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**IN THE MONEY** — Holding the cash that will be given away in drawings at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Fall Luncheon are from left to right Jackie Casey, Susan Brashears, Travis Floyd, and Travis

Bracken. The luncheon will be this Friday, Sept. 18, in the East Room of the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum at noon. See story page 2A.

## Commissioners okay \$4,400,130 budget

By CAROL HART  
Staff Writer  
Howard County commissioners gave their final approval to a 1981-82 budget of \$4,400,130 Monday.

A break-down of budgeted expenses for the upcoming fiscal year, Oct. 1, 1981, through Sept. 30, 1982, shows how much money various departments in the courthouse are estimated to need. The breakdown of departments includes:

- District Judge, court reporter: \$35,566.
- Justice of peace court: \$500.
- Justice of the Peace, precinct one, place one: \$42,024.
- Justice of the Peace, precinct one, place two: \$41,421.
- Justice of the peace, two: \$22,063.
- District attorney: \$63,016.
- District clerk: \$65,533.
- County attorney: \$63,000.
- County judge: \$49,518.
- Commissioner's Court: \$90,788.
- County auditor: \$62,536.
- County clerk: \$146,241.

- County treasurer: \$43,435.
- Tax assessor-collector: \$176,884.
- Data processing department: \$65,969.
- Maintenance: \$177,861.
- Building expenses: \$32,800.
- Non-Departmental: \$304,075.
- Vital statistics: \$1,000.
- Sheriff: \$335,630.
- Jail: \$71,375.
- Juvenile probation: \$43,023.20.
- Adult probation: \$2,360.
- Welfare: \$87,096.80.
- County and Home Demonstration agents: \$83,869.
- Trapper: \$26,623.
- Library: \$158,256.

The commissioners also gave their final approval to the ad valorem tax of 24 and a half cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

In other business Monday, the commissioners approved a contract with Shaffer Ambulance and the City, whereby the county will pay \$1,500 a month for the ambulance service, and the city will pay \$3,000 a month for the

service.

A bid of \$17,500 for repairs to the courthouse boiler was accepted Monday from General Service and Supply, Midland.

Commissioners also gave their approval to the combining of boxes in the upcoming November special election. Precincts one and eight will have a combined box at the Cedar Crest School. Precincts two, 15, 10 and 18 will have a box at the hut building behind Wesley Methodist Church.

Precincts three and 16 will have a box at the 18th and Main Fire Station. Precincts four, 20 and 22 will have a box at the Fourth and Nolan Fire Station.

Precincts six, seven, 11 and five will have a box at the Centerpoint Community Center; precincts 12, 13 and 17 will have a box at the Prairie View Baptist Church; and

Precinct 19 will have a box at the Elbow School; precinct 21 at the Sand Springs Fire Station; and precinct nine at Coahoma.

## Odessa refinery blast hurts 7

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — Two large natural gas lines ruptured early Tuesday at a Phillips Petroleum gasoline plant, injuring seven workers, three of them critically, officials said.

Two explosions in quick succession occurred at 3:42 a.m. just outside the Phillips Goldsmith plant as workers were preparing for a 48-hour shutdown, regional manager E.E. Clark said. Firemen said flames towering 100 to 300 feet into the air were visible as much as 20 miles from the plant.

Workers fighting burning natural gas from a ruptured return line were injured when an adjacent 12-inch line burst and mbre gas caught fire, Clark said. The second line had probably been weakened by the first explosion,

he said.

A third series of explosions about four hours later also resulted from additional ruptured natural gas lines, Clark said. No one was injured in the blasts at 7:06 a.m.

Workmen took about four hours to control the blazes, Clark said. The pipelines are located between the Goldsmith plant and a nearby compression plant, he said.

"The sky was lit up like daylight at that time," said Goldsmith Fire Chief Clifford White.

The injured were A.D. Sides, Bob Franks, Harold Smiley, Allen King, Floyd J. Ball, Eugene E. Smith and Charles F. Wilson. Sides, Franks and King were in critical condition

Tuesday at Odessa Medical Center Hospital, a spokesman said. Ball was treated for second-degree burns and released.

Sides sustained burns over 46 percent of his body and Franks was burned over 25 percent of his body, the hospital spokesman said.

King's condition had deteriorated, with burns over 39 percent of his body, the spokesman said.

Smiley, Smith and Wilson suffered first-, second- and third-degree burns and have improved to stable condition, she said. The trio were earlier listed in serious condition.

A Texas Department of Public Safety official said the explosions posed no threat to the main Phillips plant.

Frank Brown, area clerk for Phillips, said no tanks were involved and the fire was brought under control by company firefighters. Fire officials from Goldsmith and Odessa were dispatched to the plant and remained on standby if further assistance was needed. The Goldsmith plant is located about 10 miles north of Odessa.

White said his fire personnel were not allowed on company property while company firefighters worked to extinguish the blaze.

Company spokesmen say an investigation is under way to determine the cause of the fire. A damage estimate was not immediately available.

## Committee approves O'Connor

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sandra Day O'Connor today won overwhelming approval from the Senate Judiciary Committee for her nomination to become the first woman on the Supreme Court. The vote was 17-0, with one member voting "present."

Sen. Jeremiah Denton, R-Ala., said he could not vote for the nomination without knowing Mrs. O'Connor's specific views on abortion.

Sixteen senators voted to approve the nomination and then Denton and Sen. John East withheld their votes while they made statements explaining their decisions. East, R-N.C., then voted yes. Denton voted "present."

Denton, who had questioned Mrs. O'Connor at length about her views on abortion, has said he felt frustrated because he could not determine where Mrs. O'Connor was "coming from philosophically" on abortion.

"I know very little about Judge O'Connor's opinions on the grave legal issues of the day," Denton said in his statement.

Denton said Mrs. O'Connor is a "fine lady and distinguished jurist."



**REGISTRATION TABLE** — Members of the Malone-Hogan volunteers man the registration table today as the District Two meeting of the Texas Association of Hospital Auxiliaries kicked off at the First United Methodist

Church. Shown here registering guests of the meeting are, seated, left to right, Mrs. Joe Smoot, Mrs. R.L. Heith, and Mrs. Clayton Bettie.

## Focalpoint

### Action/reaction: Second opinion

Q. I understand that there is a toll-free number that you can call to get information regarding a second medical opinion for surgery. I saw this on television, but I forgot the number. Is there any way you can get the number for me?

A. The second opinion service is provided through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. The toll-free number is 1-800-442-2620.

### Calendar: Dance time

**TODAY**  
The Coahoma Athletic Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Films of last week's game against Stanton will be shown.

The Marcy PTA will hold an open house at 7:30 p.m. tonight. Teachers will be on hand to meet with parents.

Big Spring High School volleyball vs. Abilene, Steer Gym, 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Square dance lessons to begin at 7 p.m. at Big Spring Square Corral, Silver Heels Addition, with Randall Phillips of Abilene doing the instructing. All interested persons are invited.

Members of the class of 1961 from Big Spring High School are urged to attend an 8 p.m. meeting in the Reddy Room at the Texas Electric Ser-

vice downtown office. Plans will be made for the upcoming 20th reunion.

First meeting of school year for Big Spring Band Boosters — Band Hall Big Spring High School — parents of band students from Gollad, Runnels, and Senior High School are urged to attend this meeting and participate in activities for band students. Door prizes will be awarded at this meeting scheduled to start at 7:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY

The Spring City Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the Eagles Lodge located at 708 W. 3rd.

A meeting of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at noon.

The Friends of the Library will be meeting at the Howard County Library at 3:30 p.m. All interested supporters and friends of the Library are invited to attend. The main topics of discussion will be the Book Sale, support projects, and needs of the Library.

The Feather Fanciers will meet at 7:30 p.m. For more information call 263-8728.

### THURSDAY

The Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet at 5:15 p.m. in the board room, senior high school.

The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce governmental affairs committee will meet at noon or a community luncheon. State Rep. Larry Don Shaw will speak.

Big Spring High School vs. Midland, Steer Gym, 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

## 'The folks at City Hall'

How much they earn

City Manager Don Davis	\$41,000
Public Works Director (unfilled)	\$35,000
Police Chief Elwood Hohertz	\$32,400
Airpark Manager Hal Boyd	\$30,300
Asst. City Manager Paul Feazelle	\$30,000
Finance Director Tom Ferguson	\$27,000
Fire Chief Jim Ryals	\$24,000
Administrative Asst. Bill Hall	\$22,000
City Attorney Elliot Mitchell	\$21,000

## Terrorists ambush American general

HEIDELBERG, West Germany (AP) — Gen. Frederick J. Kroesen, the commander in chief of the U.S. Army in Europe, was slightly injured today in the fourth attack on U.S. government personnel in West Germany in two weeks, his headquarters announced.

West German police said Kroesen's sedan was hit by two grenades fired from a woods on the outskirts of Heidelberg, where his headquarters is located.

A police spokesman said a grenade launcher apparently was used, demonstrating a "new quality" of terrorism. He said it was the first use by terrorists in West Germany of a military-style weapon.

Kroesen, 58, was "treated for superficial injuries at the U.S. Army hospital in Heidelberg and was released," said a military statement.

The other occupants of the car — the general's wife, Rowene; an aide, Maj. Philip E. Ondine, and the driver, a German who was not identified — were unhurt, an Army spokesman said. But the car, which had an armor-reinforced body and other protective equipment, was heavily damaged, police said.

Kroesen went to his office after he was released from the hospital and told reporters he did not see the attackers.

After the grenades exploded, he said, "the car stopped and I looked to see if my wife was all right, and waited to see what was going to happen next."

"We looked to see if everyone had arms and legs in order," then the



GEN. FREDERICK KROESEN  
Hurt in W. Germany

driver found he could start the car and drove away. The car also came under small-arms fire, but "none of them penetrated the car."

Police said two persons were seen in the area shortly before the attack, but no arrests were made immediately.

Kroesen, whose stateside residence is in Burlington, N.J., is a much-decorated 40-year Army veteran who enlisted during World War II and also fought in Korea and Vietnam. He is believed to be the highest ranking U.S. officer to be attacked in Germany since World War II.

### FRIDAY

Big Spring High School Steer vs. Levelland Loboes, Memorial Stadium, 8 p.m.

There will be a Senior Citizens' Dance at 8 p.m. at the Industrial Park building No. 487. Guests are welcome.

### Tops on TV: Portrait of a Stripper

Channel 2 at 8 p.m. offers the movie "Legend of the Golden Gun" starring Jeff Osterhage and Hal Holbrook. When a young man's family is murdered he teams up with a runaway slave to seek revenge. The Channel 7 movie also at 8 p.m. is "Portrait of a Stripper" which is the story of a widow facing the challenge of raising her son while working as a dancer in a nightclub. Lesley Ann Warren and Edward Herrmann

### Outside: Cloudy

Partly cloudy today through Wednesday with a slight chance of thunderstorms today. Possibility of rain predicted at 20-percent. Cooler today and tonight with temperature high in the mid-60s and the low in the upper 50s. High Wednesday near 80. Winds today from the north at 5-10 miles per hour.



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# Police Beat Dog-gone thief strikes

Meanest thief of the week award goes to the apparent burglar who cut into a window screen at a 1410 Harding mobile home, then cut loose a two-year-old dog tied up in the home's front yard.

Police said the person didn't appear to have entered the home, which is inhabited by Martha Turner, 36. The dog had not been recovered when police took Turner's report Monday.

Tina Fraley, 19, complained to police that at about 4:45 p.m. Monday her

1981 Datsun automobile was taken from the 1700 block of Laurie. The car is worth \$15,000, she told police. There were no suspects, according to police reports.

Tony Dyer, 25, of 1316 Sycamore, complained to police that at about 12:45 a.m. today his Oldsmobile was entered and 48 tapes along with two speakers were stolen. Total loss was \$500, according to police reports.

Steve Schooler, 20, reported to police that he left

his Pontiac automobile at Pollard Chevrolet, 1501 E. 4th, for repairs between Sept. 9 and 14 when sound equipment was stolen from the car, police said. Total loss was estimated at \$330.

Donna Diliberto, 19, complained that an equalizer and digital clock worth \$280 were stolen from her car while it was parked at her 1905 Wasson home Monday afternoon, police said.

Dennis O'Laughlin, manager of Motel 6 off Interstate 20, complained to police that a couple with a baby checked into a room Sept. 9 and left Monday without paying their last night's bill. They also took a room key, pillows and blankets, according to police reports.

## Chamber of Commerce luncheon to be held Friday at coliseum

The Fall Kick-off for the Chamber of Commerce luncheon will be held Friday in the East Room of the Dorothy Garrett-Coliseum at noon. This quarterly luncheon is being sponsored by The Kats Meow and Boss — Linam Electric. The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club members will serve as the host service club.

Art Castetter, music director at Howard College will play the piano during the program and members of the Lab Band will entertain prior to the opening of the program.

The program will include information on a variety of up-coming events, including the following: Howard County Fair, Annual Arts & Crafts Festival, Southwest Auxiliary Championship, Big Spring Symphony Assn., Big Spring High School Coaches and Cheerleaders, Miss Teen Texas, Felicia Ford, and there will be drawing for \$300 in cash. There will be fun and games for everyone in attendance.

## Parolee draws prison term

Sammy Ben Johnston, 17, of 2107 Runnels, was arrested on a violation of probation charge recently.

He was held in county jail without bond, and was later given a three-year sentence in the TDC.

## Driving class for adults set

Finding someone to teach you how to drive is a difficult task, we know. Therefore, the Howard County Junior College District has designed a class especially for adults wanting to learn to drive.

A class in Drivers Education will be Wednesday and Thursday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. These dates will be the in-class instruction and at that time Harold Wilder, the instructor, will set up individual driving times for each student. The fee for this class is \$135. Deadline for all registration is 5 p.m. Wednesday. For more information please call the Adult and Continuing Education Office 267-6311 ext. 216.

## Trustees call Thursday meet

The Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet at 5:15 p.m. Thursday to take action on the employment of personnel, the resignation of personnel, and local policy updates.

The group will also discuss the communication policy, the special education budget amendment, and will consider the selection of an architect.

Also slated to be discussed are the TASA-TASB meeting, the governor's advisory committee, and the bilingual program.

## Jurors study aggravated robbery cases

The cases of three people accused of aggravated robbery at Grady Harland's Service Station are among complaints being considered by a Howard County grand jury today.

Lavern Hardin, Anthony Harold Limbel, and Marie Elaine Morrison, all accused on aggravated robbery on July 14, are only three of 22 cases being mulled by the grand jury today.

Of the cases being considered, three are driving while intoxicated, second offense; five are aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and two are aggravated rape.

A case of rape of a child is being investigated as is a case of forgery.

There are two cases of the theft of a domestic animal being investigated, one case of arson and three cases of theft by check.

The grand jury is also investigating the alleged assault on Gene Bryant.

## Big Spring Rotarians hear district governor

John R. Seay, district governor of Rotary Club District 573 spoke to Big Spring Rotarians at noon today during his annual governor's visitation.

Seay also reviewed the club's 1981-82 program with officers and committee chairmen at a club assembly Monday at Garrett Hall of the First United Methodist Church.

Seay is a member of the Midland Rotary Club and is serving as district governor for 1981-82. He has been active as a Rotarian since 1974 when he joined the club. He has served as district club chairman, district visiting Rotarian chairman, and governor's special representative.

Seay currently lives in Midland with his wife Ann and their five children. He is



JOHN R. SEAY is an independent oil producer active in petroleum exploration and development.

## 'Learning at Night' program begins at Howard College

The Howard County Junior College District Adult and Continuing Education Department announces the opening of "Learning At Night" program.

Classes will begin today and will meet every Tuesday and Thursday from 6 p.m. until 9 p.m.

Classes offered at the Howard College Learning Center are English as a Second Language (ESL) for adults wishing to learn to speak English, Adult Basic classes for those wishing to learn basic skills and G.E.D. classes, for those wishing to study for their General Equivalency Diploma.

## Markets

Volume	19,801,000
Index	869.75
American Airlines	33 1/2
American Petroleum	35
Branch	3
Bethlehem Steel	27
Chrysler	5 1/2
Dynegy	11 1/2
Enserch	29 1/2
Ford	19 1/2
Freestone	10 1/2
Getty	60 1/2
General Telephone	29 1/2
Halliburton	55 1/2
Harte-Hanks	31
IBM	56 1/2
J.C. Penney	31 1/2
Johannesburg	14 1/2
K. Mart	16 1/2
Coca-Cola	37
El Paso Co.	25 1/2
De Beers	43 1/2
Mobil	28
Pacific S.E. Elec.	27 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	40 1/2
Sears & Roebuck	16 1/2
Shell Oil	41 1/2
Sun Oil	34 1/2
American Tele. & Teleg.	56
Texas	35 1/2
Texas Instruments	69 1/2
Texas Utilities	16 1/2
U.S. Steel	39
Exxon	37 1/2
Westinghouse	27
Western Union	25 1/2
Zales	26 1/2

MUTUAL FUNDS	
Arcap	5.68 1/2
Investors Co. of America	8.61 1/2
Keystone	5.57 1/2
Puritan	9.94
Noon quotes through courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co., Permian Bldg., Room 302, Big Spring, Texas, 76726 Phone: 267-2501.	

# \$10,000 reward offered in Odessa girl's death

By BOB CARPENTER Staff Writer

ODESSA — A \$10,000 reward is being offered by Ector County citizens for information about the stabbing death of 18-year-old Carmen Melinda Croan who was found stabbed 12 times in an oil field just north of the FM 1935 and State Highway 158 intersection in north Ector County.

Deputy Captain Richard Pate of the Ector County Sheriff's Department said today investigation into the Aug. 23 murder still has not produced any leads or apparent motives despite intense probing by investigators.

"We really have nothing new to report. The investigation is at the same place it was three days after the incident and we seem to be going in circles," said Pate.

Pate said detectives have interviewed friends, relatives, and neighbors for possible clues to the young woman's murder.

Pate said Croan was last seen about 11:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 22, at Graham Central Station, a popular night club in Odessa. He said she apparently arrived there alone, and detectives were not able to discern from possible witnesses at the club whether she left with anyone.

The victim was a 1981 graduate of Permian High School and still lived with her parents, according to reports.

The Ector County Sheriff's Department hopes the sizeable reward will help to bring in new information to get the stalled case rolling again.

# New tax rate in Mitchell should net \$1,401,923

By TOM JAY GOSS III Colorado City Correspondent

COLORADO CITY — The Mitchell County commissioners set their tax rate at 25 cents per \$100 valuation at a regular meeting Monday afternoon.

This is a reduction from last year's \$1.25 rate. The new tax rate should bring in \$1,401,923, according to Chief Appraiser Mike Burt. This compares with last year's \$1,224,864.

According to County Judge Bill Carter, this was due to an increase in actual values of \$30 million. It does not represent an increase in taxes.

Judge Carter commented on the state's new equal evaluation law and said that when tax notices are mailed on Oct. 1, that "some people are going to faint."

He said that, "The truth is, minerals and industries have been paying 100 percent of valuation, but many citizens have not." He said that some senior citizens who had not been paying any taxes at all will now be paying taxes because their property has been valued at 100 percent.

He said that the majority

of homes in the county had not been valued at present inflated valuations. He said for example, the \$12,000 home that had been valued at \$12,000 in the past would now be valued at \$25,000 or \$30,000, which is their present inflated value.

He went on to say that no local entity will be involved in the increases in taxes. "It's just the way that things turned out under the law they gave us," said Judge Carter. He said this increase in taxes will probably do

more to bring on initiative and referendum than any other thing that's been done.

The commissioners court also took bids for a tank for the Westbrook fire truck. Bid for a metal tank was \$2,875. A bid for a fiberglass tank was \$638.50. Judge Carter said no decision was made, but Commissioner Jack Shackelford will check into mounting or special care required for fiberglass tank, and because of the difference of price, they are leaning towards the fiberglass tank.

## Stanton bull double winner

STANTON — A huge Chianina bull, with the unlikely name of NCC 4259, won two awards Sunday night in the cattle show at the West Texas Fair now being held in Abilene.

The 1,900-pound bull owned by Tommy Newman of Newman Cattle Co. in Stanton was first named Senior Champion bull, and then went on to win overall Grand Champion honors in the show.

The bull is only 22 months,

which is young for show animals, but NCC 4259 was clearly the largest animal of 80-odd entered in the show.

A large crowd witnesses the judging for most of the show, which is only in its second year of existence as a part of the West Texas Fair. The show is one of the most well-liked as far as spectators are concerned because of the unusual size and appearance of Chianina cattle.

## Deaths

**K. Sturdivant**  
Services will be held for Kathleen Sturdivant, 76, of DeLeon in the DeLeon Primitive Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. Cone was born Sept. 18, 1915 in Fountain Hill, Ark. He married Mary Alice Laakmann April 25, 1936 in Indianapolis, Ind. He attended the University of Kansas and served in the navy during WWII. He moved to Bloomington, Ill. after the war and served as mayor from 1948 to 1952. He started to work for State Farm Insurance Co. in 1953.

He came to Big Spring and took over the agency here in 1959 and was still operating it at the time of his death. He was a Baptist, a member of the BPO Elks No. 1386, The American Legion, VFW, and the Big Spring Country Club.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, John Cecil of Lubbock, and Dan Marshall of Cupertino, Calif.; two daughters Mrs. Rick D. "Cathy" Kennedy of Albuquerque, N.M. and Carole Janet Cone of Austin; a brother Francis Marshall Cone of Indianapolis, Ind.; two sisters, Lois M. Hill of Madison, Ind. and Thelma Rodgers of Arlington; and six grandchildren.

All members of the Elks Lodge are considered honorary pallbearers.

# Dawson County Fair 'happenings' listed

Dawson County co-general superintendents Vickie Snell and Billy Shofner and co-directors of the Womens' Division Mrs. Jack Warren and Mrs. Kenneth Miers have announced the following "happenings" for this year's fair:

Judging of the Womens' Division will be completed at 3 p.m. Wednesday with the building being opened to the public. Matt Drennan and Phyllis Snell, superintendents of the Culinary Division expect entries in the following classes: bread, cakes, cookies, candies and pies. The grand champion of each will receive a trophy.

Vickie Huckert, Jean Warren, Leah Spears and Carol Harris, superintendents of Canned Products will take entries for canned fruits, vegetables, pickles and relishes and preserves and jellies. Grand champion of each will receive a trophy.

In this division the Ball Corporation has special premium awards of home canning books and jar coupons for first and second place winners in fruits, vegetables, pickles and relishes and jams and jellies.

Carol Drennan, Teresa Beck, Cindy Addison and Susan O'Brien, superintendents of Textiles expect entries in sewing, creative stitchey, applique, machine embroidery, crochet, knitting, tatting, needlepoint, latch hook, punch hook, quilting and breads. The grand champion of each will receive a trophy.

Becky Seago, Gay and Dyan Vogler, superintendents of the Crafts and Hobbies will have entries in: holiday parade, liquid embroidery, metal craft, pictures, tile painting, china painting, macrame and miscellaneous. Grand champion of each will receive a trophy.

Debbie Gibson, Lynn Hoffman and Inex McBrayer, superintendents of the Relics and Antiques, expect entries in glass, china and porcelain, ironstone, stoneware and crockery, minatures, whimsys and

novelties, metals, paper, wood, family heirlooms, jewelry, for men only, clothing, musical instrument, toys and banks, primitives, old photographs, bottles and jars, framed pictures, silverware and miscellaneous. Grand champion will receive a trophy.

Carolyn Cohorn, superintendent of the Youth Division will have culinary, canned products, textiles, sewing and crafts and hobbies. There is also a Ball Award for canned products in the youth division. Diane Norris, superintendent for educational exhibits, announces cash prizes of \$30, \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10 and \$5.

Janice Culp, superintendent of the Art Show announces an adult and student section with divisions in oils, pastels, watercolors, graphics and acrylics. Russell Skiles and Neil O'Brien, superintendents of the photo contest have a youth and adult division with classes of people, landscapes and other.

Located in the fair barn Jerry Harris, superintendent announces the Pet Show at 5 p.m. Mrs. Kid Koger and Mrs. Jimmie Williams, superintendents of Slipper Kicking announce this contest at 6 p.m.

Donald Love and Jimmie Williams, superintendents of the swine division will start the swine show at 7.

Thursday is Senior Citizen Day with no gate fee charge. Paul Reber and Bob Hale, superintendents of the Rabbits, Pigeons and Poultry division say the judging will start at 5 p.m. A Capon auction will be held at 9 p.m.

Mrs. Monte Griffin and Lee Roy Colgan are superintendents of the Turtle Race and Frog Jumping contest at 6 p.m.

Publicity co-superintendents for the fair are Mrs. Billy Shofner, Mrs. Kenneth Miers, Mrs. Bob Cohorn and Mrs. Bob Mayfield.

## Coahoma homecoming will feature election

The 1981 Homecoming for Coahoma High School has been scheduled for Friday and Saturday. Highlights include the Coahoma vs. Tahoka football game on Friday and a parade on Saturday.

Festivities kick off with a barbecue supper at 5 p.m. Friday. Tickets for the supper are \$4 for adults and \$2.50 for children. Following this will be the football game at 8 p.m. after which all exes will meet in the elementary cafeteria.

Saturday at 10 a.m. reception gets things rolling followed by lunch at noon in the elementary cafeteria. A business meeting will be held after lunch. A parade in downtown Coahoma at 3 p.m. will be a salute to the oil industry.

The exes will elect a homecoming king and queen from the classes of 1948 and '49.

Exes are asked to vote for one individual in each category and send their vote on a plain sheet of paper to Glenda Wright, Route 1, Box 619, Big Spring.

King candidates are: Johnson B. Hall, Tommy Shirley and Billy Carl Bates.

Queen candidates are: Jean (Harris) Roberts, Eula Bell (Self) Fowler, and June (Stamps) McCasland.

## C. Roscoe Cone

C. Roscoe Cone, 65, died at 2:30 a.m. this morning in a local hospital after a sudden illness.

## Paul Spears

Paul Edward Spears, 13, died Friday morning. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Mount Bethel Baptist Church with the Rev. Curtis Byrd Sr. of the Abundant Life Church of God in Christ in San Antonio officiating. He will be assisted by Rev. Freddie Nelson and

## Eddie Gibson

Eddie Gibson, 75, died at 6:40 a.m. this morning in a local hospital after a long illness.

Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home.

## Structure of United Way explained to social workers

The Howard County chapter of the National Association of Social Workers recently held its monthly meeting at La Posada.

Drew Mouton, vice-chairman of the United Way campaign, was guest speaker. He was introduced by Charles Preston, chapter program chairman.

Mouton explained the official structure of the United Way organization, and how budgets were set for participating United Way organizations.

He explained how budgets were submitted by participating organizations, and the importance of having officers with experience move up to higher ranking officers within the structure of the

## Trinity Memorial Funeral Home

United Way, to provide continuing areas of expertise.

Mark Miller, president of the local chapter, closed the meeting with a remainder of the Texas Chapter of NASW conventions in El Paso, Oct. 21-23.

The next meeting will be held at the La Posada Oct. 7.

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600 — FM 700  
Big Spring, Texas

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# Chem warf char

WASHINGTON — The Reagan administration is asking the U.S. to investigate "strong and evidence that chemical poisons used during operations in Soviet countries."

Ambassador Patrick G. Waldheim on send a four-n experts to visit Laos and Afghanistan.

The panel will year to allegations of warfare use the "significant formation."

At issue is agent described rain," a year spread by air ground, vegetation an contact with causes a var toms, including choking and v often occurs w

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## Chemical warfare charged

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration is asking the United Nations to investigate what it calls "strong and compelling" evidence that an outlawed chemical poison has been used during military operations in three pro-Soviet countries in Asia.

Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick asked U.N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim on Monday to send a four-man panel of experts to visit Cambodia, Laos and Afghanistan.

The panel was set up last year to investigate allegations of chemical warfare use in Asia, and Kirkpatrick offered to provide the unit with "significant new information."

At issue is the use of an agent described as "yellow rain," a yellow powder spread by aircraft over the ground, structures, vegetation and people. On contact with humans, it causes a variety of symptoms, including dizziness, choking and vomiting. Death often occurs within hours.

Briefing reporters on Monday, scientists from the State and Defense departments and from intelligence agencies said three potent mycotoxins — poisons typically produced in nature by living organisms — were used in the operations. They said no reliable casualty figures were available but added that estimates range into the thousands.

The experts, who asked not to be identified, stopped short of holding the Kremlin responsible for use of the agent, even though all three countries where it has been detected have pro-Moscow governments and receive aid from the Soviets to fight armed resistance movements.

Nonetheless, statements by the scientists and background papers provided to reporters left the clear impression that the administration believes the Soviets have been using the agent in violation of a 56-year old agreement banning chemical weapons.

Reporters were told that the agent is common to colder climates and that the Soviets have the capability to produce it in large quantities. Soviet-bloc countries have carried out extensive research on mycotoxins, and the agent has figured prominently in Soviet scientific literature since the 1930s, the officials said.



MEDFLY CLOSEUP — This is a closeup view of the Mediterranean fruit fly magnified 70 times using a scanning electron microscope. Photo by Dr. Judie Walton of the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

(AP LASERPHOTO)

## Officials facing dwindling pesticide in medfly battle

LOS GATOS, Calif. (AP) — Officials battling the Mediterranean fruit fly are dismayed at the new discovery of a fertile fly in a sprayed area and a dwindling supply of aerial pesticide.

The area where the fly was found behind a commercial fruit stand along Highway 237 already is part of 1,265 square miles being fumigated

by air, Pass said, "so the action normally taken is already being done."

The male fly, trapped in an apple tree, was the first fertile fly to turn up in the San Jose area since July.

Medfly officials also reported they were down to a week's supply of the malathion-laced bait used in spraying.

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## Republicans urge cuts in entitlement programs

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan said today he has not decided whether to heed the advice of Senate Republicans and reduce spending on Social Security in the fiscal year that begins Oct. 1.

Asked also if he would rule out changes in the way Social Security cost-of-living increases are calculated, Reagan had a rare "no comment" to reporters at the start of a morning meeting with congressional Republicans who are urging the administration to cut spending for Social Security, Medicaid and food stamps to help trim \$18 billion from the 1982 budget.

"No decisions (have been) made on anything of that kind," the president said when asked about possible changes in the cost-of-living formula. "That's why we're holding these meetings."

Asked further if he would rule out adjusting the formula in his efforts to reduce the burgeoning 1982 federal deficit, the president said "I'm going to make no comment on anything because it never seems to come out..." The end of his sentence was drowned out by laughter in the Cabinet Room.

On Monday presidential spokesman Larry Speakes first said there were no plans "right

now" to touch entitlement programs, but later said the president would consider such changes.

Speakes' reversal came after White House Chief of Staff James A. Baker III conferred with the Senate Republican leaders and agreed to consider such cuts as possible cuts because, Speakes said, there is "some sentiment" on Capitol Hill for them.

Senate Republican leaders also planned to bring to today's meeting a set of "proposed ideas" about cutting interest rates, a congressional source said.

The source, who asked not to be identified, said the senators were suggesting that Reagan consider forming a presidential commission on interest rates to monitor the situation.

However, the source added, the senators also felt there "should be no effort to overreact" by taking such steps as imposing credit controls.

Some legislators, Republicans as well as Democrats, indicated last week that they may seek enactment of credit controls if interest rates do not soon decline significantly.

The source said there are indications the president "may accept more defense cuts."

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## Commissioner scandal trial set

TEXARKANA, Texas (AP) — A new phase in an on-going federal investigation of political corruption opens this week with the trials of several northeast Texas county commissioners allegedly involved in kickback schemes.

U.S. District Judge William Steger set the trial of Titus County Commissioner Ivan Parish Jr. for 9 a.m. Wednesday. The trials of Bowie County Commissioner J.C. Arnold, and former county commissioners Bernard Brown of Bowie County and Carthel "Shorty" Reese of Titus are to follow Parish's.

Prosecutors say the kickback schemes, alleged to have operated between 1977 and 1981, generally worked two ways. The road equipment vendor might offer to give a 10 percent kickback off the top of the purchase price; or the vendor and the official might

"split a ticket" — share the payment for a piece of equipment that was never delivered to the county.

Officials in Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas are accused of participating in such schemes, and investigators say more indictments may be issued.

The four panels that will hear the northeast Texas cases were selected Monday in a seven-hour session involving 75 prospective jurors.

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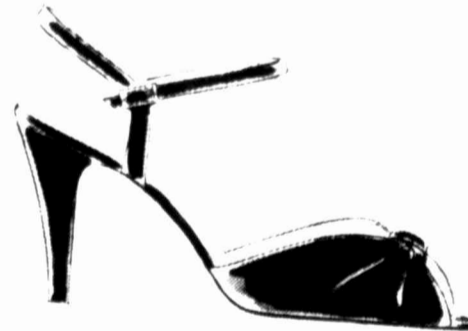
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# Fat congressional pensions

There has been considerable discussion (not all of it enlightening) on Capitol Hill in regard to Social Security.

At the same time members of Congress have succeeded remarkably in hiding their own fat federal pension plan from public view.

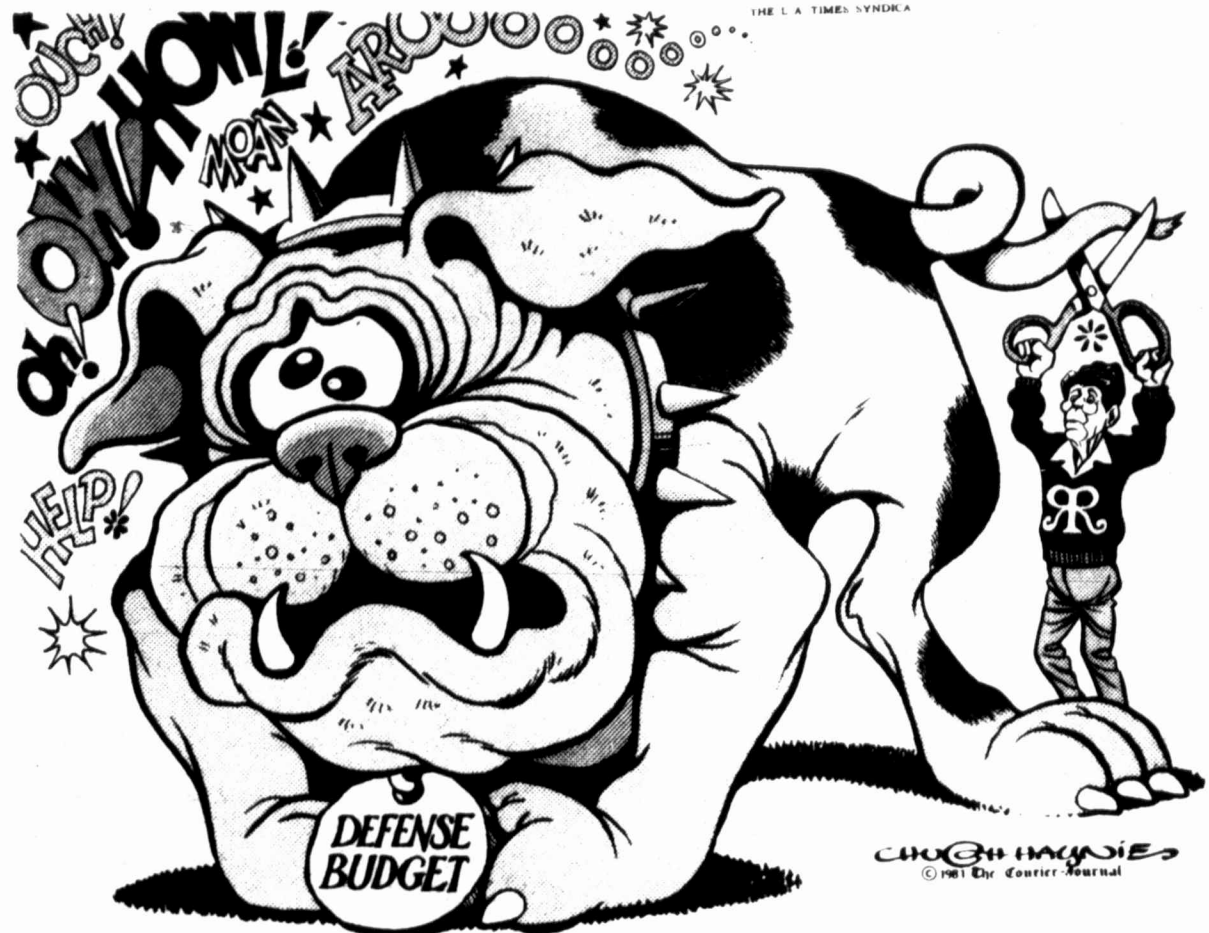
A former Republican representative from Massachusetts, Hastings Keith, has been troubled for a long time by the escalation of his pension. So much so, in fact, that he testified before a House committee back in 1975 that his pension had been "going up so fast that it is becoming scandalous."

When Keith retired in 1973 after 14 years in Congress, his pension was \$1,560 per month. In two and one-half years it climbed to \$2,095 and he told the committee that it would nearly triple to \$6,000 per month by 1990 if inflation continues at about 6 percent a year. He's well on his way. As of last March, Keith says, his monthly benefit has soared to \$3,420, which isn't bad for being on the job only 14 years.

Twice-a-year indexing of the total annuity for inflation is among factors contributing to the problem. It is estimated that taxpayers pay \$4.50 for every \$1 an individual on the federal payroll contributes for his or her pension. It will soar greatly in the years ahead. Unfunded liabilities of nearly \$1 trillion will have to be borne by taxpayers in the future to provide pensions for federal bureaucrats and the military.

The spineless Congress should start on itself. The members should dump their lucrative pensions, join the Social Security system and see firsthand how most of the rest of the country has to scrape to make ends meet.

Members of Congress, especially Democrats, make a big production about being on the side of the poor and the working class. They can prove it by putting their pensions where their rhetoric is. Such a move might even make them better representatives of the people.



## The new airlines

Art Buchwald

As more and more major airlines eliminate cities and towns from their schedules, the slack is being taken up by tiny, struggling commuter lines.

What makes this exciting is that the new airlines are flying everything from World War II DC-3's to little planes that carry no more than six passengers at one time. The planes have none of the frills of a Boeing or a Lockheed jetliner, but there is a sense of adventure about flying one that makes you think you're in a time warp, and part of the early days of flight, before they had stewardesses and in-flight movies.

We have such an airline on Martha's Vineyard which provides service between the Vineyard, Boston and New York. Every trip off and on the island is an experience that none of the major airlines can provide.

My friend Peter Stone took me to the airport for a flight to Boston. Since we both had flown the route before, we discussed it as if he were Spencer Tracy and I was Clark Gable.

"I'll take the flight, and you marry Jane," he said.

"No, I told him, 'I'll take the flight, and you marry Jane.' She really loves you."

"How do you know?" he asked.

"Because she begged me not to let you take the flight."

"Why didn't she say something to me?"

"Because she was afraid you'd do something stupid like knock me out, and then take the flight so we could get married."

"Okay, you take the flight and I'll marry Jane. If the marriage doesn't work out, I'll take the next flight and you marry her if I don't make it."

When we got to the airport, I checked in my luggage. The man behind the counter was wearing a sharp blue uniform with four stripes on it.

"You counter people have snappy uniforms," I said.

"What do you mean counter people?" he said. "I'm the pilot." He weighed my baggage and then he asked me how much I weighed.

I lied and said 190. He wrote down 200.

"People always lie by 10 pounds," he said. Then he gave me a boarding card. "The heavy people will sit up front—the lighter ones in the back of the plane."

As flight time approached I stood outside with Stone, suddenly Jane drove up. "I've changed my mind," she said, throwing her arms around me. "I want Peter to take the flight and I want to marry you."

We went back inside but the pilot said it was too late. He had to load the luggage on the plane. He picked up his microphone and said, "Cumulus Airlines' Flight 1786 is now boarding for Boston with intermediate stops in Hyannisport, Provincetown and

Woods Hole." "But," I protested, "there are eight of us already, and with two pilots that makes 10. Why do we have to stop?"

"Who said anything about two pilots?" he replied. "We have room for one more passenger in the cockpit's seat, and we may get lucky and pick up one at an intermediate stop."

"Look," I said to Peter, "you take my place and I'll marry Jane." "Are you crazy?" Peter said. "If you make it to Boston you can marry anybody you want."

The passengers walked towards the tiny plane and before climbing the two steps, the pilot took our boarding passes. Then he crawled in behind us, closed the door and crawled down to his seat.

"Welcome to Cumulus Airlines," he said. "On behalf of the entire crew we hope you have an enjoyable flight. Government regulations require me to tell you the unlikely event of any trouble your seat is your flotation jacket, so please don't forget it when going out the emergency exit door, which is the same door you came in."

The pilot got out of the plane, turned both propellers by hand, returned to the plane, and then we were barreling down the runway.

I looked out the tiny window of the plane and saw Peter and Jane waving. This didn't shake me. What shook me was that the pilot took his hands off the throttle and was waving back.



## Tragic death of a teacher

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — There is no longer any doubt about it. Chen Wen-cheng was viciously tortured on a recent visit to his native Taiwan. The episode ended in his violent death.

The fate of Chen Wen-cheng has become the subject of secret communications between Washington and Taipei. Underlying the exchange of cables is a quiet outrage over the brutal treatment of this inoffensive professor.

Chen had come to America as a graduate student and was teaching at Carnegie-Mellon University. He was a young man, just 31 years old, with a sense of dignity.

He had gone back to his homeland for a happy visit to show his infant son to his family. He was picked up by the Taiwanese authorities and interrogated for 13 hours. A few hours later, his battered body was found on the pavement beneath the fire escape of a high-rise building.

The official Taiwanese version of Chen's death was that it must have been either suicide or an accident. His friends think he was either pushed off the building or died under torture — his body perhaps dumped from the building in a clumsy attempt to simulate suicide or accident.

Both the State Department and the Central Intelligence Agency have

been investigating Chen's death. Some of the secret findings tend to corroborate the darkest suspicions of his friends.

In one cable from Taipei, an American diplomat informed the State Department that he had openly expressed his doubts to Taiwanese officials about their account of what happened to Chen. He told the Taiwanese that he was troubled over the relationship of "Chen's 13-hour interrogation by the security police to his death which took place, at the latest, a few hours after that interrogation."

The language is even less diplomatic in a confidential State Department memorandum obtained by my associate Lucette Lagnado. "There is ample reason to be critically skeptical of the prosecutor's report on Professor Chen's death," the memo states.

Noting that one important Taiwanese source "believes Chen may have been murdered," the memo adds: "The generally shaky versions of Chen's interrogation and subsequent release from custody, disseminated by the authorities, together with the substantial inconsistencies in some of the authoritative stories, lead us to share these misgivings."

What were these inconsistencies that have led American officials to suspect foul play? A confidential cable to the State Department from U.S. officials in Taipei lists some of them:

— Nongovernment experts who

examined Chen's body found "many injuries, obvious even to laymen, which are not explained by a fall." In particular, the cable says, these outside experts "believe that Chen was tortured by a variety of means, including needles inserted in sensitive areas." They noted such suspicious injuries as small lesions under the fingernails and on the left wrist, and four puncture wounds in the kidneys — none of which, they believe, would be caused by a fall from a building, accidental or otherwise.

"Once it is established that at some point prior to death Chen was subjected to torture, it is difficult then to argue that he would go to the top of a fire escape, get dizzy and fall off," the cable states. Yet that is the theory offered by the Taiwanese authorities when confronted with the even greater absurdity of their suggestion that the new father committed suicide.

Chen's interrogators claimed to have shared meals with him during his prolonged questioning. The authorities also say Chen had dinner with a friend after the interrogation. Yet the official autopsy showed Chen's stomach was empty.

These are just a few of the doubts raised by the U.S. investigations. Rep. Steve Solarz, D-N.Y., is doing still a separate investigation of Chen's death. We are also checking into the glaring discrepancies in the official Taiwanese version of the tragedy and will report our findings in a future column.



## Around the rim Dog's days

Richard Horn

We lost our dog a couple of weeks ago. She died in Houston at the wise old age of 16 — that's 112 to us.

Bridget was a true mutt: She had a Schnauzer face, a poodle body, and terrier legs. I know that sounds a little ghastly, but the parts mixed together enough so that she only looked individual.

People laugh when I tell them she raised me, but in a way she really did, with a little guidance from my parents.

I FIGURED IT OUT last night. We bought her from the Humane Society on Chicago's Southside in 1966. That means I was nine years old. Just a little brat. Probably no dog's idea of a good time, but Bridget didn't mind sitting in my lap while I watched "Gilligan's Island," or putting up with all the things little kids do to pets. She played the part of "boy's dog" just fine, and as I got older, she grew more tired and appreciated a little respect and dignity. I didn't give her any, but she still played and at least pretended to enjoy herself with me.

When we bought her, we were told she probably wouldn't live more than a month because she was so small. We were also told that we shouldn't take her out of Chicago. Those things didn't bother us. We took her to southern Illinois to visit some relatives and to Canada to visit others. When we moved to Texas, she went with us.

WHEN WE WERE transferred to England, we made arrangements to take her along. That meant six months quarantine before we could bring her in to the country, and we didn't think she would survive being couped up in some little English town miles from her family. I took the train out to see her at the kennel every Saturday, and at the end of six months she came home in better shape than we she'd gone in.

We lived behind the Iranian Embassy in London. Her proudest moment came when some Iranian students were protesting the Shah. We were walking her out front and she was really barking at them. Then she squatted down and hid her duty in their general direction.

She spent the last years in Houston, finally getting her respect and dignity because the kids had gone to college.

BRIDGET DIED OF old age. She had an enlarged heart that made it difficult for her to breathe. She breathed her last early on a Monday morning I'm told. She was there with my Mom and Dad and my sister. I'm sure that suited her just fine.

We'll probably get another dog pretty soon, but we're in no big hurry. There are little things about Bridget — the way she cocked her head and let her ears flop and the way she used to yell for her dinner at six o'clock sharp — that we don't want to be comparing with other dogs. I'm sure anybody who's ever had a pet understands that. We also want our memories of Bridget to be happy ones, not sad ones because of our loss. I think we're well on the way.



## My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I know you often have said that God loves a person. But I have come to the conclusion that he doesn't love me. Why should I think otherwise? — J.L.

DEAR J.L.: I want you to think a minute about love on the human level. How would you know if someone really cared for you and loved you? In part, you might get a hint of it if you were told that you were loved. But more than that, you would know that you were loved if that love were somehow demonstrated by actions. (That, incidentally, is why the little expressions of love — an unexpected gift, dinner at a nice restaurant to celebrate a birthday, etc. — can mean so much in a marriage.)

And what could be the greatest evidence of someone's love? I think you would agree with me that the strongest action a person could take to express love would be his willingness to risk his life for you.

How do I know God loves you? I know it first of all because his Word,

the Bible, repeatedly tells me. But more than that, I know it because Jesus Christ laid down his life for you so that you could be saved and forgiven.

Listen to what the Bible says: "This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us" (1 John 3:16). Or, again, the Bible says, "Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:7-8).

I invite you to accept God's love by inviting Jesus Christ to come into your life. He was willing to die on the cross as a sacrifice for your sins, and he wants you to come to him by faith and become his child.

Once you accept Christ, then you can learn what it means to walk with him and turn to him every day. There is no greater joy than knowing you are forgiven and that God loves you, and you can know that as you open your life to Christ.



## 'Pep pills' can raise blood pressure

Dr. Paul G. Donohue, M.D.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Can you explain how amphetamines affect the body, both physiologically and chemically? In your opinion, is it possible for persons who are overweight because of body malfunction to need them in order to just be normal? I am thinking along the same lines as in using insulin for diabetics. — N.N.

Amphetamines are stimulants. They may cause tremors, restlessness, agitation and sleeplessness. They are reported to be mood elevators and appetite suppressors.

They may also cause blood pressure to rise.

No, I really don't think amphetamines are useful for people with weight problems. I am not too sure just what kind of body malfunction you refer to in your letter. But as appetite suppressants, amphetamines quickly lose this effect. Truly, the best way to lose weight is to make sure there are fewer calories eaten than the number burned through daily activities.

Dear Dr. Donohue: Is it true that you should not use Perrier water if

you have high blood pressure? — B.W.C.

Some sparkling waters have a very high sodium content and should be avoided. Vichy water, for example, has a large amount of sodium — 351 milligrams per 8-ounce glass. To get an idea of how high that is, city tap water gives you only about 2.3 mgs. of sodium. Perrier water has 2.5, not much different than your treated city water. Some juices are quite high in sodium, so should be avoided for those with hypertension. There are low-sodium varieties available.

Your point about watching for

hidden sources of sodium is good. A cardinal rule in treatment of high blood pressure is to lower sodium (salt) intake. Since we all inevitably get more than our share of sodium in preserved food (like prepared meats) we should attempt to cut down by recognizing its presence in incidental products we use regularly, such as beverages.

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.

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# Dear Abby



## Friend Caught in Middle Of Couple's Affairs

DEAR ABBY: My friend (I'll call her Alice) is a wonderful person. Her husband (let's call him Ray) works with my husband. Ray confides in my husband—man to man. My husband told me that Ray gets involved with the girls in the office on every job they're on. These affairs last the duration of the job. Then we're all transferred to another location and Ray starts up with the girls at his new job. This has been going on for 16 years.

Alice is a doll. Great personality, excellent hostess and nice looking. Why Ray fools around I'll never understand. Abby, Alice asked me if Ray played around. She asked me to be honest with her and not let her be the last to know. Should I tell her? My husband says I shouldn't. Ray is getting away with murder. His wife doesn't deserve this. Would you tell Alice the truth or not?

TEMPTED

DEAR TEMPTED: Judging from Alice's question, I would say she already knows. Your husband should tell Ray that his wife is suspicious of his philandering and has asked you questions, but you have remained mum. And let it go at that.

DEAR ABBY: Will you please tell me if a couple (both divorced) can be married in the Southern Baptist Church? Are they allowed to shop for clothes on Sunday? Are they allowed to hold a garage sale on Sunday? Are they allowed to wear makeup and color their hair? Is it true that a good Baptist carries his Bible at all times? Please answer soon, as I have to know. Thank you.

NEEDS INFORMATION

DEAR NEEDS: A couple (both divorced) can be married in the Southern Baptist Church, but the clergyman will probably question them about their previous marriages first. They are allowed to shop for clothes on Sundays, and are permitted to wear makeup and color their hair as long as it's done in a good taste.

A good Baptist does not carry a Bible with him at all times. He carries the words of the Scripture in his heart.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have two daughters, ages 15 and 13. We live down the street from my folks, and when the girls have stopped to see their grandmother, they have been greeted with such remarks as, "Gee, you sure have a lot of pimples," and "My, but you're getting fat!" Last week when my 13-year-old stopped to visit, my mother said (right in front of some other relatives), "Gracious, but you're developing quite a bust!" Now the girls don't want to go there any more, and I can't say as I blame them.

I told my mother the reason the girls stopped visiting her, and she said, "It's a darned shame they are so overly sensitive. They had better outgrow that."

Are my daughters, in your opinion, "overly sensitive" — or is there something wrong with my mother?

"HOT" IN HOT SPOTS

DEAR HOT: It's your mother. She sounds hopeless, but try to educate her anyway.

Problems? You'll feel better if you get them off your chest. Write to Abby: 12060 Hawthorne Blvd., Suite 5000, Hawthorne, Calif. 90250. For a personal reply, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

## Chapter receives award

Alpha Kappa Omicron was awarded a three star rating at the club's meeting Sept. 8. The award came from the International office in Missouri, and is the highest award given.

The meeting took place in the home of Barbara Kennedy with Ceil Bedell, president, leading the opening ritual.

Members were informed of their membership status, and were also invited to a hayride by members of Alpha Phi Delta.

Janie Swafford was elected sweetheart for the coming year. Viena Grumms and Barbara Kennedy presented a program on the family.

After the closing ritual, members surprised Mrs. Swafford with a baby shower.

The next meeting will be Sept. 22 in the home of Ceil Bedell. The program topic will be marriage.



THERE SHE IS — Elizabeth Ward, Miss Arkansas, from Russellville, Ark., starts her walk after she was crowned the New Miss America in Atlantic City late Saturday.

## Officers host coffee

The home of Jean Wilder was the setting for a welcoming coffee recently for members of the Beta Kappa chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma.

Hostesses were Jean Wilder, president; Doris Hui-bregtse, first vice president; Janice Rosson, second vice president; Anna Walker, recording secretary; Carol Stephens, corresponding secretary; Helen Gladden, treasurer; Corinne Buckner, parliamentarian; and Fern Alexander, past president.

Founded in 1929, Delta Kappa Gamma International is an organization for women educators. The local chapter was organized in 1935, and its members are outstanding educators in Glascock, Howard, Martin and Sterling counties.

Names of prospective new members were presented during the coffee and members were reminded of the Oct. 3 regional meeting in Colorado City.

## Mary Jane Club begins activities with Thursday morning breakfast

Members of the Mary Jane Club began their year's activities with a breakfast Thursday morning. The 9:30 meeting took place in the home of Mrs. James Coates in the R Bar Community. Mrs. Ted Fowler was co-hostess.

The dining tables were covered with white cloths and centered with arrangements of candles and flowers. Members answered roll call with "A Summer Highlight."

New officers for the club year are Mrs. David Barr, president; Mrs. Jerri Gee, vice president; Mrs. Carroll Choate, secretary. Mrs.

Kirby Brown, treasurer; and Mrs. Glyn Mitchel, reporter. Mrs. O.D. O'Daniel, program and yearbook chairman, distributed the new year books and discussed planned programs for the year.

The thought for the day was, "Friendships are fragile things and require as much care in handling as any other fragile and precious thing." Members will bring cookies for the Big Spring

State Hospital to their next meeting on Oct. 8. The meeting will take place in the home of Mrs. Choate.

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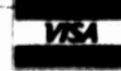
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## Skipping breakfast? plan ahead instead

COLLEGE STATION — says. Skipping breakfast these days? Don't.

That's the advice of Dr. Dymple Cooksey, a foods and nutritional specialist on the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Breakfast is important," she stresses, "to properly equip us for the day's activities." And when people don't eat breakfast, they're more likely to resort to the skimpy, high-calorie, low-nutrition snacks by mid-morning," she adds.

A "better" idea is to try "Time-Saving Breakfast Breakthroughs," she says. "Breakfast Breakthroughs" are Cooksey's answer to the "no-time, no-morning-appetite" syndrome, she

Here are Cooksey's "Breakfast Breakthroughs:"

The main key is to partially prepare your breakfast menu the night before.

Beat and refrigerate eggs for scrambling the next morning. Or assemble ingredients for pancakes and waffles, measure them and set them aside.

Wash, peel and cut up fresh fruit or melons the night before. Combine these in your blender jar and blend. Refrigerate. In the morning, you'll have a cool vitality drink for a very different "Breakfast Breakthrough."

If you're getting back to basics with grains, make whole-grain muffins and breads ahead of time. Divide them into meal-size portions and freeze.

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## Pounding and shower honor bride-elect

Laurie Daniels, bride-elect of Bart Shyrack, was honored with an old-fashioned pounding and kitchen shower Aug. 27. The event took place in the lounge of the First National Bank.

Hostesses were Lanell Morgan, Janette Bentley, Eva Harlin, Vada Minnick and Lisa Stephens. Miss Daniels was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Melvin Daniels, and her grandmother, Mrs. T.L. Daniels.

The couple will marry Saturday in Trinity Baptist Church.

## Son's birth is announced by Hardings

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harding, Vincent, announce the birth of a son, John Lee, Sept. 8 at Root Memorial Hospital, Colorado City. The infant arrived at 4:21 a.m. weighing 8 pounds two ounces and measuring 19 inches in length.

John Lee's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Carr, 1601 Kentucky, and his paternal grandmother is Mrs. Pat Harding, Vincent. Mr. and Mrs. B.F. Carr, West Hwy., are his great-grandparents.

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## Texas taxis provide cold beer, recognition

DALLAS (AP) — Tenderfoot travelers visiting the Lone Star State can tour Dallas in true Texas tradition thanks to a novel taxi service that caters to would-be cowboys who "like their beer cold and their tops down."

"What we've done is come up with a concept to entertain out-of-towners coming to Dallas expecting to see what they think of as Texas," says Dewitt Ray III, one of three partners who own a trio of white El Dorado Cadillacs complete with Longhorn hood ornaments, Texas flags and cowboy chauffeurs.

"People who come to Dallas are often disappointed. They just see another city, not the true Texas things that Dallas has to offer," he said. "We want people to get a true taste of Texas."

The three convertible limousines, adorned with a set of horns stretching the width of the car, have gained some notoriety since the three men opened for business last May, Ray said. "We did the Cattle Barons' Ball held at Southfork and picked up the entire crew of the television series 'Dallas,'" Ray said. "Larry Hagman (who plays the villainous J.R. Ewing) loved it. He called us about a

month ago and asked for two cars to be brought out and used in the last filming they did here."

But for \$50 an hour, the limo service offers more than just a dressed up Cadillac.

"We offer entertainment in transit. The chauffeurs are dressed in boots, jeans, a white cowboy shirt and hat," Ray said. "There's yellow roses for the ladies — you know, like the 'Yellow Rose of Texas' — and there's cigars for the men and Lone Star Longnecks (beer) for everybody."

Ray and partners Kirk Dooley and Tom Stephenson came up with the idea last October.

"Kirk came to me and said, 'We have people coming in from out of town all the time. Why don't we find a way to make them feel like they're in Texas?' So we came up with the idea of the taxi service," Ray said.

"We thought of having a convertible with horns and when anybody thinks of Texas they think of those big, white Texas Cadillac Eldorados."

Ray says the customers love being in the limelight as they tour downtown Dallas in the attention-grabbing taxis. "It's like a parade. Instant recognition.



TEXAS TAXI — Chauffeur David Wright stands beside a Texas Taxi in Dallas Friday. Tenderfoot travelers visiting the Lone Star State can tour Dallas in true Texas tradition via a novel taxi service that caters to would-be cowboys who "like their beer cold and their tops down."

## Pope calls for higher wages to aid families

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope John Paul II in the third encyclical of his papacy called today for wage scales sufficient for family support so that mothers do not have to abandon the care and education of their children.

The pope's 99-page statement on social issues also —

Called for "radical and urgent changes" in the Third World to improve life for the masses there.

Gave strong backing to labor unions and said they should be guaranteed the right

to strike except for political purposes or in essential public services.

— Repeated his previous criticisms of both the capitalist and communist systems and called for an economy based on a mixture of private and public ownership.

The pope said workers should receive a "just" wage, which he defined as big enough to support the entire family. If the father earns such a wage, he said, the mother is free to take care of her children and educate them.

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## Motel to fine smoking guests

DALLAS (AP) — Entrepreneur Lyndon Sanders' latest venture has started sparks flying, but he's quite certain there won't be any smoke.

Guests at Sanders' Non-Smoker's Inn, tentatively scheduled to open Nov. 15, will be required to sign a form agreeing to pay \$100 if anyone in their rooms lights a cigarette, pipe or cigar.

The telephone receptionist will answer, "Have a healthy day," and a sign in front of the motel will read, "The surgeon general is still trying to find something good about smoking." No smoking signs will be in abundance.

"If someone does light up a cigarette in the lobby or outside, we'll ask them to put it out and we'll be courteous about it," said Sanders, 53, who quit smoking about 25 years ago.

"I don't foresee a situation where someone would smoke just to be defiant," he added. "But we'll be persistent in our enforcement, if you want to call it that, and we'll police it closely. I don't

believe, though, it would reach a point where I'd have to hire the biggest guy in Dallas to break somebody's arms, although I would if I had to."

Sanders, who owns Kandue, Inc., says his novel idea has raised more than a few eyebrows. "My friends think I'm nuts," he said.

A couple of years ago, Sanders designated a wing of his Dollar Inn in Albuquerque, N.M., as non-smoking. That section quickly became the one with the highest occupancy rate.

"The hotel-motel industry will be watching this Non-Smoker's Inn pretty intently," Sanders said.

Sanders is counting on several factors to make the Non-Smoker's Inn a success. The location is equidistant to Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport and the fashion markets and is easily accessible, he says. It will feature a sauna and swimming pool.

"Also, we'll be charging, as it stands now, \$28 a night for the rooms," he said. "Compare that to what other

motel in this market are currently charging." Dallas-Fort Worth motel rooms now run about \$35 to \$50.

Ernest Inman, office manager for the motel project, says the company's insurance agents are checking out the possibility of lower fire insurance rates.

## Senate takes knife to farm support bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate, responding to Reagan administration objections about cost, is trying to pare even more from the "cost-conscious" farm price support program drafted by its Agriculture Committee.

"It's clear that the president will not sign the bill in its present form," says Sen. Walter Huddleston of Kentucky, the ranking Democrat on the committee.

Farm-belt senators, led by Huddleston and Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., the Agriculture Committee chairman, have proposed a compromise on target price levels they believe acceptable to most of their colleagues. But they are still trying to find a dairy price support plan that the administration will buy.

The level of dairy price supports, potentially the most expensive federal commodity program, was clouding consideration of other issues as the Senate continued debating the farm bill today.

Agriculture Secretary John Block said Monday that President Reagan would veto a farm bill that did not conform to Block's dairy price support recommendations.

"Yes, I think he will," was Block's response when asked if Reagan would reject the farm bill over the dairy issue.

And Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., warned that failure to make some kind of cut in the dairy price support program could jeopardize passage of the compromise reduction proposed for target price programs. Under target prices, farmers get direct federal payments when market prices drop below specified levels.

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LADY STEERS CO-CAPTAINS ... Leading the Big Spring Lady Steers into their 5-AAAAA opener tonight against Abilene High will be co-captains Sissy Doss (10), Elise Wheat (24) and Pam Caudill (25). All are seniors. Game time is seven o'clock in Steer Gym.

Leonard, Hearn predict early KOs

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — All the cards are on the table for one of the biggest games of showdown this town has seen. Sugar Ray Leonard and Thomas Hearns are set to meet in the biggest money fight ever for the undisputed welterweight championship Wednesday night at Caesars Palace.

But Leonard is prepared to face that danger. "He tries to knock you out with every punch," he said. "I don't think Hearn can box."

record of \$29 million for the first Leonard-Roberto Duran fight. In addition to the 24,382 seats at Caesars, there are 298 closed circuit television locations around the United States and 24 cities where it will be available on at-home pay television.

Which ever fighter wins will own only the second unified title in the divided world of boxing. Hearn brings a record of 32-0 with 30 knockouts into the 20-foot ring, while Leonard is 30-1 with 20 KOs.

Lady Steers open 5-AAAAA volleyball slate tonight

The Big Spring Lady Steers volleyball team opens their 1981 District 5-AAAAA schedule at home tonight when the Abilene Eagles arrive.

should be fully rested, as they did not play a contest last week. That week of rest came at a much needed time, as Purser indicated that the Lady Steers were suffering from some nagging injuries.

night. In other contests, San Angelo is at Abilene Cooper, Midland Lee travels to Odessa and Odessa Permian is at Midland.

There will be a JV contest between the two schools beginning at six o'clock in Steer Gym.

Reds win opener over Astros in do or die series

HOUSTON (AP) — Cincinnati Reds catcher Johnny Bench says it's "put up or shut up" time for the Reds, and it was Bench who "put up" against the National League West-leading Houston Astros Monday night.

hits in the Reds' 4-2 triumph in the Astrodome. "There's only 19 games to go, so we've got to put up or shut up," Bench said.

closed strong to finish a half-game behind Los Angeles, but every one started with a clean slate in the second half.

"We've had our ups and downs, but we better be on an up-swing now or we'll be watching the playoffs on TV," Bench said.

In college football poll

Notre Dame coach finds team No. 1 after first week

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Last fall, Jerry Faust was coaching high school football in Cincinnati and now he finds himself coaching a Notre Dame team ranked No. 1 in college football.

and Alabama, last week's top two teams. Michigan, which meets Notre Dame this Saturday, fell from the top spot after losing its Big Ten opener to Wisconsin.

the top five teams in this week's AP poll while Michigan, Alabama and Nebraska dropped to 11th, 12th and 17th, respectively.

climbed from sixth to fourth and received 12 firsts and 1,113 points following a 27-13 triumph over California.

13th a week ago, rose to ninth and 10th, respectively. UCLA received 690 points following a 35-18 triumph over Arizona while North Carolina mauled East Carolina 56-0 and received 661 points.

Table with 2 columns: Rank, Team Name, Points. Includes Notre Dame (24), South Carolina (15), Oklahoma (12), Georgia (17), Penn State (11), Texas (1), Pittsburgh (10), Ohio State (10), UCLA (9), North Carolina (8), Michigan (7), Alabama (6), Brigham Young (5), Washington (4), Mississippi State (3), Miami, Fla. (2), Nebraska (1), Arizona (1), Florida (1), Wisconsin (1).

Faust had his debut with the Fighting Irish Saturday and his team jumped to the top spot in The Associated Press college football poll this week after defeating Louisiana State 27-9.

"I think I'll retire now. At least I can say I was No. 1 once in my life," the coach said Monday after learning the Irish had taken over first place in the AP poll.

Notre Dame, fourth a week ago, hurdled to the top with 24 of 65 first-place votes and 1,233 of a possible 1,300 points.

Pitt, idle last weekend, went from a tie for ninth to seventh place with 763 points while Ohio State whipped Duke and climbed from 11th to eighth with 710 points.

Rounding out the Top Twenty are Brigham Young, Mississippi State, Washington, Miami of Florida, Nebraska, Arizona State, Florida State and Wisconsin, which appears in the rankings for the first time in many years.

In this week's game vs. Dolphins

Campbell's decoy won't work

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Oilers Coach Ed Biles won't be using the Earl Campbell decoy system against the Miami Dolphins, Sunday's opponent in the Astrodome.

Although Campbell was clearly off-form he stayed in the game primarily as a decoy, a decision he later regretted.

The Oilers offense struggled against the Browns, having to win on three field goals by Tom Fritsch. Even after an 88-yard kickoff return by Carl Roaches to open the second half, the Oilers had to settle for a field goal.

one of those mistakes, it just encouraged Cleveland to continue playing great defense.

And takes away from John McEnroe's victory

Phone calls threaten Borg in US Open

NEW YORK (AP) — A telephone call detracted from John McEnroe's triumph, and Tracy Austin's baseline perfection ruined Martina Navratilova's dream.

Navratilova lost a three-set thriller to Austin 1-6, 7-6, 7-6 Saturday but gained the respect and admiration of the crowd which had filled the National Tennis Center in Flushing Meadow.

Armstrong Stadium, showered, changed clothes and entered a waiting station wagon that sped him and his entourage to their Long Island home.

The U.S. Open ended in a blaze of glory for McEnroe and Austin as they etched their names once again on the list of champions. And it ended for at least one more year the hopes of Bjorn Borg and Navratilova.

But when it was all over, the talk was not about the winners. It was about Borg, the masterful Swede who disappeared after losing for the 10th time in America's premier tennis event.

A telephoned threat also was made on Saturday, when Borg defeated Jimmy Connors in the semifinals, 6-2, 7-5, 6-4. At that time, Lennart Bergelin, Borg's coach, was notified, but the player wasn't told about the call until his match ended.

Murray, Buckner weekly honorees

NEW YORK (AP) — First Baseman Eddie Murray of the Baltimore Orioles, who hit 423 (11-for-26) with a slugging percentage of .846 and an on-base percentage of .483 during the week of Sept. 7-13, was named American League Player of the Week for that period, and Bill Buckner of the Chicago Cubs took the honors in the National League for the second time this season.

Goliad girls sweep pair

Both the Goliad White and Black girls volleyball teams won their home openers yesterday, whipping Colorado City JHS. The White team won by a score of 15-5, 15-2. High point servers were Priscilla Banks with 10 points and Terry Garcia with nine. Mary Anita Trevino was noted for her defensive play.

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I'LL TAKE THAT — Oakland Raiders defensive end Cedrick Hardman (86) prepares to scoop up the fumble caused by the sack of Minnesota Vikings quarterback Wade Wilson (11) by Raiders tackle Howard Long (75). Rear, Hardman rambled untouched into the end zone to put the cap on the Raiders 36-10 victory.

# Raider defense outscores Viking offense

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — Balanced scoring doesn't always mean the running-passing ratio. At times it can be an offensive-defensive ratio. Whatever, the Oakland Raiders have it.

That balance between offense and defense was evident in the Raiders' 36-10 romp over the struggling and injury-plagued Minnesota Vikings in the National Football League's Monday night showcase event.

"For a time there I wasn't sure whether our defense might not outscore the offense," said quarterback Jim Plunkett, who tossed two touchdown passes but also watched his teammates score a pair of touchdowns on an interception return and a fumble return.

Burgess Owens picked off a Steve Dilks screen pass and sprinted 30 yards for Oakland's first touchdown in the second quarter for a 10-0 lead. Midway through the fourth quarter 12-year veteran Cedric Hardman scooped up a fumble by

rookie quarterback Wade Wilson and rumbled 52 yards untouched into the end zone to give the Raiders a 30-10 lead.

"They teach us from day one that you pick up the ball and go," said Hardman, who grabbed the ball after a hit by teammate Howard Long forced Wilson's fumble.

The defending Super Bowl champion Raiders were coming off a 9-7 loss to Denver last week and were determined to get back on the track to the playoffs. Oakland also kept intact its incredible success record for Monday night games, recording its 13th consecutive victory and raising its overall record to 17-1 since 1970.

"We kept our Monday night record alive with a powerful performance both offensively and defensively," said Flores. "And we needed it after losing to Denver last Sunday."

Plunkett fired scoring passes of 21 yards to Todd Christensen and 12 yards to Morris Bradshaw. Chris Bahr added a 21-yard field goal

and backup Marc Wilson lofted a 61-yard TD pass to Malcolm Barnwell with just 4:14 to play to round out the scoring.

Minnesota's only touchdown came courtesy of Eddie Payton, who returned a Bahr kickoff 99 yards for a TD late in the first half to cut Oakland's lead to 16-7.

"We played the world champions and they kicked our butts, no matter how you spell it," said Minnesota Coach Bud Grant, whose club dropped to 0-2, the Vikings' worst start since 1967.

The Raiders sacked Minnesota quarterbacks eight times and held the Vikings to just 42 yards rushing — 27 of those in the Vikings' final possession late in the game — but had to overcome 124 yards in penalties.

"There were a lot of flags, especially ours," Plunkett admitted.

Oakland lost safety Mike Davis in the first three minutes of the game with a broken leg.

## Akers won't judge stats

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — John Walker, who ran for 155 yards and scored on an 18-yard run against Rice, almost was lost to the team in spring training, says Coach Fred Akers.

"At one point John Walker wasn't going to be with the team," Akers told his weekly news conference Monday.

Akers declined to expand on his statement, but when he was told that Walker — whose picture is not even included in the Longhorn press book — had pledged himself to "more work and less talk," Akers responded: "I'll vote for that."

Longhorn coaches selected Walker, a Killen sophomore, as the most valuable player on offense in Texas' 31-city Saturday, and chose senior cornerback Vance Bedford of Beaumont Hebert as the MVP on defense.

Akers said Walker "had a good performance, results-wise... (but) he missed several opportunities" and would "have gained a lot more yardage if he had paid attention."

Asked what he meant by missing opportunities, Akers said Walker needs to learn "when to turn it on, make a cut or lower his shoulder."

Akers added, however, "It took Earl Campbell six games to realize that."

Campbell led college football in rushing his senior year in 1977 and won the Heisman Trophy.

## Allen moves to top spot in AAA

By The Associated Press  
Fredericksburg and Red Oak do not appear in this week's Associated Press South Oak Cliff, San Antonio Holmes and El Paso Bel Air. West Orange Stark, 2-0, moved into the top 10 to replaced Plano as the No. 9 team.

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rugged Highland Park 7-6, became the new runnerup in Class 5A followed by Dallas South Oak Cliff, San Antonio Holmes and El Paso Bel Air. West Orange Stark, 2-0, moved into the top 10 to replaced Plano as the No. 9 team.

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Class A where No. 9 Falls City was defeated 34-0 by Nixon, rated No. 5 in 2A, and Runge lost to Shiner St. Paul. Aspermont and Agua Dulce moved in as the ninth and 10th ranked teams.

Here is The Associated Press Schoolboy Football Poll with first place votes in parentheses, season records and points based on 100-0-7-4-5-4-2-1.

Class 5A  
1. Port Arthur Jefferson (2) 2-0-0-2  
2. Sherman (2) 2-0-0-1  
3. Dallas South Oak Cliff (1) 2-0-0-1  
4. San Antonio Holmes 2-0-0-1  
5. El Paso Bel Air (1) 2-0-0-1  
6. Brazoswood 2-0-0-1  
7. Odessa Permian 2-0-0-1  
8. Alice 2-0-0-1  
9. West Orange Stark 2-0-0-1  
10. Temple 1-1-0-3

Class 4A  
1. Georgetown (1) 2-0-0-2  
2. Huntville (1) 1-0-2-2  
3. Emma (3) 2-0-0-2  
4. Gregory Portland (1) 1-0-0-1  
5. Rockwall 2-0-0-1  
6. Brownwood 2-0-0-1  
7. Beaumont Hester 2-0-0-1

Class 3A  
1. Marley Falls (1) 2-0-0-2  
2. Eastland (2) 2-0-0-2  
3. Shiner (2) 2-0-0-2  
4. Pilot Point (1) 2-0-0-1  
5. Newton 2-0-0-1  
6. Litchfield 2-0-0-1  
7. Marble Falls (1) 1-0-1-1  
8. Caldwell 2-0-0-1  
9. Alpine 1-1-0-2  
10. Breckenridge 1-1-0-2

Class 2A  
1. Forney (1) 2-0-0-2  
2. Eastland (2) 2-0-0-2  
3. Shiner (2) 2-0-0-2  
4. Pilot Point (1) 2-0-0-1  
5. Newton 2-0-0-1  
6. Litchfield 2-0-0-1  
7. Marble Falls (1) 1-0-1-1  
8. Caldwell 2-0-0-1  
9. Alpine 1-1-0-2  
10. Breckenridge 1-1-0-2

Class 1A  
1. Marley Falls (1) 2-0-0-2  
2. Eastland (2) 2-0-0-2  
3. Shiner (2) 2-0-0-2  
4. Pilot Point (1) 2-0-0-1  
5. Newton 2-0-0-1  
6. Litchfield 2-0-0-1  
7. Marble Falls (1) 1-0-1-1  
8. Caldwell 2-0-0-1  
9. Alpine 1-1-0-2  
10. Breckenridge 1-1-0-2

## Scorecard

### BASEBALL

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	22	12	.647	—
New York	20	14	.588	2
Milwaukee	20	16	.556	3
Baltimore	18	15	.545	3 1/2
Boston	18	15	.545	3 1/2
Cleveland	17	18	.486	5 1/2
Toronto	15	17	.469	6

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	18	12	.600	—
Montreal	16	12	.571	2 1/2
Chicago	16	17	.485	3 1/2
New York	15	18	.455	4 1/2
Philadelphia	13	19	.406	6 1/2
Pittsburgh	14	21	.400	6 1/2

### WEST

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	22	12	.647	—
Los Angeles	20	14	.588	2
Atlanta	18	15	.545	3 1/2
Cincinnati	18	15	.545	3 1/2
San Francisco	18	15	.545	3 1/2
San Diego	10	25	.286	12 1/2

### EAST

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	20	14	.588	—
Chicago	18	15	.545	3 1/2
Philadelphia	17	18	.486	4 1/2
Seattle	17	18	.486	4 1/2
San Francisco	12	20	.375	6

### Box Score

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	18	12	.600	—
Montreal	16	12	.571	2 1/2
Chicago	16	17	.485	3 1/2
New York	15	18	.455	4 1/2
Philadelphia	13	19	.406	6 1/2
Pittsburgh	14	21	.400	6 1/2

### CINCINNATI

Player	ab	r	h	bb	so	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Holmer	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Griffey	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ciprien	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Foster	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Borch	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miller	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Driesen	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Knight	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nolan	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oester	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berary	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillm	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucare	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### HOUSTON

Player	ab	r	h	bb	so	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Holmer	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Griffey	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ciprien	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Foster	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Borch	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miller	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Driesen	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Knight	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nolan	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oester	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berary	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillm	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucare	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### TRANSACCIONES

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	18	12	.600	—
Montreal	16	12	.571	2 1/2
Chicago	16	17	.485	3 1/2
New York	15	18	.455	4 1/2
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## PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 3, 1981

### PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize cities, towns and other taxing units to grant exemptions from ad valorem taxes on an unproductive, undeveloped or blighted area in order to encourage its development. The amendment would also allow the legislature to authorize a city or town to issue bonds or notes to finance this development and to pledge future increases in ad valorem tax revenues from the property in such areas to repay these bonds or notes.

### PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 117 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize a person to receive a patent to land from the Commissioner of the General Land Office under certain conditions. Application for the patent must be made within five years from approval of the amendment. The land must be surveyed, public free school land not previously patentable. The person must have a properly recorded deed to the land, which he acquired without knowledge of the patent defect and which title he and his predecessors in interest have held for at least 50 years. The person and his predecessors in interest must have continuously claimed the land and paid the taxes for at least 50 years.

### PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 38 proposes a constitutional amendment that would enable the legislature to grant to a state finance management committee the authority to manage state funds. Funds constitutionally dedicated to specific purposes would not be subject to committee management. The committee would be composed of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, Chairman of the Senate State Affairs Committee, and the Chairman of the House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee.

### PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 6 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that one-half of the surplus tax revenues

### PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 81 authorizes the governing body of a county, city, school district or other political subdivisions to exempt from taxation a portion of the market value of a residence homestead. The portion exempted may be as much as 40% for 1982-1984; 30% for 1985-1987; and 20% for 1988 and after. The amount of an exemption may not be less than \$5,000 unless the legislature by general law prescribes other monetary restrictions on the amount of the exemption. An eligible adult is allowed to receive other applicable exemptions provided by law. An exception is made where ad valorem tax has previously been pledged for the payment of debt.

### PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to issue and sell an additional \$250,000,000 in bonds increasing the Veterans' Land Fund's total bond issuance authorization from \$700,000,000 to \$950,000,000. The amendment would increase the maximum interest payable by the state on these bonds from 6% to 10%, and permit an even higher rate, if specified by the legislature.

### PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 49 proposes a constitutional amendment that would exempt livestock and poultry from taxation. Currently, farm products in the hands of the producer and family supplies for home and farm use are exempt.

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## AVISO PUBLICO

Breves Declaraciones Explicativas De Las ENMIENDAS CONSTITUCIONALES PROPUESTAS ELECCION ESPECIAL 3 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 1981

### PROPOSICION NO. 1 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 8 del Senado propone una enmienda constitucional que permita a la legislatura autorizar a ciudades, pueblos y otras entidades fiscales conceder exenciones de impuestos por avalúo a un área no productiva, subdesarrollada o deteriorada para estimular su desarrollo. La enmienda también permitiría a la legislatura autorizar a una ciudad o a un pueblo emitir bonos o valores para financiar este desarrollo y cancelar futuros aumentos de impuestos por avalúo sobre la propiedad en dichas áreas para pagar estos bonos o valores.

### PROPOSICION NO. 2 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 117 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que autorice a una persona a recibir título de terreno que adquirió sin saber del defecto de título y que él y sus antepasados interesados han tenido por lo menos durante 50 años. La persona y sus antepasados interesados tienen que haber reclamado el terreno continuamente y pagado los impuestos por lo menos durante 50 años.

### PROPOSICION NO. 3 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 38 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que autorice a la legislatura conceder a un comité estatal de administración financiera la autoridad de administrar fondos estatales. Los fondos destinados por la constitución a fines específicos no estarán sujetos a la administración del comité. El comité estará compuesto del Gobernador, el Gobernador Teniente, el Presidente de la Cámara de Representantes, el Presidente del Comité de Finanzas del Senado, el Presidente del Comité de Asignaciones de la Cámara de Representantes, el Presidente del Comité de Asuntos de Estado y el Presidente del Comité de Medios y Arbitrios de la Cámara de Representantes.

### PROPOSICION NO. 4 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 6 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que disponga que la mitad de

### PROPOSICION NO. 5 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 49 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que dejaría libres de impuestos el ganado y las aves. Actualmente los productos agrícolas en manos del productor y las provisiones familiares para el uso de la casa y de la granja están libres de impuestos.

### PROPOSICION NO. 6 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 81 de la Cámara de Representantes autoriza al cuerpo gobernante de un condado, una ciudad, un distrito escolar u otras subdivisiones políticas declarar libre de impuestos una porción del valor de mercado de un hogar de residencia. La porción libre de impuestos puede ser hasta 40% para el periodo 1982-1984; 30% para 1985-1987; y 20% para 1988 y los años siguientes. La cantidad de la exención no puede ser menos de \$5,000 a menos que la legislatura por ley general prescriba otras restricciones monetarias de la cantidad de exención. A un adulto elegible se le permite recibir otras exenciones aplicables previstas por la ley. Se hace excepción en caso de que los impuestos por avalúo hayan sido comprometidos previamente por el pago de deudas.

### PROPOSICION NO. 7 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 4 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda que autorice a la Junta de Terrenos para Veteranos poner en circulación adicionales en la cantidad de \$250,000,000 lo cual aumentaría de \$700,000,000 a \$950,000,000 la autorización total de circulación de bonos del Fondo de Terrenos para Veteranos. La enmienda aumentaría el interés máximo pagable por el estado por estos bonos de 6% a 10%; y permitiría una tarifa aun más alta si fuera especificada por la legislatura.

### PROPOSICION NO. 8 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 49 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que permitiría incluir el ganado y las aves con los productos agrícolas libres de impuestos.

### PROPOSICION NO. 9 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 49 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que permitiría incluir el ganado y las aves con los productos agrícolas libres de impuestos.

### PROPOSICION NO. 10 EN LA BOLETA

Resolución Conjunta No. 49 de la Cámara de Representantes propone una enmienda constitucional que permitiría incluir el ganado y las aves con los productos agrícolas libres de impuestos.

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**PAY MORE? WHAT FOR?** See it now — priced at \$20,000 and owner will carry note w. \$5,000 down. Cute 3 bdrm. on Oriole, just painted on outside. Roomy kit., a good buy.

**ARE YOU LOOKING FOR** Forsan School Dist? Make appointment today to see this extra nice 2 bdrm., 2 bth mobile home. 1978 model situated on 6 lots of varying sizes. Anchored and pinned. Home in fantastic cond. Beautiful cabinets, dble. insulated, dble. windows. Owner will finance w. \$11,500 down at 12%. Mid \$20's.

**TRUMP IN ON A GOOD DEAL** This house has your dream kitchen. Pretty cabinets w. lge. break bar, spacious dining area, dk. w/whr., nice vinyl & Formica. Oversize livg. rm. w. rm. for formal dining. Huge utility rm. w. cabinets, 2 bdrm., 2 bths. Nr. High school. Hi \$20's.

**CLASS "A"** Couldn't be nicer! Couldn't be cleaner! Couldn't be a better home for you and your family. This Sand Spgs. lovely has 3 bdrms. (one is perfect for a den), huge country kitchen, pretty cpl. throughout. Huge utility rm., carport & storage, patio w. grape arbor. On 1/4 acre. Will sell VA. \$30,000.

**ROMPING ROOM** for your children. Roomy home on extra lge. lot located No. of town. Oversize mstr. bdrm. w. lots of closet space plus two other bdrms. 2 bth. Cellar with entrance inside house. Good water well, new 500 gal. septic tank. Would you believe, all this for under \$30,000.

**R-E-A-L-L-Y SUPER** on Alabama. Pretty 3 bdrm. brk. w. nice painted den. Fenced bk. yd. w. storage house and patio. Owner will sell FHA or VA. Better be an early bird. Priced to sell at \$31,500.

**ACRES OF ACRES**, 20 to be exact. Hook-up for mobile home, septic tank, good water well. Enjoy the peace and quiet of the country, south of town, Richie Rd. Bargain priced at \$1,500 an acre.

**FOR LEASE:** Perfect location for your new business. On Gregg St., approx 4500 sq. ft. \$600 per month.  
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**CHOOSE YOUR SPOT** Several 5 acre plots available in Tubbs Add'n, south of town. Owner will finance with 10% down at 10% interest.

**GREAT COMMERCIAL LOCATION** 610 E. 4th w. service station bldg. w. approx. 1200 sq. ft. \$30,000. **SQUEEZE YOUR DOLLARS** but be fair to yourself, fear not by this. Home on Parkway is the answer. Nice 3 bdrm., big kitchen, carport. Owner will carry note with \$5,000 down. \$27,000.

**SERVICE STATION** on N. Gregg. Owner will finance at 12% w. \$1,000 down. \$150 per mo. payment. Great opportunity. Total price \$9,500.

**PARK LIKE SETTING** This is one of our best offerings. Cheerful atmosphere inside and out. Lovely country home w. steel siding, 2 carports, 3 bdrms., (mstr. bdrm is huge w. fantastic closet), 2 bths. Decorated to perfection throughout. Beautiful ash cabinets in kit., pretty vinyl & Formica, bit-in dishwasher, range. Step down den, big utility rm. On .64 acre w. good water well. Mid \$50's.

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**IDEAL IN INDIAN HILLS** Spacious brick home w. 3 bdrm., 2 1/2 bths in excellent location. New 4 ton energy eff. refrigeration system. Huge formal livg. rm. formal dining rm. Large comfy den w. frpl. Pretty tile fenced yd. Dble. car gar. Owner would consider a small home for part of equity. Why not see this home today — before it's sold. Priced in \$70's.

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**PICTURE PRETTY** — 2 bdrm., 2 bath on 1/2 acre. Dbl. gar., storeroom, water well, stone cellar, fenced. \$28,950.  
**SEE TO APPRECIATE** — Nicely decorated 3 bdrm brick on Goliad with basement, storm windows, VA appraisal and ready to go. \$27,950.

**TWO BDRM** — Carpeted with central heat and air. Fenced corner lot. \$26,400.  
**TWO BDRM** — New floor covering in paneled kitchen. Rent house in rear plus large garage. \$22,400.  
**RIDGE ROAD** — Two bdrm with 12x12 den, maintenance free vinyl siding, bath, recently repainted, 3 stall metal garage workshop. VA appraised. \$26,900.

**ACREAGE — LOTS** FARM LAND — 249 acres near Vealmoore with approx. 200 acres available for cultivation. \$279,000.  
**TODD RD. 26 ACRES** — Mobile home hookups, septic tank, good water well, fenced on 3 1/2 sides. \$34,800.

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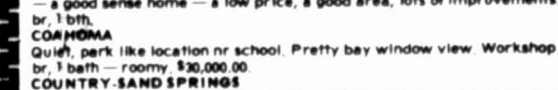
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# Fender band members die in crash

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Two members of the Freddy Fender Band were killed Monday when their bus swerved across the median of rain-slick Interstate 10 and slammed head-on into an 18-wheel tractor-trailer rig, authorities said.

Two men in the truck were hospitalized, but a third band member aboard the bus, pianist Skip Eastland, escaped with a slight injury.

Fender, who was not on the bus, arrived at the scene about an hour after the 3:30 p.m. crash. He grimly surveyed the wreckage of the bus but refused to talk to reporters.

The dead were identified as drummer Joseph "Little Joe" Lambert, 39, of Slidell, and bus driver Sonny Parker, 45, of Pearl River.

The impact ripped off the front end of the bus, ejecting Lambert and Parker onto the muddy roadside. The tractor-trailer rig skidded more than 100 yards out into the swamp.

Hospital officials identified the injured truckers as George Malerich, 49, of Hammond, Ind., and Randy Mann, 28, his stepson.

Malerich underwent intensive care with chest and spinal injuries. Mann, who received a fractured hip, was astonished that they had survived the crash.

"From what I saw of the truck, I'm amazed," said Mann, in an interview from his hospital bed. "I think the cab snapping off is what saved my life."

Mann said he barely had time to wrench the wheel to the right after spotting the bus careening toward him.

John Paul Ameen, an eyewitness to the crash, said it was raining when the bus tried to pass his car on the interstate.

When he was going around the left side of the bus, he seemed to have lost control and veered off across the median head-on into the truck, Ameen said. "From that point the bus spun around and the truck took the front end of the bus right down into the ditch with it."

He said he parked and ran back to help.

There was no chance for the bus driver to brake at all, he said. "It just happened too fast. It was raining at the time, but it seemed like he just lost control."

The wreck blocked the outbound lanes near the exit for NASA's complex at Inboard for nearly three hours.

At the point of the wreck, the interstate is at ground level before a long elevated section leading into the city. Although the area is within the city limits, it is about minute drive east of the French Quarter.

The Fender band, famous for its hit records "Wasted Days and Wasted Nights" and "Before the Next Tear Drop Falls," started in Texas but had moved to Slidell, across Lake Pontchartrain from New Orleans.

Both hits were recorded in 1975, the year he was named top male vocalist by the Country Music Association.

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## Republicans realize they must show results

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And Republicans figure that the patience of the voters will last only until the next campaign, one year away. Unless President Reagan's economic plan — the chosen centerpiece of the Republican administration — produces lower prices and interest rates, his party will be braced for punishment in the 1982 congressional elections.

"I think the typical voter will give us more time," said Republican National Chairman Richard Richards. "We're just getting started." After all, as Richards noted, Reagan's tax and budget cuts don't even begin taking effect until Oct. 1.

That gives Reagan and the Republicans just about a year to prove that the administration program will curb inflation and temper interest rates without sending unemployment to unacceptable levels.

"If we haven't turned the corner, and if the picture is not significantly better than it is today, we will not do well in 1982," Richards said. Otherwise, he said, the Republican resurgence of 1980 will be only an aberration and the GOP will sink back to pre-Reagan levels.

"We can't go until 1982 and say, 'Hey, give us another year, give us another two years,'" he said. "We have to show we can do better. We don't have to be too good to be better than the Democrats. But we've got to show some improvements."

Reagan economic advisers forecast such improvements as an inflation rate of 6.2 percent, down from current levels approaching 10 percent, by the last three months of the election year. The administration forecasts unemployment of 7 percent toward the end of next year, slightly lower than the current rate.

They look for a decline in interest rates, but not at a pace that would placate congressional Republicans, some of whom are demanding action now. Murray Weidenbaum, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, said he thinks interest rates will drop well below double digits by the mid-1980s.

Louis Harris, the pollster and political analyst, foresees even more drastic results in 1982 unless the Reagan administration and American businessmen produce clear economic progress.

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