## BigSpring Herald Saturday

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FIRE FIGHTING－Firemen run hoses through a back door during
the early stages of a fire which destroyed the interior of the three－ the early stages of a fire which destroved the interior of the three－
bedroom，tiled－roof house．The fire apparently started in the


CHECKING HOSES－Two Big Spring firemen check hoses loading
to the interior of the Bertha Harwell house which was getted by fire to the interior of the Bertha Harwell house which was gutted by fire
Friday afternoon．Cause of the blaze was initially blamed on a
heating unit．

## Local woman，77，dies in house fire

A 77 －year－old Big Spring woman
A 77 －year－old Big Spring woman was killed shortly
after noon Friday while trying to escape fled engulfed her threesebedroom house at 1601 Bell near the Canterbury retirement home．
The fire apparently was caused by a basement The fire apparently was caused by a basement
heating unit，
Bere department officials said． Bertha Harwell，a Big Spring native，was pronounc－
ed dead at $1: 20$ pm．by Justice of the Peace Lewis ed dead at $1: 20$ p．m．by Justice of the Peace Lewis
Heflin．Mrs．Harwell＇s body was taken to Malone－ Hein．Mrs．Harweir so body was taken to Malone－
Hogan Hospital for an autopsy．Cuse of death was
identified as smoke inhalation，Heflin said． Heflin said Mrs．Harwell was found in her kitchen by a door leading to the outside．She apparently was try－ ing to escape the flames when she was overcome by
smoke before she could unlock the door，he said． smoke before she could unlock the door，he said．
Assistant Fire Marshal Burr Settles said the fire
began in the basement in an area where a new heating
unit was recently installed．
＂The burns lo
nace area，＂he said．He the fire）came from the fur－ nace may have separated accidently． The brick and tile roof structure of the home inten－
sified the hat and smoke in the structure，Fire Chief Jim Ryals said．The fire collapsed the floor into the basement and destroyed the rest of the home＇s in－
Mrs．Harwell＇s brother，Roger Miller of Big Spring， said she had lived in the house for 45 years．She was
married to the late Mark Harwell ， married to the late Mark Harwell，former owner of
P\＆H Electric The fire was reported by a neighbor，Rick Dyer，who said another neighborhood resident，Gene Hoffman，
drove up and said＂The house with red tiles was on
fire＂ drove up and said＂The house with red tiles was on
went to investigate the fire．He said he checked the
door and then kicked out $a$ window to the bedroom． ＂I went into the building thinking she might be in there，＂Dyer said．＂Gene went in one
enough to look，but it was too smoky．＂
Settles said the house＇s doors and windows were
Dyer said County Engineer Bill Sims stopped by to
help before three fire trucks arrived at the scene help before th
minutes later．
Ryals said firemen had to punch a hole in the roof of
the house to attack the fire．Despite water pressure he house to attack the fire．Despite water pressure
probbems caused by recent breaks in water mains， frobiems caused by recent breaks in water mains，
firemen had no difficulty pumping hydrant water onto
the flames，Ryals said．

## $\begin{gathered}\text { Settles } \\ \text { diverted } \\ \text { pressure．}\end{gathered}$

 ter to that area to ensure adequate MarLou Dyer，another neledubor，deveribed Mo．Harwell as a＂beautiful，very capabie person．I would Harwell as a beautiul，very capabie person．would
come by and see her with her tractor out mowing．＂ According to her brother，Mrs．Harwell owned all the
property on the block at the corner of 16th Street and Bell Street．
Funeral arrangements for Mrs．Harwell are pending
at the Nalley－Pickle Funeral Home．Other survivors at the Nalley－－Pickie Funeral Home．Other survivors
include two sisters of Big Spring，Mrs．M．A．Thoomas
and Eva Miller and Eva Milier；two other brothers，Claude Miller of
Big Spring and Cecil Miller of Demming，N．M．；and a
son，Mark Harwell Jr．of Lubbock．

## Spring Apathy blamed for hike in DWI cases

｜board How＇s that？ Insured
Q．Can insurance companies
charge me more money if I have charge me more money if I have
been convicted for driving while intoxicated？
A．The new DWI law permits
insurance companies to charge persons convicted of DWI a
thre－year insurance premium tree－hear inse．The company can
surcharge charge you another three－year
surcharge with every subsequent surcharge wi
conviction．

Calendar：
Dance fete

| TODAY <br> －The Senior Citizens Club will have a New Year＇s Eve dance from 8 p．m．to midnight at Air Park Building No． 487. <br> The Howard County Library will be closed for the New Year holiday． <br> －The College Baptist Church＇s＂Watch Night＂service has been canceled． <br> SUNDAY <br> －The Heritage Museum will be closed today． <br> MONDAY <br> －The Heritage Museum will be closed today． <br> The Soil Builders Club will meet at 7：30 p．m．at 807 E．13th St． Outside： Warmer <br> Today＇s high should reach into the mid 508 with southerly winds at 5 to 10 miles per hour．By tonight，look for lows in the mid 20s．Gunday should see continued and southerly winds 10 to 15 miles per hour． |
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Harte－Hanks Austin Bureau
AUSTIN－Some Texans become rather angry when politicians talk
about a statewide ban But the anger has nothing to do
with such controversial matters as wun control or competitive sports in junior high－it＇s reserved for
drinking while driving． ＂There are just too many people
who like to imbibe，＂Midland City Attorney Joe Nuessle says．＂I don＇t Texas who care＂about the problem of alcohol－related traffic accidents
and fatalities． Otherwise，he says，the state already would have a ban on open
containers of alcohol in a motor containers of alcohol in a motor
vehicle． venicle．
wait to ges no reason people can＇t to their homes to open
that can of beer－not if they cared
anything about other people，＂he says．
With some legislators and groups such as Mothers Against Drunk brivers unabie to push a statewide
bidnough the Legislature，
Midland is one city that Midland is one city that has tried to
control drinking while driving by ci－ control drinking while driving by ci－
ty ordinance－a method that is ordinance－a method that is
More than 20 citites have passed More than 20 cities have passed， or are considering passing，local or－
dinances banning possession of
open alcoholic containes open alcoholic containers in a motor
vehicle，says Sen．Bill Sarpalius， vehicle，says Sen．Bill Sarpalius，D－
Hereford，who sponsored one of the majer driving－while－intoxicated
mWI ing the last legislative session． Also pushing for more local or－
dinances is the Southwestern In－
 ＂Texas is one of the few remain－state＇s Alchoholic $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nuessle agrese，}\end{aligned}$ Beting that the ing states which permit t driver to
openly have seer sems to pre－mpt the right of cities $\begin{aligned} & \text { openly have beer or wine in a mov－－} \\ & \text { ing vehicle so long as that person is } \\ & \text { to pass ordinances involving posses－} \\ & \text { sion of beer，wine and liguor }\end{aligned}$ ing vehicle so long as that person is
not legally yintoxicated，＂the group＇s $\begin{gathered}\text { sion of beer，wine and liquor．} \\ \text { At least one request for a ruling }\end{gathered}$ president，Jerry $F$ ．Johns，notes．
Though a state $\begin{gathered}\text { At least one request for a ruling } \\ \text { on the constitutionality of such or－}\end{gathered}$ Though a statewide ban would be
much better，he acknowledgeses is a ci－pending before the
Texas Attorney General． ty by city ban can do some good．
＂Say Im driving from Austin to
About the only say a city has in
conpus Christi and I＇m not sure alloholic beverages， Corpus Christi and I＇m not sure
which cities have passed it，I＇m go－
ing to thessle says，is on consumption
and how close a bar can be to a
 $\begin{gathered}\text { people thing．Ifey you put the fear in } \\ \text { pudent driver won＇t do dopped，a a }\end{gathered} \begin{aligned} & \text { For some time now，he says，the }\end{aligned}$
Texas Municipal League，a group $\begin{array}{lll}\text { ruhnent driver won＇t do this，＂} & \begin{array}{l}\text { rexas anconting the interests of mor more }\end{array} \\ \text { repres }\end{array}$ There＇s one problem，however．than 300 Texas cities，has supported
a statewide ban．In lieu of that，the $\begin{array}{lll}\text { ar．＂To be truthful，I think it＇s un－} & \text { group has urged the Legislature to } \\ \text { grenstitutional，＂says Rep．Tom } & \begin{array}{l}\text { grewrite the Alcoholic Beverage Act }\end{array}\end{array}$
just enough to allow cities to control possession in a motor vehiche．
The Midland ordinance and many The Midland ordinance and many possession，and that＇s why Nuessle
says they are unlikely to stand up to a court challenge．
A ban based on consumption，he
adds，would be hard to adds，would be hard to enforce
because law enforcement officers would have to see a person driving
and drinking． and drinking． Nuessle says Midland has manag． ed to keep the law on the books for three or four years because the city
doesn＇t enforce it to the point doesn＇t enforce it to the point that
someone would challenge its constitutionality．
City officials simply pray that the
ordinance will be a deterrent
see DWI laws，page 2－A

## Community spirit

Center seeks help for residents
by carol baldwin Staff Writer
1983 saw a dream come true Chestnut and Marianne Brown， munity Center located on North 8 th． But if more people don＇t become involved in the center，there could
be trouble in 1994，the couple said． The Browns and the Revev．sald．
Israel
Cooper founded the Northeide Com Cooper founded the Northside Com－
munity Center in June．The idea munity Center in June．The idea
was to open a center which would was to open a center which woul
serve＂a olot of different needs in th
community＂Mrs．Brown said． community．＂Mrs．Brown said．
Organizers wanted＂ a neutral
and place where people can get together for meetings，a place not affiliated with a church or a United Way
agency．＂．
The center was located in the city＇s northside so peopple with the transportation could gef to it easily．
The Browns said the center was established to provide educational
programs and help for peopple all
aver
town．
The center operates solely with The center operates solely with
donations and through the help of
volunteers．No volunteers．No one is paid for his
time． The center serves as a go－
between for city officials and people in the community．It is alsolso a place ＂where people can just come down
and tall about their problems，＂
Mrs．Brown said． Mr．Brown helps with the
counseling．She has a degree in psychology from Puget Sound University in Tacoma，Wash．，and a degree in sociology from a universi－
ty in Fort Steilacom，Wash．She is
slso a registered nurse． also a registered nurse．
What is the motivation the
Browns have in operating the Nor－ Browns have in operativation the the
thside Community Center？The
hours are long and donations hard she hes reasons for wanting to wark see Center jege 2－A


## Public Records




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Sheriff's Log
Fugitive suspect released


Texan pleads guilty in gold mine heist



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freeze pipes near the
restroom's sink and com mode wettles said. Tric fir
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blackened the station's offic
restroom, he said.

## Today's topic <br> Lonely history

## Nashville's Ryman Auditorium collects dust

##              spacious 15 million auditorium a the Opryland U.S.A. entertain- ment park 15 miles northeast of downt downtiown Nashvilue. The Ryman wa buil     crowds of people who side waiting to get in. <br> During the summer, Oryy of   on a wall inhe love Palsy cline. <br> "There are two generations of people who saw the orty at the Ryman," says Durham. "A lot of Ryman," says Durham. "A lot of those folks want to bring their children back to the Ryman and say to them, 'I sat in this bench and saw Kitty Wells, and Hank Snow way back when.," The Ryman, whose wooden floor now sags in spots, is occasionally used for a movie, or televisiononally ing. Porter Wager, Shelly West and David Frizzell and David Frizzell sang at the Ryman during scenes from the

## Center



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## DWI laws





1982 Clint Eastwood movie,
"Honky Tonk Man.,' The
auditorium also was used for auditorium also was used for
scenes in the Sissy Spacek movie scenes in the Sissy Spacek movie,
"Coal Miner's Daughter," which was based on Miss Lynn's
autobiography. The Nashville Network, a cable series on countr
at the Ryman.
In the mid-70s, Opry officials
contemplated razing the historic structure. But offended Opry stars and community sentiment
prevailed, and the Ryman was A part A part of the landmark building
has added a touch of nostalgia to the sparkling new Opry House. A
hunk of oak flooring - six feet in diameter - was - transpleented
from the Ryman stage to the new home of the steel guitars, yodels
and rhinestone suits.

Tourism at the Ryman, which was listed in the National Register given a boost in another two years of a $\$ 68$ million convention center across the street, which will at-
tract thousands to the area. During the final Opry perfor-
mance at the Ryman, Miss Pearl
said: "I hate to, teene. It's killing maid: "I hate to, 'eave. It's killing
me. I know its stime to go, but
every time Ithink of so many
riends who walked on the mate who aren't here now - Cowboy Copas, Patsy Cline, Hank
Williams, Rod Brasfield - I just feel like they're little ghosts down
here." Miss Pearl, who had made
millions of people laugh since joining the Opry cast in 1940, wept. "I'm just saying goodbye to a lot
of spooks and shadows," she said.
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Sisters branch .
Mrs. Brown said.
programs center is planning several
$\begin{aligned} & \text { instance, people who donate their } \\ & \text { time will earn points and will be }\end{aligned}$
allowed to trade in their points for
$\begin{aligned} & \text { items available through the center } \\ & \text { Mrs. Brown said. }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { And the center is still on the } \\ & \text { lookout for people willing to donate }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { lookout for people willing to donate } \\ & \text { money. Money for utilities and ser- } \\ & \text { vices come from the }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { vices come from the Northside } \\ & \text { Community Center budget, which is } \\ & \text { already straining under the weight. }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Anyone wishing to make a dona- } \\ & \text { tion to the center may send it care } \\ & \text { of } 2702 \text { Central, Mrs. Brown said. }\end{aligned}$

## Vietnam vet

seeks answers

## to mystery crash

FORT WORTH (AP) - Larry Gene Pruitt, a
decorated Vietnam veteran, remembers only bits and pieces of what he says was a helicopter anceident that left him with psychiatric problems and unable to work
That's more than the Army remembers. Military of That's more than the Army remembers. Minitary fent - and therefore Pruitt cannot get service
dennected compensation from the Veterans connected co
Administration. Pruitt, 34, who now lives in a detached pickup
camper at Fort Worth mobile home park with his camper at a Fort Wort mobile home park wich
wife and infant son, has honorable discharge papers, a Bronze Star, and the standard letters from President
Nixon and Gen. W.C. Westmoreland thanking him for his service in Vietnam.
But he has no proof of the crash, which he says has convulsions he cannot control and nightmares about the accident which cause him to scream in his sleep.
He also stutters under stress and suffers from blackouts. He hasn't worked in more than a year. Pruitt says he remembers pulling a fellow soldie named "Kirkland" out of the flaming wreckage
"I dream of it over and over, you kno remember pulling him out (of the burning helicopter).
There was a fire ... It hurts me so much .. Why is my There was a fire $\ldots$ It hurts me so much ... Why is my
government treating me so?" said Pruitt, a former government
maintenance electrician.
Despite the intervention of House Majority Leader
Jim Wright, in whose district Pruitt lives, the Army Jim wit can't help.
saelicopter accident) involving Larr C. Pruitt. Furthermore, Mr. Pruitt's medical and per ever involved in any such crash,"' Lt. Col. John W. ever nvoived in any shef of the Army's Investigations
Richardson, deputy chien
and Legislation Division, wrote in a recent letter to Wright.
Richardson said a Spec. 5 Larry James Kirkland, o Dallas, a member of the 101st Airborne Division, was
killed in action on May 21, 1970. Mruitt was with the 388th Transportation Company, a ground unit, and was discharged honorably on Jan. 1 ,
1971 He cannot explain why he was airborne in a 1971. He cat.
helicopter.
Without
t more proof, a Wright aide said, the con Pruitt is suffering from Post Traumatic Stress war neuroses of Vietnam War veterans, according to Dr. Manju Goyal, a Dallas VA psychiatrist who is
treating Pruitt. The veteran gave Goyal permission to tralk about his case.
"Larry Pruitt has the symptoms of PTSD, but he can't prove the incident -andt that is the problem in said. "He has filed the non-service-connected cliam and since he has been diagnosed as having PTSD, he qualifies to be treated here.'
Pruitt's last job was with
Pruitt's last job was with Kendavis Industries Inter
national Inc. in Fort Worth as a building maintenanc national Inc. in Fort Worth as a building mainten
engineer. He held the job three years until 1182.
Travis Claridge Travis Claridge, supervisor of administrative se
vices at Kendavis, said Pruitt was a good worker but wices at kendavis, said Pruit was a good worker medical leave when headaches and diz-
winess made it too dangerous for him to work ziness made it too dangerous for him to work.
Pruitt now receives $\$ 383$ in Social Security disability Pruitt now receives $\$ 383$ in Social Security disability
checks and $\$ 82$ in food stamps each month. He was checks and $\$ 82$ in food stamps each month. He was
twice turned down for the disability benefits before this year. In May, he'll start getting health insurance
payments from his former employer and the disability payments rom his former employer and the di
payments will be downgraded to reflect that.
He pays about $\$ 95$ a month for rent and electricity.
Pruitt shares the cramped camper with his wife Denise, 28, and their ramponth-ald son.
His wife does light housework som
a friendri's washing machine. She in excesn't work foull-time she can teave her son with Pruitt "I cannot handle him and that's hard for me to say. It hurts me very much," Pruitt said, blinking through
tears rolling down his cheeks. "I'm a part of a man
not a whole man - because I cannot support my
family." A local post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars has
helped Pruitt by putting him in touch with Wright and money to ease the holiday burde "I don't want to tell no story,", Pruitt said. "I just
want the government to pay me what my benefits
should be., Church congregation regrouping after fire


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## Deaths

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## People

eese likes egg deliveries ASHEVILLE - Presidential counselor Edwin
 EDWIN MEESE $\begin{gathered}\text { gave so } \\ \text { tamily } \\ \text { es }\end{gathered}$ to the woman who runs the tours.
Clarke said the young woman, Cindy Hickman, was appreciative. "She said, 'Oh, I live with my un--
cle and aunt and I'm sure they'II enjoy the eggs,"' cle and aunt and I'm sure they'il enjoy the eggs,
Clarke said.
Atter two more egg deliveries - welcomed by After two more egg deliveries - welcomed by
such as comments as "My Uncle Ed just loved those eggs." - Mrs. Clarke inquired and learned that
Meese was Miss Hickman's uncle. Meese said Dec. 8 that he had not seen "any
authoritative figures". that there are hungry children in America, and added that some people
"go to soup kitchens because the food is free and go to soup kitchens because
that's easier than paying for it.'
Stewart wants court change NASHVLLLE - British rock star Rod Stewart has
asked a judge to reconsider his order last month
 SOD STEWART
S. Bowen of Nashville, Nay
said Thursday that Stewart was unaware that his presence had been requested at the two depositions
and that his failure to appear was not intentions He said Stewart believes the case will progress
more quickly if his deposition is taken in Los Angeles.
Chuck Dailey of Columbus, Ohio, filed suit in 1981
against Stewart and Warner Bros. Records for against Stewart and "Warner Bros. Records for
royalties on the song "I Was Only Joking." He con-
tends the song included music he had written.

Schmidt to play recital TEL AVIV - Former West Gcrman Chancellor
Helmut Schmidt is expected to play the piano at a Helmut Schmidt is expected to play the piano at a
concert honoring srael's 36 th independence anniversary May 7
Israel Philha
Israel Philharmonic Orchestra spokesman
Avramam Maron said Friday that Schmidt, an acArraham Maron said Friday that Schmidt, an ac-
complished musician, had been invited by U.S. on-
ductor Leonard Bernstein to be one of the pianists in ductor Leonard Bernstein to be one of the pianists in
a performance of B Bach concerto of rour pianos. a performance of a Bach concerted onthusiastically
He said Schmidt had responder
"but we are still awaiting final confirmation from $=$
Manchester's clothes stolen BALTIMORE - A stolen truck which had con-
tained part of singer Melissa Manchester's war lained part of singer Melissa Manchester's war
drobe and music equipment has been recovered but police said about $\$ 75,000$ worth of costumes and
$\$ 40,000$ worth $\$ 40,000$ worth of equipment is missing.
Lt. Richard Heaps said the truck, wh headed for Radio Ciyy Music Hall in New York City, was taken sometime early Thursday outside a
Woodlawn restaurant. It carried about $\$ 300000$ Woodlawn restaurant. It carried about $\$ 300,000$
worth of musical equipment and scenery as well as Ms. Manchester's wardrobe.
Thatcher volunteers recipe LONDON - Asked for a favorite dish as a con-
tribution to a charity cook book, Prime Minister

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { MARGARET } & \begin{array}{l}\text { nying suge chests accompa- } \\ \text { rice salad, made by with }\end{array} \\ \text { THATCHER }\end{array}$ warm, mixing in olive ing rice and, while still warm, mixing in oive oil, alragon vinegar, sail,
black pepper, stoned black olives, chopped celery,
slices of peeled tomatoes and chopped green and
red pimentos red pimentos. "This is one of her favorite dishes which she likes
. to cook herself in the flat (apartment) at No. 10
(Downing Street) when she has the chance," an
(iden and The recipe appeared Friday with 230 others from celebrities in "Branch out With Cookery"" publish-
ed in aid of the Save the Children Fund charity, at
$\$ 3.60$ a copy. Schwarzenegger has wreck ANNING, Calif. - Bodybuilder and actor Arnold
Schwarzenegger and his girffriend, Maria Shriver, Schwarzenegger and his girifriend, Maria shriver
niece of U.S. Sen. Edward M. Kennedy escaped
serious injury when their vehicle went over a low serious injury when their vehicle went over a low
freeway embankment, authorities say.

## The news in brief


Moslems stage protests
Moslems staged nationwide protests Friday against
Israel's occupation of southern Lebanon, setting firéto an Israeli flag in Beirut and
sitting-in at mosques.
Outside the souther
Lebanese port of Tyre Lebanese port of Tyre,
gunmen hidden in an orange grove fired on an Israel con
voy and the Israel back, the U.N. force
souther southern Lebanon said. The
United Nations peacek United Nations peacekeep-
ing troops said they were
caught in the crossfire, but there were no reports of
casualties. Irsael closed the thre
bridges across the Awal River in an apparent a
tempt to keep gerrilla from infitrating from northern Lebanon to the Israeli
occupied southern third of military source in Tel Aviv said the bridges were clos opened "soon."
In the parently planted by Jewish extremists, exploded in
two mosques in Hebron, injuring one person and caus ing minor damage.
Meanwhile, Jesse Jackson, a U.S. Democratic presidential candidate, arrived in Damascus, Syria, to
work for the release of captured U.S. Navy airman work for the release of captured U.S. Navy airman
Robert 0 Goodman Jr. The civil rights leader said he
had "high hopes"" he had "high hopes"' he would be successful. Goodman, a bombardier-navigator, was wounded
and captured Dec. 4 when his attack jett was downed
during a and captared Dec. 4 when his attack jet was downer
during a raid on Syrian positions in Lebanon's centra
mountains. The pilot of his plane was killed. mountains. The pilot of his plane was killed.
In Beirut, Sheik Hassan Khaled, the grand In Beirut, Sheik Hassan Khaled, the grand mufti
the Sunni Moslem sect in Lebanon, and Sheik Mohammed Shamseddin, acting head of the Sheiite highe
meligious council, led a sit-
relin religious council, led a sit-in against Israel's occupa
tion and expressed solidarity with guerrillas resisting tion and expressed solidarity w
the 18-month Israeli occupation.
Khaled called for protestst to " "demonstrate indigna-
tion against the oppressive practices of the Israeli oc tion against the oppressive practices of the Israeli o
cupation, determination to resist it and support for th cupation, determination to res
legitimate struggle against it.

Senate gets pay raise
WASHINGTON - Members of the Senate can look
forward to a pay raise on Sunday, but many will have forward to a pay regine liming within slimmer means. That's when th clock runs out on their unlimited take from the rubber
chicken circuit. chicken circuit
On Jan. 1, th
On Jan. 1, the Senate begins playing by the same
rules as the House: so-called honoraria from
spect speechmaking and writing cannot exceed 30 percent of
a member's salary, which will be up $\$ 2,43$, to $\$ 72,243$, a member's siary,
for both chambers next year.
That means no one can make more than $\$ 21,672$ from such moonlight one can

## ATTENTION K mart SHOPPERS

In our January "Dollar Days" advertisement, the K mart Po fing Soll on the front page is incorrec
$\$ 1.00$.
Correct advertised sale price should read:
${ }^{8} 1.00$ each
We regret any inconvenience this may have caused ou cusfomers.
but it may cause some financial squeezes in the
Senate, where outside speechmaking represented
s. Senate, where outside speechmaking represented a
\$2.4 million income source in 1982, the last year
coovered by avilable In 1982, 91 senators accepted hoporaria. Forty-nine was $\$ 43,000$, just about double the ceiling. The senator who will be hit the harrdest, apparently,
is Finance Chairman Robert J. Dole, R-Kan., who w is Finance Chairman Robert J. Dole, R-Kan., who was He is expected to again lead the pack th tual earnings for 1983 won't be made pabublict through the
congressional disclosure process until

Nixon documents blocked

 Still, it waca a vistish that. former Nixon administration officials who had
challenged the government's plan to release the In a brief order, to be followed by a fuller, written
opinion, Hogan barred officials of the General Services opinion, Hogan barred officials of the General. Servicees
Administration and the National Archives "from fur ther implementing or taking any further actions pur
suant to the existing public access regulations unt suant to the existing public access regulations unti
such time as newly promulgated regulations become effective
Justice
Justice Department spokesman Brad Marman said
he could not say whether the government will appeal he couald ruling.
' We are "We are not in a position to comment at this time,"
Marman, said. "We have to wait until we see the The lawsuit, filed last October, challenged the public access provision of the Presidential Recordings an
Materials Presevation Act. In striking down that portion of the law, Hogan relied
and on a supreme court vec." "legislative veto."
of The perovisions invalidated by Hogan made the
GSA's companion regulations subject to the veto o either the House or Senate. Hogan said that is un - and new regulations without such congressiona power hanging over them must be draw
"The public access regulations issuued under that
(veto) authority are unlawful and void," Hogan declared
Hogan
Hogan's ruling, even if it is subsequently overruled
or complied with by future regulations, will delay
release of the papers.
Creationist museum planned GLEN ROSE, Texas - A $\$ 3.5$ million dollar interna
tional creationist museum modeled after Noah's Ar
 researchers claims onave
down the theory of evolution
Plans for the museum were announced Thursda during a meeting of the Bible Science Association an members of the group also showed fossilized huma
bones that they said prove evolution is a hoax Organizer Carl E . Baugh said the museum would be the exact size of the ark described in the Bible as car
rying Nooh, his family and animals to safety during rying Noan, his
the great flood.
uIt wide," said Baugh, a Missouri minister who has been active in creationist groups.
Baugh said financial backers include Fort Wort Billionaire Cullen Davis, a born-again Christian who
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muthe supports creationist theories.
port," said has given us both financial and moral supBort, sist College, a small school in Crystal City, Mo.
Plans call for the museum to be built in sta Plans call for the museum to be built in stages nea
the Paluxy River, west of Glen Rose, where numerou
fossil the Paluy River, west of Glen Rose, where numerou
fossilized dinosaur tracks have been found. "We can't think of a better place than Glen Rose fo
the museum," said Baugh.

Baugh gained attention last year when he said h
found human footprints in the same limestone found human footprints in
dinosaur tracks at Glen Rose.
Although his findings were rejected by many scien
tists, Baugh said finding the human and dinosau prints in the same limestone stratum proved the evolutionary theories are wrong. Scientists say dinosaurs
had been extinct for 70 million years before the ap-
pearance of man pearance of man.
Baugh said the two fossilized human skeletons he
displayed were found in a rock stratum near Moab, displayed were found in a rock stratum near Moab,
Utan, which by standard dating methods would make
Evolution theories say man evolved about 5 million
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## Weather



By the Associated Press
West Texas: Partly cloudy with cold nights and mild days Sunday through Tuesday. Chance of light
snow north Sunday and Monday. Lows mid-20s mountains and Panhandle to mid-30s extreme
south. Highs mid-6os Big Bend to near 50
Panhandle.

Freeze lessens grip on state The end was in sight Saturday to a record old snap
blamed for at least 37 deaths across Texas, millions blamed for at least 37 deaths across Texas, millions
of dollars in damage to the state's vegetable and
citrus crops and countless headaches. for citrus crops and countless heada
homeowners fighting broken water pipes. homeowners fighting broken water pipes.
The forecat called for a gradual warming trend
into the holiday weekend, but the frigid breath of into the holiday weekend, but the frigid breath of
winter dropped temperatures to record lows in at winter dropped temperatures to record lows in at
least 14 Texas cities early Friday, including Laredo,
where an 11 -degree reading set a 20 hh-century record for that South Texas city.
San Antonio fell to 9 degrees, a record for Other daily records set Friday included 10 at
Abilene; 16 at Austin; ; 12 at College Station; 18 at Worth Regional Airport; 19 at Houston; 12 at
Midland; 4 at San Angelo; 15 at Victoria; 9 at Waco; and 4 at Wichita Falls Ironically, one city where the daily record low re-
mained intact was at Amarillo, where the mercury hit 5 degrees at midnight, three degrees above the
1911 low for the date Twenty different temperature records have been
broken so far this month in Amarillo. broken so far this month in Amarillo.
"Actually, it looks like we're getting to a gradual warming trend ... up to where we'll have normal
emperatures temperatures next week, and it should be dry
period, with only chance of showers in East Texas
on Monday." meterologist Michael Mach said. A gas heater, turned up to battle temperatures in
the teens, was blamed for the death of a 9 year-old Sweetwater girl early Friday. Investigaters said
Julie Anderson was trapped in the upstairs b dr Julie Anderson was trapped in the upstairs br dr
of her family's two-story house and died when stic
efused to jump rom While growers in the Lower Rio Grande Valley
continued totaling up the damage from a Christmas Eve freeze that wrought havoc on the state's
vegetable and citrus crops, Texas homeowners began creating headaches
with reports of heavy damage.
Insuratce officials say the cold spell has caused
more than \$50 million in darnages on homes, antid
businesess mostly as a result of broken water pipes and mains.
-Most of the damage has been to homes and Casinesses, mostly due to busting water pipes," sai
Cart Lee. a representative of the Insurance Infor-
mation Institute. "The breaking pipes have caused mation Institute, "The breaking pipes have caused
a lot of water damage, and it becomes quite expenHe estimated the $\$ 50$ million figure would climb, unveiled more damages.
Gov. Mark White said Friday he is requesting a major disaster declaration for Hidealge, Starr,
Willacy and Cameron counties located in the
heart of the Jower Rio Grande Valley's agricultural industry.
Approval of the request by President Reagan
would allow various federal aid programs to be would allow various federal aid programs to be
made available to farmers and unemployed workers in the four-county area.
White said in a letter to Reagan that other coun-
ties may be added to his request depending on data ties may be added to his request dep
compiled by state and local officials. Citrus growers now say that total damages from
the Dec. 24 freeze could total $\$ 100$ million, while million economic loss.
Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightowers has ordered an embargo of most citrus
crops until Jan. 9 to keep damaged fruit off the inFollowing a meeting in San Juan with local
leaders Friday, Hightower issued a gloomy forecast

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By BETTY DEBNAM


Keeper Bingham gives Hsing-Hsing a
carrot as he stands in his wire cage. carrot as he stands in his wire cage.
Hsing-Hsing is much easier to manage
than the female, Ling-Ling. However. than the femaiae, Ling-Ling. However,
Barbara thinks Ling-Ling would make
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Barbara Bingham has an important job at the
National D.C.
living is the keeper of two pandas, female Ling-Ling and male Hsing-Hsing (pronounced "Shing-Shing") to be real" says Barbara, to be real," says Barbara,
who has looked after the 12 who has looked after the 12 -
year-olds for the past eight year-old
years.
years.
"But they are not the overgrown, stuffed toys they anpear to be. They are wind strong jaws," Barbara says
"While they appear to enjoy people, it is not safe to go into their cages with them," she added.
Barbara has to be a very careful observer as she guards the health of the most popular animals at the zoo.


Winter is panda weather. Ling-Ling and Hsing-Hsing love snow and col They can see each other through a moon-shaped, wire-covered fence
 netan 5 s .95
 several times a week. As
the breeding season gets nearer and nearer this spring, the plans are to put them together more often. If they do mate, and all goes well, a cub might be later.
We can't tell if a female panda is expecting a baby by looking at her. She gets no bigger because her baby about 4 pounds).
As the time the cub is supposed to be due gets nearer and nearer, zoo volunteers watch Ling-Ling 24 hours a day on
A panda baby at the
National Zoo would mak 1984 a very happy year for all panda lovers everywhere.
There are about 50 giant pandas in zoos around the in the wild in China where they are from.
Bingham's important job is managing this rare pai so they
Last summer, Ling-Ling gave birth to a cub, but it
lived for only a few hours gived for only a few hours.
The zoo people were sad The zoo people were sad
but also happy to know but also happy to know
that she and Hsing-Hsing that she and Hsing-Hsing The become parent The pandas are put

Maybe 1984 Will Be the Year of the Panda Baby

## Panda Schedule

 Morning 7:00 Up and pacing. 9:30 Placed together several times a week, usually in Ling-Ling's outside yard. Thiey usually ignore each${ }^{11: 00}$ play. Feeding takes place in outside yards (if the
weather is right). Th pandas are always fed separately.
Afternoon
room.
3:00 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Fed in indoor display room }\end{array}$ Back to sleep. They nap
for a little while and then get up and pace around. Then it's back for another
snooze.


| Speckled Lime Pie

| You'll need: |
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| To find the punch line, use the symbols as a code to fill in the missing letters. <br> from The Mini Page by Betty Debnam © 1984 U'niversal Press Syndicate | WHAT DO YOU CALL A COW THAT SITS ON THE GRASS? |
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'Trip-wire' Vietnam vets hiding in wilderness


## One paper sues another for libel

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) - A Florida ap-
peal court Friday cleared the way for one
newspaper to sue another for libel. newspaper to sue another for libel.
In a $2-1$ ruling, the st Dt District Court of Ap-
peal said newspaper writers can be sued for peal said newspaper writers can be sued for
libel if they mix unattributed malicious The majority expression. The majority opinion said Kenneth and publishes The Taco Times, should be able to sue The Perry News-Herald for an unflatter-
ing column printed Dec. 24, 1980. District Judge Ford L. Thompson issued a strongly worded dissent, suggesting that
newspaper publishers should be able take criticism as well as give it.
"if a newspaper "If a newspaper can publish almost
anything about a public figure with immunity then surely at least the same immunity should
and publisher of a
said in his dissent.
said in his dissent.
"Perhaps the appellopaper," Thompson has chosen the wrong profession. If one Smith) stand the heat, he should not go into the kitbe chef." The Smith lawsuit, filed in circuit court,
alleged libel in three items published in The Perry News-Herald during December 1980: a
letter tothe letter to cone editor, a news article about a fight
and Circuit Judge John A. Rudd dismissed the Circuit Judge John A. Rudd dismissed the
complaint, ruling that none of the published items was libelous.
The appeal court agreed there was no cause
for legal action in regard to the letter or news article.
But the appeal court reversed the trial court
confrontation between Smith of The Taco
Times and Buddy Sadler, husband of an employee at The News-Herald.
The News-Herald column, written by Doris Morgan, was titled: "Barbs We IIgnore, But Physical. Violence Is Something Entirely
Different."
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The columnist described Smith as a violent man and protested that, "Such conduct is appaling in a profession dedicated to the
precept that the pen is mightier than the The appeal court said "pure expression of
opinion" is constitutionally protected from opinion" is constitutionally protected from
libel actions, but mixed expression is not.
"In addition to reporting the incident pertual assertions about an made certain facwithout citing the source of the iformation," the court said

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { STEAMING HOT - Two San Angelo } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Friday morning. Firemen fought the } \\ \text { birefighters are enveloped in steam }\end{array} \text { blaze for five hour before it was brought }\end{array}$ hrefighters are enveloped in steam blaze for five hour before it was sroughi
created after they had hosed each other
under control. No one was iniured in the


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animals; wearing buckskin clothes, living in caves and hollow tree stumps.
He was one of several trip-wire vets interviewed by the Tacoma News Tribune for a series of stories this week. 'There's a lot the public don't know - and probably will neveres know - about what happened in 'Nam," he
said. "The only job skills Thave are those that might be said. "The only job skills I have are
useful to a hit man for the Mafia."

Marvin said he spent four years in Vietnam as a Special Forces Scout before being wounded in 1971. the woods, holing up in Colorado, Wyoming and Montana and ending up in Washington. He avoided all human contact, he said, because "I conidn"t stand to He said he suffered from paranoia and nightmares. Since he sought counseling a year ago, Webster
diagnosed him as a victim of post-traumatic stress diagnosed him as a victim of post-(racherace stress show themselves years after the event that caused
them. Bill Maier, 35 , says he was another trip-wire vet. An ex-Marine who saw heevy combat during his Vietnam
stint, Maier said he sought refuge in the woods from ex-Marine who saw heaught refuge in the woods from
stint, Maier said he
his recurring nightmares. But his sanctuary became his torment, for the isola-
Bis tion became too "much. "II became afraid of
everything," he said. "I had to get out. Everything was everything," " he said. "I had to get out. Every
closing in on me." Miers ought help from Webster, his former high
school track coach, and now says, 'I feel I'm getting schiool track coach, and now says, "I feel I'm getting
well again." He spends much of his time going back to well again." He spends much of his time going back to
the woods to find other trip-wire vets and urge them to seek counseling.
Trip-wire vets are not "Ioonies," Fisher said. They
are troubled and confused men who cannot come to
terms with their post-traumatic stress disorder.

Houston pressure returning
$\underset{\text { water pressure was "amazingly area" water and drain the pipes. }}{\text { Carl }}$ (APe of the Texas in water pressure was "amazingly good" Carl Lee, of the Texas Insurance In-

Friday as the city appeared to be finding formation Institute in Austion \begin{tabular}{l}
a way of coping with record low $\begin{array}{l}\text { formation institute in Austin, said he } \\
\text { believed half of the } 100,000 \\
\text { victims }\end{array}$ <br>
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temperatures which officials estimated $\begin{array}{l}\text { would be unable to file insurance claims } \\
\text { had damaged some } 100,000 \text { homes due to } \\
\text { because damage was less than deducti- }\end{array}$ <br>
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\end{tabular} broken water some 100,000 homes due to "People have got the idea to not flow their pipes," Dan Jones, a city public

works department spokesman said. One method of kpeeping pipes from freezing, residents believe, is to keep
trickle of water running. However, whe trickle of water running. However, when
so many homes do that, and combined with pipes already broken and flowing water pressure is difficult to keep. city officials have been recommen-
ding that people should turn off thei be under their homeowners' insu $\underset{\text { Meanw }}{\text { continued }}$
Meanwhile, reports of price-gougin general's office in Houston. Nearly 150 ""The received by Friday.
"The phone's just been ringing off the
attorney general's of fice wall,', attorney general's of the
spokesman Edward Wesley said. "And as more people become aware of this people should turn off calls will increase

## Seattle set to test Dolphins

MIAMI (AP) - The more Don Shula looks at the
Seattle Seahawks, the more he thinks he's looking a
the Buffalo the Buffalo Bills. In fact, Shula pulled out old films from Chuck Miami Dolphins for Saturday's $12: 30$ to ready his tional Football League playoff game against the While the Dolphins and Seahawks are almost strangers - Miami has won both previous
meetings, in 1977 and 1979 - Shula and Knox have often stared across the field at each other, main when Knox was head man with the Bills. They als met once when Knox coached the Los Angele
Rams. "When you think of Seattle, you can't help but
think of Buffalo and comparisons with past Chuck Knox teams," Shula said, recalling the division In his first season at Seattle, Knox directed the Seahawks, 9.7 , into the playoffs for the first time in
the franchise's eight-year history. And the Seahawks' 31-7 victory over the Denver Broncos last week made Knox the first NFL coach to win a playoff game with three different team first years with the Rams and Bills.
"When you play a Chuck Knox team, you know
you are in for a highly competitive game," said

Shula, whose Dolphins are 104 and champions of what Knox's trademark is? Look at how they playe (last) Saturday. They didn't make any mistakes. you think of out the old Buffalo films because when sert (rookie running back Curt) Warner for Joe Cribbs. Knox is
did in Buffalo."
Shula has won eight of their meetings, but none o the victories came easy - the ebigest margin wa
10 points, and four of the games were decided by three points or less.
Knox also revamped his defense, switching from a 43 alignment to a three-man front, and signed of fensive guard Reggie McKenzie, who played fo
Buffalo, and fullback Cullen Bryant, a Los Angele pupil, for leadership.
Saturday's game feature's the AFC's top two
quarterbacks, Miami's Dan Marino and Seattle's Dave Krieg. Both took over from more establishe starters at midseason, Marino passing for 2,210
yards and 20 touchdowns and Krieg for 2,139 yard and 18 TDs.
Krieg, a fourth-year pro, was almost perfect
against the Broncos, completing 12 of 13 passes for
Lady Steers fall to Bobcats SAN ANGELO- The Big Spring Lady Steers ran incats which resulted in a $64-52$ loss for the Lady Steers. San Angelo's tough inside game proved too much for
Big Spring as the host team worked the ball inside to Big Spring as the host team worked the ball inside to
heir taller front line which averaged three inches more than Big Spring.
The Bobcats' Val Schuldt, Bonnie Smith and Monica
Bradley proved too tough for RSHS San Angelo opened upa a $22-12$ first quarter lead and never trailed. The lead was opened up to $42-28$ at
halftime thanks to a pesky Bobcat press But the Lady Steers were down but not out as they gamely fought back thanks to the scoring of forward Monette Wise who rippled the nets for 19 points.
Midway through the third quarter the Lady Steers Midway through the third quarter the Lady Steers
narrowed the lead to $46-40$ but that is as close as they would get.
Big Spring was outrebounded badly thorought the
contest as Schuldt led a balanced Bobcat scoring and ebounding attack with 9 rebounds and 11 points. Smith and Bradley added 12 points each as san San Angelo Paula Spears and guard Debra Rubio added 10
points each for the Lady Steers whose record falls to points each for $1-1$ in district play

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## Wills may have charges dropped

 COMPTON, Calif. (AP), no intention of selling theFormer LLes Angeles cocine. He would also
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Wills might be eligible for a counseling program. Dodgers shortstop Maury have to complete a drug
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cocaine be arraigned Jan. 6 in Com possession charges against pton Municipal Court. He
him could be dropped, a was arrested early Tuesspoksman for the LLos day while allegedly driving
angeles County district at- a stolen car, and police orney's office says. found a vial allegedly conAl Albergate, the office's taining a .06 of a gram of
public information officer, the substance in the car. says Wills, who briefly "If a small amount
she the managed the Seattle found, and it is for persona
Mariners, could have the use and not intended to b felony charge dismissed if sold, such persons ar he has no prior drug of- usually eligible for a drug


VICTORY RIDE-Florida State's Bobby Bowden gets a ride off the field of the Peach Bowl Friday after his
Seminoles defeated the Tar Heels of North Carolina


BOSTON DRIVER-Boston Celtics Gerald Henderson 43) drives the lane against Dallas Mavericks guard
Brad davis (15) in the first quarter Friday night in Dallas' Reunion Arena. Henderson did not make the
basket but he was fouled on the play making both free basket
throws.

Albergate said. "But it's up- $\begin{gathered}\text { Aldrich said she had } \\ \text { spoken with Wills on the }\end{gathered}$ Wills, who is free on $\begin{aligned} & \text { telephone since then, but } \\ & \text { still was unaware that he }\end{aligned}$
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## FSU shocks Tar Heels

ATLANTA (AP) - Forida State a 3 - ${ }^{\text {and }}$ field goal by Broks Barwick
ophomore Eric Thomas, making his first
early in the fourth quarter after the Tar coliegiate start, shocked North Carolina Heels marched 71 yards to Florida State's with two first-quarter touchdown passes
to Weegie Thompson to pace the Seminoles to a 283 s victory over the Tar
Heels Friday in the 16th annual Peach
Bowl.
Thomas hit Thompson on an 18 -yard
toss in the end zone to cap a 69 - $a$ ard drive in nine plays following the opening
kickoff. He then connected with Thomp-
son on a 15 -yard score less than four
minutes later.
Florida State, making up somewhat for
its $55-14$ embarrassment to Florida in its its 3314 emberrassment to Florida in its
season finale, made it 210 at the half
when Roosevalt Snipes done
 zone from the 1 -yard line following a half. But the 40 -yard drive fizzied a
fumbled punt that was recovered by the Florida State's 28 and a 42 -yard field goa Seminoles on the North Carolina 16 .
North Carolina's only scoring came on
$\qquad$ 20 before stalling.
Thomas closed out the scoring by
sneaking sneaking over from the 1 with only 31 The Temaining in the game The Tar Heels of the Atlantic Coas
Conference managed only 85 yards in of fense in the opening 30 minutes of the na tionally televised contest played under
sunny skies and temperatures in the low
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State, an independent, had finished its Florida State's 23 and a 42 -yard field goal
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Bulldogs win
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 The Coahoma boys advanced to the
championship contest with a $69-57$ win ver Hamlin.
Jod the scoring charge with Phernetton led the scoring charge with 24 and 16
points respectively. Forsan-Stanton split FORSAN- The Forsan and Stanton
boys and girls split victories Friday night. The Forssan girls edged Stanton by a
score of $36-32$ behind the scoring of score of $38-32$ behind the scoring of
Cathy Thurman who had 11 points. Ruth Jones led Stanton with 10 points. Ruu The Stanton boys got
san by a score of $59-47$. Daren Hagen led Stanton with 14
points while David Lucas added points while David
points for Forsan.
The Forsan girls' record is now $8-4$ for the year winle the boys drop to $5-7$.
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 Perkins leads 'Heels NEW YORK (AP) - Sam Perkins, North Carolina's
6-foot-10 senior who sometimes looks passive on the
court was fired court, was fired up against St. Johns.
He poured in 31
lead points with deadly inside shooting to
lead the Tar Heels to the Holiday Festival basketball teitle Thursday night in a $64-51$ victory over the No.
Redmen. It was unbeaten North Carolina's eighth conRedmen. It was unbeaten North Carolina's eighth con-
secutive win.
"Perkins got the shots inside," said Tar Heels Coach Dean Smith. "We needed that."
Perkins also needed that after hitting only one of 11 Perkins also needed that after hitting only one of 11
shots from the floor and scoring six points Tuesday
night in first round play against Iona. Against St. John's, he connected on 11 ,of 13 . P . Serkins was beautiful," "said St. John's Coach Lou Carnesecca, whose team went into the game with an
$8-0$ record. "It's the best I've ever seen him play." The long-limbed Brooklyn native earned the
Festival's Most Valuable Player Award and wowed the Festival's Most aiuabie Player Award and wowed te
capacity yrow of 19,591 at Madison Square Garden.
Perkins, who led Carolina with nine rebounds, said about the MVP, "It's a compliment, but it was a team
effort." St. John's threw a scare into Carolina in the firist
half, leading 24-14, as Chris Mullin hit four straight half, leading 24-14, as Chris Mullin hit four straight
goail. But Carolina recovered as Perkins and Michael goals. But Carolina recovered as Perkins and Michael
Jordan, who also had a poor game against Iona, got
hot, and St. John's led only $26-24$ at halftime hot, and St. John's led only $26-24$ at halftime.
Jordan was she only other Tar Heel in double figures,
with 11 points, but he had his troubles. For the first with in points, but he had his troubles. For the first
time in 78 games the All-American guard failed to Smith penalized him for being two minutes late for a
team meeting Thursday. He was caught in a traffic jam in a cab on Fifth Avenue.
Smith inserted him at the first timeout with a little Smith inserted him at the first timeout with a little
over two minutes gone. But Jordan committed four
turnovers before hitting his first goal with $2: 37$ left in turnovers before
the first half.
"Jordan pressed too hard for points," said Smith.
Smith credited Matt Doherty for shutting off Mullin
and the "Carolina Smith creaited Matt Doherty for shutting off Mullin
and the "Carolina scramble," a double-teaming
defense, for the Tar defense, for the Tar Heels' second-half comeback.
Doherty said, "He had 16 in the first half. It's tough Donerty said, "He had 16 in the first half. It's tough him to go after the shot. It wass a combinaton of things.
We all did a good job on him." -
Mullin, who hit seven of 12 field goal tries before in-
termission, missed all six of his shots from the floor in termission, missed all six of his shots from the floor in
the second half.He came up with two free throws and
was the Redmen's only player in double figures with
After St. John's led 2414 with 4:22 remaining in the
first half, Perkins and Jordan went to work. They comfirst half, Perkins and Jordan went to work. They com-
bined for 11 point in a 22.5 surge that put the Tar Heels on top $36-29$ with 14:44 left in the second half.
The Redmen cut the margin to $36-35$ and then trailed
$40-37$ before Carolina turned it on with Perkins hitting from the free throw line and from inside with short

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Town seeks to honor drifter who saved girl from assault

LEVITTOWN, Pa, (AP) - A drifter who was shot in
the neck while saving a teen-age girl from her attacker the neck while saving a teen-age girl from her attacke
could receive a meal and money for his heroism Tomeone could find him.
Tullytown Borough police credit Joseph Patrick
Mahoney, 26 , with the Sept. 29 rescue of a 1 竍 girl from an assault by an armed man in a wooded area where Mahoney lived. The Carnegie Commission of Pittsburgh, which
presents medals and $\$ 2.50$ grants 100 people who have erisked their lives to save others heard about the inciden
The commission last week contacted Tullytown Poince Chie Gasper Favoroso seeking details. He
mailed his report Monday, but said he had no idea
where Mahoney was. where Mahoney was. Ihere's no question there could have been a been theredy, Favoroso said. Mahoney, a tall, thin, bearded man described by acpolice he saw schoolbooks scattered along a path in th woods and had started to pick them up when he heard a
scream. He ran to a clearing, where he found the man lying on top of the girl.
The assailant, a
The assailant, a heavyset man who was carrying a
small-caliber pistol, struggled with Mahoney while the girl fled.
He grabbed Mahoney by the throat, shot him in the
neck and fled on a dark green bicycle. neck and fied on a dark green bicycle.
Mahoney staggered to a tavern in a ne
center and collapsed. The girl, a parochial school stu-
dent who had been taking a shortcut home, went to a pizza shop, where someone called police. The girl, whose name was not released, was treated for cuts and bruises at Delaware Valley Medica Center in nearby Bristol. Mahoney was taken to th
medical center, but was transferred that night to Albert Einstein Medical Center's North Division in Philadelphia.
Mahoney wa Mahoney was released from the hospital, and the weeks ago, when a Levittown crossing guard spotted him near an elementary schoo
The bullet that lodged in Mahoney's neck is stil
there because doctors decided it would be to

dangerous to remove it, according to Lois Tanzola of woods where Mahoney lived
Favoroso said Mahoney "confronted the assailant,
who had a loadeerteap who had a loaded eapon. Some people might have run
and screamed, but to go forward at a guy with a gun he could have béen kilied instantly."
Mrs. Tanzola said Meh Mrs. Tanzola said Mahoney, who came into her store
occasionally, told her "he just didn't feel like hero occasionally, dold her he just didn't feel like a hero,
He said he didn't do anything anyone else wouldn't have done."
She said that after Mahoney left the hospital, he by workers at her shopping center ran out. "He had been in the woods for quite a while, but I
never heard him beg for
money," she said. "He

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new classified driver licen-
ens ing system in ith a law passed by the ${ }^{1983}$ LLegislature "Licenses issuued prior to 984 will be valid until the expiration dates which ap-
pear on them," Adams
aid. "The new aid. "The new lilenses
aill carry classification designating the type and weight of vehicles which the holder may operate."
Most drivers will get a license which permits operation of a single, two
axle vehicle with an overall axle vet of 24,000 pounds or
weight less. This designation would allow the towing of
vehicle not exceeding 10,000 pounds orceeding a farm
10 trailer not exceeding 20,000
pounds. It also pounds. It also covers
operation of a bus with a seating capacity of not
more than 23 passengers. The class "B" licenses
allows a driver to operate single vehicles of mor single vehicles of mor
than 24,000 pounds and
buses with The class "A" covers any vehicle or combinatio The "M" designation is driven cycles and mopeds. ncluding renewals will be valid for four years,",
Adams said "The fee for
obtaining or renewing all cense classes will be $\$ 10$
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A ghost story
Christmas credit debts haunt Americans

| By LOUISE COOK Associated Press Writer |  | are healthy. Credit counselors say people who are in debt over their heads tend to pay bills later and |
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| holiday bills, but the spirit doesnn't |  |  |
| have to be scary if you know how to manage money. |  |  |
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| pay later. |  | Statistics show the use of revolv- |
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| month and 1983 is expected to be no exception. The figures aren't in yet, |  |  |
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| to predict record sales, and the |  |  |
| consumers to start spending again |  |  |
| for big-ticket items like appliances |  |  |
| that frequently are bought on credit. |  |  |
| Government figures also show a credit comeback. |  |  |
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In typical Winger fashion, she made all
three deals without an agent.
und N. None ever told ament had to follow the
rules," she said."There are no givens in the movie business."
But "An Officer and a Genteman" taught her she really needed an agent. "II signed the wrong 'ndity' clause", she said. "All the contracts have nudity clauses,
you know. They dofini evartin zones
trem
from the right shoulder to the upper thigh, and from the neck to midway down the
trunk.
"II usually try to avoid nude seenes. They're embarrassing to me and dembar tassing to ony
family. usualy y leave them to those whol look
good tup there.) She laughed a to appear nude in locengshot dinally agreeing director, Dovid Weilieved of the duty after the
decided to use $a$ better

Her voice is somewhere between alto and
baritone and sounds at all times as if she has baritone and sounds at all times as if she has
spent a
night cheering for the
Los spent a aingt cheering for the Los Angeles
Lakers basketbal team, which she often does
with Nicholson. "M "My mother says $I I$ ve had this voice since 1 I
which is the same age when boys are kicked out of the choir"," she said "I "mssts sy
it was very helpflin in
in the neighborhood."

## New book details pranks by Caltech students


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## Drama added to

 economics book
## CORVALLIS, Ore. (AP) - The nation is entering its

 The U.S. economy is teetering on the brink of col-lapse, when, mysteriously, a key presidential adviser lapse, when, mysteriously, a key presidential adviser
and his mistress are murdered. The stuff of a murder-mystery thriller? No, a college economics textbook.
Murray Wolfson, an economics professor at Oregon
State University, and Vincent Buranelli, a writer from Sew Jerseys, have produced "In the Long Run We Are
All Dead." "Economi "Economics needs to be taught better than it is,"
said Wolfson, a slight graying man with an energetic
laugh. laugh.
To make the subject easier to digest, he created a cast of characters who discuss and argue over the
workings of the national economy. Unlike a dry texwook, Wolfson's book brings to life economic issues
tand principles and principles.
Wolfson and
h ture the imagination of profeessors and students alike.
"There's only "There's only one other book like it on the market
and it has sold remarkably well ". siid editor Micheel Weber, who says he's convinced the Wolfson book will also do well.
Its lucid
Its lucid descriptions of conservative vs. liberal
economic policies put it in a league with traditional economic poicies put it in a league with traditional
textbooks on the subject. Combined with the classic whodunit tale, Weber thinks it's an unusual product.
"'This book is intended to be a supplementary text for (college) course in macroeconomics," the study of gross economic principles that contribute to the national economy.
"There are many thousands - perhaps even a
million - students taking macroeconomics courses each year. That's the market we want to reach," he The idea came to Wolfson in 1981 when he was a
visiting professor at the University of Southern visiting professor at the University of Southern
California. After contacting the publisher, "I sat down at the word process
"Then I discovered I couldn't write a novel," he said. cut all my sentences in half, but we kept the same plot line and characters."
The result is a fast-paced novel in which two federal administrators - both economists - turn out to be the

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enses on city stoplights, fired strawberry Jello frod historic cannon and rigged up a long-range launcher to ob oranges at Pasadena city College.
One caper that infuriated One caper that infuriated many and earned the
pranksters numerous prizes was the McDonald's affair.
In March 1975, the fast-food chain sponsored a
$\$ 50,000$ sweepstakes that offered a roceries and a Datsun sports car as the top prizes. Triee students took literally the contest rules in fine print that said "enter as often as you wish.""
Helped by a Caltech computer, the three printed

## Marvin feuds with Hurt

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)

- Those who worked with Lee Those who worked with Lee
Marvin and William Hurt on the
Finland loceltions Finland locations of "Gorky
Park" expected and acting with the starring combination.
disappointed.
Marvin is
Marvin is the battle-scared
veteran of the South Pacific and eeran of the South Pacific and
Hollywood wars, a man given to provocative-some say
outrageous - statements. Hurt is a New York a stor - distant and
introspective Theypectay antagonists in "Gorky
Park,", Orion Pictures' release based on the Martin Cruz Smith bestseller and filmed in bitterly
cold Finland and Sweden. Hurt is Arkady Renko, a Moscow police officer investigating the mutila-
tion murders of three unknown tion murders of three unknown
victims near an ice rink. Marvin is Jack Osborne, a mysterious American moneyman suspected
of black market dealings.
Hurt doesn't Hurt doess't give interviews.
Marvin does, speaking in bursts of Marvin does, speaking in bursts of
wisdom that are sometimes more puzzling than wise. said of Hurt. "For every new role he has to part his hair differently daughter, who is a sududent of film,
saw 'Gorky Park' and observed

that Hurt gets a lot of closeups.
Maybe he needs "We were diong a scene in a
restaurant, And I notice something. Itold him, 'Bill, you're getting loud.' You know what? He
gets louder. Now look, I'm playing gets louder. Now look, I'm playing
the heavy, and he's getting loud. Doesn't make sense." getting loud. Marvin had even more to say
about' his co-star. "He's a dangerous actor, but he didn't
scare me. I've always operated
under the same philosophy: Know
your lines and defend yourself." your lines and defend yourself."
Marvin, 59, has been defending himself fin films since 1951 when he
made his debut as a sailor in the made his debut as a sailor in the
movie, "You're in the Navy Now." movie, "You're in the Navy Now."
He was the discovery of Henry
Hathaway, reputedly the toughest Hathasay, reputedly y the toughest
director in Hollywood. director in Hoilywood.
"I saw old Henry this year at the
film festival in Deauville, where film festival in Deauville, where
he was getting a tribute," Marvin
said "I twas talking to a bunch of he was getting a tribute," Marvin
said. "I was talking to a bunch of
reporters when Henry came up reporters when Henry came up
and said, 'I see you're still making the same mistake - talking and
not listening."
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McDonald's restaurants around Southern Colif at 1 milion McDonald's restaurants around Southern California. cluding a Datsun station wagon, $\$ 3,000$ in cash and about $\$ 1,500$ worth of McDonald's gift certificates. The "The students acted in complete contradiction to the American standards of fair play and sportsmanship, McDonald's said, but the prank was declared legal.
is quiet so far. We haught anybody this year, but in years past, we've found balloons implanted under the sur go of during the game by remote switch," Lt. Richard The Massachusedtts Inst
The Massachusetts Institute of Technology pulled off
a similar balloon stunt at a \#prvard game soon after
"We've got security inside the bowl," Emerson said "The've got security inside the bowl," Emerson said. "It's very exciting and very important for us to
salute and preserve this heritage of cleverness that thrives at Caltech," said one of the editors of the book, Reuben Moulton, a 1957 graduate in mechanical engineering whono now works for Pacific Telephone. "We wanted to honor the deep-seated sense of humor
and high intelligence that for years have combined to and high intelligence that for years, have combined
produce simply wonderful pranks," Moulton said. produce simply wonderful pranks, "Mouton said.
The book's introduction declarss that Caltech pranks "never injure persons or damage property (per-
manently)." Often, "they teach a tongue-in-cheek
 though not always useful, 'first,'" the book says.
The proceds from the book, which will cost $\$ 9$, will
go to the Caltech Alumni Association.
Companies buy movie space for advertising HOLLYWOOD (AP) - Remember the Reese's
Pieces that lured E.T. out of a suburban garage in the Pece hit film? Or the Yoplait and Tender Vittles
1982 hat 1982 hit film? Or the Yoplait and Tender vitues
coupons that Michael Keaton used as poker chips in
"Mr. Mom"? The use in films of these and other products is
becoming big business in Hollywood. Once scrounged becoming big business in Hollywood. Once scrounged
from companies to save money on films, in recent years, items were brokered to producers by so-called product agents, who took substantial fees from cor-
porations in return for guaranteed use of products in a set number of films.
Now studios are getting into the act, eliminating the
middleman. The 2oth Century-Fox Licensing and Merchandising Corp. has signed contracts to use Miller-
beer and Snauwaert tennis gear. Other sudios say beer and Snauwaert tennis gear. Other st
they're looking into similar arrangements.
"The reason is that if we deal with a company and
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'Trip-wire' Vietnam vets hiding in wilderness


LOST IN THE WOODS - Marvin did not want his last name published tracks a mountain lion on a forest trail near Forks, Wash., recently,

FORKS, Wash. (AP) - Hiding out in Washington"
wilderness, "trip-wire"" veterans are almost never wisderness, thip are the veterans are almost never
seen. But a few are there sing society and living
by the skills they by the skills they learned in the Vietnam jungle, the "Trip wire" was the phrase U.S. for the unseen, deadly traps the Viet Cong laid along trails to snare and maim GIIs on patrol. . It also appplied
to certain soldiers who developed a knack for finding to certian soldiers who developed
those traps and dismantling them.
Now state officials are using the phrase to describe a very small percentage of velcranorio, unabie oo cope proval they faced upon returning home, disappeared
into the woods to live the only way they felt into the wo
"Out there in the woods are wonderful, loving people who just want to be left alone, who are saying, 'Id don't want a world where I am going to be spit on and have
tomatoes thrown in my face," said Bruce Webster, a tort Angeles psychologist who works with veterans.
About 8 trip About 85 trip-wire vets have re entered society since
the state Veterans Affairs Department began an the state Veterans Affairs Department began an
outreach program, said department director Randy Fisher. He said he did not know how many more ther might be.
With a With a $\$ 100,000$ grant from the state, Fisher and Mike
McWatters, a private consultant and veteran who says Me himself hid for two years in New York's Adiron
dacks, began the counsel dacks, began the counseling service in August.
Last summer McWatters did a survey to determine how many of the state's 100,000 Vietnam era veterans needed counseling but lacked programs. He found about 1,000 , and a number of them were vets whose ex istence resembled that of 19 th-century mountain men
Marvin, a 33 -year-old ex-Marine who did not wan his last name published, says he lived as a woodland
shadow off and on for 10 years, tracking and trapping
animals, wearing buckskin clothes, living in caves and holliow tree stumps.
He was one of several trip-wire vets interviewed by the Tacoma News Tribune for a series of stories this "'There's a lot the public don't know - and probably will never k now - about what thappened in ". Nam,"
said. "The only job skills I have are those that might be saic. "The only jobstills I have are,
useful to a hit man for the Mafia."

Marvin said he spent four years in Vietnam as Special Forces the woods, holing up in Colorado, Wyoming and Mo tana and ending up in Washington. He avolded a human cont He said he suffered from paranoia and nightmares. Since he sought counseling a year ago, Webste disorder - a pyy Iness in which symptons Bill, Maier, 35, says he was another trip-wire vet. A ex-Marine who saw heav stint, Maier said he sought refuge in the woods from his recurring nightmares.
But his sanctuary became his torment, for the isola-
tion became tion became too much. "I became afraid of closing in on me" Maier sought help from Webster, his former high Maier sought help from webster, his former hign
school track con., and now says, "I feel Im getting well again." He spends much of his timee going back to the woods to find
seek counseling.
Trip-wire vets are not "loonies," Fisher said. They are troubled and confused men who cannot come to terms with their post-traumatic stress disorder.

## One paper sues another for libel

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) - A Florida ap- and publisher of a newspaper," Thompson peal court Friday cleared the way for one said in his dissent In a $2-1$ ruling, the ist District Court of Appeal saif they mix unattributed malicious claims with "pure ex ssion."
The majority opirion said Kenneth and Elizabeth Smith, principals in a company that Elizabeth Smith, principals, should be able to
publishes The Taco
sue The Perry News-Herald for an unflattersue The Perry News-Herald for
sug column printed Dec. 24, 1980.

District Judge Ford L. Thompson issued a strongly worded dissent, suggesting that
newspaper publishers should be able take criticism as well as give it. "If a newspaper can publish almost
anything about a pubicic figure with immunity,
then surely at least the same immunity should then surely at least the same immunity should
attach to a statement made about the editor
and publisher of
said in his dissent.
"Perhaps the
"Perhaps the appellant (Kenneth Smith) has chosen the wrong profession. If one cannot
stand the heat, he should not go into the kitchen, and more particularly, should not try to be chef." The Smith lawsuit, filed in circuit court,
alleged libel in three items published in The anege dibel in three items published in The
Perry News-Herald during December 1980: a
letter to the editor letter to the editor, a news article about a fight Circuit Judge complaint Judge John A. Rudd dismissed the that none of the published
items was libelous.

The
The appeal court agreed there was no cause article. But the appeal court reversed the trial court
on the column, which dealt with an alleged
confrontation between Smith of The Taco
Times and Buddy Sadler, husband of an employee at The News-Herald.
The News Morgan, was titled: "Barbs We Ignore, But Mhysical was tiolence "Barbs We Is Something Ente, But
Enirely Different
The columnist described Smith as a violent
man and protested that, "Such conduct is man and protested that, "Such conduct is ap palling in a profession dedicated to the
precept, that the pen is mightier than the sword." The appeal court said "pure expression The appeal court said "pure expression of
opinion" is constitutionally protected from libel actions, but mixed expression is not.
"In addition to reporting the incident per-
taining to Sadler, the writer made certain facnal assertions, the writer made certain fac without citing the source of the iformation without citing the


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water pressure was "amaing and drain the pipes.
Carl Lee, of the Texas water pressure was "amazingly good" Carl Lee, of the Texas Insurance In
Friday as the city appearedto be finding
formation Institute in Austin, said he a way of coping with record low believed half of the 100,000 victims temperatures which officials estimated
had damaged some 100,000 homes due to be unable to file insurance claim
because damage was less than deductibroken water pipes.
"People have got the idea to not flow their pipes," Dan Jones, a city public One method of keeping pipes from freezing, residents believe, is to keep a
trickle of water ren trickle of water running. However, when
so many homes do that, and combined so many homes do that, and combined
with pipes already broken and flowing, water pressure is difficult to keep. dity officials have been recommen-


STEAMING HOT - Two San Angelo Friday morning. Firemen fought the firefighters are envelopes in steam blaze for ive hour before it was brough
created after they had hosed each other under control. No one was iniured in the down in the inferno that broke out early fire that destroyed a freight warehouse.

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