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Baum places third, wins big in Howard County

Rhodes, Stenholm to square off

By MARJ CARPENTER

Charles Stenholm of Stamford and Dusty Rhodes of Abilene were running neck and neck in the 17th Congressional District race and are certain to be in a runoff.

But at midnight, it was not clear as to who was in the lead. Both headquarters were claiming that their candidate was ahead.

With seven out of 33 counties still incomplete, Stenholm held a slight edge of 33,763 to 31,033. Haskell only lacked absentee votes, but Scurry and Nolan still had some large boxes out. Cooke, Montague, Shackelford and Young also were incomplete.

Stenholm said, "We are just elated. This vote is the result of tremendous effort by a large number of wonderful people.

"Certainly I appreciate the fact that Big Spring backed their favorite son, Jim Baum, who is a really fine man. I want to take some time to get to know Big Spring people better and let them know that I would like to be their Congressman and work for them and with them."

Rhodes said, "I am thrilled to be in the runoff. I think we captured a vision and the confidence of a great number of people. I look forward to discussing the issues with just one other candidate and showing the difference in our qualifications.

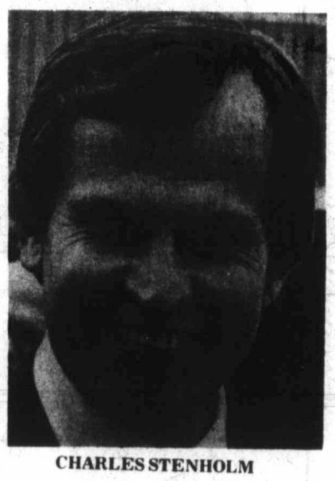
"I have said all the time that I would like to be the Congressman to represent Big Spring, the second largest city in the district."

Jim Baum of Big Spring, ran third and led big in his home county with a large 4,814 over Rhodes who had 814 and Stenholm who had 468. Jim Sharp was fourth in Howard County with 186.

Results by counties with a few incomplete, lacking only a few boxes on the top three candidates follows.

Counties	Stenholm	Rhodes	Baum
Borden	75	178	67
Baylor	568	536	201
Coleman	537	464	174
Comanche	923	1083	237
Cooke (INC)	797	1293	149
Crosby	665	597	382
Callahan	1187	553	643
Dawson	24	132	48
Eastland	1895	989	497
Erath	1336	2036	172
Fisher	690	257	561
Floyd	1308	523	57
Garza	232	478	75
Haskell (INC)	1457	276	539
Howard	468	814	4814
Jack	709	438	104
Jones	2914	692	558
Kent	220	206	125
Knox	684	320	160
Lynn	701	743	129
Montague (INC)	682	1621	174
Mitchell	710	389	598
Nolan (INC)	1320	865	566
Parker	729	1903	151
Palo Pinto	1421	2098	370
Scurry (INC)	828	729	286
Shackelford (INC)	397	153	51
Stonewall	552	240	142
Stephens	857	821	258
Taylor	6617	6903	2516
Throckmorton	342	241	86
Young (INC)	865	1307	371
Wise	1053	1155	399
TOTAL	33,763	31,033	15,660

A. L. (DUSTY) RHODES



CHARLES STENHOLM

Clements gets Republican nod, Krueger clipping Christie

Hill leads Briscoe in Demo governor's race

Here are the last Texas Election Bureau returns at 12:01 a.m. from 185 of 254 counties, 77 complete, in the Democratic races:

GOVERNOR: Briscoe, 314,115; Hill, 372,886; Smith, 41,040; Mayo, 8,051; Beagle, 7,081.

SENATE: Christie, 279,419; Krueger, 360,002.

ATTY GEN: Daniel, 314,820; White, 349,031.

PARIMUTEL: For, 234,287; Against, 331,877.

Here are the latest returns in the Republican races at 12:01 a.m. from 185 of 254 counties, 77 complete:

GOVERNOR: Clements, 51,868; Hutchison, 16,905; Thompson, 1,668.

PARIMUTUEL: For, 32,444; Against, 31,863.

By the Associated Press

State Attorney General John Hill pulled slowly ahead of incumbent Dolph Briscoe in their fight for the Texas Democratic gubernatorial nomination as late but inconclusive returns came in Saturday night. On the Republican side Dallas businessman Bill Clements won going away over former state party chaimman Ray Hutchison.

Hill's lead was substantial enough at one point to avoid a runoff.

U.S. Rep. Bob Kreuger piled up a lead over Joe Christie in the Democratic race for the U.S. Senate. The winner will meet incumbent Republican John Tower, unopposed in his primary.

Former Secretary of State Mark White, running for his first statewide elective office, forged well ahead of former House Speaker Price Daniel Jr. in the Democratic nominating race for attorney General. The victor goes against Republican candidate Jim Baker, who was unopposed.

JOHN HILL

Former Gov. Preston Smith ran far behind Hill and Briscoe in his bid for a comeback. Ray Allen Mayo, led Donald Beagle for the fourth and fifth spots.

On the question of pari-mutuel betting, in the form of a non-binding referendum, Democrats defeated it while Republicans approved it.

The counting went very slow at the Texas Election Bureau throughout the night due to a very long ballot.

Hill told happy supporters shortly after 11 p.m.:

"It looks very much like we have enough votes to go over the top. I feel like we have it won. We are pleased that in many counties we ran ahead of our projections."

Kruger would not claim victory but said the vote "looked terribly good."

BULLETIN

DALLAS (AP)—Lt. Gov. William Hobby wins Democratic nomination for his office.

Mack Wallace wins Democratic nomination for regular term on Texas Railroad Commission.

Franklin Spears wins Democratic nomination for Place 1, Texas Supreme Court.

Robert Campbell wins Democratic nomination for Place 4, Texas Supreme Court.

Sam Houston Clinton wins Democratic nomination for judge, Place 2, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

W.C. Davis wins Democratic nomination for judge, Place 3, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Jim Baum extends thanks to voters

After receiving news that he was running third behind Dusty Rhodes and Charles Stenholm at 11 p.m., Saturday, Jim Baum of Big Spring, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Congressional seat being vacated by Omar Burleson, issued this statement to The Herald:

"I want to thank the voters of Howard County for their tremendous show of support for my candidacy.

"To the many volunteers who helped me, including my wife and family, I truly thank you. I feel I represented Big Spring throughout the district in a way that brings credit to our city and county.

"To offset great expenditures of money is extremely difficult. Those of us who felt such an uphill battle could be won and tried. But at least we have had the satisfaction of having tried."

Krueger relaxed, assured

Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The scene at the state reception for each of the major candidates for U.S. Senate, Governor and Attorney General was guarded and optimistic at 10 p.m.

Reporters gathered to cheer on their candidates as the vote totals from counties across Texas were announced over television monitors placed at each of the receptions.

At Bob Krueger's campaign party in New Braunfels, the mood was one of easy confidence as early returns had Krueger leading opponent Joe Christie.

About 100 Krueger supporters chatted on the patio of the Faust Hotel or watched the occasional election returns while a movie about an idealistic young man running for the U.S. Senate showed on television.

When Krueger arrived shortly before 9 p.m., he was relaxed and assured.

Maintaining that it was too early for a victory announcement, Krueger smiled and said "When the choice is between running ahead and running behind, let's take running ahead every time. I just hope and believe that that applause (which greeted each return reported) can continue all night."

Joe Christie was trying his best to convert his campaign party in Austin's Driskill Hotel into a Mexican fiesta.

The mariachi guitarist started playing early to the handful of staff workers milling around the table of nachos and chili con questo. Marquaritas were being amply circulated, too.

The vermillion walls, with ornate mirrors and greenery clashed with South of the Border.

Joe wasn't there yet so nothing much mattered yet, anyway.

He had been jogging Saturday morning, one worker said, his usual six miles.

Joe Hill sat in a fifth floor suite in Austin's Driskill Hotel receiving sketchy returns over the telephone.

His wife, two grandchildren and other campaign workers cheered as he repeated the sketchy returns he was receiving from campaign manager John Rodgers.

At the Hill reception, three floors below, long-time Hill friends and workers talked and watched television as returns came slowly in.

Hill was extremely nervous as he waited to see if he would win his battle with Gov. Dolph Briscoe and experience another 28 days of campaigning before the second primary.

Up to the time the polls closed, Gov. Dolph Briscoe in Uvalde said he would win the election without a runoff.

Tune, Boyd facing runoff

It was a photo finish in the Howard County Judge's race, but only two wore the roses.

Incumbent Bill Tune led the field with 28.96 per cent of the vote, leaving local attorney Frankie Boyd and County Sheriff's Deputy Milton Kirby to fight it out for second.

Ms. Boyd edged Kirby, taking 25.34 per cent to his 23.26 per cent, although the outcome was uncertain until the final vote was totalled. Ms. Boyd will face Tune in a runoff, June 3.

With Tune winning eight of the 20 precincts and drawing a total of 1,894 votes, the battle for second place became the one to watch. Ms. Boyd gained large margins in boxes two and three, while Kirby emerged as a clear leader in the rural areas.

The final tally showed Ms. Boyd with 1,657 votes, followed closely by Kirby with 1,521 votes.

Kirby's strong showing in the rural areas was fatal to the campaign of former County Commissioner Jack Buchanan, who had depended on those precincts to carry him. Buchanan came away with only 1,296 votes, 19.82 per cent of the total.

The fifth candidate, longtime Howard County resident Billie Carr, never threatened with only 171 votes, 2.62 per cent of the final returns.

Tune expressed thanks for the support of voters in the county, and asked for continued support in the race ahead.

"I would also like to congratulate my opponents on a good, clean, fair campaign," said the incumbent judge.

"I'm just real glad to be in the runoff, and I think my chances are very good in the runoff," said Ms. Boyd. "I would like to thank the people who donated their time and money, and express appreciation for all the assistance I received through the campaign.

Krueger wins in Howard

U.S. Rep. Bob Krueger defeated former State Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie in the Democratic slugfest in Howard County to determine who attempts to unseat veteran Republican John Tower in November.

Krueger received 3,343 votes to 2,166 votes for Christie.

Tower, the first Republican since Reconstruction to be elected to a statewide office, had no opposition in his party's primary.

The well-financed Krueger, a Shakespearean scholar and two-term congressman, rode the crest of a last-minute media blitz to the take the early advantage over Christie. Christie was unable to match Krueger's fund-raising efforts.

Krueger campaign leaders in the county were Jack Watkins, former city commissioner, and J. Arnold Marshall, former mayor.

Bill Clements wins GOP backing in local vote

A total of 207 Republicans voted in Big Spring Saturday, which was way below the record number during the 1976 Primary in which Ronald Reagan carried the county as a Presidential nominee.

A contested race for the nomination for governor showed Big Spring backing Bill Clements with 121 votes while Ray Hutchison received 80 votes and Clarence G. Thompson, 5.

John Tower, lone candidate for the nomination for U.S. Senator received 192 votes. Bill Fisher, running unopposed for the nomination for U.S. Representative, District 17 for Congress polled 193 votes.

Jim Baker seeking the post of Attorney General received 189 and Gaylord Marshall, running for lieutenant governor polled 187 with Jim Lacy collecting 184 for unexpired term for railroad commissioner.

Sam Hunnicutt was elected Howard County Chairman. At the precinct meeting, Mrs. Mary Joy Cowper introduced a resolution from the West Texas Republican Women asking for a law that no more than 25 percent of any person's income would go toward the federal income tax.

BILL CLEMENTS

Other resolutions are expected at next week's county convention in the district court room at 1 p.m. next Saturday.

The local Republicans voted 76 for pari-mutuel betting and 123 against. In the resolution to elect delegates to the political parties national convention rather than a point, the locals voted 144 in favor of and 39 against.

In a resolution to put a state constitutional ceiling on the amount of taxes which can be levied by state and local governments drew 167 voting for and 22 against.

District Judge contest captured by Jim Gregg

Sweeping 62 per cent of the vote and allowing his opponent only two election boxes, City Attorney Jim Gregg won the Democratic nomination for District Judge.

In the bitterly fought race, Gregg totalled 4,730 votes to George Thomas' 2,885. He garnered 3,831 in Howard County, 703 in Martin County, and 196 in Glasscock County.

Said Gregg, "It feels great to be a judge. I am so grateful to all the folks who helped me. I had no idea how the race was going to go, but the early returns really gave me confidence."

Boxes 2, 22, and 16 went for Gregg by a two-to-one margin, but the electee ran best in Box 9, where he totalled 210 to 94.

Tomas ran best in Boxes 8 and 1. In the former he pulled 222 to Gregg's 112. In the latter, the Big Spring attorney got 157 to Gregg's 118.

JIM GREGG

"I first felt confident when I saw the absentee ballots counted," said Gregg, noting that the absentee ballots were the first returned in Howard County. "I was very pleased with the margin." He got 413 votes to 237, for a 63 per cent figure — almost exactly the final margin.

Hearts 'n flowers

Old sweet song

with Tommy Hart

Love's old sweet song doesn't last very long, or so a survey taken by the Western Psychological Association recently showed.

The study betrayed the fact that the half-life of intense romantic love lasts only about 90 days, then melts away like cotton candy.

F. B. Meeker, who amassed the figures in the survey, says the amours of 105 men and women ranging in age from 18 to 43 were included in the survey.

Meeker found that the median durability of a romantic entanglement, including the intense chapter, endured about 15 months.

Happily, 94 per cent of those surveyed expected to fall in love again.

The survey also served to support the theory that romantic love is an addiction "like dope." According to Meeker, the participants who anticipated future involvements were like "burnt children who do not fear the fire."

Quite likely, according to Meeker, there is probably as much time lost to lovesickness as to hangovers. You need more than aspirin to get over either, let it be said.

Despite the fact that people know the ball game (the romantic lure) will be over soon, they go ahead and get married anyway.

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Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Reason for omission

Q. Why was the question which I asked about a comparison of a local educator's salary with other comparable salaries in the state omitted?

A. It was omitted because you used the name of the educator and his position. Even though we did a comparative study for the newspaper's satisfaction which showed his salary to be lower than both the state average and the nearby towns, the answer was not run because it violated an editorial policy. The editor recently wrote that the newspaper would no longer accept anonymous questions zooming in on one individual. In this case, the information asked for can be obtained by the questioner through a simple telephone call to the school involved because it is public information. If the questioner thinks it is of such import that it needs to be shared with the public, he or she can send a letter to the editor with a signature.

Calendar: Tour of homes

TODAY

The Second Annual Tour of Homes, sponsored by Friends of the Howard County Family Service Center, will be conducted from 2 to 5 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at $4 per person from Susan Grace, 263-1362, or any board member. A nursery will be provided at the First Methodist Church.

The District II Cinderella Girl Pageant Contestant's Tea will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Pioneer Natural Gas Company Flame Room.

Tops on TV: 'Wheels'

An all-star cast will gas up for the first of a five-part adaptation of Arthur Hailey's best-seller, "Wheels," 8 p.m. on NBC. The series deals with America's auto manufacturing industry and the lives of its top executives, and offers the usual assortment of fast cars and fast women.

Inside: Local, area vote totals

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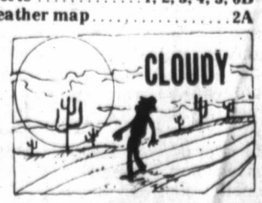
Outside: Cooler

Partly cloudy through Monday. High today in low 80s, low tonight upper 40s, high on Monday low 80s, wind from the southwest at 15-20 miles per hour. Warming trend on Tuesdays.



Digest

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

GO FISHING — If you didn't like the way the election came out, get a fishing pole and head for the creek. You might catch a fish and you might see somebody as pretty as Teresa Hohertz, shown fishing at Comanche Lake this week.

Making run at it

DALLAS (AP) — In early tabulations, Jerry Sadler was making headway in his bid to unseat John Poerner without a runoff to fill an unexpired term on the Texas Railroad Commission.

Sadler, 70, a former railroad commissioner and land commissioner, had tallied 30,099 to Poerner's 18,595. A runoff had been predicted for the four-way Democratic contest.

Poerner was recently appointed to the post by Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who also faces a stiff challenge from Attorney General John Hill. Former state representative Jake Johnson was in third place and former state legislator Ray Lemmon trailed.

Unopposed Republican James W. Lacy of Midland waited while the four Democrats battled it out to oppose him in November.

Heflin will challenge Ochotorena next month

HEFLIN

OCHOTORENA

Incumbent Gus Ochotorena Jr. and challenger Lewis Heflin will have to wait 27 days to find out who will be the next Justice of the Peace for Precinct 1, Place 2. They split, along with close finisher Robert C. (Bob) Smith, the Howard County vote, forcing a runoff election June 3.

Ochotorena pulled 38.6 per cent of the vote with 1,969 votes. Heflin garnered 28.3 per cent with 1,444 votes. Smith owned 26.2 per cent of the final tally with 1,338 votes. Candidate Jerry Roach got 342 votes.

Said Ochotorena, "I'm very happy about the people who placed their confidence in me, and I hope they'll stick with me through the runoff. I want to congratulate Bob Smith and Jerry Roach for their effort.

"I was worried that with this many candidates there would be a runoff, but I feel happy and I'm looking forward to the next 27 days of campaigning."

Ochotorena ran best, in fact owes most of his margin to the devotion of Box 1 where he got 354 votes to Smith's 31 and Heflin's 14.

Said Heflin, "I owe a lot of people for these results. You can't run a race like this on your own, and I'd like to thank my supporters.

"Politics is funny; one day you run good and the next you don't. You've just got to stay after it, and that's what I'm going to do through this runoff."

Heflin just squeaked by Smith, mainly on crucial Boxes 16 and 3 where he picked up a total of 87 votes on his opponent.

For the record

The Michael David Barnes listed as the party in a 118th District Court suit in Friday's public record section of The Herald is not to be confused with David Barnes of Rte. 1, Box 17, Knott.

The Herald regrets any inconvenience caused to innocent parties in the matter.

Various items to be covered

LAMESA — The Dawson County Commissioners will have their regular meeting at 10 a.m. Monday in the County Courthouse here.

Topics on the agenda include reports from auditors, treasurers, senior citizens, bus, the health unit, and the fire department.

Also, the possibility of leasing school land to Judge Crow will be considered, and if approved, a price for the lease should be set. Crow wishes to lease 100 acres of land for farming, and would like to begin breaking the land May 10 if the Commissioners approve the proposal.

Retired Federal Employees meet

The National Association of Retired Federal Employees will hold its monthly meeting in the Kentwood Older Adult Center, 2805 Lynn Drive, at 9:30 a.m., Thursday.

A social period will precede the business and program session.

Mrs. Ray Green of the Public Affairs section of the District Office of the Texas Highway Department in Abilene will show a film, "Texas, the Land of Contrasts."

Police beat

Bicycle thieves active

A rash of broken windshields and bicycle thefts plagued police Friday night.

Three bicycles were reported stolen Friday afternoon, including one at 1300 Alabama belonging to Bryant Blagrave, one at 1315 Princeton belonging to Ricky Robertson and one at 2207 Morrison belonging to Russ McEwen.

Robert Rains, 2109 Main reported the windshield broken on a vehicle parked at his home. He reported the incident at 5:15 a.m. Saturday.

A car parked on the parking lot at First National Bank had side windows broken. It was discovered by police at 5:59 a.m. Saturday.

At 8:16 a.m. another windshield was reported broken on a truck belonging to C.W. Parks, Gulf Oil Distributor.

At 10 a.m., Jimmy Hagar, 2104 Main, reported a windshield broken on a vehicle at that location.

The Detox center reported that a 26-year-old man, six feet, 160 pounds, with an abrasion over the nose and a black eye had escaped along with a 40-year-old man who was 6 feet one inch tall, weighed 220 pounds and walked with a limp. The two men were considered dangerous. If seen, call police.

An excited woman called about a disturbance in the Settles Hotel. Eight minutes later she called back and said it was in the Howard House Hotel. By the time officers went to both locations, the difficulty was settled.

Somebody dumped trash out and left it on Gibson's parking lot.

A motorist drove away from the Kent Station at 4th and Gregg without paying for $8.10 worth of gas.

Ronald E. Anderson reported somebody broke into his home at 801 Creighton Friday night, but he did not know what was missing.

The ambulance made a run to Stink Creek Park Friday where some boy was hurt in a church league game. No details were available.

Two fights were reported on the parking lot at Bogarts Saturday at 12:32 a.m. and 12:51 a.m.

Two minors were arrested at 9:15 p.m. Friday on Gregg Street for minors in possession of alcohol.

A minor accident occurred at 200 W. 3rd at 2:55 p.m. Friday involving vehicles driven by Annie Nutt, 805 E. 16th and Ricky Barnard, 1513 E. 17th.

An accident occurred at 10:15 a.m. Saturday at 18th and Gregg involving vehicles driven by Doris F. McKinnon, Grand Falls and Sisco P. Huitt, Gail Rt.

At 1:32 p.m. Friday, an unattended mail delivery vehicle rolled into a parked vehicle at 900 W. 4th. Owner of parked vehicle was Gilda Sharp.

An accident at 12:29 p.m. Friday occurred on South Gregg in front of Gill's Chicken involving Pearl Elliotte Green, Gail Route and Travis Lamar Gray, 803 Anna.

Larry Gene Quillen, 23, of 909 Runnels, received head and neck injuries when he lost control of his car 5.4 miles north of Big Spring on Old Gail Road at 2:15 a.m.

The car turned completely over. It was headed north. He is hospitalized at Malone-Hogan Hospital. Investigating state trooper was Dean Richardson.

Premier debaters hail from Forsan

Forsan High School has the four best debaters in Class B High Schools in Texas.

Ron Roberson and Steve Cowley won first and Don Roberson and Carrie Poynor second in state finals in Austin Saturday.

This may have settled once and for all, which team was the champs — maybe.

Last year was the first year Frosan had entered debate. The Cawley-Ron Roberson team lost in district to Don Roberson and Carrie Poynor. Ron and Don are identical twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roberson of Big Spring.

At regional last year, a Gail team beat them both and Ron and Steve got second and advanced to state.

They won state. This year, again Don and Carrie won first in district with Ron and Steve getting second.

At the regional level, they got to the finals. They were tired of debating each other so they flipped to see who lost. Ron and Steve won the flip.

When they got to state they both won their first round and were due to debate in the semi-finals which would make one eligible to go to the finals and one eligible to compete for third.

The judges decided since the teams were from the same school to not allow them to debate in the semis, but to hold them back for the finals if they both made it to the finals. They made it, then debated.

Ron Roberson and Steve Cowley won. Ron and Don may debate the issue for years.

Adams retains JP position

Incumbent Lulu Adams handily defeated challenger Robert McIntosh in the race for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2.

Mrs. Adams got 71.4 per cent of the vote with 557 cast in her favor. McIntosh got 223 votes.

The incumbent ran best in Box 9, where she got 241 votes to her opponents 43.

Balloting very close

True to election predictions, the Howard County Commission races in precincts two and four ended Saturday night with no candidate receiving the necessary majority of votes to win. The only unsure thing, with four candidates in one race and five in the other, was which candidates would end up in the runoff.

In Precinct two, incumbent Ikie R. Rupard will square off against challenger Paul H. Allen in the June 3 runoff election.

Rupard pulled 857 votes to make up 35.80 percent of the 2,394 votes cast in that election, while Allen was only 13 votes behind with 844. He pulled 35.25 percent.

Bill Bennett polled 491 votes for 20.51 percent of the vote, and Curtis R. (Bo) Crabtree had 202 votes for 8.44 percent.

Precinct four totals were not quite as close, but the runoff could still go either way, since 518 of the 1,500 votes cast went to candidates other than the two front-runners, David Barr and Terry C. Hanson.

Barr had a lead in the race, but not enough to avoid a runoff. Barr's 559 votes represented 37.27 percent of the ballots cast, with Hanson receiving 360 votes, for 24 percent of the precinct vote.

Merle Stroup had 232 votes for 15.47 percent, while W.R. (Bill) Westbrook polled 218 votes for 14.53 percent. James G. Baird received 131 votes, or 8.73 percent of the total vote.

Concerning the precinct two results, Rupard expressed congradulations to all the candidates, and said that he felt all were capable of doing a good job.

"It was a shame to have so many good, qualified men running for the position, since only one can win. There were four potentially good commissioners in the race, and now that its down to two, there will be a lot of hard work in the next month," Rupard said.

"Being the incumbent, all I can run on is my record. Obviously, I feel I have done a good job for the precinct, or I wouldn't be asking to be re-elected. I've worked diligently and tried to make myself available to the people whom I represent," Rupard concluded.

Allen, Rupard's opponent in the June 3 runoff, said he expected a runoff and expected the incumbent to be in it. "I was hopeful — and optimistic — about my chances of figuring into the runoff," Allen said.

"I want to express my thanks to all the voters who turned out, and especially those who supported me," Allen continued. "The next 30 days are going to be interesting."

"If I'm elected, I will do my best to do what the majority of the majority of the people in my precinct want. After 22 years in the county, I believe I know the people in my precinct well, and feel that I can represent them in a manner that will give them pride in their representative at the County government," Allen said.

"I also plan to devote my time totally to the job, and have already arranged to take a leave of absence from my job at Cosden if I am elected," Allen said. "This is no pennie-annie thing, and I will take the responsibility seriously if the voters give it to me.

David Barr, front-runner in Saturday's voting in precinct four said he was "tickled to death" to have gotten the support he received.

"I appreciate the votes from my supporters, but I have to admit that the results in my home box pleased me the most," said Barr, who votes at the Vincent polling location.

Weather

Showers reported in Abilene area

By the Associated Press

Election Day dawned wet and wintry-looking through most of Texas Saturday with the threat of showers and tornados in the Panhandle, the Southwest, Northwest and North Central sections.

The National Severe Storms Forecast Center issued a tornado watch Saturday afternoon for 46 counties about the time pollsters expected the heaviest voting rush.

Clouds and fog blotted out the much-wanted sunshine. Showers were reported in the Abilene area, San Antonio and north of Amarillo.

Temperatures varied widely across the state. Morning extremes ranged from a high of 84 at Brownsville to 42 in Dalhart.

	Low	High	Pr.
Abilene	71	83	.00
Alice	73	89	.00
Alpine	61	85	.00
Amarillo	53	63	.02
Austin	71	78	.02
Beaumont	73	84	.00
Brownsville	77	92	.00
Childress	57	75	.00
College Station	73	83	.00
Corpus Christi	74	80	.01
Cotulla	75	91	.00
Dalhart	39	53	.62
Dallas	67	76	.02
Del Rio	72	86	.00
El Paso	61	79	.00
Fort Worth	65	76	.00
Galveston	72	76	.00
Houston	72	78	.00
Junction	75	87	.00
Longview	77	64	.00
Lubbock	57	81	.00
Lufkin	69	83	.00
Marfa	54	86	.00
McAllen	77	93	.00
Midland	64	85	.00
Mineral Wells	68	83	.00
Palacios	72	79	.00
Presidio	54	104	.00
San Angelo	71	87	.00
San Antonio	72	76	.08
Shreveport, La.	60	78	.00
Stephenville	67	86	.02
Texarkana	60	MM	.00
Tyler	67	82	.00
Victoria	74	83	.00
Waco	68	78	.00
Wichita Falls	60	79	.00
Wink	65	90	.00

FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy through Monday. Highs 50s north to 80s south except 90s Big Bend. Lows tonight 30s extreme north to middle 60s south.

EXTENDED FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Generally fair with a warming trend through Thursday. Highs Tuesday 60s north to 80s south, 90s Big Bend warming to 70s north to 90s south by Thursday. Lows Tuesday 30s north to 50s south moderating to 50s north to 60s south by Thursday.

WEATHER FORECAST — Showers are predicted Sunday for a broad band from Wyoming eastward to the Mississippi River Valley and southeast through Kentucky and Tennessee and into the South, according to the National Weather Service. Flurries are possible in portions of Colorado and Kansas.

Area election results

Cousins tie in Sterling City

STERLING CITY — Two cousins have to cast lots to determine which one will be in the runoff for commissioner of Precinct 4 in Sterling County.

Melvin Foster and Skeete Foster had 12 votes each for a total of 24 behind David Drennan's 22 votes. Drennan will compete with one of them.

In precinct 2, Winn McClure was elected commissioner with 20 votes defeating Clinton Hodges, incumbent who had 11 votes.

Sandra Peel, deputy district and county clerk for many years collected a whopping 334 votes to defeat Crisp Williams, local school teacher.

Kathleen Lewis Martin winner

STANTON — Kathleen Lewis won her treasurer's race without a runoff even though she had two opponents.

Mrs. Lewis polled 678 with Faye Langston getting 180 and Helen Thrailkill 383.

In justice of the peace, place 2, David Standifer won easily with 234 and Wes Morgan polled 53.

There is a runoff in the JP race in place one between incumbent Martin Gibson with 296 and Carol Yater, former county judge with 229. Lupe Hinojosa had 114.

Jess Biles won the race for commissioner of Precinct 2 with 186 over two opponents. Mason Coggin had 74 and George Herzog had 60.

There will be a runoff in Precinct 4 commissioners race with Lee Roman with 86 and Earl Newcomer with 81. Grady Grantham polled 41 votes.

In the district judge race, Jim Gregg had 703 and George Thomas 424.

Preston, Bruce face runoff

COLORADO CITY — There will be a runoff in Commissioner 4 race in Loraine in Mitchell County with Billy Preston polling 200 to run off against the incumbent, Robert Bruce with 192. The third candidate, George Lee had 76.

In Westbrook, the incumbent justice of the peace, Ruby Sweatt won the 178 to Grace Johnson's 34 votes.

Marie Bassham was elected county clerk with 1,369 with Joan Beach with 605.

Two votes difference

There was a two votes difference in the commissioners race in Dawson County in Precinct 2.

The incumbent, Abe Furlow lost by two votes, polling 317 with his opponent polling 319.

Congress in the 17th district was Dusty Rhodes with 132 with Fike Godfrey polling 58, Jim Baum 48, Jim Snowden, 44, Jim Sharp 33, Crews McCulloch, 30 and Charles Stenholm, 24.

Leading there for

They also vote there in the big District 19 Congressional race and there were several persons vying for State Senate.

Unopposed candidates nominated in the Democrat primary include County Judge Leslie Pratt, Billie Jean Bingham, county clerk; Barbara Stone, county treasurer; Dalton Myers, precinct 4 commissioner; Richard Nelson, justice of the peace and Leon Cohorn, county chairman.

Your vote is important

GARDEN CITY — Don't say one vote doesn't count. Down in Glasscock County, the commissioners race for precinct 4 was settled by one vote with Jerry Don Robinson upsetting the incumbent, Curtis Palmer 48-47.

Robinson's father was at one time a commissioner and was killed in an accident on the football field when a pole fell.

In the district judge's race, Glasscock County polled 196 for Jim Gregg and 134 for George Thomas.

For county clerk, Mary Lou Overton won by 191 over Kathryn Wheat with 159.

Deaths

LISA THIXTON

Lisa Thixton

Lisa Thixton, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garner Thixton of Big Spring died at 1:20 p.m. Friday at her home after a one-year illness. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

The Rev. D. R. Philley, of Berea Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

Born Jan. 22, 1963, in Big Spring, she had lived here all her life and was a freshman at Forsan High School. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include her parents; two brothers, Tony and Wesley, both of Big Spring; three sisters, Sara, Lucy and Betty, all of Big Spring; grandmothers, Mrs. Cecil Thixton and Lucille Krumnow, both of Big Spring; and great-grandmother, Mrs. I. B. Alderman of Benton, Ark.

The family requests remembrances be in the form of contributions to the Leukemia Society, 1309 Main, Dallas.

Pallbearers include Marvin Casey, A.J. Stanley, D.F. Stanley, Bill Lewis, Brad Dugan, Gage Mims, Gary Cole, and Eddie Decker.

C.C. Reeder

WEATHERFORD — C. C. Reeder, 83, Weatherford, a brother-in-law to Cong. George Mahon of Lubbock, died at 7:45 a.m., Friday in a Weatherford nursing home.

Services will be at 3 p.m., today at White's Funeral Home in Weatherford. Mrs. Reeder married Carrie Mahon in Loraine in 1913. His wife survives him, as do four sons.

Virgie Miles

Mrs. Horace (Virgie) Miles, about 75, Sand Springs, died about midnight Friday in Tempe, Ariz., after having suffered an massive heart attack last Sunday.

Funeral will be at 2 p.m., Tuesday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel here. Burial will follow in Colorado City Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Monette Cooley, Tempe, Ariz., Mrs. Ben Boadle, Big Spring, and Mrs. Orville Griffith, Colorado City; 11 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

A daughter, Ina Miles, preceded her in death.

Five sisters and two brothers also survive. The sisters are Mrs. Norene Alameda, Mrs. Henry Bomar, Mrs. John Bomar and Mrs. Oletta Williams, all of Windom, Tex., and Mrs. Arnold Marshall, Big Spring. The brothers are Sam Ford, Tioga, Tex., and Lendell Ford, Sherman, Tex.

Ernia Terry

COLORADO CITY — Mrs. I. W. (Ernia) Terry Sr. of Colorado City was found dead at her home Friday night. It was ruled death was by natural causes. Services are pending with Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Her husband preceded her in death.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. John (Joan) Iman of San Angelo; a son, I. W. Jr. of Sterling City; a brother, L. C. Webb of Abilene; four grandchildren; and a great-grandson.

JUANITA HAGOOD

Juanita Hagood

Mrs. J. O. (Juanita) Hagood, 60, of Big Spring died at 2:05 p.m. Friday in a local hospital after a lengthy illness. Services will be at 4 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church.

Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park, directed by Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

Born Sept. 28, 1917, in Burlington, N.C., she married J. O. Hagood Aug. 19, 1933, in Chatham, Va. They moved here Oct. 2, 1945, coming from North Carolina. She was a Baptist.

They owned and operated Ritz Drug Store from 1949 until 1956, the Snac-A-Ritz restaurant from 1956 until 1962 and the Permian Snack Bar for several years. For 13 years, she worked as the cosmetologist at Professional Pharmacy.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Oakey of Big Spring; a daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Dolores) Lockmiller of Tacoma, Wash.; four sisters, Mrs. Gene Ashley of Burlington, N.C., Mrs. Mike DeStephanis of Woodbridge, Va., Mrs. H. W. Stuyvesant of Greenville, Pa., and Mrs. Alan Kernodle of Big Spring; and six grandchildren.

The family requests remembrances be in form of contributions to the American Cancer Society.

Pallbearers are Olton Jamison, Jimmy Anderson, Paul Keele, Garrison Walker, Bill Birrell, T. A. Harris, Leonard Moseley, and Lonnie Coker.

Mrs. LaLonde

Mrs. S.H. (Belton) LaLonde, 93, died at 2:30 p.m. in the Park View Rest Home following a long illness.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Monday at the Ross Cemetery at Baird.

Born May 14, 1884 in North Little Rock, Ark. She married S.H. LaLonde Oct. 6, 1904 in Needles, Calif. She had been a Big Spring resident for more than 60 years, coming here the last time in 1950 in El Paso. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and the Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Fireman and Engineers, a member of Chapter 67, Order of Eastern Star and the Social Order of Beauceants. Her husband died April 5, 1949.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. R.C. (Edythe) Utley, Big Spring, and Mrs. M.B. (Evelyn) Walker, Amarillo; six grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Pearl Black

COLORADO CITY — Ida Pearl Black, 97, of Colorado City died at 12:45 a.m. Friday in a local nursing home after a lengthy illness. Services were held 2 p.m. Saturday in Mt. Wike First Assembly of God Church.

Burial followed in Colorado City Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Nov. 24, 1880, in Dallas County, she had lived here since 1942 and married Charles F. Black in 1905 in Dallas. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Mr. Black died in March 1946.

Survivors include a daughter, Maude Moody of Ivanhoe, Calif.; a son, Earl of Rosenbaum, Calif.; five grandchildren; and a sister, Opal Williams of Colorado City.

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Presented by Jaycees

Culwell gains honor

By MARJ CARPENTER

Perry Culwell was named a Jaycee Senator, which is the top award for Jaycees at any level. The surprise presentation came at the end of the annual Big Spring Jaycee Installation Banquet at the Brass Nail Friday night.

Culwell has long been active in Jaycees at a local, regional, state and national level. He is only the second Big Spring Jaycee to receive this honor in the 32 years of the organization. The other was Ben Faulkner. Ben Faulkner helped with the presentation of the senatorship, along with Eddie Cole, a past president of the local club and Charles Cotten, of Garland, state Jaycee president.

Mike Faulkner was named Jaycee of the Year. He also was presented an exact replica of his outstanding National Director award which he received in 1975. The original was destroyed last year in a fire at his home.

Morris Molpus, Jr., outgoing president, told the club of plans for the future. They had a good year financially and have invested in the beginning of a Kiddieland Park at Comanche Trail Park which will be completed with donations and projects.

Molpus was honored with a past president's plaque. He also presented pins to his outgoing officers.

Newly installed as president was Charles Crownover. Other new officers include Mike Lebkowsky, membership vice president; Molpus, development vice president; Doug Rountree, community action vice president; Wayne Pierce, secretary; Mike Faulkner, treasurer; Donnie Anderson, state director and Neal Roberts, Paul Terpening, Gabe Buckley and Ken Johnson, directors.

Cotten made the main address, centered around the Jaycee Creed and its author. Other out of town officials included David Howard, president of the Midland Club, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy LaRoux, regional director from Snyder.

His wife, Nancy LaRoux presented a special presentation to Becky Pierce, outgoing president of the Jaycee-ettes.

There was a quietness to the Jaycee-ette awards since the organization is disbanding and plans to help the Jaycees simply as wives.

Final outstanding Jaycee-Ette Award and Presidential Award both went to Mrs. Neal (Kay) Roberts.

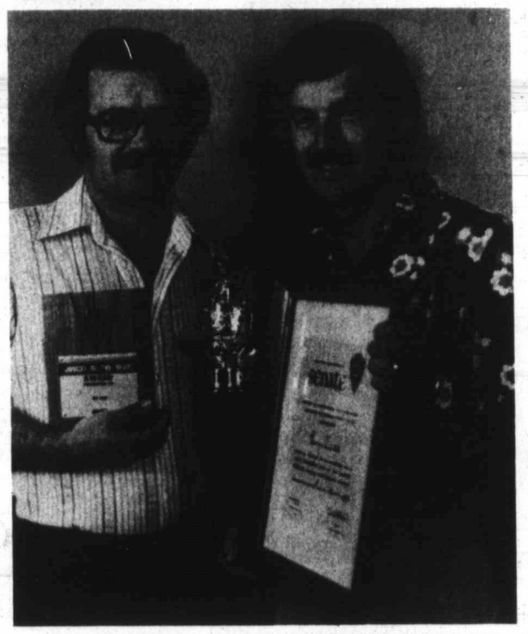
Other presidential awards went to Pat Tallant, and Maria Faulkner.

LaRoux installed the new officers and Cotten the new president.

Wayne Pierce presented the outstanding young man award to Mel Prather. This is a community-wide award.

Molpus presented presidential awards, including director of the year, Wayne Pierce; officer of the year to Crownover; committeeman of the year to Neal Roberts, and Jaycee of the year to Mike Faulkner.

Molpus also presented special awards to Louis Tallant, as the right-hand man. He also gave a left-hand man award to Steve Poitevint.



(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

TOP JAYCEES — Mike Faulkner was named Jaycee of the Year and also received a replica of his 1975 National Director's award destroyed in a fire last year. Perry Culwell (r) was made a Jaycee Senator, which is the highest honor possible for a Jaycee.

MEL PRATHER
...it was unanimous

Outstanding young man honors go to Prather

Mel Prather, public relations director at Citizens Credit Union, was named outstanding young man of Big Spring at the 32nd annual Jaycee Installation Banquet.

Prather was cited as a unanimous choice for the honor. All young men in Big Spring, under the age of 35 are eligible for the honor.

Prather, who has a bachelor of journalism degree from the University of Texas at Austin, has also done graduate work there.

He was especially cited for his chairmanship of the successful Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival and his work through the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce with the festival.

Other recent awards received by Prather include being named to Outstanding Young Men of America on four successive years, second place, Class A, Texas Credit Unions Newsletter Award, mayor's commendation award, Credit Union Executive Society award for outstanding graphics and design and many others.

He has worked on a volunteer basis as chairman of this year's Arts and Crafts Festival, the Army Field Band Concert, and also chairs the Arts and Crafts Committee for the chamber.

He is a member of Ambassadors, Big Spring Industrial Club, helps with United way, belongs to the Air Force Association, has served on tourism and community development committees at the chamber, the Goals for Progress Committee for the city and was publicity chairman for the Bicentennial Commission. He also is a life member of the Non-Commissioned Officers Association. He has helped with United Fund Drives and March of Dimes.

Refugees can get benefits

More than 150,000 Indochinese refugees became eligible for immigration benefits when President Carter signed Public Law 95-145 in October of last year.

Catholic Community Services of San Angelo acts as a voluntary agency in administration of the immigration benefits for the United States immigration and Naturalization Service.

Permanent United States Residency is one of the benefits open to refugees of Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia. Catholic Community Services is anxious to reach refugees from those countries who are now living in this section of the United States. Those wishing permanent residency should contact Catholic Community Services, 7 West Avenue N. San Angelo, Texas 76903 or telephone 915-655-3870 for assistance in preparation of application.

In order for the staff of Catholic Community Services to process application for those refugees from Vietnam, Laos or Cambodia, the following information is required.

A. Names of all family members and the age of each member.

B. Date of entry into the United States for each member of the family.

C. Country of birth.

D. Present address.

Elements gang up on town

STRATFORD, Texas (AP) — Ask anyone here. Somebody's got it in for Stratford. No doubt about it.

At least that's the way it seemed last week.

Depending on the day, or even the hour in some cases, the 2,340 weather-weary residents of this northernmost Panhandle community slogged through 13 inches of snow, dodged three inches of hail, battled high winds and a tornado and peered out through the fog wondering "What's next?"

"Man, I just don't know," deputy sheriff George Thomas said late Friday. "God's got it out for us, I do believe. At least, that's what everybody's thinking. The streets are deserted. Nobody's going outdoors tonight. We're expecting anything — typhoon, hurricane, fire ants, ANYTHING!"

Stratford was under a severe thunderstorm watch as Thomas spoke. But of greater concern to townspeople was that latest cruelty joke from the National Weather Service in statement form that said "rain, possibly turning to snow" over the weekend.

By Saturday morning, a police dispatcher reported thankfully "no snow yet. But we now we got fog."

Town manager Max Stephenson had reached a point of willy-nilly where nothing that happened would be a surprise.

"Boy," he said Friday. "If we'd just had an earthquake today, we'd have had it made."

The month of May began pleasantly enough here. It was 71 degrees last Monday. The corn was in the ground and everyone was glad the torrid winter was finally a statistic.

Then, things got freaky.

Between Tuesday and Wednesday, 13 inches of snow fell, breaking the 1942 record of seven inches.

The snow melted by Thursday — just in time for a windstorm to dump three inches of hail on the soggy ground. The winds, or course, were followed by a tornado.

The hail shattered windows and the twister destroyed several stock tanks, fences and utility poles. However, the only casualty was a horse that was struck by some flying debris.

Helping the victim

Seminar on rape

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — An attacker suddenly leaps out of darkness and rips a woman's dress as she walks down a city street. She screams and scratches, but is raped after being struck several times.

There may be enough clues in this scene, and many less violent cases, to convict a suspected rapist. But the Texas Medical Association says doctors and police need to know how to handle the situation to help the victim and preserve valuable evidence.

The TMA is sponsoring a special seminar on rape to train doctors in adequately aiding rape victims.

The seminar Friday will be part of TMA's annual convention, which runs Thursday through next Sunday. As many as 5,500 physicians are expected to attend and 400 physician-speakers are on the program.

Among the speakers are Dr. John H. Budd of Cleveland, president of the American Medical Association, University of Texas basketball Coach Abe Lemons and Dr. Edward Teller, the famous physicist who pioneered much nuclear technology.

One section of the rape seminar will concentrate on the emotional wounds a rape victim suffers. Cathy Bonner, executive director of the Texas Rape Prevention and Control Project, will discuss the fear, guilt and other emotions that rape victims must face.

Ms. Bonner, who lives in Austin, says many cities have rape crisis centers or special police units to help rape victims without upsetting them further.

Medically aiding the rape victim also requires special sensitivites, she says, and one part of the TMA program will outline proper procedures for collecting evidence and meeting the victim's medical needs.

Another portion of the seminar will tell doctors how to give testimony properly in a rape trial.

Denton returns from cruise

Navy Journalist Seaman Rick T. Denton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Denton of Big Spring, has returned after a three-month training and goodwill cruise in the South Atlantic.

He is assigned to the amphibious assault ship USS Inchon, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

Denton joined the Navy in October 1975.

BOB SMITH

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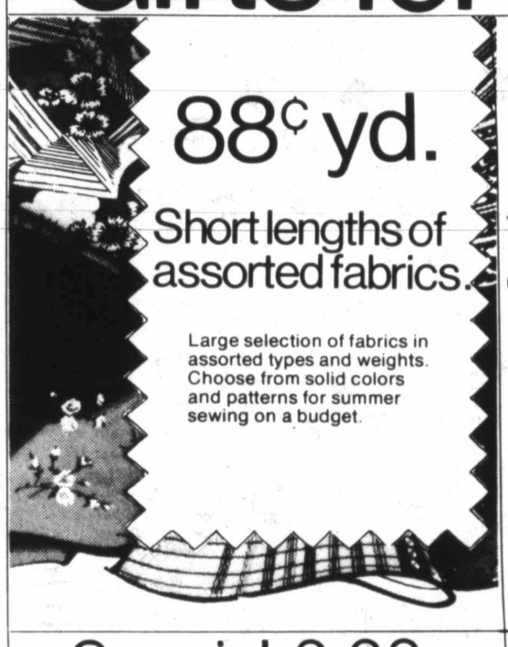

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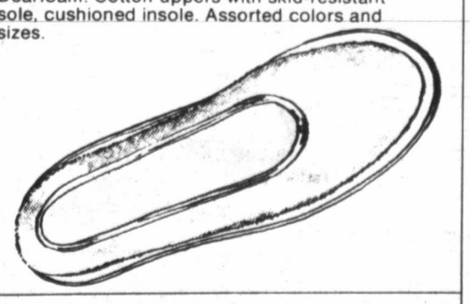

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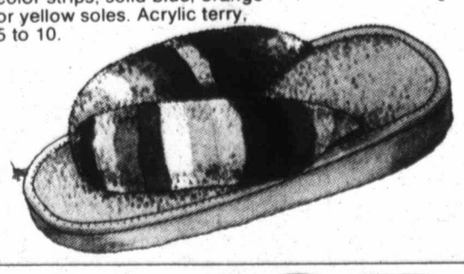

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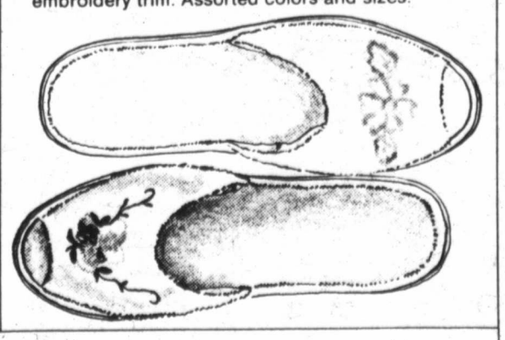

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College degree loses some of its allure

The International Labor Organization suggests that a college degree may be "fast becoming a ticket to nowhere" and notes that growing number of graduates are either unable to find jobs in their fields or must take positions not suited to their qualifications.

The ILO estimates the number of "surplus" university graduates in the United States between 1974 and 1975 at 950,000, adding that the outlook for women looks particularly bleak.

The females' unemployment rate in engineering and scientific fields is put at four times that of men.

AMERICAN COLLEGE graduates who have been "over-trained" or trained in all the wrong things are not unique. The problem is international. Even Western Europe and Japan, where access to a university education has been more restricted with degrees traditionally carrying greater prestige are feeling the effects of excess graduates.

Communist countries, through strict curbs or admissions to institutions of higher learning, are less troubled. Slow-developing countries have fragile economies that make them even less able than the industrial powers to absorb bumper crops of graduates.

The problem, the International Labor Organization concludes, is in part the product of a worldwide birth rate in the 1950s. Inadequate career planning, too, is a factor.

MEANWHILE, a greater premium than ever before has been put on proper training for those people who perform services. Time was when such professions carried somewhat of a stigma, ridiculous as the custom was. That certainly is the case no more.

The man who becomes a master carpenter, a plumber or an automobile mechanic not only discovers he occupies a very necessary place in our society but he now finds his pay has kept pace accordingly. His kind is in continual short supply. If you don't believe it, look in the want ad section of any newspaper, this one included.

Accumulating knowledge in the arts and sciences just isn't the magnet to young minds it once was.

King of overdrafts

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — Among the charges the SEC made against Bert Lance was that he was involved in a series of banking and securities violations jeopardizing a Georgia bank he headed. Lance, the federal complaint charged, authorized and prolonged overdrafts to his family to the tune of $800,000 — 70 per cent of all the overdrafts at his bank.

If these charges are true, there must have been some funny conversations going on at the dinner table in Lance's palatial dining room in Calhoun at the time. I wasn't there, so I'm just imagining how one went.

DAVID, THE Lances' teen-age son, says, "Hey, Dad, my checking account has been overdrawn by $11,000. I only wrote one check this month for a Frisbee which cost $1.50."

"Shut up and drink your soda," Bert says.

"But gosh, Dad, there must be a mistake at the bank."

"There was no mistake at the bank. I had to write a check for your Uncle Clyde, who owed the First National Bank of Flatire $11,000 in interest for a loan we got from them to pay for some work on our farm."

"Why is Uncle Clyde paying for work done on our farm?"

"Because I didn't want to write any more checks on your mother's account. She has an overdraft of $110,000 and most of that went to the Coyote Savings Bank, which gave us the money to pay the interest on the loan we obtained from the Catfish Trust Company."

LABELLE SAYS, "Bert, I don't mind having overdrafts, but does the bank have to send me nasty notes saying I'm getting to be a bad risk? It makes me nervous."

"Don't pay attention to the notices, LaBelle. They're just routine."

"How much of an overdraft do I have?" asks Beverly, the Lances' other teenager.

"Just $10,000," Bert replies.

"That's not fair. David always gets a bigger overdraft than I do."

"David's older. He's entitled to we the bank more than you."

"Ha, ha, ha," David says. "I'm overdrafted $1,000 more than you."

"Stop it, children," LaBelle says. "I'm sure when you get to be 18, Beverly, you'll be in as much debt as your brother."

"Maybe more," Bert says.

"What did you do with my overdraft, Daddy?"

"I used it to cut down on Uncle Willy's overdraft. He was complaining that he couldn't get an American Express card because he was so much in hock to our bank."

"AUNT MARTHA called," David says. "She wanted to know if she could write a check for $7,000 to buy a new car. She said she only had $49 in her account."

"Sure, call her back and say it's fine. On second thought, I better call her. She may be surprised when she gets a statement next month that she has an overdraft of $20,000."

"What for?" LaBelle asks.

"I had to start paying on the principal of the money we borrowed from the General Lee Savings and Loan Assn., which I needed to cover the loan Grandma Harkins made on the Orka State Federal Insurance Co., which guaranteed Cousin Efrem's interest payments from the Peanut Assn. Credit Union. Can't we have just one dinner without talking about business?"

"Dad, can I have $5 to take my girl to the movies tonight?" David asks.

"I gave you $5 last Friday. Can't you people learn that money doesn't grow on trees?"

Iodine the cause of her hives

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: As far back as I can recall, my eyes have felt as though there were something in them, like dust. Only eye baths gave me relief. A few years ago I had to have a test that required iodine injection. We found out too late that I was allergic to the iodine. My eyes almost swelled shut and the doctors had to give me an antidote.

Now I know what the culprit is — iodine in salt. I tested myself by avoiding it and I feel perfect. I have talked to my doctor and he cannot give me any of the antidote to use daily.

We eat so many meals out that I know I will keep on getting iodine in salt. Can you tell me what to do? — Mrs. L.C.

If one is sensitive to iodine, then prolonged use can prime the allergic state so that a large dose of medicinal iodine will set off the reaction you report. It is not common, however.

It may be that by avoiding use of iodized salt, the tiny amount you might get in an occasional restaurant meal would not harm you. There are many iodine-rich foods you can avoid, seafood for example, or kelp. Many medicines, such as vitamin preparations, contain iodine. Your doctor can give you a more complete list of the iodine-rich foods to avoid.

Because you would be getting only small amounts, it would not be practical to take antidotes each day. It is no great problem to carry your own iodine-less salt shaker when you dine out.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I am 81 years old. Recently I was admitted to the hospital and stayed for nine days. My doctor said I had a cerebral hemorrhage, not a stroke. But, I think this is a fancy way of saying stroke. Is it? — L.V.C.

A cerebral hemorrhage is a form of stroke. It is, of course, a bleeding in the brain area. It might have been mild enough that there was no weakening or paralysis of muscles. In this sense, it would not have been what doctors refer to as a "completed stroke."

Stroke results from what is called a "cerebral accident." And, as with any accident, recovery depends on the extent of injury and how well the body is able to recover from it. For this reason, doctors may not care to use the term "stroke" by itself, because it is essentially meaningless unless more closely defined. My booklet, "Stroke: Hope and Help," will give you an idea of just what is involved. For a copy send 35 cents and a self-addressed envelope to me care of the Big Spring Herald.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Would you please write about diets for people with cirrhosis of the liver? What about meats, vegetables, etc.? We enjoy your column, especially when you help us pronounce medical terms and put them into laymen's language. — R.A.

A cirrhosis diet should be well-rounded, containing moderate protein from dairy products, meat, and fowl. Fat contents hould be moderate. It should be fairly generous in carbohydrates — starch and sugars. It should be salt-poor, and if there is swelling (such as dropsy) it should be salt-free. Processed meats are not desirable because they do contain forms of salt. There are no restrictions on fruits and vegetables.

Thanks for the comment about the little pronunciation aids I sometimes include. My thinking is that if you "have it" you should at least be able to pronounce it properly.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: What is rickets? — H.P.

It's faulty bone formation caused by a deficiency of Vitamin D. A D-vitamin supplement in babies milk has sharply reduced the incidence of rickets. This is why you don't see nearly as many bowlegged folks today as you might have 50 years ago.

You thyroid plays a critical health role for you — in everything from eyesight to fertility. Dr. Thosteson explains this important, and misunderstood, gland in his booklet, "Your Thyroid: How It Works For You." To get a copy, enclose 50 cents and a long, stamped and self-addressed envelope to him 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:

Can anyone tell me why the new Roy Anderson softball complex north of town does not welcome spectators who are unable to walk the long distance to the stands?

What about all the grandparents who enjoy seeing their grandchildren play but are unable to walk that distance, much less sit on those hard backless seats? Are such people kept away because they are old?

And the handicapped. The whole nation is trying to make life easier for them. I guess that doesn't include the ball park attendants, however. Were those people kept out because they are handicapped?

Have you looked and listened to the people in the cars parked along the fence, you would have seen and heard what hometown softball is all about. Everyone had a place, even if he or she couldn't walk to it. People in cars and stands joined together to see their kids play ball. Win or lose, fun was had by all.

But I guess the way they have the ball park fixed now teaches the kids more about the real world out there. Dig ditches, string, cable, plow up roads, anything to keep the 'odd' ones out.

Mrs. Betty McElrath
2205 Warren

Dear Editor:

My wife and I found more news in your (so-called) little paper than we have ever gotten from either the Tampa or St. Petersburg papers.

You can rest assured that when we move to Big Spring the Herald will be our paper.

K.N. Armstrong
1414 Cherry Creek Lane
Port Richey, Fla.

My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: What became of the towns of Sodom and Gomorrah, so famous for sin? Is there any sign of the remains of these cities, reportedly destroyed because of the sexual perversions of their citizens. — M.H.

DEAR M.H.: According to archeologists, both of these cities are now probably under the briny waters of the Dead Sea. This area, the lowest spot on earth (1,292 feet below sea level), brings thousands of tourists weekly.

Sodom and Gomorrah were two of the five Cities of the Plains destroyed in the time of Abraham and Lot (Genesis 19). The wickedness and godlessness of these cities became proverbial, and their significance is more than archeological. In the New Testament, their fate is used as a warning to those who reject the Gospel. "In a similar way, Sodom and Gomorrah and the surrounding towns gave themselves up to sexual immorality and perversion. They serve as an example of those who suffer the punishment of eternal fire" (Jude 7, New International Version).

Frankly, I'm alarmed at the indications that America is increasingly embracing the same sexual abnormalities that made the Sodomite and the residents of Gomorrah abhorrent in the eyes of a righteous God. If there is one lesson of history, it is that you do not sin with immunity. But likewise, if there's one lesson in the Gospel, it is that forgiveness and restoration is available to sinners with repentant hearts.

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"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

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'Spoonerisms'

Around the rim

Walt Finley

My mother, a life-long resident of Durant, Okla., who is visiting, running and playing in Big Spring, recalls "Sooner spoonerisms" credited to the man for whom they were named — the Rev. William Spooner, warden of New College, Oxford, England.

Many of his best-remembered sayings occurred in church, like the time he asked a parishioner, "Mardon me, padam, aren't you occupewing the wrong pie?"

Another time, after officiating at a wedding, he turned to the bridegroom and said, "It's kisstomary to cuss the bride."

He announced a hymn as "When Kinkering Congs Their Titles Take," and he once referred to "our dear old queen Victoria" as "our queer old dean."

He used to tell friends the only popular tunes he knew were "God Save the Weasel" and "Pop Goes the Queen."

PRETTY PAM Holcombe, wife of Herald pressman Steve Holcombe, celebrated her birthday Saturday at Six Flags in Big D. She was overheard telling "van man" Steve on the new shock wave ride:

"If a kid survives childhood games in the 1970s, he knows he's ready for the big time — driving on Dallas streets.

FAST AND FLASHY DANNY Valdez please pay attention to the following item.

Those sly folk at the Polaroid plant have now come up with instant home movies, and it just might sound the death knell for television.

With the new Polariod system, you just shoot your movies of the kids making mud pies or smirking at the camera, wait, a minute, remove the film cassette and drop it into a "viewer" which projects the pictures minutes after they are taken.

The viewer looks suspiciously like a television screen, and that's why I say the new instant movies may deliver a death blow to TV.

Why so, you ask?

WELL, STOP, and consider. What do people like to see most on television? Why, themselves, of course.

They may not admit it, but watch any show in which the camera from time to time scans the audience.

When it does so, you will note that not a soul in the audience is watching the show.

Everyone has his or her head lifted and is staring intently at the studio monitor. They are waiting for that glorious moment when their own face appears on the screen.

WHEN IT DOES, it brings different reactions from different people. Elderly ladies (as in the Lawrence Welk audience) are likely to beam and wave at their own image. Middle-aged men feign indifference. But the way they straighten their ties and let their eyes roll upwards tips you to the fact that they are very conscious of being on TV.

You don't even need the presence of a studio monitor to note this phenomenon.

Just observe the crowd at a televised football game. The moment the field camera pans across the multitude, at least 10,000 spectators burst into broad smiles and a frenzy of waving. For the moment, they feel, they are the focus of attention.

That is nothing new, of course, for the same egotism affects the print media. Editors and reporters have known for years that if readers have a preference in stories, it is for stories about themselves. That's Number One on any reader's list. It is why scrapbooks were born.

So, given a choice, people would rather see themselves on the boob tube than anything else.

CONSIDER NOW the sad state of television today. Leaving aside an occasional gem of a program, or reruns of the wonderful Mary Tyler Moore, college football and Lou Grant, TV today consists largely of the same vast wasteland that Newton Minnow perceived some years ago.

There are shows about divorced or widowed ladies arguing with daughters who aren't worth arguing with, shows about screaming wives and men who climb on couches and kick their heels on the pillows, shows built around homosexualism, and other shows that snigger for a half-hour over vulgarisms that make you think the writers got their training writing dirty words on alley fences.

Against such competition, the appeal of instant home movies is obvious. The average family would much rather watch a half hour program on itself than any of the above.

THE ONLY DRAWBACK, of course, is that home movies would be visible only on the family's own home viewer. But I bet the Polariod people get around that in time.

They probably will devise a hookup to the family telephone so that you can shoot your home movies, develop them in a minute's time, and then make a long distance call and, telephonically show the pictures to Aunt Marie and Uncle Russ back in Oklahoma, Kansas or where-have-you, on the viewer in THEIR home.

MAYBE, BEFORE that day arrives, television will improve. I've delayed the writing of my book entitled "The Cricket Coogler Murder Case." I've only spent 28 years on the "great all-American novel." So, what's the hurry? I'm busy writing a TV script that I have high hopes will make TV sparkle one more time.

Sitty Landers, it's about a vegetarian detective. It's called "Celery Queen — the sleuth who likes to stalk suspects."

Lobbying problems

Jack Anderson,

WASHINGTON — Industry lobbyists, operating behind the scenes, have brought quiet pressure on senators, which may destroy the fragile congressional compromise on energy legislation.

After days of tense secret meetings, the House negotiators finally agreed to the Senate's demand to lift price controls on natural gas by 1985. But the House conferees insisted that the gas price hikes be absorbed by the industry, not the consumers.

They finalized the plan and reduced it to a confidential eight-page document. The senators reluctantly went along with this and raced to the TV cameras to announce an agreement.

But now some senators have backed off under pressure from the industry. "They're getting heat from industrial users who don't want to pay these higher gas prices," said one participant.

This has angered several House members who feel they've already conceded too much. Our sources say the entire energy package may be about to unravel.

PRESIDENT CARTER'S beleaguered emissaries, meanwhile, are pushing hard for a bill at any price. Energy Secretary James Schlesinger, for example, shuttled between the House and Senate factions to hammer out a compromise. But congressmen told us that Schlesinger listened to their secret negotiating strategy and then rushed over to the Senate and leaked it to the senators.

This has put a strain on Schlesinger's relations with the House conferees. At one point, the up-tight Schlesinger yelled at Rep. John Dingell, D.-Mich., for refusing to compromise on higher gas prices.

"My constituents would tar and feather me if I went along with this," Dingell complained.

"They'll tar and feather you if you don't come up with a bill," Schlesinger shot back.

Several House members seemed more concerned about the gas producers in their home states than the national energy crisis. Rep. Harley Stagges, D.-W. Va., for example, said producers back home had warned him they would not drill for gas encased in shale rock unless price controls were lifted.

Sen. Wendell Ford, D.-Ky., kept talking about independent drillers in Kentucky. Rep. Charles Wilson, D.-Tex., spoke mainly about the needs of small gas companies in his Texas district.

Even the champion of higher prices, Sen. Bennett Johnston, D.-La., wanted a special exemption for his own constituents. After a compromise was reached, Johnston tried to exempt some sugar mills in Louisiana from the price rise.

THIS SPURRED other House members into demanding exemptions for cotton mills and poultry farms in their districts. Staggers finally cracked that he wanted "to protect the moonshiners in West Virginia."

Footnote: We called the offices of all those whose backstage remarks we have quoted. All acknowledged that they want to protect local interests. An Energy Department spokesman said Schlesinger "was negotiating in good faith."

DOUBLE STANDARD: For all his public outrage over human rights abuses, President Carter still manages to close one eye when American self-interests are at stake.

A case in point is the brutal jungle war raging today in the southern Philippines — a war that has pitted the overwhelmingly Christian military against Moslem insurgents. The Moslems claim they are fighting to prevent the government forces from exterminating their culture.

The government troops are armed primarily with U.S. weapons. These have been used, according to objective Western observers, not only to contain the insurgents but to fire upon civilians.

THE STATE Department admits it has heard such reports and believes them to be true. Yet there is no mention of these atrocities in the department's recent human rights report. Perhaps not coincidentally, the United States is now negotiating with Manila over the status of two major military bases in the Philippines.

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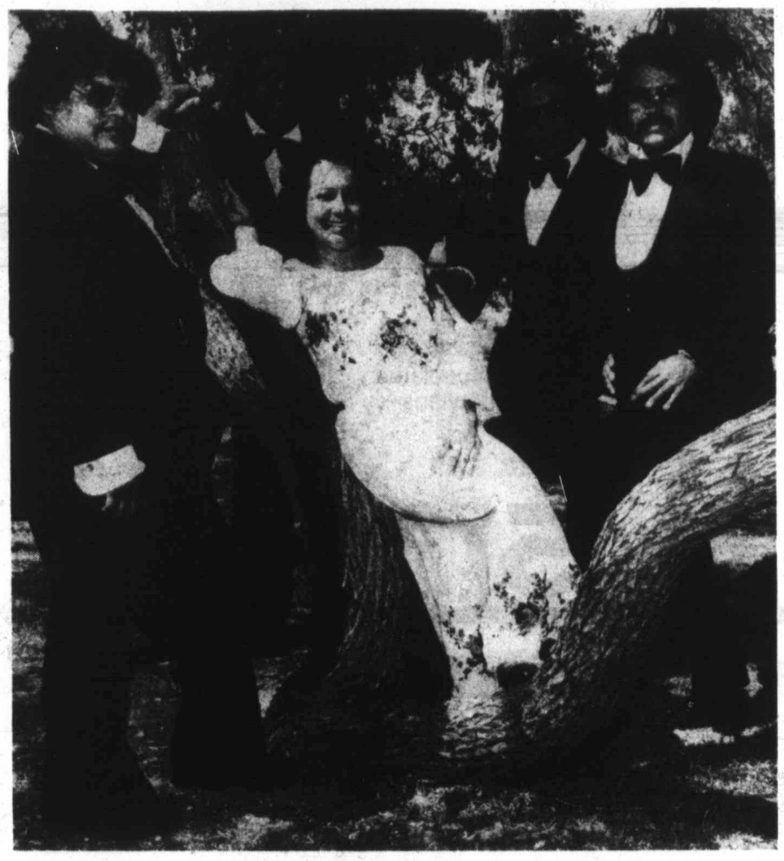

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

LOS DUKES — This musical group has been performing for many area dances and programs and were to perform twice this weekend. They include, left to right, Bob Hernandez, Alberto Garcia, Lydia Molina, Pano Rodriguez and Henry Gutierrez, leader.

Band plays all kinds of music

A new sound in town

By MARJ CARPENTER

There's a new musical group in Big Spring that has over 100 years musical experience between them.

The group has played together for only five months. But their years of individual experience have allowed them to put together a musical group that can play Spanish music, Country Western, Hard Rock, Waltzes and almost every kind of dance music.

They played Friday night at the "Cinco de Mayo" Dance at the Dora Roberts Community Center. And they also will play today in Midland at a "Conjunto." That's a kind of battle of the bands which features groups that have an accordian instead of band instruments.

The local band, called Los Dukes, has a drummer, guitar, string bass and accordian as well as two vocalists.

They will compete with the Marcel Chapa band from Stanton and Larry Villereal's group from Lamesa at Las Palmas in Midland Sunday.

"These are both experienced bands and it's a compliment to be pitted against them after only five months," Henry Gutierrez, leader of Los Dukes, said here this week. Gutierrez works for Big Spring Hardware.

Gutierrez, who has 20 years experience on the string bass, which he taught himself, has put together a group that includes Albert G. Garcia, drummer from Lamesa. He originally played with Vaillereal. And he has composed several songs, including "Esta Vida" and "Sentios la Vida" and a dozen more. In addition to playing in the band, he works for the city of Lamesa.

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

MUSICALLY EXPERIENCED — This band, called Los Dukes, has over 100 years of musical experience and performances behind them. They include Alberto Garcia of Lamesa and Pano Rodriguez, Henry Gutierrez, Bob Hernandez, and Lydia Molina, all of Big Spring.

One of the band members is Pano Rodriguez, who plays the guitar. He works on a construction crew on the side. He has years of guitar playing behind him.

Bob Hernandez, who previously lived in San Antonio, plays the accordian and is a vocalist. Bob works at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Lydia Molina has been a vocalist with several groups in the Big Spring area. She also has done duets with her father, D. M. Corrales, for wedding and other events. She works at Hall Bennett Hospital.

All of the group often plays at charity events, church events and weddings.

They are a really experienced musical group and are really professional types to have to work at it only part time. Henry says you can sure call him at 267-1578 to nail down an appearance by the band.

And they're easy to get along with. They really like to play.

From the words of Cielito Lindo, "Canta y no llores." And you won't cry much if you hear the music of Los Dukes. It's a happy group and they're another good Big Spring musical organization.

Joe Antilley renamed to conservation board

TEMPLE — Joe Antilley of Abilene was re-elected May 2 to serve another five-year term on the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board.

Antilley, who owns and operates 2,400 acres of ranch land in Taylor and Callahan counties, has served on the State Board since May, 1968.

Created in 1939, as an agency of state government, the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board is headquartered in Temple. Unlike many state agencies and commissions whose policy making bodies are gubernatorial appointees, the State Board consists of five elected members.

The State Board's chief responsibility is to coordinate the program of Texas' 198 soil and water conservations districts. Helping districts preserve soil, water and related natural resources is the basic mission of the State Board. Through the State Board, districts receive monies on a matching basis to help finance their individual conservation programs.

Antilley will represent State Zone Two, which consists of 51 counties in the West Texas area. State Zone Two consists of 41 soil and water conservation districts within its boundaries.

Antilley, who is a former district director of the Middle Clear Fork Soil and Water Conservation District headquartered in Abilene, is a member of the Texas Section, Society for Range Management and represents the State Board on the Texas Natural Resources Council.

JOE ANTILLEY

He is also a member of the Rolling Plains Chapter of the Soil Conservation Society, Soil Conservation Society of America, Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association and Rolling Plains Economic Program.

In 1970, Antilley was presented the Excellence in Grazing Management Award by the Texas Section, Society for Range Management. In 1973, he was presented the Commendation Award by the Soil Conservation Society of American for dedicated leadership and support of Conservation Programs throughout Texas.

Antilley also holds the American Farmer Degree and was recognized as the Star American Farmer in Texas in 1948. The two recognitions for outstanding agricultural achievements were presented by the Future Farmers of America.

Rural heists are cleared up

All but a few items have been recovered from the rural burglaries cleared up with the arrest of Hershel Love, according to Sheriff A.N. Standard.

Apparently one ring was thrown out the window because it had initials and there is also still a watch missing, the sheriff related.

One ring was recovered in a pawn shop in Colorado City this week. Love had apparently been back to his home town there while he was in the area.

Stolen truck is recovered

An abandoned one-ton flatbed welding truck was recovered in Big Spring, after being reported in Midland as missing, according to Sheriff A.N. Standard.

The truck was apparently left at a local motel. The portable welding equipment had been removed from the back, the radio taken out and tools taken from the truck, according to Standard.

Dean revamping system

Boards mull over budget

By BOB BURTON

The city council, the commissioner's court, and the school board will meet this week. Somewhere in their considerations, they will mull over the $140,000 tax appraisal budget Appraiser Earl Dean wants for his office.

Dean is in the process of revamping the entire appraisal system, and he needs the support of the "Big Three", who along with the junior college provide 90 per cent of the funds for the Howard County Tax Appraisal Board.

Dean envisions a glorious future for the appraisal office. He wants detailed maps, new cards, efficient equipment. He believes that $140,000 this year, and a comparable budget next year should gain that goal.

He also says that he believes the appraisal budget should stay around that level beyond the next few years.

"You get what you pay for," says Dean. "This type of operation can run on one man, but that's all you'll get. With more people, the appraised value of the county will be higher as we keep up with the new building and evaluations."

Dean says that he believes his proposed budget is average for a county this size, perhaps even on the low side. He would ultimately like to see a staff of an appraiser, a junior appraiser, a personal property man who can also do mapping, and two secretaries to handle the cards and records.

Dean plans to move his office out of the county courthouse. His budget this year includes $5,000 rent, $1,200 janitorial service, and $1,000 in office furniture, to help handle the move.

But the basic question is simply, how can the taxpayers know that they are paying a fair price to have their property appraised?

The simplest answer is by comparison. Dean is now in a rebuilding program. He has requested $46,080 to hire mappers to turn aerial photographs into maps.

But just to operate the office, how efficient is the Howard County Tax Appraisal office?

On a cost per parcel basis, the office is on the high side of normal. If Dean's five-man budget is passed, the working salaries would drive Howard County costs to well above normal, and if $10,000 is spent on salaries just to run the office, Howard County taxpayers will be paying up to six times what other area counties are paying for tax appraisal.

COUNTY COMPARISONS		(No. of staff)	
County (City)	Parcels	Salary budget	Cost per parcel
Midland (Midland)	35,605	$57,295 (6)	$1.60
Tom Green (San Angelo)	36,937	$33,896 (3)	$0.91
Ector (Odessa)	46,297	$33,500 (0)	$0.72
Scurry (Snyder)	12,400	$33,711 (4)	$2.71
Mitchell (C.City)	all under	Tax Assessor	(no appraiser)
Howard County (1977)	20,082	$41,200 (3)	$2.05
Howard County (1978)	20,082	$74,700 (5)	$3.72
Howard County (at $100,000)	20,082	$100,000 (?)	$4.98

Mileage rates within the Tax Appraisal Office are generous, too. Howard County appraisers (senior and junior) split a $6,000 allotment, or $250 per month. Midland County pays 17.4 cents per mile, and Tom Green County pays $100 per month. At 17 cents per mile, both appraisers here would have to drive about 70 miles per day to total $6,000 in a year.

The tax appraisal office will be closely scrutinized by the governmental agencies meeting this week. Many questions will be asked and answered. Dean's budget may not be as healthy when he receives a final go-ahead as he has hoped, but hopefully before the green light is given all the agencies will satisfy themselves over the validity of each proposed dollar.

The following chart is the result of a recent survey of area county tax appraisal offices. Most of them are included in some way under the County Tax Assessor-Collector's office. For example, Scurry County's clerical help works several months a year for the Tax Assessor-Collector rather than the Tax Appraiser. No adjustment has been made in the chart for this.

Ector County is unique because their entire program is contracted to Pritchard and Abbot at a flat rate.

Mitchell County is unique because the Tax Assessor-Collector doubles as the appraiser and the other help is indistinguishable from the function as an assessing-collecting office.

No other county has a combined system like Howard County's. These figures are only for the county taxing system, as that is also the geographically largest entity in the Howard County Tax Appraisal Board.

The rest should be self-explanatory.

Grant awarded for assistance

Antonio Morales, chairman of the board, has announced that the Business Development Center of the American GI Forum, Inc., (a non-profit corporation) based in Fort Worth, has received a $307,000 contract to assist minority business persons in obtaining business loans and contracts.

Working hand-in-hand with local banks and with the Small Business Administration, the BDC counsels in the ownership and expanding of such businesses as carpet and grocery sales, restaurants, auto supply and paint and body shops, manufacturing and building contracts. The 1977 year showed a production of $11 million in business generated through BDC efforts.

The Department of Commerce contract was awarded through the Office of Minority Business Enterprise April 1. Under terms of the contract, the BDC will extend business assistance to north and west Texas. Local offices are at Lubbock, Odessa, Waco and Wichita Falls. Abilene is scheduled to open an office in the near future.

Sponsored by the American GI Forum, a national veterans organization, the BDC began operating in March, 1974 in Fort Worth and Irving and several surrounding counties. The Business Development Center has produced $22 million in loans and contracts for its clients since its inception. The organization headquarters is located at 1159 E. Seminary Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76115.

Minorities and Vietnam veterans interested in starting or expanding a business can get help by calling the local BDC office in one of the cities listed, or by calling Richard S. Contreras, Executive Director (817)926-0255. All services provided by this organization are available at no cost to the client.

Officers seek two vandals

Two young men are being sought by sheriff's officials for criminal mischief in the Tubbs Addition South of Big Spring.

The pair was seen driving a pickup down Kyle Road, Jeffrey Road and Todd Road. A dog was barking in the back and the pickup was pulling a log chain. They were knocking down mail boxes and street signs, with at least a dozen signs have been reported damaged, according to Sheriff A.N. Standard.

Anyone with additional information on the pair are asked to call the sheriff.

A horse is a horse of course, of course, unless of course that famous horse is...See the Classifieds, section K-3

Funds Oked for school

Congressman Omar Burleson has announced the approval of funds to the Big Spring, Coahoma and Forsan County Line Independent School Districts by the Office of Education.

The funds are for fiscal year 1978 and are available under Public Law 874, providing financial assistance for schools in federally affected areas.

The Big Spring Independent School District will receive a tentative entitlement of $166,383 with a certified immediate payment in the amount of $109,813.01.

Coahoma will receive a tentative entitlement of $7,563 and certified immediate payment of $2,866.57. Forsan County Line Independent School District tentative entitlement is $4,376 with a certified immediate payment in the amount of $2,205.56.

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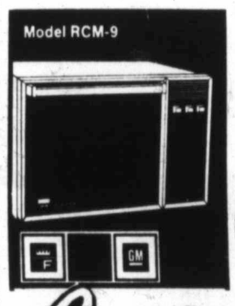

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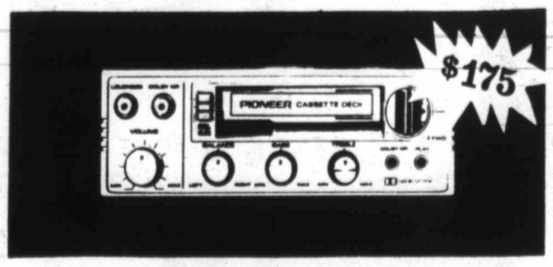

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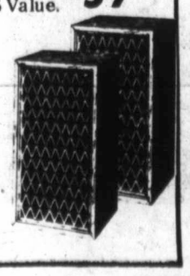

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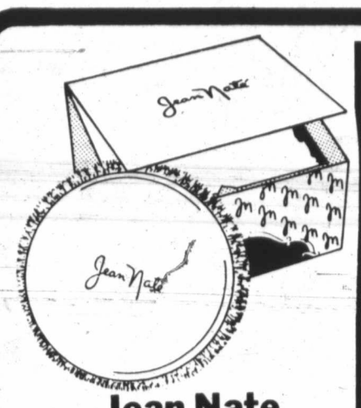
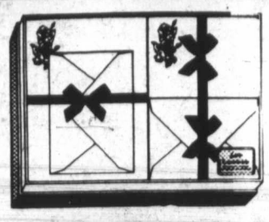


Jean Nate Bath Powder
9-Oz.
3.79

Jean Nate Friction Pour Le Bain
5.99
32-Oz. Btl.

Whitman's Sampler
Assorted Chocolates and Confections
2-Lb. Box
REG. 6.99
5.79



Stuart Hall
Stationery Ensemble
Boxed Gift Ensemble.
REG. 2.99
1.69

Concept 2000
No. 5305

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Woodgrain ca
REG. 24.97 **1**

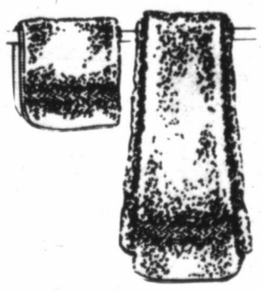
English Bath Cubes
Six 1½-Oz. scented bath cubes.
79¢

Tennis Hats
Assorted solid colors with contrasting trim.
REG. 1.97-2.27 **1.44**

Cutex Nail Enamel
Frost or Creme
Assorted Colors
50¢ EACH

Knee Highs
Sheer stretch nylon stockings with non-binding stay-up band. Asst'd shades.
4 PAIR PKG. /99¢

3-Piece Luggage Set
21"-24" sizes. Embossed vinyl covering. Brocade vinyl lining inside vanity.
REG. 24.97 **19.88**



St. Mary's
Towels
The Andover collection of solid color bath towels in your choice of sapphire blue, bronze gold, sable or white.

Wash Cloths ..... REG. 63¢ **57¢**
Guest Towels .... REG. 1.17 **97¢**

Woven Bedspreads
Twin or full size jaquard bedspreads in assorted designs and colors.
REG. 12.97 **10.88 EACH**

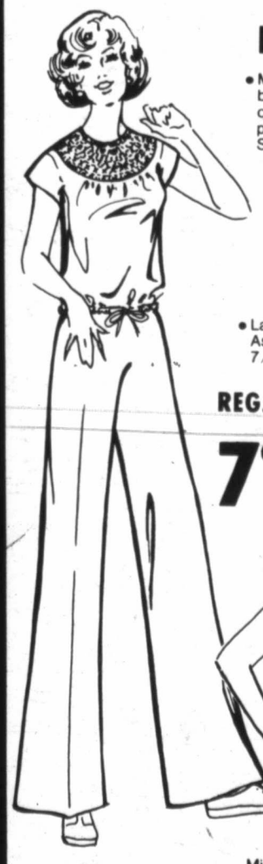
Fashion Gifts For Mom

Long Gown
100% nylon tricot. Asst'd styles and colors. Sizes S-M-L.
REG. 4.47 **3.88**

Baby Dolls
100% nylon tricot. Asst's styles & colors. S-M-L.
REG. 4.47 **3.88**

Waltz Gown
100% nylon tricot. Asst'd styles & colors. Sizes: S-M-L.
REG. 3.97 **2.88**

Peignoir Set
100% nylon. Asst'd colors. Asst'd long sleeve styles with sleeveless gowns. Sizes: S-M-L.
9.88



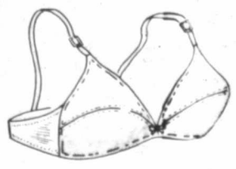
Blouses
- Misses fancy lace-trim blouses. Four styles to choose from. 100% polyester. White or beige. Sizes: 32-38

REG. 6.97
5.88 EACH

Pants
- Ladies' polyester pants Asst'd colors. Sizes: 7/8-15/16.

REG. 9.97
7.97

Underpair
Polyester panty with cotton crotch & sheer nylon legs
REG. 1.37 **99¢**

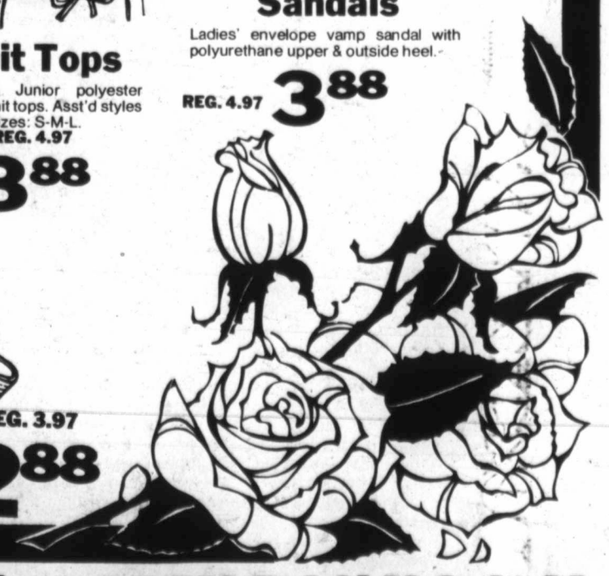


Bra
Plunge bra with light fiber fill tricot cups. White or beige. Sizes: 32A-38C.
REG. 1.97 **1.50**

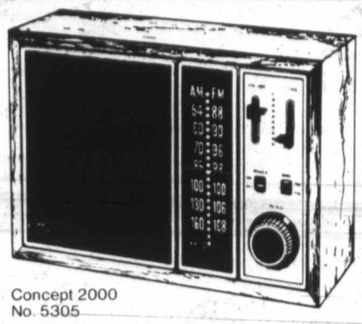
Sandals
Ladies' envelope vamp sandal with polyurethane upper & outside heel.
REG. 4.97 **3.88**

Knit Tops
Misses & Junior polyester & cotton knit tops. Asst'd styles & colors. Sizes: S-M-L.
REG. 4.97
3.88

Women's Plastic Sandals
Choice of white or tan. sizes: 5-10.
REG. 3.97
2.88



REMEMBER MOTHER'S DAY—SUNDAY MAY 14th—OPEN DAILY 9 A.M. to



Concept 2000
No. 5305

AM-FM Table Radio

Attractively styled, high performance radio. Woodgrain cabinet.

REG. 24.97 **19.97**

No. 6266

7-Speed Blender

Hamilton Beach blender with removable cutting unit & 44-oz. shatterproof container.

13.99 REG. 18.99

Boss 1000 GT Styler-Dryer

Lightweight 1000 watt styling gun with 2 heat settings. Styling nozzle.

REG. 10.99 **8.99**

Windmere Mist Wonder Bar

Thermostatically controlled curling iron with dual mist control. Features non-stick coated rod, swivel cord and styling stand.

REG. 10.99

6.99

No. WB1T

Windmere Kwik Curl Wonder Bar

Dual heat curling iron with non-stick coated rod. Features ready dot, pilot light, cool safety tip, swivel cord and safety stand.

REG. 5.99

3.99

Peignoir Set

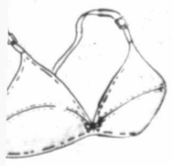
nylon. Asst'd colors. long sleeve styles sleeveless gowns. S-M-L.

9.88

Underpair

panty with cotton sheer nylon legs

99¢



Bra

bra with light fiber cups. White or Sizes: 32A-38C

1.50

Sals

sandal with side heel.

3

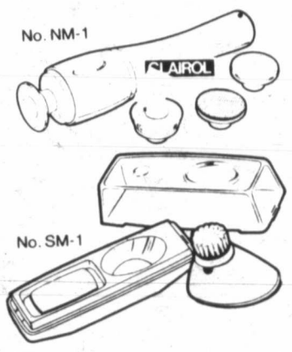
No. 9010

Gillette Pro Max Compact

3 Heat/Air flow settings in one switch (1000, 750 & 500) watts. Turbo-flo design for high velocity air-flow.

REG. 17.99

13.99



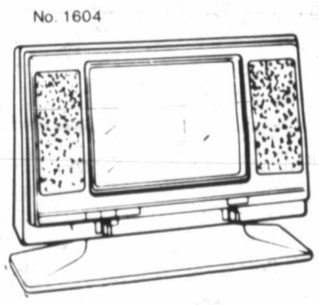
No. NM-1

No. SM-1

Nail Works or Skin Machine

- **Nail Works** battery operated manicure system with four interchangeable heads.
- **Skin Machine** battery operated cleansing brush. Comes with 2 complexion brushes.

REG. 12.88 **9.88** EACH



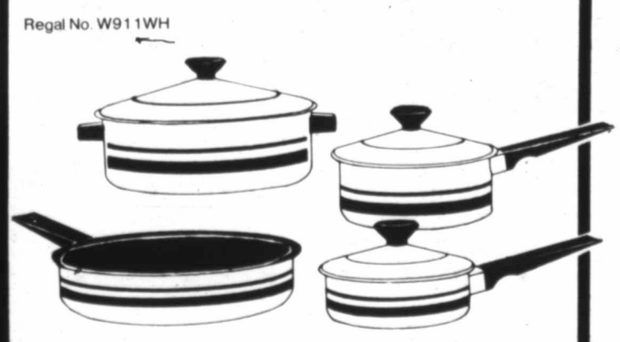
No. 1604

Northern Make-up Mirror

Deluxe lighted mirror has 4 light settings for natural, day, office or evening. Regular and magnifying sides.

REG. 19.99

13.99



Regal No. W911WH

Silverstone Cookware

New style combines durability, style and quality. Non-stick silverstone with a surface smooth as glass. Save now at Gibson's on this handsome 7-piece set.

REG. 41.99 **31.99**

Regal No. W3280

Silverstone Fry Pan

10-Inch open fry pan with silverstone interior.

REG. 7.49

5.99

No. PE-3

Presto Wee Cookerie

A complete meal - easy as one, two, three. One fastpan, two big servings, three delicious courses - in minutes.

REG. 39.99

29.99

Creative Products
No. 130

Car Caddy

With removable Litter Basket

REG. 2.49

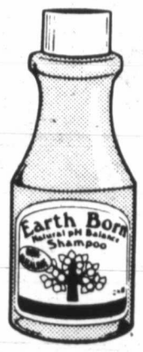
1.97

White Rain Hair Spray

Regular, Unscented, Extra Hold or Ultimate Hold

7.5-Oz.

69¢



Earth Born Shampoo

Apricot, Green Apple, Avocado, Strawberry, or Baby Shampoo

12-Oz.

1.19

Agree Creme Rinse

Regular, Oily or Balsam

8-Oz. Btl.

79¢

Clairol Balsam Color

Assorted Shades

1.19

Secret Spray

Deodorant or Anti-Perspirant

7-Oz. Can

99¢

Secret Roll-On

Regular or Unscented

2.5-Oz.

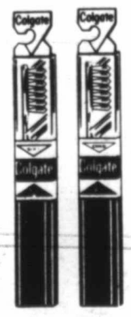
99¢

Colgate Toothpaste

5 Oz. Tube

Reg. 83¢

63¢



Colgate Toothbrushes

Adult Size

3 FOR 1.00

Bayer Aspirin

200-Tablets

1.39

Wet Ones Towelettes

Pkg. of 70

89¢

master charge VISA

LY 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.- PRICES GOOD THROUGH SATURDAY MAY 13th

7 MAY 7

Tax situation gets convention attention

Four petitions were approved at the precinct 3 Democratic convention Saturday following the primary election.

The convention was attended by five persons who appointed a total of 14 to attend the county convention.

The five attending were: Delano Shaw, Shirley Shroyer, Rick Watkins, Walt Finley and Jack Watkins.

The first proposal called attention to the present ad valorem tax situation, and was proposed by Jack Watkins.

The second proposal called for one per cent of the gross income from the pari-mutuel betting resolution be given to each county and city respectively. The resolution was voided by the defeat of the issue.

The third proposal called for John Hill, if nominated, to work "seriously and strongly" for the acquiring of water for West Texas. The proposal further states that Hill should present a passable bill to the state house to effect these changes.

The fourth proposal would require cities, counties, and school districts to announce, with each request for a bond issue, the exact amount it would cost each taxpayer per $100 valuation.

Delano Shaw was reelected permanent chairman, Shirley Shroyer was named secretary.

Other than the five present, nominees to the county convention were Mrs. A.G. Hall, Margaret Ray, Frank Edgar Ray, Johnnie P. Hooper, Deborah Larson, Betty Chadwell, Donald D. Couvillion, Anne H. Couvillion, and Jack Alexander.

Two resolutions were submitted by Kenneth Howell, and passed by the caucus at the Precinct Two meeting, 7 p.m. Saturday.

Though 765 voters turned out at the precinct's polling center at Washington Place School, only seven appeared at the convention.

They were Raford Dunagan, convention chairman, Dorothy Humphreys, secretary, Kenneth Howell, Cecil Riordan, Gary Howell, Jim Sharp and Warren Dagenbach. All were elected as representatives to the Howard County Democratic Convention Saturday.

The first resolution to be passed by the caucus called for legislation that would exempt a speeding citation in a 55-mile-per-hour zone for speeds up to 70 m.p.h.

Others elected as county convention representatives included: Rocky Allen, Eddie Acri, Jack Price, Fay Price, C.M. Brown, J.N. Bumgarner, L.L. Claxton, E.H. Cordes, Royce Cox, D.V. Cox, W.A. Davey, George T. Murphy, C.G. Evans and Jerry Foresyth.

Howard County Democratic Vote by Precincts

DEMOCRATIC	Totals	Abs.	Box 1 (N Side)	Box 2 (Wash)	Box 3 (18-M)	Box 4 (4-Nol)	Box 5 (ViNc)	Box 6 (Gayhill)	(Box 7 (Salem)	Box 8 (C. Cr.)	(Box 9 (Coah)	Box 10 (Forsan)	Box 11 (C. Pt.)	Box 12 (P. Vw.)	Box 13 (Knott)	Box 15 (W. Me.)	Box 16 (W. Rd.)	Box 17 (Yater)	Box 18 (Ktwd.)	Box 19 (Elbow)	Box 20 (Jonesb.)	Box 21 (S. Sp.)	Box 22 (11-B'dw.)
Judge, Crim Appeals, P. 2																							
VOLLERS	2,256	253	78	285	210	141	14	9	13	74	90	19	47	17	18	202	264	13	35	106	66	118	184
CLINTON	2,976	312	150	320	274	184	16	36	10	151	164	25	73	21	39	245	289	14	30	120	114	231	158
Judge, Crim Appeals, P. 3																							
TEAGUE	2,082	224	77	238	194	139	12	17	8	95	96	17	37	11	19	193	251	13	26	92	72	116	135
DAVIS	2,987	313	128	348	281	186	19	26	15	132	161	27	68	24	33	242	274	15	37	131	114	225	188
Judge, Civil Appeals, 11th																							
DICKENSON	2,629	268	91	313	256	175	20	20	13	94	119	27	60	19	22	245	276	17	33	120	90	159	192
DANIEL	1,401	149	69	150	134	87	9	13	3	71	87	11	32	17	17	107	137	5	16	54	46	102	85
STRAUSS	1,323	153	67	156	120	74	5	9	7	66	60	6	2	5	17	124	144	6	17	53	48	81	79
U.S. Senator																							
CHRISTIE	2,166	265	102	259	180	129	14	10	10	79	127	18	55	14	17	166	207	8	28	87	85	159	147
KRUEGER	3,343	340	129	399	325	198	18	35	20	152	153	26	67	26	47	323	374	17	40	146	108	203	197
U.S. Representative																							
GODFREY	90	12	7	8	4	1	0	3	0	8	3	1	1	0	2	10	10	0	1	4	6	6	3
SNOWDEN	56	4	8	5	3	1	1	0	1	9	1	0	4	0	1	3	1	1	0	2	8	1	2
SHARP	186	14	18	29	24	11	0	1	2	18	7	0	5	0	4	8	16	0	2	6	3	13	5
McCULLOCH	51	3	5	6	4	4	2	0	0	5	1	0	2	3	0	5	3	0	0	2	1	2	3
STENHOLM	460	34	12	56	36	30	9	2	2	17	26	5	20	13	9	41	50	1	4	21	7	26	39
BAUM	4,814	556	233	520	452	320	25	42	28	193	229	40	90	33	48	420	508	23	63	185	164	302	340
RHODES	814	73	44	115	87	20	2	4	6	48	53	9	17	3	11	73	84	3	7	31	33	60	31
Governor																							
BRISCOE	3,326	368	135	363	324	180	26	24	18	146	166	22	88	30	40	298	320	17	50	149	117	209	236
MAYO	77	4	18	4	4	0	2	0	1	10	3	0	2	3	3	7	1	1	1	0	4	8	1
SMITH	443	32	20	57	46	35	4	7	5	22	13	5	10	3	1	45	50	3	7	10	28	18	22
BEAGLE	55	6	5	3	2	4	0	1	1	3	5	0	2	0	3	2	3	0	1	1	5	5	3
HILL	2,621	278	178	317	238	167	7	22	15	120	140	26	36	18	28	207	301	7	19	93	73	168	163
Lt. Governor																							
SKATES	211	26	13	12	16	11	2	1	2	11	16	0	6	1	2	17	21	3	4	6	12	20	9
HOBBY	3,950	459	123	511	375	236	21	35	21	149	189	34	99	30	32	336	429	16	43	175	126	238	273
WESTBROOK	1,160	94	115	109	102	85	8	9	9	76	66	7	17	8	11	96	106	6	11	37	41	82	65
McNEES	621	57	30	59	63	46	5	5	2	27	25	6	12	4	16	50	65	2	12	25	32	36	42
Attorney General																							
DANIEL	2,717	322	136	327	276	169	12	27	11	136	113	22	52	20	32	228	281	15	31	98	80	156	173
WHITE	3,429	345	135	396	302	209	25	24	21	134	193	28	81	29	38	306	361	12	44	149	131	237	229
State Treasurer																							
SANDERSON	1,044	114	63	110	80	67	3	9	2	75	52	5	33	4	12	88	113	5	13	44	29	65	58
LEDBETTER	1,753	219	65	228	160	96	15	19	8	64	71	18	34	10	23	169	184	10	18	67	59	97	119
HARDING	3,111	290	131	358	320	205	18	23	22	118	175	28	64	31	30	251	320	12	40	128	117	220	210
Agriculture Comm.																							
SEWELL	1,093	108	49	145	99	60	9	9	3	53	58	6	19	9	13	88	122	3	10	39	48	77	66
HUBENAK	1,074	155	46	112	94	53	20	13	5	25	46	17	26	10	17	85	128	5	17	66	28	56	50
BROWN	3,508	337	157	395	333	238	9	28	23	173	182	22	88	27	38	326	331	19	44	125	125	233	255
Railroad Comm.																							
WALLACE	3,383	351	122	394	311	215	15	31	22	121	185	31	85	30	36	297	341	16	46	152	121	239	222
HENDERSON	1,778	182	107	206	148	103	14	12	8	116	82	16	27	11	19	152	194	8	22	66	66	113	106
RR. Comm. (Unex. Term)																							
POERNER	1,666	159	53	212	152	104	14	13	8	64	86	17	29	11	19	171	208	6	20	74	48	77	121
SADLER	2,648	303	96	310	246	169	15	26	18	109	139	25	64	27	24	219	248	16	27	121	103	172	171
LEMMON	569	54	61	56	51	35	1	4	2	37	29	3	11	2	10	42	65	3	7	12	14	33	37
JOHNSON	791	80	38	81	77	54	4	5	2	47	36	4	22	3	11	61	63	3	13	27	34	83	43
Assoc. Justice Place One																							
SPEARS	3,995	388	163	471	383	264	21	34	24	168	205	34	91	30	44	332	397	18	43	190	138	277	280
BACON	1,243	164	65	134	98	67	9	10	4	65	65	9	26	6	13	124	137	8	23	32	45	74	65
Assoc. Justice Place 4																							
CAMPBELL	3,173	350	158	367	279	223	17	30	11	127	162	23	61	20	32	275	335	18	38	143	114	196	194
CHADICK	1,980	193	66	226	196	101	12	15	13	94	107	21	50	17	23	166	205	9	27	74	70	154	141
District Judge																							
GREGG	3,831	413	112	488	346	224	26	38	18	118	210	34	96	42	42	312	429	14	55	159	109	269	277
THOMAS	2,327	237	222	221	221	156	10	11	17	157	94	19	40	11	31	210	210	12	17	85	99	124	123
County Judge																							
CARR	171	17	18	23	14	12	0	0	1	9	5	0	1	0	2	14	19	2	1	10	4	8	11
KIRBY	1,521	160	55	152	105	117	4	3	11	62	111	8	35	13	14	122	137	5	23	63	81	127	113
TUNE	1,894	207	202	214	169	99	2	1	0	115	54	25	29	14	10	155	218	14	13	72	58	108	115
BOYD	1,657	154	56	215	212	109	7	4	3	70	45	17	25	12	7	182	205	3	30	63	48	93	97
BUCHANAN	1,296	144	15	146	108	62	28	45	25	37	116	5	54	15	42	90	98	4	9	47	37	83	86
District Clerk																							
CRITTENDEN	5,663	626	248	665	515	359	29	46	35	233	283	49	123	47	64	491	577	26	70	229	193	371	384
County Clerk																							
RAY	5,797	647	280	670	525	365	31	48	34	244	285	49	123	48	64	499	601	27	64	223	207	375	388
County Treasurer																							
GLENN	5,552	618	229	645	517	353	30	47	33	224	274	48	117	45	63	486	578	27	67	225	193	362	371
County Surveyor																							
CRIM	5,391	608	211	634	502	338	28	46	31	222	265	47	115	46	60	467	560	27	65	220	186	347	366
Co. Comm (Prec. 2)																							
RUPARD	857	78		301							43	11				208			24			192	
CRABTREE	202	26		88							4	6				55			9			14	
ALLEN	844	86		203							259	11				154			27			104	
BENNETT	491	50		137							20	26				126			18			114	
County Comm. (Prec. 4)																							
WESTBROOK	218	22				89	0	1	1				11								42		52
HANSON	360	40				102	0	5	4				19								39		151
STROUP	232	30				65	0	0	3				11								70		53
BAIRD	131	16				26	0	0	0				2								17		70
BARR	559	69				114	41	48	33				101								59		94
Justice Peace (Pct. 1, Pl. 2)																							
ROACH	342	37	13	57	28	24				13						44	42	1	11	18	22		32
SMITH	1,338	128	31	220	156	103				84						150	162	5	20	86	70		123
OCHOTORENA	1,969	214	354	239	179	112				159						174	257	11	24	50	59		137
HEFLIN	1,444	183	14	191	203	136				48						177	202	11	18	94	57		110
Justice Peace (Pct. 2)																							
ADAMS	557	45									241											271	
McINTOSH	223	17									73											133	
Demo. Chairman																							
EVANS	5,051	542	204	595	458	313	32	42	27	206	254	48	103	38	43	447	528	27	64	213	178	350	339
Increase Interest Rates																							
FOR	408	60	24	50	44	17	4	5	1	27	17	1	8	3	2	35	44	4	3	12	8	17	22
AGAINST	4,774	491	179	573	427	262	25	35	33	185	266	44	107	38	58	429	517	21	63	201	153	304	363
Pari-Mutuel Betting																							
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Hearts 'n flowers

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Jim Acree, who made his exit from the football coaching ranks at Midland Lee a commemorative one by suing a Midland newspaper he said was playing a libelous game in symantics, is now associated with a bakery in Corsicana.

Getting bread to rise should be no feat for Acree. His kind of special yeast kept the Rebels pumped up in a most admirable way. Lee under Acree didn't always win but the contraventionists invariably knew they had been in a fight.

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The state of Idaho, an enclave of scenic wonder, is experiencing a population growth and some of the environmentalists there are distressed by the prospect of urban sprawl. (It's not always easy to understand why people reason a land is their's exclusively just because they or their antecedents got there first).

Some of the state's zealots have taken to displaying bumper stickers which read: "Don't Californicate Idaho."

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Examine your motives, and you may conclude you're not as likely to become a candidate for immortality as you had thought.

Gandhi did. The Hindu nationalist leader was once inspired to remark:

"Many people imagine I am a saint trying to meddle in politics; when, in fact, I am a politician trying to become a saint."

Gandhi belonged to the ages long before he was dispatched by a misguided assassin.

★★★

Boyce Hale, who keeps weather charts faithfully and is not immune from making predictions, says you can look for May to be a wet month.

He says that records prove out his claim that when a dry April is followed by a dry March, Jupiter Pluvius overreacts in May.

If Boyce double-dribbles, look to him and not this observer of the Human Parade. Okay, we're already at May 7 and counting down.

★★★

Edgar Rice Burroughs must have become bored with the character he dubbed "Tarzan."

In his last few novels about the Ape Man, Burroughs let him take to tobacco and whiskey. In fact, he even let him qualify for a driver's license.

Little wonder the elephants went beserk.

★★★

Already there is a smell
of burning leaves
From the quiet streets
around the village square,
Where in the dusk
the first bonfires are blowing
The fragrance of their
blue smoke down the air.
Across the dark world
men go out to slaughter,
In the wind tall boys
fly off to die,
Will there always be
fires down quiet roadsides
And the reek of autumn
leaves along the sky?
—Francis Frost
(Written during WW II)

★★★

Those of you who are 20 years of age and older have an unusual link with the storied past. You were born before the last soldier of the Confederacy marched off into the mists of time.

The final Johnny Reb gave up the fight at the age of 117 in 1959. The last Union soldier did his fadeout three years earlier.

★★★

One of the most delightful stories comes out of the pediatrics ward of the Montefiore Hospital in New York where a man named Alan Milberg works with children who are terribly shy and have difficulty working with other kids.

Milberg took one such boy aside and began playing marbles and jacks with him. After a time, the child looked up at Milberg to say:

"Hey, are you a kid?"

★★★

Kenya has closed its gates to big-time safaris but Rhodesia remains one of Africa's most attractive hunting areas.

Careful control and conservation have maintained a healthy animal population in Rhodesia's game areas, and it is government policy to encourage landowners to regard wildlife as a valuable natural asset.

These are not the best of times in Rhodesia (when white is pitted against black and black against white) but the ASPCA would be pleased. The country protects its animals.

★★★

Had Grambling's Eddie Robinson been hired as coach of the Los Angeles Rams following last season (and there was agitation to elevate him to the position), he would not have been — contrary to belief — the first black mentor in the NFL.

That distinction belongs to Fritz Pollard, now 84 and living with few ripples in New Rochelle, N.Y.

Fritz was a legitimate All-American at Brown University who went on to become the first black to play in the Rose Bowl. He later coached on both the high school and college levels.

Pollard obviously was a man of many talents. He owned coal companies in both Chicago and Harlem, was a publisher, ran a Harlem studio that turned out feature movies and as an agent once booked comedian Redd Foxx into night clubs. Even now, at 84, he does some income-tax consultant work.

Pollard did his professional coaching at Akron when it was a member of the old American Professional League. That was in 1919. The name of the circuit became the National Football League the following year and Pollard guided Akron to an undefeated season and the championship.

Pollard wus a playing coach at Akron. One of his teammates was Paul Robeson, who later was given a bad time by racists and professional patriots who did not value his loyalty to this country.

TRUETT VINES
...honored for service

GEORGE ARCHER
...one of 16 retirees

Truett Vines is banquet honoree

Truett Vines was honored with a 30-year teaching pin for service as a vocational agriculture high school teacher when the annual TSTA-CTA banquet was held Thursday.

The Texas State Teachers Association president this year has been Peggy Irwin with John Stiles as incoming president.

Gene Gresham has served as president of Classroom Teachers Association with Shirley Tate as incoming president

In addition to the 30 year service pin, two 25 year pins were awarded to Don Green and Ruby Simms.

Three 20 year pins went to E.S. Dawson, Myra Whitley and Morris Molpus.

Eight 15 year pins were awarded to Paul Chappell, Juanita Dibrell, Wilene Humphrey, Billy Knoop, Ila M. Nichols, Nedelene Speegle, Jessie Turner and Athelda Watts.

There were also 21 ten year pins awarded.

Retirees honored included Bernice Jordan, Doris Mason, Nell Mathis, Perry Mathis, Jeannie McEvers, Lottie M. Parks, Mary Alice Rush, Corinne South, Athelda Watts, Charlene Driver, Juanita Dibrell, Lottie May Chapman, Willie Campbell, Lucille Campell, Gladys Archer and George Archer, assistant principal at Marcy.

The head table included Supt. and Mrs. Lynn Hise, Roy Watkins, board president; Peggy Irwin, Hal Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gresham, John Stiles and Shirley Tate.

Low crossing being sought

COLORADO CITY — The board of directors of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce has sent letters asking district and state highway officials to consider action on constructing a low water crossing on the access road of Interstate 20 across the Colorado River.

Efforts to obtain the low water crossing have been underway for years, but the chamber began a renewed effort.

The primary need for the crossing is so that farm equipment can be driven from one area of the county to another without having to get up on the interstate or going through town.

The letter specifically requests that the state engineer visit Colorado City to review the site.

Registration is scheduled

KLONDIKE — Preregistration for all children in kindergarten next year and the first grade who have never before attended Klondike schools will be held May 9.

Students should preregister at the Elementary School from 1-2 p.m. Parents are asked to bring the child's birth certificate and immunization records.

Problems unsolved

Trip helped, says Vance

PUERTO VALLARTA, Mexico (AP) — Secretary of State Cyrus Vance leaves Mexico today with the major problems in U.S.-Mexican relations unsolved after two days of talks. But Vance says his trip to Mexico was valuable nonetheless.

"Even though there exist differences, the general state of relations is excellent," Vance said Friday in a joint statement with Mexican Foreign Minister Santiago Roel.

Roel played host to Vance and his wife Grace at a seaside villa here, but the diplomats reported little progress after their discussion of energy problems, illegal aliens and drug traffic.

Differences over natural gas pricing didn't even come up. Mexico has a growing surplus of gas that it would like to sell to the United States through a $1.4 billion pipeline now under construction from southern Mexico to the Texas border.

But Mexico insists on a price of $2.70 per thousand cubic feet, a price pegged to the world price of equivalent amounts of fuel oil. The Carter administration is pressing Congress for a $1.75 price for domestic producers and the State Department made it clear it would not discuss a higher price while the battle in Congress continues.

The Vance-Roel statement called the flow of illegal Mexican workers across the border a "grave problem."

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Third best-selling title

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CLEVELAND, Ohio — The nation's premier dictionary celebrates its 25th anniversary in April, leaving in its wake a sales record that has made it the third best-selling title in American publishing history.

It was in April, 1953 that the first copies of Webster's New World Dictionary, College Edition came rolling off the presses in Cleveland, Ohio, a product of World Publishing Company (now Collins & World).

Webster's New World Dictionary offered a new dimension in lexicographical scholarship and featured clearer, more concise definitions than were presented in other contemporary dictionaries. It immediately won the praise of the academic community and was on its way to becoming an all-time best-seller.

Since its publication in 1953, dictionaries carrying the Webster's New World title have sold more than 45,000,000 copies. This, according to literary historian Alice Payne Hackett, puts it No. 3 on the list of all-time best sellers over the last 80 years. Only Dr. Benjamin Spock's "Baby and Child Care" and the "Better Homes and Garden's Cookbook" have topped sales of Websters New World Dictionary.

The day may come when Webster's New World Dictionary will emerge as the top seller of all time, says David B. Guralnik, editor of Webster's New World, and vice president in charge of the Collins & World Dictionary division.

"Sales of Webster's New World Dictionary in all editions continue to be impressive," said Guralnik. Collins & World now is marketing the latest revised issue of Webster's New World Dictionary, Second College Edition, first published in 1970.

The original Webster's New World Dictionary has resulted in a complete line of dictionary products, which includes a compact school and office edition, a special version for high school students, one for elementary students, a best-selling paperback edition, and other versions.

Webster's New World Dictionary, Second College Edition now is the authority for spelling and meaning for a large segment of America's broadcast and print new media. Over the past two years, it has been adopted by The New York Times, The Associated Press, United Press International and more than 200 other newspapers and news gathering organizations.

This almost universal acclaim by the media has given Guralnik one of the biggest thrills in a career which started in 1941, when he joined World Publishing Company right out of Cleveland's Case Western Reserve University.

His assignment was to create a new dictionary for a company that already was one of the world's largest publishers of Bibles. Guralnik built a full-time lexicographical staff which worked for a dozen years to create that first edition.

"It was a monumental undertaking," said Guralnik, the only editor in chief Webster's New World Dictionary has ever had. "We started with a concept of providing excellence and never once wavered from that goal.

"That we were on the right track is evidenced by the fact that we achieved such a spectacular sales record in such a relatively short period of time," he continued.

The job of continually updating Webster's New World Dictionary, Second College Edition is a never-ending one, he pointed out.

"We try to have a new updating every two years," he explained. "The language changes so fast that waiting any longer than that would not do justice to our concept of providing Americans with the most up-to-date dictionary."

Name on ballot not deleted

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. (AP) — A Cabell County judge has refused a request from Secretary of State A. James Manchin to stop a nobody from being a somebody.

Manchin had asked the county court to remove the name Charles Mullett from Tuesday's primary election ballot as a candidate for the Democratic county committee. Manchin said that as far as he can determine, the name was entered on the ballot as a hoax.

Judge Robert C. Conaty denied Manchin's request Friday, although he said that it was doubtful that there was such a person as Mullett. Conaty cited defects in Manchin's petition as a cause for rejecting it.

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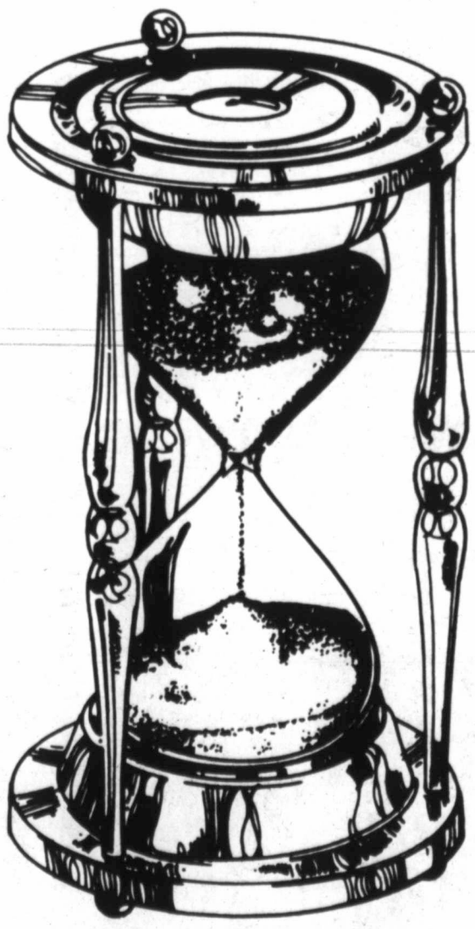

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WRITING IN THE SKY — Peggy Davies, 25, sits in open cockpit of plane she uses to write messages in the sky. Miss Davies will fly some 8,000 miles in 35 cities this season, promoting a beverage manufacturer's product.

Reds told to watch step in Africa

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — President Carter, calling the Soviet Union a racist regime, says he has warned the Russians many times that to "maintain peace throughout the world" they must watch their step in Africa.

But Carter did not say what he would do if the Soviets do not heed the warning.

"The Soviets know very clearly how deeply I feel about this. I have communicated directly with (Soviet President Leonid) Brezhnev through private sealed messages," Carter said.

Carter made his strong comments at a town meeting in Spokane, Wash., on Friday as he concluded a four-state, fence-mending tour to the West. The president returned to Washington late Friday night.

The president told his audience of 1,750 that Cuban troops have been used by the Soviets to fight in African conflicts and said he has communicated his concern about that to Moscow "in the strongest possible terms."

He also said Secretary of State Cyrus Vance, during a visit to Moscow last month, told the Russians in his behalf: "Be careful how you use your military strength in Africa, if you want to be a friend of the United States and maintain peace throughout the world."

He said the Soviets are shipping African nations excessive amounts of weapons.

"I think that they're mistaken" in their African policies he said, claiming that it conflicts with "a strong sense of nationalism" in those countries.

"I think there is an innate rascism that exists toward black people within the Soviet Union, as compared to us. We know how to live with white and black people together. We respect each other. We have learned this the hard way."

Instead of shipping arms to Africa, Carter said, the United States offers economic aid, trade, friendship and a commitment to human rights and freedom.

"I believe in the long run our system will prevail," he said. "We could compete more directly and effectively with the Soviets on a temporary basis by trying to sell our weapons to every country that calls for them.

Despite booming costs

People hanging in there

WASHINGTON (AP) — There is no evidence that rising costs are squeezing middle-income Americans out of a college education, the Congressional Budget Office said Saturday.

In a report that appears to conflict with assumptions of President Carter and most members of Congress, the agency concluded:

"Though the costs of college attendance have risen faster than the cost of living (as measured by the Consumer Price Index), this increase in costs has been offset by an even-larger increase in family income. As a result, student costs for both the public and private sectors of higher education have declined slightly as a proportion of family income."

The report found that while the median income of a family with an 18-to-24-year-old in college increased 87.3 percent between 1967 and 1977, total student charges increased 74.2 percent in public colleges and 76.7 percent in private schools.

The report is based on an analysis of rival tax-credit and scholarship programs that are aimed at helping middle-income families pay for a college education.

—Carter's plan to expand existing grants to make them generally available for the first time to families earning between $15,000 and $25,000 a year.

—A House Ways and Means Committee plan that, when fully effective in 1980, would allow a tax credit of up to $250 to help offset tuition costs.

—A bill by the Senate Finance Committee which eventually would allow a credit of up to $500 per student.

Although some tax-credit proposals also would apply to students at tuition-paying elementary and secondary schools, the budget office analyzed only the impact of the college provision.

It found that families with incomes above $25,000 a year would get 46 percent of the benefits of the Ways and Means bill, 39 percent of the benefits under the Finance Committee proposal, and 10 to 11 percent of the benefits under Carter's plan as amended by Senate and House committees.

Families with incomes between $15,000 and $25,000 would receive 33 percent of the House credit, 29 percent of the Senate benefits and 58 to 64 percent of the amended grants.

Those families with incomes up to $15,000 would qualify for 21 percent of the House benefits, 32 percent of the Senate plan and 25 to 32 percent under the amended Carter plan, the budget office said.

The Carter administration contends a credit would be wasteful because its benefits could go to every college student regardless of need.

Faculty enjoys a day of rest

Howard College faculty members had a fun day Friday, which was the last day of regular classes prior to examinations.

All teachers who assisted in judging with recent University Interscholastic League contests were honored at a luncheon at the union building at noon Friday.

On Friday evening, the faculty met at 6 p.m. at the Comanche Trail Park for a faculty picnic. They also enjoyed games of horseshoes, volleyball and bingo.

Grady senior state winner

GRADY — Mark Tate was probably the high point individual in Class B high schools in the literary finals in University Interscholastic League competition in Austin Saturday.

Mark, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Tate of Tarzan, won first in science and fifth in number sense.

He is a senior at Grady High School and is valedictorian of his graduating class.

He plans to attend college at Abilene Christian University.

B-A-A-A-D
Good goods are better than bad bads. See Classified Section L-4

A spring scene; is it for fun or plunder?

There is apparently a man and a boy riding about the countryside on a bicycle that are not just out to enjoy the scenery.

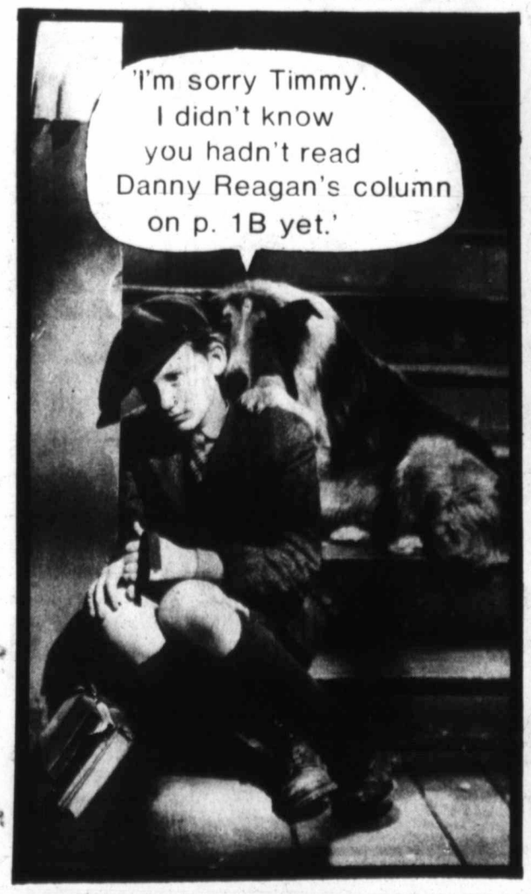
Sheriff A.N. Standard said that a man with long reddish hair and about 30 years old and a boy 14 years old with short hair, wearing a red shirt, blue jeans and brown boots were seen bicycling in an area where there have been some rural burglaries.

They were seen on the premises of a rural home which has been burglarized with a .303 British rifle, a hunting knife and two walkie talkies missing.

They were riding on an English style blue bicycle, girl's model with a carrier rack on the rear and double headlights on the front.

They were seen about five miles out on the Andrews highway and again on old Highway 80, which is a dirt road close to Cauble Road headed back toward Big Spring.

Anybody who has seen the pair or who may have been approached to buy the bicycle or gun are requested to call the sheriff's office.



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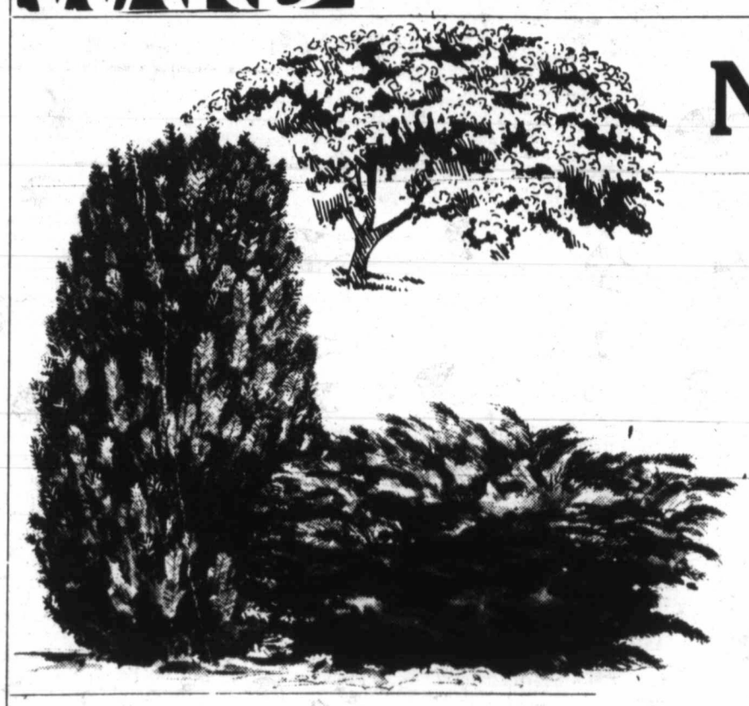

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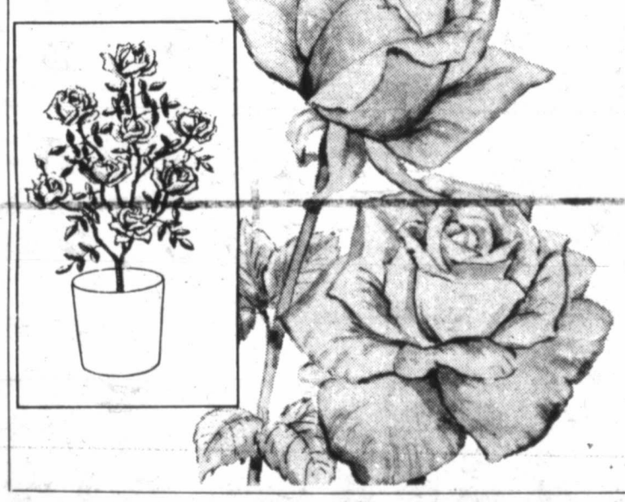

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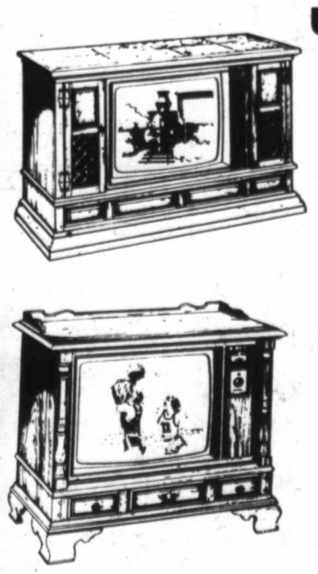

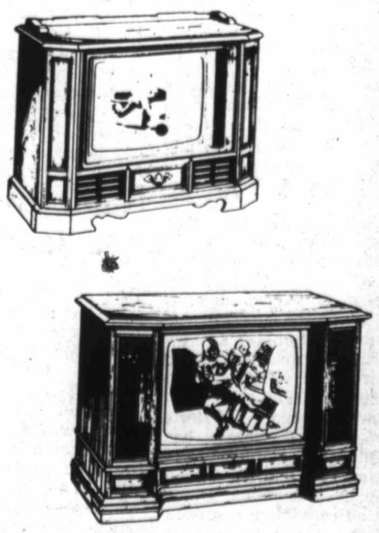

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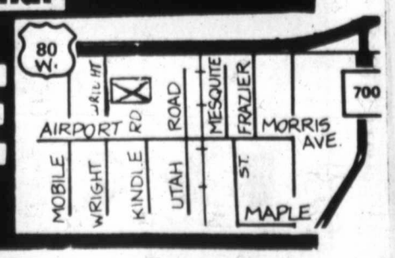

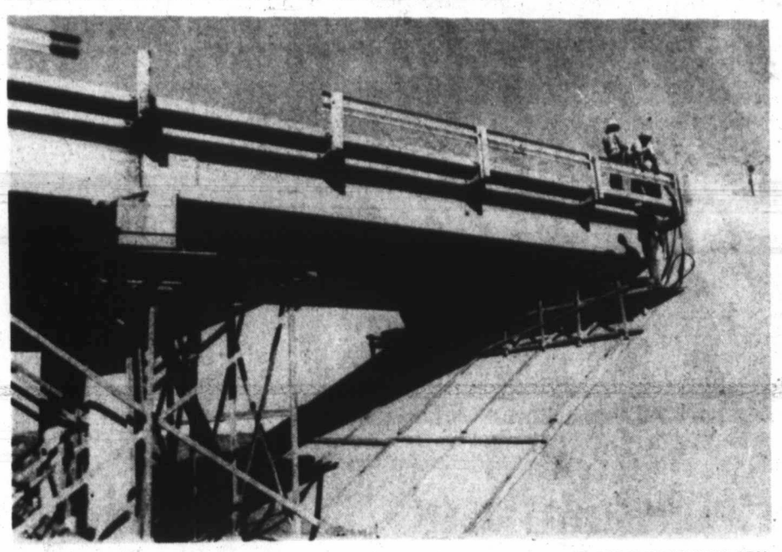

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UP, UP AND AWAY — Texas Highway Department workers are busy raising an IS 20 overpass about seven miles west of Big Spring, which will improve the chances of a lot of trucks carrying cargo to get through, not to mention the humor of the drivers who are prone to worry about such things.

Beyond its own borders

China wants involvement

TOKYO (AP) — Chinese Communist Party Chairman Hua Kuo-feng's first trip abroad — to neighboring North Korea — reflects Peking's desire to become more deeply involved in international, particuarly Asian, affairs.

The 57-year-old successor to Mao Tse-tung has, with his moderate associates, launched a bold program of political, industrial, agricultural, military and scientific modernization. Success depends on more freedoms at home and more contacts abroad.

Hua's visit follows those of Deputy Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping to Burma and Nepal, Vice Premier Li Hsien-nien to the Philippines and Bangladesh and the late Premier Chou En-lai's widow, Teng Yingchao, to Cambodia. Vice Premier Ku Mu currently is in France.

These sorties have had various objectives besides good will, among them the strengthening of ties with old allies, cultivation of new friends and a demonstration of interest and approval in the Association of Southeast Asian Nations.

That Hua, who arrived in the North Korean capital of Pyongyang Friday, undertook the trip at all indicates he feels secure in his leadership position 20 months after Mao's death, his compromise choice as chairman and the arrest of his political foes, the radical "Gang of Four," led by Mao's widow, Chiang Ching.

With China's No. 2 man, Marshal Yeh Chien-ying, last reported in Kwangchow — Canton — the political and governmental affairs of the country are, during Hua's absence, in the hands of Deputy Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping, 74. Teng often has been mentioned as a Hua rival.

The initiative for the Pyongyang visit may well have been Teng's. In recent years he had successfully weaned North Korean President Kim Il-sung away from too great a dependence on Moscow.

Besides giving a public show of solidarity with North Korea, Hua will have a full agenda of items to discuss with Kim.

They include the slowed-down withdrawal of U.S. ground forces from South Korea, China's problems with an increasingly hostile Vietnam, relations with the Soviet Union and tattered Indochinese unity.

Hua's visit coincides almost to the day with the third anniversary of Kim's unsuccessful visit to Peking where, following the fall of Vietnam, he sought Chinese backing for tough new measures against South Korea.

President Carter's recent decision to slow the withdrawal rate of 32,000 American troops from South Korea to a snail's pace this year touched off cries of outrage in Pyongyang. The Korean Central News Agency, reporting Hua's arrival, spoke of "the warm feelings of combatant fraternity and fraternal friendship and solidarity cemented with blood" between China and North Korea.

Whether this is the usual rhetoric, or a hardening of Kim's mood, it seems clear that both Kim and Hua want Carter to stick to his original plan.

China is unhappy over Carter's evident reluctance to establish full U.S.-China relations now and is expected to make this plain to his national security adviser, Zbigniew Brzezinski, when he arrives in Peking May 20.

In battle against booming costs

People see no hope for success

NEW YORK (AP) — The prospect of an ever-rising cost of living is dimming Americans' hopes for the future.

People now say inflation is by far the most important issue facing the country.

And the public doesn't see President Carter's largely voluntary program to control inflation as having much hope for success.

In sum, the latest Associated Press-NBC News poll found Americans deeply worried about the economic forces buffeting their lives and unsure just what — if anything — can be done to tame those forces.

The survey, taken last Monday and Tuesday by telephone, came before the government revealed that wholesale prices jumped 1.3 percent in April while unemployment dropped to 6 percent, its lowest level in 3½ years.

The cost of living was named by 42 percent of those interviewed as the most important problem facing the country — outdistancing the next ranked problem by more than 3-1.

"The way the government does things" was the second most important issue, chosen by 13 percent of the 1,600 adults interviewed.

Unemployment was named by 11 percent; crime by 10 percent; taxes by 7 percent; morality by 7 percent and foreign affairs by 3 percent. The rest were undecided or didn't say.

Concern over inflation was highest among the poorest Americans — those making less than $5,000 a year — and among what might be called the middle class — those with family incomes from $15,000 to $25,000.

Worry about taxes and government performance peaked among the top bracket earners, those with annual incomes of more than $35,000.

Forty-three percent of those interviewed said they expect the economy to get worse in the next year, with only 19 percent expecting improvement. Thirtyfive percent expect it to stay about the same.

The public's view represents quite a shift over the last four months.

As recently as January, more Americans were optimistic than pessimistic about the economy's future. But since that time, almost one out of every five Americans' view of the economy has turned pessimistic.

There apparently is a lack of faith that inflation can be licked by President Carter's program, announced in early April.

Carter said he would limit pay increases for federal white collar workers to 5.5 percent and called upon workers in the private sector to voluntarily accept wage hikes of less than they have received in the past two years.

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Friday afternoon, "Photolab Danny" Valdes and myself visited the spring training camp of the Big Spring Steers. (See evidence on this page and p. 2B). What we saw, we were impressed with very much.

Overall, this has to be the best crop of senior-to-be athletes that I've witnessed at BSHS recently. Not only are they big and mean-looking, (a few scraggly beards here and there help promote that effect), but they appear to be in sound physical condition.

Most impressive were the big, beefy guys. And there were a bunch of them: Johnny Hardeman, Matt Harris, Robbie Wrinkle, Byron Harris, Steve Tipton, Mark Young, Doug Archer, David Altom, Ricky Cluck, and others.

That's a brick wall averaging well over 200 pounds, and weight-wise, the Steers should be one of the biggest teams in 5-4A next year.

RICKY CLUCK
Just one of many talented

Senior Ricky Cluck, whose back problems have cleared up, and who has looked exceptionally well in drills so far, could be an early fave for Big Spring's claim to fame in the "Brad Stevens Award for 1978".

An excellent punter, Ricky can also plug up the hole from his linebacking position, and is also impressive from halfback and receiving slots. "If he can stay healthy, he's going to be a good one," said his coach, Don Robbins Friday.

The locals will also return three senior quarterbacks: Jim Brown, Billy Ray Johnson and Ricky Myers. Last year, Johnson completed 32 of 77 passes for 354 yards, one TD and a 42 per cent completion rate. Myers connected with 13 of 39 for 116 yards and a 33 per cent clip, and Brown was five of nine for 80 yards, a TD and a 56 per cent completion rate.

The fact that more than two dozen unexpected spring trainees showed up, and the fact that the off-season program has produced weight, strength and even some desire, had Robbins optimistic.

He admitted to weaknesses in various positions, and the old bugaboo of lack of depth, and the disastrous effect that injuries can have on that situation also crept into his discussion of the Steers' future next year, but frankly, his evaluation of the athletes and confidence in their abilities led me to believe that "The Year of the Steer" may be upon us.

And it didn't really sound like spring fever talk either.

THIS IS A WARNING!

The Consumer Product Safety Commission warns the public not to use certain unguarded automatic baseball pitching machines which it considers extremely hazardous.

The machines, which were sold to schools, recreational organizations and individuals, may be labeled "Dudley" or "Commercial Mechanisms."

In a lawsuit filed in U.S. District Court, the Commission alleges that the unguarded, rotating metal pitching arm can go off suddenly, without warning, and strike persons standing in the path of the arm. This has allegedly happened numerous times, even though the machines were unplugged or turned off.

STRANGE BUT TRUE

If you think weird things can happen in the major leagues, check this amateur sandlot ball peculiarity.

Harry Hardner's Walnut Street team played on a field in Milwaukee that had no fences. Therefore, and boy, this sounds like the "Baum Blast" Friday night at the park, no matter how far the ball was hit, it was in play until the pitcher had it back in his glove.

During one memorable game, Hardner belted a fat pitch far over the outfielder's head. He happily pranced around the bags.

But just as he crossed the plate, a teammate who was coaching at first began shouting, "Run to first! Run to first!" His teammate and the opponent's first sacker noticed that Hardner had failed to touch first on his way around the bases.

Hardner took off for first just as the ball came in from the outfield. He slid hard into the bag just as the throw arrived. Safe. Hardner was given credit for a single. But his teammates always called it a five-base hit. (If you have any such tale, send it to "Strange But True, c-o Big Spring Herald Sports Department, P. O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas, 79720.)

REMARKABILITIES

"I'm just glad I don't have to pay their feed bill." — **TOMMY HART**, after looking at a picture of the hefty Steer linemen for next season.

"The Cardinals stole three bases successfully." — **BOB STARR**, St. Louis baseball broadcaster, making his bid for the 1978 redundancy championship.

"I don't know of anybody else who's had the bad luck in the wrong place at the wrong time like I have this past year." — **TONY DORSETT**. (Editor's Note: Leon Spinks may echo the same sentiments).

San Angelo homers lead visitors past Steers

By DANNY REAGAN
Sports Editor

A trio of two-run homers by San Angelo batters proved to be too much fire-power for the Steers Saturday afternoon, as the local stickmen ended their 1978 season with a 6-5 loss to the visiting Bobcats.

Even if the locals would've won, their season would still be over; for the Midland Lee Rebels clinched the District 5-4A championship with a 7-4 donnybrook win over crosstown rival Midland Saturday, which saw players ejected and a near free-for-all eventuate.

The Steers took a 2-0 lead in the first frame as a Charlie Vernon double scored Mike Evans and David Manley. The 'Cats came right back in the second on designated hitter Roy Valadez' two-run round-tripper.

The locals racked up two more in the fifth, as Mike Gomez scored on a passed ball and Evans scored again on Manley's sacrifice fly. Angelo led off the sixth with a double and Steve Bennett's two-run homer, to tie the score once more.

Tony Mann then scored what everyone thought was the winning run in the sixth as Ricky Myers sacrificed him in after the local catcher got on with a base on balls. But Bobcat shortstop David Whitfield airmailed a sure-shot over the centerfield fence in the seventh, and drove in teammate Mark Freeman to boot.

The Steers had one final chance to change the outcome, when they had the bases loaded in the bottom of the last inning with only one out. Unfortunately, Mann, who was the fourth-best batter in the league going into the game, hit into a double play, ending the contest in a sudden manner which shocked the season record crowd.

Senior Charlie Vernon started the game and was relieved by senior Tony Jacobo in the sixth with no outs. Other seniors playing in their final game for the Black and Gold were Johnny Mize, Tony Mann, Ricky Torres and Alan Bristol.

The Steers were the only team this season to win five straight league games. They finished second in the conference with a 5-2 record, and 13-17 on the season.

STEERS (5)

Player	ab	r	h	bi
Mike Evans lf	2	2	1	0
Kevin McLaughlin ss	3	0	1	0
David Manley rf	2	1	0	1
Tony Mann c	2	1	0	0
Charlie Vernon p	3	0	2	2
Johnny Mize 1B	3	0	0	0
Ricky Myers 3B	3	0	0	1
Mike Gomez dh	3	1	1	0
Tony Jacobo cf	0	0	0	0
Tony Rubio 2B	3	0	0	0
TEAM	24	5	5	4

BOBCATS (6)

Player	ab	r	h	bi
Martinez 1B	4	1	2	0
Bennett p	3	1	1	2
McLaughlin c	3	0	0	0
Brainard cf	3	0	0	0
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Valadez dh		3	1	2
Balentine 2B	0	0	0	0
Gipe lf	3	0	0	0
Freeman rf	2	1	0	0
Whitfield ss	3	1	1	2
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Time: 2:05.

5-4A STANDINGS (final)

Team	2nd-½	1st-½	Sea.
Midland Lee	6-1	5-2	21-8
Big Spring	5-2	1-6	13-17
Cooper	4-3	3-4	12-9
Abilene	3-4	5-2	12-12
Midland	3-4	3-4	12-15
Permian	3-4	4-3	11-13
Odessa	2-5	2-4-1	10-12-1
San Angelo	2-5	4-2-1	13-12-1

SATURDAY'S SCORES

San Angelo 6, Big Spring 5; Midland Lee 7, Midland 4; Permian 7, Odessa 1; Abilene Cooper 6, Abilene 3.

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Lucy wins first for Lisa in State fem track meet

By DANNY REAGAN
Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Friday afternoon, while in the capital for the girls' state track meet, Forsan's Lucy Thixton learned that her 15-year-old sister, Lisa, had died of leukemia at her home.

Saturday, Lucy went out on the track and won the state title in the Class B 200-meter dash in a time of 24.8. She won it for her sister.

LUCY THIXTON
Ran this one for her sister

Prior to the district track meet held at Frosan in April, Lisa had persistently told Lucy that she wanted her older sister to run "no matter what." The personable junior honored her sister's wish.

Lucy qualified for Region in the 100-yard dash, 200-meter dash and 800-meter relay, but April 22, the day of the Regional meet in Levelland, she was worried about Lisa, whose condition had suddenly worsened. Consequently, Lucy only qualified for state in the 200-meter dash, missing the trip in the 100-yard dash by one place.

Lucy's winning time of 24.8 is four-tenths of a second off the record set last year at the state finals.

Lucy broke the record in the 100-yard dash last year at state, by turning in a time of 10.8.

The Forsan speedster is a two-sport letterperson, having participated in the Frosan Queens basketball and track programs since she was a sophomore.

Lisa had been a stellar performer in junior high track meets, taking numerous titles, and was particularly interested in her older sister's track career.

"Lucy's win was the saddest, yet sweetest that she could ever have," said a friend of the family Saturday.

She won it for her sister.

Prep fems go to 5-player

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Superintendents have voted, 549-369, to make girls' basketball a five-player game, a move long advocated by many coaches who think it better prepares girls to play college basketball.

It was the second time such a vote had favored abandoning six-player girls' basketball.

Other resuls of an April 1 referendum released Saturday showed that 4A schools voted 135-81 to retain spring football training.

On another question, Class 2A, A and B voted to play to a state championship in baseball, effective next spring. Currently only 3A and 4A play in the state baseball tournament.

The vote to switch from six to five for girls' basketball was an overwhelming 161-24 among the 4A or larger schools. Only Class A rejected the proposal, 106-74.

The balloting was triggered, the University Interscholastic League said, by a 1977 lawsuit in nearby Burnet. After the five-player game was approved in 1977, with plans to begin such commpetition in 1978-79, courts in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Tennessee upheld the six-player game as constitutional.

The Texas High School Girls Coaches Association then polled its members and recommended that the item be placed on the referendum ballot again.

Members of the UIL Legislative Council voted last November to put it on the ballot this past April to "settle the matter, once and for ."

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Cauthen, Affirmed win Kentucky roses

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Affirmed, ridden by 18-year-old Steve Cauthen, took charge on the turn for home and held off arch-rival Alydar through the stretch Saturday to win the $239,400 Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs.

Affirmed, close to the pace through the first mile of the famous 1¼-mile race, brought Cauthen a victory in his first Derby, just six days shy of two years from the date when he began his spectacular riding career at this renowned track.

The victory for the Harbor View Farm colt also foiled the bid of the legendary Calumet Farm to win a ninth Derby and its first since 1968.

It was a spectacular victory on a pleasant, sunny afternoon before an estimated 130,000 people. And it was accomplished in 2:011-5 on a fast track.

Alydar, ridden by Jorge Velasquez, made a desperate closing bid on the rail. But Cauthen and Affirmed would not be denied.

Affirmed finished 1½ lengths in front of Alydar, who was another 1¼ lengths in front of Believe It. Darby Creek Road was fourth, another 4¼ lengths back.

It was Affirmed's fifth victory in seven meetings with Alydar and it was trainer Laz Barrera's second Derby triumph. The affable native of Cuba won the 1976 running with Bold Forbes.

"He's one cool kid," Believe It's trainer, Woody Stephens, said of Cauthen a few days before the 104th Derby.

Cauthen, who turned 18 last Monday, sure was one cool kid Saturday. And Affirmed was one heckuva race horse.

Affirmed, who went off the second favorite to Alydar, paid $5.60, $2.80 and $2.60. Alydar, tasting defeat for the first time as a 3-year-old, paid $2.60 and $2.40. Believe It, owned by Hickory Tree Stable, returned $2.80.

Cauthen, who hails from Walton, Ky., kept Affirmed in the thick of things throughout.

Raymond Earl broke on top as expected with Affirmed right behind him. By the time the field reached the clubhouse turn after the run past the stands the first time, Raymond Earl was still first, followed closely by Sensitive Prince and Affirmed while Alydar was seventh.

Mickey Solomone sent Sensitive Prince to the lead turning into the backstretch with Raymond Earl second and Affirmed third. Alydar was then ninth.

The three leaders continued in order down the backstretch and into the turn, when the real race began and the crowd roared as one, even though most of the people had no chance of seeing the action on the track.

Turning for home, Affirmed moved into the lead and charged down the middle of the track with Cauthen whipping him almost every step of the way.

Affirmed has been known to lope on the lead, but little Steve was determined to keep the colt's mind on his business in what was the most important race of their short careers.

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

BOBCAT BOMBERS — San Angelo's David Whitfield, Steve Bennett and Roy Valadez, left to right, all tagged two-run homers off of Steer pitchers to lead their team past the locals, 6-5, in the final District 5-4A game of the season for both clubs here Saturday.

Saturday baseball

Rangers rout Yanks, 9-5

NEW YORK (AP) — The Texas Rangers parlayed Jim Umbarger's eight-hit pitching and a tie-breaking five-run sixth inning, highlighted by Bump Wills' two-run double, into a 9-5 victory over the New York Yankees Saturday. The loss snapped the Yanks' five-game winning streak.

With the teams tied 1-1, Richie Zisk triggered the Rangers' five-run sixth with a one-out single off Dick Tidrow, 1-3, and stole second. Tidrow walked John Lowenstein and then surrendered RBI singles to Toby Harrah and Thompson.

Sparky Lyle relieved Tidrow and Jim Sundberg beat out a squeeze bunt to make it 4-1. After Bert Campaneris flied out, Mike Hargrove walked and Wills followed with his double.

Umbarger, 1-1, fell behind in the first inning when Willie Randolph walked, stole second and scored on Thurman Munson's single. He then blanked the Yankees until they scored twice in the seventh on another walk to Randolph apd singles by Reggie Jackson and Lou Piniella and a double by Chris Chambliss.

Jackson hit a two-run homer in the bottom of the ninth after Texas jumped on Ken Clay for three runs in the top of the inning.

Tidrow allowed the tying run when Lowenstein doubled, went to third on an infield out and scored on a sacrifice fly by Bobby Thompson.

Seaver wins first game

CINCINNATI (AP) — Tom Seaver won his first game of the season and Pete Rose had two more hits to move ahead of Roberto Clemente on the alltime list with 3,002 as the Cincinnati Reds stopped the Montreal Expos 6-2 Saturday.

Seaver, winless in six previous starts and a loser three times, pitched six shutout innings before giving way to Pedro Borbon after yielding three hits in the seventh, including a two-run homer by Larry Parrish. He was tagged for nine hits.

Seaver drove in Dan Driessen with a suicide squeeze bunt when the Reds roughed up Expos starter Rudy May, 2-2, in a four-run second inning.

Rose, who reached the 3,000-hit milestone Friday night, moved into 12th place in career hits with a run-scoring double in the second inning.

Red Sox unravel White Sox

BOSTON (AP) — Jim Rice tied the score with a two-out single in the ninth inning and Dwight Evans blasted a tworun homer in the 10th as the Boston Red Sox rallied in the final three innings to defeat the Chicago White Sox 6-4 in the first game of Saturday's doubleheader.

Tigers blank A's, 6-0

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Left-hander Bob Sykes, making his first start of the season after being recalled from the minors, pitched a four-hitter as the Detroit Tigers cooled off the Oakland A's 6-0 Saturday.

Jason Thompson homered and Ron LeFlore stole three bases as the Tigers collected 15 hits off five Oakland pitchers.

Dave Heaverlo yielded two more runs in the fifth on a leadoff homer by Thompson, a single by Steve Kemp and a double by Alan Trammell.

The A's had their best scoring chance in the second inning when Mario Guerrero and Dave Revering singled with one out. But Wayne Gross struck out and Jim Essian bounced back to Sykes to end the threat.

Brewers stop Royals again

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Sal Bando crashed a game-tying three-run homer in the ninth inning and Gorman Thomas drew a bases-loaded walk to force in the winning run as the Milwaukee Brewers stormed back for a 4-3 victory over the Kansas City Royals Saturday.

Kansas City starter Paul Splittorff, who hasn't lost to the Brewers in more than five years and has beaten them eight consecutive times, blanked Milwaukee on three hits through eight innings. But Splittorff was relieved by Doug Bird after Paul Molitor singled and Dick Davis walked to start the ninth.

Bando belted a 1-1 pitch into the left field bleachers to tie the score and Al Hrabosky relieved Bird after a walk to Larry Hisle and a single by Sixto Lezcano.

Dodgers pop Pirates, 3-2

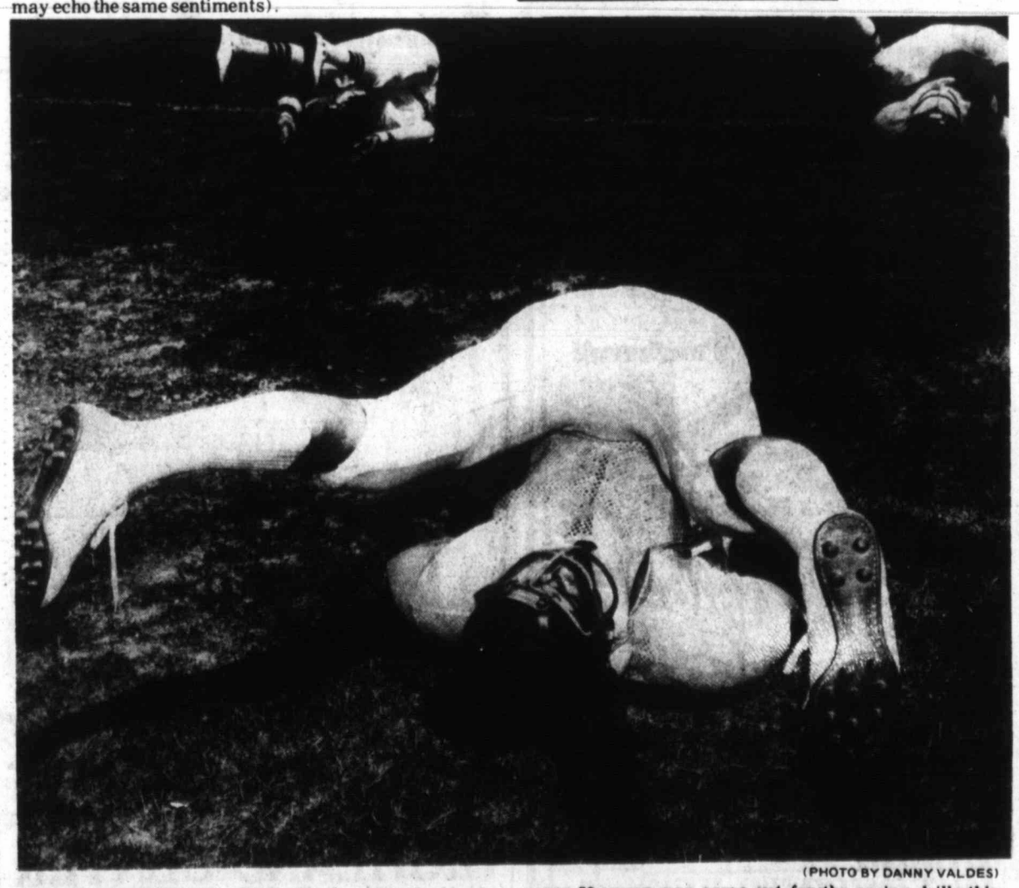
PITTSBURGH (AP) — Willie Stargell singled home two runs during a three-run first inning and the Pittsburgh Pirates held on to defeat the Los Angeles Dodgers 3-2 Saturday behind the eight-hit pitching of John Candelaria, Kent Tekulve and Grant Jackson.

Candelaria, 2-4, who had been ineffective in his last three outings, gave up only two harmless singles until the seventh inning when Ron Cey, Dusty Baker and Rick Monday singled to break up the shutout bid.

Giants edge Cubs, 2-1

CHICAGO (AP) — Vic Harris drew a bases-loaded walk with two out in the 12th inning to force in the winning run Saturday and give the San Francisco Giants a 2-1 victory over the Chicago Cubs.

Johnnie LeMaster led off the 12th with a single off loser Willie Hernandez, 2-1. Skip James ii o and LeMaster was safe at second when Hernandez threw late.



(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

CLUCK STRETCHING — Ricky Cluck, a 190-pound back and punter who will be a senior next year for the Big Spring Steers, is shown getting the kinks out of his armor Friday during spring training workouts. In a surprise, over 80 young men came out for the spring drills this past week, and the outlook for next season is brighter than it's been in many years. See story and related picture on p. 2B.

SWC makes massive changes in formats

DALLAS (AP)—Southwest Conference faculty representatives Saturday voted to change the format of the conference's post-season basketball tournament, gave Mutual Broadcasting a five-year contact to air football, and put three officials and the jump ball into its basketball games.

Six teams will now play in the tournament that will be played at The Summit in Houston in 1979.

The first two teams get byes to the semifinals. The third place team in the regular season doesn't play until the quarterfinals.

The fourth place team plays team No. 9, No. 6 hosts No. 7, and No. 5 hosts No. 8 in the first round after the regular season. The third place team plays the winner of the 5-8 meeting on Thursday night of the tournament. The other survivors of the first round play in the other game. Team No. 1 plays the lower bracket winner in the semifinals on Friday while team No. 2 is in the bracket with the third place team. The winners meet on Saturday for the championship.

SWC President Albert Witte of Arkansas said "there is a possibility" of television at the tournament. It is still under study.

San Antonio, Dallas and Houston put in bids for the tournament and all bids were taken under consideration. Dallas' bid was for the 1981 tournament.

Witte also said that a Monday night basketball game for television was discussed but no TV action of any kind was taken.

SWC Commissioner Cliff Speegle also announced that the jump ball will be used to start the games; three officials for all conference games will be used in an experiment; and Dan Spika has been retained as the league's basketball supervisor of officials.

On the football front, Mutual was given the contract for broadcasts of all SWC games with a number ticketed for regional and national networks. Arkansas' rado network has the option for Razorback football for the years 1978—1980.

Also, the SWC voted that the league's Cotton Bowl representative must be in Dallas no later than five days before the annual game New Year's Day.

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Lineman strength, backfield motion evident in spring drills

By DANNY REAGAN
Sports Editor

"It's what's up front that counts!" said Steer Head Coach Don Robbins Friday, during spring training drills taking place on Blankenship Field.

"And in that department, we are stronger than we've been in the past two years." Robbins went on to explain. "Our linemen have really put on strength in the off-season programs, and we're very pleased."

As baseball season winds down, the seasoned and rookie athletes at the high school are winding themselves up in anticipation of next fall. The locals will be returning 18 letterman, of which four are offensive starters, four are defensive starters, and four are part-time starters.

Mark Young (quick tackle), Doug Archer (quick guard), Steve Tipton (center) and Robbie Wrinkle (strong tackle) return to the offense, while Matt Harris (tackle), Byron Harris (end), Ricky Cluck and David Altom (linebackers) will be back for the defense.

Billy Johnson and Ricky Myers at quarterback and Eddie Puga and Dennis Morrison at halfback also lettered and will be seeing starting action next season.

Young, Archer, Tipton, Wrinkle and Harris are all three-year letterman, and Archer is the only one shy of 200-pounds. 1978 should be the year of the lineman, and these five players should lead the way.

Ricky Cluck, who missed much of last season because of a back injury, should lead the list of potential all-district candidates that the locals will be producing. The future senior has already drawn praise from his coaches for his enthusiasm and excellent physical conditioning.

Eddie Puga and Dennis Morrison will produce more blurred movement in the offensive backfield for the Steers than has been evident in recent years. Puga was a member of the speedy sprint medley relay team for the local thinclads this season, and Morrison was the leading Steer ground-gainer (per carry) for the Steers last football season.

Morrison produced 167 net yards on just 24 carries for a eye-popping seven yards a clip average. His offensive grade was 86, last year, tops for the team.

"Puga and Morrison are burners," said Robbins. "They have the speed and quickness to get that long run that we've been needing."

Robbins was also excited about the prospect of having a fullback of regulation size. Last season, gutsy Robbie Wegner did his job, but he was the smallest fullback in the league at 159 pounds.

This year, the Steers will find Greg Jones, 6-1, 210-pounds, back there in the fullback slot. Jones, as a freshman last year, toppled would-be tacklers at will.

Robbins also expressed optimism at the number of potential gridders who came out for spring training this season. Including the 11 players still involved in baseball, a total of 83 would-be Steers were issued equipment for the rugged three-weeks of drills.

Spring training will continue daily, with practices at Blankenship Field east of the high school, until May 20, when the annual Black and Gold scrimmage at Memorial Stadium will cap the May workouts.

1977 SPRING TRAINING ROSTER

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(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

STEER LINEMEN — Coming out for spring training this year for the Big Spring Steers are the following crop of linemen, a group larger and stronger than any in the past three years: sitting, left to right, Johnny Dominguez, Neil Humphrey, Saffa Bell, Jerry Holten, Richard Brito, David Altom, Mark Young, Keith Brown; kneeling, Charlie Corson, David Ross, Mike Williams, Steve Painter, Rusty Touchstone, Johnny Hardeman, Scott Barnes, Ben Dominguez; standing, Steve Tipton, John Keller, Byron Harris, Jack Odom, Keith Sheedy, Doug Archer, Jim Parks, Dean Barriball, Matt Harris, Jerry Bennett, Robert Wrinkle and Barry Rosson.

Girl's state track results

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Here are the results from Saturday's events in the girl's track and field meet:

400 Meter Relay

Class B: 1, Rising Star; Laurie Hill, Vickie Elliott, Carolyn Bessent, 49.0. 2, Newcastle, 49.6.3. 3, Amherst, 49.7. 4, Como-Pickton, 50.1. 5, Crawford, 50.3. 6, Matador Motley County, 50.5.

Class A: 1, Karnack; Geraldine Lewis, Carolyn Jackson, Regina Vaughn, Linda Thomas, 48.9. 2, Woodsboro, 49.1. 3. 3, Bovina, 49.2. 4, Big Lake Reagan County, 49.3. 5, Gladewater Sabine, 49.4. 6, Hamlin, 49.6.

Class 4A: 1, Fort Worth Trimble Tech; Barbara Bell, Donna Thomas, Francis Punch, Debra Davis, 46.8. 2, Houston Washington, 47.0. 3, San Antonio Houston, 47.5. 4, Austin Johnson, 47.8. 5, Temple, 47.9. 6, Killeen, 48.7.

800 Meter Run

Class B: 1, Cindy Speir, Celeste, 2:21.0. 2, Debbie Bolk, Texline, 2:22.6. 3, Gloria Carter, Meridian, 2:23.0. 4, Renee Jurecek, Eola, 2:25.6. 5, Tammie Smith, Lazbuddie, 2:26.3. 6, Tempie Kallus, Holland, 2:26.4.

Class A: 1, Caroline Myers, Munday, 2:117.7. 2, Tracy Galmor, Shamrock, 2:21.8. 3, Teresa Moore, Celina, 2:23.4. 4, Elsa Gonzales, Frisco, 2:24.1. 5, Danna Abbott, Ganado, 2:26.1. 6, Melba Allen, Shepherd, 2:27.3.

Class 4A: 1, Disa Lewis, Houston Memorial, 2:14.8. 2, Jo Ann Dohanich, League City Clear Lake, 2:17.4. 3, Susan White, Amarillo, 2:18.5. 4, Denise Groom, Richardson Pierce, 2:18.6. 5, Alva Camacho, El Paso Jefferson, 2:20.8. 6, Diana Perez, Edinburg, 2:21.5.

400 Meter Run

Class B: 1, Carla McMullen, Bynum, 57.5. 2, Alisa Willis, Newcastle, 59.9. 3, Deniese Fritz, Harper, 59.5. 4, Cindy Murley, Anna, 59.6. 5, Debbie Storie, Silverton, 59.7. 6, Bella Albarado, Leakey, 1:00.3.

Class A: 1, Tammy Broussard, Hull-Daisetta, 56.7. 2, Irene Moczygemba, Falls City, 57.2. 3, Lisa Garner, Iraan, 57.4. 4, Melinda Dornak, Jourdanton, 57.8. 5, Linda Thomas, Karnak, 59.5. 6, Bobbi Davis, Junction, 1:00.5.

Class 4A: 1, Robbin Coleman, Beaumont Charlton-Pollard, 53.4. 2, Karen Wagner, Converse Judson, 55.5. 3, Scheritta Jackson, Houston Forest Brook, 56.3. 4, Francis Punch, Fort Worth Trimble Tech, 57.1. 5, Elisa Martinez, Odessa Permian, 57.3. 6, Sondra Childs, Arlington Bowie, 57.9.

Field Events

Triple Jump

Class 4A: 1, Easter Gabriel, Houston Sterling, 40-¼, national record; old record 39-11½. 2, Jackie Mays, Stamford 1977. 2, Sheritta Jackson, Houston Forest Brook, 38-8. 3, Donna Williams, Austin Anderson, 37-2¼. 4, Vickie Powers, Schertz Clemens, 36-11½. 5, Joyce Williams, Longe-8. 6, Veronica Flowers, Temple, 36-3.

Class B: 1, Susan Bean, Miami, 36-¾. 2, Pam Maxwell, Lometa, 35-11½. 3, Gay Coffman, Meridian, 35-5¾. 4, Denise Fritz, Harper, 34-6¼. 5, Marcy Jordan, Sterling City, 34-1½. 6, Lisha Gilder, Colmesneil, 33-9½.

Class A: 1, Beverly Petty, Frisco, 37-3¼. 2, Bobbie Ballard, Longview Spring Hill, 36-7¼. 3, Sandi Sides, Bovina, 35-5. 4, Lesa Wilson, Edgewood, 35-3¾. 5, Loretta Young, Stanton, 35-1. 6, Michell Torbet, Marion, 35-¼.

Shot Put

Class B: 1, Annette Nester, D'Hanais, 43-7¼, conference record; old record 42-11¼. Jacque Soehgen, Meadow, 1974. 2, Becky Harding, Overton Leverett's Chapel, 41-5¼. 3, Lynette Joiner, Whiteface, 38-1¾. 4, Germaine Polhmeier, Nazareth, 37-10½. 5, Kay Collier, Barksdale Nueces Canyon, 37-9. 6, Martha Meadows, Paradise, 35-4½.

Class A: 1, Caroline Douglas, Mart, 44-0, conference record; old record 43-2¾, Jean Johnston, Agua Dulce, 1976. 2, Sherry Crutsinter, Aubrey, 42-6½. 3, Bess Bronstad, Clifton, 40-7. 4, Pat Shepherd, Bovina, 38-11¾. 5, Linda Shoulders, Sunray, 38-5½. 6, Annie Jones, Kemp, 37-7½.

Class 4A: 1, Dana Beckelman, Fort Worth Richland, 43-8. 2, Gail White, Houston Furr, 43-2½. 3, Pat Thomas, San Antonio Houston, 42-10¾. 4, Krissy Terpening, Austin Crockett, 42-1¾. 5, Cindy Luna, El Paso Andress, 40-11¾. 6, Jana Field, Lubbock Monterey, 40-5½.

High Jump

Class B: 1, Vicki Williams, Mount Enterprise, 5-4. 2, Ronda Edwards, Santo, 5-3. 3, Glenda Allen, Newcastle, 5-0. 4, Connie Crowell, Groom, 5-0. 5, Renee Scott, Agua Dulce, 4-10. 6, Cheryl Hartman, Nazareth, 4-10.

Class A: 1, Cheron Neihues, Wall, 5-3. 2, tie, Doris Thompson, Cushing, 5-2, and Melodee Byrd, Ganado, 5-2. 4, Celia Bridges, Kemp, 5-2. 5, Ruth Fortune, Iraan, 5-2. 6, Denise Reid, Bovina, 5-2.

Class 4A: 1, Gwen McCray, El Paso Parkland, 5-9, conference record; old record 5-7, Dorothy Stafford, Richardson, 1976. 2, Tamara Thomas, Euless Trinity, 5-7. , Vicki Toney, Vidor, 5-7. 4, Donna Thomas, Fort Worth Trimble Tech, 5-6. 5, Tonya Johnson, Abilene Cooper, 5-5. 6, Shelly Scamardo, Houston Stratford, 5-4.

200 Meter Dash

Class B: 1, Lucy Thixton, Forsan, 24.8. 2, Tammy Tomes, Amherst, 25.5. 3, Betty Pflughaupt, Fayetteville, 25.7. 4, Pam Maxwell, Lometa, 25.8. 5, Gina Garrison, Medina, 26.2. 6, Julie Skelton, Goree, 26.4.

Class A: 1, Bobbie Ballard, Longview Spring Hill, 25.4. 2, Shela Titus, Leonard, 25.4. 3, Geneva Shelton, Hamlin, 25.5. 4, Jackie Woodson, Wallis-Orchard Brazos, 25.7. 5, Pamela Montgomery, Ore City, 26.2. 6, Darlene Tucker, Crowell, 26.4.

Class 4A: 1, Casandra Graham, Austin Johnson, 24.1. 2, Alicia Tipton, Robbstown, 24.3. 3, Dorene Hayward, Galveston Ball, 24.4. 4, Tara McDaniel, Garland, 24.5. 5, Theola Freeman, Amarillo Palo Duro, 24.5. 6, Nedra Simpson, Houston Jones, 24.8.

80 Yard Hurdles

Class B: 1, Francis Richey, Utopia, 10.5. 2, Annette Johnson, Como-Pickton, 10.7. 3, Lisa Stavley, Sanderson Terrell County, 10.7. 4, Susan Wolfenbarger, Mertzon Irion County, 11.0. 5, Susan Trentham, Celeste, 11.1. 6, Renee Scott, Agua Dulce, 11.3.

Class 4A: 1, Kathy Bergoon, Alief Hastings, 10.2, ties national record held by four others. 2, Sherine Taylor, San Antonio Houston, 10.3. 3, Brenda Massengale, Temple, 10.4. 4, Jackie Batiste, Galveston Ball, 10.4. 5, Mattie Moore, Port Lovaca Calhoun, 10.4. 6, Becky Johnson, Tyler Lee, 10.5.

800 Meter Relays

Class 4A: 1, Galveston Ball; Likita Wooten, Michelle Johnson, Dorene Hayward, Leisa Biggers, 1:39.3. 2, Houston Washington, 1:40.0. 3, San Antonio Houston, 1:40.3. 4, Amarillo Palo Duro, 1:40.4. 5, Fort Worth Trimble Tech, 1:40.5. 6, Mesquite, 1:41.9.

Class B: 1, Rising Star; Carolyn Bessent, Cindy Elliott, Vicki Elliott, Laurie Hill; 1:44.0. 2, Meridian, 1:44.2. 3, Miami, 1:46.0. 4, Coolidge, 1:46.3. 5, Turkey-Quitaque Valley, 1:46.5. 6, Como-Pickton, 1:47.4.

100 Yard Dash

Class 4A: 1, Robin Coleman, Beaumont Charlton-Pollard, 10.5. 2, Casandra Graham, Austin Johnson, 10.7. 3, Janean Livingston, Fort Worth Eastern Hills, 10.8. 4, Vicki Buford, Killeen, 10.8. 5, Judy Hill, Paris, 10.9. 6, Alicia Tipton, Robbstown, 11.1.

Class B: 1, Tammy Tomes, Amhearst, 11.1. 2, Tracy Booker, Crawford, 11.1. 3, Sharlene Smith, Matador Motley County, 11.1. 4, Carla McMullen, Bynum, 11.2. 5, Elaine Wilson, Fisk Mozelle, 11.3. 6, Carolyn Bessent, Rising Star, 11.4.

One Mile Run

Class B: 1, Hope Fullwood, Roscoe Highland, 5:24.8, conference record; old record, 5:54.3 by Debbie Randolph, Axtell 1977. 2, Kelly Crider, Ponder, 5:27.5. 3, Gayle Book, Nazareth, 5:31.5. 4, Brenda Thompson, Salado, 5:33.2. 5, Angela Havlak, Paint Rock, 5:34.9. 6, Sally Johnson, Holland, 5:52.4.

1600 Meter Relays

Class B: 1, Rising Star; Teresa Underwood, Charlene Maynard, Cindy Elliott, Laurie Hill; 4:01.1. 2, Newcastle, 4:03.3. 3, Miami, 4:07.3. Turke

Watson takes Nelson lead

DALLAS (AP) — Determined, hard-working Tom Watson capped a wildly erratic round with an 18th hole birdie that broke a five-man tie and gave him sole control of the third round lead Saturday in the $200,000 Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

Nine men either led or shared the lead at one time or another on the mild, misty day before Watson dropped the little three-foot birdie putt that finished off a round of par 70. The birdie putt left him on top alone at 206, 4 under par on the 6,997-yard Preston Trail Golf Club course.

Tied for second, a single stroke back at 207 going into Sunday's final round were Lee Trevino, Jim Dent, "Ol' Sarge" Orville Moody and chipper Joe Inman. Inman closed up with a 65, Moody shot 67 despite some uncertain putting, Trevino had a 68 and Dent birdied the 18th hole for a 71.

The group at 208, only 2 shots back and very much in contention for the $40,000 first prize, were big Andy Bean, Steve Melnyk, Ed Sneed and Jay Haas, the 25-year-old winner of the San Diego Open earlier this year. Bean had a 66, Sneed 71, Melnyk 72 and Haas 71.

Veteran Don January shot a 67 and Dave Stockton a 65 — despite missing four putts of eight feet or less — and were at 209. Defending champion Ray Floyd holed a 5-iron second shot for an eagle in his 67 that put him at par 210.

That put a cozy group of a dozen locked within four strokes of each other going to the final 18 holes of play.

Watson, Trevino, Melnyk, Sneed, Dent, Haas, Moody, Inman and Bean all led or shared the lead at one time or another. Without exception, all found their difficulties under gray, threatening skies that leaked occasional drizzle over the finishing holes. Watson emerged as the sole leader when he was proved himself best able to handle the problems.

A two-time winner this season, along with a runner-up finish in the Masters, the 1977 Player of the Year and the current British Open champion, Watson started the day in a three-way tie for the lead. But he quickly backed up and actually disappeared from the leader board with bogeys on four of six holes on the front side.

But he fought his way back with three birdies in row on the homeward side.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

A LITTLE AERIAL PUTTING — Tom Watson, leading the Byron Nelson Golf Classic after three rounds, putts the ball into the air during play Saturday on the 17th green. Watson finished the day with a par 70 to take the undisputed lead.

Cards host Snyder today

The Big Spring Cardinals, 4-2 on the year, play host to the Snyder Pirates in a double-header at Steer Park today, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

In this non-league game, the Cards will be out to improve on their record and overall skills.

Of special interest to Big Spring baseball fans, ex-Steers Frankie Rubio and Arthur Olague, All-District 5-4A baseball stars last year, will start for the Cards, back in Big Spring after completing their college schedule.

Other players in uniform today are Orlando (Boy) Olague, Jody Flores, Tony Fierro, Mike Gamboa, Pat Martinez, Joe Martinez, Charlie Rodriquez, Sammy Rodriquez, Tommy Arguello, Andy Gamboa, Ysa Rubio, Lupe Perez and Louis Perez.

Next week, the Cards return to league competition, hosting the New Mexico Hobbs' team.

Felix Martinez, one of the top players on the Cardinals baseball team, has been sidelined with a bruised middle finger and will not play today. He should be ready for Hobbs, though.

Round-trippers

Tips for young baseball players

BASERUNNING (Continued)

Johnny Bench and Tony Perez are two examples of guys who do not run very fast, but who are good baserunners. They are not noticed because they stay within their limits.

They use their coaches and they think about situations before they happen. There are a lot of fast baserunners in the league who are not good baserunners. They think the only requirement to being a good baserunner is speed and that is definitely wrong.

Joe Morgan sees these guys getting thrown out trying to take the extra base when it is not there to be taken. It looks spectacular, but it hurts the team, and baserunning is for the team because the only way to score a run is by becoming a baserunner.

A baserunner who has a mind to steal must get a good jump on the pitcher. Every good baserunner will tell you the same thing. Speed alone won't do it. It is largely a matter of studying the pitcher's moves and mannerisms and breaking for the base at the precise second you know he is going to the plate with the ball.

That makes the act of stealing a base a combination of both speed and reflexes. If you watch a pitcher close enough, you will learn to spot his peculiar little habits. Some will tip off the fact they are throwing to the plate by dropping their shoulder a little. With others it could be as small a thing as a neck muscle twinging.

Most of them have some special tip off, and if you do not learn to spot it, they will be picking you off base from April until the end of the season. As soon as you spot it, though, you have got to be off and running. Every runner has to figure out for himself what the best lead is for him.

(Wednesday: More running, stealing second)

Rose passes milestone

CINCINNATI (AP) — Pete Rose wasn't ready for Hall of Fame talk.

"I'm not through yet," said the Cincinnati Reds' star after his latest milestone — a testimony to his tough-mindedness.

With two singles off Montreal's Steve Rogers, baseball's all-time switch-hitter reached the 3,000 hit mark, a feat achieved by only 12 other major leaguers. Nine of them are already in the Hall of Fame and the other three — Henry Aaron, Willie Mays and Al Kaline — are surefire selections.

But Rose, 37, preferred talking about more seasons and more hits after 37,823 fans rocked Riverfront Stadium with standing ovations.

His most immediate goal?

"Another divisional title and a world championship. Winning the World Series two years in a row is still the greatest satisfaction," said the 11-time All-Star.

One golden milestone burns inside him: Stan Musial's National League record of 3,630.

"With a couple of strong seasons in the next 2-3 years, I can do it," said Rose, who has nine 200-hit seasons in his last 15 seasons. He and Musial both reached the 3,000-hit plateau in their 16th years.

The evening ended on a low note for Rose, who was plainly embarrassed to be interviewed on radio at home plate after the 4-3 loss to Montreal.

"Here at Cincinnati, we don't want to be on 'Star of the Game' if we lose," he said.

A day earlier, Rose predicted he would get the historic hit Friday night so he "wouldn't upstage the Kentucky Derby."

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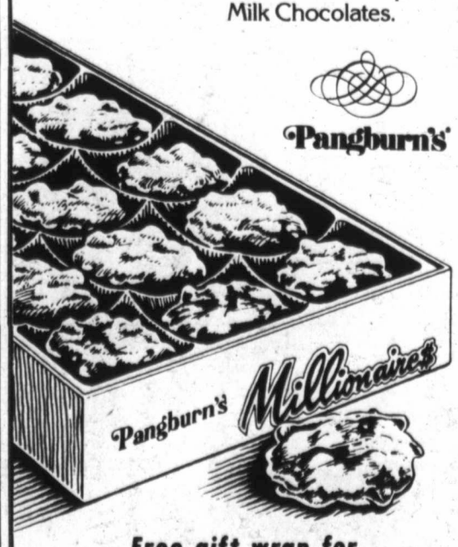

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NBA playoffs continue after Nugs, Bullets win

DENVER (AP) — David Thompson hit three crucial jump shots in the final three minutes and the Denver Nuggets overcame foul problems to defeat the Seattle SuperSonics 116-107 Friday night in the opener of their National Basketball Association playoff series.

Game 2 in the Western Conference finals will be played here Sunday, with the next two contests scheduled for Seattle.

The Sonics, who fell behind by as much as 13 points early in the second half, kept things close by hitting 47 of 62 shots from the free throw line.

After Seattle guard Gus Williams connected on a pair of free throws with 3:37 left to cut Denver's lead to 102-98, Thompson soared high for a 16-foot jumper.

Thompson was called for goal tending at the opposite end of the court, but then hit two straight field goals and tacked on a free throw to give the Nuggets a 109-100 edge with 1:34 left.

Seconds later, Bobby Wilkerson took a pass from Thompson and hit a stuff shot. Another basket and free throw by Wilkerson helped pad Denver's lead to 114-103 with 31 seconds left.

Denver center Dan Issel, who scored eight of the Nuggets first 12 points in opening up the big third-quarter lead, paced Denver with 25 points despite picking up his fourth foul midway through the quarter and his fifth foul with six minutes to play.

Seattle center Marvin Webster, a former Nugget, took game honors with 28 points and forward John Johnson had 21.

76ers-Bullets

Meanwhile in Landover, Md., the Philadelphia 76ers wowed the fans with a pregame dunk show and then flexed their awesome muscles when play began.

But the underdog Washington Bullets, playing a team game which even the 76ers recognized, scored a 123-108 victory Friday night and took a 2-1 lead in the National Basketball Association's Eastern Conference finals.

The 76ers shot only 37.8 percent while being outscored 48-34 in field goals, but dropped in 40 of 55 free throws. Even without center Wes Unseld, who missed his second game with a sprained ankle, the Bullets were outrebounded only 48-44.

Indy prepping continues

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — There hasn't been a death at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway in five years, but age has taken the man who began each race with the command "Gentlemen, start your engines," and a tragic airplane crash has claimed the lives of seven top racing officials.

The task of formally opening the Speedway for practice Saturday went to Joe Cloutier, who succeeded the late Tony Hulman as president of the auto racing empire last fall.

The loss of the seven U.S. Auto Club officials in a plane crash southeast of Indianapolis two weeks ago also will be felt at the Speedway. But with the two most critical positions — technical chairman and registrar — already filled, processing of paperwork and the inspection of race cars has been going smoothly.

A year ago, the biggest concern seemed to be whether the 76-year-old Hulman would change his famous starting command because of the appearance of Janet Guthrie, the first woman to qualify for Indy 500. He didn't, although he noted Guthrie's presence in the race. Now, no one knows whether Cloutier will continue the tradition at all.

But that mystery will be cleared up in three weeks. In the meantime, six former winners, a flock of other veterans and seven rookies will wage daily battles for speed.

Six drivers have recorded lap speeds of more than 200 mph, and Al Unser set an unofficial record of 202 in tire tests last month. Unser is the last driver to win consecutive races (1970-71), but the favorite is defending champion A.J. Foyt, who notched his fourth Indy victory last year.

The other former winners entered this time are Unser's brother, Bobby, Mario Andretti, Gordon Johncock and Johnny Rutherford. Other favorites include defending USAC national driving champion Tom Sneva, who set the official track record of 200.535 mph during qualifications last year, and second-year driver Danny Ongais, the current USAC points leader.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

AFFIRMED TAKES THE ROSES — Affirmed, with Steve Cauthen up, passes between twin spires of Churchill Downs Saturday toward win of 104th Kentucky Derby. Affirmed won the Run for the Roses with a time of 2.01 1-5. (See story, p. 1B).

Midland girl loses in tennis finals

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Pam Hill of Beaumont South Park won her fourth consecutive Class 3A singles title Saturday at the state girls tennis meet.

Tracey Blumentritt of Clear Creek and the Tyler Lee Doubles team won 4A championships.

Hill defeated Jane Settree of New Braunfels, 6-3, 6-1.

Blumentritt beat Vickie Vasicek of Midland, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2, in the 4A singles finals.

Janet Kniffen and Lelia Wallender of Tyler Lee defeated Susie Low and Jan Johansen of Dallas Highland Park, 6-1, 6-4, in the 4A doubles.

Here are the results of the other championship tennis matches:

—3A doubles, Elsa and Zelda Hinojosa of Falfurrias defeated Stacy Riley and Patti Pierce of Humble, 0-6, 6-2, 6-2.

—2A doubles, Jane Leyendecker and Kathy Neuendorff, Columbus, defeated Susan Mills and Kellie Mull, Denver City, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

—2A singles, Ann Koehl, Columbus, defeated Diane Plocheck, Van, 6-1, 6-4.

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Quarterback Club sues agency

DENVER (AP) — Members of the Denver Broncos Quarterback Club are suing a travel agency for $63,000 because of poor service they say they received attending the Super Bowl in New Orleans in January.

The suit, filed in Denver District Court, claims that 97 of the club's 235 members had to take flights the day before the game instead of game day as the contract with Travel Ventures provided.

Also, hotel rooms weren't available as promised and 20 of the early arrivals had to stay in a partially heated condominium with only two bathrooms. The other 77 were divided up among 19 motel rooms, the suit claims.

San Fran probe resumes

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — An investigation of the basketball program at the University of San Francisco — begun last winter then postponed until the season's end — will be resumed next week by the National Collegiate Athletic Association, the San Jose Mercury reports.

The NCAA refused to confirm or deny the report.

The Rev. Phillip Callaghan, S.J., the school's faculty representative in the West Coast Athletic Conference, said Friday he was aware the NCAA is doing an investigation.

"It's a typical NCAA investigation," he added.

Crockett girls take revenge

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Austin Crockett, disqualified in regional last year because it showed up late, won the 4A girls' golf championship Friday by 43 strokes over Stafford Dulles.

Defending champion Conroe was sixth, 77 strokes behind Crockett, which played on its own course and shot 684.

Susan Yantis of San Antonio Holmes won a playoff with Debbie Hall of Corpus Christi Carroll to capture medalist honors in 4A. Yantis and Hall had tied at 156 for 36 holes.

Humble, with a 750, won the 3A team title by 32 strokes over Borger, and Marci Bozarth of Lampasas was the medalist with a 166.

Banquet speaker taken ill

Col. John Childs of Canyon, originally scheduled to speak at the spring Sports Banquet at BSHS Tuesday, has taken ill and will not be able to appear.

Dr. Kenneth Patrick of the First Baptist Church in Big Spring, a well-known local supporter of sports and city's youth, will deliver the message.

Childs offered Athletic Director Don Robbins his regrets Saturday, and indicated he would like to "take a rain check."

Tickets to the Banquet are still on sale for $3.50. The event will take place in the high school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Osborne, Wilkins, Acri, Hanson lead BSGA Partnership tourney

The Big Spring Men's Golf Association kicked off the first day of the annual Partnership Tournament Saturday with a total of 46 teams entered.

The Scratch Division first round leaders were the team of Don Osborne and Dan Wilkins. Second place was occupied by the teams of Mark McCraney — Pat Weaver, R. Aldridge — A. Fudge and Howard Stewart — David Howell all tied at 68.

The Handicap Division was led by an outstanding score of 55 scored by the team of Eddie Acri and David Hanson. Their round was highlighted by a hole-in-one made by Eddie Acri on Hole No. 6 144 yard Par 3.

Two teams were tied at 58 for second place: Abe Gonzales — Sam Subia and Jerry White — Ron Booth.

Other teams which are still in the running are:

SCRATCH DIVISION

Gary Grissam, Gene Wiel; Nile, Brian Rizzo; R. North, B. Pearce; Jerry Roach, Bob Shaffer — 69.

Royce Cox, Bobby Smith — 70.

Bernard Rains, Riley Wyatt; Keith Hamilton, Tim Hamilton — 71.

HANDICAP DIVISION

Terry Vaughn, George Cole — 61.

N. Dixon, M. Spence; Earl Archer, J. DeArmond; Ron Plumlee, Mel Williams — 62.

H. Davis, Winston Wrinkle; John Subia, Tano Chavarria; Bob Rogers, T. Montgomery; Lee Munoz, Roberto Rodriguez — 63.

Garland Armstrong, G. Ovalle; Jim Roger, Joe Sharpnack; Jimm Shoults, Charles Burdette — 64.

The second round will begin at 8:30 Sunday morning.

Scorecard

Girl's Softball

DIVISION II

Cardinals 10, Eagles 8. WP — Leslie Overman. LP — Sarah Pollard. Hits — Conna Ferguson, 3B; Gloria Bustamante, 2B; Linda Arroyo, 2B; Sandra Gonzales, 2B; Alice Lopez, 2B; Laura Green, HR. Records — Cardinals 2-0, Eagles 0-2.

Whirlwinds 13, Tornadoes 8. WP — Sandy Puga. LP — Lupe Hernandez. Hits — Laura Warren, 1B, 1B, 3B; Kay Ausbie, HR (gr-slam); Prissy Rubio, 1B, 3B; Lisa Vierra, 1B, 3B; Paula Hughes, 2B. Records — Whirlwinds 2-0; Tornadoes 0-1.

Little League

NATIONAL

Colts 7, Tigers 4. WP — Mitch Griffin. LP — Carey Fraser. Hits — Mitch Griffin, 2B; Donnie Peacock, 1B, HR; Todd McKinney, 3B, 1B; Jamie Sotelo, 1B, 1B; Tom Cates, Mike Wilbanks, Mike Cahill, James Bailey, Randol Odom, Doug Baum, Ismael Holquin, Michael Horton, David Williams, William Wilkinson (all singles). Records — Colts 1-0, Tigers 1-1.

Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST	W	L	Pct.	GB
Mont	13	8	.619	—
Phil	12	8	.600	½
Chi	12	11	.522	2
Pitt	10	12	.455	3½
NY	11	15	.423	4½
SLou	10	14	.417	4½
WEST				
LA	16	8	.667	—
Cinc	14	10	.583	2
SFra	12	11	.521	3½
SDie	10	13	.434	5½
Hous	10	14	.417	6
Atla	9	15	.375	7

Friday's Games

San Francisco at Chicago, ppd., rain

Atlanta 5, Houston 2

Montreal 4, Cincinnati 3

Philadelphia 9, New York 4

Los Angeles 7, Pittsburgh 2

San Diego 2, St. Louis 1

Saturday's Games

San Francisco at Chicago

Los Angeles at Pittsburgh

Montreal at Cincinnati

Houston at Atlanta, (n)

New York at Philadelphia, (n)

San Diego at St. Louis, (n)

Sunday's Games

Montreal (Twitchell 1-2 and Grimsley 4-0 or Dues 0-1) at Cincinnati (Capilla 0-1 and Bair 0-0), 2

New York (Swan 1-1) at Philadelphia (Lerch 3-1)

Los Angeles (John 4-0) at Pittsburgh (Candelaria 1-4)

San Francisco (Montefusco 1-2) at Chicago (Burris 2-1)

San Diego (Perry 2-0) at St.Louis (Forsch 4-2)

Houston (Lemongello 2-3) at Atlanta (Hanna 2-0)

Monday's Games

Houston at Philadelphia, (n)

Montreal at Atlanta, (n)

New York at Cincinnati, (n)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

EAST	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detr	15	6	.714	—
NY	14	9	.609	2
Bost	14	10	.583	2½
Milw	11	12	.478	5
Clev	10	12	.455	5½
Balt	10	13	.435	6
Toro	8	16	.333	8½
WEST				
Oakl	19	5	.792	—
Cal	15	9	.625	4
KC	14	9	.609	4½
Tex	10	11	.476	7½
Chi	7	13	.350	10
Seat	9	20	.310	12½
Minn	8	19	.296	12½

Friday's Games

Chicago at Boston, ppd., rain

Baltimore 2, Minnesota 1

New York 5, Texas 2

Milwaukee 9, Kansas City 0

Oakland 5, Detroit 1

California 5, Cleveland 0

Seattle 9, Toronto 1

Saturday's Games

Boston 6-3, Chicago 4-0, first game 10 innings

Texas 9, New York 5

Milwaukee 4, Kansas City 3

Detroit 6, Oakland 0

Minnesota at Baltimore, (n)

Cleveland at California, (n)

Toronto at Seattle, (n)

Sunday's Games

Minnesota (Serum 2-0) at Baltimore (McGregor 1-3)

Texas (Ellis 2-1) at New York (Beattie 1-0)

Chicago (Wood 2-3) at Boston (Ripley 0-2)

Kansas City (Gale 1-0) at Milwaukee (Augustine 4-3)

Cleveland (Waits 2-1) at California (Aase 1-1)

Detroit (Sykes 0-0) at Oakland (Keough 2-0)

Toronto (Garvin 2-1) at Seattle (Pole 2-4)

Monday's Games

Chicago at Baltimore, 2, (t-n)

Kansas City at Boston, (n)

Oakland at Toronto, (n).

Minnesota at New York, (n)

NBA playoffs

Semifinals
Best of Seven
Friday's Games

Washington 123, Philadelphia 108, Washington leads series 2-1.

Denver 116, Seattle 107, Denver leads series 1-0.

Sunday's Games

Philadelphia at Washington

Seattle at Denver

Wednesday's Games

Washington at Philadelphia

Denver at Seattle

Friday's Games

Philadelphia at Washington, if necessary

Denver at Seattle

Sunday, May 14

Washington at Philadelphia, if necessary.

Seattle at Denver, TBA, if necessary

Wednesday, May 17

Denver at Seattle, if necessary

Friday, May 19

Seattle at Denver, if necessary

Texas League

Eastern Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arkansas	16	6	.727	—
Jackson	10	10	.500	4
Tulsa	10	11	.476	5½
Shreveport	6	15	.286	9½
Western Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Antonio	19	5	.792	—
El Paso	11	13	.458	8
Midland	11	13	.458	8
Amarillo	7	17	.292	12

Friday's Games

Arkansas 4, Shreveport 3

Midland 5, Amarillo 3

Tulsa 5, Jackson 4

San Antonio 15, El Paso 13

Saturday's Games

San Antonio at El Paso

Amarillo at Midland

Shreveport at Arkansas (2)

Jackson at Tulsa

League leaders

BATTING (50 at bats)—Burroughs, Atl, .405; Monday, LA, .378; Schmidt, Phi, .341; EValntine, Mtl, .338; KHrnandz, StL, .337.

RUNS—Schmidt, Phi, 22; Lopes, LA, 22; Morgan, Cin, 21; Cash, Mtl, 19; Monday, LA, 19.

RUNSBATTEDIN—Monday, LA, 25; Morgan, Cin, 19; Garvey, LA, 19; McCovey, SF, 19; Parker, Pgh, 18; Watson, Htn, 18; RSmith, LA, 18; Winfield, SD, 18.

HITS—Rose, Cin, 34; Griffey, Cin, 33; Burroughs, Atl, 32; Foster, Cin, 32; Monday, LA, 31.

DOUBLES—Morgan, Cin, 10; Parrish, Mtl, 9; Mazzilli, NY, 9; KHrnandz, StL, 9; Simmons, StL, 9.

TRIPLES—Dawson, Mtl, 3; Garner, Pgh, 3; 9 Tied With 2.

HOME RUNS—Monday, LA, 9; Bench, Cin, 6; Winfield, SD, 6; Schmidt, Phi, 5; Parker, Pgh, 5; Ferguson, Htn, 5.

STOLEN BASES—Moreno, Pgh, 14; Royster, Atl, 12; Cedeno, Htn, 9; Driessen, Cin, 8; Richards, SD, 8.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)— Grimsley, Mtl, 5-0, 1.000, 1.83; Norman, Cin, 4-0, 1.000, 2.77; John, LA, 4-0, 1.000, 2.21; Rau, LA, 4-0, 1.000, 3.10; Rhoden, LA, 4-0, 1.000, 2.01; Zachry, NY, 3-0, 1.000, 2.38; Bonham, Cin, 3-0, 1.000, 3.24; Lerch, Phi, 3-1, .750, 3.41.

STRIKEOUTS—Richard, Htn, 46; PNiekro, Atl, 41; Mntefusco, SF, 30; Rogers, Mtl, 28; Seaver, Cin, 28.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING (50 at bats)—ARdriguez, Det, .377; Harlow, Bal, .373; BBell, Cle, .360; Singleton, Bal, .353; Carew, Min, .351.

RUNS—LeFlore, Det, 23; Rice, Bsn, 22; Bando, Mil, 19; Hisle, Mil, 19; Remy, Bsn, 18.

RUNSBATTEDIN—Rice, Bsn, 25; Hobson, Bsn, 24; Staub, Det, 22; Hisle, Mil, 21; Ford, Min, 21.

HITS—Carew, Min, 39; Rice, Bsn, 36; BBell, Cle, 31; Ford, Min, 31; Smalley, Min, 31; Guerrero, Oak, 31.

DOUBLES—Ford, Min, 8; DeCinces, Bal, 7; BBell, Cle, 7; Blanks, Cle, 7; Dade, Cle, 7; Norwood, Min, 7.

TRIPLES—Rice, Bsn, 4; Bostock, Cal, 3; Cowens, KC, 3; 10 Tied With 2.

HOME RUNS—Hisle, Mil, 8; GAlexandr, Oak, 8; Hobson, Bsn, 7; Rice, Bsn, 7; Cooper, Mil, 7; Baylor, Cal, 7.

STOLEN BASES—Dilone, Oak, 9; LeFlore, Det, 8; Wilson, KC, 8; Remy, Bsn, 6; Norwood, Min, 6.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)— Lee, Bsn, 4-0, 1.000, 2.25; Broberg, Oak, 4-0, 1.000, 1.08; Hood, Cle, 3-0, 1.000, 4.55; Hiller, Det, 3-0, 1.000, 1.47; Guidry, NY, 3-0, 1.000, 1.49; Sosa, Oak, 3-0, 1.000, 0.79; Tanana, Cal, 5-1, .833, 2.89; Figueroa, NY, 4-1, .800, 3.15.

STRIKEOUTS—Ryan, Cal, 71; Leonard, KC, 37; Matlack, Tex, 29; Guidry, NY, 26; Caldwell, Mil, 25.

Box scores

National at Atlanta

Houston	ab	r	h	bi	Atlanta	ab	r	h	bi
Puhl lf	4	1	1	0	Royster 2b	4	0	1	0
Cabell 3b	2	0	0	0	Office cf	4	0	0	0
Cedeno cf	4	0	0	1	Asselstn rf	4	0	0	0
Watson 1b	4	1	2	1	Burrghs lf	2	1	0	0
JCruz rf	4	0	0	0	Pocoroba c	3	1	0	0
Howe 2b	4	0	1	0	Murphy 1b	2	1	1	1
Herrman c	3	0	0	0	Gilbrth 3b	4	1	2	1
Sedon ss	3	0	0	0	Rockett ss	3	0	1	1
JNiekro p	1	0	0	0	Boggs p	3	1	1	1
Howard ph	1	0	1	0	Solomon p	1	0	0	0
Bannistr p	0	0	0	0					
Walling ph	1	0	0	0					
Total	31	2	5	2	Total	30	5	6	4

Houston	1.0.0	0.0.1	0.0.0	—	2
Atlanta	0.1.0	0.1.2	0.1.x	—	5

E—Howe. DP—Atlanta 1. LOB—Houston 7, Atlanta 7. 2B—Gilbreath 2. HR—Boggs (1), Watson (4). SB—Puhl, Royster, Murphy 2. S—JNiekro, Pocoroba.

Houston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
JNiekro L,1-4	6	5	4	3	3	2
Bannister	2	1	1	1	2	2
Atlanta						
Boggs W,1-3	7	5	2	2	4	3
Solomon	2	0	0	0	0	3

Save—Solomon (2). WP—Boggs. T—2:29. A—5,699.

American at New York

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	New York	ab	r	h	bi
Hargrv 1b	5	0	2	0	Rivers cf	5	0	1	0
Cmprns ss	2	0	1	1	Rndlph 2b	3	2	1	0
Bevacqdh	5	0	0	0	Munson c	4	1	3	2
Zisk rf	4	1	1	1	RJckson rf	3	1	1	1
Sundbrg c	3	0	1	0	Piniella lf	4	0	1	0
Harrah 3b	4	0	0	0	Chmbls 1b	3	0	1	1
Beniquz cf	2	0	0	0	Nettles 3b	3	0	0	0
Lowrstn lf	1	1	1	0	CJhnsn dh	4	0	0	0
BThmps cf	4	0	1	0	Dent ss	3	1	1	1
Wills 2b	4	0	1	0					
Total	34	2	8	2	Total	32	5	9	5

Texas	0.0.0	0.0.0	1.1.0	—	2
New York	1.0.3	0.0.0	0.1.x	—	5

E—Matlack, Beniquiz. DP—Texas 1, New York 1. LOB—Texas 10, New York 8. 2B—Munson, Lownstein, Piniella, Hargrove. 3B—Sundberg. HR—Zisk (8). SB—Wills, Campneris 2.

Texas	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Matlack L,2-4	7	13	9	5	3	2
Comer	2	3	0	0	0	2
New York						
Guidry W,3-0	6	13	5	1	1	5
Gossage	2	2	3	1	1	0

Save—Gossage (2). HBP—ReJackson (by Matlack). T—2:37. A—12,000.

NHL playoffs

Semifinals
Best of Seven
Saturday's Game

Montreal at Toronto, Montreal leads series 2-0

Sunday's Game

Boston at Philadelphia, Boston leads series 2-0

Tuesday's Games

Montreal at Toronto

Boston at Philadelphia

Thursday's Games

Philadelphia at Boston, if necessary

Toronto at Montreal, if necessary

Saturday, May 13

Montreal at Toronto, if necessary

Sunday, May 14

Boston at Philadelphia, if necessary

Tuesday, May 16

Philadelphia at Boston, if necessary

Toronto at Montreal, if necessary

WHA playoffs

Semifinals
Best of Seven
Friday's Game

New England 7, Quebec 3. New England leads series 3-1

Sunday's Game

Quebec at New England

Wednesday's Game

New England at Quebec, if necessary

Friday, May 12

Quebec at New England, if necessary

Championship
Best of Seven

Winnipeg vs. Quebec New England winner

Transactions

FOOTBALL

National Football League

HOUSTON OILERS — Signed Reggie Rogers, running back; Bobby Mathews, placekicker; Scott Hewitt, linebacker, and Tommy Steele, center guard, to free-agent contracts.

NEW YORK JETS — Signed Mario Benimeo, defensive tackle, to a free agent contract.

Canadian Football League

BRITISH COLUMBIA LIONS — Signed Frank Oliver, defensive back; Bill Rice, defensive tackle, and Gary Evans, running back.

TOMMY'S REPLAY

By Tommy Hart

Q. What records does Don Meredith still hold with the Dallas Cowboys? — Ted, Coahoma.

A. "Dandy Don" set two club records in 1966 that have yet to be equalled or surpassed. That year he passed for 2,805 yards and 24 touchdowns...both marks still stand. As a comparison, Roger Staubach totalled 2,620 yards and 18 touchdowns this past season. He's the closest. Also, the All-American from SMU is currently the third-leading career passer for Dallas, behind Staubach and Morton, respectively.

If you have a question about a personality or event in the history of the world of sports, please send your inquiries to "Tommy's Replay", Big Spring Herald P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas, 79720

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Richards, Pearson of Cowboys coming to town soon

Golden Richards and Drew Pearson of the Dallas Cowboys have both accepted invitations to help host the open house at Citizens Federal Credit Union on May 20, according to information recently released by the credit union. The two Cowboy players, who will be at the credit union for four hours, will arrive at 1:00 p.m. on May 20.

Drew Pearson's NFC-leading 58 receptions for 806 yards and six touchdowns last season gave Pearson 188 catches in four years — third best in Cowboys history behind Bob Hayes and Frank Clarke. "Drew Pearson is simply the finest receiver in pro football," says Roger Staubach. Tom Landry says that "Drew has performed so well for us and won so many big games for us. He had one of his great years in '76. He'll have another big year."

Known not only for numerous catches but also for his game-turning, clutch grabs, Drew says, "The reason I've been able to make the clutch catches is that the quarterbacks have had confidence in me in crucial situations. I appreciate that. But the big play is just one part of being a consistent receiver."

Drew was named All-Pro for the second time in 1976. Says fellow All-Pro Roger Wehrli of the St. Louis Cardinals, a cornerback who has drawn Pearson one-to-one many times, "Drew simply has great hands and he really has deceiving speed. He always has something extra, acceleration, or a little something. And anything he touches, he catches."

GOLDEN RICHARDS

DREW PEARSON

A college quarterback his first two years at Tulsa, Drew switched to wide receiver as a junior but went generally unnoticed his final two seasons in a run-oriented offense.

When sprinter Bob Hays gave way as the starting split end of the Cowboys in 1974, another sprinter, Golden Richards, was the man who took over. After grabbing 47 passes for better than 900 yards and nine touchdowns in '74 and '75, Golden was slowed last year by a hamstring injury that eventually forced him out of the starting lineup late in the season. He still finished with 19 receptions for 414 yards and three touchdowns. "I put team success before individual success," Golden reports, who during his career has been known for his long touchdown catches. Since he joined the club, Golden has caught scoring passes of 53, 52, 58, 46, 43 and 62 yards, often by simply outsprinting the opposition.

Somewhat of a surprise second-round selection because he missed much of his senior year at Hawaii with a leg injury, Golden had transferred to Hawaii for his final year after leading the nation in punt returns at Brigham Young as a junior.

Both Pearson and Richards live in Dallas and are very involved in charity and civic work. Drew and his wife Marsha are actively involved with such charities in the Metroplex as MS, March of Dimes, Big Brothers of America and with autistic children. Golden and his wife Barbara, are also active in many charities, including Big Brothers, the West Texas Boys Ranch, Special Olympics and alcohol and drug abuse programs. He also is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

THE COVERUP — Tennis star Vitas Gerulaitis chivalrously offers part of his jacket in a playful attempt to mask the identity of fellow tennis pro Chris Evert as they leave New York's Studio 54 after a visit late Sunday night. The pair were apparently camera-shy as they fled the disco scene after spotting a photographer.

Why did Yanks bar Tony Kubek?

NEW YORK (AP) — A dispute between New York Yankees owner George Steinbrenner and NBC broadcaster Tony Kubek resulted in Kubek's being barred from interviewing Yankees players before a network game last month.

That's the sum and substance of a situation that began during spring training. The fact that Steinbrenner and Kubek have a personal dispute may be of passing interest to some, but when it affects network coverage of baseball it becomes much more than that.

So what happened?

Kubek, an ex-Yankee, is regarded as a straight shooter, a guy who says what he thinks but has never been known as a controversial figure. During spring training a writer for the Fort Lauderdale News asked Kubek how he feels about the state of baseball, the role of the owners, etc. Kubek said what he thought, and among the things he thought were that Steinbrenner manipulates people, rules by fear and is not particularly cherished by some of his players.

"I said he's got an expensive toy and he won't let anyone enjoy it," said Kubek. "I said the turmoil on the Yankees is not over, it's going to resurface."

Steinbrenner, not surprisingly, took exception to Kubek's remarks. He made copies of the article and sent them around to various owners with the postscript: "How's this for the mouth that bites the hand that feeds it?"

The scene switches to Arlington, Texas, where the Yankees are preparing to face the Rangers in NBC's opening "Game of the Week" telecast. Kubek showed up a day early to tape some interviews but was prevented from doing so. Network and baseball sources say a Yankees employee was told by Steinbrenner to inform each player not to grant Kubek an interview. And if a player did give Kubek an interview, the employee would be fired.

Kubek did not get his interview.

Steinbrenner denies he told any player not to talk to Kubek.

All parties now insist the whole matter is over and done with and should be left alone. Except Kubek. Kubek has some concern that with negotiations scheduled in the near future on a new baseball contract with the networks, he could be vulnerable.

"If he can have influence on the other owners, my job may be at stake," said Kubek. "Maybe I'm being paranoid but if he's starting a blackball procedure I certainly want to have something to say about it, not just for me but for the cause of journalistic integrity."

Steinbrenner denies absolutely that he has any interest in getting Kubek fired.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

NOW FOR MY... — Ilie Nastase of the Los Angeles Strings appears to be doing the old racquet swallowing trick after a bad shot in the Superdome in New Orleans Tuesday night. In response to a question if he has a special racquet, Nastase replied: "The strings are made of gold, and there's diamonds on the neck, and emeralds and rubies, too." A lot to swallow even for the Romanian born player.

Robinson goes back to minors

BALTIMORE (AP) — Frank Robinson, a retired baseball superstar, is going back to the minor leagues for the first time since 1955.

The major league's first black manager, currently a coach with the Baltimore Orioles, has accepted an offer to manage the club's Rochester farm team in the Class AAA International League.

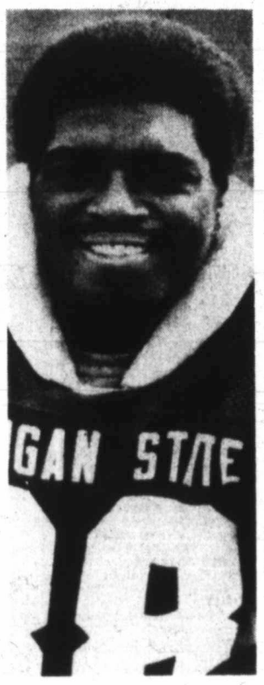
"It wasn't an easy decision to make," Robinson said Wednesday after considering his options for several days. "But I thought I should take the opportunity to work with young players and further my baseball education."

Robinson, fired last year after managing the Cleveland Indians for 2½ seasons, was offered the Rochester post after Ken Boyer left the Red Wings to become manager of the St. Louis Cardinals.

The 42-year-old Robinson, who led the Orioles to four American League pennants while playing six years in Baltimore, 1966-71, was assured of job security for next season.

General Manager Hank Peters said that Robinson could return to the Orioles next season should he decide not to continue with Rochester, and doesn't land another job elsewhere.

Robinson managed six years in the Puerto Rican Winter League, where many of the players were major leaguers, and a portion of the season last winter in the Mexican Pacific League.



COWBOYS DRAFT — Michigan State University's Larry Bethea (88) was selected by the Dallas Cowboys as their first round draft pick Tuesday in the NFL draft.

'Jabo' is last of iron men

NOLANVILLE, Texas (AP) — They called him Jabo. He was one of the last of football's iron men, a 186-pound guard who was a two-way, 60-minute performer before anyone heard of platoons.

More than that, he had the unique experience of playing two college careers — not just four but eight years in the undergraduate trenches.

"It is a different game," acknowledged Maj. Gen. Harvey J. "Jabo" Jablonsky, sitting among his football and wartime memorabilia in this lazy, little community in central Texas.

"The size of the modern players and the leniency of the rules are the things that impress me most. In my day, you couldn't touch a pass receiver until he had caught the ball. Today, they bump him and climb all over him. Relaxed rules have contributed to the violence in the sport."

Jablonsky, 69, now assistant to the chairman of the board at Northrup Corp., after a distinguished Army career, is one of eight former gridiron greats named this year to the National Football Hall of Fame.

He will be inducted next December in New York along with Michigan's Ron Kramer, Ohio State's Gomer Jones and others.

Jablonsky was a four-letter man — in football, basketball, baseball and track — at his Clayton, Mo., high school. Graduating at age 16, he continued his athletic and academic conquests at Washington University in St. Louis, receiving his degree in 1930.

Shortly afterward, he was appointed to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point. Because there was no restriction at the time, he could continue his football career.

He captained the football team his senior year at Washington U. and Army and in 1933 was named 'the best all-around athlete at West Point. He served as assistant coach at Army from 1934 through 1942, went to war, then came back as an aide to Red Blaik in the late 1940s.

He had a role in the development of the great Doc Blanchard-Glenn Davis teams in the immediate postwar years.

Jablonsky commanded the 515th Parachute Regiment in Europe during World War II, did temporary duty in Japan and Iran before retiring from the Army with two stars in 1969.

GEN. JABLONSKY
'Jabo' is a Hall of Famer

He's a 'Punch and Judy'

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Cecil Cooper says he's strictly a "Punch and Judy" hitter this year, but so far the Milwaukee Brewers' first baseman has been emphasizing the punch.

"It was just an accident," Cooper said of his bases loaded home run in the season opening series with Baltimore, when the Brewers tied a major league record with grand slams in three consecutive games.

"I just hit a mistake," Cooper said. "I'm a 'Punch and Judy' hitter now. I probably will be lucky if I hit 10 dingers the whole season."

But when Cooper belted his sixth home run of the season in the Brewers' 6-4 victory over Boston Wednesday night, he climbed into a four-way tie for the American League lead with teammates Larry Hisle and Gorman Thomas and the Red Sox' Butch Hobson. Cooper's three hits in four times at bat raised his average to .323.

"I really can't explain the dingers at all," Cooper said. "I'm not trying to hit home runs. I'm just concentrating on making contact, trying to hit singles and doubles like Rod Carew."

The resemblance is striking. While Cooper had hit an even .300 with a career-high 20 homers last season, his 110 strikeouts in 643 times at bat grated on him. His goal is to hit .325 and he figures he can achieve that if he cuts his strikeouts to 70.

Toward that end, he has adopted the deep-crouch batting stance of his friend Carew, the Minnesota Twins' perennial batting champion.

"I talked to Rodney about it, and he told me the key is to stay down on the ball," Cooper said. "I've always been a sucker for a high fastball. Now, with the crouch, the high fastball isn't in the strike zone."

(AP WIREPHOTO)

REDS BALL, BOY? — Cincinnati Reds pitcher Tom Seaver gathers batting practice balls, Sunday in his old home, Shea Stadium. It was a day off for the former Met great, and a day he watched his former teammates beat the sox off his Cincinnati Redlegs, 6-4.

Forwards dominate NBA Hall

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Former Philadelphia Warrior star Paul Arizin thinks a great issue is settled by the fact that he and the other three players inducted this year into the National Basketball Hall of Fame all were forwards.

"After all the debate, who can doubt that it's the forwards who make the game of basketball," Arizin joked during formal ceremonies marking the enshrinement of the four NBA greats and a long-time league referee.

Arizin was a Villanova All-American and an originator of the jump shot who scored 16,266 points and came down with 6,500 rebounds during his decade with the Warriors in the 1950s.

Another of those retired forwards took a moment to reflect Monday on changes in professional basketball. Cliff Hagan, who starred with the St. Louis Hawks, said he finds much more movement and mobility in the game today, both on the court and off it.

"The game is faster now. There's more movement. The players are much more mobile," said the 6-foot-4 Hagan, 47, a former St. Louis Hawk now director of athletics at the basketball-crazed University of Kentucky, his alma mater.

"Geography has been the biggest change, really. The travel is the big thing now. There were only eight teams then, all in the east." Hagan, known for his hook shot, dropped in 14,908 points for St. Louis from 1956-66 after twice being named All-American at Kentucky.

John Nucatola, retired supervisor of officials for the NBA and a career college basketball official, became the first referee elected to the hall since Dave Tobey in 1961. Also inducted were Minneapolis Laker great Jim Pollard and the late Joe Fulks, another Philadelphia Warrior standout.

A crowd of some 400 jammed the Hall of Fame's main hall on the Springfield College campus, where basketball was invented by James Naismith as a way to keep his students physically fit in the winter.

One by one, five stained glass panels bearing each man's face were unveiled, with sportscaster Curt Gowdy the host.

Nucatola, taking barbs from former players in stride, turned serious when he recalled a time NBA referring "was tough." A quarter century ago, Nucotola quit as an NBA referee "because they wouldn't support the officials,"

"All the things I suggested then have come to pass," said Nucatola, who was an early advocate of using three officials in NBA games.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

NEW INDUCTEES — New inductees to the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame pose for pictures after the induction ceremony in Springfield Monday. From left are: Cliff Hagan, Director of Athletics at the University of Kentucky; Joe Fulks Jr. of Mayfield, Kentucky who accepted for his father, Joe Fulks, who was inducted posthumously John Nucatola of New York City, a basketball referee for 30 years; Jim Pollard, eight-year professional and an all-American at Stanford; Paul Arizin of Philadelphia, Pa., 10-year professional and an All-American at Villanova.

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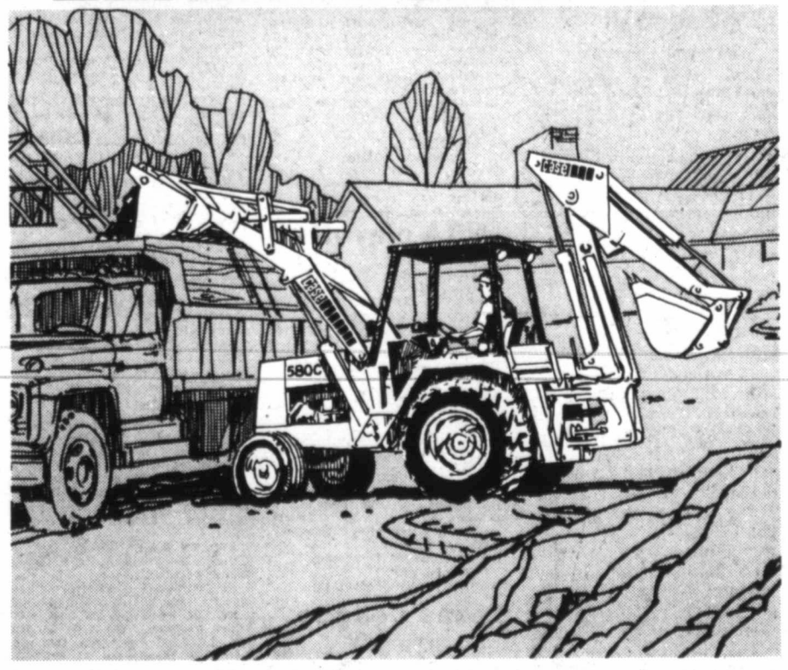

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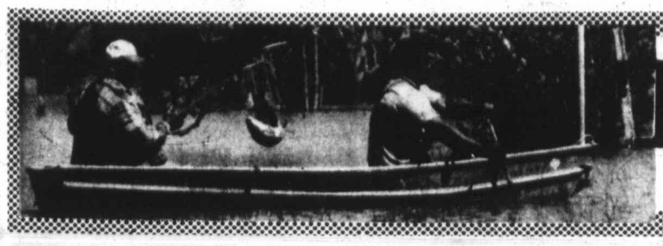

Takin' it easy

Herald Outdoors page

Mudfence deluxe, flathead has saving grace

AUSTIN — If there were an ugliest fish award, the flathead catfish would win swimming away.

A gar is handsome next to the mottled and grotesque flathead. Even a channel catfish is a raving beauty by comparison.

Every flathead looks as though he had been dragged down a dirt road. His coloration ranges from olive drab to yellow, with a crazy-quilt patchwork of dark splotches.

Unlike his svelte channel and blue cat relatives, the flathead is bulldog-like in build, with a thick, paunchy body, squared-off tail and oversized mouth with whiskers to match.

And yet, despite its looks, the flathead (nee yellow, Opelousas, mud) catfish is one of the state's most highly esteemed fish.

As a sport fish, he fits into a unique category. What other Texas freshwater fish can attain a size of 75-100 pounds, strike at live bait and is delicious in the pan?

And, perhaps more remarkably, the flathead is one of nature's most devastatingly efficient predators. This characteristic has not gone unnoticed by fisheries biologists who feel the flathead may keep rough fish populations down in some waters.

Texas Parks and Wildlife biologists say the flathead lives almost exclusively on live fish, and in spite of its ungainly appearance catches a wide variety of good with ease.

"A flathead usually doesn't have to chase his victim very far," points out Bob Bounds, the department's inland fisheries management director. "In the first place, his coloration is great camouflage, and a flathead often will lie perfectly still on the bottom or near cover and wait for a meal to come by."

"When something swims near," Bounds continued, "he will shoot forward with a powerful surge and at the same time literally suck the bait fish into his mouth by flexing his gill covers. This is just about like turning on an industrial-sized vacuum cleaner under the water."

This predatory activity is contrary to the image many Texans have about catfish — that they mainly are scavengers that root around aquatic trash heaps looking for an easy meal.

If the flathead has a fan club, it's made up of devoted trotliners, who have taken advantage of the fish's voracious appetite for live bait. Many who specialize in pursuing flatheads bait their droplines or trotlines with sunfish, shad, suckers or even small catfish that would almost be keeping size for some some fishermen. A big flathead has no trouble swallowing a one-pound-size bait fish, these trotliners have learned.

Flatheads are found in most Texas lakes and streams, and although they are fairly common, little is actually known of their movements. They prefer running streams, but adapt well to lakes.

There are some indication that they prefer to spawn in running water, and may move upstream to do so. But Bounds said they obviously spawn successfully in lakes and thrive in virtually every part of the state.

Now is a good time to start thinking about fishing for flatheads, Bounds said, because they are most active in the warm-weather months when the water temperature climbs past the 70-degree Fahrenheit mark. They are sometimes caught in the daytime, but are mostly nocturnal.

Just remember that in counties under the department's regulatory authority there is a daily bag limit of five, and there are a number of regulations on trotlines, including a requirement for marking them for identification.

If in doubt, consult the department's hunting and sport fishing regulations guide or a local game warden.

SPENCE BLACKS — Who says there aren't any black bass in Lake Spence? These three sun-burned anglers will say otherwise. Black bass fishermen have their greatest luck in sheltered coves of Spence late in the evening with either top-water bait or spoons.

Spike buck ban lifted

AUSTIN, Texas)AP) — Spike buck deer no longer will be protected in 19 Texas counties, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission said Saturday.

The spike buck regulation, which will be in effect for the 1978-79 hunting season, was ordered by the commission after a public hearing April 25.

Biologists testified that spikes — deer which have antlers protruding through the skin but not having a forked antler — are inferior because of poor nutrition and usually will not develop into trophy deer even with good nutrition. The spike buck, they added, should therefore not receive deferential protection but be treated as any other buck.

The regulation removed protection from spikes from counties that formerly protected them, including Bandera, Brazos, Burleson, Comal, Houston, Jasper, Kendall, Kerr, Madison, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Newton, Polk, Real, Robertson, San Augustine, Tyler, Washington and Winkler.

Walker County was deleted from the change after a local delegation protested the harvest of spikes.

The commission also:

—Increased the length of the antelope season from four to nine days in 33 Panhandle counties to provide additional recreational opportunity but without an increase in kills, since harvest is controlled by issuance of permits.

—Closed the white-tailed deer season in 25 counties which have less than 25 animals.

—Established a mule deer season in the Panhandle and North Permian basin from Saturday before Thanksgiving for 16 days with a bag limit of two mule deer, not more than one buck.

—Established a mule deer season in the Trans-Pecos and Southern Permain Basin counties beginning the last Saturday in November for nine days, with a bag limit of two mule deer, not more than one buck.

Dry lake? Get ready

LUBBOCK — If your pond or lake has shrunk or is dry, now is the time to improve fishing for when the rains finally arrive.

Fish don't like barren, bathtub-like bottoms. They like weeds, brush, boulders or other form of cover. So while the lake is low and some shoreline areas are exposed, gather up some old tires, cedar brush, or almost any type of structure which will stay put and offer hiding places for fish.

When the rains come, these artificial "fish attractor" reefs will become coated with algae and micro-organisms which attract tiny baitfish such as sunfish. After a few weeks in the water, the little fish will also utilize the additional cover to escape predators which also are attracted to the structure by the prospect of food and cover.

Drilling a cover crop of rye or other green crop before the rains come will furnish additional cover for fish and help hold down the tendency of West Texas lakes to become muddy from wave and wind actions.

Erection of fences to control livestock on the upper or shallow ends of your lake will also help control muddy water. The deep-water end of the lake will keep the livestock on shore and not in the water while they drink.

Proper pond fertilization can work to produce more pounds of fish per acre. A soil test done by any soil testing agency will tell you how fertile your lake is concerning minerals and nutriment. Lands surrounding a lake supply that lake with these beneficial additions, but too much runoff or use of chemicals for weed, insect or livestock projects could cause serious damage to your pond's plant and fish lifecycles.

For best results, fertilizer should be applied in early spring. Fertilizer should not be used during hot weather due to dense plankton bloom causing low concentrations of dissolved oxygen and possible fish die-off.

Contact your local fisheries biologist for more information on pond management. Additional information is available in the P&WD pamphlet entitled "the Ecology of Farm Pond Fertilization." Call toll-free 1-800-252-9327 for the name of the nearest P&WD representative in your area.

As the worm turns

Area fishing news

Stripers beware!

By Danny Reagan

Went to Spence this past Monday with fishing buddies Bill Norris and Dean Holland. We couldn't even get the mosquitoes to bite. According to Charlie Travis, however, we were out too early.

Charlie, who took over Y.J.'s Marina a year ago this week, (it's now called "Paint Creek Marina"), said that the best time to get the really monster stripes is either early in the morning, sunrise, or late in the evening, just after sunset.

For evidence, Charlie showed us a score of photos depicting happy anglers with the big lunkers. According to Charlie, the big ones are being brought in on top water Pico Pops. Just check out that picture of Odessa's Mary Cherry with her record (on top-water lure) striper that she pulled out of the lake April 25.

The best place, again according to Charlie, who'll help you all he can, is around the north and south banks of the island that has appeared (the lake is down) just out from the Paint Creek channel. If you have no luck there, point the boat north for about half a mile or so til you get to Red Bluff.

Try some slabbing there in that 40-foot water. If still no luck, head straight over across the lake (east) and try the top water lures again. Again, remember that this should be early in the morning or late in the evening.

Backshop Boss Bob Rogers suggested another manner for catching the stripes. Get out in the middle of the lake, line up between the twin mountains south of the lake, and an old derelict green boat on the north end. Troll deep with gold or yellow Hellbenders (back and forth, north and south). "That's the only time I catch 'em," said Rogers, "right after the sun goes down behind the bluff on the west."

The old river channel bed runs along that point Rogers is talking about, and there are a number of over-hanging ledges along there that the stripes like to hang out under. When anything goes by, they strike out and get it. There's also a few gravel beds out there that they like.

Regardless of where or how you fish, the stripers are there for the taking. They thrive in Spence. If you want to hook 'em, however, your best bet is to be early or late, not in between. They hate that hot weather.

MOSS CREEK

Mike Murphy was top dog out there this week. Just Thursday, in 20 minutes of fishing off the dam with crank baits, the local angler pulled in five fish totalling 13 pounds.

MIKE MURPHY'S STRING
Just twenty minutes at Moss Creek

MARY'S WHALE
Mary Cherry with 22-lb. striper

He now holds the lake record for the walleye with a 3-lb. 8-oz. honey (under his left hand in picture this column). He also took three very good blacks and a monster crappie from that choice spot. He was fishing just before nightfall hit.

Also, Dewey Byers, brother to Lake caretaker Jim, pulled in a nine-pound yellow cat.

Murphy's fantastic luck can only mean that the spawn is on, and if you want to take advantage of that and fill up your fry pan, now's the time to visit the lake.

LAKE SPENCE

An abundance of striped bass and channel catfish showed up in Lake E. V. Spence fishing reports of the past week. There were 18 and 19-lb. stripers, barely edged in weight by a pair of yellow catfish. Also, a couple of respectable black bass were strung.

Despite a bit of wind, then a sudden drop in temperatures a good turnout of fishermen was reported. Concessionaires listed these catches:

Paint Creek Marina — Roger McCoy and party of Denver City, 13 blue catfish to 3 lbs.; Belinda Hatter, Big Spring, 5-lb. 9-oz. striper; Noah and Billie Barrett, Robert Lee, six channel cat to 3 lbs. and three stripers to 6½ lbs.; Orville and Ruth Smith, Pecos, four stripers to 6 lbs.; Charles Vansickle, Snyder, a 4½-lb. black bass; Joe and Betty Barrett, Robert Lee, three stripers to 4 lbs. and six channel cat to 2 lbs.

Triangle Grocery and Bait — Home Daniel and Marlin Collins, Odessa, 4 stripers to 7¼-lbs.; and three channel cat to 1½ lbs.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burns, a 19¼-lb. yellow catfish, five stripers to 5 lbs. and three channel cat to 2 lbs.

Wildcat Fish A Rama — Gary Gillihan and party of Big Spring, three stripers to 16 lbs.; Carl Wyrick and family of Big Spring, eight stripers to 9 lbs.; George Brickery, Midland, a 5¼-lb. black bass; Gary Trim and party of Big Spring, eight stripers to 7 lbs.; Lanny and Susan Skelton and sons of Garden City, six stripers to 15 lbs. and four channel catfish to 2½ lbs.; Josie and K. L. Burns, Odessa, five stripers to 5½ lbs. and a 19¼ lb. yellow catfish; Ray and Mike Campbell and Ike Plumlee and party of Hobbs, N.M., 18 stripers, the largest 19 lbs., and 12 channel cat to 2½ lbs.

Edith Country Corner — Clarence O'Dell, Monahans, two stripers to 18 lbs.; Rev. Doc Hammons, a 6½-lb. striper and two yellow catfish to 4½ lbs.; A. V. Armstrong, Monahans, a 4-lb. striper.

Wanna lunker? Read this book

Anybody who makes $75,000 by going fishin' must be doing something right.

Rick Clunn has — and obviously is.

He's not your happy-go-lucky weekend golfer. He's the World Champion at finding and catching bass — and he has just written a book about how he does it.

Titled "World Championship Bass Fishing," the Clunn book has been published by Fisherman Books ($5.95, Cordovan Press, Houston.) It explains many of the reasons why Clunn won the 1976 and 1977 B.A.S.S. Masters Classic (fishing) championships.

For instance, Clunn does a lot of fishing homework before he ever sees the water. He studies the weather to establish a probable pattern. He checks the water temperature, clarity and the lake level. Detailed records of his fishing experiences help him calculate seasonal patterns. He records weather, water and bottom conditions, lures used. Referring to these notes, Clunn can estimate the bass action under similar conditions. He spends hours studying topographic maps, learning the depths and bottom contours of a lake. He can eliminate much of the fishless water this way, without wasting any time on the lake.

Observation, concentration and confidence play a big part in Clunn's championship style. He remembers how he retrieved his lure, especially if he's trying something different. Small bass are often "stragglers," and a school may not be far away. Heron and egret concentrated in an area may mean baitfish, and that may mean bass. Offbeat tactics with plastic worms can sometimes fool the bass; retrieving quickly, or using it as a topwater lure. Clunn thinks positive and pays attention to detail — it pays off.

Rick Clunn left the security of a 9-to-5 job to become a "pro" in competitive tournament fishing. He tells how to do it and what it's like. Championship angling is serious business. Clunn tells how he's made it pay off.

Clunn's book may be purchased from major Texas book stores or it can be ordered direct from Fisherman Books, 5314 Bingle Road, Houston, Texas 77092, at $5.95.

KBST will sponsor Big Bass Classic

The First Annual KBST Radio Big Bass Classic will be held May 20 at the Twin Buttes Reservoir in San Angelo. The tournament will offer a total of $2,000 in prizes, and will be centered around the Middle Concho Boat Ramp off Mertzon Highway.

Plenty of parking and launch facilities will be available for all entrants, and KBST personnel will be on duty to direct traffic and help with the launching of boats, parking and the answering of questions.

The Classic is open the first 300 entries, the fee is $10 per fisherman, and the contest begins promptly at 6a.m. Saturday, May 20.

Prizes are $1,000 for first place, $500 for 2nd, $200 for 3rd, $100 for 4th and $50 for 5th. "All in the Family" division awards will also be awarded. Fifty dollar prizes for first in Senior Division (over 60), Youth Division (under 16) and Women's will be presented.

A few of the rules that apply to contestants are: Fishing will be done with rod and reel and artificial lures only. No trolling. Two fish will be weighed, the smaller will be used as a tie breaker. Each contestant must check in with tournament official and receive a KBST Tournament Decal. All cash winners will be polygraphed. Fish must be kept on a string or in a live well.

The tournament will end promptly at 4 p.m., and fish may be weighed in any time after 7 a.m. For more information, contact KBST Radio, 267-6391, or at KBST Big Bass Classic, P.O. Box 1632.

Entries, which must be received by 5 p.m. Thursday, May 18, are limited tot the first 300 entrants.

Entry blanks can be obtained from KBST Radio, Big Spring Hardware, Gibson's Discount Center, J & K Shoes, Dunlap's, Knox Boat, Sears, Coker's Restaurant, Bill Chrane Boat Marine and Recreation Center and Security State Bank.

Can of worms

Outdoor shorts

The largest snake in the world is the anaconda, a nonpoisonous South American constrictor which Teddy Roosevelt reported grew to 80 feet or more. This was a slight exaggeration, though. This giant of the snake clan probably doesn't exceed 35 feet in length.

Incidentally, the anaconda and boas are considered "good guys" by some Amazon Indians. Many natives keep them around the house to eat up the rats and help care for their offspring.

The cottontail does not shed his summer brown coat as does his cousin, the varying hare or snowshoe rabbit, but remains the same color all year long.

One of the fastest animals in the world is the spine-tailed swift, reports Ranger Rick's Nature Magazine for children. True to their name, swifts have been known to reach speeds of more than 100 miles per hour in level flight.

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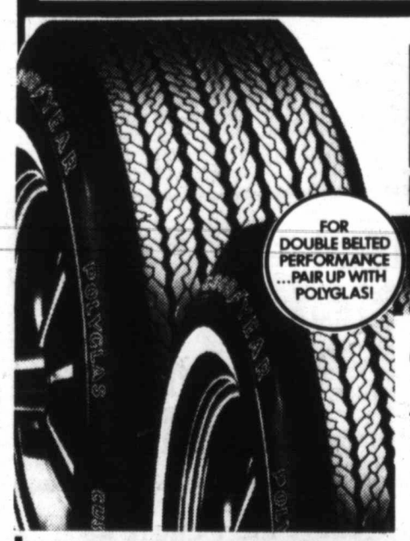

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YOUNG IDEAS

By DICK YOUNG

Clubhouse Confidential

WILLIE RANDOLPH stands out like Sphinx among Yankee Unhappiness Boys. He is one underpaid man on club, working on $70,000 contract, but never grumbles. Yankees had better upgrade salary of their All-Star 2b, or he just might take a hike when time comes ... Earl Weaver says he has to give outfielder Larry Harlow some playing time because Al Bumbry is a six-year-man, eligible for free-agency at end of season. "Besides, he's a Kapstein man, our last one," adds Baltimore's manager. That's reference to agent Jerry Kapstein, whose clients have been known to play out their options.

If Joe Torre runs out of ways of shaking Mets' lineup, he can try borrowing Billy Martin's hat—the one Yankee manager pulled names out of last year to break a slump ... Isn't it nice of Don Grant not to renegotiate Randle's contract now that Lenny is hitting .160? ... Joe Garagiola, scanning Mets' batting averages, comments: "When I was a kid, we used to say a player wasn't hitting his weight. These guys aren't hitting their area code!" (N.Y.: 212).

George Allen timed it just right. In 1975, he traded Tim Stokes, an average offensive tackle, to Rams for Redskins' Nos. 2, 3 4 draft picks in '78. And who now will cash in on those selections this week? None other than George Allen, now coach at L.A. Turns out he, personally, didn't give up a thing for Stokes ... Not a soul from the Mayor's office showed up for Mayor's Trophy Game between Mets and Yanks. Tell them about the kids, your honor.

Splittorff Gets Nod

If you were to ask baseball managers who is the best unknown pitcher in the bigs, they'd chorus Paul Splittorff of KC. He currently has a three-season overlap of 31-and-8 ... I always got double enjoyment when Splittorff pitched to Larry Biittner ... Shades of the time Casey Stengel infuriated Clete Boyer by taking him out for pinch-hitter in second inning of World Series game: Baltimore recently had bags full in first frame, and when southpaw came in, Weaver sent righty swinger Gary Roenicke up for southswinger Harlow.

Western Regional OTB negotiating to buy Batavia Downs trot track. That's devouring the corpse you've created ... Even if Tim Foli comes back to play short this season, knee damage figures to impede range, so Mets might just as well start looking around for shortstop deal right now ... Pete Rose says that playing with Cincy's Gold Glove men has made him better fielder. "Good play is contagious, bad play is contagious," is how he puts it . . . And George Foster, best all-around hitter in bigs, says best way to beat slump is don't think about all the helpful hints people have given you when you go up to bat.

Tennis tournaments have gone full cycle. Not too long ago it was all amateur, then quickly all-pro, and now amateur net is staging comeback. Decade's National Amateur team championships will rage in 30 cities during July and August, climaxing with finals at Forest Hills in Sept. It's all doubles, men, women, mixed . . . Roberto Duran reminds me of La Machine in those TV commercials ... In Duran's dressing room immediately after brawl with Adolfo Viruet, everybody was buzzing about champ's rugged showing when healthy woman burst in screaming in shrill Spanish. "That's his mother-in-law," somebody said. Newsmen who couldn't savvy Spanish figured she was emotional about foul tactics of fight. Turned out she was complaining about being given a seat up near roof of Garden.

New gimmick on baseball market. It's solid rubber ball shaved flat on one side, about 1/3 off. Depending upon how held, it curves or scroogies. Idea is to use it in batting practice to serve breaking balls to hitter. Called "Major League Breaking Ball." I was tempted to offer it to Tom Seaver, 0-and-2, but didn't think he'd get humor of situation ... Tom takes rib on slump from teammates. He was doing a TV plug for baseball, one of those instructional bits. This one told how to compute ERA. When Seaver got to the part "you multiply by nine," Joe Morgan interrupted with: "Not you. You multiply by four. You don't go nine now!"

Tough Middleweight on Way

Top-ranked middleweights had better watch out for Nelson Cubelo. Eddie Mafuz' import from Venezuela. In first pro fight, he flattened Al Lockard in 95 secs, and I mean flattened. Three minutes after ref Billy Graham counted 10, Lockard was still on back ... Showman Danny Thomas, introduced at Yankee game from George Steinbrenner's box, took longer bow than Reggie Jax did after three Series homers. Danny deserves it for work for kids via St. Jude's Hospital in Memphis . . . grid draft expert Joel Buchsbaum says right in back of Earl Campbell pix will be Wes Chandler, Terry Miller, Chris Ward and James Lofton.

Bert Sugar has book due in Sept. on Barnums in sports. Intriguing title: "Hit the Sign and Win a Free Suit of Clothes from Harry Finkelstein"... Al Attles Jr., son of basketball coach, is outstanding soccer prospect. He's 13 and still five years away from qualifying for U.S. National team ... Remember Evangelista, who went 15 with Ali? He's fighting Jody Ballard on Norton-Holmes card, then will take on winner for WBA title in Sept. . . . On Cubs' visits to N.Y., Bobby Murcer wears tattered blue windbreaker during pregame drill. It's vestige from his Yankee days, sort of security blanket. "George called me up the other day," cracks Murcer. "He said I'm sending you $50,000 because I liked you so much when you were a Yankee."

NFL players don't want wide-open free-agents

By the Associated Press

If the National Football League Players Association had wanted the kind of unrestricted free-agent movement now prevalent in baseball, it might have been sadly disappointed.

But that's not what it really wanted, says Ed Garvey, the union's executive director.

"First off, we fought for a number of things," Garvey said Thursday, reflecting on the years of acrimony that ended with the agreement achieved nearly 14 months ago.

"Possibly the keystone was dignity. You achieve that by impartial arbitration, so if a player is treated unfairly he can have his day in court rather than before the commissioner.

"We achieved that.

"Second, you eliminate some of the nastier practices of some of the clubs — things like racial prejudice, obnoxious fines — in the hope that you'll eliminate some of the reasons people want to change teams.

"We achieved that.

"Only then do you start to get down to the question of whether a system is going to work or not," Garvey said.

The old one didn't. Under it, Commissioner Pete Rozelle decided compensation if the two teams couldn't agree. Sometimes players were shipped from one team to another against their will.

Under the present system, the loss of a quality player via the free-agent route can result in compensation, one or more draft choices from the player's new team. Baseball free agency is a one-way street. The team losing a player gets nothing in return.

Perhaps some football teams are shying away from trading away the future to improve the present. Or perhaps a lot of players just don't want to go anywhere but are just checking to see how much others think they're worth.

"Most players do not want to move from team to team," Garvey said. "It's a short career in football, shorter than any other sport. Most players are fighting to keep their jobs where they are ... most do not want to move, even those who play out their options."

If a player doesn't change teams, it's probably because his present team matched the salary offer he got from another one. If he didn't get one, he can stay where he is and get at least a 10 percent raise.

"So a lot play out their option so that, instead of a potential 10 percent decrease in pay the way it used to be, they're getting a 10 percent increase. That's a 20 percent differential. It's contributed to a larger number of players playing out their options."

'Y' lifesaving

The YMCA Lifesaving Class will begin next week. There are five places left in the class and registrations will be taken until filled. This class will lead to certification as a Life guard with Red Cross as well as YMCA certification.

Fees are $15 for a Y member, and $20 for non-Y members covering tuition, certification, films, textbooks, and materials. Instructors are Jan Robertson and Mike McCracken who will be happy to give any information about the course. Call the YMCA 267-8234.

Grady tickets still on sale

GRADY — Tickets are still on sale at $3 per person for Tuesday's Grady School Athletic Banquet to be held at the school gym, 8 p.m. Midland College Athletic Director Delnor W. Poss will be the guest speaker.

Awarding of letters, best boy and girl athlete, the "Fightingest Wildcat and other honors will highlight the event. Tickets are on sale at the school office or from any Booster Club member.

Local netters qualify soon

The Big Spring local tournament of the fourth Equitable Family Tennis Challenge, a unique doubles event with championship playoffs at the U.S. Open in September, will begin at Figure 7 Tennis Center on June 3. In all, 256 local tournaments, twice as many as last year, will be held in the competition. More than 100,000 people competed last year, making it the largest amateur tennis tournament in the world.

The four eligible combination teams are mother-son, father-daughter, and, for the first time, mother-daughter and father-son. Sixty-four teams will compete in the finals for four national titles during the U.S. Open at the new Flushing Meadows complex. Local winners in each of the four family combinations will advance to 128 district tournaments (scheduled for July 10-17), with those victors moving on to 16 sectional events (scheduled for July 24-August 25). Sectional winners receive an all-expense paid trip to compete in the national finals, September 6-9.

Families may enter at participating clubs, or by mailing in a coupon available in publications, and at tennis clubs, tennis shops and sports goods stores. For more information, contact Capital Sports, Inc., 280 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10017.

The tournament, sponsored in cooperation with the United States Tennis Association (USTA), is limited to amateurs who have not been ranked by the USTA since January 1, 1973. Teaching pros are not eligible. The child team member cannot turn 19 by September 30, 1978, and there must be at least 15 years age difference between team members.

Local bowling results

TUESDAY COUPLES

Shive's Gin Co. over Gibbs & Weeks 8-0; Hester's Supply over Academy of Hair Design 8-0; Riley Drilling Co. over R.B.C. Pipe & Supply 8-0; Arrow Refrigeration Co. over Baskin-Robbins 31 Flavors 8-0; Desert Sands Motel over Standard Sales 6-2; Graham's Office Machines over Bowl-A-Grill 6-2; Kennedy's Fina No. 4 over Budweiser 6-2; Lame Brains over Fashion Cleaners 6-2.

High Scratch Game — Clyde Thomas 234, Sandy Griffin 208; High Handicap Game — Clyde Thomas 279, Sandy Griffin 247; High Scratch Series — Randy Robertson 569, Sandy Griffin 598; High Handicap Series — Randy Robertson 665, Sandy Griffin 715; High Scratch Team — Hester's Supply 720, HDCP Hester's Supply 884; High Scratch Team Series — Shive's Gin Co. 2123 (HDCP) — Shive's Gin Co. 2501.

STANDINGS — Bowl-A-Grill 157-107; Shive's Gin Co. 156-108; Lame Brains 154-108; R.B.C. Pipe & Supply 142-122; Baskin-Robbins 31 Flavors 141-123; Fashion Cleaners 139-125; Graham's Office Machines 139-125; Kennedy's Fina No. 4 138-126; Budweiser 132-132; Gibbs & Weeks 127-137; Desert Sands Motel 126-138; Standard Sales 126-138; Hester's Supply 116-148; Riley Drilling Co. 114-150; Arrow Refrigeration Co. 108-156; Academy of Hair Design 95-169.

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The Perrys over Bennets Phar. 4-0; Mills Optical over House of Craft 3-1; C. C. Trophy over Fina No. 4 3-1; Chuck's Surplus over Thorntons 3-1; The Head Post tied McCann Corp 2-2; Southwest Tool & Mitchem Auto Sales PP.

Man's High Game — Randy Robertson 213; Man's High Series — Randy Robertson 545; Woman's High Game — Jo Parnell 218; Woman's High Series — Jo Parnell and Patrice Gregg 526; Team High Game — Mills Optical 845; Team High Series — Mills Optical 2382.

STANDINGS — Mills Optical 73-47; Chuck's Surplus 71½-48½; C. C. Trophy Co. 69½-50½; Fina No. 4 68-52; House of Craft 62-58; The Head Post 62-58; Mitchem Auto Sales 60-56; The Perry's 57-63; Bennett's Pharmacy 57-63; McCann Corp 55-65; Southwest Tool 46-70; Thorntons Dept. Store 42-78.

SUMMER PIN POPPERS

Team No. 5 over Team No. 10 4-0; Team No. 1 over Team No. 6 3-1; Team No. 2 over Team No. 9 3-1; Team No. 7 over Team No. 3 3-1; Team No. 4 over Team No. 8 3-1.

High Game — Martha Henry 243; High Series — Inez Bearden 640; Team High Game — Team No. 4, 803; Team High Series — Team No. 2, 2347.

STANDINGS — Team No. 5 7-1; Team No. 1 6-2; Team No. 4 5-3; Team No. 7 5-3; Team No. 2 4-4; Team No. 10 4-4; Team No. 8 3-5; Team No. 3 3-5; Team No. 6 2-6; Team No. 9 1-7.

'Y' offers more tennis lessons

The second session of tennis lessons began this week with Wendell Sadler, Big Spring High School Tennis Coach, instructing. There are a few places left in the class and still time for some high-quality tennis instruction.

Register at the YMCA and meet at the Big Spring High School Tennis Courts. The class meets on Monday and Thursday from 6 to 7 P.M.

Bring an inexpensive racquet, wear tennis shoes, and comfortable clothing. Coach Sadler will furnish the practice balls.

The fees are: $10 for Y-members, and $15 for non-Y members. Call the YMCA for further information at 267-8234.

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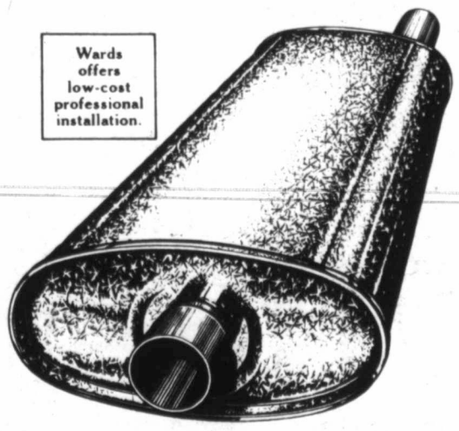

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'Our job is to pare'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lowell Weicker seemed almost embarrassed.

Lewis F. Powell Jr., one-ninth of the U.S. Supreme Court, was outlining his office staff for Weicker, one-100th of the U.S. Senate.

Four law clerks, two secretaries and one multipurpose messenger are paid by the nation's taxpayers to assist Powell, Weicker was told.

Weicker quickly asked the soft-spoken Virginian seated in front of him if he and fellow justices each might not need an additional secretary, or perhaps additional law clerks.

"Our job is to pare where we can but also to recognize a need when there is one," said Weicker.

Powell's answer concerning the secretaries, in essence, was "no thanks for now." He indicated that additional law clerks would only trip over themselves.

The scene during a subcommittee hearing recently was the brief annual collision of two different worlds on Capitol Hill.

Weicker, R-Conn., and Sen. Ernest F. Hollings, D-S.C., were hearing testimony from Powell on the Supreme Court's requested 1979 budget.

Powell felt obligated to explain and detail why the court is seeking an increase of $186,000 for a total budget of $8.96 million. If he had expected resistance, the anticipation was injudicious.

Hollings and Weicker all but apologized for having Powell appear.

Think about those extra secretaries for the future, they told him.

The court's request for an assistant curator — a new post that would push the court's total work force from 304 to 305 — went unchallenged. So did Powell's request for an additional vehicle

His "hold-the-line" portrayal of the court's proposed budget did not even raise an evebrow.

And why should it? Maybe some fat is built into that $8.96 million — but what's a little judicial fat to a Congress whose annual spending has raced past $990 million?

A for-instance. It's true that the court pays persons to run automated elevators that require only pushing a button to get to a desired floor. But the Capitol has more automated elevators so Congress pays more elevator operators.

Weicker's cream puff questions about Powell's staff call for a comparative study. Taxpayers foot the bill for 35 Weicker aides — 18 full time and one part time in Washington and nine full time and seven part time in Connecticut.

It must be said that Weicker's staff, for which $668,000 is budgeted each year, is not extravagant by congressional standards.

And that is precisely why the Supreme Court's budget most often cruises by the caretakers of the nation's pocketbook without creating the slightest ripple.

"Spartan staffing" is what Weicker called Powell's four law clerks, two secretaries and one messenger. Heavens knows what Weicker would say if he knew that Justice John Paul Stevens muddles through with only three law clerks and is thinking about only two next term.

Pot seizure is reported

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — A fishing vessel loaded with an estimated 10 tons of marijuana and 75 contraband parrots was under escort to Galveston Friday night, a U.S. Customs spokesman said.

It is the second major marijuana seizure in the Gulf of Mexico in two months. The 67-foot vessel was expected to arrive in port early Sunday.

The vessel was identified as the "Captain Wayne," based in Freeport, Texas, but Charles Conroy of the U.S. Customs public affairs office said it was sailing under the name, "Pappy."

The vessel was spotted Friday morning during a routine Coast Guard patrol mission 240 miles southwest of Morgan City, La., in the Gulf by the Coast Guard cutter "Durable."

Conroy said the five persons aboard were arrested. They probably will be arraigned Monday in Houston by a U.S. magistrate. Three of the five were said to be from Galveston, and the other two were not identified immediately.

Customs and Coast Guard officers were surprised to find the parrots aboard, Conroy said. Parrots generally are smuggled into the United States singly or in small numbers for sale to pet shops, he said, but this is the first time such a large shipment of parrots has been discovered.

The "Texas Star," a converted 24-foot shrimp boat carrying about 22,000 pounds of marijuana, was seized March 23 off the Yucatan Peninsula by customs and Coast Guard officers.

Competitive method is cited

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Congressman Omar Burleson reminds young persons who are interested in competing for nominations to the service academies, for the class entering July 1979, he uses a competitive method of selection so that all young persons who meet the necessary requirements may be considered.

The service academies are the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland; the Military Academy at West Point, New York; the Air Force Academy near Colorado Springs, Colorado; and the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York. These institutions offer a fine education and a great opportunity for service the their country by young persons who wish to follow a military career.

In order for Congressman Burleson to consider applicants, a candidate must meet these requirements:

(1) Must be a U. S. citizen;

(2) Must be over 17 and a legal resident of the 17th Congressional District; (3) Must be under 22 years of age on July 1, 1979; (4) Must never have been married; (5) Must be physically fit, including excellent eyesight; (6) Must have a good high school record.

Cops could use little rest

LAMESA-- The Lamesa police were hoping for a quieter weekend than they had last week.

A stolen car sunk in the pond at the Boy's Club, an apparent suicide and a murder kept them hopping last Sunday.

The car, apparently stolen from R.L. Deere, 307 N. Ave. H, during the night Saturday, was found Sunday afternoon in the Boy's Club pond with the top about six inches under water. An unidentified youth fishing at the pond spotted the car.

On Sunday evening, Cecil Campbell was found dead in the garage of his residence on 18th street. Three wounds from a .22 rifle were found in his body including one through the head. The ruling was suicide.

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DOUBLE GREEN STAMPS WEDNESDAY

PROJECT FAIR WINNERS — These Forsan students placed in the Regional Industrial Arts Project Fair April 28-w9. They competed against high school students in the West Texas area, and their wins made them eligible for state competition Friday and Saturday in Waco. Industrial teacher at Forsan is Mark Reeh. Winners were, front row left to right, Janey Talley, 2nd, crafts written exam; Ranae Boyd, 1st, crafts written exam; Marka Highley, 1st, leather picture division; and Troy Headrick, 2nd, photography written exam. Back row, left to right are Kay McDonald, 3rd, leather belt division; Dwayne Norton, 2nd Leather billfold division; Kevin Low, 2nd, leather belt division; Donna Bates, 1st, upholstery division; and Alan Hollandsworth, 2nd, leather picture divison.

Big Spring High

Representatives named to student council

By TRACIE McELYEA

Student Council representative elections were held on May 4, the sophomore representatives are Charlotte Beil, Bobby Brasel, Debbie Fulcher, Rusty Hayworth, Michelle Ivery, John Little, Kelli Watkins, Tiffany Whiteside and Dickie Wrightsil. The junior representatives are Donnie Burleson, Tresa Hohertz, Carrie Little, Wendy Pegan, Leny Sanchez, Rocky Torres, Rusty Touchstone, and Morgan Wise. The senior class representatives are Brenda Beil, Julie Britton, Mike Brooks, Terry Howell, Selena Jones, David Manley, Carol Morehead, and Cindy Mullins.

Breakfast tickets for the breakfast at Howard College after the prom are still on sale for $2.50 a person. The breakfast will begin at 1:30 after the prom.

The annual journalism banquet was held on May 4, at Coker's Restaurant. Gag awards were given along with more serious awards. The awards given by Mr. Poitevint were photography to Kevin Crenwelge. The annual staff award went to editors Mandy Hitt and Shanna Farmer. The newspaper award went to editor Chris Shortes. All members of the staff were thanked for the time and effort they had put in this year's publications.

The Senior Talent Show will be performed on Friday, May 12, in the auditorium.

A $1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the fire in the choir room is being offered. All information will be considered confidential. Call John Burson 263-8311 Ext. 42 and the night phone 263-7638.

Please come to Good Morning World 8 a.m. in room 119 on Wednesday May 10. There will be a devotional by the F.C.A. On April 29, the Bible Club went to Amarillo. They saw the Ecosphere and the West Texas Museum. They also went to Palo Duro Canyon. Gale Pittman, Tony Shankles, Gary Kirkland, and Robbie Morgan helped with the fireside devotion.

Senior awards assembly will be held next Friday in the auditorium with the names of scholarship winners announced. Senior girls are asked to wear white dresses and the Senior boys are asked to dress nicely.

Runnels Jr. High

Tennis players do fine job in Andrews tourney

By KELLI BEARDEN and DACIA LOUDAMY

The Runnels tennis team did very well at a tournament in Andrews last weekend. The doubles team of Aubrey Weaver and Kip McLaughlin took first place in the tournament, while Aubrey took second place honors on his own in the singles finals.

Cavan McMahon won the singles consolation finals, while the girls doubles team of Dawn Estes and Julianne Raines took a first in their consolation match.

The teams next tournament will be in Wichita Falls on June 4.

We would like to give a special thanks to Miss Jackie Savage the tennis coach for making it a very successful year.

The girls P.E. classes participated in a bowling tournament last week. Cindy R. Hernandez, Lori Marin, Roxane Garland, and Marie Lawrence took first place honors.

The advanced and beginning choirs at Runnels presented a pop concert Tuesday, May 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the boys' gymnasium. The public was invited to attend, and really missed something if you didn't attend this concert. The concert was enjoyed by all who came.

The band will also be performing, as they will play at Alfred's Affair on May 18, in the high school auditorium. The concert is open to the public. The Goliad Band will perform and also the two high school bands.

Next Friday, May 12 the National Junior Honor Society will travel to Chrystoval Park for a fun day. The group will leave at 8:00 a.m. and return to Runnels at 5:00 p.m. All N.J.H.S. members are looking forward to this trip. Mr. McFarland the N.J.H.S. sponsor, Mr. Alred, the advisor, and some parents will go along on the trip.

Garden City

Banquet slated Monday

By MARY KAY SCHWARTZ

The FHA Parent Daughter Banquet will be held Monday at 8:00 in the school cafeteria. The menu will consist of filet mignon, green beans, tossed salad, baked potatoes, hot buttered rolls, strawberry shortcake, and iced tea. All high school teachers, school board members, and FHA members and their parents are invited. The elementary will sponsor a music program Tuesday at 1:30. All parents are invited to attend.

Twirler tryouts will be held Wednesday at 2:30.

No library books will be checked out after the 12th of May. All library books should be returned before this date.

The Huffers Puffers-v-Seniors basketball game will be held Friday at 8:00. All proceeds will go to muscular dystrophy.

The junior high also has a tennis meet Tuesday at Forsan at 9:30.

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

REGIONAL WINNERS — Dave Budke, instructor, is shown with Juan Guevara, who placed first in group project; Neal Ervin, first on woodturning and Casey Thompson, outstanding division winner.

Permian scholarships available

ODESSA — A special group of Permian Merit Scholarships are being made available to college students who wish to attend The University of Texas of the Permian Basin and who are on the honor roll at distant universities.

J. Conrad Dunagan, president of the Permian Merit Scholarship Foundation, Inc., said the new awards will be worth at least $600 each, payable at the rate of $150 per semester.

"A limited number of these awards will be worth $900 each, for they will include one year at a community college in the Permian Basin area as well as two years at UTPB," he said.

Dunagan explained several scholarships were made available because the grantee and the alternate grantee are no longer eligible. He noted the new scholarships are made in addition to a group of awards which will be made this month to 1978 honor graduates of Permian Basin area high schools who plan to attend area community colleges and UTPB.

Application forms may be obtained from the financial aids office at UTPB. Students at distant colleges and universities must be able to supply a transcript of college work showing a grade point average sufficient to entitle them to "honor roll" status at the institution they are attending.

Application deadline is June 1. Dunagan said the first scholarships will be awarded for the fall 1978 semester.

Other scholarships, separate from the Permian Honor Scholarship program, are available to honor students at Permian Basin community colleges who plan to attent UTPB.

The Permian Merit Scholarship Foundation, Inc. is a non-profit group created for the purpose of identifying outstanding potential graduates of Permian Basin area high schools, and granting four-year scholarships to the most able among them who want to remain in the Permian Basin while pursuing a college career.

Under the program, businesses agree to sponsor a student at $300 per year for two years in Howard College, Midland College, Odessa College, Western Texas College or New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, N.M. Another business agrees to sponsor the same student for two years and a similar amount at UTPB.

Goliad

Homemakers working on sewing

By DIANA JOHNSON and KRISTI MATHEWS

Mrs. Beasley's homemaking classes are working on sewing projects. Some classes are making tennis bags, jewelry bags, and back packs. Others are sewing blouses.

Golidad band members are practicing for a school assembly May 16. They will participate in the concert, Alfred's Affair, at the high school with bands from Runnels and Senior High May 18.

Students in Mr. Tipping's math classes have been studying the metric system. A number of films have been shown, and each student has figured his own weight and height in metrics.

Election for eighth grade cheerleaders was held Friday. Election for seventh grade cheerleaders for next year will be held May 19.

Coach Wilder from Howard College talked to Goliad athletes about attending basketball camp this summer. Pictures of football, basketball, and track teams were taken recently. Physical education classes have been enjoying softball games the past few weeks.

Gonzales named Chemistry Major

ALPINE — William Gonzalez Jr. of Big Spring was recently recognized for outstanding academic achievement during Sul Ross State University's Awards Ceremony.

Gonzalez was named Outstanding Freshman Chemistry Major and presented a certificate of merit by Dr. James G. Houston, chairman of the Chemistry Department.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gonzalez of Big Spring and a freshman pre-medical major at Sul Ross.

Coahoma High

Final plans are made for senior class trip

By COAHOMA DOG'S TALE STAFF

A senior class meeting was held Wednesday, during break. Medical releases and a list of rules for the senior trip were passed out. These must be signed by a parent and returned if one plans to go on the senior trip. Graduation plans were also discussed. The song they will sing will be "Dust in the Wind." Ushers and usherettes will be Ronald Sundy, Darwin Harmon, Diana Darden, and Debbie Reid.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes met Monday, May 1, for their regular meeting. Afterwards, they ate pizza.

The 1941 Study Club is hosting a Bar-B-Cue and party for the graduating seniors on Thursday, May 11 at Johnny Justiss'. It will start at 7:00 p.m. and all the seniors are urged to attend.

Members of FFA and Rodeo Club are having a supper in the cafeteria following the rodeo, May 11, at 8:00 p.m. The buckles for winners of the rodeo events will be given out.

The 8th grade semi-formal banquet is scheduled for Saturday, May 13 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the elementary cafeteria. The guest speaker is Dr. Weldon Butler. Al's Barbecue will be catering the meal and the cost will be $3.25 a ticket. All 8th graders are urged to attend singlely or bring a date. The seventh grade classes will be providing the entertainment. Sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wynn, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Tindol, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hudgins, Rob Ethridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Martin.

The Rodeo Club will be sponsoring a school rodeo Thursday May 11. The deadline for entires is May 8. Buckles will be awarded in all events with two All-Around buckles and belts to be given.

An assembly was held Wednesday during activity period. Mark Reeves, a student at Hardin-Simmons University sang a number of songs and gave a brief talk.

The 5th and 6th grade track meet and play day was held May 5.

Forsan High

Golf team places alternate, Regional

By STEVE COWLEY

State UIL and girls track was held Friday and Saturday in Austin. Results next week.

The Forsan boys' golf team took the alternate position at the Regional golf tournament held in Levelland last week. The linksters finished behind Darrouzett and Sterling City. Vance Stevens led the team, finishing third in the individual totals, barely missing a trip to state. Other members of the team were Dale Earnest, Davey Tarbett, Mike Bailey, and Randy Reavis.

Forsan's two entrants in the boys' Regional tennis meet faced tough competition, as sophomores Weldon Nichols and Dayton Robertson both competed in the singles division. Robertson bowed in the early rounds, while Nichols made it to the semi-finals before bowing. Nichols also lost a heartbreaker for third place. But with both returning next year, people better be watching out.

Randy Cregar also turned in a fine performance in the Regional track meet. Cregar, participating in the 100-yard dash, had a sizzling time in the prelims, and wound up sixth in the finals. Cregar, a junior, will also be back next year.

The 1978 Junior-Senior Banquet was held Friday night in the Big Spring Country Club. The theme was "Boogie Nights," and disc jockey J.J. Mac provided the music. The menu included sliced ham and chicken breast over rice, green beans almonine, candied yams, tossed salad, congealed salad, peach cobbler and tea. The program started with a welcome by Junior class president Kevin Low. Senior class president Dwayne Norton responded. The invocation was given by W. R. Cregar. The Senior class history was presented by Steve Cowley and Lisa Day. The juniors got their shots in with John Summers and Kevin Low giving the junior prophecy. The seniors retaliated with the senior will, presented by Don Roberson and Julie Underwood.

Tuesday, "God's Children," a group from First Baptist Church of Big Spring, presented a program in the auditorium, featuring contemporary gospel and religious music.

The date of the Band Concert has been changed from the 11th to the 9th. Be checking the paper for complete details of the concert.

Sands

Booster Club will sponsor Awards Banquet

By SUSANNA ARISMENDEZ

Monday the All Awards Banquet sponsored annually by the Booster Club was held at the school gym. The most valuable player on the offensive team was Danny Peugh and on the defensive team it was Bill Wigington. The track awards went to Jill Gloyd and Jessie Ybarra. Coach Mulanax presented the football and track trophies. Coach Pulliam presented the basketball and volleyball awards. The most valuable forward on the girls team was Susan Martin and the most valuable guard was Suzie Brasher. In boys' basketball Martin Nichols received the most valuable player award. The tennis trophies went to Larry Feaster, Susan Martin, and Tammy Nichols. Mrs. Blagrave presented FHA certificates for Encounter based on the level on which the girls completed. The chapter parents were also recognized. The chapter parents are Coach and Mrs. Mulanax, Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Mrs. and Mrs. Webb. Mr. McDonald, who was the master of ceremonies, presented the ag awards and recognized members of the chapter conducting teams.

Friday Susan Martin and Miss Tate went to the State Literary Meet. Susan competed in the Prose Reading segment of the meet. If she placed in Friday's competition she would have advanced to the finals which were to be on Saturday.

Wednesday and Thursday school was dismissed at 2:00 due to the SRA tests which the whole school was taking.

Monday the Little Olympics for elementary grade students will begin approximately at 9:00 in the morning. The Little Olympics will consist of the following events: the baseball throw, the 50-yard dash, the 75-yard dash, the shuttle relay, the obstacle course and the high jump.

On Thursday May 11th the second grade and their teacher Mrs. Cunningham will have their field trip. They plan to go to Big Spring. On Friday the 5th grade and their teacher Mrs. Burns are also going on their field trip. The kindergarten and first grade classes are going on their field trip together. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Johnson plan to take the children to Big Spring.

Saturday, the Juniors are sponsoring the Sands Junior & Senior Banquet. The banquet will begin at 7:00. The reading of the prophesies and some films will be the planned entertainment.

KAYLA GASKINS

Gaskins graduates with degree

Kayla Gaskins was the honoree of a brunch Saturday morning in the Hilton Inn in Lubbock on the occasion of her graduation from Texas Tech University.

Miss Gaskins will graduate May 12 with a b.s in Home Economics.

Hostesses of the affair were Mrs. Joe Mac Gaskins, Mrs. Kelley Gaskins of Knott and Mrs. A.J. Beckmeyer of Sparenberg.

The table was centered with a figurine symbolizing a Texas Tech graduate encircled with red carnations and fern. Places were marked by red carnations supporting name cards featuring a three-dimensional graduate and the Texas Tech symbol which were made by Mrs. Beckmeyer.

The guest list included senior classmates of Miss Gaskins: Georgia Crownover, Elaine Kelly, Cathy Zockh, Susan Wimpie, Kay Newcomer and Elaine Martin.

While a student at the university, Miss Gaskins has been on the Dean's List and has been active in The Women's Service Organization.

She has served as president of Vocational Home Economics Teachers Association for the current year, and is a member of the Home Economic Council. She has been a member of the Fashion Board for Diania's Dollhouse.

She as been chosen by the National 4-H Youth Foundation to represent Texas in the International Farm Youth Exchange for 1978. She will leave in August for an assignment in Egypt, returning in December.

Dr. Dilday to speak May 7

ABILENE — The president-elect of the Southern Baptist Convention's largest seminary and former pastor of one of the Convention's largest and most influential churches will be the featured speaker for commencement exercises at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 7, at Hardin-Simmons University's Behrens Chapel-Auditorium.

Dr. Russell H. Dilday, president-elect of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, has been named speaker for the university's 86th commencement. Dilday was pastor of Second-Ponce de Leon Baptist Church in Atlanta, Ga., prior to his coming to Fort Worth.

Dr. Jesse C. Fletcher, newly inaugurated president of H-SU, will confer degrees on almost 200 graduates in his first commencement exercises since assuming the presidency of the university.

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The last issue of the 1977-78 megaphone page will run on May 14. All reporters will be contacted during the summer when the page will be issued again.

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Amon Carter story superb Texana

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — The late Amon Carter was the most influential man of his time and place, but his story is that of a city, a newspaper and a region.

And as told by author Jerry Flemmons, it is also a story filled with events of national scope.

"It is superb Texana and Americana," wrote critic Leonard Sanders in his review of "Amon: The Life of Amon Carter, Sr., of Texas."

The first printing of the book, released this month, was virtually exhausted one week after printing.

Flemmons, veteran staff writer for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, reports early on that the Star-Telegram, 72 years old this spring, is the only newspaper in history to have been conceived over a mile of burning cow manure.

It was a beginning, he wrote, that might have humbled a lesser man than Carter, its founder.

"Amon Carter, though, was much too busy in his lifetime inventing Texas to be concerned with the fragrant origin of his empire. Among was the ultimate Texan," Flemmons observed.

The Carter book is much more than a biography. It is the story also of the Star-Telegram, of Fort Worth and of West Texas.

Under Amon's leadership, the Star-Telegram became Texas' largest and most powerful newspaper and, ultimately, the largest newspaper in the southern half of the United States.

Its domain especially was West Texas where it circulated in 1,100 towns from the Panhandle to the Rio Grande and from Fort Worth to 200 miles beyond El Paso.

There's merely a 300,000-square-mile newsaper route in an area larger than the whole of New England.

In the early days, the newspaper was dispatched into that remoteness by stagecoach and later dropped in bundles for American Airlines' Ford Tri-Motor planes to distant ranches.

Amon and his Star-Telegram promoted and lobbied into existance such institutions as Texas Tech and Big Bend National Park. Amon was Tech's first board chairman, and it was Amon who raised nearly every penny to buy the park land. He personally delivered the deed to his friend, Franklin Roosevelt.

Out there in West Texas, Flemmons wrote, Amon and the newspaper caused to be built highways and state parks and whole towns, and he spread the region's good name around the world with his impersonation of that most elemental Texas character: The cowboy.

"Amon Carter, you see, invented the cowboy," Flemmons observed with an obvious grin.

Amon's most basic personality was that of a hard-headed businessman, but he played cowboy with the fundamental purpose of selling Fort Worth and West Texas and, by edict of the legislature, the entire state.

"Amon did not originate Texas braggadocio, but he played the role of professional Texan with a threatricality that would have shamed a Barrymore," Flemmons said. "The modern Texan portrayed in movies, on television, on the stage, in books, as a swaggering, showy, oil-rich, western-garbed, yipeeing character is Amon Carter, nothing more, nothing less."

Amon adopted what national columnists from Walter Winchell to Damon Runyon called a "four", "six" or "ten" gallon hat. He strapped on hand-tooled leather double holsters and packed them with twin pearl-handled pistols. He donned multi-colored fancy boots. Occasionally Amon added leather chaps branded "AGC", jingling spurs and a bandana knotted at the throat, held in place by an expensive pearl stickpin.

For very special events of his later life, the cowboy rode a golden palomino, seated on a $5,000 silvery saddle, a diamond stickpin stabbed into his silken bandana.

In that costume, Amon would stand on tables at social gatherings and fire off his pistols, blanks only, of course, and yipee for Fort Worth and West Texas.

Dressed as his cowboy, Amon:

—Drove a stagecoach down Wall Street in New York City, delivering TCU's famed little quarterback, Davy O'Brien, to the Heisman Trophy ceremonies.

—Fired a pistol — real bullets that time — through elevator doors of the Rice Hotel during the 1928 Democratic National Convention in Houston. Amon was made because the elevator would not stop on his floor.

—Stood on a chair in one of Washington's fanciest restaurants to startle diners with "HOORAAAAAY FOR FORT WORTH AND WEST TEXAS."

—Charged into a Buckingham Palace lawn party to present one of his western hats to England's Duke of Windsor.

—Yippeed and fired off his pistols from a balcony of Paris' famed Ritz Hotel until management and gendarmes suggested he stop.

Amon Carter was friend to six Presidents and virtually every famous American for three decades, politically powerful enough to help push Ike into the White House thereby saving off-shore oil for Texas and impetuous enough to invade Europe during World War II to rescue his son from a Nazi concentration camp.

Throughout the bombastic lifetime, Amon Carter feuded with rival Dallas, feuded with Ma and Pa Ferguson, feuded with LBJ (one of Amon's deathbed pleas was that the Star-Telegram never support Lyndon Johnson), feuded, in fact, with anyone who attempted to derail his mission in life — selling Fort Worth and West Texas.

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A QUAL ES LA REYNA? — Candidates for Cinco de Mayo Queen, who was selected at the dance Friday night, are, from left, Sylvia Del Bosque Arguello, representing the Brown Berets; Diana Dominguez, the Chicano Golf Association; Viana Franco, the American GI Forum; and Cathy Chavez, the Mexican-American Service Council.

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

FUN AND FESTIVITY — Officers of the Mexican-American Service Council, which sponsored the celebration and dance Friday commemorating Cinco de Mayo are, from left, Amado Molina, chairman; Virginia Rodriguez, treasurer; Janie Chavez, vice president; and Gus Ochotorena, sergeant-at-arms.

Cinco de Mayo has special significance

Not Anglo-Saxon concept

By DUSTY RICHARD

Chicanos from Big Spring and the surrounding area converged on the Howard County Fair Barn Friday night to celebrate one of the two patriotic holidays for Mexican-Americans: Cinco de Mayo.

Cinco de Mayo (Fifth of May) and Dies y Seiz (Sixteenth) are what Amado Molina, chairman of the Mexican-American Service Council, which is sponsoring the fete, calls "independence days signifying the struggle of a people to be free."

Likening these days to the Fourth of July, Molina said that they show that "independence is not an Anglo-Saxon concept — we also have striven to be free."

Quoting from an article which appeared in "Los Rayos Magazine," Janie Chavez, vice president of the council, explained the meaning of Cinco de Mayo.

"We will always remember with just pride this immortal date which recalls the glorious triumph of Mexico over the French army."

The reputation of Mexico was low at that time, the early 1860's, because of corruption in its government officials, said the article. After publicizing the riches of Mexico to the rest of the world, the officials suspending paying off debts which Mexico had contracted with England, France and Spain.

England, not interested in territory, demanded the money which they were owed. Spain and France then disputed who should intervene to "recover" the money for the English and get back their own.

"Napoleon III of France saw in Mexico what he thought was an easy way to add lustre to the French arms. From intervention, he could come away with part of Mexico's national territory — Sonora and Lower California — where a French colony could be established," it went on.

Also of interest to Napoleon III was the influence of Mexican royalists who wanted a monarchy and would accept it gladly, so that Napoleon III could set up a monarchial government there.

"The illustrious Benito Juarez dedicated himself to the defense of the cuntry, and exhorted all Mexicans to forget any differences of opinion and unite in the common defense," the article continues.

Spain and Eng land backed off from the attempt to recover the debt when they realized that the tight was not going to be as easy as it seemed.

"On May 5, 1862, a date never to be forgotten in Mexican history, the first real battle took place."

Omis baoole, at Puebla, between the French commandant, Laurences, and the Mexican commander, General Don Ignacio Zaragoza, "demonstrated that the invaders were not invincible — the Mexicans could, and did, defeat them."

This defeat is the reason that local Chicanos gathered Friday night. Along with the festivities lasting from 7:30 to midnight, a Cinco de Mayo Queen was picked by popular vote from four contestants.

Candidates were Diana Dominguez, representing the Chicano Golf Association; Viana Franco, the American G. I. Forum; Cathy Chavez, the Mexican-American Service Council; and Sylvia Del Bosque Arguello, the Brown Berets.

Although past Cinco de Mayo celebrations have included dances, this is the first at which a queen will be chosen.

The Mexican-American Service Council provides referral services to various agencies in the area, acts as an interpreter for Chicanos who need this service, and and helps needy families with small food orders such as milk, bread and baby food.

"Chicanos are about the only people who come to us for help, but we wouldn't turn anyone down — we help anyone," said Molina.

The only fund-raising opportunities that the council has, added Ms. Chavez, are the dances at Cinco de Mayo and Dies y Seiz. "And about all of our funds go for the services we provide."

An additional service that the council wants to begin is "setting up a seminar for children of all races at which the culture of the Mexican-American people can be disseminated," said Virginia Rodriguez, treasurer of the council.

One problem from which the chicano race is trying to free itself, said Molina, is the high school drop-out rate of their youth, leading to low education and thus lack of skills required for better jobs.

"They have the least chance of progress," Molina said.

The solution to this problem, he concluded, will have to come from both the Mexican-American and Anglo communities, because, as he put it, "any problem that is attempted to be solved by only one side will be solved.

"We have to quit dividing ourselves into sides, because we are all members of one race — the Human Race."

Houston man convicted in get-rich-quick plot

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — A 59-year-old Houston man was convicted Friday of seven federal counts of fraud in an alleged get-rich-quick scheme involving the extraction of silver from ore.

Sentencing of Walter L. Ward was postponed until a presentencing report can be completed.

Ward was charged with six counts of fraud through use of the mail and another count of causing a fraudulently obtained security to be mailed.

At Ward's trial, testimony showed that three Arkansas residents invested $57,000 in Ward's company, which promised investors it would deliver one ounce of silver for every dollar invested. At that time, silver was valued at $4.50 an ounce.

Testimony showed that investors received neither any silver nor their money back.

Ward proposed using an electromagnetic separator to extract the silver from the ore. He told investors he could get 1,961 ounces of silver from each ton of ore processed. He said the separator was invented by a consultant, Dr. E.L. Moragne.

At his trial, the government said the ore deposits contained no commercial quantities of silver, with each ton containing an average of 40 ounces of silver. The government also said Dr. Moragne did not have a doctoral degree.

Ward also claimed he owned land in Texas that contained commercial quantities of silver, but federal Bureau of Mines and FBI test figures showed the land contained no more than one ounce of silver per ton.

Ward was convicted in September 1976 in Tulsa, Okla., of making false statements to a bank about the value of ore used as collateral for a loan and was sentenced to 13 months in prison.

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Wall Street is watching oil search

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market gave a clear demonstration this past week of just how closely Wall Street is watching the search for oil in the Atlantic Ocean off New Jersey.

On Friday morning, a Continental Oil foreman told reporters in Atlantic City, N.J., that early exploratory drilling in the Baltimore Canyon off the coast had encountered "very promising" rock formations.

When the story reached financial news wires, it touched off a brief but spirited rally in stock prices. While oil issues were notably strong, the advance also extended into a broad range of other stocks.

Continental Oil officials shortly afterward said the foreman's statements gave a "misleading and premature" impression about the prospects of the drilling efforts.

But the Dow Jones industrial average nevertheless finished the day with a 4.68 advance at 829.09, reducing its loss for the week to 8.29 points.

The week's drop was the first for the average since late March, and the optimists in the financial community generally described it as a normal development — a "correction" in Wall Street parlance — after April's powerful rally.

Other weekly readings showed gains. The New York Stock Exchange composite index was up .07 at 53.97, and the American Stock Exchange market value index jumped 3.63 at 139.89.

Trading continued at a very busy pace. Big Board volume totaled 196.18 million shares, the third busiest total in exchange history, ranking only behind the totals of 212.29 million and 203.06 million in the two preceeding weeks.

The quest for oil and gas in the Baltimore Canyon, begun earlier this year after a drilling ban was lifted, is naturally of interest to holders of oil company shares.

No other industry had more than three representatives on the list.

Students will receive new STA booklet

The college board announced today that next fall all students who register to take the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) will receive a new comprehensive 48-page guide designed to reduce students' anxieties and expand their understanding of and familiarity with the test. All schools will receive quantities of the new guide in September for distribution, at no charge, to students with SAT registration materials.

The new booklet, entitled "Taking the SAT," will include a complete SAT test and a complete Test of Standard Written English, along with sample answer sheets, and a scoring key. It will also include information about the purposes of the SAT and the TSWE, general test-taking strategies, complete descriptions of each type of question and detailed advice for solving each type, and a description of college board scoring procedures.

"Publication of the guide will help clear up some of the common misconceptions students, counselors, parents, and the public have about the SAT and remove some of the mystery surrounding it," said Sidney P. Marland, Jr., president of the membership association of some 2,500 schools and colleges. "This action will assure equal access to pertinent information about the tests for all SAT candidates weeks and even months earlier than in the past."

Noting that the College Board had recently produced a film for students on the SAT and issued "Guidelines" on the proper use of tests, Dr. Marland added, "This publication marks another step in the board's effort to provide accurate information and insure proper use and understanding for our services."

The proposal to publish the new guide was approved by the Trustees of the College Board during their recent spring meeting. Plans for the guide have met with favorable reactions during two years of discussions and preparation by school and college representatives in College Board assemblies, committees and councils.

In unemployment rate

No drop foreseen

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government economists say they are not looking for the the unemployment rate to drop below its 3½-year low of 6 percent in April even though the job situation is improving steadily.

Since May 1975, the percentage of people out of work has fallen from 9.1 percent to 6 percent last month.

"We do not expect to see unemployment continue declining at this rate," said William Cox, Commerce Department economist. "We are a little apprehensive that the rate might go back up."

The Carter administration has declined to change its estimate of a 6.2 percent unemployment rate for the end of the year.

In its unemployment report Friday, the Labor Department said Vietnam veterans, construction workers and blue-collar workers showed big gains in landing jobs.

Unemployment for Vietnam veterans dropped from 5 percent to 4.5 percent, close to the 4.2 percent rate for all adult men.

A building boom which followed severe winter weather opened up 170,000 construction jobs, reducing construction unemployment from 11.3 to 9.5 percent.

Blue-collar workers led the gain of 535,000 in employment, improving their rate from 7.1 percent unemployed to 6.5 percent.

About 170,000 of the employment gain consisted of coal miners. However, the coal miners had not been counted among the unemployed while they were on strike, and their return to work does not affect the unemployment rate.

Government economists say they are surprised at the decline from 6.2 to 6 percent in unemployment last month because the economy has not been growing rapidly enough to produce many jobs.

It takes a growth rate of about 4 percent a year to provide a decrease as was seen in April. they say. The nation's output actually declined in the first quarter and yet there were still more new jobs available. The economists are concerned that economic growth will slow down in the second half of the year.

An economic report Friday indicated, however, that consumers have enough confidence in the economy to go more deeply into debt.

Consumers increased their installment debt in March by $4.07 billion, the largest amount in history. The figures indicated the economy is recovering from the effects of a severe winter. But they also could mean consumers are buying now to avoid price increases later on, the report said.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

HOMEWARD BOUND — Former first lady Betty Ford smiles and waves as she leaves Long Beach, Calif. Naval Hospital Friday. Mrs. Ford, 60, left the hospital after nearly four weeks of treatment for addictions to alcohol and medications.

It's will of God: Pay cash

KIRKLAND, Wash. (AP) — Determined to pay for a $1.6 million church auditorium with cash "before the bulldozers move the first dirt," leaders of the Overlake Christian Church are urging members to hock their valuables and mortgage their homes for the money.

The money also is being collected to retire a $200,000 debt for the church.

"We are under the deep conviction that God wants us to pay cash for the building. Humanly speaking, it is impossible, but we know the Lord wants it to happen," says Pastor Robert Moorehead.

The collection plate will be passed Sunday June 25 for the bonanza, and Moorehead says $310,000 already has been committed by church members in six weeks.

"One man sold the boat he had just bought," Moorehead said. "One of our single women is selling her home, giving the equity of about $25,000 to the church," he added.

Moorehead said the cash must be in hand "before the bulldozers move the first dirt."

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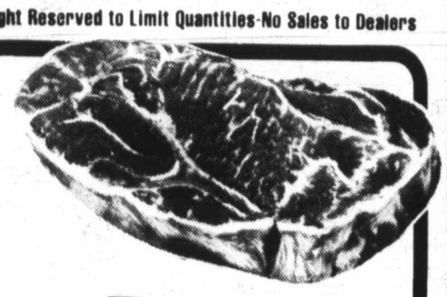

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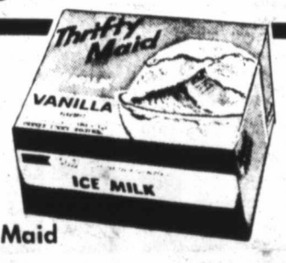

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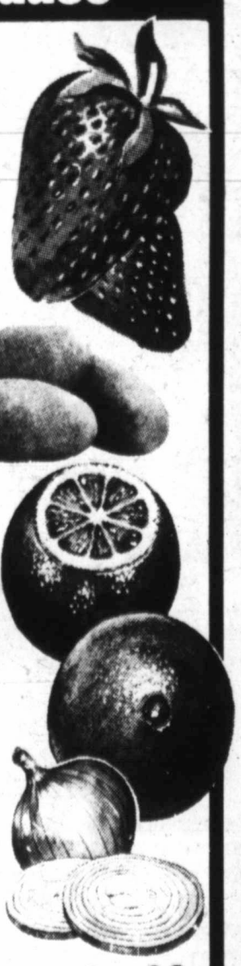

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WEDDING CAKE FOR "THE FONZ" AND BRIDE — Henry Winkler, heartthrob of teenagers as "the Fonz," shares some wedding cake with his bride Stacey Weitzman at a news conference in New York. The wedding, with only family and friends present, was held in Congregation Habonim, a Manhattan synogogue.

Business or labor

Who's taking wage bite?

NEW YORK (AP) — The White House "voluntary" wage and price restraint program, aimed at controlling inflation by persuading business and labor to do their part, has come up with some interesting ideas lately on who should be taking the wage bite.

Barry Bosworth, who as director of the Council on Wage and Price Stability is the president's chief anti-inflation jawboner, has suggested, for instance, that top corporate officers should be asked to make sacrifices along with unions.

If they followed the suggested guideline of holding to a 5 percent increase in compensation this year, that would mean that Henry Ford II, chairman of Ford Motor Co., would have to toe the line at just $1,041,600 in 1978.

Steven J. Ross, the chairman of Warner Communications, would be limited to $1,039,500 if his salary and bonus increases were limited to just 5 percent of this year's compensation. And Harold S. Geneen, chairman of International Telephone & Telegraph Corp. would have to squeeze by on $1,035,300.

While Bosworth promised to seek wage restraint from corporate executives and such professionals as doctors and dentists, where fees have been going up about 9 percent a year, he made it clear that the real success or failure of the administration's voluntary anti-inflation plan would depend on labor unions that represent millions of workers.

Among the most crucial, he said, would be the "high visibility" unions representing truckers, steel and auto workers and railroad employees. They would have to cut back on the 9 percent to 10 percent annual increases that have been in some contracts in recent years, he said.

In other business developments this past week:

—The unemployment rate dropped to 6 percent in April for the first time in 3½ years, the government reported. The Labor Department said the number of people who had jobs rose by 535,000, bringing the workforce to 93.8 million. But the government said about one quarter of the increase represented striking coal miners returning to work.

—Food prices continued to climb at a sharp pace at the wholesale level, and that is likely to mean increases at the grocery store within a fairly short time. The consumer goods sector of the wholesale price index climbed at a seasonally adjusted rate of 1.9 percent, up sharply from 0.8 percent the previous month. Overall wholesale prices of finished goods rose 1.3 percent, the largest jump in more than three years.

Carter plan due to start

Job bias counteraction

WASHINGTON (AP) — The first phase of President Carter's reorganization of federal efforts to combat job discrimination goes into effect eight weeks from today.

On July 1, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission will take over the policy-making functions of the Equal Employment Opportunity coordinating council, which will be abolished.

Carter's plan will go into effect because the Senate adjourned without acting on it Friday, the deadline for congressional disapproval. The House approved it, 356-39, on April 25.

It is unclear when the second phase of the plan will take effect. That phase calls for the EEOC to take over from the Civil Service Commission the job of protecting federal workers from employment discrimination.

President Carter originally proposed to make the switch on Oct. 1. Senate Governmental Affairs Committee members asked for a year's delay, saying they thought Congress first should have a chance to enact civil service reforms.

Carter responded that he would delay implementation until Jan. 1, giving Congress time to act. The committee then agreed to recommend that the Senate let his plan stand.

Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, D-Conn., chairman of the governmental affairs committee, said he understood Carter would agree to a further extension if Congress did not pass civil service legislation this year.

But Clarence Mitchell, director of the Washington bureau of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said Friday, "That is not our understanding from the president. Our understanding is that it is going to be January and we are not going to stand still for any further delays."

The NAACP pushed for the switch of responsibility to the EEOC, saying the Civil Service Commission has not been diligent in protecting employees against bias.

School annuals are returned

Fly away, jets.

The annual staff at Howard College was shocked when their new annuals arrived this week and the inside cover featured a colored picture of jet airplanes that had been sent to the publishing company last year.

The inside cover of this year's Howard College annual is supposed to feature the front of the college.

The yearbooks were returned to be corrected and consequently will be late this year. The fault was that of the publishing house, not the local staff.

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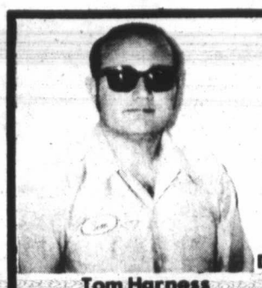

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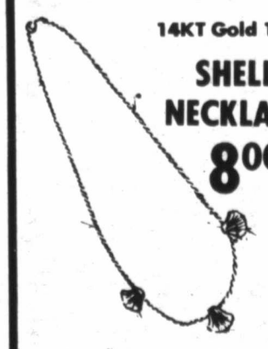

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Be a friend and take a tour to help support your Family Service Center

By EILEEN McGUIRE

Drug abuse, alcoholism, rape, divorce, death, stress, maladjustment — all are problems that are hard to deal with alone. In Howard County, no one has to.

Since the Howard County Family Service Center was first organized three years ago, an average of 152 families a year have been helped through the counseling available there. And, because unsolved personal problems often become community problems, by helping individuals and families find solutions, the center helps the community.

Now the community has an opportunity to help the center. Because it is part of the Big Spring State Hospital Outpatient Clinic, the center is partially funded by the Texas Mental Health Association. Other support comes from United Way, but without additional donations, it could not continue to operate.

Shortly after the center opened its doors to the community, a group of individuals dedicated to keeping the doors open was organized. They call themselves Friends of the Howard County Family Service Center and their mission is to spread the word that help is available and to make sure that help stays available by raising money for the center.

The Friend's major fund-raiser is an annual Tour of Homes which will be conducted today from 2 to 5 p.m.

For the price of four dollars, an individual can make a tax-deductible donation to the center and spend the afternoon touring four of Big Spring's most interesting homes.

HELPING OTHERS TO LIVE — Big Spring and Howard County gained a lot when Wilfrid "Cal" Calnan decided to make Big Spring his home. With his 35 years of experience, he's been helping an average of 152 families a year solve problems and live more productively. A charter member of the National Association of Social Workers, he was named "Social Worker of the Year" by NASW in 1977.

Homes to be toured are the Carl Strom Home, 501 Westover, the Edward Cole Home, 608 Washington Blvd., the Bill Estes Home, 501 Highland Dr., and the Charles Hays Home, 809 Highland Dr.

According to Susan Lewis, Friend, "The homes that were volunteered for this tour are all fairly unusual and have had something done to them this year.

"The Carl Strom Home is an authentic Indian pueblo home and inside is a large collection of Indian artifacts. The Hays Home is Tudor English and the Estes Home is Colonial. The Cole Home is an estate home and was redecorated this year."

Because of fragile art objects, the home owners have requested that no children be included in the tour. A free nursery will be provided at the First United Methodist Church, 400 Scurry, during tour hours.

Tourists are also requested not to take pictures during the tour.

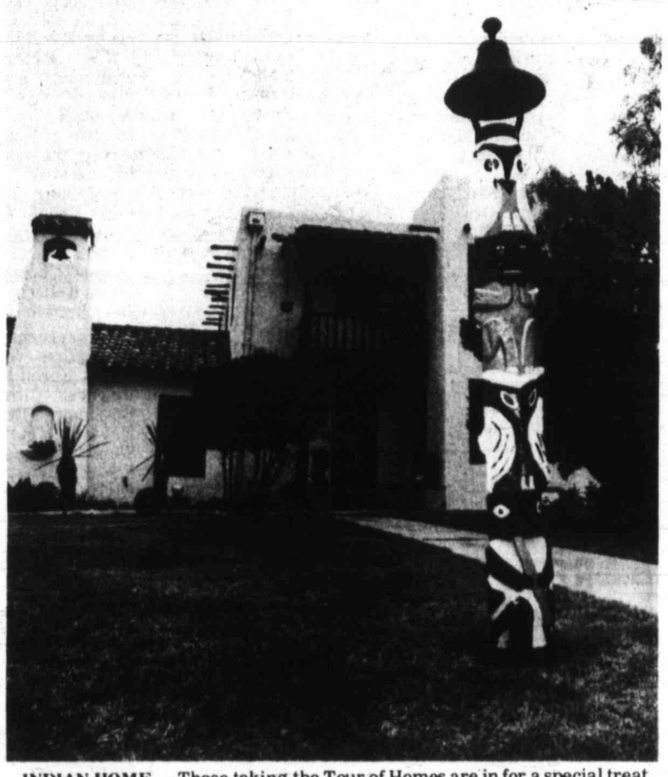
The homes may be toured in that order of your choosing and tickets will be on sale at each door. The ticket must be presented at each home for admission.

All proceeds, of course, will go directly to the Howard County Family Service Center to help it continue operating.

The center was organized by Wilfrid "Cal" Calnan, who detected the need for such a facility when he came to Big Spring three years ago. With him, he brought more than thirty years of experience in helping others overcome problems and build productive lives.

Under his direction, the center makes counseling available to all, regardless of their income. Payment for counseling services, which are provided by Calnan, range from $1 to $30 an hour, depending on what the individual or family can afford.

One way to measure the community's continued need for the center is Calnan's caseload of 90 a month. You can help fill that need by joining the Friends in their tour today. You don't have to be a Friend to be a friend to the center.

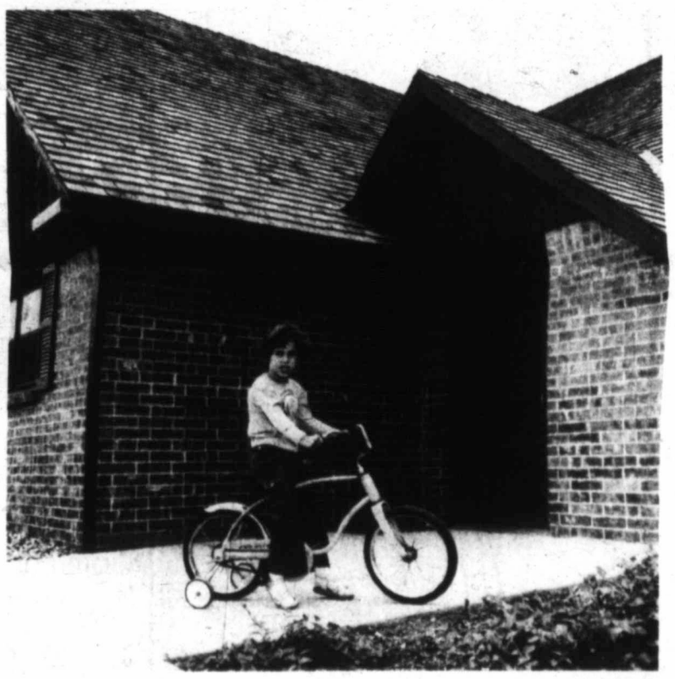


INDIAN HOME — Those taking the Tour of Homes are in for a special treat. History buffs won't want to pass up the home of Mrs. Carl Strom, an authentic Indian pueblo home full of Indian artifacts.

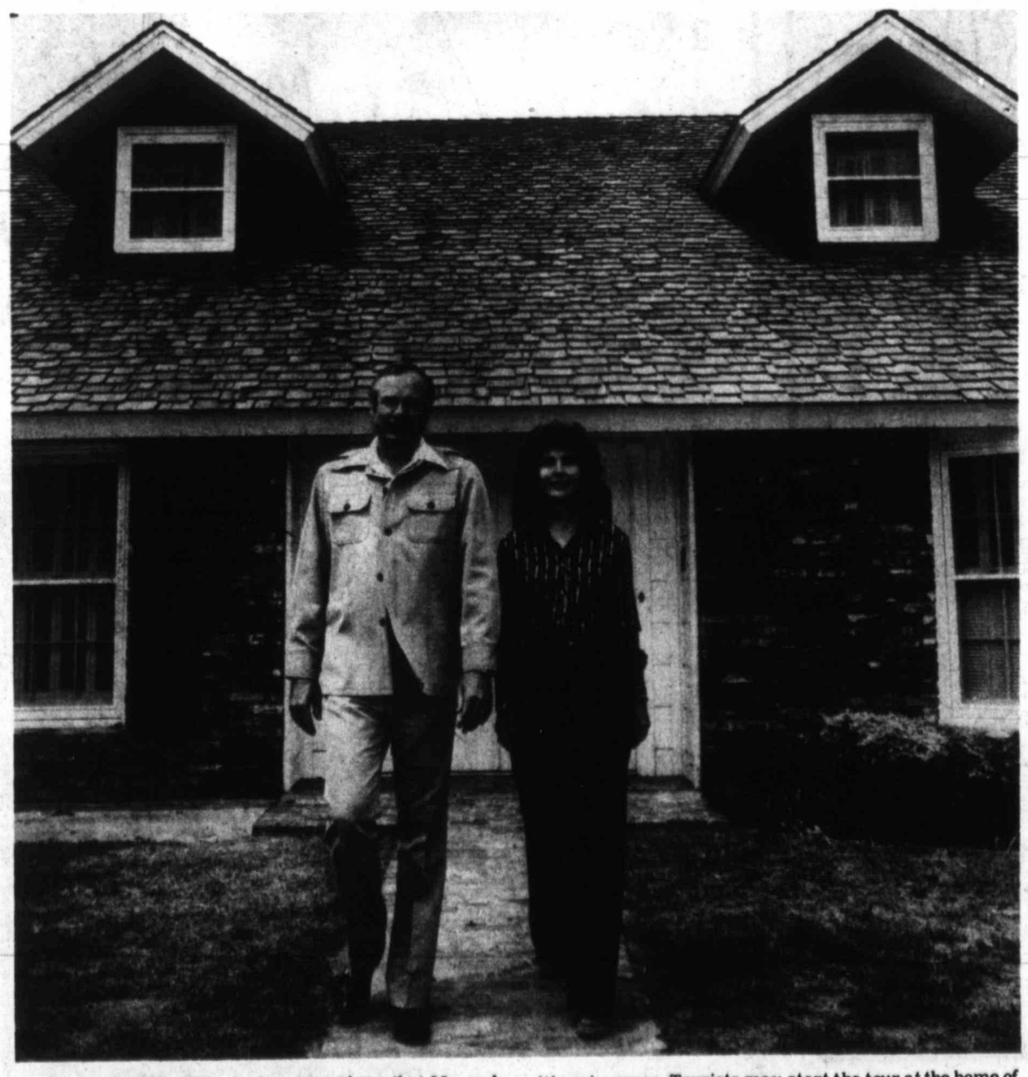
Photos by Danny Valdes

HELP IS AVAILABLE — Whatever the crisis, help in coping with it is available at the Howard County Family Service Center which offers counseling in all areas of living. Susan Grace, standing, receptionist and Friends member, and Susan Lewis, another Friend, examine some of the center's pamphlets bearing such titles as "Drugs and You", "About Dying", "What's a Family?" and "How To Understand Yourself."

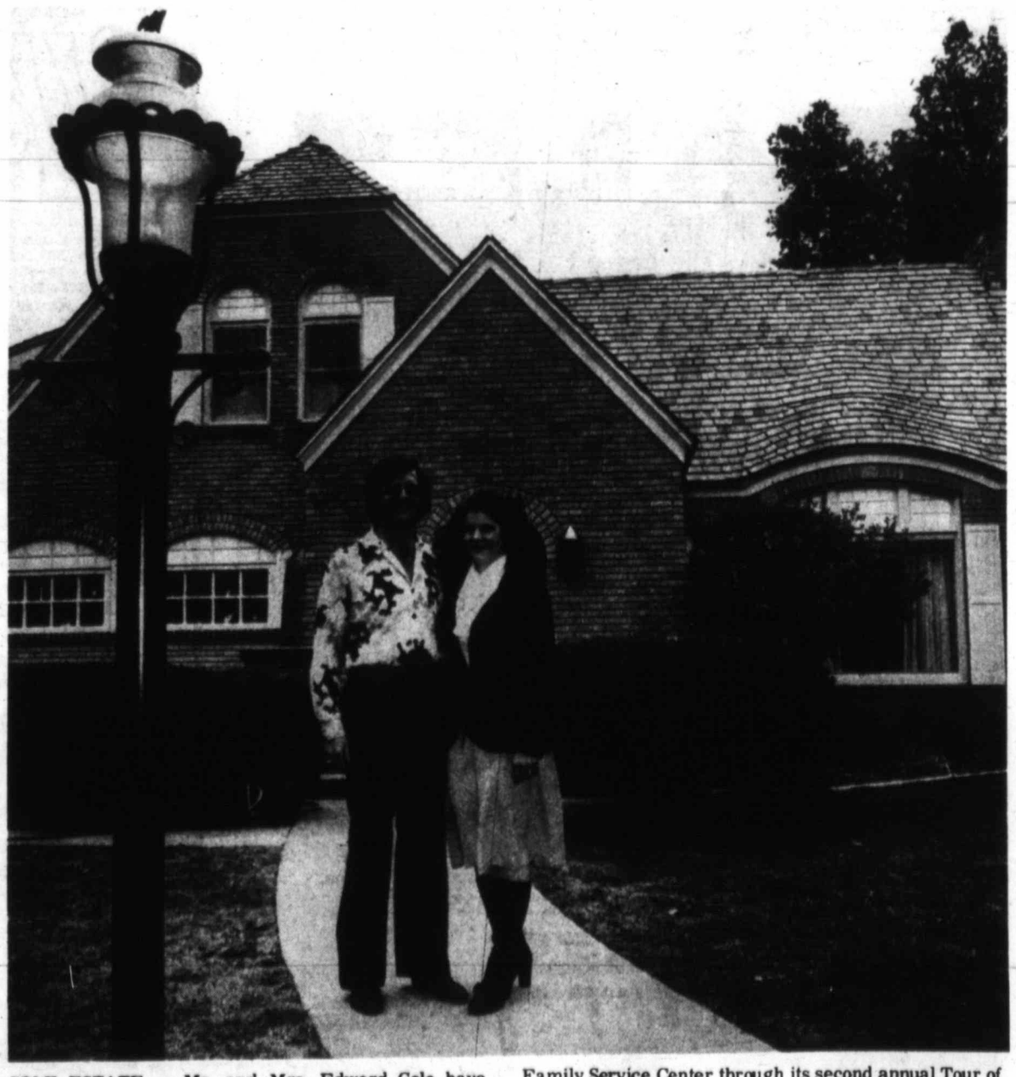
FRIENDS — Not long after the Howard County Family Service Center was organized by Wilfrid Calnan, it already had some real friends in the community. These three ladies are charter members of Friends of the center, an organization that supports the center by promoting it through public relations, raising money for it and coming up with new ideas to make it even more effective. From left, they are Mrs. Jack (Pat) Powell, Mrs. H. C. (Mary) Ernsting and Mrs. Clyde (Jane) Thomas.



ENGLISH TUDOR — Kelly Hays, 5, clearly an all-American girl, adds contrast to the English Tudor home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hays. The home is one of the four whose owners have volunteered to be on today's Tour of Homes.



COLONIAL SETTING — is the atmosphere that Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estes have chosen for their home. Like the other three homes on the tour, the Estes home was chosen for it's uniqueness. Tourists may start the tour at the home of their choice and tickets may be purchased at any one o the four.



COLE ESTATE — Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cole have redecorated their estate home this year. They will open the house to the public today to benefit the Howard County Family Service Center through its second annual Tour of Homes. All proceeds from the tour will go to help operate the center.

Tillie McGibbon receives top honor

Awards luncheon fetes Malone-Hogan volunteers

By EILEEN McGUIRE

Because volunteers are the vital link between a community and its hospital, all of the volunteers at Malone-Hogan Hospital and Clinic were honorees at the Malone-Hogan Volunteers Annual Awards Luncheon Thursday.

The luncheon took place at noon at the Brass Nail. Volunteers wore the pink uniforms that bring smiles to the faces of Malone-Hogan patients and they were seated at tables decorated with natural floral arrangements.

After an invocation was given by Dr. Lee Butler of the Big Spring State Hospital, volunteers and special guests were welcomed by Norman Knox, Malone-Hogan Hospital administrator.

Dr. Josh Burnett, M.D., spoke on behalf of all of the medical staff when he expressed appreciation for the role that volunteers play at the hospital.

"The warm atmosphere of the hospital created by volunteers," he said, "is a very important part of the total art of medicine. Volunteers have the unique opportunity of sharing in the joy of birth and healing and have a better opportunity to help the dying than do most of the doctors."

Not only do the volunteers help the doctors to help the patients, but they benefit the entire hospital through public relations, he said. In addition, he told how the volunteers have been raising money through their gift shop, part of which they are donating to help get the hospital's new ministerial program underway.

Mary Dean Perry, outgoing president of the Malone-Hogan Volunteers, said that $1500 of gift shop proceeds had been set aside for the project. The money will be used for community seminars to train interested groups to better cope with the dynamics of illness.

A high priority of the program is to provide clinical training for ministers interested in developing skills in ministering to hospital patients.

Another $2186 has been designated by the volunteers for a video cassette projector that will facilitate one-on-one training for employees and, where practical, patients. Cassettes are now available on hospital procedures that can help ease the patient's fears of the unknown and help him understand what is happening as a result of illness and accompanying treatment.

The volunteers have also purchased two ultrasound doppler stethescopes for the obstetric and surgery units.

K.H. McGibbon, board chairman, presented certificates and bars to the volunteers recognizing the number of hours each had served the hospital during the past year.

Receiving 100-hour bars were Lellah Atkins, Katie Cathey, Virginia Collins, Irene Crawford, Helen Draper, Leona Ebersole, Donna Kellerman and Nancy Jo Thompson.

Bars recognizing 200 hours of service went to Annie Angel, Karen Bear, Friedel Bowers, Clarie Conger, Rosemary Ferrell, Dixie Hogan, Evelyn Holmes, Winnie Patterson, Caroline Rekoff, Modesta Stokes, Jan Wallace and Jean Yates.

Recipients of 300-hour bars were Marie Brannon, Ann Fairchild, Barbara Fryar, Jeannette Henderson, Lisa Homrig, Latha Huill, Inez Malone and Judy Snell.

Marion Cauley, Josephine Dawes and Zoe Gibbs were awarded 400-hour bars while 500-hour bars went to Al Bettle, Aurora Etheridge, P.D. Heith, Bernice Micallif and Mattie Bell Tompkins.

Receiving 600-hour bars were Joe Broadrick, Margaret Cape, Diane Moses and Mary Ann Taylor. Winifrid Greenlees, Kate Irons and Mary Den Perry were honored with 700-hour bars and Toni Choate with an 800-hour bar.

Jo Lipscome and Dorothy Paul were awarded 900-hour bars with Tillie McGibbon's contributions earning her a 1200-hour bar.

Highlighting the luncheon were presentations of special awards.

The "Best Supporting Award", presented by Ms. Perry, went to Toni Choate as the volunteer who, in a supporting role, had contributed significantly to the volunteer program.

From a list of nominees which included Zoe Gibbs, Josephine Dawes and Marion Cauley, Ms. Choate was chosen to receive the award for "her thoughtfulness, guinine concern and loyalty to the volunteer program."

Ms. Choate left the information desk of the hospital for the gift shop when she knew they needed help and has not only benefitted the gift shop but took on the responsibility of setting up a volunteer office on the 5th floor.

She also served as the chairman of the poster contest of Kindergarten children in Big Spring which resulted in over 175 posters to be displayed in the community and in an Art Show during National Hospital Week, May 7-13.

A "Spirit Award", also presented by Mrs. Perry, went to Winifrid Greenlees honoring her for "outstanding spirit of service".

According to Ms. Perry, Ms. Greenlees was chosen for the award "for her willingness to come in early, stay late, or work extra shifts whenever she is needed to such an extent that she has averaged over seven hours a week since coming into the program."

Other nominees for the award were Aurora Etheridge, Clarie Conger, Al Bettle, Kumid Goswami and Al and Debbie Ogrisovich.

Emily Ward of Public Relations presented the Kate Irons Award. The award is named after the founding president of the volunteers organization and was instituted as an annual award last year to honor the outstanding volunteer who, like the award's namesake, "is a woman of joy, of spirit and has true grit."

"It's difficult to choose who this award should go to," Ms. Ward said, "because all of our volunteers are outstanding. This award really belongs to all of you because the volunteer chosen to receive it represents all of you."

Recipient of the award was Tillie McGibbon, creator of the hospital's gift shop, unofficial backup for the service chairman and a woman of spirit, joy and true grit.

Ms. McGibbon's name will be displayed beneath the name of last year's Kate Irons Award recipient, Jo Rodrick, on a wall plaque at the hospital.

Mrs. Ward also presented the hospital's "Outstanding Citizen Award" to J.D. Nelson of the State Security Bank for his support and for sponsoringthe Blood Booth at the Howard County Fair last year.

The awards presented concluded with Mrs. Perry, on behalf of all the volunteers, presenting Mrs. Ward with an electric pencil sharpener and the instructions, "Every time you grind away think of us."

Following the luncheon, new officers of Malone-Hogan Volunteers were installed.

The 1978-79 leaders are Mrs. Jack (Jo) Lipscombe, president; Mrs. R.L. (P.D.) Heith, president-elect; Mrs. Harry (Mary) Spannaus, vice-president; Mrs. William (Josephine) Dawes, secretary and Mrs. Clayton (Al) Bettle, treasurer.

(Photo by Carla Walker)

TRUE GRIT — The "Kate Irons Award," instituted as an annual award at last year's Malone-Hogan Volunteers Awards Luncheon, went to Tillie McGibbon, right, for being "a woman of joy, spirit and true grit." Board chairman K. H. McGibbon, standing, and Emily Ward look at the plaque that will include Ms. McGibbon's name as this year's recipient of the award which was named after Kate Irons, center.

AND THE WINNER IS — Mary Dean Perry, outgoing president of Malone-Hogan Volunteers, center, had the privilege of awarding Toni Choate, left, the "Best Supporting Award" and Winifrid Greenlees, right, the "Spirit Award" at the volunteers annual awards luncheon at the Brass Nail Thursday.

Comical cards don't make it

It's all right to joke about Santa Claus or the Easter Bunny, but comic cards that poke fun at motherhood just don't make it, says Bob McCloskey, director of Hallmark's contemporary card division. Traditional cards continue to be in demand.

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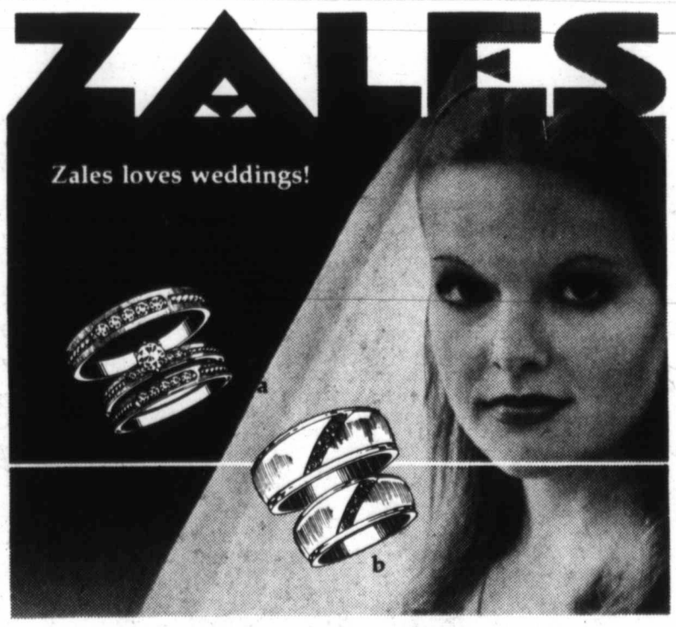

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SPECIAL TREAT — A review of the book, "Fifty Plus" will be presented by Mrs. Clyde Thomas at the Home Demonstration tea. From left, Janet Rogers, Mrs. Gary McLeod, Mrs. James Johnston and Mrs. M. F. Hodnett discuss the book which gives creative ideas for living.

Area Home Demonstration Clubs join forces in membership tea

Area Home Demonstration Clubs will band together for a membership tea from 2 to 4 p.m. tomorrow in the north fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Chruch.

All interested newcomers and residents are invited to attend the tea which will be hosted by presidents of the seven clubs.

Representing their clubs will be Mrs. B.L. Mason of Coahoma H.D., Mrs. C.K. Orr of Centerpoint H.D., Mrs. Raymond Key of Airport H.D., Mrs. M.F. Hodnett of City H.D., Mrs. LeRoy Dolan of Elbow H.D., Mrs. C.A. Smauley of Fairview H.D. and Mrs. Gary McLeod of Creative Homemakers.

Representing the Home Demonstration Council will be Mrs. James Johnston, council chairman.

The hostesses will direct members and guests to the north fellowship hall which will feature an educational and a crafts exhibit and a reception table.

Entertainment will be a book review by Mrs. Clyde Thomas Jr. of "Fifty Plus" by Jeanette Lockerbie. The book is a collection of creative living ideas for those 50 years plus.

Home Demonstration Clubs are composed of homemakers of various ages, interests, nationalities and creeds who want to learn about new methods in every area of homemaking. Programs this past year have been focused on family life and health, ranging in topic from canning to housing.

The programs for club meetings are provided by Janet Rogers, Howard County Home Extension Agent.

The clubs look forward to meeting new friends and potential members at the membership tea.

GETTING READY — Setting up the reception table for the Home Demonstration Clubs Membership Tea are, from left, Mrs. C. K. Orr, Mrs. B. L. Mason, Mrs. LeRoy Dolan, Mrs. Raymond Key and Mrs. C. A. Smauley. These club presidents will serve as hostesses at the tea which takes place Monday in the north fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church.

Many elderly live in homes

About five per cent, or approximately one million older people, live in institutions of all kinds, reports Mrs. Vivian Blair, family life education specialist-aging, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M Univeristy System.

Class
The Big Spring Herald put the word "class" in classifieds.

Clubhouse

VFW installs new officers

Christensen-Tucker Auxiliary to Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2013 met at the Post Home at 7 p.m. Tuesday for refreshments and at 7:30 p.m. for a joint meeting in which officers for the coming year were installed.

Commander of District 25, Charles West, Midland, was installing officer for the post, and Pearlene West, president of District 25, installed auxiliary officers.

A gift was presented to Commander West from the post by local Commander, Jack Spivey, and Mrs. West was also presented a gift from the auxiliary.

J.H. Taylor was honored by the auxiliary for outstanding assistance in the recent Buddy Poppy sale, and Commander Spivey was presented a gift in appreciation for his cooperation and assistance to the auxiliary and its programs.

Mrs. Jack Spivey reported that Craig Fisher, high school teacher, was awarded "Teacher of the Year" by the auxiliary for outstanding work in the assistance of Armistice Day programs.

The V.F.W. District Convention will be held in Kermit May 27 and 28, and the state convention will be held in San Antonio June 30 and July 1-2. The national convention will take place in Dallas Aug. 19-25.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Frank Knapp and Mrs. G.C. Barnett, and the next meeting will be at 7:30 June 6 at the Post Home.

Rebekahs fete home

The Big Spring Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday with Norma Newton, Noble Grand, presiding, and 27 members and 13 past noble grands present.

It was announced that 15 visits to the sick were made, and Lila Holland read the April financial report, which was approved.

A letter was read the lodge's children's home, and the lodge sent a gift to the two who were graduating from high school.

A Program of Mother was given for the Lodge Mother, Alma Crenshaw, and Ms. Newton presented her with a corsage of white carnations.

Marion Savell and Grace Lee Grider sang "Silver Threads among the Gold;" "Our Rebekah Mother" was read by Helen Lee, and "Grandmother's Apron" was read by Sheri Wilson.

"Thank Heaven for Mothers Like You" was read by Ms. Newton, and a Mother's Day gift was given to Ms. Crenshaw and the two term mothers, Mildred Collins and Ms. Grider.

Cake and punch were served from a table draped with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of roses. May birthdays celebrated were those of Lola Majors, Hugh Rhyne and Logan Grider.

The refreshment committee was Jewell Thompson, Lucille Petty, Maudie Jones and Ms. Lee.

The District Deputy President, Ms. Wilson, will go to Stanton Monday for a school of instruction with the lodge there.

The next meeting will be Tuesday at the Lodge Hall, 9th and San Antonio.

New president accepts gavel

The home of Mrs. James R. Cave was the setting for a salad luncheon for the 1955 Hyperion Club Tuesday.

Mrs. J.T. Anderson Sr., and Mrs. Robert J. Penner were co-hostesses.

Mrs. Walter Wheat installed the new officers in a ceremony comparing each person to an musical instrument in an orchestra. She emphasized that everyone working together would create perfect harmony.

Officers installed were Mrs. Penner, president; Mrs. H.B. Perry, vice president; Mrs. James Owens, recording secretary and publicity chairman; Mrs. W.A. Moore Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. Walter Ross, treasurer; and Mrs. Cave, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Penner accepted the gavel and appointed committees for the 1978-79 club year.

On the special committee will be Mrs. James Cape, Mrs. Jerry Snodgrass and Mrs. David Elrod; Mrs. Wheat, Mrs. H.C. Ernsting, Mrs. Mathew Hunter and Mrs. C.W. Mahoney will comprise the telephone committee; Mrs. James Cowan and Mrs. Moore will be on the program committee.

Mrs. Jimmy Morehead, Mrs. Roy Reeder and Mrs. Cave will comprise the project committee and Mrs. Garland Morrison will be the press book committee.

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Engagements

Miss Weaver, Lee to wed in Kansas

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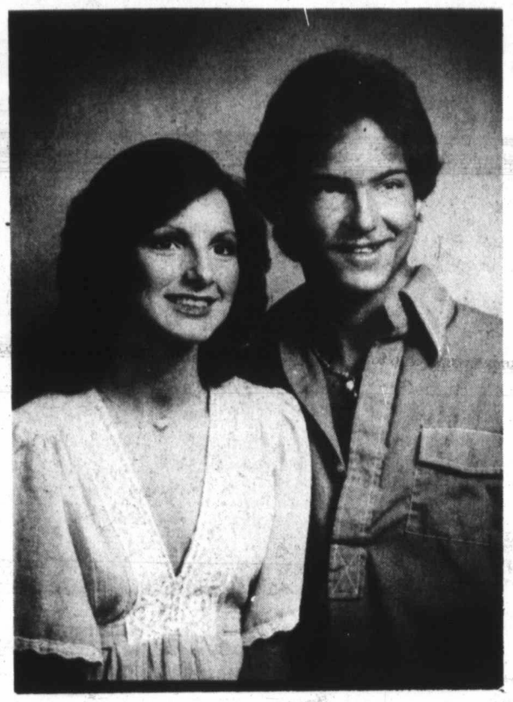
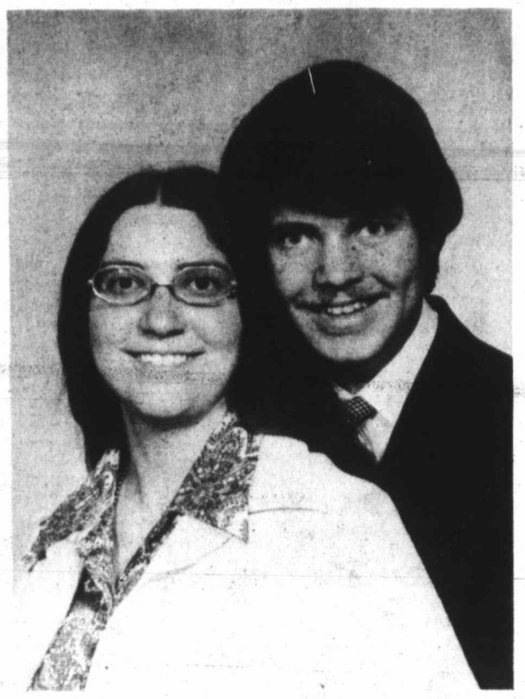
Miss Weaver is a 1974 graduate of Big Spring High School, and the couple plan to wed Sept. 2 in the Federated Church, Whitewater.

NUPTIALS PLANNED — The Rev. and Mrs. Bill M. Ballard, Rt. 1 Box 106, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Altie Etta, to Mark Edward Winn, 605 E. 13th No. 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis W. Winn, 1004 Wood. The couple, who met while attending junior high and high school in Coahoma, will be wed June 16 in the First Baptist Church, Sand Springs. The father of the bride will perform the ceremony.

AUGUST PLANS — Mr. and Mrs. Carl Small, 1800 Brent Drive, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Karla Kaye, to Forrest Addington Wester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Wester, Dallas. The couple will be wed Aug. 5 in the Fourteenth and Main Church of Christ, Big Spring. The ceremony will be performed by Larry Van Steinberg, minister of the church from Midland.



DATE SET — Maj. and Mrs. Don Manley, 5 Albrook, announce the engagement of their daughter, Pam, to Todd Dean, Southland Apts., son of Maj. and Mrs. John Dean, Cape Girardeau, Mo. The couple will wed July 29 in Calvary Baptist Church, Lufkin, and Dr. Herman Hendricks will perform the ceremony.



DATE REVEALED — Mr. and Mrs. Augustus C. Oliver of Borger announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Susan Marie, to Jon Daniell Riley, son of Dr. and Mrs. William A. Riley, Sterling City Route. The couple will exchange vows at 2:30 p.m. Aug. 19 in the chapel of the First Baptist Church, Borger. They are both candidates for May graduation from West Texas State University, Canyon.

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By ROBERT WALLACE, Ed.D.
Copley News Service

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Sharum, 1606 Robin, a daughter, Hope Elise, at 5:47 a.m. Apr. 28 weighing 8 pounds 15 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Denneth Hull, Route 1, Stanton, a son, Nicholas Ray, at 11:54 a.m. Apr. 28 weighing 7 pounds 4½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cogburn, 1505 Avion, a son, Michael Wayne, at 12:01 p.m. Apr. 28 weighing 9 pounds 10½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Archer, 1511 Lancaster, a daughter, Michele Marie, at 8:36 p.m. Apr. 29 weighing 7 pounds 15 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Yeats, 1302 Lexington, a son, Jeremy Sean, at 12:53 p.m. Apr. 30 weighing 7 pounds 13 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rutledge, 604 Elgin, a son, Russell Paul Jr., at 2:45 a.m. May 3 weighing 6 pounds 4¾ ounces.

Talbots announce birth of daughter

Welcoming home a new baby daughter are Guy and Paula Talbot, 814 W. 17th.

Born May 1 at 2:51 p.m., little Paula Neiman weighed 7 pounds 1 ounce and measured 19 inches at birth in the Women's and Children's Hospital, Odessa.

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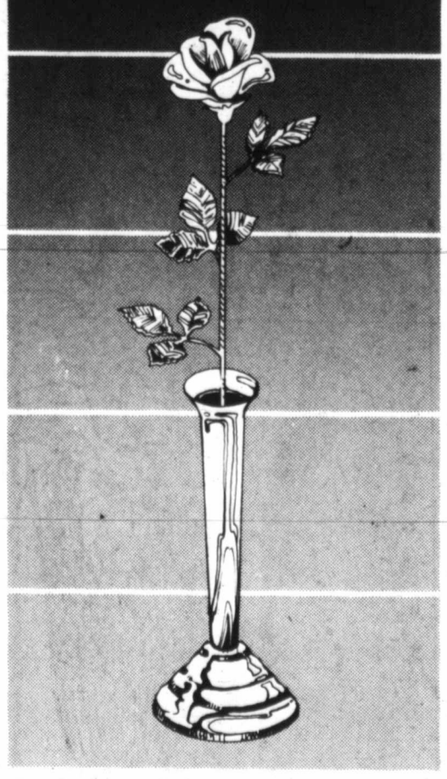

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Focus on Family Living

High blood pressure controllable

By JANET ROGERS
County Extension Agent

Avoiding a heart attack or stroke is a goal which motivates millions of Americans to exercise more, reduce their consumption of saturated fats and give up smoking. Yet one factor which causes cardiovascular problems is often overlooked — high blood pressure.

The Howard County Council on Aging and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will sponsor a free blood pressure screening for all senior citizens Tuesday, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center located at the First Presbyterian Church, 7th and Runnels.

High blood pressure can be controlled in a simple manner, but many people who have the disease are not treating it the way they should. With proper treatment, a person can bring his or her blood pressure down and can look forward to living a full, normal life.

Alarming statistics, compiled by the National Institute of Health High Blood Pressure Education Program show that of the people who have high blood pressure, only about 29 per cent successfully control it. Another 29 per cent do not know they have the disease. About 19 per cent are under treatment but do not yet have it under control, and 23 per cent are not treating it at all. It is to these latter categories the program is devoting its educational efforts during May, which is National High Blood Pressure Month.

We must convince and help people with high blood pressure that following the treatment prescribed by their physicians is essential. Too many people take their pills for a while, and then quit after a few months. They are in danger of dying prematurely or suffering disability or illness. If people are under treatment for high blood pressure they can live healthy lives.

There are four common misconceptions which contribute to a patient's dropping therapy.

First, patients confuse controlling high blood pressure with curing it. After they reach a good blood pressure reading, patients think they don't have to take their medication any longer. There is no cure for the disease, but often only a pill a day will permit them to lead normal lives.

Second is that many people believe high blood pressure has symptoms. Since they don't feel "sick," they don't treat the disease. Most high blood pressure has no symptoms and a person can't tell when his blood pressure is up. Once a person has the disease he will probably have it for life and must treat it every day, even though he feels great.

A third mistake is confusing hypertension with "tension." Patients who act on this error take their pills only when they feel tense or when they feel dizzy or have a headache. The pills, intended for daily use, become an occasional medication for the relief of symptoms.

Fourth is believing a person can choose a treatment plan. In addition to pills, physicians sometimes prescribe that a patient lose weight, stop smoking, exercise more and limit salt. But often the patient assumes he has a choice. Many people follow a part of their therapy and think their blood pressure is under control when it is not. In most cases, patients do not have a choice of treatment. If a doctor prescribes medication, it's just as important to take it regularly as it is to do the other things he recommends.

During High Blood Pressure Month the Howard County Council on Aging and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are involved in educating the general public on the nature of the disease and its treatment. The main emphasis of this year's High Blood Pressure Month will be convincing patients to take their pills as their physician advises. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serves people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

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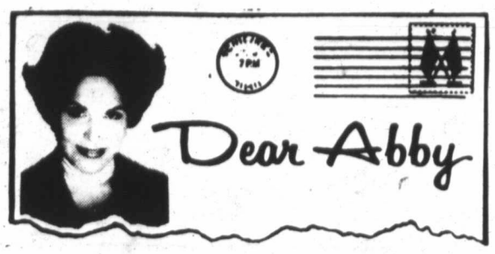

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DEAR READERS: Gambling is not simply a "weakness"—it's an illness for which treatment is available in Gamblers Anonymous. And for the family and close friends of the compulsive gambler there is a group called "Gam-Anon."

The following questions may help you to decide whether you are involved with someone who is a compulsive gambler:

1. Are you haunted by bill collectors?
2. Is the person in question often away from home for long, unexplained periods of time?
3. Do you feel that he or she cannot be trusted with money?
4. Does he or she promise faithfully to stop gambling; beg, plead for another chance, yet gamble again and again?
5. Does he or she borrow money to gamble with or to pay gambling debts?
6. Have you noticed a personality change in the gambler as his or her gambling has progressed?
7. Have you come to the point of hiding money needed for living expenses, knowing that you and the rest of the family may go without food and clothing if you do not?
8. Do you search the gambler's clothing or go through his wallet when the opportunity presents itself, or otherwise check on his or her activities?
9. Does the gambler hide his or her money?
10. Does the gambler lie sometimes compulsively, avoid any discussion of his or her debts, or refuse to face the realities of the situation?
11. Does the gambler shift the responsibility for his or her gambling upon you, or try to make you feel guilty?
12. Do you attempt to anticipate the gambler's moods, or try to control his or her life?
13. Do you feel that your life together is a nightmare?

If you have answered "yes" to six or more of these questions, I urge you to contact Gam-Anon. It's free, and there is nothing to "join." It's simply a fellowship of men and women who are relatives and close friends of compulsive gamblers. There you will learn effective ways of coping with the gambling problem from those who have lived through it.

For more information about this wonderfully supportive group, write to: Gamblers Anonymous, P.O. Box 17173, Los Angeles, Calif. 90017.

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Mother's Day cards not just for moms

You don't have to be a mother — or even a woman — to receive a Mother's Day card.

More than 120 million cards will be exchanged for Mother's Day this year, but only about 50 per cent will be titled "To Mother," says Gary O'Neal of Hallmark Cards.

"There is a large group of titles for female relatives other than mother," O'Neal says. The group includes Sister, Daughter, Niece, Aunt, Grandmother, Great-Grandmother, and Granddaughter cards.

It doesn't stop there. Another group of titles includes non-relatives such as Mother-in-law, Other Mother, Like A Mother, Friend's Mother, Godmother, Mother of Someone Dear, Friend and Secret Pal, to name a few.

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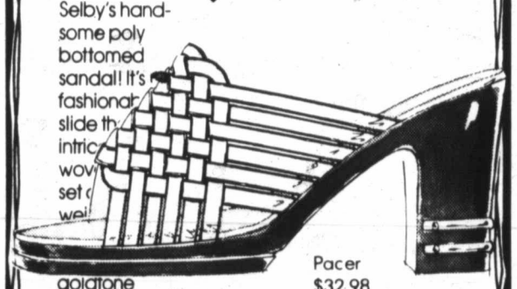

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'Mal ojo' no laughing matter to A&I doctor

KINGSVILLE, Texas (AP) — A decade of research has taught Dr. Stanley Bittinger not to laugh when a healer prescribes two raw eggs for a patient suffering the effects of the evil eye.

"This can easily be dismissed as a lot of mumbo jumbo practiced by superstitious people, but the fact is that it often works," the Texas A&I sociology professor said.

Bittinger has long been interested in the curanderos — the healers in South Texas border areas.

He said he has documented cases where the evil eye — "mal ojo" — has been driven from youngsters by curanderos armed with eggs and mustical chants.

Those who fear mal ojo believe a victim can be afflicted by the constant gaze of a friend or stranger. The belief is that the stare projects a force into the victim's body. The force can cause pain and cripple a victim, Bittinger said.

If the starer does not touch the victim to drain the force from him, mal ojo takes hold.

The raw eggs are used to diagnose and cure mal ojo, the professor said. The first egg is passed over the victim. It is broken into a glass and studied. If something resembling an eye appears, then mal ojo has stricken the victim.

The cure involves passing a second egg over the patient. If, when broken, the egg appears to be partially cooked, the fever has been drawn from the victim, believers say.

"There are too many documented cases to dismiss it," Bittinger said. "Those of us trained in the scientific approach don't know why it happens, but we know it does happen much too often to be discounted."

Some researchers, Bittinger added, believe the curanderos' talents work on the mind rather than the body.

"It is possible that some of the cure is accomplished because the child picks up the feeling of release of anxiety and senses the love and concern of parents and loved ones," he said.

The power of healers has long fascinated medical professionals and Bittinger said physicians and medicine men have joined forces in some Indian tribes.

"The doctor does his bit on the body and the medicine man does his bit on the spirit" he said.

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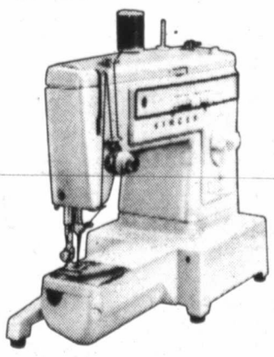

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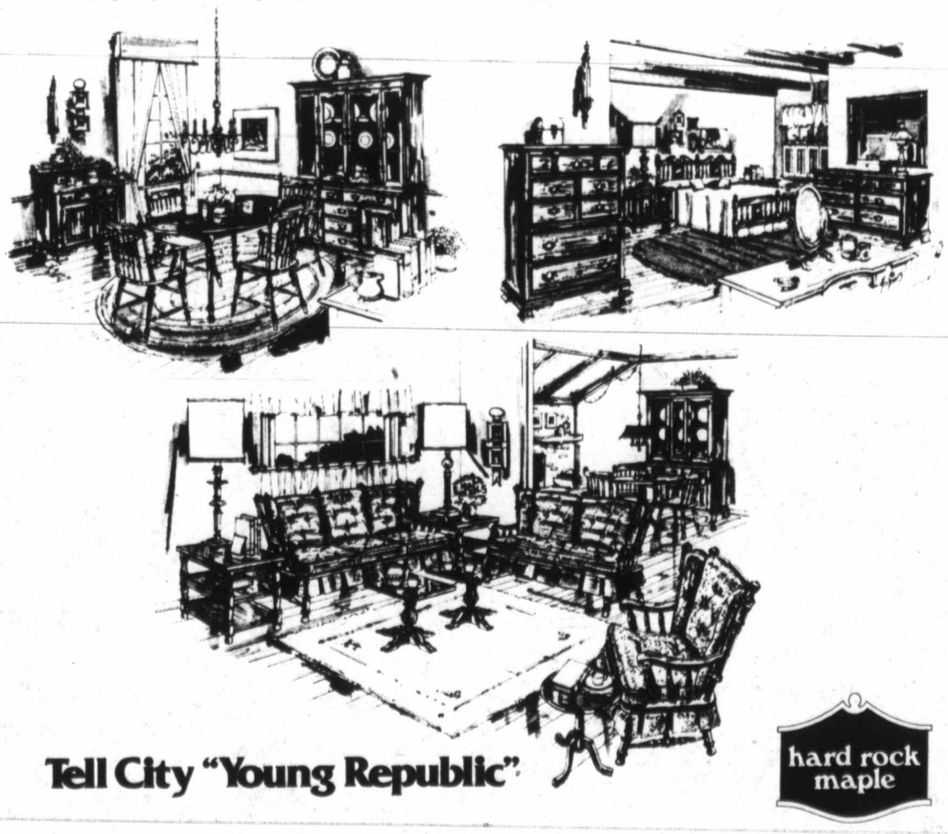

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Tylenol, Datril subjects of cataract controversy

WASHINGTON (AP) — A scientific research team's conclusion that heavy, prolonged use of a popular aspirin substitute may trigger cataracts in some humans was challenged today by a drug manufacturer and a laboratory chief of the National Eye Institute.

The report is contained in this week's issue of Science, the journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

It said experiments on laboratory mice indicated that "long-term administration of high doses of acetaminophen may contribute to cataract formation," a clouding of the lens or lens capsule of the eye that causes partial or total blindness.

Acetaminophen is an over-the-counter pain reliever and fever reducer sold under such brand names as Tylenol and Datril. The makers of Tylenol, the top-selling aspirin substitute, estimate their product accounts for 21 percent of all nonprescription analgesic sales.

The report in Science said that although the laboratory mice were given very high doses of acetaminophen, "our ophthalmologic findings may be important clinically to certain patients receiving either a single large overdose of this drug or high doses over a long period."

Dr. Hitoshi Shichi, of the federally supported National Eye Institute's laboratory of vision research, said in a telephone interview from Sarasota, Fla., that this referred to patients with "suicidal tendencies" or elderly patients who take large quantities of acetaminophen for relieving pain of arthritis.

Shichi defined a long period as six months to a year or more.

The report added that cigarette smoking, eating of charcoal-broiled foods and exposure to hydrocarbon pollutants in the air "might be important in assessing differences in genetic susceptibility to drug-induced cataract formation."

Dr. Thomas Gates, medical director of McNeil Laboratories at Fort Washington, Pa., said, "There is no basis in fact in that report. There has been not a single reported case of cataracts due to acetaminophen in the entire world's medical literature."

MRS. LANCE BRUCE WOOD

Miss Bales, Wood marry in Midland

Carla Jean Bales, Midland, became the bride of Lance Bruce Wood, Rankin, in a ceremony held in the home of the grandparents of the groom, 1407 Sparks, Midland, at 6 o'clock Saturday evening. John Long, pastor of the Memorial Christian Church, Midland, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Douglass P. Bales, Irving, and Mrs. D.H. Edwards, Midland, and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Graves, Sand Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Bales, Coahoma. The groom is the son of Jack Wood, Houston, and Mary Ellen Wood, Arlington, and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. G.M. Nix, Midland, at whose home the wedding was performed.

Miss Bales chose a floor-length dress of white eyelet batiste fashioned with a square neckline trimmed in lace and a princess-style bodice with short puffed sleeves. The dress, which was self-tied with a sash in back, was hemmed with four tiers of deep Battenberg lace.

She carried a bouquet of white and yellow daisies accented with baby's breath.

Tammy Merriman, Midland, served as maid of honor, and Jack David Wood, Houston, brother of the groom, was best man.

Mary Michelle Bales, Irving, sister of the bride, was flower girl, and ring bearer was Jerry David Edwards, Midland, brother of the bride.

A reception in the home followed the ceremony.

The bride graduated from Midland High School and is employed at Electric Log Service, Midland. The groom is a graduate of Sam Houston High School, Arlington, and is presently working for Halliburton in Rankin.

The couple will make their home at Box 302, Rankin, after a short wedding trip to Lubbock. They will take a delayed honeymoon to Florida in August.

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Westbrook News

Shower fetes Mrs. Golden

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Special guests were her mother, Mrs. Charles Ranne; mother-in-law, Mrs. R.B. Golden Jr., and grandmother, Mrs. R.B. Golden Sr.

The refreshment table was draped with a white ruffled cloth and centered with a spring bouquet floral arrangement. Silver appointments were used to serve the cake, which was decorated in pink and blue. Pink punch, mints and nuts were also served.

The hostesses presented the honoree with a corsage. They were Sandy Anderson, Mrs. Alton Raschke, Mrs. Bob Ratliff, Mrs. Royce Moore, Mrs. D.M. Smith, Mrs. Maxey Ware, Mary Ann Lopez. Mrs. J.W. Schlee, Mrs. Orin Feaster, Mrs. Bob Girvin and Mrs. Jerry Webb.

Thirty-seven guests attended the shower.

Recital will be held today

Piano students of Mrs. Chester F. Barnes will be presented in a recital this afternoon at 2:30 in the auditorium of Howard College to which the public is invited.

Pupils appearing on the program are Monica Huckabee, Shana Brasel, Monty Huckabee, Niki Davis, Michelle Johnson, Dianna LeFevre, Cindy Bond, Jami Norwood, Kelly McCormick and Shelly Brasel.

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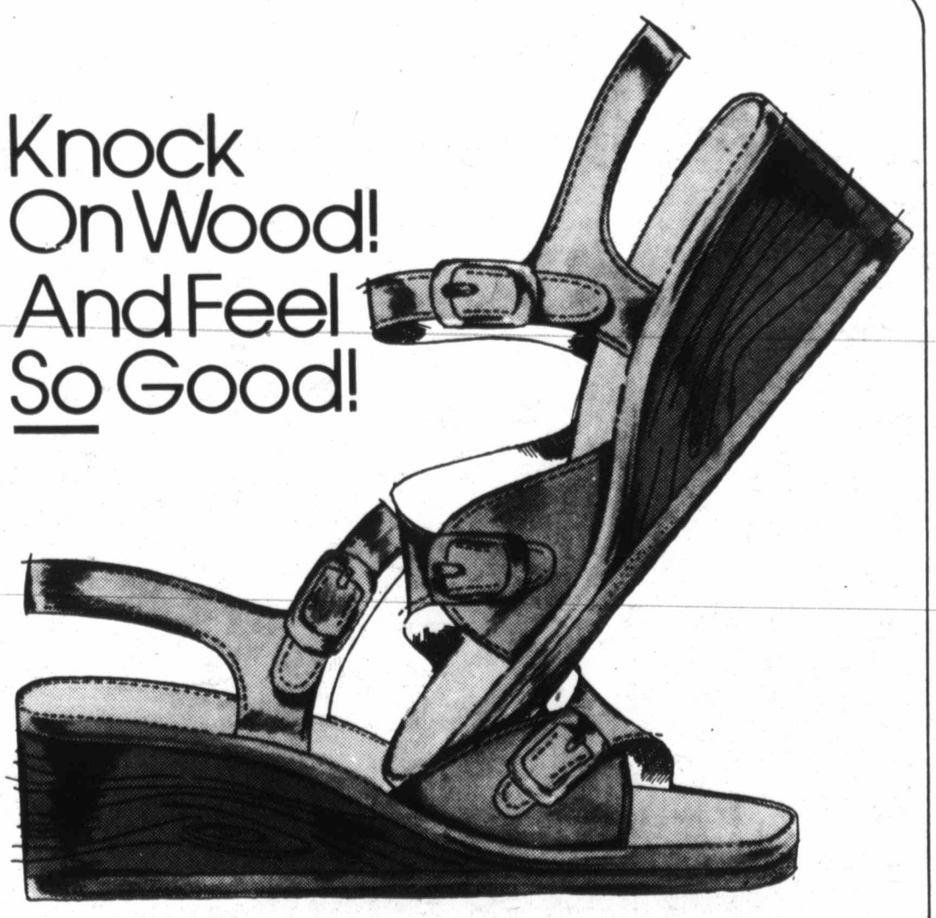

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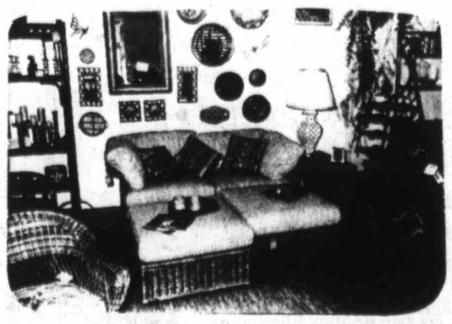

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Cafeteria menus

BIG SPRING ELEMENTARY

MONDAY — Corn dog, mustard; buttered corn; early June peas; chocolate pudding; hot rolls and milk.

TUESDAY — Pizza; creamed new potatoes; blackeyed peas; hot rolls; peach cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Chicken fried steak, gravy; whipped potatoes; spinach; hot rolls; applesauce cake and milk.

THURSDAY Turkey pot pie; sweet potatoes; cut green beans; hot rolls; peanut butter cookies and milk.

FRIDAY — Hot dog with chili; pinto beans; pink applesauce; plain cake, chocolate icing and milk.

RUNNELS, GOLIAD & SENIOR HIGH

MONDAY — Corn dog, mustard or salisbury steak; buttered corn; early June peas; carrot sticks; chocolate pudding; hot rolls and milk.

TUESDAY — Pizza or roast beef, gravy; creamed new potatoes; blackeyed peas; cole slaw; hot rolls; peach cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Chicken fried steak, gravy or stuffed pepper; whipped potatoes; spinach; gelatin salad; hot rolls; applesauce cake and milk.

THURSDAY — Turkey pot pie or baked ham; sweet potatoes; cut green beans; celery sticks; hot rolls; peanut butter cookies and milk.

FRIDAY — Hot dog with chili or tuna salad; pinto beans; mixed greens; corn bread; pink applesauce; plain cake, chocolate icing and milk.

COAHOMA

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Dry cereal; milk and juice.

TUESDAY — Baked cheese sandwiches; applesauce and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hot oatmeal; Texas toast; jelly; milk and juice.

THURSDAY — Sausage patti & gravy; hot biscuits; milk and juice.

FRIDAY — Dry cereal; milk and raisins.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Beef tacos; pork & beans; turnip & greens; hush puppies; butter; pineapple custard and milk.

TUESDAY — Ham salad sandwiches; vegetable soup; crackers; fruit salad-whipping cream and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Sliced roast beef; brown gravy; whipped potatoes; buttered carrots; hot rolls; butter; peach cobbler and milk.

THURSDAY — Hamburgers; French fries; lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles; grape slush and milk.

FRIDAY — Sliced turkey, cream gravy; green beans; creamed potatoes; hot rolls, butter; peanut bar and milk.

ELBOW ELEMENTARY

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Scrambled eggs; sausage; toast; jelly; juice and milk.

TUESDAY — Cinnamon roll; juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Biscuits; bacon; jelly; juice and milk.

THURSDAY — Cereal; fruit; toast and milk.

FRIDAY — Waffles; syrup; juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Corn dogs; shoe string potatoes; lettuce & carrot salad; milk and pineapple slices.

TUESDAY — Spaghetti & meat sauce; spinach; cheese wedges; garlic toast; milk and sherbet.

WEDNESDAY — Barbeque on bun; potato salad; vegetable sticks; milk and sliced peaches.

THURSDAY — Turkey & gravy; noodles; stuffed celery with peanut butter; hot rolls; milk and jello.

FRIDAY — Burritos; Ranch style beans; lettuce wedges with dressing; milk and ice cream.

WESTBROOK HIGH

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Cheese toast; orange juice and milk.

TUESDAY — Toast; jelly; apple juice; bacon and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cinnamon rolls; milk and orange juice.

THURSDAY — Banana; milk and cereal.

FRIDAY — Biscuits; butter; sausage; milk; juice and applesauce.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Tuna salad; macroni and cheese; green beans; corn meal twist; applesauce and milk.

TUESDAY — Ham or barbeque; creamed potatoes; spinach; hot rolls; butter; peanuts and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pizza; buttered corn; tossed salad; peanut butter crackers; sliced bread; chocolate chip cookies and milk.

THURSDAY — Roast beef; gravy or sliced turkey; steamed rice; glazed carrots; biscuits; butter; fruit cup and milk.

FRIDAY — Barbeque on bun; potato salad; pork and beans; onions; pickles; peanut krispie bars and milk.

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Moralez-Chavez wedding held Saturday afternoon

Merlinda Moralez, and Cornelio Raymond Chavez, both of Wichita Falls, were united in marriage at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in St. Thomas Catholic Church, Big Spring, by the Rev. Alan R. Brelivet, OMI.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Feliciano Moralez, 109 N.W. 9th, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chavez, Pico Rivera, Calif.

The altar was centered with an arch covered with blue and white carnations and jade foliage, and flanked with sunburst arrangements of blue and white carnations.

Lydia Molina and Mary Paredez sang the wedding selections accompanied by Demetrio Corralez at the guitar.

The bride chose a formal gown of white organza and Chantilly lace featuring a bodice with a high collar of appliques and bishop sleeves of lined lace. The princess-style gown was fashioned with an A-line skirt accented by a lace galloon with a chapel-length train. She wore a veil of bridal illusion which fell softly into a fingertip length from a Juliet cap of lace and pearls.

She carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations, stephanotis, baby's breath and wedding lace.

Elda Moralez served her sister as maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Olga Chavez, Grace Martinez, Catherine Patino, Cathey Chavez, Rosie Montanez, Concha Holguin, Susie Chavez, Essie Ortiz, Amelia Martinez, Betty Rodriguez and Cynthia Hernandez.

MRS. CORNELIO RAYMOND CHAVEZ

Best man was Tony Chavez, and groomsmen were Frank Martinez, Ismael Patino, Danny Chavez, Nune Moralez, Chris Chavez, Margaro Chavez, Lupe Ortiz, Mike Salazar, Joe Chavez and Rudy Puga.

Ushers were Manuel Ramirez Jr. and Ronnie Chavez.

Grace Chavez, cousin of the bride, was flower girl, and cushion maids were Jackie Leash and Pamela Martinez.

Mike Chavez, nephew of the groom, and Ana Maria, cousin of the bride, were ring bearers.

A reception in St. John's Hall followed the ceremony. Aurora Glasgow registered guests, and serving were Linda Garza, Isabel Savala, Elvira Chavez, Manuel Trevino, Lupe Sosa, Lupe Enriquez, Elisa Ochotorena and Inez Montanez.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Savala, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nunez, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Rowan Settles, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Benny Padilla and family, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Jody Coker and family, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Glasgow, Glendale, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Issac, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trevino, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chavez, Jr., Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chavez Sr., Pico Rivera, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonzales, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Pilo Ramirez, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. David Everette, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Everette, Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Chavez, Wichita Falls.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School and attended Howard College and Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls. She is presently employed with Texas Electric Service Co., Wichita Falls.

The groom is a graduate of El Rancho High School, Pico Rivera, Calif., and is now attending Midwestern State University. He is employed with Broadie Buick, Wichita Falls.

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Leonard Byrd from Indianapolis, Ind. He is employed with Best Way Construction, and likes to fish. His wife and three children will be joining him in Big Spring soon.

Joe and Donna Duck from Franklin, La. He is a mechanical engineer for Cabot, and they have a son, Samuel, 3, and daughter, Rachael, 1½. Handcrafts, fishing, hunting, and playing tennis are their pastimes.

Mike Austin from Ruidoso, N.M. He is employed with Pettus Electric Service and likes to hunt and snow ski.

Carolyn Ford from Dallas. She is employed by the city of Big Spring in Housing and Community Development, and likes plants, and refinishing furniture, sketching, reading, and playing the piano.

Everett L. and Billie McClintock from Austin. He is employed in the warehouse of Montgomery Ward, and she works as a secretary at the V.A. Hospital. Camping and fishing are their hobbies.

Edna Mae Storrs from Brownsville. She is employed in the laundry department of Big Spring State Hospital, and in her spare time she enjoys repairing dolls, sewing, decoupaging, upholstery and horses.

Dale and Nancy Morris from Strotford. He is employed with Bettis Construction, and they have a daughter, Windy, who is 10 months old. Horses, decoupage and crafts are their pastimes.

Ricky and Deborah Suggs from Cisco. He is employed with Champion Chemical and the family includes Jennifer, 4, and Jeffery, 6 months. They like crafts, fishing, hunting and sewing.

Donald and Darla Bristow from Amarillo. He is a self-employed carpet layer, and they enjoy water-skiing, fishing and riding motorcycles.

Charles and Toni Simons from Amarillo. He is employed in the service department of America Petrofina, and swimming, sewing and mechanics are their hobbies.

Jerry and Maxine Byrd from Odessa. He is employed with Best Way Construction, and they like to swim, play tennis and read.

Johnny and Delories Hinjosa from Lenorah. He is employed at Big Spring Beam Co., and the family includes Junior, 5, Larry 4, Jennifer, 2, and Fred, 6 months. They enjoy sports in their spare time.

James H. and Bonnie Slay from Midland. He is a bus driver for Continental Trail Ways, and their family includes Debra, 13, Ted, 12, Rita, 10, Brian, 5, and Stacey, 2. Sewing, boating, swimming, skating, and horses are the family's hobbies.

Joe B. and Lou Hill from Andrews. He is foreman for Atlantic Richfield, and their pastimes are oil painting, sewing, cooking, playing the piano and handcrafts.

Steven D. Smith from Garden City. He is employed at Tretolite Chemical, and tennis, plants and handcrafts are his hobbies.

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WHERE COMANCHES ONCE LIVED — This group in the area of the Big Spring is reminiscent of the Indian days near the spring. They were rowing across Comanche Trail Lake during the early morning rain one day this week

Committee men are selected

The appointment of ten West Texans to chair committees for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the 1978-79 year has been announced by WTCC President, W. G. Marquardt, of Fort Worth.

The following appointments were made: Agriculture and Ranching — Clarence Martin, president, Hi-Plains Feed Yard, Inc., Friona; Cultural Affairs — Mrs. Lou Cooley, vice president, First National Bank, Borger; Information — Bob Hamilton, Publisher, Iowa Park Leader, Iowa Park; Local Action — George M. Thompson, Real Estate Analyst, Sweetwater; Mineral Resources Development — L. H. Byrd, Midcontinent Division Production Manager, Exxon Company, U.S.A., Midland.

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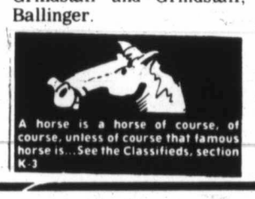

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Mules to Mustangs

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — It wasn't so tough for Dub Shaw to make the transition from dealing in mules of the animal variety to Mustangs of the Ford Motor Co. variety. Any eight-year-old kid with all the money he needs and a yen for a hot craps game could probably do it.

Shaw is 53 now, and owns the second-largest retail Ford dealership in the country. It was No. 1 on the day Shaw sat down for a rare interview. "We don't want to go around saying that now, though," he said. "It could change."

He operates out of a showroom that's cramped and oldfashioned-looking by modern car dealer standards, but that hasn't hurt his 700-unit per month sales pace. Shaw points out that another area Ford dealer is also in the national Top 10, and he points it out with pride rather than jealousy.

A year ago, Shaw bought a local bank and said it's also doing well.

But while his businesses have been well-chronicled, Shaw's personal life has been kept out of the limelight.

He said he has a speech impediment that prevents him from pronouncing certain words, but that impediment is not noticeable in normal conversation.

And he confessed that being around persons who are highly educated alarms him.

"I have an eighth-grade education, and I don't read very well," he said. "I'm just not in the country-club set. I can't be somebody I'm not."

What he is is a successful businessman who doesn't drink or smoke, but who often flies to Las Vegas to indulge what he calls his "weakness"—gambling.

"I considered myself an adult when I was 8," Shaw said. "I traveled with my father. He was a mule dealer and he made money so very easily. He had no education and was an alcoholic. He made $2,000 a week, and this was in 1933. He used to like to go out and dance and drink every night. Sometimes he got me to dance, and he always asked me if I wanted something to drink. He'd ask if I wanted a soft drink, and I always said no, because I thought maybe they'd put something in it."

Shaw said he never had any children as friends. "I consider that quite a benefit," he said. "I didn't pick up any of their habits, like smoking or drinking. I tasted a cigarette, and it made me choke and cough, and I couldn't see why anyone would want to do that, so I haven't."

Although he's a tee-totaler, Shaw's reason is a little different. "If I tried it, I might really like it and I might not be able to control it," he said.

Religion was no barrier to young Shaw's lifestyle.

"No, I'm not what you'd call religious, but I pray every day. Sometimes, when I'm alone, I'll pray some and see all that I have and I'll even cry a little."

As a youngster, Shaw sometimes lived with his father in a $1,500-a-month hotel suite in Memphis, a center for mule trading at that time. The family had a home in Fort Worth, where Shaw was raised as "the richest kid in the neighborhood."

"My father kept me dressed in suits and neckties, and I used to get on the train by myself in Fort Worth and ride in a sleeper car to Memphis," he said. "I had all the money I needed. I'd get it from the hotel in Memphis ... just told them how much I wanted. Sometimes I'd get on a bus and go across Memphis and find a craps game. As far as my father was concerned I could do no wrong. I was the only child."

Even though Shaw had all the money he wanted, he had a need to keep busy and made money in different ways.

"I used to sell extras (editions) on the streets in Fort Worth," he said. "There were a lot of extras in those days. They (the newspaper) wouldn't let me have a regular route because I couldn't read."

While traveling in the West with his father, Shaw noticed that silver dollars were a common currency.

"I'd bring them back to Fort Worth and sell them for a dollar and a quarter. Then I found out the banks in Fort Worth had plenty of them so I used to get 'em from them. They just never used them."

At age 14, Shaw headed for Brownwood, where a military base had just been built. He rounded up some contemporaries and obtained a franchise from a candy company to peddle candy at the base. "I used to make $50 a day doing that," he said. "We'd load up a truck and I'd send these other kids out to the base. That truck wouldn't be out there very long and it would be emptied."

At 17, Shaw's father bought him a farm in Arkansas, and he entered the mule business himself. "I had some trouble with those farmers because they didn't respect me because of my age," he said. "I'd trade them a mare mule for a horse mule, then sell the horse mule to the Army at a profit. Sometimes they'd trade with me when I told them the Army needed their mule. But some of them, you know, they thought those mules were a part of the family and they didn't want their mule going into the Army."

Shortly thereafter, the Army inducted Shaw and he spent 20 months in the infantry and was wounded in Europe.

He returned to Arkansas and the mule business, marrying his wife, Inez. The couple had two children.

In 1948, mules ceased to provide a living, and Shaw turned to the auto business.

"They were both forms of transportation and it didn't seem unusual to me," he said.

Shaw sold General Motors cars in Fort Worth as an independent dealer for 12 years. "I made Tarrant County a Chevy market, and when I started selling Fords I turned it into a Ford market," he said.

DENISE CURREY

LESA HENSLEY

Denise Currey named Borden valedictorian

GAIL — Honor students at Borden High School this year are Denise Currey, valedictorian, and Lesa Hensley, salutatorian.

Denise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Currey of Gail maintained a grade average of 93.07 and plans to enroll in Texas Tech University.

Lesa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hensley of Route One, O'Donnell maintained a grade average of 92.76 and will enroll in Texas Tech University this fall.

Baccalaureate Services will be held Sunday, May 14, at 11:00 a.m. in the school auditorium.

Commencement Exercises will be at 8:00 p.m. Thursday May 18 in the school auditorium.

Olson resigns trooper's job

Craig Olson, a state trooper assigned to the license and weights division of the Department of Public Safety here for five years, resigned effective Friday, May 5.

Olson said he is going into private business with Danson Oil Corporation and will remain in Big Spring.

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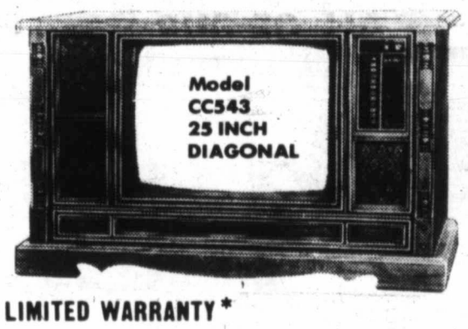

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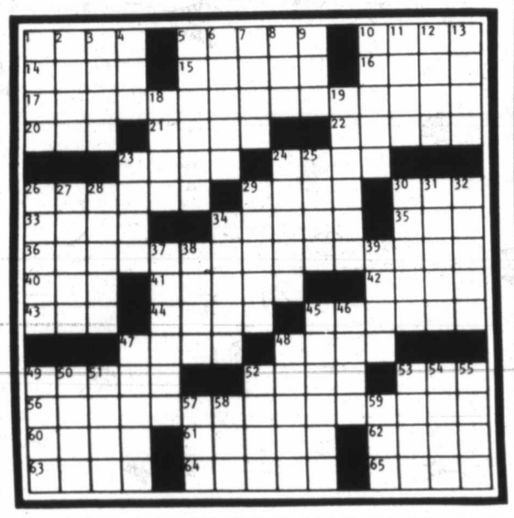

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FORECAST FOR SUNDAY MAY 7, 1978

GENERAL TENDENCIES: There will be delays in plans you have made, so use self-control. Utilize the time to get matters better organized.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You have good ideas for adding to present security so get busy making concrete plans to put them in operation although you cannot contact a backer just yet.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Straighten out your personal affairs before you get into new activities. Accept a social invitation. Dress well and make a fine impression on others.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Take care of chores that will gain you favors from others. Try to please your closest tie more and show you are conscientious, thoughtful.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) There may be some delay where a personal plan is concerned, but be patient and all works out fine later. Not a good time for the social side of life, either.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Don't discuss a private affair with others until you are more sure of your facts. Not a good day to either plan or take a trip which would not bring right results, either.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You want to get out to new ventures but be sure to use right principles for best results. Take time to improve health and forget career matters for now.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You have a responsibility to handle, even though it may not be too much to your liking. Show more thought for a loved one who may be depressed.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Try to go along with the ideas of close ties and have more harmony. A worldly situation is hardly to your liking, but there is nothing you can do about it. Relax.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Try to please those who have been good to you in days gone by. Show consideration. Spend some time to get abode looking more charming.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Recreational activities would not work out well. Spend the time disposing of accumulated tasks. Try to help friends who are in trouble.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Use tact at home where there is apt to be depression or you make matters worse. Avoid situations that lead to tension.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) The planets are not favorable for visiting with friends and kin. Study any written material for errors.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY...he or she will be practical-minded and have both feet firmly on the ground. Teach to reach decisions more quickly since there is a tendency to mull things over too much and this could ruin the success possible here. Not much interest in sports in this chart.

"The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to YOU!

FORECAST FOR MONDAY, MAY 8, 1978

GENERAL TENDENCIES: The right time to use your logical reasoning power to find the answers to questions of importance in career matters. A day when you can make wise decisions. Show your ability.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Obtain the data you need to get ahead in your line of endeavor. Combine mental ingenuity with manual dexterity for best results.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) You have good ideas on how to add to present abundance and should carry through on them without delay. Be logical.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You can gain your personal aims easily now if you are more courteous with others. Sidestep one who is untrustworthy.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Come to a better accord with a business associate. You can now solve problems that have been bothering you for a long time.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Know what your personal aims are now and how best to gain them. Be sure that your business affairs are in good order.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You must be careful in motion today if you are to avoid trouble. Get busy on business matters and accomplish a great deal.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Make the changes you know you must make in order to have a more affluent and satisfying life. Show mate increased devotion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Your hunches are exceptionally fine now and should be followed in all your dealings today. Be careful in the spending of money.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Any civic work you do can bring excellent results at this time. You can easily gain your personal aims now.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) You can accomplish a great deal now if you schedule your work wisely. Come to a better understanding with co-workers.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Plan your recreational activities for the whole week and then get busy on practical business affairs. Think constructively.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Give more attention to home and family matters so that all runs smoothly there. Make sure you remain in a cheerful mood.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will mentally alert and physically capable, so give as fine an education as you can so your progeny will be properly equipped for much success in life. An avid reader here who will gain much knowledge and retain it.

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THE NEW "MRS. FONZ" — Henry "the Fonz" Winkler from ABC TV's "Happy Days," poses with his new bride Stacey Weitzman at a press conference Friday in New York. Winkler married early Friday at the Congregation Habonim, a Manhattan synogogue, with only family and friends in attendance.

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By REBECCA TAYLOR
Reference Librarian

Final exams, research papers, term projects, flower collections, etc., all are part of the last frantic days of this school year.

Those who waited until the last minute to read 1000 pages for government, identify 25 wildflowers, or write a research paper on Greek mythology, are faced with the problem of all the books on that topic being checked out.

For those desperate many, the Howard County Library offers hope. The books in our Reference section are never checked out, and the Xerox machine costs 10 cents per excellent copy.

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The multi-volume "Dictionary of Scientific Biography" presents information on most scientists, past and present. Each article is detailed with a bibliography at the end. Other science research is available from the "McGraw-Hill Encyclopedia of Science and Technology," a fifteen volume work, and the single mammoth volume of "Van Nostrand's Scientific Encyclopedia."

Those working on Greek mythology are out of luck on the regular shelves, but can find a couple of real gems on the Reference shelves in the 290's; the 24 volume "Man, Myth and Magic," "Classic Myths," by Gayley, and the "Larousse Encyclopedia of Mythology."

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the reference section. Books are placed in this section if they are usable primarily for quick basic research. Most of the books present short articles, tables or lists of information about specialized topics within a subject area. These books are always available for 'in house' use because they are never checked out. Items are short enough to be used at once or economically copied and taken home.

Lord of Flatbush star seeks the big break

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Five years ago Columbia Pictures released a modest street-gang movie, "The Lords of Flatbush." While the film made little dent on the market, its talent has: Martin Scorsese, Sylvester Stallone, Henry Winkler, Susan Blakely.

Now it's Perry King's turn. Not that he has been ignored; he is one of Hollywood's busiest actors. But he hasn't yet made the impact of his fellow workers from "Lords."

"A Different Story" could make the change. The title tells it: A couple of gays, male and female, share a house as a matter of convenience, meanwhile pursuing their own sexual persuasions. The two fall in love, get married and have a baby — but do they live happily ever after. That's the crux of the film.

The Avco Embassy release could have been aimed at the exploitation market. Fortunately, Henry Olek's script avoids cheap shots, and the work of first-time director Paul Aron is tasteful and touching. The acting of Meg Foster and Perry King is totally convincing.

King, 29, has a blond handsomeness that may have been a drawback in a film world that favors off-beat looks. His striking appearances may have few of the many available in overshadowed his acting skill, developed at Yale, Julliard and in repertory.

If "A Different Story" does make it for King, it will be a triumph of perseverence. Alan Belkin, producer for Petersen Co., a TV commercial house, planned to star King and Susan Sarandon in the film two years ago.

Belkin had lined up financing from a Lebanese businessman, King recalled, then the Lebanese civil war broke out and it feel through.

Belkin then enlisted hundreds of investors to supply small amounts, adding up to the film's $1 million cost. By then, Miss Sarandon was not available, so Meg Foster was cast as the woman.

"A Different Story" seems certain to evoke attacks from the gay community, since the two characters turn to heterosexual love.

Ronstadt, Parton, Harris together

Awaited album debutes

LOS ANGELES (AP) — For fans of that hybrid music form called country-rock, it's a dream too wonderful to be wished. Yet there it is, the glimmering promise of Christmas in summer — Dolly Parton, Emmylou Harris and Linda Ronstadt in glorious combine.

It's a fleeting union, though, lasting only until country-pop's leading ladies have finished their trio album, the most eagerly anticipated record this year. The record, a collection of songs mostly written by Miss Parton, is due in late spring or early summer.

The album is not the harbinger of the permanent super-group, though, because the principals are individually too busy to even consider a joint tour. Rather, it's a celebration of the dizzying success of country-rock, a sort of party given by three women who are so undeniably at the top they can afford to enter the recording studio just for the hell of it, knowing that the music world awaits outside, panting for the results.

"Good music is just good music, and that's why we're doing the trio project," says Miss Harris. "It's fun, the prospect of the three of us going into a studio and doing something that individually, we might not do. Together, we might do something really off-the-wall."

It's a good time for country-rock, a volatile musical genre unhampered by the limitations of the stagnating pop mainstream or the restrictive ways of traditional country.

Parton, Harris and Ronstadt are among those disciples of country who labored to bring their music out of the backwoods and into the big city lights. They've broadened the horizons for country music, and their reward has been a huge chunk of the lucrative pop audience.

The crossover from country to pop has been particularly rewarding for Miss Parton, a walking, talking extravaganza who epitomized the Nashville cliche. She endured sneers from her pals on Music Row for a spell, but the rewards of her crossover came quickly and were of the type you can take to the bank.

"I'm very happy and I don't feel I've lost any friend that was a true friend," says Miss Parton.

For Miss Ronstadt, the crossover wasn't so much a move as it was a matter of waiting for her vast pop audience to tune in to the country themes she'd always had in her repertoire.

Miss Harris, on the other hand, is country convert, a pop singer born-again into the country fold. She was shown the light by Gram Parsons, a country rocker ahead of his time who died in 1973.

"Gram's the one who really took me over to the deep edge of it, and pointed out the really deep, dark poetry of country music," she says.

No longer attractive

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP) — The French Riviera apparently is no longer attractive to Danish tourists.

Tjaereborg, a big travel agency, announced that it is cancelling its tours there this summer because only 20 percent of 2,500 scheduled travel packages have been sold.

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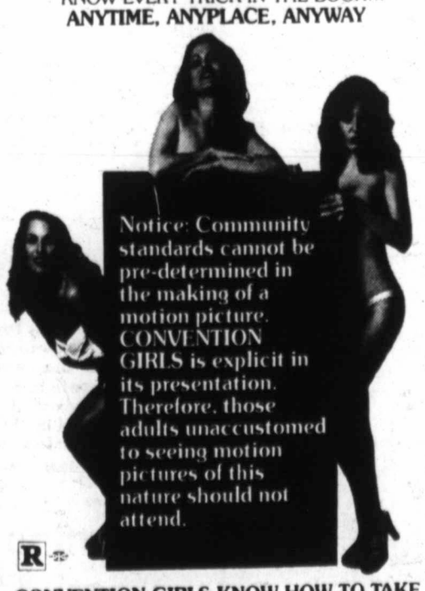

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Exec swaps rat race for boat

EDITOR'S NOTE — At 55, when most men his age begin tallying up that retirement nest egg, Wayne Harrison swapped his membership in that rat race for a 40-foot sailboat and a dream his 30-odd years in the pressure-packed business world never left time for. The results, perhaps, weren't what he expected but he sleeps better knowing he wasn't afraid to try it.

By DON HARRISON
Associated Press Writer

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — Night gathered around the 'Texas Queen'' as she rocked easily on the incoming tide. Her silver-haired skipper flicked a cigarette over the side and recalled a time when he was a charter member of the 8 a.m. traffic circus who cussed the economy and lived only for the weekends.

"Actually, I guess the idea for the boat started about seven or eight years back," he said. "We didn't have the money and the kids were home so the idea kind of died off. It didn't come back until about five or six months before we left — about May of last year."

Harrison said the decision to drop out stemmed from a variety of reasons, not the least of which was boredom.

"After the kids were gone, the wife and I continued to work," he said. "We'd come home and watch television, just work and watch television...I don't know whether you would call it one last fling or not. I hadn't really planned on what you would call a permanent retirement. I always had it in mind to buy the boat and see if I could sell it."

Harrison and his wife, Jeri, left their suburban home in North Richland Hills near Fort Worth last October. Their house, furnishings — even most of their clothing — had been sold in a series of garage sales.

The former insurance executive said it didn't bother him that he had only been on a boat once before in his life — a deep-sea fishing trip with his father.

After scouring several Florida marinas for three weeks, he bought his "Texas Queen." With just three days of sailing instructions, Harrison left Fort Lauderdale for the Gulf of Mexico and what was to be a memorable maiden voyage.

"The Englishman we hired to teach us to sail said we would probably get scared but he told us the boat could take more than we could," he said.

The Englishman proved prophetic. About two days from Clearwater, on Florida's west coast, the couple got caught in a severe winter storm.

"We rode 18-19-foot seas for about 12 hours," he said. "At no time was I scared of losing my life but I think the wife was. Most of the storm was at night, so when daylight broke and she could see what was going on, I think she became quite scared."

After a day and a night at the helm with no rest, the weary skipper found calm water in a coastal river, dropped anchor and sank to his knees with fatigue. "Right then, I think I would have sold her real cheap-like," he added.

Harrison said he plans to sell his floating home if the price is right. Otherwise, he and his wife may head for the Yucatan Peninsula before deciding their next move.

"I guess maybe I ought to think more about security," he said, "but the good Lord gave me two good hands and feet and I always figured I could make money doing something. I think most of us have day dreams. I'm sure I have even more than just this one. But these are things for your memoirs, things you can look back on. There's a certain pride about it."

Harrison conceeds such a drastic step is not for the security-minded or even the faint of heart. However, he points out that men his age are running out of time. If there's a dream to be realized, don't wait too long to live it regardless of the outcome.

He allows there is considerable wisdom in the ancient adage — You never know 'til you try.

"That's the truth in anything," he said. "You don't know how deep the water is until you get in it. I think what it all boils down to is you just don't want to sit around and grow old so you try something different.

"We tried this and probably before it's over, we'll try something else."

And with that, my dad, Wayne Harrison, gazed out at the growing darkness.

Cafe business lures Barnard

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — Famed heart surgeon Christiaan Barnard has quietly purchased an Italian restaurant in Cape Town.

Reliable souces said the heart-transplant pioneer bought "La Perla" last week from millionaire restauranteur Emilio Sandri for an undisclosed price. Barnard declined to discuss details.

Sources said he bought the restaurant in the names of his two sons, Frederick, 7, and Christiaan Jr., 4.

Barnard's career as a surgeon is thought to be drawing to an end because of arthritis in his fingers. He recently started writing a regular newspaper column.

Open beach violations

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, Texas (AP) — An assistant state attorney general says he saw a "surprising" number of apparent violations of the open beaches law during a day-long tour here.

Jose Uranga of the environmental protection division of the attorney general's office in San Antonio said several area developers will probably be sued by the state for violation of the statute.

Uranga said the 1959 state law prohibits building in the area between the mean low tide point and the vegetation line on the beach.

One previous legal action filed against a South Padre Island developer was settled out of court, he said.

"The thing that surprises me is that despite the previous suit the developers seem to be ignoring the law. I'm quite surprised that there is this much development in violation," Uranga said Thursday.

The assistant attorney general spent Wednesday here making measurements with a local parks and wildife ranger. Uranga said the number of suits to be filed will be determined after he sees aerial photographs of the shoreline.

The investigation was prompted by complaints from local citizens.

Uranga said suits will probably be filed against developers of existing structures and buidxxx builders with proposed projects in apparent violation.

Shooting death is probed

HOUSTON (AP) — Police are investigating the shooting death at his home here of Oscar Kelly Allen III, grandson of the late Louisiana Gov. O.K. Allen.

Allen, 39, was shot to death Friday with a 20-gauge shotgun, a coroner's spokesman said.

A brother-in-law, Lloyd McKenzie Jr. of Houston, said the gun had discharged accidentally as Allen and the younger of his two sons cleaned weapons in preparation for a skeet shooting trip.

But Juvenile Division officer Don Kemp said the boys, aged 16 and 17, told him that one of them shot Allen as he approached them holding a .38-caliber revolver. Kemp said the boys told him they had been arguing with their father.

The two sons were questioned and released, Kemp said, and ballistics tests and autopsy results would not be ready until Monday.

Allen was the son of O.K. Allen Jr., who was the son of Louisiana's governor from 1932 to 1936.

Gov. Allen died of a hemorrhage at the governor's mansion Jan. 28, 1936, one week to the day after he was elected to fill out the unexpired Senate term of his political mentor and predecessor in the governor's office, Huey Long.

His son, O.K. Allen Jr., died in 1953 at the age of 38 near the family home in Winnfield.

O.K. Allen III had lived in Shreveport but moved to Houston in 1968 to look after business interests, relatives said.

M. H. SPIVEY
With certificate which surprised him

Appointment surprised Big Spring recipient

M. H. Spivey, 4014 Parkway, received a surprise in the mail last week.

The Commander of local VFW Post 2013, Spivey had unknowingly been appointed National Aide-de-Camp by VFW National Commander-in-Chief Doctor John Wasylik. Spivey's appointment had been recommended by District Commander Charles West, Midland, and State Commander Manuel O. Rivas.

Spivey and his wife Katie have lived in Big Spring since 1970. He has been commander of the local post for the past 2½ years.

The World War II veteran served four years overseas in Australia and New Guinea.

As National Aide-de-Camp, Spivey's duties are to assist the District Commander in whatever way possible.

"I was completely surprised," said Spivey. "I didn't know my name was being considered. I consider it a great honor."

Spivey is employed by Texas Pipeline Company.

Man who bite snake's tail fails to show

MORGANTON, N.C. (AP) — Naomi Anderson showed up in District Court with her pet boa constrictor, Daniel, in a blue pillowcase, but the man accused of biting off the tip of Daniel's tail failed to appear.

Judge Bill Martin ordered 18-year-old Qenneth Spurling arrested and rescheduled his trial for May 19.

Spurling is accused of biting a half inch off the tail of Daniel, a 48-inch snake Miss Anderson has owned for two years.

Miss Anderson caused a flurry of excitement in the courtroom when she pulled the snake out of the pillowcase so photographers could snap a picture.

According to Miss Anderson, she and Daniel were with a friend in a car by Lake James on April 22 when Spurling walked up, began petting the snake and and asked if it would hurt him.

"Next, he picked the snake up and took a little bite out of its tail," she told reporters.

Miss Anderson says she wants to recover the $25 it cost to to have Daniel's tail sewed up.

School offers deal to donor

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — WANTED: Philanthropist to donate $25 million to a small, private, 123-year-old liberal arts college in exchange for the school being renamed in honor of its benefactor. Contact Southwestern at Memphis.

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Gardening boom firmly rooted

The gardening boom that began when food prices soared in the early 1970s is firmly rooted by now in city window boxes, suburbar backyards and country plots.

Millions of Americans are spending spring evenings and weekends digging, weeding and sowing in hopes of spending summer days harvesting fresh fruits and vegetables.

Recent increases in produce prices have spurred interest in gardening, but experts warn that monetary savings vary widely depending on such things as whether you plan to can or freeze any excess from your harvest and the amount of equipment you buy.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture says studies show that for every hour you spend in your garden, you get a net return of $3 to $5, but that's just a rough average.

First-time gardeners are advised to start small. A 10-foot by 10-foot plot probably will provide enough vegetables for a family of four if everything grows.

If you don't have a yard, try turning your terrace into a minigarden with pots, window boxes and pails full of plants; if you don't have a terrace, considering growing herbs on the windowsill.

Don't expect a completely trouble-free growing season. "Keep in mind that you may face some frustrations and disappointments," says horticultural expert Cecil Blackwell.

Writing in a USDA book, "Gardening for Food and Fun," Blackwell cites such potential trouble sources as weeds, insects, plant diseases, weather and poor soil condition.

He also notes that gardening is hard work and "could interfere at times with things like golfing, fishing or weekend outings."

Sunlight is a key factor in the success or failure of a garden. Most fruit trees and vegetable plants require direct sunlight — preferably about six hours a day. Leafy vegetables like lettuce can get along with some shade, but even they need at least partial sunlight.

To decide what to grow, take into account the climate of your area, the amount of room you have and the taste of your family. The latter is particularly important; no matter how well something grows, it's useless if your family won't eat it.

Allen planning to drop suit

NEW YORK (AP) — Comedian Woody Allen says he will drop his copyright infringement lawsuit against Drake Publishers Inc. because the firm has agreed to recall all unsold copies of its new Allen biography.

The comedian claims he never authorized the biography.

A stipulated settlement signed by Judge William Conner was filed Friday in U.S. District Court at Manhattan.

Under its terms, the publishers will mail letters recalling copies of "Woody Allen — A Biography," which Drake started marketing April 1. Drake, however, refused to acknowledge any violation of copyrights.

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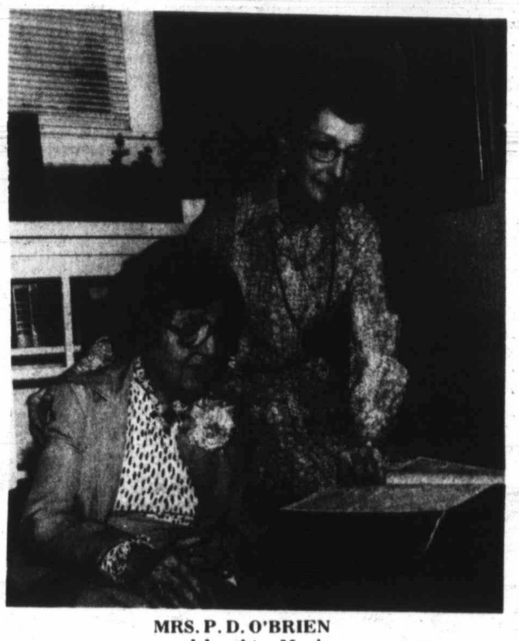
A legend began when the Rev. O'Brien always received a rosebud for in his lapel on Sunday. It was later discovered that this was sent weekly by Nat Shick, then postmaster.

The O'Briens had four children, including two daughters Mrs. Marie Greer and Mrs. Doris Mason, who both still reside in Big Spring. The husbands of one works for the railroad, the other for the refinery.

The O'Briens had twin sons, Richard and Robert, who are now both physicians in Houston.

Mrs. O'Brien gets a twinkle in her eye when she mentions her four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.



MRS. P. D. O'BRIEN
..and daughter Marie

Originally from around Eastland, she says, "The farthest away I ever got was Floydada."

She was here visiting her daughters and was a special guest of honor at a tea Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clyde Angel.

"There were a lot of old memories trotted out to be discussed by members of the church who were here during the time the Rev. O'Brien served as pastor."

Members compared notes on children, grandchildren, those who were here and those who are gone.

Mrs. O'Brien recalled that her father was in ill health when she and her many sisters and one brother were children. "He used to peddle books and Bibles," she related.

Then she added, "This was because he couldn't do hard work." But Mrs. O'Brien has been going strong many years and did lots of hard work as she served as a minister's wife.

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Peggy Marshall	267-6765	Dean Johnson	263-1937
Ellen Ezzell	267-7685	Jim Stutivelle	263-0386
Lee Long	263-3214	Juanita Conway	267-2244
		Gordon Myrick	263-4854

HOME

103 PERMIAN BDLG. — 263-4663

JEFF & SUE BROWN — BROKERS — MLS

Virginia Turner	263-2198	Connie Garrison	263-2858
Martha Cohorn	263-4997	LaRue Lovelace	263-4958
Lee Hans	267-5019	O.T. Brewster	Commercial
Sue Brown	267-6230	Jeff Brown	SRA, GRI

EXECUTIVE HOMES CALL 3-HOME

Fabulous Find — Yes, your own 4 bdrm., 2 ba. country home on 20 acres!! Every modern convenience. Colossal kitchen w-superior appliance and countless cabinets. View of terrain from most rooms, a lot of glass in this beauty. Swim. pool for summer living. $89,900.

Impressive — This elegant tri-level with cathedral ceiling in liv. rm. The spacious kitchen boast a pantry and adjoining dining. Lower level has a large rec. room, laundry room., ¾ ba. and paneled 4th bdrm. This fantastic home is priced at $88,500.

Beautiful with a capital B. This almost new 3 bdrm., multi-level executive home features 3 baths, den, formal liv. and din., 2 fireplaces and a country kitchen with all the built-ins plus a micro-wave oven. All this plus a basement playroom.

Not a Copycat — This is an original builder's home. Traditional, best location. All liv. area on 1st level w-large game rm. on lower level. 2 bdrm., 2 bas., lovely fireplace wall in family room that opens to beautiful brick courtyard. Must see this one. $56,750.

Slowing Down — This one would be excellent for retirement, quiet neighborhood. Nice 2 bdrm., 1 bath with large living area priced at $17,500.

Beat the Rush — No better time to purchase this 3 bdrm., den home, near college and shopping area. Has a new roof. Ideal location, ideal price. $21,000.

Looking For the 40's — Here it is, a 2-story. This beauty is located close to schools, yet is secluded. 4 bdrm., 2 baths, master suite has sitting area. Cheery kitchen. Big lot — $47,500.

Listen — You won't believe this, but this 2 bdrm. mobile home with 2 extra lots will sell for $8,500, a good rental invest.nent.

Need 4 Bedrooms? Then call us to see this one. Large, liv. rm., attractively remodeled. Pretty kit.-dining combination, 1½ ba., lovely carpet, refrig. air, corner lot, All this for $16,000.

SPECIALS OF THE WEEK CALL 3-HOME

Owner Sacrificing for quick sale — 3 bdrm. home on Hamilton. Large liv. rm., carpeted din. blt. in oven and range, cent. heat and air, carport and covered patio. $15,500.

Springtime Sunshine streams into this homey 3 bdrm., 1 bath brick w-sep. dining. Large liv. rm. w-fireplace, sep. utility, close to downtown and shopping. Only $12,500.

Older Homes Never Die; they become homes in great demand. Charming and spacious 3 bdrm., 2 bath brick, large liv. rm., sep. dining, bright, airy kitchen w-breakfast nook. Old fashioned porch, corner lot. Double carport connects w-adjoining 2 bdrm. apt. that rents for $125-mo. which will make half your house payment. Appraisal locally at $26,000.

The Neatest, The Cleanest darling 2 bdrm., 1 bath home near College. Sep. den that could be 3rd bdrm. All new plumbing, new tile in ba., carpet, fenced yard. Locally appraised. Call for appointment to see.

Neat Home on corner lot. 3 bdrm., large liv. rm. with dining area. Floor furnace, cent. cooling. Enclosed garage, chain link fence. Only $17,500.

You'll Look Twice at this attractive home with new vinyl siding. 2 bdrm., liv. rm., and den. Corner lot, tile fenced. Owner will carry. $15,500.

Do Spring Storms bother you? This home on Kentucky Way has extra nice concrete cellar. 3 large bdrms., living-dining, nice kitchen, enclosed garage. Corner lot. $17,000.

Just In Time For Summer! You'll enjoy relaxing in the privacy of your own swim. pool. This 3 bdrm., 2 bath home on 2¾ acres is a country boy's delight. Includes corrals, tac room, 2 water wells, fruit trees and cellar. Beautiful wood burning fireplace and even the firewood stays! Central heat and cool., large family size kitchen. North of town.

It's Apple Blossom Time. Reap the harvest from the fruit orchard and plant your own vegetable garden this spring. Ideal for retired couple. 2 bdrm., 1½ bath brick on corner lot. 12x14 storage bldg., patio, single gar. w-extra storage. Immaculate condition, off Wash. Blvd. $28,500. Immediate possession.

LOW DOWN PYT. OR LOW EQUITY CALL 3-HOME

No Down Payment if you go VA and only 3 per cent down FHA on this well-built stucco home. 2 bdrm., 1 bath, liv. rm., sep. den w-wood burning fireplace, sep. dining, large kitchen, refrig. air, dishwasher and stove. A good buy at $16,500.

Low Equity for this 3 bdrm., 2 bath brick home on Dixon Street. $2,700 down, payments $248-mo., 8½ per cent int. Gas stove, refrigerator, disposal, barbeque grill in backyard, single garage. Central heat, evap. cool.

Owner Will Carry Papers with $1,800 cash down. Approx. $148-mo. for this neat 2 bdrm., single garage. Call to see.

EVERYTHING WE TOUCH TURNS TO SOLD

Near College Park Shopping Center SOLD bdrm., w-sep. din. Carpeted, fenced, refrig. air. $17,200.

Why pay rent when you can own yo SOLD ome? Seller will carry note w-$1,000 cash down, 2 bdrm., sep. dir

For the young at heart. This 3 bdr SOLD ith brick trim home is for you. Enclosed gar. Cent. heat and air.

Good investment in this 2 bdrm., 1 SOLD ne. Carport, fenced yard. Near hospital. Only $10,000.

Live in luxury in this custom buil SOLD home on 1 acre of beautiful grounds. Prestige plus. $150,000.

Step up to a better life today. Y SOLD ee that this beautiful home is worth every penny of $55,000.

The simple pleasures of ownin SOLD wn home can be yours. Darling 2 bdrm., corner lot, fenced yard.

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Big Spring Herald REALTOR'S PAGE

Castle Realtors OFFICE

1600 Vines 263-4401
Wally & Cliffa Slate 263-2069

PRETTIEST HOME on the market 4 bdrms 2 bths dbl-g. garden breakfast rm den with Firep. Master Bdr with walk-in closets Fireplace overlooking brick patio. Mid $40's.

REDUCED 2B ref-a perfect cond doll house $12,500. equity buy.

SAVE expense closing cost on these excellent equity buys: 3 B w-atf gar on corner lot S. Monticello; 3 B w-den lovely nbrh Tucson; 2 B 2 B brick on E. 14th. Duplex good investment for your extra money.

INVEST in your future with lots in Highland South, best buy in town.

IS 20 & N. Antonio Large 2 B with an apartment good buy.

MOTEL — 17 Units. One Apt — all furn, Swim Pl. Owner will Finance $20,000 Dn, Bal $50,000 at 8 per cent for 15 yrs.

LARGE storage for lease $250.00 a mo.

COOK & TALBOT

1900 SCURRY CALL 267-2529

THELMA MONTGOMERY 267-8754

JONESBORO ROAD
Three bedroom, 1-¾ bath brick, sep den. A kitchen that every woman dreams of, 27 feet of beautiful cabinets. Carpet, double garage, good well of water, all on ½ acre.

FURNISHED DUPLEX
—3 rooms and 1 bath on each side, income $230. month. Total $10,000.

COMMERCIAL LOT
—Nolan Street, downtown 150x140, just $12,000.

Call Us On Government Houses.

SHAFFER REALTOR

2000 Birdwell 263-8251

IMMACULATE COUNTRY HOME — On 10 Acres, Lrg 3 Bdrm, 2 Bth, Huge Liv Rm w-Fireplace & Cathedral ceiling, Lrg Sunny Kit, 2 gd wells, trees galore, $80,000 or negotiate w-S A.

PARKHILL — Lrg 3 Bdrm, 2 Bth, Den, Ref air, Built-ins, 2-Car Gar, Mid 30's.

3 BDRM-Brick, lrg paneled Den, covered Patio, gd loc on E. Side, $26,000.

80 ACRES — Water Well, Tank, Root plowed, Reduced to $200. A.

ACREAGE — Have 6, 14½ and 17 Acre Tracts close in.

CLIFF TEAGUE	263-7108
JACK SHAFFER	267-5149
LOLA SHEPPARD	267-2991

GARAGE SALES ARE FUN AND PROFITABLE

AREA ONE REALTY

1512 Scurry
267-8296 267-1032
Laverne Gary and Pat Medley, Brokers

OUR SLATE OF PROFESSIONALS

Dolores Cannon	267-2418
Lanette Miller	263-3689
Don Yates	263-2373
Nell Key	263-4753

TEENS & UNDER

FIX UP this house on present lot or move it to your own spot. Needs lots of work. $2000.

PRICED LOW so you can redo this house and consider it a wise investment. House & lot $2500.

VILLAGE BEAUTY SHOP. Five stations. All supplies & equip. Everything in the bldg. goes. Shop rents for $50. per mo. $6500.

SMALL cottage on deep corner lot is a fantastic commercial property. 1013 Johnson. $6000.

JUST STARTING OUT? Darling 2 bdrm w pretty hardwood floors & fresh paint. Huge country kitchen. Well kept yard. A real bargain at $10,000.

NEAT 2 bdrm cottage with alum. siding. Carpeted & fenced. $12,250 N.W. 5th.

EXTRA SPECIAL 2 bdrm in private setting. Alum. siding for low upkeep. Fenced frt & bk yds. Lge lvg area. Nice yard. $12,500 on Mulberry.

GREAT beginner's home or retired couple. Nice 2 bdrm on E. 13th is located near shops & completely furnished. $12,900.

THREE COMMERCIAL LOTS on W. 3rd w-huge building that is in need of repair. $16,000.

BEAUTIFUL two acre spot in Forsan School Dist. w. lge 3 bdrm 2 bath mobile home. Good water well, garden already started. Total elec. Very clean. $16,500.

SAND SPRINGS hide-away. Price has been reduced to $18,900. Owner will pay all closing costs on conventional loan, so total outlay of cash to move in would be $1,890. 3 bdrm, den w-freestanding frpl. blt ins in kitchen, Ref. air.

OLDER HOME CHARM in the roomy 3 bdrm stucco, mostly paneled. Orchard w. 26 fruit trees, 2 stg bldgs, 94x195 lot. West of town. $19,500.

FRESHLY painted and ready for immed. occupancy. 3 bdrm 1¾ bath, Garage. Marcy school Dist. Muir St. $19,500.

SEEING IS BELIEVING! You would have to see this darling 3 bdrm frame home to know the value at $16,000. Spic & span and in tip top condition. Pretty & new carpet throughout. Kitchen & dining paneled & carpeted. Nice fenced yard. Ready to move into.

20,000 THRU 30,000

FOUR BEDROOM in Kentwood. Lovely brick with very liveable floorplan. Pretty kitchen w-bitins. Ref. air, nice back yard w-stg. bldg. Great home for lge family.

COUNTRY LIVING on Miller B. Road. Immaculate and well kept 3 bdrm, Brick with den. Pretty kitchen w-dishwasher. Beautifully landscaped yard with tile fence & garden spot.

CHOICE commercial lot 75x140 w-3 bldgs. (two older homes & one prev. a beauty shop. 1804 Scurry $22,500.

BEAMED ceilings and windows that let the sun shine in makes this home different on Carlton. 3 bdrm 2 bath, nice carpet, sliding glass door opens from dining to patio. Single carport. Great storage. $23,500.

ROOMY kitchen and 3 oversize bdrms in this special home on E. 17th. Walk in closets, storm windows, Lots of concrete in back yard. Detached garage w-lge workshop area. Mid 20's.

LIVE in this nr new 3 bdrm 2 bath home w-ref-air, blt in oven-range, total elec. Then rent out sep. 2 bdrm and 2 furnished gar. apts. Located E. 6th St. on 3 lots. $29,900.

BEST LOCATION! Pretty cottage in Park Hill, 2 bdrm w-vinyl siding for carefree living. Nice den w-new carpet. Step up to formal dining. Huge living rm, and big big kitchen. Huge utility. Concrete tile fenced bk yard. On corner. $24,000.

FORSAN SCHOOL dist. Great Brick home with central heat & ref. air. Large kitchen w-stove & dishwasher. Oversize rooms. Large dbl car garage with workshop. 2 bedrm w-extra rm that could be 3. 2 baths. Nice floor arrangements. Fruit trees & garden spot.

40,000 & OVER

TRANQUIL setting & privacy makes this beau. landscaped home special. Pretty 3 bdrm 2 bath Brick w-one lge area w-frpl. Beamed ceilings. Extra spec. kit w-builtin oven range & barbeque grill. Tile fenced yard w-patio all across back-Sprinkler system for yard. Many fruit trees. Dbl garage w-extra rms for workshop & storage. Heating & ref. unit approx. 3 yrs. old. Great Water Well. E. 25th St.

HIGHLAND SOUTH — Custom Built. Unique & different. 24'x26' lvg rm w-massive stone frpl. Vaulted ceilings in lvg rm & in 17'x24' master bdrm. Abundant ash cabinet work throughout. Wet bar, all blt ins in kitchen plus microwave. Many extras. Would consider trade $92,000.

UNIVERSAL BODY WORKS. Body shop w-over 4000 sq. ft. under roof. Office space. Two lots, 8800 sq. ft. paved. Great buy!

MAKE INQUIRY on this business venture. Bar & grill No. of town. Business already established. on 1 acre. A 2 bdrm house on property. $40,000.

TEN BEAUTIFUL ACRES in Silver Heels w-1975 mobile home (2 bdrm 2 bath) Has 16x16 addition, covered patio, front porch, barn, good water, dble carport, plus many other extras. Owner will consider carrying papers.

OWNER HAS REDONE this home to perfection. Lvly brick on two acres. Lge den w-frpl. New ref. air & cent. heating. Totally blt in kit., Workshop, barn, orchard, Also has mobile home hookup Old Rail Rd.

WORTHPEELER ADDN. Almost new Brick home with unique floor plan. 3 bdrm 2 bath, Sunken lvg rm w-frpl. formal dining will accomodate the largest of dining furniture. Sep. breakfast rm. Bitins in kitchen, Over 2000 sq. ft. plus oversize garage. Pretty autumn brown cpt throughout. Reduced!

GREAT FAMILY HOME on Rebecca. You will love this roomy and immaculate home. Formal lvg, huge den w-frpl., convenient kitchen w-bitins, 3 bdrm w-extra rm upstairs. 2 bath, ref. air, pretty carpet & drapes, split bedrm arrangement, Extra special yard & patio area. Garden spot & stg. house. Reduced!

LARGE STUCCO surrounded by large pine trees. 3 bdrm 2 bath, huge den w-frpl. and wet bar, formal lvg, & dining. study, dble carport, all on 13.19 acres off Wasson Rd. which backs up to base-Needs renovating but possibilities are endless. $80,000.

ACREAGE AND LOTS

$1,200 LOT 625 NW 4th.
$6,000 1.45 ACRE off E. 2nd, nr. Cottonwood Park.
$1,250 PER ACRE for 23.51 acre in cultivation North of Town. Great soil. We have various lots & acreage available North of Town in Williams Great Addn. One with water well. Call us for details.
SEMINOLE ST. Lot 85x150 Good home site w-feeling of country but in city limits. $3,300.
FM 700 — Total of 3.94 acres — .283. 1 ft fronts. FM 700. $5000.
GARDEN CITY HWY — 18.8 acres — assumable loan $8000.
ANDERSON ST. 16.34 acres, 1600 ft. off FM 700 $24,510-$1500 per acre.
ANDREWS HWY. — 58.22 acres partially in cultivation $37,000.
SNYDER HWY. — 36.96 acres No. cultivation. city water $39,250.

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Marie Rowland REALTOR

Office, 2101 Scurry CERTIFIED APPRAISALS 263-2591

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DOWN AT THE CORRAL
Silver Heel 2 ac 3 BR 2 bath brick total elec 2 car garage carpet tile fence barns corrals $53,500.

QUIET STREET
3 BR 2 bath covered patio fenced large den, liv rm $21,500.

SUPER SHOWPLACE
3 BR 2 bath vaulted ceiling central ref air-heat carpet fenced storage $4500 equity.

ROOM GALORE
4 SOLD brick new ce Fc ...ool dist. priced for quick sale.

REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE
2 BR 1 bath ¼ acre carpet stucco paneled $10,500.

LARGE OLDER HOME
3 BR 2 bath corner lot 2 car garage large kit, liv, din partial furnished $18,500.

RATL
8.8 SOLD fen ater wells

KENTWOOD BEAUTY!!
4 BR 2 bath cent evap air-heat brick lovely decor large storage fenced $41,000.

SPANISH DELIGHT!
3 BR 2 bath large kit beautiful den fireplace, ref air-heat covered patio quite street fenced $38,500.

PRICE
3 BR SOLD lot carpet kit b ...14,000.

MARCY SCHOOL
3 BR 1½ bath frame brick trim, fenced liv, den $17,000.

SCURRY COMMERCIAL
150x140 2 houses $35,000.

BEAUTY SHOP
business E. 18th includes fixtures supplies one girl $250-300 a week $5,000.

WE BUILD NEW HOMES
You r lot or ours.

BEST REALTY

1108 Lancaster 263-2593

$35,000
will buy this 3 bdrm, 2 bath, central heat, ref. air, nice back yd, in Kentwood.

$24,500.
It's quiet & peaceful in the country. 8.95 acres, good water well, nice 3 bdrm, 2 bath, total electric.

$13,000.
will get you 2 for 1 rental units. 2 bdrm, & 1 bdrm furnished.

$20,000.
in Forsan Sch. Dist. 3 bdrm, 2 baths, cent. heat & air, storm cellar.

$5,500:
excellent building site, corner McDonald & Birdwell near Kentwood.

$2,000.
Good commercial lot on W 4th.

ACREAGE:
240 acres of irrigated land, Hart, Texas.
944 acres of pastureland, near Hamilton, Tx.

D.G. (Shorty) Ballard	7-5946
Mary Franklin	7-6202
Wanda Owens	7-3074
Mary F. Vaughan	7-2322
Cleta Pike	1-354-2337
B.H. Denson	3-3440

NOVA DEAN Rhoads Realty needs listings! Check our current ad — this will explain our problem. 263-2450.

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TABLE III—ILLUSTRATIVE OF PUBLISHER'S Notice

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La Casa REALTY

HIGHWAY 87 SOUTH
263-1166, 263-8497

KAY MOORE	263-6514
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LET SOMEONE ELSE MAKE YOUR HOUSE PAYMENT! Lovely 2 Bedroom 1 Bath home w-apartment in back means you live rent free. Ref air and completely carpeted, makes this the one to see. ONLY 22,500.00

GO FHA OR VA. Cute as can be 2 Br-1 Bath a real bargain at under $10,000.

$9,000. A real steal for this 2 Bd-1 Bath with lotsa trees and garden in the back. Evap air, completely carpeted. FHA or VA.

BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY HOME. 3 Bd, 1¾ Bath. Good water well. Den w-fireplace. Ref air. Coahoma Schools.

KENTWOOD AREA. 3 Bedroom, 1¾ bath. Evap air-gas cent heat. Close to school. $26,500.

REDUCED TO $13,500. OWNER MUST SELL. 3 Bd-1 Bath. Completely carpeted. Cent Gas-Evap air.

COTTAGE COMPLETE REDECORATED. All new paint, paneling, & carpet, will make this darling cottage perfect for you. 2 Bedrooms, 1 Bth Good location in Washington Place, $14,500.

BEAUTIFUL HOME IN GOOD AREA. 3 Bedrooms 1¾ baths. Nice size den. Block fence. Ref air. Completely carpeted. $32,000.

WOULD MAKE A NICE RENT HOUSE, or live there yourself, or only $14,500. 3 Bedrooms, 1½ baths. Nice dining area. Completely carpeted.

NICE OLDER HOME. ON JOHNSON ST. 3 Bedrooms-1 bath with a nice den. Completely carpeted. $13,500.

2,467 SQ. FT MAKES THIS RED BRICK HOME A SHOWPLACE. 2 water wells. 3 Bedrooms-2 Baths. LOTSA fruit trees. Country living.

HOUSE WITH A POOL. You & your friends will enjoy sitting around this large pool in your beautiful backyard this summer. Prestigious home w-3000 sq. ft. of living area. Lg den w-fireplace. 3 Bedrooms-2 Baths. 5 ton ref air unit.

FOUR RENT HOUSES. Completely furnished. 2 Two Bedroom Units Rent for $150 Mo. and Two 1 Bedroom rent for $125 a Mo. A real investment property. ONLY 32,000.

COUNTRY HOME WITH LOTS OF EXTRAS 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath Brick on one acre with lovely Bi kitchen. Carpeted throughout. Fireplace. Dble garage. Fenced. Coahoma schools. $37,500.

80 ACRES with nice home to boot. Corrals, & hay barn. 3 Bedroom home with a lot to offer. THIS WON'T LAST LONG.

CLASSIFIED DEADLINES

WEEKDAYS
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9:00 a.m. same day (Too Lates)

SUNDAY
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5:00 p.m. Friday — Too Lates

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NOVA DEAN RHOADS

Independent Brokers of America
Off. 263-2450 800 Lancaster
Brenda Riffey 263-2450

OWNER MUST LEAVE
This 6-rm Brk. ... family rm. din... kit. All SOLD CASH ...modate ma... ...ge lot for privacy. Wk shop, stg rm at rear. Tremendous Buy at $27,000.00.

HERE'S A BEAUTY!
imac-superb custom drapes, all qlty crpt. Ding rm or combine with den. That joins a lge cheerful kit, factory milled cabinets. 3-rmy b's. Unique lighting. Utly, gar. "Top Bider" Choice Brk. $30's.

EXCITING & ENTERTAIN
Tremendous upstairs Mst-suite & wall of glass over-lking cedar deck. Firepl in den, game rm exit to terrace. Formal liv & ding rm. Lvly kit, bar, bkft-rm opens to yr-round garden rm...thats a wall-of-glass views a unique terraced yr, many trees, Butify crpt, lavish drapes in every inch of the 4 or 5 bdrms, 3½ B's marble vanities, space was an object in biding this elegant home. It's 1-of-a-kind. Make a date to see.

OLDER HOME
In good cond...redecorate & enjoy lge rms, well arranged, priced for retirees & located for grade, jr & sr hi. $14,000.00.

TWO & ONE ...LF
Acre SOLD ...sages; Commerci ...urchs & etc. Hi $30's.

1ST OFFERING
6.84 Acres, Ideal home site in many ways;...View, schs, peaceful dead end st, & nice homes near by.

COM
15 CASH SALE 12,500.

HIGHLAND SO.
Special...New...3-bdrms, 2-B's Brk...Den-firepl. West front gives a lvly view + a shady bk-yd. Select your colors, if U hurry. $60's.

THEIR LOSS, YOUR GAIN
10 acres, ready for new Owners he's gone for sure. and good land is Kinda scarce!!! $12,500.

COMPOUND...
3-well construc... one huge ... paint jo... ease the va... bargains are recognized...mid teens.

EXCL HOME, EXCL PRICE
$18,000, mever a car-pool at this 150' fncd lot. Walk to 3-good schs. 3-bd, 2-T-B's, Liv - ding rm...Bkft space in huge lvly kit. Ref-air, heat. Separate dr's for cars ...Garden spot & many more handy items.

HAVE CASH
Buyer for Monticello area or So E. B. Spring. Call now, 3-2450.

COMMERCIAL LOT
100x150. Terms, $40,000.00.

HANDY TRAILER
Park. 54 trailer spaces-carports & fncd yds. Nice 7 rm home or rental. 5-acres. Out of town owner will finance with good dwn.

INCOME $240
7 rm du... house). All furn., SOLD ...3. Owner's promo ... free time. $7,500 cash.

BEA
Bid SOLD CASH

NEA
4 CASH SALE

WELCH REALTY

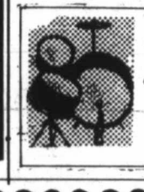
267-3369

SOUTH HIWAY 87: 11 acres with Hiway frontage.

MIDWAY SCHOOL PROPERTY: Industrial possibilities — fenced 3 acres — 15,000 sq. ft. in 3 buildings.

We Need Listings!!!

From Houses to Campers and Travel Trailers, check The Big Spring Herald Classified Ads.



MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
Buy — Sell
Check listings in Big Spring Herald Classifed Ads

REEDER

506 E. 4th MLS 267-8266

SIGNS Of The TIMES

PICNIC AREA — room for all kinds of fun on this 10 acre with lots of trees and greenery. 3 bdrms. — brick home. Large rooms and pretty carpet. North-West of city.

TAKING APPLICATIONS — you can take applications for a renter in your own 3 room apt. Also included in deal is nice 3 bdrm. home. Ref. air, big covered patio — Great location in Forsan district.

BEWARE — Don't spend too much when you can have a neat 3 bdrm. for only $11,000. Carport and large fenced yard.

MOVING SALE — owner is moving and is anxous to sell this immaculate home. 3 bdrms, huge den, sep. L.R., lovely kitchen. Range and ref. included in price of only $29,500.

DRIVE CAREFU... this 2 bdrm, home on E. 16th. Huge r SOLD and cent. heat. Concrete tile fence on ...shop. Only $20,000.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS — house is vacant and ready — 2 bdrm, 1½ bath, carport — Teens.

KEEP OFF THE GRASS — Lovely yard on corner lot. Darling 2 bdrm. rock home with L.R., den with fireplace. New carpet throughout.

QUIET — neighborhood. New listing in immaculate condition. 2 bdrm., beautiful ceramic bath, nice carpet, attached garge. Teens.

CLIMBING LANE AHEAD — Make your move up into this great new listing in Worthpeeler that has everything! Sunken den with fireplace, sep. L.R., 3 large bdrms., ref. air — See this soon!

STOP — and take time to see this super buy in Wasson. Brk, 3 bdrms, 2 bth, ref. air, carport. Neat as a pin! Under $30,000.

HISTORICAL MARKER — Restore this 2-story to be moved, all to your own space — See at 607 Scurry. Total price $8,000.

SCHOOL ZONE — Kid... walk to Moss School — 2 big bedroo... all brick, carpet, blt-in range — oven SOLD ...d garage — Utility room — Mid 20's.

ALL CLEAN AHEAD — Spotless 2 bedroom, fresh paint, new carpet, big L.R. and kitchen-enclosed garage — Owner anxious to sell — low teens.

RECREATIONAL AREA — in huge backyard with brand new patio, double redwood fence. Tri-level with 4-2½ and double garage — ref. air, sep. den, dining, blt-in kitchen — laundry room. Kentwood schools. Large family home.

BARGAIN BUY — 3 rentals in group for easy income. Tax shelter at only $9,750.00. total price.

WELCOME — to this roomy 2 bedroom with new ref. air. Carpet and drapes, sep. dining and utility room — Only $18,500.00 — Fruit trees.

APPLY INSIDE — custom built traditional style home just a block from school. Elegant formal living and dining, fireplace and shelves in den. Four bedrooms, arranged to give each family member privacy. 3 baths, kitchen with O-R, dishwasher and disp. Huge sunroom with tile floor overlooks beautifully landscaped yard with brick fence. Central heat and air.

USE LOW GEAR — 3 bedrooms plus den priced in low, low teens — Central heat and evap. air Ceramic top cabinets line walls in kitchen — O-R blt-in.

GREEN LIGHT — Go ahead and invest in commercial property. We have lots listed in choice commercial spots — Also residential area lots — some in multi family zoning — Call for locations.

ONE WAY — You ca... have a home large enough for growing fa... SOLD ...3rms., huge den — Will go FHA or VA — $1...,000. Total.

DETOUR — Turn off access road in Sand Springs and see this 3 bdrm. stucco home on ½ acre — with good water well — O-R blt-in in kitchen.

BE SELF EMPLOYED — Have your own apartment complex. Finish to suit yourself — Owner is working hard to get them in shape — If you buy now you can save $$$.

MERGE — Newlyweds, we have a darling 2 bdrm. home on extra wide nicely landscaped lot, attached garage, in quiet neighborhood. Low teens.

FARM ROAD — Take over payments on 20.82 acre tract located off Garden City Hwy. — water wells, septic tank — Low down payment and payments of $100.00 for short term pay off.

HELP WANTED — Owner wants to retire and needs a new owner to take over established business, and 2 houses included on large commercial lot on Gregg St.

POSITION OPEN — Be your own boss active moving and storage business wishes to sell large warehouse with office space.

YIELD — Give in and look for that dream home — Charming Park SOLD — 2 bdrm. — sunroom, extra large room... twenties.

RESUME SPEED — You can move right into this 5 bdrm, 2½ bth home — office or workshop area, huge den, swimming pool in pretty bkyd. Near College and shopping centers.

WANTED — This completely redone home with sep. din. rm., Utility rm. and large liv. rm. Ideal liv. rm. Ideal location — low, low teens.

POSTED — Four bdrms, 2 large baths, large liv. rm., blt-in kit, 10x10 storage shed, and 40 fruit trees. All on 1 acre.

STOP! LOOK!! Corner lot, 2 bedroom home, pretty carpet throughout, central heat & evaporative air. Low, lo ...teens.

RATED P.G. — (Plenty Great!) Exciting contemporary just 2 yrs. old — lovely cathedraled ceiling den w. wood-burning frplce, sep. dining, all blt. in kit, 3 bdr. 2 ceramic bths, lrg. utility, 2 car garage. Compare at $48,000.

NEW LOCATION — for your family in prestigious Highland South — frml. dining, large family-den, w. cathedral ceiling & wood burning frplce, private master suite w. 2 giant wlk. in clsts — sep. office. breathtaking view. 60's.

TAKE A RIGHT move & grab this adorable 2 bdr. on corner lot w. large liv-dining, freshly painted exterior & garage. Just listed — 18,000.

DIP — into your savings & make a good investment in this solid brick 3 bdr. in mint condition. Fenced, carport & strge. Near schools & shops. Under 20,000.

NOW SHOWING — Elegant Highland South custom built traditional features frml. liv., massive den w. bookshelves & W.B. frplce, 3 bdr. 2½ bths, office, gourmet kitchen w. all blt. ins. Over 2500 sq. ft. of luxury. Very reasonably priced.

FAMILY CENTER — Pretty white brick home w. 3 bdr. 2 bths, 2 car garage, nestled on 3½ acres just outside city. Also has sep. 2 bdr. house on property, plus outbuildings. Beautiful grounds & trees. Strong water well. $48,500.

F. M. 700 — Beautiful business building w. over 2600 sq. ft. under cedar shake shingle roof, 61-100 acre corner lot, Ideal location for elegant restaurant, franchise muffler shop, fast food eatery, florist shop, or your own special dream. Very reasonably priced. Let us show you the value.

FAMILY PLAN — Pretty 3 or 4 bdrm. home 2. new crpt, nice drapes, pretty kit. w. corner sink & windows, neat & clean as a pin. Pretty yard, garden's already up, giant sycamore trees shade entire front yd. Offered at 18,000.

CAUTION — or you'll miss the value of this neat home w-3bdr., 1½ bths., blt. in O-R & DW in neat kit, big liv, roomy dining. Garage & fence. Very well kept. For your family at only 20,500 total.

COOL INSIDE — Enjoy ref. air this summer in this roomy charmer in Washington Place. 3 huge bedrooms, 2 bths, country kitchen, garage & fence. Just 32,000.

OPEN — for offers. Your family will be so comfy in this neat home w. lrge kit, big family rm, big fenced yrd. Just $750. can move you in w. F.H.A. financing. Pmts. less than $100. per. mo.

PREVIEW OF COMING ATTRACTIONS — Call us about proposed energy efficient homes in Kentwood Area. We now have plans, specs. & locations.

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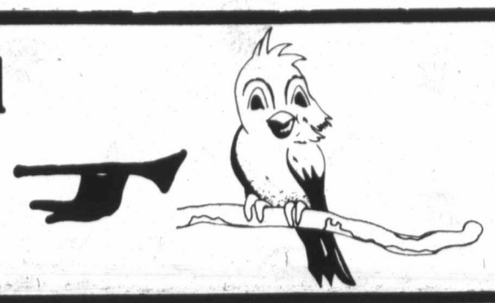

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Real Estate A

Business Property A-1

125x350 CORNER LOT. Four extra large rooms, bath, central heat — air conditioning Carport. Ideal business location. Call 263-1870 or 267-7959.

Houses For Sale A-2

MUST SELL! One bedroom house. All new — kitchen, paneling, ceramic shower, plumbing. 398-5422 or 267-7551.

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Lots For Sale A-3

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Space 1 and 2, Lot No. 246, Section of Garden of Mechpelah.
Call Fred or Noma Carson, 576-3592 Hamlin, Texas.

Farms & Ranches A-5

630 ACRES. EIGHT miles west of Colorado City near Westbrook, just South of I-20. 230 acres cotton land, more could be put in. ¼ minerals, city water. $375 acre. Duck Realty. (915) 698-7824, nights Harlan Owen (915) 673-2625. Abilene, Texas.

Acreage For Sale A-6

CLOSE-IN TWO Acres, no rocks. Electricity, new well. Partially fenced. Corral. Terms. Trades? 267-8745, 267-6219.

FOR SALE: 10 acres on corner lot. 14x52 Wayside mobile home. In Forsan School District. Call 267-2083 after 6:30.

Acreage For Sale A-4

27 Acres

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Real Estate Wanted A-7

WANTED TO BUY: Three bedroom moderately priced home. Owner willing to carry note. Call 267-3186 or write 100 Canyon Drive with details.

Houses To Move A-11

HOUSE TO Be moved. Four bedroom, two bath, 1,821 square feet. 267-1656 or 263-2808.

Mobile Homes A-12

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Furnished Apts. B-3

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Unfurnished Apts. B-4

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Furnished Houses B-5

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Unfurnished Houses B-6

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UNFURNISHED THREE Bedroom house for rent. Southwest part of town. Call 267-6809 for more information.

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Wanted To Rent B-8

WANTED TO rent or lease: Nice three bedroom house in Sand Springs or Coahoma area. 267-2893.

Mobile Homes B-10

FOR RENT: Two bedroom Mobilehome. Carpeted, washer, deposit, bills paid except electricity. 1503 East 3rd, 267-7180.

Lots For Rent B-11

LARGE FENCED Trailer spaces. Hookups. TV cables available. Midway and Sand Springs area. Call 267-6036. If no answer, 267-5169.

Office Space B-14

GREGG STREET Properties. 1110 Gregg Street. Office space for rent. Warehouse and storage space for rent. 267-5504.

Announcements C

Lodges C-1

STATED MEETING, Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 A.F. & A.M. every 2nd & 4th Thursday 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. 3rd & Main.
John R. Gee, W.M.
T.R. Morris, Sec.

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Special Notices C-2

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Lost & Found C-4

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Personal C-5

BORROW $100 on your signature. (Subject to approval) C.I.C. FINANCE, 406½ Runnels. 263-7338.

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Education D-1

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Employment F

Help Wanted F-1

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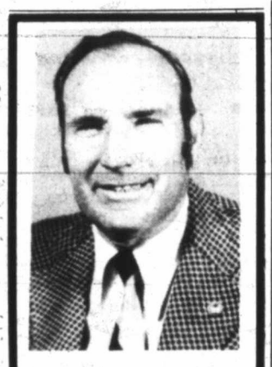

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Help Wanted F-1

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267-2535

EXEC. SECRETARY — Top positions, need several, shorthand and typing ..... EXC
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RECEPTIONIST — Office experience necessary, accurate typist ..... OPEN
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MAINTENANCE — Equipment repair and electrical knowledge, benefits ..... OPEN
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NEW OWNER. Wanted cooks and waitresses. Apply in person, Fina Truck Stop.

MECHANIC WANTED: Exxon station. Must have own tools. Phone 267-1931 for further information.

Woman's Column J

Child Care J-3

BABYSITTING EVENINGS, after 5:00 p.m. in my home. Call 263-8682, 1002 Stadium.

WILL DO Babysitting in my home, Monday through Friday. Phone 267-3253 for further information.

Sewing J-6

WILL DO ironing and experienced sewing. Call before 2:00 or after 6:00, 263-0805.

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Your next choice of a new or used car is important. Let me offer you my help.
Ed Lawson
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Residence 267-6435

Farmer's Column K

ACTION and TEXTAN saddles $100 off

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Hillman Saddlery & Boot Shop
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Farm Equipment K-1

16 FOOT WARCO Stock trailer, $775. Front and back spreaders, fits Massey Ferguson 65 or 90, $100. 398-5469.

Livestock K-3

THREE YEAR Old gelding; eight year old gelding; Welch gelding. For information call 263-4132, 398-5438.

WANTED TO Buy: Horses of any kind. Call 263-4132 before 5:00 p.m.

HORSE AUCTION
Big Spring Livestock Auction Horse Sale. 2nd and 4th Saturdays 12:30. Lubbock Horse Auction every Monday 7:00 p.m. Hwy. 87 South Lubbock. Jack Aufill 806-745-1435. The largest Horse and Tack Auction in West Texas.

Poultry K-4

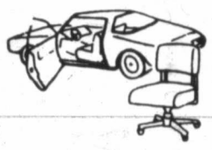
WANT TO buy fertile Brahma hen eggs or hens. Call 263-7842 for more information.

Farm Service K-5

HORSE SHOEING and trimming. Call Ricky Brown 398-5542 or 267-8602 day or night.

Miscellaneous L

Vinyl Repair Service



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Dogs, Pets, Etc. L-3

FOR SALE: Two Lhasa Apsos. Male and female. Full grown. Phone 267-5927 or 263-7982.

AKC DOBERMAN Puppies for sale. Seven weeks old. Call 263-7265 for further information.

FOR SALE: AKC registered Doberman puppies. Six weeks old. For more information, 267-8602 or 398-5542.

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Pet Grooming L-3A

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Household Goods L-4

MAPLE DINETTE, Den furniture, Mediterranean tables, decorator items, drapes. Pageant dresses size 8-12. 2704 Crestline.

Household Goods L-4

FOR SALE: Two cushion red nylon couch and overstuffed chair. $75. Call after 6:00, 263-1589.

Household Goods L-4

FOR SALE: Dryer used only 15 months, $150. Five year old washer, $75. Call 267-5475.

WHITE SALE (Furniture)
3 piece white bedroom group (triple dresser) $90.00
3 piece white bedroom group (triple dresser) ... $137.50
3 piece white bedroom group with 6 drawer maple dresser $129.95
French Provincial vanity, white gold, solid wood $69.95
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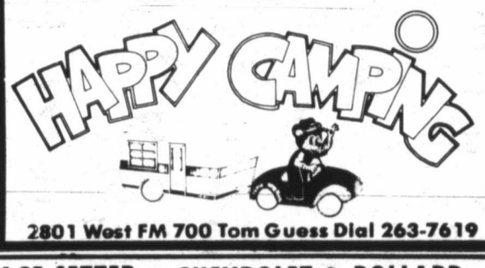

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1977 FORD LTD HARD TOP
Champagne with brown full vinyl top 460 CID V8 — Cruise, air — automatic — radio, and all standard equipment. Stk. No. 1191
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Silver, 302 V8 — Ranger package — automatic — air — power steering box rails — free wheeling package. Stk. No. 1202
LIST PRICE $6,985.45
DISCOUNT 1,378.45
SALE PRICE $5,607.00

1978 COULD BE THE END OF AN ERA OF FULL SIZE FAMILY CARS—AND BOB BROCK FORD IS GOING ALL OUT TO SELL 100 NEW CARS IN MAY

NEW 1977 PINTO STATIONWAGON
Pretty Silver — all standard equipment — plus more.
LIST PRICE $5,234
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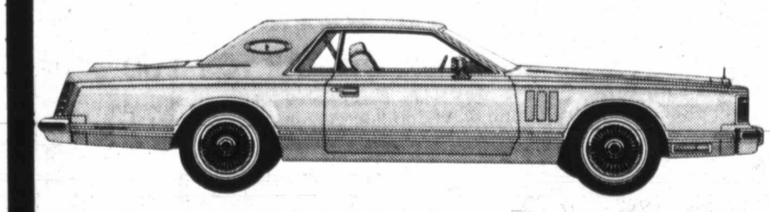
FULL FACTORY WARRANT

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SHOPPING FOR LUXURY



1978 CONTINENTAL MARK V
Stock No. 1969 — Cream on cream with sunroof.
LIST PRICE $17,153
DISCOUNT 2,882
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Bob Brock Ford has 25 LTD'S and 5 Mercury Marquis in stock, 30 LTD'S on order and 25 big Mercurys will arrive in the next 60 days. For those of you who want a big LTD or Mercury in the traditional full size car that offers smart impressive design, space, comfort and roominess, you should trade now.

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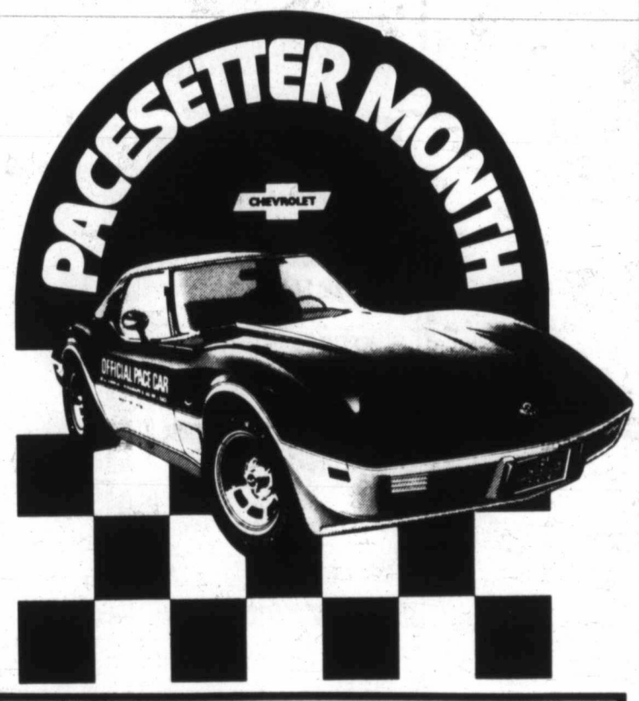

WE WILL SELL 90 UNITS IN MAY
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SCHEDULED FOR MAY 90

OUR PACE SETTER SALE IS IN FULL SWING....
WE SET THE PACE ON DEALS

1978 MONTE CARLO 2-DOOR
Soft ray tinted glass, delux body side moldings, color keyed floor mats — front and rear; side window sill moldings, 4 season air conditioner, sport mirrors left hand remote and right hand manual; power brakes; rally wheels; cruise master speed control; 231 Cu in V6, THMAT comfort tilt steering, wheel, power steering P205-70 steel belted radials white sidewalls; stereo tape system with AM radio. Stock No. 3-349
LIST $6,893.90
SALE PRICE $6,114.90

1978 CAPRICE STATION WAGON
6 way power seat, power door lock system, soft ray tinted glass, power windows and antenna, Estate equip & power tailgate, body side moldings, intermittent windshield wiper system, 4 season air conditioner, remote control mirror left hand and right hand; cruise master speed control; 350 cu in THMAT Digital clock, standard emission system, comfortilt steering wheel, HR78-15B steel belted radial white stripe, bumper rub strips and guards, roof carrier. Stock No. 917.
LIST $9,087.55
SALE PRICE $7,981.55

1978 MONZA STATION WAGON
Soft ray tinted glass, quiet sound group, color keyed floor mats — front and rear; body side moldings, door edge guards, wheel opening moldings, 4 season air conditioner, day-nite inside rear view mirror, 151 Cu in; L4 THMAT, standard emission system, power steering, delux wheel covers, B78-15-B white stripe AM radio, roof carrier. Stock No. 1-242.
LIST $5,392.00
SALE PRICE $4,897.00

1978 MALIBU 2-DOOR
Soft ray tinted glass, delux body side moldings, color keyed floor mats — front and rear, 4 season air conditioner, visor vanity mirror, power brakes, sport mirror — left hand remote, right hand manual; cruise master speed control, 305 Cu in V8 THMAT, comfortilt steering wheel; power steering; electric clock, stereo tape system with AM radio, Pi95-75R steel belted radial wide white stripe, bumper guards. Stock No. 5-446
LIST $7,030.54
SALE PRICE $6,226.00

1978 NOVA 2-DOOR
Soft ray tinted glass, body side moldings, wheel opening moldings, 4 season air conditioner, power brakes & steering; 250 Cu in L6 THMAT; standard emission system; full wheel covers; GR78-14-B, steel belted radial white stripe; AM radio. Stock No. 1-232.
LIST $5,530.25
SALE PRICE $5,030.25

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Household Goods L-4

HUGHES TRADING POST
267-5661 2000 W. 3rd

REPOSSED NORGE washer, three months old, full warranty $389.50
NEW HOTPOINT range, avocado $209.95
KENMORE ELECTRIC range, harvest gold, like new, fully automatic — continuous clean oven $198.50
FRIGIDAIRE STACK washer and dryer, 90 day warranty $189.95
SIGNATURE SIDE by side refrigerator, 2 years old $298.00
NEW METAL cabinet with sink and faucets $143.50
SEVERAL NICE ranges
WOODED HIGH chair $17.50
OYSTER HAIR dryer ..$9.50
NEW FANS at low prices

USED SOFA $29.95
USED EARLY American sofa $49.95
USED RECLINERS ..$59.95 and up
SOFA AND Love seat, regular $399.95 on sale for $299.95
NEW BLACK vinyl sofa, Close-out Sold regular $249.95 .....$169.95
TWO FABRIC covered poor boy sleepers $159.95
NEW SHIPMENT Table and floor lamps.
NEW Five piece dinette $109.95
2 PIECE Innerspring bunkies, 312 coil, quilted .....$64.95 set
NEW Walnut triple dresser, 2 twin beds with mattress and box springs $399.95
WOODEN Bar Stools .....$59.95 and up

SPECIAL
SET OF three living room tables, Maple or Spanish Oak .....$49.95 for set

BIG SPRING FURNITURE
110 Main 267-2631

From Houses to Campers and Travel Trailers, check The Big Spring Herald Classified Ads.

Household Goods L-4

(1) REPOSSESSED Maytag washer, three year warranty on transmission $250.00

(1) USED RCA TV, black and white $49.95

(1) ZENITH Console maple Color TV $200.00

(1) WESTINGHOUSE Washer, repossessed, 6 month warranty $200.00

(2) NEW MAYTAG Built-in Dishwashers 10% off regular price.

BIG SPRING HARDWARE
115 MAIN 267-5265

Piano-Organs L-6

DON'T BUY A new or used piano or organ until you check with Les White for the best buy on Baldwin pianos and organs. Sales and service regular in Big Spring. Les White Music, 3564 North 6th. Phone 672-9781, Abilene.

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Musical Instru. L-7

LUDWIG DRUM SET — silver, five piece with 22" bass, floor and two ride toms, chrome snare. Zildjian cymbals. Deluxe accessories, and vinyl cases. Make offer. 267-5367 after 6:00.

Office Equip. L-9

USED COPY Machines. 3M, SCM, and others. $175 and up. Copy Service and Supply. (915) 563-1418.

Garage Sale L-10

PATIO SALE in back, 1107 Lamar. 9 to 6 Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Bed clothes, furniture, clothes, towels, much more. 5th, 6th and 7th.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday-Sunday, 1312 Sycamore. Butane tanks, hair dryer, sinks, jewelry, pictures, flower arrangements, miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: Lots miscellaneous. Four blocks east Price Construction, 350 Highway, follow signs. Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

Garage Sale L-10

PATIO SALE: Friday to 4:00 p.m. Sunday. Gasoline chain saw, clothing, miscellaneous. 2308 Roberts.

GARAGE SALE 1803 Johnson Saturday-Sunday Appliance, toys toddler clothes, miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: 2705 Larry. Saturday and Sunday. Baby furniture, baby clothes, tools, lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: Three families. Weather permitting. Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Lots of nice clothes cheap, tables, lamps, flower arrangements, and miscellaneous. 611 Johnson Street.

GARAGE SALE: 1309 Settles Sunday-Monday. Lots of clothing and odds and ends.

Miscellaneous L-11

FRESH FARM Eggs for sale. Call 398-5506 or 263-2562.

WASHER AND dryer, good condition. $85 each or $150 pair. Also electric range, $100. Call 263-6462.

RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT only one year old. Includes 6x8 foot Bally walk-in cooler, never uncrated. 263-2315.

4500 DFM EVAPORATIVE cooler. Down draft, ½ horse, two speed motor. Made for mobile home with pump and float. New pads. 1603 Wood. 267-5104.

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8,000 BTU REFRIGERATED air conditioner. One year old. $150.00. Call 263-3591.

BOY'S 10 SPEED. Good condition. $45. For more information call 263-8555.

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LET FX BACTERIA clean your Septic Tank the Easy Way — $6.98. Tree Roots removed from Sewer Lines Sinks opened.
Jay's Farm & Ranch Service
603 East 3rd Street
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Miscellaneous L-11

SEARS ELECTRIC Stove with self-cleaning oven. Two years old. $200. Call 263-6615 after 4:00.

Steel shelving, work benches, pallet racks, double deck, display shelving. Wholesale and retail. Large stock for immediate shipment.
Lubbock, 806-762-0552

Wanted To Buy L-14

Will pay top prices for good used furniture, appliances, and air conditioners. Call 267-5661 or 263-3496.

Automobiles M

Motorcycles M-1

MUST SELL: Honda CB 550. Blue and gold. 2,500 miles. Call 263-6345 for more information.

FOR SALE: 1974 Harley Davidson 175. Excellent condition. Call 263-4565.

1974 SUZUKI 380. THREE cylinder, six gear street bike. Excellent condition. Call Mike after 5:00. 263-7892.

1976 KAWASAKI KH 500. 7,000 miles. Good condition. Can be seen at 711 East 18th.

1975 HONDA CB200. Like new. Less than 500 miles. For further information call 263-6603.

1963 TRIUMPH 650 CC, chopped and custom paint. For more information call 267-5089.

1976 KZ900, BLACK WITH fairing. Excellent condition, 3,400 miles, $1,995 or best offer. 267-6456.

1975 HONDA 750. ALSO 1974 Vega GT Station Wagon. Call 263-7306 before 5:30 for information.

Oil Equipment M-4

Steel shelving, work benches, pallet racks, double deck, display shelving. Wholesale and retail. Large stock for immediate shipment.
Lubbock, 806-762-0552.

Trucks For Sale M-9

1976 FORD RANGER XLT, long wide, air, power steering, cruise control, radio, grill guard, sunfighter, Michelin tires, 460 engine. Very clean, runs good. 399-4312.

Trucks For Sale M-9

1974 FORD EXPLORER, fully loaded, five new steel belted tires. Phone 393-5225 for further information.

1975 CHEVROLET DOOLEY One ton, air conditioner, power steering and brakes, four speed, 454 cu. in. 263-4120.

1974 FORD PICKUP Long wide bed, power and air, automatic transmission. 703 East 13th.

1965 CHEVROLET ½ TON pickup, 283, V-8, 3 speed, radio, heater, air, good condition. $695. Call Stanton, 756-3845.

1976 CHEVY VAN, black and chrome. Fully customized, CB, stereo, only 18,500 miles. 267-1863, 4105 Parkway.

1971 TOYOTA PICKUP with camper shell and sun roof. Rebuilt motor, new clutch and battery, body and tires good. $1350. Call 267-5661, 263-3251, 263-3496 or see at 2000 West 3rd.

1973 HI LUX Toyota pickup. Good shape, good tires. $1900. Call 394-4325 after 4:00.

1972 CHEVROLET PICK-UP, ½ ton, good tires, automatic, short wide bed. 263-6620; after 5:00 263-4378.

1971 ½ TON PICKUP For sale. Phone 267-5082 for further information.

Autos M-10

1973 BUICK CENTURY, Two door, automatic, air, clean interior, new vinyl top, rally wheels. 263-6897.

EXTRA CLEAN, Excellent condition. 1969 Delta Olds 88. $900. Call Odessa 362-2167.

1976 OLDSMOBILE 98. Excellent condition. 27,000 miles. $4,750. Call 267-3352 after 4:00.

FOR SALE: 1966 Buick Wildcat. Needs work. Good interior, air conditioner, power steering. See at 408 Austin after 5:00. Best offer.

1975 VOLKSWAGEN DASHER Air, new tires, low mileage. Reduced from $3,700 to $2,700. 267-8388.

1972 MACH I. Automatic in floor, air conditioner, metallic green, in good shape with new tires. 267-1011 (ask for Len) or 263-0515.

1971 CHEVROLET BEL AIR Great condition. Loaded. Have bought pickup — must sell car. $900 or best offer. 263-2960.

1975 PINTO STATION WAGON Air radial tires. Reduced from $2,750 to $2,250. Call 267-8388.

BEAUTIFUL 1977 Buick Regal. Loaded, plush interior. Less than one year old. $6,025. or best offer. 1100 Austin. 263-2960.

1972 BUICK ESTATE WAGON CB Connections, good tires. 267-2238. See at 2310 Marcy Drive.

1969 CHEVELLE MALIBU. 307, white with green roof. Runs good. $400. After 6:00 call 267-1836.

1976 CHARGER SPECIAL Edition. Cruise, tilt, electric seats. 14,600 miles. Must sell Sunday only! 2708 East 24th.

1974 PLYMOUTH Cruise control. Excellent price. 267-2452 or see at 2216 Lynn.

1975 CORDOBA CHRYSLER. Loaded. 41,000 miles. Call 393-5321 or 393-5224 for further information.

1969 CADILLAC, EXCELLENT Condition, all accessories, yellow, black vinyl top, black interior. 1970 Ford Torino Station Wagon, excellent condition. $1,200 each. 267-7504 after 5:00.

FOR SALE: 1974 AMC Hornet Hatchback X, six cylinder, wide ovals. Call 267-1705 after 6:00 p.m.

1977 MONTE CARLO, chocolate brown, ½ beige vinyl top. Loaded, power windows — door locks, split 50-50 seats, plush buckskin interior. AM-8 track, 8,000 miles, excellent shape. 267-8462 after 5:00.

1968 FORD GALAXIE Four door. Good condition. See at 617 Caylor Drive. Phone 267-2104.

1974 FORD LTD Brougham, loaded. $1700. For more information call 263-6723 or 267-2290.

1954 Chevrolet
automatic
Original and stock.
398-5423

1973 HONDA CIVIC Good gas mileage. Equipped with tow hitch for recreation vehicle. See at 300 South Avenue in Coahoma. 3 blocks east of Fina Station.

TRADE IN 1978 Pontiac Sunbird. 2300 miles. Power, air, sun roof, four speed, vinyl top. Call 263-3262, 1000 Bluebonnett.

Local One Owner
1977 Olds'
CUTLASS SUPREME BROUGHAM
Green, green vinyl roof, AM-FM with tape, cruise, tilt wheel.
SHROYER MOTORS
Olds — GMC
424 East 3rd
267-7140

Boats M-13

1970 BASS BOAT, 15 Foot King Fisher. Stick steering, 40 horsepower Johnson motor, motor guide trolling motor, depth finder, two live wells, Dilly trailer with 12 inch wheels. $1500 firm. Call 263-1103 after 6:00.

15 FOOT V156 GLASTRON Walk-thru, 85 hp Johnson, Shore line trailer. See to appreciate. $2,795. 263-3221.

BOATS, MOTORS and trailers and fishing worms for sale. 3616 Hamilton. 263-1050.

Campers & Trav. Trls. M-14

WOULD LIKE to rent a motor home first week in July. Will put up nice deposit. Call 267-5924 after 6:00.

SKYVIEW CAMPER Shell for small pickup, Datsun, Toyota etc. Brand new. 263-7306 between 8:00 and 5:00.

21 FOOT CAMPER. Self contained, air conditioned, in good shape. See at 617 Caylor Drive. 267-2104.

1977 MOBIL SCOUT 23½ foot. Fully self-contained. 4500 watt generator $13,500 or Best Offer 267-1708.

21 FOOT TRAVEL Trailer, tub and shower, air, tandem. Excellent condition. See — Rear 1207 Douglas Street.

EXCELLENT CONDITION. Motor home, self contained, own generator. $12,230. Call after 5:00, 263-6964 for information.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

7.73 ACRES ON Tubbs Drive off East Interstate 20. Any part or all for sale; with or without improvements. 263-7982 nights, 263-2788 days.

1103 MULBERRY. THREE bedroom, stove, dishwasher, disposal, drapes; dinette available. Washer, dryer connections. Extra storage. Freshly painted inside. $200 monthly. $75 deposit. 263-6404.

GIVE AWAY: Two cute blonde kittens to good home. Weekdays at No. 12 Mini Mall, 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m., 3rd and Benton.

Public records

WARRANTY DEEDS

Sylvia Marie Frazier, to Ricky G. Suggs et ux, a 100' by 217.5' tract out of the SE-4 of Section 32-32-1-N, T&P.

Eugene R. Peters et ux, to James L. Johnson, Jr., et ux, Lot 4, Blk. 4, Boydstun addition.

T.W.M., Inc., to Terry M. Carter et ux, Lots 1 and 2, MacFahren Slope subdivision of Blk. 14, Edwards Heights addition.

Robert Bruce Carson Smith et ux, to G.E. Free, Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and Blk. 4, Wright's Airport addition.

Raymond Paul Tanis, to Maxine Tanis, 9.89 acres of the E-portion of Section 36-33-1-S, T&P.

Pedro A. Trevino, Jr., et ux, to Rebbecca P. Taylor, Lot 7, Blk. 6, Porter addition.

Jack Cleveland, to L.A. Webb et ux, Lot 7, Blk. 8, Douglass addition.

Mary Anne Eames March, to Harry Eames March, II and Marcia Mae Bents, Section 19-32-1-N, T&P.

Alfred Floyd Anderson et ux, to Floyd Klaus et ux, Lot 22, Blk. 3, Stanford Park addition.

Big Spring Industrial Foundation, to Walls Industries, Inc., 8.402 acres of Section 42-32-1-N, T&P.

Jeri Reeder, to Terry Carter's Furniture, Inc., Lot 1, Blk. 11, original townsite.

Ruth Michel, to Max Vernon McQuerry et ux, and T.B. McQuerry et ux, the SE-4 of Section 42-30-1-N, T&P and the NW-4 of Section 43-30-1-N, T&P.

Edythe M. Utley, to Odell F. LaLonde, Lot 13, Blk. 4, Central Park addition.

Dorothy Bazell McQuerry et al, to Max Vernon McQuerry et ux, and gt.B. McQuerry et ux, the SE-4 of Section 42-30-1-N, T&P, and the NW-4 of Section 43-30-1-N, T&P.

Naomi Gutierrez, to Jesse Marquez et ux, Lot 10, Blk. T, Moore addition.

Wanda Churchwell, to J.C. Owen, Lots 1 and 2, Denton subdivision of a 16.28 acre tract of the SW-4 of Section 44-31-1-N, T&P.

Frank M. Ryburn, Jr., et al, to Landvest Inc., 206.07 acres of Section 45-32-1-N, T&P, and Lots 1 and 16, Blk. 13; Lot 20, Blk. 9; Lot 1, Blk. a, all in College Park Estates subdivision.

Irvis Ray Campbell, to Nona F. Brunson et vir, Lot 4, Blk. 5, Douglass addition.

William Neel Currie, et al, to D.N. Shirey, Lot 23, Blk. 6, Kentwood addition, unit 2.

Richard Neil Montgomery et ux, to John C. Massey et ux, Lots 3 and 4, Blk. 10, Fairview Heights addition.

Richard D. Sutton et ux, to Keith Gill et ux, Lot 16, Blk. 8, Kentwood addition unit 1.

Pete H. Rhymes et ux, to Ron L. Cohorn et ux, 1.50 acres of the NW-4 of Section 6-32-1-S, T&P.

Leo Eggleston et ux, to Larry Jojola, Lot 3, Blk. 18, Cole and Strayhorn addition.

Edward Neal Whitehead, to Janet M. Whitehead, Lot 7, Blk. 50, original townsite.

Tommy K. Goodwin et ux, to Peggy Ann Irwin, Lot 12, Blk. 2, Seton Place addition.

Billy Ray Carter et ux, to Don Swinney et ux, Lot 7, Blk 5, Cole and Strayhorn addition.

W.B. Hardy, Jr., to Clay Harris, Lots 4, 5, and 6, Blk. 20, subdivision A, Fairview Heights addition.

D.P. Day et ux, to Jerry Wayne Mason et ux, a 55' by 155' tract out of Section 5-32-1-S, T&P.

Dixie Hogan to John R. Arrick et ux, a 150' by 150' tract of the SW-4 of Section 6-32-1-S, T&P.

Boss-Linam Electric, Inc., to Denver Leeon Pettitt et ux, the S-45' of Lot 1, and all of Lot 2, Blk. 8, Jones Valley addition.

Patricia Roberts Harris, Secretary, Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to Randy D. Ferguson et ux, Lot 27, Blk. 6, Douglass addition.

Tomillee Coates Ford et vir, to Gerald E. Earnest et ux, Lots 2 and 3, Blk. 11, Cole and Strayhorn addition.

Troy J. Bryant et ux, to Dennis S. Simmons et ux, Lot 1, Blk. 24, College Park Estates subdivision.

George L. Moore et ux, to Richard Atkins et ux, Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6, subdivision B, Blk. 3, Fairview Heights addition.

Delmar L. Hartin et ux, to Jimmy Tonn et ux, 1.0 acre out of Section 14-33-1-S, T&P.

R.B.G. Cowper et ux, and R. Gage Lloyd et ux, to Barbara E. Davis, the E-75' of Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 17, Bauer addition.

Louise McAdams, to Parks Agency, Inc., Bettie-Womack Construction Co., and Boss-Linam Electric, Inc., Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, Blk. 1, McDowell Heights addition.

Earl O. Dean et ux, to Wallace G. Spraberry et ux, Lot 2, Blk. 13, Kentwood addition unit 1.

Clifton C. Harrison et ux, to David P. Bruton et ux, a tract out of Section 37-31-1-N, T&P otherwise known as Saunders addition, Coahoma.

David P. Bruton et ux, to George L. Moore et ux, the E-2 of Lots 6 and 7, Blk. 20, Saunders addition, Coahoma.

Warren R. Westbrook et ux, to John Tildon Sandlin, 1.0 acres of the E-2 of Section 43-31-1-N, T&P.

Lynn Woellert and Lance Woellert, to D.C. Lee, the W-2 of Section 33-31-1-N, T&P.

Ronald R. Cross et ux to Charles E. Henry et ux, the E-2 of Lot 31, tract 4, Foster Subdivision, Section 47-31-1-N, T&P.

H.C. Blackshear et ux, to Jimmy D. Low et ux, Lots 11, 12, and 13, Blk. 7, South Haven addition.

William Neel Currie et al, to B.M. Estes et ux, Lot 31, Blk. 6, Kentwood addition unit 2.

Donald A. Allen et ux, to Robert C. Turner et ux, a 208.7' by 60' tract out of Section 37-31-1-N, T&P.

Anne Rainbolt Kay, to Arthur F. Madewell et ux, Lot 4 and the W-15' of Lot 3, Blk. 5, Park Hill addition.

H.C. Blackshear et ux, to Dan E. Brasher et ux, 5.0 acres of the SW-4 of Section 32-32-1-S, T&P.

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David Allen Woods, 20, 1500 Lincoln, Apt A, and Mrs. Susie Aleta Hamilton, 23, 1321 Elm.

COUNTY COURT FILINGS

Darin Sean Tucker, driving while license is suspended.

Alex Gonzales, aggravated assault.

Darin Sean Tucker, driving while license suspended, second filing.

Christopher Lane Hayes, appeal of a justice court conviction, speeding 75 mph in a 55 mph zone.

Terry Dean Watkins, theft under $200.

Karen Bolten, destruction of property.

Jackie Emile Wallace, driving while license suspended.

Arthur Joseph Moffett, DWI.

Maxine Forshee, DWI.

Richard Lee Hinklin, driving while license suspended.

Robert Claude Douglas, driving while license suspended.

Wesley Lee Barree, driving while license suspended.

Antonio Oliver Paradez, carrying a prohibited weapon.

Alton R. Taylor, theft of service.

CECIL BYNUM

Bynum elevated to presidency

Cecil Bynum of the Big Spring Future Farmers of America was elected president of the El Rancho District Thursday, April 27, at the district meeting at Grady High School.

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DATED this 2nd day of May, 1978.

GUY MITCHELL RIDDLE
Executor of the Estate of GARLON W. RIDDLE, Deceased, No. 9225 in the County Court of Howard County, Texas
May 7, 1978

PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION FOR DEMOLITION BIDS

The Office of Housing and Community Development, 207 West Fourth, Big Spring, Texas, will receive Bids for the Demolition of substandard buildings on May 19, 1978 until 2 P.M. at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read. The successful bidder will be required to post a One Hundred Dollar (100.00) cash bond with the Office of Housing and Community Development to insure the successful completion within sixty days (60) from award of bid. Property damage and public liability insurance will be required on Commercial Structures.

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161	4-4-78	506 Austin	3 Br. Frame Dwl.	1000
162	4-4-78	2312 Austin	3 Br. Con. Dwl.	800
164	4-4-78	209 No. Nolan	3 Br. Frame Dwl.	600
166	4-4-78	207 N.E. Sixth	2 Br. Frame Dwl.	600
169	4-4-78	1503 West First	2 Br. Frame	600
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CREATIVE WORK — Cathy Miller, Dawn Berry, Alan Martin and Michael Willoughby are shown with the paintings they have on display at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce during the month of May.

On display at Chamber

Students' work featured

By MARJ CARPENTER

Four high school students were selected to be featured as artists of the month at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce offices during the month of May.

Usually, one adult artist in the community is selected, but for the month of May — the last month of the school year, four high school students were invited to hang their paintings at the chamber.

Cathy Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Miller, is a freshman at Big Spring High School.

She is only 14 years old but is already painting beautiful oil landscapes under the instruction of Mrs. Virginia Hitten. She started taking lessons when 11.

She also is involved in swimming. Her hobbies, along with art and swimming are water skiing and racket ball. She is an active member of the College Baptist Church youth department.

Dawn Berry, 15, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Berry. She is a sophomore at Big Spring High and her authentic mountain scene painting will be on display.

She, too, takes from Mrs. Whitten. She loves to swim and also likes to sew. She has taken art for four years and paints in oil, and also India ink and with a spouse.

Michael Willoughby, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Willoughby, is an eighth grade student at Runnels Junior High, where he is a member of the honor society, played football, is on the swim team, is in advanced choir and plays the guitar.

He is also a news carrier for the Big Spring Herald. He studied art four years under Mrs. Mary Raley for 3½ years and under Virginia Whitten.

Willoughby has already won several awards including two first places in the Big Spring Art Show and four firsts at the Howard County Fair.

Alan Martin, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Martin, is a freshman at Forsan. He had a painting of a buffalo stampede in modern art.

He plays tennis, is in the band and has taken art from Mrs. Whitten two and one half years. He also helps with artistic projects at school and he has won a second place ribbon at the Howard County Fair.

If you have time during the month of May, drop by the Chamber office and view the amazing work of these four young people.

Nixon's offer is revealed

MIAMI (AP) — Richard M. Nixon should donate any profits from his memoirs to the people who suffered shame and financial loss because of the Watergate scandal, says convicted Watergate conspirator E. Howard Hunt.

But Hunt admitted Friday that he doesn't really expect the former president to share the money that he will earn from his book, "RN: the Memoirs of Richard Nixon."

"I think it would be very well received by the American public were Mr. Nixon to use his enormous book and TV profits to alleviate the financial distress of those who suffered shame, imprisonment and loss of employment because of him," Hunt said. "At the same time, I think it would be unrealistic to expect him to do so."

Hunt said he thought Nixon's "windfall profits" should go to the four Miami men who were captured inside the Democratic National Committee offices in the Watergate complex.

Mrs. Bedwell in hospital

Evaline Bedwell is a patient in the M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston.

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Gerald Ford plays tennis

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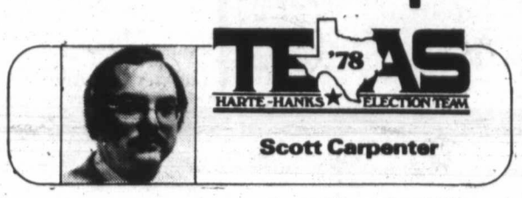

AUSTIN — A tennis match in Houston to raise money for Republican attorney general candidate Jim Baker was a prelude to this Fall's political season.

Baker and former President Gerald Ford overshadowed tennis pros Dick Stockton and John Newcomb, their doubles partners.

It isn't anything new for former presidents and presidential hopefuls to come to Texas to help out their political party's state candidates.

But it is something new for them to show up before the primary election. Already Ford and Ronald Reagan have appeared at Texas fundraising events for Republicans. So has Sen. Howard Baker of Tennessee, who has made no secret of his presidential ambitions.

As the November elections get closer, Texans can expect to see a steady stream of Republican hopefuls and national Democratic leaders such as President Jimmy Carter and Ambassador Robert Strauss.

The national figures come to Texas for a very simple reason: To line up political debts for 1980 and subsequent elections. Texas, the third largest in population, is a key state in anyone's plans for the presidency.

Texas candidates love to have the big-name national figures appear on their behalf. It means increased news exposure. Today's political races are mainly comprised to two things — purchased media advertising and exposure through events covered by the media.

The appearance of a national figure also means a larger than normal attendance at political gatherings. Baker, who was unopposed in the primary, drew 3,000 to watch him play tennis, largely because President Ford was there.

The odd thing about the tennis match was that other big name Texas Republicans weren't there. Baker and state party chief Ray Barnhart were the only well known Republicans attending. John Connally, Sen. John Tower, and gubernatorial hopefuls Bill Clements and Ray Hutchison were invited but didn't attend.

But that was good for Baker, who didn't have to worry about others stealing his show.

The timing of Ford's trip — before the primary — at first seemed strange. But it is part of the overall Baker strategy.

Baker also purchased highly expensive television advertising time early.

He wants to combat the general feeling that the choices in the Democratic primary are the final ones. Baker wants the voters to be aware that he is running and that the Democratic nominee for attorney general has an opponent in November.

Drive begins for Negro College Fund

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A $50 million nationwide capital development drive for the United Negro College Fund was announced in San Francisco by Bank of America president A. W. Clausen.

Clausen, western regional chairman of the campaign, said Friday that the money-raising would help the UNCF's 41 member institutions construct new buildings, improve their faculties and curriculum and build endowment programs.

Clausen was joined at a special luncheon by Christopher Edley, executive director of the United Negro College Fund, Thomas A. Murphy, chairman of General Motors Corp. and other business leaders.

"These schools have existed for a long time, but I don't think the need has ever been as great," Murphy said. "We need these colleges for the urban American" because big city schools have failed in educating many black students, he added.

UNCF's annual appeal, which is separate from the capital development campaign, brought in $15.1 million during 1977.

Clausen said Bank of America will contribute $100,000 to the campaign in addition to its annual contribution to the Fund.

H.J. Haynes, chairman of Standard Oil of California, said his company was donating $105,000 to the capital development drive.

Jimmy Buffett fractures leg

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Singer Jimmy Buffett broke his right leg playing softball in West Palm Beach, Fla., a spokesman for his record company says.

ABC Records spokesman Martha Haggard said Buffett was hurt sliding into second base. She said he will wear a cast when he appears on the television show "Saturday Night Live" on May 13.

Walls' sale completed

Walls Industries, Inc. (OTC) has announced that it had completed the sale of its assets to a corporation owned by Oppenheimer & Co., for cash equivalent to $14.125 for each outstanding share of Walls common stock.

The business of Walls Industries will continue to be run under the same corporate name and by the same management team. The asset sale was approved by the company's shareholders at their annual meeting held on April 25.

Immediately following the sale the company changed its corporate name to Samarnan Investment Corporation and changed its corporate purposes to become an investment company.

Walls stated that it will mail to its shareholders about May 1, 1978 an offer to purchase all of its outstanding shares for $14.125 cash per year. The offer will terminate at the close of business on May 31, 1978 at which time all payments for tendered shares accepted by the company will be made.

Walls also announced net sales and earnings for the three months ended March 31, 1978 of $7,259,275 and $464,425 ($0.29 per share), respectively, compared to net sales of $6,061,587

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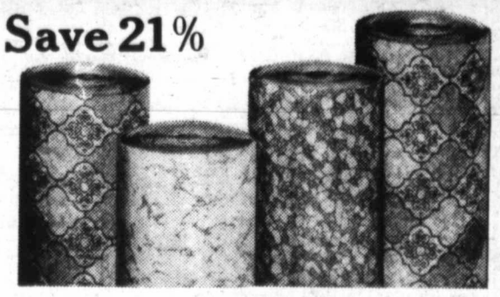

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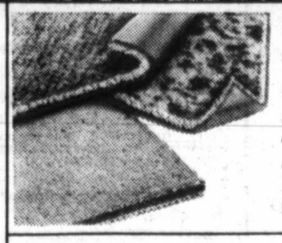

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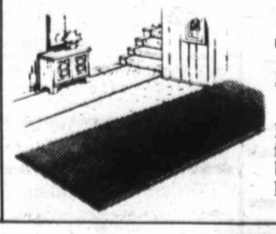

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