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DRIVER UNINJURED－The driver of this which swerved into his lane as the two were headed 18－wheeler escaped serious iniury in an accident $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { south．The truck＇s brakes locked and the vehicle skidd } \\ & \text { ed off the road and overturned．Driver Ted Kimble，32，}\end{aligned}$
Wednesday morning on South 87 a few miles south of
Big Spring．According to accident reports，the driver
of Missouri city，Texas，received a bump on the head Big Spring．According to accident reports，the driver
Ice causes bad wrecks
Collision sends local man to intensive care

## By CAROL BALDWIN

A Big Spring man is in critical condition in the int sive care unit of Odessa Medical Center following a
two－car collision Wednesday in the 1600 block of Wasson Rond．
Ronald Smith，48，of Box 2708，received severe head injuries in the aecident．His wife，Judy，is in good con－
dition in Malone－Hogan Hospital with fractures of the pelvis and legs，according to the hospitals＇spokesmen．
Police remort coung the
was westbound on Wasson Road about 12：52 p．m．
Wednesday when an eastbound vehicle，driven by Johnnie Lee Scott of 3709 Hamilton，apparently hit patch of iee and spun into the weastbound ane of traffic cott＇s vehicle went off the road into the dirt．＂．
Reports show that Smith＂apparently panicked and Reports show＂hat Smith apparently panicked and
swerved to miss（Scott＇s vehicle）although there wa great distance＂between the two vehicle．
A car driven by Roland King，22，of A car driven by Roland King，22，of Sterling City
Route，was eastbound on Wasson Road．When Smith

## Firemen meet with Davis

By RICK BROWN
Staff Writer
Although City Manager Don Davis said he is＂not
dealing＂with a new union of city firemen the city dealing＂，with a new union of city firemen，the city grievances filed by union members，Davis said Tuesday．
Davis sai Davis said the apparent contradiction stems from a ＂vagueness as to what constitutes a bargaining
recognition from the electorate in the form of a
referendum to act as a bargaining agent．Yet，also by referendum to act as a bargaining agent．Yet，also by
law，an employee is entitled to representation by a per－
son of his choice when his grievances are heard － ＂If union officials are representing an employee and
not bargaining，I don＇t know what they＇re doing，＂ Davis said．
Union pre

## Christmas freeze costs city big money

## by RICK BROWN

 More than $\$ 100,000$ is what the Christmas holididy blast of arctic air cost the city of BigSpring，according to figures released by the Spring，according to figures re
city Public Works Department． The frigid holiday weather brought record low temperatures to the Big Spring area and had city and private crews working around
the clock to repair cold－related water line and street damage．
City Public．
said this morning the figure was not unex－ pected，considering the extent
line crisis that faced the city． During the period between Dec．21，1983，and Jan．6，the city suffered more than 130 water as a result of the polar weather．
＂We tried to be as conservative as we could，＂，Decell said，＂but our main concern
was to was to maintain fire protection in the city．＂ Decell said the \＄101，500 bill for personnel
costs，parts and supplies，contract services
and loss of treated water because of the
breaks would be paid from a contingency fund breaks would be paid from a contingency fund
set up several years ago by the city council to emergencies． $\begin{gathered}\text { During the cold snap，city crews logged } \\ \text { more than 1，600 hours of overtime at a total }\end{gathered}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { the streets＂after mains broke and } \$ 8,600 \text { in } \\ & \text { parts and supp } \\ & \text { water lines．}\end{aligned}$ more than 1,600 hours of overtime at a total water lines

Crews often worked knee－deep in freezing mud to dig out and fix the broken water lines，
Decell said． Decell said．

## by Carol baldwin

Tickets for the Big Spring Area Chamber of Com－ Tickets for the Big Spring Area Chamber of Com－
merce annual banquet were priced at $\$ 12.50$ during a
oard of directors meeting Wednesday at the chamber offices． The Feb． 25 banquet will feature Robert Miller，
president of Getty Oil，as keynote speaker．The theme for the banquet is＂From These Roots＂，
Tickets will go on sale Feb． 1 through Tickets will go on sale Feb． 1 through Feb．18．They
will be available from the Ambassadors，Blue Blazers or the chamber office．
Chamber directors voted to allow the Big Spring
aycees to make their＂Young Man of the Year＂ aycees to make their＂Young Man of the Year＂ Lenoy Tillery，executive vice president of the
chamber，told directors that Johnnie Lou Avery had chamber，told directors that Johnnie Lou Avery had
been selected as the small businesswoman advocate of been selected as the smail dosinesswon all Business
the year for the Lubbock district of the Small
Association and that Mrs．Avery would advance for regional consideration． Chamber directors will hold a retreat Jan． 28 at the Big Spring Country Club，beginning at 7 p．m．with sup－ per and continuing with a workshop．
Paul Shaffer，president of the board of directors， Paul Shaffer，president of the board of directors，
urged board members not to miss meetings and saide
＂there is no excuse for not attending chamber board ＂there is no excuse for not attending chamber board
meetings．We would appreciate it if you would keep in
mind that the chamber meets the third Wedneedoy of mind that the chamber meets the third Wednesday of each month．＂
Board member Maxwell Green told the directors

## Chamber plans annual banquet



PAUL SHAFFER
that the chamber had $\$ 66,077.18$ in its budget as of Dec．
31，1983．Green said that the chamber noted a $\$ 3,702$ in－ 31， 1983 ．Green said that the chamber noted a $\$ 3,702$ in－
crease in assets in December and＂we＇re making pro－ gresss in chamber finances．
LeRoy Tillery，exeutive vice president of the LeRoy Tillery，executive vice president of the
chamber，explained to the board that $\$ 15,406$ of the chamber，explained to the board that $\$ 15,406$ of the
chamber budget had been reproportioned because a chamber budget had been reproportioned because a
grant requested through the state had not been receiv－ grant Tillequested explained that $\$ 8,016$ of the money will go toward a parp－time salary for cultural affairs consul－，
tant Sam Woodward＂so we can keep Sam on staff，＂ tant Sam Wo
Tillery said．
Directors agreed to do business with a Big Spring Directors agreed to do business with a Big Spring
firm，Sky－Vue Theaters，doing business as Sky－Vue
Signs，in relation to two signs advertising Big Spring Signs，in relation to two signs advertising Big spring along the Interstate near Sweetwater and near
Penwell．Tillery told the board members that the Penwell．Tillery told the board members that the
chamber had been doing business with an out－of－town firm but＂we would like to change companies．＂ Directors approved a plan to pay Sky－Vue Signs $\$ 200$
a month each for two signs．Previously，the chamber a month each for two signs．Prevouss，
had been paying $\$ 250$ each for two signs．
Directors also approved a plan to set up a sign on
Highway 87 north of Big Spring．The sign will cost $\$ 187$ Highway 87 north of Big Spring．The sign will cost $\$ 187$ ＊ost of building the builder，Guy V．Speck，regains the
cos． to rent the sign for \＄1 a year．
Wednestlay＇s board meeting．No program of action
was set．

Incumbent Precinct ${ }^{3}$ ．County
Commissioner W．B．${ }^{\text {CBill }}$ ， Crommer filed for re－election
Wednessay atterne Wednesday afternoon，becoming
the first candidate in Howard the first candidate in Howard
County to file for the Republican primary．
Also，another Democratic can－ didate for the same post entered
the race Wednesday．Bob E We race Wednessay．Bob E．
Wilson of the Silver Heels Addi－
tion，a life insurance salesman， tion，a life insurance salesman，
joins four other candidates in the primary．
Wirson，who co－owned the with his wife for 12 years，joins Elichow farmer Oliver B．＂Bud＂ the same position；Lomaxa farmer Neil Fryar；retired Howard Coun－ resident Garner Thixton of
Sterling City Route；and Joneil
Sallwood． Smallwood．
said．
Davis said he and other members
of the committee interviewed Shaf－ of tend recommendeded the company ty and county in 1982 ． ＂We have been working with the
committee this fall，＂Davis said． ＂We are very much aware that the ＂We are very much aware that the
contractor has not fulfilled the
See Ambulance page $2-A$

## Ambulance service may be probed

| By Carol baldw Staff Writer |
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DON DAVIS
committee member city and the county and＂there are a
lot of different things we can do．＂ lot of different hings we can do．＂
Davis is one of four members of a Davis is one of four members of a
committee formed in 1982 to work with Shaffer Ambulance．Other
members are Dr．Bruce Cox，Hall members are Dr．Bruce Cox，Hall－
Bennett Hospital administrator Charles Weeg and County Commis－ sioner Louis Brown．A fifth member，Jean Connally，is no
longer serving with the committee but has yet to be replaced，Davis


Iso included in the $\$ 100,000$ figure is $\$ 42000$ contract services from the city＇s water Decell noted that none of the approximate
4 miles of new water lines laid under the
city＇s capital improvements program were in－ ty＇s capital improve

## Crooker files for office

## Glasscock, Martin

 ready stock shows
## Two neighboring counties are preparing for their junior livestock shows to be conducted in the next two weekends. Both Glasscock and Martin Counties will begin their tock shows on Thursday, when entries will be weighed Judging for the Glasscock County Junior Livestock Juaging for the Glasscock county Junior Livestock, Show begins at 9 a.m. Friday in the School Bus Barn, when Howard Count Agricultural Extension Agent

Stanley Young of Tahoka will Judge the swine show,
which begins at noon Friday. At a.m. Kearny, an agriculture teacher from Sterling City will Judge the lamb show. Abow, Glassecock County Extension Agent Eugene Jost
sho
aid. About 200 hogs, 20 steers and 50 lambs will be entered, he said.
The Glasscock show at 10:30 a.m. Saturday also hree age pategories - 4years and under, 5 - and 6 -year "When the kids catch olth - epigys), the pich a pigually let
out a squeal. And most of the kids get scared and the pig. A lot of our buyers get a charge out of watching the intte bitty kids try to catch a pig.",
ty Extension Agent Eugene Jost said.
Following Following the pig scramble is a sack-a-pig contest
for 7 and 8 -year-olds. A barbecue will follow the contests at 11 a.m. in the
chool cafeteria. Tickets will be $\$ 3.50$ for adults and $\$ 2.50$ for children.
The awards presentation will be at 1 p.m., and will be followed by a premium sale. In a premium sale, the
animals are not actually sold. Instead, buyers give the owners of the livestock donations, since the animals enerally are ent
shows, Jost said.
The Martin County show begins at the county barn
with weigh-in from 2 to 6 p.m. Thursday. The lamb with weigh-in from 2 to 6 p.m. Thursday. The lamb
show at 9 a.m. Friday is the first of the stock show's judging events. Cro
Reagor will judge.
The swine show begins at 1 p.m. Friday. Judge will
be Jeff Peterson, an agriculture teacher at Ropesville. at 3 p.m., adults and children can participate in a livestock-judging contest.
Ector County Agriculture Extension Agent Jim
Mazurkiewicz will judge the steer and heifer show at 9 a.m. Saturday. The final event, the Championship Club for $6: 30$ p.m. Saturday

Airhart shows top steer LAMESA - Dawson County resident Brent Airhart
took both grand champion and reserve champion steer prizes at the Dawson County stock show recently.
Airhart also won the all-round showmanship Other showmanship winners are: Kayla Gentry, for
swine; Chris Staudt, for lambs; and Brandon Harris,

Lamb show winners include: fine wool champion
Shelby Airhart: fine wool reserve champion, Cody Vogler; fine wool crossbreed champion and resery champion, Staudt; medium wool champion, Greg
Hogg; medium wool reserve champion, Jacqua Nance; South Down and South Down crossbreed cham-
pion, Mist Franklin; South Down and South Down




## Sheriff's Log

15 persons plead guilty Firteen of 65 persons whose cases were presented in
Howard County Court pre-trial hearings Tuesday
pleaded guilty. pleaded guilty. One person pleaded guilty to criminal trespass, two
to separate charges of criminal mischief, one to possession of less than two ounces of marijuana, and 111
persons pleaded guilty to charges of driving while in-
toxicated cxat occurred before the new DWI law went into effes jan.

 Markets


## Grand jury resumes hearings

 Howard County grand jurors resumed hearings to-day atter postponing their nession Wednesday after-
noon because of the hazardous road and weather conditions.
Possible indictments could be handed down on
Faussino Rios, 50 , of 309 N.W. Ninth, in an investiga
tion into the 0 ot 17 , tion into the Oct. 17, 1983 death of Elida Luna; and a tion of a Sept. 18, 1983 , assault on a peace officer. Jay Anderson, 18, of Gail Route atso iso is being in
vestigated for an alleged sexual assault on a female minor who was an inmate in the Big Spring city jai while Anderson was a night jailer
Jurors also will consider whether to indict:
Gloria Colleen King, 25 , of 699 E. 13 th, on a charge
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 gravated assault with a deadly weapon.
Flora Gomez, 33, of $1904 / 2$ Scurry, on a charge of ag gravated assaut with a deadly weapon. - Travis Wayne Mims, 25 , of 1002 N . Main, on charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.
$\bullet$ Jose
Samuel Sanchez, 20 , and Raynaldo E . Sanchez, 25 , both of Lamesa, on charges of aggravated
assault with a deadly weapon. - Penny Scott, also known as Rosetta Louise Smith,
24, of 1002 N . Main \#11 on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.
Ray Galaviz, 20 , of 503 S .

## Wrecks

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swerved, he hit a curb and bounced into the path of
King's vehicle, police reported. Impact was recorded King's
on the right passenger side of Smith's car.
Firemen Firemen in the Wasson Road fire station heard the
impact and ran outside to see what happened, Donald Atkact and ran owsing ig Spring fireman, said.
When he saw the dap
When he saw the damage, Atkinson made a call to the Central Fire Station and requested a van bring the son also called Shaffer Ambulance.
Witnesses said it took about Witnesses said it took about five minutes to free the
Smiths from the vehicle. Aiding in the rescue were Firemen Tony Castillo and Paul Brown.

## Two other accidents caused heavy damage to

 About 8e:14 a....., cars driven by Joel Perez of 1803Alabama and Ruth Quisenberry of 1804 Donley collided in the 1000 block of F.M. 700 .
According to police reports, Perez was eastbound in According to police reports, Perez was eastbound in
the right lane of F.M. 70 when another car tried to
pass him. He pulled his vehicle into the left lane, col

## Firemen

 Officials Both Davis and Branham termed the meeting held According to Branham, discussion during the
meeting included the reasons why the union was
organized and communications problems that exist within the city fire department.
Davis and union officiais came

## Ambulance

| obligations of the contract.' Another section of the co states "contractor agrees to tinuous basis and to have no that two (2) ambulance available for immediate call time excepting only those when one or both of such ambu units are responding to ambu calls. <br> In an incident reported Herald Monday, Korell said three Shaffer units was en ro a transfer when an emergenc was received Saturday. Korel was at home at the time of the left his home to make the bulance run. <br> Although Korell had to be tacted at home to make emergency run, he said the |
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## Exemptions ease tax burden <br> Exemptions ease tax burden

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## By In Lume

WASHINGTON - Don't overlook the chance of
claiming your teen-agers as dependents on your tax claiming your teen-agers as dependents on your of tax
return, even though they have jobs of their own. If certain tests are met, you may take a $\$ 1,000$ ex
reter emption for a chill who was under 19y or a full-time estu-
dent at the end of 1983 , even if that child had income dent at the end of 1983, even if that child had income
and filed a tax return. In any case, you must have pro
vided over half the child's support during the year and filed a tax return. In any case, you must have pro-
vided over half the child's support during the year.
Under certain circumstances, you may claim a vided over halr the childs support during ey year.
Under certain circumstances, you may claim a
parent, in-law, encle or other relative in your
household as a dependent - but not your ilive-in lover if househoid as a dependent - but not your live-in lover if
such a relationship violates local law. The instructions
with your tax form spell out those tests that you mus

## 1040 Tax Tips

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 Dixie, on a charge of aggravated assautt on a peace
officer. - Ernest James Alfred, 41, and Sandy Alfred, 36, of
1711 Willia, on charges of theft of stolen property.

- David Williams, 19, of 904 N.W. Ohio on a charge of aggravated robsery,
Terry Lee Brown, 3 .
burglary of a habitation.
Mililes Ray Anguian, 18 , of 1308 Wright, on
charge of burglary of $\approx$ tuilding. charge of burglary of \& building. Fifth, on a charge of
\& Eddie Garza, 22, of 1401 W. Fith, burglary of a building.
- Johnny Valencia, 24,
burglary of a burglary of a building.
Ricky Robertson
theft by appropriation. - Bharge of Joe Cheath byam Jr., 31, of 1503 Lexington, on - Rudolfo Castillo, 29, of Muleshoe, on a charge of
theft by exercising control theft by exercising control.
- Michael Hinklin, 20 , of the $1-20$ Trailer Court, on a charge of theft by check.
By Burl Miller, 45 , of Garden City on a charge of theft
by check.
- Laura Mae McCammon, 21, of Southland Apart
ments on a charge of felony criminal mischief.
$\begin{aligned} & \text { liding with the Quisenberry vehicle. } \\ & \text { Perez received minor injuries in the incident. }\end{aligned}$
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$\begin{aligned} & \text { parked vehicle. Reports show that Donnie Hale was } \\ & \text { standing beside the vehicl and received injuries when }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { the two cars collided. He was taken to Malone-Hogen } \\ & \text { Hospital where he remains today in stable condition. }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Hospita, where he remains } \\ & \text { Melton received }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Melton received minor injuries in the incident. } \\ & \text { Icy roads and a light snowfal Tuesday night were } \\ & \text { blamed for more than } 28 \text { minor accidents, abandoned }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { blamed for more than } 28 \text { minor accidents, abandoned } \\ & \text { vehicles and motorists in need of assistance calls }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Wednesday, according to police reports. } \\ & \text { Big Spring saw a high of only } 18 \text { degrees Wednesday, }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { the Big Spring Field Experiment Station reported. } \\ & \text { Low was } 8 \text { degrees. These figures compare to a record }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Low was } 8 \text { degrees. These figures compare to a record } \\ & \text { high of } 78 \text { set in 1982, and a record low of } 2 \text { degrees set } \\ & \text { in 1930. }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Although icy street conditions improved by Wednes- } \\ & \text { day atternoon, a slight chance of more snow and freez- }\end{aligned}$
day afternoon, a slight chance of more sno
discussions centering on a lack of enough usable air
masks at fire stations around the city, Branham said.
Branham said Davis agreed to have four of the
departments masks sent for reconditioning, bringing
the total number of usable masks up to ic.
Branham said Davis also agreed in principle that the
city owed firemen at least two years in back pay stem-
ming from the substitution of lower ranking firemen
into supervisory positions.
Branham said another meeting is scheduled next
week to discuss details of how firemenen would receive
compensation for the higher paying work. mams
 and county whenever they want to
inspect us. Everything is up to Davis said, "I feel the personnel
(at Shaffer Ambulance) are well(at Shafter Ambuance) are well-
trained and competent. There are
some problems with equipment. some problems with equipment.
I've not had any sort of complaint
about response time." Although the committee has been
studying "what, alternatives are
available to available to us," he said "no deci-
sion has been made as to what
recommendation we will make to
the commissioner's court and the the commissioner's court and the
Davis said, "I haven't received a
complaint personally (about the
service) in service) in a long time. John has
been under contract for two or three been under contract for two or three
years, and by and large he has done
a good job providing service for the a good job providing service for the
community. That's not to so say he
hasn't had some problems." -

Police Beat
House riddled with bullets Mateo Ortege of 411 Owens told police Wiednededy
that someone had driven past his home and riddeded his that someone had driven past his home and riddlied his
car with bullett. He estimated spoo in damage was sus-
tained to the front and rear windshields, the radiator
reporte. Gloria Bond of 2515 Fairchild told police Wednes
day mornind day morning that someone had stolen a 32 callibe at Marge Kolden, manager of Payless shoe Source she had stopped two women from shoplifting two pair
of shoes. The women had taken a pair of hiking boot and a pair of dress shoes and had left the store witho paying. Ms. Kolden followed them to their car an
recovered the shoes. No arrests have been made - An employee at the 7 -Eleven Store at 18 th an
Gregg told police Wednesday that a man put $\$ 12$ of Gregg toid police Wednesday that a man put $\$ 12$
gasoline in his car, came into the store and took $\$ .25$ in oil, then left the scene without paying for the goods.
An employee of Nichols Laundry, 209 NW Second, told police Wednesday that someone had entered the
laundry and pried off the coin holder on one of the washing machines and taken $\$ 18$ in coins. Damage to the coin holder was listed at $\$ 10$.
police An Wedneyesea at the 7 -Eleven at 8 th and Gregg told police Wednesday that someone entered the store and
took a carton of cigarettes, valued at $\$ 8.39$, and left
without paying

## Deaths

Houston

## Crocker

 minister, will officiate.
Crocker was born




People
Bv the Associated Press
Grant has 80th birthday
 are being very dear and CAR
calling and sending around things．
She said Grant had received do gift deliveries．
Frazier up on gun charges WASHINGTON TownsHIP，N．J．－Former
 Jntaining identification，he toched the officer he had a handgun inside，Mrs．Hatch said． Frazier carries the gun for protection and has a

Pennsylvania permit，but his application for a New | Jersey permit was pending，hel law yer said．He had |
| :--- | not intended to take the gun with him from Penn－

sylvania，but had inatvertent y sylvani．
said．
At an arraignment hearing，formal charges are
read to a defendant．The grand jury will meet in the
 Prosecutor Alvin Shpeen．A conviction could lead to
an 18 －monht jail term，but usually results in a non－ custodial sentence，he said．
Frazier，who won the heavyweight title from Jim－
my Elis in 190 ，remains free on his own my Ellis in in
recognizance．
Cats not allowed on island LONDON－Sorry，no cats，the BBC told royal
feline fancier Princess Michael，who chose a
 companion as the one ＂luxury＂she＇d want if
she were stranded on a
desert island

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would want if maroned．
But host Roy Plomley But host Roy Plomley
laid down thel ina
loendesday explaining
Heat the rules prohibit PRINCESS MICHAEL $\begin{aligned} & \text { selection of himamans or anything of } \\ & \text { anim }\end{aligned}$ practical Suse
Ferince sess Michael－wife of Prince Michael of
Kent Kent，first cousin of Queen Elizabeth II－made
headiline in August when she offered a reward a fter leasing her favorite siamese cat，Kitty，which often
accompanied her on shopping trips around London．


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－$\$ 25$

－Location：
First Floor Surgery Suite Malone and Hogan Clinic

The news in brief
By the Associated Press
Japanese miners rescued
 spokesman Shosuke
e bodies found this morning brought Tha said he three bodies found cis morning brought
the final death toll to 83. He said 13 of the 96 miners in－
itially trapped by itially trapped by the fire were rescued from the mine， on Japan＇s southernmost island of Kyushu． The death toll makes it Japan＇s fourth worst postwar
coal mine disaster．The worst disaster occurred at that same complex in 1963，when 458 workers died in an
samer Explosion
Ueda said the company waited about five hours after the outbreak of the fire Wednesday afternoon before contacting local police，but he declined to comment on
charges that rescue operations were insufficient in the charges that rescue operations were insufficient in the
early stages．He said the delay was because the com． pany initially felt it could handle the situation with its own rescue team
Officials said a a 23 －man company rescue team was
sent down to the fire immediately，but Kyodo News sent down tervice quoted a labor union leader as saying a larger
Sest rescue effort should have been launched．
Wednesday＇s blare broke out as 707 miners were
working in the Ariake shaft，which cuts under the Ariake Sea， 560 miles southwest of Tokyo，company of
The fire died down Wednesday night，and early to－
day rescue workers sealed off the section around the day re
fire．
Schools mourn Kerr＇s death BEIRUT－In a rare display of unity，schools and
universities closed down in both the Moslem and Chris－
tian sectors of the capital today to mourn the slain tian sectors of the capital today to mourn the slain president of He American
Malcolm H．Kerr，a 52 －year－old American native of the city，was shot in the head outside his campus office Wednesday．
Educational institutions and various factions of
Christian，Druse，Sunni and Shiite Moslems called for Christian，Druse，Sunni and Shiite Moslems called for
suspension of classes in tribute to Kerr，who specializ－ ed in the study of Middle Eastern politics and sought to keep his university free of political strife．
Shortly after the assassination，the university， located in predominantly Moslem west Beirut，cancel－ ed its classes unti）Monday
A university spokesman，Radwan Mawlawi，said to－ day no funeral arrangements have been made tet．He
also said he had no word on the progress of the also said he had no word on the progress of the police
investigation of the assassination． investigation of the assassination． Pherwise refused to comment on the investigation．
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Likewise they Likewise，they declined comment on their search for gunmen who kinanapped Saudi Arabia＇s consul，
sein Abdullah Farrash，in west Beirut on Tuesday

An anonymous telephone caller Wednesday said a ed Kerr and abducted Farrash．
The caller warned that Farra The caller warned that Farrash would be executed and demanded that U．S．and French troops in the
multinational force leave Lebanon＂or we will shake Che earth under their feet．
Callers claiming to represent Islamic Holy War have
claimed responsibility for several other attacks，in－ claimed responsibility for several other attacks，in－
cluding the Oct． 23 suicide truck－bombings at the U．S． and French military bases in Beirut．But proof of the
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The New Jersey Democrat
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## Williams said． The first U．S．

years first U．S．senator in 59
crimes in convicted of
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was granted permission to
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sentence at the Federal HARRISOn williams Prison Camp in Allenwood，Pa．He said that facility
was the most convenient for his family Williams was convicted in May 1981 of nine counts of conspiracy and bribery．He was charged with accep－
ting a hidden interest in a Virginia titanium mine，to be ting a hidden interest in a Virginia titanium mine，to be
financed by an Arab sheik，in return for help in finding military contracts for the venture．
The Arab sheik was actually an FBI agent．Williams The Arab sheik was actually an FBI agent．Williams
has steadfastly maintained his innocence，insisting he Shultz makes no headway OSLO，Norway－Secretary of State George $\mathbf{P}$ ．
Shultz today said he made no headway in trying to per－ suade Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A．Gromyko to esume nuclear arms control talk
But Shultz，in a news conference
Stockholm，Sweden，to Oslo，隹t open the possibility that the Soviets would end their suspension of East West negotiations to reduce convenal
Central Europe． NATO sources in Stockholm said Gromyko has
signaled Moscow＇s willingness to resume the talks on conventional arms as early as March．Gromyko，the
Another sources said，involved combining and renamingo，the
two presently suspended nuclear weapons negotiations two presently suspended nuclear weapons negotiations
in Geneva．＂They have not made up their minds on the continuation of START（long－range weapons on talks），
bTAt they might consider combining them but they might consider combining them with INF
（medium－range weapons talks）under a new name， Forward－Based Systems，＂${ }^{\text {Ine }}$ one source said． In addition，they said，Gromyko has indicated the
Soviets would not stand in the way of the worldwide Soviets would not stand in the way of the worldwide
ban on chemical weapons Shultz proposed in a speech ban on chemical weapons Shultz proposed in a speech
this week to the European Disarmmenent Conference．
The sources The sources，who refused to be identified even by na－
tionality，said the indications came in meetings tionality，said the indications came in meetings
Gromyko held Wednesday with Shultz and West Ger－ man Foreign Minister Hans－Dietrich Genscher． Shultz indicated his five－hour meeting with Gromyko
on Wednesday at the Soviet Embassy in Stockholm laid the groundwork for a continuing U．S．Soviet
dialogue despite the impasse on nuclear weapons．

Weather


By the Associated Press
West Texas：Cloudy south，otherwise partly
cloudy and warmer today．Cloudy and cold with cloudy and warmer today．Cloudy and cold with
scattered snow east of the mountains，Partly cloudy scattered snow east of the mountains，Partiy cloud to
and cooler far west．Highs today teens Panhandle to low 50 s extreme south．Lows tonight near 4 Panhan－
die to 30 s Big Bend．Highs Friday near 10 extreme die to 30 s Big Bend．Highs Fr
north to mid 40s southwest．
Storm chills most of nation Teeth－chattering subzero temperatures chilled
areas today from the Northern Rockies to the areas today from the Northern Rockies to the
Midwest as a storm system spread snow from the
Ohio Valley into Ohio Valley into New England． Up to a half－foot of snow was dumped on
Washington，D．C．，Wednesday while 9 inches fell Martingtourg，D．C．，Wednesday while 9 inches fell a
Ma．and 4 inches covered New

California remained in the 40 s and 50 stoday＇but
below zero readings were common in the norther below zero readings were common in the norther
intermountain region and freezing temperatures
and were common in the Pacific Northwest．
The National Weather Service forect The National Weather Service forecast for today
called for more snow over the intermountain regi and snow spreading out from the Great Lakes New England．A few thunderstorms were expected
over Southern Florida over Southern Florida
Bitter cold in the below zero were expected from Montana to Min
nesota nesota．Temperatures in the teens and 20s wer
predicted for predicted for the Central Plains to the norther
Atlantic coast．The South was to have reading in 30 and 4os with Southern california warming into the 60s and Southern Florida enjoying the 70s．
Temperatures at ${ }^{2}$ a．m．EST ranged from
below zero at Craig Col． emperatures at 2 a．m．EST ranged from 32
below zero at Craig，Colo．，to 76 at Key West，Fla．




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## Editorial Slower speed

 limit saving livesWhat started out as a short-term conservation measure to save fuel a decade ago has proven a long-range success in saving lives.
On the 10th anniversary of the nationwide 55 mph speed limit, even conservative estimates place the number of lives saved on highways in excess of 60,000 for the decade law shortly after 1974 began by then-President Richard M. Ni on. The measure, which denies federal highway funds to states that fail to enforce the 55 mph maximum speed limit, was passed as a temporary conservation measure during a major fuel shortage.
The Federal Highway Administration and the National Highway Traffic Sarety Administration jointly monitor each highway funds based on their review
The figures on the number of lives saved were provided by the Department of Transportation. The DOT estimated the number of lives saved at 4,500 per year, while an official of the FHA indicated that this could be low, saying that the figure of 60,000 could be a conservative estimate
gress on the road to better highway safety. Although some people feel the 55 mph speed limit is too slow, staying alive at 55 is worth a little inconvenienc


## Around The Rim

The new kid


WASHINGTON - Deputy Defense Secretary
Paul Thayer's abrupt resignation in the face of a securities investigation was an embarrass
ment President Reagan might have avoided ment President Reagan might have avoide he had only checked the man's record.
Thayer is charged with providing illegal "in sider'' information about securities while direc-
tor of LTV Corp. of Dallas. He maintains he is tor of LTV Corp. of Dallas. He maintains he is
completely innocent. He may completely innocent. He may well be.
But court records and Securities and Ex But court records and Securities and Ex
change Commission files examined by my associate Jock Hatfield show the LTV unde
Thayer's management was repeatedly charge Thayer's management was repeatedly charge
with fraud, mismanagement, deception and
securities law violations after he became the securities law vismatations after he became th
company's executive director in company's executive director in 1970
Members of the Senate Armed Serv
Members of the Senate Armed Services Com-
mittee never learned about all the skeletons in Thayer's corporate closet because the White
House never told House never told them. Associate presidentia
counsel David Waller said the White House ac cepted Thayer's own version of his background
without checking. without checking,
Regendary, but it has gotten him into into trouble
from Richard Allen to James Watt Here's from Richard Allen to James Watt. Here's what
he should have been told he should have been told about Thayer:

- In 1973, Thayer was accused by stockholder of Tumping 2,400 ascused by a
stock in violation of LTV stock in violation of a writen agreement. But
the court found that Thayer had sold his stot the court found that Thayer had sold his stock
prematurely to pay off pressing debts, not to prematurely to pay off press in on inside information.
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- In 1979, the SEC charged LTV and its direc
tors with overvaluing the inventories of its
Jones $\&$ Laughlin subsidiary by a total of tors with overvaluing the inventories of its
Jones \& Laughlin subsidiary by a total of $\$ 26$
million from 1974 to 1978 . The court ordered the million from 1974 to 1978 . The court ordered the
practice stopped. practice stopped.
The overvaluation artificially raised the
price of LTV stock. Purchasers of the over-
priced stock filied a class-action suit and won
settlement of 77.75 milliton. An SEC investiga tion concluded that LTV management had fail ed to enforcee "the standaranse of ent hics that a
properly managed company should maintain in its accounting practices.
- In 1978, an LTV subsidiary was found guily on 48 charges of conspiracy and fraud in its operation of a business school chain from 1968
to 1973. The corporation illegally collected money from the federally insured student loan program - for students who did not attend the LTV was fined $\$ 500,000$, and the Justice
Department is preparing a suit to recover the Department is preparing a suit to recover the student loan money.
I In 1 1300, suits filed in Pennsylvania and in
federal court accused LTV, Thayer and other directors of frauduluently depressing the value ing it at a bargain price.
According to the complaints in the suits hayer and other directors lowered the stee complicated scheme involving transfer of funds rom partly owned to wholly owned The suits
legally votiting a lacge block of prefecred dshares to take over the company, in violation of sedera
securities taw. The state securities law. The state case is still pending
and the federal case was dismissed on the grounds that it was a state matter.
Footnote: the Senate might
Footnote: the Senate might have approved past iegal troubles. "But we would certainl have looked closely at any incidents which
might have reflected on Paul Theyer's might have refiected on Paul Thayer's
suitability for office," an Armed Services Com suittee spokesman said.
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MAN BITES DOG: In the strange world of nilitary contracts, it's news when a defense contractor is actuaily ahead of scheduele, inPentagon report indicates that procuction of
the B-1B bomber is more than 2 percent ahead of schedule. schedule.
In fact, an inside source said that Rockwell International is even ahead of its own internal
chedule for its share of the B-1B contract and the internal s shedule is set more than two
nothth shead of the Pentagon's. nonths ahead of the Pentagon's.
Unfortunately, this almost unpr ficiency involves a weapons program that may be unnecessary. As I reported in an earlier column, there is growing sentiment in the Penpenetrate Soviet air space and deliver bombs - can be handled adequately by our existing
B-52's. This was demonstrated by the Soviet's B-52's. This was demonstrated by the Soviet's
inability to find and destroy the sitting-duck Korean airliner for more than two hours last
September. Service claims it needs a 3 -cent increase in lirst-class postage to cover expenses. But con-
gressional critics who happen to be football gressional critics who happen to be football
fans noted a strange outlay of funds by the ostal Service on New Year's Monday: a float in the Tournament of Roses Parade in
Pasadena displaying a selection of com-
memorative stamps. Sources say the float cost
COM,000.
COMPLAINT DEPT: Names and addresses of hundreds of manufacturers' consumer representatives and local officials of federal
agencies are listed in the third edition of the Consumer's Resource Handbook, puto out by the
Office of Consumer Information Center, Office of Consum
Pueblo, Colo., 81009 .


Steve Chapman
Foreign policy and the individual

In the wake of Jesse Jackson's successful mission to Damascus, there is grumbling on the Right about how Act. Conservative columnist George Will fumed
ABC's ""Nightline" ABC's ". "Nightline"" that ""what Mr. JJackson did is il
legal"
and demanded "some kind of restraint" on thit legal" and demanded "some kind of restraint" on this
"self-promotion." His columnist colleague, Jame
Kilpatrict self-promotion. His columnist colleague, Jame
Kilpatrick, seconds the motion. If you can't pu
Jackson in Jackson in jail for being pompous, windy and liberal
why not persecute him for violating an obscure and why not persecute him for viol
heretofore meaningless statute?
For those readers who don't spend their spare time searching out unexploited ways to put their fello
citizens behind bars, I should note that this law pr hibits unauthorized private citizens from discussin disputes involving the U.S. . government with foreig
governments. It was enacted in 1799 after the Quaker governments. It was enacted in 1799 , after the Quaker France by meeting with Foreign Minister Talleyrand
He won the praise of Jefferson's Republicans but the He won the praise of Jefferson's Republicans but the
oprobrium of President Adams' Federalists, who, like oprobrium or President
our own conservatives, were hankering for a good war
It is gratifying to hear conservatives, who grow
frothy at the outrage of an OSHA inspector setting foo in a textile mill uninvited, urging that the full weighto the U.S. government be slammed down on Jess
Jackson for the treasonous act of gaining the release o a captured American airman. No law that stimulate the Right to expose its selective attachment to in-
divivual liberty is totally without merit. But the defects of the Logan Act outstrip that virtue.
The law's history does nothing to redeem it. Its
enactment reflected the same Federalist intolerance enactment refected ues same rederanst
that spawned the notorious Alien and Sedition Acts an threatened to block the peaceful accession of Jefferso
to the White House in 1800 . But while those lews allowed to expire and the potential constitue laws wer involving the presidency was averted, the Logan Act

Not that it's ever amounted to much. No one has ever been prosecuted under the law. Its disuse may be due,
as in Jackson's case, to the difficulty of sustaining a as in Jackson's case, to the dirficuity of sustaining a
prosecution in a democracy.

The law may also be unconstitutional. Read literally,
it would outlaw an American Jew from writing to
Israeli Prime Minister Shamir about his opposition to
the Reagan plan for Mideast peace
Nor is its logic persuasive. The ostensible point is to prevent ordinary people from disrupting diplomatic
negotiations. But where does the danger lie? Lacking afficial sanction, no private citizen can persuade a
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of foreign state that he may offer anything from the U.S.
government. II another government chooses to
negotaite with an American who can't commit the rest neegotaite with an American who can't tommit the rest
of us to anything, why should Washington object? A of us to anything, why should Washington object? A
disruption of official diplomacy would occur only if the fisruptign government is exceedingly ignorant or of the the
fetate Department implicity endorses the enterprise. The law springs less from any concern about
safeguarding the security interests of the United States than from an atavistic urge to discipline unfavored people. It isn't dangerous for this country for
Jesse Jackson to persuade Syria to free Robert Goodman, though it may be embarrassing for the Reagan administration.

After decades of neglect, any prosecution under the
Logan Act would be, to put it mildly, highly discriminatory. (And you put it mildily, highly
believed in the rule of law.) Of course itservatives safe to believed in the rule of law.) Of course it's safe to
assume that entalishment figures like David
Rockefeller and Rockefellier and Armand Hammier, who negotiate with America's
be exempt.



Billy Graham
Our problems stem from human heart
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made the world a better place? I
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wouldn't have wars and thikgs is it wouldn't have wars a.
is really true. $-\mathbf{H . B}$.

DEAR H.B.: In the first place the
Christian faith has made the world better place. The elimination of such evils as slavery and child labor were brought about by the leader-
ship of men and women who were committed to Christ and knew these leader in Great Britain told me he leader in Great Britain told me he
knew of no significant movement for social betterment there that did not trace its roots back to commit-
ted Christians. Countless hospital across the world were started by dedicated Christian missionaries;
the Red Cross owe it the Red Cross owes its origins to

Have you ever thought about the real reason why there is so much
strife and warfare in our worid? Yes, on the surface there seem to be
many causes - economic injustice rany causes - economic injustice,
raial prejudice, even religious
bigotry. But underneath these there is one fundamental proberem: the problem of the human heart. Jesus
declared, "For from within, out of men's hearts, come evil thoughts sexual immorality, theft, murder,
adultery, greed, malice, deceit lewdness, envey, slander, arrogance
and folly. All these evils come from and folly. All these evils come from also says, "What causes fights and come from your yours Don't they
within you?? (James 4:1).

Christ came to change the human
heart - and he alone can do this in heart - and he alone can do this in any lasting and complete way,
because he is God. Our greatest problem is sin, and only Christ can
forgive us. If more people would curn to Christ as Savioor and wourd,
and submit themselves to his will, our world would be a better place.
Some day, the Bible teaches, he will
eturn as ruler over all, and the return as ruler over all, and the
hatred and strife we see every day
will be conquered

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## Bullock wants funding reform

DALLAS（AP）－State Comptroller Bob
Bullock on Wednesday proposed streamling
Texas＇complicated school funding system Texas＇complicated school funding system draw more money and richer areas，such as Dallas and Houston，draw less．
Bullock presented his plan to the Select
Committee on Public Edication，chaired by Bullock presented his plan to the Select
Committee on Public Education，chaired by Dallas businessman H．Ross Perot．
Gov．Mark White，L．t．Gov．Bill Hobby and Gov．Mark White，Lt．Gov．Bill Hobby and
Perot all agreed during a morning committee meeting that the reforms currently under con－ sideration will require more money than the
currrent $\$ 8.3$ billion spent by the state on currrent $\begin{gathered}\text { education．}\end{gathered}$
＂Realistically，with the system we have in place，we have to spend more money to get
more out of it and It hink we need to get that
card on the table，＂ card on the table，＂said Perot．
Bullock told Perot that revenues coming in－
to state coffers are running ahead of expecta tions because of strung Christmad of salecta－and
the resulting increase in soles tax the resulting increase in sales tax collected，
and a pick up in the oil and gas industry． But the comptroller added that new taxes
will，most likely，be needed to fund im－ Ronco creditors ask for bankruptcy CHICAGO（AP）－Three creditors of a position to comply with the demands
Ronco Inc．，known for television mer－ chandising of novel gadgets such as the including voluntary filing for creditor Veg－O－Matic，have filed suit asking to protection under federal bankruptcy have the company declared bankrupt． $\$ 2$ million，Altra Corp．and El－Mar Plastics Inc．of Elk Grove Village，Ill．，
and I．V．Hill Corp．of New York fild and I．V．Hill Corp．of New York filed suit They asked that Ronco be declared in in－ Ronco，a subsidiary of Ronco Teleproducts Inc．of Elk Grove Village，
said last week several of its creditors had demanded prompt payment of outstan－
ding bills．The company said it was not in Military

provements in education． ＂Just about any number of your recommen－
dations right now is more than we can handie．
（financially）．Any program that costs moe （financiaily）．Any program that costs more，
money is going to require new income，＂

Perot has advocated cutting back on ex
Tracurricular activities such as footroll，ond
and drill team in favor of more classrom in and drill team in favor of more classroom in－
struction time and homework．He said some money can be saved by trimming expensive
＂There is a growing concern in the state
that at least a few things need to be done（o ducation）．I think you＇re right on target with Whecovering the school day for learning，＂ ing to pay extra．money for a better product．

Perot will present his report to White，who returned from a，krip to
day night，on March 1. Bullock presented his proposal for
reorganizing the school funding system to a
finance sumcommittee of the blue－ribbon reorganizing the school funding system to
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for local property wealth and would take into
account special circumstancew，such as large
non－English speaking student non－English speaking student populations．
＂I like what you＇re talking about，Bob，try－
ing to simplify what is a very complex funding ing to simplify what is a very complex funding
system．＂White told Bullock．

Under the current system，state money is
allocated to school districts through more than a dozen different categories，including
driver education and teacher sick leave． Bullock said his new system would simplify
funding formulas，make local school districts
responsible for determining how best to spend
their money，channel more state funds to
teachers and teachers and guarantee that state funds to
directed to be the districts with the greatest
need．

He said if the new program had ben place last year，Brownsville would have
received $\$ 4$ million more in aid and E1 Paso would have gott
from the state．
Dallas and Houston would have
bined $\$ 30$ million under the plan．

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company，ATST Communications must now fill for rate relief to be able to implement rates that reflect the costs of access that are White ATRT Communications does not want to increase its
When Texas rates，an increase would be required to recover the increased
access charges AT\＆T Communications will have to pay to the local exchange telephone companies under several proposals pending before the Commission．These access charges at the proposed in－ creased levels represen expre in Texas．
munications＇
Accordingly．AT\＆T Communications，in accordance with the notice of the company＇s intent to implement a new scheduie of rates for long distanee calls within Texas．The proposed rates will
be effective January 28，1984，uniess otherwise determined by the commission．All customers and classes of custor
fected by AT\＆T Communications＇proposed rates．
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has no recourse but to pay these charges and recover the cost has no recourse but to pay these charges and recover the costs
from its customers as a cost of providing long distance service from its customers as a cost or providing iled rates which would
within Texas．AT\＆T Communications has fled mean a maximum overall increase in adjusted test period revenues
of $\$ 301.4$ million，or 27.85 percent．This amount would help recover of $\$ 301.4$ mimion，or 27.85 percent．
cost increases due to the proposed level of access charges now pending before the PUC．
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## Lifestyle

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excessive brusting？I am a 23 －year－old $\begin{gathered}\text { Both are breathing problems，the dif－} \\ \text { ference lying in the breathing structures }\end{gathered}$ female and lately I have noticed brulses all over my body，some of them fairly about the bruises？One day I counted 28 ， some very smail，others large．I should fatigued．－G．M．W．
that you should be concerned to the point over．Fatigue in itself is to check you all may not be well．What about this bruis ing？Multipie bruises don＇t always signify can occur as part of is going on．They that occurs in otherwise healthy young
Women．
Howerer，they can also indicate serious probels（capillaries）or with bood ponents－platelets or clotting factors． When you add your fatigue to your bruis－ ed appearance，you have two very good
reasons for getting an appointment．Do

DEAR DR．DONOHUE：How does
bronchitis differ from emphysema？－
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competitions． $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Show and } \\ \text { at Dorothy Garrett Col－} & \text { Chinson of Bethesda，Md．；}\end{array}$ iseum at Howard College， $\begin{gathered}\text { Judges are：Louis Colo．；George Nichols of } \\ \text { Auslander of Lake Forest，Lubbock；Robert Slay of }\end{gathered}$
Saturday．


Headache research reported
Carmen Phillips，director of nursing at
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The club will give a $\$ 200$ scholarship to $\begin{aligned} & \text { Shireys ．home Jan．} \\ & \text { Meadas explained the two types of } \\ & \text { headaches：migraine and cluster．Studies }\end{aligned}$ $\begin{aligned} & \text { Heward College．The next meenting will } \\ & \text { Feb．} 20 \text { in the home of Lota Wiley．}\end{aligned}$

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## Bell raps computer learning

WASHINGTON (AP) - Education secretary.A. Bell criticized computer learn-
ing programs in schools as "electronic page turning," and said Wednesday he will finance research on new ways to teach Bell said computers, if used properly, can serve as "a slave mechanism" to relieve
English teachers of burdensome tasks and to English teachers of burdensome tasks and to
help keep students with average IQ's from "bombing out" on algebra. Bell, in an interview with correspondents
for The Associated Press, United Press International and Reuters, news ageney, also
said school discipline "is better than it was" said school discipline "is better than it was"
a few years ago, but denied allegations that the Reagan administration had exaggerated the problem.
Bell said he expects "a mighty struggle" in statehouses over the issue of rewarding
teachers for outstanding performance, but teachers for outstanding performance, but
predicted that 10 or 15 states will enact some predicted that 10 or 15 states will enact some
type of performance-based pay. He said the
Education Department Education Department will finance ex-
periments in each state offering career adperiments in each state offering career ad-
vancement incentives and peer review systems for teachers.
He said President Reagan's proposed
crease" in the $\$ 479$ million block grant pro-
gram for states and local school districts, and would boost college work-study funds to
pay for college students to tutor adult pay for college students to tutor adult Bell said computer buying was "almost a
fad" among schools, and that computerized fad" among schools, and that computerized
educational programs educational programs on the
a great deal to be desired."
"Most of the com
"Most of the computer software we have
now is electronic page-turning now is electronic page-turning. It hasn't
been designed to do a good job of interacting been designed to do a good job of interacting
with the mind of the student," said Bell. He said schools need programs that can analyze pupil responses, provide remedial
tutoring or move the pupil on t the next level. and then give the teacher a printout showing
how how the pupil performed.
The education secretary said some high The education secretary said some high
school English teachers have the "horrendous burden" of trying to teach 150 puppils a
day, and it is "sort of self-inflicted day, and it is "sorrt of self--inflicted punish-
ment" to give a writing assignment ment to give a writing assignment.
Much of the hard work of checking for grammar, spelling, punctuation and struc-
ture "could be done by the computer as ture "could be done by the computer as a
slave mechanism," leaving the teacher free to critique style and content, he said.
But, Bell said, "I don't think we're ever
going to get to where we can teuch writing and have it all automated."
said he also would target research money on developing electronic programs
 when they hit algebra and they leave math never to come back again,"
Bell, who has played a pivotal role in stirring the whational debate about raising school standards, said he expects unions to keep
fighting state efforts to adopt performancefighting state efforts to adopt performance-
based pay for teachers. "There's going to be a mighty struggle in
the statehouses," he said, but predicted the statehouses," he said, but predicted that
10 or 15 states would succed in enacting pay and other school reforms.
Bell said he is solicitit. Bell said he is soliciting proposals from
school districts to experiment performance-based experiment with performance-based pay and career-
advancement systems for teachers. He said
he hopes he hopes to award $\$ 25,000$ to $\$ 50,000$ to at
least one or two districts in each state, working with universities.
The National Edue
The National Education Association has
accused the Reagan administration of accused the Reagan administration of
creating the false impression that public creating the false impression that public
schools are "a blackboard jungle" with a re-
cent report on school violence.

Actor sues financial consultant
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The suit contended that were unsuccesful Wednes Actor Jan-Michael Vin- pronts.
cent, who played contended that were unsuccesful Wednesyouthwul naval officer from Vincent and co- had, no telephonon listing for Byron, Henry in last season's television mini-
series "Winds of War," has
filed a $\$ 1.6$ million suit
in against his financial adviser.
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Thursday
Notes

Well it's time for Thursday Notes and again we have basketball news starting Bigs Spri
Big Spring High School track coach Anna Ezell switched professions Monday night -
Ezell, who is more attuned to planning workouts for sprinters and distance people was called upon to coach the Lady Steers freshmen basketball squad. Ezell was subbing for coach Susan Sharp who was in. The Lady steers traveled to dropping their record to $7-5$ for the season and spoling Ezell's basketball coaching debut.
Shelia Chatman led the scoring with eight points. She was followed by Connie Swinney and Lisa Hale with six each
Rumor has it that at the contest, coach Ezell was instructing her troops to get up sounds just like a track coach - right? Coach John Velasquez's freshmen boys also lost a close game to Lamesa by a score of 58-53, dropping their record to $5-5$ for the season. Charles Young led the scoring with 15 points. Paul Deckernd John Olson tallied 11 and 10 respectively

Hats off to F
Roger Hudgins.
At the first of the season the Buffalos weren't given much of a chance of contending in District 16-A. They started off the season slowly by losing six of their first eight games
Then Hudgins started his magic, regroupdistrict. The turnaround begin earlier this month when the Buffalos finished second in the Sterling City Tournament.
Now in district play Forsan stands at 2-1 and 9-10 for the season, including a 47-46 victory over district favorite Robert Lee reckoned with in 16-A action.
The Runnels " $A$ " and " $B$ " team boys have been hooping it up this season. But Monday the " $A$ " team met its match with a tough crew from Lamesa
They lost only their third game of the
season in 10 tries by a 38-37 count. Michael Rubio led the scoring with 14 points, followed by Brian Mayfield's 11. Charles White who is credited with being the most consistent player on the team this year led the rebounding department with 10 .
The " $B$ " team evened the score with a
$40-33$ win over Lamesa. Kevin Ward and Jerry Smith scored 14 and 12 points respectively as the Yearlings improved their record to 5-5.
Congratulations are in store for the Runnels girls for winning their own tournament this past weekend. They nipped Snyder $26-24$ in the championship game. Trina Thompson paced the champs, avera
points in three tournament games

Staying on the junior high level, the Goliad girls split wins wih Lamesa Monday. The "B" team got five points from Tara Jones in taking a 13-6 victory for its first win of the season. Aretha Isaiah and Erin Kelly were credited by coach Kim Wats
ing an excellent defensive games.
Lamesa downed the " $A$ " team by a count of $17-6$ as Melissa Martinez led the scoring with four points. The loss drops their record to 4-7 for the season.
Got a chance to see former Big Spring High School hoop star Jerald Wrightsil, now at Midland College, play las
Howard Hawks doubleheader
He looks just as smooth as ever, and a little bit stronger. In the two games Jerald tallied 15 and 12 points. He and his teammates are in the thick of the Western Junior College Athletic Conference race with a 4-1
slate. slate.
Now switching to the boxing scene. The Howard County Boxing Club, which has been winning tournaments at a regular pace, is gearing up for
Tournament next week.
Coaches JV Martinez, Juan Baldwin and Ed Garza admit that the key to the team's success is their wives.

These unsung heroines Helen, Mary and Patti are the ones that make the team go.
They have the jobs like fixing the boxers lunches, mending their bumps and bruises and sometimes providing transportation. and sometimes providing transportation.
Thanks ladies - the boxing club couldn't make it without your?

## Riggins voices Super Bowl opinion <br> The inPA, Fla. (AP) - It was a day depicting one of <br> hoped he's be enough of a gentleman to pick it up and

the interesting sideshow dramas of next Sunday's
Super Bowl XVIII, an event which paralyzes a nation. There was Lyle Alzado, the big, bearded linebacker of the Los Angeles Raiders, aimost smothered by
newsmen standing on the lush Tampa Stadium turf
and regaling his audience wish is limp and regaling his audience with his lion's roar and raun-
chy humor. Minutes earlier, less than 30 yards away in the end-
zone, had stood John Riggins, ball-carrying demon of zone, had stood John Riggins, , ball-carrying demon
the Washington Redskins, in full football regalia and cowboy boots, arms folded, frozen like an abandoned
Greek statue "Tho interviews," said the hulking line smasher. Thus opening salvos were fired earlier this week in the "Media War"- the in-fighting for newspaper,
radi Ta rio and TV space.
Alzado and Pige
Altado and Riggins are both "flakes," or odd-balls, with a flair for the theatrical and a a lust for public at-
tention. They have dominated - in picture, story and
electronic exposureelectronic exposure - the period leading up to the big
game. game. Riggins refusing to throw a punch in the first
With Rolic appearance of the Super Bowl rivals, Alzado got
in the first licks with his wild blither and bombast.
Riggins, who even created a furor with his statue Riggins, who even created a furor with his statue
act, plunged into the fray Weddensay when he appeared on stage attired in the uniform of a
paratrooper.
"Hi, fellows, what's going on?" he asked when the buzzing had subsided.
"Last year the Redskins marched on Miami," he added. "This ye
Laughter.
The unifor
The uniform, he said, represented Air National
Guard of Washington, D. C. He wore a patch which said "Commander, Riggo's Rangers." " "Be careful what you say to me or or you may be at-
tacked dy an 4 Phantom fighter," he warned. tacked by an F4 Phantom fighter,', he warned.
Loud laughter. One newsman fell out of his chair The question-answer sesssion turned into a burlesque. Somebudion-answer session turned into a burlessque.
Sim. him.
"Let's not get too cerebral, oK?" he said. Asked why he maintained a stolid se silence Tuesday
while Alzado was getting all the attention, Riggins replied:
knocked my block off, as he said he was going to do. I
hand it back to me."
More raucous laughter. Riggins had his audience in
the palm of his hand, the palm of his hand, and he was loving every minute On another question, he said, "Give me something I
can sink my teeth into," and, when somebody asked can sink my teeth into," and, when somebody asked his plunges into the line, he quipped: "That's intimidatione he quipped In a serious vein, somebody asked him if he had
dreams - as he said a year ago - of smashing through dreams - as he said a year ago - of smashing through
the opposing lines to victory, he soberly responded: "T'm always as good as my offensive line or as good
as their defensive line allows. I'm only as good as their dreams.' Riggins is a pleasant, personable man of 34 out of the
University of Kansas, now completing his 12 th pro He always has had a penchant for the unusual. With the New York Jets in the 1970s, he came to camp with one of those Mr. T, Mohawk hairstyles and wore it all
year. He would roll up his white shorts in practice so he
would look like a diapered year. He would roll up his white shorts in prac
would look like a diapered Mahatma Ghandi

Miller feels Phoenix is right

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BASKETBALL
Big Spring Lady S S
Odessa Permian (4-3) The Lady Steers begin the second round
of district action and need a win to get
back into playoff contention. back into playoff contention.
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test by Midland Lee 74.57, a game in which the Lady Steers had problems with
the Lee press. the Lee press.
The last time Permian and Big Spring The last time Permian and Big Spring
met, the Lady Steers came away with a 59-5i victory. Paula spears had a good
game with 28 points. game wiun is coming off a narrow 51-49
Permian is
win over Abilene Cooper. In that contest Permian is coming or a narrow on-ts
waura Bartiene Cooper. In that contest the Panthers with 17 Laura Bartlett led the Panthers with 17
points. Varsity game time is 8p.m. with
the JV contest getting underway at 6:15


GETTING IN SOME LAPS - Los get in some road work during a Raiders Angeles Raiders backup quarterback
Dave Humm, left, and kicker Chris Bahr workout in Tampa. Humm is a

Slain officer's son will attend Super contest with help

WASHINGTON (AP) - The 10-year-old son of a
slain police officer will be going to the Super Bowl as slain police officer will be going to the Super Bowl as
his father had promised.
A police spokesman says that Maj. Richard Beavers A police spokesman says that Maj. Richard Beavers
had promised his son, Joseph Richard, a trip to Tampa had promised his son, Joseph Richard, a trip to Tampa
if the Washington Redskins went to the Super Bowl. But Beavers, a veteran of more than 20 years on the Prince George's County police force was shot and kill-
ed during a robbery attempt last October. When word of that promise reached Prince George's
Police Chief Michael Flaherty, he called TTampa Police Chief Michael Flaherty, he called Tampa
police. Tampa's assistant chief, Don Newberger then police. Tampa's assistant chief, Don Newberger, then
contacted NFL security guards who managed to dig up two 50 -yard-line tickets. The Tampa Fraternal Order of Police paid for the tickets.
The youth and his grandfather, Harry Miller, will The youth and his grandfather, Harry Miller, will
drive to Tampa for the game Sunday against the Los
Angeles Raiders. New faces sprinkled among ranks of 1984 Oilers coaching staff

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston Oilers head coach Hugh
Campbell announced on Wednesday the hiring of three new coaches and retention of two current assistants for the National Football League team.
Joining the team's staff are special teams coach Joining the team's staff are special teams coach
Gene Gaines, receivers coach Bruce Lemmerman and running backs coach Al Roberts. All three assisted Campbell with the United States Football League's Los
Angeles Express. Assistant coaches Ken Houston and Bill Walsh will remain on the Oilerss staff. Houston, a former Oilers player, will remain secondary coach and Walsh will re-
main offensive line coach. main offessive line coach.
Campell said the new assistants will start work by
the beginning of next the beginning of next week.


Sports Briefs
Walker interested in Cowboys



 the University of Georgia, one year before he would
have been eligible for the NFL player draft. Under NFL ruies, by giving up his final season of college
eligibility, his drafteligible date was pushed back by Grades claim UT footballers AUSTIN (AP) - The Texas Longhorns have lost two
football players because of bad grades but have
regained defensive tackle Ralph Darnell The academic casualties are junior running back Don Holloway or Port Arthur Jefferson and freshman
tight end Robert Studdard of Pearsall.
Darell missed this past season with grade problems and at-
tended Eastfield College at Mesquite. He was Texas tended Eastrield College at Mesquite.
No. 1 right tackle as a junior in 1982 .
Loraine seeks football games LORAINE - Class A school Loraine is in need of a
game to complete its 1984 football schedule. game to complete its 1984 football schedule.
Head coach B.D. Triec said he is willing to play any
Class A or Class AA or AAA junior varsity on either Thursday, Oct. 4 or Friday, Oct. 5. Contact Trice at
$915-737-2225$ Two Mustangs sign with USFL DALLAS (AP) - Two Southern Methodist Universi
ty defensive backs have signed with United States Football League, the Dallas Morning News reported.
Corneprock Fred Nichols and strong safety Dwayne
Anderson each signed a one-year free agent contracts with the Tampa Bay Bandits, the newspaper said. said contracts are uguaranted, he newspaper
"It's a chance," Anderson said. "That's all we were The pair is to leave Monday for Tampa Bay, wher
They will join SMU teammate Russ Washington Meanwhile, SMU All-American free safety Russ Carter is contemplating his future with the USFL
Carter was the Denver Gold's first-round draft pick Carter was the Denver Gold's first-round draft pick
However, the Denver team is talking about trading th Howerer, the Carterer to the Philadelphia Stars, the
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Mabee Swim Center at noon Friday and Saturday in
the two day event that will include all District $\begin{aligned} & \text { week of December, but Smith said "We may be a little } \\ & \text { faster now. We've been working hard and from all in- } \\ & \text { dications }\end{aligned}$ (AAAA teams plus Wichita Falls. Amarillo 4AAAAA teams plus Wichita Falls, Amarillo,
4Seminole, Fort Stockton, Monohans, Hobbs, New Mex-
ico and "a couple of El Paso.schools," according to Smith. The team's last competition was during the second $\begin{gathered}\text { Juniors Lisa Salazar and Hardley on thell ark. ex- } \\ \text { pected to do well in the breaststroke and butterfly }\end{gathered}$
respectively while freshman L
possibility for the Lady Steers.
"We have or Lady Steers. said Smith. "'This meet will give us a good chance to gauge ourselves before district. Doing well at district gauge ourselves before district. Doing well at
is our number one goal," he said.
The District 4-AAAAA meet will be held Feb. 17-18 The District 4
Midland also.
Tellez retains flyweight championship in three CORPUS CHRISTI,
Texas (AP) "Once you hit victory, it it
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 tion flyweight champion- He stopped Clyde with $2: 22$ with the 115-pound Tellez. Clyde's upper right cheek smiling broadly after the Kobayashi or Mexico's
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HOLLYWOOD (AP) - The final, losing fight of steve McQueen 's tumultuous life - his struggle
against cancer -has been disclosed for the first time in a new biography, "McQueen,"' by William F. Nolan.
Nolan first became acquainted with the star when he was a script writer for the television series "Wanted Dead or Alive." After a 1977 article about MCQueen's ing the last 10 years of his career, McQueen granted no interviews - except to Nolan, with whom he planned to record his life story. view of an elusive star, his troubled beginnings, tur. bulent career, three marriages and his agonizing McQueen was born in Indianapolis March 24, 1930, the son of a barnstorming stunt piliot who disappeared
six months later. The boy's California childhood was marked by stolen-car arrests and beatings by his
stepfather. At 14, McQueen was placed in the California Junior
Boys Republic, an institution for troubled boys. After ears as a seaman, logger and Marine, he drifted to He found his life's work and became one of the the novies' highest paid actors. But he was never comfor-
table in the role of film star, preferring life at the motor tracks. McQueen's marriages to Neile Adams
and Ali MacGraw both ended in divorce, and in his later years he withdrew further and further from the McQuee
plained, in search of his lost father. ever existed," the actor told Nolan. "It's the mystery of the thing that keeps bringing you back... you want to solve it... Here 1 am, doin' what he did, flyin' these ole
biplanes, the same kind he barnstormed in the '20s and 3os. Leather helmet and goggles. Open cockpit. Wind in your face... Yeah, I know now why he was a pilot."
Although he could earn $\$ 3$ million per picture Mi Although he could earn $\$ 3$ million per picture, Mc-
Queen in 1977 chose to prove himself as an actor in a Queen idget film of Ibsen's "An Enemy of the People."
low-budge He was devastated when the film failed. more than almost anything I can remember,", he said "I put my heart and guts into that film and when it got he reaction it did, I was wiped out.
McQueen sought to restore his lust commercial film, "Tom Horn." The western a more and he undertook a film that looked back to his beginnings as a bounty hunter on "Wanted - Dead or Alive.",
It was while working on "The Hunter" that McQueen's nagging cough, which he attributed to racetrack dust, became persistent.
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He did his own stunts, but by the time filming ended,
he felt "really beat." In December 1979, he collapsed at his Santa Pauala, Calif,, ranch. After tests in a L Los
Angeles hospital, he told concerned friends, "I had a ttle touch of pneumonia
ght lung. It was terminal. McQueen married Barbara Minty, on Jan. 16, 1980, dicated he had only a 5 percent chance of living out the year. "Researchers are ew working all the time on cancer
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