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Involuntary manslaughter

Curry found guilty

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A jury in the 118th District Court, this afternoon found Jesse Curry, accused in the shotgun slaying of his 50-year-old mother Lillian Curry, guilty of involuntary manslaughter.

After hearing summations from District Attorney Rick Hamby and Defense Attorney Wayne Basden, the jury began deliberations at 10:45 a.m. The verdict in the three-day trial was returned shortly after a noon break for lunch.

The charges were read to the panel of jurors at 9:25 a.m. by District Judge Jim Gregg who outlined five possible verdicts: murder, committed intentionally or knowingly; voluntary manslaughter, causing death under the influence of sudden passion but still intentionally or knowingly; involuntary manslaughter, recklessly causing the death of an individual; criminally negligent homicide, taking a risk of causing death; or not guilty on any count.

"This is the kind of case where only two people know what went on inside that house on Central Street," Hamby told the jurors. And one of them is dead."

He asked the jurors to take the evidence presented and reason into the jury room with them and return a verdict finding Jesse Packard Curry guilty of murder as charged in his indictment.

During testimony Tuesday, it had repeatedly been brought out by witnesses that Curry, now 18, had been an abused child.

"Look at the irreputable facts," Hamby told the jury. "A human being is dead — maybe not a wonderful

human being by your standards."

He reminded the jurors of the bloody shotgun found at the scene of the June 17 slaying, an empty cartridge which the accused, he said, took the time to eject from the shotgun, and two live rounds that had allegedly been hidden by the accused.

He reminded the jurors of Lillian Curry's body, covered with pellets from head to feet after Curry allegedly shot her through the front door.

"His excuse," Hamby said, "was 'I was only trying to scare her.' What else could he say?"

Hamby asked the jury to recall the testimony given by Curry's 16-year-old girlfriend who became his wife after his arrest.

Hamby maintained that the girl on the other end of the line of a phone in Curry's bedroom could not have heard the accused open and shut the closet door if he did indeed remove a gun from his mother's closet. Hamby maintained that the gun was not in Lillian Curry's closet, but in his own closet.

Hamby picked up the murder weapon and held it before the jury and repeated the words that Jesse allegedly told the grand jury he had said to his mother: "Don't move." Now, said Hamby, he is telling the jury that he told his mother "Please don't go. I want to talk to you?"

"I fired so fast, I didn't think she'd be in the way," said Hamby, recounting testimony given by Curry. "He knew he would hit her. He meant to kill her."

Hamby maintained that when Curry took the time to eject the empty shell from the gun, picked up the shells and hid them, and carried the gun into the house and put it in the closet before allegedly attempting to call an ambulance, he was not showing signs of remorse.

Basden, in his summation, reminded the jury that the evidence was in the witnesses' testimony, "not what Hamby or I say."

"All the evidence introduced by the defense and the state shows that this was a horrible home," Basden stated. He reminded the jury of some of the testimony — a neighbor moving because of fights twice a week between the mother and father, the father leaving, the mother trying to

run over her son with a car twice, beating him.

"And now she wanted to cut off his relationship with the girl he loved," Basden said. He indicated that when Mrs. Curry got her car keys and attempted to leave the house, it was her intention to break up the relationship between her son and the girl he later married.

He told the jury that Curry had attempted suicide four times and had spent three months in a hospital.

"He needs psychiatric help — there's no doubt about it," Basden stated.

He pointed out that the weapon was a shotgun used for duck hunting and that Curry had fired it only four times in his life. He maintained that Curry did not know that the gun would splatter pellets when it hit the door.

"There is a possibility of criminally negligent homicide," Basden stated. "Anyone who shoots a gun close to someone should be aware of the danger. I don't believe he was aware of any injury that could be caused."

Basden maintained that Curry intended only to make his mother listen to him.

He called what Curry had done "A stupid, foolish thing," but maintained that there had been no intent of harm.

Hamby presented a final argument to the jurors before the recess.

"Don't be concerned with abuse here, he told the jurors. "She was on the defensive at this occurrence."

"We've heard why the murder occurred, but nothing we've heard excuses it or gives it any dignity."

"An abused child? Probably so. An abused mother? Probably so. But is an abused child any less guilty because he kills someone who abused him in the past?"

"Do not bend the law," he requested before the jury, made of up of Christine Reeves, Charles Bridges, Mary Watson, Charlene Shanks, Lewis Price, Robert Bradshaw, Peggy Myers, Nellie Johnson, Isroe Cooper Jr., Maxey Brashears, Modehn Wyatt and Martine McDonald went into deliberation.

In testimony Tuesday afternoon Jesse Curry's 16-year-old wife said she had heard over a phone the slam of the front door followed by the report of the shotgun that killed Lillian Curry June 17.

She testified Tuesday in the second day of the murder trial of Jesse Curry. She said she had heard Mrs. Curry verbally abusing Jesse in the background.

The slender blonde with wire frame glasses said Curry excused himself and laid the phone down. She heard the closet door slam when Curry removed the long barreled shotgun.

"I heard the bang of the closet door and a bang at the front door. In just a second I heard a big bang," Jesse got back on the phone and said, "Sheri, I just shot my mom."

"He was real upset and he was crying and he said, 'I shot my mom.' That's what he said."

She and Jesse were dating at the time of the murder. They have known each other for four months and been married since October. She will be 17 on Feb. 21.

District Attorney Rick Hamby asked her if she had been reported as a runaway. He asked her if she had been found by police at Curry's home. She said she had.

"Where do you live? Do you live on Central?" asked Hamby. The address at 2715 Central is where the murder occurred. She said she did.

She testified that Curry had rope

and belt bruises on his back. Others testified that Jesse's mother had struck him in public.

Hamby railed against Curry when he took the witness stand. "Did you see the pattern on her back? Describe it."

"It was terrible," said Curry. "There was blood from her feet to the back of her head," related Hamby. "You scared her and you scared her to death."

"I didn't mean to. It wasn't my fault. Can't you see that?" said Curry.

"No, I can't," said Hamby. "Look at that gun. That's the biggest gun I've ever seen," said Hamby.

He withdrew the bolt with a click and asked Curry if that was the way he had ejected the spent shell after firing the blast. Hamby asked him how he could say he had not intended to kill Mrs. Curry when he fired the gun directly at her.

Hamby asked Curry why he didn't fire the gun into a wall if he just wanted to scare her. The youthful Curry would at times look at the floor without answering the questions.

Curry's wife testified that he had been at her house earlier on the night of the June 17 murder. She testified that after the meal they had drank straight vodka. They were at the house for three hours.

Mrs. Curry had called the girl's house. She told Jesse he was old enough to come home by himself. She hung up but called back and told Curry she was contemplating suicide.

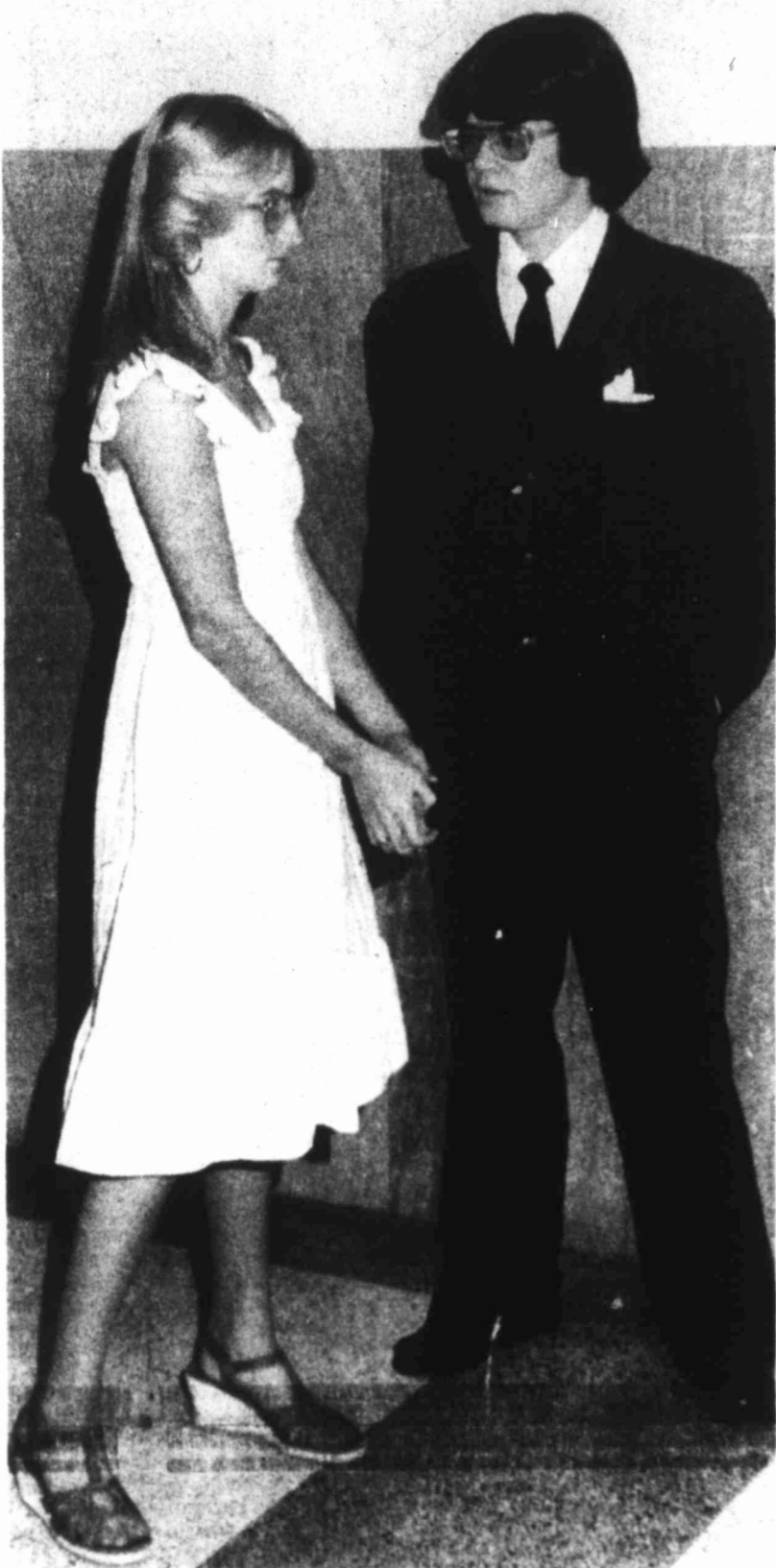
Curry returned home and phoned his girlfriend from there. The murder occurred shortly after, according to the girl's testimony.

Defense Attorney Wayne Basden called a succession of witnesses who testified to the unpleasantness of Mrs. Curry's character.

Mrs. Margaret Lloyd, special education counselor for the school district, said Mrs. Curry called her four or five times at 1 a.m. asking where Jesse was. Mrs. Lloyd said her sons were close in age to Jesse and did things together.

She testified that when she asked Mrs. Curry for her number so she could call her if she saw Jesse, Mrs. Curry refused to give her the number because she didn't want her to call her

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MURDER DEFENDANT AND WIFE — Jesse Curry and Sheri Pat, his wife of two months, confer today shortly before the Curry murder trial reconvened in 118th District Court.



Dudley named director of counseling

Howard College trustees name director of school for the deaf

Douglas J.N. Burke, now regional superintendent in Services for the Deaf of the Texas Education Agency in El Paso, has accepted an offer to become Executive Director of the Southwest College for the Deaf at Howard College. Burke, who is deaf himself, will be paid a starting salary of \$34,500 annually. He is 48.

Burke received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Gallaudet College in 1955 after earning a diploma from the Minnesota School for the Deaf at Fairbault, Minn., in 1950.

He undertook graduate studies at Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., and was awarded his Master of Arts degree in Education at California State University in Northridge, Calif., in 1965.

He has 90 hours credit toward his doctor's degree at the University of Rochester in New York and is presently completing his dissertation.

He has received the experience of having been educated in public schools, despite his inability to hear. He received his elementary education at St. Ann's in St. Ann, Minn.

The Howard College board of trustees, sitting in regular session Tuesday, voted to extend the offer to Burke. The El Paso man is not unfamiliar with the local scene or the challenges he faces here, since he worked with HC President Dr. Charles Hays and members of the board when the idea of getting the school for Big Spring first took shape.

Dr. Hays said he regarded Burke as one of the most qualified men in the country for the job. Burke has received numerous awards for his work in teaching programs for the deaf, among them the Knight of the Flying Finers (for distinguished service in behalf of the nation's deaf people), the Sustained Superior Performance Award, the Olaf Hanson for Leadership (given to graduates of Gallaudet College who have exhibited the highest potential for outstanding leadership); the Outstanding Leadership Award and the State Merit Award.

In addition, he has been presented with numerous Fellowship Awards from such institutions as California State University, the University of Rochester and Gallaudet College.

Among other things, he has served as an interpreter for deaf persons in workshops, courts, hospitals, welfare agencies, classroom lectures, psychiatric evaluations and psychological counseling sessions.

He has held numerous offices in school, college, civic, professional and community organizations, on both local and national levels.

Over a period of 24 years, his work in administration, instruction, counseling and research has been extensive and varied.

Married, he and Mrs. Burke are the parents of three children.

If Howard College sticks to its timetable, it will open the college for the deaf as early as the fall of 1980.

Mrs. Burke's given name is Beatrice. She is a teacher of deaf students in El Paso.

The Burkes' three children are Stephen 19, Theresa, 18, and Patrick, 14. Stephen and Theresa are students at the University of Texas at El Paso while Patrick is a ninth grade student.

Mary Dudley, who succeeded Johnnie Lou Avery as Assistant to the President at Howard College in 1978, will become director of counseling and guidance at the school.

Mary, wife of Jerry Dudley, who is also on the HC staff, succeeds Don Melton to the position. Melton recently resigned without disclosing future plans.

The board of trustees unanimously voted to extend the offer to Mrs. Dudley at its regular meeting Tuesday following a recommendation made by Dr. Charles Hays, school president.

Hays said that he had no plans to fill the position vacated by Mrs. Dudley at the moment.

Trustees also decided to approve purchase of a giant television screen from Advent Video Systems of Lubbock, for use in the lounge room of the Student Union Building, after it was

determined that such an order could not immediately be filled locally. The six-foot screen carries with it a 90-day warranty and can be serviced locally.

Evans Press of Fort Worth was awarded a contract to print the college catalog on a bid of \$4,097. The Evans bid was one of two received by the college.

Taylor Printing of Dallas was extended the contract to print the college yearbook with a bid of \$5,500.

The financial audit of the college, as prepared by the firm of Lee, Wilson, Reynolds and Co., was approved by the trustees after the firm's John

Wilson appeared before the board to explain sections of the audit.

The board will wait until its January meeting to set the time and place for the 1980 election of trustees.

Don McKinney, board president, said that Howard County is "about a year ahead" in its tax reassessment program over other taxing agencies in the state which have been informed they will have to conform to changes in state law.

McKinney also said that no tax re-evaluations would be made until survey mapping now being done is completed.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Free tests

Q. Where can you get a free blood pressure test?

A. The Medicine Shoppe, 1001 S. Gregg, gives the tests from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on the last Thursday of each month.

Calendar: Trustees eye AD

TODAY

The Spring City Dance Club will have a Christmas and Birthday dance at the Eagles Lodge, 703 W. 3rd, at 7:30 p.m. Country music will be provided by Alvin Whitaker's Band. There will be refreshments.

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.

THURSDAY

Students from Coahoma elementary, junior high and high schools will present a special program entitled "The Joys of Christmas." It will take place, 7:30 p.m., in the high school auditorium, and admission is free.

Big Spring School Board members will discuss the Athletic Director position at a special meeting Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in the board room of the high school.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 47, and auxiliary will meet at Veterans Administration Medical Center, 7 p.m., to distribute presents to all patients of hospital.

The National Association of Retired and Veteran Railway Employees, Inc., will meet for a potluck supper and business meeting at Kentwood Older Activity Center at 6:30 p.m.

Tops on TV: 'The Family Man'

One of the best animated Christmas specials to come out of the annual gristmill will air at 7 o'clock tonight. CBS's "How The Grinch Stole Christmas" tells the story of how the miserly Grinch tries to erase Christmas from the town of Whoville by stealing all the material symbols of the Yuletide season. Follow this up with another CBS feature, "The Family Man," airing at 8 o'clock. It stars Ed Asner as a happily-married man who becomes infatuated with a young woman (Meredith Baxter-Birney).

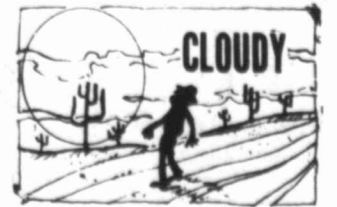
Inside: Winter worries

NEARLY TWO OUT of five Americans are worried they won't be able to pay their home heating bills this winter, an Associated Press-NBC poll says.

HOUSING STARTS have tumbled by more than 22 percent in the last two months and are now running at a near-recession annual rate of 1.5 million units.

Outside: Rain

Partly cloudy through Thursday with a slight chance of rain this afternoon. Warmer this afternoon. High today and Thursday in the mid 60s, low tonight near 30. Winds will be from the west and southwest at 10 to 15 mph today. Light to southwesterly tonight. Chance of rain is 20 percent this afternoon.



OPEC fails to agree on unified price scale after 2-day argument

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — The members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries failed to agree on a unified price scale after two days of argument, and it appeared that their winter meeting would end today where it started — with each member charging as much as it can get or thinks prudent.

Iran which was the biggest producer, and Iran wanted a price different from the others. The price issue, while it seems important now, in a few years will not be so important as the supply issue.

Humberto Calderon Berti, Venezuela's oil minister, admitted that price negotiations had been "very difficult" since the 13 delegations began meeting Monday.

He said OPEC's economic commission had proposed the conference set a base price of \$24 to \$25 a barrel and that "it would be good for OPEC to reach an agreement."

But the issue of how high members could go over the benchmark price — that for light crude oil from Saudi Arabia — concerned many ministers. Sheik Ahmed Zaki Yamani of Saudi Arabia called the issue "a very serious matter."

Traditionally, the quality of oil and its distance from markets have determined how much of a premium over the benchmark can be charged. But some OPEC members have tacked on surcharges that have left the old system of price differentials in disarray.

Iran, for instance, used to charge 11 cents more than Saudi Arabia for a like grade of oil. At \$28.50 a barrel, Iranian oil now carries a \$4.50 premium.

How much higher the price goes depends on the financial health of the Western importers, and "we're worried about the effects of higher prices on the international economy," said a source close to the delegation from Saudi Arabia, OPEC's largest producer and leader of the price moderates.

Eight of 14 propositions die in Abilene

ABILENE — Abilene voters defeated eight of 14 propositions in an election held here Tuesday.

The city's tax rate will go up about 8.5 cents per \$100 valuation.

Approved were propositions calling for a water, sewer and drainage improvements, improvements to city street, bridges, sidewalks and traffic control

equipment and fire department improvements.

Defeated were propositions calling for a cultural-historical center, an expansion of City Hall and improvements to the city airport.

A total of 11,114 voters cast ballots.

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Big Spring murder trial

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back and wake her up. Mrs. Curry once asked her to drive around with her and look for Jesse in Mrs. Lloyd's car so that Jesse would not know that she was looking for him.

She believed that Jesse was emotionally disturbed due to abuses she heard were done to him when he was young. For example, she said, he was beaten by his mother in his grandmother's home when he was two.

Someone made her stop because the beating was disturbing the boy's grandmother so badly, she said.

Dwayne Frazier, 1600 Central St., a former next door neighbor of the Curry's, said he and his wife would be awakened between 4 and 6 a.m. by the screams of what seemed to be a young boy.

The screams lasted from 10 to 30 minutes.

He said they heard arguments between Jesse and his mother at least twice a week. Fights between Jesse and his mother or his father and mother prompted loud cursing.

He said his three-year-old son had been verbally "torn up" by Mrs. Curry when the boy was found playing near the sidewalk in front of the Curry home.

Frazier said her personality was anything but charming in my estimation.

Christine Mulkey, Coahoma, knew Jesse and Mrs. Curry. She said she had argued with Mrs. Curry over her theory on child rearing. Mrs. Curry told her a child should be raised like an animal, "loyal, obedient and never leave."

"No girl is going to come along and take her son away from her," said Mrs. Mulkey quoting. She said Mrs. Curry said if Jesse had an occupation it would be a priest.

Mrs. Mulkey was the wife of Jesse's scoutmaster. She said that Mrs. Curry had sent Jesse to scout camp demanding that he complete 18 merit badges during the two week camp.

She said Mrs. Curry never seemed satisfied with Jesse's achievements and never praised him. She would curse at him in front of crowds to the embarrassment of Jesse and the others there.

Elmer Mulkey, Coahoma, scoutmaster and husband of Christine Mulkey, said Mrs. Curry went to all

the camping trips with the scouts in his troop and all the scout meetings. Mulkey said an extra tent would be set up and she would make Jesse sleep in the same tent with her.

Mulkey said he had been warned of problems with her if Jesse joined his troop but that he "thought he could handle her."

After a scout meeting when Jesse's first-aid merit badge had been turned by three Eagle scouts, Mrs. Curry had begun cursing at him over the phone and demanding that he force the Eagles to reverse their decision.

At one time when Jesse and Mr. Curry were at Mulkey's house, Jesse had asked for a beer to drink with Mulkey and Mr. Curry. Mulkey allowed him the beer with his father's approval. Mrs. Curry had called and railed at him at length for giving Jesse a beer.

Mulkey said of Jesse, "He was a good scout. He was a good boy." He was usually right along with the rest of the scouts doing the scouting they would do.

David King, Howard College teacher and Immaculate Heart of Mary Church minister, said he had witnessed two attempts by Mrs. Curry to run Jesse down on his motorcycle in a Lincoln Continental.

King said at least a year ago Jesse drove the cycle past him on Greer St. "at great speed it seemed to me."

When Jesse passed him on the right he attempted to pull into the right lane but Mrs. Curry passed him also in a light blue Lincoln before he could pull over.

On one occasion he said he saw her "ram" the bike from behind and on one other occasion she attempted to sideswipe the bike. On both occasions she slowed down when she saw King, he said.

King said he acted as religious counsel for Jesse and his mother. He said Mrs. Curry had called King every day for several months regarding Jesse.

King testified toward the end of Tuesday afternoon in 118th District Court and both sides rested their cases.

Digest

'Star Trek' sets records

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Star Trek — The Motion Picture" has set a motion picture industry record, taking in more than \$17 million during its first week, Paramount Pictures says.

Olympic lottery pays off

NEW YORK (AP) — Two Nassau County employees who earn \$13,000 a year are each \$1 million richer after winning the New York state Olympic Lottery drawing.

George Muhlbauer, 49, a widower from Valley Stream, said he plans windfalls for his four children, and Charles Walters, 33, of Massapequa Park said he plans "to party for a year."

Muhlbauer's name was pulled as the \$2 million lottery winner during a drawing Tuesday. He said he and Walters together bought ten of the \$10 lottery tickets.

Markets

Volume	191,400	Harte-Hanks	27 1/2
Index	837.87	Houston Oil and Mineral	23 1/2
30 Industrials	down 1.79	IBM	64
Transportation	up 15	J.C. Penney	27
15 Utilities	down 47	Johnsonville	23 1/2
American Airlines	10	K. Mart	24 1/2
American Petroleum	38 1/2	El Paso Natural Gas	22 1/2
Brantiff	8 1/2	Coca Cola	35
Bethlehem Steel	21 1/2	Mobile	58 1/2
Chrysler	8 1/2	Pacific Gas and Electric	27 1/2
Dr Pepper	12 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	48 1/2
Enserch	29	Sears and Roebuck	18 1/2
Ford	33	Shell Oil	54
Firestone	9	Sun Oil	70 1/2
Getty	75 1/2	American Telephone & Tele	52 1/2
General Telephone	28 1/2	Texas	29 1/2
Halliburton	81 1/2	Texas Instruments	88 1/2
		Texas Utilities	18 1/2
		U.S. Steel	17 1/2
		Exxon	56 1/2
		Westinghouse	19 1/2
		Western Union	21 1/2
		Zales	20 1/2
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Two honored at Big Spring Police Association Banquet

Detective George Quintero and Patrolman Troy Hogue were honored at the annual Big Spring Police Association Banquet, Tuesday night.

Quintero was named by his fellow department members as Police Officer of the Year. He joined the force during August of 1974, and was promoted to his present position of Detective during November of 1977.

Hogue was voted Police Association Member of the Year. He joined the department's traffic division during December of 1976.



GEORGE QUINTERO

Police beat Man slashed, purse gone

The left hand of a local man was cut during a skirmish with a knife-slashing assailant Tuesday night.

During the roughhousing fun and games, the purse was accidentally tossed out the window of the car. Before Mrs. Lancaster could turn around to pick it up, however, a passing motorist had snatched it.

Coahoma school trustees increase Kindergarten term

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For the record

The Coahoma High School Contest will be held Jan. 26 at 7 p.m. The Herald reported in the Sunday edition that the event was scheduled Dec. 22. We regret the error.

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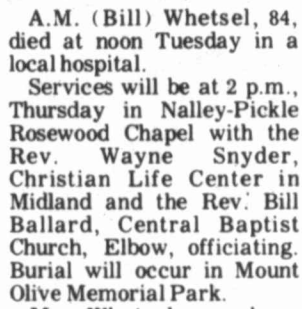
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Absentee voting starts today in local option booze election

LAMESA — Absentee voting began today for the local option liquor election slated Jan. 8 in Justice Precinct Two, which encompasses the southeast corner of Dawson County.

Deaths

A.M. (Bill) Whetsel, 84, died at noon Tuesday in a local hospital.



Services will be at 2 p.m., Thursday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Wayne Snyder, Christian Life Center in Midland and the Rev. Bill Ballard, Central Baptist Church, Elbow, officiating.

Susie Buchanan

Susie Davis Buchanan, 82, died at 1:45 p.m. Tuesday at Highland Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Salem Cemetery under the direction of Franklin Bartley Funeral Home.

Officiating will be the Rev. A.L. Gatewood, pastor of the Salem Baptist Church.

Mrs. Buchanan was a lifelong member of the church. She came to Howard County with her parents from Mississippi.

She is survived by one daughter, Lolita Bell, Lubbock; one son, Ike Reddell, Midland; eleven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Graveside services will be 1 p.m. Thursday in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving under the direction of the Larry D. Sheppard Funeral Home.

He was born November 21, 1955 in Pensacola, Fla. He was a construction worker and belonged to the Baptist Church.

His survivors are his father, Leroy Perry of Liverpool; his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Herrin of Irving; one sister, Mrs. Mary Hall of Pensacola, Fla.; one brother, Leroy Perry, Jr. of Liverpool; paternal grandfather, Mr. J.F. Perry of Pensacola, Fla.

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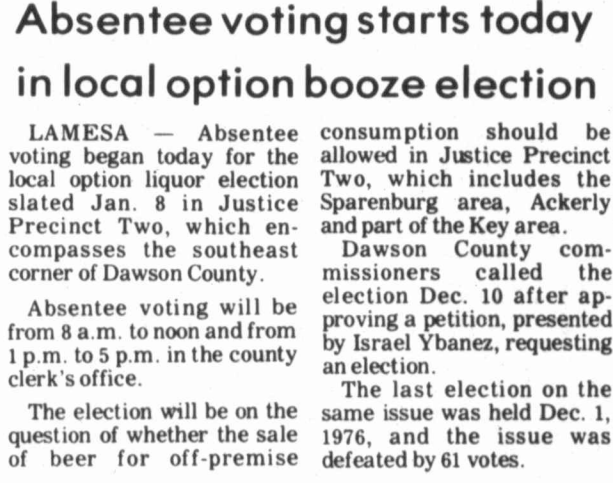
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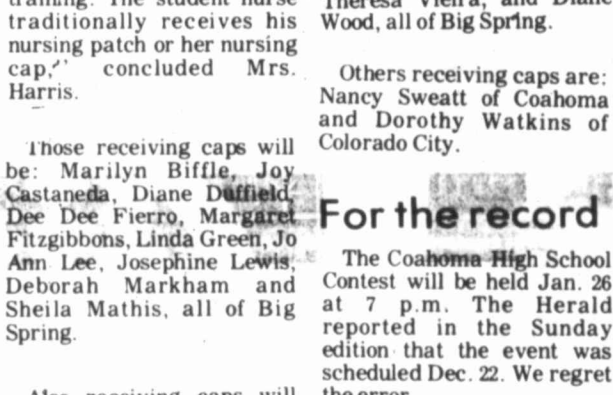
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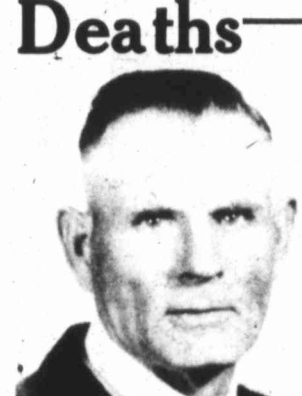
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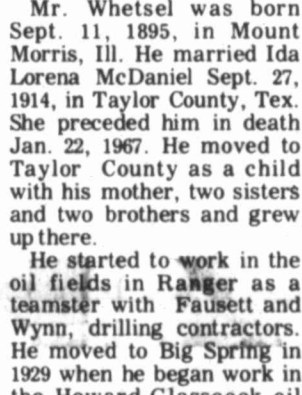
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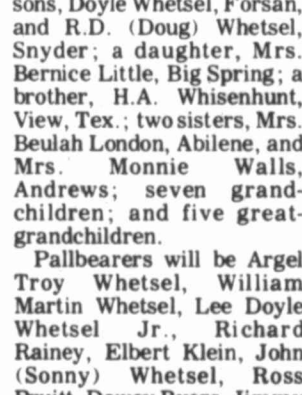
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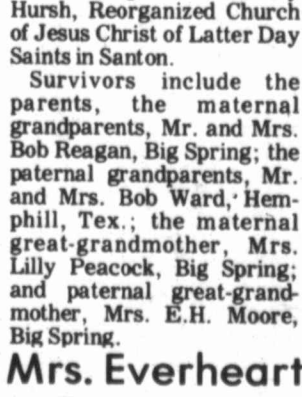
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Danger of sabotage can be minimized?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Reports to the Pentagon indicate Panamanian and American security forces are confident they can minimize the danger of sabotage to the Panama Canal by groups opposing Panamanian refugee for the ousted Shah of Iran.

Even before leftists staged violent anti-shah demonstrations in Panama City Tuesday, messages from U.S. military officials in Panama pointed into the likelihood of such protests by dissident students.

These officials said they expected Panamanian security forces to cooperate with American authorities in safeguarding the canal, which they said is vulnerable to sabotage.

Under a treaty that took effect Oct. 1, the Panamanian National Guard has begun to share the American forces' role in defending the canal. However, the United States will retain the primary defense responsibility for another 20 years.

U.S. military officials in Panama told the Pentagon that dissident students represent the only discernible opposition to the shah's presence on an offshore island. These officials dismissed the Moslem population in

Panama as an insignificant factor. American officers have told Congress that, as one of them put it, "It would not be possible to guarantee that the canal could be kept continuously operational," because of its vulnerability.

The most feared threat long has been a saboteur carrying explosives. Army experts have estimated that saboteurs could cripple the canal complex for about two years by blowing up the Gatun Dam, thus draining water vital to the lock system.

Military officers familiar with the canal's defense problem have said infiltrators operating from the neighboring jungle might effectively tie up the canal by firing at passing ships with shoulder-fired rockets or other weapons.

Administration officials have contended that the best way to protect the canal is to work with the Panamanian security forces. Now that the treaty pointing the way to ultimate Panamanian control of the canal is a reality, these officials say those security forces have a stake in assuring that the canal continues to operate without interference.

Weather Partly cloudy skies will prevail today

By The Associated Press Partly cloudy skies and warmer temperatures dominated the Texas weather scene today.

Forecasts called for partly cloudy skies statewide, with highs mostly in the 60s. Readings in the mountains of Southwest Texas were expected to reach

only into the lower 50s. All of the state had cloudy skies early today except the Panhandle and South Plains where clear skies were reported.

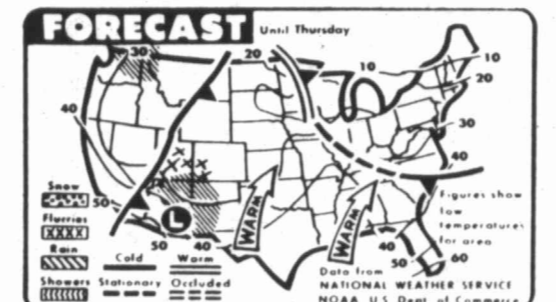
Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 30s and 40s except for the Panhandle where readings were in the upper 20s.

EXTENDED FORECAST

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	58	23
Amarillo	70	25
Chicago	34	28
Dallas	55	40
Denver	44	30
Houston	57	46
Las Vegas	64	36
Los Angeles	78	52
Miami	73	60
St. Louis	47	37
San Francisco	57	53
Tulsa	56	30
Washington, D.C.	33	31

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy through Thursday. Not as warm Panhandle and warmer south. Widely scattered showers southwest tonight and Thursday. Highs 60s except low 50s mountains. Lows 20 mountains and north to near 40 southwest.

SUN SETS TODAY AT 5:45 P.M. SUN RISES 12:20 AT 7:43 A.M. HIGHEST TEMPERATURE THIS DATE 77 IN 1973. LOWEST TEMPERATURE 8 IN 1972. MOST PRECIPITATION .55 IN 1962.



WEATHER FORECAST — Warm weather is expected in the forecast period, Wednesday until Thursday, for the southern tier of states but continuing colder weather is expected for most northern regions. Rain, and some snow flurries are forecast for the Southwest. Most of the nation is expected to have sunny skies.

Card of Thanks

I wish to give thanks to the City Fire Dept. for their fast action and to Germania Farm Mutual and agent Doyle Fowler for their fast and fair handling of a recent fire loss.

Steve Chrane

Young boy kidnapped San Angelo man charged

SAN ANGELO, Texas (AP) — A 22-year-old San Angelo man has been charged with aggravated kidnapping in connection with Tuesday's kidnapping of a 6-year-old boy from a school and attempt to trade his life for the freedom of a county jail inmate.

The boy was released unharmed after being kept for about three hours.

A warrant was issued about 8 p.m. Tuesday for Mark Gary, but authorities said they didn't find him at Eden, 45 miles southeast of San Angelo, where they had been told he was hiding out with a 16-year-old girl.

Officials said a woman claiming to be the child's mother picked him up at Santa Rita Elementary School about 8 a.m. Tuesday after school officials had received a call asking that the child be let out at the front door to go to a dental appointment.

attorney's office, sheriff's office and police department began receiving calls from a man and a woman demanding the release of a 25-year-old inmate being held at Tom Green County Jail on nine counts of burglary.

The callers threatened to kill the boy if their demands were not met, officials involved in the case said. The callers threatened also to kill a police officer and an unnamed district attorney, the San Angelo Standard-Times said, attributing the information to what it said was a reliable source.

However, the boy was found unharmed shortly before noon, wandering around an apartment complex where he apparently had been dropped off by his captors, authorities said.

Shortly later, the district

Justice of the Peace Jerry

Jennison issued an arrest warrant Tuesday night. Police withheld identity of the youth, pending further investigation.

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300 local Christmas cards prove support for hostages

Approximately 300 Christmas cards were sent Monday by local residents to the 50 American hostages held in Iran, according to Frank Hardesty, Big Spring postmaster.

A special box was placed in the post office approximately one week ago in response to Congressman

Charles Stenholm's request to have the cards sent to the hostages.

"I would judge there were a little over 300 cards in that box," said Hardesty. "And probably there were a great many more sent from around the United States. Whether they'll get them or not, I don't know. Congressman Stenholm

had recommended this be done and Abilene started doing it. I picked it up from Abilene and a newsletter from Stenholm. I know Abilene had a great number of Christmas cards."

Hardesty says the 31 cents per half ounce envelopes will arrive in Iran by Christmas day.



FLIES FLAGS FOR HOSTAGES — Ray Ellison of Huntington Beach sets up a display of flags Tuesday outside his place of business in compliance with President Carter's request for all Americans to show support of the U.S. hostages in Iran. President Carter designated Tuesday as Unity Day in the United States for his purpose.

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Inflation is problem which will endure

One of the networks devoted some of its time recently to the problems caused by inflation in Argentina, which has been cursed by the disease ever since Juan Peron rose to power by promising pie in the sky to the working man.

Argentina lives with an inflation rate that is calculated at 160 percent annually. No one saves anything. The smart use their wits to get by.

Argentina's problems makes ours seem picayune by comparison, but the commentators on the program cautioned that such a condition can occur in this country and, indeed, likely will unless something is done to turn things around.

prospect. President Carter may have taken the average American's mind off the problem for a while by fencing with the Iranians, but only for a little while. Only if he and his administration succeed in harnessing this tiger can he hope to salvage his political career. Inflation erodes the purchasing power of every American, and there is no indication the spiral will not continue upward through the 80s.

A recent Associated Press story offered 11 hints on ways for food shoppers to save money, ranging from use of newspaper ads and coupons to calculation of price per unit.

The account wasn't intended as a household test, but any shopper who

does not already adhere to those suggestions would do well to alter buying habits. The ideas made a lot of sense.

For example, the story recommended that people carefully check newspaper advertisements for real bargains. That's not an entirely bad idea about most shopping; it's not reserved only for food buys.

IT SUGGESTED that shoppers compare prices from one store to another. Special sales at store A may be a bargain there, but not if they're still higher than store B's regular prices.

Check unit prices. It may require both the purchase of (and a lesson in

using) a hand calculator, but that would help determine whether a 12-ounce package which sells for 69 cents is or isn't a bargain over a 16-ounce container with an 89-cent price tag.

It suggests people shop more carefully but less often, purchasing larger (and presumably cheaper) quantities but doing that less often. Shopping less often also saves on gas.

There were several theories of what not to do, like not falling prey to the purchase of convenience items or snack foods.

The suggestions were few, but they made a whole lot of sense. Inflation isn't going to go away. We all can learn how to cope with it if we work at it.

Instincts at work



Don Woods

The faces of the defendants in the trials conducted in 118th District Courtroom have always interested me. Their composure reflects survival instincts at work.

JESSE CURRY LOOKS like a little boy in the courtroom sitting at the elbow of Defense Lawyer Wayne Basden. Curry's oversized studious glasses and John John haircut belie the crime he is accused of. His face is very adolescent and the large glasses blow his eyes up out of proportion.

Curry and his 16-year-old wife sit together at the defense table. She looks like a thin high school girl dressed for church. Her blonde hair past her shoulders is parted in the middle and brushed back in wings. She wears wire framed glasses. She chews her fingernail and places her other hand in the crook of Jesse's elbow.

They are two children cast into a whirlwind of adult activity. At 18, Curry is being tried as an adult. On the witness stand, under the tirade of District Attorney Rick Hamby, Curry assumes the aspect of a boy getting a scolding. ("Yes, sir, No, sir.") He hangs his head.

Mrs. Curry blushed under Hamby's questions, looked at the floor in front of her, and chewed her finger again.

Doubtless, the two are coached to seem as innocent as possible. The leniency of Howard County juries on the county's youth is common knowledge.

BUT THEIR puerility is not wholly an act. The youth of the Curry's is a

stark contrast to the grown-up courtroom environment.

Hamby parades the events in front of the defendant in the course of his questioning. It seems like it would break him in half, remembering removing the gun from the closet, the slam of the front door followed immediately by the report of the gun.

The American court system, though, as set up under the constitution, demands public recitation of the events of crimes. The process is a vast improvement over the sentences passed in olden days without the accused person even knowing what he has been accused of.

Curry's stamina under the necessary pressure of the courtroom is a tribute to the human instinct of survival. When a person is under the gun, storehouses of reserves surface that give him energy to cope with whatever pressures face him. Maybe this reserve is included in the 90 percent of the grey matter they say we don't use.

For Jesse, tears came occasionally. He took off his glasses and wiped his face with a wad of tissue balled up in his hand. For the most part, though, his composure is intact.

Tears or smiles would come later when jurors return with the verdict then later with his punishment. During the trial, though, he's like a caged animal. His mind is singular and all his abilities are funneled into a single purpose.

His concentration like an anesthesia numbs his consciousness of the events into a dream-like blur. It must be hard to believe what is happening to him.



Trick or treat?

William F. Buckley, Jr.

If you had to point to a single remark by Adlai Stevenson made during his bootless campaign for the presidency in 1952 which endeared him most to the American liberal, it was what he said to the American Legion Convention. This was during the heyday of McCarthyism, and the American Legion was McCarthyism's praetorian guard. Candidate Stevenson said that although if elected president he would maintain strict internal security, he would not go looking for Communists "in the bureau of Wildlife and Fisheries." The stony silence of the Legionnaires, who quite rightly interpreted this as an anti-McCarthy crack, was more than compensated for by the wild cheers of the intelligentsia who identified Stevenson as the true aristocratic candidate who would, in the phrase so commonly used thereafter, "talk sense to the American people."

WE HAVE A tradition in America of considerable indulgence toward presidential candidates. Even Calvin Coolidge was expected to wear Indian headdress when addressing the Sioux, if that is what one does to the Sioux. John Kennedy went to New England and promised tariffs to protect the shoe industry, though one can be sure that if the following morning he was speaking at Harvard, he would declare for free trade.

His brother Bobby, running for the Senate, addressing the workers at the Brooklyn Navy Yard felt with that keen nose the calcifying hostility of the crowd, so that when he reached the passage in which he was scheduled to console them on the forthcoming closing of the Navy Yard, he simply left it out of the text, giving the impression he would fight the closing.

And so it goes, with wonderful exceptions. If memory serves, it was in a single spectacular week that Senator Goldwater, running for president, managed to deplore excessive Social Security payments in St. Petersburg, Fla., criticize the TVA in Knoxville, Tenn., and deplore aid to distressed areas in Wheeling, West Va. Senator Goldwater, I suppose it would be fair to record, lost the election.

The trouble with being too patronizing about democratic habits is that you become calloused to certain excesses which, when overexercised, bring to discredit the very premises of self-government. These things happen seldom, but look now at the performance of Senator Kennedy.

THE PAPER REPORTS that at the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, where the senator gave his first foreign policy address of the campaign season, "his address drew little more than polite applause."

Later, however, speaking off the cuff to a small luncheon group of Greek-Americans, he assailed President Carter for endorsing removal of the arms embargo against Turkey, and his remarks received an enthusiastic, standing ovation."

New Greek-Americans are enduringly sore at the Turks for the invasion of Cyprus, accomplished in part through the use of American arms. But the ancient quarrels of Europe are not the principal concern of the United States. Our very immediate concern is the survival of Turkey as a NATO partner, but you would never know this from Senator Kennedy.

And then he comes to New York for a fund-raiser and you will never guess what he does. He calls for \$350 million more for Israel, on the grounds of inflation. Current aid is running at \$1.8 billion, so that he has asked for indexation at approximately twice the inflationary rate.



Lecithin not harmful

Paul G. Donohue, M.D.

Dear Dr. Donohue: I really get upset when I read articles such as yours on lecithin. I think it's past time when you doctors should take a course in preventive medicine. — Mrs. J.W.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Several times you have answered negatively about our body's need for lecithin. Evidently, you have not studied nutrition and preventive medicine. — J.K.

Dear Dr. Donohue: In your column you state there is no medical evidence that lecithin won't help heart or artery problems. You have misled your readers about the role lecithin plays in combatting heart and artery disease. — W.G.

I am under attack by proponents of lecithin.

Let me state my approach to life and medicine. If something is not harmful and if people think it does them good, then I will not condemn it. If something is harmful or of doubtful value I have a duty to express concern. I do not believe lecithin is harmful. Nor are sunflower seeds. Technically, lecithin is a fat itself, with the chemical element phosphorous a part of it. Lecithin is a component of cell membranes (walls), a part of the brick and mortar of all cells.

It also has a function of helping cholesterol droplets stay dispersed in the blood on their way to the liver. Advocates of the substance say it helps lower a person's cholesterol. All I said was that we get all the lecithin we need in a normal diet.

I will promise to keep an open mind on the benefits of lecithin. A tennis pro tells me lecithin works for tennis elbow, psoriasis and weight control. I'm not condemning that, Mrs. J.W., J.K. and W.G.! I only raise an eyebrow. I doubt it.

If anyone wishes to send me evidence from reputable scientific journals on lecithin I will pass this on — the pros and cons. I am not going to get Mrs. J.W. mad at me again. I hope she understands my position on lecithin.

Dear Dr. Donohue: How can I persuade my father to see a doctor? He is retired and has been in good health. Recently, he has had blood in the urine. He refuses to listen to me. —

T.T., M.D. I presume the idea is that if he reads it here, he'll respond to common sense.

I can sympathize with you. You are dad's little boy, doctor. How can he be expected to listen to you? He knows what you were like growing up.

Your father may be delaying an examination out of fear of what he may hear. Blood in the urine, as you know and as he should know, can signal many problems, from a harmless infection to a more serious one, like a growth.

Whatever the cause, early diagnosis is preferable to letting a treatable condition become untreatable.

So do yourself a favor, M.D.'s father, and get to a doctor before your condition gets worse and your son gets an ulcer from worry.

Dear Dr. Donohue: My teen-age son had an extensive blood chemical test and everything was normal except his cholesterol, which was below normal. We hear about high cholesterol, but nothing about a low count. Will you please discuss low cholesterol? — Mrs. B.C.

Generally, a cholesterol count on the low side is a blessing. A few illnesses, whose other signs are easily recognized, can be associated with a very low cholesterol level.

These include severe liver damage, an overactive thyroid gland, malnutrition, and certain intestinal disorders affecting food absorption, all can cause a low blood cholesterol. Other blood components would also be abnormal. The low cholesterol level itself would not hurt.

Your son sounds like a healthy person who just happens to have low

cholesterol. He's lucky. Dear Dr. Donohue: We are in our late 70s and can still enjoy intercourse. A friend (being envious) tells me that I can easily become pregnant even though I have not menstruated for over 30 years. Is she right? — No name.

Good grief, no! You can tell your envious friend that you've got 30 years of proof.

"You Can Stop Sinus Trouble!" is the title of Dr. Donohue's booklet explaining what sinus trouble really is and what can be done about it. For a copy write to Dr. Donohue in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 50 cents.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Could you please tell me why a 13-year-old boy would have a black tongue? — Mrs. E.N.

Black tongue is quite often due to lengthening of the taste buds (papillae) on the tongue's outer surface. The tongue may also appear blackened after extensive use of antibiotics, which may permit certain harmless fungi to grow there. It usually is of no significance and indicates no underlying illness.

Brushing the tongue gently with a soft-bristled toothbrush might help. The condition is often chronic.

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: I have a friend who just recovered from serious illness. She is not a Christian, but says she prayed for her recovery and God answered her prayer. Do you think God really hears prayers from unbelievers? — C.G.

DEAR C. G.: I find nothing in the Scriptures that promises that God will hear the prayers of unbelievers. A prayer offered by an unbeliever, after all, is not offered in true faith or trust in God — because if the person really believed in God's willingness to answer prayer, he would no longer remain an unbeliever. The Bible says, "The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to the Lord: but the prayer of the upright is his delight" (Proverbs 15:8). This does not mean that God may not bless an unbeliever in some special way such as helping your friend recover from illness. But when He does this in His grace, I believe it is because He is trying to help that person see His love, and wants to help them come to faith in Christ.

There is, however, one kind of prayer that God has promised to answer from an unbeliever. That is the prayer of repentance and faith — and it is one He will always answer! Perhaps the most evil man in the Old Testament was King Manasseh. He had a godly father, Hezekiah, and yet he turned his back on God and embraced all kinds of evil and pagan practices. He even allowed his children to be killed as sacrifices to pagan gods, and cruelly established the worship of idols in the Temple of God. And yet the time came when Manasseh was taken captive by a foreign nation and "in his distress he sought the favor of the Lord his God and humbled himself greatly before the God of his fathers. And when he prayed to him, the Lord was moved by his entreaty and listened to his plea" (2 Chronicles 33: 12-13). God forgave him and restored him.

This can be the experience of every one of us, no matter what our background may be. God loves us and sent His Son to die for our sins. When we turn to Him, He hears our prayer and makes us His children by faith in Christ.

Studying Ayatollah

Jack Anderson,



WASHINGTON — A frustrated Jimmy Carter, with his logical engineer's mind, cannot seem to cope with the illogical, if not irrational Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini.

The president has turned, as he usually does, to the textbooks for the answers. He is studying two secret primers on the ayatollah. One is called "Ayatollah Khomeini of Iran: His Personality and Political Behavior." The other is more specific, "A Psychological Perspective: Khomeini's Political Behavior and Decision-Making in the Current Crisis."

CARTER'S CLASSIFIED reading also includes other related documents which analyze the role that Khomeini's fanaticism has played on the Iranian crisis. The ayatollah emerges from these studies as a dedicated, calculating, rancorous, implacable old man who would sacrifice Iran's oil wealth, his own safety, life itself to pursue his goals.

No threat of reprisal is likely to budge him. Boycott? "If we have to lose our honor in order to fill our stomachs, then we would prefer that our honor is preserved and we will go hungry," he said. Oil cutoff? The Persian people lived without petroleum for 5,000 years, and Khomeini believes they can get along without oil again. Military attack? "Why should we be afraid," he retorted. "We consider martyrdom an honor."

There is no doubt in the minds of Central Intelligence Agency analysts that the ayatollah means it. During the street fighting that brought down the shah, Khomeini sent instructions from his exile in France for his followers to wear white robes to show up the blood from their wounds.

Khomeini is as reckless as Carter is cautious, as dogmatic as Carter is reasonable, as militant as Carter is mild, as bloody as Carter is squeamish. The ayatollah apparently views Carter's forbearance as weakness, his restraint as timidity, his concessions as appeasement. The president, jeered Khomeini, "lacks guts."

THE SECRET studies also indicate that the ayatollah's advanced age and brooding bitterness have affected his mind. He dared to defy the shah, risking prison and assassination. He is convinced, indeed, that the shah's agents murdered his father and one of his sons. For 15 years, the exiled Khomeini has nursed a smoldering, pious hatred for the shah. Now at age 79, he won't be deterred from getting revenge. This hunger for revenge, the analysts suggest, is his dominant passion.

This strange, stubborn, unyielding man has now been united with a populace that for 25 years has been boiling with anger without focus, grievances without unity, revolutionary hopes without a revolutionary leader. He has given that revolutionary role a driving force by his strident religious appeals.

More than 95 percent of Iran's 36 million people are Moslems, and most of them belong to the militant, martyr-minded Shillite sect. Khomeini has fired them up with calls for a more aggressive Islam, for a holy war against the infidels. This is "a struggle between Islam and the infidels," he has declared.

What meat do the mullahs feast on that they have grown so great? How did the lordly Americans become reduced to the roles of hostages and

suplicants? What has transpired to allow the ayatollah to dream that he can cow President Carter and humiliate the United States?

Nothing in the textbooks can instruct the engineer in the White House how to overcome the vulnerability of a mighty, comfortable, cautious nation before the powerless zealot, or how to battle the tyranny of the aggressively weak over the self-disarmed strong.

GAS GOUGE: Two years of foot-dragging by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and its chairman, Charles Curtis, have cost American consumers millions of dollars in inflated natural gas prices.

The massive overcharges began back in early 1977, when a shortage of natural gas in some areas led Congress to rush through emergency legislation relaxing some regulatory restrictions and allowing higher prices for gas.

With this incentive, big gas producers sold billions of cubic feet of natural gas at prices more than 50 percent above previous legal limits, and passed it on to shivering consumers at an even bigger markup. The shortages disappeared, but the cost was staggering.

Subsequent investigation disclosed massive gouging by the natural gas companies. As a General Accounting Office report noted, "the interstate (gas) companies enjoyed the best of both worlds" — freedom from federal price controls at the very time when desperate customers would pay any price to keep the home fires burning.

As a result of this backdoor deregulation, consumers wound up subsidizing the big industrial users by paying as much as double the previous market price for natural gas.

Last year, FERC Chairman Curtis was responsible for stalling the disclosure of an investigation of the scandal until it was too late for the gas companies' bonanza to affect congressional action.

Curtis promised to do something about the natural gas gouge. But after two years of bureaucratic inertia, the "emergency sales" are still going on. The greedy gas producers are raking in bonus profits at the expense of consumers, most of whom are unaware of the inflationary gas spiral.

Footnote: FERC spokesmen had no comment at press time on the agency's decision to allow the emergency sales to continue.



Dear Editor, It's the season to be thankful and say "thank you." First of all to the St. Mary's Episcopal Church for its help in obtaining the Canterbury Retirement Center for our senior citizens and to Galen Bradford for his expert management.

To the music department of First Baptist Church for their "King of Kings" and to United Methodist for their "Living Christmas Tree." Both beautiful Christmas programs.

To the men of the "Red Fez's" who care for all crippled and burned children and see to it that they have a Christmas tree with party and presents.

Last but not least, thank you God that I live in Big Spring, Texas, not Tehran Iran.

Mrs. Jean McKendree
607 W. 18th.

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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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BRRRR! — John Gelles, 20, grimaces as he carries on a family tradition by being the last to waterski in Lake Placid, N.Y. Gelles, a local resident, braved 39-degree waters and air temperatures in the 20s as he, his brother and a friend took five-minute turns on the Lake. In the background is part of Whiteface Mountain, where Olympic snow skiing races take place this February.

TWEEN 12 and 20



An apology for Desiree

By Robert Wallace, Ed. D.

Desiree. When I blow an answer, I really blow it and I can tell by the volume of mail I receive telling me so. Desiree from Burlington, Iowa, wrote saying she was ugly. flat as a board and had never kissed a boy. She said she met a real cute boy whom she liked and wanted to tell him so. I told her not to say anything to the boy about liking him and that this boy was out of her league. I was wrong so Desiree I apologize. Go after him with gusto. It's what's in the heart that counts most. I'd like to share a few of the many letters that reminded me that my advice was wrong. From K.L. Downey, Columbus, Ohio. You certainly place outer beauty on a pedestal. Isn't inner beauty more important? Personally, I would much rather date a guy with a great personality than a guy with good looks. From J and A. Kristal, San Rafael, Calif. Teenage girls need support. Oftentimes they feel they are ugly when in fact they are not. From R. Watson, Colorado Springs, Colo. Tell Desiree that if she checks the latest fashion magazines, the flat-chested look is in. A new hairstyle and a few new clothes could make ugly,

pretty. From T. Martin, San Antonio, Texas. I'm considered a "plain Jane" and my husband is the most handsome man in Texas, and we've got lots of good-looking guys down here. From R. Stallings, Hagerstown, Md. This girl needed a boost not a slam. Who is the person who determines what beauty is? From C. Palmer, Klamath Falls, Ore. I would hope that you would read the story "Beauty and the Beast." From A. Brandt, Florence, Ala. I'm fat, and ugly and I've got more hair on my legs than most men, but people tell me that I'm a beautiful human being. From C. Chung, Vancouver, Wash. I am considered a very good-looking Chinese boy. My girlfriend is a wonderful—thoughtful, sweet, and kind Korean girl who is not considered attractive and I love her very much. Send questions to Dr. Robert Wallace, TWEEN 12 and 20 in care of this newspaper. For Dr. Wallace's teen booklet, "Happiness or Despair," please send \$1 and a 28-cent, stamped, large self-addressed envelope to Dr. Wallace, in care of this newspaper.

Bridal coffee held Dec. 15

The future bride of Mike Thomas, Teri Adams, was feted Dec. 15 at bridal coffee held at the Big Spring Country Club. Hostesses for the occasion included Mrs. Joe Horton, Mrs. Paul Sheedy, Mrs. J.O. McCrary, Mrs. Allen Hamilton, Mrs. Del Shirey and Mrs. M.R. Koger. Others were Mrs. Jimmy Ray Smith, Mrs. Jimmie D. Jones, Mrs. Kimball Guthrie, Mrs. E.P. Driver, Mrs. John Currie and Mrs. Stan Partee. They presented the honoree with a canister set. The reception area was decorated in the bride-elect's chosen colors of royal blue and white. A centerpiece of daisies, mums, eucalyptus and fresh grapes arranged in a white wicker basket complimented the refreshment table. Special guests present were Polly Adams, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. Clyde Thomas Jr., mother of the prospective bridegroom. The couple will marry Dec. 22.

The Littlest Angel reviewed for HCRT

Mrs. Lila Brewster reviewed "The Littlest Angel" at the Big Spring Howard County Retired Teachers December luncheon meeting in the Cactus Room at Howard College Student Union Building Dec. 17. Dinner music was provided by Marjorie Sorrels at the piano and Dan Connelly leading the group singing Christmas carols. Marie Landers, president, presided over the business meeting. Thetus Dunagan reported the results of a survey showing that the association averages 320 hours volunteer work in the community each month. Richard Doane, police officer will speak on crime prevention at the next meeting in the Cactus Room.

Christmas facts and fancies of the world

The Christmas Seal originated in Denmark in 1903 when a Danish postal clerk decided to ask people to buy a special Christmas stamp to help raise money for sick and needy children. The world's largest Christmas wrapping, 42 feet long and seven feet in diameter, was constructed as a showroom display at a garage in Essex, England, according to the Guinness Book of Records. It took two weeks to build and concealed a Ford Escort car. Flowers are among the most popular Christmas gifts throughout the world, ranging from the traditional evergreen wreath in northern Europe to the gay floral tributes used to decorate for South America's Christmas Fiestas. With Interflora, the international affiliate of FTD, it is possible to send a floral holiday greeting to almost any country in the world in less time than it takes to send a Christmas card! Jolly old Santa Claus is not the only one delivering gifts at Christmas time. In Scandinavia, they are brought by little gnomelike creatures called "Yule Men," who are said to live hidden in the attic all year long. In Italy, they are left on Epiphany Eve (Jan. 6) by a wrinkled old woman called Befana, whose arrival is announced by a bell. The Magi, the three wise men, bring gifts to Mexican children who, instead of hanging stockings, place their shoes on the windowsill. One of the longest Christmas celebrations in the world takes place in Sweden, where the holiday lasts an entire month. It begins on Dec. 13 with Saint Lucia's feast day, and ends on Jan. 13 Saint Knut's Day, when children "plunder" the Christmas tree, eating all its candies and cookies before removing its ornaments and carrying it outdoors with a song.

Good nutrition is important today

If mothers get discouraged sometimes, they should stop and realize how important their job really is. The family takes a lot of meals for granted. But the fact is, it's usually mother's planning that makes for a healthy, well-nourished family. So take pride in the fact that your family eats sensibly and well. Sour cream is one of today's sophisticated dairy foods; as far as can be determined, it originated in Central Europe—a product of hard-working people of the Old World. People in the Slavic nations, particularly, love sour cream. It also qualifies as a low-cal product, only 30 calories per tablespoon. A newborn child's mouth contains the beginnings of 52 teeth. Thus, the nutrition of the mother-to-be influences dental health. This is another reason pregnant women should be especially careful to get an adequate supply of calcium, phosphorus, and vitamin D in their diet. Milk is a prime source. Here's a bit of history: For many years the English made pastry for meat pies, and the American Indians had been stewing pumpkin. But it took the New England colonists to combine the English pastry and the American pumpkin to come up with that strictly American invention: "pumpkin pie." Potassium is an essential nutrient. But few people understand its function. Along with other chemicals in our bodies, it helps transmit the electric currents that are essential for our brains, muscles, heart, and nerves to operate. Potassium is widely distributed among common foods, especially fruit and vegetables.



Dear Abby

Brother Does A Sister Act

DEAR ABBY: Last summer my sister and her two sons (9 and 11) visited me. The boys found a closet full of clothes which I had stored away, so they put on a "fashion show" for their mother and me. It was cleverly done and both boys made beautiful models. I was recently informed by my sister that her 11-year-old had taken home one of the gowns he had modeled, as well as a pair of my high-heeled shoes! She found them in his guitar case. This same boy used to wear his mother's clothes when he was 4 and 5, but she thought he'd outgrown it. My sister is a strict disciplinarian. "Grounding" is her choice of punishment. What would be your recommendation for correcting such tendencies?

CONCERNED AUNT

DEAR AUNT: Your sister should be counseled by someone who is familiar with transvestism (cross dressing), and learn more about it. She also should keep the channels of communication open with her son so that he will feel free and unashamed to share his feelings and tendencies with her. Grounding him for something about which he may be compulsive is exactly what she SHOULDNT do. The boy needs understanding, not punishment.

DEAR ABBY: A reader recently asked if it was considered proper etiquette to turn his wine glass upside down at a dinner party, and you said it wasn't.

Abby, as a non wine drinker, I have always turned my wine glass upside down to let the waiter know that I do not wish wine. Otherwise he is apt to come along and fill my glass while I'm not looking, which is a foolish waste of wine. It's just a matter of common sense. You disappointed me. NO WINE IN CEDAR RAPIDS

DEAR NO WINE: I said it ISN'T considered proper etiquette—because it isn't. But I've often stated that common sense outranks etiquette in my book, and if one must make a choice, go the common sense route—and a pox on etiquette!

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I work for the same company, in the same building, but he is located on the floor above me. I'm a secretary and he has a higher position. I am very busy during the day since I have to type letters and work with numbers. My problem is that my husband (let's call him John), will call me at least five times a day asking me to do things for him. (Make calls for him, run copies, bring him a snack, etc.) John just called to ask me to remind him of an appointment he had this afternoon! If I suggest that he tell his secretary, or make reminder notes like I do, he gets angry and hangs up on me. Abby, I have a job to do just like John does. I'm afraid this is going to jeopardize my job. How can I end this dilemma without offending my husband? I am becoming a SURROGATE SECRETARY

DEAR SURROGATE: As long as you continue to act as a "surrogate secretary" for your husband, you are contributing to the dilemma. If his secretary isn't as efficient as you, tell him to make a change. Let John know that his demands are too burdensome, and I wouldn't be too concerned about "offending" a man who hangs up on me.

CONFIDENTIAL TO MRS. K. IN BAY CITY, TEXAS: The henpecked husband is the first to fly the coop. If he wants an occasional night out with the boys, let him have it.

DEAR ABBY: My father died suddenly of a heart attack, and this unfinished letter was in his pocket. My wife and I will miss him very much. Sign this: "A SON WHO REALLY WANTED HIS DAD TO COME." WILLIAM SMZYK, OMAHA, NEBR.

Problems? You'll feel better if you get them off your chest. For a personal reply write to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Cal. 90069. Please enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Colonial Dames select name

A pre-organizational meeting of the Colonial Dames was held in the home of Mrs. Lola Kilman, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. C.G. Barnett, organizing president, presided. A name for the chapter was selected to be approved by the National organization. Officers appointed to act until the organizing meeting is held are: Mrs. Jack Lipscombe, vice president; Mrs. A.R. Reynolds, chaplain; Mrs. Lou Horton, secretary; Mrs. Bob Wren, treasurer; Mrs. Lola Kilman, registrar; Mrs. Wm. Riley, librarian and Mrs. L.J. Jeter, parliamentarian.

Reduce home heating bills - weatherstrip?

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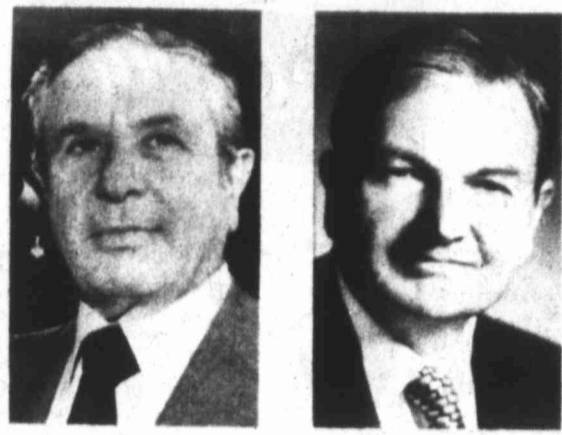
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Names in the news



DAVID BEGELMAN **DAVID ROCKEFELLER**

Begelman bounces back

LOS ANGELES (AP) — David Begelman, toppled from power at Columbia Pictures in a 1978 forgery scandal, has bounced back to the movie industry's top echelon with the announcement that he will become president of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's motion picture division.

Frank E. Rosenfelt, president and chief executive officer of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Inc., said Tuesday he believes Begelman was "a sick man" when he forged checks on a Columbia account.

Now, he said, the 59-year-old Begelman has recovered and is ready to resume his former role as a gifted hit-maker in the movie industry.

"I am persuaded that period is behind him. He has paid a very severe price," Rosenfelt said.

Begelman, whose Columbia projects included "Shampoo" and "Close Encounters of the Third Kind," spent a year on probation after pleading no contest to grand theft charges for forging \$40,000 worth of checks. He was not available for comment and his office said he would be out of town all week.

Begelman has been working as an independent producer at Columbia since his resignation as studio president.

Learned reweds Tuesday

NEW YORK (AP) — Michael Learned, star of the television series "The Waltons," and her 17-year-old son Luke both had something to celebrate — her marriage and his birthday.

Miss Learned, 40, was married Tuesday to screen and television writer William Parker, 34. It was her second marriage and his first.

About 100 guests arrived at a reception at a Manhattan restaurant aboard a double-decker English bus sporting a "Just Married" sign.

Miss Learned's youngest son was not left out of the festivities. A small note on her three-tiered wedding cake read: "Happy Birthday, Luke."

The bride has two other children from a previous marriage, Caleb, 22, and Christopher, 20.

Banker buys costly farm

HUDSON, N.Y. (AP) — David Rockefeller, chairman of the Chase Manhattan Bank, is acquiring 1,000 acres of rich Hudson Valley farm land with a reported price tag of more than \$1 million, according to published reports.

Rockefeller and his wife Margaret recently purchased the 400-acre Stone House Farm owned by Stanley and Margaret Voorhees Sr. The farm is considered the focal point of the purchase.

Closings on three other adjacent farms are expected within the next several weeks, with the cost of the entire parcel expected to exceed \$1 million, according to the Hudson Register-Star.

The Rockefeller plan to use the farm to raise show cattle, the paper said. They do not expect to live on the property, however.

PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATIONS FOR BIDS
REHABILITATION OF DAY CARE CENTER
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The Office of Housing and Community Development of the City of Big Spring, Texas will receive sealed bids for rehabilitation of commercial structure in CDNG Project areas, Big Spring, Texas 79720, until 2:00 P.M. Central Daylight Savings Time, January 11, 1980 at which place and time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

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The contractor must assure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

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The Office of Housing and Community Development, City of Big Spring, Texas, reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

The value of any contract to be awarded as a result of this invitation is estimated to be less than \$20,000.00.

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
CITY OF BIG SPRING
BY: William M. Hall, Director
0015 Dec. 16, 17 & 19, 1979

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La Oficina de Casas y el Desarrollo de la Comunidad de la ciudad de Big Spring, Texas va a recibir ofertas seradas para la construcción del edificio comercial en la zona del proyecto en el Distrito II.

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Texas tribe holds meeting

Indians request control

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Alabama-Coushatta Indian leaders, tired of what they call the "paternalism" of the Texas Indian Commission, Thursday will try to open improved lines of communications with the commission.

Representatives of the East Texas reservation Tuesday met with the governor's staff to talk about a 72-page long-term plan developed by the tribe. The plan includes more self-rule for the Indians.

"In the past our participation in this way has been symbolic. We are very serious about changing this symbolism to direct participation. We have the basic right to self-rule and to make our own decisions. This has not been extended to us through the structure of the Texas Indian Commission," said Roland Poncho, director of tourism for the Alabama-Coushatta Reservation.

The governor's office of planning and budget intervened in October when already-poor relations between the commission and the tribe deteriorated. The squabble involved the commission's firing of tribal chief Emmett Battise from his \$19,000-a-year superintendent post at the reservation.

The commission said Battise's mismanagement contributed to massive financial losses at the reservation.

The tribal council refused to endorse the firing. Instead, it called for the firing of Walter Broemer, TIC executive director who preceded Battise as superintendent.

"They have to change their attitude from paternalism to one in which we can work together," Poncho said of the commission. He said the Thursday session will mark the first time tribal leaders will talk directly to the commission — without Broemer on hand.

"It is most important to us that he be out of the picture," Poncho said after the two-hour session with the governor's planning and budget office. "This is the first time he will not be there ... the first time we'll be talking directly to the commission."

After an October meeting with Indian leaders, the governor's staff persuaded the commission to postpone Battise's firing. The commission agreed to a two-month extension to allow the development of a long-range plan by the tribe.

Poncho said the plan makes the first time the Indians have put their goals on paper. The document includes the tribal council resolution supporting Battise and calling for Broemer's firing.

Battise's future will be discussed at the Thursday meeting, Poncho said.

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Preliminary hearing to end today

Stafford faces more charges

PURCELL, Okla. (AP) — Roger Dale Stafford's preliminary hearing on charges of murdering three members of a Texas family was winding to a close today with cross-examination of his wife, who testified Tuesday she saw Stafford gun down the family.

Verna Stafford, 26, testified that her 28-year-old husband killed Melvin Lorenz, 38, his wife Linda, 31, and son Richard, 13, of San Antonio, Texas when Lorenz refused to turn over money during a robbery alongside Interstate 35 near this central Oklahoma town on June 22, 1978.

Stafford defense attorney J. Malone Brewer and McClain County District Attorney Kay Huff both said they expected the preliminary hearing would end today with an order by Special Judge Sam Goodwin for Stafford to stand trial on charges of murdering the Lorenz family.

Mrs. Huff said she will seek three new death sentences against Stafford in the Lorenz case, on top of the six he received for his October conviction for the murders of six Oklahoma City steakhouse workers in the worst robbery-murder in Oklahoma history. Stafford is appealing the conviction.

Mrs. Stafford was the chief prosecution witness against her husband in the steakhouse case, as she is in the Lorenz murders. She testified she watched her husband and his late brother, Harold, kill the six steakhouse workers during a July 16, 1978 robbery.

Harold Stafford died in a Tulsa motorcycle accident six days after the steakhouse killings.

Brewer, who also defended Stafford at the steakhouse murders trial and is handling Stafford's appeal of his conviction in that case, objected repeatedly to allowing Mrs. Stafford to testify in the Lorenz case.

As he argued unsuccessfully at the steakhouse trial, Brewer contended a wife cannot legally testify against her husband. However, like judges in the previous case, Goodwin chose to reject that argument.

Brewer sharply attacked Mrs. Stafford as he began cross-examining her.

Brewer asked Goodwin to "place Verna Stafford under arrest on a charge of murder in the first-degree," contending that by testifying she was present at the Lorenz killings, Mrs. Stafford was confessing her guilt in the murders.

Goodwin refused Brewer's request.

Mrs. Stafford has not been charged with any crimes. Mrs. Huff said she and the prosecutor in the steakhouse murder case — Oklahoma County District Attorney Andrew Coats — will meet after the Lorenz case ends and charge Mrs. Stafford with a crime of a less serious nature than murder.

In dramatic testimony Tuesday, Mrs. Stafford said her now-estranged husband fatally shot the Lorenz family after Lorenz stopped his pickup truck alongside I-35 at about 2 a.m. to aid Mrs. Stafford, who was standing alongside the Staffords' car pretending to be a stranded motorist. Roger and Harold Stafford were crouching out of view on the side of the car, Mrs. Stafford said.

"When he (Lorenz) got out he asked me what was wrong and I told him the car was overheated and I didn't know what to do," Mrs. Stafford testified, breathing heavily and tightly squeezing her hands.

When Lorenz walked to the front of the car, "Roger and Harold stood up ... Roger kept demanding money," Mrs. Stafford said. Lorenz refused to turn over all his money and "Roger

got really upset, the next thing I know the man was shot."

"After the gun went off I heard the lady come around ... and all I could hear was her scream, 'Oh my God!'" Mrs. Stafford testified.

Mrs. Lorenz "tried to hit me" and then Stafford fired "approximately twice" and killed the woman, Mrs. Stafford testified.

"We heard a child crying out for his mother and father ... and we heard some dogs barking," Mrs. Stafford continued, referring to Richard Lorenz and the two Lorenz family dogs still in the pickup.

"Harold said there was no sense in killing the little boy because he couldn't testify ... and Roger said it wasn't wise to leave anybody to testify to anything" and then shot and killed the boy, Mrs. Stafford said.

After the shootings, Roger Stafford said "they got what they deserved because they wouldn't cooperate with him," Mrs. Stafford testified.

Stafford killed the Lorenz family with a gun he and his brother had stolen in a burglary of a pawnshop here on June 19, 1978, Mrs. Stafford said. She said she had acted as a lookout during the burglary.

After the murders, the Staffords disposed of the three bodies near I-35 and drove off, the Stafford brothers in the Lorenz pickup and Mrs. Stafford driving the Staffords' blue Ford, she testified.

In addition to getting away with the Lorenz money, the Staffords took two guns from the family pickup before abandoning it, Mrs. Stafford testified. At the steakhouse murders trial she testified that her husband used one of those guns — a .357 magnum — in the bloodbath that left six steakhouse workers dead 24 days after the Lorenz killings.



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Mortgage rate remains legal

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — For the second consecutive month, home mortgage interest rates will be at the legal ceiling of 12 percent in January.

A law passed by the 1979 Legislature fixed the ceiling at two percentage points above the average interest rate offered each month on 10-year U.S. Treasury notes, rounded to the nearest quarter of a percent.

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Chrysler loan guarantees one step closer to passage

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal loan guarantees for Chrysler Corp., which says it will go bankrupt without them, are a step closer to passage of a bailout package that calls on United Auto Workers to double their wage concessions to \$400 million.

The ailing automaker's UAW members would have to approve that figure, which union president Douglas Fraser says he would agree to as the price of the \$1.5 billion in loan guarantees.

In the Senate, meanwhile, votes were on tap today on several amendments to a bill that also demands \$400 million in lost hourly wages but provides only \$1.25 billion in loan guarantees.

Chrysler, its workers and the Carter administration are pushing to have a final bill approved in both houses by Friday, when Congress is scheduled to start a month's vacation.

Clouding the outlook for the Senate bill, however, was the fact that several senators

have said workers of the nation's 10th largest corporation should make greater sacrifices.

Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Ind., was ready to submit an amendment calling for \$800 million from the hourly workers.

Sen. Paul Tsongas, D-Mass., prepared an amendment for \$550 million in concessions. Tsongas said he was aiming at a compromise of \$475 million once the issue reaches a House-Senate conference committee.

Whatever package Congress finally approves will require UAW ratification because the union recently approved a three-year Chrysler contract providing for only \$200 million in wage concessions.

House passage on a 271-136 vote Tuesday followed a debate in which Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., said a Chrysler collapse might bring on a depression.

"We can't afford what would happen to this country if Chrysler went down the drain," he said. The company has 113,000 employees, but backers of the aid say more than three times that number would ultimately be jobless if Chrysler goes under.

The House bill drew the support of 209 Democrats and 62 Republicans and the opposition of 88 Republicans and 48 Democrats.

The measure proposes a total of \$3.43 billion from public and private sources to bolster Chrysler, which anticipates losing \$1 billion this year.

In addition to the loan guarantees and hourly wage concessions, the House bill provides for the federal assistance to be matched by \$100 million in missed pay raises by white collar workers, \$650 million in bank loans not insured by the federal government, \$300 million from the sale of Chrysler assets, \$250 million in tax concessions and other benefits from state and local governments, \$180 million from Chrysler suppliers and dealers and \$50 million from the sale of new stock.

Chrysler would be required to give its employees \$150 million worth of stock over the four years of the loan guarantee program.

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Housing starts at record low

WASHINGTON (AP) — Housing starts have tumbled by more than 22 percent in the last two months and are now running at a near-recession annual rate of 1.5 million units, government figures show.

Figures released by the Commerce Department Tuesday indicate housing starts are down 28 percent from November of last year.

On top of that, the National Association of Realtors reported sales of previously occupied single-family homes fell 12 percent in November to an annual rate of 3.55 million units.

"This is the sharpest month-to-month drop in home sales in the 12 years we have monitored such activity," the realtors' group said in a statement.

Home builders attached a similarly pessimistic interpretation to the housing start figures.

"It means we are in a recession," said Michael Sumichrast, chief economist for the National Association of Home Builders. "It's going to spread out into every activity of the economy. I don't think we are going to see much improvement until a year from now or the first half of 1981."

Many analysts are predicting that housing construction will fall to 1.7 million units or lower this year from last

year's 2 million level. Estimates for next year range from 1.1 million units to about 1.4 million.

Construction last fell to those levels in 1974 and 1975, when the economy was in a recession. Starts were about 1.3 million in 1974 and 1.2 million in 1975.

Both the drop in housing starts and the slump in the resale market are viewed as a predictable reaction to tight-money policies instituted in October by the Federal Reserve Board.

Record-high interest rates and a shortage of loan funds since the central bank action have discouraged corporate and consumer borrowing, notably for housing.

The 14 percent drop in November housing starts followed an 8.2 percent decline in housing starts in October.

In reporting those figures, the Commerce Department also said the number of building permits issued — an indicator of future housing activity — fell 29 percent in November to its lowest level in more than three years.

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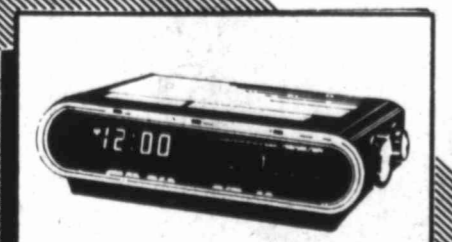
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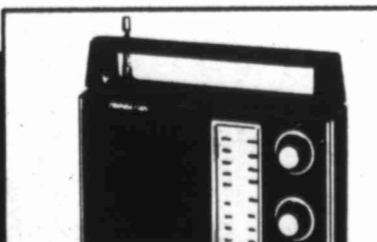
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Abilene voters defeat airport mending plan

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — Abilene Mayor Oliver Howard expressed shock at the defeat Tuesday of a proposition calling for \$300,000 in improvements at Abilene's municipal airport.

"That should have been an overwhelming vote in favor," Howard said, "because of the \$2 million in federal matching funds the city expected to receive. Somebody else will get the money."

The proposition failed by a scant 355 votes.

Voters defeated eight of 14 propositions on the ballot, approving \$23,325,000 out of a \$34.2 million city bond package.

Approved were propositions providing funds for water, sewer and drainage improvements; improvements to city streets, bridges, sidewalks and traffic-control equipment; a new sanitary landfill; and fire department improvements.

Other propositions defeated called for a cultural historical center, a city hall expansion, an Abilene animal control center addition, a new municipal garage building, parks improvement, lake beautification project.

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Home heating bills the culprit

Americans worried about paying

NEW YORK (AP) — Nearly two out of five Americans are worried they won't be able to pay their home heating bills this winter, an Associated Press-NBC News poll says.

Almost half of those who use fuel oil for heating are afraid they can't afford to keep warm, while slightly more than one-third of those who heat with natural gas or electricity are similarly concerned.

Americans are still concerned that not enough heating oil and other fuels will be available this winter, but that fear has apparently been overshadowed by worries about being able to pay for the fuel.

Thirty-eight percent of those questioned Dec. 11 and 12 said they are worried about being able to pay for the fuel to heat their homes this winter. Sixty-two percent were not worried.

That 38 percent broke down into 17 percent who were very worried about being able to meet their heating bills and 20 percent who were only somewhat worried. One percent of the 1,595 adults interviewed nationwide by telephone were not sure.

Those most worried about paying their bills use heating oil.

Forty-eight percent of those polled who use heating oil are worried about paying their bills, versus 52 percent who aren't worried. Twenty-three percent are very worried and 24 percent somewhat worried about the bills. One percent was not sure.

Thirty-six percent of those who heat with natural gas and 34 percent of those who use electricity were worried about the bills. For each group, roughly half were very worried about paying their bills with the other half

somewhat worried.

Fewer Americans now are worried about being able to get enough fuel for heating this winter. Earlier in the year, there were concerns of heating oil shortages this winter. But, under prodding from the government, oil companies stockpiled large quantities of the fuel and consumers are apparently making a major effort to conserve.

Seventy-two percent of those questioned said they

are not worried about getting enough fuel this winter, while 28 percent are worried. Ten percent are still very worried about availability, and 17 percent are somewhat worried. One percent was not sure.

As with every sample survey, the results of the AP-NBC News poll can vary from the opinions of all those with telephones across the country because of chance variations in the sample. For polls of about 1,600

interviews, the results should vary no more than 3 percentage points either way simply because of sample error. That is, if one could talk to all adults in the country, there is only one chance out of 20 that the results would vary from the findings of this poll by more than 3 percentage points.

Of course, the results could also vary because of differences in question wording, timing of the interviews and the methods of interviewing.

Gasoline prices climb, availability declines

Gasoline prices have risen sharply during the past month and availability has declined, though supplies remain much better than they were during the fuel-short days of summer.

A survey of 416 Texas service stations by the American Automobile Association shows that the average price of unleaded fuel at full-service pumps has passed \$1 a gallon, rising by almost 2 cents since AAA's last survey a month ago. Other prices increased by as much as 2.4 cents a gallon, the fastest rate of increase that has been recorded since September.

The survey showed that 40 percent of the stations are now pumping gasoline on Sundays, compared to 44 percent in November. Fuel availability on weekday nights declined sharply with 31 percent of the stations remaining open at 8 p.m. compared to 38 percent last month.

Seventy-five percent of the stations operators surveyed said they will definitely close on Christmas Day, and 5 percent said they might close. Fuel availability will be much better a week later,

with 46 percent of the stations sure to be closed and 19 percent possibly closed.

An AAA spokesman said the low gasoline availability on Christmas Day is not unusual. Last year, for example, two-thirds of the stations surveyed were closed even though there were no supply problems.

But the spokesman said two-thirds of the stations surveyed last year were open on New Year's Day, while only one-third are sure to be open this year.

"Traffic is always much heavier on New Year's Day than on Christmas Day," the spokesman said. "So motorists returning from holiday celebrations on January 1 should drive on the top half of their tanks."

Current average full-service gasoline prices (November's prices in parentheses) are: Regular 96.5 cents per gallon (94.6); unleaded 100.1 (98.2); premium 101.8 (100.1); and premium unleaded 101.9 (100.2). Average self-service prices are: Regular 93.9 (91.4); unleaded 98.1 (95.7); premium 98.8 (97.4); and premium unleaded 100.6 (98.0). The average price of

diesel fuel is 100.4, compared to 98.1 last month.

At this time last year, AAA's Fuel Gauge Report showed average gasoline prices ranging from 59.1 cents per gallon for self-service regular to 70 cents for full-service premium.

Excise taxes cut to help phone users

On Jan. 1, reduced federal excise taxes on telephone service will result in an estimated \$22.9 million savings during 1980 for customers in Texas, according to Ben Young — manager residence service center for Southwestern Bell.

"The tax will drop from its present rate of three percent to two percent," he said. "This is a further step in the gradual phase-out of the telephone service excise tax instituted by Congress in 1973. The tax is scheduled to expire after 1981."

Congress first imposed the excise tax on a limited basis during World War I.



LIZA BACKSTAGE — Entertainer Liza Minnelli, left, husband Mark Gero, and her sister Lorna Luft, meet backstage at the Century Theater in New York Tuesday evening after a benefit performance of "On Golden Pond." Gero, co-produces the show.

Robbery info may be worth healthy reward

FORT WORTH (AP) — A Fort Worth oilman says he may offer a reward if it would help police solve the biggest robbery in the city's history and lead to the recovery of \$1 million in stolen jewelry and silver.

W.A. "Tex" Moncrief, 59, and his wife were robbed by two masked gunmen who broke into their house Saturday.

Detectives listed the value of the stolen jewelry at \$1 million, but said its actual value may be higher because of the rising price of diamonds on the world market. A 28-carat diamond stolen during the robbery could bring \$1 million or more, they said.

Also stolen were a \$30,000 platinum ring set with an emerald-cut diamond and \$25,000 in cash.

Moncrief, owner of Moncrief Oil Co., says he did not carry insurance on the stolen items because "the premiums would have been high and I had never been robbed."

Detective Capt. Garland Geeslin said investigators would send a description of the missing jewelry to dealers throughout the nation. But police said the gunmen probably would sell the jewelry through underworld "fences."

Geeslin said there was no sign of forced entry, which could mean a door was unlocked or that the intruders had used a key, possibly a passkey.

"Tex is usually very careful about locking up," Mrs. Moncrief said. "But I don't think these men were just out looking for an unlocked door."

The Moncriefs said the loss was unimportant compared with what could have happened.

"We have a large family," said Mrs. Moncrief. "Any one of our children could have driven in the middle of it. I'm sure we would have all been killed."

Following are summaries of the gas availability and prices situations in various Texas cities:

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Beaumont-Port Arthur	96.8	1.021	1.007	96.0	96.6	1.000	1.033
Corpus Christi	95.5	98.4	99.2	91.9	94.4	99.7	98.6
Dallas-Ft. Worth	96.5	1.020	1.004	1.004	93.6	98.8	97.2
El Paso	94.6	1.009	99.1	98.7	90.8	97.1	95.1
Houston	96.4	1.027	1.004	1.070	94.3	98.9	98.2
McAllen	98.3	1.007	1.014	1.019	95.1	1.004	98.2
Midland-Odessa	97.7	1.023	1.009	1.044	93.7	97.9	97.3
San Antonio	96.5	1.009	1.002	1.032	94.7	97.9	98.8
Waco	96.7	1.013	1.010	98.2	94.8	98.1	98.6
Misc. Cities	97.6	1.035	1.017	1.027	93.9	99.9	98.3

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Austin	15	60	53	53	80	46			
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Corpus Christi	20	80	60	60	90	85			
Dallas-Fort Worth	71	77	61	59	84	47			
El Paso	30	60	16	60	60	53			
Houston	60	70	48	65	81	65			
McAllen	22	68	36	63	50	56			
Midland-Odessa	15	53	26	46	71	36			
San Antonio	39	64	51	69	76	66			
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Hangin' Out

by Nathan Poss



School board might change athletic approach tomorrow

THE BIG SPRING SCHOOL BOARD will meet tomorrow night in an Executive Session to discuss the idea of separating the job of athletic director in Big Spring ISD from the current Athletic Director-Head Football Coach title.

The idea is worth more than a second look, as such a change could give the entire athletic program a different outlook.

It would obviously have an excellent chance to improve the overall athletic program, if handled properly.

Currently, Head Football Coach and Athletic Director Ron Logback really has two jobs, with only time in the day to handle one as effectively as the public would desire.

By creating two separate jobs, the Big Spring school system would be doing something that the other schools in District 5-AAAA have already done.

Many people around Big Spring feel that Logback, and the other Head Football Coaches-Athletic Directors before him, have overlooked the other so-called minor sports.

I KNOW SOME PEOPLE HAVE CHASTISED Logback for the way the program has been handled, but I personally feel that he has given his best in trying to be as fair as possible to all of the sports.

One area of the overall sports outlook that makes the job of Athletic Director-Football Coach such a difficult one is the fact that the girls sports programs are rapidly gaining popularity, and rightfully so.

This makes it increasingly difficult for any Head Football Coach-Athletic Director in a Class AAAA school, no matter who the person may be.

It is not fair to ask one person to arrange all of the athletic activities and schedules, order the equipment, make sure there are proper athletic facilities, hire coaches, fire coaches; and then be in total charge of the football program, also.

The appointed athletic director in the proposed situation would not have to worry if Gargantua George misses a block, if the star quarterback's knee will hold out, if his cornerback has comprehended the new pass coverage, or if the offensive lineman will block for a certain running back, etc.

The athletic director could concentrate on the overall athletic program, and would be in a position in which he could perform this function with a much greater degree of objectivity. This could help both financially and in drawing the respect of the various sports into a common and united cause.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE COIN, the football coach would not have to waste his time hearing the volleyball coach's complaint that he (the athletic director) is favoring the track coach, that the tidlywinks coach was arrested for fighting in a bar, or listen to the parent of a member of the swimming team complain that he should pay more attention to that particular sport.

The football coach then could concentrate solely on the upgrading of the football program, and worry about only the things that pertain to that. He would not be dissected by every faction of every sport on campus, and therefore could probably do a better job with the football program.

MANY PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY complain that Big Spring is simply not large enough to compete in Class AAAA, especially in the District 5-AAAA. There is a legitimate argument to this, but the truth of the matter is that the UIL has realigned the Steers into the same district for at least the next two years. So complaining won't do anyone any good at the present, as Big Spring simply must rise above their troubles and compete.

One way to upgrade the overall level of competition in all sports would be to play on the same terms as the rest of the schools. And the idea separating the job of Athletic Director-Head Football Coach into two jobs is the first way to keep up with the schools that Big Spring must compete against.

Let me get one thing straight. In my support of the new theory that the Board will consider tomorrow, I am in no way blasting the current Head Football Coach-Athletic Director, Ron Logback.

Logback has been judged by many as a poor coach for the 1-19 record that his BSHS teams have accumulated the past two seasons.

BUT IN LOOKING AT THE OTHER BSHS HEAD FOOTBALL COACHES RECORDS IN THE 1970s, and then adding the situation that the program was in when he took it, makes it extremely difficult to judge Logback's coaching abilities, either pro or con.

Clovis Hale was 5-5 in his first year here in 1970, but then won only four games over the next two years and resigned only days before he probably would have been fired. Hale then went to San Angelo Lake View, a perennial weakling at that time, and built them into one of the top ten teams in the state in Class AAA within five years. Hale is now the line coach at the University of Iowa.

Bob Burris came to Big Spring after having achieved success as a head coach in other systems, but could only manage six wins in three seasons here. Since leaving here, he has again had winning teams at Port Arthur Jefferson and Ardmore, Oklahoma. Ardmore won its district this year.

Don Robbins came to Big Spring on a return engagement in the 76-77 seasons. Robbins had achieved success here in the mid-60s, and later had been an assistant at UTEP, and the head coach at the University of Idaho. But he only managed two wins in two seasons here.

Robbins resigned in late July of 1978. Logback, who was an assistant at Lubbock Coronado at that time, came back to take the job.

Taking over a Class AAAA program, especially one that is the midst of slump that has ranged throughout a decade, in the last week of July, is definitely one of the worst situations a coach could resume.

With only three weeks to prepare for a season against 5-AAAA competition, the Steers suffered through a 0-10 season in 1978. The past season, Logback's team suffered through a 1-9 record, as only 25 players were on the varsity at the end of the season.

ANOTHER FACTOR MOST DEFINITELY DETRIMENTAL to the Big Spring program is that the facilities are embarrassing for a Class AAAA school.

They were outdated and suffered from a lack of space and overall equipment 10 years ago, and are in worse condition today.

To complicate matters, the rising popularity of women's athletics has compounded the problem in Big Spring concerning a lack of facilities and space for the athletes (from junior high to high school) to try and improve their skills.

Although I'm sure many frustrated people in the community have blamed Logback for the problems of the football team and the rest of the athletic program during the past year and a half, I do not feel that this presumption is entirely fair.

As it is, the attitude toward many sports in Big Spring right now is one of apathy. And not necessarily apathy from the athletes, although there is no doubt that there is some. There are problems like that in any program.

The apathy I see is from the lack of participation, the overall apathy of the townspeople in their degradation of the program, and the lack of facilities and space.

THE PROBLEM of Big Spring competing successfully in this district, no matter what the sport may be, does not lie in one man.

LIKewise, THE ANSWER is not in one man. The problem here is more complex than the people at the coffee shop and the local pubs realize.

The idea that the school board will be contemplating would probably help. And so would some more space and facilities for the athletes, at both the junior high and high school level.

But the biggest help must come from each athlete, prospective athlete, and from the parents. Complaining does more harm than good.

The answer must come from within the community. Not in the form of words and complaining, but in the form of extra effort by each athlete, and a change in the negative attitude by the community.

A person doesn't make a break a program. People, in the plural form, do.

Steers explode past Pecos

By NATHAN POSS

The Big Spring Steers, playing sluggishly in the first three quarters, exploded in the final six minutes of the contest to take a 57-43 win over the Pecos Eagles in a boys basketball game here Tuesday night.

The contest was a very slow paced affair in the first three stanzas, with both teams forcing numerous turnovers with their defensive play, only to be able to take advantage of these scoring opportunities.

The Steers held an 11-10 lead after the first stanza, but Pecos rallied to take a 21-16 lead with two minutes left in the first half. But Big Spring's Cesar Espinosa and James Doss quickly brought the Bovines back to a 22-22 tie at the intermission.

The final half was one of scoring spurts by both teams, with the host Steers having the final hot hand that spelled victory.

Big Spring jumped out to a 28-22 lead in the opening minutes of the third stanza, only to see Pecos rally and take a 31-30 lead entering the

final stanza. Pecos enlarged that lead to 37-31 in the first minute of the fourth quarter, as the Big Spring team seemed to be losing their composure.

But the Steers suddenly regrouped, with Robert Rubio, Doss, and Dickie Wrightsil hitting for 10 points over the next two minutes to give the Bovines a 41-37 lead with five minutes remaining.

The Steers continued to score at will on the Pecos team in the next few minutes, as Doss and sophomore Blake Rossos each connected on a couple of

15-foot jumpers to give the Steers control of the game in the final minutes.

Big Spring had scored 20 unanswered points when Mark Walker of Pecos hit a free throw to narrow the Steers lead to 51-38 with less than two minutes remaining.

The win gives the Steers of Coach Ed Haller a record of 5-8, and the youthful squad continues to show improvement in each game. But one thing that must be overcome before District 5-AAAA competition starts in early January is consistency throughout the entirety of a game.

Espinosa paced the Steers in scoring with 16 points, while Doss added 14. 10 of Doss' points came in the final stanza.

BIG SPRING	
Wrightsil	3-0-6
Rubio	3-1-7
Rosson	4-0-8
Espinosa	7-2-16
Doss	0-0-0
Doss	6-2-14
Millaway	0-0-0
Dominio	1-0-2
Johnson	3-0-4
TOTALS	27-5-59
PECOS	
Walker	3-1-0
Mosby	2-2-6
Contreras	2-0-4
New	2-6-10
Rogder	2-0-4
Balerano	0-1-1
Valencia	4-0-8
TOTALS	15-13-41
Score by quarters	
Big Spring	11 22 30 57
Pecos	10 22 31 43

Sands splits two games

SMYDER — Sands and Smyder split a pair of games in high school basketball action played here last night.

The Sands girls increased their record to 13-4 by taking an easy 66-33 win over Smyer.

Elva Arismendez led the Sands team in scoring with 14 points, while Penny Grantham and Melinda Bearden chipped in with 12 and 10 points, respectively.

Smyer then took a 60-56 win over the Sands boys in a contest that was decided in overtime.

Ken Rackler was high point for Smyer with 21 points, while David Long led Sands with 21. Dennis Martin added 12 for Sands.

The loss was only the second of the season for the Sands boys, who have won 14 times.

Both the Sands boys and girls return to action on January 3, at which time they play host to Westbrook.



STEERS JAMES DOSS shoots for two in the 57 to 43 win over Pecos.

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Coahoma boys win 6-AA opener

ANSON — The Coahoma Bulldogs boys basketball team got off to a winning start in District 6-AA play, taking a 65-38 decision over Anson here Tuesday night. It was the fifth straight win for the Bulldogs.

Coahoma started off slowly, leading by only 10-7 at the end of the initial stanza, but exploded in the second quarter to take control of the game at the intermission.

The Bulldogs, behind a

balanced scoring attack, then put the contest out of reach in the third stanza.

The Bulldogs, led by Phillip Ritchey and Mike Meyer's 14 points each, hit on 50 percent of their shots from the field.

Coahoma Coach Doug Harriman was pleased with the play of the Bulldogs in most of the game, stating: "We played well defensively throughout the contest, but we only had two quarters of good offensive play. We started out a little slowly on

offense, and that upset me."

The Bulldogs continued to display their depth off the bench in the contest, and Harriman praised the play of Ron Fryar and David Ross for their work in that department.

Harriman also lauded the play of Ritchey on the boards. The Coahoma boys now sport a district record of 1-0 and a season mark of 7-3. They will enter the Jayton Tournament on December 27.

The Coahoma junior varsity also won, taking 63-62 decision over Anson. Clint Elliott paced the Bulldog JV effort with 19 points, with Bobby Joe Tucker adding 12 and Jay Hall 11.

Score by quarters

Coahoma	10	37	57	65
Anson	7	20	30	38

COAHOMA-ANSON VARSITY BOX
COAHOMA — Barbee 2-1-3; Gee 5-0-10; Biew 1-1-3; Paige 1-0-2; Fryar 2-0-4; Wright 2-1-5; Ritchey 7-0-14; Bays 4-0-8; Meyer 7-0-14; TOTALS 51-34-65.
ANSON — Garcia 1-0-2; Robbins 8-4-20; Laws 3-0-4; Dickerson 1-1-3; Hierdon 2-1-5; Jackson 1-0-2; TOTALS 16-4-38.

Forsan, Anton split 5-A openers

ANTON — Anton and Forsan split their opening District 5-A contests, which were played here Tuesday night.

The Forsan girls, who captured the Hawk Queens' High School Basketball Classic in Big Spring over the weekend, continued their winning ways. They took a 55-45 decision over Anton.

Christi Adams had 21 points to pace the Buffalo Queens, with Valerie Stevens adding 14. Candy and Vernita Taylor each had 12 for Anton.

The Forsan girls are now 1-0 in district and 12-2 on the year.

The Anton boys then toppled the Forsan boys by a score of 53-44. Donnie Dutton paced the Anton win, scoring 25 points.

Dale Earnest had 25 points to lead the Forsan team. The Forsan boys are now 0-1 in district play and 3-7 on the season.

Both of the Forsan teams return to District 5-A action tomorrow night when they host Plains.

Coahoma freshmen sweep pair from Colorado City

COAHOMA — The Coahoma ninth grade basketball team continued their winning ways by sweeping two games from Colorado City in action here Monday night.

The Coahoma ninth grade boys upped their season record to 4-0 by taking a 49-37 win.

Rodney Whitworth led the Coahoma team with 27 points, with Brad Fryar chipping in with eight. Others

drawing praise for their contributions in the win included Troyce Renfro, Randy Clanton and Clay Kitts.

The Coahoma girls decided Colorado City by a score of 44-33. Vicki Buchanan and Julie Nairn were high point scorers for the Bulldogs with 12 and 11 points, respectively. Debbie Kirkpatrick was lauded for her floor play.

The Coahoma girls are also now 4-0 for the season. Both teams return to play on January 3, at which time face Stanton.

BS freshmen girls win

The Big Spring girls ninth grade basketball team won their first game of the season last night, taking a 32-29 win over Abilene Franklin.

The win came after six losses to open the season. Sylvia Randle scored 12 to

pace the Big Spring win, with Cindy Fulmer adding four.

Big Spring had lost a 41-35 decision to Seminole on Monday night. Randle again led the Shorthorn fems. in scoring with 25.

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WORKING A DIFFERENT KIND OF BOARD — Bill Walton, with time on his hands since a foot injury sidelined him, is appearing this week as a guest disc jockey for a San Diego FM rock station. Walton has not

played a game this season for the San Diego Clippers, who paid him a record contract to leave the Portland Trail Blazers.

AP LASER PHOTO

Cowboys using shotgun attack to stay alive

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys have lived and died from the spread or shotgun formation two-minute offense this year but Coach Tom Landry said he can understand why other National Football League teams don't use the Shotgun.

"The advantage of the spread the way we run it is that your quarterback doesn't have to run back 10 yards," said Landry. "This gives you a little more time.

"The big disadvantage is that the quarterback has to take his eye off the secondary just a split second to take the snap. Of course, Roger (Staubach) has got it down where he can just about do both."

Landry explained that in the last two minutes of the game the spread formation with the quarterback under the center.

"You see triple wings and things that we do out of the

Shotgun," said Landry. "Our spread takes as lot of work because you are always under fire from blitzes. But we've been doing it for years now."

Landry said the Cowboys worked extra hard in training camp because he felt they were below par in the two-minute area in 1978.

"Actually, our performance was very poor last year," said Landry.

The Cowboys have come

from behind four times in the last two minutes this year to defeat St. Louis, Chicago, Philadelphia and Washington.

The Cowboys were notified by the National Football League that the kickoff for their first round National Conference playoff game will be 3 p.m. Sunday Dec. 30th in Texas Stadium.

"I like the Sunday kickoff," said Landry. "That way we can prepare like a normal week and still give the players Christmas Day off."

As far as the opponent, Landry said "I have no preference. We're breaking down the game films today. We'll scout both Chicago and Los Angeles. We'll work out all week but they won't be long ones."

Landry said the Cowboys' progress in the playoffs depended on how fast injured defensive tackle Randy White, strong safety Randy Hughes, running back Tony Dorsett heal, and wide receiver Drew Pearson heal.

"White hurt his other foot and now has both feet injured," said Landry. "I think he will be OK. Tony still has a sore shoulder but should be ready."

Oregon U prexy rejects coaches offer to resign

EUGENE, Ore. (AP) — University of Oregon President William Boyd rejected football Coach Rich Brooks offer to resign Tuesday.

Brooks offered his resignation after the Eugene Register-Guard reported that freshman football player Paul Perez had received 16 hours of academic credit for courses at Los Angeles Valley College in which Perez was enrolled but did no work.

The newspaper story said assistant Coach John Becker, former football coach at the college in Van Nuys, Calif., had arranged

for Perez to get the credits. Oregon athletic department representatives issued conflicting reports as to whether Becker had decided to resign, and Becker was not available for comment.

Brooks issued a prepared statement that said, "My letter of resignation was prompted by my total support of John Becker and my feelings for him, plus my overall responsibility for the football program." Brooks withdrew his letter of resignation after Boyd rejected it.

Boyd said of Becker, "He could simply tell what happened, and if the facts indicate something less than

dismissal was called for, I would have been prepared to act appropriately."

Boyd said he had not heard from Becker on the matter. Boyd said Oregon apparently would forfeit no victories because illness and injury kept Perez from playing football.

The Ducks, with a 6-5 record, recently finished their first winning season in nine years.

Earlier, Perez admitted receiving three hours of credit without doing any work in a summer extension course taken at Los Angeles Valley College through Ottawa University of Kansas.

Morgan meets with Astros

HOUSTON (AP) — Free agent Joe Morgan and Houston Astros officials met several hours Tuesday with no contract agreement.

The meetings broke up shortly before midnight with indication they might resume after the holidays.

"The length of the meetings shows the interest on both sides," said Tal Smith, Astros general manager.

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Washington	13	15	.464	10
New York	15	18	.455	10 1/2
New Jersey	12	20	.375	13

Central Division				
Atlanta	16	16	.500	
San Antonio	16	16	.500	3 1/2
Houston	15	16	.484	4
Indiana	15	16	.455	5
Cleveland	15	19	.441	5 1/2
Detroit	9	24	.273	11

Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Milwaukee	20	14	.588	
Kansas City	20	14	.588	
Denver	11	23	.323	9
Chicago	10	22	.313	9
Utah	9	23	.281	10

Pacific Division				
Seattle	23	7	.771	
Los Angeles	23	10	.697	
Phoenix	20	13	.606	3 1/2
Portland	18	16	.526	6
San Diego	16	19	.457	8 1/2
Golden State	11	24	.314	12

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TOP COACH — Washington Redskin head coach Jack Pardee is pictured at his Middleberg, Va., home Tuesday evening with his wife Phyllis. Pardee has been named the National Football League Coach of the Year by the Associated Press.

Pardee named NFL Coach of the Year

NEW YORK (AP) — Jack Pardee, who guided the aging, draft-poor Washington Redskins to within a whisker of a division championship, was named today the National Football League Coach of the Year by The Associated Press.

Pardee received 30 of the 84 votes cast by a nationwide panel of sports writers and sports broadcasters, three in each league city. Dick Vermeil of the Philadelphia Eagles was a close second with 23 votes.

Other coaches receiving more than one vote were Don Coryell of the San Diego Chargers, 10; John McKay of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, 7; Sam Rutigliano of the Cleveland Browns, 6, and Bum Phillips of the Houston Oilers, 4.

The Redskins, 8-8 last year and picked by many to fall below .500 this season, rose instead to 10-6 and came within 40 seconds of beating Dallas for the National Conference East title before losing to the Cowboys 35-34.

"It's a great honor to have been selected," Pardee said. "Certainly I would have rather had a couple of more points last Sunday. I'd trade the individual honor for team honors anytime. But considering the other coaches I was up against it really is an honor to be chosen and I accept the award on behalf of the entire team."

In 1978, after one year as head coach of the World Football League's Florida Blazers and three seasons as head coach of the NFL's Chicago Bears, Pardee took over the Redskins' reins. He inherited a veteran-packed team whose future had been mortgaged by George Allen's "the future is now" philosophy. Allen, seeking instant success (he achieved it to a moderate degree in the early and mid-1970s), dealt away most of Washington's draft choices for older players.

"What we want to be is more aggressive, more physical and have more speed," he said before this season began. "We want a swarming defense. We want to be able to run the ball better. We expect better spirit."

He also wanted youth — so Pardee cleaned house, cutting a number of veterans, most notably quarterback Billy Kilmer, linebackers Chris Hamburger and Harold McLinton, safety Jake Scott and defensive end Ron McDole.

Then with a lineup including rookies like linebackers Neil Olkewicz and Rich Milot and tight end Don Warren, Pardee implemented "situation" football — a different unit for almost every play, depending on the situation.

In a way, it was Pardee's philosophy which cost Washington a wild-card playoff berth. Two weeks after being assailed for supposedly running up the score against Dallas with a last-play field goal in a 34-20 victory, he refused to run it out against Green Bay, ordering his team to run out the clock in a 38-21 triumph. One more touchdown against the Packers — or any other team — would have given the Redskins, not Chicago, the wild card.

Pass happy BYU favored in Holiday Bowl

SAN DIEGO (AP) — The outcome of Friday night's Holiday Bowl matchup between the Indiana Hoosiers and the Brigham Young Cougars may depend on which team is hungrier for a postseason victory.

The 7-4 Hoosiers have not seen postseason action since former Coach John Pont led them to a Rose Bowl berth in 1968. In that contest, the Hoosiers lost 14-3 to the University of Southern California led by a running back named O.J. Simpson.

The Holiday Bowl marks only the second time in 95 years that the Hoosiers have been invited to a postseason classic.

Brigham Young is also anxious to snare a bowl victory, having gone 0-3 in postseason play, including last year's 23-16 setback to Navy in the inaugural version of the Holiday Bowl.

Some critics have labeled the contest a mismatch and contend that the Hoosiers, who are eight-point underdogs, have no business playing on the same field as powerful and 11-0 Brigham Young.

But Indiana Coach Lee Corso insists the Hoosiers are an interesting team and worthy of a bowl invitation. Their four regular-season defeats came at the hands of Big Ten powers Ohio State, Purdue and Michigan as well as a one-point loss to Colorado of the Big 8.

Ninth-ranked Brigham Young, which has never faced a Big Ten team, leads the nation in scoring and offense and has a lethal weapon in the person of Marc Wilson, the greatest single-season passer in college history.

But Brigham Young Coach LaVell Edwards is not expecting Friday night's contest at San Diego Stadium to be a walkover. "You won't hear me complaining because we're matched with Indiana," Edwards said.

Campbell earns NFL's Most Valuable Player

HOUSTON (AP) — Following his rookie season in 1978 Campbell received 29 post season awards. He's off on another award-winning binge this year but his acceptance speech never has changed. It's always a pat on the back for his offensive line.

"It's kind of like it is with a movie star," Campbell explained. "It takes a lot of people working to make him look good. That's what the offensive line does for me. I wouldn't be anything without them. They're the ones that make it possible for me to get those yards."

Campbell, behind the blocking of his offensive line, won the NFL rushing title with 1,697 yards on 368 carries to give him a two-year total of 3,147 yards.

Campbell set NFL records for most rushes in a season at 368 and most consecutive 100 yard games in a season with seven. He also tied NFL single season records with 11 100 yard games and 19 touchdowns.

Campbell beat out Chicago's Walter Payton with 1,610 and St. Louis rookie Ottis Anderson with 1,605 for the title.

Campbell, like Simpson and Brown before him, has done more than pay lip service to the Oiler offensive line. He's taken them out to dinner twice this season.

Although he's tried, Campbell has yet to pay for a meal he's hosted. Both times, an Oiler backer picked up the tab.

When a jeweler presented Campbell with a watch after he won the NFL rushing title Sunday, the former Heisman Trophy winner suggested his offensive line should also receive watches.

Billy Martin not talking?

ONEIDA, N.Y. (AP) — Volatile ex-Yankee manager-turned-haberdasher Billy Martin spoke with the conviction of a man making a New Year's resolution Tuesday night and said he's through talking about his former boss, owner George Steinbrenner.

"I always try to get my players not to make any comments about anything because I don't like to see people hanging their wash out," Martin told guests at a dinner sponsored by the West Texas wardens busted.

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"That's why I'm not making any more comments about George Steinbrenner," Martin said. "I don't think it's right for me to talk about him or for him to talk about me."

Martin was in this central New York city to promote a proposed sports complex.

Martin said he was warned by American League President Lee MacPhail to refrain from talking too much about Steinbrenner following remarks last week at a University of Rhode Island lecture that his old boss is "sick" and that he'll never work for the man again.

"I'm allowed to say anything I want," Martin told a news conference before the dinner. "But I'm not going to say anything more about it. That's history now. It's over."

"I'm not in the baseball business any more," Martin reminded. "I'm in the western wear business. If you want to buy a pair of cowboy boots, come down to the store."

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A federal grand jury has indicted two West Texas game wardens on charges of conspiracy to possess and distribute heroin and cocaine.

The indictments by the panel, meeting in El Paso, named Durwood Avery and C.A. Haynes, both of Marathon, Texas, in Brewster County.

U.S. Magistrate Ronald Ederer in El Paso set bond at \$25,000 each and referred the case to a federal court in Pecos.

The two men, both in custody, were indicted also on two counts each of using a telephone to further a felony.

The indictment said the game wardens met with undercover narcotics agents from the Drug Enforcement Administration in September and October to negotiate a drug deal.

(AP LASERPHOTO) **RODGERS FIRED** — Ga. Tech football coach Pepper Rodgers was fired by the school Tuesday. Rodgers had coached at Kansas and UCLA before his six seasons at Tech.

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When was murder defendant telling the truth?

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) — Jurors now must decide not if, but when capital murder defendant Donald Edward Smith Jr. was lying.

Was the 19-year-old Tampa, Fla., man telling the truth when he talked freely several months ago of murders he had committed in a trailer home near Brady, Texas?

Or was he telling the truth this past week, when he said his admission to the murder of a Brady woman and her daughter was just a fabrication to convince a "mobster" to hire him as a "hit man"?

The prosecution based its capital murder case against Smith largely on tape recordings an undercover Florida sheriff's deputy made secretly during conversations with Smith, who thought he was a hoodlum with connections to organized crime.

Smith was arrested in mid-August and charged with the murder of Molly Farr, 55, and her daughter, Tandy Bennett, 25, of Brady. They were shot with a shotgun while they slept in their trailer home on a ranch north of Brady last Aug. 2.

The body of Robert Shirly Gandy 40, of Brady was found in another bedroom of the trailer house. No charges have been filed in his slaying.

The tired jury got the case Tuesday afternoon after hearing 12 days of testimony and emotional closing arguments from defense and prosecuting attorneys.

The jurors had more than 50 pieces of evidence in all, but were expected to direct

much of their attention to taped conversations between Smith and Tampa undercover officer Al Luis.

In the tapes, Smith admitted the killings and described the Farr trailer home in detail. Prosecutors called the tapes solid

evidence of Smith's involvement, while defense attorneys claimed Smith feigned his part in the murders to gain Luis' "respect."

Defense attorney Mark Day told the jury Tuesday that four major points

surfaced in testimony that proved Smith's innocence.

—The state's investigation into the murders was "poor and incomplete." Once investigators had arrested Smith, defense attorney Richard Mosty said later, they "put blinders on like a

plowhorse." —Smith had a believable alibi provided by testimony from his aunt and uncle in Fort Worth, who said they saw Smith in their apartment at 1 a.m. and again at 6:30 a.m. on Aug. 2. Police speculated the murders

occurred between 3 and 6 a.m.

—Smith's alleged fabrication of his involvement in the murders was consistent with his plan to "rip off" Luis by making off with advance money for another "hit."

—There was ample evidence to show that someone other than Smith was responsible for the crime and the state had not fully investigated a number of "known criminals" in McCulloch County, where the murders occurred.



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TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS: The above named city proposes to request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to provide Federal Funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to fund the following projects:

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Estimated cost of this Project is \$140,000.00.

It has been determined that such a request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the City of Big Spring has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190). The reasons for such decision not to prepare such statement are as follows:

Through background study and on-site evaluation of the affected area (E.D. 11) by the Office of Community Development, the proposed projects will present no long term detrimental effect on the quality of:

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Due to the nature of these projects, each of the aforementioned areas may be disrupted for short durations during the paving of streets, demolition, rehabilitation and construction projects. These projects however, are short term and will be worked in conjunction with strict Code Enforcement, and Health and Safety Standards, and are unavoidable in neighborhood revitalization. Consideration has been given to the effect on fish and wildlife, energy supply, outdoor recreation and historic and archeological preservation with no significant detrimental factors involved.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by the above named City which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such statement is not required.

This Environmental Review Record is on file at the Office of Housing and Community Development, Big. 625, Big Spring Industrial Park, and is available for public examination and copying upon request between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. No further environmental review of such projects is proposed to be conducted, prior to the request for release of Federal Funds.

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 Federal Funds.

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Concert stampede survivors testify before council

CINCINNATI (AP) — Survivors of The Who concert stampede have told their stories to the City Council's Law and Public Safety Committee, but representatives of the Riverfront Coliseum declined to appear at the public hearing.

Coliseum officials have had no official reply to the contention in several

testimony Tuesday from about two dozen people regarding the Dec. 3 concert by rock music group, The Who, in which 11 people were crushed and suffocated to death trying to get into the coliseum.

lawsuits that the deaths might not have happened had more entrance doors been opened sooner. "Early opening of entrance doors is the absolute answer," said promoter Dino Santangelo of Cincinnati. "People shouldn't be allowed to congregate outside the building."

Santangelo identified himself as a national concert promoter, but he was not connected with The Who concert. Council is considering three ordinances requiring a permit for major events, prohibiting unassigned seating and imposing a penalty for violating the

festival seating prohibition. A fourth lawsuit stemming from the concert stampede was filed Tuesday, asking \$1.2 million for Cynthia Enzweiler, 18, Cincinnati, who claimed that she was pinned against two doors during the rush and was in "extreme hysterical fear of impending death."

Three suits filed on behalf of specific victims ask a total of \$12.55 million in damages, while a class action suit asks \$1.2 million for the family of each victim and for each person injured. One promoter, Ross Todd, said crowd control and admission procedure was a bigger factor in the crush

than was festival seating, which isn't really seating at all but a big open space in front of the stage where rock fans can mill about or sit on the floor. Part of the surge was the desire to rush for the most desirable spots near the stage, some witnesses said. "With reserved seats, I think we would have confronted the same problem," said Todd, who was not associated with the concert. But he said he had a "vested interest" in festival seating at shows — he promotes because more tickets can be sold that way.

Todd said he mainly books acts for smaller halls than the Coliseum, which reportedly admitted some 18,000 people for The Who concert.

Christmas Fun Club party set

YMCA will stage its annual Christmas Fun Club this Thursday and Friday, Dec. 20-21, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Activities will include swim lessons, recreational swim, gymnastics, music, arts and crafts and films. Grades 1 through 6 are welcome to participate. A child (ren) will need to bring a swim suit, towel, lunch and 25 cents for milk. If they can not drink milk, they need to have a permission slip from the parent. Cost for the Christmas Fun Club is \$5 for Y-members and \$8 for non-members. For more information call the Y at 267-8234.

YMCA to stage Christmas party

Evening Lion's Club and the YMCA will hold a city-wide Christmas party from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Saturday at the Y. All ages are welcome to receive bags of goodies from Santa and pictures will be taken. Also prizes will be given away. Members of the Evening Lions Club and Tri-Hi-Y will manage various booths such as the football toss, go fish, basketball throw, archery, darts and a raffle booth. Various prizes will be given at each booth. A section of seats will be reserved for residents of nursing homes to watch the activities. Both sponsors of this activity urge parents to bring their children by the Y for the Christmas party.

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NOTICIA ENCONTRANDO NINGUN SIGNIFICATIVO EN EL EFECTO EN EL AMBIENTE Ciudad de Big Spring, Texas Oficina Del Desarrollo de Casas Y De La Comunidad Calle Postal 391 Big Spring, Texas 79720 915 267 1696

Para todas las Agencias, Grupos, Y Personas interesadas:

La ciudad mencionada arriba propone a publicar al Departamento de Desarrollo de Casas Y de la Comunidad de los Estados Unidos, para que suscritos fondos Federales, bajo el Título I del Acto del Desarrollo de Casas Y de la Comunidad del 1974 (Derechos Publicos 93 383) para usar en estos proyectos:

MEJORAMIENTO DE LA VECINDAD ENUMERACION DEL DISTRICCIÓN FONDS FEDERALS

1. Mejorar las calles
2. Esfuerzo Codigo
3. Prestamos Federales para rehabilitacion
4. Administracion de prestamos bajo la Regla 317
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 \$750,000.00

A sido determinado que esta demando para soñar los fondos a ver establecer la accion significativa para afectar la calidad del ambiente ser humano y en conformidad con el Acto de Big Spring, ha decidido en preparar una Declaracion del Desarrollo de Casas Y de la Comunidad Nacional del Desarrollo del 1969 (Derechos Publicos 91 190). Las razones para la decision de no preparar una declaracion son las siguientes:

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

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

Durante el tiempo que es necesario para terminar este proyecto, o a ver 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 Esfuerzo Codigo y la Regla Fia de la salud y seguridad. Esto se necesita para mejorar la vecindad. Consideracion se le a dado al efecto que este proyecto pueda tener contra los animales y pescados, la 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 revisa del ambiente de este proyecto y establece las razones de que una declaracion no es necesaria. El Registro que Revisa el Ambiente esta registrado en la oficina del Desarrollo 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: 9:00 A.M. y 5:00 P.M.

Personas, grupos, y agencias interesadas en comentar en esta decision puede submitir 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 dara consideracion antes de tomar accion para pedir los Fondos Federales.

Honorable Wade Choate, Alcalde Programa de Desarrollo de Casas Y de la Comunidad Ciudad de Big Spring Calle Postal 391 Big Spring, Texas 79720 0018 Dec. 18, 19, 20, 1979

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ABC wins latest round in ratings

TV magazine fuels network competition



GETTING READY FOR CHRISTMAS 2024 — Sally Turpin inspects a Douglas fir seedling at Georgia-Pacific's Forestry Research Center in Cottage Grove, Ore. The special super seedling grown at the research center should be ready for harvesting in 45 years or less. A natural Douglas seedling would take about twice as long.

NEW YORK (AP) — CBS' "60 Minutes" appears headed for its finest season ever after winning the networks' primetime ratings race for the third time in six weeks.

The strong showing this season for "60 Minutes" has fueled competition between CBS and ABC for the No. 1 position among the networks.

ABC won the latest round, in the week ending Dec. 16, despite the newsmagazine's first-place finish and CBS' claim to six of the week's 10 top-rated shows, figures from the A.C. Nielsen Co. show.

"60 Minutes" finished first in the weekly ratings for the first time in its history in the period ending Nov. 26, 1978. The newsmagazine, which struggled in the ratings in its early years, has been No. 1 four times this season.

The CBS News program has been helped by a lead-in push from the pro football games broadcast by CBS Sunday afternoons. The games often run beyond the normal 7 p.m. EST starting time for "60 Minutes," which encourages many viewers to stay with CBS.

ABC's No. 1 finish in the networks' competition, meanwhile, was the fourth time in a row ABC and CBS

had swapped first place.

ABC's rating for the week was 19.9, to 19 for CBS and 16.6 for NBC. The networks say that means in an average primetime minute during the week, 19.9 percent of the country's TV-equipped homes were tuned to ABC. ABC leads the ratings race for the season to date.

NBC, meantime, finished third for the eighth time in nine weeks. The network jumped off to a quick start, but has fallen off since early October.

CBS' challenge to ABC's No. 1 standing has been accomplished largely with regular series, like "60 Minutes" and "One Day at a Time," runnerup in the most recent ratings.

CBS did get a boost from a special, "The 4th Annual Circus of the Stars," which tied for third with ABC's "Three's Company." ABC scored, meanwhile, with "NFL Monday Night Football," the key game between Pittsburgh and Houston.

The rating for "60 Minutes" was 31.5. Nielsen says that means of all the homes in the country with television, 31.5 percent saw at least part of the program.

NBC and CBS each had two of the week's five lowest-rated shows, behind ABC's

"Out of the Blue," ranked 67th. "Paris," on CBS, was 68th, followed by "Prime Time Sunday" and "Shirley," both from NBC, and "California Fever," from CBS.

The 10 highest-rated shows:

"60 Minutes," with a rating of 31.5 representing 24 million homes, and "One Day at a Time," 28.2 or 21.5 million, both CBS; "The 4th Annual Circus of the Stars," CBS, and "Three's Company," ABC, both 27.2 or 20.8 million; "Archie Bunker's

Place," 26.5 or 20.2 million, CBS; "Angie," 26 or 19.8 million, ABC; "Dallas," 25.7 or 19.6 million, and "M-A-S-H," 25.5 or 19.5 million, both CBS, and "NFL Monday Night Football," Pittsburgh vs. Houston, 25.1 or 19.2 million, and "Happy Days," 25 or 19.1 million, both ABC.

Important Notice Regarding Montgomery Ward Advertisement in Today's Paper

We regret that the items listed below and which are advertised elsewhere in this paper are not available as advertised. Montgomery Ward intends to have every item we advertise available during the full period of our sale. If an advertised item (other than a stated limited in-stock quantity, "Clearance", or "Special Buy" item) is not available, we will at our option offer you a substitute item of equal or greater value at the advertised price or place a "raincheck" order for the item at the advertised sale price.

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Wounded man provides few shooting facts

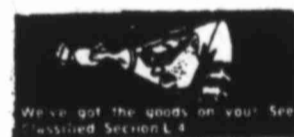
JACKSBORO, Texas (AP) — Authorities say Jacksboro Police Chief Guy Sullivan apparently was wounded by a gunman upset with efforts to crack down on illegal drugs in the area.

Sullivan was shot in the shoulder with his own pistol Saturday night. Jacksboro Police Sgt. Arthur Reeves said the department would turn the weapon over to Texas Rangers, who would dust it for fingerprints.

"We could print it, but it's best to let the experts handle stuff on a case like this," Reeves said.

Reeves said Sullivan has provided a few details of the shooting from his Wichita Falls General Hospital bed, where he is in stable and fair condition.

"Chief Sullivan is still in pretty bad shape," he said. "We haven't been able to get a good statement from him. He's been under sedation."



PUBLIC NOTICE

The Colorado River Municipal Water District is assisting the Texas Department of Water Resources with certain water quality planning activities for the Upper Colorado River Basin in order to meet requirements of the Clean Water Act and the State of Texas Continuing Planning Process. Requirements for public participation programs (40 CFR Part 25 Federal Register, Volume 44, No. 34, February 16, 1979) under the Clean Water Act (PL 95-217) include the formation of an advisory committee which consists of substantially equivalent proportions of four groups:

- 1) Private citizens — No person may be included in this portion of the advisory group who is likely to incur a financial gain or loss greater than that of an average homeowner, taxpayer, or consumer as a result of any action likely to be taken by the assisted agency.
 - 2) Public interests — representatives of organizations which reflect a general civic, social, recreational, environmental or public health perspective in the area and which do not directly reflect the economic interests of its membership.
 - 3) Public officials — (elected or appointed)
 - 4) Economic interests — citizens or representatives of organizations with economic interests in the plan or project.
- In accordance with Executive Order WPC-5, TDWR guidance, and the Federal Regulations the Colorado River Municipal Water District has developed a proposed list of advisory committee members which has subsequently been reviewed by TDWR and the Environmental Protection Agency. An additional public participation requirement is that this advisory committee list be made available to the public for comment. The following members, by category, are recommended for the Upper Colorado River Basin Advisory Committee:

- Private Citizens
1. Mr. Oscar Cagle
 2. Mrs. W. S. Ertine
 3. Mr. Homer Hodge
 4. Mrs. Polly Mays
- Public Interests
1. Mr. Everett Grindstaff
 2. Ms. June Naylor
 3. Mrs. Carol Owen
- Public Officials
1. Honorable Bill F. Carter
 2. Mr. Elmer Martin
 3. Mayor Robert Vaughn
- Economic Interests
1. Telephone Enterprise of Ballinger, Texas
 2. Big Spring Industrial Foundation
 3. Upper Colorado S&WCD No. 115
 4. S.W. Soil & Water Protection Assoc.

Comments or questions regarding the membership of the committee, including compliance with the requirement for substantially equivalent proportions of the four categories should be addressed in writing by January 4, 1980 to:

Mr. Rod Lewis
Colorado River Municipal Water District
P. O. Box 869
Big Spring, Texas 79720

Randy Baylor
Texas Department of Water Resources
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Austin, Texas 78711
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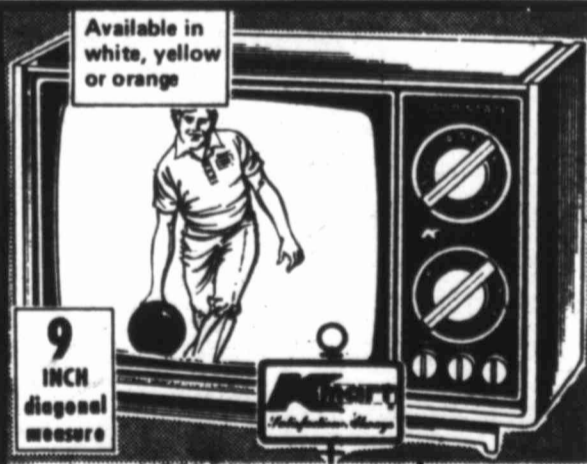
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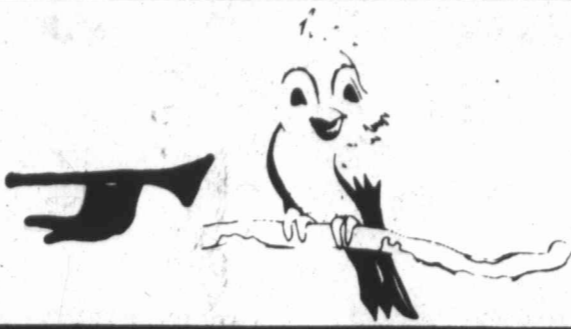
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APPLICATIONS WILL be taken for the Energy Crisis Assistant Program each Thursday of the week at the Courthouse Room 201, Big Spring. Please bring with you your current light and gas bills, Social Security number and copy of income. Person to contact is Velma Smith.

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

PUPPIES TO Give Away. For more information call 267-8823.

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

FOR SALE: Cute, lovable guinea pig, with cage, \$10.00. Great for Christmas! Call 363-1814 after 4:00 p.m.

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Sporting Goods L-8

COLT S.A.A. 9/8 BL, 357 with holster like new, \$225. Dan Wesson pistol pack with holsters, dies, ammo. \$225. 267-3480 after 5:30.

Garage Sale L-10

BACK HOUSE Sale: 2911 Navajo. Free standing fireplace, \$50. 3-speed bike, \$25. \$516. Bear bow, \$25.

Miscellaneous L-11

TAKE UP Payment. 1979 Kirby Vacuum cleaner, 3 months old. Balance on note 1/2 paid. New Warranty. 263-3633.

AFGHANS FOR Sale, some already made — will take orders. Call 263-6491 after 5:00.

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

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2-door, light blue, white landau top, blue valour cloth interior, all power, air tilt wheel, cruise, AM-FM stereo and tape.

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1979 FORD F100 CUSTOM — Candy Apple red, red vinyl interior, 3 speed standard shift, six cylinder, AM-FM stereo eight track, mud grip tires on the rear, good gas mileage one owner with only 6200 miles. Sale Price \$4695.00

1979 FORD F100 CUSTOM — Creme, black knitted vinyl interior, automatic, 302 V-8, power steering, power brakes, AM radio, gauges, headache rack, tool box, one owner with only 15,000 miles. Sale Price \$5395.00

1978 FORD F150 EXPLORER — Champagne, chamios knitted vinyl interior, automatic, power steering, power brakes, air, AM radio, 351 V-8, swing lock mirrors, one owner, with only 24,000 miles. Extra sharp! Sale Price \$5195.00

1978 FORD F150 CUSTOM SUPER CAB — Beige with white top, tan knitted vinyl interior, automatic, power steering, power brakes, 460 V-8, dual gas tanks, gauges, cargo light, AM radio, rear bench seat, sunfghter, one owner and ready to roll. Sale Price \$4695.00

1978 FORD F150 CUSTOM — Beige with tape stripes, brown vinyl interior, automatic, power steering, power brakes, AM radio, gauges, dual

Miscellaneous L-11

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

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

SALE: WRECKED Dodge, 318 V-8 engine, automatic transmission, complete drive train, excellent condition; new tires, \$395; 2 - 26" 10 speed bicycles, boys' and girls', \$45 each; 28,000 BTU window air conditioner, \$295. Call 267-6256.

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

ELECTROLUX VACUUM Cleaners. Sales Service and Supplies. Ralph Walker, 1900 Runnels, 267-8078.

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 Several all wood Chest of Drawers, used, \$27.50 up; Bedroom Groups; Dressers; 1: Sleeper, \$79.95. Lots of Gift Items in our Glassware Department.
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SEASONS GREETINGS

Antiques L-12
SALE ANTIQUES, antique furniture, crystal, silver, glassware, collectibles, 267-5919 after 6:00 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday.

Wanted To Buy L-14
 Will pay top prices good used fur, furniture, appliances, and air conditioners. Call 267-3661 or 263-3496.

WANT TO BUY Junk Batteries, 902 Lamesa Hwy. See Jerry Metcalf, 263-6407.

AUTOMOBILES M
Autos Wanted M-5
 WANT TO BUY 1969 to 1972 model Chevrolet pickup. Call 263-7407.

LOOKY... 1975 BUICK REGAL
 2-door coupe, white with blue landau top, blue and white interior, AM-FM tape player, tilt and cruise.
A BARGAIN AT \$1995
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Trucks For Sale M-9

76 CHEVY PICKUP Classic, roll over, push bar, mag wheels, wrangler tires. \$2850. Call 263-3702.

1971 FORD PICKUP. New paint, new seat covers, lots of extras. Call 263-2699, 1733 Yale.

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

1953 GMC PICKUP. For more information come by 1600 Jennings after 7:30.

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

1975 JEEP WAGONEER, power 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.

MUST SELL - 1979 Luv, long bed, AM-FM, factory air, radials, 5700 miles. Camper cover. 263-8940.

1976 FOUR WHEEL drive, Chevrolet, Crew cab, four new Michelin 8 ply, completely equipped with gooseneck trailer. 263-4437.

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

Autos M-10
1975 MONTE CARLO. Fully loaded, sun roof, good condition. Asking \$2,150. Call 9:00-5:00, ask for J.L.

1977 MONTE CARLO, 11,000 miles, totally loaded with air, all power including electric windows, seats, door locks, trunk, AM-FM factory 8 track, cruise control, tilt wheel. Will consider best trade for equity. 393-5225.

1960 CORVAIR 4 DOOR for sale. See at 3621 Dixon.

1974 MERCURY COMET, Low mileage, air conditioner, automatic transmission, radio. 263-3307 after 5:30.

GOING TO School. Must sale 1978 Datsun 200 SX, low mileage, 5 speed, AM-FM radio, air, excellent condition. For more information call 353-4787.

1974 MAVERICK, 27,000 MILES. Excellent condition, like new. MUST SELL. Make offer 263-6772, 2600 Apache.

TOPS 1979 CADILLAC COUPE DeVILLE
 White on white, red leather seats, all Cadillac power options, one owner. Only 16,000 miles.
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1978 FORD 4 DOOR LTD, V8 400, speed control, tilt wheel, cruise, AM-FM Stereo. Low mileage. 393-5249.

1977 GRAND PRIX LJ, sell under loan value. Call 915-728-8293, after 5:00 p.m. Colorado City.

1977 COUGAR XR7, automatic, power, low mileage, good condition. Best offer. Call 915-34-2235.

BABYSITTER 7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday Friday in my home for 4 week old baby. References and health certificate required. Salary negotiable. 267-7324.

JUST IN TIME for Christmas! Miniature puppies for sale, \$50 and \$75. Apricot, silver and silver beige. 267-8167.

WANTED - GERMAN Shepherd puppy. Call 267-2579, ask for Karen. 267-1875 after 5:00.

1967 CHEVROLET, LONG wheel base, 4 speed transmission, 283 CID V8, \$350. Call 267-2967.

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DAY CARE for children six weeks five years. 1600 Wasson Road. 267-5111 or 267-7359.

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Paraguay Mennonites buy Texas livestock

AUSTIN — Representatives from a Mennonite colony in Paraguay have purchased \$250,000 worth of Texas breeding livestock, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

The livestock will be shipped to Paraguay from the Texas Department of Agriculture export facility at Houston Intercontinental Airport this week, Brown said.

Coming from a region similar to South Texas, the Mennonites have begun a program to improve the native cattle, which are mainly Criolla. They purchased 91 Santa Gertrudis, 37 Brahman, 15 Holstein, one horned and one polled Hereford, and 2 Quarter Horses in Texas. Three horses were purchased out of Texas.

Rudolph Duerksen and Peter Duerksen are descendants of Mennonite

Carter vows hard fight for budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Carter administration is vowing to do all it can in 1980 to win approval for increasing defense spending by 5 percent, after inflation.

Defense Secretary Harold Brown argued the administration's case Tuesday before the House Armed Services Committee.

He said President Carter "will do everything he can" next year to gain congressional approval for his defense spending proposal which was announced last week. The plan calls for a five-year increase in defense spending of 25 percent over and above inflation.

Carter said his fiscal 1981 budget would commit the government to spending \$157.5 billion on the military. Fiscal 1981 begins Oct. 1, 1980.

The defense budget was released a month earlier than usual at the insistence of promilitary senators who want increases in defense spending in return for their support of the SALT II treaty with the Soviet Union.

Despite Brown's assertions, several committee members suggested the proposed rise in military spending was a ploy to win Senate ratification of the strategic arms limitation treaty.

"One of the major problems here is credibility," said Rep. Robin L. Beard, R-Tenn.

The Senate is expected to begin debate on SALT early next month.

South Texas area, but the other stock came from ranchers throughout the state.

"This sale is a good example of the patience required in trying to sell in foreign markets," Brown said. "Our livestock specialist just happened to be in the Houston export facility when these same three representatives were moving a load of cattle they had bought in Kansas. He invited them to look at Texas cattle on their next trip, and three years later, they came to buy."

The soil is sandy and heavy brush has to be cleared for improved pasture, but the annual rainfall of 30 inches provides for good forage. Most of the Santa Gertrudis bulls and heifers were bought in the



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1978 DODGE CHARGER XE, 2-door hardtop, blue metallic matching vinyl roof, bucket seats, automatic, power steering and brakes, air, rally wheels, AM 8 track, cruise control. Stock No. 442.

1978 MERCURY ZEPHYR, 4-door sedan, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, 6-cylinder, 29,000 actual miles, extra clean. Stock No. 435.

1978 FORD FAIRMONT, 4-door sedan, 6-cylinder, 22,000 actual miles, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, white, blue interior, matching vinyl roof, like new tires. Stock No. 545.

1978 PONTIAC FIREBIRD FORMULA, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, AM-FM cassette, tilt, cruise, 29,000 miles, rally wheels, good rubber. Stock No. 535.

1977 CHEVROLET MONTE CARLO, 2-door hardtop, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, AM-FM radio, 24,000 miles, medium blue metallic, white landau top. Stock No. 300.

1977 CHEVROLET NOVA, 4-door sedan, 6-cylinder, automatic, air, power steering, 21,000 actual miles, light green with white top, like new tires. Stock No. 539-A.

1977 CAPRICE CLASSIC COUPE, small V8, air, automatic, power steering, tilt, cruise, AM-FM stereo, vinyl roof, good tires, very nice car. Stock No. 527.

1977 OLDS SUPREME CRUISER, 3-seater wagon, loaded with power steering and brakes, power windows and seats, AM-FM 8 track, tilt, cruise, luggage rack, 39,000 miles, like new rubber. Stock No. 532.

1976 CHEVROLET MALIBU COUPE, automatic, air, power steering and brakes, tilt, AM-FM 8 track, jade green metallic, matching interior, gold vinyl roof. Stock No. 549.

1974 CHEVROLET CAPRICE CLASSIC, 4-door hardtop, loaded with power steering and brakes, air, 60-40 power seats, power windows, tilt, cruise, AM-FM 8 track, white with matching interior, vinyl roof, 30,000 actual miles. Stock No. 537.

1978 FORD PICKUP, heavy duty 1/2 ton, small V8, automatic, air, power steering and brakes, AM-FM 8 track, like new tires. Stock No. 455.

1979 SILVERADO PICKUP, 1/2 ton, 350 V8, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, tilt, silver and red in color, tires are like new. Stock No. 553.

1979 CHEVROLET VAN, loaded with factory air, automatic, 350 V8, power steering and brakes, plus factory warranty, just like new. Stock No. 428.

1979 EL CAMINO CONQUISTA, loaded, with 305 V8, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, tilt, cruise, AM-FM 8 track, light blue with medium blue camper shell, rally wheels, 15,000 actual miles, extra nice. Stock No. 515.

1979 INTERNATIONAL SCOUT II, with rally package, 4-wheel drive, 4,000 miles, one owner, loaded with tilt, cruise, air, AM-FM 8 track, power steering and brakes, rally wheels, luggage rack, light blue hardtop. Stock No. 511.

1978 SILVERADO PICKUP, (Diesel), loaded, power steering and brakes, power windows, air, automatic, tilt, AM radio, extra good rubber. Stock No. 384.

1978 FORD SUPER CAB, 3/4 ton, light yellow, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, deluxe wheel covers, setting on 4 new tires. Stock No. 471.

1977 GMC SUBURBAN, 454 V8, 3-seater, Sierra Classic, dual air, tilt wheel, power steering and brakes, AM-FM radio, turtone burgundy metallic, like new tires. Stock No. 552.

1976 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN, 350 V8, dual air, automatic, power steering and brakes, AM radio, metallic blue, 2-seater, good tires. Stock No. 523.

1976 CHEVROLET BLAZER, 350 V8, blue and white, automatic 4-wheel drive, power steering and brakes, AM-FM 8 track, tilt and cruise. Stock No. 461-A.

1976 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN, 350 V8, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, AM radio, metallic blue, 2-seater, good tires. Stock No. 523.

1962 SCOUT, 4-wheel drive, 4-cylinder, 3-speed, low-bar, hardtop, big tires, hunters special. Stock No. 433-A.

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