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FUN CONTEST — County Judge Bill Tune and Travis Floyd of Mesa Valley Toyota try to beat two other pairs in dressing a mannequin during the First National Bank

sponsored Fun Breakfast today. The two fumbled in agony, for Larry Don Shaw and Bob Miller won the contest.



THESPIANS WIN ROLE — Emcees Mike Faulkner, far left, and Jim Baum, far right, watch Gordon Myrick, Joyce Phillips and Baughn Martin perform a "Hangar 18" scene before 150 persons at the Chamber of Commerce

wake-up this morning. The three actors, along with three others, were given roles in the upcoming filming of the science fiction movie.

## Khomeini gives power of military to Bani-Sadr

Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini was reported today to have transferred his post as commander in chief of Iran's armed forces to President Abolhassan Bani-Sadr. The move stirred speculation Bani-Sadr might move troops to the U.S. Embassy in Tehran to replace the militants who took some 50 Americans hostage 108 days ago.

The increase in Bani-Sadr's authority was reported by Tehran Radio, which quoted the ailing, 79-

year-old ayatollah as saying the appointment was aimed at "consolidating power in Iran at this critical moment." This was an apparent reference to the militants who have rejected the latest plan to ease the hostage crisis.

The Carter administration has been eager to resolve the crisis, and the Paris-based station Radio Luxembourg said today that Iranian Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh was

believed to have met with Carter's chief of staff, Hamilton Jordan, in Paris on Monday. The White House and Ghotbzadeh denied it.

Ghotbzadeh, who came to France for talks with French Foreign Minister Jean Francois-Poncet, left Paris for Tehran today. French lawyer Edmond Pettiti is one of the members of the U.N. commission, and there was speculation — but no confirmation — he was among those Ghotbzadeh conferred with in Paris.

'The Warriors' triggered violence?

## Fate of Ortega in hands of jury

Defense Attorney Allen Moore is building a self-defense case for aggravated assault defendant Robert Ortega in 118th District Court on the basis that he stabbed Rickey Solis because Ortega was provoked.

The trial began Monday morning and is expected to be resolved this afternoon.

District Judge Ralph Caton read the charge to the jury this morning, defining self-defense as a situation where a person can use "any force at his command" to repel an attacker if he "reasonably believes in his mind" that he is in danger.

Caton said a person did not need to be attacked to be considered in danger. He said if the jury decides Ortega stabbed Rickey Solis in self-defense at the Jet Drive in July 28, the jury should acquit the defendant.

Accounts of the attack situation differed from witness to witness. There were from eight to 25 boys involved in a fracas in a darkened area, according to witnesses.

However, Rickey Solis testified Monday that he never provoked Ortega, though Ortega testified that Rickey Solis and his brother Pete had shoved him several times.

Ortega said Pete possessed an open switchblade at the time.

His account of the scene from the witness stand Monday afternoon showed that after two boys at the concession stand of the drive-in began fighting Ortega returned to the car and armed himself.

"Jesse (Curry) got out and I got in. I saw a knife on the driver's side so I picked it up," he said. He opened the knife, got out of the car and stood by the right front fender.

Rickey Solis and Pete approached him, Ortega said. Rickey pushed him and asked him what was in his hand. He said Rickey pushed him two more times asking the same question.

Ortega said Pete pulled a six-inch switchblade knife and demanded to know what was in Ortega's hand. Ortega said he panicked and stabbed Rickey because he was the closest to him.

Ortega lost his glasses and fell down. His vision was impaired but he saw the other boys grouped around him. When he fell he said, "Don't come any closer. I don't want to hurt you."

Evaristo (Sonny) Trevino had come into the fray with a knife but a friend convinced Trevino and Ortega to put away their knives.

When police arrived Ortega had thrown the knife on the ground. Jesse Curry went back for the knife and hurled it into Comanche Lake, said

Ortega.

Sonny Trevino testified that the violence began when he pushed Daryl Martin off a concession stand rail. "He mentioned my mother in a conversation. He mentioned my mother and it kind of set me off," said Trevino.

Trevino testified that when he followed Martin to his car, Jesse Curry had said he "was going to whup my ass" and "attacked" him. Trevino said he had thrown Curry on the ground.

Trevino also testified that Ortega had stabbed him with a knife while Trevino was following Martin to his car.

Trevino said a movie playing at the time called "The Warriors" "made people a little brave." He said there was a group of about 25 "looking for some action."

Ortega said he regretted the stabbing. "I knew I'd done something wrong," he said.

He said he had thought of Rickey as a friend of his up to the time of the stabbing.

He acknowledged that elements in the stories told by the witnesses were different. He said his reactions had been instinctive.

Court recessed at 3:30 p.m. Monday after both sides closed. Caton had not charged the jury Monday because the charge takes three hours to prepare

and the jury must be sequestered if they have been charged.

The charge was read at 10 a.m. today, followed by final arguments by both sides. District Attorney Rick Hamby was not present for final arguments or Monday's cross examination of defendant Robert Ortega. Assistant District Attorney Don Richard presented final arguments.

"I don't think there's any angels in this event, but it's your responsibility to determine who did what," said Richard.

He said that if another knife was pulled at the attack scene by Pete Solis, that it was produced in response to Ortega's already drawn knife. He charged that if Ortega had not pulled the knife no one would have been hurt.

"Is it reasonable for a person to have this much part in the creation of a risk to be able to hide behind self-defense?" asked Richards.

Moore rebutted, "If you believe someone is going to stab you, shoot you, hurt you, you can strike first." He referred to the knife in Pete Solis's hand.

Moore said the burden of proof was on the prosecution and they have "fallen far short of proving my client acted without provocation."

Moore called Ortega a "soft-spoken, mild-mannered boy."

## Square dancers will meet here for state conclave

The TSFSRD business meeting is open to all dancers begins with a coffee at 8:30 Saturday morning and the meeting will start at 9 a.m. in the Howard College Auditorium. State President Ed Barbee, Lubbock will preside over the meeting. He will be assisted by the other state officers.

The Westerners Association officers will assist in hosting the Conclave weekend are:

President — Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hergenrader, Abilene; first vice president — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dixon, Abilene; second vice president — Mr. and Mrs. Travis Brackeen, Big Spring; treasurer — Mr. and Mrs. Gene Allen, Abilene; and secretary — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adkins, Abilene.

Also 27 clubs in the following towns will assist in hosting the Big Spring Conclave. They are Brady, San Angelo, Brownwood, Mullin, Abilene, Ballinger, Goldwaite, Snyder, Rochelle, El Dorado, Eastland, Hamlin and Colorado City.

More than 400 square dancers are expected to attend the 19th annual Conclave of the Texas State Federation of Square and Round Dancers to be held here Feb. 29 and March 1 at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

This is the first time that Big Spring has hosted the statewide meeting. The Conclave hosted by the Westerners square and round dance Association will have its headquarters at the Holiday Inn. Registration begins Friday, Feb. 29, at 3:00 p.m. Registration Chairman Sandy Sparks will be registering guests as they arrive. Many of the dancers will arrive in town Thursday and visit the city.

Round dancing begins at 7 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday and square dancing begins at 8 p.m. with a grand march each night. Spectators will be admitted free each night. Local dancers will be admitted by door admittance.

## Six local thespians given roles in 'Hangar 18' film

By STEVE HERSHBERGER

Six Big Spring thespians were given parts this morning in the Sunn Classic movie "Hangar 18" after performing before an estimated 150 people at the Chamber of Commerce breakfast.

The six are Raymond Phillips, Joyce Phillips, Marilee Kimery, Harold Kimery, Gordon Myrick and Baughn Martin.

The impromptu actors were selected by emcees Jim Baum and Mike Faulkner to take part in a skit created by Sunn Classic. The reward for their performances was roles in the upcoming movie that is to be filmed at the Big Spring Industrial Park.

Douglas Burke with the Southwest School for the Deaf made an appearance at the First National Bank sponsored wake-up. He told members about the instructional center that is to be located here.

"We anticipate a pilot enrollment of 50 students," Burke said verbally and manually.

He added that the school will develop to instructing about 500 students.

Members of the chamber approved several by-law changes. Amendments included adding the president of the Chamber to the board of directors if he is selected from outside the body's nominating committee to serve also to designate candidates for officers of the chamber; and modifications in submitting and approving amendments to the by-laws.

Several announcements were made

by area groups to the chamber.

The Regional Girls Junior College Tournament will take place here March 6-8.

A spokesman for the tournament said, "The Hawk Queens will be one of the top-seeded teams."

The Boy Scouts in Howard County will be distributing information explaining the decennial enumeration three weeks before the census.

The Big Spring Prospectors Club will put on the 11th Annual Prospectors Extravaganza March 1-2 at the Dora Roberts Exhibition Building at the Howard County Fairgrounds.

Certain groups will be given free admission to the rock and mineral show.

"We want to stress that senior citizens and youth groups get in free Saturday morning," a representative from the mineral society said, adding that law enforcement officials will be admitted at no charge during the entire exhibition.

A noted attraction at the two-day affair will be the display of an Apollo lunar sample.

The Texas State Federation of Square and Round Dancers will hold a meeting and dance Feb. 29 and March 1 at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club will host the Annual Outdoor Show the first weekend in April at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The Jaycees will hold the 19th Big Spring Rattlesnake Roundup March 28-29.

## Government must pay for poor women's abortions, court rules

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government must begin paying for most abortions for poor women, the Supreme Court said today.

The justices, by a 6-3 vote, refused to block a federal judge's order forcing the government to pay for poor women's medically necessary abortions. The high court, however, did not rule on the merits of the case, but will review it later.

U.S. District Judge John Dooling in New York City last month struck down the so-called Hyde amendment, a congressional restriction on Medicaid spending for abortions.

Dooling said the restriction, which

makes money for abortion available only to women whose lives are endangered by their pregnancies and women who are victims of rape or incest, is unconstitutional.

In other action, the high court:

Ruled the government is entitled to all profits made by ex-CIA agent Frank Snepp on an unauthorized book he published in 1977 called "Decent Interval."

Agreed to decide when, if ever, the government may challenge a convicted criminal's sentence as too lenient.

The local chapter of the American Cancer Society will hold March 21 a basketball game featuring local businessmen and the Howard County Hawk Queens.

The Spring City Theater will hold from 8 p.m. to midnight March 15 a champagne ball.

Cash prizes went to various members. V.E. Sorrells of Derrington Auto Parts and Machine Shop won \$50 in the cash drawing. County Judge Bill Tune and Bruce Wright each won \$20 in drawings.

It was unfortunate for one David Gomez. His name was drawn for a \$300 prize, but his non-attendance at the breakfast prevented his winning the largesse.

Larry Don Shaw, a candidate for the Texas House, and Bob Miller beat two other pairs in a mannequin dressing contest.

## Focalpoint

### Action/reaction: Dance request

Q. Who does a person see to rent the county fairbarns for a dance or a social event?

A. Go first to the county agent to see if there's an open date. If the event is a dance, a sponsor has to go before the commissioners court for approval.

### Calendar: County Spelling Bee

TODAY

The Big Spring Steers host the San Angelo Bobcats in the final District 5-AAAA game of the year for both schools. Game time is 8 p.m.

The Herald Editorial Advisory Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce offices for their regular monthly session.

The Big Spring Art Association will meet at the Kentwood Center at 7:30 p.m. The program will be a demonstration by Phil Zaner, Boerne.

Big Spring Band Boosters will hold their monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m., in high school auditorium. All parents of band members urged to attend.

Borden County and Westbrook will play a bi-district playoff game, 6 p.m. Tuesday in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. This game will be followed by a practice game between Andrews and Hamlin, at 8 o'clock. Admission for each is \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.

The Chicano Golf Association will meet for election of officers at 7:30 p.m. at Tivo's.

The 1980 Howard County Spelling Bee will be conducted in the Howard College Auditorium starting at 4 p.m.

Beef referendum begins at 9 a.m. in the Howard County ASCS office and ends Feb. 22.

### Tops on TV: 'The End'

Viewers are in luck! The tube is crammed with good stuff tonight. Coverage of the XIII Winter Olympics continues at 7 o'clock on ABC. Events include speed skating, men's giant slalom and cross-country skiing. At 8 o'clock there are three shows to choose from. NBC will feature the movie "The End," directed and starred in by Burt Reynolds. CBS offers "Goldie and Liza Together," featuring the considerable talents of Liza Minnelli and Goldie Hawn. And in a more serious vein, PBS gives us "Portrait Of A Killer," in which a famous photographer films the inside of a human body ravaged by a heart attack.

### Inside: Ford vs. Ford

CHRISTINA FORD ONCE said only she could make Henry Ford II happy, but today — the couple's 15th wedding anniversary — they meet in court for the beginning of what could be an expensive divorce trial for the millionaire auto magnate. See page 8-A.

A TEXAS LAW PROHIBITING free public education to illegal alien children is challenged in federal court today. See page 3-A.

BOTH HOWARD COLLEGE basketball teams scored key victories over Odessa College last night. For the story to the wins see Nathan Poss' story on page 1-B.

### Outside: Windy

Partly cloudy through Wednesday High today in the upper 70s, low tonight in the low 50s. High Wednesday in the mid 70s. Winds will be from the west at 15 to 20 mph and gusty this afternoon, southerly 10 to 15 mph tonight, and southwesterly 15 to 25 mph and gusty Wednesday. Wind warnings are in effect for area lakes.





# Trudeau regains rule of Canadian government

TORONTO (AP) — Pierre Elliott Trudeau, a political has-been just three months ago, took charge of Canada once again in a stunning election victory he called a rerun of "an old love story" between his party and the voters, and offered himself and his country as peacemakers in the U.S.-Soviet dispute.

Trudeau's Liberal Party routed the Progressive Conservatives of Prime Minister Joe Clark in parliamentary elections Monday, cutting down a government that was one of the few to stick by the United States down the line in its confrontation with Moscow.

In a victory speech early today to an ecstatic crowd of supporters in Ottawa, Trudeau, 60, took a distinctly softer approach, declaring that the United States is "our greatest friend" but adding that preserving peace between the superpowers must be part of Canada's world mission.

In elections last May, the youthful Clark and his Conservatives ended 16 years of Liberal rule, 11 of them with Trudeau as prime minister. The Liberal chief had actually announced his

intention to leave politics last November.

But Clark was undone by a tough budget in which he proposed a highly unpopular 18-cent-a-gallon boost in gasoline taxes.

The Liberals' quick comeback made Clark's nine months in power the briefest tenure of any elected prime minister in Canadian history.

In rebuking their 40-year-old prime minister, Canadian voters gave the Liberals 146 seats in the 282-seat House of Commons, four more than a majority. The Conservatives had 103 seats and the socialist New Democrats 32. The race in one district had been postponed until March because of a candidate's death.

The former Parliament had 136 Conservative members, 114 Liberals, 27 New Democrats and five Social Credit Party members. The Quebec-based Social Creditists, a rightist group, lost all their seats Monday.

With about three-quarters of the popular vote counted, the Liberals had 4,041,481 votes, or 49 percent, the Conservatives 2,400,333, or 29 percent, and the New



**SAFETY AWARDS** — Roy Renfro (left) shakes hand with Gene Tolle (right) who is the manager of the Big Spring Oil Transport Company terminal. Renfro presented Tolle and the 14 Big Spring petroleum drivers with a safety award for driving well over a million miles without an accident.

## Driving million miles without mishap pays off

Big Spring Oil Transport Company drivers went 1,017,135 miles in 1979 without an accident, R.J. Hutchins personnel and safety driver for Oil Transport, said Monday night during an awards dinner at K-C Steak and Seafood House.

Hutchins said the 14 drivers with the Big Spring terminal drove the most safe miles of seven trucking

# Police beat Window smashers busy

A man in a brown Chevrolet Camaro took the term "drive-in restaurant" a little too seriously early this morning.

According to police, the car careened into the south door of McDonald's Restaurant, IS 20 and Highway 87, 1:10 a.m. today, and then sped away to the east on the IS 20 service road. The car broke the glass in the door, and ruined its frame, causing \$850 worth of damages.

Shortly thereafter, officers arrested Jeffrey Lynn Scott, 3613 Dixon, on suspicion of causing the damage. He faces charges of disorderly conduct, criminal mischief and public intoxication.

Window breakers also were busy elsewhere in the city. A \$400 plate glass window at the Security State Bank, 1411 Gregg, was smashed early today.

Another glass and window frame were shattered at the Big Spring Education Employees Credit Union, 1110 Benton, sometime Monday night. Damage was estimated at \$400.

Larry Conway, 538 Westover, thinks he knows the man who used his fist to smash the windshield of Conway's 1974 Buick Electra Sunday night. Damage was estimated at \$200.

Lavina E. Bricker, 507 1/2 17th, told police that a man came to her home, 7:30 p.m. Monday, and threatened her. In the process, he also kicked in her screen door.

Vandals ripped off the ladder from a van belonging to the YMCA, 801 Owens, and broke off the stems of three of the vehicle's tires Monday night. Damage was estimated at \$400.

A thief stole a 1977 Datsun 280 Z belonging to Paul

Robinson, 801 Marcy, sometime between 5:30 and 9:30 p.m. Monday. The car was valued at \$6,500.

Four mishaps were reported Monday.

Vehicles driven by Sharon Turner, 1404 11th, and Mandy Barriball, 2613 Central, collided at 713 Washington, 8:10 a.m.

A parked vehicle belonging to Toni D. Bidson, 1503 Oriole, was struck by a vehicle that left the scene on the 500 block of Owens, 12:50 a.m.

Vehicles driven by Charles Leyva, 4110 Parkway, and Chestley Johnson, 4221 Hamilton, collided on the 1700 block of Wason, 10:30 a.m.

A parked vehicle belonging to Ronnie Passmore, 3706 Dixon, was struck by a vehicle driven by Steven C. Sigmon, 1006 Nolan, at 18th and Gregg, 11:30 a.m.

# Digest

## Liberian tanker scrapped

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — The hulk of a Liberian tanker that exploded and burned off the Texas coast last year, killing 32 crew members, is to be taken to the scrap yard, the Coast Guard says.

The Burmah Agate collided with a freighter Nov. 1 near the entrance to the Galveston ship channel. The tanker, carrying 390,000 barrels of light crude oil, caught fire and burned for 69 days. Only 17 of the 32 crewmen were ever found.

Private contractors have floated the burned-out hulk and were to move it to a Brownsville shipyard today, weather permitting, said Chief Petty Officer Jay Arnold at the Galveston Coast Guard station.

## Quintuplets doing well

CHICAGO (AP) — Patricia Moeller has left Prentice Women's Hospital, but her four newborn boys and a girl are getting further care.

Allen Jake, Mark Patrick, Nicholas John, David Thomas and Elizabeth Rose — born on Feb. 9, nine weeks prematurely, by Caesarean section — were in fair condition, said a hospital spokesman. All but 3-pound 15-ounce Allen, were on respirators to aid breathing.

Mrs. Moeller, whose husband Allen is a technician with a security system, left the hospital a mere "shadow of her former self," quipped one nurse. Mrs. Moeller said she "can't wait to sleep in my own bed," and added that the hospital stay "felt like a year."

## Commuter train derails

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A Conrail commuter train carrying about 100 passengers jumped the tracks in a tunnel as it approached Suburban Station, causing three cars to derail, officials said.

Police said there were no serious injuries when the side of one car was ripped open upon hitting a post beneath an overpass, but two persons were taken to Graduate Hospital for observation.

The accident occurred just before 11 a.m. Monday as the six-car train from Media approached the station, a Conrail spokesman said.

## Chicago costs up

CHICAGO (AP) — The University of Chicago says tuition is going up for the academic year beginning in September to offset higher costs.

The increase will be 13 percent for most students and 16 percent for those in the Medical School, officials said Monday. Tuition for undergraduates will rise from \$4,500 to \$5,100 and for medical students from \$4,965 to \$5,760. Dean of Students Charles D. O'Connell said the increases will be accompanied by increased student aid. He said room and board charges in residence halls will increase \$277 yearly for most students. Freshmen will pay \$2,815 a year.

## Bomber finds home

LIMESTONE, Maine (AP) — The last flight-worthy B-29 bomber still owned by the Air Force is scheduled to depart from Loring Air Force Base on Thursday for its final resting place in a London war museum.

The plane, nicknamed "It's Hawg Wild," has been at Loring for a few days since arriving from Arizona and is being readied for its final flight across the Atlantic.

The four-engine plane, also known as a "Razorback," is being permanently loaned to the Imperial Air Museum.

# Clements changing mind?

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements said today he is having "second thoughts" about calling a special legislative session as a result of Speaker Bill Clayton's involvement in the FBI's Bribe investigation.

Clements told an impromptu news conference he is conferring with legislators and "outside people" — such as editors and publishers — over the wisdom of calling a special session.

Clements stated earlier he would call lawmakers into session in August to deal with proposed wiretap legislation and initiative and referendum.

Asked if it was possible he might change his mind, Clements said, "Anything's possible."

He said House members' preoccupation with Clayton's situation would divert attention from issues the governor wants legislators to consider.

Clayton has admitted accepting \$5,000 from a labor leader who discussed with Clayton the possibility of

landing a state employee group insurance contract but has denied any wrongdoing.

He will appear before a federal grand jury in Houston next month. Some friends believe he will resign as speaker if indicted.

## Munch loas

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — The Elvehjem Museum of Art says it is the recipient of a rotating loan of major paintings by Norwegian artist Edvard Munch.

The Elvehjem says it will receive, for at least the next two years, a different painting every six months on a loan basis from the collection of the Munch Museum in Oslo. It says the paintings have been chosen to highlight various periods and subjects important in Munch's work.

## Dutch silver exhibition

TOLEDO, Ohio (AP) — The exhibition "Dutch Silver 1380-1825" will be shown at the Toledo Museum of Art March 23-April 20.

The only other American showing will be at Boston's Museum of Fine Arts May 13-June 22.

# Pat Githens announces for city council race

Pat Githens, 38, has filed for the position of city council member Place One. Githens is the pastor of Faith Baptist Church, and resides at 1618 East 17th Street with his family. Githens is presently serving on the Big Spring Planning and Zoning Board. He was also employed with a local radio station for several months as a newsman, and used the air name, Pat O'Brien. In that position, Githens said he became very much aware of the many problems facing our city.



PAT GITHENS

"I believe that I am aware of most of the problems facing our city, and I would like to have the opportunity to work with the other council members, the city staff, and the people of Big Spring in trying to solve these problems. It is my opinion that the most serious problem facing our city government at this present time is the city's financial situation.

"Our city, like most of us, is feeling the pressures caused by inflation and the energy crisis. Like most of us, our city government is going to have to make some major adjustments if it is going to be able to overcome these problems. It is going to take a genuine effort on the part of our city leadership to spend every dollar wisely and efficiently.

"There is absolutely no doubt in my mind that our city can be conservative in its spending, and still see progress. I have no intention of making a lot of promises that I might not be able to keep, but I do intend, if elected, to work hard to help provide a better and more effective city government for the people of Big Spring."

Githens was born in Chickasha, Okla., to Earl

and Ella Githens. The family moved to Arizona in 1953. He finished high school in Casa Grande, Ariz.

Pat joined the Air Force in 1959. He came to this area to begin training at Goodfellow AFB, San Angelo, in the field of Electronics. He spent 19 months in Turkey. He returned to Goodfellow in 1961 and was an instructor in the Electronics School until 1966, when he was discharged.

He worked in radio in San Angelo during the time he was in service and after he came to Big Spring in 1967. He left here in 1968 to attend Arlington Baptist College. He graduated her in 1971 with a Bachelor of Divinity degree.

Since that time, his work has been establishing and stabilizing small churches. He returned to Big Spring in 1978 to organize the Faith Baptist Church. He has been the church's only pastor.

The Githens have a boy, Greg, 17, a junior in high school here; a son, Rodney, 14, an eighth grader at Rannels; and a daughter, Rebecca, 3.

He is married to the former Carolyn Kiser, who is a registered nurse at Malone-Hogan Hospital.

## Fund started for two here

Becky, 16 months, and Michael, 5, children of Mrs. Dian Richter, 506 Airport Road, recently returned from Houston's Texas Medical Center where they were diagnosed as having a pulmonary lung disease which requires them to be on a breathing machine several times daily.

For the last three weeks, they have been taken to the Malone and Hogan Respiratory Therapy Department twice daily for the breathing treatment as outpatients.

There are three other children in the Richter home besides Becky and Michael.

A fund to help purchase a breathing machine for the home and the medication needed for treatments has been started at the Security State Bank here.

Anyone wishing to donate can make their checks out to the Richter Fund, c/o Security State Bank.

## Lions Club Zone meeting

A Lions Club Zone 2 meeting of District 2A1 will be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 26, in the Texas Electric Reddy-Room here.

Eight clubs make up the zone. They are Big Spring Evening Lions, Big Spring Downtown Lions, Webb-Springs, Coahoma, Sand Springs, Grady, Garden City and Stanton.

W.L. (Squeaky) Thompson, zone chairman, and District Gov. Ben High, the latter of Sweetwater, will be in charge of the meeting.

## Herald panel to meet today

The Herald Editorial Advisory Board will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce offices for their regular monthly session.

Vice chairman Mike McCracken will preside in the absence of Elma Martinez, who will be out of the city on business.

The public is invited to attend the meeting.



(PHOTO BY BILL FORSHEE)

KENTWOOD CHAMPION, RUNNERUP — Melissa Jones, (left) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gil Jones III, will represent Kentwood Elementary School in today's Howard County Spelling Bee, scheduled to get under way in the Howard College Auditorium at 4 p.m.

Runnerup in the Kentwood contest was Sonya Evans (right), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Evans. Both girls are in the fifth grade and are taught by Mrs. Lee Freeze. Winner of the contest becomes eligible for the Regional Bee, which will be held in Lubbock.

## White House Conference on Families-Office of the Governor-State Capitol-Austin, Texas 78711.

The White House Conference on Families will hold an area meeting March 8 in the Civic Center in Lubbock to examine the impact economic, social and political forces are having on the family.

Citizens from Big Spring who wanted to testify were required to sign up by Feb. 15 to be placed on an agenda. Hearing testimony will be a group of judges, who were appointed by Gov. Bill Clements.

Statements by citizens will be limited to commenting on problems affecting the family today. Those appearing will be given five minutes to speak and may address only one problem and one solution.

## School champs compete in Spelling Bee today

School champions descend upon the Howard College Auditorium at 4 p.m., today to take part in the 1980 Howard County Spelling Bee, an event sponsored by the Big Spring Herald.

The winner here gets an expenses-paid trip to the Regional Bee in Lubbock and the champion there becomes eligible to take part in the National Bee at Washington in the spring.

All elementary schools in the city will be represented in the contest, along with Elbow, Coahoma Elementary, Goliad Middle School and Rannels Junior High.

Janice Rosson will again

## Big Spring residents densuring more information may contact Nelda Reagan at 263-1910.

White House Conference on Families-Office of the Governor-State Capitol-Austin, Texas 78711.

# Deaths

## Mrs. Spurzem

Word has been received here of the death at 4 p.m., Monday at Doctors' Hospital in Falls Church, Va., of Mrs. Lou Spurzem, 65, sister of Mrs. Ralph Proctor of Howard County.

Other survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Faye Sledge, Lubbock, and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe, El Paso; and a brother, Kelly Brown, Huntsville.

Mrs. Spurzem was a native of Winters, Tex. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Brown.

Arrangements are pending in Falls Church.

## George Kunkle

Services for George Kunkle, 58, who died at 3:20 p.m., Sunday in a local hospital, will be at 2 p.m., today in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

Officiating will be the Rev. Guy White, pastor of the East Fourth Baptist Church. Burial will occur in Trinity Memorial Park.

Military rites will be by the VFW Post 213 and DAV Chapter 47.

Palbearers will be Luther Meek, Idis Houchin, Lloyd Lile, Rudolph Wanner, A.A. Cunningham and Grady Dunnam. All members of the DAV and VFW are considered honorary palbearers.

## Mrs. Wilkerson

Ettie L. Wilkerson, 88, died at 9:20 a.m., Monday in a local hospital following an extended illness.

Services will be at 3 p.m., Thursday in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel. Officiating will be Randall Morton, assisted by Grady Teague, both elders of the Cedar Ridge Church of Christ. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

Mrs. Wilkerson was born April 22, 1891, in Brown County, Tex. She married J.L. Wilkerson in 1906 in Brown County. He died Nov. 13, 1954. They moved to Howard County in 1929. They farmed in the Vealmoor Community until they retired in 1949 and moved to Big Spring.

She was a member of the Cedar Ridge Church of Christ.

Survivors include five sons, Jeff Wilkerson and

## Mrs. Spurzem

Wilmet E. Wilkerson, both of Big Spring, Harvey Wilkerson and Larry Wilkerson, both of Odessa, and W.D. Wilkerson, Fort Worth; seven daughters, Mrs. Ella Lewis and Mrs. Virginia Miller, both of Big Spring, Mrs. Nellie Clark, Fresno, Calif., Mrs. Lena Soukup, Joshua Tree, Calif., Mrs. Floxie Wooten, Comanche, Mrs. Velma Bandy, Myler, and Mrs. Ann Williams, Granbury; 58 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and 12 great-great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Edna Partee, Cleburne, and Mrs. Flossie Boyd, May, Tex.; and Mrs. Rachel Teague, Denton; three brothers, Ivie Jones, San Simon, Ariz., L.D. Jones, California, and Harvey Jones, Carlsbad, N.M.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Viola Neerguard in 1958 and a son, Ted Wilkerson in 1974.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society. The family will be at 810 E. 18th St.

## George Kunkle

Services for George Kunkle, 58, who died at 3:20 p.m., Sunday in a local hospital, will be at 2 p.m., today in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

Officiating will be the Rev. Guy White, pastor of the East Fourth Baptist Church. Burial will occur in Trinity Memorial Park.

Military rites will be by the VFW Post 213 and DAV Chapter 47.

Palbearers will be Luther Meek, Idis Houchin, Lloyd Lile, Rudolph Wanner, A.A. Cunningham and Grady Dunnam. All members of the DAV and VFW are considered honorary palbearers.

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# Markets

Volume	17,800,000	Houston Oil and Mineral	29 1/2
Index	875.97	IBM	66 1/2
30 Industrials	619.04	J.C. Penney	23 1/2
American Airlines	10 1/4	Johnsonville	21 1/2
American Petrofina	21	K. Mart	21
Braniff	9	El Paso Natural Gas	25 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	2 1/4	DeBeers	12 1/2
Chrysler	9 1/2	Coca Cola	33 1/2
Dr. Pepper	13 1/2	Mobile	65 1/2
Emserch	31 1/2	Pacific Gas and Electric	20 1/2
Ford	31 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	57 1/2
Firststone	8 1/2	Sears and Roebuck	17 1/2
Gaffy	86 1/2	Shell Oil	47 1/2
General Telephone	27 1/2	Sun Oil	76 1/2
Halliburton	101	American Telephone & Tele	50 1/2
Hartle Hanks	24	Texas	37 1/2
		Texas Instruments	101 1/2
		Texas Utilities	15 1/2
		U.S. Steel	20 1/2
		Exxon	42 1/2
		Westinghouse	24 1/2
		Western Union	24 1/2
		Zales	No trade
<b>MUTUAL FUNDS</b>			
Amcap	12.22 1/4		
Investors Co. of America	8.79 1/2		
Keystone	17.58 1/2		
Puritan	10.50		

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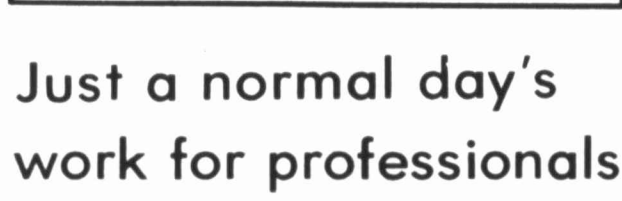
# Weather

## Temperatures warming after cold weekend

Partly cloudy skies and warm temperatures dominated the Texas weather scene today. Winds gusting to 20-30 mph in North Texas and a few showers and scattered thundershowers were expected to dot extreme Southwest Texas. Highs were to range from the middle 60s in the Panhandle to the mid 80s in the Big Bend area of Southwest Texas. Most of the state was to have readings in the 60s and 70s.

CITY	MAX	MIN
Amarillo	66	29
Austin	66	29
Chicago	34	21
Dallas	54	27
Denver	59	29
Fairbanks	16	1
Houston	57	32
Las Vegas	69	52
Los Angeles	69	41
Miami	68	60
San Antonio	62	34
San Francisco	64	53
Tulsa	46	38
Washington, D.C.	41	27

Sun sets today at 6:34 p.m. Sun rises 7:24 a.m. Highest temperature this date 79 in 1930. Lowest temperature 19 in 1936. Most precipitation 2.13 in 1967.



**WEATHER FORECAST** - Rain is forecast for today into early Wednesday over much of the Pacific Coast becoming snow in the higher elevations of the western portion of the Rockies. Snow is also predicted across the northern Plains, Great Lakes and the New England.

# School aid for illegal aliens tested

HOUSTON (AP)— A Texas state law that prohibits free public education to thousands of illegal alien children, most of them of Mexican heritage, is being challenged in a federal court in Houston. Lawsuits brought against several school districts, most of them in metropolitan areas that have experienced a heavy influx of Hispanics, have been consolidated into one action. U.S. District Judge Woodrow Sears now must determine if the law is constitutional. If it is, then each suit can be tried on its own merits. If it is unconstitutional, the matter is settled. The trial, with opening arguments scheduled today, is expected to last at least two weeks. Under the current statute, no school district can receive state financial aid for the illegal alien youths. Some Texas school districts admit the undocumented aliens if they pay tuition. The costs varies. In the Houston school district the cost is \$162 a month. Several schools districts exclude illegal aliens entirely. Susan Dasher, an assistant state attorney general, said recently a study showed 111,284 illegal aliens of school age living in Texas.

Most of them are in Houston, Dallas, El Paso, San Antonio, and the seven counties along the Rio Grande border with Mexico. Dasher, who will argue the case for the state, said recently, "the quality of education will be diminished if illegal aliens are admitted tuition free. Bilingual resources around the state would be extended beyond capacity." She said the poorer border areas particularly do not have the finances necessary to deal with a major influx of pupils if the court orders aliens eligible for state aid. "We have no way of knowing what the word of mouth and press would be" in bringing more illegal immigration from Mexico. Peter Williamson, a Houston attorney representing some Hispanic parents, said he believes the state study on the number of illegal alien children in Texas is far out of line. The state estimated 21,592 such youths in Harris County (Houston). Williamson said he doubted if there were more than 5,000. The Rev. Thomas Sheehy, pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church of Houston and a member of the Gulf Coast Immigration Coalition, said there are hundreds of children in his neighborhood who are not going to school and "they have abilities, and they are just hanging around. "If they are not educated, it will cost more to support them when they grow up than it will to send them to school. The children are not going back to Mexico. They are here to stay," he said. Tarrant Fendley, president of the Houston Independent School District board, said if the state law is overturned, "we will be in one heck of a bind." Many of the undocumented children are attending alternate education classes financed by churches, community contributions and tuitions which are much cheaper than the ones charged by the school districts. Involved in the federal court trial are suits against

the school districts in Houston, Pasadena, Goose Creek, Spring Creek, Dallas, Midland, Odessa, Port Arthur, Pine Tree, Longview, Chappel Hill, Como-Pickton and Sulphur Springs. The Tyler district also was named defendant in a suit, but this was separated from the Houston case.

## Solon will testify, but not give documents

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — U.S. Rep. Richard Kelly wants to testify before a grand jury in a federal bribery probe but may fight a subpoena for documents in the case, his lawyer says. Anthony S. Battaglia, Kelly's chief defense lawyer, told the St. Petersburg Times he would attempt today to arrange an appearance for the Central Florida Republican before a grand jury to be empaneled in Washington on Friday. Meanwhile, the New York Times reported today that the FBI was trying to determine whether an informant in the case used inside information from the so-called Abscam investigation to work private swindles for his own financial gain. Several California businessmen have accused the informant, who they identified as Joseph B. Meltzer, of swindling them out of at least \$150,000 by portraying himself as a representative of wealthy Arab sheik, Kamir Abdul Rahman, who was willing to lend them money. "At the time of Meltzer's alleged West Coast activities, he had no association with the FBI," said Homer Boynton, executive assistant director of the FBI in Washington.

## On the light side

### Winning was easy as pie

CARTHAGE, Mo. (AP) — Machine shop operator Dan Simmons gobbled down a cherry pie in 70 seconds to win the Carthage Washington's Birthday Pie-Eating Contest. Earlier, Simmons finished off a pie in 105 seconds during the first round of the contest, but he blamed his poor time on a cherry pit that got in the way. The second pie "seemed to fall down the right way," Simmons said Monday. "Oh, those pies were good," he said of the 20-ounce, 10-inch pies, adding that the only problem was the cherry juice in his beard.

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## Another visit from stork

BYRON, Minn. (AP) — The stork visited the Storks of Byron—again. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stork on Saturday at Methodist Hospital in Rochester. It was the eighth Stork born to the Storks. The eldest of the Stork children is 22. Until Saturday's arrival, the youngest was 8. Jack Stork is a truck driver.

## A pig-out for porkers

JACKSONVILLE, N.C. (AP) — Mary Lynne Rave thinks so much of the lowly porker that she and her sister have started the Association for the Advancement of National Pig Day. "Pigs aren't really fat," opines Mrs. Rave. "They're Rubenesque." The purpose of National Pig Day, March 1, is "to accord to the pig its rightful, though generally unrecognized, place as one of man's most intellectual and domesticated animals." This year's celebration will be held in Lubbock, Texas, home of Mrs. Rave's sister, Ellen Stanley. The first celebration was held in 1972. At pig parties, pink pig punch is served, as are other pork delicacies. Pink ribbon pigtails are tied around trees in the pigs' honor.

## Just a normal day's work for professionals

TEXAS CITY, Texas (AP) — Secretaries running lab tests, supervisors sweeping up dust, executives punching computer keys, chemical engineers opening and closing valves — just a normal day's work at the Amoco Oil Co.'s refinery here. The hourly employees who usually do those jobs — members of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers union — have been on strike for more than six weeks. Almost 60,000 union members nationwide walked off their jobs Jan. 8 in a dispute over pay and fringe benefits. So 525 professionals, supervisors and administrators are running the refinery, one of the largest in the nation with a 415,000-barrel daily capacity. But refinery manager Larry Durland insisted during a tour of the plant that operations are smoother now than they were before the strike. "You now have crews made up of shift foremen — workers who were promoted because they were top operators," he said. "You have crews of men who trained the hourly workers and crews of men who actually designed this equipment. "These people have the know-how and are highly skilled. Before the strike we were operating at 80 percent capacity... today we are operating at 90 percent capacity. Each day we produce 210,000 barrels of gasoline." Outside the plant, pickets walked with signs whipping in the cold wind. "Maybe they can keep the plant going," said one of the pickets. "but I don't know how safe it is without us. If there is a major breakdown in there, those people are going to be in trouble." "The company likes to talk about using the men who designed some of the equipment to handle it during the strike," said Billy Jones, a union official in Texas City. "There is a lot of difference between designing it and working it day after day, month after month. There just isn't the experience. "And if a major breakdown happens, the knowledge to fix it won't be found in the refinery today." Inside the refinery, a mechanical engineer who now mans hundreds of valves and pumps, said, "To be honest, we have had fewer maintenance problems since the strike than before. I think there is more personal interest. The men who designed some of the equipment are taking care of it. It's a personal touch, a personal pride."

## Blackthorn lifted from bottom of bay

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — As the skipper of the doomed Coast Guard buoy tender Blackthorn braced himself for another day of testifying today, salvage crews raised the sunken ship off the bottom of Tampa Bay and started tugging it out of the shipping channel into shallow water. "It should be completely out of the channel by this afternoon and hopefully the channel will be re-opened completely," said Coast Guard spokesman Mike Ayres. The sunken vessel has been disrupting the movement of ships from Tampa-St. Petersburg to the Gulf of Mexico since the Jan. 28 crash with the oil tanker Capicora. A temporary channel alongside the cutter vessel allowed some traffic to pass but no large ships. The Blackthorn skipper, Lt. Cmdr. George Sepel, told the Coast Guard Board of Inquiry Monday that the oil tanker turned left into the Coast Guard vessel. Sepel said at first he thought the two ships would pass closely, but safely, then realized the tanker was turning toward the Blackthorn. "Then the guy just kept turning to port, turning and turning," Sepel said. "I could see a tremendous bow wake. I could see his port anchor hanging out of its housing. It was like he was pushing a wall of snow." Sepel dissolved into tears as he told the board how he went down with his ship and swam away after the collision that sent 23 of his crewmen to their deaths. Fourteen bodies have not been recovered. Ayers said the various compartments of the Blackthorn are being checked as salvage crews fill them with air bags to float the ship. "There's not going to be a search for bodies per se," he said. "It's still hard to talk about..." "As the ship is moved over into the spoil area, the main deck will be above water. Many of the compartments will be filled with airbags. They'll check the compartments as they fill them with airbags." Sepel testified that the Blackthorn listed to the left as soon as the two ships struck and began moving backward or sternway.

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# Is reducing consumption the answer?

When the star of Lenin was in its ascendancy more than half a century ago, he faced up to the fact that there would be a confrontation eventually between the philosophies behind the communist and capitalistic disciplines.

Lenin said, however, that there would be no need to go to war against the United States, that all that was needed was to force the United States to spend itself into bankruptcy.

**THIS REMAINS** the greatest country in the world. What a shame we can't afford it. Living today is not for pikers. If one manages to steer clear of financial ruin and pay all his debts on time, he immediately

becomes suspect. Deprived of its credit system, America might crash tomorrow.

Now we are being asked to tighten our belts again. Russia is making menacing gestures in Asia and we are told to prepare for the worst. The inflation rate keeps galloping, with little hope that the annual rate will ever drop below double digits again. More and more money will have to be pumped into programs like Social Security and federal retirement plans just to sustain them, thereby stimulating more inflation.

The president's call for increased military spending is, of course, being hailed by some as a plus for the

economy, but is that the only way we can promote 'prosperity' in this country? The added money we must spend for arms, together with the increased costs for oil furnished by the OPEC nations can only mean one thing — the inflationary spiral will continue ever upward.

Alfred Kahn, chief inflation fighter for the president as chairman of the Council on Wage and Price Stability, offers no solace. No one, Kahn told the Joint Economic Committee of Congress, can get a handle on the inflation throttle nor promise any improvement in the situation.

**HE PROPOSED THAT** Americans reduce their consumption, an idea

that might horrify the captains of industry. "We have to have a leaner, more disciplined, more productive society," Kahn said.

This country's strength has never been measured in military terms alone (and may it ever be thus). The big edge we have always had, and continue to have, over the Soviet Union is economic. Our economic strength is the underpinning on which our national security rests.

There can be no more vital task for the nation than restoring its economic health and vigor. Simply appealing to Americans, already falling behind on the household budget treadmill, to exercise restraint is not nearly enough.

## The rustic life

### Around the rim

Marie Homeyer

Although my experience on the farm has been minimal, I somehow was delegated the task of editing and supervising the farm edition that appeared in Sunday's paper.

Maybe it was the fact that I looked like I didn't have enough to do or maybe it was because they couldn't con any one else into doing it now that Carla Walker (alias Carla Harrold) no longer is around to do it.

But I did spend my afternoons last week editing and writing headlines for the edition and then laying out the section. Not having much experience on farms, I was not really emotionally involved in what I was doing, but I muddled through.

**THE WHOLE WEEK** wasn't all bad. It did bring back some good memories of the few experiences I have had on farms.

My dad's cousin is a dairy farmer. His uncles also are dairy farmers. Visiting them was when I got my taste of farm life.

I always was eager to visit my dad's cousin because he would let us ride his horses. He was very good at breaking wild horses and people from all around the small community of Anderson, Tex., would bring their young colts and wild steeds to him to be saddle-broken.

During the visits on his farm, I was given the chore of feeding the cows while they were being milked. It was the only chore I felt comfortable with because I sure wasn't going to milk them; not even with the new-fangled

equipment they had. Dairy cows and horses were not the only type of animal on the farm. There were dogs, cats, peacocks, and different kinds of birds. About the only thing they didn't have that you would find on a farm is hogs.

**BUT I HAVE HAD** my experience with hogs, too. My dad's uncle had four or five of them. They were mostly used for meat. I can remember, when I was a young tike and didn't know any better, I used to help my dad's uncle feed the pigs. Talk about a messy chore! Wouldn't do it today if he asked me to help. But I was young then and it was something different for me.

Some of my best friends back home are dairy farmers. That really is the only kind of farmers in that area. I can remember going along with them and my brothers when it was hay hauling season. I did it mainly for something to do on a summer's evening. There wasn't much else to do in my hometown. But it sure was hot and the mosquitos were always out. I came back, not quite as hot and sweaty as my brothers, but with more mosquito bites than they did.

For the present, I will leave the farming to the people who like it best and are more interested in it than I am. And, with any luck, by the next time the agriculture special edition rolls around, there will be someone working here who is willing to undertake the task of supervising its publication.



## Good old WW III

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — There is entirely too much talk about going to war these days. Strangers have been asking me lately, "Do you think there is going to be a war?" in the same tone they used not long ago to inquire if I thought there was going to be a recession.

**I DON'T HAVE** any idea if there is going to be a war or not. But if there is one, it's not going to be like any other we've ever seen. The war we keep talking about these days has to do with another nuclear power and, therefore, it probably isn't going to live up to the nostalgia we all seem to have for World War II.

Before everybody gets too excited about us getting into another world war, I believe they should at least know what one could be like.

"Hello. Give me Bob Hope. Bob, how would you like to do a show for our troops in Yemen this Christmas?" "BBBBRRROO MMMM!" "Never mind, Bob — there is no Yemen."

"Frank, I just wrote this great World War III song with Jimmy. Listen, Ivan, you SOB-Ivan don't mess with me. You may throw your weight around, but we will get up off the ground, Ivan..." "BBBRRROO MMMM!"

"Mrs. Miniver, I know this will be tough to take, but your son and husband were lost at sea. It's harder for those of us on the home front..." "BBBBRRROO MMMM!"

"**ELROD, I WANT** you to know that all of us here at Four Corners are proud that you are going off to serve your country. Four Corners has always been the first to answer the bugle call when the enemy is at the door, and while we are safe and sound, there isn't a man here who wouldn't rather be in your shoes if he had the choice..."

"**BBBBRRROO MMMM!**" "Hi, guys. Welcome to the Stage Door Canteen. Now who is the first sailor who's going to dance with me? Come on, don't be bashful — may be the last girl you'll see for a couple of years. Anyone here from Oklahoma?" "BBBBRRROO MMMM!"

"**AND** now, an important message for all Americans: Don't throw away your tin cans and scrap metal. Uncle Sam needs every bit he can get. Become a soldier on the home front, and give our boys everything they need..."

"**BBBBRRROO MMMM!**" "My sakes and land-a-goshen! It's George. Paw, George is home. George, let me look at you. What are all those medals for?" "BBBRRROO MMMM!"

"**Men, here is** where we are, and over here is where they are. Now we know they have tanks and machine guns. What we don't know is if they have tactical nuclear weapons. Fischetti, Goldberg, O'Brien, Nickapoulos and Hangdog. Your job will be to..."

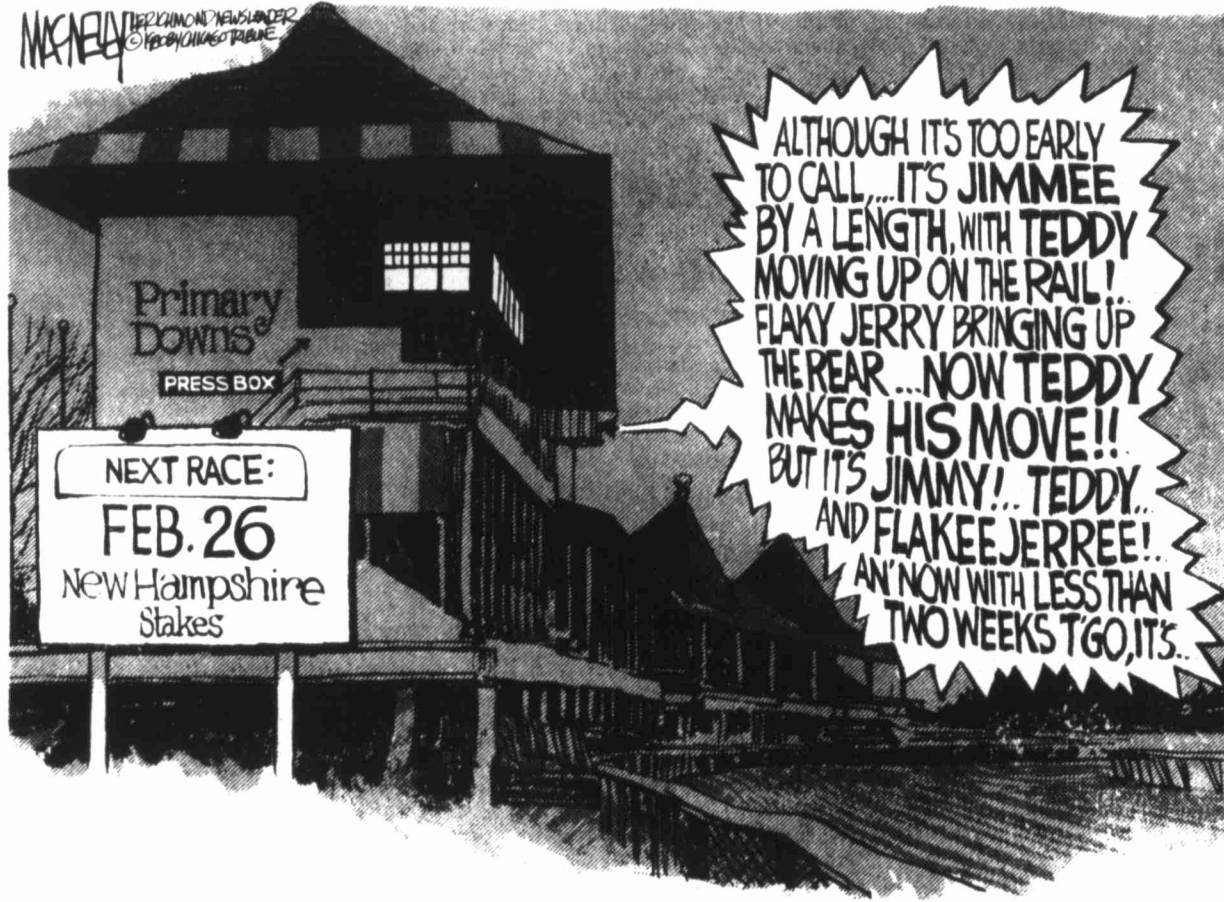
"**BBBBRRROO MMMM!**" "I am here today to ask everyone as a patriotic duty to buy as many warbonds as he possibly can. I have been to the front and I have seen our boys. Their morale is high and every one of you would be proud of them. I asked our brave lads what they wanted most of all and they said just keep buying warbonds so they can get home as soon as possible. Now, let's have a show of hands of those who will buy \$100 worth of bonds — I want to see a lot more hands than..." "BBBRRROO MMMM!"

"**Oh, Lawrence,** before you go, I want to have your baby..."

"**Are you sure?**" "Yes, Lawrence, I'm sure..."

"**Getrude, did you** feel the earth move?"

"**Yes, Lawrence, I did.**" "BBBBRRROO MMMM!"



## Why vaccines work

Paul G. Donohue, M.D.

Dear Dr. Donohue: After my baby, my doctor told me I was low on antibiotics. My baby was healthy. He said I needed a rubella shot, then told me not to get pregnant within the next few months. If I get pregnant, would my baby be deformed? — Mrs. C.

There's a misunderstanding here, for sure. Antibiotics have no effect against a virus infection, which is what rubella is.

Antibiotics (like penicillin) are drugs to combat bacteria infections. Antibodies are the body's natural protection. The body makes them as a defense against any infection. They help disarm invading germs so the body can fight the infection on its own.

For some infections, such as rubella (German measles), you can measure the specific antibody level. If there are enough antibodies ready to go to work the person will not get the specific illness, in your case rubella.

The rubella vaccine contains the actual virus that causes the disease. So when you get the shot your body responds by making the antibodies and you are protected thereafter.

This is how most vaccines work. Some are less permanent than others. Rubella vaccine provides lifelong immunity. Girls are immunized before childbearing age unless they are already protected because of earlier exposure to the virus and thus have the antibodies. This can be confirmed by tests, if there is doubt.

If a pregnant woman gets rubella there is danger of the fetus being affected seriously. And while the vaccine is not potent enough to cause a person serious illness, it can produce serious effects in the fetus if given during pregnancy. Thus your doctor's warning not to get pregnant for a few months. Follow his timetable.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Will you say a few words about the Achilles tendon? If it is injured or torn when one is middle aged will it ever heal properly? If so, how long does the healing process take? Is this the same as the hamstring muscle? — M.W.

The Achilles tendon is the strong cord that attaches the calf muscles to the heel bone. The hamstring muscles and tendons are different. These tendons attach muscles to bone at the

back of the knee. There are different opinions about how to treat a torn Achilles tendon. Many orthopedic surgeons sew together the two torn ends. After the operation, the foot and leg are usually placed in a cast. Most heal well at any age. The process may take two months or longer. Other doctors have tried casting the leg without surgery, hoping the tendon will heal on its own. The surgical procedure is the more common approach. Your age should not affect the treatment or healing.

**FOR MRS. M.H.:** Cimetidine is the generic (non-trade) name for your Tagamet. It is a newer drug and is quite effective in reducing the amount of acid produced in the stomach. It is used in conditions associated with excessive acid production, like duodenal ulcer. The booklet you want is "How to Heal Peptic Ulcers," which is on its way. Other readers may order a copy by mailing 25 cents, to cover costs of printing and handling, to me care of the Big Spring Herald. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Is it normal for a woman to put on weight at the time of menopause? — Mrs. T.S.A.

No medical reason for it. If there is any weight gain it would be attributed to a lessening of activity.

Dear Dr. Donohue: I am doing a research paper for school on teen-age pregnancy and I was wondering if you could send me some information about it or pamphlets on it. — Miss P.H.



## My answer

Billy Graham

**DEAR DR. GRAHAM:** I am a college student. I heard you say on television that we must come to God by faith alone. Does this mean I have to put my mind on a shelf if I am to become a Christian? — A.T.

**DEAR A.T.:** No, not at all. In fact, some of the greatest intellects in history have been Christians — men like Pascal, Calvin and Augustine. Everywhere I go I meet intellectuals who have committed their lives to Jesus Christ.

There are several reasons for this. For one thing, if a person is honestly evaluating the world today, he will have to admit that humanity has not been able to solve its problems by itself. If anything, our problems are worse now than at any other time in recent history — and perhaps in the history of civilization. Yes, man's intellect has given us advances in medicine — but it also has given us the capacity to blow up our planet. I am convinced that a person who honestly examines the evidence for

I'm sorry, but I don't have any statistics on that. A good source for you would be the social service agency of your city, county or state health department. I can only tell you that it is a serious matter, both medically and socially, and it is a growing one. According to one source, teen-age pregnancy carries an \$8.3 billion price tag each year in the United States. Since 1960 illegitimate births to teen-agers have more than doubled. So you've chosen a significant topic for your paper. I'd like to see a copy.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Is it harmful for small girls to take bubblebaths? I said it will hurt them. My daughter-in-law insists it will not hurt them. Please settle this question between us. — Mrs. M.S.

Some bubblebath soaps have been implicated in development of vaginal irritations in little girls. They may cause discomfort and vaginal discharge. Eliminating the bubblebath preparation eliminates the problem.

For a comprehensive discussion of how to cope with the change of life, write to Dr. Donohue, in care of the Big Spring Herald, for his invaluable booklet, "Make Menopause Easier." Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 50 cents.

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

Jesus Christ — who He was, what He did — will come to the conclusion that Jesus Christ was God's Son who came into our world to deal with our greatest problem — our selfish nature. To have faith in Jesus Christ is not to take a blind leap in the dark. It is to make a conscious decision for One who walked on this earth, died on a Roman cross, and rose again from the dead.

I invite you to come to Christ. Look into the Gospels, and see who He is. Realize that you need God, and that without Him your life will never know the full reason why you are here. Then accept Christ as your personal Lord and Savior. That does not mean you can understand everything, because your mind is limited and you cannot fully understand God, who is unlimited. But you can know in your heart and mind the joy of forgiveness, and discover meaning and purpose through Christ. "In whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge" (Colossians 2:3).



## Will we bungle?

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — The United States is on the verge of repeating its disastrous Iranian and Nicaraguan policies in tiny El Salvador, with results that could be equally catastrophic for U.S. interests in Central America.

The State Department, the Pentagon and the CIA have all urged Congress to rush economic and military aid to the coalition junta that rules the Massachusetts-size nation — the second junta to take control since a coup toppled President Carlos Humberto Romero last Oct. 15.

Yet these same agencies' intelligence experts privately acknowledge that the five-member junta has virtually no popular support and will undoubtedly fall by the end of the year at the latest.

**PROPPING UP** the losers who are now nominally in charge of El Salvador will put the United States in a no-win position if the intelligence experts' predictions come true and the junta collapses. Armed revolt will almost surely break out, with leftist rebels encouraged by Cuba and the Russians, who could conceivably gain another foothold near vital Mexican oil fields. The United States will be seen once more as the bulwark of an unpopular regime.

The basic trouble, sources told my associates Bob Sherman and Peter Grant, is the lack of popular support for the military-moderate junta. Its failure to control events has been demonstrated by continuing bloodshed — kidnappings, street violence and random acts of terrorism.

The one way the junta could survive, according to the experts, would be to effect land reform, disband the hated secret police, guarantee political liberty and curb the inordinate power of the army and the 14-family oligarchy that has exploited El Salvador for generations. But this the junta cannot do, analysts feel.

Despite repeated pledges — as recently as last week — to enact reform measures the junta is by its very makeup incapable of carrying through on its pledges. U.S. experts are convinced. The coalition, with two members from the military, is "really unnatural," one source explained — like a coalition between the Yippies and the John Birch Society in this country.

The basic economic and political power in El Salvador in this century has rested with 14 extremely wealthy families, which have kept their wealth and position by an unholy alliance with the military. And this power base has remained as solid as ever since the October ouster of the latest in a long line of military dictators.

It might seem, with the lessons of Iran and Nicaragua at hand, that U.S.

policy makers would use the proposed millions in economic and military aid as a lever with which to pry some real reforms out of the rulers of El Salvador.

**IT WOULD, FOR** example, be in line with Jimmy Carter's vocal support of human rights to demand that, in return for U.S. aid, the junta live up to its promise of a general amnesty for political prisoners.

The United States might insist that the junta broaden its base to include civilian elements from the left. This would give it a slight chance for survival, according to spokesmen of the Washington Office on Latin America (WOLA), a Washington-based human rights organization.

Instead, our policy advisers are urging Congress to rush \$49.5 million in aid to the junta without exacting any conditions that would make the aid worthwhile.

The predictable result is that violence will continue and grow in the unhappy nation. Intelligence officials estimate that kidnapping is already a \$20-million-a-year "industry" in El Salvador. Leftist elements, cut out of participation in the junta's regime, are believed to be preparing for armed insurrection — with Cuban help.

By using our aid package as leverage for reform, there is an admittedly slim chance that a peaceful solution may be achieved in El Salvador. By pouring money down the junta rathole with no concessions, there's no chance at all.

**SHADES OF RED:** For Sen. Strom Thurmond, D-S.C., the treatment a communist country deserves seems to depend on geography, not history. Viewing the Soviet Union as our greatest enemy — if not our only one — in the communist world, Thurmond favors cultivating close ties with Red China as an anti-Soviet ally in the Far East.

At the same time, he adamantly opposes the sale of sophisticated U.S. technology to any Soviet satellite, on the sensible grounds that the goods may well wind up in Russia. But he includes Yugoslavia in his list of satellites, despite a record of anti-Soviet independence that goes back to 1948. That was a year before the Chinese communists gained power with Russian assistance — and several years before the Chinese followed the Yugoslavs' lead and broke with the Russians.

**WATCH ON WASTE:** Another well-intended government program is wasting millions because of fraud and red tape. Six years ago, Congress voted special payments, in addition to unemployment compensation, for workers whose companies were forced out of business by foreign competition.

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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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WEDDING CEREMONY — Swami Muktananda gestures during the wedding of Japanese singer Akira Fuse and British actress Olivia Hussey in Miami Monday. The ceremony took place in the Regency Siddha Yoga Dham.

(AP Laserphoto)

## Roar of the Fat Tuesday beginning

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — From midnight Monday, Mardi Gras revelers are flocking to the fabled French Quarter today to celebrate the last day before the Christian Lenten season with a street party as indulgent as its name implies — Fat Tuesday.

Authorities designed the day's celebration to accommodate an estimated 1 million persons.

For the last two weeks, it has been Carnival in this old river town, as the "krewes" — bastions of both High Society haughtiness and nouveau riche presumption — have geared up for the big night.

The matrons and patrons of New Orleans society have been clambering aboard parade floats to toss Hong Kong plastic beads and aluminum doubloons to the hoi polloi. Fresh-faced debutantes have been presented at fancy dress balls.

Ten krewes train their elaborate parades today, including Rex, the King of Carnival, and Zulu, the chieftain of the blacks. They are strutting their stuff down the streets before shrieking children scrambling for trinkets and by grinning parents swigging from paper cups.



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## Farm Farmers concentrate on gasohol

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Agriculture Movement planned to officially open its first national convention here today, with gasohol a major theme.

But that does not mean the AAM is overlooking other basic issues, namely Carter administration farm policies the organization's leaders have fiercely criticized in earlier Washington appearances.

A year ago, for example, long lines of tractors and thousands of angry farmers tried in vain to convince the administration to boost federal prices supports and change its programs in other ways to help them.

Last week Marvin Meek, national AAM chairman, said this year's visit would be more orderly.

Meek, of Plainview, Texas, said that just because farmers plan to refrain from disruptive demonstrations this year does not mean they are any more satisfied by the administration's farm policy.

"We'll have farmers up here through the month of February, a few of them, to work on the Hill — probably through March, too," Meek said.

Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland, who refused to budge on making major changes in farm programs a year ago, was asked last week by reporters on the eve of AAM's arrival if he was prepared for the farmers' campaign this time.

"Well, I'm as ready as I'll ever be," Bergland said. "They've been quoted as saying they're going to leave us (the Agriculture Department) alone because I'm a hopeless case."

But AAM might take some interest in Bergland's change of mind about gasohol, the blend of 10 percent alcohol and 90 percent gasoline advocated by the farmers who want grain to be the main feedstock.

A year ago Bergland was adamantly opposed to massive use of corn — the most abundant U.S. grain — for gasohol, mainly because he believed the benefits did not outweigh the costs.

Bergland has shifted his thinking significantly for two basic reasons: crude oil prices have continued to rise sharply, forcing up costs of gasoline and other energy sources. And new technologies have come along so that grain-based alcohol for gasohol is much more economically realistic.

Thus, Bergland says he now is leaning in favor of the larger, efficient operations that convert grain into alcohol for fuel. Even the medium-size plants that can be built by 10 or so farmers or their cooperatives appear to have a lot of merit.

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## Beef referendum voting begins today

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cattle producers begin voting today in a referendum to decide whether to finance a national beef research and promotion program.

The voting will continue by secret ballots through Feb. 22 at local offices of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, an agency of the Agriculture Department.

Congress authorized the program, subject to the approval of producers, in amending the Beef Research and Information Act in 1978. A series of public hearings was held across the country last year on proposals for carrying out the program.

The plan is to finance the program by assessing producers on the value of cattle sold at each step of marketing.

During the first two years of operation, the assessment could be up to 0.2 percent of the sales value of cattle, or 20 cents on each \$100 of their selling prices.

After two years, the law would allow the assessment rate to be increased — at the recommendation of a board of producers — up to a maximum of 0.5 percent or 50 cents for each \$100 of value.

All sellers of cattle would be assessed, and the final buyer at the point of slaughter would deduct the total assessment and forward the money to the board. Any producer not wanting to participate could request and get a refund.

As an example, a 1,000-pound slaughter steer selling for \$650 would have a total assessment charged against all its sellers along the way of \$1.30 at the 0.2 percent rate or \$3.25 at the maximum of 0.5 percent.

Department officials estimate that the program could raise as much as \$40 million a year at the lower assessment or about \$100 million at the maximum.

To be eligible to vote, producers must have registered at local ASCS offices on Jan. 28 to Feb. 6.

A simple majority of those voting — more than 50 percent — will be required for approval of the program before it can be put into operation.

In 1977, a similar program was rejected by beef producers, but the law at that time required approval by at least a two-thirds majority. Congress amended the law in 1978 so that a simple majority vote is enough for approval.

The National Cattlemen's Association has been a leading advocate of the program and is urging producers to vote in favor of it.

But the National Farmers Union is opposed to the beef checkoff and is urging a vote against the program.

"Generally, three factors contribute to low cattle-producer income," it says. "These are oversupply, consumer ability to buy beef, and the inflationary impacts on the cost of production. Beyond that, producers have little to say about wholesale or retail beef prices and marketing costs."

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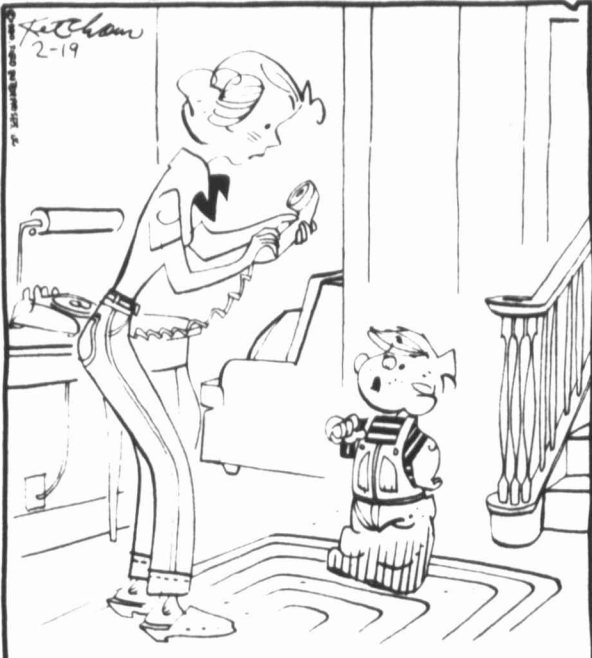
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**GENERAL TENDENCIES:** Get into the details of a new course of action that you decided upon in the past few days. Do away with any wishful thinking and get into the specific details of whatever intrigues you. Success follows action.

**ARIES** (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Concentrate on finances and how best to handle them today. Contact experts who can give you excellent advice for more abundance.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20) You are able to realize your goals easily now that will be lasting in nature, so go after them in a sure way. Be with good friends.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21) You have to make a good plan if you are to have the goals that mean much to you. Don't confide in others. Listen to what an expert says.

**MOON CHILDREN** (June 22 to July 21) You have loyal friends who will back you in almost anything you have in mind, so contact them early. State aims clearly.

**LEO** (July 22 to Aug. 21) Gain the favor of bigwigs you know so that you can get ahead faster in your creative career. Show your finest talents and capabilities.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You have fine ideas for advancing and should follow through with them, but be sure they are practical. Be deliberate, positive.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Be practical in handling duties and keeping promises. Avoid one who is a thorn in your side. Take no risks while out driving, even walking.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Give more attention to your work and you find associates cooperate better. Get into community affairs that bring you greater prestige.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Good time to accomplish much. Co-workers will cooperate with any of your practical ideas. Relax in the evening.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Show others you value their association. You can easily put your creative ideas across via right channels. Improve credit rating.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Plan how to improve your home but get advice before you start. Evening fine for inviting interesting, informative guests.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Think of ways to have a better relationship with daily allies. Plan time for going after any information that is pertinent to your routines.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY...** he or she will comprehend easily whatever is new, be it in ideas or methods, and will know how best to use such in right professions, channels. Teach early to study every angle before putting plans into operation. A fine sport in this chart.

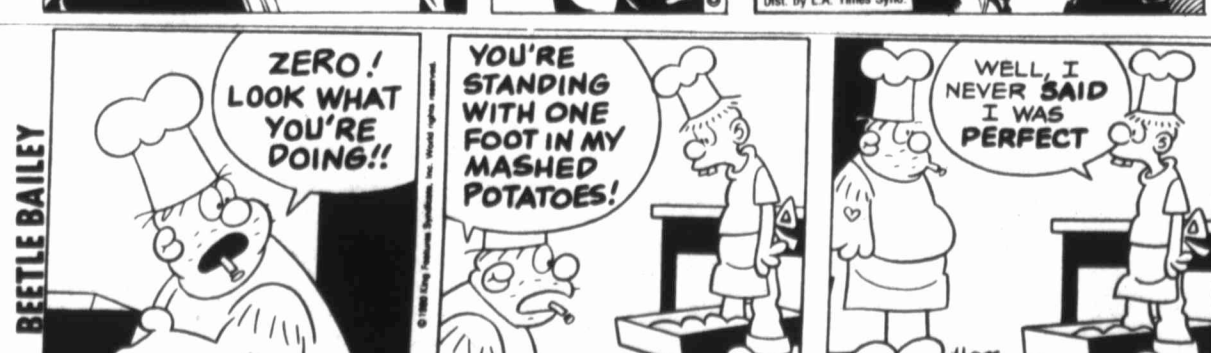
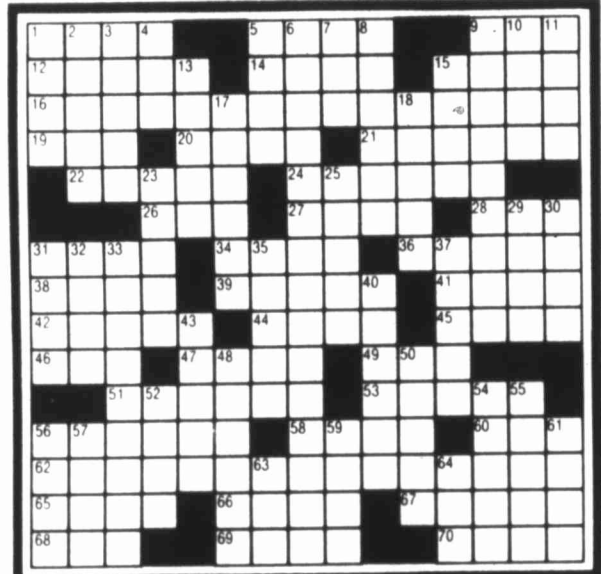
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**MISSING SON** — Mrs. Jean MacDonald holds a picture of her son, George, in her Evanston home. George was shot down over Laos in 1972 while serving in the U.S. Air Force. Last Tuesday, the Air Force changed George's status from 'Missing in Action,' to 'Presumed Killed in Action.'

## 'It's a tragedy' MIA mom being torn apart by son's 'death'

EVANSTON, Ill. (AP) — Jean Macdonald always could count on her son George to make her laugh and remember her on special occasions. He was one of the pleasant certainties in her life.

But for the last seven years, uncertainty about George has been tearing the 69-year-old woman apart.

"I just pray everything is OK for George," she said. "I don't think we can dictate in life what can be, but I wish I knew."

"I am getting on in years, and I know of no greater hurt. When you have a death, it's final. You have proof of it. Life must go on."

It was shortly before Christmas 1972 when Air Force officials came to the Macdonald home to say that their 24-year-old son's plane had been shot down over Laos.

Two of the 16 men in the plane had definitely survived but there was no trace of George and the others, Mrs. Macdonald said. Searchers found open parachutes in the area, but no identification tags or bodies.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Macdonald opened her front door to another Air Force official, a courier bringing an unsigned typewritten note that read:

"The status review board has made the recommendation to terminate your son's missing status since they can no longer reasonably presume him to be alive. The Secretary of the Air Force will make the final determination as to Capt. George D. Macdonald's status."

The Air Force conducts hearings to determine if the status of men who are missing in action should be changed to presumed killed in action. When a panel of three Air Force colonels makes that recommendation it is passed on to the Secretary of the Air Force to be finalized.

Mrs. Macdonald is upset. For seven years, she has pressured the government to find out what happened to her son, and she says too many discrepancies still exist in government reports for a final ruling to be made on George's case.

Air Force officials say a change in status does not change the government's intention to obtain a full accounting of Macdonald — or some 20 other Air Force men still listed as missing since the Vietnam war.

Mrs. Macdonald disagreed. "It's an effort to sweep the issue under the rug," she said.

"It's a terrible tragedy to put our men in conflict and then abandon them," she said. "When you don't have any evidence to the contrary, you've got to keep up hope."

For seven years, Mrs. Macdonald wrote hundreds of letters, attended conventions of relatives of MIAs and even flew to Washington to try to see then-Secretary of State William Rogers. She was able to see only an aide, who provided no help, she said.

In recent months, her efforts have gone into resisting the move to have George declared dead. Her declining health prevented her from attending Monday's hearing at Randolph Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas.

"What really hurts terribly now is that I sent them 30 or more questions to answer," she said Wednesday. "I asked that their answers be backed up by documentary evidence, but there was no back-and-forth here. They presented their findings and that was that."

She also said she will seek a congressional investigation of status review procedures.

Mrs. Macdonald has no proof her son is alive, but she said he is constantly in her thoughts. She remembers

the day — now more than 31 years ago — when she gave birth to George and his twin brother, Christopher, the last of nine children.

As a boy, George was tough to put to bed, his mother recalled. "He'd like to know what was going on even as a child," she said.

George learned to play bridge at the age of 5, loved to arm wrestle, hated to do chores and was good with numbers, she recalled.

George also was good at making his mother laugh. "He had a very good sense of humor," she said. "And he was a real around boy. He stood up for what was right."

George grew up in Evanston, went to Ohio State University where he joined the track team and ROTC before heading to Thailand in the summer of 1972.

She said that as he packed just before leaving, he expressed reluctance about keeping all his belongings. "He said, 'I just don't think I'm ever going to see you or my family again.' It was a very eerie thing," she said.

On that summer day seven years ago, Mrs. Macdonald had her last conversation with her son. "In a way," she said, "seven years is a long time. But in many ways, it's just like yesterday we were laughing together and doing things together."

## Club elects Mrs. Mason as council delegate

The Coahoma Extension Homemakers Club met Feb. 13 at 11 a.m. in the home of Mrs. A.C. Hale for a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. B.L. Mason, president, presided over the business meeting. Members will take cookies to the Big Spring State Hospital March 3. Yearbooks were distributed and filled out.

Mrs. Mason was elected to be the council delegate to attend the district meeting in

Monahans April 22. Mrs. Leroy Wright gave the council report.

A brief program on pecans and how to can them was given by Mrs. Janet Rodgers, county extension agent.

Ten people attended including eight members and two visitors, Kellie Ray O'Daniel and Mrs. Rodgers.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Rufus Parks, 311 Ramsey St., on March 12 at 2 p.m.



## Girl Says Nay, He Goes Astray

**DEAR ABBY:** My boyfriend of two years (I'll call him Al) has been seeing a divorced woman for the last six months (sleeping with her) on a regular basis.

When I found out about it, I confronted him with it and he admitted it. I should tell you that he and I have never been intimate because I have moral convictions concerning premarital sex.

He sees me about three nights a week, and we have a very enjoyable, lovable relationship.

What bothers me the most is that he was dishonest with me all along. He says he loves me and not her, which I believe. He told me he would like to marry me some day, and the liaison with this other woman is only temporary.

Do you think he could really love me and sleep with her? I value your opinion.

CONFUSED

**DEAR CONFUSED:** Yes it's possible that Al has been enjoying a physical (non-love) relationship with the other woman, which is all right with me provided it's all right with her. She's filling one of his needs, and he's obviously filling one of hers. I'm not asking you to condone it — just understand it.

**DEAR ABBY:** My mother-in-law wonders why she and her husband aren't invited to our home more often. We would love to have them for two hours, but when they come, they stay from four to six hours!

And as if that weren't enough, they hardly ever come alone; they usually have from two to 10 "surprise guests" whom "Mom" has invited. She greets me with her famous one-liner, "Don't worry about cooking, we brought the food."

Well, Abby, there is more to serving a decent meal than putting a casserole and a pie on the table. When my husband and I want dinner guests, we invite whom we want and we serve our own menu. We don't appreciate being told whom and when we will entertain and what we will serve.

The next time Mom pulls this stunt, she may be serving her guests on the sidewalk.

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**DEAR STEAMED:** Wouldn't it simplify matters, and avert an ugly confrontation, if you and your husband were to direct your complaints to the offending party? Your irritation is justified, but your proposed "cure" would be worse than the disease.

**DEAR ABBY:** You said, "Parents who smoke pot in front of their small children are guilty of child abuse."

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The decision to smoke anything is no longer only the business of the smoker since his smoking does damage to those who must breathe the second-hand smoke.

CAROLE IN MAINE

**DEAR CAROLE:** Right on! That message is told clearly and in greater detail in a booklet, "Second-Hand Smoke." It's available (without charge) through your local Lung Association.

## Food club raises money for June convention

Big Spring School Food Club met for their monthly meeting at Bauer Elementary School Feb. 14.

The meeting was called to order by Melba Camp, president. The invocation was worded by Nell Wright. The minutes were read and approved from the previous meeting.

A Stanley Party hosted by Mr. and Mrs. George Foster was given which served as a

fund-raising project for the convention in June. A bingo game followed.

Refreshments were served to 30 members and two guests. A Valentine theme was carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

Door prizes were won by Bobbie Burt, Inez Montanez and Grlene Stalcup.

The next meeting will be March 20, at the high school cafeteria.

## Hyperion members learn history of stained glass

The 1953 Hyperion Club met in the home of Mrs. Robert Brock at 1 p.m., Feb. 6. Co-hostesses were Mrs. W.P. Edwards Jr. and Mrs. Clarence Peters.

A program on stained glass was presented by Mrs. Jim Bill Little and Mrs. Ike Robb. In researching the use and development of colored glass, it was found that historical data provide evidence of its existence and use prior to 500 A.D. In medieval times it was thought to have mystical powers. Earliest use of the glass was in Christian churches.

During the late 19th and early 20th centuries, Louis Comfort Tiffany, son of the famous jeweler, began using the colorful glass for decorative purposes other than in churches. He experimented with various pigments and developed

brighter, more beautiful colors than had been available before. He was the first to use small pieces of glass in three-dimensional objects, such as the Tiffany lamp shades for which he became famous.

Tiffany is also credited with having developed the copper foil method of edging glass pieces and putting them together by soldering the foil. Before development of this method, pieces were edged with lead came, a process still used by many artists. In the last several years stained glass has become a very popular medium and is widely used by artists and hobbyists.

Lighting is a major factor to consider when planning a stained glass project. If there will be little or no natural light, provision must be made for artificial lighting.

Mrs. Little and Mrs. Robb have formed a partnership to make stained glass articles on special order. Each has her area of preference and expertise, and both work together to complete the project. Mrs. Little usually works with the client in designing the pattern and choosing colors, and Mrs. Robb excels in glass cutting. Several scale drawings may be designed before the final choice is made.

Samples of different types of glass and colors obtained from various processes were shown and explained to the group. Several items made by the two artists were displayed along with photographs of other items they have created.

Following the program, Mrs. Arlis Ratliff, president, presided over a short business session. The next meeting of the club will be on March 5.

## TWEEN 12 and 20



## Report battering boyfriend to police

By Robert Wallace, Ed. D.

Dr. Wallace: I'm a 17-year-old girl who has a very big problem. My boyfriend is 19 and a very insecure person. A high school dropout, he is hooked on drugs and I am the only thing holding him together.

At one time we really got along super. In fact, I told him that I would marry him. Now we fight and sometimes he hits me. One time he really hurt me bad.

I want to end our relationship but every time I say this, he hits me. I don't know what to do. I am planning to go to my aunt's house in San Diego when school is out but that's several months away. Please hurry with your help. — Nameless, Livermore, Calif.

Nameless: Your "boyfriend" has a severe mental problem and you must stop seeing him immediately.

If you haven't already done so, tell your parents what this guy is doing to you. Then have them contact the police and your school nurse. Assault and battery is a crime, do your part to have this criminal put away.

Send questions to Dr. Robert Wallace, TWEEN 12 and 20, in care of this newspaper. For Dr. Wallace's teen

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Tonya, a seventh grader at Goliah, is very active in school activities. She participates in volleyball, track, and choir. She still finds time for a Herald route with the help of her brother, and squeezes in some of her hobbies like swimming and skating. Brett is a first grader at Moss Elementary School.

Tonya likes her route because she enjoys meeting people, having responsibility, and of course, making her route profits. She saves most of her earnings but spends a little of it, too.

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**THE BATTLE OF LAWYERS** — Cristina Ford once said she could make Henry Ford II happy, but Tuesday — the couple's 15th wedding anniversary — they meet in court for the beginning of what could be an expensive divorce trial for the millionaire auto magnate. The trial, dubbed "the battle of lawyers" opens in Wayne County, Mich., Circuit Court with a phalanx of high-powered attorneys facing off.

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Lawyers for Mrs. Ford have subpoenaed some 30 to 40 witnesses, reportedly including newspaper columnists, Henry Ford II confidante John Bugas and many prominent society figures, including Rosemarie Marcie-Riviere, who introduced the couple to each other and is the object of a \$10 million slander suit filed Friday by Mrs. Ford.

Mrs. Ford said Mrs. Marcie-Riviere slandered her by telling acquaintances that Mrs. Ford was "committing the crime of blackmail against Ford in their divorce actions."

At issue in today's proceedings is the size of the settlement the 49-year-old, Italian-born jet-setter will receive from her estranged husband. Whether the two should divorce is not expected to be contested.

One of Mrs. Ford's attorneys is A. Robert Zeff, a prominent Detroit lawyer who won a \$5.5 million settlement for Barbara Posselius Ford in her divorce case against Walter Buhl Ford II, one of Henry's nephews.

In Ford's corner is Milton J. Miller, who

has handled divorces for wives of two shopping center magnates, and Brian J. McMahon, a former assistant Wayne County prosecutor and the director of the Michigan Judicial Tenure Commission.

The 62-year-old Ford, who stepped down in 1979 as chairman of the auto company his grandfather founded, started the proceeding more than two years ago after his wife filed a separation suit.

He has reportedly offered her from \$3 million to \$5 million, but her request has been pegged by Detroit newspapers at three times that amount. Documents in the case have been sealed by the court.

Attorneys for Mrs. Ford, regarded as one of the world's best-dressed women, say she should be supported "in a lifestyle to which she is accustomed and (which she is) unable to provide for herself."

In determining the settlement, Judge John R. Kirwan is expected to consider several factors, including the length of the marriage, the earning ability of both parties, the fault of the marriage breakdown and the property each contributed.

Ford has estimated his net worth at \$40 million.

Ford's frequent companion is Kathleen DuRoss, 40, a former model, a widow and mother of two daughters. In the early 1970s, the two met at one of Ford's parties, she came as another man's date.

Mrs. Ford met her husband at a private party in Paris 20 years ago. She has said she lives "like a nun" in their Grosse Pointe mansion near picturesque Lake St. Clair.

**Defense to end case in trial of Houstonian**

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Manor in Central Texas. Defense attorneys indicated Two defense witnesses they probably would com- testified Monday that plete their presentation Hollomon was visiting in today or Wednesday, in the their home, about 100 miles trial of a Houston man from the scene of the killing, charged with raping and two hours before the killing, killing a Brownwood woman took place. last summer.

Edward Stephen Trent and Marian Slovik Hollomon, 28, is accused in said Hollomon was with the death of Melina Marie them for about an hour, from Shippey, 18, found dead 12:30 to 1:30 a.m., the beside a highway near morning of June 24.

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## Buffalo Queens face Iraan in bi-district

**BIG LAKE** — The Forsan Buffalo Queens, fresh from winning the District 5-A Tournament over the weekend, open their quest for a state championship tonight when they meet the Iraan girls in a bi-district clash. The tipoff is slated for 7:00 p.m.

The Queens, who will carry a record of 24-6 into the state playoffs, won two games in the 5-A Tourney over Ropes and O'Donnell to earn the right to represent their district.

Iraan is a team that has improved greatly throughout the year, as they started off slowly, but appear to be peaking for the playoffs. But Forsan Coach Ronnie Taylor is also happy with the way his Forsan fens are playing lately, stating: "I feel good about it (the game with Iraan). We have played well lately, and I think we have a good chance tonight."

A Forsan win tonight would vault the Buffalo Queens into the regional tournament this weekend in Lubbock.

## Coahoma-Ballinger meet for 6-AA title

**SWEETWATER** — The District 6-AA boys basketball championship will be on the line tonight when the Coahoma Bulldogs meet the Ballinger Bearcats in an 8:00 p.m. tussle in the Sweetwater High School Gymnasium.

The Coahoma team won the first half championship, while the Ballinger team came back to win the second half title.

In the first battle between the schools, Coahoma took a 56-54 win, but the Bearcats won the second half meeting by a 70-55 count. Both teams won their games against each other on their home courts.

The Coahoma boys will enter the game with a record of 21-5. Coahoma is led by the inside scoring duo of juniors Michael Meyer and Philip Ritchey. Others expected to see plenty of playing time include Spot Paige, Gary Gee, Ron Belew, Greg Wright, David Barbee and Gary Bayes.

Ballinger is led by 6'6" Marty Akins, a returning All-District performer.

The winner of tonight's contest will advance into the Class AA state playoffs, which will begin next Tuesday.

## Steers host Bobcats

The Big Spring Steers and the San Angelo Bobcats meet tonight in Steer Gym in the final game of the year for both schools.

The game is meaningless as far as the standings are concerned for the Steers, but not for the Bobcats of Coach Rex Harvey. The San Angelo team is 4-2 in 5-A AAAA second half play, and will maintain a slim chance at tying for the second half title.

But in order to achieve that tie, the Bobcats would have to win tonight and both Odessa Permian and Midland would have to lose.

San Angelo won the first encounter between the schools, and sports a season mark of 21-12. They are led by the duo of Charles Bishop and Paul Hayes, who have helped the Angry Orange upset both Midland and Permian this year.

The Big Spring Steers of Coach Ed Haller, however, are still seeking for a 5-A AAAA win, and this is their last chance. The Bobcats are 5-23 on the season.

## Borden County girls meet Westbrook in bi-district

Girls from Borden County and Westbrook will meet at 6:00 p.m. tonight in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum to decide the bi-district championship.

Borden County won District 9-B last Thursday by taking a win over Klondike, while Westbrook recently won the 10-B title in a tournament.

The winner of tonight's game advances to the Class B regionals in Lubbock this weekend.

In a highly touted practice affair, the Andrews Mustangs will meet the Hamlin Pied Pipers. This game is set for an 8:00 p.m. tipoff.

## Scorecard

### HS Top 10

**FORT WORTH, Texas (AP)** — Here are the Texas schoolboy basketball ratings compiled by the Fort Worth Star-Telegram:

**Class 4A**

- Houston Yates, 29-1.
- El Paso Eastwood, 24-3.
- Fort Worth Paschal, 29-4.
- Piano, 27-3.
- Dallas South Oak Cliff, 30-5.
- Dallas Roosevelt, 23-3.
- Spring, 23-6.
- San Marcos, 25-4.
- South Garland, 28-4.
- Fort Worth Dunbar, 24-3.

**Class 3A**

- Beaumont Hebert, 31-2.
- Snyder, 24-4.
- Huntsville, 24-4.
- Waxahachie, 28-3.
- Paris, 24-1.
- Kilgore, 23-3.
- Borger, 18-3.
- Aldine Eisenhower, 24-5.
- Fort Worth Carter-Riverside, 27-3.
- Bay City, 24-8.

**Class 2A**

- Coleman, 28-0.
- Boling, 24-2.
- Brownboro, 26-3.
- Prairieview, 23-5.
- Childress, 19-2.
- Fairfield, 19-5.
- Boerne, 35-5.
- Refugio, 23-2.
- Perryton, 23-6.
- Pittsburg, 20-5.

### Class 1A

- Archer City, 27-1.
- Sabine, 24-1.
- Memphis, 24-2.
- Garland, 26-1.
- Wolfe City, 25-2.
- Gruver, 23-1.
- Hale Center, 24-4.
- Frankston, 26-5.
- Reagan County, 23-5.
- One City, 21-5.

### Class B

- Spook, 36-1.
- Greenwood, 27-2.
- West Lamar, 28-3.
- Goree, 29-3.
- McMullen County, 27-3.
- Spade, 27-4.
- Krum, 33-4.
- Huckabay, 20-3.
- Brook, 24-7.
- Harleton, 19-4.

### Box scores

**ARKANSAS (58)**  
Friess 9-2-30, Zahn 10-0-2, Hastings 4-2-4-10, Hilliard 0-0-0-0, Reed 4-4-4-14, Young 2-2-2-4, Skutman 10-0-6, Brown 0-0-0, Kelly 0-0-0. Totals 23-12-15-58.

**SMU (62)**  
Hale 4-0-1-8, Harris 0-2-2-2, Branson 8-0-0-16, Allen 6-2-3-14, Pleshier 4-2-3-10, Hoops 3-2-2-8, Welch 1-2-2-4. Totals 28-19-12-62.

Halftime Score — SMU 34, Arkansas 27. Total Fouls — Arkansas 15, SMU 14. A — 8, 0.

# Queens clinch tie for WJC title

By NATHAN POSS  
Sports Editor



(PHOTO BY BILL FORSHEE)

**GROWLING DIDN'T HELP** — Odessa College's Jane Garnett seems to be growling at Howard College Hawk Queen Joanne Lefridge during second half action of the Queens important 84-69 win last night. The antics of Garnett didn't help, however, as Lefridge and her teammates raced to a win that clinched a tie for the conference championship.

The Howard College Hawk Queens exploded in the early stages of the second half to race to an 84-69 win over the Odessa College Lady Wranglerettes and clinch a tie for the Western Conference title.

The contest was played Monday night in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The win gives the Queens a conference mark of 9-1 and a season mark of 22-7. Odessa College, meanwhile, had its conference title hopes ended, as the Lady Wranglerettes dropped to a league mark of 8-3 and a season record of 18-6.

The win was a tribute to the outstanding depth of the Queens, as there were numerous stars in the important triumph. Depth was especially important, as the Howard College women were saddled with foul problems for most of the last half.

6'2" Kelly Lyons, who is playing as well as anyone in the conference lately, was nearly unstoppable in the early going, as she reeled off the first 14 points the Hawk Queens scored in the contest. Lyons had 16 points at the midway mark in the first half, and the Howard College women held a 20-10 advantage.

But Odessa College, behind the play of Carolyn Burnam, made a continual rally in the last ten minutes of the first half. They narrowed the Queens lead to 28-24 with 4:20 left before

intermission, when Lyons drew her third foul. OC then narrowed the HC lead to 34-33 in the final seconds of the half, as the Hawks other big inside threat, Shawn Smith, drew her second and third personals in the final seven seconds.

But Lyons came out nearly as hot in the second half, as she scored six quick points to help boost the Queens into a 45-37 lead. But with 15:10 left to play, Lyons, who had scored just under half of the Queens points, drew her fourth personal foul, thus forcing Coach Don Stevens to replace her.

But rising to the caliber of the conference championship that they clinched, the Queens, led by Susan Martin and Joanne Lefridge, reeled off 14 unanswered points over the next 4:15 to take a 59-37 lead with 10:55 left in the contest.

The graceful Martin had eight points in this surge, with Lefridge adding four points and two assists to allow the Queens to take complete control of the contest.

Smith drew her fourth foul during this Hawk Queen run, but the inside play of Jayne Jones and Jill Floyd helped the Queens hold off the Odessa College females, who entered the contest ranked 18th nationally.

The Howard College women increased their margin to as much as 25 points in the final 10 minutes, as Queens Coach Stevens

substituted freely.

The game was a foul marred tilt, as a total of 54 fouls were whistled by the trigger happy officials. The Queens, who were whistled for 32 of the infractions, at one time midway in the second half had four players with four fouls. Three Queens, Floyd, Lyons and Lefridge, finally did foul out, but they waited until the final three minutes when the outcome had already been decided.

Odessa did not pull within 20 points of the Queens until less than a minute remained.

The win now puts the Hawk Queens in a position that they have to win only one game in their final two outings in order to claim the conference championship outright. The first chance for the Howard College women will be Thursday night, at which time they visit Clarendon.

Lyons led all scorers in the contest with 22 points, and she accumulated this total in 24 minutes of playing time. Martin added 16, with 12 of those coming in the first ten minutes of the second half, and Jones contributed 11.

**HOWARD COLLEGE (64)** — Martin 7-2-16, Floyd 4-0-8, Lefridge 4-0-8, Freeman 2-1-3, Lyons 10-2-22, Jones 5-1-11, Moon 0-0-0, Smith 2-0-10, Calhoun 0-0, Young 2-0-4. TOTALS 37-10-84.

**ODESSA COLLEGE (69)** — Smith 4-0-12, Burnam 5-7-17, Skinner 2-4-8, Simmons 3-2-8, Vaughn 1-2-4, Dykes 0-0-0, Chambers 0-4-4, Wallace 1-3-5, Wells 3-2-8, Garnett 1-1-3. TOTALS 22-22-59.

Halftime Score: Howard 34, Odessa 33.

## Hawks pull big upset over Odessa College

By NATHAN POSS

The Howard College Hawks took a big step toward securing a spot in the upcoming Region V Tournament by taking an upset 70-60 win over the highly touted Odessa College Wranglers here Monday night in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The Hawks of Coach Harold Wilder played probably their most consistent game of the year in surprising the Odessa College team, who still had a very slim chance at the conference title before the game began.

The HC win puts the Hawks at 8-7 in conference play and 17-11 on the year, while OC falls to 11-4 in conference play and 20-7 on the season.

The Hawks now are in a two-way tie with Frank Phillips in conference play. FPC stayed even with the Hawks by scoring an upset win over Midland College.

The Hawks went ahead early in the slowly paced game by an 8-2 margin, but OC's John Savoie tossed in the first eight Wrangler points to tie the score at 8-8.

The lead changed hands slowly throughout the first half, with the Wranglers taking their biggest lead of the game at 20-16 with seven minutes left in the half.

But Mike Wallace, who was listed as a doubtful starter the day before the contest, led a Hawk surge that netted 11 consecutive points to boost Howard College into a 27-20 lead with two minutes left in the half. It was a lead the Hawks

would never relinquish. Howard College used a foul and subsequent technical

against OC's Kelly Kitchens in the final 17 seconds of the half to score five points and

take a 37-26 lead into the dressing room, with Ron Akins layup at the buzzer

capping the emotional spurt. With the lead going into the second half, Coach Wilder

made the Odessa College team and Coach Ron Mayberry play into the Hawks' deck, and the strategy worked most successfully.

The Hawks played a sagging zone throughout the contest, and used a spread out offense in the final 20 minutes, thus making Odessa College commit numerous fouls in desperate attempts at stealing the ball.

The slowdown play worked, as guards Rocky Rawls and Bobby Word handled the floor show, with Wallace and Ron Akins giving a free throw shooting exhibition that never allowed the OC team any closer than six points in the final half.

Wallace and Akins combined to connect on 16 of 20 free throw attempts in the contest, and the Hawks as a team canned 24 of 32 charity attempts. Odessa College, meanwhile, could connect on anemic two of eight from the free throw line.

Wallace, who is the leading scorer in the conference, led all players in that column once again with 25. Akins added 17 and Rawls 13 for the Hawks.

Dennis Johnson paced Odessa with 16 points, with Savoie adding 13.

Howard College travels to Clarendon on Thursday.

**HOWARD COLLEGE (70)** — Rawls 5-3-13, Green 0-0-0, Word 1-3-5, Akins 5-7-17, Robinson 0-0-0, Wallace 8-9-25, Jones 1-2-4, Faubus 3-0-4. TOTALS 32-24-70.

**ODESSA (60)** — Kitchens 3-0-6, Savoie 6-1-13, Ehlo 4-0-8, Maddox 3-0-6, Spirling 1-0-2, Anderson 1-0-2, Johnson 8-0-16, Ivy 3-1-7. TOTALS 29-2-60.

Halftime Score: Howard 37, Odessa 26.



(PHOTO BY BILL FORSHEE)

**WALLACE HAMMERED** — Howard College's Mike Wallace (No. 4 in white) releases a field goal attempt during the second half of action last night in the Hawks win, but Odessa College's Craig Ehlo (blonde hair)

disrupts the scoring attempt. The shot didn't fall, but Ehlo was whistled for a foul. Others in the photo are OC's Dennis Johnson (underneath goal), HC's Ron Akins (32), James Ivy (50) of OC and John Savoie of OC (24).

## DePaul retains No. 1 ranking

By The Associated Press

Unbeaten DePaul, which posted one-sided triumphs over Valparaiso and Butler last week, was the unanimous choice for the No. 1 spot in The Associated Press college poll for the fifth straight week Monday.

The Blue Demons, 23-0, received all 54 first-place votes and a perfect score 1,080 points in the balloting by a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters in easily outdistancing runner-up Louisville. The No. 1 ranking marked the sixth week overall that Ray Meyer's team has received top billing.

The AP Top Twenty

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The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records and total points. Points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.
- DePaul (50) 20-0 1,080
  - Louisville 20-0 974
  - Kentucky 24-4 914
  - Syracuse 22-0 852
  - Louisiana St. 20-4 822
  - Oregon St. 20-3 772
  - St. John's, N.Y. 21-3 656
  - N. Carolina 19-5 613
  - Maryland 19-5 585
  - Notre Dame 19-4 549
  - Ohio St. 17-6 509
  - Clemson 18-4 490
  - Missouri 20-4 399
  - Brigham Young 20-4 389
  - Purdue 16-7 246
  - Wabter St. 20-2 238
  - Duke 16-7 212
  - Arizona St. 19-5 209
  - Indiana 16-7 194
  - Washington St. 19-4 125
  - Utah 16-7 125
- Note: Adv. 6:30 a.m. EST, TODAY — TIME

## US hockey team remains undefeated SMU stuns Arkansas

**LAKE PLACID, N.Y. (AP)** — Barbara Petzold gave East Germany the medals lead in the XIII Winter Olympics when she raced to the women's 10-kilometer cross-country ski victory.

Petzold won the only gold medal awarded Monday, skiing the 10 kilometers in 30 minutes, 31.54 seconds. The victory gave East Germany 12 medals for the Games, one more than the Soviet Union. The U.S. has four, all in speed skating. The Soviet Union led in gold medals with six to East Germany's three.

In the giant slalom, Andreas Wenzel of Liechtenstein led favored Ingemar Stenmark of Sweden going into the today's second run, and with a gold medal victory

today had a chance to join his sister, Hanni, in becoming the first brother-sister Alpine medal winning act in the history of the Games. Hanni won the silver medal in the women's downhill Sunday.

Jan Hoffman of East Germany led Americans Charlie Tickner and David Santee after the compulsory figures round in the men's figure skating event, while Robin Cousins of Great Britain was fourth.

In hockey, the United States remained unbeaten with a 7-2 triumph over Romania. Buzz Schneider scored twice as the Americans regained a first place tie with Sweden in the Blue Division.

## Staubach sounds like career is over

**DALLAS (AP)** — Roger Staubach says, honestly, he doesn't know if he will play another year.

The 38-year-old quarterback of the Dallas Cowboys says, honestly, he hasn't talked to the television networks about a commentator's job.

Staubach says, honestly, he's just talking to Marianne, playing with the kids, and lifting weights. Honestly is the way Roger Staubach does things. There's no creditability gap.

But, honestly, Roger Staubach SOUNDS like he going to retire.

He says things like "when it's time it's time."

Or "it's not like I'm walking away from a team without a quarterback."

Or "if I had my druthers I'd like to go out of the game a winner..." but adds "that might not happen."

He still feels like a young colt physically but there have been those KOs. He was knocked out five times last year.

Staubach even jokes about his "glass head."

He's been undergoing examinations this off-season. Asked what the doctors do to him, he says "Oh, I beat my head up against the wall five times."

Marianne Staubach is privately concerned that her husband won't get up from one of those NFL knock-downs.

Staubach dances around hard questions about his future like it was Jack Lambert on a blitz.

says Staubach. "But there are other factors. Right now I just don't want to paint myself into a corner on making a decision."

"It's a demanding profession and I've got five kids. I'd like to start spending some time with them."

Staubach is well fixed in the real estate business and owns lucrative franchises such as Church's Fried Chicken. He has so many television endorsement offers he can take his pick.

Danny White and Glenn Carano have been well indoctrinated into Coach Tom Landry's system. No problem there.

Staubach has always been such a positive person that it's stunning for Cowboy watchers to see him waver on his career course.

The decision will come on or before the Cowboys' demanding offseason program begins about March 31st.

"I'll know then if the time has come," he says. "Honestly, right now I don't know."

He'll make the final decision in the company of Marianne and the kids then drive to the Cowboys' Central Expressway office to tell Landry and club President and General Manager Tex Schramm.

Then he says he'll step outside "to see if anybody else wants to know."

White once joked that some day he was sure he would open a newspaper and read about a 98-year-old Landry retiring and a 68-year-old Staubach saying "We'll miss him."

## SMU stuns Arkansas

**DALLAS (AP)** — Southern Methodist Coach Sonny Allen needed Monday night's shocking 62-58 upset over Arkansas almost as much as Texas A&M coach Shelby Metcalf, but for a different reason.

The loss knocked the Razorbacks out of a share of the Southwest Conference basketball leadership with the Aggies, who play Texas Christian tonight at home.

The Aggies are 12-2 in the league with a road game at Houston also on the schedule.

The Razorbacks dropped to 12-3 and host Texas Tech Saturday afternoon in a regionally televised game.

Allen was told before this season it would take 17 victories for him to keep his job.

The Mustangs earned victory number 15 in a most exciting fashion.

SMU followed Brad Branson's 16 points, eight rebounds and six blocked shots to their first win over Arkansas in 10 tries.

Even Arkansas coach Eddie Sutton admitted his team deserved to lose.

"We didn't deserve to win because of the way we played in the first half," said Sutton. "Branson may have played his best game of the season."







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Carter, Kennedy: Not much room for agreement

GORHAM, N.H. (AP) — With a week to go to the Democratic presidential primary election in New Hampshire, where he has more campaigning scheduled today.

But we've still got a long way to go. We don't want to get overconfident," said Kennedy, who frequently tells his audience that the polls show him lagging behind the president.



M-A-R-D-I-M-A-S-H — Gary Burghoff, formerly of the TV series "M-A-S-H," plays drum in his Mardi Gras costume as he marches with clarinetist Pete Fountain in New Orleans today.

Southern California still rain-drenched

Relentless rain drenched Southern California for a seventh straight day, bringing more mudslides and high water that forced thousands of persons from their homes and drove damage estimates into the millions of dollars.

As the rain continued, tourists were urged to avoid the desert Palm Springs area, where 1,000 persons were advised to leave their homes. Amtrak rail travel was interrupted between Los Angeles and San Diego because a bridge had been weakened by the storms.

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HOUSE FOR Sale in Sand Springs 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 1/2 acre, water well or city water. Call: 993-5727

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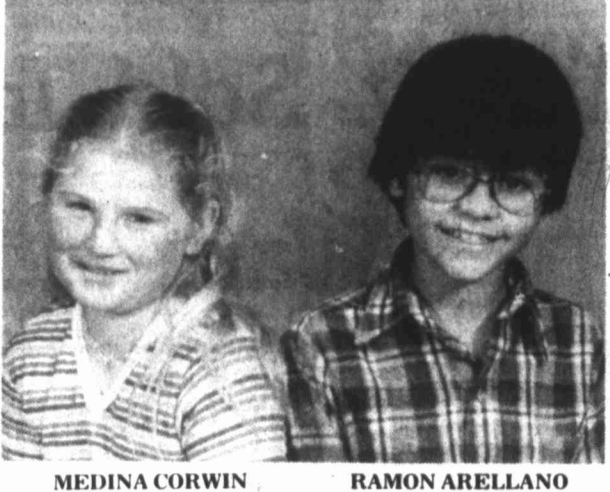
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HOT POINT dryer and Kenmore washer. \$150. Snow chains. \$10. 267-1337.

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LEGAL NOTICE Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 2 p.m. on March 10, 1980 at the County Courthouse at Big Spring for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for Howard County.



Medina Corwin winner in school bee here

Medina Corwin, an 11-year-old fifth grader, will represent Immaculate Heart of Mary School in Tuesday's Howard County Spelling Bee, which will be held in the Howard College Auditorium starting at 4 p.m.

Yugoslav president's condition still poor

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Doctors said today they had been able to reduce the kidney problems of President Josip Broz Tito but his condition remained grave.

Homo club drops round

DALLAS (AP) — A federal judge has denied a request by a private homosexual health club to prevent police from raiding it.

Two announce for board

COLORADO CITY — Eddie Piland has filed for reelection to the Colorado City school board.

Debit insurance inquiry asked

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Consumers Union and several other groups have asked the State Insurance Board to investigate alleged abuses associated with the sale of debit insurance to poor people.

Payne admits check forgery

Terry Allen Payne, 109 W. 19th, entered a plea of guilt in 118th District Court Thursday to check forgery.

Science fair set March 7

LAMESA — The annual Dawson County School Science Fair will begin Friday, March 7, in the Middle School Cafeteria.

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1979 CHEVY LUV Pickup, blue, 4-speed, air, AM radio, 1,400 actual miles. One owner, like new. Stock No. 162.

1979 FORD RANCHERO 500, blue, 11,000 one owner miles with air, automatic, power steering, brakes, tilt wheel, and cruise. Like new. Stock No. 178.

1979 TOYOTA Long Bed Pickup, white, 19,000 actual miles, 4-speed, air, extra clean. Stock No. 180.

1978 FORD F-250 Super Cab pickup, Silver and Black, Lariat Ranger Package, with air, automatic, power steering, brakes, tilt wheel, cruise control, AM-FM tape. Stock No. 158.

1978 FORD RANGER 1/2 ton pickup with air, automatic, power steering, brakes. Sharp. Stock No. 179.

1978 CHEVY SCOTTSDALE Pickup 1/2 ton, two tone green, 4-wheel drive, 22,000 one owner miles with 9000 lb. trailering special package, dual tanks, air, automatic, power windows, locks, steering, brakes, tilt wheel, cruise, AM-FM 8-track tape, rally wheels, good tires. Like new. Stock No. 534.

1977 CHEVY SILVERADO 3/4 ton pickup, camper special, tutone blue, air, automatic, power steering, brakes, tilt wheel, cruise control. Stock No. 149.

1977 FORD RANGER XLT pickup, red and white F-150, 4-wheel drive, 44,000 miles, dual tanks, air, automatic, power steering and brakes, cruise control, AM radio, good tires. Sharp. Stock No. 570.

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1976 CHEVY CHASSIS Cab One Ton, 4-speed, with steel bed and tool box, 18,000 lb. P.T.O. winch and 85 ft. of 3/4 cable and ready for module trailer, good tires. Stock No. 576-A.

1976 FORD PICKUP 1/2 ton green and white, 21,000 miles, air, automatic, power steering, brakes, AM radio, good tires. Like new. Stock No. 555.

1976 CHEVROLET PICKUP 1/2 ton white and blue, Spirit of America with air, automatic, power steering and brakes, tilt wheel. Stock No. 122.

1976 FORD RANGER XLT 1/2 ton, white and tan, air, automatic, power steering, brakes, like new tires. Stock No. 130.

1976 CHEVY PICKUP 1/2 ton, air, automatic, power steering, brakes, AM radio, good tires. Stock No. 181.

1975 CHEVY SILVERADO 1/2 ton pickup, white with wood grain, with air, automatic, AM-FM tape, power steering, brakes, rally wheels, good tires. Stock No. 135.

1977 FORD PICKUP 1/2 ton, small V-8 standard shift, power steering, AM radio. Stock No. 557. Now \$2,480.

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R-70 7:00 9:00

FOOLING AROUND

RITZ TWIN 9:30 ONLY

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