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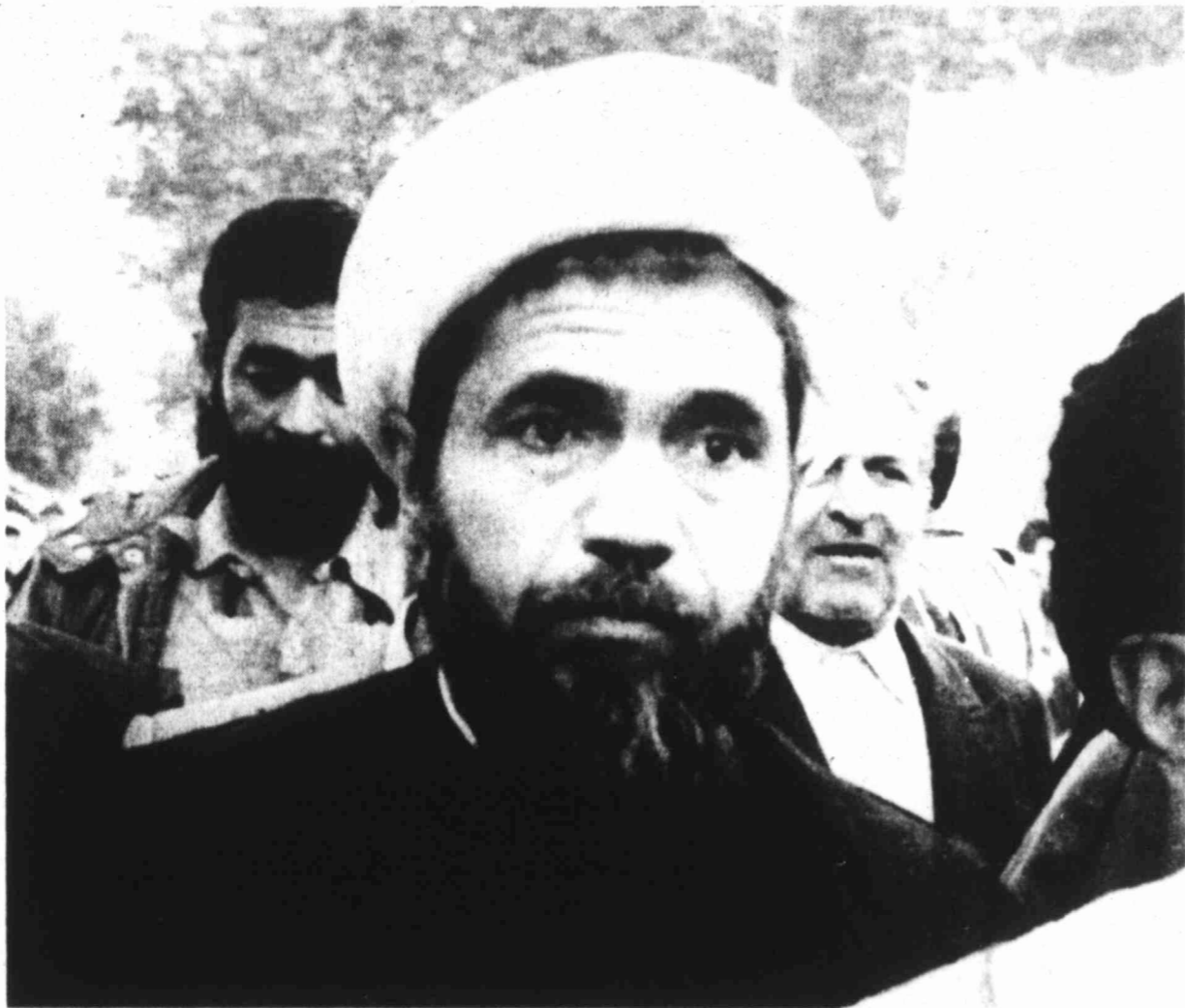
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HOJATOLESLAM MOFATEH SHOT — Hojatoleslam Mohammad Mofateh, pictured here in a demonstration outside the U.S. embassy recently, was shot by gunmen on a motorcycle here early Tuesday, and died in a hospital a few hours later. Mofateh was an influential member of the Revolutionary Council and close aide to Iranian leader Ayatollah Khomeini. He was the head of the Islamic theological college in Tehran. (AP LASERPHOTO)

Gunmen assassinate Khomeini regime leader

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Gunmen on motorcycles assassinated Hojatoleslam Mohammad Mofateh, a leading member of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's revolutionary regime, and two of his bodyguards at Tehran University today.

Mofateh, the head of the university's theology department, was the third religious leader assassinated since Khomeini's revolution in February. Taghi Haj Tarkhani, the founder of the Ghabad Mosque in Tehran, was killed in July, and Ayatollah Morteza Motahari, a member of Khomeini's ruling Revolutionary Council, was murdered in May.

Forghan, a leftist, anti-clerical terrorist organization opposed to

Khomeini, claimed responsibility for the earlier attacks and for three others on revolutionary leaders. But the Revolutionary Council blamed Mofateh's killing on the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency and SAVAK, the deposed shah's secret police.

"When the imperialistic interests were cut off from our country, they began plotting against us," the council said in a statement.

This appeared certain to deepen the crisis between the U.S. government and the Khomeini regime resulting from the occupation of the U.S. Embassy in Tehran, the holding of 50 Americans hostage there and the refusal of the United States to surrender the deposed shah for trial in Iran.

Eyewitnesses said Mofateh's killers roared up to the front of the theology building at the university this morning just after he arrived there in his car.

As he and his two bodyguards got out, the gunmen opened fire. One bodyguard was killed instantly, while the other was hit in the head. Mofateh was shot in the knee and staggered into the building, but the gunmen pursued him and shot him again, this time in the head. Then they escaped on their motorcycles, the witnesses reported.

Mofateh and the wounded bodyguard were rushed to Taleghani Hospital about a mile away and underwent emergency surgery. Both died about three hours later, Tehran Radio announced.

Iranian militant students blast foreign minister for too much talk

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — The students holding 50 Americans hostage in the U.S. Embassy blasted Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh today for talking too much and falsely encouraging the Carter administration, and said "the least" they will do is try the captives for spying unless the shah is returned to Iran.

The declaration followed a new endorsement of the students' actions by Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, and the assassination today of a close associate of Khomeini that was sure to inflame the situation. The ruling Revolutionary Council blamed the killing of Ayatollah Mohammad Mofateh and his two guards on the CIA and SAVAK, the ousted shah's secret police.

Ghotbzadeh said after the shah flew from the United States to Panama over the weekend that some of the hostages might be freed before Christmas, but the students said none of the captives would be freed and all would be tried. They repeated their position in a state radio broadcast today.

Khomeini also castigated the U.S. government at a televised news conference Monday night with Arab journalists. But Khomeini said if President Carter "descends from his ivory tower to sit with us on the ground and tries to establish mutual understanding, we will reciprocate, provided he compensates us for the cruelties inflicted so far."

The ayatollah took note of contradictions between the students and his foreign minister, saying that the suggestion by foreigners that the students were directing Iran's foreign policy was a lie. But he gave the students his unqualified endorsement, saying that if occupying the U.S. Embassy in Tehran and declaring that the release or trial of the hostages depended on the return of "our criminal" — Shah Mohammad Reza

Pahlavi — they were acting for the whole nation.

However, the Revolutionary Council, the super-cabinet which governs Iran in accordance with Khomeini's orders, confirmed Ghotbzadeh's announcement that Christian clergymen would visit the hostages on Christmas Day.

Khomeini told the news conference at his headquarters in Qom his regime does not regard the U.S. Embassy as an embassy or the hostages as "members of the embassy."

"It was a den of espionage and they are spies," he declared. "We reject all the clamor by various sections abroad that these people should be freed because they are embassy staff and members of a mission and so forth."

He said the U.S. government was a bully which "skins alive the meek ones wherever it finds them, rains bombs on them wherever it can and strips nations of their resources wherever it can."

"Better not to have relations with those who want to rob us until they come to their senses and discover there are other things in the world and realize that the East has been the seat of a great civilization. Then we might establish relations with them, relations which are reciprocal and balanced."

Tehran's chief Islamic judge, Mohammad Gillani, told a news conference in the capital the order for the trial of the hostages would come from Khomeini and the Revolutionary Council which governs Iran in accordance with his orders.

Gillani also said the hostages would be unable to get defense lawyers since these would have to be Islamic lawyers, and "it would be very difficult to imagine what Islamic lawyer would come to assist a bunch of spies."

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Three witnesses quote murder defendant

'I didn't mean to shoot her'

By DON WOODS
Three witnesses testified in the trial of Jesse Curry today that Curry told them that he had shot his mother and that he had only wanted to scare her by firing a shotgun through a front door she had just closed.

Jury selection began Monday afternoon. Testimony began this morning with Randy McKinny, a carpenter who came on the murder scene to help.

McKinny told the jurors Curry had told him, "I didn't mean to shoot her. Please don't let her die." At another time he had said, "I didn't mean to shoot her. I just wanted to scare her." Lilliam Curry, 50, was shot with a shotgun through a closed front door at 9:52 p.m. on June 17.

McKinny said originally the gun was fired through a hollow door but changed his testimony and testified the victim was shot through a solid core door when confronted with pictures of the door by District Attorney Rick Hamby.

McKinny had ridden to Malone-Hogan hospital in the ambulance with Mrs. Curry and Jesse.

Big Spring Police Officer James Nettles was the second witness in the case for the state. Nettles had taken pictures of the front of the house and helped to search for other evidence within the Kentwood area house.

Hamby introduced into evidence 23 photographs Nettles had taken from various angles of the front of the house and the interior.

One of the pictures showed a one inch hole in the right hand front door. Another showed the left hand door with blood on it.

Hamby began to introduce photographs of Mrs. Curry's body taken at Sheppard Funeral Home. Defense Attorney Wayne Basden objected. Hamby said he would "hold off" on introducing the pictures.

The long barreled gun, allegedly used in the killing, was also in-

troduced during Nettles' testimony. Nettles identified it as the gun removed by police from the Curry house.

Joe Diliberto, Big Spring Police Officer, was the first officer on the scene. He testified that when he responded to the shooting a large crowd of people had gathered around the front of the house. He observed Mrs. Curry lying on her side bleeding from her head, back and legs.

He said he asked who did the shooting and someone told him Jesse had done it. Someone on the scene told Diliberto that Jesse was in his mother's bedroom.

At this time, David Sink came out of the house holding the shotgun by the shoulder strap. The stock was covered with fresh blood, said Diliberto. David Sink is the son of Security State Bank Loan Officer Jerry Sink, who was also on the scene.

Curry threw his arms around Diliberto's neck and said, "Joe, I did it. If I didn't, please tell me." Diliberto said he had known Jesse and his mother for some time.

Diliberto checked to see if the gun was loaded, then put it in the trunk of his patrol car. A shotgun shell hull had been ejected.

Diliberto stated that Mrs. Curry was still alive when he arrived. She had opened her eyes when he mentioned her name and knelt beside her.

Diliberto had drawn his gun when told that Jesse was inside. David Sink told Diliberto, though, "Put the gun away. There's not going to be any more shooting." Sink testified that he had then gone into the house and returned with Jesse and the murder weapon.

Sink stated that when he went inside to get Curry, he was talking to a girl on the phone. Jesse had handed the phone to David. David remembered vaguely that a girl on the line told him to remember a phone number. He also testified that Jesse had been saying to

the girl that he was in trouble and he needed a lawyer.

Jesse told David he had just wanted to fire through the door and scare his mother. Sink said he believed Jesse had been drinking by the smell of alcohol on his breath.

David testified that Jesse had said to him, "She was all I had" and "I don't want to go to prison and die." He also testified that Curry told him he was the only friend he had and that he had shot his mother.

When Curry came into the front yard, David testified that he had asked Jerry Sink for a cigarette. Jerry Sink had offered him two cigarettes and told him to go back into the house and calm down.

David said that Curry had alternated between stages of extreme agitation, nervousness and excitement and calm. He said Curry had sobbed but never cried.

Curry and David Sink were not close friends, said Sink, but they had talked often. He said Mrs. Curry seemed to look avenues of closer friendships.

David said it was common knowledge that Mrs. Curry had abused Jesse when he was younger and as a teenager also. Jesse had come to the Sink's home at times to escape abuses.

David also testified that Lilliam Curry had also run to the Sink home in fear of her son. It was common knowledge in the neighborhood that here was considerable arguing in the Curry home. David had known the Currys for six years.

Curry wept as David Sink explained to the jury the relationship between Curry and his mother.

Supporting school for deaf

City to send resolution to FAA

By JAMES WERRELL
The Big Spring City Council today adopted a resolution to send the Federal Aviation Administration a message regarding the need for a school for the deaf here.

In a Dec. 3 letter to Mayor Wade Choate, Bill Howard, chief of airports district office for the FAA, wrote that the FAA could not concur with the city's plan to transfer that property for the school. The FAA, said Howard, gave the property to the city on the condition that it is used to generate revenue for the airport, and the school for the deaf does not meet this criterion.

"We want to try to show the FAA and our congressmen that the city supports the transfer of property for this school. We will send a copy of the resolution to Bill Howard and ask for a meeting with him," said City Manager Don Davis. "We want to show that the school would be an asset and an enhancement to the industrial park."

In part, the resolution states that the school would "act as an economic stimulus for the community through the operation of the facility and by improving and developing acreage which, in its present state, cannot be used for industrial purposes."

Councilman Jack Y. Smith asked Davis about the status of operations at the airport.

"We are breaking even at this point. The question now is what will happen with the big hangar out there. That may determine the future of the airport," he replied.

When discussion ended, the council voted unanimously to support the resolution.

The council also accepted bids on 18 new vehicles to be used by city employees. These will include eight sedans, four patrol cars and six compact pickups.

Low bids were accepted in each category. Sedans will be purchased from Pollard Chevrolet Company for \$5,968.86 apiece; patrol cars from Bob Brock Ford Sales for \$6,720.88 apiece; and pickups from Brock at \$4,831.39 apiece.

Total cost for the purchase will be \$104,543.92. The city had budgeted \$8,756.08 more than this for vehicle purchases, and Davis recommended that part of the savings be used to purchase another pickup. Council members rejected this suggestion, however.

The council also passed the first reading of an ordinance revising charges at Moss Creek Lake. If the ordinance passes on second reading, all who enter the park will be required to pay 50 cents.

This new policy would eliminate any special use charges for fishermen. An annual pass for Big Spring residents would cost \$5, while that for non-residents would cost \$10.

"We saw no reason to charge someone more to fish than to camp or swim at the lake. I think this will produce more income from Moss Creek," said Paul Feaselle, assistant city manager.

In other business, council members:

—Dropped a proposal to prepare estimated water bills because the plan would strain customer-city relations, and would not solve the problem of late billing and meter reading, said Davis.

—Approved minutes for the regular council meeting held on Dec. 11.

—Went into executive session to discuss a pending legal matter.

Cheer Fund nears \$12,000 mark

Christmas Cheer Fund collections here are approaching the \$12,000 mark.

Donations during the past two days have included a \$500 check from Ethelyn McCann.

The money raised in the drive is used to purchase food baskets for needy families at Christmas time.

The seven donations received by the Herald Monday and this morning brought the total to \$11,830.

Donations should be made out to the Christmas Cheer Fund and forwarded either to the Salvation Army or to the Herald.

Latest gifts include:

Ethelyn McCann	\$500
M. M. Wendall Parks	75
M. M. C. Porter	25
M. M. C. M. Van Fleet	15
M. M. W. C. Ragsdale	25
M. M. Raymond W. Karnes	5
M. M. C. Meek	15

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Origin of boycott

Q. What is the origin of the word boycott?
A. During the 1880 Irish famine, a land agent, Capt. Charles Boycott, was merciless in trying to collect rents. Tenants and others retaliated by refusing to deal with him in any way. His name thus entered the language as an expression of refusal to have business or social dealings.

Calendar: Band Concert

TODAY
The Howard College board of trustees will discuss plans for the April board election when they convene at noon in the board room of the Student Union Building.
Disabled American Veterans Chapter 47 and auxiliary will sponsor Christmas party at Mountain View Nursing Home, 6:30 p.m. Presents will be given to all patients.
Marcy PTA Christmas program, featuring fifth graders, 7:30 p.m. at Marcy cafeteria.
Big Spring High School Band Winter Concert at the Big Spring High School Auditorium 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Forsan Baptist Church Christmas program, "Angels", 7 p.m.
Children's Christmas Theater sponsored by the Speech Department at Runnels Junior High at 9 p.m.
BSHS annual Christmas Assembly with entertainment by both the band and choir in BSHS auditorium second period.

Tops on TV: 'Homosexuals'

Guess what, NBC will present another Christmas special tonight! This one is called "Skinflint: A Country Christmas Carol," and features Hoyt Axton as a cheapskate banker who undergoes a strange experience after refusing to help a poor employee (Mel Tillis). It airs at 8 o'clock. ABC will present a controversial News Closeup entitled "Homosexuals" at 9 o'clock. In this one, several gay men and women discuss their views and concerns, revealing a portrait of how certain homosexuals see themselves.

Inside: Crisis solutions

"MAY I offer a solution to the Iranian problem? Stage a phantom death of the shah. Then give him a new identity. Send the ayatollah an urn of ashes reputed to be the shah's." See page 3-A.
GASOLINE PRICES, which remained steady in recent weeks, are climbing again, and analysts say the cost of pulling up to the gas pump could be as much as 10 percent higher in the next two months. See page 8-A.

Outside: Warmer

Fair and partly cloudy tonight and warmer Wednesday. High today in the near 60, low tonight near 30. High Wednesday in the mid 60s. Winds will be from the southwest at 10 to 15 mph today and 5 to 10 mph tonight.



Police beat Thieves rip off car

A black Toyota owned by Helen Denton, 4043 Vicky was taken while it was parked at the Village Shoe Store, 1903½ Gregg. A coat, 15 eight track tapes and one tape case were also in the car. The keys had been left in the vehicle. Value, \$7,780.

A microphone and amplifier were stolen and property damaged Monday night at AERC, 1100 Austin. The value of the stolen and damaged property is unknown.

James Williams says he knows who threw rocks at his screen door and did damage Monday evening.

A window at Color Center, 304 W. 18th was damaged by a pellet or bullet between noon Saturday and 8:30 a.m. Monday. Value, \$120.

A jar, containing \$7 in change for a soda machine was stolen from Farm Bureau Insurance.

Change totaling \$4.50 for a soda machine and 50 cents in pennies from the cash register were stolen from the John Davis Feed Store, 701 E. Second.

A battery was stolen from the vehicle owned by Mrs. Jimmie Long, 1700 Lancaster, while it was parked in front of her residence this past weekend.

Six mishaps were reported Monday.

Vehicles driven by Michael Roever, P.O. Box 851 and Charles Dykes, Vincent Rt. Box 120 collided at 100 N. Birdwell, 9:24 p.m.

Vehicles driven by Freddie Hardeman, 1403 Settles and

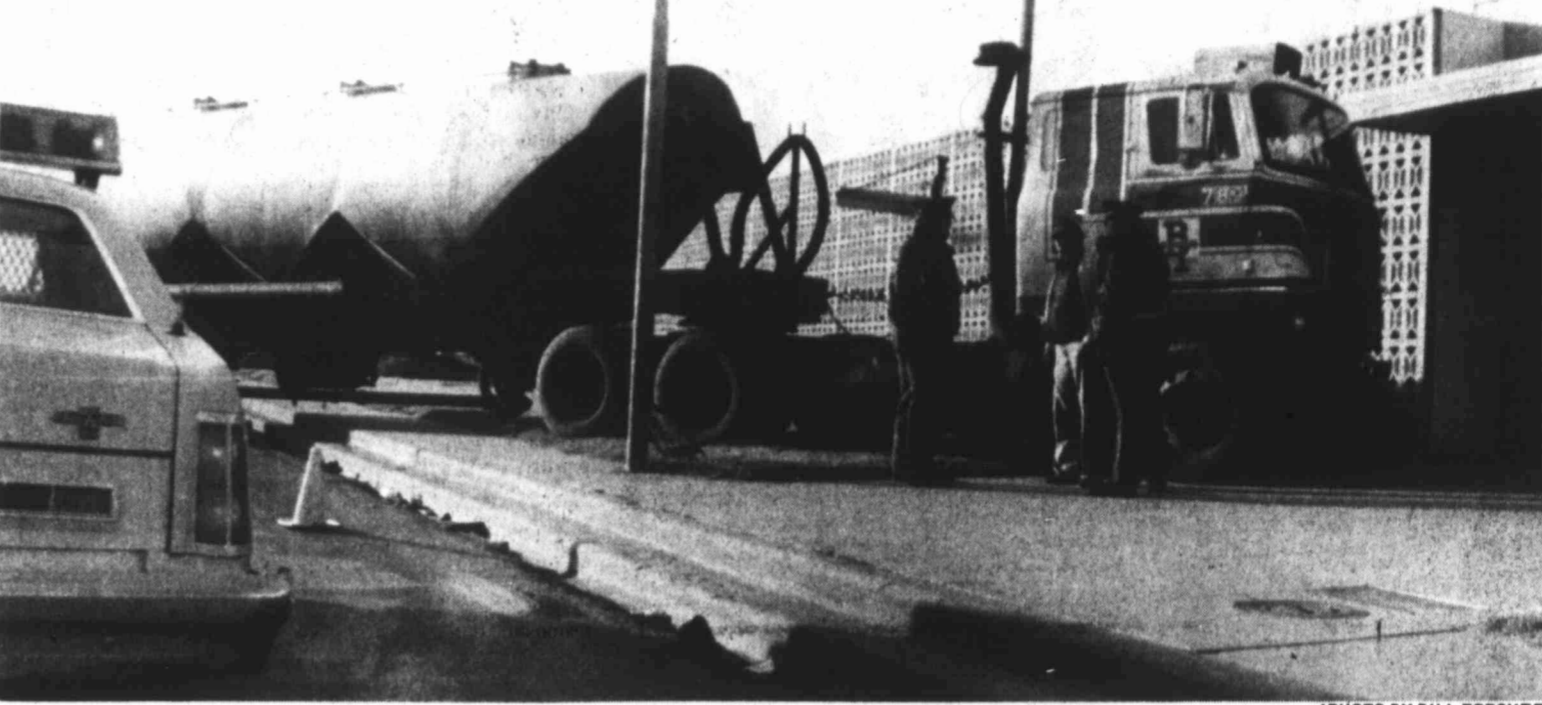
Ubaldo Hinojosa, Crosbyton, collided at Fourth and Settles, 5:10 p.m.

Vehicles driven by James Anderson, 3611 Calvin and Julie Miller, 4054 Vicky, collided at the 400 block of FM 700 E., 4:50 p.m.

Vehicles driven by Doshie Anderson, 907 N.W. Third and Clarice Bailey, 1218 E. Sixteenth collided at the 300 block of Runnels, 3:19 p.m.

Vehicles driven by Bobby Bateman, 1408½ Virginia and Raby Maddox, 538 Westover, collided at Gregg and the North Service Road of FM 700, 1:50 p.m.

Vehicles driven by Jesse Rivera, Colorado City and Deborah Stevens, Rt. 1, Box 691 collided at 1000 N.W. Fourth, 10:10 a.m.



WHOA! — A semi with no driver gave Cowper Clinic & Hospital receptionists a fright when it stopped some 10 feet short of being admitted to the hospital this morning. At about 8:45 a.m., receptionist Becky Free, behind a desk just inside the front door, heard the noise of a truck, looked up, and says she couldn't believe her eyes. She turned to another receptionist, Irene Calvio, and asked "Do you see a semi?" The truck apparently rolled from a parked position across Gregg Street. Dr. Roscoe Cowper requested that no report be made by the investigating officers, Scott McKnight, left, and Robert Sweatt, right.

Open House at Village planned by Worthy

Developer Jerry Worthy is planning an Open House Friday, Saturday and Sunday for the middle unit of the Village at the Spring condominium-type townhouses, only one of five in the development which has not been sold. Hours will be 1-5 p.m. daily.

The Village at the Spring sub-division, which embraces 42 acres, is the first one developed here in 16 years. Entry can be gained to the townhouses by driving out US 87 south to Village Road, located immediately south of Comanche Trail Lake.

The unit which will be shown embraces two bedrooms, two bathrooms and a loft. Four of the units are built so that sunlight can be let into the interior of the quarters, providing ideal places for growing plants.

Each of the townhouses boast garage space in the rear.

This is the first condominium-type structure ever undertaken in Big Spring. Worthy continued with plans toward the townhouses even after a devastating fire hit the entire complex early in their development.

Worthy says he has several residential lots for sale in the sub-division not associated with the townhouse planning, adding he should be contacted personally about their sale. All overlook Comanche Trail Lake.

Recent ice storm harms many trees Applications being taken

The recent ice storm has triggered a large number of calls to the Howard County Agents' Office regarding damage to trees from ice.

The office has put together a few tips for homeowners. In the case of future ice storms, for example, don't rush things — such as applying additional water on trees and plants. This will only increase the ice load on the plants.

After the storm passes, inspect for damage and remove damaged or broken limbs by cutting them back to a side branch. Never stub them off as this could lead to later problems such as insect damage and decay.

Don't leave jagged edges on pruned jobs. Use a sharp lineoleum knife or jack knife and make clean, smooth cuts as this promotes faster healing.

In the case of extremely severe damage, a plant might need to be replaced, but if it should happen to have a good root system, a proliferation of new growth is likely to come out in the spring and then selection of the strongest, best shoots can be cared for and the rest pruned out, saving the need for a replacement.

Make sure fertilizer, particularly nitrogen has been applied to plants.

LAMESA — Applications will be taken for the Energy Crisis Assistant Program each Thursday in Room 201 of the Dawson County Courthouse here.

Those applying should bring their current light and gas bills, Social Security numbers and records concerning their current incomes.

Those applying should contact Velma Smith.



TWO OF MANY — Two of the many stars in the entertainment field who will appear at the Houston Livestock Show are pictured. They are John Conlee (left) and Barbara Mandrell, both scheduled to go on stage the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 26. The Houston show gets under way Feb. 20 and extends through March 2. The 1979 Houston show drew more than 27,000 livestock entries and attracted 831,768 spectators.

Digest

Kidnapper's parole set

ATLANTA (AP) — The man convicted in the 1974 kidnapping of former Atlanta Constitution editor Reg Murphy is set for parole on Feb. 22, 1984, according to the National Parole Board.

William A.H. Williams was sentenced to 40 years in prison for kidnapping Murphy, now editor of the San Francisco Examiner. Murphy was held for \$700,000 ransom, which the FBI eventually recovered.

Williams' parole, announced Monday, is contingent upon good behavior until his release date. By then, he will have served 10 years of his sentence.

Nuclear plant dropped

WESTBORO, Mass. (AP) — New England Power Co. says it has dropped its plans to build a nuclear power plant at an abandoned naval auxiliary landing field in Charlestown, R.I., although it still believes the "property is the best remaining site ... in southern New England and should have been kept available for future development."

The company said Monday it had decided not to continue legal action to acquire the landing field. The General Services Administration ruled the site could not be used due to environmental and legal considerations, and the company's appeal of that decision was dismissed by a federal court earlier this month.

Newspaper to make debut

NEW YORK (AP) — An afternoon newspaper that will try to capitalize on the commuter trade will debut on New York newsstands during the first quarter of 1980, according to publisher Michael Goldstein.

The Wall Street Final will be a five-day-a-week newspaper featuring closing stock quotations and other late-breaking business, national and international news. Goldstein, founder and former publisher of the Soho Weekly, a Manhattan tabloid, said Monday his goal is to sell 20,000 copies daily. The city's only other afternoon paper is the New York Post, which sells more than 640,000 copies a day.

Plant strike at end

PIKETON, Ohio (AP) — Officials at the nation's only enriched uranium plant say workers will be given a week to return to their jobs now that a seven-week strike has ended.

The walkout by 1,500 members of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers Union Local 3-689 at the Goodyear Atomic Corp. plant did not halt operations because the facility is automated, officials said. The plant produces enriched uranium for use in nuclear weapons.

The workers began returning to work Monday, after approving on Sunday a new contract which calls for pay raises of 21 percent over three years.

Markets

American Airlines	10	Halliburton	81½
Brantiff	8½	Harte-Hanks	27½
Bethlehem Steel	21¼	Houston Oil and Mineral	24¼
Chrysler	4¾	IBM	45
Dr Pepper	127½	J.C. Penny	27
Enserch	29¾	Johns-Manville	24
Ford	32¾	K-Mart	24½
Firestone	9¼	Kodak	24
Getty	79	Coca Cola	36
General Telephone	28¼	Mobil	58¾
		Pacific Gas and Electric	27¾
		Phillips Petroleum	49½
		Sears and Roebuck	19
		Sun Oil	77½
		American Telephone & Telegraph	37½
		Texas	29½
		Texas Instruments	90
		Texas Utilities	78½
		U.S. Steel	17½
		Exxon	56¼
		Westinghouse	19¾
		Western Union	62
		Zales	19½

RIVER WELCH Funeral Home
610 SCURRY BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Steer Band trio in area tryouts

Three Steer band members traveled to Odessa for pre-area tryouts Monday at Permian High School.

All three qualified for area tryouts to be held Wednesday. They are Kathie Timmins on French horn, Scott Shortes on cornet and Pat Griffin on piccolo.

These students have a chance to be selected for the all-state band which will perform its annual concert in February.

'The Joys of Christmas' slated at Coahoma Thursday

The Coahoma Independent School District will present a special music program entitled "The Joys of Christmas," 7:30 p.m., Thursday in the Coahoma High School Auditorium.

The program will feature choral work by elementary school students, and selections played by the junior high and high school bands. The show is free, and the public is urged to attend.

Edna Guevara selected 'Outstanding Young women of America'

Edna G. "Chico" Guevara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rutilio L. Guevara, 701 Settles, is one of nine West Texas women who have been selected by the board of advisors for the Outstanding Young Woman of America awards program to be included in the 1979 edition of "Outstanding Young Women of America."

Miss Guevara is a second lieutenant stationed with the U.S. Air Force at Goddard Air Force Base in San Angelo where she is executive officer for the 3480th Technical Training Group.

She is a graduate of Big Spring High School and attended Howard College for a year before transferring to Angelo State University where she graduated in 1977 with a bachelor of arts degree in psychology. She received the Air Force commission through the ROTC program at ASU.

This year, she was recognized as Outstanding Junior Officer and was named by the Chamber of Commerce Board of City Development as Distinguished Military Citizen of San Angelo.

L. Guevara is minute man for West Texas Blood Services-Contact Point at GAEB, 1978-79 secretary of the Junior Officer Council and was chairperson for the West Texas Air Force Chili Cook-off for two years.

She is a Crises Intervention counselor, works with Angelo State Cadets and is a member of Federal Women's Program Committee.

The Outstanding Young Women's program honors and encourages exceptional young women between the ages of 21 and 36 who have distinguished themselves in the homes, their professions and their communities. In addition to being included in the awards volume, the selected women are being considered for one of the 51 state awards to be presented to those women who have made the most noteworthy contributions in their individual states.

The Outstanding Young Women of America will be chosen from the 51 state winners. The top 10 women

Deaths

John Childers

LAMESA — Services for John Henry Childers, 67, of Lamesa were at 2 p.m. today at Branon Funeral Home with the Rev. Alvis Cooley, pastor of First United Methodist Church officiating, assisted by the Rev. Jack Thompson, retired Methodist minister.

Graveside services at the Field of Honor in Lamesa Memorial Park were conducted by the local chapter of the Disabled American Veterans.

Childers died Sunday at Medical Arts Center Hospital after a brief illness.

Vernon Sneed

BRIDGEPORT — Vernon Sneed, 49, formerly of Big Spring, died Friday at 4 p.m. at his home in Bridgeport following a lengthy illness.

Services were 2 p.m. Sunday at the Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport.

Survivors include his wife, Edna, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Sherry Pevitt and Mrs. Denise Mitchum, both of Bridgeport; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Sneed of Big Spring; two sisters, Mrs. Delores Hitt of Big Spring and Mrs. Lyn Anderson of Midland; one brother, Kent Sneed of Grant Prairie; and three grandchildren.

Juan Ontiveros

Services for Juan Ontiveros, 85, who died at 11:10 p.m. Sunday in a local hospital, will be at 10 a.m.

Any or all interested agencies, groups or persons wishing to comment on this decision may submit written reply to the Chief Executive Officer of the City of Big Spring. Any and all comments should be received on or before January 10, 1980, and will be given consideration before action is taken to request release of the Federal Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-383) to use in this project.

MEJORAAMIENTO DE LA VEJINDAD
ENUMERACION DEL DISTRITO DE FONDS FEDERALES

1. Mejorar las calles
2. EsfuerzoCodigo
3. Prestamos Federales para rehabilitacion
4. Administracion de prestamos bajo la Regla 312
5. Comprar casas que no se puedan reparar.
6. Beneficios para localizar casas
7. Demolicion
8. Fondos Federales para la Rehabilitacion de la Comunidad
9. Fondos Reservados
10. Administracion

El costo del proyecto a sido calculado a \$75,000.00

A sido determinado que esta demanda para solicitar los fondos no va a establecer la accion significativa para afectar la calidad del ambiente ser humano y en conformidad, la ciudad de Big Spring, ha decidido en preparar una Declaracion del Desempeño bajo el Acto Nacional del Desempeño del 1969 (Derechos Publicos 91-190). Las razones para la decision son las siguientes:

Por medio de los estudios y localizacion de la area afectada (Enumeracion del Distrito Once) por la oficina de Desempeño de la Comunidad, el proyecto no va a llevarse mucho tiempo que vaya a afectar la calidad de:

1. Aire
2. Salud y Seguridad
4. Uso de Tierra
5. Tierra y Vegetacion
6. Factores Economicos

Durante el tiempo que es necesario para terminar este proyecto, va a ser mucho rompimiento, pero no mas lo que es necesario para reparar las calles en esta area. El proyecto consiste en construcion, demolicion, y rehabilitacion en esta area. Este trabajo tiene que estar echo en conformidad con el EsfuerzoCodigo y la Regla 312 de la salud y seguridad. Esto se necesita para mejorar la cantidad. Consideracion se le da al efecto que este proyecto pueda tener contra los animales y pescados, la

Local record shop will be featured on television

The "Eyes of Texas" television segment on Oscar Glickman and the Big Spring Record Shop will be played on that syndicated program, The Herald was informed Monday.

The show, filmed and edited by a one-time Big Spring resident, Gary Tidwell, will appear in the Houston area Dec. 29 and likely will be screened on KMID-TV Midland Channel 2 the following Saturday, Jan. 5.

The Record Shop has one of the biggest and most unique collection of records and tapes in the world. Nostalgia buffs from all over the country contact Glickman and visit the shop seeking recordings which have long since gone out of print.

Herald Advisory Board to meet this evening

The Herald Editorial Advisory Board convenes at 7:30 p.m., this evening in the Conference Room of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce offices.

The public is invited to sit in on the discussions and volunteer opinions.

Adrian Randle, chairman of the local-national-international news subcommittee has been contacting local citizens seeking opinions about the newspaper adopting such a policy and will lead the discussions.

Energy Confirmation noted in Howard County

A confirmation has been noted in Howard County.

The Coahoma (Mississippi) and Wichita (Alabama) field of Howard County gained its fourth Mississippi producer and a one-mile south extension to that pay with completion of McCann Corp., Big Spring, No. 4-A Read, three miles east of Coahoma, for a daily flowing potential of 190 barrels of 44 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 1.789-1.

Production was through a 22-64-inch choke perforations at 8,847-77 feet which had been acidized with 1,500 gallons.

Drilled to 8,945 feet, where 4½-inch casing was set, it is plugged back to 8,941 feet.

Location is 1,842 feet from the north and 2,173 feet from the west lines of 41-30-1N-T&P.

The same operators will drill the No. 4 Black Bass as a ½-mile south and west outpost to the same field, 467 feet from the south and 2,173 feet from the west lines of the same section. Contract depth is 8,900 feet.

Midland, No. 2 Black Bass, location south offset to its No. 1 Black Bass, ½-mile east extension to Fusselman production in the Coahoma, North (Clearfork and Fusselman) field of Howard County, was finished for 750 barrels of 52 gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 952-1.

Production was through a 22-64-inch choke perforations at 8,612-705 feet, which had been fractured with 210,000 gallons and 275,000 pounds.

Drilled to 8,840 feet, where 4½-inch casing was set, it is plugged back to 8,802 feet.

Location is 1,965 feet from the south and 1,880 feet from the west lines of 40-30-1N-T&P.

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cantidad de energia, recreacion y preservacion de arqueologico El Registro que Revisa el Ambiente con respecto al proyecto ha sido nombrado por la Ciudad de Big Spring, que documenta la revision del ambiente de este proyecto y establece las razones de una declaracion no es necesario. El Registro que Revisa el Ambiente esta registrado en la oficina del Desempeño de Casas y de la Comunidad, edificio 625, localizado en el Parque de Industria de Big Spring y esta disponible para el uso del publico. Puede obtener copias entre las horas: 8:00 A.M. y 5:00 P.M.

Personas, grupos, y agencias interesadas en comentar en esta decision puede submiter su contestacion escrita al Jefe Ejecutivo de la Ciudad de Big Spring. Todos los comentarios tiene que ser recibidos antes O en esta fecha 10 de Enero, 1980, y se le oara consideracion antes de tomar accion para pedir los Fondos Federales.

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Government responds to them all

What's your solution to Iranian crisis?

WASHINGTON (AP) — "May I offer a solution to the Iranian problem? Stage a phantom death of the shah. Then give him a new identity. Send the ayatollah an urn of ashes reputed to be the shah's."

By the thousands, Americans are writing President Carter to suggest ways of gaining the release of the 50 American hostages in Tehran.

Some letter writers want to take military action against Iran; others want a crackdown on Iranians in the United States. No matter how bizarre the suggestion, someone in the administration responds.

The phantom-death proposal, one of the more imaginative in a sampling of 150 letters, came from a woman in McLean, Va.

"Make a sham movie of the death, if necessary," she wrote. "It would have to be the best kept secret ever."

A Bloomington, Minn., resident wrote that the Iranian demands are not unreasonable.

"Tell the Iranians we are sorry we supported the shah after all," he told Carter. "Please forgive us. Here is your shah. Kick him out. Why should one man's existence jeopardize hundreds of thousands of lives?"

Recalling that Iran released 13 black and female hostages in the early days of the crisis, an Alexandria, Va., man suggested the United States use a similar tactic.

"Why don't we round up all the Iranian students who are here illegally and hold them in jail until the hostages are released?" he asked. "We could send back the dark-skinned ones and the women and keep the light-skinned

ones here." Almost all reaction to the Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini is negative. There are many suggestions as to what the president could do, about him.

From Des Moines, Iowa: "The more attention you pay to the ayatollah, the more power he gets and unites the Iranians against us. Ignore him. It won't be any fun for him and he'll give up the hostages."

From Peoria, Ill.: "The unexpected attracts attention.... Why not send a woman envoy to talk with

Khomeini. Anita Bryant, accompanied by a black guard and perhaps an Iranian interpreter, might just astonish them and accomplish much."

If the letters are a representative sampling of public opinion, many Americans clearly are in a vindictive mood. The letters were sprinkled with suggestions such as "please blow them (the Iranians) off the map," or "obliterate their oil fields" or "please consider ordering the mining of Iranian ports."

A correspondent from Astoria, N.Y., proposed using a missile-launched "knockout gas" that would

incapacitate everyone in the embassy compound area. Paratroopers would then rescue the hostages.

"The ideal, of course, would be some sort of mercy bomb that would put the whole of the lunatic Iranian people to sleep for a period of time, but I think this is improbable."

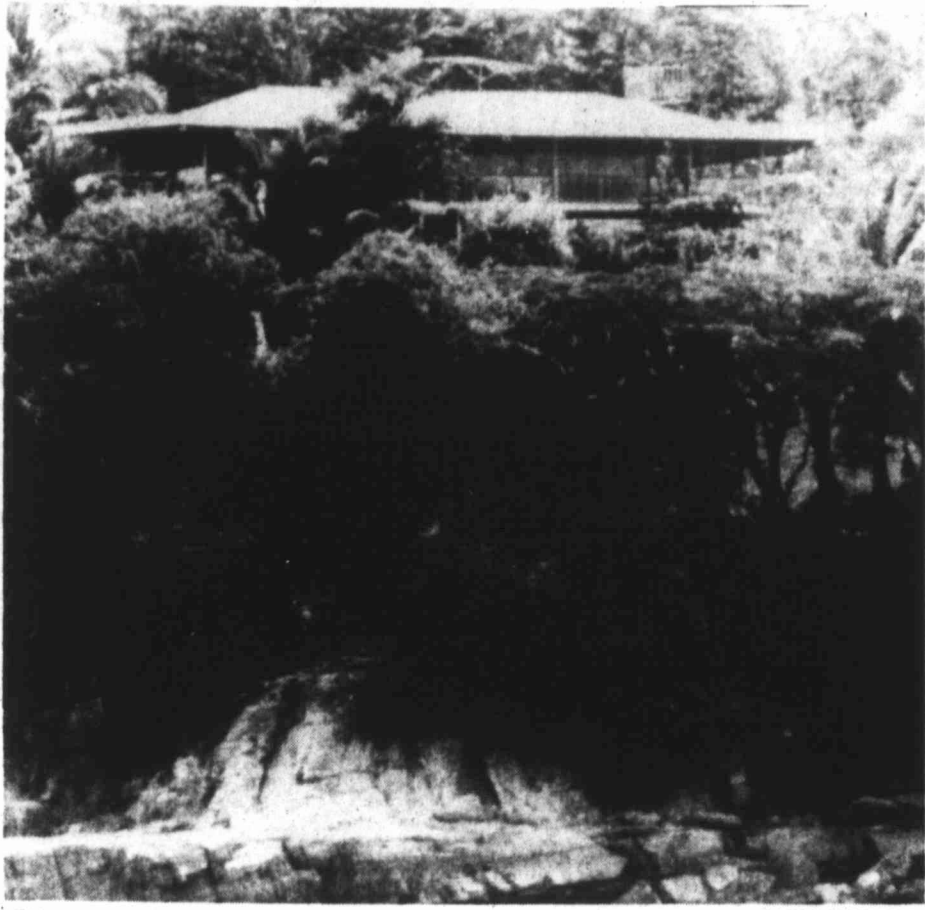
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EX-SHAH'S RETREAT — This is the cliffside home of Gabriel Lewis Galindo, former Panamanian ambassador to the United States, on Contadora Island, off the coast of Panama. The deposed shah of Iran, Mohammad Reza Pahlavi and Empress Farah arrived there from the United States on Saturday.

Base suite being renamed for royalty who stayed there

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — There's a new Shah Suite at Lackland Air Force Base's visiting officers quarters. But don't go expecting a palace just because Iranian royalty stayed there.

The comfortable, but by no means plush, Chennault Suite is being renamed in honor of the deposed Iranian monarch who spent two weeks there before leaving Saturday for Panama.

Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, reputed to be one of the world's richest men, roughed it in a drab, wooden, two-story barracks built for cadets during World War II and converted 16 years ago into modest suites for visiting colonels and generals. The daily rate is \$4 per person.

"These are nice by military standards, but I'm sure it's a budget motel room compared to what the shah is used to," said Maj. Elliot Johnson as he led reporters on a tour of the quarters.

The shah didn't even get the best of the 12 suites in the building. Security problems prevented that. His bedroom window in the best suite would have overlooked a road rather than a fenced courtyard.

The Shah Suite is a small, two-bedroom apartment on the second floor. The decor approximates that of a good, but not luxurious, hotel.

The shah's bedroom has one bedside table and lamp, a dresser, a plastic clock radio, a Gideon Bible and a brass bed — a new one, not an antique. The sheets are military issue. There is daily maid service.

The austere bathroom has no tub, only a shower.

A large console color television dominates the living room. There is also a couch, two easy chairs, a small desk and chair and a tiny kitchenette. The Shah Suite comes with complimentary Air Force stationery in the desk drawer.

Lackland's VOQ is a row of four asbestos-shingled barracks built in 1941 for aspiring air cadets. Few Air Force bases still use World War II vintage buildings for visiting officers.

Until the shah's barracks building was remodeled about three years ago for VIPs, all of the VOQ quarters were Spartan by even military standards. "I stayed in there before they remodeled them. Believe me, they were terrible," Johnson said.

The entire senior officers building was reserved for the shah, his wife, Air Force security agents and the shah's bodyguards, aides and dogs.

The four-barracks complex, usually empty during the holidays, was sealed off.

Bruce Gulsby, the VOQ's civilian manager, acknowledged that a few rules had to be altered for the facility's celebrated visitor.

For instance, the instructions posted on the wall forbids pets. The shah's Great Dane and his wife's poodle always accompany the royal couple.

"A special exemption was made. The dogs stayed in a laundry room," said Gulsby.

The notice in the hall sternly states: "No weapons or ammunition will be retained in the facility. Such items will be registered and stored at the Security Police."

The shah was heavily guarded by armed bodyguards and Air Force agents packing automatic weapons and hand grenades. "Obviously standard procedure couldn't apply there," Johnson said.

However, royalty did not earn the shah any special maid privileges.

"We did nothing different for the shah. We cleaned and changed sheets once a day just like always. He was a nice gentleman, and his dogs never barked or bothered me," said Chika Dockery, the maid assigned to the shah's apartment.

The shah's bodyguard occupied the other bedroom in the monarch's suite. Empress Farah stayed across the hall in a similar suite, Johnson said.

Johnson said the shah ate his meals downstairs in another suite. The food was prepared at the Officers Club about 150 yards away and brought by van to the VOQ.

After it began raining last week, Gulsby had a crude wooden porch built outside the building's entrance to keep the shah's meals dry.

The shah paid the standard \$4 per person daily rate for each member of his party, said Johnson. That was nothing compared with what the shah paid for food, extra security — and the temporary porch, the major added.

But the federal government is footing the bill for the new Shah Suite sign. "It was an honor for us to host the shah. That's why we want to rename the suite for him," Johnson said.

Whataburger to build here

Whataburger Inc., a fast food chain, will construct a new restaurant at 1110 Gregg.

A permit for construction was issued Monday afternoon, said Mark Campbell, city building inspector. Work on the 64-foot by 29-foot, metal and concrete building within 30 days, he added.

Cost of the restaurant, which will include a drive-in window, has been estimated at \$121,000. The construction company has not yet been named.

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Weather: Grip of cold front loosening in state

By The Associated Press
The season's first cold front seems to be loosening its grip on Texas today as warmer temperatures are forecast for most of the state.

A few clouds should hover over the coastal regions, but the rest of the state will be clear to fair.

Early morning lows dipped to 30 in Abilene and Houston, but the state's chilliest reading was at Wink where the mercury dropped to 20.

Today's highs should be in the 60s in the Panhandle and Central and South Texas. The rest of the Lone Star State can expect highs in the 50s.



WEATHER FORECAST — Warm weather is expected in the forecast period, today until Wednesday morning, for the Southwest and Southeast but most of the nation will continue cold. Rain is forecast for the Northwest and western Texas.

Nuke protestor fails to pay fine; is jailed

CLEBURNE, Texas (AP) — A Dallas woman convicted of criminal trespassing at a nuclear power plant site was jailed when she failed to pay her fine, according to sheriff's deputies.

Mavis Belisle, 35, was found guilty Nov. 26 at a trial in Glen Rose for her part in an antinuclear protest on the grounds of the Comanche Peak nuclear power station. Three North Texas utility companies are building the plant a few miles from Glen Rose.

Deputies said Ms. Belisle had 10 days in which to pay court costs and a \$200 fine, but she failed to do so. Somervell County authorities then issued a warrant for her arrest, and she surrendered Friday, officers said.

She was transferred from the Somervell County jail to the Johnson County jail here, according to sheriff's department officials, because the Glen Rose facility was not designed to house female prisoners on a long-term basis.

Prosecutors said Ms. Belisle faces two months in jail because of her failure to pay, but said that time could be reduced for good behavior.

We take entirely too much for granted

There are things the Russians do better than grow crops — like fomenting trouble in Africa or training gymnasts. Were it not for farmers in the United States, Canada and Australia, the Muscovites might have been much more active in foreign intrigues than they now are.

America, for instance, has shared its grain regularly with the Russians and bids fair to continue doing it through the foreseeable future.

CONSIDER THIS YEAR'S agricultural effort in the land of the Cossacks and the steppes. If the Red commies had hoped to brag about the Soviet production of food stuffs after the most recent harvest, they

were to be more bitterly disappointed. In fact, the saga of Russian agriculture takes on the aspects of a horror story.

No less a personage than Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev announced recently that the Russian grain harvest for 1979 will total 179 million metric tons — 24 percent less than the Russian fields produced last year.

Blamed for the shortfall was cold, wet weather during the growing season. In order to take up the slack, the Russians are expected to purchase the full 25 million metric tons of wheat and corn that the Carter administration has approved for sale to Moscow.

The announcement is a shining testimonial to the fact that the Soviet system of centrally controlled, collectively operated agriculture is still light years behind our own free enterprise system.

The lack of producer independence, coupled with unwieldy central planning and lagging technology, all but assures that we will continue to have a long lead on the Soviets in this department for years to come.

PERHAPS WE ARE prone to take this advantage too much for granted. Perhaps we should exploit this superiority in the world of international politics. No one is suggesting that we cut back agricultural sales to

the Soviet Union. The old starve-into-submission philosophy has long since been discredited. What we need to start thinking about is whether we've been as smart and as tough as we should have been in our use of what — for want of a better term — we may call the food weapon. American food products should not be doled out or withheld solely on the basis of political and diplomatic concerns; but neither can we afford to disregard such concerns in our own planning.

In the best of all possible worlds, of course, we would give freely of our own plenty and partake freely of the plenty of others; but the world doesn't yet act like that. And we had best act realistically rather than chauvinistically.

Little change

Around the rim

Marie Homeyer

Last year about this time I wrote about the different letters to Santa Claus that had been received at the Herald. I've decided to do the same again this year since again I have been assigned the duty of organizing them for publication.

As I looked over the column from last year in order to compare what the children were asking for then to what they are asking for now, I found very little has changed.

this year, apart from last year, is their awareness of how much toys cost. Little or no mention was made in the letters at-out the cost of the items that they were requesting. It seems the preoccupation-with-the-high-rate-of-inflation disease has been caught by the younger generation. When I was that age, the cost of what I wanted never entered my mind. In a lot of the letters this year, the children were telling Santa what they wanted and how much it cost.

Other very popular items this year are ten-speed bicycles, lunch boxes with popular television and movie themes, Ronald McDonald dolls, dogs, Barbie dolls, BB guns and jewelry.

ALSO IN SOME of the letters, the children tell of some of their problems at home. Some parents may think the children are unaware of what is going on in the home, but the children know different. One child explained a problem of jealousy between children because of too much attention and the lack of attention. The child was asking that Santa make all the problems better.

Another child felt she never was allowed to watch any of the television shows that she wanted, so she asked Santa to bring her a set of her own so that she could watch what she wanted.

And, whereas, last year Santa probably got a little more chubby because of all the milk and cookies that the children promised to leave out, this year I think Santa Claus might get hungry. Not very many children offered to leave the sweets for Santa.

Merry Christmas everybody!



Eyes controls

Evans, Novak

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy has become so desperate to get his stalled campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination off dead center that he is considering proposing mandatory wage and price controls in an effort to cash in on the hot inflation issue.

The idea has found favor among some of his top economic advisers. It is now being circulated among outsiders for their reactions. The consensus so far: Watch it, senator; calling for mandatory controls could hurt more than it helps.

But Teddy Kennedy has to do something drastic if he is to reverse the trend in the polls that, because of President Carter's gains from the Iranian crisis and Kennedy's losses from his own mistakes, have given Carter a surprising lead over Kennedy. Kennedy reasons that he must focus voter attention back on the economic issue. A call for mandatory wage and price controls might do that. But it would push the country down the road toward a controlled economy, a direction that would be fiercely contested by conservatives, moderates and even many liberals.

BUSH IN S.C.

FAST-RUNNING GEORGE BUSH, on the strength of a surprisingly strong showing at a recent Republican fund-raising dinner in Spartanburg, S.C., has ordered a poll taken to decide whether to enter the March 8 South Carolina presidential primary, the first in the South just three days before the important Florida primary.

Bush was a smash hit at the fund-raising dinner. The party's southern patriarch, Sen. Strom Thurmond, introduced him at the dinner and was so impressed with his performance that he called a top party operative in Columbia about it the next day.

One question Bush wants the new poll to answer: Would a good performance by him in South Carolina be more damaging to Ronald Reagan or hurt John B. Connally? Strategists for Bush are not yet certain whether it is more important for Bush to knock Connally out of the race, in hopes of making it a Reagan-Bush race, or whether he should concentrate on cutting down Reagan.

If Bush does decide to enter the state (the filing deadline is Jan. 8), he will concentrate in the Spartanburg area, the state's 4th Congressional District. The winner of each of the four congressional districts gets three delegates, with the statewide winner picking up seven at-large delegates.

GOP GAINS

In three economic issues of major political importance — government spending, inflation and taxes — the Republican party has moved ahead of the Democrats as the party that could "best handle" the issue.

That, at least, is the claim of a reputable national poll financed by the Republican National Committee that measured voter reaction on which party can best handle various problems. The answers indicate that the long drain of Republican Party strength that set in during Watergate has ended.

ON REDUCING GOVERNMENT spending, the Republicans were picked by 39 percent to 22 percent as the party best able to cope, up from a 1974 deficit of 39 percent to 19 percent in favor of the Democrats. On inflation, the Republicans won a 33 percent to 25 percent edge over the Democrats. A switch from 1974 when 48 percent chose the Democrats 32 percent to 25 percent. No 1974 figures were available.



"Look, Senator! 99.5% of the people agree with your stand on the Shah!"



"Unfortunately, the poll was taken in Tehran."



Two tests for tuberculosis

Paul G. Donohue, M.D.

Dear Dr. Donohue: What is the significance of having a positive reaction when taking the Tine test for tuberculosis? I am always positive, and since I work for a school that means I have to have yearly chest X-rays, which I'd rather not have to take. Isn't there a better way out? — C.B.

There are two skin tests to detect previous exposure to tuberculosis. They work much like the skin tests allergists perform on patients.

If the skin test shows a "positive" reaction, that means the person has at some time been contacted with the TB germ. It does not mean the person has TB.

The two skin tests are the Tine test and the Mantoux test. For the Tine a flat multi-pronged disc-like affair is used. With the Mantoux a needle is used.

You had the Tine. The needle (Mantoux) test is more sensitive and tells with greater certainty whether one has had prior exposure. The problem with the Tine test is that it may show a positive reaction for reasons other than previous TB exposure.

So the usual procedure is to follow up a positive Tine test with the more specific Mantoux test. The decision as to what comes next is based on the result of that second test.

Your county health department will be very helpful in advising you further. The Mantoux test might take you off the annual X-ray hook.

Dear Dr. Donohue: I have a bowel problem, especially constipation. I have been told by friends to take a teaspoonful of plain vaseline each morning and I'd like to try it, but I don't want to unless it is safe. Your opinion will be appreciated. I follow your very sensible advice daily. — B.J.

I don't think it would hurt to take a teaspoonful of vaseline by mouth. I don't think it will help, either. It is not standard treatment and I certainly cannot recommend it. It sounds

unappealing to me, but bon appetit. See the booklet, "The Way to Stop Constipation." For a copy, send 35 cents and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to me in care of the Big Spring Herald.

Dear Dr. Donohue: I am 53 and try to keep in trim by exercising to music. One of the exercises involves keeping the legs straight, twisting at the waist and touching the toes, right and left alternately. My problem is that when I try to twist to the right and bend I get a pain in what I believe is the popliteal artery and I can't touch my toes. No problem on the other side. Can you tell me what causes this pain? — C.W.

How in the world do you find out where the popliteal (pop-LITE-ee-uh) artery is? For the rest of the world it is the large blood vessel in back of the knee.

I don't think your pain originates there. It may be that your right hamstring muscles, large muscles in the backs of the legs, are tighter than those on the left leg.

Too, it could be a Baker's cyst, which also forms in that area. You can (1) stop the pain-producing exercise, (2) build up to it gradually, or (3) get a professional examination of the area. Do this in reverse order.

Dear Dr. Donohue: I had my uterus removed a year ago. Five months later I had mastitis. It finally cleared up with antibiotics. Two months ago I had mastitis again. Is there any

connection with having my uterus removed? I am 51. — Mrs. R.S.

Mastitis is an infection of the breast, most often due to the staph germ. Sometimes these germs enter the breast tissue through small cracks in the nipple. Cleansing with antibacterial soaps helps prevent recurrences. An active infection needs to be treated with antibiotics.

There is no connection between the mastitis and the removal of your uterus. Careful breast hygiene might eliminate much of the incidence of mastitis.

NOTE TO READERS — Mention of warts always brings batches of mail and adds to a bulging shelf of sure-fire cures. I selected one for the "wart cure" of the year award. Mrs. D.L. swears by it. She ties a string loosely around the wart, wears it for a while, then buries the string in a manure pile. When the string rots the wart drops off. Don't try it on my recommendation.

How to get rid of leg cramps and foot pains? The answer may be simple — write to Dr. Donohue, in care of the Big Spring Herald for a copy of the booklet, "How to Stop Leg Cramps and Foot Pains." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 50 cents.

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

My answer

Billy Graham



DEAR DR. GRAHAM: Do you think Satan is really a personal being? I have always thought of evil as a force, kind of like gravity, and I have a hard time thinking of a personal devil. — Mrs. G.L.O.

DEAR MRS. G.L.O.: The Bible teaches us several important facts about Satan, and one of these is that he is personal — that is, he is not merely an impersonal force, but he is able to scheme and devise strategies to try to block God's plans. This is clear throughout the Bible. For example, when Satan tempts Eve it is clear that he has a personality (see Genesis 3). Or again, when Satan attempts unsuccessfully to get Jesus to sin at the beginning of his ministry, it is clear that Satan is a personal being (see Matthew 4:1-11).

You should remember that the Bible also warns us about Satan's personality. For example, the Bible tells us that he is very powerful. It compares him to a roaring lion who looks for those he may devour (1 Peter 5:8).

It also tells us that Satan and his co-workers are the "powers of this dark world" (Ephesians 6:12). These references (and many others) should warn us against thinking we can resist Satan only in our own strength. We need God to help us resist him.

Also, the Bible tells us that Satan is completely opposed to the purposes of God. Usually, even when we meet someone evil, we can often find something about him which is good. But Satan is totally and absolutely evil, opposed in every way to God and His purposes. We should remember that he is likewise very clever and cunning. He will not necessarily tempt us in open and obvious ways, but will try to fool us. That is why the Bible tells us that Satan sometimes "masquerades as an angel of light" (2 Corinthians 11:14).

Although Satan is still at work in this world, he is defeated. Christ gained the victory over Satan through His cross and resurrection. That is why we need not fear Satan if we truly trust Christ every day.



Court decisions

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court's wall of secrecy has now been breached by Bob Woodward and Scott Armstrong in their book "The Brethren."

The petty, behind-the-scenes shenanigans — vote swapping, backscratching, playing to personality quirks — that are sometimes the deciding factors in cases of far-reaching importance have been devastatingly detailed in the book.

Cogent, articulate legal argument by one justice, of course, can also persuade a colleague to change his vote on occasion.

A CASE IN point was the decision in Moore vs. City of East Cleveland, decided in May 1977 — several months after the period covered in the Woodward-Armstrong book. Court sources told my associate Gary Cohn that a stirring dissent drafted by Justice William Brennan Jr. apparently changed the mind of Justice Lewis Powell Jr., creating a five-man majority out of an initial four-man minority.

Inez Moore, who lived with her son and two grandsons in East Cleveland, Ohio, had been convicted of violating a local housing ordinance that restricted occupancy of a home to members of a single, narrowly defined family. One of the grandsons was the child of Mrs. Moore's deceased daughter and, therefore, a cousin of the other grandson. This was a relationship that was not included in the city ordinance's definition of "family."

For refusing to expel the 10-year-old boy, who had lived with her since infancy, the grandmother was fined and sentenced to prison. She appealed on grounds that the ordinance was unconstitutional.

POWELL AT FIRST voted against Moore. But Brennan wrote a blistering dissent, noting, among other things, that "if the ordinance were applied to Washington, D.C., then President Carter would be in violation." Several members of the Carter family, not just those covered by the East Cleveland ordinance, were at that time residing in the White House.

Powell not only changed his vote, but proceeded to write the resulting majority opinion. He wrote that the city had undertaken "intrusive regulation" of family life — one of the

liberties protected by the due process clause of the Fourteenth Amendment — without any overriding justification.

The majority opinion held that the Constitution's protection of the sanctity of the family was deeply rooted in the nation's history and tradition, and extended to families which shared their household with uncles, aunts, cousins and grandparents.

Chief Justice Warren Burger — who dissented on grounds that Mrs. Moore should have exhausted her administrative remedies by asking for a zoning variance — was "absolutely furious" at Powell's last-minute change of mind, according to court sources. Powell's "defection" had snatched a Burger defeat from the jaws of victory.

Footnote: My office has repeatedly requested interviews with Burger to get his side of Supreme Court stories. He has repeatedly refused to be interviewed. We'll continue to ask for his comments each time we report on court activities he doesn't think the public is entitled to know about.

MEDIGAP MESS: For the last two years members of Congress have been hearing horror stories about older Americans who have been ripped off by high-pressure insurance agents selling so-called "Medigap" policies. These policies are supposed to pick up the slack that Medicare and Medicaid leaves in treatment of many illnesses.

Investigations by the Senate and House Aging Committees and the Federal Trade Commission have turned up a disturbing pattern of over-sell and under-coverage in these insurance policies. To curb the offending hard-sell agents and their companies, Rep. Claude Pepper, D-Fla., and Sens. Robert Dole, R-Kan., and Max Baucus, D-Mont., are pushing legislation that would slap felony charges on shady sales agents, and set up a program of voluntary approval of insurance companies' Medigap policies by Uncle Sam.

The health insurance lobby went to work recently in not so subtle fashion to get the badly needed legislation pigeonholed for further study, in hopes of strangling the bill in its crib.

The heaviest lobbying has come from the Health Insurance Association of America, Mutual of Omaha, Colonial Penn. and Union Fidelity.

Big Spring Herald

Mailbag

Dear Editor:

The Caprock Chapter of the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation (formerly known as The National Foundation) thanks The Big Spring Herald and the people of Big Spring, for their on-going support in our fight for prevention of birth defects.

We feel that our new name reflects our mission more accurately than our former corporate identity. But our commitment and our dedication to a healthy birth for all remain the same. And for this we will need your continued support.

The phrase "March of Dimes" was first suggested by comedian Eddie Cantor soon after the fight against infantile paralysis was launched by President Roosevelt in 1938. It was under this banner that support was generated for the Salk and Sabin vaccines which led to the ultimate conquest of polio. That was 25 years

ago — when the March of Dimes became the only voluntary health agency ever to conquer a major disease. And that record still stands.

In the second half of our brief history we accepted the even more formidable challenge of birth defects, this country's number-one child health problem. In Big Spring, March of Dimes funds aid individuals, hospitals, social and service organizations, and educational institutions.

Under our new name, we hope we can continue to count on your support in our fight to prevent birth defects and improve the outcome of pregnancy.

Jerry Reid, Caprock Volunteer
D'Ann Reid, NW Texas
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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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Names in the news



ANN LANDERS FRANCO ZEFFIRELLI

Landers wants remarriage

NEW YORK (AP) — Syndicated columnist Ann Landers, who has advised millions of women about marriage, divorce and assorted affairs of the heart, says she would like to marry again.

Miss Landers, 62, described her ideal mate in the January edition of the Ladies Home Journal as a non-drinker, non-smoker "whose own success wouldn't be overwhelmed by mine. A very good doctor or lawyer in his fifties or maybe early sixties."

The columnist, who also tells how her 36-year marriage to former Budget-Rent-A-Car executive Jules Lederer ended in 1975, concedes she would have to be "turned on" by the new prospect.

Students may finance film

BOSTON (AP) — Director Franco Zeffirelli has come up with a novel idea for financing a Shakespearean movie he wants to make: Ask college students to back the venture.

He wants to ask college students to contribute \$5 each toward the filming of Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing." Each backer would get two tickets to the film, which would be distributed to theaters about two years later.

"It would be historic," Zeffirelli said at a news luncheon Monday. "I think it should be something that young students should promote."

British make last effort

LONDON (AP) — British taxmen are making a last-ditch effort to win a long legal battle with television star David Frost and collect on \$377,000 of his U.S. earnings.

So far, Frost has won every legal battle. But on Monday the Inland Revenue appealed to the House of Lords, which will hold a two-day hearing on the matter. It is considered a last recourse after tax commissioners, a High Court judge and the Court of Appeal have all ruled in Frost's favor.

At issue is the money Frost earned from U.S. screenings of the "David Frost Show" between 1969 and 1972.

Conviction appeal lost

NEW YORK (AP) — Allen Klein, former manager of the Beatles and the Rolling Stones, lost his appeal of a tax evasion conviction that resulted in a two-month jail sentence and a \$5,000 fine.

Klein, 48, of New York, sought to upset the conviction on numerous claims of trial error. But the 2nd U.S. Court of Appeals unanimously found "no merit" to the claims.

"Queen" off and running

WASHINGTON (AP) — Bess Myerson is off and running for the U.S. Senate.

The former Miss America and TV game show panelist has registered with the Federal Election Commission a committee to raise funds for a U.S. Senate race from New York, her campaign manager said Monday.

Republican Sen. Jacob Javits, 75, who now holds the seat, says he has not decided whether to seek a fifth term.

Eaton said the committee registration had been mailed from New York, but probably would not arrive at the FEC offices here for several days.

Death Row torture different for one

ATLANTA (AP) — The torture of Death Row for convicted murderer Jack Howard Potts may be as physical as it is psychological, making his case different from those of other condemned men who have welcomed the executioner.

Potts claims the policeman's bullet that shattered his jaw and lodged in his spine four years ago when he was arrested has turned his life into one of "torture and pain."

"No one on earth will change my decision I have made, no one," the 36-year-old inmate at Reidsville prison wrote in a letter to The Savannah Morning News. "I'm just tired, very, very tired of this life I am forced to live on Georgia's Death Row."

Potts has asked that his death sentence be carried out as soon as possible and recently asked the courts to drop his appeals. Prison officials say he did it for the publicity.

According to testimony at his 1976 trial, Potts shot a man during a quarrel in 1975 while riding in a truck. The wounded man, who survived, threw the keys out a window and Potts was forced to find another vehicle. He walked about 100 yards down a road, where he met Michael Priest. Potts forced Priest at gunpoint to drive him to his home, then shot Priest to death. Potts was wounded and captured by police two days later.

He was tried and convicted of kidnapping with bodily injury in Cobb County and for murder in Forsyth County, where Priest's body was found. He was sentenced to death on each charge.

Potts' case presents a dilemma for those who would carry on the legal fight against the death penalty.

Like Gary Gilmore of Utah and Jesse Bishop in Nevada, two of the three men executed in the United States during the 1970s, Potts has demanded a halt to all appeals of his conviction and sentence.

"There is a difference between someone who is mentally incompetent, like Bishop, and a defendant who may be competent but is under such physical and psychological duress that his perception — perhaps accurate — is terribly skewed by pain," said Jack Boger of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund.

"If anybody has a rational reason for wanting to die, Potts does," said Patsy Morris, who monitors all Georgia death cases for the American Civil Liberties Union.

Potts will not be executed until "late 1981 at the earliest" simply because of the delays inherent in automatic appeals, she says.



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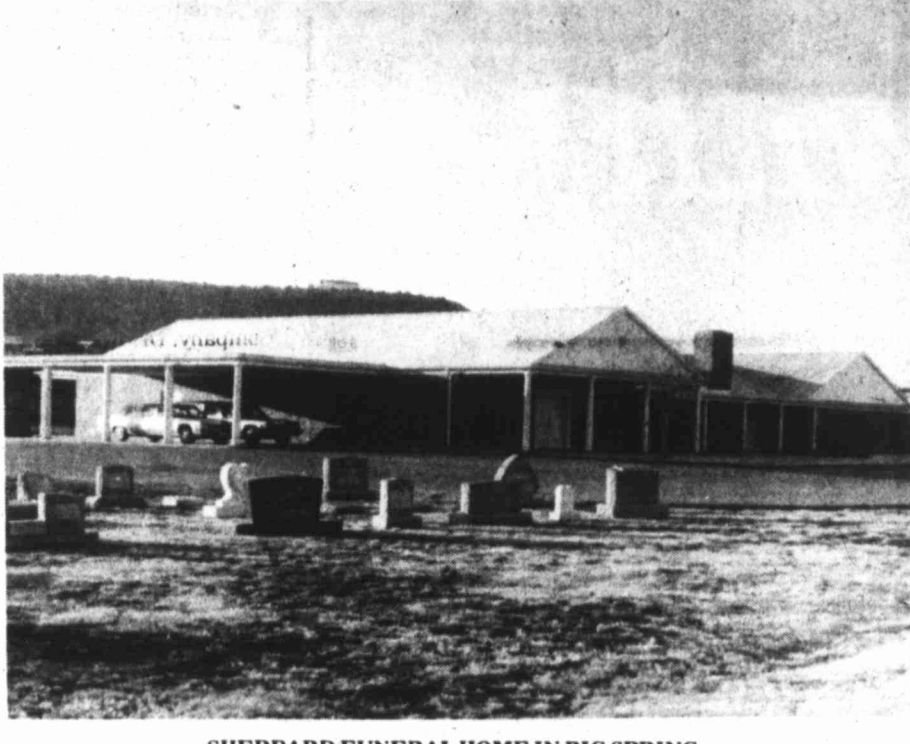
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On how to treat asthma Animal research yields clues

PORTLAND, Oregon — Research that may benefit a small but significant number of asthma sufferers whose disease fails to respond to current therapies was reported recently at the Annual Fall Meeting of the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics.

Experiments with guinea pig tissue may explain why certain compounds may be used to prevent constriction of breathing passages — an event that highlights asthmatic attacks, according to Martin A. Wasserman, Ph.D., of The Upjohn Company. Dr. Wasserman is a research scientist in the Hypersensitivity Diseases unit; he specializes in the study of both obstructive airway diseases and prostaglandins.

The Upjohn Company, with headquarters in Kalamazoo, Mich., is a worldwide maker and marketer of pharmaceutical products and health care services and maintains extensive basic research programs in biology, chemistry and medicine.

Dr. Wasserman's results, although preliminary, lend support to the theory that the airways and lungs contain two types of hormone receptors that can dilate or constrict the breathing passages. Asthma sometimes may be the result of an imbalance between the two, this research, says Dr. Wasserman, also suggests that the guinea pig may be a useful animal model in the study of asthma.

"Scientists have long known that stimulation of one type of receptor — the beta receptor — dilates the airways," he explains. "Some common asthma medications ease constriction of the airways by stimulating these beta receptors."

Dr. Wasserman has shown that the complementary receptor — the alpha receptor — is present in guinea pig airways and, when stimulated, causes them to constrict. Normally, however, the dilating effect of beta receptor stimulation is stronger and predominates.

A potential new form of

asthma treatment, according to Dr. Wasserman, involves medications to block stimulation of alpha receptors. This would prevent the airway constriction caused by alpha receptor stimulation when the delicate balance between the two types of receptors is disturbed.

In his experiments, Dr. Wasserman treated strips of guinea pig lung and windpipe tissue with a substance that blocks data receptors, leaving only alpha receptors exposed. Substances known to stimulate alpha and beta receptors were still able to induce contraction of the strips. If the alpha receptors were blocked, however, alpha receptor stimulants failed to induce contraction of these tissue strips.

"This finding helps explain why drugs that block alpha receptors may be effective," Dr. Wasserman says. "Although the research results in no immediate drug discoveries, it helps place the development of alpha-blocking agents on a firm physiologic foundation."

"Increased understanding of the mechanism of asthma and its treatments," says Dr. Wasserman, "will enhance the versatility of the physician by offering improved alternatives to existing therapies."



CARTER MEETS WITH WOMEN — Presidential Assistant Sarah Weddington, right, listens as President Carter addresses leaders from various women's organizations at the White House recently.

Clubhouse

Ms. Morriss
to be guest
March 13

The Altrusa Club of Big Spring met Dec. 13, 7 p.m., in the Big Spring Country Club. Mary Lynn Welch and her committee were in charge. The tables were decorated with Christmas arrangements featuring red and green holly down the center. Souvenirs from the Settles Drug Store were made from small green square bottles, holly and green rope ribbon.

The Christmas music was provided by Teresa Welch, Cecelia Ward, Venessa Cooper, and Melisa Cooper. Mary Alice Tidwell, District Nine Altrusa International treasurer, and Myrtle Bearden, president of Altrusa Club of Midland spoke briefly on the projects and progress being made on the Literacy and Reaching the Human Needs program. Mrs. Bearden announced Jen Hanson of Carlsbad, N.M., the international president of Altrusa will be in Midland March 1. The Big Spring club members are urged to attend.

Mamie Roberts, president of the Big Spring Club, announced that March 13 Virginia Morriss, Governor of District 7, Altrusa International, will be a guest. The local club will host an all day work shop at Howard College April 12. The director chairman, Area 111 District Nine, Altrusa International, Glydene Shelton, Pampa, will be in charge of the workshop.

The next meeting will be Dec. 27, at noon in the Patio Room of Holiday Inn.

Mrs. C.V. Wash was the hostess for the Pioneer Sewing Club Christmas party held the afternoon of Dec. 12.

Present were 14 members and one guest, Mrs. C.D. Branham. Gifts were exchanged among those present followed by a distribution of gifts at the Mountain View Lodge Christmas party.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 15 in the home of Estill Park.

Spanish Inn meeting site

The City Extension Homemakers Club had their Christmas meeting at the Spanish Inn recently. Seventeen members were present. Mildred Calihan

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Wedding vows spoken Dec. 15

The Phillips Memorial Baptist Church was the setting for the Dec. 15 wedding uniting Lillian Wheat and Jesse Earl Bohannon.

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Flower girls were Chris and Addie Elwell. Miss Elwell served as ring bearer. Traditional wedding music was provided by Athel Atkins, Midland, vocalist, who was accompanied by Linda Sims, pianist.

Immediately following the rite, a reception was given in the couple's honor by the ladies of the church.

TwEEN 12 and 20 — Get advice about sexless marriage



By Robert Wallace, Ed. D.

Dr. Wallace: I'm 19 and was married two weeks ago. My problem is that I have yet to make love with my husband. I've just come to know the Lord and I don't know if it's all right to have sex without intending to have children. Until I hear from you, I will remain a virgin. — Nameless, Astoria, Ore.

Nameless: I'm not a marriage counselor, but I can see that your "marriage" is doomed unless you change your ways. I would suggest that you talk to your clergyman — like this afternoon or tomorrow.

I know this is after the fact, but why didn't you check the important detail before the marriage ceremony?

Dr. Wallace: I'm 17 and my boyfriend, who is divorced and has a son, is 21. He says he loves me and wants me to go to Delaware with him. I want to go with him but I'm afraid if I don't like it with him, my parents won't let me come back. What should I do? — Sandy,

Valparaiso, Ind.
Sandy: Don't go! When you get out of school and if you're still in love, get married and travel to Kokomo, Kalamazoo, Timbuktu or wherever.

Dr. Wallace: I'm 14 and have never had a boyfriend. Recently I went to a party where a boy I sort of liked was attending. I danced with this boy several times until my prettier friend "stole" him.

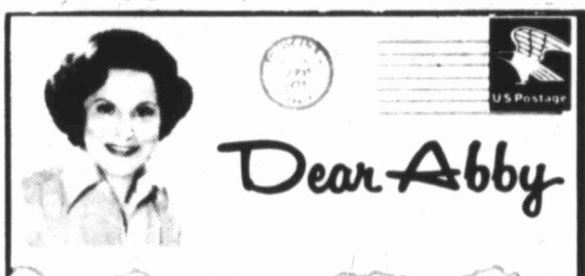
She suggested that I dance with his younger brother who is 13. I did and now I like him but my friends are telling me that I'm hard-up for liking a younger guy. — Marie, Robles, Calif.

Marie: If you enjoy seeing this boy, don't be swayed by peer pressure. Do whatever you feel is best for you.

Anyway, I think these girls are a little jealous, don't you?

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He Deserves Small Hello

DEAR ABBY: When I telephone a business executive, I expect HIM to answer the telephone. I don't want to waste my time telling some \$700-a-month, coffee-break secretary who I am, and why I'm calling.

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So, all you big-shot executives out there, when someone calls you, pick up the phone and say "Hello." No more "Who's calling?"

BILL IN LONG BEACH
DEAR BILL: You rattled the wrong cage, mister. If I didn't have a secretary screening my calls, I'd never be able to answer my mail or write this column. And please don't begrudge a secretary her coffee break. She needs it after trying to deal with people like you!

DEAR ABBY: I'm engaged to a terrific gal, but Suzie and I don't see eye to eye on one small matter.

Last Saturday we had a date for a formal dinner dance at a private club. I rented a tuxedo, and Suzie said she was surprising me with a neat new outfit she bought especially for the occasion.

When she came to the door, I was surprised, all right! Abby, she was wearing a TUXEDO — exactly like mine! I was speechless. I knew she was hurt, but I had to tell her the truth. I had bought her a corsage but it would have looked ridiculous on a tuxedo, so she left it home. I knew she wanted to wear the tux, so I didn't ask her to change into a dress.

Well, we went to the dance looking like a brother and sister act; she was the only female there in a tuxedo. I was uncomfortable all evening, but she thought she looked great. Anyway, I felt funny dancing with someone who was dressed like me.

Am I old-fashioned? I wonder how many other men feel as I do.

ONE TUX IS ENOUGH
DEAR ONE TUX: Some women look great in tuxedos, and it's fashionable, but I'll wager that most men prefer a more feminine look for a formal affair.

If you need help in writing letters of sympathy, congratulations or thank-you letters, get Abby's booklet "How to Write Letters for all Occasions." Send \$1 and a long, stamped (28 cents), self-addressed envelope to Abby: 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

Mother and baby feted

Mrs. Randy Gee and baby son, Brock Matthew, were honored with a baby shower Dec. 11, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the fellowship hall of East Fourth St. Baptist Church.

Hostesses were Mrs. Mike Steward, Mrs. Dick Davis, Mrs. Mike West, Mrs. David Rhoton, Mrs. Jack Lee, Mrs. Dee Worthan, Mrs. Roy Hester, Mrs. Bob Jones, Mrs. Harold Cain, and Mrs. Loy Anderson.

The honoree was presented with a corsage made of baby socks, ribbon and a pacifier. The hostess gifts were a baby swing, crib sheet and a suit of clothes for the baby.

Guests registered at a small table covered with a blue crocheted baby blanket and centered with toy building blocks and a toy animal. Special guests attending were the two grandmothers, Mrs. Bob Brock and Mrs. Bobby Gee Brock.

Forsan church to present musical

"Angels", a musical about God's messengers, will be presented by the Forsan Baptist Church Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the church auditorium.

The musical was written by Cynthia Clawson, Ragan Courtney, and Beryl Red. The major characters are Kelli Kendrick as Gabriel, Kim Kendrick as Michael, Susan Alexander as the director, and Bill Cregar as Elijah.

Members of the choir include Joni Poyner, Karla

Cregar, Teresa White, Lewis Boeker, Vicki Baggett, and Beth Boeker.

Additional music will be provided by Brenda White, Zimmalew Boeker, Joyce Baggett, and Reba Ward. Sharon Cregar will provide piano accompaniment. Additional percussion music is to be provided by Cheryl Welander and Bill Cregar. The musical is directed by Steve Cowley. A bus will be provided for those who need transportation.

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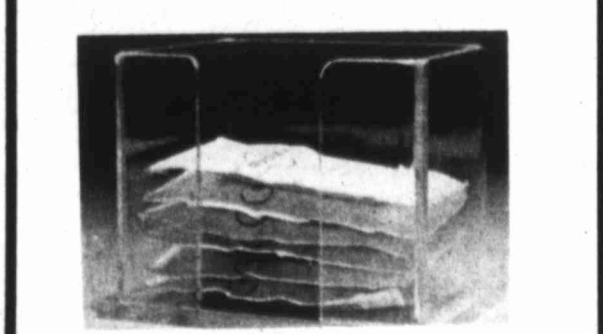
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Glen has been a Herald carrier since September, delivering papers to homes on the 1300 block of Ridgeroad, Steakley, Mulberry, Drake, the 1200 block of Lloyd and McEwen.

He lives with his mother, Georgann Sitton, at 1111 Ridgeroad Drive. In his spare time he likes to read and listen to music.

Glen likes to meet the people on his route 153. His route profits make good pocket money after he has deposited some into savings.

Many Herald carriers, being the get-ahead young people they are, excel elsewhere as well as in business. At school, Glen is a member of the National Honor Society, an organization which honors exceptional scholastic achievement.

A young person who goes out and handles a business capably is bound to be good at most of the other things he or she attempts. If you are interested in learning to manage your own business, call the circulation department at 263-7331 or stop by the Herald at 710 Scurry for a route application.

Big Spring Herald

OPEC meet in second day

Deadlock over prices

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — The usual deadlock over new prices for crude oil prevailed today as the year-end meeting of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries went into its second day with Saudi Arabia trying to hold the line at \$24 a barrel and Libya and Algeria pressing for more.

Saudi Arabia, OPEC's largest member and the supplier of about 10 percent of U.S. oil needs, was holding out for no increase beyond the 33 percent boost it announced last week. That hike resulted Monday in increases of six cents a gallon in the wholesale price of gasoline and heating oil charged by two major American companies.

But Libya, claiming the industrialized nations can pay whatever they are charged, has boosted its price to \$30 a barrel and suggested that the price for Saudi crude, the benchmark for OPEC prices, should go as high as \$34.

OPEC's prices already are about 100 percent higher than they were a year ago, and last week's \$6 a barrel increase in the price of Saudi crude lifts OPEC's base price by nearly 80 percent since Jan. 1.

But Algerian Oil Minister Belkacem Nabi defended the cartel's steady price increases, saying in an interview that "industrialized countries can easily switch from one source of energy to another. We see that I would not hesitate to call a psychosis concerning oil reserves."

Iran joined the militants by announcing the base price of its oil has risen from \$23.50 to \$28 a barrel, and Oil Minister A. K. Hart of

Nigeria said he would have no objection to raising Nigeria's base price from \$26.27 to \$30.

Moderate oil ministers met for two hours after the formal OPEC sessions ended Monday evening in an attempt to settle differences with the militants. But things were "getting worse, not better," said Venezuelan Energy Minister Humberto Calderon Berti.

The OPEC moderates were led by Sheik Ahmed Zaki Yamani, the Saudi oil minister who said OPEC's biggest producer would impose "no increase" in prices in the first quarter of 1980 and perhaps beyond. He also predicted the hawks "will come down sooner or later" as the high prices cause an economic slowdown and world oil demand drops.

Yamani was joined by Oil Minister Mana Saeed Otaiba of the United Arab Emirates. Last week the UAE followed the Saudis in increasing their base price from \$18 to \$24 a barrel, and Otaiba said Monday he would freeze his price through the first half of 1980.

Also in the moderate bloc were Venezuela and Qatar, which also joined the Saudis in increasing their base price to \$24 a barrel. Ecuador and Gabon were said to be supporting the Saudi move, and Indonesia raised its prices by \$2 to \$23.50 a barrel.

The United States imports about 8 million barrels of oil daily, about 40 percent of its needs. OPEC price increases also affect the price of U.S. oil because the price of 15 percent of the oil produced domestically is tied to world prices.

Price increase of 10 cents a gallon expected for gas

NEW YORK (AP) — Gasoline prices are climbing again, and analysts say the cost of pulling up to the gas pump could be as much as 10 percent higher in the next two months.

Wholesale gasoline prices have been raised as much as six cents a gallon in the last week as major producers responded to announced retroactive crude oil price increases.

But other factors are at work in the market, including inflation, Iran's embargo on oil shipments to the United States and revised government rules on the mark-up gasoline dealers are allowed, analysts say.

Crude oil price increase expected to be approved by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries this week could push up prices by as much as an additional 10 cents a gallon, analysts say, based on reports from the OPEC meeting in Caracas, Venezuela.

The national average price of all grades of gasoline currently is \$1.03 a gallon, according to the Lundberg Letter.

"The brunt of it will hit in February," said Mark Emond, editor of the Los Angeles-based newsletter that covers the gasoline industry. "February ought to be a nasty month."

On Monday, Standard Oil Co. of California, which markets under the Chevron brand name, and Exxon Corp. said they were raising

wholesale gasoline prices 6 cents a gallon in response to Saudi Arabia's decision to boost crude prices \$6 a 42-gallon barrel to \$24.

Chevron also raised the price of heating oil 6 cents a gallon. Exxon has announced a price increase on some of its distillate products of 3 cents a gallon.

Since last week, Mobil Corp. and Texaco Inc. have raised the price of a gallon of gasoline 3 cents; Standard Oil Co. of Indiana, 2 to 3 cents; CITGO, a penny; and Sun Co., 2 cents.

Chevron, Mobil, Texaco and Exxon depend heavily on Saudi oil, and analysts expect Texaco and Mobil also to raise their prices in response to the Saudi move.

Mobil's 3-cent increase came before the Saudi action. Texaco raised prices Saturday but said its increase was not related to the new Saudi crude-oil price.

Neither would comment on plans for further price increases.

OPEC-triggered increases will not be felt at the consumer level for a few weeks because federal gasoline price controls require that oil companies wait a month before passing on higher costs to consumers.

However, because Saudi Arabia's 33 percent increase was retroactive to Nov. 1, Chevron was able to raise prices without delay.

Prices have also been pushed up by the high cost of

oil on the spot market. Many companies have had to turn to the spot market for oil to supplement tight supplies and to replace the fuel lost because of the Iranian embargo on oil sales to U.S. companies announced last month.

As the last shipments from Iran arrive in the next couple of weeks, the companies will have to buy more and more of the expensive oil, putting more pressure on product prices.



(AP LASERPHOTO)

A STAR IS BORN — Filipinos in Las Pinas craft stars for Christmas recently in Asia's only predominately Catholic country. The stars are the local specialty of the town and year-end income earner for residents.

'Windfall profits' tax

Bill headed for committee

WASHINGTON (AP) — The "windfall profits" tax passed by the Senate, which would tax the oil industry \$99 billion less than a House version, is heading into a congressional negotiating committee with little prospect for a compromise this year.

The task facing the Senate-House conference committee is to hammer out a measure that over the next 11 years will cost the oil industry somewhere between the \$178 billion voted by the Senate and the \$277 billion passed by the House. The conferees will be under pressure to make sure the oil industry is provided ample incentives to increase production.

By rough estimate, the Senate bill, passed 74-24 Monday night, would capture about 38 percent of the net "windfall" expected to be taken by the oil industry in the 1980s because of President Carter's decision to remove federal price controls from U.S. crude oil.

The House-passed bill would take about 61 percent.

The president, who proposed the tax, told reporters at a state dinner Monday night he was glad the bill passed the Senate.

But a statement released

by the White House also said the Senate bill "falls considerably short of the House bill."

"We will continue to push for a strong...bill which is fair to producers, consumers and taxpayers," it said.

The American Petroleum Institute's president, Charles J. DiBona, said: "The tragedy of the Senate bill is that it would give oil companies nowhere near enough to generate the level of domestic investment that must be made to decrease our reliance" on the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries. The API is a trade group for the oil industry.

Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., who will head Senate

conferees on the measure, called the bill "a lot better than the alternative," meaning Carter's option to reimpose price controls on U.S. crude oil if Congress does not enact a strong tax.

The senators and House members who will strive for a compromise will meet for the first time Wednesday. Aides say there appears little chance they can complete their work by Friday night, when they are due to start a holiday recess.

Barring unlikely sessions between Christmas and New Year's Day, final action will thus probably be delayed until early in January. If there is a delay, the new tax would be imposed retroactively to Jan. 1.

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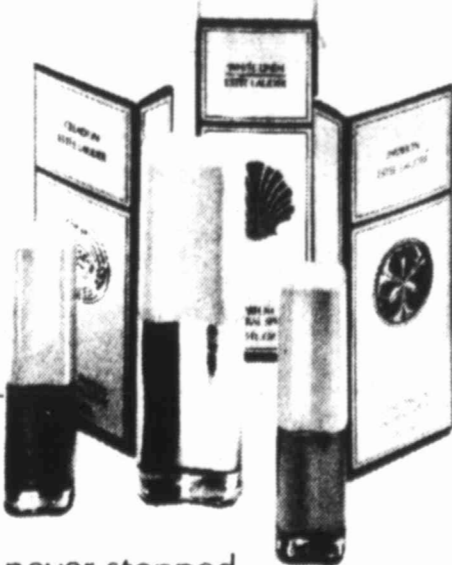
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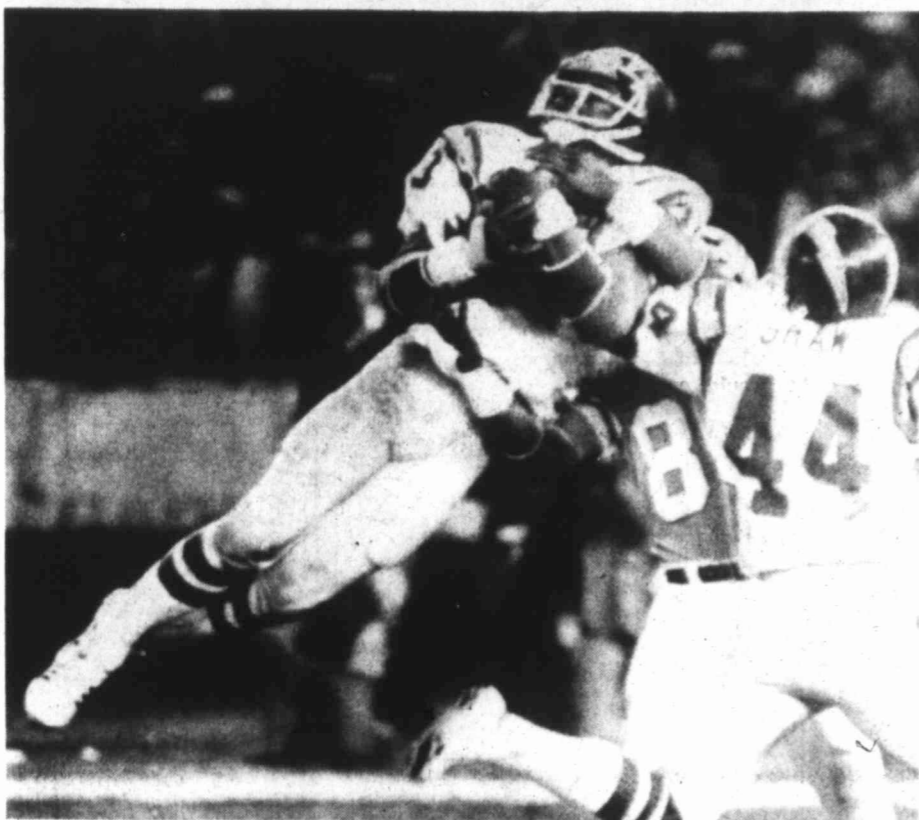
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Tuesday

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STEALING THE PASS — San Diego Chargers' Mike Williams slips in to intercept a pass thrown by Denver Broncos' Craig Morton late Monday night in San Diego. Pass was intended for Broncos' Rick Upchurch (center). At right is Chargers' Pete Shaw (44).

Steers host Pecos tonight

The young and improving Big Spring Steers boys basketball team will be gunning for their fifth win of the season tonight when they play host to the Pecos Eagles at 8:00 p.m. in Steer Gym.

The Steers spotted the Plainview Bulldogs a 15-point halftime lead on Friday, but then rallied to make a close contest of it in the final quarter.

Big Spring employs a full-court press to take advantage of their quickness

and to overcome their height deficiencies.

Oilers healthy as playoffs near

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers are going into the National Football League playoffs for the second straight year on the heels of a regular season-ending loss, but there is one big difference.

Health. "This year we're starting to get people back and last year at this time, we were still getting them hurt," Oiler coach Bum Phillips says. "Our quarterback doesn't have all that harness stuff to worry about."

The Oilers lost to Philadelphia, 26-20, Sunday with Earl Campbell and most of his first teammates sitting out the second half. Houston closed out the regular season a year ago with a 45-24 loss to San Diego before advancing to the American Football Conference title game.

Quarterback Dan Pastorini was held together with a "flak jacket" to protect badly bruised ribs last season.

Harvey Martin apologizes to Redskins

DALLAS (AP) — Defensive tackle Harvey Martin says he regrets he threw a funeral wreath in the Washington Redskins dressing room after the Dallas Cowboys rallied for a 35-34 victory Sunday, knocking Washington out of the NFL playoffs.

"That was dumb and something I guess a member of the Dallas Cowboys shouldn't do, throwing that funeral wreath in the locker room at a time when they were down and they'd been defeated, and we all knew that," Martin said Monday in a television interview with WFAA-TV's Bill McAtee.

"I'm sorry I did it. As a matter of fact, I sent a telegram to Coach (Jack) Pardee and the Washington Star and Post up there, apologizing for my action. I want to try to carry on with the tradition of the Dallas Cowboys, which is class," Martin said.

The Cowboys, down 34-21 with less than three minutes to play, were taking verbal abuse from the Redskins on the field. After Dallas scored twice in the

Ellenberger officially fired as UNM coach

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Norm Ellenberger's reign over the University of New Mexico basketball program apparently has come to an end, although the flamboyant coach still has one last hope.

Ellenberger, known as "Stormin' Norman" during the days when his free-wheeling basketball teams were chalking up victories and attracting large crowds, was

closing minutes to pull out the victory. Martin wasted no time in delivering the wreath personally to the Washington locker room.

A still-steamed Martin said Sunday, after opening the Redskin locker room door and hurling the wreath inside: "They sent me a funeral wreath. I got it Friday in practice. What do I need with a wreath? ... I'm happy the Redskins will be home for Christmas. I gave them the wreath back because they needed it."

Martin was apologetic Monday. "I thought at the time that's what I should do, since they gave it to me. But since then, I've been thinking. It was a dumb thing for me to do."

The Washington Star said it traced the wreath to a florist in Rockville, Md., who recalled it was sent by a businessman who was a big Cowboy fan who had sent the wreath to psyche the Cowboys.

fired Monday by university President William E. Davis.

But Davis said Ellenberger can appeal the decision to the university's board of regents.

Neither Ellenberger nor his attorney, David Norvell, were available for comment on whether they would appeal.



(PHOTO BY BILL FORSHEE)

HAWK QUEEN HIGH SCHOOL CLASSIC CHAMPIONS — Pictured above are the champions of the Howard College Hawk Queens High School Classic Basketball Tournament, the Forsan Buffalo Queens. The Buffalo Queens captured the tournament by overcoming the

Snyder Tigers in the finals. From the left are Monica Dyess, Karla Cregar, Joni Poyner, Lana Grantham, Rhonda Gaskins, Christie Adams, Coach Ron Taylor, Julie Poyner, Valerie Stevens, Valerie Adams, and Lavonne Brumley.

For AFC West title

Fouts led Chargers brand Broncos

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Like a proud old prize fighter, San Diego wide receiver Charlie Joiner kept coming off the mat. And in the end, he delivered the knockout punch.

"Charlie took such a beating," said Chargers Coach Don Coryell, "but he kept coming back and playing."

Joiner, 32, capped his finest National Football League season with a 32-yard touchdown reception from Dan Fouts that put the Chargers permanently in Monday night's 17-7 victory over the Denver Broncos.

By dethroning Denver as AFC West champs, San Diego, 12-4, ended a 14-year

title drought and gained the home field advantage throughout the playoffs. Denver, 10-6, must travel to Houston Sunday for a battle of wild card clubs.

Afterwards, nursing 12 stitches over his right eye and a painful hip bruise, Joiner called it "the biggest touchdown of my career."

"A championship is special. You don't know how hard we worked for this," said the 11-year veteran, who, ironically, was drafted by Houston 10 years ago as a defensive back.

With John Jefferson, San Diego's most dangerous receiver, sidelined with a rib injury, Joiner became a marked man — the key in the

Chargers' aerial circus.

His third quarter touchdown, which broke a 7-7 tie, came after he was knocked out of the game with the hip injury. Shortly after the touchdown he was kayoed again, suffering a cut over the eye, but returned after a second trip for medical care.

"They weren't cheap shots," said Joiner. "I was just the victim of circumstances. I got a splittin' headache...but I love it."

"If there's a better competitor than Joiner, I've never seen him," said Chargers' owner Gene Klein, who threw a bear-hug on the veteran receiver as the game ended.

Joiner's touchdown catch helped Fouts make history. The completion propelled Fouts past Joe Namath, who set the all-time NFL single season record in 1967 with 4,007 yards.

Fouts, who was 17 of 29 for 230 yards, finished the 16-game regular season — Namath did it in 14 games — with 4,082 yards. He shrugged off his incredible season, saying "if you're in this game for records, you won't go very far. Winning is what's important."

Coryell said the victory represented his proudest moment in coaching.

"I've never been so proud of a group of men playing short-handed and playing as strongly as they did," said Coryell. "It would have been easy to fold our tents."

Denver put the pressure on San Diego early, scoring on its second drive of the night.

A 3-yard run by Otis Armstrong capped an eight-play, 59-yard drive.

A fumble recovery helped San Diego get untracked after a Craig Morton fumble at the Denver 41 two minutes into the second quarter. Five plays later Fouts scored on a 5-yard rollout to tie it.

After Joiner's touchdown, Mike Wood added a fourth quarter field goal of 24 yards following a Mike Fuller interception — one of four thrown by Morton. The Broncos' quarterback completed 27 of 41 passes for 236 yards.

Several controversial plays left Denver Coach Red Miller livid over officiating. "San Diego out-scored us, but they didn't outplay us. There were some hellish calls from the officials. The two penalties in the fourth quarter took us out."

Duke's Banks dislikes No. 1 slot

By The Associated Press

Duke may be No. 1 in the Associated Press college basketball poll, but there is one person on the team who would rather not see it there — Gene Banks, the Blue Devils' starting junior forward.

"Being No. 1 is like a war. It's like a battle where the sergeant gets killed and somebody has to take over. There's going to be battle and we hope to emerge victorious."

Bradshaw, Stargell share honor

NEW YORK (AP) — Terry Bradshaw and Willie Stargell, Pittsburgh's football and baseball heroes, have been selected as 1979 Sportsmen of the Year by Sports Illustrated magazine.

They are only the second pair to share the annual award. John Wooden, the former UCLA basketball coach, and tennis star Billie Jean King were cowinners in 1972.

Duke, which is unbeaten in six games this season including wins over Top Ten rivals Kentucky and Duke, added another Monday when it took over the top spot in the AP poll from Indiana.

The Blue Devils collected 34 of 58 first-place votes and 1,126 points out of a possible 1,160 points in the balloting of a nationwide committee of sports writers and broadcasters. They easily outdistanced this week's runner-up Ohio State while preseason favorite Indiana faded to fifth after being knocked from the unbeaten ranks last Saturday by third-ranked Kentucky.

Banks said Duke's new role has its drawbacks, the

biggest being the pressure it places on the team. But he added: "It's a role we'll take and do the best we can with it."

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college basketball poll, with first place votes in parentheses, records and total points. Points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.

1 Duke (34)	6-0	1,126
2 Ohio State (15)	5-0	1,078
3 Kentucky (5)	7-1	1,029
4 Notre Dame (3)	6-0	949
5 Indiana (1)	4-1	886
6 DePaul	4-0	819
7 Louisiana State	4-0	817
8 North Carolina	4-1	777
9 Purdue	5-0	688
10 Syracuse	5-0	600
11 Louisville	5-0	567
12 Virginia	5-0	474
13 Iowa	6-0	369
14 UCLA	3-2	325
15 St. John's	5-1	288
16 Missouri	8-0	281
17 Georgetown, DC	4-1	188
18 Brigham Young	6-1	167
19 Oregon State	6-1	162
20 Arkansas	5-0	148

Bengals axe Homer Rice

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Bengals, disappointing losers in the National Football League in recent seasons, fired head coach Homer Rice and all his assistants today.

Rice stepped into the head coaching job after the Bengals had lost five straight games at the outset of the 1978 season under Bill Johnson. He finished the season with four victories, including in the last three games. The Bengals lost their first six games of 1979 and finished with a 4-12 record, last in the American Football Conference's Central Division.

Bengals General Manager Paul Brown said the new coach would pick his staff. Rice inherited his assistants when he took over as head coach. That staff included Mike McCormick (offensive line), Boyd Dowler (receivers), Charley Winner (defensive backfield), Chuck Stutley (defensive line), Howard Brinker (defensive coordinator) and George Sefcik (offensive backfield).

Frank Ganz was added this year as special teams coach.



AP LASER PHOTO

LEAVING THE FIELD — Homer Rice leaves the field following his Cincinnati Bengals win over the Cleveland Browns on Sunday afternoon. Following the win, which left the Bengals with a final mark of 4-12 this season, Rice and his entire staff were fired.

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San Francisco	2	14	125 308 416

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New York Jets 27, Miami 24			
Green Bay 18, Detroit 13			
Sunday's Games			
Baltimore 31, New York Giants 7			
Pittsburgh 28, Buffalo 0			
Cincinnati 16, Cleveland 12			
Tampa Bay 3, Kansas City 0			
New England 27, Minnesota 23			
Atlanta 31, San Francisco 21			
Chicago 6, St. Louis 6			
New Orleans 29, Los Angeles 14			
Philadelphia 26, Houston 20			
Seattle 19, Oakland 24			
Dallas 35, Washington 34			
Monday's Game			
San Diego 17, Denver 7			

NBA			
Saturday's Games			
Boston 108, Philadelphia 92			
Washington 113, Los Angeles 101			
New York 118, Boston 108			
San Diego 127, New York 113			

Stanton wins Plains Tourney

Stanton roundballers took top honors at the annual Plains Tournament over the weekend.

Stanton players downed their hosts, 71-50, to take home the winners' trophy. Lewis Henry was high scorer for the Bulls with 19 points.

He was followed closely by Craig Eiland with 18, and Curtis Williams with 15. Other scorers were Derrick Looney with 11; David McReynolds with 6; and

John Parker with 2. Stanton topped Whiteface, 50-43, in the opening round, with Lewis Henry putting in 18 points. David McReynolds sank 21 points to lead the win over Eunice, N.M. in the semifinals, 76-41.

The Buffaloes will host Ropesville on Tuesday, with the junior varsity boys leading off at 4:30 p.m. The varsity girls' team will take the floor at 6 p.m., followed by the varsity boys at 7:30 p.m.

Runnels third in tourney

Runnels Red took a third place in the Sweetwater Junior High Tournament over the weekend.

Runnels downed Snyder Black, 39-20, in Thursday night action, but fell to Rotan, 32-16, the following day. Runnels scorers included Jerry Wrightsil with nine points, and Juan Williams, Jimmy Brown and Jon Tinnerstet with two apiece.

The Red went on to beat Snyder Gold, 37-28, in consolation play to take a third in the tourney. Williams was high-pointer with 18, followed by Wrightsil with seven, Brown with six, Blakely Ford with four, Mark Johnson with two, and Tinnerstet with one. This gives Runnels a 3-2 record for the season. The team will play next on Jan. 4 in the Lamesa tournament.

Runnels feds edge Seminole

The Runnels Red girls basketball team raised their record to 3-1 for the season by taking 21-19 win over Seminole in action Monday night.

Runnels was led in scoring by Debra Rubio, who had eight points. Other contributing points to the Runnels attack included Laura Baum and Monette Wise, who had seven and six points, respectively.

Runnels Coach Deborah Hurrington also praised the play of Debbie Donelson, Tracy Williams and Vicki Halfmann in the win.

The Runnels team returns to action on January 3 when they play Coahoma.



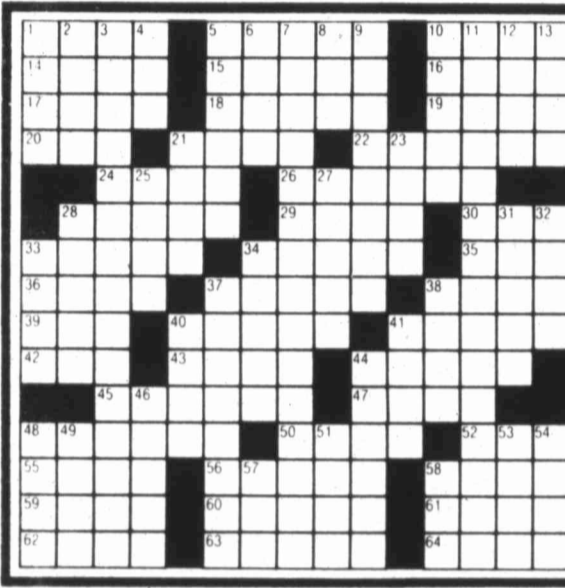
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MVP AIMS FOR TWO — Hawk Queens Classic Most Valuable Player Julie Poyner sets aim for a field goal during her Forsan Buffalo Queens 45-34 victory over the Snyder Tigers in the finale of the tournament.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



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GENERAL TENDENCIES: The day is fraught with danger if you try to force issues with others for your judgment is poor, especially where new ventures are concerned. Try to maintain a cheerful manner.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Be careful you don't spoil your position in your community by a careless act. Be charming with others and agree wherever possible.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) You want to branch out into new activities, which is fine, provided you use accepted methods. Discuss future with an adviser.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You must carry through with whatever promises you have committed yourself to if you want to hold the respect of others.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Come to the aid of associates who will appreciate your assistance at this time. Be more active and accomplish more.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Get busy at work you have to do without expecting help from others. Use your hunches in handling a difficult situation.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Stick to proven activities now since new ones could pose a problem. Your mate needs more of your time, so be sure to give it.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Take care not to irk anyone who lives with you or there could be trouble. Be sure to handle an important business matter wisely.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) You have fine ideas for advancement, so waste no time in putting them in operation. Health treatments can revitalize you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Don't invest in anything new at this time but economize more and build a larger reserve. Relax at home tonight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Your business affairs need to be strengthened at this time. Put your best foot forward and make a fine impression on others.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Put aside dramatic actions today and get busy on the practical and improve your financial status. Avoid a troublemaker.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Look to a good and dynamic friend for help on a new project you have been working on. Be more courteous to others.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... He or she will be one who can understand how to build a good foundation for the future, so be sure to give a fine education as you can to make the best use of this ability. Be sure to give ethical training early in life.

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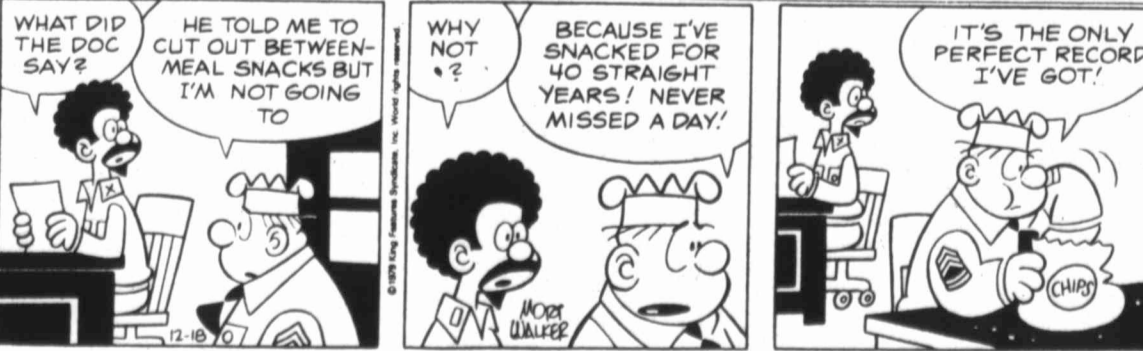
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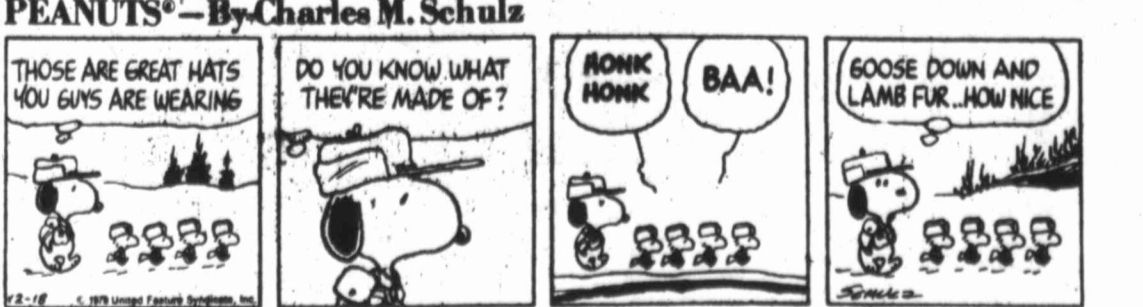
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HOT HOT HOT TIME! A tremendous buy in Kentwood. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, in good condition. \$41,000.

CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS - In this cute little cottage - 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, excellent value. \$15,000.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS - If you buy this renovated home in Parkhill, Must C to appreciate. \$25,000.

CHRISTMAS CLEAN - Redecorated 3 bedroom w-den in a very attractive residential area. \$35,500.

JINGLE THE BELLS - At this 11th Place address, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths; a lot of space for \$42,000, and the owner is anxious to sell. Neat family home only \$30,500.

TELL SANTA - 2718 Cindy is your new address - Enjoy Christmas in this lovely remodeled home in Kentwood. \$34,900.

TREE TRIMMING TIME - In this attractive home on Vicky St. Owner transferred. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths; with all the extras. \$57,000.

PLAY SANTA CLAUS - And give this home in Kentwood to your family. New carpet, dishwasher, and refrigerated air. \$57,900.

Gapehart Homes

SILENT NIGHT - Every night in this secluded home in country. Completely remodeled. Must see to appreciate. \$63,900.

A HOME - The best present of all. This executive home in Indian Hills, one of our very best. \$80's.

DEAR SANTA - All I want for Christmas is a buyer - An oldie with charm. \$17,500.

WHAT NICE GIFT - Could you give your family than this brand new home with center atrium. \$64,000.

JUST ADD THE BOW - To this neat package in Kentwood; 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den w contemporary fireplace. Storm windows, refrigerated air, see to appreciate. \$42,500.

HOLIDAY ENTERTAINING - Will be a delight in this 4-bedroom brick; formal living room, large dining joins all electric kitchen and overlooks covered patio - see this one. \$50's.

A CHRISTMAS DREAM COME TRUE - In this large family home on 1 1/2 acres, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen with built-ins and dining area. Full basement w-double garage. \$65,900.

BIG AND BRIGHT, Priced RIGHT - This 4 bedroom Coahoma Mobile Home is a real buy at \$20,500. Living room, separate den. On 1/2 acre. Equity buy.

WISH YOURSELF A MERRY CHRISTMAS - In this attractive 3-bedroom 2-bath brick home on Vicky Street. Refrigerated air, lovely living area with fireplace. Carpeted and droped. \$49,500.

FARM - Located South of City - Both cultivation and pasture land - call our commercial man for details.

COMMERCIAL BUILDING - Located on Scurry - ideal location for a number of small businesses.

WAREHOUSE - Laffe warehouse facility - almost new, excellent location, appointment only.

LAKE PROPERTY - We have several properties on different lakes available.

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BRAND NEW LISTING - a little doll house. Nice neighborhood, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths. Basement under house. Separate living, dining and lg kitchen. \$27,500.

THIS IS ONE OF OUR NICEST 3 Bedrooms, 2 baths, 2,000 Sq. Ft. Ref air. Den in Xtra lg. This is an older home but it has been excellently cared for and is in top condition.

KENTUCKY WAY - You won't believe all the home bonuses this home has. Huge den with woodburning fireplace and built in bar, lg sequestered master bedroom - 3 other nice sized bedrooms, bath and a half, liv rm with beautiful built in bookshelves, separate dining room and a pool...all this for only \$28,500. You have to see it to believe it.

THIS WOULD MAKE A NICE RENT HOUSE 2 lg bedrooms, very big den and lg living area. Nice neighborhood. \$13,500.

WAREHOUSE - could be used for storage of business. Approx 4,000 Sq. Ft., Main Throughfare.

ORGO ST. - We have several lots in this prime location. Some with buildings, some vacant. E. 4th St. 190 Feet on E. 4th. Close to College Park shopping center.

RURAL - One section of grass land with 170 A. C. 3 Br 2 B house. Some minerals. Near town.

LET US SHOW YOU LOVE TO TODAY - MAKE US AN OFFER. Mobile home is 56'x28' with a woodburning fireplace in den. 3 Bedrooms, 2 full baths. Lovely kitchen. All furnished.

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NEW LISTING EXTRA nice 3 BR, 1 B, good loc. Teens. 2 story house, 4 A, good well, fenced. Owner will carry papers with approved down.

NICE 3 BR, 1 B. Good loc. Small 2 BR, 1 B. 58,000. Lot for sale.

NICE 3 BR, 1 B. Good loc. Teens.

KENTWOOD - Choice lots. In Western Hills \$2300.

MANY GOOD buys in 2 & 3 BR homes in teens.

HOUSE, 2 BR, 2 lots, garden, spot 35'.

NICE 3 BR, 1 B, 1 1/2 bath, good loc. \$23,000.

YOUR SATISFACTION is our goal. Check our office for other listings. SEE US FOR RENTALS.

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SERVE CHRISTMAS DINNER in this spacious Dining Area, 3 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, Central Heat & Air, Dishwasher, Stove, Refrigerator. Only \$35,950. Interest 10 1/2%.

OFF MIDWAY ROAD 2 Bedroom Stucco House, Large Living Room, Well of Water, New tile floors to start working on this Spring garden.

EASY FOR SANTA To find you in this 3 Bedroom Beach House. Owner will finance at 10 1/2% interest & \$7,000 dn.

NEED A PLACE (for your animals, don't overlook this 4 Acres with 3 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths, (Mobile Home), Water Well. 15 or more in Cultivation.

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Furnished Apts. B-3
EXTRA LARGE two bedroom furnished duplex. Panelled and carpeted, gas pets, family preferred. Call 263-0792.

APARTMENTS 1-2 3 BEDROOM Clean and nice. Two bills paid. Furnished or unfurnished. \$90-\$185. Between 9:00-10:00. 263-7811.

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Furnished Houses B-5
NICE AND Clean, 2 bedroom house, washer connections, fully carpeted. Call 263-0018.

FURNISHED THREE ROOM house, fully carpeted. Come to 1007 East 14th for information.

FURNISHED HOUSE, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, very nice. Deposit required. No pets. Call 263-7259.

2 & 3 BEDROOM MOBILE HOMES & APARTMENTS
Washer, and dryer in some, air conditioning, heating, carpet, shade trees and fenced yard. All bills except electricity paid on some. From \$135.

Unfurnished Houses B-6
UNFURNISHED THREE Bedroom, two bath, central heat - refrigerator, air, garage, fenced backyard, fully carpeted. \$280 month, \$200 deposit. 263-3961.

305 EAST 23rd TWO bedrooms, water paid. Inquire 1015 Sycamore.

Business Buildings B-9
WAREHOUSE For Lease - eight door truck terminal off street parking. 267-5981 or 267-7862.

Mobile Homes B-10
ADULTS ONLY. Two bedroom, two bath, washer and dryer connections. Fully furnished, all bills paid except electricity. \$165 monthly. Last trailer house in Chaparral Trailer Park.

ANNOUNCEMENTS C
Lodges C-1

Special Notices C-2
APPLICATIONS will be taken for the Energy Crisis Assistant Program, each Thursday of the week at the Courthouse Room 201, Big Spring. Please bring with you your current light and gas bills. Social Security number and copy of income. Person to contact is Velma Smith.

Alternative To An Abortion
For a healthy pregnancy, call THE EDNA GLADNEY HOME, Texas Toll-Free 1-800-792-1100.

ATTENTION DEER HUNTERS
For quality work and reasonable prices call Kar's Taxidermy, 263-0957 - 405 Bigger, Big Spring.

DENNY'S RESTAURANT
Beginning Dec. 1, Open 24 Hours - 7 Days Week
1710 E. 3rd.

Recreational C-3
DEER TURKEY hunting by day. Call 915-433-2297. Robert Lee, Texas.

Private Investigator C-8
BOB SMITH, State License No. C1329 Commercial Criminal Domestic
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3911 West Hwy. 80
267-3248

EMPLOYMENT E-1
Help Wanted
NEED LVN full or part time. Driving time is 18 cents per mile. Good salary. Apply in person. Stanton View Manor, 1100 Broadway, in Stanton, TX. No phone calls.

LICENSED VOCATIONAL NURSES
(unusual large salary and generous fringe benefits are available to Licensed Vocational Nurses interested in employment at the Root Memorial Hospital, Colorado City, Texas. For additional information, call collect, Charles Root (915) 728-3431.

DEALER WANTED: For application of clear fire retardant and water proofing coatings for wood, asphalt, and concrete. Call Trico Chemicals, 714-69-2569. After 4:00 p.m. 212-375-3673.

NEED CHRISTMAS MONEY? How about good benefits to go with it? Join the most important part-time job in numbers. The American National Guard. For information call 263-6601.

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Then your search is over. By joining the United States Air Force you can enjoy an excellent salary along with a choice of jobs and the opportunity to work toward a four-year associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force. Some of the most technical schools in the nation. Available on the job experience. Light duty assignments. 30 days of paid vacation a year. Medical care dental care and much more. It's one of the best opportunities in the nation. Call today.
Call Collect (915) 673-6949

Help Wanted F-1
NEED PERSON 21 years of age or older, or Civic Group to operate a fireworks stand, from December 20, 1979 to January 1, 1980. Call collect 214-574-3512.

NEED TRACTOR driver: Also need irrigation hand. House and utilities provided. 15 miles southwest of Garden City. 915-397-2226.

TRUCK DRIVERS Needed. Commercial licenses. Equal Opportunity Employer. Apply in person 8:00 A.M. Monday Friday. Big Spring Rendering Company.

SONIC
Day-time or Evening-Time Full-time or Part-time
APPLY ONLY IN PERSON At least 16 years of age.

BIG SPRING EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
Coronado Plaza

EXECUTIVE SEC. Short-hand, typing and previous experience. Large local company. Benefits, salary ETC.
BOOKKEEPER needs several, heavy experience necessary. Tax & payroll. Salary Open.

LEGAL SEC. Must have experience. Short-hand & good typist. Local ETC. SECRETARY - Good typist, math experience Salary Open.
CREDIT MANAGER - Local company. Experience necessary - \$700 - \$800 - local exp. Open.
SALES - local exp. Open.
MANAGEMENT Trainee, needs several loc. firms. Open.
SALES degree - willing to relocate. \$800 - a car.

Position Wanted F-2
INSTALL Carpet \$1.50 yard and up. Please call for more information. 263-6332.

HAVE TRACTOR and Shredder. Will move commercial or residential lots. 267-6758 or 263-0622.

INSTRUCTION G
GUITAR LESSONS: Call Keith Teel for more information. 267-2283.

WOMAN'S COLUMN J
Child Care J-3
I WOULD like to babysit in my home. Reasonable rates. Call after 5:00 - 267-1364.

WILL KEEP children in my home. Call 263-3846.

Laundry Services J-5
WILL DO ironing. \$2.75 a dozen. Also do experienced sewing. Phone 263-0805.

Sewing J-6
WE SERVICE all makes of sewing machines. Singer Dealer. Highland South, Hwy 267-5545.

Grain, Hay, Feed K-2
HAY FOR Sale. Haygrazer, \$1.00. Coastal, \$2.00. Alfalfa \$3.00. Woodco, Crabtree, 915-728-5550, Colorado City.

WHO'S WHO FOR SERVICE
To list your service in Who's Who Call 263-7331

Appliance Repair
HOME APPLIANCE Repair Co. We work on all makes of washing machines, dryers, gas and electric stoves, dishwashers, etc. All work guaranteed. Call 267-4861, after 5:00 - 263-7393.

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B & B CEMENT contracting. Specialty, flower bed curbs, patios, walkways. Free Estimates. J. Burchett after 5 p.m. 263-4491 - 263-4571.

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OLD CLOCKS & WATCHES RESTORED
Handmade Solid Oak Clocks, Wall, Mantle & Grandfather Clocks.

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SIGMON PAINT Contractors: Residential painting, interior and exterior. Free estimates. Call 267-7594.

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Farm Equipment K-1

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Livestock K-3
THREE Year old stud horse for sale. Call 293-5270 or 393-5357.

Poultry K-4
HEN'S For Sale - lay colored eggs. Call 267-2029.

Want To Lease K-7
WOULD LIKE to lease farm or pasture land for 1980. Call 399-4417 after 7:00 p.m.

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Building Materials L-1
2x6 - 6 FOOT LONG, 1x6 - 8 foot long, sheet iron. Call 263-4427.

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For Driveways, Locations, Etc. Rates Reasonable
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Dogs, Pets, Etc. L-3
PUPPIES To Give away 10 weeks old. Part Bassett Call 263-7890 after 3:00 p.m.

EXTRA NICE AKC litter, registered Cocker Spaniel Puppies, 6 weeks old, buff and blonde. \$100. 267-6889 or 267-7497 after 5:00.

BABY ANGORA Teddy Bear Hamsters for sale. Call 267-2283 for details.

GREAT FOR Christmas! AKC Boston Terrier, seven months old. Call after 5:30. 263-6015.

AKC MALE Cocker Spaniel puppy for sale. Make an offer. Call 394-4790 anytime.

FOR SALE - 2 beautiful, lovable, male, mixed German Shepherd and 1/2 Timber Wolf pups. Call 915-263-2598.

RABBITS For Sale: Bucks, 6 months old, for \$3.00 each. 2 1/2 months old \$2.00 each. 267-7770.

BEAUTIFUL CHOCOLATE Poodle Puppies just in time for Christmas. Now accepting deposits. Terms available. 263-6786.

FOR SALE 1/2 Persian Kittens, 3 months old. All white \$30. All black \$25. Brown \$20. Excellent Christmas gift. 393-5744. 10 wks old.

DOG AND CAT CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS
Toys Sweaters Treats THE PET CORNER
419 Main Downtown 267-8277

Pet Grooming L-3A
SMART & SASSY SHOPPE, 622 Ridgeway Drive. All breed pet grooming. Pet accessories. 267-1371.

IRIS'S POODLE PARLOR and Boarding Kennels. Grooming and supplies. Call 263-2429. 2112 West 3rd.

ELIZABETH'S PET Parlor. Now grooming daily, by appointment. Call as early as possible. 263-4800.

Household Goods L-4
CONSOLE STEREO record player in maple cabinet, \$50. Call 263-8511. After 5:00. 267-5149.

Piano Organs L-6
BALDWIN ORGAN, double keyboard, rhythm pre-sets, chimes, good condition. \$750. Call 263-4003.

Household Goods L-4
HUGHES TRADING POST
2000 W 3rd 267-5661
10% OFF ON all gun cabinets.
Prices as low as - \$170.96
10% OFF ON all dining room suits 7-piece dining room suit by Singer.
As low as \$458.70
ROCKER IN Maple and Dark Pine.
Starting at \$39.95
NEW AND USED gas heaters in stock.

Piano Organs L-6
FOR SALE: Wurrlitzer Organ, \$600
Call 263-1878 for more information.

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. Abilene, Phone 263-9781.

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Beautiful spinet-console stored locally. Reported like new. Reasonable price. Call for details. Call 263-1878 for more information.

Musical Instru. L-7
BAND INSTRUMENTS, rent, repair, new, used, guitars, amplifiers, sheet music. Cash discounts. McKel's Music Co.

Sporting Goods L-8
CLOTH S.A.A. 5 1/2 BL. 357 with holster, like new, \$325. Dan Wesson pistol pack with holsters, dies. \$105. 267-3680 after 3:30.

Garage Sale L-10
BACK HOUSE Sale: 2911 Navajo. Free standing fireplace, 550. 3 speed bike, \$25. 5210. Bear bow, \$25.

Miscellaneous L-11
AFGHANS FOR Sale, some already made. Will take orders. Call 263-6491 after 5:00.

SALE WRECKED Dodge, 318 V-8 engine, automatic transmission, complete drive train, excellent condition, new tires, \$395. 2 - 267-10 speed bicycles, boys' and girls', \$45 each. 28,000 BTU window air conditioner, \$395. Call 267-6256.

FOR SALE Beautiful crocheted Afghan's Five different patterns. Call 263-7743.

HOLIDAY INN has new room drapes. Selling other drapes. Stop by and get a good buy.

FRESH WHOLE hog sausage. Will deliver on 10 pounds or more. Call 267-7840.

FISHING WORMS, 2 kinds, big fat worms. Also hand made wood craft. 1101 1/2th.

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NEW WATERBEDS and accessories. Custom built frames. Call 263-3831.

HANDTOOLED LEATHER work for condition, new tires, \$395. See at 115 E. 2nd between 9:00 and 5:00 daily.

1978 FORD 4 DOOR LTD, V8 400, speed control, tilt wheel, cruise, AM FM Stereo. Low mileage. 393-5249.

Wanted To Buy L-14
Will pay top prices good used furniture, appliances, and air conditioning. Call 267-5661 or 263-3496.

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Trucks For Sale M-9
1959 FORD V8, 4 door, new tires. 2404 Cheyenne Street.

DISTRICT MANAGER
For Phillips Jobbershop in Andrews, TX
Must have 3-10 years experience in petroleum products operation.
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Medium green, white Landau top. Very nice, traded in on an Eldorado.

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1976 FOUR WHEEL drive, Chevrolet, crew cab, four new Michelin good tires, completely equipped with Gooseneck trailer. 263-4427.

1974 JEEP STATION Wagon, 4 wheel drive, automatic transmission, power air conditioner, tilt wheel, cruise control, new RV tires, low mileage. 267-7173.

1971 FORD PICKUP, short-wide, propane equipped. Will sell with or without propane system. Call 263-7110 for more information after 5:30.

MUST SELL - 1979 Luv, long bed, A&P-M, factory air, radials, 5700 miles. Camper cover. 263-9940.

SUBURBAN 1973 CHEVYNE Super 10. All accessories, low package, large tank, cruise, very clean, excellent condition. 263-2910 after 5:00 p.m.

1975 JEEP WAGONEER, cruise steering brakes, tilt wheel, cruise, AM-FM radio, 4-wheel drive, red with woodgrain, perfect condition. \$4500. 263-8181.

FOR SALE: 1974 Ford Van, Custom interior, mag wheels, \$2,000 or best offer. For more information call Ray at 267-5047 or 263-1381.

1974 DODGE VAN, Loaded, clean, \$1,400. Call 263-4524 for more information.

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Autos M-10
1973 VOLVO STATION Wagon, automatic transmission, air conditioning, AM-FM radio, good gas mileage. Below wholesale. 267-7173.

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2-door, medium green with white Landau top. All power options: tilt and cruise; AM-FM and Tape player. Has under 5,000 miles. Much warranty remains.
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White on white, red leather seats, all Cadillac power options, one owner. Only 16,000 miles.
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1977 GRAND PRIX L.J. sell under loan value. Call 915-728-6293, after 5:00 p.m. Colorado City.

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Recreational Veh. M-15
1972 CHEVROLET MOTOR Home, sleeps 4 air in unit and roof, speed control. Asking \$4750. 263-8110.

1973 DODGE POWERED, Apollo Motor Home, 23', 34,000 miles, generator, cruise, air, CB, tape, TV. 10 November. 267-1928.

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DAY CARE for children six weeks five years. 1600 Watson Road. 267-5111 or 267-7399.

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Thru Monday, Dec. 24 Several all wood Chest of Drawers, used, \$27.99 up; Bedroom Groups; Dressers; 1-Sleeper, \$79.95. Lots of Gift Items in our Glassware Department.

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2-door coupe, white with blue landau top, blue and white interior, AM-FM tape player, tilt and cruise.
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More want to see Carter in running

NEW YORK (AP) — More than half of the public now wants to see Jimmy Carter run for re-election, a remarkable reversal from the negative sentiments about the president in the last six months, an Associated Press-NBC News poll says.
 Carter's handling of the Iranian crisis has helped give his standing with the public the largest boost of his tenure in office. But with more than 10 months left before the election, the seemingly intractable problems of the economy and energy are still major weak spots for Carter's image.
 Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, for one, has promised to make Carter's handling of the economy a central theme as Kennedy tries to defeat Carter in the battle for the Democratic presidential nomination.

In the poll taken Dec. 11 and 12, 56 percent of those interviewed by telephone said they would like to see Carter run for re-election next year. Thirty-one percent would not like to see him run and 13 percent of the 1,595 adults interviewed across the country were not sure.
 This is quite a change from before the Iranian crisis. As recently as September, 59 percent opposed a Carter reelection bid, while only 33 percent supported one. Eight percent were not sure.
 Only three weeks ago, the November AP-NBC News poll found a 41-46 split against a Carter re-election bid.
 Democrats now favor a Carter try for a new term by 62-28 and independents by 53-32. And — for the first time since the question was introduced in the polling in August 1978 — Republicans say they would like to see him run again, by a 52-36 edge.
 This reversal can be traced to Carter's handling of the Iranian crisis, which has also sparked a major surge in his overall job rating as the public overwhelmingly approved of his efforts to free 50 Americans held hostage in Iran.
 Carter's overall job rating has leaped 21 points since the crisis began and 15 points since the last AP-NBC News poll three weeks ago.
 Forty-five percent of those questioned Dec. 11-12 said Carter's work overall is excellent or good. Forty-one percent said his work has been "only fair" and 12 percent rated it poor. Two percent of the 1,595 adults interviewed nationwide by telephone were not sure.
 In mid-October, before the hostages were seized Nov. 4, 24 percent rated his work excellent or good and another 24 percent rated it poor. Half called his efforts only fair. The rest were undecided.
 The AP-NBC News poll taken Nov. 27-28 found 30 percent rating his work excellent or good, 49 percent only fair and 18 percent poor. Three percent were not sure.
 On foreign policy, 48 percent in the most recent poll said Carter's work has been excellent or good, up from 24 percent in October. Thirty-three percent said it has been only fair, down from 43 percent. Fifteen percent called it poor, just over half the 28 percent found in October. The remainder each month was undecided.
 Sixty-nine percent said they approve of the way he is handling the situation. Twenty-one percent disapprove. Nine percent were not sure and 1 percent had not heard of the crisis.



HATS ARE IN — British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, left, and first lady Rosalynn Carter both wear winter hats during arrival ceremonies for Mrs. Thatcher at the White House Monday. It was a cold, windy morning for the outdoor ceremonies and reviewing of an honor guard.

Fate of capital murder defendant in jury's hands

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) — A state district jury was expected to begin deliberations today into the fate of a capital murder defendant who claims he was tricked into falsely admitting guilt in the crime.
 Donald Edward Smith Jr., 19, of Tampa, Fla., is charged in the shooting deaths of two Brady women, Molly Farr, 55, and her daughter, Tandy Bennett, 25, were found dead in Mrs. Farr's mobile home Aug. 2.
 Smith was arrested in Florida after an undercover Tampa police agent, Al Luis, secretly tape-recorded conversations in which Smith claimed responsibility for the Brady killings, and gave detailed, accurate descriptions of the mobile home's interior.
 Smith spent four hours on the stand Monday, saying he made up his involvement in the Brady murders.
 He said he thought Luis was involved in organized crime and would pay him \$30,000 to kill someone if he could give Luis "proof" he was capable of killing.
 "Proof, proof, proof, that's all he kept saying," Smith testified.
 "I told Al I was a hit man. My plan was to rip him off for \$30,000, that he'd give me the money and I'd take off, either to Rhode Island or Texas," he said.
 Smith said he visited his aunt and uncle, Maurice and Louise Roa, July 28 in Texas

and began scanning the newspapers for murder stories.
 On the morning of Aug. 2, Smith testified, he was asleep on the Roas' living room floor. The next day, he said, he saw a story about the Brady killings and took it back to Luis, making up his involvement.
 "Did you kill any of these people in Brady, Texas?" asked defense attorney Richard Mosty.
 "No, sir, I did not," Smith replied.
 Mosty asked Smith to explain the conversations

with Luis, particularly the graphic descriptions of the mobile home. Smith said he was describing an "imaginary house."
 Prosecutor Ron Sutton, on cross examination, pressed Smith closely on details of his testimony, and Smith grew angry.
 "What you're trying to do, Sutton, is kill me," Smith said heatedly. "You should be sitting here, not me."
 Mosty then asked his client if he had "any reason to lie" to the jury.
 "Lies got me into this," Smith said, "and the only thing that's going to get me out is the truth."


Two place in speech tourney
 Sandra Kuykendall and Chris Smith placed first in the Duet Acting competition at the Brownfield High School Speech Tournament last weekend.
 Entered in the competition were 27 West Texas schools.
 Placing in Persuasive Speaking were Brenda Clay, third, and Kim Burkhardt, fourth.
 Also representing Big Spring in events were Amy Smith and James Hall in Poetry; Nat Blackshear, Karissa Osmont and Gary Donelson in Prose; and Rocky Bryant and Brint Ryan in Informative Speaking.
 The next tournament will be Jan. 4 and 5 in McCamey.

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Cease fire to be signed Wednesday

LONDON (AP) — A cease-fire in the seven-year Rhodesian civil war is to be signed Wednesday and Commonwealth troops to enforce it begin arriving in Salisbury Friday.
 The final obstacle to the truce was removed Monday when leaders of the Patriotic Front guerrilla alliance accepted a British concession giving them at least 16 campsites inside Rhodesia in which to assemble their troops. Bishop Abel Muzorewa's biracial delegation from Salisbury accepted the cease-fire Saturday.
 "This is an important day for Rhodesia. It means the end of the war," Sir Ian Gilmour, Britain's deputy foreign secretary, told a news conference after guerrilla leaders Robert Mugabe and Joshua Nkomo initialled the agreements.
 In Washington, British Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington told reporters he thought the U.S. government's lifting of sanctions against Rhodesia Monday helped to persuade Mugabe and Nkomo to come to terms.
 "I think there was a realization that if the United States felt the settlement was fair, it was going to be difficult to persuade other countries that it was not," Carrington said at a White House dinner honoring British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher.
 Carter said the cease-fire and the constitutional and political agreements that preceded it during the 14-week peace talks were "a magnificent achievement." He promised "our continued support" for the British effort.
 The cease-fire to end the fighting that has taken 20,000 lives is scheduled to go into effect Dec. 26, one week after the formal signing of the accord. But Mugabe told reporters it might take eight weeks for the word to reach some of the Front's guerrillas in the bush.
 In the next few months while the politicians campaign for parliamentary elections to be held under British supervision, both the guerrillas and the Rhodesian armed forces are to be confined to camps that will be monitored by a force of 1,200 troops from Commonwealth countries.

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Development rests with HUD

The fate of \$275,000 in Community Development Block Grant funds requested for the City of Big Spring now rests with the Department of Housing and Urban Development, according to Bill Hall, Director of Community Development in Big Spring.
 The pre-application to HUD has received two local approvals and has been referred to HUD for approval.
 The preapplication was submitted to and approved by the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission in Midland where it was reviewed by both the Regional Development

Review Committee and the Board of Directors in meetings held earlier this month.
 The pre-application, according to Hall, has also been approved with favorable comments by the Board of Governors.
 The City of Big Spring's plans for the grant include allocating \$90,000 for housing rehabilitation grants, \$20,000 for demolition activities, \$15,000 for code enforcement efforts, \$110,000 for street paving and \$40,000 to cover the administration costs of the grant.
 Hall said that a decision by HUD can be expected in four to six weeks.

Shootout survivor charged

MINEOLA, Texas (AP) — A Saturday night shootout that killed the Winona police chief and left two persons wounded has resulted in capital murder charges against one of the survivors.
 Roger Wiley, 40, of Wolfe City, was listed in fair condition at a Tyler hospital Monday, as bond was set at \$50,000 on the murder charge and \$25,000 on a charge of aggravated assault with a

deadly weapon.
 William Turner, a recent graduate of police training at Kilgore, had been the chief at nearby Winona just two months. He died from a rifle shot to the head, Mineola Police Chief Joe Bevil said.
 Bevil said Turner and Linda Wiley, the suspect's ex-wife, were in her home Saturday when Wiley came through the front door with a 9 mm pistol and a .30-30 rifle.

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