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How's that?
Commodities

Q. What must a person do to receive commodities from West Texas Opportunities?

A. To receive commodities, persons must be certified according to certain guidelines. To be certified, you must go by the offices in the Ventura Building on 11th Place and fill out forms concerning family and financial situations. This information must be verified before you can become eligible.

Once a person is certified, they are issued a yellow card which is their ticket into the distribution program. Commodities will be distributed to those who have been certified this Thursday from 8:15 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the National Guard Armory. Receipts must have their yellow certification cards with them in order to receive commodities.

Calendar: Deadlines

TODAY

- Today is the last day to register at Howard College for the fall semester.
- Today is the last day to register for Sign Language 1, a beginners class, at the SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf. Classes will be offered Mondays and Wednesdays, 1 p.m. to 3:20 p.m., or Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 p.m. to 8:20 p.m.
- The Kentwood P.T.A. will host a "Meet the Teachers" program at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.
- Howard College is offering free classes on skills in math, English or English as a second language. Classes are available from 8 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call Leslie Earnst at 267-6311, ext. 316.
- The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet for an ice cream social and a Meet the Steers Night in the high school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Varsity football team players will be present.
- All area home economists are invited to an organizational meeting of a local American Home Economics Association chapter at 6 p.m. at Golden Corral.
- The Senior Citizens Center will sponsor a high blood pressure check at 1 to 4 p.m. at Building 487 in the Industrial Airpark.
- The Howard County Youth Horseman Club will have a Showmanship and Western Pleasure Clinic at 6:30 p.m. at the arena on the Garden City Highway. A \$5 fee will be charged non-members who attend the clinic.
- The Washington Elementary School PTA will meet at 3:30 at the school's library.

Tops on TV: Special People

A dedicated woman attempts to transform a group of mentally handicapped young adults into a successful professional puppet troupe on "Special People" at 8 p.m. on channel 7. At 8 p.m. on channel 2, Dyan Cannon and Barry Newman star in "Having it All."

Outside: Hot

Highs near 100 degrees are forecast today with southerly winds, 15 to 25 miles per hour. Tonight, look for lows in the upper 60s with southerly winds, 10 to 15 miles per hour.

County cuts '85 tax rate

By JOHN RICE
Managing Editor

Over the objection of Commissioner Louis Brown, Howard County commissioners Monday cut county taxes by reducing the tax rate from 23 cents per \$100 of real estate value to 22 cents per \$100.

Monday's action will drop taxes 4.5 percent from what had been proposed. On a home valued at \$50,000, for a homeowner declaring the standard exemption, county tax will be \$66. It was \$69 with a 23-cent tax rate, according to the county tax assessor-collector's office.

The 3-1 vote came Monday afternoon on the motion of Commissioner David Barr. Barr, Paul Allen and Bill Crooker voted in favor of the lower rate.

Calculations by Crooker put the county's projected cushion at as much as \$4 million to \$4.6 million by Oct. 1, 1985. Commissioners

have set aside \$2 million of the reserve for future jail construction.

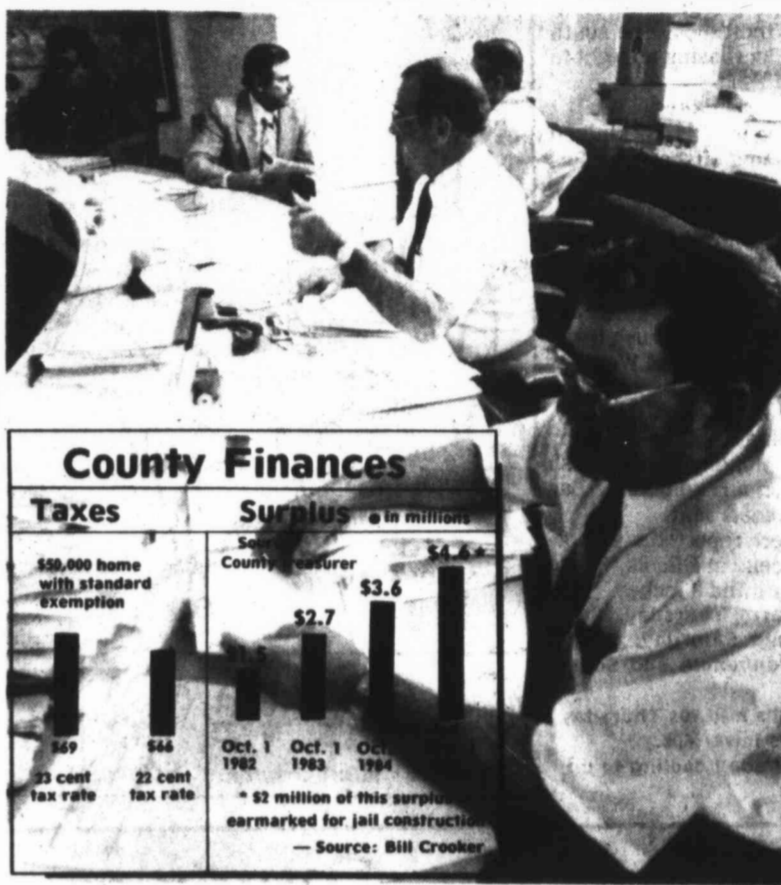
Brown called the tax decrease "pinching pennies" and asked for "progress" instead. His motion Friday morning to adopt a 23-cent tax rate was voted down.

A proposed budget for the 1984-85 fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1, called for the 23-cent tax rate, the same as the current levy. That rate would have produced slightly less revenue in 1984-85 than in the current year. To produce the same income, a rate of 23.7 cents would have been needed.

The one-cent reduction in tax rate is estimated to reduce tax revenues \$154,000.

The proposed budget calls for revenue of \$9.1 million and expenses of \$8.1 million. However, \$2 million earmarked "expenses" is money set aside for future jail construction, Crooker said.

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TAX DEBATE — Howard County Commissioners (from near to far) Paul Allen, Bill Crooker, Judge Milton Kirby, David Barr and Louis Brown debate lowering the county tax rate at their Monday meeting.

Fiberflex stock Patent royalty halted

By KEELY COGHLAN
Staff Writer

118th District Court Judge Jim Gregg Monday evening signed a temporary restraining order prohibiting the corporate management of Fiberflex Products Inc. — Tom Rutledge, Russ Rutledge and John Freeman — from receiving monthly royalty checks.

Gregg's order prohibits the three inventors of the patented fiberglass coupling for the company's sucker rod from drawing royalties except for twice a year, on Jan. 15 and July 15. The Rutledges and Freeman had been drawing royalties monthly, according to testimony in earlier hearings.

The order came at the request of former O.I.L. manager Charles "Chris" Christopher and nine other company directors elected at an Aug. 18 shareholders meeting who support Christopher in his attempts to take over the multi-million dollar company.

The order also restrains company directors who favor corporate management — Ted Groebel, W.T. "Woody" Rutledge Sr., Ronald Leatherman, Benny Beene, Rob Ferguson and Fred Morrow — and corporate comptroller Ernie Swart from issuing, approving or condoning the issuance of royalty checks to the three inventors.

State National Bank of Big Spring and Allied Bank-Mockingbird of Dallas also are restrained from honoring, depositing, clearing or

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Iraqi jets blast 2 tankers

By The Associated Press

An Iraqi warplane hit a fully loaded supertanker with an Exocet missile today south of Iran's Kharg Island oil terminal, the vessel's captain said. He said the crew quickly put out the resulting fire.

Iraq said today its jet fighters attacked two "naval targets" south of Kharg Island, Iraq, which has been at war with Iran for four years, generally using the term "naval target" when referring to ships, but there were no reports to

day of an attack on a second vessel. The captain of the Liberian-registered tanker St. Tobias said his ship was struck by a missile on the starboard side about 50 miles south of Kharg Island. In a ship-to-shore radio interview with The Associated Press in Bahrain, Capt. Tadevz Gapinski said there were no injuries among his 32 Polish crewmen.

"The remnants of the French-origin missile are still on the boat," Gapinski said. "We were fully load-

ed when hit. Our destination is Japan."

The 55-year-old captain, a native of the Polish city of Gdansk, said the attack came without warning.

"The blast ripped a two-meter (six-foot) hole in the starboard area, causing a fire which we quickly extinguished," he said.

Gapinski said the ship, which weighs 250,000 tons when fully loaded, was headed southward to the port of Dubai, in the United Arab Emirates, for repairs.



Dangerous Diana

Hurricane gaining strength; targets North Carolina

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — "Dangerous" hurricane Diana gained strength and veered toward North Carolina today, whipping the sea with a pinwheel of 120 mph winds, threatening tides up to 12 feet above normal and prompting beachfront dwellers to move to higher ground.

People on beaches and islands along both the North and South Carolina coasts were urged to evacuate, and coastal residents secured boats, taped windows and stocked up on emergency supplies.

The center of the massive storm, pushing tides of up to 12 feet ahead of it, could hit land between Myrtle Beach, S.C., and Wilmington, N.C., this evening, said the National Hurricane Center in Miami.

"Hurricane Diana is now a dangerous hurricane," the National Weather Service said. "Further strengthening is likely today."

Since Monday, the storm's speed of movement had doubled to 10 mph.

North Carolina officials urged residents of New Hanover, Pender and Brunswick coun-

ties to seek higher ground.

"There has been some evacuation going through the night," said Bob Melott, North Carolina deputy secretary of crime control and public safety. "My understanding is most of Sunset Beach has been evacuated because the pontoon bridge there closed early."

Coastal residents and tourists in South Carolina from Georgetown to North Myrtle Beach were asked to voluntarily evacuate and officials reported heavy traffic as people fled. Island ferries prepared to shut down.

Harte-Hanks completes stock buyout

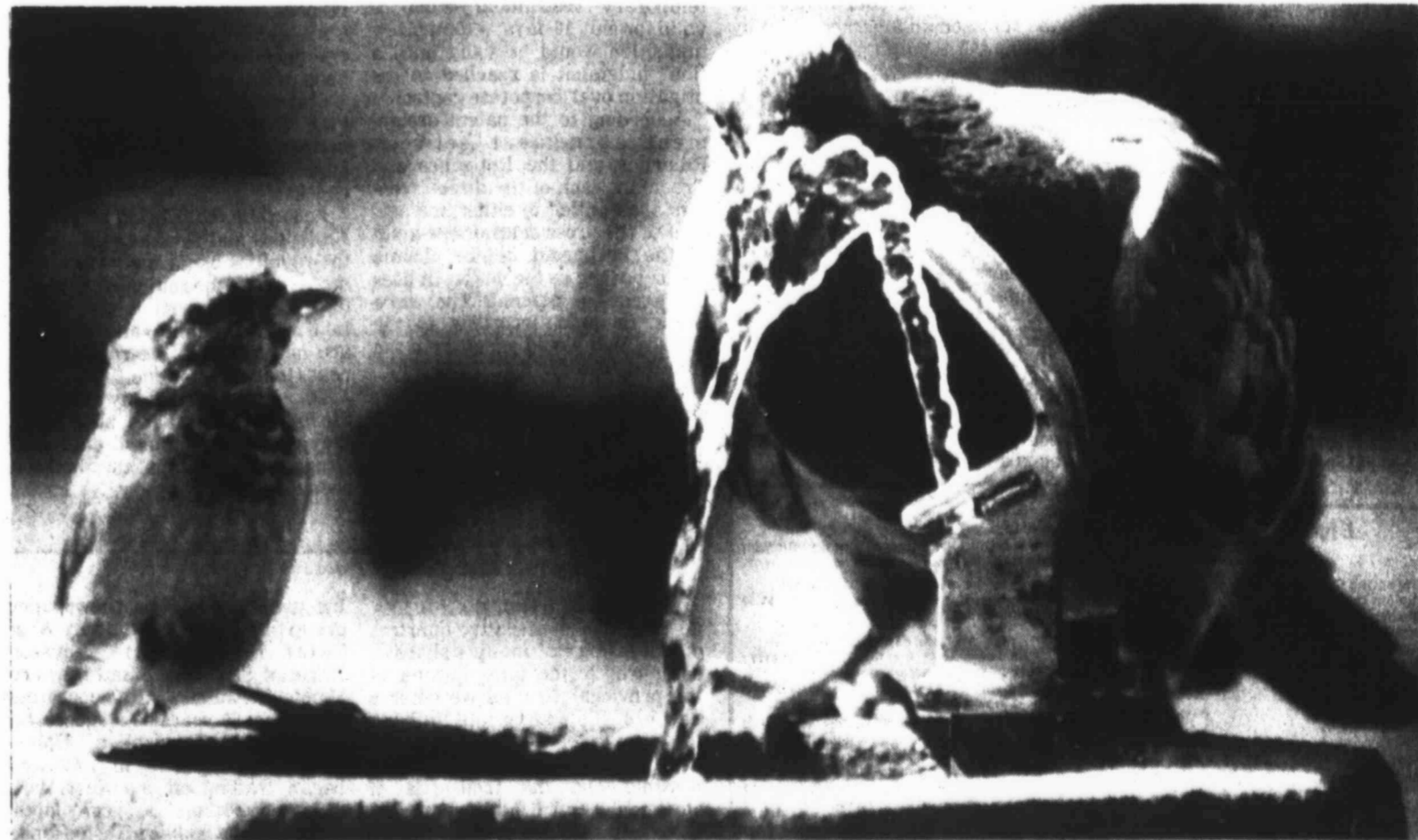
Harte-Hanks Communications, Inc. announced today the completion of the previously announced leveraged buyout of the company by a group of investors headed by five directors of the company. Effective today, each share of common stock has been converted into the right to receive \$27 in cash and \$13 principal amount of subordinated discount debentures of Harte-Hanks. Trading of Harte-Hanks shares on the New York Stock Exchange will be permanently suspended after the close of trading today.

Commenting on the transaction, Bob Marbut, president and chief executive officer of the company, said, "This marks another significant milestone for Harte-Hanks. Since going public in early 1972, the company has emerged as an integrated nationwide communications company, listed among The Fortune 500."

Marbut continued, "It's gratifying to note that a dollar invested in our initial public offering has grown six-fold and that consistently improving operating performance during this period has

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The bigger guy gets to go first



I'M NEXT — A sparrow casts an impatient glance toward a pigeon taking its turn at a drinking fountain in Washington, D.C., recently. The

birds were enjoying the weather as summer draws to an end. No one got his feathers ruffled.

Associated Press photo

Weather

Hot across state today

By The Associated Press

A highpressure system centered over Texas kept skies mostly clear across the state today, and forecasters predicted conditions to remain sunny and hot, with only some isolated thunderstorms expected later.

The National Weather Service reported some low cloudiness in South Central Texas and portions of the coastal plains, while isolated thundershowers formed offshore in the Gulf of Mexico.

Over the Panhandle and northern High Plains, some high cirrus clouds remained. Winds were generally from the south with speeds averaging between 5 and 15 mph.

Low temperatures remained unseasonably warm over much of the Lone Star State. Readings at 4 a.m. continued to hover mainly in the 70s. Extremes were 82 degrees at El Paso and 57 degrees at Marfa.

Some isolated afternoon thunderstorms should occur over parts of South and Far West Texas, the weather service said.

Highs in North Texas were expected in the upper 90s through Wednesday, with partly cloudy skies.

The weather service said clear, mild nights were expected, with lows in the mid 70s. Winds should be south through Wednesday at 15 to 25 mph, decreasing at night to 10 to 20 mph.

Wind advisories were in effect for area lakes.

The season's first Atlantic hurricane, Diana, stalked the Southeastern coast today, remaining offshore but forcing residents and officials to prepare for the storm's punch, while flash floods in Nevada killed five members of a family.

In the West, thunderstorms developed amid the moist air carried in by tropical storm Marie, bringing thunderstorms packing hail and high winds to the Phoenix, Ariz., area during Monday's evening rush hour.

The storm itself posed no threat, the National Weather Service said, but moist, unstable air was expected to cover much of the Southwest corner of the country today.

Five members of a family, including a 2-week-old baby and children ages 6 and 8, drowned Monday when a flash flood swamped their pickup truck on a road outside Las Vegas, Nev., police Lt. Barbara Connatt said.

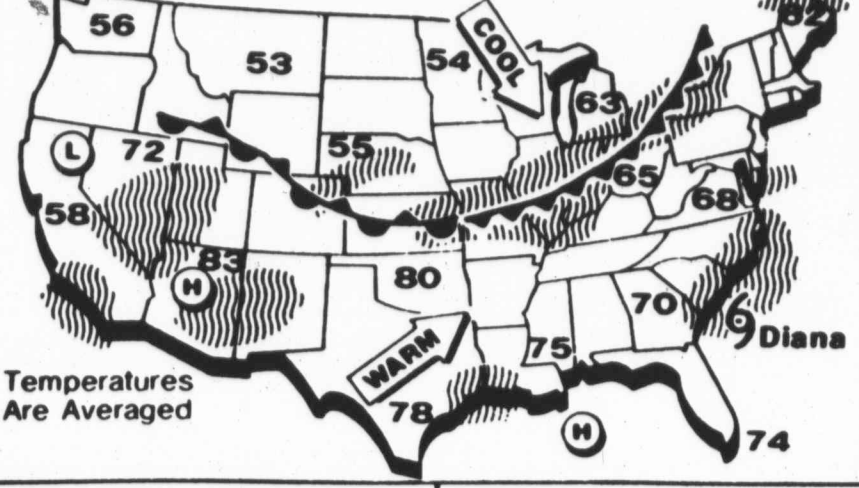
Heavy rain and urban flooding were reported over portions of eastern Missouri and west central Illinois, where rainfall amounts averaged between 1 and 3 inches.

West Texas — Fair and very warm Thursday, then partly cloudy and cooler Friday and Saturday. Slight chance of thunderstorms mainly Panhandle and South Plains Friday.

Permian Basin and Far West: Highs mid 90s Thursday cooling to mid 80s by Saturday. Lows lower 60s.

Concho Valley: Highs mid 90s Thursday cooling to upper 80s by Saturday. Lows upper 60s.

The Weather 2 a.m. EDT, Tuesday, September 11



FRONTS: Warm — Cold — Occluded — Stationary

Showers Rain Flurries Snow

The Forecast 8 a.m. EDT, Wednesday, September 12



FRONTS: Warm — Cold — Occluded — Stationary

Showers Rain Flurries Snow

Sheriff's Log

Local man pleads guilty to sexual assault charge

A 45-year-old Big Spring man pleaded guilty Monday in 118th District Court to a charge of sexual assault of a child.

District Judge Jim Gregg sentenced Johnnie Ray Jones of 910 W. Fourth to five years in prison as part of a plea bargain with the District Attorney's office. He was given credit for serving 210 days in jail. Jones was scheduled to be tried this week on two counts of sexual assault on a child.

An arrest warrant has been issued in connection with a simple assault early Monday morning at the Latin Quarter.

Gloria Lozano of 1500 11th Place told Howard County sheriff's deputies she was threatened, beaten, scratched and dragged on the ground about 12:15 a.m. Monday by a woman she knew. According to sheriff's reports, the woman threatened to kill Ms. Lozano before the assailant went to the penitentiary.

The incident was reported by Ms. Lozano's friend, who was also a witness, Mrs. Adela Juarez of 1614 Lark.

L.C. (Ray) Nix and Joe Rogers of Sterling City Route told deputies Sunday afternoon that items valued at \$600 were taken from their home. Taken were a stereo, two nightstands, two rifles and one shotgun.

Howard County sheriff's deputies Monday also arrested Randy Alan Moore, 32, of Route 1 on a state warrant for parole violation. He remains in jail.

Luis Vasquez Gaitan, 33, of 900 E. 12th was released Monday from county jail after serving the last 12 hours of his county court sentence.

Deputies Monday arrested Corina Aguirre Puente, 27, of 3308 Auburn on a capias pro fine warrant. She was released after paying \$218.50 to Justice of the Peace Lewis Heflin's office.

Rudy Alvear, 23, of Coahoma was arrested Sunday on suspicion of aggravated assault and making alcohol available to a minor. He was released on \$500 and \$200 bonds set by Heflin.

Toby Hargrove Roemer, 18, was arrested on suspicion of being a minor in possession of alcohol. He was released on \$200 bond set by

Heflin.

Jamie Martinez, 25, of Dallas was released from county jail Monday after laying out five days.

Deputies Monday arrested Tony Martinez, 21, of Route 1 on a warrant for revocation of probation for burglary of a building.

Glasscock County sheriff's deputies arrested two men from the Connie Edwards Ranch near Garden City on Howard County warrants for simple assault. Paul Gonzales and Francisco Angela, no ages available, were released on \$200 cash bond each.

Rodney Morris, 21, of Loraine, was arrested Monday by the Mitchell County sheriff's office on a Howard County warrant for issuance of a bad check. He was released after paying \$138.50 in fines and checks.

Deputies arrested Kay LeFevre of 1410 Princeton on suspicion of issuance of a bad check. She was released after paying \$120.16 on bond.

Mark Antony Gutierrez, 17, of 2004 Scurry was transferred Sunday to the sheriff's office from the police department on suspicion of driving while license suspended and second offense of failure to maintain financial responsibility. He was released on a total of \$700 bond.

Fidencio Rodriguez, 38, of Garden City Route was transferred Sunday to the sheriff's office from the police department on suspicion of driving while intoxicated. He was released on \$1,000 bond set by Heflin.

Ruben Torres Jr., 26, of 2410 Johnson was transferred Sunday to the sheriff's office on suspicion of DWI. He was released on \$1,500 bond set by Heflin.

Jerry Marquez, 26, of Garland was transferred to the sheriff's office from the police department on suspicion of DWI and failure to maintain financial responsibility. He was released on \$1,200 total bond set by Heflin.

Benny Islas, 20, of Route 1 was transferred to the sheriff's office on suspicion of consuming after hours. He was released on \$200 bond set by Heflin.

County

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With the lowered tax income, the budget carryover on Oct. 1, 1985 is projected to be \$825,000 — plus the \$2 million jail fund.

Crooker said that the \$800,000 could turn out to be \$2 million, however, because of the county's "tradition" of underestimating revenues. He noted that the \$3 million carryover projected for Oct. 1 will likely be \$3.6 million.

If Crooker's calculations come to pass, the county could end its next fiscal year with a reserve that looks like this:

- \$600,000 additional reserve on Oct. 1 (not counted in the \$3 million surplus projected for that date).
- \$2 million set aside for the jail.
- \$800,000 in projected carryover on Oct. 1, 1985.
- \$1.2 million because of conservative budgeting in estimating revenues — Crooker's projection.

Total: \$4.6 million even with the lowered tax rate.

Crooker said that work on a new jail — if construction is ordered — wouldn't come for at least a year, and it would be 18 months to two years after that before it would be completed.

Brown expressed concern that the lower tax rate would hurt the county's financial position if state legislation comes to pass requiring counties to pay for medical care incurred by indigents.

He said also that the county is not giving enough service to constituents, the county's buildings are in poor shape and that county employees received "only a 2 1/2 to 3 percent raise this year."

"Now they're cutting taxes," he said. "Now is not the time to be lowering taxes. If we raise taxes in the future we'll have people here in droves — protesting."

In other action Monday, commissioners:

- Approved election judges recommended by County Clerk Margaret Ray for the Nov. 6 general election. No recommendations were made for judges in precincts 301 and 401.
- Approved purchase of two mowers at a total price of \$18,692.
- Agreed to let Justice of the Peace Willie Grant of Coahoma use a photocopy that the county has replaced.

In response, Christopher said he wrote to the banks on June 29 and asked that they stop clearing the checks.

"On Thursday, (Tom) Rutledge testified that there had been no more such monthly payments. But after the hearing, the judge indicated he was going to sign an order allowing my representatives to be at the company on a daily basis to examine the books and records and observe operations," Christopher said. The order has not yet been signed, although it has been presented to the judge.

Christopher said he was notified that the Rutledges and Freeman had issued the royalty checks by a bank that received one of the checks.

According to Christopher, the Rutledges and Freeman are using the royalties as "a method to take money out of the company, not paying stockholders. It is something that we dispute the validity of. We are not disputing the royalty, except (that it's) not due."

Tom Rutledge and his attorney, Steve Kiser of Midland, said today they could not comment on Judge Gregg's order because they had not seen a copy yet.

Fiberflex Company

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generated 50 consecutive quarters of increasing earnings per share as compared to the same quarter of the previous year. As we enter a new era, it's appropriate to thank the people of Harte-Hanks who have made this accomplishment possible and the thousands of stockholders who have supported us so faithfully," he said.

Harte-Hanks Communications,

Inc. grew out of a Texas newspaper group founded in the 1920s by West Texas newspaperman Houston Harte of San Angelo and Bernard Hanks of Abilene. After operating for nearly 50 years as a successful family-held organization, Harte-Hanks went public in 1972 and began trading on the New York Stock Exchange a year later. Before going public, Harte-Hanks owned 13 Texas newspapers and a San Antonio television station.

Newscope

Council discusses jail during work session

The proposed new Howard County Jail could be built adjacent to the Big Spring Police Department if suggestions are followed that came out of yesterday's Big Spring City Council work session.

Police Chief Rick Turner told the council that while he "would like to get out of the jail business all together," the present 46-bed city jail could be expanded to 60 beds and represents a "cost effective alternative" to building a totally

new facility.

Following discussion, Councilman Russ McEwen telephoned County Judge Milton Kirby with the suggestion and reported that Kirby "seemed very open to it."

The council yesterday also discussed a new group health insurance plan for city employees. No action can be taken at the council work sessions, which are generally held at the conference room at Big Spring Airpark.

DPS issues laws for oil units

Hot oil service units must now comply with Department of Public Safety regulations involving hazardous materials and their transportation, according to the local DPS office.

Operators of these units should contact either of the two troopers in the license and weights division, Marvin Keenan or Ben Lockhart, at 263-3841 for more information.

Doggett lashes out at foe

HOUSTON (AP) — Democratic U.S. Senate candidate Lloyd Doggett today accused his Republican challenger, U.S. Rep. Phil Gramm, of living off federal dollars for a long time but voting against federal money for programs that would serve many people.

Doggett, at a news conference in front of the Baylor College of Medicine, said Gramm voted against plans to build a government-paid child nutrition center at the school and then proclaimed later that he supported the center.

"He goes and votes against child nutrition and then grandstands that he's in favor," Doggett said. "He took credit for a bill he voted against."

The state senator from Austin said the \$49 million center "will benefit children across this state and this country."

"But when it came time to take the glory for bringing these funds to Baylor, guess who was there working into the limelight? Phil Gramm."

Doggett also contended that Gramm "received federal benefits for his own education and he would deny others the same."

Doggett included Gramm's wife as living off federal money. He said his comments were sparked to illustrate "the callousness" of Gramm's record as well as show contradictions and Gramm's opportunistic character.

In another accusation, Doggett said Gramm, in an announcement in Gramm's home area of Bryan, "pledged to make not Baylor, or the University of Houston or Rice, but Texas A&M the first college in the country in terms of research funds. Unfortunately, Mr. Gramm has not even supported research."

For the record

Information attributed to County Treasurer Bonnie Franklin concerning the county's surplus funds of \$3.9 million as of Aug. 31 should have been attributed to County

Auditor Jackie Olson. The misinformation was published in the Monday edition in a story on the county commissioners' discussion of tax rates.

Police Beat

Woman injured in collision

A thirty-four-year-old Big Spring woman was taken to Malone-Hogan Hospital by Shaffer Ambulance yesterday morning after a two-vehicle major accident at the intersection of N. Gregg and N.W. Ninth.

Refugia Calderon of 4111 Dixon was examined by emergency room personnel and released to her private physician after the accident that happened at about 10 a.m. Monday.

Ms. Calderon, who was driving a 1976 Pontiac Grand Prix north on Gregg, stopped at the N.W. Ninth signal and proceeded to cross the intersection without seeing a 1975 Chevrolet Scottsdale pickup driven by J.B. Hardeman. The two vehicles collided, skipped out of control and ended up on the intersection's N.W. corner.

Ms. Calderon was ticketed for failure to yield right of way after the accident.

In other police reports:
• A Big Spring man was taken to Cowper Clinic last night with in-

juries he received during a fight at a 808 N.W. Fifth location.

Billy James of 805 N.W. Sixth was treated at the clinic after he was taken there by Shaffer Ambulance, a clinic spokesman said.

According to police reports, police restored peace at the N.W. Fifth location after receiving a call of a fight involving a man with a weapon. However, because charges were not filed, no further information is available, Lt. Jerry Edwards said.

A 24-foot long flatbed trailer was reported stolen by Raymond Phillips of Phillips Machine at 1318 E. Third. Phillips told police at 11 a.m. Monday that the trailer, which is valued at \$4,000, was taken from outside the machine shop between 12 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. Monday.

F.L. Sneed, 48, of 2404 E. 24th was arrested at 10:32 p.m. Monday near the intersection of Interstate 20 and FM 700 on suspicion of driving while intoxicated.

Deaths

LaWan Overton

Mrs. Lewis (LaWan) Overton, 48, of Pecos, died Monday morning in a Pecos hospital. Services will be Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. in the Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. James McCormick of Pecos officiating.

Burial will be in the Trinity Memorial Park.

Mrs. Overton was born July 27, 1936, in Big Spring. She married Lewis Overton June 17, 1955, in Big Spring. She had lived in Big Spring until January of 1965, when she moved to Crane.

She had resided in Pecos since August of 1982. She was a licensed vocational nurse and had worked at Medical Arts Hospital and the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Big Spring and Crane Memorial Hospital.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Rhonda Allen of Chino, Calif.; a son, Rodney Overton of Monahans; a stepson, Ronald Overton of Baltimore, Md.; a sister, Mary Rosser of Big Spring; three brothers, Robert Mitchell of Big Spring, Elmer Mitchell of Lansing, Mi., and Bolton Mitchell of New Braunfels; two granddaughters and two grandsons.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Claudia Ritter, and a daughter, Kimberly Overton, in 1958.

Johnny Murphy

Johnny M. Murphy, 74, died today in a local hospital. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

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Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
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World By The Associated Press

Guerrillas kill 18 people

AYACUCHO, Peru — An estimated 300 members of the Maoist guerrilla group Shining Path killed 18 peasants and wounded 22 others in an Andean village, reporters and authorities who returned from the site of the killings said.

The massacre took place Monday morning in the town of Pacocro, 22 miles northeast of the city of Ayacucho, the reporters and authorities said.

The victims were 16 adults, among them seven women and two children. "They died from being decapitated, by knife wounds, or from being hit with stones, the survivors told us," said one reporter.

Romanian head sets trip

BONN — Romania says its president, Nicolae Ceausescu, will visit West Germany next month as planned despite the recent decisions by leaders of two other Warsaw Pact nations to postpone similar visits.

"It is clear that Mr. Ceausescu will make his visit. We are not interested in what other countries do," Romanian Embassy spokesman Ion Crecu told reporters Monday, the day after President Todor Zhivkov of Bulgaria postponed indefinitely a visit to West Germany.

Zhivkov's announcement followed the sudden postponement of a long-awaited visit to Bonn by East German leader Erich Honecker.

Marxist party elects head

NAIROBI — Lt. Col. Mengistu Haile Mariam, a leader of the 1974 coup against the late Emperor Haile Selassie, has been unanimously elected chief of Ethiopia's new ruling Marxist party.

The move, made Monday at the party's founding congress, means the left-wing military leaders in control since the coup would continue to dominate Ethiopia through the new Workers' Party.

Mengistu, 43, a U.S.-trained ordnance officer, assumed undisputed command of the secretive leadership, known as the Dergue, in 1977.

Libyan official takes post

LONDON — The first Libyan diplomat accredited to Britain since the shootings at the Libyan Embassy in April took up his post during the weekend, the Foreign Office says.

Britain agreed to Salah Eddin Mahdi Msalam's posting after Libya released two of the six Britons it has been holding since the days after the standoff at the embassy and the resulting diplomatic rupture.

Msalam will represent Libyan interests in Britain and will work out of the Saudi Arabian Embassy in London.

U.S. ships not welcomed

BUENOS AIRES — U.S. warships participating in naval maneuvers called at the southern Argentine city of Puerto Madryn for refueling despite a city council declaration that they were "persona non grata."

A small group of demonstrators met the four warships and a nuclear-powered submarine at the dock Monday, shouting anti-American slogans to protest U.S. backing for Britain in the 1982 Falkland Islands war, according to Argentine news services.

Dollar soars in markets

LONDON — The soaring dollar advanced further against most foreign currencies in Europe early today. Gold bullion prices were steady.

The dollar, which has been hitting record levels for more than a week, surged to a new all-time high against the French franc, an 11½-year high against the West German mark, a 10-year high against the Dutch guilder and a seven-year high against the Swiss franc. However, the dollar eased from Monday's record-high levels against the British pound and Italian lira.



DOUBLE DUTY — A storm in the North Sea not only kept the rescuers from salvaging radioactive material containers in the wreckage, but also broke the hull of the sunken freighter. The freighter sank two weeks ago when it collided with a ferry boat off the Belgian coast.

Radioactive wreck

Storm delays work on sunken freighter

OSTEND, Belgium (AP) — A fierce North Sea storm today prevented salvage workers from determining whether 30 containers of radioactive material have been swept from the broken hull of a sunken freighter.

Waves up to 18 feet high ripped open the hull of the Mont Louis on Monday, raising fears that the steel barrels of slightly radioactive uranium hexafluoride might have been washed from the vessel. The ship, which sank after colliding with a ferry Aug. 25, lies 12 miles off the Belgian coast.

A crisis committee of government and salvage company officials, including Prime Minister Wilfried Martens, was meeting today to assess what Belgium's environment secretary, Firming Aerts, called a "serious" situation.

Strong winds and high waves continued to hinder salvage efforts today, as they have since the vessel went down.

On an aerial pass over the wreck this morning, huge waves could be seen crashing over the 4,210-ton freighter. A gap of several yards in the above-surface section of the ship could be seen, although the submerged bow was not visible. The ship lies in water that is 46 feet deep at low tide.

The ship's hull was torn apart at the point where salvage workers had made a hole two weeks ago in hopes of retrieving the barrels of uranium hexafluoride, said Henk Drenth of the Dutch salvage company Smit Tak International.

Mart Claus, nautical director of the pilot service in

Ostend, said Monday that the ship's hull broke under "the continuous attacks of the waves."

Aerts said the storm split the ship into two parts. But Drenth said the bow remained attached to the wreck.

Paul Gooris of the Belgian salvage company l'Union de Remorquage et de Sauvetage said that if the freighter broke into pieces, the 30 containers could roll out of the hull onto the seabed. He said the barrels then would be difficult to retrieve.

John Huybreock of the Ministry of Public Affairs said an empty container was picked up on shore overnight, raising to 13 the number of empty barrels from the ship that have been retrieved since the first was found Sept. 2.

Salvagers have recovered none of the 30 containers holding the radioactive cargo. Officials have said the main concern of failing to retrieve the containers is that if uranium hexafluoride leaked, a gas would be formed that could burn anyone who came in contact with it.

The Mont Louis was carrying uranium hexafluoride to the Soviet Union where it was to be enriched. The ship also was transporting high-technology equipment from France for use in a Soviet natural gas pipeline.

On Monday, a crate holding equipment for the gas pipeline washed ashore at Wenduine, a coastal resort near Ostend. Another crate with equipment that had been bound for the Soviets was picked up at sea, Drenth said.

Secretary makes attempt at peace

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Douglas Hurd, appointed as Britain's new Northern Ireland secretary, was scheduled to fly to Belfast today to begin the "daunting task" of trying to restore peace in the strife-torn province, official sources said.

He faces protests from political leaders on both sides of the religious divide in Northern Ireland, torn by sectarian violence for 15 years.

Hurd takes over administering the province at a time of deepening polarization

between majority Protestants and minority Roman Catholics and a fresh surge of gun and bomb attacks by Irish Republican Army guerrillas.

Protestant leaders voiced suspicions because of Hurd's background in the Foreign Office, widely seen by Protestants as advocating British withdrawal from Ulster.

They fear his appointment will mean closer relations between Britain and the Irish Republic.

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Inmate pleads innocence

RICHMOND — Linwood E. Briley, one of six Virginia death row inmates who escaped May 31 and were later recaptured, maintained his innocence to a murder charge as a judge set a new execution date of Oct. 12.

"I'm innocent, your honor," Briley said Monday of his conviction for the 1979 murder of a Richmond disc jockey.

Briley, 30, and his brothers, James and Anthony, were accused of being ringleaders in a 1979 crime spree involving 11 deaths.

James Briley also is under a death sentence but no execution date has been set. Anthony Briley is serving a life sentence.

Baptist minister arrested

WILMER — A "symbolic protest" led to the arrests of a Baptist minister, a city councilman and five others as they tried to block shipment of 30,000 cubic yards of lead-contaminated soil for dumping at a landfill.

The dumping of the waste from a west Dallas smelter continued Monday after the seven were issued misdemeanor citations and released, officials said.

Rev. Byron Barnes, pastor of the Wilmer First Baptist Church and organizer of the demonstration, contends the tainted soil would contaminate the water supply in this rural part of Dallas County.

Guards face prosecution

BELLEFONTE — Three prison guards face prosecution and a prison supervisor has lost his job stemming from the alleged brutalizing of an inmate shortly before his release, officials said.

The guards, who also were fired, face charges of official oppression, simple assault and other offenses.

A supervisor at Centre County Prison was fired over the weekend but not charged, warden Jeff Bell said Monday.

The prisoner, Robert Riggleman, 27, alleged the guards shaved his head, shackled and paraded him before other prisoners last month in a teasing incident that, in his words, went "too far."

Discovery returns home

CAPE CANAVERAL — Returned to its launch site after a successful maiden voyage, space shuttle Discovery is being prepared for a November mission that will include deploying and repairing satellites.

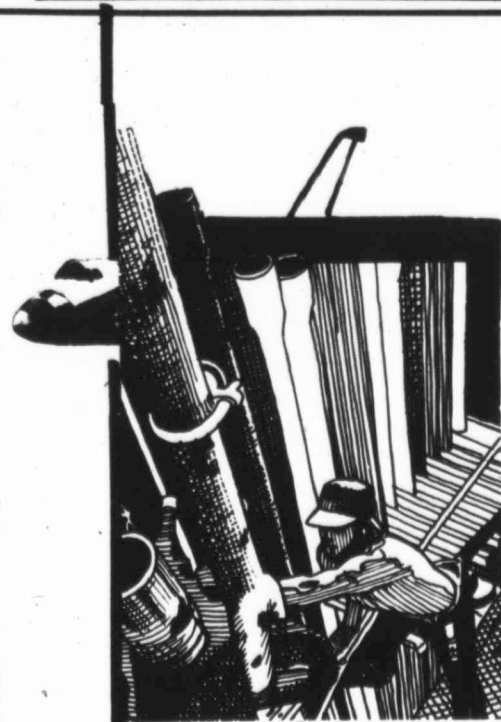
Discovery was to have flown home from Altus Air Force Base in Oklahoma on Sunday but the trip was delayed one day because of bad weather en route and uncertainty over the path of Hurricane Diana.

The ship, which landed at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., last Wednesday after a six-day, inaugural mission, arrived at Kennedy Space Center on Monday for November flight preparations.

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Chilean regime filing lawsuit

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP) — The military regime on Monday filed suit against top opposition leaders who called a two-day anti-government protest last week that left nine people dead, dozens injured and hundreds arrested.

In the suit, the Interior Ministry accused the disident political and labor leaders of breaking the national Internal Security Law by "inciting to subversion and calling to overthrow the country's legitimate government."

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Mailbag

Girl's stuck hand brings caring help

To the editor:
 May I say first thanks to God who hears and answers prayer. And our sheriff department and the sheriff who came out here and got our baby girl two-years-old hand free. Where she had got it caught, hole in side of her dad's pickup. Howard County fire department Jonesboro. There were on their way to help too.
 And man at fire department in city told us to use soapy water (to) get it out.
 Thanks again for good people who cares in time in need. God bless.
 FLORA LEE DYER
 MR. AND MRS. DON FITE
 AND FAMILY
 Northeast of city

PBS fan protests loss to Disney

To the editor:
 Fans of PBS, Channel 5 out of Dallas, rise up and defend this excellent channel where we receive the McNeill-Lehrer report, Masterpiece Theater, Shakespeare Plays, Nova, lessons in oil painting, symphony orchestras and ballet! Not to mention Mark Russell.
 The staff of Cable TV insists that no one except me watches educational television. This is their reply to my complaint that Channel 5 was taken off the air for three or four days this past weekend. Music lovers missed The Four Aces, besides all the regular programs we usually watch, among them The Boston Pops.
 We were given a steady diet of Walt Disney over and over which they could have advertised on the same channels as TMC and

Showtime.

As one of your readers complained recently in another letter along this subject, The Arts Channel was taken away from us so they could add another News station along with The Movie Channel. Of course two rock channels are perfectly acceptable to them and to others who care for nothing else.
 Are we to have no cultural medium in Big Spring? Cable TV doesn't bother to tell us when we sign up for cable that they will cancel whatever they don't want whether we have watched a particular channel for years.
 I am in the market for a dish satellite where I can receive what I want when I want it.
 Only a volume of support that we gave WRR 103 FM out of Dallas, where we received opera and classical music, may be able to save PBS and Mark Russell!
 RUTH EDMONSON
 607 W. 15th

Informed people cast best votes

To the editor:
 "Behold, this was the iniquity of thy sister Sodom, pride, fullness of bread and abundance of idleness was in her and in her daughters, neither did she strengthen the hand of the poor and needy." — Ezekiel 16:49
 It is the news media that is responsible to inform the public of all choices it can vote for in a national election: Republican Ronald Reagan, Democrat Walter Mondale, write-in — none acceptable.
 I am asking every American to register and vote in the November election. The greater the participation in our political system, the stronger the nation will be. You can only get the leadership you vote for. Please vote.
 BILL MURPHY
 Garden City



Jack Anderson

Forest Service befriends big lumber

WASHINGTON — Louisiana Pacific Corp. is nuzzling up to the public trough again, with a friendly nudge from the U.S. Forest Service. The giant lumber company buys more government-owned timber than anyone else, and has a long history of preferential treatment from the Forest Service, which happens to be headed by Louisiana Pacific's former general counsel, John Crowell.
 I've reported in the past how Crowell lobbied successfully for a \$600 million bailout of the big lumber companies, allowing them an interest-free extension on overpriced bids that turned sour in the housing-industry recession.
 Not long after this act of corporate welfare, Louisiana Pacific posted record profits.
 The Forest Service also stalled a congressional investigation into charges that the company fixed prices and rigged bids on government timber in Alaska. The Justice Department dropped a criminal case against the company despite a federal judge's finding in a civil suit that Louisiana Pacific and another lumber company "conspired to restrain trade and to monopolize the timber industry in southeastern Alaska."
 The latest chapter in the history of Louisiana Pacific's cozy relationship with the federal government involves its ambitious expansion into the production of waferboard, a plywood substitute made of wood chips bonded with resin. The beauty of waferboard is that it can be made out of trees that are otherwise commercially worthless, and thus cheap.
 One such tree is the aspen, previously valued chiefly for its brilliant autumn foliage. With the potential boom in waferboard, aspens have now become well worth harvesting.
 The Forest Service had a modest plan to harvest 2 million board feet of aspen in national forests in Colorado, cutting down mature trees that could be a fire hazard.
 According to internal Forest Service documents seen by my

associate John Dillon, the 2 million board feet ballooned to an astounding 50 million soon after Louisiana Pacific told the agency of its plan to build a waferboard plant near Montrose, Colo.
 In one internal memorandum, a Forest Service official candidly acknowledged that the 25-fold increase in the harvest was "in response to Louisiana Pacific's request for aspen."
 He wrote that the cost data justifying the increase "is based on information as developed from recent contacts by Louisiana Pacific regarding possible new markets for aspen and expansion into this area with construction of a new mill facility."
 A Louisiana Pacific spokesman painted a different picture of the company's role in the increased aspen harvest, saying: "The company is in there not to maximize an asset but to carry out an aspen management plan for the Forest Service. We are in there in response to a Forest Service need."
 Two environmental groups in Colorado don't buy this benign view of wholesale aspen cutting.
 "By claiming a need to manage aspen, the Forest Service is disguising the real project, which is to provide wood to Louisiana Pacific," they wrote in an appeal for a full environmental impact study.
 TAXPAYERS' QUIZ: I have prepared a small quiz for taxpayers, whose annual contributions to the Treasury are being massively wasted. The title of today's quiz is, "Who Said That?" You'll find the answers at the end.
 1. Who said: "It is almost subversive not to want to spend government money. The real pressure we get is to undertake more projects to spend more money?"
 2. What president warned that higher taxes provide "relief not for the needy but for the greedy?"
 3. What group issued this statement: "National security rests partly on economic strength, which is threatened by the deficit?"

4. Who described the effects of the projected \$200 billion annual deficit in this language: "After two years, you've added \$400 billion to the national debt. So that's \$40 billion in annual interest payments. Three years, it's \$600 billion and \$60 billion — and I haven't even done the compounding?"
 5. What famous American denounced "the doctrine that a national debt is a national blessing?"
 6. Who said: "We citizens are the ones who elect America's powerful leaders, representatives and senators. We can blow the whistle on their actions and become citizens against waste?"
 Answers: 1. Adm. Hyman Rickover; 2. Franklin D. Roosevelt; 3. a corporate group called Bipartisan Budget Appeal; 4. Charles Schultze, President Carter's chief economic adviser; 5. Daniel Webster; 6. Peter Grace. (To join, write to Citizens Against Waste, P.O. Box 1000, Ben Franklin Station, Washington, D.C. 20044).
 LEMONAID UPDATE: Dozens of car buyers who feel they got stuck with "lemons" and are trying to get their money back have joined the ranks of "LemonAid," the consumer information network I first wrote about last April. It was started by David and Minka Goldstein of Bethesda, Md.
 The Goldsteins succeeded in getting General Motors to buy back their lemon for \$10,300 through an arbitration program run by the Better Business Bureau.
 They decided to pass on the lessons they learned with an information packet on the arbitration process. Updated with the experience of others, the LemonAid guidelines are now in their third revision.
 Readers interested in further information should send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Goldsteins at 9307 Linden Ave., Bethesda, MD 20814.
 Jack Anderson's investigative report from Washington is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.



Billy Graham

Do all you can to aid hungry

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I am very touched by the pictures I see on television from time to time concerning people who are starving in Africa and other places. How much of a responsibility do we have to try to help them, and how can we go about it? — P.I.
 DEAR P.I.: When I was doing research for my most recent book *Approaching Hoofbeats: The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse*, I was staggered by the alarming statistics on hunger in many parts of the world. I also was struck by the fact that there are probably more starving people in the world today than at any previous time in history, in spite of agricultural advances.
 Yes, we should do all we can to help people who are starving. Jesus said, "In everything, do to others what you would have them do to you" (Matthew 7:12). He also declared we must be concerned about those who are poor or starving, because, "Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me" (Matthew 25:40).
 Your pastor may have specific suggestions about organizations which are involved in helping meet the needs (both physical and spiritual) of hungry people around the world. Our own organization (headquartered in Minneapolis, Minn.) has a special fund for emergency relief; every penny designated for it is used to support projects that meet human needs, with nothing taken out by us for administrative expenses.
 It is good you are concerned about these pressing needs. But realize that every human being has an even deeper need also — a spiritual need. We all need forgiveness, and we all need to be reconciled to God. Are you burdened also for the spiritual needs of those around you, and are you seeking to share the good news of Christ's salvation with them? Open your own heart to Christ, and then ask Him to use you to show God's love to others.
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Art Buchwald

Wind whistling

"Mr. McTavish, your father tells me you would like to work for the Defense Department. In what capacity may I ask?"
 "I'd like to be a whistle blower. When I was a little kid all my pals wanted to fly an airplane, but my dream was to figure out what one really costs. Any idiot can drive a jet fighter, but it really takes brains to find out how a defense contractor is screwing the public."
 "You mean you want to be a snitch?"
 "No sir. I want to blow the whistle on the military industrial complex and make sure that the taxpayer is getting true dollar for the weapons he is paying for. I'm prepared to attend the Defense Department's Whistle Blower's School if that is required of me."
 "McTavish, would it surprise you to know that the Defense Department does not have a school for whistle blowers?"
 "You could bowl me over. I figured with the billions of dollars you people spend every day a lot must fall through the cracks. How do you train your people to report someone who is sticking it to the government?"
 "We work on the honor system over here. Before receiving an order a defense contractor must take an oath that he will not lie, steal or cheat in fulfilling his contract and must report anyone who does. To our knowledge no one has ever broken the code."
 "That's very good, sir. But it's quite possible that lying, stealing and cheating may not be defined the same way other people think of it. A person in good faith could sell you a ballpeen hammer for \$900 although it only costs him \$7.50. He might consider that a fair markup, and you would have to take his word for it. But if you had someone to blow the whistle on him the department could save a heck of a lot of money."
 "McTavish, I'm only spending time with you because I'm a friend

of your father's. But I believe you ought to understand the facts of life. We're called the Defense Department because we have to defend every cent we ask for our weapons systems. Some of them work, many others don't. It's nobody's fault. But in order to protect ourselves from people who want to endanger our national security, we can't have anyone digging for waste and fraud in our budget. It makes us look as if we don't know what we're doing."
 "I understand that, sir. But I don't want to be a public whistle blower. I wouldn't run to the press with an overcharge of a few billion dollars. I would just report it to the secretary of defense and then he could deal with the matter through the Justice Department."
 "The secretary hates whistle blowers."
 "Why?"
 "Because they're not team players. A team player never questions the decisions of those above him. When someone blows the whistle on something that's wrong it reflects on the entire department right up to the secretary himself. If a multibillion-dollar system that we've sold the country doesn't pan out, it is not necessarily the fault of the contractor. In many cases the military is to blame for demanding more from the weapon than it can deliver. Would you be comfortable blowing the whistle on our brave generals and admirals in uniform, many who planned the invasion of Grenada?"
 "No, sir. But look at it this way. If we could save billions of dollars on some of the junk they're working on, the department could use the money for something that works. If you just give me a chance I'll earn my keep in one hour."
 "I'm sorry, McTavish. You're a very impressive young man, but we don't have any positions open right now."
 Art Buchwald's humor and satire is distributed nationally by Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

Today

By The Associated Press
 Today is Tuesday, Sept. 11, the 255th day of 1984. There are 111 days left in the year.
 Today's highlight in history:
 On Sept. 11, 1777, forces under Gen. George Washington were defeated by the British in the Battle of Brandywine near Wilmington, Del. Washington's troops were forced back into Philadelphia, which fell to the British.
 On this date:
 In 1789, Alexander Hamilton was appointed secretary of the Treasury.
 In 1814, an American fleet scored a decisive victory over the British in the Battle of Lake Champlain in the War of 1812.
 In 1850, the "Swedish Nightingale," Jenny Lind, gave her first concert in the United States at Castle Garden, N.Y.
 In 1885, author D.H. Lawrence was born.
 In 1944, President Franklin D. Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston S. Churchill met in Canada at the second Quebec Conference.



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Lifestyle

Amy Dienesch to speak to Planned Parenthood

A planning session for board members of the Planned Parenthood of the Permian Basin will be Saturday at the Odessa Hilton. It also will be an orientation for new board members.

At the meeting, board members will discuss the roles and responsibilities of the board and staff, future plans, family planning issues and fund-raising.

Amy Dienesch of Atlanta, associate director of development for the Southern Region of Planned Parenthood Federation of America, will be the featured speaker. Mrs. Dienesch has been working in the family planning

field for 12 years and holds a master's degree in family development and a bachelor's degree in psychology. Prior to her post with the PPFA in Atlanta, Mrs. Dienesch worked for other Planned Parenthood affiliates as director of counseling, education director and director of development. She also served as a board member for a Planned Parenthood affiliate and has been a consultant and university teacher in marriage, family and human sexuality.

Planned Parenthood of the Permian Basin is non-profit organization serving 17 counties and providing family planning care.

Christmas bazaar booth reservations being accepted

Epsilon Zeta Club in Sterling City will sponsor its Sixth Annual Christmas Bazaar at the Sterling County Community Center, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 17.

The club is taking reservations for booths. Anyone with homemade baked goods, handmade craft

items, Christmas gifts or items

The project has grown each year with last year's bazaar having 33 booths. That are Christmas related may participate. Booths start at \$15. Booth reservations may be made by calling Nikki Michulka at (915) 378-3651.

Dear Abby



It's hard to teach kids who aren't in school

DEAR ABBY: Now that school has resumed, as a high school teacher, may I make a few suggestions that would greatly improve our nation's educational system and cost the taxpayers nothing?

Make school attendance a top priority!

A message to students: Stop skipping school because you don't want to face a challenging day. Accept those challenges and do your best. Your whole life will be filled with challenges, so learn to deal with them now — one day at a time.

A message to parents: Stop letting your children skip school to go shopping, to go hunting, to sleep in, to go on a family vacation, to nurse a minor ache, or whatever. It's your responsibility to see that your children get eight hours of sleep each night, eat nutritious meals (especially breakfast) and get to school on time.

A message to business people: Stop hiring students to work during school hours. And please stop hiring teen-age students to work after 8 p.m. on evenings before a school day. They need time to study and get a good night's sleep for school the next day.

A message to doctors, dentists, counselors and social workers: Please stop pulling students out of classes for non-emergencies to accommodate your schedules. Most students are dismissed at 2:45 p.m., so please give them late afternoon appointments. Their education is as important to them as the schedules of adult patients and clients are to professionals.

Abby, recent studies show that we are a nation at risk. In the last

Wheels to turn for children's lives

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital has announced the 1984 Fall Bike-a-Thon to be held in Ackerly to benefit the children's hospital. Details of the Bike-a-Thon will be announced at a later date.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is the largest and one of the leading childhood cancer research centers in the world. It is the first research center dedicated exclusively to the research and conquest of catastrophic diseases of children, such as cancer, says Clifford Damstrom, St. Jude director of the Southwest Region.

Danny Thomas opened the research center in 1962 to "wipe catastrophic diseases of children from the face of the earth." His dream of conquering cancer and other diseases that destroy children has been brought closer to reality through the center as he continues to actively pursue this goal.

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Dr. Donohue

Not all anemias call for iron

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: What causes sideroblastic anemia, which I am told is what I have? My doctor has me taking B-6 vitamins and testosterone injections. Can you comment on this type of anemia? Should I be taking iron supplements? — Mrs. F.P.

The notion that all types of anemia, of which there are many, require iron tonics is a false one. Sideroblastic anemia, a rare type, is an example. In that, there is a decrease in red blood cell production because of an interference with hemoglobin production. That will bear some further explanation.

Hemoglobin is the substance inside red blood cells that allows them to transport oxygen. Hemoglobin contains iron. In sideroblastic anemia, the iron is present in the body but it is in some way prevented from becoming part of the hemoglobin. It just collects in granules in the cells. With the hemoglobin. It just collects in granules in the cells. With the hemoglobin deficiency comes a deficiency of red blood cell production, and that's the anemia.

There are several forms of sideroblastic anemia. One kind is inherited. Others arise from

poisoning, from certain drugs, or alcohol use. Still others have no known cause. Some of these anemias respond to vitamin B-6 (pyridoxine), and for some androgens (testosterone) help.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I have heard of people with sinus trouble having surgery to remove them. I have been bothered with sinus problems for years now, and always wondered why my own doctor has never mentioned surgery for me. I have tried everything else. Nothing works. Am I candidate for surgery, do you think? — W.C.

Surgery for sinus trouble is very much more the exception rather than the rule. A patient may need surgery if, for example, the nasal sinus is permanently blocked or when it is chronically infected and can't be helped by antibiotics. Most often, however, drainage and irrigation clear the situation. Surgery, when used, may involve removal of diseased tissue.

"Sinus trouble" is one of those much-abused lay terms. Many people erroneously attribute chronic headache or face ache to a "sinus condition" when that is not the case at all. Many assume incorrectly that nasal drainage always

represents sinus drainage; not always true. If your problem is chronic sinus infection your doctor most likely would want to refer you to a specialist who can give you an opinion about the potential benefits of surgery. You may wish to look at the booklet "You Can Stop Sinus Trouble." To receive a copy, write me care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope and \$1.00 for printing and handling.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I have the tremor of Parkinson's disease along with the muscle rigidity. Shouldn't I be taking the L-dopa medicine you have mentioned? My doctor feels I should not take it because of the side effects. — Mrs. W.A.

The matter of when to begin a patient on L-dopa remains somewhat controversial. Some doctors feel it should be started at the outset, at the first signs of the disease. Others feel this powerful drug is best reserved as the medicine of last resort, when symptoms become more pronounced. Your physician may be in this latter school of thought.

Also, there are many occasions when a patient is taking other medicines that can react unfavorably with L-dopa. I can't tell just what your situation is, and I can only add that each case of Parkinson's is individual in its array of symptoms, their severity, and their progress.

If you don't feel easy about the matter you should ask your physician to explain further. And if you still are not satisfied you can seek a second opinion. Otherwise, if you are able to control your ailment satisfactorily with your present regime, why not continue?

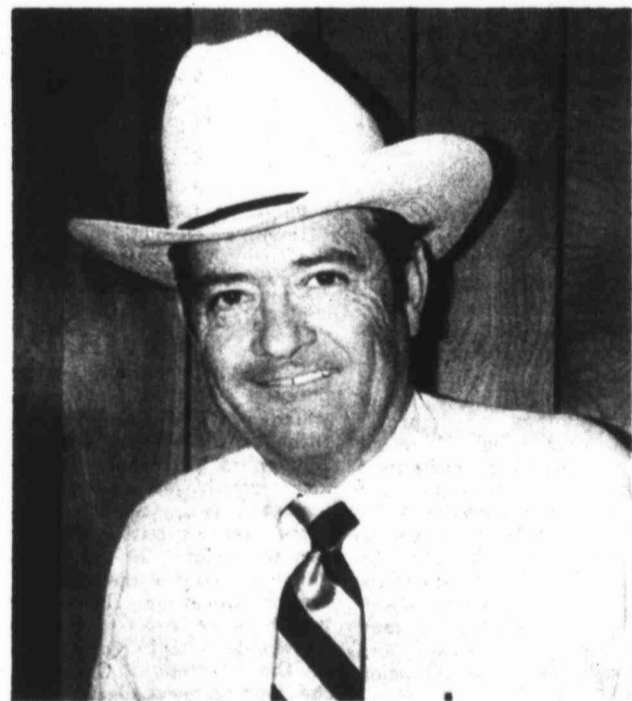
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Bullock says blue law costs millions

AUSTIN (AP) — Comptroller Bob Bullock says Texas will lose \$13.5 million in sales tax revenue in 1985 because of the state's so-called blue law.

The 1961 blue law, named originally for the color of paper on which the law was printed, restricts sales of 42 types of merchandise on consecutive weekend days.

Under the law, kitchen ware and utensils, clothing, footwear, headgear, wearing apparel, bed coverings, toys, infant wear, rugs, tools, hardware, cutlery and lawn furniture cannot be sold on both Saturday and Sunday of the same week.

"For example, paper plates can be sold, but not china; hammers but not nails; disposable diapers but not cloth diapers; a bottle of beer, but not a baby bottle, and a can of beans, but not a can opener," said a special com-

proller's department report written by Irene Abeita.

"Opponents have long contended the law to be unfair. Still, numerous attempts to persuade the Texas Legislature to abolish the law have been unsuccessful," Ms. Abeita said.

Attempts to strike down the statute through the courts have been no more successful.

A series of lawsuits are pending now in different parts of Texas against several retail chain stores.

Lower courts in Texas have repeatedly struck down the blue law as unconstitutional, but have been reversed by the Texas Supreme Court which says the Legislature had the right to pass such a law.

Texas' first blue law was passed in Houston in 1839 and prohibited the sale of malt liquor on Sundays. In 1863 a more extensive law was passed but it was unpopular and

repealed five years later.

A resurrected version in 1871 prohibited all Sunday sales except for drugs and medicines. Over the years, numerous exceptions were added.

"The current blue law (1961), contrary to popular opinion, resulted from changing retail patterns rather than religion," said Ms. Abeita's report. "The struggle over the blue law has been in essence a battle of downtown against suburbs and department stores against discount chains.

"The advent of discount chains and suburban shopping malls caused downtown businesses and department stores to lose weekend sales."

In 1950 about 1,400 companies owning 8,000 stores started a push for a blue law to restrict sales on weekends, resulting in the 1961 law.



BOB BULLOCK ...Blue law losses

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AIDS virus spreads outside high-risk groups

ATLANTA (AP) — The virus suspected of causing AIDS "has spread much more than we'd originally believed possible," and probably will be found outside identified high-risk groups such as homosexual males, a leading cancer biologist says.

But Dr. Robert Gallo of the National Cancer Institute stressed that the deadly acquired immune deficiency syndrome is not becoming an epidemic, but said the increased discovery of the virus suggests that "there has been too much attention paid to homosex-

uality" in connection with the disease.

AIDS destroys the body's ability to fight infection, leaving its victims susceptible to rare cancers, pneumonia and other infections. It most often strikes homosexual men, hemophiliacs, Haitians and intravenous drug abusers. It has also stricken a handful of people who received blood from donors with the disease.

Also on Monday, researchers in California said they have moved closer to producing an experimental vaccine against AIDS.

Gallo was quoted in today's editions of The Atlanta Constitution as

saying signs of the virus, called HTLV III virus, are being found in people in the United States, Australia, Finland, England, Italy, Germany and countries in Africa.

"What we have is evidence in the last six months that the virus has spread much more than we'd originally believed possible," Gallo said at a symposium on cancer in Boston.

It should be expected that the virus will be found in people other than those in high-risk groups, Gallo said.

Woman charged for wedding son

CHARLOTTE, Tenn. (AP) — A woman who was charged with felonious criminal incest for marrying her son 17 years after she gave him up for adoption told him she "did not want another woman to have him" when he discovered their relationship, authorities said.

Mary Ann Garton Bass, 43, did not tell Danny James Bass, 26, of the family relationship when they married in 1978 after meeting while Bass was searching for his natural mother, authorities said Monday.

Bass only recently learned, through "statements friends and relatives had been making," that he had married his natural mother.

said Dan Cook, assistant district attorney general.

"When he came into the office, he indicated that when he confronted her about the relationship, the only reason she gave him is that she did not want another woman to have him," Cook said. "He became emotionally distraught and very upset that he had been married to his mother."

Bass separated from his wife after learning she was his mother, Cook said.

"He came into our office a couple of weeks ago," Cook said. "He had contacted his lawyer after learning he was married to his mother and asked our assistance in determining if there had been a violation of the law."

Mrs. Bass was arrested Saturday and freed on a \$5,000 bond. An Oct. 5 Circuit Court appearance was scheduled.

"It's a bizarre case, but it does strike at the very heart of the family unit," Cook said. "We'll prosecute it to the fullest extent of the law."

If convicted, she faces a maximum penalty of 21 years in prison.

Mrs. Bass gave her son to an uncle, Horace Sullivan, when he was 3 years old, investigators said.

Cook said authorities did not know for certain whose uncle Sullivan was, but added, "I would guess that it would be her brother."

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PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 29 proposes a constitutional amendment that provides to state-chartered banks the same rights and privileges that are or may be granted to national banks of the United States domiciled in this state. For example, if national banks become authorized to maintain branch offices, this amendment would extend the same privilege to state banks.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide state banks the same rights and privileges as national banks."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that restructures the Permanent University Fund to provide: (1) for the expansion of the institutions eligible to participate in the bonding capacity of the fund to include the components of The University of Texas and Texas A&M University systems that have been added to those two systems of higher education since the Permanent University Fund was last restructured by constitutional amendment; (2) for the expansion of the purposes for which bond proceeds can be expended from new construction to include major repair and rehabilitation projects and the acquisition of major capital equipment (e.g., computers and laboratory equipment) and library books and materials; (3) for an increase in the bonding capacity from 20% (¾ for The University of Texas System and ¼ for the Texas A&M University System) to 30% (20% for The University of Texas System and 10% for Texas A&M University System) of the value of the assets (exclusive of real estate) in the Permanent University Fund in order to provide sufficient bond proceeds to care for the addition of 10 new institutions to those authorized to participate in the Permanent University Fund bonding program and to care for the expanded purposes for which the bond proceeds can be spent; and (4) for the dedication of the dividends, interest, and other income from the Permanent University Fund remaining after payment of principal and interest due on bonds and notes issued, to the provision of support and maintenance (over and above normal legislative appropriations) for Texas A&M University in Brazos County, Prairie View A&M University, and The University of Texas at Austin.

House Joint Resolution 19 also annually appropriates \$100 million in each fiscal year, beginning September 1, 1985 (from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution) for the use of those

education which are not included in The University of Texas or Texas A&M University Systems and, therefore, not eligible to participate in the Permanent University Fund bonding program. The amount of this appropriation could be adjusted every five years by a ½ vote of the Legislature, but could not be adjusted in such a way as to affect outstanding bonding indebtedness. Each institution of higher education that is eligible to participate (i.e., those institutions of higher education outside The University of Texas and Texas A&M University Systems) would be authorized to expend directly its share (such share to be determined pursuant to an equitable formula) of the \$100 million appropriation for the purposes of acquiring land, constructing and equipping buildings or other permanent improvements, major repair and rehabilitation of other permanent buildings or improvements, and acquisition of major capital equipment (e.g., computers and laboratory equipment) and library books and materials. Additionally, each institution would be authorized to issue bonds backed by a pledge of up to 50% of its share of the \$100 million annual appropriation for the purpose of land acquisition, new construction, and major repair and rehabilitation projects.

Except in the case of fire or natural disaster and in other extraordinary cases, verified by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature, all institutions of higher education would be precluded from receiving appropriations of general revenue funds for the purposes of land acquisition, new construction, and major repair and rehabilitation projects.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to create from general revenue a special higher education assistance fund for construction and related activities, to restructure the Permanent University Fund, and to increase the number of institutions eligible to benefit from the Permanent University Fund."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 65 proposes a constitutional amendment which authorizes the legislature to provide for the payment of assistance to the surviving dependent parents, brothers, and sisters of officers, employees and agents of the state or its political subdivisions, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units authorized to make arrests, who die in the course of performing hazardous official duties. Payments to surviving spouses and dependent children of agencies and institutions of higher

such officers, employees, and agents are already authorized by the Constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for payment of assistance to the surviving dependent parents, brothers, and sisters of certain public servants killed while on duty."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 20 proposes a constitutional amendment which abolishes the office of county treasurer in Bexar and Collin counties if a majority of the voters in each of those counties vote in favor of abolishing the office of county treasurer in a local election to be held on the issue. All the powers, duties, and functions of the office of county treasurer in each of those counties would be transferred to the county clerk.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county treasurer in Bexar and Collin counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment which provides a new method of filling a vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor. The amendment requires the President pro tempore of the Senate to call together the committee of the whole Senate within 30 days after a vacancy occurs in the office of Lieutenant Governor. The committee would be required to elect one of its members to perform the duties of the Lieutenant Governor until the next general election. This individual would continue his duties as Senator at the same time that he performs the Lieutenant Governor's duties. If the Senator who is elected ceases to be a Senator before the next general election, another Senator must be elected according to the above procedure to perform the Lieutenant Governor's duties. The President pro tempore would be required to perform the Lieutenant Governor's duties pending the election of one of its members by the committee of the whole Senate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the state senate to fill a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that permits the use of public funds and credit for payment of premiums on non-assessable life, health, or accident insurance policies and annuity contracts issued by a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in this state. The constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company has limited life and health group policies of political subdivisions to non-mutual insurance companies. The amendment would permit mutual insurance companies to bid for those policies.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendment to permit use of public funds and credit for payment of premiums on certain insurance contracts of mutual insurance companies authorized to do business in Texas."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment to change the membership of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct to include one Judge of a Municipal Court and one Judge of a County Court at Law, who shall be selected at large and appointed by the Supreme Court with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The amendment also provides additional grounds for removal from office of judges or justices of Texas courts, and provides additional disciplinary actions that could be taken in lieu of removal or censure. The amendment would extend the Commission's disciplinary authority to masters, magistrates, and retired or former judges who hear cases by designation. The amendment creates a tribunal to review recommendations of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct for removal or retirement of a judge or justice. The review tribunal would be composed of seven (7) Justices or Judges of the Courts of Appeals selected by lot by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The amendment also provides for appeal of the review tribunal's decision to the Supreme Court of Texas and grants an accused judge the right to discovery of evidence.

The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendment relating to the membership of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct and the authority and procedure to discipline active judges, certain retired and former judges, and certain masters and magistrates of the courts."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment which increases the per diem of members of the Legislature. The amount of per diem allowed during a calendar year would be equal to the maximum amount set in federal income tax statutes as of January 1 of that same year as a deduction for ordinary and necessary business expenses incurred by a state legislator. Current per diem is \$30; the maximum deduction is now \$75.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide a per diem for members of the legislature equal to the maximum daily amount allowed by federal law as a deduction for ordinary and necessary business expenses incurred by a state legislator."

Estos son los informes explana-torios sobre las enmiendas propu-estas a la constitución que apar-cerán a la boleta el día 8 de noviembre de 1984. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/9602 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12887, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Steers of the Week

The first Steers of the Week awards have been announced by the Big Spring High School football coaching staff. Spotlighted for their performances in the Steers' 16-13 win over Snyder are:

TOP STEER

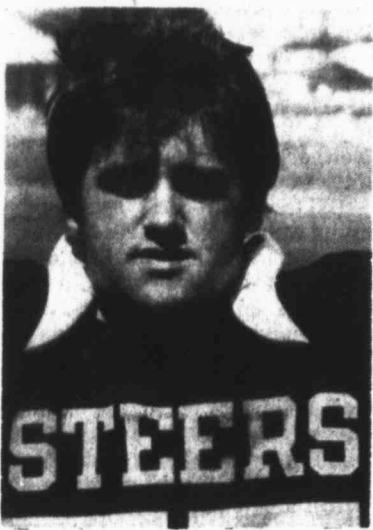
Doug Walker garnered Top Steer honors in being selected as the outstanding defensive player of the game. Walker, a 195-pound senior two-way tackle, had nine unassisted and five assisted tackles in the game. He helped limit the Tigers to only 17 second half rushing yards.

HAWK

Jerry Anderson was voted the Hawk award which is presented for an outstanding performance by a Steer linebacker or secondary player. Anderson, a senior, totaled 12 tackles and one interception from his linebacker position.

SILVER BULLET

Senior Jerry Meyer had six tackles against Snyder and the majority of those came on special teams action which is what the Silver Bullet is awarded for.



DOUG WALKER



JERRY ANDERSON

DRAGOON

Sophomore offensive guard Jay Burcham was the coach's choice for the Dragoon award, presented to the offensive lineman measuring up to the criteria set down by the coaches. Burcham was one of the prime reasons behind Big Spring's fourth quarter rally that led to a pair of rushing

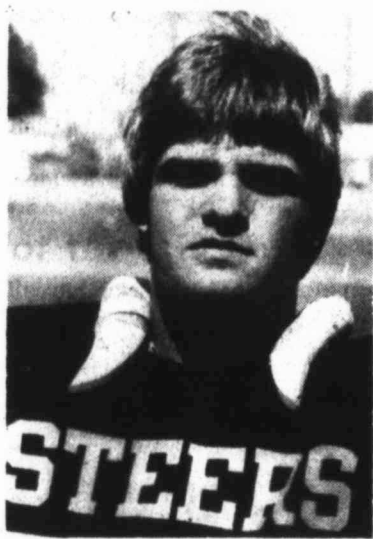
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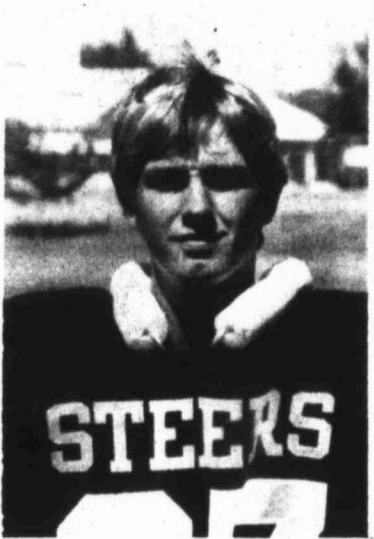
Colin Carroll, a junior, is the first Express honoree of the season. The award goes to the outstanding runningback in a Steers contest. Carroll rushed for 61 yards on 12 carries (5.0 avg.) and scored a touchdown. He also kicked the winning field goal.



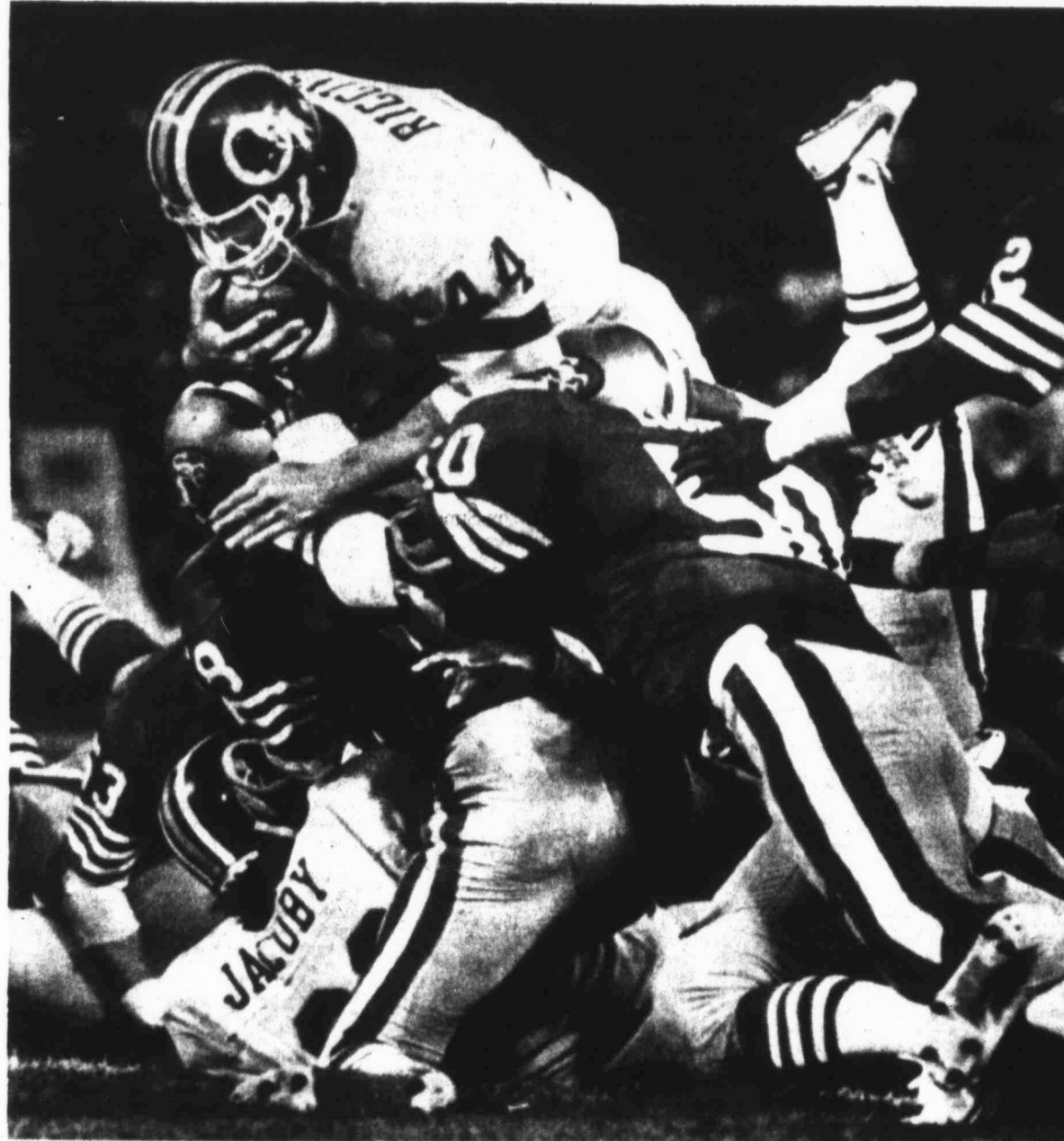
JAY BURCHAM



JERRY MEYER



COLIN CARROLL



OVER THE TOP FOR A SCORE — Washington Redskins runningback John Riggins (44) leaps over a pile of San Francisco 49ers defenders at the goal line for a touchdown in the third quarter of Monday night's game in San Francisco. San Francisco linebackers Keena Turner (58) and Riki Ellison (50) try to stop Riggins. San Francisco won the game. For more details see story on page 2B.

Cornhuskers are new No. 1

By The Associated Press
The Nebraska Cornhuskers, he nation's top college football team last year in every Associated Press poll except the one that really counted, have moved back to the top spot in the rankings, the third No. 1 team in as many 1984 polls.

While Nebraska was opening its season with a 49-7 pounding of Wyoming, No. 1-ranked Miami suffered its first setback in three games, losing to Michigan 22-14. That not only dropped the Hurricanes into a tie for fifth place but vaulted Michigan from 14th to third.

Nebraska received 35 of 60 first-place votes and 1,150 of a possible 1,200 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and sportscasters. Clemson, a 55-0 winner over Virginia, moved up from third to second with 15 first-place votes and 1,100 points. Michigan received three first-place ballots and 948 points.

Nebraska was ranked No. 1 each week last season from the preseason poll until the final poll, when the Cornhuskers slipped to second after losing to Miami 31-30 in the Orange Bowl.

"If we are there (No. 1), fine," said Nebraska Coach Tom

Osborne. "I hope the team plays up to the ranking. But it would be kind of nice if we could hide in the shadows for a little while."

And fullback Tom Rathman wasn't thrilled with Nebraska's No. 1 status "because that means everybody will be shooting for us. I don't think this team really needs that exposure."

Texas, which opens its season against Auburn this week, rose from fifth to fourth with one first-place vote and 922 points. Despite its defeat, Miami also received one first-place ballot and 824 points.

Iowa jumped from 10th place to a tie for fifth with two first-place votes and 824 points following a 59-21 rout of Iowa State. UCLA, which needed six field goals to nip San Diego State 18-15, also received two firsts and 800 points but slipped from fourth place to seventh.

Brigham Young walloped Baylor 47-13 and shot from 13th to eighth with one first-place ballot — the first eight teams all received first-place votes — and 749 points. Ohio State, which rallied in the second half to defeat Oregon State 22-14, fell from sixth to ninth with 693 points and Boston College, which overcame a 31-14 deficit to beat Alabama 38-31, climbed from 18th

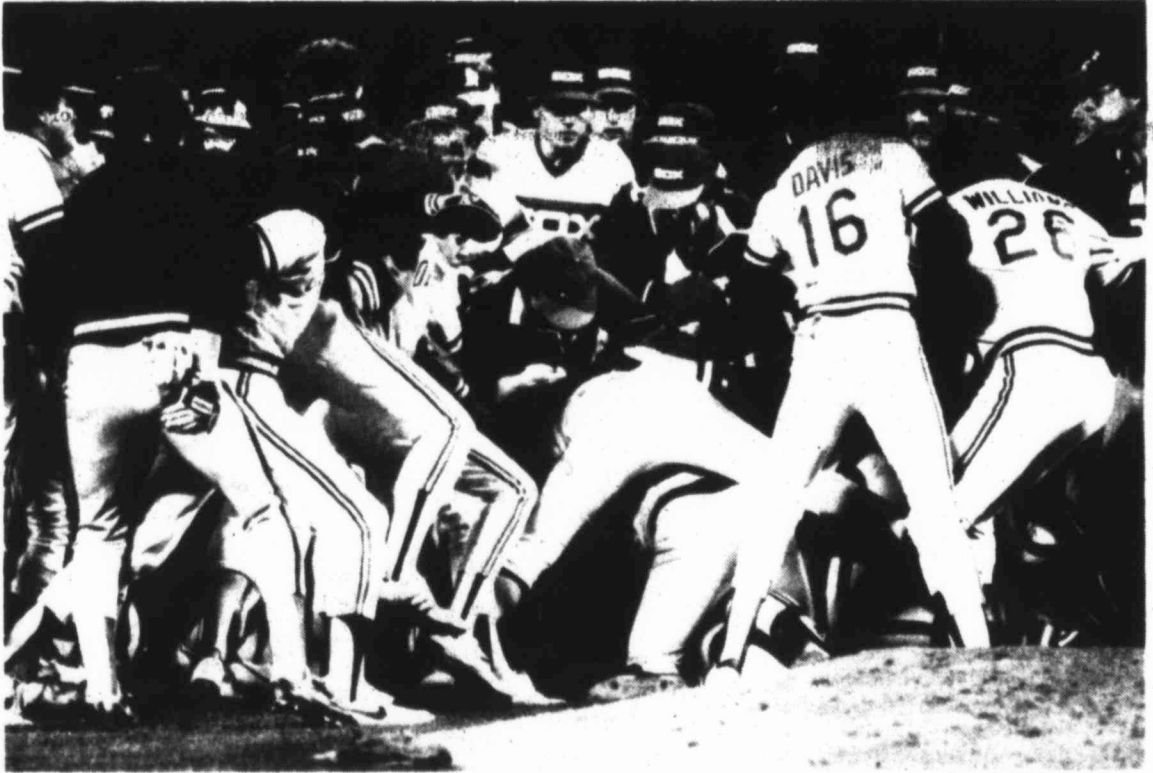
to 10th with 668 points.

Notre Dame, seventh a week ago, dropped its opener to Purdue 23-21 and plummeted out of the rankings while preseason No. 1 Auburn, which was idle, dropped from eighth to 11th and Alabama skidded from ninth to 19th.

College Top 20

By The Associated Press
The Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 1984 records, total points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 and rankings in the previous poll:

Rank	Team	Record	Pts	Pvs
1	Nebraska (35)	1-0-0	1,150	2
2	Clemson (15)	2-0-0	1,100	3
3	Michigan (3)	1-0-0	948	14
4	Texas (1)	0-0-0	922	5
5	Iowa (2)	1-0-0	824	10
(Tie)	Mim, Fl (1)	2-1-0	824	1
7	UCLA (2)	1-0-0	800	4
8	Brigham Yng (1)	2-0-0	749	13
9	Ohio State	1-0-0	693	6
10	Boston College	2-0-0	668	18
11	Auburn	0-1-0	664	8
12	Penn State	1-0-0	489	11
13	Oklahoma State	1-0-0	489	11
14	So Methodist	0-0-0	443	15
15	Oklahoma	1-0-0	409	16
16	Washington	1-0-0	352	19
17	Pittsburgh	0-1-0	219	17
18	Florida State	1-0-0	196	20
19	Alabama	0-1-0	192	9
20	Southern Cal	1-0-0	97	—



BENCH CLEARING BRAWL — The A's and the White Sox go at it during their bench clearing brawl during the third inning of their game at the Oakland Coliseum Monday night. The incident occurred after Chicago pitcher Richard Dutton hit Dave Kingman with a pitch and Kingman charged the mound. Oakland won the game, 1-0.

Runnels Red spikers manage lone victory over Sweetwater

In Junior High volleyball action played in Big Spring Monday night, the Runnels Red team remained undefeated by downing Sweetwater while the Runnels White and the Goliad A and B teams fell in defeat.

The Runnels Red team downed Sweetwater in two straight matches 15-1, 15-7. Sharon Chatman and Melissa Martinez were top servers with six points each. Coach Peggy Calhoun cited Diane Fish with having a good game. The Runnels Red team stands at 2-0 for the season.

The Runnels White team won its first match 17-15, then dropped the next two matches to Sweetwater by 7-15, 4-15 margins. Kathy Burrow and Aretha Isaiha scored seven points each. Burrow was credited with having a fine overall game. The White team is 1-1 for the season.

The Goliad A team fell to Sweetwater 15-10, 6-15, 1-15, dropping its record to 1-1 for the season.

Jennifer Lee was top server with nine points. Tina Marquez and Amber Stroup added three points each. Michelle Hall, Yvette

Regalado and Linnea Balderach had good overall games according to coach Tammy Newsom.

The Goliad B team fell in two close matches 13-15, 14-16. High point Irene Leyva and Jennifer Turner scored 12 and four points respectively. Newsom credited Jenique Clark with having a good game. Goliad B is now 0-2 for the season.

All four will play next on Saturday, Sept. 22 in the Big Spring Tourney taking place at the Runnels and Goliad gyms.

Decker has put incident aside

By HAL BOCK
AP Sportswriter

The video tape machine clicks on and there is the race all over again — the smooth start, the comfortable pace. It is all going so well, exactly according to plan. And then it happens.

There is Zola Budd, a stride in front. There is Mary Decker, about to move on her. Their legs tangle and in a split second, Decker is down, her Olympic dream shattered in the infield of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum track. Decker has watched the tape of the 3,000-meter race over and over

again. "Too many times," she says. By now, every move in it must be burned indelibly in her mind. But she swears that it has not scarred her psyche.

"The (mental) hurt is not there," she said. "What is there is something that has added fuel to my fire. It has given me something I've possibly lacked for the last year, and that's drive and interest. The last year prior to the Olympics, things have been mundane and in a way boring just because I'm running the same times and I want to improve. Whatever I've gained inside (from the Budd inci-

dent) is going to push me over the next hurdle timewise. It's stirred something in me. It's not regret and it's not hurt. It's determination.

"Now, there's something to run for, getting back on the track, racing and pushing myself to limits I haven't been able to achieve in the past. It generated emotions and energy in a positive fashion and that always ends up with better results in the end."

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"At this point, I want to put it See Decker, pg. 2B

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EAST DIVISION				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	87	57	.604	—
New York	80	64	.556	7
St. Louis	75	67	.528	11
Philadelphia	74	69	.517	12½
Montreal	71	72	.497	15½
Pittsburgh	62	82	.431	25

By The Associated Press				
WEST DIVISION				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Diego	81	62	.566	—
Houston	72	72	.500	9½
Atlanta	70	74	.486	11½
Los Angeles	67	77	.465	14½
San Francisco	61	82	.427	20
Cincinnati	61	83	.424	20½

Monday's Games
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2
St. Louis 3, New York 2
Montreal 8, Pittsburgh 5
Atlanta 3, Houston 1
Only games scheduled

By The Associated Press				
TUESDAY'S GAMES				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	92	52	.639	—
Toronto	80	63	.559	11½
Baltimore	78	64	.549	13
New York	77	65	.542	14
Boston	75	68	.524	16½
Cleveland	64	80	.444	28
Milwaukee	59	84	.413	32½

Monday's Games
New York 6, Toronto 2
Baltimore 3, Detroit 1
Milwaukee 7, Boston 4
Minnesota 7, Kansas City 3
Seattle 7, Texas 3
Oakland 1, Chicago 0

By The Associated Press				
TUESDAY'S GAMES				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Kansas City	73	70	.510	—
Minnesota	73	70	.510	—
California	71	70	.504	1
Oakland	67	78	.462	7
Chicago	66	77	.462	7
Seattle	64	80	.444	9½
Texas	62	80	.437	10½

By The Associated Press				
BASEBALL'S MAGIC NUMBERS				
Team	Leader	Second Number		
Detroit	Toronto	8		
San Diego	Houston	10		
Chicago Cubs	NY Mets	12		

By The Associated Press				
LEAGUE LEADERS				
Team	Runs	Home Runs	RBI's	Stolen Bases
BATTING (350 at bats):	Gwynn, San Diego, 351;	Hernandez, New York, 318;	Sandberg, Chicago, 318;	Cruz, Houston, 315; Cabell, Houston, 314.
RUNS:	Sandberg, Chicago, 185;	Wiggins, San Diego, 98;	Samuel, Philadelphia, 85;	Raines, Montreal, 83; Matthews, Chicago, 82.
RBI:	G. Carter, Montreal, 100;	Schmidt, Philadelphia, 95;	Cey, Chicago, 89;	Cruz, Houston, 89; Hernandez, New York, 89.
HITS:	Gwynn, San Diego, 194;	Sandberg, Chicago, 183;	Samuel, Philadelphia, 171;	Cruz, Houston, 169; Raines, Montreal, 169.
DOUBLES:	Raines, Montreal, 34;	Samuel, Philadelphia, 33;	Sandberg, Chicago, 32;	Ray, Pittsburgh, 30; 4 are tied with 28.
TRIPLES:	Sandberg, Chicago, 17;	Samuel, Philadelphia, 18;	Cruz, Houston, 13;	Doran, Houston, 11; Gwynn, San Diego, 10; McGee, St. Louis, 10.
HOME RUNS:	Murphy, Atlanta, 31;	Schmidt, Philadelphia, 30;	Cey, Chicago, 28;	G. Carter, Montreal, 24; Durham, Chicago, 21; Leonard, San Francisco, 21; Strawberry, New York, 21.
STOLEN BASES:	Samuel, Philadelphia, 67;	Raines, Montreal, 64;	Wiggins, San Diego, 62;	Roth, Cincinnati, 56; LeSmith, St. Louis, 42; MWilson, New York, 42.
PITCHING (13 decisions):	Sutcliffe, Chicago, 14-1, 83.3, 2.74; Horton, St. Louis, 9-4, .692, 3.42;	AFons, Los Angeles, 12-6, .667, 2.44; Darling, New York, 12-6, .667, 3.55; Soto, Cincinnati, 14-7, .667, 3.50;	Trout, Chicago, 12-6, .667, 3.43.	STRIKEOUTS: Gooden, New York, 235; Valenzuela, Los Angeles, 208; Ryan, Cincinnati, 194; Carlton, Philadelphia, 151; Soto, Cincinnati, 149.
SAVES:	Sutter, St. Louis, 41;	LeSmith, Chicago, 31;	Orosco, New York, 29;	Holland, Philadelphia, 28; Gossage, San Diego, 25.

By The Associated Press				
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia (Hudson 8-10) at Chicago (Eckersley 8-7), (n)				
St. Louis (Horton 9-4) at New York (Bereny 11-13), (n)				
Montreal (Lea 15-10) at Pittsburgh (Rhodes 12-9), (n)				
San Francisco (Riley 9-0) at Cincinnati (Soto 14-7), (n)				
Atlanta (Mahler 9-9) at Houston (Knepfer 14-9), (n)				
Los Angeles (Honeycutt 10-9) at San Diego (Whitson 13-7), (n)				

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Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
AL—Suspended Juan Beniquez, outfielder, and Daryl Scornier, first baseman, of the California Angels for three games each effective Tuesday, and fined them an unspecified amount of money. Suspended Ray Fontenot, pitcher, of the New York Yankees for three games pending an appeal.
CALIFORNIA ANGELS—Recalled Rick Steier and D.W. Smith, pitchers, from Edmonton of the Pacific Coast League. Purchased the contract of Stewart Ciburam, pitcher, from Edmonton and added him to the roster.
National League
CHICAGO CUBS—Recalled Billy Hatcher, outfielder, Dave Owen, shortstop, and Reggie Patterson, Ron Meridith and Bill Johnson, pitchers, from Iowa of the American Association.
NEW YORK METS—Activated Ron Gardenhire, infielder. Sent Mitch Cook, pitcher, on the Lynchburg roster of the Carolina League, to the Houston Astros to complete the trade for Ray Knight, third baseman.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Sent John Stuper, pitcher, to the Cincinnati Reds to complete the deal that sent Paul Householder, outfielder, to St. Louis.
National Football League
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Signed Clyde Duncan, wide receiver, to a series of one-year contracts.
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Traded Chuck Muege, running back, to the Miami Dolphins for a second-round draft choice in 1985.
COLLEGES
ALABAMA—Announced that Craig Turner, fullback, will be redshirted this season because of academic ineligibility and that Kerry Goode, halfback, will miss the remainder of the season.

NFL

By The Associated Press				
AMERICAN CONFERENCE				
Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Miami	2	0	0	1.000
Indianapolis	1	1	0	.500
New England	1	1	0	.500
N.Y. Jets	1	1	0	.500
Buffalo	0	2	0	.000
Pittsburgh	1	1	0	.500
Cincinnati	0	2	0	.000
Cleveland	0	2	0	.000
Houston	0	2	0	.000
Kansas City	2	0	0	1.000
L.A. Raiders	2	0	0	1.000
Seattle	2	0	0	1.000
Denver	1	1	0	.500
San Diego	1	1	0	.500

NFL

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NATIONAL CONFERENCE				
Team	W	L	T	Pct.
N.Y. Giants	2	0	0	1.000
Dallas	1	1	0	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	0	.500
St. Louis	1	1	0	.500
Washington	0	2	0	.000
Chicago	2	0	0	1.000
Detroit	1	1	0	.500
Green Bay	1	1	0	.500
Minnesota	0	2	0	.000
Tampa Bay	0	2	0	.000
San Francisco	2	0	0	1.000
Atlanta	1	1	0	.500
L.A. Rams	1	1	0	.500
New Orleans	1	1	0	.500

Monday's Game
 San Francisco 37, Washington 31

Sunday, Sept. 16
 Atlanta at Minnesota
 Chicago at Green Bay
 Cincinnati at New York Jets
 Los Angeles Raiders at Kansas City
 St. Louis at Indianapolis
 Seattle at New England
 Detroit at Tampa Bay
 Houston at San Diego
 Los Angeles Rams at Pittsburgh
 New Orleans at San Francisco
 New York Giants at Washington
 Philadelphia at Dallas
 Denver at Cleveland

Monday, Sept. 17
 Miami at Buffalo

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Washington	0	3	14	.143
San Francisco	14	13	0	.519

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
SF	1	0	0	1.000
W	1	1	0	.500
SF	1	1	0	.500
W	1	1	0	.500

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
SF	1	0	0	1.000
W	1	1	0	.500
SF	1	1	0	.500
W	1	1	0	.500

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Washington, Theismann 7-35, Washington 3-15, Riggins 10-12, Monk 1-0, San Francisco, Tyler 20-96, Craig 17-37, Montana 3-11.
PASSING—Washington, Theismann 24-43-331, San Francisco, Montana 24-40-381.
RECEIVING—Washington, Monk 10-200, Seay 3-44, Warren 3-37, Washington 5-30, Brown 2-20, Riggins 1-0, San Francisco, Clark 5-105, Solomon 5-77, Wilson 2-58, Francis 5-55, Cooper 3-44, Craig 3-37, Tyler 1-5.

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49ers hang on against 'Skins

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The stakes weren't as high as their conference title clash, but the emotions were just as charged and the outcome about as close.

The San Francisco 49ers, frustrated by running out of time in a comeback bid against the Washington Redskins for the National Football Conference championship last year, pulled a role reversal and gained a 37-31 triumph Monday night in a National Football League game.

Joe Montana opened the show by guiding the 49ers to a 27-0 lead in the second period en route to one of his best days in the pros with 381 yards passing. Then the 49ers hung on as Washington quarterback Joe Theismann led the Redskins on a four-touchdown comeback and finished with 331 yards through the air.

"It reminded me a lot of last year's NFC championship game," said Washington receiver Art Monk, who caught 10 passes for 200 yards. "Time ran out on us tonight just like it did on last year."

The big difference between the games was that the Redskins' 24-21 victory last January sent them to the Super Bowl. This time, the 49ers, 2-0, only moved to the lead of their division, while the Redskins, 0-2, dropped to the bottom of theirs.

Yet both teams played as if the Super Bowl were again on the line. "It was probably the most emotionally charged game we've

played in my three years here," said San Francisco tight end Russ Francis, who caught five passes for 55 yards and received two personal-foul penalties for tussles with the Redskins.

"We matched them up gun-shooter on gun-shooter," Theismann said of his duel with Montana, a fellow Notre Dame alumnus, "and it was fun moving the ball the second half. The 49ers were not laying back in the second half. They were blitzing more and had a full pass rush on."

Neither team lay back the whole game. In the first half everything seemed to work for the 49ers while nothing went well for the Redskins. In the second half, it all changed.

"We shut ourselves down in the first half," said John Riggins, who had one of his worst games as a Redskin despite running for two touchdowns, managing only 12 yards rushing on 10 carries. "They were very aggressive and we had no continuity. We just couldn't get anything going. They were able to build up a convincing lead while we were sputtering and flubbing things up."

At halftime, Riggins said, the Redskins looked closely at themselves. "We were in jeopardy of losing a lot more than a football game, i.e. our confidence," he said. "We were in a lot more trouble than what the scoreboard indicated. Hopefully, we got something started a little

bit. There's still an awful lot of football to be played. We've got a lot of work to do.

"I have the confidence in this team that we can click off 10 wins in a row."

Washington Coach Joe Gibbs said he didn't have to give a rousing speech at halftime. "I didn't say anything. They realized what a hole they were in and went to work," he said. "They have great hearts and we have some tough guys. I am proud of my team."

Gibbs admitted that the first half was "as bad as we've played since I've been here," and noted that troubles persist with the defensive secondary, which was also beaten badly by Miami last week.

Montana, who threw two touchdown passes and ran for another with the help of a superb block by running back Wendell Tyler, gave credit to Washington's second-half defense and said he never felt confident about the halftime lead.

"We knew at halftime that we would still have to score more points in order to win," he said. "They came out and played well in the second half. Their blitzes were particularly effective. Sometimes they were able to catch us in the wrong formations."

The opportunistic Redskins were helped by two fumbles by Tyler in the second half, converting one into a TD drive.

Sports Briefs

Quarterback Club meets Tuesday

The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the Big Spring High School cafeteria. The meeting will include a "Meet the Steers Night" and homemade ice cream will be served.

CGA set tournament

The Chicano Golf Association will hold its annual Grand Tournament Saturday, Sept. 15 at Comanche Trail Golf Course. The ABCD no-handicap affair is open to CGA members only and entry deadline is noon Saturday. A barbecue will be held after completion of the tournament. All entrants need to contact ComancheClub pro Al Patterson at 263-7271.

Horsemen to saddle up

The Howard County Youth Horseman Club will hold a showmanship and Western Pleasure clinic on Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the club arena located on the Garden City highway. There will be no charge for club members and a \$5 fee for non-members. For more information contact Kenneth Williams at 263-6458.

'Fill the stadium'

Don't forget to buy a ticket for "Fill the Stadium Night" planned for the Steers home opener Sept. 14 versus Lubbock Estacado. Members of various Big Spring civic clubs are selling the tickets. The clubs participating are Greater Big Spring Rotary, the Big Spring Rotary, the Evening and Downtown Lions, the American Businessmen's Club, Big Spring Civitan, Kiwanis, Optimist and Jaycees.

Player Profile

Decker

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 behind me," she said. "It happened. It was one of those things. It was unfortunate that it happened at the Olympics."

The two women have not spoken since Budd attempted to apologize after the accident, although the coaches of the two runners have huddled. "Amongst the four of us, we felt we ought to put it behind us. I'll remember it the rest of my life. But things like that happen. It was an unfortunate incident. It's history. I hope to make more positive history in 1988. I hope she continues running. I know I will."

For herself, Decker wants that continuation to come soon. When she fell in the Olympic race, she suffered a deep tear at the junction of her hip. "The doctor here concerned me might be cartilage," she said. "I doubt it and I hope I'm right. I'm going to wait two more weeks and then start running again. I'd like to get fit enough for cross country. That's my next goal. If my hip isn't well enough for that, then I'll go for the indoor season."

Decker was one of five candidates introduced Monday as finalists for the title of greatest woman athlete of the last 25 years. The others are tennis star Chris Evert Lloyd, Billie Jean King and Martina Navratilova and Olympic runner Wilma Rudolph. The national vote for the crown is sponsored by the Women's Sports Foundation and Ocean Spray Cranberries, Inc. with the winner to be announced in April. By then, Decker hopes to be back in high gear, running at full speed and, thanks to that new determination, cutting crucial seconds off her time. If that happens, the Olympic spill will have proven worthwhile.

Even before the mishap, though, the Soviet boycott had robbed some of the zest from the 1984 Olympics for Decker.

"Without the Russians, it took some of the excitement out of it for me," she said. "I just hope in '88, everybody is at the Olympics." Including her.

Stevenson said, "I enjoy the closeness of a team sport like volleyball. It requires quick reactions and concentration."

Aside from volleyball, Stevenson also likes to play tennis, water and snow ski, camp and spectate at football games. Non-sports enjoyments are reading, english, science and lunch time at Big Spring High School.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore said that Elise Wheat has influenced her volleyball career a great deal. Wheat, a senior when Stevenson first entered BSHS, "helped me work hard and maintain a positive attitude," said Stevenson.

As president of the school's Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Stevenson is also quick to point out, "God has also been an influencing factor for me in athletics."

Other offices held by Stevenson include recording secretary for the Student Council, calendar girl for the Key Club and membership in the Honor Society.

And although graduation is some months away, Stevenson is pretty certain she will attend Texas A&M although she is not sure what field she wants to major in.

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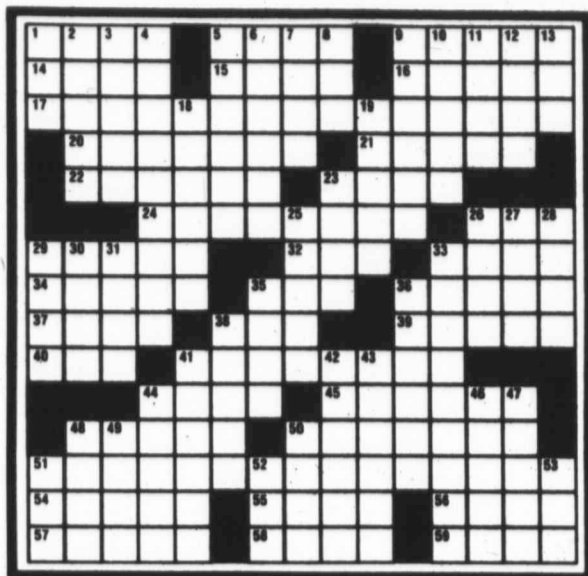
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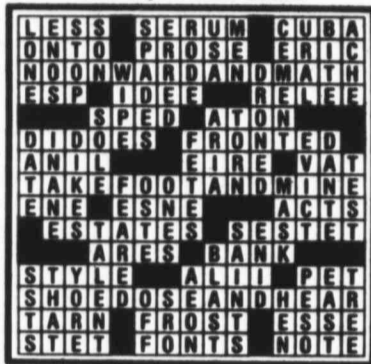
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- ACROSS**
- 1 "War never slays — man"
 - 5 Alphabet quartet
 - 9 — throat
 - 14 Easy gait
 - 15 — ower (study intently)
 - 16 Stadium
 - 17 Movie treats
 - 20 Inclining
 - 21 Zodiac sign
 - 22 Place of worship
 - 23 Personal bearing
 - 24 Mail note
 - 26 Knucklehead
 - 29 N. Mex. river
 - 32 At all
 - 33 Store documents
 - 34 Expunge
 - 35 Use a lever
 - 36 Old Palestine area
 - 37 Movie
 - 38 Stinger
 - 39 Place in office
 - 40 Opener
 - 41 Dry farmland
 - 42 Therefore
 - 45 Grass brittle
 - 46 Panama or Kiel
 - 50 Explosive man
 - 51 Party treats
 - 54 Mountain ridge
 - 55 Highlander
 - 56 Soon
 - 57 More recent
 - 58 Ireland
 - 59 Imitating bird
- DOWN**
- 1 High mountain
 - 2 Speak in favor of
 - 3 Russet or winesap
 - 4 Break up into basic parts
 - 5 "Now that — there"
 - 6 Head covering
 - 7 Projecting rock



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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



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| 14 Be against | | |
| 15 Milk products store | | |
| 23 Lots | | |
| 25 Omission mark | | |
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| 28 Bog product | | |
| 29 Peter Piper's measure | | |
| 30 Great Lake | | |
| 31 Like rattan | | |
| 32 — ahead (go!) | | |
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GENERAL TENDENCIES: If you start your day with vim and vigor, you find that this well-being can carry through the day and the evening, so approach whatever is of interest to you with enthusiasm and style.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You are inspired to make new contacts and see new sites, so full-speed ahead and be open-minded for best results.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) An early start is needed if you are to go after what you desire and get it. Tonight be with your mate at some romantic place.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Being with as many allies as possible and cooperating with them brings fine results. Also a good day for adding to your friends.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Be sure to keep any promises you may have made, especially connected with business matters.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Try a new tack where your work is concerned and you can become far more productive and progressive.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Listen to what allies have to say and come to a far better understanding with them. There are many opportunities for you to advance.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) If you discuss matters in a cooperative spirit with associates, you get better results than heretofore.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Get right at those duties ahead of you and they are soon out of the way. Be cooperative with co-workers.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) You like to have a good time more than others, so plan your entertainments far into the future.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) You get inspired with ideas that can improve your way of life considerably. Keep active both day and night and be happy.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You are thinking cleverly now so put those ideas you have to work wisely and get good results.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Get in touch with the person who can best give you ideas on how to improve your property. Ideal day to set up a better budget.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be very progressive in ideas and actions and have much success in life by sheer will power, so be sure to give as fine an education as you can. Teach early to know the difference between what is real and what is fancy. A great pioneering spirit here.

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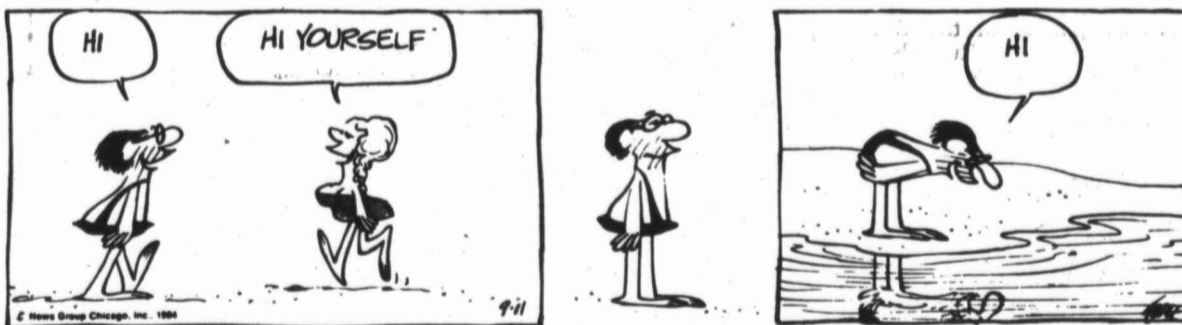
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Inmate dies of overdose

AUSTIN (AP) — A 20-year-old prison inmate under "psychological observation" in a special prison wing died of a cocaine overdose, according to a private autopsy ordered by his family.

The results of the private autopsy contradict those from an official one done for the Texas Department of Corrections, the Austin American-Statesman reported today.

According to the autopsy a Conroe pathologist did for the prison system, Barry Wayne Edward died of an infection caused by a virus that was sweeping through East Texas, where Edwards was imprisoned.

His sister, Ruthie Simmons, told the American-Statesman that, "The prison official told us on the phone that Barry suddenly took with stomach cramps and went fast. That's the extent of it."

Edwards' family later asked for the private autopsy, which was conducted by Dr. William E. Korrndorfer, the Galveston County medical examiner.

Korrndorfer says that he had also detected the presence of the virus but that his examination showed a different cause of death — cocaine poisoning.

The presence and use of illegal drugs is not uncommon in prisons, but reports of the private autopsy have led officials to consider reopening the books on the death.

Not only did the private autopsy contradict an official one, but Edwards was under "psychological observation" and confined to a prison wing where security is said to be tightest, the newspaper said.

Harry Whittington, a prison board member, questioned why there was a discrepancy between the two autopsies.

"Until we get to the bottom of this, we are not going to know how to correct the situation in the future," Whittington said Monday, prior to a prison board meeting in Huntsville.

Dr. Armand Start, chief medical officer for the prisons, told the board that he did not receive the second autopsy until late last week. He promised a thorough inquiry.

Bombs prompt new task force

HOUSTON (AP) — A federally coordinated task force has been formed to look into three bombings and an arson fire at Houston-area abortion clinics in the last three weeks.

Phillip Chojnacki, assistant special agent in charge of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms' Houston district, said Monday the group will "look for common threads" in the four episodes. He said no one is sure they are related.

Chojnacki said the fires all occurred late at night or early in the morning and injured no one. In each of the bombings, someone threw a container of flammable liquid through a window.

The first bombing occurred Aug. 31 at the A.B. Clinic P.A. in north Harris County. The second and third were both Friday, the first at the Abortion Assistance West Loop Clinic in west Houston, the second later that morning at the Women's Outpatient Clinic in north Houston.

The final fire occurred late Saturday or early Sunday at the Clear Lake Women's Center in Webster, south of Houston. Chojnacki said someone entered the clinic, spread an accelerant over the floor and set a fire. He said the damage was discovered Sunday.

Chojnacki said estimates of damage were available only at the A.B. Clinic, which will cost about \$30,000 to repair, and at the Clear Lake center, where damage amounted to about \$25,000.

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Talk of strike leaves auto workers worried

ARLINGTON (AP) — As his coworkers talked enthusiastically of striking General Motors this weekend, Ellis Black grimaced and said the last thing he wants is to be out of work, again.

The 26-year-old assembly line worker was laid off by GM two years ago in Michigan. He moved his wife to Dallas, found another job six months ago at a mid-size GM assembly plant here, and "got comfortable."

But with the United Auto Workers and GM negotiating against a Friday midnight deadline, when their present contract expires, Black is scared.

"My wife and I have a kid on the way now. It seems like we might go out, but I'm hoping not," he said. "I'm worried. But I've done without for a long time, and I guess if we strike, I'll just do without some more."

While many of the 4,500 UAW members here hope there won't be a strike, most believe the union will walk out. They say they're ready — mentally and financially.

A schedule has been posted at Local 276 for picketing shifts. Strike signs are mounted on sticks

and stacked in piles at the union hall, located midway between Dallas and Fort Worth.

"We'll strike if that's what it takes to get what we want. Most everyone here is really kind of looking forward to getting this resolved," said J.E. Scogin, 56, a plant carpenter.

"The company has been sort of 'who-doing' lately. Everytime the union brings up something, they more or less ignore it. So we've seen it coming for a while now, and most of us are prepared," he said.

With conviction, the workers talked Monday about regaining concessions made in 1982 and winning greater job security. Yet they said they were ambivalent about being out of work, and would rather see a settlement.

"I really don't want a strike, but I'm willing to do it if that's what it takes," said Scogin. "The big wheels in this company have been getting all the bonuses and they took away a bunch from us."

Ironically, the popularity of the cars made here — the Chevrolet Monte Carlo and Oldsmobile Cutlass — have made the GM workers more willing to walk out.

The assembly line workers have been pulling nine-hour shifts and six-day weeks for several months, and most say the UAW warned them a long time ago to bank the overtime in preparation for a strike.

"I've got all my bills paid up and enough money saved to buy a new mobile home," said Joe Clark, 54. "I've got the one I want picked out, and if we don't strike, I'm going right down and getting it."

H.E. Roberts, an assembly line inspector wearing a gimme cap proclaiming "I Don't Need This Job, Just The Pay," said he's saved \$4,000 to carry his family through the strike.

"I wish they'd (union and management negotiators) get on with it, or get off the pot," he said. "Nobody knows what's going to happen. It's tough."

"I think both sides have made up their minds that they're going to be stubborn this year," said Bob Long, 51.

As employees changed shifts, they talked of stocking freezers with sale items from the grocery store, of securing temporary jobs and making do with the \$85 weekly

strike benefits — a far cry from the average \$9.53 per hour.

In 1982, the UAW agreed to help the ailing auto industry by accepting no general wage increase, deferred cost of living raises and the elimination of 10 personal holidays a year.

Since profits have returned to GM and bonuses have been paid to executives, the GM workers in Arlington say they want back the concessions they made, and they want guarantees they won't be laid off.

"We want what we've got coming to us," said Virgil Ford, 45. "They gave one executive vice president \$1.4 million, and they're not offering us anything. Who's doing the work here anyway? If we have to walk for six years, we'll stay out and have a breadline if necessary."

At an Aug. 14 meeting, 97 percent of the workers at this assembly plant voted in favor of a strike, but welder Mark Rhea, 33, said many at the Texas plant aren't as enthusiastic as the vote would suggest.



READY FOR WALKOUT — H.E. Roberts, an assembly line inspector at the Arlington General Motors plant, echoes fellow workers' sentiments Monday that the auto industry is doing well enough financially to give back to workers concessions the UAW made in 1982. Workers are apprehensive, though, about walking off the job.

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