1978



The shortest distance between buyer and seller is a line in the Want Ads. Call 263-7331

Real Estate A

Business Property A-1

CAFE BUILDING and ten lots in ideal location on IS 20 for sale or rent. 1-444-2221.

Houses For Sale A-2

NICE ONE bedroom house, 506 Young Street. Excellent for elderly person or young couple. \$5,500. 263-9703 after 5:00.

FOR SALE. One bedroom house with utility room, new carpet and paneling. Just been remodeled throughout. Good location. Make offer. 263-6007, 263-8537 after 5:00.

BY OWNER, equity buy. Three bedroom, two bath, garage, two store rooms, fully carpeted. Call for appointment, 267-7154.

TWO OR three bedroom house on three lots. Fully carpeted, fenced, with carport and storage building. Can be moved. Located in Forsan. 915-457-2319 after 5:30.

307 EAST 10th. PARTLY furnished, refrigerator, cook stove, one heating stove, dinette set, couch. \$4,500. 267-8174.

THREE BEDROOM. Two bath, total electric, all built ins, refrigerated air, fenced backyard, and storage on quiet street. \$23,500. Call 263-8789.

Lots For Sale A-3

CEMETERY LOTS. Space two and three. Lot 439, Garden of Macphail, Trinity Memorial Park. Cost \$700. Sell 673-2442. Call Keith Burns, 1-512-673-2442. 2110 Ranch Valley, San Antonio, 78227.

FIVE LOTS With two wells, chicken house, new 16x16 shop, fruit and pecan trees, under fence. Three blocks west of Hwy 1936. 1-381-1114.

CHOICE LOCATIONS in Western Hills on Thorpe Road and Yucca. Never before offered. Beautiful views. Utilities. By owner - 267-2884.

Acreage For Sale A-6

FOR SALE: Approximately four acres with pipe trench around 3 1/2 acres, off the Snyder Highway, \$5,000. Call 263-2777 after 5:00.

1/2 ACRE OR more for sale. City limits of Coahoma. \$150 down - owner will finance. All utilities available. Call 394-4794.

ACREAGE For sale: South of city, good location. For more information call 263-6027 after 4:00 p.m.

40 ACRES, 10 minutes from Big Spring, on pavement, excellent water, very good investment. 399-4333 days, after 6:00 p.m. 399-4751.

Real Estate Wanted A-7

WANTED: ONE to five acres with water well preferably, on the Goli, Snyder or Lamesa Highway. May call 399-4488 from 8:00-5:00. Monday-Friday or collect (915) 963-3480 6:00-10:00 p.m. Monday-Sunday.

THREE BEDROOM. Two bath brick home. 1600 square feet or over on 1/2 acre plus. Call Larry Pick - La Casa Realty 263-1166.

Houses To Move A-11

HOUSE FOR SALE TO BE MOVED. Located: 811 E. 12th st.

Sealed bids to be submitted to Trinity Baptist Church, 818 11th Place by 4:00 p.m. Friday, March 10th. Bids opened March 20th. House is stucco - 5 rooms and bath. Completely remodeled inside and out. To see house, key may be obtained from office of Trinity Baptist Church.

Mobile Homes A-12

BANK REPO 14x52 two bedroom. Pay sales tax, title delivery charge and move in with approved credit. Larry Spruill Company, Odessa. 364-4443 (Across from Colliseum).

DOUBLE WIDE Mobile home. Three bedroom, two bath, on lot 100x150. Willing to negotiate price. 263-3493 after 4:00.

1975 DURAGO 14x70. Will keep furniture for equity or \$1,000 down and take up payments. Like new - very nice. 267-4609.

Mobile Homes A-12

HILLSIDE TRAILER SALES

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

CHAPARRAL MOBILE HOMES

NEW, USED, REPO HOMES FHA FINANCING AVAILABLE FREE DELIVERY & SET UP INSURANCE ANCHORING PHONE 263-9831

YOUR MOBILE HOME HEADQUARTERS NEW-RECONDITIONED-USED FREE DELIVERY & SET UP SERVICE-ANCHORS-PARTS

D & C SALES

FHA-VA-BANK RATE INSURANCE-MOVING-FINANCING 2918 W. Hwy. 80 267-5544

Rentals B

ONE AND TWO bedroom apartments. Fully furnished and unfurnished. Call 263-4804. Bills paid and unpaid.

VENTURA COMPANY Over 200 units Houses Apartments Duplexes One-Two-Three Bedrooms Fully Furnished - Unfurnished All price ranges Call 267-2455 1208 West Third

Housing Assistance Payment Program Available to low income families. This program assists eligible families with payments of rental costs. For more information, call 263-8311, the Office of Housing and Community Development. An Equal Opportunity Program.

SANDRA GALE APARTMENTS One and two bedrooms, furnished and unfurnished. 2911 West Highway 80 Phone 263-0906.

Furnished Apts. B-3

FOR RENT: Two bedroom furnished duplex apartment. For more information call 394-4233.

NICELY FURNISHED one bedroom duplex. Carpeted, mature adults only, no pets. Deposit required. Inquire at 408 Runnels.

BACHELOR APARTMENT. Fully furnished one bedroom. No children or pets. Call after 5:30. 267-4219.

ONE BEDROOM apartment furnished, large, \$100 plus deposit. water paid. 393-3237 or 393-5224.

ONE BEDROOM furnished apartment and one and two bedroom mobile homes on private lot. For mature adults only, no children, no pets. \$145 to \$175. 263-6944 and 263-7341.

CLEAN TWO bedroom duplex. Carpeted. No pets. For more information call 263-7531.

ONE BEDROOM furnished duplex apartment. For more information call 263-7857 or 263-7769.

VERY NICE one bedroom furnished apartment. Well to wall carpet. Drapes. No bills paid. 267-2265.

SOUTHLAND APARTMENTS. Air Base Road, office hours 8:00-5:00 Monday-Friday, 8:30-12:00 Saturday, 263-7811.

Furnished Apts. B-3

NICELY FURNISHED three room apartment. Adults only - no pets. Inquire at 408 West 4th.

ONE BEDROOM furnished apartments and houses for rent. 267-8232.

VERY NICE Two bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, fenced yard, carport, near schools and shopping center. 267-7259.

FURNISHED TWO bedroom, two bath mobile home, Forsan School District, half mile south Berea Baptist Church, Watson Road. Call 267-2846.

LARGE THREE bedroom, two bath brick. Double garage, patio, pretty yard. Western Hills area. \$300. Deposit and rent term. 263-7616 McDonald Realty.

CLEAN 2 1/2 ROOM furnished house. No pets. 1108 Scurry. Call 267-2234 for more information.

NICELY FURNISHED one bedroom house. No children and no pets. Call 267-5734 800 Andrew Street.

TWO BEDROOM furnished house for rent. No pets - will accept one small child. Water furnished. Call 267-8433.

SHARE TWO bedroom home with single person. Call 263-0586 for more information.

NICE FIVE room house, new carpet. No children - no pets. Call 263-0016 or 263-8988.

NICELY FURNISHED 2 bedroom home. V. drapes, vented hood. 263-2558.

TWO BE RENTED 2 mobile home - \$130 plus deposit. 1-3489.

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Personal C-5

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Political Adv. C-7

DEMOCRATS The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 6, 1978.

Congressman 17th Congressional District Charles Stenholm Pol. Adv. pd for by Charles Stenholm P. O. Box 192, Stamford, Texas.

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George T. Thomas Pol. Adv. pd for by George T. Thomas, Box 1092, Big Spring, Texas.

District Clerk Peggy Crittenden Pol. Adv. pd for by Peggy Crittenden, Gail Route, Big Spring, Texas.

County Judge Milton L. Kirby Pol. Adv. pd for by Milton L. Kirby, 1407 East 19th, Big Spring, Texas.

Frankie Boyd Pol. Adv. pd for by Frankie Boyd, 404 East 15th, Big Spring, Texas.

Bill Tune Pol. Adv. pd for by Bill Tune, Andrews Lane, Big Spring, Texas.

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Personal C-5

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Help Wanted F-1 1977 FORD LTD, 4-door sedan, V8, radio, heater, power steering, power brakes, factory air, automatic, vinyl roof, cruise, electric door locks, 13,000 miles, Stk. No. 181 \$4,850

Help Wanted F-1 1977 MERCURY STATION WAGON, V8, AM-FM stereo with tape, heater, automatic, power steering and brakes, air, cruise, electric windows, luggage rack, 18,000 miles, Stk. No. 115-B \$5,880

Help Wanted F-1 1976 MONTE CARLO, V8, radio and heater, factory air, power steering and brakes, automatic, cruise control, vinyl roof, 31,000 miles, Stk. No. 131 \$4,480

Help Wanted F-1 1976 MALIBU CLASSIC coupe, 6-cylinder, radio and heater, factory air, power steering and brakes, automatic, vinyl roof, 31,000 miles, Stk. No. 617 \$3,680

Help Wanted F-1 1976 MALIBU CLASSIC Coupe, V8, radio and heater, power steering and brakes, AM-radio with tape, factory air, vinyl roof, 32,000 miles, Stk. No. 148 \$4,180

Help Wanted F-1 1976 MONTE CARLO, V8, radio and heater, power steering and brakes, factory air, automatic, vinyl roof, 27,000 miles, Stk. No. 157 \$4,380

Help Wanted F-1 1976 FORD ELITE 2-door coupe, V8, AM-FM with tape, heater, power steering and brakes, factory air, automatic, cruise control, vinyl roof, 35,000 miles, Stk. No. 144 \$4,580

Help Wanted F-1 1975 CHEVROLET NOVA LN, coupe, V8, radio, heater, power steering and brakes, factory air, automatic, bucket seats, console, 34,000 miles, Stk. No. 187 \$3,480

Help Wanted F-1 1975 MONTE CARLO, radio and heater, power steering and brakes, factory air, automatic, vinyl roof, 40,000 miles, Stk. No. 175 \$3,880

Help Wanted F-1 1975 CHEVROLET VEGA HATCHBACK, coupe, automatic, factory air, radio, heater, 42,000 miles, Stk. No. 149 \$2,080

Help Wanted F-1 1974 BUICK REGAL Coupe, V8, AM-FM radio, heater, power steering and brakes, factory air, vinyl roof, tilt wheel, 60-40 seats, Stk. No. 116, 37,000 miles \$3,380

Help Wanted F-1 1974 CHEVROLET 1/2 TON PICKUP, V8, radio and heater, power steering and brakes, factory air, automatic, new tires, Stk. No. 182 \$3,180

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Woman's Column J Child Care J-3 WILL BABYSIT in my home days only. No weekends. For more information call 267-3247

I WILL babysit or night in my home. Please call 263-9104 after 6:00 or come by 1600A Lincoln.

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Farmer's Column K

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Automobiles M

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Trucks For Sale M-9 1966 FORD PICKUP - short wheel, air, automatic. 1972 Pontiac Catalina. Four door, sharp. Call 267-7729.

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Autos M-10

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Two magazines are merged

"Texas Business" a monthly magazine published by Commerce Publishing Corp., has purchased "Texas Parade" magazine, and will merge the two publications into "Texas Business" incorporating "Texas Parade" beginning with the April issue.

Amount of the purchase was undisclosed. C. Don Baker, president of Commerce, said the acquisition of San Antonio-based "Texas Parade", will give readers the best of both magazines. An article featuring Big Spring's fight for recovery following the closure of Webb AFB appeared in "Texas Parade" magazine last year. An article concerning Webb's closing appeared in "Texas Business" magazine.

"Texas Parade" has played an important role as a pioneer in magazine publishing in the state," Baker said. "We plan to continue that tradition by incorporating some of the most popular editorial features in "Texas Business". We are gratified that since "Texas Business" published its first issue twenty-two months ago, reader acceptance has made this acquisition possible. The purchase of "Texas Parade" and its merger into "Texas Business," will increase our ability to serve the business community of Texas."

Baker said that no staff changes will be made on "Texas Business" as it incorporates "Texas Parade." Lawrence M. Martin remains as publisher, Lee Butcher as executive editor, Duke Q. Manor as national advertising director, and Mark Schrimpf as circulation director.

Commerce Publishing Corporation is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Baker Publications, Inc., publishers of "Living" magazine in Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston, Austin, San Antonio and Denver, Colorado. The company also operates Home & Apartment Information Centers in Dallas and Houston.

Bundy may escape new accusations

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) - The FBI says Theodore Bundy was wanted for questioning in 36 sex slayings. Arrested 10 days after he was placed on the FBI's most wanted list, Bundy has not been charged with any new slayings. Some investigators say he may never be.

Bundy, who escaped from a Colorado jail in December while awaiting a first-degree murder trial for allegedly killing a nurse, has been charged here with stealing four vehicles and using stolen credit cards. He was arrested while allegedly driving a stolen car in Pensacola on Feb. 15, just after the FBI skipped over several other criminals to put him on its most wanted list.

The FBI says he is wanted for questioning in 36 slayings during the past five years in Oregon, Utah, Washington, Colorado and California. But some local investigators say that although Bundy is a strong suspect in their homicides, they lack concrete evidence against him.

Police Capt. Nick Mackie, a Bundy expert from Seattle, sums up his problem in tying Bundy to the murders of eight Pacific Northwest women; "The only hope we have is that he would confess to it."

Bundy, 31, a savvy psychologist, former law student, social worker and security guard, is described by the FBI as "clever and intelligent." Personal and career acquaintances have said he was an "excellent worker," "model student" and "the kind of guy you'd want your daughter to bring home."

The FBI says Bundy sometimes wore a false beard or mustache as a disguise, and occasionally feigned a British accent. Commerce Publishing Corporation is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Baker Publications, Inc., publishers of "Living" magazine in Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston, Austin, San Antonio and Denver, Colorado. The company also operates Home & Apartment Information Centers in Dallas and Houston.

He held here in lieu of \$94,000 bond with a Colorado detainer that makes his release impossible. He also has been sentenced to 10 years in prison for the 1974 kidnapping of Carol DaRonch of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Sheriff Ken Katsaris of Tallahassee says Bundy has become a prime suspect in the Jan. 15 murders of two Florida State University coeds.

Authorities say Bundy Emerson named fire marshal

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Ernest Emerson, retired Dallas fire marshal, was appointed Friday as the new state fire marshal. Emerson, 54, will replace Charles Meadows, who has announced his retirement.

Emerson served 28 years with the Dallas fire department, working his way up from fireman. He is a graduate of Southern Methodist University and an Air Force veteran of World War II.

He was appointed fire marshal by State Insurance Board Chairman Hugh Yantis. Meadows submitted his retirement following censure by the Senate Consumer Affairs Subcommittee and a series of allegations of lax enforcement of state laws dealing with fire extinguishing systems.

TV mike is slapped by guv's aide

DALLAS (AP) - "I overreacted, and I think you know I am not the type that generally over-reacts," a former presidential press secretary said of an incident in Dallas Sunday when he slapped at the microphone of a television newsmen who was interviewing Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

George Christian, a campaign consultant for Briscoe, said he pushed the microphone of newsmen Charles Duncan of WFAA-TV because Duncan's interview "was so abusive that on the spur of the moment, I didn't want it to go unanswered."

Christian was press secretary for President Lyndon Johnson and also for former Governors John Connally and Price Daniel. He now has his own public relations firm.

WFAA-TV showed the confrontation between Christian and WFAA's Charles Duncan on its evening newscasts Sunday. The incident occurred after Duncan asked the governor repeatedly about the use of tear gas and billy clubs by police and sheriff's deputies to force about 225 demonstrating farmers off a bridge last week at Hidalgo.

Briscoe appeared at a noon dedication in Dallas Sunday of a new Jewish community center. As Briscoe was leaving, Duncan asked him to comment on whether he felt excessive force was used by the officers.

The governor said he had no comment, that he had not seen the video coverage, a spokesman for the WFAA-TV news department said. Duncan pressed the issue further, but Briscoe continued to decline comment.

"Briscoe finally said something like, 'I'm not going to comment on that. I don't think you're being helpful and you're not doing your profession a service,'" the spokesman said.

As Briscoe walked away, Duncan yelled after him, didn't he want to comment on the night sticks being used?

It was at this point, the station spokesman said, that Christian walked up to Duncan, hit the left hand with which Duncan was holding his microphone, and asked, "What kind of questions were those?"

"I over-reacted when he put the mike in my face after the governor had left," Christian said later in the day from his home in Austin. "I didn't knock the mike out of his hand. I just pushed it away and told him he had asked unfair questions," Christian said.

"This was without a doubt the most abusive interview I've ever seen made by a television reporter. It angered everybody who saw it," he added. "I did apologize. I've got enough sense to apologize when I over-react."

Christian said they were beating the people up, that the governor had some authority over the people swinging the clubs and using the gas, which of course wasn't the case. I shouldn't have shoved the mike away. I shouldn't have said anything, but this was so abusive that on the spur of the moment, I didn't want it to go unanswered."

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SAVING STATUE — Eleanor Vargas adjusts her shoelaces on her shoulder as she walks barefooted through mud carrying a statue of the Virgin Mary in Fillmore, Calif. Sunday. Vargas, like many of her neighbors, returned to their homes Sunday to save whatever they could after mud and water caused them to evacuate Saturday.

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Real football fan

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That's what I said, No. 1. Because to the Longhorn fans, who saw Texas Longhorns picked for fifth in their conference and then hold the spot of No. 1 in the nation for ten weeks, the Longhorns are still No. 1.

And Margy Thompson and her husband, Jack Thompson, are Longhorn fans. There's no question about that.

When she and her husband were attending the Texas-Texas Tech game last fall, she ordered a football with all of the autographs of the Longhorns football team and their coach, Fred Akers.

The day of the game, she said to her husband, "What better way to celebrate beating Tech than ordering one of those footballs?"

She had hoped to get it by Christmas but it didn't come until the other day. But Margy was plenty glad to see it. She pointed out the name of Earl Campbell and Akers and then Margy said, "We're still number one."

Actually Margy and Jack became avid Longhorn fans back when he was attending the University of Texas law school back in 1961.

They attended the University of Texas at El Paso. But a lot of the more avid UT fans often attended other schools.

There's a restaurant owner in the Rio Grande Valley named Wayne Love who drives a big orange Cadillac and has the license tag "Hook 'Em". He happened to get it first and isn't about to turn loose of it. He didn't go to UT either but has box seats there every season.

For that matter, the writer of this column, who attended Texas A&I, is a well-known loud-mouthed Horn fan and never attended Texas. But all three of my children did.

In fact, we have a signed football at our house from the No. 1 football team back in 1969 — the first year they were No. 1 in the nation.

That year they didn't make up the footballs and



MRS. MARGY THOMPSON
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sell them like they did this season. Billy Dale, the ex-Permian back, who was a special friend of our family, took the football around to all of the players and personally had them sign it.

It was to be Cathy's gift for her junior high-age brother. Well, it didn't come and didn't come and finally on Christmas Eve, a telephone call came late at night and the football was on the midnight bus. Cathy was happy to make the presentation of the autographed football on Christmas morning.

Margy and Jack Thompson even purchased one of the six-foot Longhorns from

the Read estate for his home.

"We needed some real Longhorns," Margy stated. They have all kinds of University of Texas symbolic cups and pins and Margy wears a necklace featuring the Longhorn mascot.

If you're going to be a fan, you might as well be a good one. And Margy and Jack Thompson are Longhorn fans.

And she came by it honest — her father was one before her. I found it very refreshing — out here in the land of the Red Raiders, the Oklahoma What-chamacallits and the Texas Aggies.

Hook 'Em Horns. And thanks Margy for bringing by the football for me to see — out where I ride fence.

Railroads in good condition

Train derailments in Texas are decreasing but "there's always room for improvements," says Federal Railroad Administration safety officer Robert Johnson.

Spokesmen for three major railroads in Texas — Santa Fe, Southern Pacific and Missouri Pacific Railroad — said everything possible is being done to prevent derailments, especially in South Texas where toxic gases are carried by rail to and from some of the largest petrochemical processing plants in the nation.

"The three viable carriers in Texas take good care of their trackage," Johnson said from his Fort Worth headquarters. "We checked the records of the major railroads in this area for the first nine months of 1977 and derailments have decreased. The southwest region has seen even more improvements this year."

Because of limited access to inland waterways, Texas now has 13,306 miles of track, more than any other state according to Johnson.

"Most railroad tracks are in better shape here than in other states, because Texas railroads as a whole have been profitable over the past few years," said Texas Railroad Association spokesman Jimmy Banks.

However, track maintenance is not the only answer to railway safety, Johnson said the railroads have to "police the track and the cars, too." He said many derailments are because of problems on the train, not the track.

Banks said Texas experienced 340 derailments in 1976 but none involved fatalities. He said derailments nationwide for the same year totaled 12,500. Updated figures have not been released.

Cars carrying toxic substances through Texas must abide by recently updated codes prescribed by the Department of Transportation to prevent dangerous explosions.

Graziano said the two railway accidents last month in Youngstown, Fla. and Waverly, Tenn. that killed at least 20 people involved tank cars not outfitted with the new shields and couplers.

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Damage set at \$350,000 in Merkel school fire

MERKEL, Texas (AP) — A fire started in a boiler room of Merkel High School Sunday afternoon and quickly spread, causing more than \$350,000 damage.

"We think at this point it is a total loss," Superintendent Travis Davis said. Monday's classes were canceled, and plans were made to resume them Tuesday in makeshift classrooms.

Two volunteer Merkel firefighters and an Abilene fireman were treated for minor glass cuts, but no other injuries were reported.

Merkel Fire Chief Wayne Adcock said the fire began in a boiler room where steam for the school's heating system was generated. The level of destruction around the boiler prevented fire officials from pinpointing the cause, but arson was not suspected, Adcock said.

Flames traveled through spaces between the

basement ceiling and first floor and spread rapidly the length of the 55-year-old two-story building.

The school's auditorium, gymnasium and classroom annex connecting the main building were not damaged.

Heaviest loss was in the east end of the school, although every classroom and administrative office in the building suffered some smoke or water damage.

The fire was reported about noon. Four classrooms, a storeroom and 25 to 30 feet of a first-floor hallway were destroyed before firefighters tapped out the fire at 4:30 p.m.

Davis said the heating equipment had shown no signs of trouble throughout the year's cold winter.

As firefighters brought in their equipment, volunteers of all ages shuttled books, tables, desks and other school equipment to the safety of an adjoining courtyard.

It was the second fire in recent years to hit the Merkel school system. A blaze started in a bookcase 11 years ago and spread, gutting two classrooms and filling the building with smoke. That fire caused approximately \$10,000 damage.

Mishap kills hang-glider

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A 29-year-old El Paso man hit a deep downdraft Sunday afternoon as he was gliding in the mountains skirting El Paso and plunged 150 feet to his death.

The victim of the hang-gliding accident was identified as Thomas Green. The glider floated for about 200 feet over the edge of a scenic view area before hitting the downdraft.

A police mountain rescue squad retrieved the body from a rough area full of mesquite, rocks and scrub. The accident occurred in the Trans-Mountain area of El Paso.

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