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## Spring board

How's that?  
By fours

Q. What are the so-called Four Freedoms?

A. Coined by President Franklin Roosevelt in 1941, the famous Four Freedoms are speech, religion, and freedom from want and fear.

Calendar:  
Concert

**TODAY**  
The National Association of Retired and Veteran Railway Employees will meet at the Kentwood Center at 6:30 p.m.  
● Bands from the Big Spring Independent School District will perform at 7 p.m. at the high school auditorium. Bands include the high school, Runnels Junior High and Goliad Middle School.

**FRIDAY**  
● 11th Place, from Washington to Virginia Streets, will be closed from 8:45 a.m. until completion, around 4 p.m., while workmen repair crosses for water services.  
● A senior citizens dance will be held at 7:30 in Airpark Building No. 487.  
● The Howard County Library will have a story period for children from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

**SATURDAY**  
● The Mariah marching color guard of Big Spring High School will hold a bake sale beginning at 10 a.m. at the Highland Mall.  
● The Howard County Library will show two films Saturday from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. They are "The First Christmas Tree" and the "Little Drummer Boy, Book II."

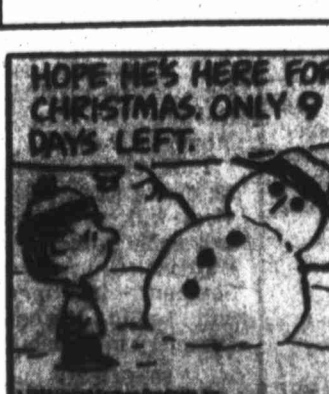
**SUNDAY**  
● The Potton House, decorated for a turn-of-the-century Christmas, will be open from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.  
● The Disabled American Veterans and Auxiliary regular meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Driver Road.  
● The Holiday YMCA camp will begin for children out of school. For more information call 267-8234.

**Tops on TV: Christmas**  
Andy Williams, Leslie Uggams and Julio Iglesias will help the Reagan's celebrate Christmas at 7 p.m. in "Christmas in Washington," on channel 13. "Cheers" moves up a half-hour earlier tonight as Diane learns an old friend of hers is making a play for Sam, at 8 p.m. on channel 13. "The Bells of St. Mary's," starring Ingrid Bergman and Bing Crosby, airs at 7:05 p.m. on channel 11.

**At the movies Scarface**  
"Scarface" with Al Pacino debuts at the Ritz along with "A Night in Heaven." "All the Right Moves" stays at the Cinema, showing with "Sudden Impact." "Mr. Mom" returns to the R-70.

**Outside: Cold**  
Highs in the upper 50s are forecast today. Winds should be southwesterly, 5 to 10 miles per hour, turning easterly this evening. Tonight should see fair skies and colder temperatures with lows in the mid-20s. On Friday, look for partly cloudy skies and highs in the upper 50s.

**HOPE HE'S HERE FOR CHRISTMAS. ONLY 9 DAYS LEFT.**



## Coahoma grant approved

By KEELY COGHLAN  
Staff Writer  
COAHOMA — Mayor Jim Rackley told aldermen during the council meeting Wednesday night that the city's request for a \$22,000 grant from the state had been approved Tuesday by the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission.

The commission will forward the city's request with a favorable recommendation for a study to develop a water distribution system plan to the Texas Department of Community Affairs Board, which will review the grant application in January, Rackley said.

Coahoma obtains water from the Howard County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1. During September, the city lost almost 18 percent of the water it was billed for because of leaks in water distribution mains that city officials say are old and deteriorated.

The city was billed for 11 million gallons of water in September from the water district, but the city's customers were billed for only nine million gallons, according to a grant summary.

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## Birdwell geyser



MAN-MADE RAIN — A Big Spring City employee seems perplexed as a water main at the intersection of Stadium and Birdwell is a bit troublesome to shut off after it broke and spewed water about 15 feet in the air. The city was able to effect repairs in a short while.

## State advises tax board to rescind vote

By KEELY COGHLAN  
and CAROL BALDWIN  
Staff Writers

The Howard County Tax Appraisal District Board of Directors has been advised by the state Property Tax Board to rescind a November vote appointing two members to the county's 1984-85 appraisal review board.

The tax district board was scheduled to rescind the appointments yesterday but failed to reach a quorum.

Board members were advised to recall the vote by "a spokesperson for the state property tax board legal division" in Austin, Chief Tax District Appraiser Gene Pereira said.

"The state property tax board advised me that the board couldn't appoint members for the appraisal board for next year," Pereira said. "That's the exact opposite from what we were able to do last year. The basis for the opinion is that the present board will be in operation (when the appraisal review board serves)."

"They're correcting something they advised us we could do. I understand the changes. It doesn't hurt my feelings. It doesn't even embarrass me," Pereira said.

Although the tax district board was advised to rescind its action, the opinion handed down by the state property tax board "is not a set provision," Debbie Wheeler of the state office said.

"We have no guidance or authority" to order such a change, Ms. Wheeler said when contacted by the Herald today. She said, "Our advice was that it would be best for the new board to do it," Ms. Wheeler said.

When the local tax board appointed ARB members last year, the action was correct because the board that appointed the ARB still had a year to serve, she said; however, the same action this year was not recommended because new tax district board members will take office in January.

Of Pereira's action, Ms. Wheeler said, "In all fairness, from his side, the practice was fine. But every

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## Estes starts over Plans for new book, movie

ABILENE — Billie Sol Estes, who spent over three years at the Big Spring Federal Prison Camp, was released from a Salvation Army halfway house today and soon will be working for "Towns West" magazine in Abilene.

Estes said he plans to help with a Home Box Office movie about his life and may write another book.

The one-time Texas millionaire was sent to the Abilene halfway house from the Big Spring Federal Camp Nov. 15 after having spent more than 12 years in two Texas prisons on convictions of fraud and conspiracy to conceal assets from the IRS.

Estes was first sentenced to prison in the 1960s when he was convicted of federal fraud charges in a scheme involving non-existent fertilizer tanks. He was convicted in 1963 and sentenced to 15 years in prison. He was paroled in 1971.

In 1979 he was convicted of mail fraud and concealing his assets from the government and sentenced to 10 years in prison. He was found guilty in part for hiding his assets from the IRS to avoid paying off a back-tax liability of \$10 million. He also was convicted of scheming to bilk a farmer out of \$30,000.

While Estes was working in the Abilene halfway house he sought immunity in return for information on the 1961 death of a Bryan federal agricultural employee.

Upon his release from the Big Spring Federal Camp, Estes said "I'm a compulsive person. When I take one drink, I'm a total drunk. I'm not going to do that from now on. I'm just one bad deal from doing life in prison. I'm an insane person, but I believe there is a higher power...God...that can keep me straight."

Upon his release from the Big Spring Camp, his daughter said "I'm excited he's out. We're going to protect him from getting back here. We'll be monitoring his calls and visits.

"There are so many people who want to use his ability to make money. We're already getting people calling. We're going to try and keep him away from a lot of problems."



BILLIE SOL ESTES

## Wife hunting lonely job

EASTON, Mass. (AP) — A desperate bachelor who said he "tried everything in the book to find a wife" got at least a dozen bids from women interested in romance after he posted signs on his lawn asking for Mrs. Right.

Barry Butkus, 35, hammered signs proclaiming "I Need a Wife, Please Can You Help" and "Wife Wanted By Unhappy Bachelor" outside his brown ranch house in North Easton. A red heart hangs in his living room window.

The signs and a newspaper story about his plight apparently did the trick for the 35-year-old competition ballroom dancer and prison guard.

"I've tried everything in the book to find a wife, but I've just been plain unlucky," Butkus said in an interview published Wednesday in the Boston Herald. "I have the feeling nobody wants me. Basically, I'm looking for matrimony with a capital M."

Today's editions quoted women who wanted to get in touch with him.

"I guess he really hit the home fires for me," said Marsha Golden, 37, who says she is a ballroom dancer, too.

"I think he has a lot of spunk," said Linda Stuart, a 32-year-old bank bookkeeper.

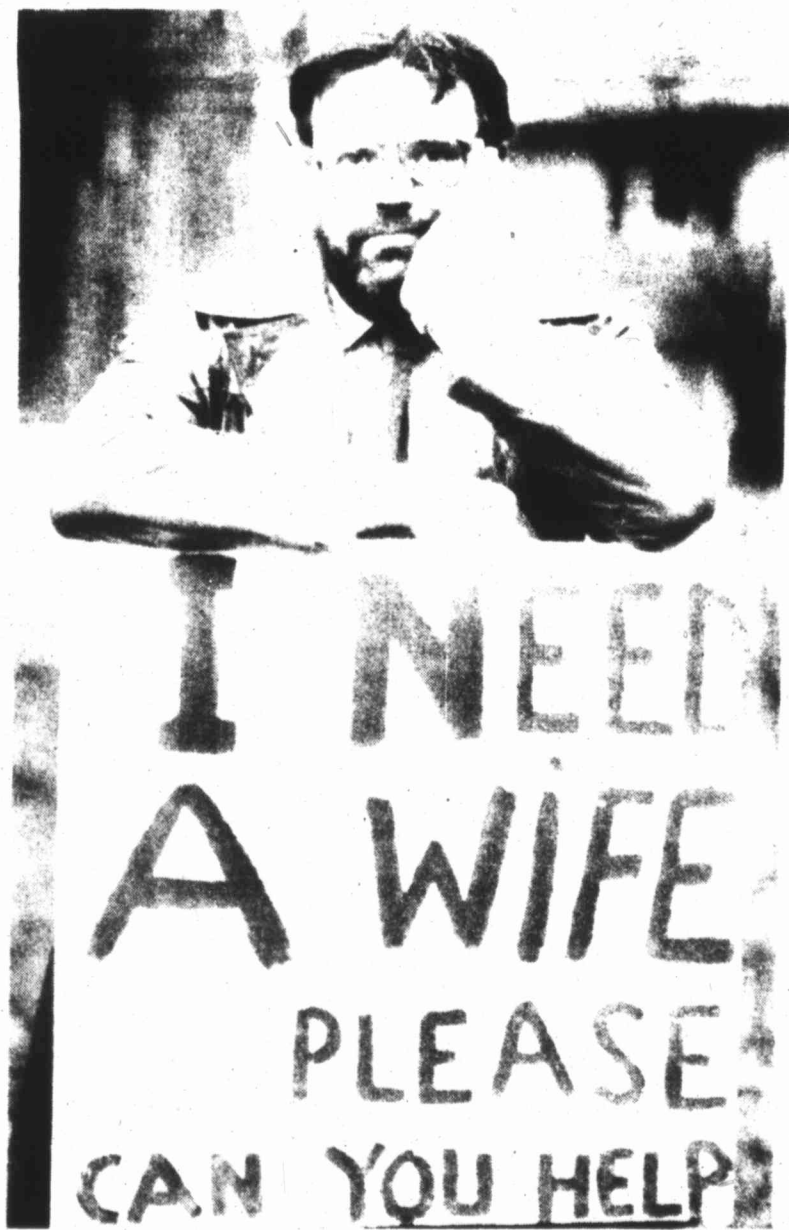
"If he's got enough nerve to put up signs," said Cheryl McDonald, 24, "I have enough nerve to go out with him."

"It'll keep me pretty busy," said Butkus. "But I guess the odds are in my favor... I'm optimistic that one of them will be my wife."

A guard on the graveyard shift at Norfolk state prison, Butkus doesn't meet many women in his work. In addition to ballroom dancing, he likes canoeing and cooking chicken gumbo.

He says his Mrs. Right need not be Mrs. Perfect.

"I'm not fussy. I'll take a plain Jane. I'm more interested in what's inside."



LOOKING FOR MRS. WRIGHT — Barry Butkus, 35, rests on a sign in front of his Easton, Mass., home where he has taken to his own form of advertising for a wife. Butkus has had about 35 inquiries so far.

## Plane crash blamed on pilot's heart attack

MIDLAND (AP) — An autopsy has determined that the 29-year-old pilot of a plane that crashed last month at Midland's airport, killing eight people, had suffered a heart attack.

The Texas Western Aviation pilot, Keith Elkin of Midland, suffered "hyper acute changes of contraction band necrosis," the pathologist, Dr. David Schneidman of Midland, said Wednesday.

Elkin, six employees of KOSA-TV and a passenger were returning from high school football playoff games in Fort Worth and Wichita Falls when the aircraft plummeted to the ground.

A Midland cardiologist, Dr. Brian Mohr, told the Odessa American that the type of

"Part of the heart died. It's rare, but not unusual. The incidences of heart attacks increase as you get older. It's happened a couple of times in a year to people of that age in Midland," — Dr. Brian Mohr

heart attack that Elkin suffered "is the cause of sudden death and there is no warning whatsoever."

"Part of the heart died. It's rare, but not unusual. The incidences of heart attacks increase as you get older. It's happened a couple of times in a year to people of that age in Midland," Mohr added.

Schneidman said the final autopsy report on Elkin was being prepared and would be released later to Midland County Justice of the Peace Bob Pine.

The accident is being investigated by the National Transportation Safety Board, which

has not yet issued its conclusions.

The pilot was trying to land a chartered twin-engine Beechcraft King Air 100 turboprop Nov. 16 at Midland Regional Airport when the craft crashed 1,500 feet east of the main runway.

Killed in the accident were Elkin; KOSA Assistant News Director Gary Hopper, 32, of Midland; Sports Director Jeff Shull, 25, of Odessa; Chief Engineer Bob Stephens, 47, and Assistant Engineer Ed Monette, 26, both of Odessa; production assistants Bruce Dyer, 26, of Midland and Brent Roach, 24, of Odessa; and Hopper's brother-in-law, 37-year-old Jay Alvin Price of Midland.



## Donations to holiday fund top \$21,000 mark

Thanks to a \$3,000 gift from an anonymous donor and other gifts ranging from \$5 to \$100, the Salvation Army Christmas mail appeal has reached \$21,419.95. Goal for the season is \$30,000.

Money received from the fund will go toward helping needy families at Christmas with toys and food baskets.

Donations may be mailed to the Christmas Mail Appeal, care of the Salvation Army.

Donations to date:

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson	\$10
B and H Cleaners	\$20
Janie Baker	\$25
M. L. Bertran Jr.	\$2
Mr. and Mrs. G. William Birrell	\$10
Janice Bollinger	\$25
Doris Bond	\$10
Ola D. Brown	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Carlile	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Knox Chadd	\$100
H. D. Cowden	\$100
Herman C. Dibney	\$50
Ronald I. Dallefeld	\$35
Helen Huling Dawson	\$5
Elsie Dreher	\$5
Hugh W. Dunagan	\$15
First Presbyterian Church, Covenant Class	\$25
Leo Gatoan	\$30
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gilbert	\$35
Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Hathaway	\$50
Mrs. John Hogan	\$50
Billy Johnson	\$10
Henrietta L. Kioaka	\$25
Inez Lewis	\$20
J. W. Little Construction	\$75
Rev. R. Gage Lloyd	\$10
Lillie Mae Lomax	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Randall Merrill (Sandra Gale Apts.)	\$25
W. D. Miller	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Mitchell	\$20
Baxter Moore	\$20
Roy Odum	\$25
Tommy Parrish	\$25
M. E. Petree	\$25
Lela Porter	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Porter	\$10
James Porter	\$10
Irma Price	\$25
Ludis Z. Roberts	\$5
Geneva Rogers	\$5
Janice Rosson	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simpson	\$40
Frances Shank	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. James Shoup	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Linard Simpson	\$10
Colleen G. Slaughter	\$50
Elsie M. Smith	\$35
Mr. and Mrs. Hayes F. Stripling Sr.	\$25
Mrs. Willard Sullivan	\$25
Rosa J. Timmerman	\$10
Andree Walker	\$50
Lucille Walker	\$10
Dr. J. M. Woodall	\$25
Arthur Arnold	\$35
Mrs. Ralph W. Baker	\$25
Wade Bleckson	\$25
Donald Blatheim	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Brown	\$35
Priscilla T. Brown	\$10
Agnes M. Cardwell	\$20
Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Couvillon	\$25
Frances Crabtree	\$11.95
Dr. and Mrs. G. Franklin Dillon	\$25
Hollis P. Ford	\$10
Tony Flores	\$25

## Holiday Calendar

Dec. 15: The Big Spring Squares will host a lesson night Christmas party at 7:30 p.m.

Through Dec. 16: The Big Spring Junior Women's Club is sponsoring a "visiting Santa." Call 263-8690 to make an appointment.

Dec. 17: Spring City Theatre will have a Christmas reading of "The Night Before Christmas - Texas Style," and "The Gift of the Magi" and special readings and songs at the Highland Mall at 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.

Dec. 17: Santa will be at the Northside Center from noon to 4 p.m. to visit with area children.

Dec. 17: The Big Spring Squares Christmas Dance will feature Jim Devault as caller.

Dec. 17 and 18: The Sanctuary Choir of College Baptist Church will present "Noel Jesus is Born," at 7 p.m. for the general public and again Dec. 18 at 7 p.m. A nursery will be provided.

Dec. 17-24: Girl Scout Troop 36 will be gift wrapping in the Highland Mall from 10 a.m. to closing.

Dec. 17, 18, 19: First United Methodist Church will present the Living Christmas Tree at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. Bell ringers will perform from 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. The pre-tree program will be the musical "Scrooge." Tickets may be picked up at First United Methodist Church.

Dec. 18: The choir of First Baptist Church of Coahoma will present the cantata "Angels' Song" at the 11 a.m. worship hour.

Dec. 18: Trinity Baptist Church will perform its Christmas cantata "Christmas Rhapsody" at 6 p.m. in the church auditorium located at 810 11th Place. The children will assist the adult choir with "Christmas Lullaby."

Dec. 18: First Christian Church will host its Christmas cantata "Son of the Highest," at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary at the church at 10th and Goliad. A nursery will be provided.

Dec. 18: "Let's Get Ready for Christmas" is the theme of a party from 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the St. Paul Lutheran Church. A Christmas tree will be trimmed, carols sung and a Chinese auction will be held. Sandwiches and snacks will be served.

Dec. 18: An open house will be held at the parsonage of the Ackerly United Methodist Church following the 5 p.m. worship service.

## Markets

Index	1,241.46	Getty	77 1/2
Volume	28,890,000	Gen. Telephone	42 1/2
American Airlines	35 1/2	Halliburton	28 1/2
American Petroleum	54 1/2	Harte-Hanks	23 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	28 1/2	Gulf Oil	43 1/2
Chrysler	27 1/2	IBM	120 1/2
Dr. Pepper	21 1/2	J.C. Penney	55 1/2
Eastman	22 1/2	Johannesville	14 1/2
Ford	60 1/2	K-Mart	34 1/2
Firestone	22 1/2	Coca-Cola	35 1/2
		DeBora	7 1/2
		Mobil	28 1/2
		Pacific Gas	15 1/2
		Phillips	23 1/2
		Sears	28 1/2
		Shell Oil	40 1/2
		Sun Oil	43 1/2
		AT&T	63 1/2
		Texas	25 1/2
		Texas Instruments	120
		U.S. Steel	24 1/2
		Exxon	29 1/2
		Westinghouse	37 1/2
		Western Union	36 1/2
		Zale	30
		Kidde	30 1/2
		Pioneer	23 1/2
		MGP	7/16
		HCA	30 1/2

MUTUAL FUNDS

Ampcap	8.70-9.51
Investors Co.	11.17-12.21
Raymond	7.82
Puritan	12.15

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## Today's topic Travelin' man Photographer lives a 19th century life

BATH, Ohio (AP) — Rain drummed on the canvas stretched over their ox-drawn wagon as John and Sue Coffey mused about the lives they'd left behind — his condominium, her car — and explained the new life they'd built around a century-old camera.

Coffey, 31, and his 28-year-old wife have traveled about 5,000 miles in three years with two oxen, two horses, a dog and camera relics that still work, practicing the craft of 19th-century photography.

"I always leaned toward the simple life," Coffey said softly, holding one knee and rocking forward on a narrow, blanket-covered bed in the 80-year-old wagon. "But I had a condominium, a sports car, a telephone and a van."



OLD TIME PHOTOGRAPHER — John Coffey poses with two of his traveling companions, his dog, and an 8x10 inch view camera. For the past five years, Coffey has traveled the back roads of America photographing people and places using techniques and equipment of the mid-1800s.

He sold it all and bought an Amish wagon in Pennsylvania.

Coffey had earned a college degree in oceanography and was interested in underwater photography when he found an old camera in a buy-sell-trade store in Florida.

"I decided I'd like to pursue old photography and make a living at it," he said. "It dawned on me that there are enough country roads to get on that I could live and travel as an itinerant photographer did 100 years ago."

Coffey said he then tried to find someone who still used the processes of a century ago, such as tin-types and wet glass plates. He contacted the Smithsonian Institution and was told to call the museum if he could find such a photographer. So Coffey set out to save what seemed to be a lost art.

"A lot of color photographs look real cute now, but give them 20 or 30 years and they're going to be gone," Coffey said, explaining that some photographs taken in 1840 are still sharp and unfaded.

Coffey, who was born in West Virginia, grew up in Nevada and went to college in Florida, traveled alone for two years and 6,000 miles before he met and married his wife.

Mrs. Coffey said her parents were shocked when she sold her car and many of her clothes to live in a wagon as a photographer's assistant.

"I had to learn how to use a scrub board and cook over a campfire," she said.

But recently, when Mrs. Coffey told her parents that she and her husband planned to settle next spring in Lancaster County, Pa., her father warned her

not to become too materialistic.

This winter, they will live in a small, heated house at Hale Farm and Village. They arrived at the historic site in Bath just before Thanksgiving.

Besides the photographs they sell as they travel, the Coffeys have sold books of their work. They may write a book on their travels.

"We earn enough to live," Mrs. Coffey said. "We probably put as much in the bank as anybody because we don't have many expenses."

## Coahoma

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The proposed plan included an analysis of existing conditions and needs in the system, a recommended program of distribution system improvements, a detailed cost estimate for proposed improvements and an analysis of the city's existing water rate structure.

The plan, if approved, also would identify alternative funding sources to pay for proposed amendments.

Council members Wednesday night swore in a new alderman to fill a vacancy created several months ago when Jim Rackley became mayor.

Rackley administered the oath of office to Roy Lee Metcalf, a farmer. Metcalf will take the seat Rackley vacated when he replaced Johnny Justiss as mayor.

Aldermen Wednesday night reviewed city policies, making changes in the vacation and holiday policies for employees, purchasing approvals and emergency employment rates.

The council added one day to the city holidays, making formal a decision to include the day following Thanksgiving an official holiday. Employees usually received the day as a holiday, but had to request the day off every year.

Employees who have worked for the city more than 15 years now will

receive four weeks paid vacation. And persons hired by the city to do emergency work will be paid \$5 an hour during regular hours and \$7.50 an hour for work done after 5 p.m. and on weekends. Emergency employees previously were paid \$3.50 an hour for the first eight hours of work and \$5 an hour for all hours after the first eight.

The council decided to require that all outside or emergency work be contracted for. However, the requirement for a contract will not apply to city employees, especially water department personnel, who perform work on weekends or after 5 p.m.

Aldermen also decided not to require city employees to take time off for overtime hours worked in the same year in which they had overtime because of the large number of hours accumulated by employees of the water department.

Councilmen also made formal the city policy that employees were not allowed overtime, and stated that city equipment was not to be used or loaned to anyone for their private use. However, city equipment may still be loaned to other governmental entities like the City of Big Spring and the Coahoma Independent School District.

Aldermen also included in the city policies a requirement that all city

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other year you have a new board. (Pereira) had established a policy. Next year it will be fine for the board to take that action. Mr. Pereira was just following a provision. He didn't take into consideration a brand new board of

directors."

Board member Clay Reid said he disagreed with the state board's advice to the county board to rescind its action.

"The state board doesn't have the right to rescind our action," Reid said yesterday. "The state board members are unelected. They're all appointed by the governor. Our laws are interpreted by the attorney general. If we had misinterpreted the law, it would be up to him (to tell us to rescind our vote), not the board appointed by the governor."

## Police Beat

### 4 warrant arrests recorded

An off-duty police officer Wednesday arrested four persons in connection with city traffic warrants.

The arrests come as part of a new program approved by the Big Spring City Council whereby off-duty officers will be paid \$20 for each outstanding warrant they serve in the estimated 80,000 warrant backlog in police files. Police Chief Rick Turner said Wednesday the department hopes to cut the backlog to 40,000 within six months as a result of the new program.

The arrests were for minor traffic offenses.

Two persons were treated for minor injuries and one of them was arrested in connection with driving while intoxicated following a head-on collision Wednesday afternoon on the U.S. Interstate 20 service road near its intersection with State Highway 350, police reports and a Malone-Hogan spokeswoman said.

Richard Rollins of Snyder was arrested on suspicion of driving while intoxicated following the accident in which he lost control of his 1981 Ford LTD while exiting eastbound from I-20 onto the service road, police reports said. Rollins hit a curb in the service road's east-bound lane, crossed over into the west-bound lane and collided head-on with a 1981 Cadillac Sedan DeVille driven by Jack Lewis of Box 2940, police reports said.

Both drivers were taken to Malon-Hogan Hospital by private vehicle, where they were treated and released, a hospital spokeswoman said.

Police arrested at 9:08 p.m. Wednesday Gloria Colene King, 25, of 609 E. 13th in connection with arson following a family disturbance and a fire in a 1976 Honda at the residence, police authorities said. The fire re-

mains under investigation by the Big Spring Fire Department, authorities said.

Howard Rogers of 1504 Tucson told police at 5:13 p.m. Wednesday that someone stole between 4:30 and 4:45 Wednesday a brown leather wallet from a purse left unattended in the toy department at the Montgomery Wards Department Store, police reports said.

Carroll Braun of the Salvation Army at 308 Aylford told police at 12:11 p.m. Wednesday that someone checking in to the Army's lodge tore a door worth \$200 off its hinges, police reports said.

Hijinio Moreno of 100 N.E. 10th told police at 6:10 p.m. Wednesday that someone between 9 a.m. Tuesday and 6 p.m. Wednesday broke into a cage in his back yard and stole eight white doves of unknown value, police reports said.

Marvin Roscoe Winton, 46, of 1904 Nolan was arrested at 11:25 p.m. Wednesday at the intersection of Wasson and FM 700 on suspicion of driving while intoxicated, failure to maintain financial responsibility and driving on the wrong side of the street, police reports said.

Luis Rios, 38, of 3206 W. Eighth was arrested at 6:25 p.m. Wednesday in connection with traffic warrants and released on bond, police reports said.

Jeffrey Harbaugh, 27, of 1002 S. Rannels was arrested at 7:46 p.m. Wednesday in connection with traffic warrants and released on bond, police reports said.

John Rominger, 36, 1301 Park was arrested at the Second and Gregg in connection with criminal mischief, police reports said.

## Sheriff's Log

### 2 arrested on peace bonds

Howard County sheriff's deputies Wednesday arrested two men on peace bonds.

Phillip Dean Barber, 25, of 400 Dallas and Marion E. Williams Jr., 50, of 1503 E. Fifth were arrested on separate peace bonds. Barber was released on \$1,000 bond and Williams was released on \$2,000 bond. Both bonds were set by Justice of the Peace Lewis Heflin.

Raymundo Galaviz, 20, of 503 S. Bell Wednesday was released from the Howard County Jail on the authority of the District Attorney's office investigator Buster McCartney. Galaviz was transferred to the county jail from the police department Nov. 25 because his bondsman went off a \$25,000 bond for a charge of aggravated assault.

Rudy Joe Rodriguez, 21, of 203 W. 18th was transferred Wednesday to Midland before transfer to the Texas Department of Corrections. Rodriguez was sentenced to four- and six-year concurrent sentences on two counts of burglary by District Judge Jim Gregg.

Clifford Arvin Hart, 20, of 3234 Drexel remains in county jail today after his transfer from the police department Wednesday on suspicion of speeding and failure to appear in court. Heflin set \$200 bond on each charge.

Jerry Wayne Moring, 32, of San Antonio also remains in jail today after his arrest by the San Antonio sheriff's office on a Howard County writ of attachment from the 118th District Court.

Ernest Zavala, 27, of Glenrose also was arrested Wednesday by Department of Public Safety officers on suspicion of driving while license suspended, failure to carry insurance and violation of a license restriction. He was released on \$1,000 bond for the DWLS charge, and \$200 bond each for the other two charges. Bond was set by Heflin.

Deputies Wednesday also arrested John Pat Malone, 26, of Route 1 on possession of drug paraphernalia. Malone was released on \$200 bond set by Heflin.

Deputies also arrested Donna Chapman, 25, of Midland on suspicion of issuance of a bad check. Chapman was released on \$500 bond set by Heflin.

Irene Vitela Valenzuela, 31, of Abilene was released Wednesday from the county jail by the authority of district probation officer Frank Martinez. Valenzuela was arrested on suspicion of revocation of probation.

## White puts panel on deadline

DALLAS (AP) — H. Ross Perot says his Texas Select Committee on Public Education will have its first draft of recommendations ready by March 1, the deadline imposed by Gov. Mark White.

White set the deadline Wednesday, saying a consensus had been reached for improvement in several facets of Texas public education.

The governor, attending a meeting of the committee, outlined target areas that included attracting the "best and brightest" young people to the teaching profession through "better compensation and training."

## Mystery Shopper named

Thelma Tucker of 1311 Harding won a \$25 gift certificate after being identified as the mystery shopper in last week's Big Spring Herald Mystery Shopper Contest.

Mrs. Tucker was presented the gift certificate from D&R Furniture.

## Deaths

### Reuben Trantham

Services for Reuben Trantham, 70, who died Wednesday, will be at 3:30 p.m. Friday at the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Claude Craven of Trinity Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

He was born Oct. 8, 1913 in Hico. He graduated from high school there. He moved to Big Spring in 1932. In 1936 he married Maurine Nations in Lovington, N.M. He worked for 17 years for the T&P Railroad.

He and Pete Hull opened the Modern Appliance Store in 1950. They sold the store to Big Spring Hardware, and Mr. Trantham continued to operate the appliance department until his death.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters; Geneva Merrick of Big Spring and Shirlene Collins of Houston; two brothers, Ed Dear of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Ollie Dear of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sisters, Lora Baker of Seagraves and Eula Hammett of Lampasas; and eight grandchildren.

### Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home

and Rosewood Chapel

Mildred M. Garwood, 80, died Wednesday. Services will be 2:00 P.M. Saturday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

Reuben Trantham, 70, died Wednesday. Services will be 3:30 P.M. Friday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel. Interment will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

William Arthur Dear, 74, died Tuesday. Graveside Services will be 2:00 P.M. Friday in Trinity Memorial Park.

T. E. (Tom) Brock, 89, died Tuesday. Services will be Friday, 2:00 P.M. in the First Baptist Church of Seymour. Interment will be in Masonic Cemetery in Seymour.

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By the Associated Press

## Cash helps out hospital

NASHVILLE — Country music star Johnny Cash had a special reason to help out at Baptist Hospital's ground-breaking ceremony — since he's still a patient there recovering from intestinal surgery.

"I'm just happy to be here today — happy to be alive," said the 51-year-old Cash, all decked out in a black jogging suit Wednesday as he braved a chilling wind and temperatures in the low 40s.

Cash, known for hits including "A Boy Named Sue" and "I Walk the Line," wielded a small sledgehammer and helped Mayor Richard Fulton pound spikes into asphalt where the hospital is building a \$13 million "wellness center."

## Lehrer makes recovery

WASHINGTON — James Lehrer, co-anchor of public TV's "MacNeil-Lehrer News Hour," will be back on the air in a matter of weeks after a mild heart attack, his colleague Robert MacNeil reports.

On the broadcast Wednesday night, MacNeil announced Lehrer's illness and said he was resting comfortably.

Lehrer, 49, "suffered an extremely mild heart attack," said Snijtha Prakash, a staff member for the program. "We have no cause for concern."

Chris Ramsey, a staff member in New York, said Lehrer developed chest pains Sunday night and was taken to Georgetown University Hospital on Tuesday morning. Ann Sherman, a spokeswoman for the hospital, confirmed that Lehrer was a patient but said she had no information concerning his condition.

## Kennedy passes bar exam

ALBANY, N.Y. — Robert F. Kennedy Jr., son of the late Sen. Robert Kennedy, has passed the New York state bar exam, but it's not yet known when he will be admitted to practice law in the state.

Kennedy, 29, who faces a felony heroin possession charge in South Dakota, still must gain the approval of the Committee on Character and Fitness of the Appellate Division of state Supreme Court.

He passed the exam on his third try, the Board of Law Examiners reported Wednesday. He took the test in July.

On Sept. 15, Kennedy was charged with possession of heroin, five days after becoming ill on a Republic Airlines flight from Minneapolis to Rapid City, S.D. He is undergoing drug-dependency treatment at a hospital in Fair Oaks, N.J.

## ABBA gets mixed reviews

LONDON — The Swedish rock group ABBA, branching out into children's fare, got mixed reviews for the music it provides in a Christmas offering at the Lyric Theater — a show appropriately called "Abbacadabra."

In the musical, three children who begin playing a video game on their classroom blackboard end up accompanying Cinderella, Aladdin, and Pinocchio through a metallic fantasyland of video, motorbikes, and super-sleek hardware.

By the Associated Press

## Geter released on bond

DALLAS — On the 477th day of a life sentence for armed robbery, black engineer Lenell Geter walked out of jail calling a court's order of a new trial "my emancipation proclamation."

The 26-year-old Geter said he was "extremely overjoyed" at his release Wednesday on bond. He was convicted of a 1982 fast-food restaurant robbery after five eyewitnesses identified him, but nine co-workers have said he was at work at the time.

"My primary concern now is to clear my name," said Geter, who has said the charges against him resulted only from racism and shoddy police work.

Geter was released from the Lew Sterrett Justice Center at about 3 p.m. after several of his co-workers from an aerospace firm drove to Dallas to deliver a \$10,000 bond they raised through personal loans.

He got bearhugs from E-Systems Inc. employees Charles Hartford and Wendell Crom, who had orchestrated a campaign to secure his release and persuade prosecutors that they had the wrong man.

"I love them. I love them all," Geter said. "The new trial was ordered by an appeals court following news reports of his case including a report on CBS' '60 Minutes,'" and after prosecutors said new evidence had surfaced.

Geter was convicted and sentenced to life in prison for the 1982 robbery of a Balch Springs fast food restaurant 50 miles from his job as an engineer at E-Systems.

Geter was one of six black engineers whose pictures were circulated to Dallas area police officials after a Greenville robbery. Geter became a suspect, Greenville authorities said, only after an elderly white woman thought Geter looked suspicious because he frequented a city park after work.

## Columbian jet explodes

BOGOTA, Colombia — A Colombian cargo jet with mechanical problems exploded in the air while trying to make an emergency landing at Medellin and flaming debris set fires in five factories. The coroner said 14 people were killed.

The Tampa Airlines Boeing 707 was on its way to Miami for repairs Wednesday when it exploded and crashed, airline officials said.

All three crewmen in the plane and 11 people on the ground were killed, Medellin coroner Humberto Sierra told the Associated Press.

In a statement, Tampa said the plane had tried to take off in the morning when it was loaded with cargo, but had been forced back by mechanical difficulties. The cargo was unloaded and the jet took off, the airline said.

But the pilot immediately asked permission to

return and make an emergency landing, a spokesman for Colombia's Civil Aeronautics Agency said in a telephone interview.

"The plane made a turn to try to get back to the runway and was just 50 meters (60 yards) short of the runway when it exploded," said the spokesman, who did not give his name.

Debris from the jet scattered for 400 yards in an industrial area of Colombia's second-largest city, setting fires in five factories and demolishing six parked buses and three cars, said officials at the scene. Medellin is about 170 miles northwest of Bogota.

## Smith executed in Georgia

JACKSON, Ga. — John Eldon Smith was executed today for the 1974 slayings of two newlyweds, the first man to die in Georgia's electric chair in 19 years and the second man put to death in the United States in two days.

"The order of the court has been carried out," said prison spokesman John Siler. Corrections Department spokesman David Jordan said the electrocution began at 8:08 a.m., was completed at 8:10 a.m. and a team of three doctors declared Smith dead at 8:15 a.m. after 2,000 volts of electricity passed through his body.

The 53-year-old former insurance salesman was sentenced to death after being convicted of fatally shooting his wife's former husband and that man's wife.

"He was calm, he walked to the cell on his own power. He made no movement after he was in the chair," Jordan said.

As guards began strapping Smith into the chair, he said, "Hey, there ain't no point in pulling so tight."

Smith said his final statement would be read by the Rev. Robert Wise, a Roman Catholic chaplain. The statement consisted of a chapter of the Bible, from 2nd Corinthians, beginning "Indeed we know when the earthly tent in which we dwell is destroyed..."

Wise then blessed Smith and the condemned man sighed and closed his eyes, before guards attached electrodes to his right leg and to a strap holding his head to the chair, and placed a hood over his face.

When the electricity was applied his chest heaved and his hands clenched. His body did not appear to relax after the current was turned off.

Smith declined to order a special last meal and refused to pick his own witnesses for his execution at the Georgia Diagnostic and Classification Center in Jackson, about 60 miles southeast of Atlanta.

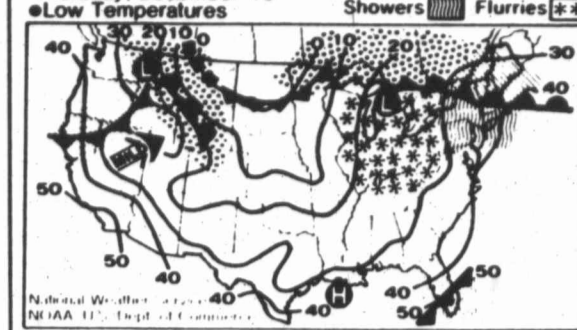
He became the 11th man executed in the United States since 1976, the fifth this year and the third in the last 16 days.

A Louisiana man, Robert Wayne Williams, was executed shortly after 2 a.m. Wednesday for the slaying of an elderly supermarket guard.

The Georgia Pardon and Paroles Board rejected clemency for Smith on Tuesday. Georgia Gov. Joe Frank Harris has no power to commute a death sentence under state law.

Siler, public information officer for the Department of Offender Rehabilitation, said the condemned man got "a restless couple of hours" of sleep during the night. Before the execution he described Smith as "quiet, calm. If you want to call it acceptance, you can call it that."

The Forecast For 7 a.m. EST Thursday, December 15



By the Associated Press

West Texas — Fair to partly cloudy through Friday. A little warmer extreme southwest. A little colder Panhandle Friday. Highs 45 Panhandle to 62 extreme southwest. Lows upper teens mountains and Panhandle to 32 south. Highs Friday near 40 Panhandle to 62 extreme southwest and 72 Big Bend valleys.

## Forecast says clear and cold

Clear skies and cold temperatures were the rule across Texas before dawn today as forecasters looked for little immediate change in the weather.

The dominant weather feature was a ridge of high pressure that covered the state. A secondary cold front entered Northwest Texas before dawn, bringing northerly winds at 5 to 10 mph to the northern third of the state.

Winds were light and variable over the rest of Texas.

Pre-dawn temperatures were generally in the 30s and 40s, while the mercury dipped into the 20s in some locales in the Panhandle and South Plains. Readings at 4 a.m. ranged from 24 at Amarillo to 49 at Brownsville.

The forecast called for mostly fair skies into tonight, with a bit of increasing cloudiness tonight and Friday. Low temperatures tonight were expected to dip into the 30s and 40s, with a few readings falling into the 20s in northern sections. Afternoon highs Friday were forecast to reach the 50s and 60s statewide.

8 a.m. EST. Temperatures on left indicate previous day's high and overnight low to	Hi	Lo	Prc	Dir	Hi	Lo
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**New York wants taxes from singer**

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) — Soul singer Aretha Franklin is in tax trouble with the state of New York, according to documents filed in court.

The state is suing Ms. Franklin, a resident of the Detroit suburb of Bloomfield Hills, to pay more than \$100,000 in back taxes, interest and fines, a suit filed Tuesday in Oakland County Circuit Court shows.

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In order to comply with the Federal Communication Commission's (FCC) Computer Inquiry II (CI-II) order and subsequent FCC Orders or rulings, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (SWB) has filed with the Public Utility Commission (PUC) an Application for transfer of certain assets to American Telephone and Telegraph Company (AT&T), and of its subsidiaries.

This Application affects the provision of customer premise equipment (CPE) throughout SWB's service area in the state of Texas. Effective with the implementation of this transfer of facilities, which is expected to be on January 1, 1984, CPE equipment previously provided by SWB, under tariff, will be detariffed and as of that date will be offered to customers by AT&T and/or its subsidiaries in accordance with the order in FCC Docket No. 81-893.

The FCC's order also provides that this embedded CPE shall be offered to in-place customers on a sale or lease basis for 24 month transition period. The order further outlines the rates and conditions under which these sale or lease plans may be carried out.

For the purposes of this Application, SWB has filed proposed tariffs with the PUC, anticipated to be effective January 1, 1984, withdrawing its offerings of such customer premise equipment.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

**Aviso al Publico**

A fin de cumplir con el decreto Computer Inquiry II (Investigacion de Computadoras II - CI-II) de la Federal Communications Commission (Comision Federal de Comunicaciones - FCC) y otros decretos o decisiones posteriores de la FCC, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (SWB) ha presentado ante la Public Utility Commission (Comision de Servicios Publicos - PUC) una Solicitud para la transferencia de ciertos bienes a American Telephone and Telegraph Company (AT&T) y o companias filiales.

Esta Solicitud afecta la suministracion del equipo ubicado en instalaciones del cliente, en toda el area de servicio de SWB en el estado de Texas. Con vigencia desde el cumplimiento de esta transferencia de instalaciones, presuntamente el 1 de Enero de 1984, los equipos ubicados en instalaciones del cliente que anteriormente proveia SWB bajo una determinada tarifa, se proporcionaran por AT&T y o companias filiales a partir de esa fecha, siendo eliminadas las tarifas, de acuerdo con el decreto en la Orden del Dia numero 81-893 de la FCC.

El decreto de la FCC tambien dispone que este equipo fijo ubicado en instalaciones del cliente se ofrecera a los clientes en venta o alquiler por un periodo de transicion de 24 meses. Asimismo, el decreto indica en lineas generales las tarifas y condiciones segun las cuales deberan llevarse a cabo los planes de venta o alquiler.

Para el proposito de esta Solicitud, SWB ha registrado las tarifas propuestas ante la PUC, presuntamente con vigencia a partir del 1 de Enero de 1984, suspendiendo la suministracion de dicho equipo.

Toda persona que desee intervenir o participar en el proceso debe notificar a la Comision lo antes posible. Las solicitudes de intervencion, participacion o informacion deben dirigirse a: Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Para obtener mayor informacion debe llamar a Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division, (512) 458-0223, al (512) 458-0227 o al (512) 458-0221 si requiere teletipo para sordos.



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# Editorial

## IRS goes after real Scrooges

Internal Revenue Service Commissioner Roscoe L. Egger Jr. recently offered some good year-end advice to would-be last-minute tax savers. He said there were four factors that will guarantee a tax audit: "tax shelter, tax shelter, tax shelter, tax shelter."

With December a traditional advertising period for such tax savings promotions, the IRS is trying to discourage people looking for a fast buck because abusive tax shelters account for a large part of our nation's shocking tax loss.

Tax shelters are investments made to take advantage, through huge write-offs, of tax benefits in industries that the government is trying to promote for development. Some examples are real estate or oil and gas exploration. Financial analysts generally urge caution on tax shelters because the honest investments will require more than one month to build up any appreciable savings.

Last year, the IRS completed audits of 95,998 taxpayers who used "abusive tax shelters," assessing them \$1.6 billion in back taxes. It also reportedly has approximately 350,000 other tax shelter cases involving both promoters and investors set for examination. The IRS announced the arrest of two men who attempted to bribe a revenue officer with \$500,000 in return for the agent's assistance in solving tax problems the two had with a cattle investment scheme they were promoting.

Investment tax shelters aren't the only tax abuse. A similar ploy is to donate a gift to a charitable group, then over-value the gift in order to claim an excessive deduction.

Altogether, the IRS estimates that the U.S. Treasury lost about \$81.5 billion in unpaid taxes in 1981, which was more than that year's entire budget deficit of \$65 billion. Most of that amount was attributed to individual tax cheats, not corporations.



### Around The Rim

By GREG JAKLEWICZ

#### Close shave

Have fear, this is yet another of my chauvanistic writings. Pre-titled "On Shaving Off One's Beard," I'm sure few females in the audience can relate to this tumultuous time in a man's life. At least, I hope there are few.

Since last April, when all-day track meets and baseball doubleheaders came my way from my beloved Agra, I have worn a beard. While I can't grow much on top of my head anymore, I sure can let it hang from under my chin. And so, out of pure laziness, I began the third beard of my life.

The best part of a beard is the early stage, a few days past the start. A fledgling beard looks only like you've skipped a few days shaving. You have, of course; but there are long-range intentions others do not know.

The beard then gathers momentum, spreading, thickening, lengthening and soon you look like you've just returned from two weeks in the Rocky Mountains. It's called the rugged look, imitation Indiana Jones. Furrow your eyes and you can look downright mean.

The next concern is getting the beard to grow evenly and then shape it. If you don't want it bushy, a trimming becomes a daily chore much like brushing your teeth. City editor Keith Briscoe handles his Cossack beard with care; his is the early Russian look with nary a hair out of place.

Of course, you can take the Grizzly Adams approach and let it grow wild like Harlan Smith. One can tell what Harlan had for dinner two nights before by inspecting his beard. But it fits his image as the slave-driving swim coach at Big Spring High.

Once a beard is fully established, it must constantly be maintained and after a time, becomes a headache. A beard can look funny when you wake up in the morning; one or two strands usually stick straight out and if you sleep on your stomach as I do, the beard can be crushed to one side.

You look in the mirror and this unknown derelict stares back.

Another hassle is the trimming. When you snip here and there, the

hair falls here and there. Pretty soon your sink area looks like the floor of a barbershop.

When you get out of the shower or pool, it takes an hour for your chin to dry. Another problem is sometimes your beard is not the same color as the rest of the hair on your head. Blondes have the most trouble, sporting a patch of cotton above the eyebrows and sagebrush below the nose.

Soon the negatives add up and the decision is made for the beard to go. You must plan at least a half-hour for this chore. A fresh razor is a necessity along with a can of medicated shaving cream. The face becomes a battlefield; John Phillip Sousa marches in the background would be appropriate mood music.

Until you shave a beard, you never realize just how much hair is contained therein. One look at what's floating in the sink tells you that a Cro-Magnon male must be operating the razor. The process becomes tedious as the razor clogs with hair.

It can be fun, though. If you know you're shaving the whole thing off, stroke in different patterns to leave patches here and there. Leave huge sideburns or a bushy handle-bar. Eventually it's all coming off, so you make it a game.

Alas the job is over. The sink is stopped up, your face burns and your closed eyes beg not to see the final result. The face is rinsed and you look at the finished product for the first time. Who is this wimp in the mirror? Why is his voice suddenly higher? Why is his skin so white?

The first trip into public is embarrassing. "You look like a little kid," they laugh. Some don't even notice. "Did you get a hair cut...you look different." In time, they get used to you and you get used to you.

Then you start another beard. It's like the change in seasons. Mine are terribly messed up; I grow beards in the summer and shave them off in the winter. That's not my biggest problem, however. Since I look like a fourth grader now, I'll have trouble getting into R-rated movies again.

Maybe I won't shave tomorrow.



### Jack Anderson

## Bank robbers use religious cover

WASHINGTON — Federal and local lawmen are concerned at the emergence of a little-known but dangerous group of bank robbers who use the Black Muslim movement as a cover for their depredations. Until recently, the FBI thought the group's membership had been decimated by a series of arrests, but now the G-men are preparing for a resurgence of its violent activities in various parts of the country.

The gang is known as the New World of Islam, a Black Muslim splinter group. Police in Jacksonville, Fla., suspect the New World of involvement in two recent bank robberies there.

My associates Corky Johnson and Donald Goldberg have gleaned details of the New World's operations from interviews with law-enforcement authorities and from FBI and local police files. Here's what they found:

- In 1980-81, more than two dozen New World members were convicted after several bank robberies and the murder of a policeman in Newark, N.J.

- According to the FBI, the mastermind of New World is Belton Williams. Police believe he is hiding out in South Carolina. Sources say Williams has never been directly involved in the violence, but note that his present location keeps him close to the group's various training camps in the South.

- New World's membership is estimated at more than 1,000

distributed in 10 states, including New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Florida.

- There is disagreement over the New World's motivation. Some authorities think its members are dedicated Islamic terrorists; others believe they're strictly professional crooks who use Black Muslim rhetoric as a recruiting aid.

- Much of the group's recruiting is done in prisons and is "directed to the uneducated, underprivileged and suspected or known criminals," according to an FBI appraisal. Efforts are also made to recruit teenagers and brainwash them into strict obedience to the leadership. A 14-year-old boy, for example, was involved in the Newark bank robberies.

- Recruits are given extensive military-style training, and each bank robbery is rehearsed in painstaking detail. In a typical robbery, two men armed with pistols rush into the bank and collect the cash, while a "floor manager" guards the door with a shotgun. Two stolen cars are used in the getaway. The gunmen are paid \$250 a piece for their work, with the rest going to the organization.

- The New World is divided into subgroups or cells, each living in its own safe house under a communal leader who reports to Williams, according to the FBI. Leaders are permitted to have more than one wife.

- If a New World member kills a police officer during a robbery and

takes the officer's gun, he is immediately promoted. Because of this, authorities fear that police will become the group's favorite targets.

- Because of their supposed religious affiliation, New World members have been allowed to appear in public schools to talk about their "movement." One member read youngsters passages from a book by Albert Dickens, now serving a life sentence for the Newark robberies. The book, titled "Uncle Ya Ya," exhorts blacks to rise up and take what they're entitled to, sources said.

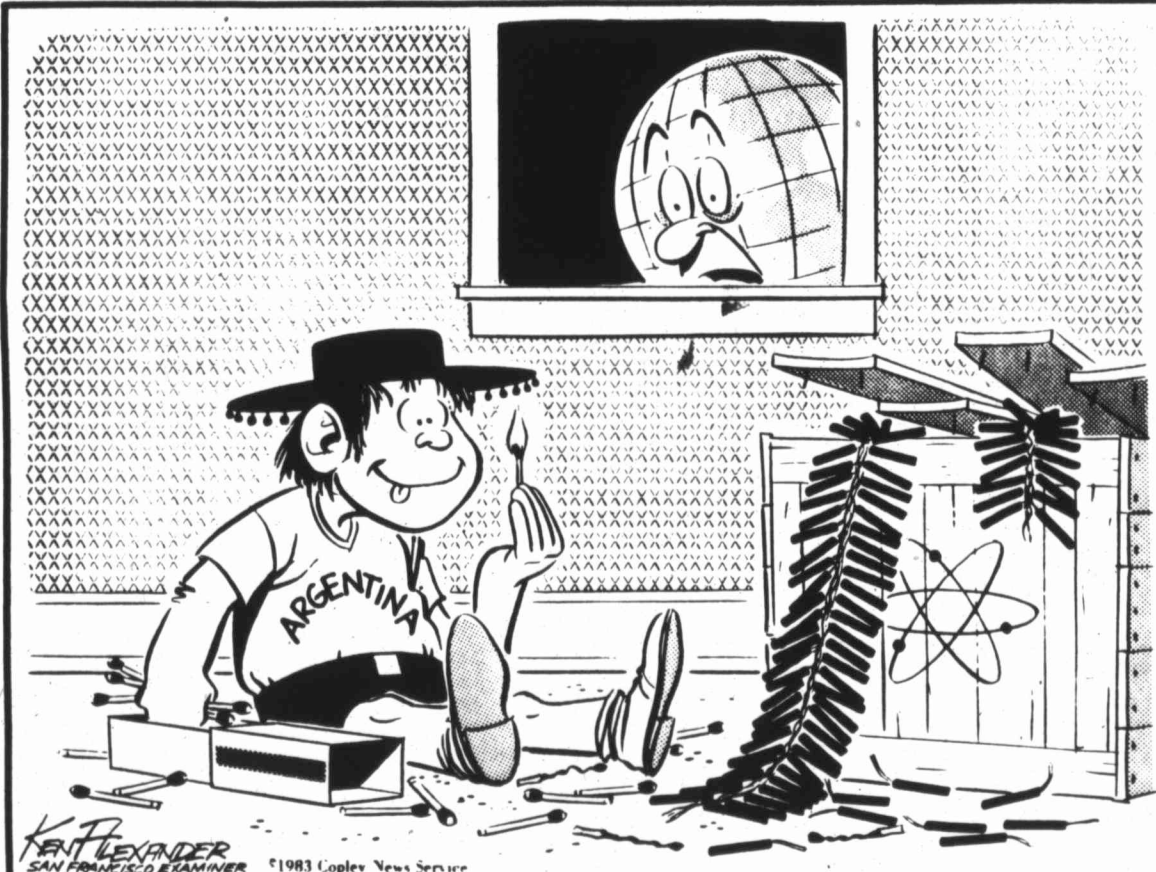
Footnote: Reached in prison, Dickens denied that the New World of Islam practices or supports violence, and accused federal officials of distorting the bank robbery episodes in an attempt to exterminate a legitimate religious movement. He said New World members now meet in secret because they're afraid the FBI will "kick the doors down and shoot us." He described alleged mastermind Williams as "a righteous man trying to do righteous things."

**BLUNDER OF THE WEEK:** The Congressional Record quoted Sen. James McClure, R-Idaho, as saying in exasperation during the closing hours of bitter debate over his natural gas bill: "What we need to do, all of us, is to retire to the cloakroom with our shirtsleeves up and our pistols out and see what we can do."

Although McClure acknowledged that sometimes he feels "the use of firearms may be the only way to bring a quick solution to matters," he didn't really recommend a shootout. According to witnesses, what he said was "retire to the cloakroom without shirtsleeves up and our pencils out." As it became apparent that his natural gas bill would die on the floor, however, McClure accepted the official record's version of his remark as an improvement on the original.

**HEADLINES AND FOOTNOTES:** Hustler magazine publisher Larry Flynt is about to stir up more trouble by releasing some secret pictures of a celebrity. This time it will be nude photo of the late Rep. Larry McDonald, D-Ga., with various women. Though the pictures are not pornographic, they will surely discomfit supporters of the ultraconservative congressman, who died when the Soviets shot down Korean Air Lines flight 007 in September.

- President Amin Gemayel's inability to exercise control of Lebanon has given rise to widespread speculation that he will eventually have to share power with at least some of the many warring religious factions in his strife-torn country. His failure to exert authority has also inspired some diplomats, including Americans, to refer to the president of Lebanon as the "Duke of Beirut" — a caustic reflection of his severely limited power.



### Steve Chapman

## Bell's breakup: people and profit

There are unnumberable blessings to be noted, but so far I have yet to hear anyone count the breakup of AT&T among them. Listening to Americans ventilate their opinions on this event, even before it occurs, is like listening to working-class Parisians discuss the shortage of bread in 1789. In this view, the system's fine, so why mess with it?

At the risk of exposing myself to budding Robespierres, however, let me try to explain why the breakup of AT&T and the trend toward telephone deregulation is, for all the fleeting trauma it will cause, not only inevitable but positively beneficial.

No one denies the strengths of the American telephone system. It is fast, reasonably painless most of the time and nearly universal — some 98 percent of U.S. homes have phones. But it has flaws, which are no less serious for being less visible.

For years, AT&T was a monopoly, something Americans normally, and justifiably, find objectionable. The result was that customers were deprived of alternatives and were systematically overcharged for some types of service.

But Ma Bell's privileged status has been eroding for years — at least since 1968, when the Federal Communications Commission forced it to connect customers who were nifty enough to buy their own phones. Still more damaging was a court victory by MCI which allowed it to compete with AT&T in the lucrative (i.e., scandalously overpriced) long-distance market. Not

surprisingly, Americans rushed to take advantage of the cheaper options.

No one, aside from Bell itself, complained about that. But permitting competition in this one area meant that, sooner or later, pricing methods for other types of service would also have to change.

Why? For decades, some phone users have been paying less than their fair share, while others have paid more. Long-distance callers, city dwellers and businesses were overcharged to ensure low rates for local callers, rural people and residences. Under the new system, these subsidies are supposed to be reduced or eliminated, with each group paying a closer approximation of its actual costs. For most residential customers, the change means that the basic charge for phone service, which averages about \$11 a month, will double.

That rate increase is the main reason a lot of people take a mutinous view of deregulation. But it will be offset, partly for some and entirely for others, by lower long-distance costs. Lower business rates will eventually be reflected in lower prices for their goods and services. For the poor, who may not be able to afford higher phone rates, the government can provide direct subsidies, akin to food stamps.

Another alleged defect in the new system is the obligation for consumers to deal with at least two firms — one for local service, one

for long-distance. But millions of Americans already do that. The rest will find it's no great inconvenience.

In any case, the change is inevitable. Given the changes in telecommunications, it would have been nearly impossible to prevent big long-distance users from circumventing AT&T. Nor are other businesses likely to tolerate being fleeced, even at the local level. Advances in technology have made it increasingly practical for them to bypass the local telephone monopoly entirely.

The growing competition in both local and long-distance service will be the ordinary consumer's best protection. But it's up to local and state regulators to encourage the introduction of alternatives — like allowing cable television firms to offer phone service — rather than strive to protect a rigid monopoly.

It's also up to Congress not to get in the way, which it looks inclined to do. The House passed a measure this year to preserve one of the old subsidies, and a Senate committee has also approved it. The bill forbids the Federal Communications Commission to require residential customers to pay a \$2-a-month fee for access to long-distance systems. This fee would force residential customers to pay more of their fair share. If Congress forbids it, long-distance callers will keep subsidizing them — eliminating one of the main benefits of AT&T's breakup.



### Billy Graham

## Parents of teens must act wisely

**DEAR DR. GRAHAM:** Would you try to tell parents that it is really hard to be a teen-ager? I don't think they understand what it means to feel like you are being tugged a dozen different ways at the same time, and it is really a confusing time for those of us who are in that stage of life. — B.J.

**DEAR B.J.:** Yes, I am sure parents — who were, after all, once teen-agers themselves — can sometimes forget just what it was like during that stage of life. But I suspect also that there are often pressures on teen-agers today that are more intense than those your parents experienced. For example, there are often enormous pressures on teen-agers to experiment with drugs or sex. Parents need to understand these pressures, and do all they can to help their children resist them.

There are two things you especially need to keep before you. First, do all you can to keep the lines of communication open with your parents. They have experienced much in life, and you can profit from their wisdom. The Bible also commands us to "Honor your father and your mother" (Exodus 20:12). Don't just say "They wouldn't understand" — they might understand more than you think they do. But also you need to take time to listen to them and understand them. Communication is a two-way street.

Then I urge you to give your life to Jesus Christ if you have never done so. You need the strength that he gives to help you know what is right and to avoid what is wrong. You also need his guidance as you face the future. Remember: Even if no one else seems to understand, God knows you even better than you know yourself. Furthermore, he knows what is best for you because he made you and he loves you. "Remember your Creator in the days of your youth, before the days of trouble come" (Ecclesiastes 12:1).

Don't let yourself be tugged in directions that are wrong and will harm you. God has a perfect plan for your life, and the greatest joy in life comes from discovering his plan and doing it. Invite Christ into your heart by a simple prayer of faith, and then seek to walk with him every day as you face the future.

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**JUMPING OVER THE HAY RAKE?** — A wheel of a long-retired hay rake to cow in rural Massachusetts uses the scratch herself recently.

## Olympic nickname gets high school into trouble

AURORA, Colo. (AP) — Snack food, okay. Video equipment, all right. But an official high school of the 1984 Olympics? Hardly. Even though they'll still be nicknamed the Olympians, the sports teams of Gateway High School in Aurora will have to quit using the five-ring Olympic symbol on athletic uniforms and publications by May 1986, according to the U.S. Olympic Committee. The school discovered it had problems with its nickname, in use since 1972, when the publishers of Gateway's 1984 yearbook contacted school officials. They said Gateway could not use the symbol or the words "Olympiad" and "Olympians" unless they had permission from the USOC. Reinhold Mattes, Gateway principal, then contacted the USOC through the school's attorney. F. Don Miller, USOC executive director, said Tuesday that the school may continue to use its nickname and may keep the symbols displayed on various structures where they are affixed permanently. School officials have already made arrangements to remove the Olympic rings from the 1984 yearbook and Mattes said the students will soon decide on a new symbol for the school.

## NBC celebrates anniversary

NEW YORK (AP) — Actor Ken Howard, game-show host Gene Rayburn and hundreds of other former pages at NBC helped the network celebrate 50 years at its Rockefeller Center headquarters.

Many looking for a door into show business have taken the job, which involves running errands, guiding tourists and as Peter Johnson, now a writer-producer for the "Today" show, said, doing "a little bit of everything."

"I couldn't get a job as an actor so I took that as a stopgap to keep from starving," recalled Rayburn, star of "The Match Game" and host of the party in two television studios Tuesday night. He said his NBC page job in the 1930s led him into radio.

The roster of former pages includes ABC "Nightline" anchor Ted Koppel, Bob Keeshan of CBS-TV's "Captain Kangaroo," singer Gordon MacRae, and many actors and actresses, including Richard Benjamin, Kate Jackson, Eva Marie Saint and Efreem Zimbalist Jr.

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# Lifestyle

Dr. Donohue



## Exercise important in Parkinson's

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I wish you could tell me if it is true that one should have some exercise therapy with Parkinson's disease. My husband, who has this, insists it is not good for one with this problem to do exercise. His view is that since it's a brain chemical problem exercise would not help anyway. Please convince him. — L.O.

I hope I can. I frequently get the same kind of questions from people with stroke, another kind of brain problem. Exercise is an important part of Parkinson's disease therapy, just as it can be in post-stroke therapy. Exercise prevents joints from getting stiff and muscles from wasting. That can only add to the burden of the illness.

Only your husband's doctor can tell him what should be done in such a program. But planned exercise, activity and rest is integral for almost all Parkinson's patients. The kind of exercise depends on how badly affected the person has been. It's also important for the patient to grasp the idea that he has ways of trying to take control of his problem. In this regard, the exercise has both real and psychological value, an unbeatable combination.

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** What is nictalopia and how is it related to night blindness? Would eating carrots help, as the old story goes? — F.K.

Nictalopia and night blindness are two terms for the same problem, the inability to see well in sub-

dued illumination, and a deficiency of vitamin A can be involved. In some, a diet deficient in carotene (the precursor of vitamin A in the body) can contribute, along with an abnormally low fat intake, since fat is important for absorption. Carrots do contain carotene, but really not enough to rectify a deficiency of the A vitamin. Rather, the vitamin is given in supplement form.

Success in correcting the vision problem depends on how seriously eye structures have been affected by

the deficiency. And it should be noted that such a deficiency is not common in Western populations. When this problem does exist, other non-eye symptoms, like skin dryness, are usually prominent.

**FOR D.L.** — All I can tell you is that large doses of vitamin C (many times the daily requirement) have been implicated in formation of calcium oxalate deposits in the kidneys, especially in those who already have reduced kidney function.

Dr. Donohue welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer in-

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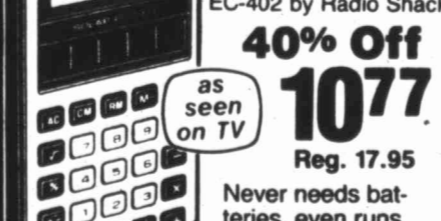
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Our question: Should we confront her and say, "We know you are gay, and it's OK, we love you," or should we wait until she tells us she's gay? I have suspected it since she was 15. When she was 17, I confronted her, but she cried and denied it.

Her high school years were a nightmare. She smoked pot, skipped school and drank. We offered counseling to her, but she refused. Our home was always open to her friends, but she rarely brought anyone home. I've met some of her friends (girls) and I genuinely liked them.

How should we handle this? We want her to be open with us, but don't know how to go about it.

WITHHOLD OUR NAMES

**DEAR WITHHOLD:** Don't make an issue of her sexuality. Just let her know by your actions that you love her unconditionally. She may never "open up" and disclose her sexual orientation — which is her right. Let her know you'll foot the bill for counseling if she wants it, and pray she takes you up on it. Only when she feels comfortable with herself will she feel comfortable with you. All gay children should have such understanding parents.

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We would love to read your stories. Please submit them by Dec. 17. Drop them by the *Herald* or mail to "My Most Memorable Christmas," Lifestyle Department, *Big Spring Herald*, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79720. All stories become the property of *The Big Spring Herald* and cannot be returned.

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# Mobil-Manges suit nears end

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"Anything I say now would not be in the best interests of the state of Texas," Mauro said in reply to published reports about the possible settlement.

"I said earlier that we would have a settlement in the next couple weeks. I see no reason to change my mind," Mauro said. "We may even have one by the end of the week."

Different published reports, all based on unidentified "sources," said the state would net about \$100 million, while Manges would receive up to \$400 million.

In addition, the reported proposal calls for Mobil to sell its leases on Manges' property to Shearson-American Express Inc. for an undisclosed amount to end the stormy relationship between Mobil and Manges.

One source said the settlement was reached last week in New York by Mauro and top Mobil officials.

Mauro's office oversees oil and gas production on state lands.

Meanwhile, another pretrial hearing on the suit was scheduled Thursday morning in a Laredo district court.

Several reports pointed out that the settlement could be signed and filed in the Laredo court late this

week or early next week. Manges initiated the suit against Mobil in 1982, claiming the oil company's 1925 lease on 64,646 acres of his Duval County ranch expired in 1932. Mobil continued to produce oil and gas from the land.

The state joined the suit later that year to protect its interest in 14,506 acres of the lease on which the state owned mineral

rights. A spokesman for Mobil's Texas and New Mexico division acknowledged Tuesday that negotiations are taking place.

"They're negotiating," said Mobil public affairs representative Darlene Taylor. "I cannot confirm that a settlement is near."

Edmund Finder, senior vice president of Shearson-American Express in New

York, refused to discuss the company's reported role in the settlement.

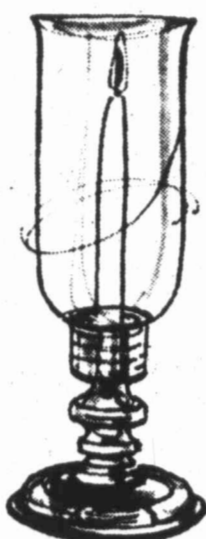
Judge George Miller of Rockdale, a retired civil appeals judge, is scheduled to continue hearing the pretrial argument in Laredo.

"I know they've been working on it (a settlement), but they haven't notified me of any results yet," Miller said.

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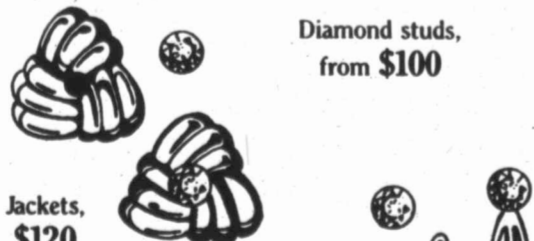
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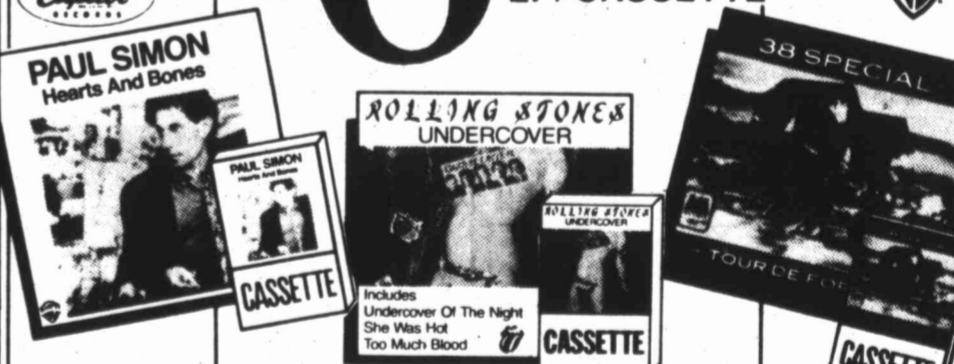
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## Thursday Notes

With the Christmas and New Year's holidays right around the corner, Howard College has taken off early to enjoy the semester vacation.

When the Hawk Queens and Hawks return to campus in January, coaches Don Stevens and Mike Mitchell will find their charges in the thick of their respective Western Junior College Athletic Conference races.

The Queens rolled by New Mexico Junior College Monday night for their first league win. Without 6-1 post Terri Moore, the Queens made it through the fall semester with a 13-6 record and two tournament co-championships.

Moore, a transfer from Baylor where she started at a guard position, is now eligible and will give the Queens a big hands under the boards.

Howard has four players scoring in double figures in the latest WJAC stats: Debbie Hall (14.4), Molly Early (12.8), Alex Provencio (12.7) and Janene Berry (10.0). Provencio is No. 9 in rebounding with 7.6 a game.

Early is the No. 3 free throw shooter (.791) while the Queens stand No. 3 in team offense (74.6 ppg) and free throw shooting (.626). Howard is No. 4 in defense (64.9 ppg surrendered).

Machelle Whitehead of Amarillo College is the top scorer in the league with 25.3 points while Sharon Blair of Odessa College is grabbing 15 rebounds a contest.

Odessa, by the way, is unbeaten in 20 games and ranked No. 1 in the nation. To Howard's credit, the Queens played the Lady Wranglers to within an 82-74 loss in the championship game of the Hawk Queens Classic last month.

The Hawks are the story of the conference in men's play, blasting off to a 12-1 start and 4-0 league. Mitchell's crew could soon be a candidate for the nation's top 20, especially with the arrival of 6-8 rebounder Anthony Snooks who missed fall semester action.

Wing Dwight Harris is the No. 1 scorer in the conference with 24.7 points while Jerry Stroman is No. 4 with 19.7. Harris is also No. 4 in field goal percentage (.623) and No. 3 in free throws (.811).

His back-to-back 36 point games in the Chaparral Classic in Midland are conference highs.

Howard is No. 3 in offense (86.9 ppg), top in defense (63.7) and second in field goal percentage (.545).

Speaking of offense and defense... Surprising Odessa College — rebuilding quickly under assistant and former Big Spring High coach Archie Myers — is scoring 93.3 points and is ranked No. 8 nationally.

And Mitchell's junior college teams in Idaho led the nation twice in defense but he didn't expect any such thing in the high-scoring WJAC. Still, Howard is among the top 15 in the nation in defense this week.

Elsewhere around the league, former Greenwood standout Renvy Evans is scoring 10 points a game for No. 2 Western Texas, ranked No. 14 in recent national polls.

And 1982 District 4-5A Most Valuable Player Jerald Wrightsil has brought his shooting percentage up 10 points and is now scoring 10.7 points a game for the defending conference champion Midland Chaparrals.

He's won a starting job and getting three assists and four rebounds a contest.

Step aside Phil Ringener. You're about to be replaced as Big Spring's numero uno bowler.



LAURIE WELLS  
...top junior bowler

Meet 8-year-old Laurie Wells who bowled a two-game series of 290 — high game 157 — Sept. 17. That ranks her third in the nation for the series and tops as high game in the junior bowling magazine "Y.A.B.A. World."

Laurie, grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wells, has been bowling three years and currently holds the high average in the Bantams League at the Bowl-a-Rama.

Hey, here age is higher than my average.  
— GREG JAKLEWICZ

## Redskins dominate NFC All-Pro starting selections

NEW YORK (AP) — Seven members of the defending Super Bowl champion Washington Redskins and two rookies were named to the National Football Conference Pro Bowl team, the NFC and the NFL Players Association announced jointly.

Five of the Redskins' players will be starters, including quarterback Joe Theismann, the top-rated passer in the National Football League this season with 260 completions in 431 attempts, according to the announcement Wednesday. The other Redskins' starters are center Jeff Bostic, guard Russ Grimm, tackle Joe Jacoby and safety Mark Murphy.

The two rookie selections were Los Angeles Rams running back Eric Dickerson and New York Giants place-kicker Ali Haji-Sheikh. The other starting running back is William Andrews of the Atlanta Falcons.

The NFC-AFC Pro Bowl game will be played in Honolulu on Jan. 29 (4 p.m. EST, ABC-TV).

Selection is done on the basis of balloting by the 14 NFC coaches and the player representatives from each team, with no voter allowed to vote for a player on his own team.

One position remained open after balloting — the third defensive end position. Voting for this spot produced a tie. The tiebreaker is their respective team's record, but because the two teams could tie in overall record with one game left in the season, that spot on the NFC roster will not be announced until next week.

NEW YORK (AP) — The National Conference Pro Bowl team selected for the Jan. 29 National Football League's all-star game in Honolulu (x-reserve):

**OFFENSE**  
Wide Receiver: James Lofton, Green Bay Packers; Mike Quick, Philadelphia Eagles; x-Roy Green, St. Louis Cardinals; x-Charlie Brown, Washington Redskins.  
Tight End: Paul Coffman, Green Bay Packers; x-Doug Cosbie, Dallas Cowboys.  
Tackle: Mike Kenn, Atlanta Falcons; Joe Jacoby, Washington Redskins; x-Jackie Slater, Los Angeles Rams.  
Guard: Kent Hill, Los Angeles Rams; Russ Grimm, Washington Redskins; x-R.C. Thielmann, Atlanta Falcons.  
Center: Jeff Bostic, Washington Redskins; x-Larry McCarren, Green Bay Packers.  
Quarterback: Joe Theismann, Washington Redskins; x-Joe Montana, San Francisco 49ers.  
Running Back: Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams; William Andrews, Atlanta Falcons; x-Tony Dorsett, Dallas Cowboys; x-Walter Payton, Chicago Bears.  
**DEFENSE**  
End: Lee Roy Selmon, Tampa Bay Buccaneers; Ed Jones, Dallas Cowboys.  
Tackles: Doug English, Detroit Lions; Randy White, Dallas Cowboys; x-Dave Butz, Washington Redskins.  
Outside Linebacker: Lawrence Taylor, New York Giants; Hugh Green, Tampa Bay Buccaneers; x-Rickey Jackson, New Orleans Saints.  
Middle Linebacker: Mike Singletary, Chicago Bears; x-Harry Carson, New York Giants.  
Safety: Mark Murphy, Washington Redskins; Nolan Cromwell, Los Angeles Rams; x-Dwight Hicks, San Francisco 49ers.  
Cornerback: Ronnie Lott, San Francisco 49ers; Everson Walls, Dallas Cowboys; x-Mark Hayes, New York Giants.  
**SPECIALISTS**  
Place-kicker: Ali Haji-Sheikh, New York Giants.  
Punter: Carl Birdsong, St. Louis Cardinals.  
Kick-returner: Billy Johnson, Atlanta Falcons.

## Pro Bowlers

## Dolphins' Marino awarded AFC start at quarterback

NEW YORK (AP) — Dan Marino of the Miami Dolphin has been chosen to start for the American Football Conference Pro Bowl team, making him the first rookie quarterback to start since the game began in 1950.

The team was announced today by AFC President Lamar Hunt and the NFL Players Association.

Marino, the rookie out of Pittsburgh, is the top-rated passer in the AFC with 173 completions in 296 attempts for 2,210 yards.

The Los Angeles Raiders placed the most players on the squad, seven. The Dolphins had six. Raiders picked to start were tight end Todd Christensen, defensive end Howie Long, outside linebacker Rod Martin and cornerback Lester Hayes.

Another rookie, Seattle's Curt Warner, was chosen to start alongside Marino in the AFC's backfield. Earl Campbell of Houston will be the other AFC running back.

The NFC running backs were rookie Eric Dickerson of the Los Angeles Rams and William Andrews of the Atlanta Falcons. Dickerson was one of two rookies named to the starting NFC team. The other was New York Giants placekicker Ali Haji-Sheikh.

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**OFFENSE**  
Wide Receiver: Carlos Carson, Kansas City Chiefs; Cris Collinsworth, Cincinnati Bengals; x-Wes Chandler, San Diego Chargers; x-Mark Duper, Miami Dolphins.  
Tight End: Todd Christensen, Los Angeles Raiders; x-Kellen Winslow, San Diego Chargers.  
Tackle: Anthony Munoz, Cincinnati Bengals; Marvin Powell, New York Jets; x-Brian Holloway, New England Patriots.  
Guard: John Hannah, New England Patriots; Chris Hinton, Baltimore Colts; x-Ed Newman, Miami Dolphins.  
Center: Dwight Stephenson, Miami Dolphins; x-Mike Webster, Pittsburgh Steelers.  
Quarterback: Dan Marino, Miami Dolphins; x-Dan Fouts, San Diego Chargers.  
Running Back: Earl Campbell, Houston Oilers; Curt Warner, Seattle Seahawks; x-Tony Collins, New England Patriots; x-Joe Cribbs, Buffalo Bills.  
**DEFENSE**  
End: Doug Betters, Miami Dolphins; Howie Long, Los Angeles Raiders; x-Mark Gastineau, New York Jets.  
Tackles: Bob Baumhower, Miami Dolphins; Fred Smerias, Buffalo Bills; x-Joe Klecko, New York Jets.  
Outside Linebacker: Chip Banks, Cleveland Browns; Rod Martin, Los Angeles Raiders; x-Ted Hendricks, Los Angeles Raiders.  
Middle Linebacker: Jack Lambert, Pittsburgh Steelers; x-Randy Gradishar, Denver Broncos.  
Safety: Deron Cherry, Kansas City Chiefs; Kenny Easley, Seattle; x-Vann McElroy, Los Angeles Raiders.  
Cornerback: Gary Green, Kansas City Chiefs; Lester Hayes, Los Angeles Raiders; x-Louis Wright, Denver Broncos.  
**SPECIALISTS**  
Place-kicker: Gary Anderson, Pittsburgh Steelers.  
Punter: Rich Camarillo, New England Patriots.  
Kick-returner: Greg Pruitt, Los Angeles Raiders.

## Stanford hires Jack Elway

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) — Jack Elway's priorities as the new head football coach at Stanford University are building his staff, recruiting top high school seniors and junior college transfers, then transforming a 1-10 team into a winner.

But his real mission, as far as the university and Athletic Director Andy Geiger are concerned, is to fill the seats at the football stadium next season and wipe out a projected \$1.25-million deficit by the end of this fiscal year.

The athletic department, which ran a deficit of more than \$500,000 in fiscal 1982-83, had a reported \$2-million surplus when Geiger took over in 1979. An aggressive expansion policy, higher salaries and more scholarships wiped that out.

Last year, empty seats at football

games reduced revenue at least \$400,000 below projections, and the failure to get any games on television because of the poor quality of the team meant losses of another \$200,000 to \$400,000.

On the same day Geiger offered the coaching job to Elway, the athletic director advised the university's Board of Trustees of a plan to demote certain sports to second-class status and move others down to club level in an effort to stop the flow of red ink.

Elway, father of former Stanford All-America quarterback and now Denver Broncos starter John Elway, leaves San Jose State after compiling a 35-20-1 record over five years. In his first season, 1979, he led the Spartans to a 6-4-1 record. Two years later, the Spartans won the PCAA title and played in the California Bowl.

## Gunslingers take Tech assistant

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Texas Tech linebacker coach David Knaus has resigned to accept an assistant coaching position with the San Antonio Gunslingers of the United States Football Coach, according to Tech head coach Jerry Moore.

Knaus' appointment with the Gunslingers was effective immediately, Moore said.

Knaus, who won all-conference honors for the 1973 Tech team that won the Gator Bowl, has been on the staff of the Southwest Conference school since 1980.

He served as defensive line coach under Rex Dockery during the 1980 season and was moved to linebacker coach by Moore the next year.

Knaus, who began his coaching career as a graduate assistant at Tech in 1975, served as defensive line coach for the University of Wyoming for three years before returning to the Red Raider staff.

He will be coaching at San Antonio under former Tech defensive coordinator Jim Babes, who joined the Gunslingers' staff last month.

## sports notepad

BSHS Steers vs. EP Bowie  
(El Paso Jefferson tournament)

EL PASO — The Big Spring High Steers get an early Christmas present when they play in the three-day tournament hosted by Jefferson High School. The Steers play at 7:30 p.m. (8:30 p.m. central time) this evening against El Paso Bowie.

Senior guard Jimmy Brown is the only Steer in double figures, scoring 12 points a game. Senior forward Chris Roberts is averaging 7.2 points, senior wing John Howie 6.6, junior post Mike Leuschner 6.4

and sophomore Billy Cole 6.0 points. Big Spring is scoring 50.4 points a contest but giving up 76. The Steers are 1-10 on the season, having lost four straight games including a 95-48 decision at Lamesa Tuesday night.

Bowie is 6-3 on the year and boasts the No. 1 scorer in El Paso with guard Raymond Rodriguez who is averaging 19.5 points a game.

Should Big Spring win, the Steers will play Friday at 7:30 p.m. against the winner of the Jefferson-Parkland game; if they lose, they'll play the loser of that same game at 2:30 p.m.

Jefferson is the No. 1 team in the city while Riverside, playing in the lower bracket, is No. 2.



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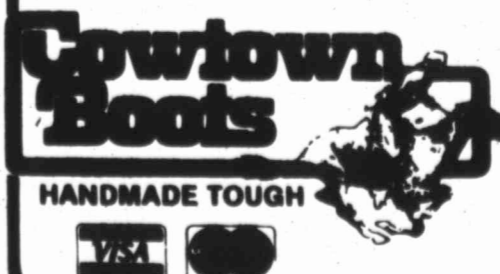
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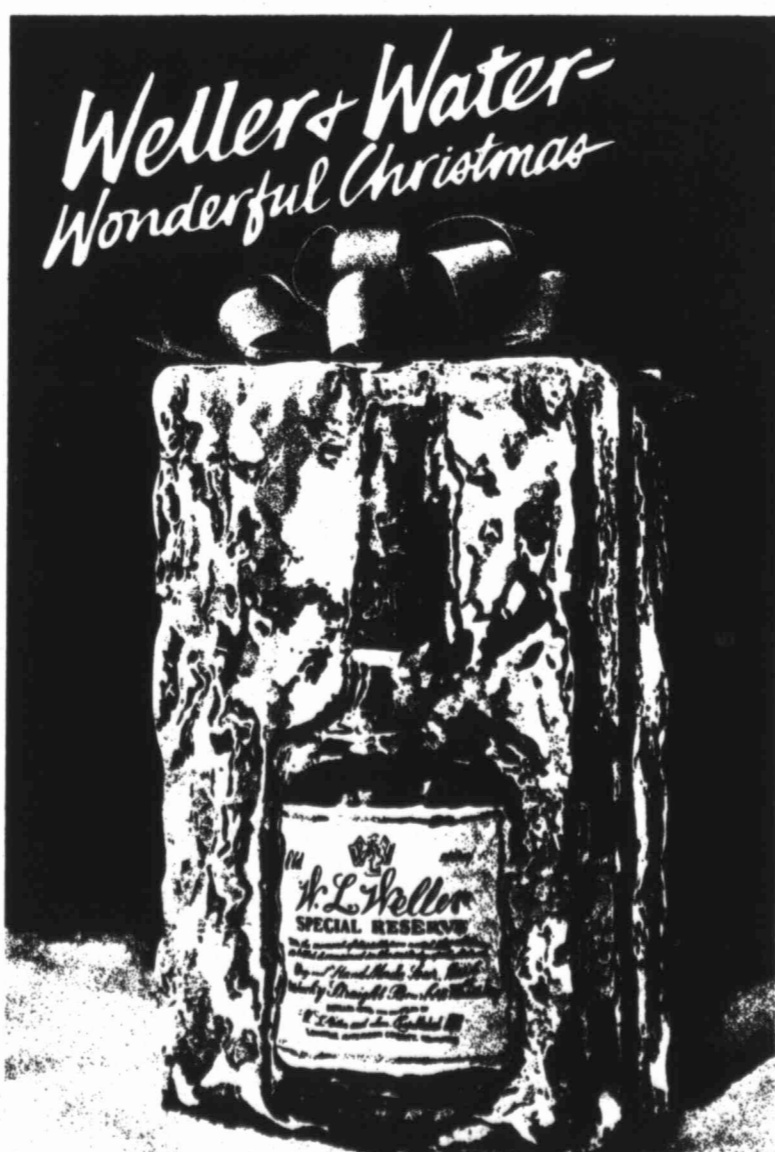
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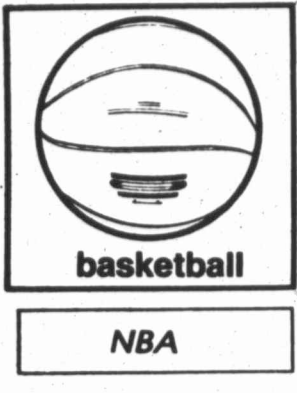


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Boston	15 6 .760	
New York	15 9 .625	3 1/2
New Jersey	12 9 .571	5
Washington	10 13 .435	8

### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W. L. Pct.	GB
Dallas	15 8 .652	
Utah	14 10 .583	1 1/2
Kansas City	11 11 .500	3 1/2
Denver	11 12 .476	4
San Antonio	10 15 .400	6
Houston	9 14 .391	6

### Pacific Division

Los Angeles	14 8 .700	
Portland	15 8 .667	
Golden State	11 13 .458	5
Seattle	11 13 .458	5
Phoenix	8 15 .348	7 1/2
San Diego	8 17 .320	8 1/2

### Wednesday's Games

Boston 110, Cleveland 106  
 Washington 99, Atlanta 96  
 Philadelphia 115, Milwaukee 93  
 San Antonio 129, San Diego 114  
 Dallas 117, Indiana 109  
 Kansas City 106, Seattle 99

### Thursday's Games

Chicago at New York  
 Los Angeles at Phoenix  
 Kansas City at Golden State  
 New Jersey at Portland

### Friday's Games

Washington at Boston  
 Cleveland at Philadelphia  
 Dallas at Milwaukee  
 Indiana at San Antonio  
 Portland at Denver  
 San Diego at Los Angeles  
 New Jersey at Seattle

### Mavs 117, Pacers 109

INDIANA (109)  
 Williams 9-12-20, Kellogg 10-22-5-25,  
 Stipanovich 8-13-4-20, Steppe 3-7-2-11,  
 Sicking 2-3-0-4, Johnson 7-15-1-15,  
 Carter 0-2-0-0, Combs 2-3-2-6, Lowe  
 2-4-2-6, Walters 4-5-0-2-8, Thomas 3-4-  
 2-8, Totals 44-80 21-54 109

### Dallas 117

Garnett 1-4-0-2, Aguirre 13-24-4-30,  
 Cummings 9-14-2-20, Davis 3-5-1-7,  
 Blackman 7-14-7-21, Vincent 6-10-10-11,  
 22, Turner 2-0-0-4, Nimphus 1-2-1-2-3,  
 Ellis 0-0-0-0, Harper 4-8-0-8, Totals  
 48-85 20-117

### Indiana 109

Fouled out—None, rebounds—In-  
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## Spurs 129, Clippers 114

SAN DIEGO (114)  
 Brooks 9-17-1-2-19, Cummings 12-17-  
 3-4-26, Donaldson 5-8-11-18, Nixon 1-13-  
 4-4-8, Pierce 9-20-0-18, Smith 1-2-0-2,  
 Keiser 3-7-1-3-7, Whitehead 1-4-1-2-3,  
 Hodges 5-6-1-2-11, McKinney 0-2-4-4,  
 Jones 0-0-0-0, Totals 46-87 22-32 114

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Patrick Division	W. L. T. Pct.	GF. GA.
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N.Y. Rangers	17 11 4	38 132 123
Philadelphia	17 10 3	37 133 107
Washington	14 15 2	30 104 111
Pittsburgh	7 19 4	18 124 124
New Jersey	6 22 14	90 141 141

### Adams Division

Boston	19 8 2	40 127 89
Buffalo	18 10 4	40 127 117
Quebec	17 13 3	37 154 119
Montreal	13 16 2	28 115 122
Hartford	11 14 2	25 105 115

### CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

### Norris Division

Minnesota	15 11 4	34 142 136
St. Louis	13 14 4	30 127 131
Chicago	13 17 2	28 112 126
Toronto	12 14 4	28 130 145
Detroit	10 17 2	22 101 127

### Smythe Division

Edmonton	22 7 3	67 187 131
Vancouver	13 15 3	29 129 131
Calgary	12 13 5	29 108 122
Winnipeg	10 16 4	24 128 140
Los Angeles	9 17 8	24 135 156

### Wednesday's Games

New Jersey 3, Buffalo 3 tie  
 Edmonton 9, N.Y. Rangers 4  
 Winnipeg 8, Toronto 4  
 Los Angeles 6, Chicago 5

## transactions

St. Louis & Minnesota 4, tie  
 Calgary & Quebec 2

Thursday's Games  
 Hartford at Boston  
 Pittsburgh at Montreal  
 Washington at Philadelphia  
 Detroit at N.Y. Islanders  
 Friday's Games  
 New Jersey at Winnipeg  
 Calgary at Vancouver

## BASEBALL

### New York-Penn League

ONEONTA YANKEES—Rehired  
 Bill Livesey, manager, and Russ  
 Meyer, pitching coach. Named J.P.  
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### NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

DENVER NUGGETS—Placed Dave  
 Robisch, center, on waivers.

### FOOTBALL

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
 LOS ANGELES RAMS—Reactivated  
 Ted Jones and Gene Giles, wide  
 receivers, Ken Bungarda, offensive  
 tackle, Max Gill, Jay Hayes and J.D.  
 Johnson, defensive ends, Bill Kane,  
 tight end-punter, Von Mansfield and  
 Warren McGee, defensive backs, and  
 Dan Ruzich, linebacker.

### HOCKEY

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE  
 EDMONTON OILERS—Called up  
 Mike Zanier, goaltender, from Mon-  
 ton of the American Hockey League.

### HARTFORD WHALERS—Recalled

Paul Lawless, left wing, from Windsor  
 of the junior Ontario Hockey League.

## AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W. L. T. Pct.	PF. PA.
San Francisco	11 4 0	733 355 273
Los Angeles	10 5 0	647 326 228
Cleveland	7 8 0	487 322 302
Houston	3 13 0	132 378 440

### West

L.A. Raiders	11 4 0	733 412 324
Denver	8 6 0	600 385 279
Seattle	8 7 0	533 379 381
San Diego	8 9 0	460 344 431
Kansas City	5 10 0	323 328 389

### NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W. L. T. Pct.	PF. PA.
Washington	12 2 0	367 510 310
Dallas	12 3 0	300 402 318
St. Louis	7 7 1	500 343 421
Philadelphia	5 10 0	333 226 291
N.Y. Giants	3 11 1	223 346 316

### Central

Detroit	8 7 0	533 324 306
Green Bay	8 7 0	533 408 416
Chicago	7 8 0	467 290 280
Minnesota	7 8 0	467 356 334
Tampa Bay	2 13 0	132 321 307

### West

San Francisco	8 8 0	400 390 276
L.A. Rams	8 7 0	533 320 329
New Orleans	8 7 0	533 385 311
Atlanta	8 9 0	400 329 375

### Friday, Dec. 16

### Saturday, Dec. 17

### Sunday, Dec. 18

### Monday, Dec. 19

### END REGULAR SEASON

## Hoop events starts Saturday

A weekend basketball tournament, originally scheduled Dec. 10-11, begins Saturday at the Lake View Elementary School gymnasium. Entry fee is \$60 per team for the double elimination event. Trophies go to the top three teams with a 10-player all-tournament team selected. Entry deadline is today; contact Frank Rubio at 267-2700 after 5 p.m. to enter.

## Goliad sweeps by Snyder

Goliad swept Snyder in junior high basketball action earlier this week. The A team clobbered Snyder 57-30 as Kiley Jones scored 19 points and Robert Evans added 12 points, five steals and six assists. Jones hit nine of 11 shots and added 11 rebounds. Goliad shot 50 per cent from the field (27-54).

"We're improving each game and have the makings of a fine seventh grade basketball team," said coach Ed Gauer. The Tigers tossed a full-court press at Goliad but Gauer said his players broke the defense with ease.

The B team also won, edging Snyder 26-24. Ahead by six points entering the final period, Goliad had to hang on. Derrick Young had eight points and Ed Urias seven points and five rebounds for the winners.

Goliad tied the game 41 seconds to play and Jay Carr came up with a steal he turned into the winning shot at the buzzer to earn the win for coach Tom Posey's team.

## Spurs, Mavs grab wins

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP)—Artis Gilmore scored 23 points and grabbed eight rebounds Wednesday night to help lead San Antonio to a 129-114 victory over the Clippers. The victory was San Antonio's third straight, while San Diego suffered through its 15th straight road game without a win this season and its 27th consecutive road defeat over two seasons.

## Mavs 117, Pacers 109

DALLAS (AP)—Mark Aguirre scored 30 points, his eighth 30-point effort in the last nine games, to lead the Dallas Mavericks to a 117-109 victory over the Indiana Pacers Wednesday night. Jay Vincent added 22 points, Rolando Blackman 21 and Pat Cummings 20 as the Mavs improved their record 15-8 overall and 12-1 at home.

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## Runnels, Snyder split games

Runnels split a basketball doubleheader with Snyder this week. The A team fell 34-23 as Snyder outscored the Big Spring team 15-4 in the final quarter. Brian Mayfield had 13 points and 10 rebounds for Runnels which hit just 28 per cent from the field during the game.

"We played a good first half," said coach David Drake, "but you have to play the whole game to beat a team like Snyder. We held their monster to eight points but didn't do a very good job on their other 10 guys. Missing 18 shots from five feet or less and poor coaching didn't help either."

The B team evened the score, however, taking a 29-28 win. Charles White had 10 points and seven rebounds while Bruce Jones added six points and four rebounds.

"Snyder played very well last night but we were able to beat them with our quickness," Drake said.

## YMCA gymnastics organizes

The Parent's Association for the Big Spring YMCA Sidewinder gymnastics team formed Monday at the organization's first meeting.

Gary Don and Donna Carey were elected co-presidents; Wayne and Shelane Roberts, co-secretaries and reporters; Richard and Judy Adkins, co-treasurers; and Troy and Linda Frasier, co-activities chairpersons.

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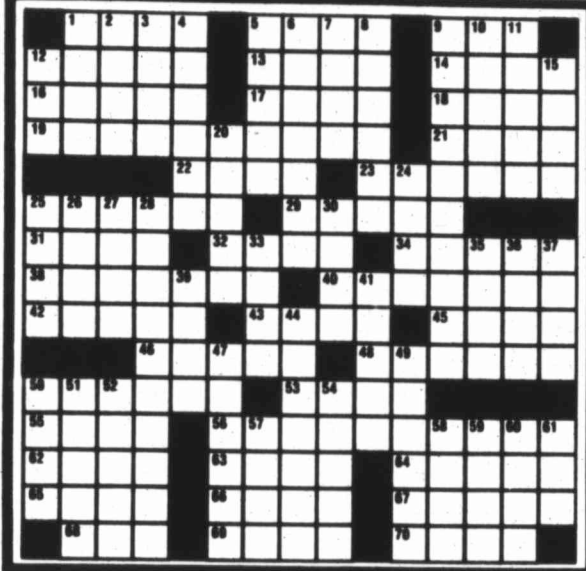
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**ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)** Study your property and other assets carefully and improve them wisely. Permit your mate to express own views which could be helpful.

**TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20)** You find a better way of gaining your desires. Don't let a jealous partner interfere. Use self control. Plan a trip.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)** Rid yourself of obligations and handle those secret activities wisely. Use tact with your mate to avoid a battle. Show your loyalty.

**MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21)** Consider which friends will help you with your ideas. Straighten out annoying home situation diplomatically.

**LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21)** Handle credit and career matters wisely and get rid of problems. Answer messages quickly, and keep out of trouble.

**VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22)** Use advanced ways of operating to gain your aims and get good results. Don't let your responsibilities depress you. Show character.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)** Discuss deals with business persons. Then pay attention to personal matters. Assert yourself. Avoid the person who makes you feel depleted.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)** You will succeed at working in harmony with one who is as stubborn as you. Be more objective.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)** Persevere at your regular job and benefit in the future. Stay away from friends for a while. Stick to whatever is practical.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)** Plan for recreation in the days ahead with your precious mate. Use patience in handling outside matters of a practical nature.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)** Showing that you are prejudiced at home could cause a big argument, so be understanding. Take time for recreation.

**PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20)** Listening to ideas of associates can lead to more harmony and benefits. Concentrate on home improvement.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY...** he or she will be someone who will have much ability at whatever is of a practical nature, so slant education towards business. This is someone who feels the need of a mate early in life, but be sure it is a selfish one. Teach the birds and bees early.

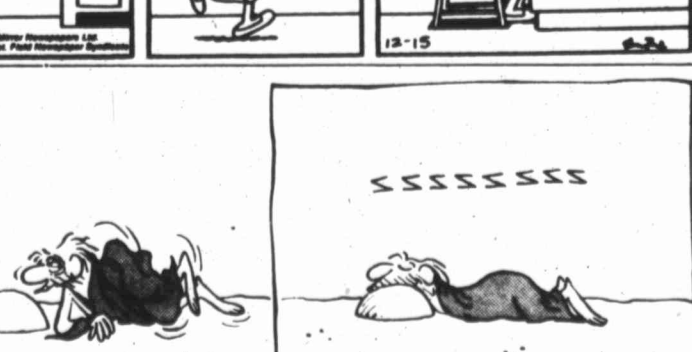
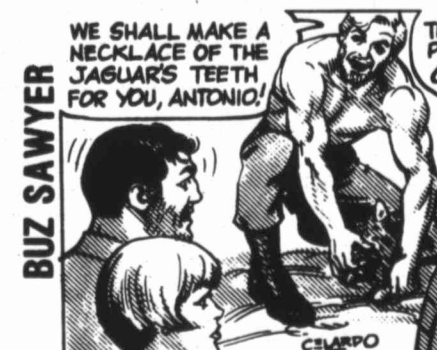
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MOBILE HOME spaces for rent - North FM700. Large lots, water furnished. 263-3802 or 267-7709.

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WANTED: Mature bookkeeper, light typing, and general office work. Neat appearance. Start immediately. D & R Furniture, Highland Mall.

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LOOKING FOR men and women that are willing to work part time or full time from their home. \$250 to \$600 monthly. No experience needed. Details and stamped addressed envelope to Karla's, P.O. Box 724, Co. Box 269, Oregon 97420.

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NEW IN BOX, Golden Eagle Rifle, 300 Weatherby Magnum. Beautiful Wood. \$550. Weaver Rifle Scopes. 263-0940.

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WE PAY cash for used furniture and appliances, must be in excellent condition. Cory Waynes Used Furniture, 400 West Third, call 263-2226.

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1980 DATSUN 200 SX, Excellent condition, 28,000 miles, new tires, sunroof. AM-FM cassette. 263-6574.

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Jeeps 554

4x4 INTERNATIONAL SCOUT, excellent condition. Must sell. 263-2444 after 5.

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1981 SILVERADO 1/2 TON, power doors, windows, stereo, bucket seats, tilt, dual tanks. Call 263-6724.

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1981 DATSUN KINGCAB pickup, GL Package, air conditioning, AM-FM, \$5,500. Phone 267-3464.

FOR SALE: 1984 Chevrolet Pickup, extra clean, 2610 Central Drive, or phone 263-4765.

Trucks 557

1975 CHEVY C-40 TRUCK. Flat or grain dump. For sale or trade. Call after 5:00. 263-8037.

Vans 560

1983 DODGE Van, still under warranty, must sell, best offer. 394-4844.

Recreational Veh. 563

16 FOOT CAMPER for sale, Can be seen at 1213 Harding.

MOTOR HOME: 1977 La Palma by Chevrolet, 15,000 miles, loaded, super nice, \$16,000. 267-4478.

Travel Trailers 565

MUST SELL: 1983 32 foot sunburst, air, patio doors, rear twin beds, self contained, \$6,495 or best offer. See at R & L Campground, Midland Texas 694-5389.

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BEEN LOOKING For a Christmas for Mom? How about a travel trailer for the entire family. Can enjoy year around. Do all kinds of RV service, inside and out. Engines and Generators. Only 2-42 Foot 5th wheels left in stock. Golden Gate RV, Sales, Service and Parts, 8 Miles east of Big Spring, On I-20, 394-4844.

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1978 HARLEY DAVIDSON Anniversary Edition Superbike, '81 Low Rider tank and fenders, extra chrome, excellent condition, \$2,700. Weekends and after 4:00 p.m. weekdays, 263-8827.

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FOR SALE - new his and hers 10 speed AMF bicycles. Regular, \$180 - \$100 each. 355-4801.

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15 FOOT CAJAN Bass boat. Custom trailer, 2 depth finders, new trolling motor, 115 Evinrude, 1-457-2227 ask for Charlie; 267-4020 after 5:00.

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10% SAVINGS WITH coupon from Sunday, November 13 paper. MAAR SHALL DAY BODY SHOP, 6 miles East of Big Spring. 393-5249.

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KENTWOOD SHAMROCK, fix flats, oil changes, installs stereos, all kinds of work done, 267-9196.

NEED USED TIRES? These are good used tires of all sizes for cars, pickups and trucks. Come see what we have on hand. They are priced right. 263-0543, Rip Griffin's Truck Terminal, 1-20 and US87.

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CHOATE FAST LINE-Dealer for Poly-Ark and Co-Ext Pipe, rental, sales and permanent installation. 393-5231 or 393-5920.

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## Border retail sales good

EL PASO (AP) — Mexican nationals, whose buying power was stymied last year by peso devaluations, are flocking to stores in this border city again, making Christmas 1983 for El Paso retailers much merrier than Christmas 1982.

Christmas sales so far this season are up by as much as 40 percent over last year and retailers say everything is selling well.

"It's sure nice to see retailers smiling again," said Tom Patterson, store manager for El Paso's Sears Roebuck and Co. "The economy of El Paso is much better. Mexican nationals are shopping with us again (and) we're doing considerably better than last year."

Patterson said Wednesday Sears' sales are 30 percent to 40 percent greater this year than for the same time last year.

"We planned this season optimistically and are exceeding that," he said.

Ray Rodriguez, merchandise manager at Montgomery Ward, said Christmas sales at his store so far this year have exceeded last year's sales by 24 percent, a trend he predicted would continue and improve as Christmas draws nearer.

Mervyns Department Store manager Tom Buehner said company policy forbids him from

revealing exactly where sales this year stand, but he said, "Sales are going wonderfully." Buehner said, "I think we've recovered completely from the peso devaluation. We're well ahead of last year."

The store managers said

the increased sales are not only good for the individual stores, but are also positive for the city's economy.

"Retail sales are always a strong indicator of the city's economic health," said Albert Schwartz, a vice president of The Popular Department Store.

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**YEAR-END CLEARANCE SALE**

January 1st is Tax Time and we must reduce our inventory!!! All prices have been reduced for immediate sale!!!

1982 BUICK PARK AVENUE 2-DR. — Light blue metallic with white vinyl top, blue velour interior, fully loaded, local one owner with 18,000 miles.

1982 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS 4-DR. — White with white vinyl top, tan velour interior, fully loaded, local one owner with only 20,000 miles.

1982 OLDSMOBILE 98 REGENCY 2-DR. — White with white landau vinyl roof, navy blue cloth interior, fully loaded with 42,000 miles.

1982 MERCURY CAPRI 3-DR. G.S. — Baby blue with blue cloth interior, V-8, automatic, air, power windows, tilt, cruise control, local one owner with 22,000 miles.

1981 FORD THUNDERBIRD — White with white vinyl top, red velour interior, fully loaded, local one owner with only 25,000 miles.

1981 BUICK REGAL LIMITED 2-DR. — Light pastel green with green vinyl top, green velour interior, fully loaded, local one owner with only 26,000 miles.

1981 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE 4-DR. — Red metallic with matching vinyl top, matching velour interior, fully loaded, local one owner with only 25,000 miles.

1981 BUICK REGAL 2-DR. — Maroon & tan turtone, red velour interior, V-6, automatic, air, extra clean with only 35,000 miles.

1981 FORD ESCORT HATCHBACK — White w/red cloth interior, 4 cylinder, air, automatic, local one owner with only 25,000 miles.

1980 MERCURY ZEPHYR 2-7 TURBO CHARGED — Black with red interior, 4-speed, air, stereo, 35,000 miles.

1979 FORD LTD 4-DR. — Pastel green with green vinyl interior, one owner with 66,000 miles.

1979 PONTIAC FIREBIRD — Red with white vinyl bucket seats, V-8, automatic, air, stereo, 55,000 miles.

1979 MERCURY COUGAR XR-7 — Maroon with vinyl top, cloth interior, fully loaded, new engine.

1979 OLDSMOBILE CUTLASS 2-DR. — Baby blue with dark blue vinyl top, vinyl interior, 47,000 miles.

1979 CHEVROLET MONTE CARLO — Pastel green with matching vinyl top, matching interior, fully loaded, 44,000 miles.

1977 COUGAR XR-7 — Blue metallic, blue vinyl interior, new engine, fully loaded, one owner with 44,000 miles.

1976 OLDSMOBILE 98 REGENCY 4-DR. — Light blue with dark blue vinyl top, blue cloth interior, 69,000 miles.

1974 LINCOLN MARK IV — Red metallic with white vinyl top, red leather interior, fully loaded with 78,000 miles.

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STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: HAROLD R. STEWART, doing business as STEWART ELECTRIC & SUPPLY  
GREETINGS  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, Howard County, Texas, at the courthouse of said county in Big Spring, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of THE SOUTHWEST NATIONAL BANK OF HOBBBS, NEW MEXICO, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 10th day of December, 1982, against HAROLD R. STEWART, doing business as STEWART ELECTRIC & SUPPLY, Respondent, and said suit being NO. 28,685 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "THE SOUTHWEST NATIONAL BANK OF HOBBBS, NEW MEXICO VS HAROLD R. STEWART, doing business as STEWART ELECTRIC & SUPPLY"; the nature of which suit is a note and foreclosure of a lien.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree which will be binding upon you.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Big Spring, Texas, this 10th day of June, 1983.  
PEGGY CRITTENDEN  
Clerk, 118th Judicial District Court  
Howard County, Texas  
1612 December 8, 15, 22, 29, 1983

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