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## Focal point

### Action/Reaction: Grass greener

Q. Has the German novelist, Gunter Grass, ever won the Nobel Prize for Literature?

A. Grass, author of such modern classics as *The Tin Drum*, *The Flounder* and *Headbirths*, has never won the coveted award. A recent edition of *Harper's* magazine that listed him among the laureates was in error. Nobel watchers say Grass has been excluded from serious consideration for the prize because of his outspoken participation in West Germany's Social Democratic Party. The Nobel judges want their winners to remain aloof from public identification through a particular political party, experts say.

### Calendar: TV kids

#### TODAY

• Portions of the Coahoma "Stickhorse Rodeo" will be broadcast at 6:30 p.m. on channel 2 during the "Eyes of Texas" program.

#### MONDAY

• Overeaters Anonymous will meet at the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center at 7 p.m.

#### WEDNESDAY

• Overeaters Anonymous will meet at 1 p.m. at First United Methodist Church. For further information, call Anna (398-5428) or Guyerene (398-5566.)

### Tops on TV: Indiscreet

Cary Grant and Ingrid Bergman star as a rich American and a European actress who fall in love although he claims to be married, in *Indiscreet*, airing at 7 p.m. on channel 6. Clint Eastwood stars in *Any Which Way You Can* at 7:30 p.m. on channel 7. And Ed McMahon and Ann Jillian host *It's the Real Thing: Television's Greatest Commercials* at 8 p.m. on NBC.

### Outside: Fair

Pleasant weather should prevail today although temperatures are expected to be a little cooler today than yesterday. Skies should be partly cloudy. Highs today in the lower 70s with lows tonight near 50s.

## Local holiday shopping booms

From staff and wire reports  
Store managers in Big Spring said business was brisk Friday as the first official shopping day for the Christmas season brought out large numbers of shoppers.

Ray Andrews, store manager at Montgomery Ward & Co. in the Highland Shopper Center, said Friday shopping was "super."

"We opened the door at 8 a.m. and had traffic all day long. We're anticipating a good Christmas season," he said.

Don Fisher, manager of the J.C. Penny Co. at the Big Spring Mall, said "we're extremely pleased. The (mall) parking lot was full all day. We've had shoppers not only from Big Spring but from other area cities. We feel very, very good about it (business)."

Fisher said that today's sales should top last year's sales for the same day. "We're anticipating an excellent fourth quarter," he said.

From the other end of the mall, Johnny Jarofek, division manager for Beall's Department Store, said sales Friday were going "very well" at 5 p.m. and "we're still at it, and we have been from the word go."

Merchants from the College Park Shopping Center also reported brisk business at their stores.

Storekeepers nationwide reported the best sales for the day in years Friday as shoppers pulled out their lists and rushed into the traditional

opening of the Christmas gift-buying season.

"They're buying everything," said Woody Hall, manager of the Cumberland Mall north of Atlanta. He said the crowds were the largest in at least five years.

"All indications are that we'll have a spectacular day," said Stuart Wagner, manager of Fairlane Town Center, a 190-store shopping mall at Dearborn, Mich.

Gary W. Ramsey, manager of a Sears, Roebuck & Co. store in Raleigh, N.C., said business was "unbelievably good," adding: "This is going to be the best year in the history of the store." Other merchants in North Carolina said they expected holiday sales to be at least 15 percent higher than last year.

In an Associated Press spot check, retailers and shoppers nationwide said the season's hottest-selling items included telephones and telephone accessories, home computers, lingerie, the "Cabbage Patch Kids" dolls and the "Care Bears."

Store managers said they could not keep enough of the Cabbage Patch Kids dolls and Care Bears in stock.

"As soon as we get them in they're gone," said Gwyn Manns of Lionel-Toy Town in Randallstown, Md.

Retailers also warned of possible



CHRISTMAS IN THE AIR — Shoppers move through the main floor of Saks Fifth Avenue department store

in New York Friday. Big Spring merchants and retailers nationwide reporting booming sales.

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## 'Lucky' woman now \$1,000 richer

By RICK BROWN  
Staff Writer

It had to be a lucky week. With her son's birthday on Sunday, her husband's birthday on Monday and Thanksgiving on Thursday, Nita Rodriguez of 811 E. 15th had a lot to look forward to this week.

But winning \$1,000 was the last thing she expected. The call from West-T-Go Conoco at 1800 Gregg telling Mrs. Rodriguez she had won the station's cash give-away came at about 3 p.m. Sunday, she said. It was the same day as her son Robert's birthday.

Mrs. Rodriguez had entered the drawing earlier on a whim. "What did I have to lose," she said. When the call came, "I was very, very happy because I've never won anything in my life," she said.

Mrs. Rodriguez said she will use the money mostly to pay bills. The first thing she did after receiving the \$1,000 check Wednesday was pay one particularly worrisome bill that had been hanging over her family for quite a while.

The second thing she did with the money was a happier affair. "I bought some gifts for some friends who are very deserving. They were kind of low, and I wanted to cheer them up," Mrs. Rodriguez said.

The money also will allow the Rodriguez family to visit family in Del Rio next month. Her husband's brother is about to be shipped to Lebanon with the U.S. Navy, and the Christmas visit will be their last chance to see him before he goes, Mrs. Rodriguez said.

And Christmas for 6-year-old Robert, a kindergarten student at Kentwood Elementary School, will be happier this year, said Mrs. Rodriguez.



CONTEST WINNER — Nita Rodriguez and son, Robert, 6, can't help but smile about the \$1,000 Mrs. Rodriguez recently won in a convenience store contest.

You may be the mystery shopper

Turn to the back page of today's "Gift Ideas" section to see if you are the Herald's Mystery Shopper entitled to a valuable prize. Look for the Herald Mystery Shopper photo every Thursday in "Gift Ideas." It might be you or someone you know.

I'M ALREADY TIRED. STILL 25 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT.



## Big Springers light up Christmas for the needy

### Toy drive gearing up

By CAROL BALDWIN  
Staff Writer

Thanks to the Big Spring Civitan Club, members of the Blue Knights, the Big Spring Fire Department and the Salvation Army, needy children will not be overlooked during the holidays this year.

Lowell Davis, vice president of the Civitans, said the organizations were working together this season to repair toys for children. Members of the Civitan Club decided to forego building a float for the Christmas parade so they could devote more time to repairing toys. "We decided the toys were more important," Davis said.

People who have toys to donate that are repairable can leave them at the Police Department, any of the Fire Stations, the Salvation Army or Greenbelt Homes Maintenance Building No. 2259, Davis said. Toys may be left from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

People with toys may also call 267-6895, 263-1825 or the Salvation Army at 267-8239. Any donation is appreciated, Davis said. "We'd be glad to have anything. We'll come for one toy."

Davis said that toy pickups and delivery had been slower than he expected but added he hopes more people will think about donating toys now that Christmas is just around the corner.

"I know people in Big Spring have a big heart," he said.

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REPAIR JOB — Lowell Davis of the Big Spring Civitan Club repairs a bicycle that will be given to a local needy child as part of the Salvation Army's Toys for Tots campaign.

### Kettle coffers fund charities

By CAROL BALDWIN  
Staff Writer

The Big Spring chapter of the Salvation Army joined Salvation Army workers nationwide Friday in kicking off the annual Christmas cheer fund drive.

The ceremony was held at the Big Spring Mall.

Several events are planned this season to raise money for the Salvation Army-sponsored Christmas programs such as distributing toys to needy children and providing Christmas food baskets.

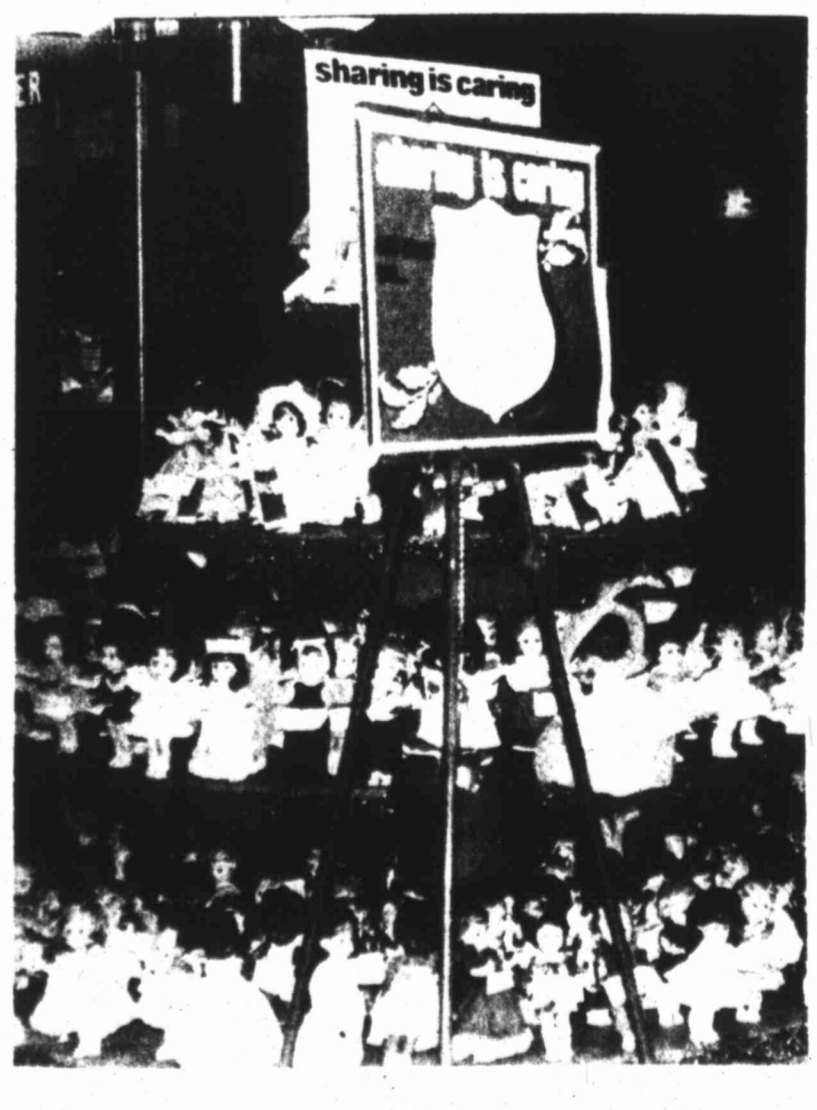
As in years past, part of the fund drive will include the manning of red Christmas kettles. Volunteers and members of civic organizations will join the Salvation Army in manning kettles and will be ringing bells in a plea for donations for the Christmas Cheer fund. Lt. Carroll Braun said the Christmas kettles will be placed at the Big Spring Mall, Highland Mall, K-Mart, Wal-Mart and TG&Y from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

He said the Salvation Army hopes to raise \$30,000 this season "to meet the needs of the needy."

Participating in Friday's kickoff were Braun, Mayor Clyde Angel, members of the Salvation Army advisory board, the Blue Blazers and Miss Merry Christmas, Catherine Jones, and her court.

The program was held in front of a Christmas tree made from dolls which had been dressed by women from various civic organizations around Big Spring. Braun said that

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DOLL TREE — Handmade dolls form the image of a Christmas tree during the Salvation Army's charity drive kick-off ceremony Friday at the Big Spring Mall.

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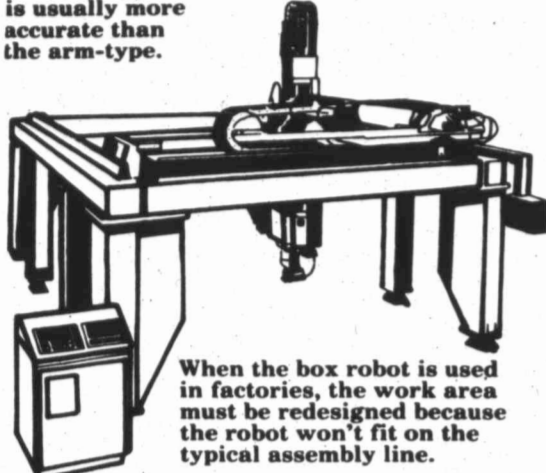
# The Mini Page

Member of Distinguished Achievement Awards Winner

By BETTY DEBNAM

## At work in many U.S. factories

The box-type robot is usually more accurate than the arm-type.



When the box robot is used in factories, the work area must be redesigned because the robot won't fit on the typical assembly line.

Computer

### Training a Robot

A robot must be "trained" to do its job. One way to train a robot is to use a "teaching box" that directs the robot's arm through movements it is to make. The movements are stored in a computer program. Then the robot can do the task exactly as it was first directed, over and over.

Another way to train a robot is to write a computer program for it. This makes for smarter robots, but it takes much more time.



Basset Brown uses a "teaching box" to train a robot.

## Robots Are on the Job

from The Mini Page by Betty Debnam © 1983 Universal Press Syndicate

A robot is a mechanical device that can move objects. Unlike some mechanical machines that do only one job, a robot can be trained to do different tasks.

In factories, robots are at work painting, welding, assembling and moving objects.

Robots are being used in factories because they can do difficult, boring and dangerous jobs that most humans would rather not do. Robots are also doing these routine jobs better and cheaper than humans can.

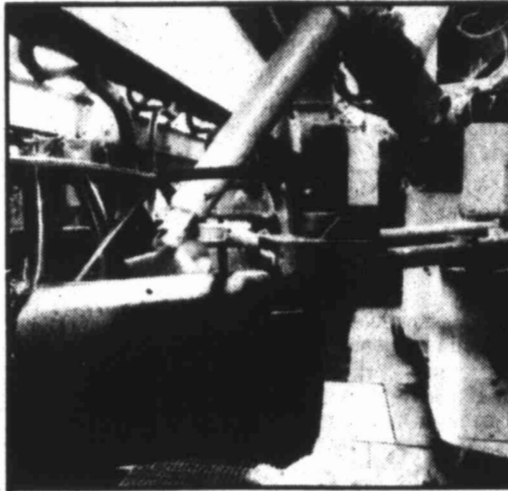
While they are taking away some jobs, robots are also freeing people to do work that might be more fun and interesting.

The demand for robots is also creating a whole new "robotics" business that includes making, selling and designing robots. Someday, the robotics business might be as big as the car business.

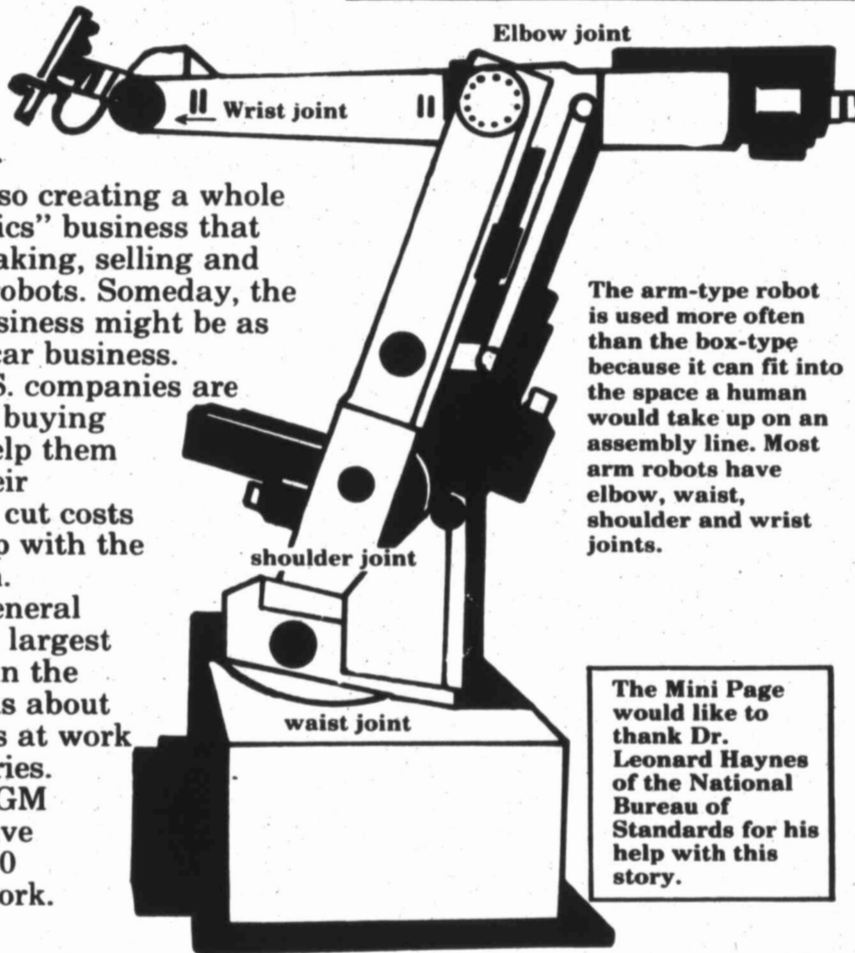
Many U.S. companies are building or buying robots to help them improve their production, cut costs and keep up with the competition.

Today, General Motors, the largest car maker in the country, has about 2,500 robots at work in its factories.

By 1990, GM plans to have about 17,000 robots at work.



This robot at a General Motors plant is busy opening and closing doors. When people see a factory robot, they are often disappointed. They expect to see something that looks like C-3PO of "Star Wars."



The arm-type robot is used more often than the box-type because it can fit into the space a human would take up on an assembly line. Most arm robots have elbow, waist, shoulder and wrist joints.

The Mini Page would like to thank Dr. Leonard Haynes of the National Bureau of Standards for his help with this story.

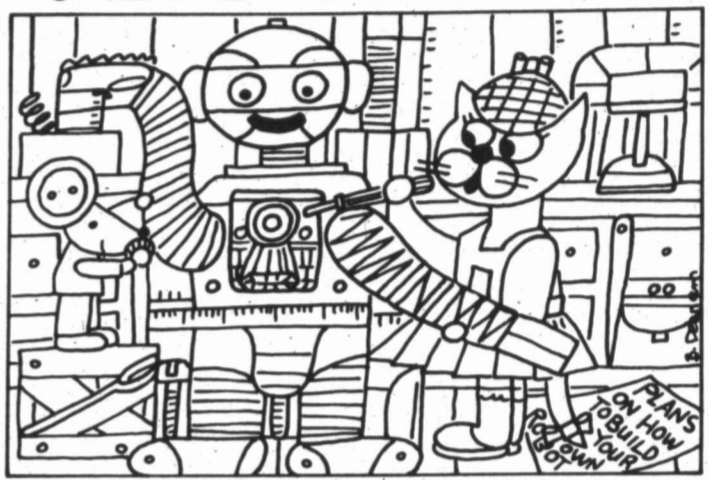


Alpha Betty and Gus Goodsport are part of a band. She plays the organ and he plays the kettledrum. How many other words beginning with KE can you find?

# ke

Answers: keg, kerchief, kettle, kettledrum, keyboard, key, keyhole, kernele lamp, kebab, keychain, keyring, keychain lamp.

### MINI SPY...



Mini Spy and one of the Alpha Mice are building their own robot. See if you can find:

- word MINI
- boot
- spoon
- pocketknife
- ruler
- bell
- screw
- needle
- purse
- button
- diamond ring
- oilcan

### ROBOT TRY 'N FIND

Words about robots are hidden in the block below. See if you can find: robot, arm, computer, machine, factory, weld, paint, move, assembly, produce, train, toil, worker, entertain, joint, command, teach, power, program, automatic, operate, job.

MOVE WELD PRODUCE  
 HAVE YOU TRIED BUILDING YOUR OWN ROBOT?  
 A E J A T T R A I N C Y A A C  
 B N J S W O R K E R O K U U P  
 C T O S L T E A C H M L T V A  
 P E B E F C O A R M P E O J I  
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### ROOKIE COOKIES RECIPE

#### Oh-So-Easy Peanut Butter Pie

Rookie Cookie loves this recipe. She is making some pies to serve at Christmas parties and to give as gifts.

**You'll need:**

- 4 ounces cream cheese, softened
- 1 cup confectioner's sugar
- 1/3 cup smooth peanut butter
- 1/2 cup milk
- 12-ounce container whipped topping
- 2 9-inch graham cracker crusts

**What to do:**

1. Beat cream cheese until soft and fluffy. (Ask an adult to help you use a hand mixer.)
2. Beat in sugar and peanut butter. Slowly add milk and blend it into the mixture.
3. Fold whipped topping into mixture. Pour mixture into crusts and freeze until pies are firm. Take out of freezer 10 minutes before serving. This recipe makes 2 pies.

### How Do Robots See Things?

The more advanced robots have sensors that help them see, hear, feel and even smell.

In the case of seeing, the robot's "eye" might look like a TV camera. What the camera sees is read by a computer.

The computer might look for a special shape. When it "sees" it, it might direct the robot's arm to go and pick it up or inspect the part to see if it looks OK.

### How Do Robots Pick Up Things?

Most robots use a two-"fingered" grip to pick up things. This robot is putting in light bulbs at a General Motors lab.

This more advanced robot has three fingers.

Some robots might use suction cups.

### MEIGHTY FUNNY'S MINI JOKES

HOW DID YOU DO ON YOUR FIRST DAY IN SCHOOL?  
 NOT TOO WELL I HAVE TO GO BACK TOMORROW.

I HAD MY RADIO ON LAST NIGHT!  
 REALLY, HOW WELL DID IT FIT?!

### Here's what happens:

1. A light source flashes light on the area so the camera sees it. Here, a piston-rod part moves along a conveyor belt.
2. This is the shape the camera sees and the computer reads.
3. The computer takes measurements to recognize and inspect the part.

### Robots Have Fun, Too!

Not all robots work in factories. Some are having fun at homes, amusement parks and offices.

Although it will take many, many years to develop robots as advanced as C-3PO of "Star Wars," there are some robots on the market today that are more fun than factory robots.

Today their main job is to entertain, but they are a step toward the day when robots will be a part of our daily lives.

Today's robots understand very little. If you meet one that answers any questions you might ask of it, there is a human nearby, listening and putting the answers right into its mouth!

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 14 - Cooper  
 15 Gambling center  
 16 Musical piece  
 17 Kind of eclipse  
 18 Declare  
 19 Proficient  
 20 Ireland  
 24 Idealized  
 25 Sharp cry  
 26 Bonds  
 28 Duck mates  
 27 Tropical headgear

Yesterday's

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF OUR COACH?

LOLLY

I DON'T WANT TO READ IT JUST YET!

GEECH

WHICH TORTILLO DO I TRY?

BUZ SAWYER

GASOLINE ALLEY

After I've adopted Rover, will he be Rover or Bump no more?

BOSS! A BROKE AN ATTIC IS

MIPPLETS

THAT'S AWFUL!

BEETLE BAILEY

### CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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  - 27 Frontal headgear
  - 31 Make certain
  - 33 Relative of ostrich
  - 34 Mother of Castor
  - 36 Print medium
  - 39 Hoards
  - 41 Actress
  - 43 Deserve
  - 44 Rip-off
  - 46 Leningrad's river
  - 47 Front runner
  - 49 Stary
  - 51 Glossy seashell
  - 53 Director Kazan
  - 55 Royal address letters
  - 56 Honolulu landmark
  - 62 Sales caveat
  - 64 Become red
  - 65 Southland
  - 66 Land parcels
  - 67 Mudville team
  - 68 Cut out
  - 69 Was aware
  - 70 Have the lead
  - 71 Well-known
  - 13 Stairway
  - 21 Twisted thread
  - 22 Burst forth
  - 26 Flagrant trolley
  - 27 English
  - 28 "oh, my"
  - 29 Queen of cliff-hangers
  - 30 More comfortable
  - 32 Zola novel
  - 35 Being: Lat
  - 37 Hindu deity
  - 38 Close up
  - 40 Not flighty
  - 42 With full force
  - 45 Stradivari home
  - 48 Condescends
  - 50 Make blue
  - 51 - up (record)
  - 52 Comedian
  - 54 Send down
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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

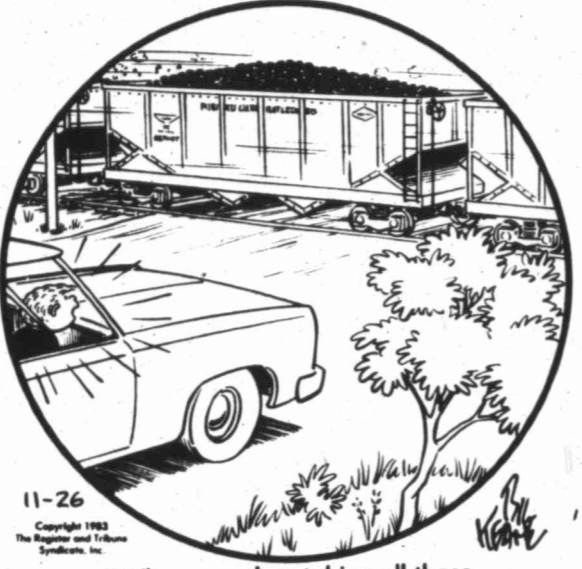
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### DENNIS THE MENACE



"C'MON, MOM! I CAN'T PLAY SOLITAIRE BY MYSELF!"

### THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"Where are they taking all those charcoal briquettes?"

## Your Daily HOROSCOPE

from the CARROLL RIGHTER INSTITUTE

### FORECAST FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1983

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Refusing to upset the apocryphal of present conditions by nagging or being over-critical, but by your own intelligent actions can make this a very worthwhile day.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Good morning to sit down with your mate and talk over the various aims you both have and to coordinate your efforts.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Contacting business associates at leisure and stating your plans would be wise before they attempt drastic changes.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) A day to be of help to others and observe the Golden Rule. Avoid those who take delight in downgrading you.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Acceptable amusements are your best bet today. Avoid doing work that could upset you.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Plan to keep those promises you made to kin some time ago and get busy on them. Forget expensive pleasures right now.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Study a new philosophy which intrigues you and get the right answer to present perplexities. Be happy at home.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Even if it is Sunday, be sure to study your financial standing. Plan how best to improve it by consulting experts.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) You have good ideas and should see as many friends as possible to improve relationships. Avoid discussing practical affairs.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) If you try to force others to acquiesce to your desires, this could lead to battles. Be more tactful.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Stop brooding about some worry and get out to cheerful Sunday pursuits. Tonight, schedule the week's activities.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Be with older persons today since your regular friends could be trying to criticize you. Get into civic activities.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) If you tackle that long-time worry from a different angle, you soon get rid of it. Steer clear of a demanding bigwig.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be able to make plans far into the future and steadfastly carry through with them. Encourage in this, otherwise the success is lessened. Teach the importance of not taking any unnecessary risks.

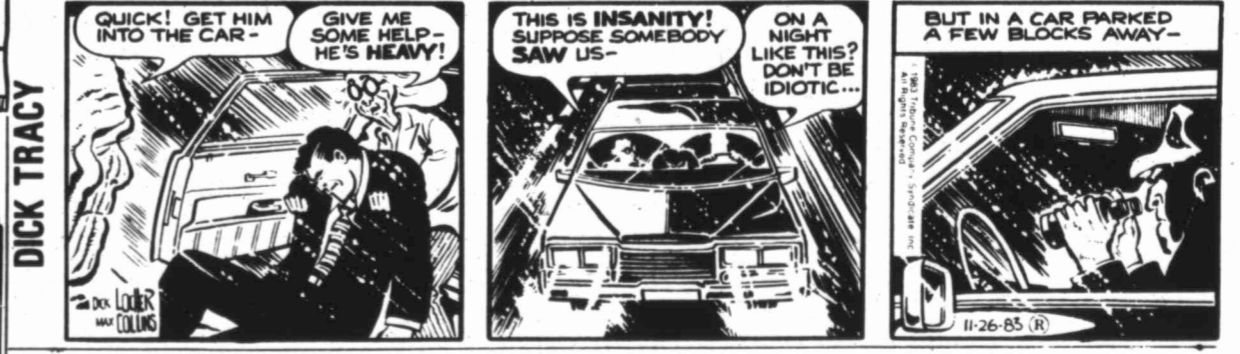
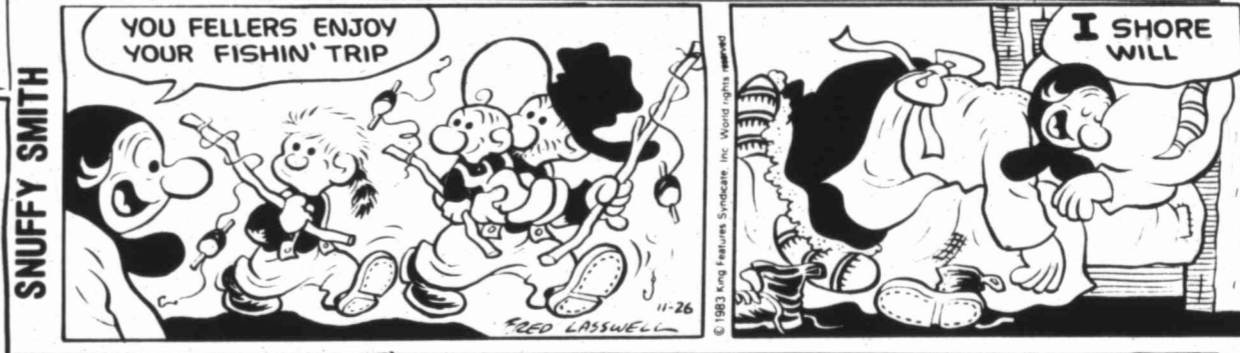
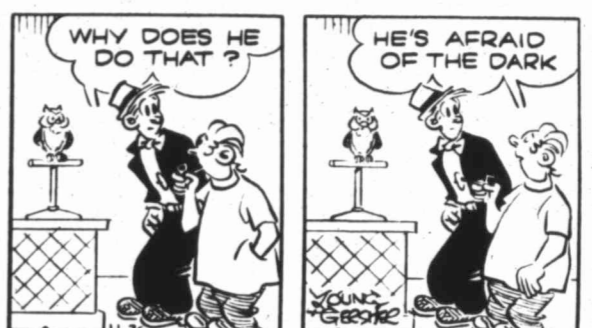
"The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!

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# Black college's money woes grow

By LEE MITGANG  
AP Education Writer

Historically, black colleges have on-ly known two conditions," says George A. Owens, president of Tougaloo College: "bad, and worse."

Fragile finances are certainly nothing new at the nation's 111 historically black colleges and universities.

But this past week brought fresh cause for concern. The president of one of the oldest and most prestigious black institutions, Fisk University in Nashville, Tenn., offered his resignation in the face of that school's money crisis — bad enough that Nashville Gas Co. turned the school's heat off last April because Fisk owed it \$170,000.

An emergency fund-raising drive finally enabled the school to pay some of its overdue bills earlier this month.

In an interview two days before he announced his resignation last Wednesday, Fisk president Walter J. Leonard insisted that "we're going to survive," but added: "Fisk is the crown jewel. If society lets it fall, or impedes its success, then I would fear for the future of most of the black schools."

While few think black schools in general are in as bad shape as Fisk, serious problems aren't hard to find.

"They are in a period of crisis management," says Bob Clayton, program director for the Moton Memorial Institute in Gloucester, Va., a non-profit organization which provides management assistance to black colleges.

For instance, at Tougaloo, which was founded in Tougaloo, Miss. in 1869 as a haven for newly freed slaves and which has since produced about half that state's black lawyers and doctors, there

is talk now of sharp faculty cutbacks as enrollment has fallen from 800 four years ago to 550.

"The competition for black students has been rough. And black students have been hit hardest by the recession and other schools can offer them more aid," said Owens.

Viewed narrowly, enrollment trends at the nation's black schools don't look bad. Dr. Samuel Myers, executive director of the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, says enrollments are up 1.4 percent this fall to 207,112, from 204,949 in 1982.

But other figures reveal the larger threat to black institutions: the furious competition among all schools for academically capable black students.

In 1960, about 150,000 black students attended the nation's colleges, nearly all at historically black schools. That's grown to 1.1 million this year, but nearly all that growth has been in black enrollments at predominantly white schools.

Federal loans and grants became increasingly plentiful since the 1960s. And with predominantly white colleges offering more financial aid to minority students during the past decade, "black colleges no longer have a monopoly on black students," says Clayton.

Overall, 80 to 90 percent of the students at black colleges need some form of financial aid.

The problems facing historically black institutions have other causes:

Some foundations, corporations and other potential money donors equate black colleges with segregation and have been reluctant to support them. The recession is far from over for



**BUNDLED UP TO STUDY** — Students at Fisk University in Nashville study wearing caps and jackets after the heat for the school was shut off due to the school's inability to pay its gas bill. Black colleges

around the country have traditionally experienced fragile financial conditions, and lately, things have been getting worse.

parents of potential black students.

And black schools have few well-to-do alumni to count on for gifts to beef up endowments. A case in point: Owens says he was "on cloud nine" recently when an alumnus now practicing law in Jackson, Miss., gave the school the biggest individual cash gift it had ever received in its 114-year history.

The check amounted to \$5,000.

Some black educators also say President Reagan's policies haven't always been helpful.

Reagan since 1981 has proclaimed a strong commitment to traditionally black colleges. A program called the "White House Initiative on Historically Black Colleges and Universities" has directed all federal agencies to make special efforts to funnel grants and program funds to black schools.

And federal funds to black schools — research grants and student aid, among other things — have risen, to \$629.2 million in 1983, compared with \$564.4 million the year before.

## Radio talk show host to broadcast own wedding

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Listeners of radio station WLAC-AM are invited to a wedding — but they have to tune in Dec. 9 if they want to catch the nuptials of talk show host Rich Garratt and Diana Swan.

Garratt, who has been hinting on the air that something big was in store, dropped the bombshell Thursday night during his two-hour show.

"We're inviting the whole town to hear the wedding," said general manager Lee Dorman.

Garratt, who covers such topics as abortion and homosexuality on his show, says he wants listeners to send in their formulas for a happy and successful marriage, with the top five winners being invited to attend the ceremony in person.

"We figure for the next however many years we have together we're going to have fun, so we're going to start the fun on day one — our wedding day," he says.

The ceremony will be performed by a judge during the last half-hour of Garratt's show.

WLAC plans to send the couple on a week-long honeymoon, all expenses paid.

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## Public Records

**HOWARD COUNTY COURT RULINGS**  
Jekie Glen Wilson, 26, of Gail Route; charge of driving while suspended dismissed by County Judge Milton Kirby.  
Jay Lloyd Brooks, 19, of Cahoma, pleaded guilty to a charge of making alcohol available to a minor, fined \$100 and \$81 court costs.  
Evelyn Higgs Gallagher, 43, of Snyder, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated, sentenced to a \$300 fine, \$101 court costs and one year probation.

**HOWARD COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Richard Todd Henderson, 19, of 2600 Crestline and Miss Teresa Jan Reid, 19, of Coahoma.  
Robert Dale Sutton, 22, of 3610 Calvin and Miss Kimberly Humble, 19, of same.  
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## German shepherd is a little too German

WAYNE, N.J. (AP) — Falco, the Passaic County park police's all-too-German shepherd, has a language problem: he only takes orders in his native tongue.

And that's not the only reason some county officials are growling about Falco. They don't think the parks department should have spent \$2,800 on him, especially since \$1,200 of that had been donated for bullet-proof vests.

But Park Police Chief James Iandoli said Friday he considers the 2-year-old Falco a real bargain. He said shepherds imported from Germany usually cost \$4,000.

And Iandoli believes that Falco's lack of English actually is an advantage, because he won't be confused by contradictory orders from English-speaking civilians.

"He responds to me very well," said Iandoli, who has had to learn about 50 German words to issue appropriate commands to Falco.

Critics see it differently, however.

"Don't get me wrong. I love animals, but I just can't see how this dog is going to be utilized. Is he going to be used to chase squirrels?" wondered Frederick DeFuria, a Passaic County freeholder.

Besides which, he added, the county narcotics and bomb squads already have dogs that could be used for park duties.

Iandoli foresees plenty of work for Falco, noting that the shepherd has already demonstrated his ability to scare undesirable people off park property.

Other jobs for Falco will include tracking down lost children and deterring attacks on officers on the more than 1,200 acres of the park, the chief said.

Iandoli said the fatal shooting of a park officer in neighboring Essex County two years ago underscored the need for additional protection for park police.

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# Sports Shorts

## Hoop Shoot takes court

Competition for the 12th annual Elks Hoop Shoot for youngsters ages 8-13 is scheduled Dec. 3 at Big Spring High School.

Boys and girls may participate in 8-9, 10-11 and 12-13 age divisions. Each contestant shoots 25 free throws and the participants hitting the most shots advances towards the national finals.

Big Spring winners will compete in Pecos in January.

There is no charge for the event which is scheduled for 10 a.m. that day. Local committee chairmen are W.D. Berry, Lee Young and Roland Atkins.

## Tech coach at banquet

Jerry Moore, head football coach at Texas Tech University, will be the keynote speaker at the Big Spring High School Fall Sports Banquet scheduled Nov. 28 at 7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

## Church league sign-up set

The deadline to register for Big Spring church league basketball is Nov. 28.

Play in both men's and women's leagues begins Dec. 1 with games scheduled at the First Baptist Church Family Life Center and at the Federal Prison camp.

For more information, contact McVay at 267-3633 or Noel Hull at 263-2091.

## Goliad girls lose two

The Goliad girls basketball team opened up their season Monday and found the going a little rough versus Snyder.

The "B" team were defeated by a score of 12-6. Tammy Wise had a very good game, according to coach Kim Watson.

In the "A" team contest Snyder took a 24-9 win. Melissa Martinez paced Goliad with seven points while Watson credited Kathryn Burrow with having a good defensive game.

Goliad's next opponent will be Monahans at 5 p.m. in Big Spring.

## Lady steers in Classic tilt

The Lady Steers will play Odessa High at 8:30 a.m. today in the second round of the Andrews Classic, with the winner advancing to the consolation finals at 3 p.m.

The Lady Steers are currently 0-2 after suffering a 52-45 loss to Midland High in the tournament's opening round. BSHS lost their season opener to Andrews by a 69-68 margin.

Center Paula Spears leads the Lady Steers' scoring attack averaging 20 points per game while forward Monette Wise is averaging 14 points per game and guard Debra Rubio is hitting 11.5 per contest.

## HC Queens in Snyder meet

The Howard Queens will do battle with the Western Texas Dusters today at 4 p.m. in the second round of the Western Texas Classic at Snyder.

The Queens currently have a 10-4 record and defeated Cisco Junior College 82-77 in the opening round of the tournament. It marked the second time that Howard had defeated CJC this season.

Guard Shelly Kay has been leading in the tournament as she scored 21 points versus Cisco. Alex Provenzio and Debbie Hall both scored 18 in the win.

# Rivalry

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"No, they beat TCU," Carroll said.  
"Oh well, anyone can beat TCU," Hall responded, unimpressed.

"But Texas can't beat A&M," Carroll retaliated. "Fred Akers reminds me of a Ken and Barbie doll... a Ken doll. A&M's going to kill 'em."  
"No way," Worthan said con-

fidently. "A&M can't beat Texas." And so it went on, both sides attacking each other to the death. Who'll win today? When you put these two schools on the same field, it's anyone's wildest guess.

## Mavericks nip Kings, 98-96

DALLAS (AP) — Guard Brad Davis hit a driving layup with 20 seconds left to give the Dallas Mavericks their eighth consecutive home victory with a 98-96 win over Kansas City Friday night in National Basketball Association play.

The Clippers got to within 7 at 117-110 with 5:17 left in the final quarter on a layup by Pierce. Then the Spurs ran off a 14-6 spurt, led by Gervin and Moore, to lead 131-116 with 50 seconds left.  
The Spurs moved to 6-9 for the year.

Julius Erving scored 22 points and added eight rebounds for the 76ers in support of Malone and Robert Reid hit 14 points and contributed six rebounds for the Rockets.  
The 76ers took an early lead in the first quarter but Houston pulled even 14-14 midway in the period and took the lead on a Sampson dunk shot after Malone had been called for a three-second violation.

Houston, trying to win three games in a row for the first time since the 1981-82 season, led 28-24 at the end of the first quarter on Lewis Lloyd's six points.

## NBA roundup

The Kings' Larry Drew had hit a 20-footer 12 seconds earlier to give Kansas City a 96-95 lead. Kings center Steve Johnson's tip-in with four seconds left was disallowed when Johnson was called for an offensive foul.  
Johnson pushed Dallas center Pat Cummings, who hit the first of two free throws for the final margin.

Substitute guard Elston Turner stole a Kings' inbounds pass with three seconds left to seal the win for Dallas. The Mavericks overcame a second-quarter drought, in which they went 7-19 without a field goal, to raise their Midwest Division leading record to 9-4.

**Sixers 115**  
**Rockets 101**  
HOUSTON (AP) — Philadelphia's Moses Malone scored 24 points and out rebounded Houston rookie Ralph Sampson 13-7 as the Sixers broke away in the third quarter for a 115-101 National Basketball Association victory Friday night.

The Sixers bolted from a 60-58 halftime deficit to take an 83-76 lead at the end of three quarters by outscoring the Rockets 25-16 in the quarter. Philadelphia outscored the Rockets 9-2 to start the second half and forged into a lead they never lost.  
Sampson, facing the veteran Malone for the first time, scored 20 points but lost the rebounding battle. Sampson did not get an offensive rebound in the

**Spurs 133**  
**Clippers 120**  
SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Forward George Gervin scored 36 point, 20 in the first quarter, to lead the San Antonio Spurs to a 133-120 National Basketball Association victory over the San Diego Clippers Friday night.

Guard Ricky Pierce led the Clippers with 30 points. Center Bill Walton did not suit up for the game, saying he will not play back-to-back games this season.  
San Antonio starters Mike Mitchell, Artis Gilmore and Johnny Moore got into early foul trouble and the Spurs bench produced balanced scoring to take a 103-91 third quarter lead.  
The Spurs had seven players in double figures. Keith Edmonson, 13 points, Fred Roberts, 11 points, and Edgar Jones, 10 points, came off the bench to preserve the lead for the Spurs.  
The Spurs led by as many as 18, 73-55, and never trailed in the game.

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