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Q. Will customers get more than one phone bill after Jan. 1, when AT&T separates from Southwestern Bell?

A. You should receive only one bill, but it will be broken down to show which company is charging for which service. Southwestern is not equipped to handle billing, so it has contracted with AT&T to provide that service, said a Bell spokesperson.

Calendar: Open house

• The Spring City Dance Club will meet and have a covered dish supper at 7:30 at the Eagle's

 Overeaters Anonymous meets at 1 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

will be closed for the Christmas holidays. Books may be returned

 The Howard County Library will be closed for the Christmas

• The Howard County Library will be closed for the Christmas holidays.

Movie

Sharon Gless and Richard Thomas star in "Hobson's Choice," at 8 p.m. on channel 7. In 1914 New Orleans, a willful young woman rebels against her father's intention of withholding dowries from his daughters so they cannot marry. At 9 p.m. on channel 13, a city councilman is rejected by voters and his family when he contracts AIDS on "St.

Scarface

"D.C. Cab" with Gary Busey and Mr. T debuts at the Ritz, where it will show with "Scar-"The Rescuers" and 'Mickey Mouse Christmas Carol." On Wednesday John Carpenter's "Christine" moves to the Ritz, and "D.C. Cab" will replace "Night in Heaven" at the R-70. "Sudden Impact" with Clint Eastwood stays at the Cinema, showing with "A

Outside: Cold

The National Weather Service is calling for continued snow and sleet though tonight and into the





Spring Sudden ice storm strikes area

Grand Rapids Joseph Kansas City TODAY

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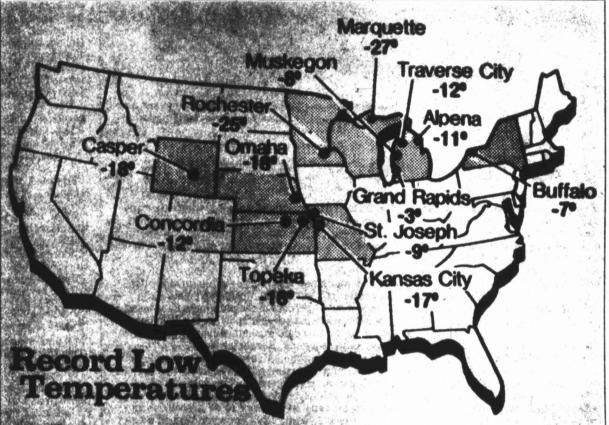
At the movies

Christmas Carol."

early morning. Winds will be easterly, 10 to 20 miles per hour. On Thursday, highs should reach the mid 30s with northeasterly winds 10 to 20 miles per hour.

> But the federal commission left the door open for future cancellation of those cities, saying the company may offer to the Railroad Commission more substantial proof of revenues and costs or a more representative passenger study, if it According to the Railroad Commission, the federal commission in-

> > quate alternative.



From staff and wire reports Ice, snow and bitterly cold temperatures struck suddenly late Tuesday night, surprising Big Spring area residents who had just witnessed a thaw in the season's first major storm.

Driving conditions within the city remained hazardous past noon today as light snow and intermittent freezing drizzle continued to fall on ice-glazed streets. The Department of Public Safety warned against travel on area highways.

Temperatures Tuesday night plummeted to 10 degrees here as the week's second blustery polar air mass blasted into the Permian

Commercial airliners at the Midland Regional Air Terminal remained idle as most flights were cancelled today because of ice on the runway. Bus companies reported delays in service but no cancellations.

City crews joined highway department workers for the second consecutive day in spreading gravel on main streets. Despite the dangerous driving conditions, no major accidents have occurred here since the weekend.

Electric and gas company officials this morning reported heavy utility consumption but could not

Storm stalls area travel

By RICK BROWN Staff Writer

A sudden winter storm that struck late Tuesday night has paralyzed area highway traffic and virtually closed the Midland Regional Air Terminal.

The Department of Public Safety in Midland is discouraging all travel on area roads, a department spokesman said this morning. Snow and ice packs on Interstate 20 between Big Spring and Abilene today caused hazardous conditions on the highway and were responsible for numerous accidents, the spokesman said.

All flights in and out of the Midland airport for D/FW Regional Airport and Dallas Love Field were cancelled this morning due to hazardous conditions in Dallas, Rose Thomas at Skipper Travel Agency said this morning. All flights in and out of the Dallas airports have been canceled until at least 6 p.m. this evening, Mrs. Thomas said.

A spokesman at Pleasures and

State confirms arsenic in Knott

By KEELY COGHLAN Staff Writer

KNOTT — Tests taken by two state agencies to determine the arsenic content of water here show that 10 to 14 wells contain more than the maximum constituent level of .05 parts per million set by the Environmental Protection gency, state officials said

The Department of Agriculture Tuesday released individual test results to 10 area residents whose well water was found to contain a higher level of arsenic than the EPA tolerance standard.

Two of the 10 samples taken from area residents' well water were found to contain a higher concentration of arsenic than the highest concentration of the chemical discovered in previous tests of area weil water, Knott farmer and cattleman Larry Shaw said Tuesday.

Agriculture department tests show the highest level of arsenic concentration found yet in drinking water at .29 parts per million in

Coahoma

to 38 Texas cities.

But the Texas Railroad Commis-

sion is asking the the Interstate

Commerce Commission (ICC) to

Greyhound sought permission to

discontinue operations in 58 Texas cities. The Railroad Commission

denied the request in May. Greyhound appealed to the ICC,

winning a favorable decision to

abandon service in 38 of the 58

cities. The federal commission

allowed cancellation only where it

considered alternate bus service to

dicated that if another company's

routes come with 12 miles of an af-

fected city, that service is an ade-

reconsider that recent ruling.

Bobby Bates' well, Shaw said. Tests discovered the arsenic content in Zada Lee Shockley's well to be .26 parts per million, the highest concentration of the chemical previously found in well water tested by a private Midland laboratory.

Fourteen wells were found in agriculture department tests to have a higher concentration of arsenic than the EPA standard, department information officer Leland Beatty said Tuesday. However, Shaw said he received the individual results for only 10 wells said to contain more arsenic than the EPA standard. Department of Public Health test results

show 14 of 25 samples from area wells contain more arsenic than the EPA standard, Midland department sanitarian Jed Barker said today. The highest level of arsenic discovered in

per million, Barker said. However, the sample was taken from "water no one's drinking located behind a gin" in Knott, he said. Arsenic concentrations found in the Depart-

public health department tests was .44 parts

ment of Public Health tests range from .01 to .14 parts per million, Barker said. Agriculture department results have "pret-

ty well eliminated" the possibility of arsenic contamination from run-off water from the lake in Knott, Shaw said.

"The lake had one of the lowest contents (of arsenic)," Shaw said. "It tested at point-zerozero-something.'

Other residents and gins whose well water was found in agriculture department tests to have more than the EPA standard level for arsenic are: Gary Riddle, .14; Planter Gin, .08; Jerry Roman, .06; Porter Motley, .09; Paymaster Gin, .12; W.E. Ramsey, .06; Gene

Long, .18; and J.E. Pugh, .055. Officials from both departments say tests show the wells containing high concentrations of arsenic are "widespread" and "scattered." "We're just trying to figure out where it is

coming from. We're hoping we'll be able to nail it down," Barker said. Barker said the reason for the discrepancies in the test results from the two state departments is the different laboratories used.

"It's tough for two labs to come up with the same results. There is a real discrepancy between some of the results. Maybe the samples were taken from two different wells owned by the same person," Barker said.

The Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Health and the Department of Water Resources will share results and ideas about possible sources of the arsenic, officials

Because the water containing arsenic is drinking water, the Department of Public Health has precedence over the Department of Water Resources, Odessa Water Resources

office Director Bill Lockey said. 'We have some jurisdiction. We are trying to locate possible dump sites or another source. If the contamination is the result of industrial waste or an abandoned dump site, then we certainly have jurisdiction in the

cleanup," Lockey said.

Foreigners forsake state farmland

could lose EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the last of a four-part series on foreign ownership of Texas bus service farmland. This story looks at the future of foreign investment, as seen by Texas and national farm leaders Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau By PHILLIP SWANN AUSTIN - A federal commission

has given Greyhound Lines, Inc., Harte-Hanks Washington the green light to cancel bus service WASHINGTON - Has the Among the 38 cities are Loraine. Westbrook and Coahoma

foreign investor's love affair with our farmland lost its spark? Texas and the nation may find out in 1984, according to local and federal agriculture officials.

The foreign resident has gobbled up more than 13 million acres of U.S. farmland, including close to one million in Texas. But the U.S. Department of Agriculture reports a 33 percent decline in new foreign acquistions of U.S. farmland during the first ten months of 1983, as compared with 1982.

Texas state officials do not keep monthly statistics on foreign investment. However, dozens of county officials interviewed by the Harte-Hanks Washington Bureau agreed that COUNTY **ACRES** VALUE \$44,000 Borden 40 9,206 \$3.5 million Glasscock **Dawson** \$71,000



alien purchases of Texas farmland have decreased dramatically in 1983.

This trend, if it holds up, could signal the beginning of the end of the foreign investment phenomenon. And it would back

up those politicians who argued the government had better

'The amount of (foreign) ownership is so small that it's not at a level where we need a major government initiative," said

things to worry about.

Rep. Charles Stenholm, D-Stamford.

However, some farm officials warn the recent decline is temporary, brought on by the surge in value of the dollar. Land has lost some of its luster as an investment.

State Rep. Pete Patterson, D-Brookston, said the foreign investor is merely sitting on the sidelines, waiting to make his

"Real estate agents are still being contacted (by alien residents) for available land," Patterson said. "We have people looking at my area (East

Patterson and other farm leaders, such as Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower, said foreign investors will continue to buy U.S. farmland and sell it to developers.

In fact, some foreign investors have recently sold large tracts of land to American commercial in-See Land page 2-A

Howard Co. doesn't catch land speculators' eye

By PHILLIP SWANN Harte-Hanks Washington

Bureau WASHINGTON - The 500,000 acres of Howard County farm land has surprisingly not caught the speculating eye of the foreign investor, according to federal and local agriculture officials. Foreign citizens have purchas-

ed farm land in 151 Texas counties, but Howard County is not one of them, according to U.S. Department of Agriculture

Tim Hall, executive director of

Howard County's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, offered three reasons for why the foreign investor has not plowed his money into Big Spring area soil.

• Area farmers are a "close knit bunch" who usually sell

their land to friends or relatives • Few large tracts of farm land — the kind preferred by the

foreign investor — are for sale.

• Howard County is largely rural and little urbanization is expected in the foreseeable

Thefts, burglaries reported

James Hughes of Hughes Rentals at 1228 W. Third old police at 10:08 a.m. Tuesday that someone between Dec. 11 and Dec. 20 took property rented from the company while moving from a residence in Stanton, police reports said. The items stolen were a Magic Chef refrigerator worth \$503 and a six-piece living room suite worth \$520, police reports said.

• Alvinio Renteria of 3202 Cornell told police at 5:41

p.m. Tuesday that someone entered his residence between Nov. 15 and Dec. 20 and stole a Panasonic cassette player worth \$122, police reports said.

• Marcia Baggett of 1317 Kindle told police at 7:25 p.m. Tuesday that someone entered her residence between 12 p.m. Saturday and 7:25 p.m. Tuesday and stole a Poloroid Land Camera worth \$70, a stereo cassette player and turntable worth \$180, and assorted household items worth a total of \$60, police reports

Sheriff's Log

Theft suspect released

Howard County sheriff's deputies Tuesday arrested Lee Jimenez Jr., 24, of 207 Benton on suspicion of theft. Jimenez was released on \$15,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Lewis Heflin.

• Deputies today also arrested Kenneth Ray Dower, 36, of 1022 Nolan on suspicion of revocation of probation on arson. Bond has been denied.

 Alex Rios, 23, of 1104 N. Bell was released Tuesday to the Border Patrol

• Ricky Ornelas, 18, of 508 N.W. 10th was released from county jail on \$10,000 bond on suspicion of aggravated assault.

• Ray Galaviz, 20, of 503 S. Bell was transferred Tuesday from the police department to the county jail on suspicion of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. Galaviz remains in jail today. Heflin set bond at \$15,000.

• Johnny Juan Valencia, 24, of 505 N. Goliad also was transferred Tuesday on suspicion of burglary. Valencia was released on \$10,000 bond.

 Clifford Arvin Hart Jr., 20, 3234 Drexel was released today after serving 11 days for his fines. Heflin fined Hart \$109 for a speeding ticket and \$56 for failure to ap-

Holiday fund appeal tops the \$23,000 mark

Area residents continue to donate to the Salvation Army Christmas Mail Appeal fund and the total to date

Lt. Carroll Braun of the Salvation Army said about \$30,000 is needed to ensure a Merry Christmas for needy families.

Donations include:

Anonymous	\$5
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Canning.	\$25
L.D. Chrane.	
Mrs. J.D. Elliott	\$50
Lt. Col. and Mrs. Bowden Hampton	\$25
Howard County Sheriff's Posse	\$100
Mr. and Mrs. Burt Johnson III	\$100
C.H. McDaniel Jr	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy L. Newsom	
Anonymous	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sundy (in memory of Sherri Sundy)	
Lucille Thomas	\$10
Mrs. Ruby J. Watson	\$20
Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Armstrong	\$5
Dr. and Mrs. B. Broadrick (memory of Eunice Barnaby)	\$200
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brooks	\$100
Robert Dean	
Desk and Derrick Club	
Diamond M. Oil Field Service	
First Baptist Church Companion S.S. Class	
Nell Hall	\$10
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Martinez	
George McAlister	\$150
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Myrick	
Mrs. R.T. Newell	
Mrs. Francis Plowman	\$25
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Price	
Mrs. Deena Smith	
J.R. Todd	
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Traylor	
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Truitt	\$30
TOTAL TO DATE: \$23,795.90	
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Boy suspected of murder

DALLAS (AP) -A 13-year-old Richardson boy has been arrested in the death of a 12-year-old friend, who was shot and killed while the two boys were apparently handling guns, police said. Mike Martin, 12, was pronounced dead at the scene

Tuesday afternoon by County Collin Justice of the Peace Jim Stecki

Shortly afterward, police took into custody Martin's 13-year-old friend.

Richardson police spokesman Joe Hanna said the investigation was still going on and it was uncertain whether the shooting was accidental.

"It would appear that they were just playing with the guns," Hanna said.

Municipal Court Judge Carl McClennan said the

teenager was taken to the Collin County Juvenile **Detention Center in McKinney**

Police said they don't know why the boys were playing with guns in Martin's home when the shooting occurred about 3:30 p.m. Tuesday. Martin had been shot once through the head.

The victim's father, Robert Martin, told the Dallas Times Herald that his son knew how to handle guns

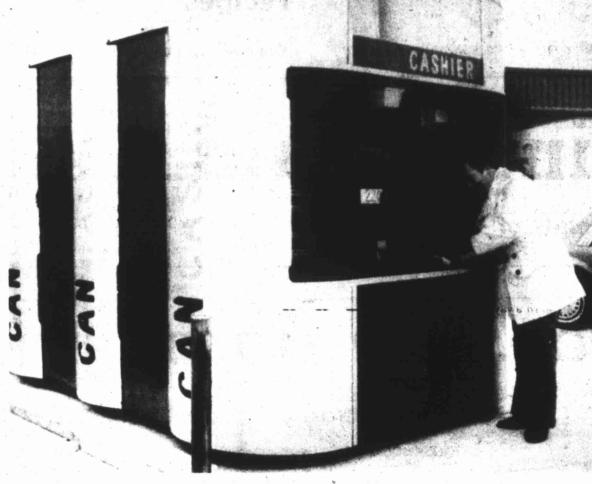
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ths on two misdemeanor counts of violating the civil rights of defendants. ourtesy of Edward D Fugitt, of Greenville, had been charged with felony extortion, but that was dismissed as part of a plea 208, Big Spring, Texas 79720,

Today's topic



AUTOMATED RECYCLING - Gary Upton, manager of Can Cashier, inspects the first machine installed by his company in Duncanville, Texas. The

machine will exchange cash for aluminum cans based on the current rate paid for recycled aluminum.

New machine recycles cans

DUNCANVILLE, Texas (AP) — A new machine may make recycling an aluminim can nearly as easy as tossing it out the car window

Aluminum can collecting, like banking, has become automated. A Kroger grocery store in this Dallas suburb planned to unveil a machine today that will cash in cans in a matter of seconds.

The machine, called "can cashier," is the first of its kind in Texas and the first of five to be placed in the Dallas area this week, says the manufacturer, Can Cashier of Texas.

"Littering has become a problem and we want to make aluminum can collecting so easy and convenient you don't have to have a pickup truck to do it," said Don Benscoter, director of Creative Technology Inc., which he said spent six years developing the machine. "You can use our machine wearing white gloves

The machine stands about 8 feet tall and is shaped like an 8-pack of cans. To operate it a customer

feeds the cans into a small opening, where the cans are picked up by a conveyor, crushed and weighed. In 24 seconds, the machine gives the customer a cash return based on the current rate of aluminum

"The machines are very simple to operate," Benscoter told the Dallas Morning News. Only about 10 percent of the aluminum cans being

produced are being recycled now, so the developers hope that the new can crushers will bring some new converts to recycling, Benscoter said. "We are trying to motivate a whole new group of

people to start thinking about recycling instead of throwing cans in the garbage," he said.
"This machine is made for the housewife, who

can deposit cans on her way to do grocery shopping," Benscoter said. "You can even deposit a can immediately after finishing your drink, if you

Weather.

give specific amounts. There is no danger of residential utility shortages or cutbacks during the cold weather, officials said.

Temperatures were not expected to reach the 30-degree mark today, and tonight's forecast called for a low of 10 degrees. Light snow and freezing drizzle were expected to continue into the night.

Conditions might improve slightly tomorrow when the temperature reaches the mid 30s by early afternoon, the National Weather Service said.

The blast of frigid Arctic air that worked its way into Northwest Texas early today assured a fourth straight day of bone-chilling temperatures and hazardous driving conditions.

The death toll since the Canadian air blew in Sunday reached at least six in Texas, officials said, and forecasters saw little immediate relief from the bitter cold temperatures.

A record low temperature of minus 1 degree in Amarillo broke the previous record of zero degrees established in 1916. The National Weather Service said thermometers could drop to minus 6 degrees in the Panhandle, with wind chill factors in the minus-30 to

The victims included a 46-yearold transient who apparently froze to death in El Paso; a 72-year-old Fort Worth woman and a 7-year-old

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amination of land acquistions

and interviews with county

of investment that a foreign resi-

dent can make in land," said

Patterson, who has unsuccessful-

ly lobbied for such a bill in the

Texas Legislature, "The family

farm is an important part of our

For the first time, federal

regulations, which will go into ef-

fect in January, will force the

foreign investor to report a land

sale or a change in the use of the

land. Under the Foreign Invest-

BIG SPRING (AP) — Phil Fugitt, a former Hunt

County court-at-law judge, has been releasd from the

Federal Corrections Institute after serving five mon-

'We need to limit the amount

minus-40 degree range.

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officials.

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Places Travel Agency said this morning that flights between and Denver have not been canceled. although some have been delayed. Conditions on Dallas area

highways are "extremely hazardous," the DPS spokesman said, with the Airport Freeway and U.S. Interstate 30 between Dallas and Ft. Worth both impassable. A spokesman at the Greyhound

Bus Terminal in Abilene said "there is nothing coming in from Dallas," due to slippery roads. Buses should be arriving from Dallas later today with some delays, the spokesman said. Greyhound buses are leaving Big Spring "for points East" also with some delays, the spokesman said.

Dallas boy, both of whom died in fires triggered by space heaters; and a 20-year-old Lewisville man who was killed in an accident on an icy bridge in Denton, authorities

The latest victim was 7-year-old Terry Lynn Lewis, a Dallas boy who died shortly after midnight when a space heater placed close to his bed ignited. Arson investigator Capt. Levi Whitlow said the boy's grandfather and a 4-year-old sister were

ment Disclosure Act of 1978, the

investor has only been required

Peter De Braal, an economist

with the USDA's foreign invest-

ment disclosure branch, said the

department will be able to prove

in 1984 whether foreign-owned

farmland has been ticketed for

Development. That's what

Many defenders of the foreign

critics of foreign investment fear

investor have maintained that

even if all 13.5 million acres of

foreign-owned U.S. farmland

were bulldozed tomorrow, it

would not affect farm prices. The

13.5 million acres is only one per-

Former judge released from prison

development.

to report the original purchase.

also injured and taken to hospitals for treatment.

A 9-year-old Plainview girl, iden- Yandell tified as Heather Steffe, died Tuesday night in a two-car wreck that police in the Panhandle city blamed on ice-coated roads. On Sunday, an 8-year-old Grandview girl died in a house fire started when her mother tried to use a stove for warmth.

Southwest Airlines cancelled its flights until the runway at Dallas-Love Field Airport was sanded. American Airlines cancelled all departures and arrivals until noon. airline officials said. But a Federal Aviation Administration official said Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport remained open.

In Dallas, a city bus hit a fire hydrant and spilled freezing water over a roadway, and as many as seven tractor-trailer trucks had jack-knifed on Interstate 20, police

The mercury fell into the single digits throughout the Panhandle Tuesday night behind the new cold

At 6:30 a.m. today, Wichita Falls set a record low of 9 degrees. The previous record was 10 degrees set in 1951. Lubbock set a record with 4 degrees, breaking the 67-year-old mark of 5 degrees. The National Weather Service said the temperature could drop even lower in the morning.

Dalhart dropped from 22 degrees at 4 p.m. to 7 degrees at 6 p.m.

there are other dangers.

A large foreign land purchase

can inflate land values in a small

almost overnight if foreign

residents invest heavily in one

county and later sell to commer-

foreign investment opponents.

He was released at 7:45 a.m. Tuesday, according to

The charges against Fugitt pertained to allegations

that he pressed a man for payment of a debt in return for favorable disposition of a driving while intoxicated

charge pending against him in Fugitt's court.

prison spokesman Patty Meeks, who said Fugitt began his sentence on July 29.

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Yandell of Long Beach, and Ila Jones, both of Lub-

Pauline

Local arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle Funeral

county, making it difficult for a young person to buy his first 1911 in Coleman County, farm or a veteran farmer to ex-Texas. She married Love pand. Land prices would go up Simpson in 1933. He was again if the investor sells to a killed in Italy in 1943. She then married Eli Scarborough July 14, 1945. He In addition, the essence of a died Jan. 31, 1981 rural county could change

She grew up in Santa Anna and graduated from high school there in 1929. She had lived in Big Spring the past three years. She was a Methodist.

sons, Mike Scarborough of Big Spring and Don Simpson of Grand Junction, Colo.; two sisters, Hettie Scarborough of Santa Anna and Nettie Griffin of Bangs; a brother, J.D. Williamson of Coleman; and three grandchildren, Matt and Todd Simpson and Sunny Scarborough.

Holiday Calendar

Here is a listing of holiday season activities schedul-

ed in the Big Spring area.

Dec. 21-24: Girl Scout Troop 36 will be gift wrapping in the Highland Mall from 10 a.m. to closing.

Dec. 21-23: A Santa hotline will be in operation on the Veterans Administration Hospital's nursing home unit from 1-5 p.m. The telephone will be named by nursing home residents who look forward to calls from children with their Christmas wishes. The number is 263-1455

Dec. 21: The Crestview Baptist youth choir will perform the musical "Song of Bethlehem" at 7 p.m. The public is invited to the performance.

Dec. 21: First Christian Church will host its Christmas cantata "Son of the Highest" at 7 p.m. in the church's sanctuary at 10th and Goliad. A nursery will be provided. Dec. 21: The First Church of the Nazarene sanctuary

choir will present the cantata "Thou Shall Call His Name ... Jesus" at 7 p.m. The public is invited. The Christmas Open House will follow at the parsonage. Dec. 21: The Ackerly United Methodist Church will

host a church wide Christmas party at 6 p.m.

Dec. 22, 23 and 24: The First Christian Church will stage the "Living Nativity," a short reenactment of the Christmas story. Three performances will be given each night at 7 p.m., 7:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. on the south lawn of the First Christian Church, 10th and Goliad. Dec. 22: The North Birdwell Lane United Methodist

Church will have their Christmas worship service at 7 p.m. instead of Sunday morning. Dec. 24: The First Presbyterian Church of Coahoma

will host a Christmas Eve Candlelighting and Communion service at 6 p.m.
Dec. 24: St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and

Goliad, will have its annual Christmas Eve services at 10:30 p.m. Dec. 24: Children of St. Paul Lutheran Church will

present a Christmas program, "God's Children Rejoice." The program begins at 6 p.m.

Dec. 24: First Methodist Church will host a service of carols, candles and communion at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 24: First Presbyterian Church of Big Spring will host a candlelight service at 7 p.m. in the santuary

at 8th and Runnels. Dec. 24: First Presbyterian Church will hold a Christmas communion service at 11:15 p.m. in the

Dec. 24: A Christmas Eve Service of Lights and Carols will be held at 11 p.m. in First Christian Church. Dec. 24: Immaculate Heart of Mary will hold a Children's Vigil Mass of Christmas at 5:30 p.m. The choir will begin singing at 11:15 p.m. preceding the Midnight Mass.

Dec. 24: Sacred Heart will hold Mass at 5 p.m. and 9

Dec. 24: St. Thomas Catholic Church will hold Mass at 6 p.m. at the Federal Prison Camp, 7:30 p.m. at St. Thomas; 9 p.m. at St. Joseph's in Coahoma and midnight at St. Thomas.

Dec. 25: First United Methodist Church will host a Christmas Day service at 10 a.m.

Dec. 25: The First United Methodist Church of Coahoma will change the time of their morning worship to 9:30 a.m. There will be no church school

Deaths

B.F. Yandell, 79, died Tuesday morning at a Lubbock nursing home. Ser-Thursday at the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

He was born June 21, 1904 Yell County, Ark. He came to Big Spring in 1957 and moved to Lubbock in 1981. He retired from the Mobil Oil Co. in 1962. He was a member of the First Bap-

Survivors include his wife, Rena; a son, Paul Calif.; a daughter, Pauline Underwood of Snyder; two sisters, Florence Sewell bock; and a grandson and three granddaughters.

Scarborough

Pauline Scarborough, 72, died Tuesday at a local hospital. Services are pending with Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in cent of the nation's total farm Rockdale, Texas. But many farm officials say

She was born March 1,

cial interests, according to Survivors include two



B.F. YANDELL ...services Thursday

Jewell Kerley

COMANCHE - Jewell Maybelle Kerley, 81, died Monday at the Comanche Community Hospital. Services are scheduledd for 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Comanche Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jeff McWilliams officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery.

She was born May 15, 1902 in Comanche County. She married G.W. Kerley in 1919 in Comanche. He died in 1953. She was a Baptist.

She is survived by one son, Loyd Kerley of Fort Worth; three daughters, Dee Harbour, Jean Jones, and Doris Chandler, all of Comanche; four brothers, Robert Lane of O'Donnell, R.D. Lane of Big Spring, J.N. Lane of Snyder and L.B. Lane of Houston: three sisters, Mattie Wright of Big Spring, Louella Anderson of Granberry and Nodine Watson of Van; and 13 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Nalley-Pickle-Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

B.F. Yandell, 79, died Tuesday morning. Services will be at 2:00 P.M. Thursday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

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By the Associated Press

Cash checks into hospital

RANCHO MIRAGE - Country singer Johnny Cash — trying to avoid becoming dependent on



painkillers - has become the second celebrity this month to check into the Betty Ford Center for treatment of a drug problem.

Cash, 51, entered the facility at Eisenhower Medical Center on Tuesday to help him handle the effects of painkillers he has been taking during a spate of recent illnesses, his manager

On Dec. 5, Elizabeth Taylor admitted herself JOHNNY CASH to the center, which treats people for addiction or dependency on everything from alcohol and prescription drugs to cocaine and marijuana. The actress said she had developed a problem with prescription drugs.

Cash was released Friday from Baptist Hospital in Nashville where he underwent surgery for an intestinal ulcer. In recent months he also has been treated for blood poisoning, the result of an insect bite, and for severe muscle spasms in his back, said manager Lou Robin.

"Due to the required medication to help effect the recovery from these various illnesses, Johnny decided to enter the Betty Ford Center at Eisenhower Medical Center ... as a preventive measure now that he is fully recovered and feeling great," Robin said.

In a Barbara Walters interview broadcast Dec. 6, Cash spoke of a long-ago drug problem, when he took as many as 100 barbiturates and amphetamines a day because he "wanted to be John Doe for a little while."

He credited his second wife, singer June Carter Cash, with helping him kick the habit about 20 years ago, and said it was "a miracle — a gift of God" that he is alive today.

"Johnny is planning to resume recording, TV and personal appearances in late February," Robin

Prince Charles hit with pie

MANCHESTER, England - "It is best that you just do it," Prince Charles said stoically when confronted by a young woman wielding a foam pie. So she did, and he got a faceful.

It was part of the fun at a newly opened West Indian Community Center on Tuesday.

Charles was making a holiday visit when Katie Slater, 15, asked him if she could hit him with a foam pie.

After the prince suffered the indignity, Charles got his revenge. Miss Slater got some of the foam from the royal hand.

The prince then wiped off his face and went on

As the prince rode a pedal go-cart at the center, his wife, Princess Diana, was dedicating a home for the elderly not far away.

Principal surprises hospital

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. - Bystanders gawked and whispered as Victoria Principal, star of the television show "Dallas," made an appearance of a personal nature at University Hospitals in Birmingham.

The 33-year-old actress went to visit her father, Victor Principal of Warner Robins, Ga, who underwent open heart surgery Tuesday.

Hospital spokesman John Wright Jr. said Miss Principal's 65-year-old father was in satisfactory condition in the cardiovascular surgical intensive

The convalescence was progressing normally, he

Royko quits Sun-Times

CHICAGO — Pulitzer-prize winning columnist Mike Royko has taken a leave of absence from the Chicago



Sun-Times because he's not sure whether he wants to work for Australian publisher Rupert Murdoch.

Field Enterprises said Tuesday it had signed a 'definitive agreement' to sell the newspaper to Murdoch following reports that another group had offered as much as \$100 million to wrest control of the daily. The deal with Murdoch

calls for a \$90 million cash payment. "I've got a lot to find out

(about Murdoch)," Royko said in a telephone interview MIKE ROYKO

Tuesday. "I've been reading about his journalistic endeavors and he doesn't sound like my kind of guy. On Nov. 1, Field Enterprises announced it had agreed to sell the Sun-Times to News America Publishing Inc., a subsidiary of Murdoch's The News Corporation Ltd., a worldwide publishing corporation.

As part of his agreement with Field Enterprises, Murdoch said he would not change the character of the tabloid Sun-Times. He promised: "It is a Chicago product and we are here to serve Chicago."

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The news in brief

By the Associated Press

Reagan won't move troops

WASHINTON (AP) - President Reagan, asserting his determination to keep Marines in Lebanon as long

as they are needed, says he may have made a "bad choice of words" in suggesting a collapse of the Lebanese government could lead to an early withdrawal.

At a year-end news conference dominated by questions on Lebanon, Reagan said Tuesday night that halting American casualties in the divided Middle East country and a continuing economic recovery could make 1984 a better year for

But he declared that "we can't just turn away" from

RONALD REAGAN the Middle East.

The president was continuing his emphasis on the region today, meeting with Egyptian Foreign Minister

Calling the Middle East "a tinderbox ... the one place that could start a war that no one wanted," Reagan said U.S. Marines will be withdrawn "as quickly as it is possible ... in accomplishing our mission. The president tempered a declaration made last

week that a complete collapse of governmental authority in Lebanon might be reason to bring the troops home and said the remark was not intended to signal an imminent withdrawal. Only "a complete change of course" in which the

U.S. troops were no longer wanted — or achievement of the U.S. goal in Lebanon — would bring the troops out. The U.S. goal is an extension of governmental authority and a departure of all foreign forces -Palestinian, Israeli and Syrian - from Lebanon.

Greyhound in high gear

PHOENIX — Greyhound put its full fleet f 3,800 buses back in operation today as drivers, mechanics and other union workers returned from a bitter sevenweek strike that ended when they accepted a 7.8 percent wage cut.

A spokesman for the nation's largest intercity bus company said Greyhound had expected "close to a full force" of its 7,545 drivers to return to work in 48 states beginning at 12:01 a.m. today.

In Phoenix, where Greyhound is headquartered, assistant terminal manager Lucy Tafoya said union employees started "to dribble in" early today. She said there was no sign of tension between returning strikers and those who crossed picket lines.

Police at New York's Port Authority terminal reported no trouble and said that buses were "moving "It's not that complicated. We just pick up like there

was no interruption of service," said Greyhound spokesman Don Behnke. "We begin running the schedule we normally run. Union leaders, meanwhile, said that they would fight in 1986 to regain the concessions they gave up in the

would save it \$160 million. The Amalgamated Transit Union struck Nov. 2 over Greyhound's proposal for a wage cut it said was need-

ed to keep the company competitive.

new three-year contract, which Greyhound estimated

Workers voted 7,404 to 2,596 in favor of the contract, which also calls for a 4 percent employee contribution to the pension fund and other concessions, the union said. The settlement was reached Dec. 3.

Village captured by rebels

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — A CIA-backed rebel force has kidnapped most of the 700 inhabitants of a Nicaraguan village, including an American-born Roman Catholic bishop, and spirited them across the border into Honduras, the Foreign Ministry charged. Elsewhere in Central America, the foreign ministers of the Contadora group, meeting in Panama City, worked on refining their Central American peace program before returning home today.

In El Salvador, authorities confirmed an army captain accused of ordering the deaths of two American land reform adviser had been arrested, while in Washington President Reagan said the Salvadoran government has made "stepped-up efforts" against death squads operating there.

Nicaragua's Foreign Ministry said Tuesday night that a rebel force had attacked the village of Francia Sirpi in the northwest province of Zelaya Norte province early in the day, kidnapping hundreds of villagers, including three priests and Monsignor Salvador Schlaeffler, bishop in the Atlantic port of

The ministry statement said the leftist Sandinista government has sent a letter of protest to Honduran President Roberto Suazo Cordova

"The government of Nicaragua holds the governments of the United States and Honduras responsible for the fate of the villagers kidnapped and the priests," the statement said.

It said the rebels involved in the attack on the village, 219 miles northwest of Managua, were national guard officers and men under Nicaragua's late rightist President Anastasio Somoza, overthrown by the Sandinists in 1979.

Geter wants alternative

DALLAS — Attorneys representing Lenell Geter have asked prosecutors to let their client be given "truth serum" instead of a polygraph test in a bargain that could free him from a controversial robbery

Dallas County District Attorney Henry Wade agreed last week to seek a new trial for Geter and also agreed to drop charges if Geter passed a lie detector test.

But Geter's attorneys say he is a "nervous kind of guy" who does not do well on polygraph tests. Prosecutors said a polygraph test Geter took in May showed "deception.

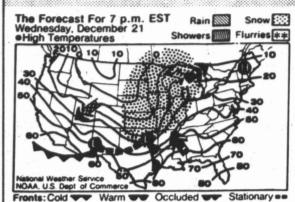
Geter's attorneys called the results "inconclusive at

The 26-year-old engineer was sentenced to life in prison last year in the robbery of a fast-food restaurant in Balch Springs, a suburb of Dallas. He has maintained his innocence and says he became a suspect in the robbery because he is black.

At the time of the robbery, Geter was employed at E-Systems Inc. of Greenville, about 50 miles northeast of Geter was released on bond last week and went to

South Carolina to spend Christmas with his family.

Weather



By the Associated Press

West Texas - Travel advisory Panhandle and South Plains through Thursday due to icy roads. Mostly cloudy through Thursday with isolated to widely scattered snow flurries north and drizzle or freezing rain south. Turning colder most sections Thursday. Highs near 10 Panhandle to 68 Big Bend. Lows minus 6 Panhandle to 38 southwest. Highs Thursday near 15 Panhandele to near 70s extreme

Artic air freezes states

Bitter arctic air, with sub-zero temperatures, continued to pour into the Northern Plains states as moisture moved up from the Gulf of Mexico today. Where the two air masses met, snow and light rain wet the nation's midsection.

Travelers advisories were issued for areas from the western mountains to the Great Lakes and Ohio

Freezing rain and drizzle extended from northern Texas across northern Louisiana and Arkansas into extreme southern Indiana and southern West

As of 1 a.m. EST, 3 inches of snow had accumulated at Des Moines, Ia., Omaha, Neb., and South City, Iowa.

Winter storm watches were posted for possible heavy snow across eastern Minnesota, Wisconsin and Illinois for today and Thursday.

Skies were clear from Washington state to western Montana and over the northeastern states. Fair skies were also expected over much of Nevada and California

The lowest reading Wednesday was 40 below at International Falls, Minn., but sub-zero readings were common from Wyoming to New York, where Buffalo registered a 7 below to tie a 1942 record. Temperatures today were below zero across the

Northern and Central Plains with readings 20 to 30 below over parts of Montana and Wyoming. The National Weather Service forecast for today

called for continued sub-zero temperatures for Wyoming and the Northern Plains and below freezing readings for the Pacific Northwest and from Northern Nevada across the Rockies, Northern Texas, Arkansas, the mid Mississippi valley, the Great Lakes region and the eastern seaboard north of Maryland.

Light snow was expected to linger over the Dakotas and Nebraska with heavier snow from Kansas across the Midwest to the Great Lakes.

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Jackson wants selection rules changed

WASHINGTON (AP) -**Democratic Party officials** say changes in delegate selection rules for the 1984 convention are extremely unlikely despite the Rev. Jesse Jackson's threat of a lawsuit or convention floor fight to alter them.

Jackson maintains the rules would "lock out" some potential black, Hispanic and women delegates — weakening the party and increasing President Reagan's chances for re-election.

"We really don't see a way that this is maneuverable," one party aide said Tuesday after Jackson, the only black presidential hopeful, met with party chairman than two hours.

A second party aide also said changes are unlikely, both because the first delegates will be picked within a matter of weeks

and because some state by North Carolina Gov. approve the changes. Jackson says the rules,

legislatures would have to James Hunt, are stacked against long-shot candidates in favor of betterformulated by a special known presidential party commission chaired





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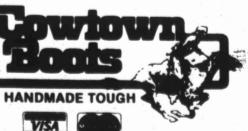
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Editorial

From 'Star Wars' to U.S. defense

President Reagan's grand conception of a futuristic, 21st century "Star Wars" defense system in space against Russian missiles is a perilous miscalculation. Even the scientists and military experts who argue about its feasibility acknowledge that by compelling the Soviets to follow suit, such a system would move the arms race to another, far more costly, dimension. More important in terms of averting nuclear Armageddon for the immediate years ahead, the prospect that either side might create an impregnable missile defense would make arms control negotiations toward reducing the present stockpiles of offensive nuclear weapons irrelevant.

Yet, Mr. Reagan and his principal advisers have decided to go ahead on long-range, multi-billion-dollar research programs for the development of space lasers, particle-beam weapons, satellite tracking systems and the like, for deployment in lower space. The purpose is to be able to knock out most Soviet missiles before they could reach their ballistic apogees in space and to eliminate any that got through the first space perimeters

with ground-based anti-ballistic weapons.

In his speech last March, the president made clear that he is sold on the notion thta this effort would result in shifting the emphasis from offensive to defensive systems on the part of both supuerpowers, with the thought that each would be far safer thus protected from atttack. Aside from the extreme unlikelihood that the technology can ever be perfected to guarantee such sure protection, Mr. Reagan blithely ignores that an almost certain consequence — probably for both sides - would be a feverish effort to create new offensive nuclear weapons, including the kind deployable in space, that could get through any such defense barriers.

To proceed on the course Mr. Reagan plans also raises anew the suspicion that underlying the scheme is the thought that ths technologically superior nation, by beating the Russians to defensive security, would regain the nucledar upper hand it enjoyed for so long after 1945, with the corollary notion that

nuclear war then might be conceivable.

It's hard to imagine any course more dangerously destabilizing. The best - indeed, almost surely the only - way to sanely maintain nuclear peace is through the hard, complex effort to negotaite, first, a halt to the mad competition in nuclear weapons, and then a gradual balanced reduction in both arsenals — along with parallel efforts to check the proliferation of nuclear arms worldwide. What Mr. Reagan now proposes can only have the effect of making the current arms control effort meaningless. If it fails becuase of such blindness, it's doubtful anyone will remain to build a Star Wars defense.



Joseph Kraft

Power base

WASHINGTON - Like the Washington Redskins, Fritz Mondale keeps on winning. He recently showed to advantage in four different contests.

In the process, he not only lengthened his lead in the race for the Democratic presidential nomination. He also established himself as a scrapper, able to pose a serious challenge to the re-election of Ronald Reagan.

Alabama provided the setting for Mondale's most important win. He beat out Jesse Jackson in a fight for the endorsement of the black wing of the Democratic Party in that state. Jackson was nominated for vice president by the group, and clearly the battle between Mondale and Jackson for the black vote continues.

But the fact in itself helps Mondale. He has not won an election on his own since 1972 when he was elected senator from Minnesota. A big question about him - especially among Democratic pols - is whether he has the stomach for political combat. By taking on Jackson hand-to-hand in a contest for black votes, Mondale stakes a claim to the title of "Fighting Fritz."

Two lesser victories for Mondale came on the endorsement front. He picked up the support of the activist feminists grouped in the National Organization for Women. He also won affirmation by the state organization in Oklahoma of the support he had previously gained from the National Education

Endorsements, to be sure, carry little weight with voters. But winning them beats not winning them. In the case of Oklahoma, moreover, Mondale demonstrated appeal in a state that is probably second only to Ohio as a source of strength for

John Glenn. On the financial front, lastly, Mondale did well in a nationwide house party Saturday night. Small givers came to Mondale affairs in private homes all over the country. The Mondale camp claims that at least 75,000 people participated in those events. The take is estimated at \$1.5 million.

Comparisons indicate the scope of that achievement. The total of people reached by Mondale comes close to the sum of those touched by Jimmy Carter and Ted Kennedy together in the 1980 campaign. The \$1.5 million will be matched by federal funds to make a total of \$3 million. That means that in one night, Mondale amassed more money than four of his rivals -

Jackson, Gary Hart, Fritz Hollings

and Reubin Askew - picked up dur-

ing the whole of 1983. The impact of all that on the Democratic Party race hardly needs underlining. Just managing a national fund-raiser and simultaneous endorsement contests in Alabama and Oklahoma represents something of an organizational feat. It indicates that Mondale is in position to clear the first hurdles of the campaign and to show well on Super Tuesday, or

Democrat can make that claim. Moreover, Mondale has protected himself against the kind of guerrilla warfare that brought front-runners to grief in the past. He has the support of the activists who did so much to put Jimmy Carter and George McGovern over against better-known candidates in 1972 and

March 13, when contests take place

in six different states. No other

As to the race for the presidency itself, some issues that work for Mondale are beginning to emerge. One is the budget deficit. Defense spending constitutes a large part of the problem. Next year alone the Pentagon is scheduled to come in with requests for an increase of over \$60 billion in budget authority Unless the president applies a lid, he will be vulnerable to charges of letting spending get out of control.

Then there is the matter of turnout. A Reagan-Mondale fight would pose stark alternatives. The administration has managed to put its finger in the eve of numerous constituencies - women, blacks, environmentalists, poor people. A strong Democratic organization could bring enough voters to the polls to tilt some of the big states that went for Reagan in 1980.

None of this makes Mondale a favorite to be elected president in 1984. He does, after all, represent a collection of minorities. But it does suggest that President Reagan cannot just coast to re-election. He will have to discipline his own hawks enough to bring military spending under control, and to show some signs of progress in leaving Lebanon and reaching an accord with the Russians.



By KEELY COGHLAN

The EPA and the chemical administration

Chemicals are big politics in the Reagan administration. The Environmental Protection Agency recently has been accused of dragging its heels on administering the Superfund to clean up such large toxic waste dumps as Love Canal, N.Y. and the Missouri towns contaminated by dioxin.

More recently, the EPA has been accused of playing politics with setting acceptable standards of various toxic chemicals. The Reagan administration is naturally inclined to favor business and inclined to avoid "over-excessive"

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the EPA show that despite large evidence that formaldehyde, a chemical widely used by manufacturers, causes cancer in animals, the EPA changed its mind about insisting on "priority" regulation of the chemical.

What is involved here is simple lobbying by multimillion dollar businesses to get Don R. Clay, the director of EPA's Office of Toxic Substances, to sign a memo vetoing "priority" regulations, which can cost large amounts of money to businesses in safety measures.

What is unusual is that the director had a memo drafted the day before he signed the order - except that it came to the opposite conclusions. Obviously, someone put pressure on the EPA, and scientists charge it was the intensive lobbying efforts of the industries using formaldehyde.

Why should we care? First, because a three-year study conducted by EPA scientists said formaldehyde was implicated in the biochemical process in which toxic chemicals cause cancer.

Second, it is one thing to lobby for dams and capital improvements and domestic contents legislation. It is another - though apparently not to the Reagan administration to change policies involving scientific evidence about the danger of toxic chemicals. The cost can be measured in money to implement safety precautions or in lives.

Being lax in enforcing dump sites and the use of toxic chemicals brought about dioxin contamination and many of the chemical cesspools now present throughout the United

The same situation will reoccur if the EPA is allowed to play politics with setting maximum tolerance standards for various other toxic chemicals that are now found dumped on our land, our air and our

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Mailbag

Fire hazards plague the city

To the editor:

There are fire hazards at a number of public places in Big Spring. Many of these could be reduced or eliminated at little or no cost. The hazards persist due to ignorance or laziness on the part of the building owners or its employees. Exit doors should swing outward. Doors which swing inward trap people, because in the event of a fire, a crowd of people pressing to get to an exit door makes it impossible for those in front to open the

Public buildings such as restaurants, department stores, etc., should have double doors which swing outward. A very pitiful example of laziness is a set of double doors of which one side is always left locked. It must be just too much trouble to take the extra ten seconds or so to unlatch the other door.

Some firms will have a set of doors opening to an entry hall, then another set of doors opening into the place of business. Such an entry hall should be kept clear of vending machines and other obstructions which would be in the way in an

I have listed three hazards which can be eliminated at little or no cost: doors which open inward, double doors with one side locked, and clutter blocking doors. Many public places in Big Spring have at least one such hazard. One of my favorite restaurants has all three.

One would think that businesses would be anxious to correct these hazards on their own. No business needs lawsuits or dead customers. But if businesses will not correct such hazards on their own, I think our Fire Marshall should encourage them to do so. MIKE CRADDOCK

The gentle Buddha needs explanation

To the editor:

Is it possible that in an effort to be brief the answer to the question, "What are the basic Buddhist beliefs?" did an injustice to the teachings of the gentle Buddha?

Buddha taught a Noble Eightfold Path to Enlightenment. The eight steps were for him and for his followers are: (1) Right Understanding, (2) Right Purpose, (3) Right Speech, (4) Right Behavior, (5) Right Means of Livelihood, (6) Right Effort, (7) Right Awareness and (8) Right Meditation.

Buddha is very often compared to another gentle teacher named Jesus, even though he lived in the foothills of the Himalayas during the Sixth Century B.C.
NANCY L. PATRICK

WASHINGTON - President Reagan's new Lebanon strategy somewhere in the Pentagon's thousands of look-alike cubbyholes. He wants to tighten U.S. ties to Israel and confront Syria with an Israel-American military threat. This is the best way to get a settle-

Jack Anderson

ment out of the Syrians, he now believes. So on Oct. 29, Reagan signed a secret National Security Decision Directive calling for closer strategic coordination with Israel. This was followed, according to confidential documents, by a call for 'combined planning," "joint exercises" and "pre-positioning of U.S.

military equipment in Israel." But a presidential directive can get mislaid in the Pentagon's catacombs - if it propounds a policy that the generals don't like. Few generals, of course, would risk openly defying the commander in chief's explicit order. So instead. the unwanted directive is merely cast adrift in the Pentagon's labyrinth of dead ends

This is what's happening to the president's strategy for dealing with the Lebanese crisis. The military chiefs "are simply not willing to implement the White House decision." a high adminsitration official told my associate Lucette Lagnado.

The White House and State Department, on the other hand, are trying to implement the new strategy. They had hoped, for example, to complete three specific accords with Israel during Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir's recent Washington visit: 1. to establish U.S.-Israeli medical cooperation; 2. to approve joint military exercises; and 3. to coordinate strategy in

But the seasoned officers at the Pentagon have learned that any presidential directive they oppose might fade away if only they study it long enough. So a week before Shamir arrived, they protested that the proposed accords couldn't be put into operation without careful

They succeeded in setting aside the accords and creating a joint U.S.-Israeli committee to study them. This amorphous committee, designated the Joint Political-Military Group, has managed at least to set up an agenda. According to a confidential document:

'The JPMG will meet in January. It is expected that at least medical cooperation may be finalized at this meeting. The chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Gen. (John W.) Vessey, will visit Israel in Soviets. But the White House course, is subject to further obstruction.

Israel question splits administration

The irony is that the Pentagon chiefs oppose military pressure while across the Potomac, the civilian leaders favor a show of strength. The White House has simply despaired of a diplomatic solution in Lebanon. It has been tried with one shuttle diplomat after another, but they have all come up empty-handed. Working through moderate Arab nations, such as Saudi Arabia, has been equally fruitless. The new strategy is to scare the Syrians out of Lebanon with a show of Israeli-American

This has led to a bitter backstage debate. I have been privy to the secret exchanges, including some of the briefing papers that have been circulating in the backrooms.

The strategists in the Pentagon argue that the spectacle of the Americans and Israelis in military lockstep will frighten the moderate Arab nations and jeopardize U.S. relations with them. This could block U.S. access to some strategic Middle East bases that the Joint Chiefs hope to get.

Counters on briefing paper: "The moderate Arabs are anti-Israel, but they fear Arab radicalism more ... The Arabs ally themselves to those who can protest them. A strong, pro-Israel U.S. is more attractive than a weak anti-Israel U.S. Lebanon and Jordan want the U.S. to protect them from Syria."

The Pentagon strategists, noting the speed with which the Soviet Union rearmed Syria after the shellacking it took from Israel in Lebanon last year, doubt that U.S.-Israeli military posturing will impress either the Syrians or the

strategists believe that military power is the only argument that they do understand. With U.S. and Soviet power ar-

rayed on opposite sides of the Lebanon dispute, warn the Pentagon brass, there is danger of a confrontation between the superpowers. Responds a briefing paper: Working together to restore the balance in the region actually reduces the risk by reducing the incentives to aggression.'

The military chiefs also argue that the United States and Israel have different goals; the Americans are anti-Soviet, the Israelis anti-Syrian. "A false distinction," claims the briefing paper. "The Soviet challenge usually takes the form of aggression by local radical allies backed by Soviet arms and advisers.

Concludes the paper: "What is the alternative? Let the Soviets and

OUTRAGE OF THE WEEK: Pratt & Whitney Aircraft has been exposed in recent months for charging the Pentagon outrageous prices for spare parts. Because it had "sole source" contracts with the military, the company could - and did — charge whatever the traffic would bear. There was no competition.

Now the Navy is about to award a contract — it won't say how much to study the problem of overpriced spare parts, among other things. But when contractors tried to bid on the project, they got a rude shock: The investigation was to be handled as a sole-source contract. Who was the sole source? You guessed it: Pratt & Whitney.

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Magazine's 'doom' clock inches closer to midnight

CHICAGO (AP) - The symbolic "doomsday clock" on the cover of the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists will inch one minute closer to midnight Thursday, suggesting the world is nearer to nuclear war than it has been in more than 30 years.

The hands on the clock will move from 4 minutes before midnight to 3 minutes, symbolizing increased U.S.-Soviet tensions and an escalating arms race, said Ruth Adams, editor of the monthly magazine.

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The time on the clock, pictured on the magazine since 1947, changes when scientists who run the publication agree on an increased or decreased threat of nuclear war.

This week's action "represents almost the complete break (of communications between) the two superpowers," said Ms. Adams. "We're speaking of the failure of cutbacks or control of new nuclear weapons.

"The world has become increasingly militaristic. We pursue security by means of weapons and strategy ...," she

The change in the clock will coincide with scientists' presentation of their views at news conferences in Washington, London, Stockholm and Tokyo

The Soviets recently walked out of intermediate-range missile talks in Europe after the arrival of the first U.S. Pershing 2 and cruise missiles in Europe to counter Soviet missiles aimed

at Europe. Two other sets of U.S.-Soviet negotiations on conventional arms and strategic weapons also have been suspended.

Thursday's change in the clock marks the closest it has been to "nuclear doomsday" since it was at 2 minutes to midnight when the Soviet Union exploded its first hydrogen bomb in 1953.

The last time the clock was moved was in 1981, when the hands edged from seven minutes to four minutes before midnight, symbolizing a shift in the development of nuclear weapons, said Tom Hazinski, the magazine's general

"The superpowers developed weapons for war-fighting rather than deterrence," he said. "It (moving the clock) was to mark that change.

Hazinski said in the last decade, the hands have only moved closer to the midnight hour. The hands of Bulletin's "doomsday

times in the history of the magazine. He said the clock was at 12 minutes to midnight in 1963, when an agreement was reached on a limited test-ban treaty

with the Soviet Union.

clock," Hazinski said, have moved 11

The Bulletin is sponsored by an international committee of 47 scientists, including 18 Nobel laureates. In past years, Albert Einstein and Robert Oppenheimer have served on the

TV employees arrested for publicizing photo

(AP) — Four employees of a television station were arrested Tuesday on charges of obstructing justice for televising a photograph of a man arrested in a series of crimes including two murders and five rapes.

Those arrested at Charleston station WCSC-TV were news anchor Bill Sharp, news director Debbie Chard, station manager Mark Pierce and reporter Tim Lake, said Assistant Solicitor Frank Hunt.

The four were arrested because the station televis-

CHARLESTON, S.C. ward Blake on Monday, damaged the defendant's Hunt said. Blake, 20, of right to a fair trial" and James Island, has been also hurt the prosecutor's charged in a series of crimes in the Lowcountry.

Law enforcement officials asked the media to refrain from televising or printing pictures of Blake because they wanted several rape and assault victims to see the suspect in a police lineup first.

Charleston County Police Maj. Richard F. Grassie said law enforcement officials were "disappointed and upset" that the photo was broadcast.

He said the showing ed a picture of Charles Ed- "may have irreparably

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The picture of Blake was from a high school yearbook, Hunt said.

make a statement later Brown Knight Tuesday, said a television station employee.

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In all, Blake faces 21 counts stemming from those incidents as well as Blake was arrested three other rapes and



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'Day After' censored from Polish theaters

NEW YORK (AP) - Polish television did not broadcast "The Day After" as had been expected, but the distributor for ABC's controversial nuclear-aftermath film said it would be shown in Japan, France, Australia and, perhaps, Poland in the future.

Ed Kalish, senior vice president for worldwide marketing for Producers Sales Organization, said he had understood there was an agreement with Polish TV to broadcast the film Tuesday night, but did not know why it was not shown.

Kalish, speaking Tuesday from his office in Los Angeles, said his company's London office had struck a deal with Polish authorities and was putting the contract on paper. He said he was "confident" the film will eventually be seen in Poland.

However, David Ensor, ABC News' bureau chief in Warsaw, said Tuesday: "There was no agreement and there will not be any broadcast of 'The Day After' in Poland in the near future."

Instead of broadcasting the film, TVP, the Polish network, Tuesday night showed "The Postmaster's Daughter," a Soviet film.

The Japanese will have a chance to see "The Day After," which graphically details the consequences of a nuclear attack on the Kansas City area, on Jan. 14. He said the distributors in Japan are expecting large movie-going audiences comparable to those attending a James Bond film.

Kalish said the release in Japan, the only country to be attacked by nuclear weapons, would be "an emotional moment.

France is scheduled to release the film Jan. 18 and Australia Feb. 2, he said. Officials of Bulgaria and Czechoslovakia recently have asked to review the film for possible broadcast, the distributor said.

For the past two weeks, "The Day After" has been shown in movie theaters in West Germany, grossing more than \$3 million. "That's 'Jedi'-type business, said Kalish. Kalish said the theatrical version of "The Day

After" is almost identical to the one seen on ABC Nov. 20, which attracted an audience of 100 million people "The only real difference is that the theatrical version has been tightened slightly in places to make it flow better because there are no commercial breaks," he



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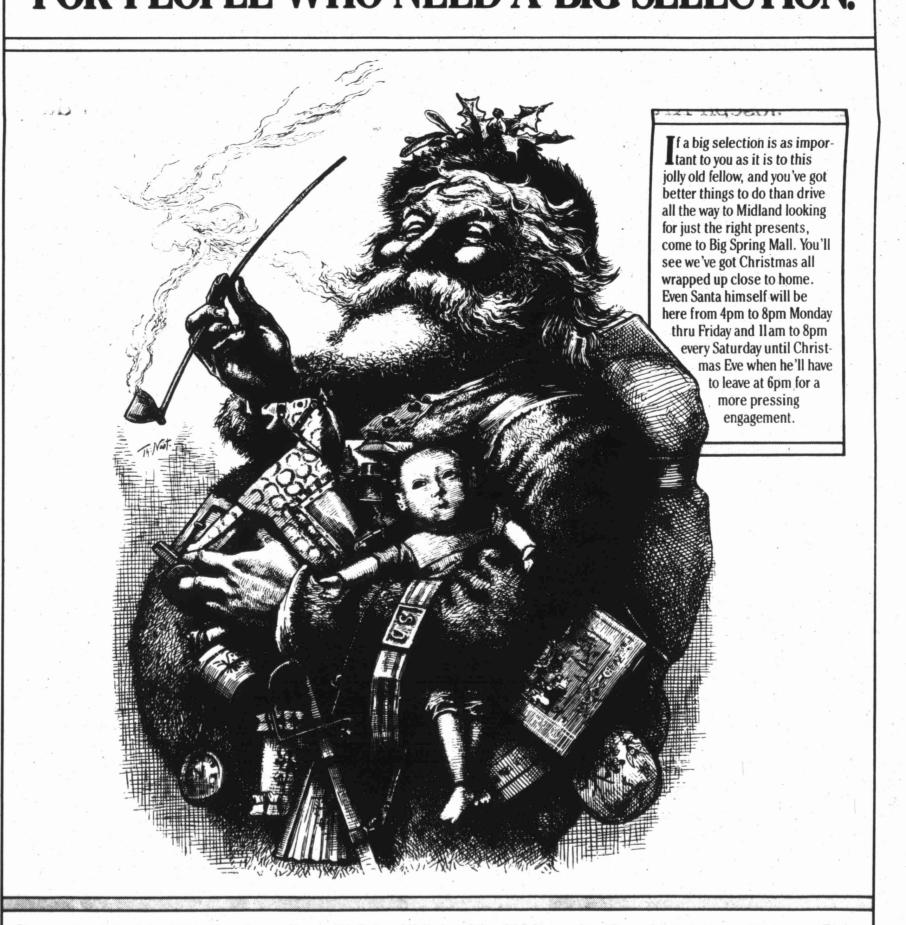
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LOS ANGELES (AP) — Know a purebred cat or dog that needs a date? Frank Mashevich will fix them up and the owner may make some money in the process.

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Service will provide owners of purebred animals a selection of prospective mates — and stud fees — for their pets.

The 25-year-old Russian refugee, who works at a non-profit organization finding jobs for other political refugees, got the idea for the service about six months ago when he and a friend were discussing their problems in finding suitable mates for their dogs.

Mashevich was having trouble finding a mate for his male German shepherd. His friend, who owns a female collie, said he couldn't afford the \$100 to \$1,000 stud fees commanded by purebred collie breeders.

"I just didn't believe there is no other way," said Mashevich. "But I did some research and found that there wasn't."

So he and a partner, Lenny Gendleman, went into business and the service began operations about two months ago.

Clients can subscribe over a toll-free telephone number. They pay a \$39 fee and provide information about their pet's age, breed and color and whether the animal is certified by the American Kennel Club.

In return they get a monthly list of opposite-sex pets of the same breed along with the owners' name and telephone numbers. From then on it is up to the owners to negotiate meetings and stud fees - and to verify their potential mate's pedigree.

"Usually people go to a breeder and they find only one or two, and there's no more choice," Mashevich said. "We give them a good choice." In addition to offering more potential mates, the ser-

vice is also bound to result in lower stud fees because it allows for increased competition, Mashevich contends. "If he (the female pet owner) is not given a reasonable stud fee, he can go to someone else," he

"The stud fee could be nothing. Sometimes the owner of a male dog is willing to do it in return for a - which can be sold at a profit, Mashevich

He stresses that the West Hollywood-based service is not responsible for results, but clients can make as many contacts and efforts as necessary to produce

So far, the service has about 300 clients representing two dozen dog and cat breeds. Most are from Californians recruited through advertisements in local papers and an appearance on a local pay TV station's

But he expects to expand once his ads start appearing in such national pet publications as Dog Fancy. As in human computerized dating services, there is

an etiquette to pet dating, dictated mainly by nature. "Usually female owners contact owners of male dogs," Mashevich said. "They start to worry about it when their dog goes into heat. But we recommend that they think about it in advance, before their dog gets in heat, to find a male who they will mate with.'

The service has already attracted a few strange

"One man called us to say that his collie had gotten loose in the street and was pregnant," Mashevich recalls. "He wanted to know how he could get an abortion. We referred him to a vet."

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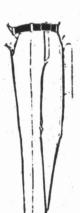
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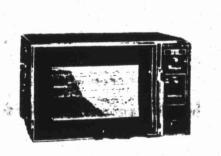
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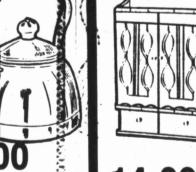
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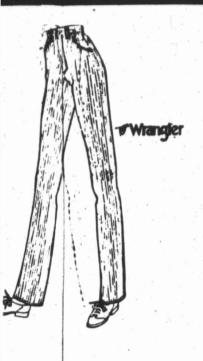
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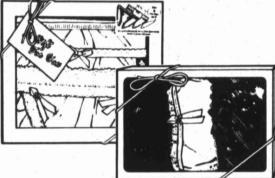


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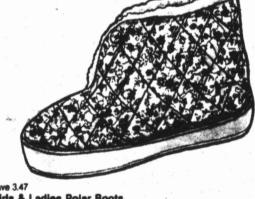
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with expensive Pentagon parts WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. William Roth unveiled an evergreen decorated with \$110 worth of military paid more than \$100,000 for the items

spare parts Tuesday, calling it the world's most expensive Christmas tree because the Pentagon might have

"This is Christmas and a time to be jolly, a time to be happy and a time to be generous," Roth, R-Del., said at a news conference. "The Pentagon has certainly been generous in some of its practices.

Roth said he would sponsor legislation next year to force the Defense Department to be more cost-

The tree's value, Roth said, is based on its decorations - spare aircraft parts and tools the senator says have been purchased by the Pentagon or offered at inflated prices by defense contractors building the Navy's F-18 jet and the Air Force's AWACS and F-16

The actual items on the 4-foot-5-inch tree were obtained by Roth's aides from independent suppliers and hardware stores for \$110, according to the senator, who chairs the Governmental Affairs Committee.

Dangling from the tree were hexagonal allen wrenches, offered to the Air Force at \$9,606 each but mailordered by committee aides for 12 cents apiece. Other decorations included:

Antenna motor pins, \$7,417 vs. 2.4 cents.
Plastic caps for stool legs, \$1,118 vs. 17 cents.

-Nuts, \$2,043 vs. 13 cents, and bolts, \$1,075 vs. 67

Transistors, \$814 vs. 67 cents.

Instead of tinsel garland, the tree is encircled by what appeared to be off-the-spool electronics-store wire that Roth says the Pentagon considered buying

for "roughly \$2,000 an inch." "The government has been, to put it mildly, too generous, and something has to be done," he said. "When you're talking about spare parts, you're talking

about billions of dollars. "They've got to do a better job," said Roth, whose committee held a series of hearings this year on Pentagon procurement practices. "They've got to be cost

effective. ... They're sloppy. Roth's statements Tuesday were similar to ones he has made at his hearings. Pentagon officials, including inspector general Joseph Sherick, have acknowledged to the committee that there are problems and have

said they are working to correct them. Roth said he would introduce legislation next year designed to force more contract auditing by the Pentagon and to make individual procurement officers, both military and civilian, more conscious of pri

He said the Pentagon's job-performance evaluatemphasize whether an item is delivered on time but give no weight to whether the procurement officer obtained it at the lowest cost.

"It's not enough to get parts delivered on time," he said. "Delivery is only one of the factors that is

Roth also said the Defense Department could save money by splitting items such as the allen wrench away from the prime aircraft contract and buying them directly, thus eliminating middlemen markups.

He said that there's "no question" that prices are affected by a long-standing practice that finds some pro-curement officers leaving the government for highpaying jobs with contractors they formerly monitored.



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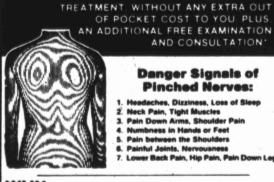
LONDON (AP) - Rock star Rod Stewart flew into London on Tuesday with his wife, Alana, and said they'll try to patch up their marriage during a Christmas holiday in Britain. "We are trying to get it

back together again," Stewart, 38, told reporters at Heathrow airport. "It is the season of good will."

"It's all been a bit traumatic," the singer added. "We have been separated, but I think we are both hoping for a happy

With the couple were their two children, Kimberley, 4, and Sean, 3, and Alana's 9-year-old son by a previous marriage, Ashley.

Stewart and his wife, a 37-year-old Texas native, have been married five



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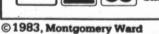
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Firewood standards are set by the cord - equal to 128 cubic feet, or a stack 4 feet high by 4 feet wide by 8 feet long. Don't order it by the rick, short cord, or pick-up load. Those measures have no standard definition. Have the wood delivered in the daytime so that you can see its condition and have it stacked before accepting the delivery so that you can measure it and make sure you get the full amount.

Some new laws you may have missed that were enacted by Congress this year:

Social Security is now available to fathers whose wives have died, retired or become disabled based on the wives' earnings. Benefits were formerly paid only to mothers and children based on the husbands' earnings. (Public Law 98-21).

Penalties have been increased against theft of Social Security and other government checks, ranging from 1 year in jail and/or a \$1,000 fine for small checks up to 10 years in jail and/or a \$10,000 fine for checks of larger amounts. Also, in this same law, was the provision to resume the production and sale through the Bureau of Mint uncirculated coin sets. These sales to collectors ceased in 1981. (Public Law 98-151).

An intensive study of Agent Orange, a herbicide used as a Vietnam War defoliant, will be done by the Center for Disease Control in Atlanta to judge whether servicemen exposed to the chemical have suffered any long-term adverse health effects. (H.R. 3959 awaiting president's signature).

Motorcycles, four-wheel-drive vehicles and other motorized conveyances may be allowed for the first time on some scenic and historic trails of the national trails system. Also, access for handicapped persons may be improved. (Public Law 98-11).

Copies of public laws may be obtained from the Senate Document Room or the House Document Room, U.S. Capitol, Washington, D.C. 20515. The laws must be identified by number. A gummed label or addressed envelope is requested.

If you are considering putting money into a franchise — whether for fast foods, automobile parts or videocassettes — you may be interested in the latest edition of the Commerce Department's "Franchise Opportunities Handbook." It lists the offerings of 1,142 franchising companies, information about government aid and a checklist for evaluating a franchise. Single copies may be purchased for \$7 prepaid. Order #SN 003-008-00191-2 from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

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A new migraine headache remedy is being highly proclaimed. Verapamil, a drug developed primarily to treat heart disorders, is also effective against migraine headaches, say doctors at the Wright State University School of Medicine in Dayton, Ohio, and Wright-Patterson Air Force Base.

According to a study published in the Journal of the American Medical Association, the drug was given to 12 migraine sufferers for three months. Results: migraine frequency dropped 49 percent and the severity of headaches was cut by 28 percent.

The National Safety Council reports that women drivers have fewer accidents per million miles than men. The reason is that women are less likely to drive while intoxicated or to speed. There is plenty of evidence that speed kills, and there are no legislative moves to rescind the 55-mile-per-hour limit. Especially during the holidays, highway patrol officers will be vigilant for the intoxicated and speeding drivers.

More and more young people are getting into religion, according to campus reports which note overflowing chapels and more religion courses. Religion is the fastest-growing department at Dartmouth. The number of theology students at Notre Dame has almost doubled since 1980. According to new polls, half the students now believe that religion is important to them — that's up from 39 percent five years ago.

Congratulations to the manager of Big Spring Mall, Glenna Osborn. She takes the position vacated by Jane Meldahl.

Congratulations to Patti Horton, of Sun Country Realtors, who has been awarded the Certified Residential Specialist (CRS) designation by the Realtors National Marketing Institute, an affiliate of the National Association of Realtors. It was awarded during a national convention of realtors held in Las Vegas recently.

Thanks to Randy Simmons and Gamco for sponsoring the programs for the community Christmas festival sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Congratulations to three Big Spring students who were named to the 1983-84 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges at UTPB. Among the 36 students named were: Anna Mae Barkley, accounting major; Louise Day, accounting; and Dona J. Sinclair, literature major. Call me about your business news and views.

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Opponents file testimony in Bell rate case

AUSTIN (AP) — A former Federal Commnications Commission economist says Southwestern Bell is trying to make basic telephone service customers pay to build a system of exotic services.

In prefiled testimony submitted Tuesday, William Melody said the "most significant factor" in Bell's rate hike request is the changes that would enable the company to offer "a wide variety of enhanced custom calling, computer and other services.

Melody, now a communications professor at Simon Fraser University in British Columbia, will be called to the witness stand by Public Utility Counsel Jim Boyle. He is expected to testify during the first week of

Bell is seeking a \$1.3 billion hike that would double monthly bills for residential service. Company officials say it's just an effort to bring the price of local service in line with costs

The request also was criticized Tuesday in prefiled testimony from a Texas Muncipal League witness. Ben Johnson, a Tallahassee, Fla., consultant, said it's unfair to force a large hike on residential customers.

"Most importantly, the company appears to have completely abandoned the goal of universal service by proposing exhorbitant rates, and little or no increases in the rates for other services that it will continue to offer after divestiture." said Johnson.

Melody, former FCC senior economist, said Bell is trying to get money from customers who will never use the so-called "enhanced" services.

"It is clear that the major cause of increases in local exchange costs is enhanced services and not basic telephone service," Melody said.

He said Bell is pushing to "meet the higher standards, and higher costs, of computerizing the network" and offering special services such as "Picturephone."

White seeks disaster aid

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. approve disaster aid for several counties that suffered weather damage to crops and livestock.

Mark White on Tuesday Kent, Comanche, Donley freeze damage; Swisher asked federal officials to and Fisher counties have and Randall counties, been hurt by a prolonged drought.

He also asked for help for damage.

White said San Saba, Floyd County, drought and drought, hail and freeze damage; and Taylor County, drought and tornado





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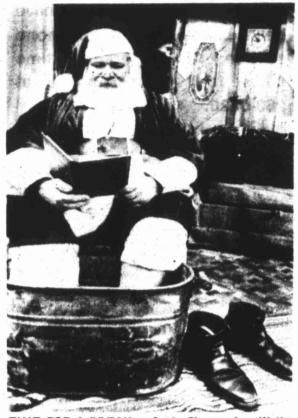
The dance will be Dora Roberts Com Center from 9 p. a.m. Tickets are \$ can be bought sorority member.

Debbie Wa presented a prog the ''Origi Christmas". Secre exchanged gifts.

The next meeting



Lifestyle



TIME FOR A BREAK - Santa Claus, a.k.a. Walter Lilistrand of Worcester, Mass., soaks his feet and enjoys a book after a long day in his role as St. Nick. The 54-year-old father of eight has entertained children and adults alike for more than 30 holiday seasons.

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Mother confused by opinions

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We took her to an ear specialist, who tested her. He explained that when she gets a cold her adenoids swell up and fluid in the ears dosn't drain out, resulting in the ear infections.

After he gave us medicine for the infection, we waited and brought her back. She still had fluid. He wanted to remove her adenoids. We sought a second opinion from another doctor. He said basically the same thing, but he only wanted to insert tubes in her ears.

We are very confused. I earlier. Removal should don't know what to do. unblock those tubes, of What do you suggest? Will course, although in some she outgrow this? - K.B. Let me explain her condi-

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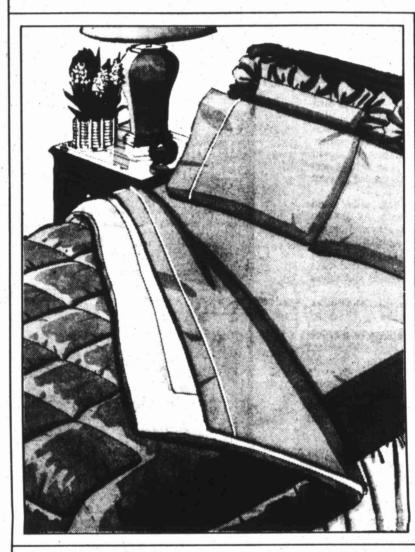
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Elbow **Extension** club elects '84 officers

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Thursday. Officers are Myrl Soles, president, Virginia Roberts, secretary, Sybil Duffer, treasurer, and Zula Rhodes, council delegate. The officers were installed by Addie Hill, the club's first president.

The next meeting will be in the home of Myrl Soles,

Women give gifts at club meeting

Homemade gifts were exchanged during a meeting of the Mary Jane Club in the home of Mrs. Donald McKinney,

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Kirby Brown, Jan. 12.

Mu Zeta Chapter finalizes dance plans

Plans for the annual New Year's Eve dance were discussed at a meeting of Mu Zeta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in home of Rene Eyskens, Dec. 14.

The dance will be held at **Dora Roberts Community** Center from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tickets are \$7.50 and can be bought from a sorority member.

Debbie Walling presented a program on the "Origins of Christmas". Secret sisters exchanged gifts.

The next meeting will be Jan. 9.



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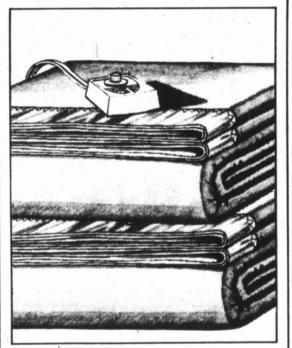
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Pastor spices up message with drama

LAREDO (AP) — When Bob Rowley tells the story of Christmas to his congregation, the pastor literally gets into the act.

Last Sunday, members of the Grace Bible Church heard a man dressed in shepherd's robes vividly recreate the Palestine of 2,000 years ago and a miraculous night in a manger.

This sermon on Christmas was not the first time Rowley had spiced up his scriptural message with drama. About once every two months, the Laredo pastor delivers a "dramatic sermon," a technique he learned as a student at the Dallas Theological Seminary.

"The purpose of dramatic sermon is not to entertain, but to creatively communicate the truth of the Word of God," he explained.

Nevertheless, his sermons do entertain and are lac-

ed with costumes, flair and vivid historic detail. The shepherd, for example, began by describing the place where he worked, the fields surrounding Bethlehem.

He described heards of sacrificial animals grazing in the field and his own flock of sheep, destined for sacrifice in the Jerusalem temple. The shepherd explained that it was customary for people with money to hire musicians to play at a celebration honoring the birth of a son. But when the shepherd visited Joseph and Mary in the manger, they had "no musicians and minstrels to sing."

"Another shepherd told Joseph that his son is honored indeed, for God sent minstrels from heaven and the whole sky is filled with angels celebrating the birth," the shepherd told the congregation. Rowley

said the lively sermons are a way "to put people back in a situation and make them feel what it was like."

He said he reads "all the books I can get my hands on and try to glean all I can about the customs and the people of the day."

Although he normally writes his own sermons, Rowley said the Christmas presentation was written by the chairman of the pastoral ministeries department at the Dallas seminary, John Reed.

But Rowley did write the last dramatic sermon he delivered on the book of Philipians. "I portrayed Paul under house arrest in Rome as he is dictating the letter," said Rowley. "It was just another way to be creative in the pulpit and make the scripture come alive."

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Omaha battles record winter temperatures

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Gravediggers resorted to using jackhammers Tuesday to cut turf frozen by the cold that set a record at 18 below zero for the date in Omaha.

This Great Plains city is heading toward a record December cold and several days of below-zero weather was being felt more and more.

— La Vonne Cox could not get her car moving, but not because of a dead battery but because a drain pipe at her apartment building burst and the water dripped over her car, coating it with ice.

The Cornhusker Motor Club of the American Automobile Association has answered 500 to 600 calls a day from motorists who can't get their engines to turn over.

— The bitter cold was expected to bring a substantial increase in home heating costs for December. Metropolitan Utilities District spokesman David Barber said: "We're estimating they'll be 30 to 35 percent over last year. We're sending out a record amount of natural gas."

"We're booked up all day with heat calls," said Mary Masonbrink, a dispatcher with Ak-Sar-Ben Heating and Air Conditioning. "Our servicemen got maybe three hours of sleep. A lot of people calling have no heat. Furnaces don't seem to be functioning."
The Omaha Fire Department responded to a

— The Omaha Fire Department responded to a number of calls caused when automatic sprinklers froze, Assistant Chief Don Dougherty said.

The cold wave may make this the coldest December in Omaha's history.

After tying its record low for the date of 9 below Saturday, the city has rewritten the book with record lows of 18 below Sunday, 16 below Monday and 18 below Tuesday.

Herb Hansen of the National Weather Service in

Omaha said the average temperature for the month through Monday was 13.2 above, well below the normal reading of 27.8.

If the cold continues — as forecasters expect — the city could break its December temperature average of 15.6 set in 1919, Hansen said.

The cold spell is the latest development in Omaha's eventful weather year. A couple inches of snow fell last week to break the city's all-time snowfall record for a calendar year, 62.8 inches set in 1948. Nine inches of snow remained on the ground, the legacy of a Thanksgiving weekend blizzard.

While that storm nearly stopped traffic for a day or so, the cold has not had as great an effect, AAA spokeswoman Rose White said.

"It seems people are still traveling," she said. "The biggest problem is people who can't get their cars started."

Gravediggers at Hillcrest Memorial Park used a jackhammer to dig a grave, superintendent Hans Bross said, but he noted that the ground was frozen only to about one foot, not as deep as in past years.

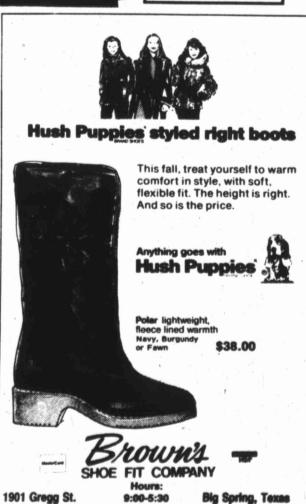
"So far we've been fortunate," he said. "The snow and ice came before the cold weather, so it's kind of insulated the ground."



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Seven Redskins selected for AP honor squad

NFL All-Pro Team

Two Cowboys, Giants make starting lineup

NEW YORK (AP) - The Washington Redskins, the defending Super Bowl champions and owners of the National Football League's best record this year, placed seven players on the 1983 All-Pro team announced today by The Associated Press.

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The seven, all on the first team. are quarterback Joe Theismann, running back John Riggins, offensive guard Russ Grimm, offensive tackle Joe Jacoby, defensive tackle Dave Butz, free safety Mark Murphy and kick-returner Mike Nelms.

Complete All-Pro listing can be found on page 2-B.

Theismann threw 29 touchdown passes and only 11 interceptions. Riggins finished fifth in rushing with 1,347 yards and a leagueleading 24 rushing touchdowns, a

A year ago, when the Redskins posted the National Conference's best record (8-1 in the strikeshortened season) en route to Super Bowl XVII, they placed only one player on the All-Pro first team - place-kicker Mark Moseley. This year, Moseley was beaten out by rookie Ali Haji-Sheikh of the New York Giants, the first-team selection, and



...Cowboys' tackle

second-team choice Gary Anderson of the Pittsburgh Steelers.

The only other rookie on the All-Pro first team is the NFL's rushing champion, Eric Dickerson of the Los Angeles Rams, who gained a rookie-record 1,808 yards and scored 20 touchdowns, 18 rushing. Two other rookies were second-team selections - quarterback Dan Marino of the Miami Dolphins and running back Curt Warner of the Seattle Seahawks. Marino had 20 TD passes and six interceptions and Warner rushed for 1,449 yards and 13 TDs.

Despite the presence of the seven Redskins, the National Conference wound up with only a 14-12 edge over the American Conference on the All-Pro first team. New York and Dallas were the only other teams with more than one player on the first team - outside linebacker Lawrence Taylor of the Giants joining Haji-Sheikh and defensive tackle Randy White and cornerback Everson Walls the two Cowboys.

Three AFC teams placed two players each on the first team the Cincinnati Bengals (offensive tackle Anthony Munoz and cornerback Ken Riley), the Miami Dolphins (defensive end Doug Betters and nose tackle Bob Baumhower) and the Pittsburgh Steelers (center Mike Webster and middle linebacker Jack Lambert).

Also on the first team are wide receivers Mike Quick of the Philadelphia Eagles and Roy Green of the St. Louis Cardinals, tight end Todd Christensen of the Los Angeles Raiders, guard John Hannah of the New England Patriots, defensive end Mark Gastineau of the New York Jets, outside linebacker Chip Banks of the Cleveland Browns, strong safety Kenny Easley of the Seattle Seahawks and punter Rohn Stark of the Baltimore Colts.



WASHINGTON'S JOE THEISMANN ...guides Redskins to 14-2 record

League's MVP award given to Theismann

WASHINGTON (AP) - Joe Theismann, honored as the Associated Press National Football League Player of the Year was more surprised by the award than his Washington Redskin teammates.

"There's no way you could pick anybody else after the year he has had," said linebacker Rich

"If he didn't win it they should pack up the award and put it away because it wouldn't mean a thing. Nobody has meant more to a team than Joe to us." center Jeff Bostic said of the award announced Tuesday

"I'd hoped for it — but since 1979, I've never counted anything until I had it in hand," said Theismann, remembering the hurt from being left off the Pro Bowl team despite leading the National Conference in passing.

Theismann, the triggerman of the most potent offense in National Football League history, completed 276 of 459 passes, 29 for touchdowns, for 3,714 yards this season. He was intercepted just 11 times. Rushing, he averaged 6.3 yards an attempt, gaining 234 yards on 37 carries.

Last week's 31-22 victory over the Giants, which clinched the division title for the Redskins saw Theismann run for one score and throw for a second as the Redskins overcame a 19-7 deficit.

"When he comes into the huddle the first thing you see is the concentration on his face and the confidence in his voice," says Redskin tight end Clint

(See 'Theismann' on page 2-B)

Argovitz says Sims will play USFL ball

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston Gamblers co-owner Jerry Argovitz is so certain Detroit Lion running back Billy Sims is going to play with his new United States Football League team, he's willing to give ticket refunds if the Heisman Trophy winner is not in the lineup for Houston's first game in February.

'If Billy Sims is not a Houston Gambler when we kick the ball this season in our first game, anybody who buys a season ticket in the city of Houston, I'll per-sonally refund the entire money for a season ticket," Argovitz said at a Houston news conference Tuesday. "And if they keep their season ticket, I'll give them a

The Gamblers so far have sold about 5,000 season

Sims has acknowledged signing a contract with Argovitz and the Gamblers on July 1. He also signed a contract with the Lions on Friday, contending the deal with Houston was invalid because Argovitz, his former agent, misled him by not disclosing a previous Lion

"I guess desperate people do desperate things," Argovitz said of the Lions efforts to sign Sims.

Argovitz, a Houston dentist who gained fame as an agent for athletes and now one of four owners of the new Houston USFL franchise, said he tried to show Sims a July 11 Detroit contract offer — the one the Lions contend he withheld. But Sims declined. "He never wanted to see their proposal," Argovitz said.

In addition, Bernard Lerner, Gamblers' chief executive officer, showed a copy of a document, dated Nov. 12 and signed by Sims, in which the former Oklahoma running back indicated Argovitz was not engaged in a conflict of interest in his role as Sims' agent and a Gambler owner.

"His ownership interest in the team ... did not

Oilers courting Moon's talents

HOUSTON (P) - Free agent quarterback Warren Moon is trying to decide which pro football team will make him an instant millionaire.

The possibilities include the Houston Oilers, with whom Moon met Tuesday, and the New Orleans Saints, with whom he planned to visit today.

Moon, who led Edmonton to five straight Grey Cup championships in the Canadian Football League, assumes his contract will be sizable, so his main concerns are the amenities. He's interested in how he would

deal with the head coach, the lifestyle he would bring his family opportunities. We've talked with the Oilers and money would not be a problem,'

fit in with the team, how he would

said Leigh Steinberg, Moon's agent. "He has a chance to sign the biggest contract ever for a pro football player.

Moon's asking price is believed to be about \$1 million per year. He thinks he's capable of earning his salary and handling the accompanying pressure.

"When a guy signs a big contract, people expect a lot from you but I have a lot of confidence in my abilities," Moon said. "I think I can add a dimension that teams don't have. I do a lot of things on the



WARREN MOON next NFL millionaire?

"That's the way pro football is going now. Quarterbacks need that mobility

Moon led Edmonton in passing and rushing last season when the Eskimos reached the championship semifinals. Moon completed 380 of 664 passes for 5,648 yards and was named the league's most valuable player last season.

Neither the Oiler quarterback position nor the head coaching job

has been stable.

The Oilers struggled to a 2-14 record this season using three quarterbacks - Gifford Nielsen,

Archie Manning and finishing with second-year quarterback Oliver Luck.

Interim Coach Chuck Studley resigned Monday after posting a 2-8 record as a replacement for Ed Biles, who resigned Oct. 10.

"I told them (the Oilers) that was one of my concerns," Moon said. "I told them I'd like to know who the coach would be before I make a decision.

Los Angeles Express Coach Hugh Campbell, Moon's former coach at Edmonton, is believed to be the leading contender for the Oilers'

head coaching position. "I would certainly recommend him because he is a player-type coach," Moon said. "He doesn't put pressure on the players. He's easy going. He picks guys that have good character.

"That's why we won in Edmonton. He might not always take the greatest athlete but they had character and we were a cohesive unit.

Moon said he was not concerned about the Oilers' numerous coaching changes.

"I know the Oilers are looking for stability, and they will give the next guy a chance to turn the team around," Moon said. "You look at their next few drafts and they've got a lot of picks, so I see the Oilers on the upswing in the next few years.

Stalle

FEW MOMENTS OF ACTION — Kentucky guard Roger Harden (23) plays close defense on Cincinnati ballhandler Doug Keeman (22) during the second of their game Tuesday night in Cincinnati. The No. 2 Wildcats won, 24-11.

Cincy's slowdown tactics pace Kentucky's 24-11 win

By The Associated Press By halftime, the second-ranked Kentucky Wildcats had scored just 11 points. In fact, their leading scorers, Sam Bowie and Mel Turpin, each finished the game with just six points apiece. Still, it was enough as visiting Ken-

plus a \$1 million signing bonus.

GAMBLERS' JERRY ARGOVITZ

...tickets refunded if Sims isn't in Houston

detract from your desire that he be your agent in con-

nection with this contract," Lerner said, reading from

the document he said was signed by Sims the weekend

the Lions were in Houston to play the NFL Houston

Sims' deal with Gamblers would pay him \$3.5 million

over five years, including a \$1 million signing bonus -

and \$200,000 of that already in Sims' pocket, Argovitz

The Detroit deal is put at \$5 million over five years,

tucky overcame Cincinnati's stalling tactics for a bizarre 24-11 college basketball victory Tuesday night. "I feel sorry for the Kentucky fans

who spent money and came all the way up here," said a disgusted Joe B. Hall. coach of the 6-0 Wildcats. "I know the players don't enjoy playing slowdown and you don't enjoy watching it."
Hall even went a little further.

"The main thing I have on my mind is the length of our contract (with Cincinnati)," Hall said. "I don't like having a team on the schedule that's going to play that kind of a game. Hall said that once he got back home

to Lexington, he would check the contract between the two teams.

Across the way, Cincinnati Coach Tony Yates was rather pleased with the effort by his 1-7 Bearcats, who were 19-point underdogs.

"This is the only way we could play them," he said. "I'm so proud of the control our players had." Kentucky, which played along with Cincinnati's stall, led 11-7 at halftime. fark Dorris scored five of the Bearcat points in the opening half.
Said Hall, "The options were ours and we chose to play their way.

"I don't understand totally what it means and I don't understand why they play that way," he said.

The second half featured more of the

same as Cincinnati held the ball for nearly five minutes and then lost it on a turnover. Then, Bowie scored a basket to make it 13-7 before Mark Dale and Tony Wilson each scored for the Bearcats, pulling them within two points.

Cincinnati, however, did not score again in the game as Kentucky ran off the final 11 points before 16,351 fans.

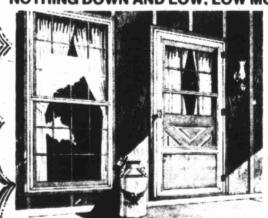
"There is no way we could run, shoot and pass if we played them conventionally," Yates said. "We wanted to move the ball and be patient and take a

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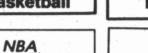
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SAN ANTONIO (106) Jones 2-3 1-6 5, Mitchell 6-25 2-2 14, Gilmore 7-1 3-5 17, Gervin 20-33 3-7 43, Moore 3-13 3-4 9, Banks 4-9 2-4 10, Lucas 3-10 1-2 7, Roberts 0-1 0-0 0, McNamara 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 45-104 16-32

McNamara 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 45-104 16-32 106.

WASHINGTON (108)
Ballard 4-12 2-2 10, Ruland 11-24 6-9 28, Mahorn 2-5 1-2 5, Johnson 7-12 1-2 15, Sobers 10-15 3-4 23, Kopicki 3-7 1-2 7, Malone 2-9 0-0 4, Daye 4-7 0-3 8, Days 6-2-2 8. Totals 46-97 16-26 108.

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Washington 27 22 28 25 6—196
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Washington 50 (Ruland 16). Assists
San Antonio 19 (Moore, Lucas 7),
Washington 27 (Ballard, Johnson 6).
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Pistons 116 Mavericks 104

DALLAS (104)
Aguirre 13-26 8-10 34, Garnett 0-2 0-9
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0-0 12, Davis 3-6 3-3 9, Vincent 5-16-10
16, Turner 2-3 0-0 4, Ellis 3-5 2-2 8, Nimphius 3-3 3-4 9, Harper 2-6 0-0 4, West 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-79 24-31 104.

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Detroit 27 23 37 28—116
Three-point out— None. Rebounds—Dallas 37 (Aguirre, Ellis 6), Detroit (Laimbeer 12). Assists—Dallas 26 (Davis 10), Detroit 27 (Johnson 10) Total fouls—Dallas 18, Detroit 30. Technicals—Dallas Coach Motta.

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transactions

BASEBALL American League
CALIFORNIA ANGELS—Traded
Bobby Clark, offielder, to the
Milwaukee Brewers in exchange for
Jim Slaton, pitcher.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Signed Lloyd Moseby, outfielder, to a five-year contract.

year contract.

National League
HOUSTON ASTROS—Signed Denny
Walling, outfielder-first baseman, to a
tree-year contract.
MONTREAL EXPOS—Acquired
The Burker pitcher from the New

Tim Burke, pitcher, from the New York Yankees in exchange for Pat

Rooney, outfielder.

NEW YORK METS—Named Mike

NEW YORK MEIS—Named miner cubbage manager of their Lynchburg farm club in the Carolina League and Sam Perlozzo manager of their Jackson team in the Texas League. Signed a two-year continuation of their

Signed a two-year continuation of their working agreement with Lynchburg.

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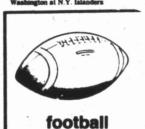
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NFL

NEW YORK (AP) — The Associated Press All-Pro team or the 1983 Na-tional Football League season: FIRST TEAM

Tight End Todd Christensen, Los Angeles

Tackle John Hannah, New England

Center
Mike Webster, Pittsburgh Steelers.
Quarterback Joe Theismann, Washington

Running Back
Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams
John Riggins, Washington Redskins.

DEFENSE End
Doug Betters, Miami Dolphins;
Mark Gastineau, New York Jets.
Tackles
Randy White, Dallas Cowboys;
Dave Butz, Washington Redskins.
Nose Tackle
Bob Baumhower, Miami Dolphins.
Outside Liebacker

Outside Linebacker
Lawrence Taylor, New York Giants;
Chip Banks, Cleveland Browns. Inside Linebacker
Jack Lambert, Pittsburgh Steelers.
Strang Safety
Kenny Easley, Seattle Seahawks.
Free Safety
Mark Murphy, Washington

Corporback
Everson Walls, Dallas Cowboys;
Ken Riley, Cincinnati Bengals.
SPECIALISTS

Ali Haji-Sheith, New York Giants.

Punter
Rohn Stark, Baltimore Colts.

Kick-returner
Mike Nelms, Washington Redskins. SECOND TEAM

OFFENSE

Tight End Tackle Mike Kenn, Atlanta Falcons; later, Los Angeles Rams.
Guard
Ed Newman, Miami Dolpi Dwight Stephenson, Miami

Quarterback
Dan Marino, Miami Dolphins
Running Back
Curt Warner, Seattle Seal
Tony Dorsett, Dallas Cowboys.

DEFENSE Howie Long, Los Angeles Raiders; Ed Jones, Dallas Cowboys. Tackles Doug English, Detroit Lions; Joe Klecko, New York Jets.

Outside Linebacker Rod Martin, Los Angeles Raiders; lugh Green, Tampa Bay Buccaneers Instile Linebacker Randy Gradishar, Denver Broncos. Strong Safety
Vann McElroy, Los Angeles

Pree Safety
Deron Cherry, Rannas City Chiefs.
Cornerback
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powder.
Ski Cooper — 46 depth., 6 new;
powder, packed powder.
Copper Mountain — 58 depth; 6 new;
powder, packed powder.
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powder, packed powder.
Cuchara Valley — Open, no report.
Eldora — 31 depth, 1 new; packed
powder.

Ski Estes Park — 40 depth; 5 new;

powder, packed powder. Geneva Basin — Opens Dec. 23. Ski Idlewild — 42 depth; 2 new;

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powder, packed powder.
Loveland Valley — 54 depth; 6 new;

powder, packed powder.

Monarch — 68 depth; 5 new;
powder, packed powder.

Pikes Peak — Opening date

Powderhorn - 45 depth; 15 new;

powder.
Purgatory — 55 depth; 10 new;
powder, packed powder.
St. Mary's Glacier — Opens Dec. 24.
Ski San Isabel — 30 depth; 6 new;

received. SilverCreek - 41 depth; 4 new;

powder, packed powder. Snowmass — 49 depth; 14 new;

Steamboat - 69 depth; 18 new;

Steamboat — 69 depth; 10 new, powder, packed powder. Sunlight — 41 depth; 6 new; powder, packed powder. Telluride — 72 depth; 8 new;

powder, packed powder. Vail — 53 depth; 9 new; powder.

Open, no report

LANDOVER, Md (AP) - With the game on the line, the San Antonio Spurs went for broke

Instead of trying to set up the red-hot George Gervin, who already had 43 points, the Spurs opted for a threepoint attempt by Johnny Moore with two seconds left in

Moore missed and the Washington Bullets won their fourth in a row, a 108-106 victory over the Spurs in a National Basketball Association game Tuesday night.

By winning for the seventh time in nine outings, the Bullets moved into fourth place in the Atlantic Division. San Antonio, 1-13 on the road, dropped into the Midwest Division basement.

Gervin, whose streak of 406 double-digit scoring games was snapped in his last outing, hit 20 of 33 field goal attempts. He had 28 points by halftime after sinking 11 in a row during one stretch.

NBA Roundup

Pistons 116, Mavericks 104

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) —Thirty personal fouls forced Detroit to dig deep into its bench, but guard Vinnie Johnson said the foul trouble actually helped the

'Chuck (Daly, the first-year Detroit coach) hasn't had a chance to see us play in that situation before,' Johnson said Tuesday night after the Pistons' 116-104 National Basketball Association victory over the Dallas Mavericks. "He got the chance to see us come off the bench, to see what we've done in the past."

Johnson, pressed into duty when Detroit guard Isiah Thomas was called for his fourth foul early in the third period, scored 12 of his 16 points in that quarter. John Long led Detroit, 12-13, with 27 points, while Bill

AP All-Pro Team

Theismann honored again

(Continued from page 1-B)

"Joe has more experience than most quarterbacks. There is nothing a team can show him that he hasn't seen before," adds Bostic.

Starting each game, Theismann piloted the defending Super Bowl champions to a 14-2 record this season, tops in the league. The Redskins' 541 points scored is a new league standard, wiping out the previous mark of 513 set by Houston in 1961.

Driven by a need to excel, says Theismann believes the best is yet to come. "I know I can still play better football and I know this team can still get better," he vowed last week.

The overwhelming choice of a nationwide panel of sports writers and sports broadcasters voting for MVP. Theismann received 58 of the 84 votes cast. Eric Dickerson, the Los Angeles Rams' rookie running back and NFL rushing champion, was a distant second with 18 votes.

Miami Dolphins' rookie quarterback Dan Marino received three votes. Two went to Redskins running back John Riggins while quarterbacks Joe Montana of the San Francisco 49ers and Lynn Dickey of the Green Bay Packers and defensive tackle Randy White of the Dallas Cowboys received one vote

Admittedly unhappy with Redskin owner Jack Kent Cooke's refusal to renegotiate a \$2 million. four-year pact he inked last year, Theismann's play never reflected his uncertain status with the team.

"It's always been in the back of my mind," said the Notre Dame All-Americab, who admits to dreaming of another Super Bowl and reaping the awards of a successful season. "I see myself packing a truck with awards and trophies and backing it up to Cooke's house and unloading it. That should teach him about waiting until after the season to



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Y swim schedule listed

During the Christmas break, the youth swim schedule at the YMCA will be weekdays only from 1-2:30 p.m. with a lifeguard on duty. A special Christmas fee of 50 cents per day has been set for non-YMCA swimmers.

Men's industrial basketball now signing up at YMCA

Registration for the men's industrial recreation basketball league is underway at the Big Spring

Team rosters, limited to 12 players, will be made up of Big Spring area residents. The league is limited to the first eight teams registered.

Team representative meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. Jan. 22 at the Y.

There will also be men's power volleyball and coed recreational volleyball.

Sidewinders collect awards

The Sidewinders, the YMCA gymnastics team, competed Saturday in Abilene and collected the following honors:

Class three division— Kasandra Keyes, first in the beam, second in floor and fourth in vault; Nikki Anderson, sixth in beam, fifth in floor and sixth in vault competitions.

Class four division — Belinda Grisham, second in bars, fourth in floor and third place all around; Cheri Myricks, fourth in bars, second in vault, third in floor and fourth place all-around; Sherry Marlow, third in bars, fourth in vault, second in floor and a second place tie in the all-around; Paula Morris, first place in the vault and a fifth place tie in the all-around; Pam Pearson, a tie with Morris in the all-around.

9-11 age division — Kristy Coots, second in bars and vault and third place all-around; Erwin Roberts, fifth in vault; Monica Martin, sixth in

8-and-under division — Beckie Tedesco, third in bars and beams, sixth in the vault, first in floor and third place all-around; Kendra Carey placed fourth in the beam, fifth in the vault and second in the floor; Kim Middleton placed second in the beam and third in the floor competitions.

Howard Co. boxers grab team trophy in Sweetwater

SWEETWATER - The Howard County BoxingClub took the team championship at a tournament here this past weekend.

Pete Chavarria, Jamie Baldwin and Martin Baldwin all decisioned their opponents for wins. Juan Baldwin won by default.

The team's next scheduled match will be in San Angelo Jan. 9 before preparation beings for the Golden Gloves to be held in Odessa during the latter part of January.

Coahoma, Stanton split 2

STANTON — Coahoma and Stanton split wins in Tuesday night in area basketball action.

The Stanton girls placed three players in double figures as they downed Coahoma 51-44. Dawna West led Stanton with 14 points while Melissa Paige paced Coahoma (6-6) with 16.

Robbie Phernetton scored a season-high 30 points, including 18 in the first half as the Coahoma boys (6-5) defeated Stanton 77-65.

Stanton was paced by Darren Sorley and Mark Gonzales who scored 21 and 20 respectively. Coahoma will participate in the Jayton tournament Dec. 29.

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Stanton (51) — Pam Garcia 2 7 11; Cathy Scurlark 4 0 8; Sylvia Hernandez 1 0 2; Ruth Jones 5 0 10; Jonetta Jones 3 0 6; Dawna West 6 2 14; Coahoma (44) — Jana Griffin 2 0 4; Melissa Paige 8 0 16; Denise Green-field 6 1 13; Brandy Kloss 2 0 4; Shanna Fowler 2 1 5; Totals 21 2 44 Halftime — Stanton 32, Coahoma 28 JV Girls — Stanton 23, Coahoma 15

Coahoma (77) — John Swinney 9 0 18; Robbie Phernetton 10 10 30; James Sanders 7 16; Donald Ewing 4 0 8; Carie Jones 6 1 1; Totals 32 12 77 Stanton (65) — Darren Hagan 40 8; Darren Sorley 8 3 21; Mark Gonzales 9 2 20; Jerry Anderson 7 0 14; Kevin Glaspie 2 0 4; Totals 30 5 65 Halftime — Coahoma 41 Stanton 31 Halftime — Coahoma 41, Stanton 31 JV Boys — Coahoma 48, Stanton 43

Gibbs picked Coach of Year

WASHINGTON (AP) -Joe Gibbs, who guided the defending Super Bowl champion Washington Redskins to a National Football League best 14-2 record in 1983, was named The Associated Press Coach of the Year for the second straight year.

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Cowboys hurting for wild card game

DALLAS (AP) - Starting right guard Kurt Petersen is questionable for the Dallas Cowboys' wild card playoff game Monday with the Los Angeles Rams because of a severely bruised right arm, the Cowboys said Tuesday. Rookie linebacker Mike Walter

was listed as doubtful with a sprained ankle.

LONDON (AP) — The money Bob

Hope received from a British pro-am charity golf tournament which

carres his name was only for ex-

and taking care of them and their

"When you're bringing stars over

penses, the comedian says.

Eleven other frontline Dallas players were listed as ailing with various injuries, but were probable for the game.

Linebacker Bob Bruenig has a broken hand; tight end Doug Cosbie a bruised chest; tackle Pat Donovan a sprained knee; defensive tackle John Dutton a back spasm; cornerback Ron Fellows a

knee; wide receiver Butch Johnson

Bruce Huther a jammed neck.

Hope says golf proceeds went for expenses

fares, it's a hell of a lot of expense there," Hope told the British Broadcasting Corp. in a telephone interview. "But that's what makes the whole thing glamorous and something that people want to

bruised shoulder; and cornerback Ron Hill a bruised knee. Wide receiver Tony Hill has a

sprained ankle and an irritated a bruised finger, sore knee and sore shoulder; Robert Newhouse a bruised hand; guard Howard Richards a strained neck; and linebacker

The British press had quoted organizers of the event, which went bankrupt last month, as telling creditors that Hope received \$125,000 in fees and \$75,000 in expenses for the Bob Hope British Classic.



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Locke said some factory representatives at Chicago's huge Merchandise Mart, with its hundreds

of wholesale showrooms, will not sell furniture off the floor this time of year. If they have the same thing ready to go at their factories, Locke will arrange to have it picked up.

The order came from Hassanal Bolkiah, 37-year-old sultan of Brunei, an oil-rich strip covering 2,226 square miles on the northern coast of Borneo in the South

Dan Stewart and Sandra Anderson of the international designing firm of Dale Kellor and Associates know the type of furnishings needed and follow a specified concept of taste and quality. They accompany Ms. Menguito and Locke on their rounds from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. six days a week.

The \$350 million palace is one-third of a mile long with two gold domes and banquet seating for 4,000. It must be ready for occupancy before the Feb. 22 independence day celebration. The furniture must be there by the end of the year.

"Actually, we've been buying furnishings of all types, including kitchen equipment, for the sultan for the last year. We spent \$12 million before we got this new \$1.6 million order, which mainly is for furniture,"

Ms. Menguito said the sultan prefers "clean, contemporary" furnishings and does not object to a

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'Hobson's Choice' is worthwhile pick

NEW YORK (AP) - "Hobson's Choice," tonight's made-for-television movie on CBS, could have been called "Aesop's Choice." It's a droll, amiable fable that champions the rights of turn-of-the-century American underdogs, meaning anybody who wasn't male, white and well-off from birth.

Henry Hobson, played to a grouchy turn by the delightful Jack Warden, runs his fashionable shoe shop from the corner saloon, leaving his responsible, yet matronly, daughter, Maggie (Sharon Gless), to handle the business. While she's the brains behind the operation, Will Mossop (Richard Thomas) is the brawn.

Will is a shoemaker working in the shop's dank basement, and his creations are works of art, according to one regular customer, played by Lillian Gish. Will and Maggie differ in status and upbringing, but

Maggie respects Will for the strength of his character and pride in his work. As is her style, she doesn't just pursue him in marriage, she demands it, shocking her class-conscious father who deems it his right to choose partners for his daughters.

The fact that this crotchety cheapskate won't provide doweries for his daughters subverts the marriage plans of Vickey and Alice, Henry's giggly, lazy and less-sufficient younger daughters.

Maggie, the feminist of her day, is interested in Will for pragmatic and romantic reasons. Through Will, she hopes to establish a rival shoe shop, providing her the leverage to outwit her father and gain control of her dreams and the destinies of her sisters

Based on the 1916 English play by Harold Brighouse, which has had other incarnations as a 1954 David Lean film and the 1966 Broadway musical, "Walking Happy," the CBS version of "Hobson's Choice" is given a fresh outlook by its original setting: 1914 New Orleans.

This allows the play's message of a society perverted by rigid class structures to interact with such American traditions as the work ethic and Horatio Alger. Although a bit dated and dry in spots, the result is a whimsical tale that won't be mistaken for today's ever-popular action-adventure genre.

Instead of bullets for punctuation, "Hobson's Choice" relies on barbs and banter, using needles to poke fun at the the square edges of the characters and the old-fashioned conventions and castes of the times.

For example: One of Henry's daughters glowingly describes her suitor as a "well-respected lawyer." but Henry says he can't be both.

Warden, who starred recently with Paul Newman in "The Verdict," brings sparks to this irascible character. Looking toward the heavens after being chided by Maggie for his boozing, Henry says 'Sometimes I can close my eyes, and it's as if mother never died."

Henry's doctor says drinking his meals is killing him, advising "no more alcohol." To which Henry says, "No more, no less."

Miss Gless, her hair pinned back and her manner upright and rigid, is a worthy rival for Warden. The star of CBS' soon-to be-resurrected "Cagney & Lacey" gives Maggie a stoic front that underscores her competence in a male-dominated society and keeps her romanticism and passion chomping beneath the

To Miss Gless' credit, it doesn't come off as toodeadly corny when Maggie says to Will: "This is America, and we're entitled to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Even though "Hobson's Choice" was filmed entirely on location in New Orleans, it looks more like a play than a movie. Most scenes are shot in close-quartered rooms and the characters seem to be making pro-

nouncements rather than conversing.

All of which occasionally makes this living-room comedy a bit stilted, but that may be because television doesn't regularly stress dialogue and nuance over flash and action.

So stay with it. As a parable about the comparative value of birthright status vs. hard work and character, "Hobson's Choice" is a cute, offbeat evening's entertainment.

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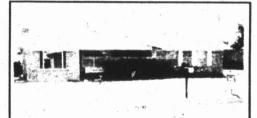
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Texas citrus sales are sunny

HARLINGEN, Texas (AP) - The cost of sending those luscious ruby red grapefruit and other Texas citrus to snowbound friends this Christmas is about the same as last year thanks to excellent weather and overhead expenses that have remained stable. The 30 major packers of gift fruit in the Rio Grande

Valley have had three years in which the costs of postage, truck transportation and labor have remained about the same, said Bill Weeks of the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Association. Stable overhead and favorable amounts of rain and

moderate temperatures in the tropical southern tip of Texas mean production of oranges and grapefruit equals that of 1980, a year that saw the highest production of citrus since 1947. Leslie Whitlock of the Texas Valley Citrus Commis-

sion said this year's crop to be harvested between October and March will yield about 11.5 million 80-pound boxes of fruit. Only about 5 percent of the crop will find its way

under Christmas trees, however. The rest will be exported, sold commercially or processed for juice and other products. Not only is the quantity of fruit produced this year

expected to be great, but "the grapefruit are an especially nice quality this year," Whitlock said. Although Florida and California produce more citrus

than Texas, California is on a different growing cycle and does not market at Christmas. "You'd be surprised how many gift boxes we sell to

Derelicts attack gift giver

NEW YORK (AP) - A crowd of derelicts in the Bowery attacked a retired man as he handed out \$2,000 as a Christmas gesture, but he wasn't hurt and even re-

tained his Yuletide spirit. Anthony Votta, 64, a retired truck driver from Brooklyn, said he was at a church prayer session for his blind son when it occurred to him to hand out \$2,000 to the needy in envelopes of \$10 each.

But the 100 men who showed up outside the Salvation Army on Tuesday pushed him and grabbed at his pockets and the envelopes.

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California," Weeks said. Florida leads Texas in holiday sales, but in the middle of December, with workers scurrying to get the fruit to the north on time, no one seems to notice that the Valley is in second place. "The gift citrus business certainly dominates the in-

dustry down here throughout the month of December,' said Weeks, who estimated that sales last Christmas totaled about \$25 million. Weeks said the gift fruit industry has been growing

at a steady rate of 5 percent a year for the past decade. This year should see about the same percentage increase over 1982. The first commercial shipment of fruit was made in

1919 from the "Miracle Valley," where irrigation and land clearing transformed brush and grasslands into verdant citrus groves. Most of the gift fruit is sold through mail order, with

colorful brochures being sent in the late summer and early fall to previous buyers and recipients, primarily in the Northeast and Midwest Within the last few years, Valley packagers have followed the lead of the three industry giants — Crest

Fruit Co. of Alamo, Pittman and Davis of Harlingen and Alamo Fruit and Vegetable of McAllen - in computerizing their direct mail lists. The last of the huge, refrigerated tractor-trailer rigs left the Valley bound for points north Dec. 17, Weeks said. After that, packagers cannot guarantee delivery

by Christmas. But, he said, for those who missed ordering oranges for Christmas, there's always Valen-Car runs into house:

ruins woman's holiday

IRVING, Texas (AP) - For the fourth time in recent years, a vehicle has invaded Eleanor Goolsby's house, this time taking out a wall and smashing the Christmas tree and the family's gifts.

Mrs. Goolsby says it will not be a nice Christmas. Last year, Eleanor Reese, Mrs. Goolsby's 89-year-old mother, was hospitalized at Christmas. The year before that, Mrs. Goolsby was laid off by

"This was going to be a dual Christmas," said Mrs. Goolsby, who lives with her mother and two daughters, Zina and Sissey. "We were going to celebrate my mother's health and my return to Braniff.

But Mrs. Reese suffered a heart attack hours after the latest vehicle crashed into the house. She's at home in stable condition, but her doctor says she might have to be hospitalized again before Christmas.

Zina Goolsby said the family has told out-of-town kinfolks to cancel their plans to visit over the

"Christmas is going to be bleak. We are not going to have a nice Christmas. We can't have a nice Christmas. We had to tell them (relatives) to forget it. I'm afraid to have overnight company," she said. We can't guarantee their safety.

The house sits on the corner of a four-way stop, and the family fears it will be hit again. On Dec. 13, a pickup truck crashed through the house and into the den. The impact opened a floorto-ceiling hole in the corner of the brick house.

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Economy continues to make comeback

ticipating today's upbeat reports on inflation and economic growth, says there is good reason for "confidence in the air" as Christmas shoppers flock to

Indeed, the government said today that retail prices rose just 0.3 percent in November, which led some analysts to predict that inflation for all of 1983 could be at its lowest level since the early 1970s.

In a separate report, economic growth in the stillunfinished fourth quarter was estimated at 4.5 percent, considerably less - but more sustainable - than the 7.6 percent of the previous quarter. For the year, growth was projected at 3.3 percent — a dramatic turnaround from last year's shrinkage of 1.9 percent.

Reagan opened a news conference Tuesday night by heralding 1983 as "a banner year for the American economy" and urging Congress to help rein in government spending to "keep America moving forward."

With such help, Reagan said, "We can make 1984 a year of strong and steady progress for America, continuing economic growth, unemployment coming down and inflation staying under control.

As for today's reports, the Labor Department said that gasoline prices fell 0.8 percent, the largest one-

month drop since March, while food prices rose a tiny 0.1 percent, their smallest gain since July.

For the first 11 months of the year, inflation was run-

ning at a 3.8 percent clip, 0.1 percentage point better than the gain for all of 1962. If the 3.8 percent rate holds through December, the nation would have its slimmest inflation rate since the 3.4 percent of 1971 and 1972. Prices soared 12.4 percent in 1980 and 8.9 percent in

Economists were clearly expecting good news when next month's calculation is released.

One predicted it would be "a pretty darn good number" and another noted that "inflation just never got a toehold this year."

As for economic growth, the Commerce Department said the surge in consumer buying and expanding business inventories accounted for much of the fourth quarter growth in the Gross National Product, the total value of the economy's goods and services.

Analysts called the moderation in growth from the third quarter to the fourth a good sign and said the economy was settling into a phase in which moderate growth could be sustained over the long haul.

Growth was at 2.6 percent in the first quarter as the economy pulled out of the 1981-82 recession and a hot

9.7 percent in the spring before tapering off.
Reagan opened his news conference by noting the
Christmas holiday season and saying, "I'm delighted to see Americans giving each other the best Christmas present possible, a strong economy that will ensure more jobs and opportunities in the months ahead."

He cited a string of upbeat economic reports issued earlier Tuesday and said, "All confirm a welcome fact - 1983 has been a banner year for the American economy.'

Those reports noted that consumer spending rose

faster than did personal income last month.

Reagan said the unemployment rate, which stood at 8.4 percent of the civilian population in November "is still too high" but that "there are more people working in this country today than ever before,

The president, who is working with his budgetmakers to fashion a 1985 spending plan, renewed his call for further congressional restraints on govern-ment spending so "we can justify the people's confidence and keep America moving forward.

Just last Friday, the Labor Department surprised most forecasters and reported that wholesale prices tumbled in November, virtually ensuring that those costs will register their slowest advance in almost two

Indeed, wholesale prices rose at an annual rate of on-

ly 0.3 percent in the first 11 months of the year. The department offered these details of consumer

price changes last month: —Overall energy prices were unchanged. Declines were noted in prices for natural gas, home heating oil and gasoline, but electricity prices shot up sharply. Gasoline prices have plummeted 9.2 percent since their record high of March 1981.

—A sharp increase in poultry prices helped wipe out declines noted for virtually all the other major food

-Overall transportation costs were up 0.2 percent. New car prices were unchanged after substantial increases in the previous three months.

-Medical care costs rose a modest 0.4 percent, matching the rate for the previous two months. Such costs are up 6.6 percent for the year, the biggest increase for any of the major components of the overall price

Prices over the last 12 months have risen only 3.2

The new ombudsman also will deal with

Zagoria, 64, worked as a reporter for

the Post from 1946 to 1954. He is a former

administrative assistant to the late Sen.

Clifford P. Case, R-N.J., and was a

member of the National Labor Relations

Board from 1965 to 1969 when he became a

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reader complaints, but Bradlee said, "I

don't want him to become the complaint

Paper hires ombudsman

Washington Post has appointed Sam Zagoria, a member of the Consumer Pro-

duct Safety Commission, as its new om-

budsmn to act as independent monitor of

Zagoria, a member of the consumer

panel since 1978, will be resigning from

the commission about two years before

the end of his term to go to the Post. He is

expected to take over his new job in late

Benjamin C. Bradlee, executive editor

of The Post, said Zagoria "will write

regular memos to editors and reporters

the paper's performance.

January.

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EDINBURG, Texas (AP) - One inmate, four officers and two firefighters suffered effects of smoke inhalation Tuesday night in a minor fire that a Hidalgo County Jail spokesman said was set by the inmate.

Damage to the jail was confined to a burned mattress and minor smoke damage, said J.J. Munoz, chief of detention.

The fire broke out about 7:50 and eight prisoners were evacuated while jail officials used extinguishers and fire hoses to douse the burning mattress, Munoz

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Everything was "back to normal" within an hour, Munoz said. All those taken to the hospital were treated and released, he said.

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on antitrust settlement

WASHINGTON (AP) — A proposed joint venture

between Toyota Motor Corp. and General Motors Corp. could gain conditional approval from the Federal

Trade Commission by Thursday, FTC sources and a

automakers and commission staff of a consent agree-

ment giving the FTC added powers to monitor the joint

out details, Toyota attorney Earl Kintner said Tuesday. The Washington Post reported in today's editions that the two automakers had reluctantly agreed to the

Both automakers are leaning toward signing the consent agreement and are working with FTC staff to iron

R.T. Kingman, director of GM's Washington office,

said the automaker's lawyers were "talking with the

FTC," but declined to specify the nature of the

cars at an idle GM plant in Fremont, Calif.

GM and Toyota want to produce Toyota-designed

Chrysler Corp. issued a statement Tuesday claiming

"The fundamental fact is that the proposed agree-

ment eliminates competition ... between the two

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FTC spokesman Neal Friedman said there was "a

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good chance" the commission would meet Thursday to conditionally accept an agreement and begin the 60-day public comment period that must be called in

that, even with the court consent agreement, the joint

venture "is illegal by anyone's measure of antitrust

production project for possible antitrust violations.

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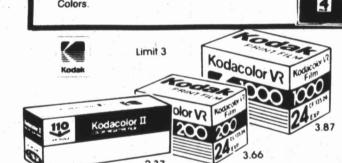
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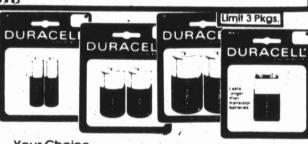
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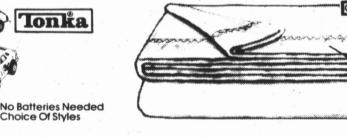
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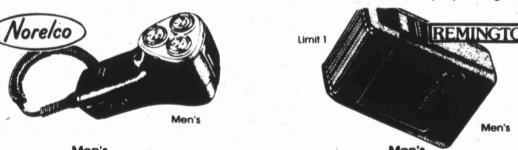


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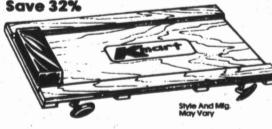
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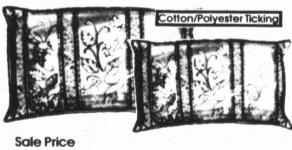
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Life's tough on 83 cents a day

Ruth Howard, like hun- testify when his proposal dreds of thousands of nurs- comes up before the Ways ing home residents on and Means Committee. No welfare, is tired of trying to date has been set. enjoy life on a government

"I'd like to buy a new pair of shoes," says Mrs. Howard, whose one pair of dress shoes is now 13 years others, it means mooching

Mrs. Howard and most nursing home residents dependent on taxpayers for survival get \$25 a month for personal spending the same amount they received in 1972.

The federal government requires that a minimum of \$25 from monthly Social Security or state welfare checks be set aside for nursing home residents for personal use. In most states, minimum means maximum. New York, which gives \$55 a month. and Oklahoma, at \$50 monthly, are exceptions.

Mrs. Howard has decided to do something about it. From her mobile headquarters — a wheelchair that gets her around the Nursing Center of Canton - she has spent the last year gathering 2,100 signatures on a petition seeking to triple the

allowance. She even sent it to Rep. Lane Evans, her local congressman, who has proposed doubling the allowance, to \$50 a month.

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Miss Foster was return-

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Logan International Air-

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Customs inspector found

about a gram of a white

powder in her possession

during a routine spot

said. She was brought

before a Customs supervisor who fined her \$100 and then was released, said Christopher Nelson

special agent in charge of

Nelson emphasized that

Officials were not tipped

"She had approximately

one gram of cocaine. ... I assume it was in her purse ... It's so insignificant an

that she might be carrying

a drug, he said. "It was 100

percent routine."

U.S. Customs.

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Customs officials

Tuesday.

BOSTON (AP) — Ac- amount; it's almost a tress Jodie Foster, fined trace," Nelson said.

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charges.

For Mrs. Howard, cripplallowance of 83 cents a day. ed by severe arthritis, \$25 a month means fretting over what to wear to a granddaughter's wedding. For cigarettes. Still others hope friends or family will buy medicines no longer covered by aid programs and not supplied by the

> "If you want a candy bar, if you want a soda pop, a new dress, cigarettes or anything, it all comes out of that \$25," says Mrs. Howard, who will be 77 on Friday.

> She gathered two-thirds of the petition signatures from her wheelchair by cajoling residents, staff and visitors into signing.

"It took me year," she says. "It got so that everyone who came in, I'd seen them and knew they signed. But when a resident would pass on and we'd get a new one, why there'd be new visitors.'

A friend, a nurse at a mental health center in Peoria, helped by collec- lot of co-sponsors," Evans ting one-third of the said. "It's interesting just signatures, she said. gnatures, she said. how many people are in-Mrs. Howard's husband, terested in this. We plan a a \$10 increase in the benefit lawmaker who concen-

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David Rodman

spokesman for Suffolk

County District Attorney

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Foster fined for possible cocaine possession

CANTON, Ill. (AP) - Howard to Washington to some, but cannot afford to do much. A married daughter is in North Carolina, and a son, who pays Mrs. Howard's telephone bills, lives in Florida.

> Taxpayers are picking up \$11,300 this year of Mrs. Howard's basic care, says Shirley Keithley, administrator of the nursing home where Mrs. Howard has lived for 11 years. The bill does not include hospital, doctor and pharmacy expenses covered by public aid, she said.

Through payroll taxes, American workers and employers will spend \$63 million this year on the monthly stipend for 210,000 elderly and disabled, the Social Security Administration says.

In Illinois, 51,000 nursing home residents receive the allowance at an annual cost of \$15.3 million, according to Karl Piepenburg of the state welfare agency. Piepenburg estimated

that at least 1 million elder-

ly share Mrs. Howard's

plight — a plight Evans says is gaining nationwide attention. "The bill has picked up a

House Republican money and no property. Peoria has indicated, in a Her two children help letter to Mrs. Howard, that

her release," Rodman

said. "Once we were in-

formed what was going on,

we dispatched several

members of the state

police Drug Control Unit

assigned to the district at-

"When they got there,

they were informed that

Miss Foster had already

been released. This was

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"We did pick up the drug,

torney's office.

"We had no control over said.



WHEELCHAIR CRUSADER - Ruth Howard, who turns 77 on Dec. 23, is leading a drive by nursing home welfare cases to raise the \$25 monthly allowance they get from the government for personal spending. She says the 83 cents a day allowance just isn't enough to buy clothes and other necessities.

might pass.

"The overriding issue is, what kind of care are these people getting," said Pete

Rodman said it might

take one or two days to get

Nelson said he believed

Miss Foster was returning

from London, and officials

did not know for certain

where she went from the

airport, with one saying she flew on to Los Angeles

and another saying she

headed to New Haven,

Conn., where she is a stu-

Miss Foster became the

object of presidential

assailant John Hinckley

Jr.'s fixation, who said he

shot the president in March

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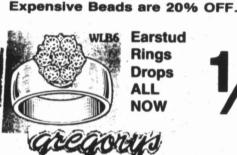
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Miss Foster, best known for her portrayal of a teenage prostitute in the movie "Taxi Driver," was treated as anyone else would be under the "You, I or anyone else would be handled the same way," he said. "I'm not red cut poinsettias even sure the inspector knew who she was.'



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Holiday dishes for your Christmas menu

By TINA STEFFEN Lifestyle Editor

Christmas day is four days away. Have you planned your Christmas dinner menu?

This week's Recipe Exchange features dishes you may wish to include in your holiday dining fare. If you have some favorite New Year's recipes — black eye peas for luck and such - send them in for next week's

If you have a recipe request, want to share your favorite recipes or want us to feature a particular cook, send your needs to the Herald Recipe Exchange, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas

We of the Big Spring Herald staff wish you and your's a merry holiday season. **ORANGE SWEET POTATOES**

5 medium sweet potatoes 1/4 cup butter or margarine

2 tsps. grated orange rind 1/4 cup orange juice 1 egg, slightly beatened

1/4 cup sugar 1 tsp. salt

1/4 tsp. pepper 1 tsp. cinnamon 1/2 tsp. nutmeg

Scrub and boil potatoes for 20 minutes or until tender; peel and mash thoroughly. Add butter, orange rind and juice, egg, salt, pepper, cinnamon and nutmeg. Mix thoroughly. Pile into greased 1½-quart casserole; dot with additional butter. Bake at 400 degrees for 20 minutes or until slightly browned. Garnish with orange peel.

WHOLE GREEN BEANS AMANDINE

4 eups water

11/2 tsps. salt 3 (16 ounce) cans whole green beans

1 cup sliced almonds

1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted

2 Tbsps. lemon juice

Heat beans in their liquid, drain. Saute almonds in butter or margarine. Stir in lemon juice and toss with the beans. Serve hot. Makes 6 servings.

CRANBERRY SALAD MOLD 2 (3 ounce) pkgs. cherry flavored gelatin

3 cups hot water

1 cup pineapple syrup

112 cups sugar 1 (20-ounce) can crushed pineapple

13/4 cups raw cranberries

1 apple, unpeeled 1 orange, peeled

Dissolve gelatin in hot water; add sugar and pineapple syrup. Stir; chill until syrupy. Add ground raw cranberries, ground orange, ground apple and drained curshed pineapple. Add pecans and also sprinkle some

on top. Chill thoroughly. Makes about 20 servings.

DARK FRUIT CAKE

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1 cup sifted all-purpose flour 11/2 cups raisins, seedless

1/2 tsp. ground nutmeg

3/4 tsp. ground cinnamon 3/4 tsp. cloves

1/4 tsp. baking soda 1/2 cup soft butter or margarine

1 cup brown sugar, firmly packed 3 eggs, separated

1/2 square chocolate, unsweetened, melted or substitute

11/2 Tbsps. cocoa and 1/2 tsp. margarine

2 Tbsps. lemon juice

2 Tbsps. orange juice 1/4 cup candied orange peel, diced

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3/4 cup candied citron peel, diced

1/2 cup candied pineapple

1/2 cup candied cherries 1 cup pecan halves

Grease well a 2-quart fluted mold, measuring at least 7 inches in diameter across the base. Line with wax paper and grease the paper. Dip whole cherries in soft shortening; lay in ring around outer edge of mold bottom. In a large mixing bowl, combine ½ cup flour

with raisins, candied fruits and pecans. Sift the re-

CRANBERRY COBBLER — American in origin, cobblers continue to be a dessert favorite. Enjoy fresh cranberries in this cobbler as it combines the tart berries with fresh sliced apples, quick-cooking tapioca and other ingredients.

maining 1/2 cup flour with the nutmeg, cinnamon, cloves and baking soda to blend. In a large bowl and with an electric mixer at high speed, cream butter and sugar until fluffy. Add egg yolks, one at a time. Beat well after each addition. Set mixer on low speed and add melted chocolate. Alternately beat in flour-spice mixture and fruit juices. Beat just until smooth. Stir above mixture into raisin-candied fruit mixture. Beat egg whites stiff and then fold into mixture. Pour into mold. Bake 1 hour and 35 minutes at 300 degrees or until cake tester inserted in center comes out clean. Cool on wire rack one-half hour and then loosen edges and unmold. Wrap cake tightly in foil or in a cloth saturated with brandy. Refrigerate or freezer wrap and freeze. (Two days before using, thaw wrapped cake at room temperature; then refrigerate.) Glaze and serve cake.

CHEESE BALL

2 8-ounce pkgs. cream cheese 1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple, drained

2 cups pecans, chopped

1/4 cup bell pepper, chopped
2 Tbsps. onion, finely chopped
Beat cheese with fork until smooth. Stir pineapple, 1 cup pecans, pepper, onion and salt to taste into cheese Shape into ball and roll in remaining pecans. Chill.

CHOCOLATE FUDGE

2 cups sugar 3/4 cup milk

2 squares bitter chocolate or 6 Tbsps. cocoa

2 Tbsps. white corn syrup

1/4 tsp. salt

2 Tbsps. butter or margarine

1 tsp. vanilla 1 cup pecans

Mix sugar, cut-up chocolate or cocoa and corn syrup; cook without stirring until a soft ball is formed in cold water, 234 degrees. Remove from heat and add butter or margarine and vanilla. Do not stir until the mixture is cool. Beat until creamy and add nuts. Pour into buttered pan and cut in squares.

TURKEY CURRY

6 Tbsps. butter

3/4 cups raisins

2 medium chopped onions

Curry spices (see below) 1 Tbsp. cornstarch

1 cup regular strength chicken broth

2 to 3 cups cubed, cooked turkey 3 cups hot cooked rice

2 cups hot cooked peas

1 cup unflavored yogurt 1 cup cranberry sauce

Holidays cause dilemnas for dieters

heralds the onslaught of skip meals, only to become eat an apple one half hour the dreaded diet dilemnas. famished when the effects Shoppers are assaulted by of caffeine subside. enticing aromas from coffee shops and restaurants. beverages; they set your Dieters are besieged by diet back three days. family and friends carry- Friends needn't know that ing candies and cakes. you are drinking juice or Meeting this challenge diet soda instead of mixed takes creativity, dedica-tion and a sense of adven-back in the closet and ture. Sybil Ferguson, enjoy. founder of Diet Center, has a few suggestions to help you through the holidays.

• First, know that you will stick to your diet. Regard each day as an opportunity to reward yourself with renewed health and increased attractiveness. Pamper vourself with scrumptious foods recommended on your diet.

Fruit arrangements are a feast for the eyes and the tastebuds. Sample exotic fruits you always wanted to try. Experiment! Substitute cottage cheese for sour cream in some of your recipes for sauces and dips. Make homemade eggnog with low fat milk.

 Don't ignore beverages. Keep plenty of diet soda on hand for holiday gatherings. Drink no more than two cups of coffee daily. Heavy coffee drinkers lose weight slowly

The holiday season because they frequently Drink a glass of water and

Avoid alcoholic

Parties can be tricky.

petite. Avoid spreads, dips, nuts, candied fruits, pastries, salty snacks and sweets. If the party is a stand-up affair, stand as far from the food as possible, with your back to the

before you leave. This will keep you in control and take the edge off your ap-

you and your health. You

Thoughtful gifts are owe it to yourself.

the mark of true hospitality. When buying food gifts for friends, choose spice blends, fruit baskets and other nutritious items. Like you, they get far too much

sugar during the holidays. While you are buying gifts for others, remember to give yourself a special gift — a few minutes of time. Reflect upon what is most important in your life

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sauce and yogurt in separate dishes to add according to individual taste. Serves four to five people. **CURRY SPICES** 11/2 Tbsp. mustard seed 11/4 to 2 Tbsps. curry powder 1/2 tsp. ground cumin 1/2 tsp. ground ginger ¼ tsp. ground cinnamon Combine ingredients. Add to curry as directed.

Melt butter over medium-high heat in 10 to 12 inch

frying pan. Add raisins, stirring until they plump up,

about 2 minutes. Lift out and set aside. Add onions to

pan. Cook, stirring, until light golden color, about 10 to

15 minutes. Stir in spice mixture. Blend cornstarch in-

to broth and add to onions. Cook, stirring, until broth boils and thickens. Add turkey and cook just to heat

through, about 5 minutes. To serve, spoon curry over

rice. Accompany with peas. Pass raisins, cranberry

TURKEY ETOUFFEE

1/2 cup butter 1 Tbsp. shortening 1 cup chopped onion

% cup chopped celery
/ cup chopped green onion 4 chopped bell pepper

2 Tbsps. chopped parsley cups diced, cooked turkey

cup dry sherry

2 tsp. salt 1 tsp. hot sauce 1/2 tsp. sugar

1/2 tsp. black pepper

¼ tsp. cayenne pepper 1 clove crushed garlic Hot cooked rice

Melt butter and shortening in large skillet; saute onion, celery, green onion, bell pepper and parsley until tender. Add remaining ingredients except rice, stirring well. Cover and simmer 10 minutes. Serve over rice. Serves four.

TURKEY ON A BUN 2 cups coarsely diced cooked turkey

1/2 cup diced celery 1/2 cup diced cheddar cheese

1 tsp. chopped pimiento Tbsps. chopped chives

2 chopped, hard-cooked eggs 1/2 cup mayonnaise

Salt and pepper to taste 6 hamburger buns

Combine turkey, celery, cheese, pimiento, chives and eggs. Add mayonnaise and season with salt and pepper. Slice off top of each bun and scoop out some of the center of bottom. Fill hollows with turkey mixture. Replace bun tops. Wrap each bun in foil and heat at 400 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Serves 6.

EASY CRANBERRY COBBLER WITH HERITAGE

4 cups sliced peeled apples (4 medium) 1 cup raw cranberries

1 cup sugar

3 Tbsps. minute tapioca 1/4 tsp. salt

Cook sugar, water, syrup and salt to hard crack stage, 300 degrees. Stir only to help sugar dissolve. Remove from heat, add coloring and flavoring stirring as little as possible. Pour onto lightly buttered heavy

Combine apples, cranberries, 1 cup sugar, tapioca,

salt and water in large saucepan. Let stand five

minutes. Bring to a boil over medium heat, stirring

constantly. Pour into shallow 2-quart baking dish; dot

Combine biscuit mix, 2 tablespoons sugar, orange

rind and milk. Drop from teaspoon onto hot fruit mix-

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browned. Serve warm, with whipped topping if

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SPICED TEA

2 quarts water 11/2 cups sugar 11/2 tsp. whole cloves 11/2 sticks cinnamon 5 tsps. tea leaves

3/4 cup orange juice

Strain and add juices.

1 cup water

2 Tbsps. sugar

1/4 cup milk

with butter.

1 Tbsp. butter or margarine

1 tsp. grated orange rind

cup all-purpose biscuit mix

desired. Makes nine servings.

2 cups granulated sugar

1/2 cup water 1/2 cup corn syrup

Few grains salt

1/4 tsp. food coloring

1/2 tsp. oil flavoring

Juice of 11/2 lemons Boil water, cinnamon, cloves and sugar for five minutes. Add tea, turn off heat, let set five minutes.

> MARTHA WASHINGTON CHOCOLATE CANDY

1 can flaked coconut

1 cup pecans, chopped 1 can sweetened condensed milk

1/4 pound soft margarine

2 boxes confectioners powdered sugar Blend all ingredients and roll by hand into small balls about 3/4 inch in diameter. Chill in refrigerator. about 1 hour or longer. Insert toothpick into each ball and dip into chocolate-paraffin mixture to coat

CHOCOLATE-PARAFFIN MIXTURE: Melt 1/4 pound paraffin and one large (12 ounce) package chocolate bits in a small saucepan over low heat (10 to 15 minutes). Use for dipping as directed above.

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IRS checks due local taxpayers

The Internal Revenue Service has more than 3,000 refund checks for North Texas taxpayers because the post office was unable to deliver the checks, IRS Director for the northern Texas counties Glenn Cagle said.

Most checks were returned to the IRS because the taxpayer has moved and failed to notify the post office and the IRS

Following is a list of area persons whose refund checks the IRS is holding. To receive the check, call the IRS at 1-800-424-1040.

Included are David D. Davis, Jose R. Diaz and M.A. Santos, Jo Ann Mojica, Jesse S. and Geneva Reyes, Steve J. Tapia, and Armando Trevino, all of Lamesa; and Crestina Aguilar and Randy L. Ruth, both of Colorado

Other persons with undelivered refunds are Sharon Ayers, Gregg Cass, James D. and Rebecca T. Colt, Isaiah E. Edwards, Paul D. Farquharson, Michael J. and Marsha G. Gaglione III, Bobby Hamilton, Jorge and Maria Elena Huereca, Craig A. Jederlinic, Suzette R. McWilliams, all of Big

Other Big Spring residents eligible to claim checks are Also included are Ricardo L. Olivarez, Charles G. and Ilabel Osterhout, Christopher T. Parsons, Richard and Carla Perry, Donna L. Pitts, Glenda Price, Richard Wayne Rains, Raul Gomez Rodriguez,

and Scott A. Schreck. Also included are Delbert D. and Ranetta G. Smith, Glenn R. and Brenda Wilkins, Michael D. and Carol Williams, Charlie J. and Cynthia I. Grigg, and James Karros, all of Big Spring; James A. (deceased) and Louise Sullivent, and Bobbie S. Wood, both of Sand Springs; and Sharon R. Goodnight of Garden City.



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winter's first major storm Sunday afternoon caused a two-car accident in which a California woman was injured south of Big Spring, according to Department of Public Safety reports.

Suzan Bistrap Corty, 26, of Seaside, Calif., remains in stable condition in the intensive care unit of the Veteran's Administration Hospital after suffering head injuries and bruises. a hospital spokesman said.

Corty was struck 1.3 miles south of Big Spring on U.S. 87 by a 1983 Ford driven by Jody Don Brittain of Gail Route. Brittain was unable to stop on the icy highway, reports said.

At the time of the accident, Corty was helping Ramone Bernard Holguin of Forsan push his 1978 Buick Regal back onto the highway after the car had been stuck off the road,

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Icy roads brought by reports said. The Buick also was reported damaged in the accident.

The accident was one of more than 25 reported since late Saturday to the DPS and Big Spring police.

"There is always an in- Big Spring and the vicinity through Amarillo and into crease in accidents when it is the result of a stationary Colorado and Wyoming, snows," police Lt. Jerry cold front that extends the National Weather Ser-Edwards said today. "Peothe roads are iced over."

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"New Directions in Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility" was the meeting attended in Cancun, Mexico, by Dr. F. Javier del Castillo, a obstetrician/gynecologist at Malone-Hogan.

The four-day meeting was presented by the Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences of the University of California, San

Dr. Don Crockett attended Albert Einstein Medical

School's three-day vascular surgery symposium in New York City and said "All the major figures in vascular surgery get together each year for this special course

"Malone-Hogan surgeons do a moderate amount of vascular surgery for a community this size. This is an important meeting for us from the standpoint of what's happening right now in vascular surgery.

Among specialists at the Southwestern Section of the

American Academy of Urology's three-day conference in St. Louis was Dr. Rudy Haddad, Malone-Hogan Clinic urologist.

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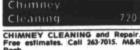
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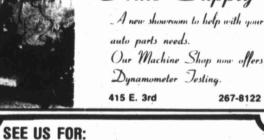
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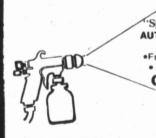




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