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Spring Board

How's that? Holiday hours

Q. Why with the new laws passed by the Legislature can students be let out of class early to attend pep rallies but not to go home early for the Thanksgiving holidays?

A. Lynn Hise, superintendent of the Big Spring Independent School District, said, "the law doesn't say anything about turning out early" either for pep rallies or for holidays. However, the new legislation does require that secondary level students stay in classes 55 minutes of a 60 minute class.

In order to have pep rallies, Hise said secondary students were occasionally released from classes five minutes early in several classes to accumulate enough time for a 15 minute pep rally.

In the past the BSISD let students out for Thanksgiving 45 minutes early. There was no way to shave that much time off the clock without violating the new rules, Hise explained.

However, he emphasized the legislation "is still open to interpretation." All Texas districts are waiting for final rulings and are following their own interpretations until given a final ruling.

Calendar

C-City dancers

TODAY

• The Big Spring Art Association will meet at 7 p.m. at the Art Department of Howard College. Marsha Hudson will present a program on pastels.

• The Colorado City dancers will have their monthly dance Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Boys' Club, located at Third and Chestnut in Colorado City. The public is invited. Music furnished by the Porky Proctor Band.

Tops on TV

Charlie Brown

Charlie Brown and the Peanuts gang gather around a ping-pong table for an unusual Thanksgiving on "A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving" at 7 p.m. on channel 7. Suzanne Pleshette and Gil Gerard star in "For Love Or Money," a CBS movie, at 8 p.m. on channel 7.

Outside

Chilly

Cloudy skies and a 20 percent chance of continued rain are forecast this afternoon. Look for highs in the lower 40s and easterly winds, 5 to 10 miles per hour. Tonight, lows will fall into the mid 30s and winds will be light and easterly. On Wednesday, look for partly cloudy skies and highs near 60 degrees. Winds will be southeasterly, 5 to 15 miles per hour.

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Blast toll rises

264 Mexicans die in inferno

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Troops on alert for looters sealed off devastated areas of Tlalnepanlia and anxious survivors waited today at crowded relief centers for word of relatives missing after one of the worst natural gas explosions on record.

By early today 264 bodies had been recovered. Red Cross and police officials said at least 500 people were seriously injured by the explosions and flames that turned the working-class district into an inferno Monday.

Army troops patrolling the Mexico City suburb arrested 20 looters who were trying to take advantage of the chaos that followed the blasts, which Federal Police deputy spokesman Hector Garcia Vasquez said forced evacuation of more than 100,000 people.

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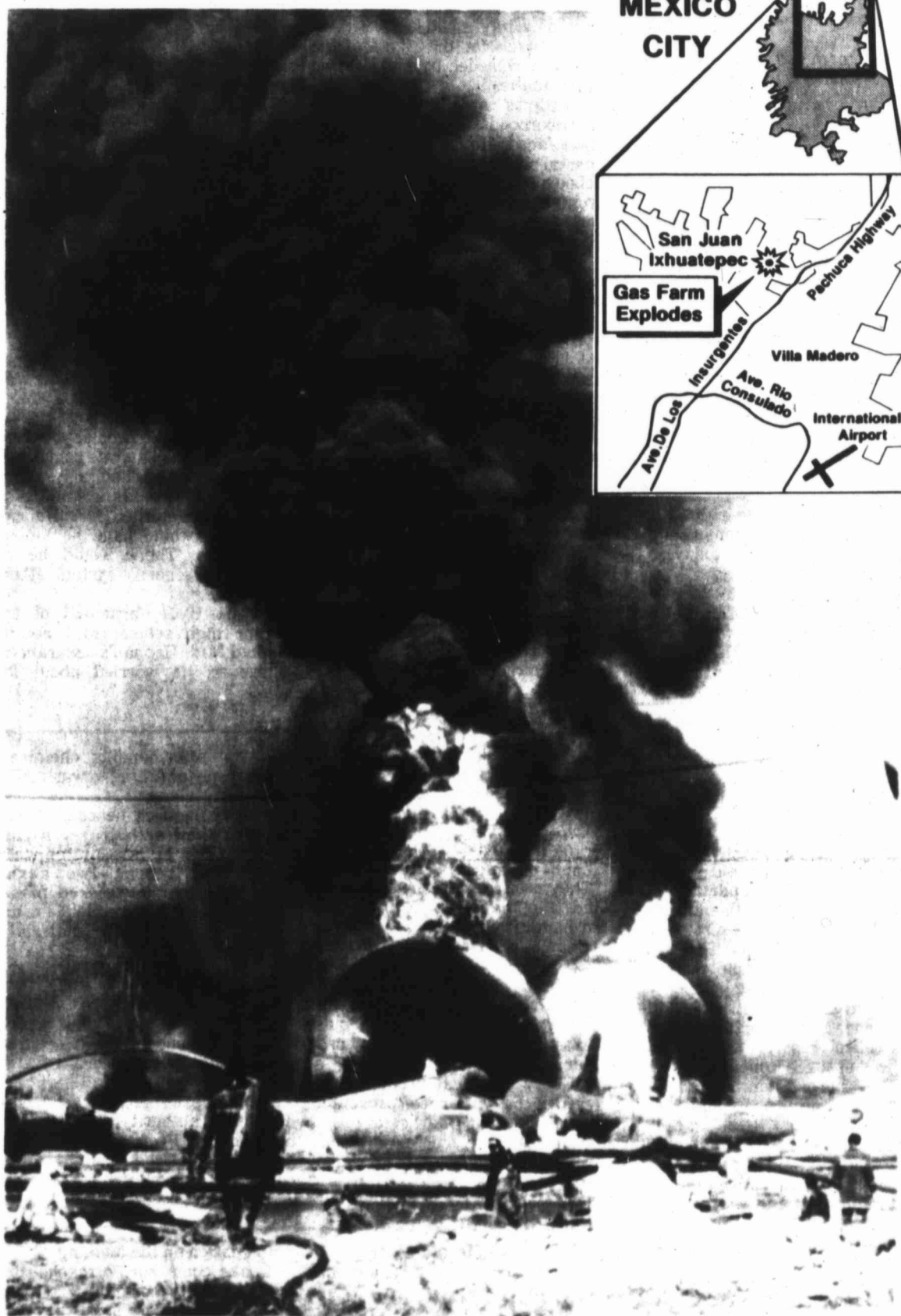
The troops refused to allow evacuees to return to their homes while the search for bodies continued.

Officials said the death count was expected to rise today because the toll did not include people taken to hospitals who may have died later or workers at the liquefied natural gas storage site where the explosions occurred.

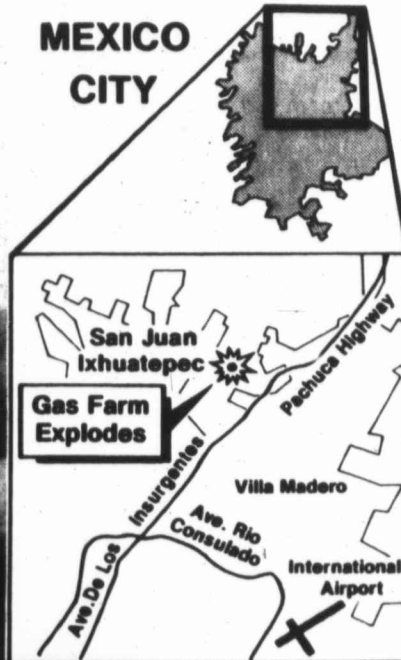
Homes on about 20 square blocks were destroyed or badly damaged and Mexico state officials said more than half a square mile was evacuated.

Mexico City Police Chief Ramon Mota Sanchez said the blaze was

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Liquid gas storage tanks spew smoke and flames in Mexico City.



Snow dusts area

Flakes fall in winter debut

By CAROL BALDWIN Staff Writer

Folks were agreeing that "it was cold" in the city this morning as a light snow dusted parts of the county.

Residents who weren't paying much attention to this morning's weather probably missed the snowflakes, which fell around 9 a.m. for only a few minutes. The snow melted as it touched the ground.

But the snow and light drizzle left about .04 of an inch of moisture in parts of the city.

The official count at the U.S. Big Spring Field Station was .01 of an inch of rain, bringing this year's total precipitation to 11.31 inches. Normal to date is 17.59.

Larry Shaw of Knott said he noticed "a few snowflakes" this morning preceded by misty conditions.

"It's about right for it to snow," Shaw said as he checked his thermometer. Although there was no ice at his home, he reported a low reading of 29 degrees at his residence.

Shaw said total rainfall over the weekend and through today at his residence has amounted to about 1.2 inches.

Tommy Hart, who resides on the city's eastside, was reporting a four-day total of about 1.89 inches of rain. Hart said snow fell for a few minutes in his part of town about 9 a.m.

The U.S. Big Spring Field Station was reporting a low temperature last night of 34 degrees. On Sunday night the low was 33 degrees.

Associated Press photo

Strike talks resume

By KEELY COGHLAN Staff Writer

Representatives for the Dallas division of Safeway Stores Inc. and the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen Local No. 540 resumed negotiations Monday.

Safeway's chief of labor relations, George Marshall of Oakland, Calif., was to meet Monday in Dallas with the union vice president from Washington, D.C., according to Local No. 540 vice president Hugh Leake of Dallas.

Negotiations between the company and the union were broken off about three weeks ago. The union

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Herald photo by Tina Steffen

Big Spring High School senior Cynthia Mason (stiffing center) was selected Miss Merry Christmas. The duchesses are (from left) Dana Kohl, Kristi Wise, Tonya Sneed, Keri Myrick and Sheri Johnson.

Yule queen

Senior is Miss Merry Christmas

Staff reports

Big Spring High School senior Cynthia Mason received one of her Christmas gifts early Monday afternoon when she was selected Miss Merry Christmas for Big Spring.

Ms. Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P.T. Lindell, was one of six contestants entered in the Chamber of Commerce event held at the Big Spring High School library.

The judges were Dick Fields of KBYG-KIOF radio station, Luis Rios of the Big Spring Herald, Chris Showalter of KBST and Dave Sibell of KKIK.

Ms. Mason, 17, was selected over five other contestants: BSHS junior Sheri Johnson, 16, senior Tonya Sneed, 17, junior Keri Myrick, 17, senior Kristi Wise, 17, and senior Dana Kohl, 17.

Bonnie Long served as the chair-

man for the Chamber of Commerce contest.

Ms. Mason will reign over all Christmas festivities in the Big Spring trade area. She and the duchesses will be featured on a special float during the annual Christmas parade Dec. 1. The court will also make special appearances during the Christmas season.

All the contestants submitted an application and were interviewed by the panel of judges. Each judge was allowed to ask each contestant one question.

Ms. Mason said her interests and school activities included band, Key Club, Calendar Girl, Lions Club, freshman and sophomore class vice president and Student Council, Flag Line and Basics.

She also said she enjoyed singing for her church group, collecting antiques, swimming and aerobics.

State may delay pesticide rule

By KEELY COGHLAN Staff Writer

Farmers, farmworkers, crop-dusters, chemical company representatives and citizens are scheduled to testify today in Bay City before the Texas Department of Agriculture on controversial new pesticide regulations.

The new regulations, which require more stringent notification procedures by farmers and others

using pesticides, are scheduled to go into effect Nov. 30, unless the department agrees to delay their implementation.

"I think they might delay putting them into effect," Knott farmer Larry Shaw said Tuesday night.

Shaw, Knott farmer Robert Nichols and Luther farmer Mike Moates, who also serves as the Howard County Farm Bureau president, attended a public hear-

ing on the proposed regulations Thursday in Lubbock.

Both Moates and Shaw said they opposed the new regulations, saying the current ones were sufficient if they were enforced.

"We need to educate the farmworkers," Moates said, "maybe in a seminar in their own language (Spanish). They need to know that if they go out in the field where it's

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Early deadlines for Thanksgiving

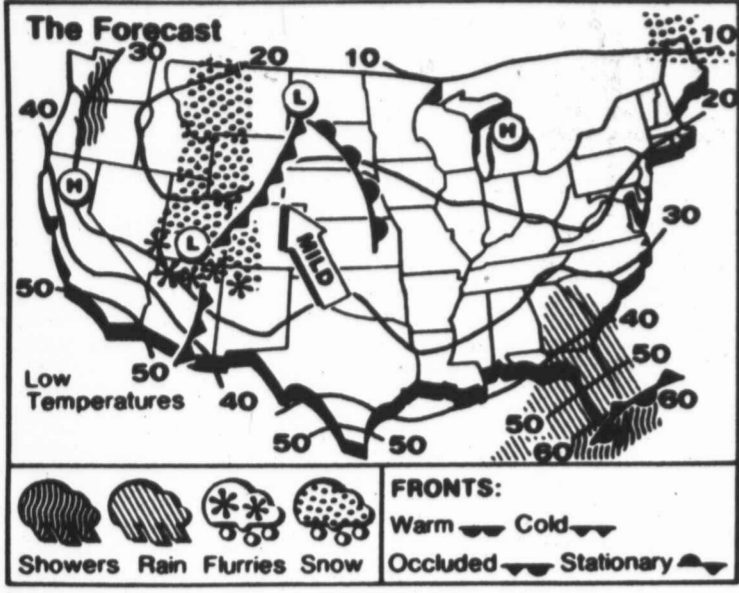
The Thanksgiving Day newspaper will be delivered in the morning on Thursday, and the Herald will be closed Thursday. Early deadlines are in effect this week for classified and display advertising.

For Thursday's paper, classified deadline is noon Wednesday. For Friday's paper, classified deadline is 3

p.m. Wednesday ("Too lates" will be taken Friday until 9 a.m.).

For Saturday's paper, classified deadline is noon Friday; display deadline is noon Wednesday. For Sunday's paper, Leisure section advertising deadline is 3 p.m. Wednesday; display deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday; classified deadline is 3 p.m. Friday.

Weather



Local

Area residents should expect more cold weather and possible rain today, as forecasters predict a 20 percent chance of rain. The winter's first snow made a brief appearance as a few snowflakes fell about 9 a.m. today before melting.

Although highs today were expected to remain in the 40s, Wednesday will warm up to a high in the 60s. The warm weather is expected to continue through Thanksgiving, when skies should be clear and warm.

State

A dreary day was forecast for most of Texas today as forecasters called for mostly cloudy skies, cool temperatures and rain or scattered showers over most of the state.

Only extreme West Texas was expected to have clear skies and warming temperatures.

A blanket of low clouds covered all but West Texas at dawn today. Some light rain was reported along southern portions of the Edwards Plateau between Del Rio, Junction and Sanderson.

Early morning temperatures were near freezing in the Panhandle and in the upper 30s over the rest of West Texas. Elsewhere readings were mostly in the 40s except in South Texas where readings in the 50s and low 60s were common. Extremes ranged from 31 at Amarillo to 63 at Brownsville.

Other readings around the state early today included 40 at Wichita Falls, 41 at Dallas-Fort Worth, 43 at Longview, 44 at Waco, Austin and San Antonio, 47 at Corpus Christi, 46 at Houston, 37 at San Angelo, 33 at Lubbock and 36 at both Midland and El Paso.

Forecasters called for cloudy skies and cool temperatures with widely scattered showers in North Texas. Highs were to range from 45 to 49. Isolated showers were expected in the Concho Valley early today.

Forecast

WEST TEXAS — Cloudy east of mountains and sunny mountains. Partly cloudy and warmer most of area Wednesday. Lows tonight 29 mountains and Panhandle to 38 Big Bend. Highs Wednesday 51 north to 74 Big Bend.

A house of ill dispute

Owners fight ordinance to provide home for retarded

CLEBURNE (AP) — It's a nice small-town neighborhood with solid, working-class people. And it's a nice old house, with fresh beige paint and a broad, inviting front porch.

But no one lives there. Not until the U.S. Supreme Court decides.

The owners of the house at 201 Featherston want to provide a home for mildly retarded people, and are challenging a city zoning ordinance which excludes a "hospital for the feeble-minded" from the neighborhood.

The court will decide whether communities which exclude such group homes through zoning laws violate the civil rights of the retarded. The court's decision, expected by July, could have tremendous impact for the rights of the mentally retarded beyond housing opportunities.

Experts say hundreds of neighborhoods across the country have faced similar disputes since mental health institutions and state schools have come under pressure from courts to return mildly or moderately retarded people to communities.

"It would not have been worth it to fight this battle if we were the only ones who would benefit," said Jan Hannah, 42, the owner of the house.

"I didn't intend to be a crusader," she said, "but I've kind of taken on that characteristic."

Mrs. Hannah, who has worked with the retarded for 18 years, bought the house for \$59,000 in 1980 and asked the City Council for a special-use permit for a home for 13 mildly retarded men and women with 24-hour supervision.

Neighbors objected, fearing violence from the home's residents, a drop in property values or trouble between the home and students from Cleburne Junior High across the street.

Joe Marchbanks, who lives three



BATTLEGROUND — Jan Hannah gestures toward the house in Cleburne that she would like to make into a home for 13 mildly retarded men and women with 24-hour supervision.

doors away, said: "The older women are fearful of this thing. There are a lot of older women in this neighborhood and they don't want these people around."

"If these people get by with this, all cities might as well do away with their laws. We've lived here all our lives and I don't know why we should be subjected to this," said Marchbanks, 65.

"With retarded people, you don't ever know when they're going to do something," he added.

Residents would be mildly to moderately retarded, Mrs. Hannah said, and would have no violent tendencies. There would be no curfew or security system at the residence.

Frank Hyde, principal of the junior high school, said he accepted Mrs. Hannah's assurances. However, he worried about the

reactions of some students: "Seventh- and eighth-grade kids might not always be the kindest people."

The property is zoned for a hospital, a convalescent home, a nursing home, a boarding house, apartments, a fraternity or sorority house — "anything except a home for the feeble, for alcoholics, for drug addicts or for the insane," Mrs. Hannah said.

Cleburne, a city of about 19,000 people 25 miles south of Fort Worth, classified the house as a "hospital for the feeble-minded" because of the 24-hour care.

Mrs. Hannah and Cleburne Living Centers, her company which owns and operates three smaller homes for the mentally retarded in neighboring towns, sued in federal court after the city's planning and zoning commission rejected her

application. A federal trial court threw out the suit, saying the city's ordinance was "rational."

However, the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans ruled for Mrs. Hannah, saying laws which place the mentally retarded in a different category must be judged as are those treating the sexes differently.

The retarded "have been subjected to a history of unfair and often grotesque mistreatment," the court said.

The court also noted that the Cleburne ordinance required no special zoning permits for supervised nursing homes for the elderly.

The case was accepted by the U.S. Supreme Court after Cleburne officials appealed the New Orleans court's ruling.

Police Beat

PD foils attempted burglary

Police recovered a pillow case containing miscellaneous jewelry and a 35-mm camera from a residential burglary attempt Monday afternoon, but the burglars escaped, according to police reports.

Police were responding to a report of a burglary in progress at the Ina Stewart residence at 2904 Goliad between 12:30 and 12:42 p.m. Monday.

Burglars stole more than \$1,300 tools and other items from a pickup truck and garage, Robert Mitchell of 700 Willa told police Monday afternoon.

According to reports, the burglary and theft occurred between Nov. 6 and 1 p.m. Sunday. A red tool box containing various hand tools and jumper cables — valued at \$682 — was taken from a 1974 Chevrolet pickup truck parked behind the house.

Taken from the garage were two hand saws, worth \$359; a 3/4-inch drill, worth \$40; a saber saw, worth \$40; tires, worth \$140; and a gas tank and hose, worth \$100.

Big Spring Industrial Airpark Manager Hal Boyd told police someone shot out two quartz halogen floodlights at the north entrance of the airpark between 6 p.m. Friday and 8 a.m. Monday. The lights, valued at \$500, were shot out with a firearm, according to police.

Burglars also struck another residence Monday night, according to police reports. June Wayne Nelson of 901 S. Runnels told police someone broke into his home between 7 a.m. Sunday and 8 p.m. Monday.

A window and an audio light were broken and a reel of recording tape was damaged. Total estimated damage was \$80.

Police recovered a bicycle Monday morning, according to reports. Chuck Harris of Highland Grocery at 410 Marcy told police he found the bike at 7:46 a.m.

Police arrested Valdomero Estrella Jordan, 60, address unknown at 5:46 p.m. Monday at 1105 E. Fourth on a Martin County warrant for theft by check.

Sheriff's Log

School reports possible theft

Howard County Sheriff's Department received a call Monday afternoon for a possible theft that occurred at Elbow School.

Glen Jones, general superintendent for Lee George Construction, told sheriff deputies that a DX 350 powder gun and a four point aluminum level had been missing from the job site at Elbow School since Nov. 8th.

Total estimated value of the missing items is \$500.

Sheriff's deputies responded to a call Monday evening to a Big Spring woman, Christina Jones, who said she had been struck in the head by her husband, William "Bill" Jones.

Mrs. Jones said she works at nights and was afraid to leave her

children alone with her husband because she didn't know what he would do to them. Sheriff's reports said that Mr. Jones had been drinking.

The sheriff's office contacted Judge Lewis Heflin who issued a warrant for simple assault. Jones was arrested and later released on \$1,500 bond.

Carey Wayne Alexander, 28, of Dallas was arrested by Collin County sheriff's office on a Howard County warrant for bondsman off bond on a driving while intoxicated charge.

He was released on \$1,000 bond.

Howard County deputy William Shankles arrested Daniel A. Ramirez, 27, 817 W. Sixth, for a revocation of probation charge for DWI from Lynn County. Judge Heflin denied Ramirez bond.

Farmers

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been sprayed, they shouldn't wear the same clothes two days in a row.

"Farmers and workers would profit from being better educated about chemicals," Shaw said. "They need to know the chemicals and the dangers if they are misused."

Shaw said he felt farmers in West Texas were being unfairly hit by the new restrictions because, "They've got some problems somewhere else, mostly in South Texas. I've never heard of any problems here."

"Every chemical problem I've heard of could have been prevented by washing off," Shaw said.

Shaw said he did know of one area farmer whose leg was "crip-

pled up" after handling chemicals improperly or failing to wash them off.

At the Lubbock hearing, according to Shaw and Moates, a man testified that he was injured when he helped rescue two aerial sprayers from a wrecked plane. The two men told him the plane did not contain any toxic materials, when in fact it did.

"The new regulations wouldn't stop that from happening," Moates said.

Shaw said one way to cut down on health hazards caused by the pesticides is to make sure the chemicals are stringently tested by the proper authority, either the Environmental Protection Agency or the Food and Drug Administration.

Planning board approves closing 1 block of Scurry

By KEELY COGHLAN
Staff Writer

A city board recommended Monday the city approve the closing of Scurry Street between 23rd and 24th streets to accommodate a new business.

Planning and Zoning Commission members agreed to recommend the city allow the closing of Scurry one block from where it ends at the service road of F.M. 700. The street separates the old Gibson's building from a parking lot.

The 3-2 vote came at the request of Patti Horton of Sun Country Real Estate on behalf of Herb Gibson Jr., president of Gibson's discount stores and owner of the building.

Board Chairman Sidney Clark broke a 2-2 tie by voting for the street closing. Also voting to close the street were Earl Lusk and Wayne Rock; voting against the measure were Helen McDonald and Jim Weaver.

According to Ms. Horton, Furr's grocery is planning to put a Save-A-Gain, a discount grocery where shoppers bag and carry their own purchases, in the building.

The board put several conditions on its agreement to the street closure. Furr's will purchase flex barriers for the street, will pay for the purchase and installation of flashing red lights and dead end signs and will put in new entrances to the parking lot closer to Scurry.

Currently the entrances to the parking lot are located near Gregg, and board members said they were concerned that the entrances would create a bottleneck near Gregg. Board members referred

the placement of the entrances to the Traffic Commission.

Ms. Horton said Furr's would not agree to a 10-year lease with Gibson's for the building unless the street was blocked off because of the traffic hazards for customers carrying their own groceries. The area would become parking, she said.

The board also said the street must revert back to the city if another business moves into the building.

According to Public Works Director Tom Decell, the street would not actually be closed by the city, but would be vacated and abandoned.

In other action, board members heard suggestions for revision of a proposed manufactured housing ordinance from representatives of Cameo Energy Homes and D and C Sales, both of Big Spring.

The ordinance, if approved by the city council, would permit placement of manufactured homes into areas of the city where more traditional site-built homes are located.

Under the ordinance, the manufactured homes would have to meet or exceed all city zoning and other ordinances in addition to deed restrictions, according to Decell, board members and industry representatives.

City staff will present a revised version of the ordinance to the commission at its next meeting Dec. 4. At that time, the commission will decide whether to recommend the ordinance to the city council at the Dec. 11 meeting.

Strike

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began its strike in Big Spring nine days ago.

"We hope we can get this settled," Leake said Monday.

Safeway public relations director Vicki Flannery of Dallas today said she could not comment on negotiations because she did not have any

information on the meeting.

Leake could not be reached for comment this morning.

Union members have been on strike at Safeway stores throughout Texas, including in Big Spring, Colorado City, Sweetwater and Snyder, for nine days over what they say are unfair bargaining methods by the company.

Blast

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under control at mid-day Monday, but flames from one tank still lit the night sky as the fire burned itself out.

Witnesses and residents said one tremendous blast shook the crowded suburb at 5:42 a.m., followed by perhaps a dozen more explosions. Balls of fire shot into the air and rained fiery debris on homes and businesses. Plumes of dark smoke rose a mile into the sky as the fire raged out of control for more than seven hours.

A spokesman for the government-run petroleum monopoly PEMEX said a gas truck apparently exploded, touching off subsequent blasts, first at Unigas Co. natural gas holding tanks and

then at the adjoining PEMEX natural gas storage and distribution center, built in 1961.

Mota Sanchez said four storage tanks holding more than 3 million gallons of liquefied gas each exploded, and two others burned. Authorities had feared the fire would trigger more explosions at nearby tanks, but none occurred.

PEMEX technicians burned off 80,000 barrels of gas to avoid new explosions, the company said. Officials said the operation and main pipeline were closed.

The death toll exceeded the 135 killed Oct. 21, 1944, when a gas storage tank exploded in Cleveland, Ohio — the worst such disaster on record in the United States.

Markets

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Deaths

Edna Dudley

Mrs. Howard (Edna) Dudley, 69, died Monday afternoon in a local hospital following a sudden illness.

Services will be Wednesday at 10 a.m. New Mexico time in the First Baptist Church, Eunice, N.M. The Rev. Bill Penland, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will officiate. Graveside services will be Friday at 2 p.m. in the Barnstall Cemetery in Barnstall, Okla.

She was born July 20, 1915, in Stone County, Ark. She married Howard Dudley April 11, 1946, in Sedan, Kansas. She was a member of the Baptist Church. She moved to Big Spring five years ago, and had previously lived in Pampa and Eunice, N.M.

Her husband transferred to Big Spring with Getty Oil Company. Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Elaine Furr of Eunice, N.M. and Maxine Casey of Midland; two brothers, Paul Mar-

tin of Hobbs, N.M. and Guy Martin of Pahlke, Okla.; a sister, Opal Keeton of Hulbert, Okla.; eight grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel

Mrs. Howard (Edna G.) Dudley, 69, died Monday. Services will be Wednesday at 10:00 A.M. (New Mexico Time) at the First Baptist Church in Eunice, New Mexico. Graveside services will be Friday at 2:00 P.M. at the Barnstall Cemetery in Barnstall, Oklahoma.

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World

By The Associated Press

Soviet dissident missing

TEL AVIV, Israel — Soviet dissident Anatoly Shcharansky, serving a 13-year sentence for anti-Soviet activities, has not been heard from for more than two months and his whereabouts are unknown, his wife Avital says.

Mrs. Shcharansky said Monday that her husband's family in Moscow had not received a letter from him since Sept. 5, when he wrote that he was to be transferred from Chistopol prison, where he had spent the past three years.

Japan gives aid to Africa

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia — Japan's foreign minister, describing the famine in Ethiopia as worse than those he saw in Cambodia and Afghanistan, says his country will send \$50 million more in aid to African nations.

Shintaro Abe told a news conference Monday he was "shocked" by his visit earlier in the day to an emergency feeding center for drought victims at Mekelle, capital of Tigre, a famine-stricken province north of Addis Ababa.

Police seek 19 students

SEOUL, South Korea — Police sought formal arrest warrants today for 19 students and ordered 186 others sent to summary courts on charges of staging a "violent" demonstration at the headquarters of the governing Democratic Justice Party.

An announcement from Seoul police headquarters said 60 students seized during the same incident were being set free.

Arafat applies for GB visit

LONDON — Yasser Arafat, chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization, has applied to visit Britain to help promote a new biography of him, the Foreign Office says.

The Israeli Embassy expressed "incredulity" at reports that the leader of the PLO terrorist organization "might come here."

A Foreign Office spokesman said Monday that Arafat's application was being reviewed. Britain permits the PLO to run an information bureau in London but does not recognize it diplomatically.

Arab sources said Arafat proposed coming to Britain on Dec. 22 to help introduce the biography called "Arafat."



A Mexican soldier stands watch over destroyed neighborhood.

Associated Press photo

Streets of fire

Explosion ravages Mexico City suburb

TLALNEPANTLA, Mexico (AP) — In the pastel-painted cement block homes near the exploding gas storage tanks, people were burned to ashes as they slept in bed, fixed breakfast or tried to flee with their children in their arms.

Only a ditch, a railroad track and 100 dusty yards separated San Juan Ixhuatpec district from the storage tanks of PEMEX, the government oil monopoly. In a roughly 5-by-4 block area, where large and extended families lived in cramped quarters, almost all homes were destroyed or heavily damaged.

At least 264 people were killed when the tanks began exploding early Monday in the working-class district, situated in a flat area surrounded by hills and the snow-capped peak of the volcano Iztaccihuatl.

"The majority were burned. Many were disintegrated," said A. A. Alvarez, a Mexico City policeman. "You could see only the figure of the bodies. They were only ash."

Alvarez said most people did not even have time to get out of bed. He saw the body of one woman leaning over the stove where she apparently was making breakfast. A man was found with his hands on the door as if trying to leave, another body with tortillas in its hands.

"It was a powder keg," said Dr. Luis Sanchez Guerra, coroner for the Mexico state attorney general's office. He was supervising the rescue workers as they brought clear plastic bags of shriveled, blackened bodies into a police station patio. Many of the dead were children.

"We found 16 bodies in one house, 13 in another, eight in another," said one rescue worker.

Dr. Guadalupe Gutierrez, working with a Mexico City police rescue crew, had a list of 29 bodies. "And I have only been in three or four houses," she said.

"In one house where I was, I saw 11 bodies...there were burned people running in only their underwear with their children in their arms," said a Mexico state policeman, who asked not to be identified.

Nation

By The Associated Press

Spill tops million gallons

SAN FRANCISCO — An "educated guess" about the amount of oil spilled from a damaged tanker has revised the estimate to 1 million gallons, 10 times the amount first believed, the Coast Guard said.

On Sunday, the SS Puerto Rican's bow was towed into San Francisco Bay. The stern remains in the Pacific Ocean. The vessel was hit by three explosions Oct. 31, and four days later, it broke up and the stern sank.

Boy confesses to slaying

HINGHAM, Mass. — A 17-year-old boy, described by acquaintances as polite and an avid reader who wrote for his high school paper, told police he bludgeoned his father to death shortly after an argument over the father's drinking, authorities said.

Robert Ludwig was arraigned Monday, and Hingham District Court Judge Alvin Tamkin ordered 20 days of psychiatric evaluation.

Ludwig said his father had beaten him for the past few years and that the two had argued about the elder Ludwig's drinking problem just before his death, Lt. Joseph McCracken said.

Couple file \$513,000 suit

SALEM, Ore. — A couple who claim an electromagnetic field forced them from their home after the woman was diagnosed as suffering from severe environmental noise disturbance is suing a utility for \$513,000.

Portland General Electric Co. has declined comment on the suit Dan and Mary Ellen Hogan filed in August after the utility refused to bury or move a 115,000-volt power line installed in 1980.

Jury acquits geologist

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — A federal jury has acquitted a geologist of charges he operated a \$400 million tax shelter scam that allegedly involved investors donating portions of false silver mine claims to a university and then taking charitable tax deductions.

Einar Erickson, 54, of Las Vegas, was indicted on charges of mail fraud and helping people prepare fraudulent Internal Revenue Service returns by donating portions of the false claims as charitable contributions.

Secret manhunt leads to 3,000 arrests

NEW YORK (AP) — A secret, two-month manhunt by federal and local law officers in the East has led to the arrest of more than 3,000 fugitives, including suspects wanted for murder, rape and bank robbery, according to sources close to the investigation.

Investigators worked in eight states — New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Maryland, Massachusetts and Connecticut — but also developed evidence that led to arrests in California, Florida and Tennessee, the sources said.

"You're talking about guys who are violent criminals, repeated violent criminals," said a U.S. Marshals Service inspector who worked on the operation, believed to be the largest manhunt in American history.

The sources, marshals and police

officers who worked on the operation, spoke on condition they not be identified until the investigation was revealed officially.

Attorney General William French Smith was scheduled to announce the results of the probe Tuesday morning at a Manhattan news conference.

The FIST operation — the letters stand for Fugitive Investigative Strike Teams — was the seventh conducted by the federal marshals.

Coordinated from an otherwise abandoned building at Fort Totten in Queens, which is headquarters for the 77th U.S. Army Reserve Command, Operation FIST focused first on those wanted on federal warrants, then branched out to state and local cases, according to the sources.

FIST 7 was conducted throughout the five boroughs of

New York City and upstate in Albany, Syracuse, Rochester and Buffalo, according to the sources, as well as Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Scranton, Pa. and Hartford, Conn.

Four undercover sting opera-

tions were part of FIST 7.

In Connecticut, fugitives were contacted and told they had won a radio station contest for a limousine tour of Hartford and free tickets to an upcoming rock concert.

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Opinion

It's kidnapping by another name

Afghan children shipped off to indoctrination camps in the Soviet Union are the latest victims of the Soviet occupation of Afghanistan.

Western diplomats told The Associated Press that more than 800 Afghan children, 7 to 9, were recently separated from their weeping parents and sent to the Soviet Union, where they will be schooled for 10 years. The regime called the program a "magnificent friendly gesture by the Soviet Union toward the Afghan people."

We call it the kidnapping and indoctrination of helpless youngsters.

Some zealous parents were undoubtedly convinced by the Communist Party that sending their children to Russia was the right thing to do for their futures. It is easy to imagine the bright promises of professional and party rewards being dangled before the parents.

But undoubtedly many parents were coerced into giving up their children. The pain of the mothers and fathers who may never see their children again, or who, once reunited, will find their children changed by indoctrination, is difficult to imagine.

The Soviets justify their occupations of Afghanistan by comparing it to U.S. military intervention in Central America. But we can remember no time in U.S. history when this country forcibly took young foreign children to be indoctrinated in America.

Communism is based on an ideal of building a new society of equality. But it relies on tearing apart families and using children as guinea pigs. Of the inhumanities done in the name of communism, the abduction of children is one of the most cruel.



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Jack Anderson

U.S. agencies eavesdrop



WASHINGTON — Next time you phone Amtrak with a complaint or call Social Security with a question, be careful what you say. Big Brother may be listening.

These are just two of the 14 federal agencies that have admitted they sometimes secretly monitor telephone calls. Other confessed eavesdroppers include the Agriculture and Commerce Departments, the Postal Service and the Veterans Administration.

Of all the agencies that engage in this form of snooping, only five might have legitimate reason to worry about security: the Pentagon, the Central Intelligence Agency, the State Department and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Eleven months ago, U.S. Information Agency Director Charles Wick was caught at the keyboard. He admitted secretly taping many telephone conversations, including some with White House chief of staff James Baker.

Although the disclosure caused an uproar, it apparently didn't deter other government snoops. They have continued to operate their listening devices.

Now the House Government Operations Committee has drafted legislation that would make it illegal for federal officials to make secret tapes of their telephone conversations — except under circumstances that are carefully spelled out and involve legitimate intelligence or law-enforcement activities.

The mystifying fact is that the White House is vigorously opposing the proposed legislation, even though it would do little more than reinforce restrictions that are already on the books against indiscriminate eavesdropping. Robert McConnell, an assistant attorney general, put the administration's objection in writing. He notified the House committee, in effect, that it would discomfit the bureaucrats.

"It is important that administrative flexibility be maintained," McConnell wrote. "A statute that would flatly prohibit consensual monitoring except in very fixed and limited circumstances would severely restrict this flexibility."

The word "consensual," which McConnell uses to describe the secret taping of phone calls, refers to the fact that the targeted employees have been given notice that the phone system is subject to monitoring. So "by using the system, they have thereby consented to the monitoring of their communications," McConnell explained.

But what about the unwitting citizen whose call is taped without his knowledge or permission? McConnell dismisses the caller's rights with this indifferent comment: "As to individuals who are communicating with persons utilizing a monitored system, since at least one of the parties to the com-

munication has consented, the monitoring is lawful."

Without mentioning names, McConnell described the proposed legislation as "an over-reaction" to Wick's overenthusiastic taping activities, and added, "We believe the nature of the activity here does not merit a federal criminal statute, but would be better addressed administratively through regulations."

But McConnell conveniently overlooked the fact that there are already regulations on the books that federal agencies pay little attention to. The rules require agencies wishing to tape-record phone calls secretly to justify the need and issue appropriate guidelines.

Yet of 72 agencies surveyed by the House committee, only 14 had bothered to implement the regulations, and only about one-third had seen fit to issue any guidelines at all. According to a committee report, "despite the fact that these regulations had been in effect for almost three years, it is clear that they have been essentially ignored by federal officials."

Footnote: Government Operations Committee investigators told my associates Donald Goldberg and Indy Badhr that many of the agencies have reasonable-sounding excuses for monitoring conversations. Amtrak and Social Security officials, for example, claim they are simply checking on how employees handle the public's complaints.

STRICTLY PERSONAL: The State Department's human rights bureau is steaming over Amnesty International's latest report on individual liberties around the world. The reason? Amnesty International devotes almost five pages to an in-depth analysis of the shortcomings of the U.S. judicial system, particularly the use of capital punishment. Yet Cuba rates barely two pages.

Similarly, South Korea was subjected to a long critique of its human rights abuses, while North Korea got off with about half a page. Amnesty International pointed out that it was difficult to get detailed information on rights abuses from closed societies. But the State Department plans to point out the unfairness of the treatment in a letter to the group.

• Will Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick move on and upward in the Reagan administration? It's not clear. The outspoken Mrs. Kirkpatrick is as fed up with her United Nations post as many of the U.N. members are with her. But she has the intellectual toughness and anti-communist philosophy that appeal to President Reagan. She does have one drawback, however: a lack of administrative ability.

Jack Anderson's investigative report from Washington is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.



Around The Rim

Water war is like old movie

Remember the old Westerns where established ranchers downstream on a river would knock down makeshift dams made by squatters upstream the same river.

Seems the established ranchers didn't want to share any of their water with anybody else along the same river. What would follow would be battles along the river between the established ranchers and the poor folks trying to get started. And like any old movie, the good guys always won in the end.

Well, we here in dry, dusty West Texas could write our own modern day western about the woes of channeling water in our direction.

Only last week the Colorado River Municipal Water District was handed a disappointing ruling from the Texas Supreme Court. To make a long ruling short, the court said they would not uphold a permit allowing the construction of the Stacy Dam project, a pipedream for West Texans for the past five years.

If we were writing a movie, what would make the story extremely sad is the fact that the good guys over at CRMWD have been planning all sorts of projects with the water that eludes us here. The reservoir was going to service several West Texas towns which face dire restrictions in the future if something is not done to alleviate the water problems.

A distasteful little twist to our story would be the fact that some area communities are considering turning wastewater into drinking water in the future, because it might just be the cheapest option.

A consultant's report on the situation: "People have demonstrated a strong aversion to any identifiable association with human waste within their immediate environment."

If our movie took a futuristic glance into the year 2030, we might see towns such as Abilene discharging 26 million gallons of treated wastewater per day. Of course, a percentage of our water today is wastewater, but it seems we will have to be relying on it more in the future.

I live in West Texas and I'm prejudiced in our direction. But our arch rivals in this battle for water are folks down in Austin, namely the Lower Colorado River Water Authority. These guys want to save all the water for themselves. I guess they don't care if we squatters upstream wither away.

I guess folks in rainier parts of the state don't realize how panicked we were here in the "desert" when rain didn't come for week after week of a devastating drought. The battle for rights to the state's water has been going on for years and we in West Texas can't give up.

The state will have to band together to protect the water rights of all Texans in the future.

Opinions expressed in this column are those of the staff writer and do not necessarily reflect the views of the newspaper's management.

Art Buchwald

Dim the lights, the party's over



They were cleaning out the 1984 campaign headquarters of Sen. Jesse Glugstern the other day.

One volunteer went to the closet and yelled, "What should I do with all these political promises the senator made?"

"Dump them in the ashcan," the campaign manager said. "The senator never likes to keep campaign promises he's made."

"Why don't we put them in storage in case he runs again in six years?"

"We'll need space then for new promises. Be sure to shred the old ones before you throw them in the trash. It could be very embarrassing if they got into the wrong hands."

Another volunteer opened a large metal file. "How about this drawer on the 'Great Issues Facing the American People Today'?"

"Throw everything in the incinerator. The senator doesn't have to deal with the issues any more."

"What about all this confidential information on the personal life of his opponent, Marvin Dittwiler?"

"We better save it in case Dittwiler is dumb enough to run for political office again. It cost us a bundle."

A staff worker was going through a large cardboard box. "Do we want to keep these below-the-belt TV commercials that we used to smear Dittwiler in the final weeks of the campaign?"

"Good heavens, no. Get rid of them in case Dittwiler sues us for slander."

"How about the ones that weren't dirty?"

"I didn't know we had any TV commercials that weren't dirty."

"We made two just in case the senator decided to take the high road. But we never used them."

"I told his aides it was a waste of money to make them in the first

place. The senator has never taken the high road in his life."

"Do we want to save this blacklist of all the people who gave fund-raising parties for Dittwiler?"

"You bet your life we do. The senator never forgets his enemies."

"How about these computer printouts of the Great Americans who sent us money to keep the country from going Communist?"

"Don't throw those away. We need the list for another mailing to raise more money for the senator's 'One Nation Under God Political Action Committee.'"

"Hey, here are some large checks that were never cashed."

"They weren't supposed to be cashed until after the election. Give them to me and I'll put them in Glugstern's Charitable Foundation."

"You don't expect him to live on a senator's salary for the next six years?"

"Should we keep this debate briefing book?"

"Sure. The senator might want to use it again when he goes on 'Meet the Press.'"

"It isn't the senator's briefing book; it's Dittwiler's."

"Cripes, I thought we had destroyed it after the debate. Put it in the fire with the list of all the people the senator promised federal jobs to if he got elected."

A secretary said, "We have an awful lot of bumper stickers left over."

"What do they say?"

"Honk If You Think Dittwiler's A Homosexual."

"Let's send them over to Dittwiler's campaign headquarters to show his people there are no hard feelings, now that the campaign is over."

Art Buchwald's humor and satire is distributed nationally by Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

Insight

Guidebook gives tips to new solons

By BILL McCLOSKEY

"Avoid hiring the mayor's idiot son" — that's rule No. 3 in a handy new guidebook prepared for freshman members of Congress.

The book is being sent to more than 40 new members of the House of Representatives who, come Jan. 3, will find themselves on the bottom rung of the seniority ladder, with offices at the longest distance from the House floor.

With major issues such as the deficit and the fate of the MX missile scheduled for early votes, the new member has little chance for on-the-job training. In 1982, freshmen cast some of their first votes on Social Security, a complex and supercharged issue.

But there is much to be done getting started. From overcrowded offices, America's new House members will find themselves running million-dollar-a-year operations with a Washington office, a branch office back home, and an avalanche of mail from people who will have an opportunity to vote against him or her in less than two years.

"One of the basic, omnipresent, sometimes oppressive, facts of congressional life is the mail," the management guide warns the newcomers. The mail is delivered four times a day, five days a week, every week. And in bold-faced type, the new member is warned to come to grips with mail handling right away.

The book, titled, *Setting Course: A Congress-*

sional Management Guide was published by the American University Congressional Management Project in cooperation with the Congressional Management Foundation.

In addition to receiving the handbook, each new member of Congress has also been invited to bring an aide and come to a free seminar next week to learn more from the experiences of the Class of 1982, last term's freshmen.

The project was funded by a woman who thought she knew how to run a congressional office better than the incumbent. She failed in a bid to be elected to Congress in 1982, but forged ahead anyway with her determination to create a better-managed Congress.

Deborah Szekely, who made her money with the Golden Door fitness spa in California, set up a foundation to fund the effort. It resulted in the wirebound handbook that tells the new representatives what to do, from how to cope with all of those letters to how to get named to the right committees.

The authors say: "Choices made in the first hectic days can haunt a member throughout his or her career. Indeed, these initial choices have some impact of whether that career is long or short."

Hiring the mayor's idiot son, or any other person who might prove politically difficult to fire, wastes a valuable staff slot.

The guide also warns against bringing the

entire campaign staff to Washington. "Their skills aren't necessarily transferable to Washington activity."

The freshmen are advised to use their time wisely and learn quickly that they can't accept every invitation, read every letter or sign every response.

Responsibilities must be delegated, but the resources are not endless. Total staff salary is limited to less than \$400,000 a year. The average administrative assistant makes \$48,634 and the lowest-salaried secretary averages \$14,643, although plenty make a lot less. The average staff is 14 people.

Pay must be kept low to be able to hire enough people, but for the principal helpers pay must be high enough to keep good and loyal workers.

If a member allows gridlock to occur by failing to get the office running, constituents will not get the services they expect and the new member may be a candidate for ouster next time around. Five first-termers lost this year.

"We face the possibility of evictions instead of elections every two years," because of the increase in the workload, said Gary Serota, the executive director of the Congressional Management Foundation.

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Lifestyle

Thanksgiving dinner highlights club meeting

A Thanksgiving dinner at Western Choice Restaurant highlighted the Center Point Extension Homemakers Club meeting, Nov. 13. Poems titled "Thanks" and "Windows of Gold" were read.

The Extension Homemakers Council will have its Christmas Party at Western Choice at 11:30

a.m. Dec. 3. Donations for the Rainbow Project will be taken.

The club's Christmas party will be at Kentwood Center at 2 p.m. Dec. 11. Members will donate to the Rainbow Project then go to Dairy Queen.

The club's next meeting will be Nov. 27.



Dear Abby

Boyfriend should be told to beat it

DEAR ABBY: There's this guy I've been going with for nearly three years. Well, the problem is that he hits me. He started last year. He has done it only four or five times, but each time it was worse than the time before. Every time he hit me it was because he thought I was flirting. (I wasn't.)

Last time, he accused me of coming on to a friend of his. First he called me a lot of dirty names, then he punched my face so bad it left me with a black eye and black-and-blue bruises over half of my face. It was very noticeable, so I told my folks that the car I was riding in stopped suddenly and my face hit the windshield.

Abby, he's 19 and I'm 17, and already I feel like an old married

lady who lets her husband push her around.

I haven't spoken to him since this happened. He keeps begging me to give him one more chance. I think I've given him enough chances. Should I keep avoiding him or what?

BLACK AND BLUE

DEAR BLACK AND BLUE: Avoid him forever. Guys who punch their girlfriends and get away with it become wife beaters. Say goodbye to this bully and make it stick.

DEAR ABBY: Why did you have to go and put that big headline "Grandma Claims Sex Is the Price Women Pay for Marriage" on top

of your column?

My husband doesn't usually read your column, but when he sees a headline like this one, he is determined to read it.

After he read it, he thought he was 22 again. I'm a grandma, too, and I am too old and too tired for sex.

Please, Abby, no more headlines like this. I will stop taking the newspaper if it happens again.

TIRED IN TEXAS

DEAR TIRED: Not guilty as charged. I am responsible only for the content of this column — not the headlines. They are written either by my syndicate editors or by copy editors at this paper.



Dr. Donohue

AIDS is an enigma still

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I was so relieved when I learned that there is now a blood test for AIDS. Who should get it and when? — J.O.

There is no blood test for AIDS. The enigma is with us still, at least as of this writing. But with literally thousands of doctors and other health professionals studying the problem, what is written one day can be stale news the next.

I think you read something about a blood test that is being developed to identify the T lymphotropic virus, which might be the cause of AIDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome). That test will be used to detect the presence of the virus in donated blood. In other words, it will be used to make sure the virus is not in blood that is going to be used for transfusions.

AIDS, however, is more complex. It is not merely an infection with a virus. There is a collapse of the body's natural defense mechanism, a failure that leaves it defenseless against rare forms of cancer and infections with rare kinds of germs.

We are still a long way from piecing together the AIDS puzzle. In many respects it remains a kind of medical Rubik's Cube. It's overwhelmingly a disease of male homosexuals, drug abusers, and some recent Haitian immigrants.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Is there a difference between vitamin B6 and pyridoxine? I have seen the two names together. Anyway, how much should one get daily? What is the sign when a person is deficient? — S.S.

B6 and pyridoxine are the same substance. The recommended daily intake for adults is about 2 milligrams. The need rises gradually, though, from infancy to maturity. Infants up to a year need only 0.3 to 0.6 mgs. daily. Signs of deficiency are nerve related — weakness, nervousness, insomnia and poor coordination.

The substance is plentiful in a wide variety of foods, especially in meat, and particularly in organ meats like liver and kidneys. It's also found in yeast, wheat and corn, which are the chief sources of B6 in our diets.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I read quite often that arthritis may affect the body's organs such as the heart, but I never read which and how. Can you please explain? — H.L.

It's not widely understood, but rheumatoid arthritis (and I'm confining myself to that type here) is a systemic disease. That's a way of saying it's a disease that affects the entire body. Because joints display the most dramatic symptoms, many think of it as a joint disease only. But it is really an unexplained inflammation process that can affect tear glands, for example, to cause dry eyes, or the pericardium, the sac that surrounds the heart. Or the lung covering (pleura) can be a site of inflammation.

Certainly, not everyone with

rheumatoid arthritis has such diffuse body involvement, but I mention this to emphasize the systemic character of the disease.

We aren't sure, but we suspect now that it is an example of the body's immune mechanisms going out of control. Antibodies are being manufactured against non-enemies — body tissues. That at least would explain why it is a widespread inflammation — a systemic one.

Arthritis sufferers can be helped. For a copy of the booklet, "How You Can Control Arthritis," which discusses many types of arthritis and related joint diseases as well as effective treatments and medications, write to Dr. Donohue, P.O. Box 11210, Chicago, IL 60611. Enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 50 cents.

Decker, Conger attend conference

Joy L. Decker, project director of the local Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), and Clarie B. Conger, coordinator of the local RSVP, attended the Older American Volunteer Program Texas State Conference in Austin Nov. 13-15.

The conference was sponsored by ACTION, the federal agency for volunteer service. Eighty program directors, scholars, corporate executives and government officials attended the event.

Speakers at the conference included Paulette Standefor, ACTION regional director, Region VI; Jerry Thompson, ACTION Texas

State program director; Ben Dickerson, Ph.D., Baylor University; Robert Hickey, grants and contracts officers, ACTION, Region VI; and Dr. Alvin J. Levenson, M.D., clinical professor at the University of Texas Medical School, Houston.

Levenson discussed health care for the older person, and Dickerson discussed future trends in aging. Hickey and other federal officials conducted sessions on management, computers and how to manage a growing program.

Representatives of Levi Strauss & Co., Texas Commerce Bank, IBM and Motorola presented panel discussions of the use of corporate volunteers from the private sector. Program directors also attended two panel discussions on the aging network, including both governmental programs and non-governmental programs for the aging.

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"I like working with kids that have problems. I can remember my own experience as a child... I know where they're coming from." Margy Thompson calls them "her kids," the juveniles referred to her office by police and sheriff's departments, schools, parents or neighbors. She counsels families and youngsters who are on court probation or voluntary adjustment, visits juveniles in detention, speaks to clubs and churches — and is on call 24 hours a day. Top most in her mind is the projected new foster home program in which juveniles referred to her will be placed in local homes temporarily while receiving counseling. "Children don't belong in jail," she says. Margy feels that juvenile problems are increasing — and they come from all economic levels in our community. Her office handled 281 referrals in 1983. Last month, 71 juveniles received counseling. Margy has a degree in sociology and is certified by the State of Texas, which requires her to update her training at seminars every year. Margy was assistant juvenile officer in El Paso County prior to moving to Big Spring 13 years ago. She has held her present position 2 1/2 years. For relaxation, Margy plays golf. "I'm not sure I'm a golfer, but I love to play!" She has one daughter, Debby Thompson.

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GNP signals economic slump

Many private economists believe GNP growth in the current quarter will dip below the pace set from July through September, primarily because of continued weakness in consumer spending.

The government has already reported that retail sales and personal consumption spending both fell in October and many economists believe sales will stay weak through the Christmas season.

However, most forecasters predict an upturn in growth early next year as the impact from recently lowered interest rates begins to rejuvenate consumer demand, especially for big-ticket items such as cars and appliances.

The slowdown in growth also had a negative impact on corporate profits in the third quarter. The Commerce Department said in a separate report that after-tax profits fell by 7.3 percent after a 0.3 percent fall in the second quarter.

As for the GNP, the department blamed the third quarter slowdown in growth primarily on the drop in consumer spending and the country's worsening foreign trade deficit.

While personal consumption spending was advancing at an annual rate of 7.9 percent in the second quarter, that increase had slowed to 0.6 percent in the third quarter.

But foreign imports surged to an annual rate of 55.5 percent in the third quarter, compared to an 8 percent pace in the second quarter. U.S. sales were also up, but at a much slower rate of 8.8 percent compared to a decline of 0.5 percent in the second quarter.

The country is headed for its worst trading year ever with the deficit in merchandise trade expected to hit \$130 billion. The trade woes are blamed on the strength of the U.S. dollar, which makes foreign goods relatively cheap and U.S. goods more expensive and thus harder to sell overseas.

Business investment expanded at a 15.9 percent rate in the third quarter, down from the 21.3 percent pace turned in during the second quarter. Residential investment dropped at a 4.6 percent rate compared to a 1.2 percent increase in the second quarter.

The government said that the downward revision in third quarter growth occurred

because of drops in net exports, business inventory investment, federal government spending and residential investment. The declines more than offset the upward revisions.

Inflation remained low, according to the new report, which put the rise in prices at a rate of 3.7 percent in the third quarter, up only slightly from the 3.3 percent pace in the second quarter. This inflation measure tied to the GNP measures not only the change in prices but also the change in the mix of goods being purchased.

The growth in inflation-adjusted GNP was \$7.7 billion in the third quarter, putting the total output of goods and services at an annual figure of \$1.65 trillion.

Before adjusting for inflation, the GNP grew at a rate of 5.7 percent to an annual total of \$3.70 trillion.

To many economists, the slowdown is already severe enough that they are forecasting unemployment, which dipped to 7.3 percent of the civilian labor force last month, will begin rising in coming months.

BUSINESS & INDUSTRY REVIEW



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decorative monkey pod centerpiece and accessories from the Philippines; small Cloissonne items (thimble, pill box, mini vase) and silk oriental screens (one an antique) from the Orient; hand-carved chess sets from Russia; new musical jewelry boxes from Italy; hand cut or etched lead crystal serving pieces from Germany, Rumania or Poland.

There are French bronzes made from 19th century molds, an array of brass candlesticks and fragrant candles, brass handled walking sticks, music boxes in many prices, ceramic canister sets and decorative kitchen items, brass door knockers and handsome travel bars and much more.

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Home-style Cooking at Jack & Mattie's

Everything is cooked to order at Jack & Mattie's Cafe, 901 West 3rd St. No frozen entrees. No fillers added. No pre-prepared foods. Just good old-fashioned home cooking.

Mattie Taylor says they've been in the food business "all our lives." Jack was chef at Holiday Inn for about 10 years, and the Taylors operated the Permian Snack Bar for over 8 years.

Jack & Mattie's Cafe is open for breakfast and lunch — from 6 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Monday through Friday. (they close at 2 p.m. Saturdays.) They fix orders-to-go, too.

They serve breakfast all day. And customers rave about the homemade buttermilk biscuits

and the giant homemade cinnamon rolls. One egg with choice of meat, hash browns, biscuits, gravy, and coffee is \$3.00.

The daily luncheon plate is priced at \$3.95. You get soup, salad, homemade rolls, potatoes and two vegetables, choice of at least six entrees, drink and dessert. Entrees change daily, but include chicken fried steak, grilled beef liver, breaded veal cutlet or roast beef. Dessert is different every day.

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State targets S. Texas land for N-dump site

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AUSTIN — State officials decided Monday to sign a contract that would allow them to buy some land in McMullen County in South Texas for a low-level radioactive waste dump.

The board of the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Authority has designated land in McMullen County as one of two possible sites. The owner and location of the McMullen County property will not be disclosed until the contract is signed.

The other possible site is also in South Texas in Dimmit County near Asherton, where the owner is willing to sell.

Board Chairman John Simek said that a final site will be nominated probably by mid-February. Public hearings would follow, with a final decision probably by the spring, he said.

But as the state progresses toward setting up the site by 1986, U.S. Rep. Morris Udall, D-Arizona, plans to push legislation in Congress that would make states that build the dumps by 1993 accept waste from other states, board members learned.

Agency attorney Lee Mathews said, if approved, the proposal could make Texas a "dumping ground" for other states.

In creating the agency, the Texas Legislature held that the agency would be responsible only for low-level nuclear waste in Texas and that, legally, it couldn't be forced to be the dump for other states.

The dump will be built just big enough for Texas waste, an agency spokesman said. Also, as a state agency, it could be argued that the authority could not be forced to serve those outside the state, he said.

"Our option is to lock our gates," said General Manager Rick Jacobi. "I don't think we would be forced to take anybody's waste."

In addition, South Carolina officials may stop accepting waste in that state, which takes about 50 percent of the waste generated nationwide — none from Texas.

Rep. Ernestine Glossbrenner, D-Alice, told the board that she has no doubt that the Legislature will let the agency delay its work to avoid any problems with the congressional proposal.

"The very fact that it has been proposed should be sufficient reason for us to hold up a little bit," she said.

Gov. Mark White has asked the agency for information on other ways to handle the waste. Simek asked the staff to keep abreast of developments.

Agency spokesman Tom Blackburn said that the site search is winding down. But Jacobi said the agency is reviewing state-owned lands at White's request.

Most of that property is in West Texas, he said.

A landowner from Knox County has contacted the agency about selling land, but not very much information has been gathered yet about that site, Jacobi said.

Student hurt in elevator fall

AUSTIN (AP) — A University of Texas freshman was injured after he crashed through the door of a dormitory elevator and plunged three floors down the elevator shaft, police said.

Officials said John Lemke remained hospitalized in stable condition Monday after the weekend fall of 40 feet. Lemke dropped from the 11th floor of Jester Center West to the roof of an elevator stopped at the seventh floor, UT police said.

Lemke and a friend, John A. Fuentes, had been waiting for an

elevator Saturday when Lemke decided to run into the closed elevator doors like a human battering ram, said another student, Bret Bloomquist, who is a former roommate of Lemke's.

When Lemke hit the door, it fell into the shaft.

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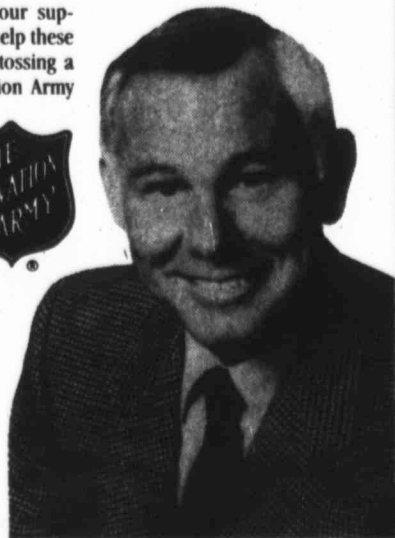


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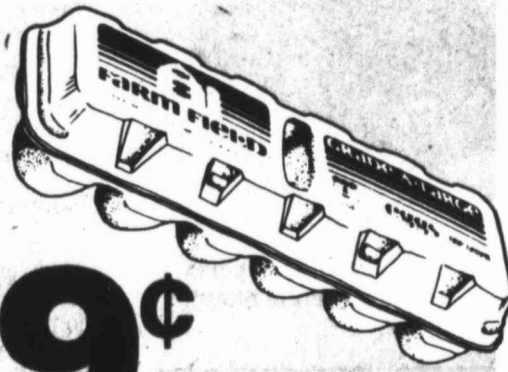
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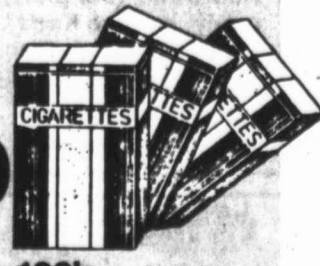
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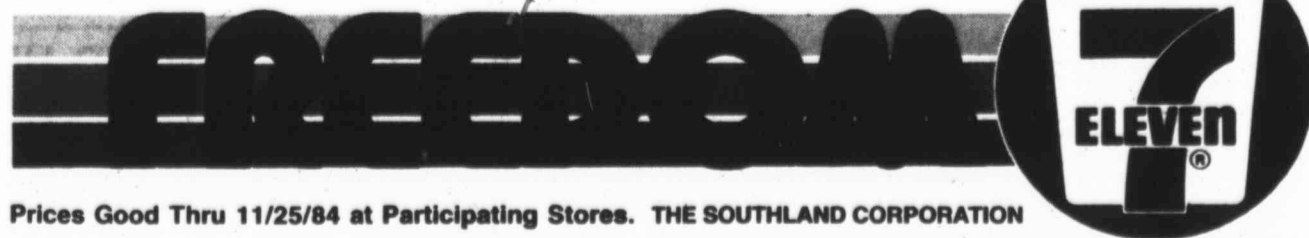


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Steve's stuff

By Steve Belvin



A time for giving thanks

Last week marked my one-year anniversary with the *Big Spring Herald*. I must say I have enjoyed my stint tremendously so far. I couldn't have had so many good times without the help of area and local people in the sports field.

Since Thanksgiving is just around the corner, and is a time for giving thanks, I'd like to salute the following folks for their effort in making my job easier and more enjoyable.

EVERETT BLACKBURN — This man is the unsung hero of Big Spring High School athletics, whether he is taping injured ankles on the sidelines, phoning in results or volunteering his services to run that crazy scoreboard in Steer Gym. Everett you're a charm.

HARLAN SMITH — The Big Spring High School swim coach is really not "Harlan the Horrible" like his swimmers think after going through one of his workouts. He always comes through with the information after the meet. He is a man of his word, whether his team strokes to victory or sinks in defeat.

DAVID DRAKE — When it comes to getting the results to the newspaper, Coach David Drake has got to be the most efficient junior high coach in the land. In fact he would be a pretty good writer. When he fills out the game results, the man has everything down to a tee.

BILL DENNIS — The Coahoma High School girls basketball coach may be short in stature but he stands tall in my book. He is a man you can sit down with and talk straight shop. Personally it was a rough winter for coach Dennis last season. Seeing him get his team to the regional basketball tournament and state track meet proves that it's hard to keep a good man down.

QUINN EUDY — The man is determined to get Big Spring High football out of the doldrums. Eudy has busted his fanny to reach his goal. His will to win is finally rubbing off on the Steers. Even with the bad times he is always willing to help the media any way he can.

HOWARD STEWART — The Big Spring High School golf coach is another one of those coaches who is prompt with game results, and keeps a pleasant mood no matter what.

TOM RAMSEY — The Colorado City football coach has waited five years to get the Wolves in the playoffs. I must admit I enjoy talking to him the most on the phone. The man has some great one-liners.

AL PATTERSON — The golf pro at Comanche Trail is hard at work making the course one of the finest in West Texas. He is also a great PR man for Comanche and a pretty good writer as indicated by his Sunday column.

MIKE RANDLE — The Big Spring basketball coach found out what hard times were all about last season when his team finished a miserable 2-25 and the pressure was on. Randle took everything in stride and he's back this year bubbling with confidence.

SUSAN SHARP AND ELAINE STONE — These two put the Big Spring volleyball teams back on the winning track this past season in their own quiet way without a whole lot of support. Now if Stone would only teach Sharp how to use a telephone.

JAN EAST — After a five-year wait, East has gotten the Forsan Buffaloes into the state football playoffs. It couldn't have happened to a nicer guy. Coach East, I don't care if you call me "Poison Pen," I know deep inside you really like me.

TRELL CLEMONS — I've seen the BSHS volleyball and basketball player go from a timid, untested junior, to a strong senior leader. She showed her maturity best when she told her younger teammates at the end of volleyball season, "Next year try to be the best team in district. If not in ability, in attitude."

DEWAYNE SHERMAN — The basketball manager, point guard and intermediate hurdler has one of the best attitudes I've seen in high school sports. "Papa Smurf" is a person that really cares for others and a competitor that will tough it out until the bitter end.

Gooden NL's top rookie

NEW YORK (AP) — Dwight Gooden has a formula for avoiding the sophomore jinx.

"On Day One next year, I'll forget everything that happened this year," Gooden says.

For now, though, he will remember with relish the season that brought him the National League Rookie of the Year award, which was announced Monday night.

He will take his plaque home to Tampa, Fla., "I'll hang it on the wall, and I'll look at it every night before I fall asleep."

Gooden's list of accomplishments in his first year, which happened to coincide with his final year as a teenager as he became the youngest player ever to win the rookie award.

Gooden, the New York Mets right-hander, did not turn 20 until last Friday. Before that day came, however, he had set a rookie record with 276 strikeouts to lead the league. And, he set a major-league mark by averaging 11.39 strikeouts per nine innings.

He set another major-league record with 43 strikeouts in three consecutive nine-inning games, with a single-game high of 16, three short of the major-league standard. He set a club record by striking out 10 or more batters in 15 of his 31 starts, and he became the youngest player ever selected to the All-Star Game.

It was another happy coincidence that the announcement of the award came on the birthday of Gooden's father, Dan.

"You only have one chance to win this award, and to win it is a great honor," Gooden said, "and to win it especially on my father's birthday."

The award is determined by a vote of 24 members of the Baseball Writers' Association of America. Two panelists are picked from each National League city, and

they each vote for three players. Gooden was named first on all but one ballot, that cast by Dave Nightingale, national correspondent for *The Sporting News*.

Nightingale voted for Juan Samuel, Philadelphia second baseman.

Gooden had 118 points to 67 for Samuel, who was second. Los Angeles Dodgers pitcher Orel Hershiser was third with 15 points, followed by outfielder Dan Gladden of San Francisco (9), pitcher Ron Darling of New York (3), outfielder Carmelo Martinez of San Diego (2), and outfielder Jeff Stone of Philadelphia and infielder Terry Pendleton of St. Louis (1 each).

Gooden said he came to spring training just trying to make the team, but he knew in his first outing with the Mets that he belonged in the major leagues.

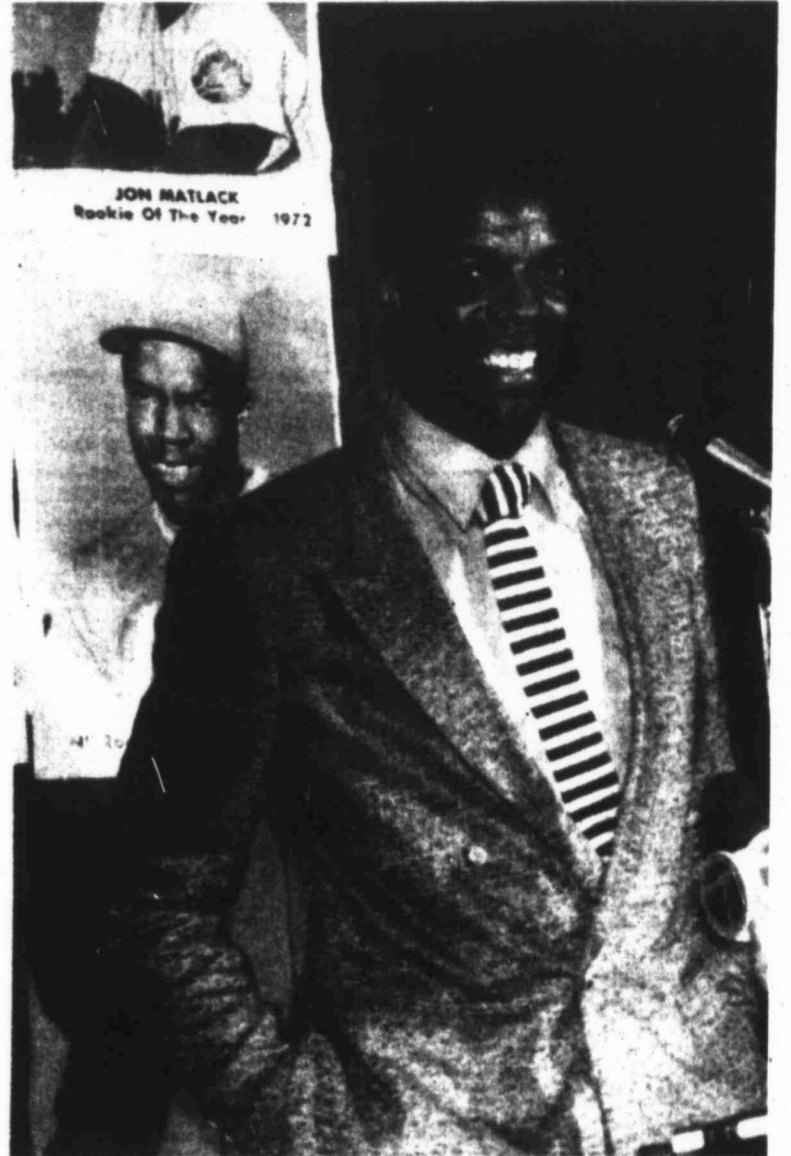
The Mets have supplied the league's top rookie two straight years. Outfielder Darryl Strawberry won the award in 1983, snapping a string of four straight Los Angeles rookie award winners that began in 1979 (Rick Sutcliffe, Steve Howe, Fernando Valenzuela and Steve Sax). Two other Mets have won the rookie award, Tom Seaver in 1967 and Jon Matlack in 1972.

Gooden said he had gotten some help from Strawberry in approaching his rookie season.

"I talked with Strawberry about the things he went through, and it helped a lot," said Gooden, adding that he felt he could avoid the sophomore jinx.

Gooden's strikeout total broke the old rookie mark of 245 set by Herb Score of the Cleveland Indians 29 years ago. The strikeout ratio broke the mark of another Indian, Sam McDowell, dating back to 1965.

Gooden finished the season with a 17-9 record, including seven straight victories from Aug.



A HAPPY ROOKIE — New York Mets pitcher Dwight Gooden is all smiles at a news conference at New York's Shea Stadium Monday after he was named Rookie of the Year by the Baseball Writers Association of America.

11-Sept. 12 and a one-hitter on national television against Chicago on Sept. 7. His earned run average was 2.60, second in the league only to the 2.40 posted by Alejandro Pena of the Dodgers.

Steers open hoop season tonight

Randle looking for Steers turnaround

By STEVE BELVIN
Staff Writer

When talking to Big Spring Steers head basketball coach Mike Randle about his squad this season, he makes one thing perfectly clear — It will not be another 2-25 season for the Steers.

Randle and his crew took their share of hard knocks last season while going through both halves of the 4-5A district race without a win.

This season Randle returns four lettermen plus three others who saw limited varsity action last season. Add that to five talented junior varsity players and the Steers are ready to run.

Running is just the Black and Gold will do this season since it has an abundance of good shooters, according to their coach.

"We'll run it up and down" said Randle with a smile forming on his lips. "We'll have a traffic light offense," he quipped. "Go, slow and whoop; but it will be mostly green light."

Whatever the color of the light Randle has high hopes for his squad to hold their own in District 4-5A wars. The ex-Big Spring and Howard College hoop star will get a chance to see just how good his team is when the Steers host Brownfield tonight at 8 p.m. at Steer Gym. Junior varsity actions

gets started at 6:15 p.m.

Returning senior lettermen Mike Leuschner, Mark Sanders, Mike Howie and Tim Hastings are four reason Randle is so optimistic. Leuschner, a 6-4 post was a full-time starter last season along with 6-3 post Billy Cole who saw limited starting duty.

Howie will also give Big Spring more size underneath with his 6-5 frame, providing he can come back from knee surgery. Randle says he's making steady progress.

Hastings and Sanders, a pair of 5-11 guards add valuable experience to the backcourt.

From a 6-14 junior varsity team comes 6-0 sophomore guard Bernard Williams. He led the team in scoring last season averaging over 20 points per contest. Dewayne Sherman, a 5-7 junior playmaker

will also be an asset to the team as well 5-10 Alex Minter.

Randle inherits a strong group of forwards paced by sophomore Sidney Parker (6-1) and senior Arthur Jackson (6-2). Randle says of all his players, Parker has made the biggest improvement of all. "Sidney Parker is well ahead of what I expected of him. His ball handling and rebounding has improved. In fact he has improved in all phases of the game."

Colin Carroll and David Shortes, a pair of 6-0 juniors give the Steers four top flight forwards, prompting coach Randle to say "we won't have to worry about bench strength, this season."

The Big Spring mentor said the main reason for his high hopes is his players came back in fine form; both mentally and

physically.

"There is no comparison with this year and last year. These are basically the same guys but they all worked alot this summer. For one thing they shoot much better. Everyone has improved their game and now it will benefit them."

Randle admits the one thing that bothered him was the team's attitude. His mind is at ease for the time being. "Everyone's attitude has improved 75 percent from last year," which will be welcomed change from last year's squad.

Although the Steers will push the ball up the court they do know how to play a controlled game, said Randle. "That is the first thing we worked on, being able to slow the ball down."

Randle expects this year's loop race to be nip-and-tuck with any of the eight teams having a chance to be number one. His early season picks are Odessa Permian and Midland High. Both teams advanced to the playoffs last season with Permian winning the district crown.

"I think it's going to be anybody's district. When our guys start blending in with each other we might even make the playoffs." That's a far cry from a 2-25 season.



MIKE RANDLE
...No 2-25 season



Mike Lueschner
...6-4 Steers post player

Last quarter TD sinks Steelers

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A half-hour after the game, Derland Moore was still in full uniform, sitting at his locker in the clamorous New Orleans Saints dressing room savoring his team's first Monday victory ever.

"I'm afraid to take it off," said the 12-year National Football League veteran. "I'm afraid I'll wake up and find out it's all a dream."

"I've been through more of them than anybody. It was a long time coming."

New Orleans beat the Pittsburgh Steelers 27-24 for the first Monday victory in the 18-year history of the franchise. They were 0-7 in prime time going into the game.

Moore said he knew the Saints were going to win — no question about it.

"It was the darndest feeling I've ever had on the sidelines. We just knew we were going to win," said the veteran nose tackle.

"As the game went on, we just got better and better."

Quarterback Richard Todd, who provided most of the Saints' offense, credited the defense for the victory.

"We had good field goal position most of the game," he said. "They

kept getting us the ball in good position. We didn't always do anything with it, but they just kept getting us the ball."

Todd threw for 223 yards and two touchdowns, hitting 18 of 31 attempts and getting two picked off by Steeler cornerback Dwayne Woodruff. He was also sacked six times.

His touchdown tosses went for 28 yards to tight end Larry Hardy in the second quarter and 21 yards to tight end Junior Miller in the final period. Morten Andersen kicked field goals of 27 yards and 32 yards in the first half, and linebacker Dennis Winston, who used to play for the Steelers, returned an interception 47 yards for a score in the fourth quarter.

Winston stepped in front of Steeler running back Rich Erenberg on the left sideline, picked off the pass and tightroped into the end zone.

"It was a big thrill in my life, beating the team I used to play for," he said after the game.

"They're a class organization. A lot of guys came over after the game and told me that if anybody had to do it to them, they were glad it was me."

The Steelers scored on a 76-yard

punt return by Louis Lipps and a 14-yard pass from Mark Malone to John Stallworth in the second quarter, a 21-yard field goal by Gary Anderson early in the fourth quarter and a 25-yard pass from Scott Campbell to Lipps with 1:17 left in the game.

But the Saints kept coming up with big defensive plays. Linebacker Rickey Jackson forced two fumbles and constantly harried Steeler quarterbacks into throwing early and off balance.

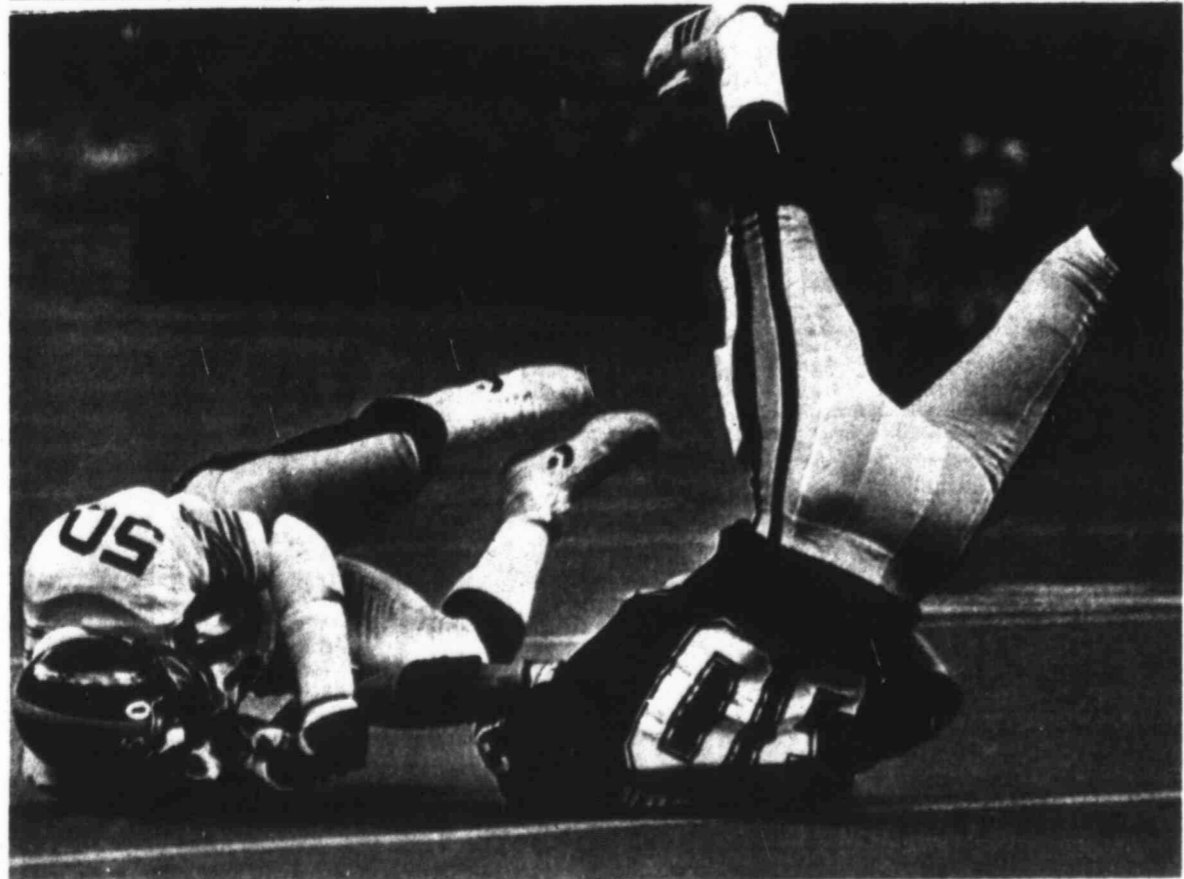
Defensive end Bruce Clark recovered two fumbles and intercepted a pass when Malone tried a screen over the middle.

"I was just in the right place at the right time," Clark said. "On the fumbles, a lot of guys were making big hits to knock the ball loose."

"The interception was pure luck. It was a bad pass rush. I opened my eyes, and the ball was there."

He said he never entertained any notions of running the ball back for more than the three yards he got on his return.

"I was looking to pitch the ball to Rickey, but I couldn't find him. Everybody deserted me," he said.



TOUGH LANDING — New Orleans Saints fullback Wayne Wilson (30) has a tough landing after colliding with Pittsburgh Steelers David Little (50) in first half NFL action Monday night in New Orleans. Wilson trying to take a swing pass from quarterback Richard Todd was upended by a hard hitting Little, forcing an incompletion. New Orleans won 27-24

SCOREBOARD

NBA Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	8	1	.889	—
Philadelphia	7	2	.778	1
Washington	7	5	.583	2½
New Jersey	6	6	.500	3½
New York	3	9	.250	6½

Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	8	4	.667	—
Chicago	7	5	.583	1
Detroit	6	5	.545	1½
Atlanta	4	7	.364	3½
Indiana	4	8	.333	4
Cleveland	1	10	.091	6½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	9	2	.818	—
Denver	8	2	.800	½
Utah	6	5	.545	3
San Antonio	6	6	.500	3½
Dallas	6	7	.462	4
Kansas City	3	9	.250	6½

Pacific Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Phoenix	8	4	.667	—
L.A. Lakers	7	5	.583	1
Portland	7	6	.538	1½
Seattle	4	7	.364	3½
L.A. Clippers	4	8	.333	4
Golden State	3	8	.273	4½

Monday's Game
Indiana 137, Chicago 120

Tuesday's Games
Golden State at New York
Washington at Philadelphia
Milwaukee at Dallas
Detroit at Houston
Utah at Kansas City
Phoenix at L.A. Lakers
New Jersey at Portland
Denver at Seattle

Wednesday's Games
Golden State at Boston
Kansas City at Washington
New York at Cleveland
Philadelphia at Indiana
Chicago at Milwaukee
Detroit at San Antonio

NFL Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Miami	11	1	0	.917	388	198
New England	8	4	0	.667	302	262
N.Y. Jets	6	6	0	.500	283	256
Indianapolis	6	6	0	.500	190	321
Buffalo	1	11	0	.083	177	325

Central

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Pittsburgh	6	6	0	.500	279	236
Cincinnati	4	8	0	.333	208	266
Cleveland	3	9	0	.250	159	224
Houston	2	10	0	.167	171	336

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Denver	11	1	0	.917	269	171
Seattle	10	2	0	.833	332	176
L.A. Raiders	8	4	0	.667	271	221
San Diego	6	6	0	.500	315	296
Kansas City	5	7	0	.417	195	255

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	7	5	0	.583	227	223
Washington	7	5	0	.583	295	224
Dallas	7	5	0	.583	213	223
St. Louis	6	6	0	.500	315	269
Philadelphia	5	6	1	.458	215	234

Central

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Chicago	8	4	0	.667	240	192
Green Bay	5	7	0	.417	277	236
Tampa Bay	4	8	0	.333	224	292
Detroit	3	8	1	.292	219	288
Minnesota	3	9	0	.250	235	330

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
x - San Francisco	1	1	0	.500	173	184
L.A. Rams	7	5	0	.583	235	227
New Orleans	6	6	0	.500	243	265
Atlanta	3	9	0	.250	218	279

Monday's Game
New Orleans 27, Pittsburgh 24

Thursday, Nov. 22

NHL Standings

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Philadelphia	11	3	3	.25	83	45
NY Isl.-Jers.	10	7	1	.21	95	83
Washington	6	6	4	.16	58	57
NY Rangers	7	8	1	.15	67	75
Pittsburgh	6	9	1	.13	61	71
New Jersey	4	10	2	.10	53	68

Adams Division

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Montreal	11	4	2	.24	66	49
Boston	10	7	1	.21	68	57
Buffalo	9	7	2	.20	75	64
Quebec	8	10	1	.17	70	74
Hartford	7	8	2	.16	51	72

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Chicago	9	7	2	.20	83	71
St. Louis	7	8	1	.15	56	63
Minnesota	4	9	5	.13	62	81
Toronto	4	11	3	.11	59	83
Detroit	4	11	2	.10	61	78

Smythe Division

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Edmonton	13	3	3	.29	97	55
Calgary	11	7	1	.23	97	74
Los Angeles	9	7	1	.21	74	71
Winnipeg	8	7	2	.18	66	63
Vancouver	4	13	2	.10	66	114

Monday's Games
Toronto 6, Montreal 4
Los Angeles 5, Calgary 4

Lady Steers drop season opener to Mustangs 78-42

SWEETWATER — The Big Spring Lady Steers fell in their season basketball opener to Sweetwater by a score of 78-42.

The Lady Mustangs never trailed as they took a 20-12 first quarter lead and stretched it out to 44-26 at the half.

Big Spring first-year coach Carol Niemeyer said her troops got outbounded badly under the basket. "We didn't play that bad of defense, we just kept giving them extra shots," she explained.

Turnovers were also instrumental in the loss. The Lady Steers committed 31 for the game, including 18 in the first half.

Sweetwater had a balanced scoring attack led by Deborah McCain and Cheryl Watson who scored 14 and 13 points respectively.

Big Spring senior forward Trel Clemons led all scorers with 16 points. Indicative of Big Spring's lack of rebounding was Monique Jones who led Big Spring with only three rebounds.



MONIQUE JONES
...Leading rebounder

Even in the loss Niemeyer says there is reason for optimism. "I'm pleased because we improved

drastically from our last scrimmage. At least we know what we need to work on now."

The Lady Steers will be in action again Friday when they take on Lubbock Coronado at 10:15 a.m. in opening round action of the Andrews Tournament.

JV's loss season opener

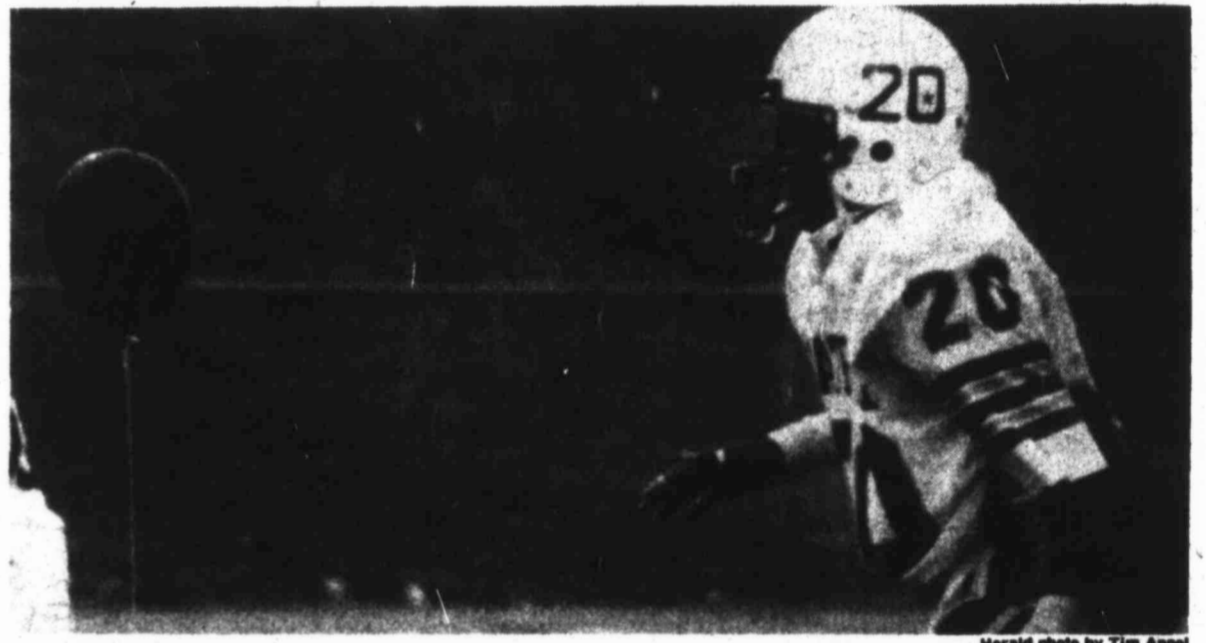
The Lady Steers junior varsity fell to the Lady Mustangs by a 35-30 count. Monique Lockridge led all scorers with 19 points.

Big Spring (42) — Sheri Myrick 3 2 8; Monique Jones 2 1 5; Lisa Hale 1 0 2; Teresa Pruitt 2 2 6; Alice Lopez 2 2 6; Trel Clemons 7 2 16; totals 15 12 42

Sweetwater (78) — Sandra McCain 4 1 9; Deborah McCain 7 0 14; Cheryl Watson 6 1 13; Stephanie Upshaw 2 0 4; Shannon Wilburn 2 0 4; Johanna Puckett 3 0 6; Rachel Muller 4 0 8; Regina Blueford 5 0 10; Cheryl Owens 3 0 6; Karshena Blueford 2 0 4; totals 38 2 78

Score by Quarters

Big Spring	12	14	8	8-42
Sweetwater	20	24	16	18-78
JV	Sweetwater 35, Big Spring 30			



HEY THAT'S NOT A FOOTBALL! — Gatesville Hornets kickoff returner Charles Mayberry seems mystified by the appearance of a balloon on the field just before he was to receive a punt in last Saturday's bi-district clash with Colorado City.

Crossroads Country basketball

Sands drops two

ACKERLY — Greenwood and Sands both opened up their basketball seasons last night and it was Greenwood coming away with two victories.

In the girls contest Greenwood was paced by Maria Morgette's 23 points as they took a 58-34 win. Patti Smith chipped in 13 for the winners. Lisa Iden paced Sands with 14 points.

John Gilliam scored 16 points as the Rangers defeated the Mustangs 47-24. Sands' Leland Bearden led this team with 16 points.

Donell 0 1 1; Graham 3 0 6; Morgette 8 7 23; Basic 0 2 2; Mirles 1 0 2; Turbow 1 1 3; totals 22 14 58

Score by Quarters

Sands	6	8	8	12-34
G-Wood	7	13	21	17-58

Boys Contest

Sands (24) — Johnny Willis 1 0 2; Leland Bearden 6 4 14; Brent Staggs 2 2 6; totals 9 6 24

Greenwood (47) — Gilliam 8 0 16; Wallace 4 0 8; Stratton 4 0 8; McCullum 4 0 8; Willman 2 3 7; totals 22 3 47

Score by Quarters

Sands	6	6	5	7-24
G-Wood	10	12	11	14-47

JV boys — Greenwood 49, Sands 21

The Coahoma girls had trouble finding their shooting eye in the season opener as they fell to Merkel by a 31-20 count. Merkel jumped out to a 11-5 first quarter lead and never trailed after that.

Junior post player Leslie Kirkpatrick led Coahoma with nine points. Brandy Kloss followed with six.

Merkel won the junior varsity girls contest 48-41.

The Coahoma boys used a balanced scoring attack to lead 11 players score as they defeated the Badgers 55-42.

Senior guard John Swinney was the only Bulldog in double figures with 15 points. He was followed by Billy Brant with eight and Chris Parker and Roger Stafford with six points each.

Coahoma won the junior varsity contest 57-42.

Coahoma splits

COAHOMA — The Coahoma Bulldogs boys and girls teams split victories with the Merkel Badgers in the season opener for both squads.

Girls Contest

Sands (34) — Lisa Iden 9 2 14; Michelle Bays 3 0 6; Michelle Herg 1 4 6; Sheri Perry 2 0 4; Sharmy Rogers 1 0 2; Sandra Franco 1 0 2; totals 14 6 34

Greenwood (58) — Smith 5 3 13; Dean 4 0 8;

USFL to release season format

NEW YORK (AP) — Just two months before its teams are scheduled to open training camps, the United States Football League was finally set to announce its format for 1985, its final season in the spring.

The USFL, which has acknowledged losses of \$100 million in its first two seasons, was expected to announce today that 14 teams, four fewer than last season, will begin play Feb. 24.

Those 14 are the result of three mergers: the USFL champion Philadelphia Stars and the Pittsburgh Maulers into the Baltimore Stars, who will play their home

games next year in College Park, Md. then move to Baltimore in 1986; the Michigan Panthers and the Oakland Invaders, who will play in Oakland, and the Oklahoma Outlaws and the Arizona Wranglers, who will play in Tempe, Ariz.

In addition, the Chicago franchise, purchased by Eddie Einhorn after the Blitz failed and were taken over by the league, was expected to suspend operation.

Einhorn says, though, he wants to revive the team when the league moves to the fall. And the Breakers, born in Boston in 1983 and moved to New Orleans in 1984,

will play this season in Portland, Ore.

The moves mean the league's first two champions, Michigan and Philadelphia, have relocated, both because they were unable to secure stadium leases for fall play. In fact, the Michigan franchise remains in limbo because of a suit filed against it by the Pontiac Silverdome, with which it had a 15-year lease.

It also means that since its inception the USFL has lost five of the top 10 television markets — Chicago, Washington, Philadelphia, Boston and Detroit.

Sports Briefs

Scramble rescheduled

The Comanche Trail Golf Course's KBST Let's Play Golf Scramble which was postponed last Saturday has been rescheduled for this Saturday and Sunday.

The tournament will be played according to a 4-man Louisiana Draw format. All teams will be flighted and golfers interested in participating can make up their own teams. Entry fee is \$35 per player.

For more information contact Al Patterson at 267-7271.

Grady site of six-man clash

Grady High School will be the site of a six-man bi-district clash between Weinert and Marathon Thursday Thanksgiving day at 2 p.m.

C-City needs team in tourney

The Colorado City Wolves are looking for one freshmen or junior varsity team to enter their JV tournament scheduled for December 6-8.

To enter contact C-City basketball coach Mike Hart at 915-728-3424.

Chartered bus set for Forsan game

A chartered bus is being scheduled for the Forsan-Lometa football playoff game. Any person interested in attending the game in Ballinger Saturday at 7:30 p.m. should call David Henry at 263-1862 before 8 p.m. Wednesday.

Aggies to lose offensive coach

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Texas A&M offensive coordinator Pat Ruel says he will resign at the end of the season, while another prominent A&M assistant coach, Jerry Pettibone, is a strong candidate to become head coach at Northern Illinois University.

A&M also has lost one of its more promising players, freshman defensive lineman Shane Dybala of Van Vleck, who quit the team and left school two weeks ago.

Pettibone, the A&M recruiting coordinator and assistant head coach, confirmed Monday that he is a candidate for the Northern Illinois job that Leo Corso gave up to coach at Orlando, Fla., in the United States Football League.

Cowboys game sold out

DALLAS (AP) — The Thanksgiving Day game between the Dallas Cowboys and the New England Patriots was declared a sellout Monday, team officials said.

Dallas radio station KVIL purchased the remaining 1,200 tickets before the 3 p.m. deadline, thus clearing the way for the National Football League game to be telecast locally, said Cowboys spokesman Doug Todd.

The game, which kicks off at 3 p.m. CST, will be telecast nationally by NBC.

A few of the Cowboys will be nursing some injuries for their important clash with New England.

Tackle Phil Pozderac will miss Thursday's National Football League game against the New England Patriots because of an injured knee, team officials said Monday.

Cornerback Carl Howard also will miss the game because of an injured knee, Todd said.

Middle linebacker Bob Bruenig, who has missed the last two games because of a back injury, was listed as questionable, Todd said.

Three other players — defensive back Dexter Clinkscale, running back Tony Dorsett and quarterback Danny White — were listed as probable, Todd said.

Clinkscale was nursing a hurt knee and hamstring. Dorsett had a foot injury and White was still trying to recover from an injury to his left shoulder, according to Todd.

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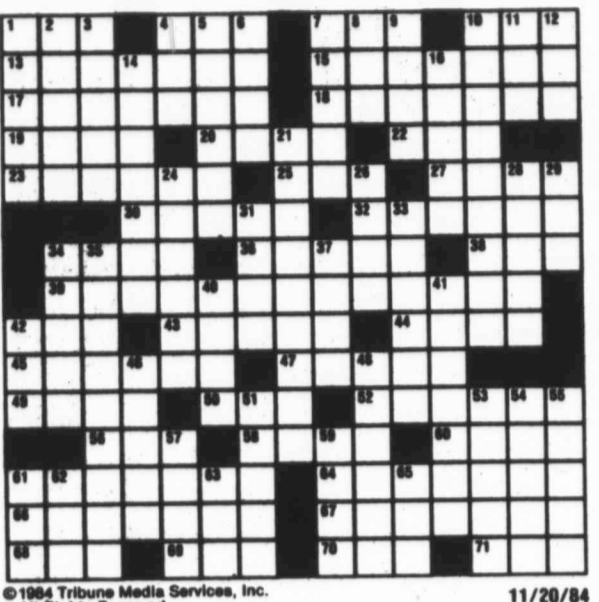
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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

8 Solo of "Star Wars"
9 Gaelic
10 Up in the air
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14 Eye specialist
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"Mommy always takes the crust off our baloney."

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FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY, NOV., 21, 1984

GENERAL TENDENCIES: The early part of the day is fine for investigating new interests that claim your attention. Later you will get results from studying how to better handle long-time activities.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Study into those new interests that are appealing, and gain more information about them and then complete any unfinished matters.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Discuss a new contact with an associate in the morning, and then work on a plan to change conditions around you.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Get started on that new work ahead of you and then discuss with co-workers how best to coordinate efforts.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Early make arrangements for amusements you like and then get into the one awaiting you.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) See what you can do to make utilities function better at home, then enjoy the new. Having well-known guests in later is good.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Morning brings misses that have to be answered quickly, so do just that, and later get right at your other work.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You can add to your income in a different fashion today, so latch on to this new method. Then handle business as usual.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Find some new ways to go after your aims and you will get better results. Include new friends in any social arrangements.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Go to see an advisor about some matter that is very vital to your happiness and welfare. The evening brings much pleasure.

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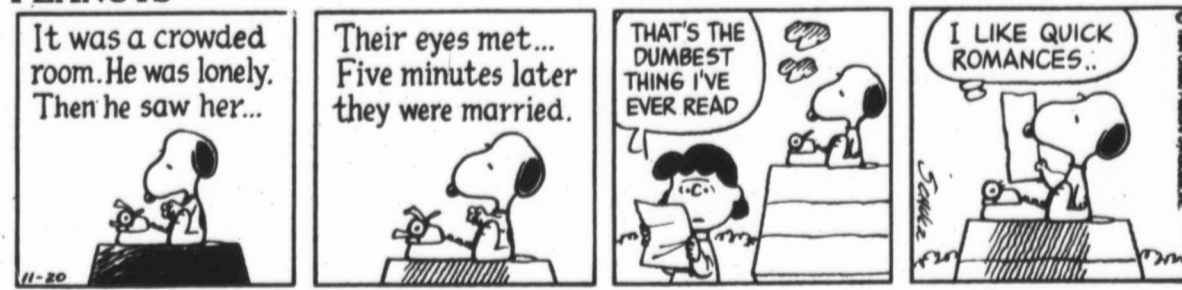
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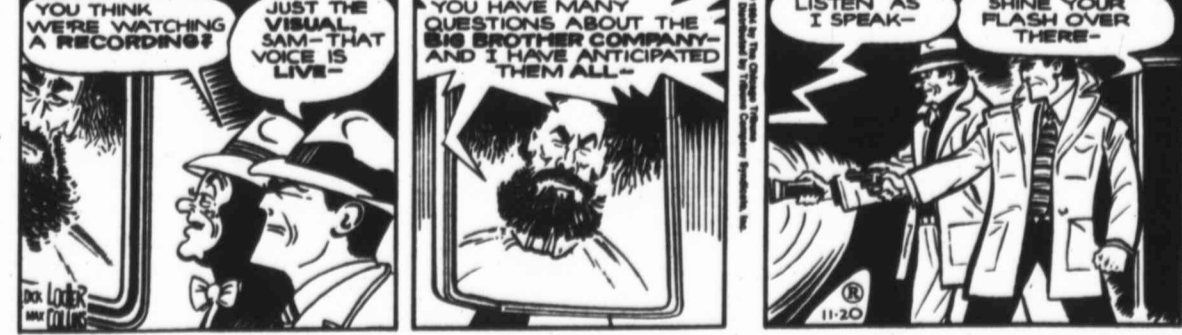
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Motorcycles 570

1981 HARLEY DAVIDSON For sale. 7,000 miles, lots of extras, \$2,500 or best offer. 263-0977.

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- 1979 DODGE MAXI-VAN - Customized Good Time van, 4 captain chairs, couch, luggage rack, ladder, 318 V-8 motor, automatic, air, white spoke wheels, new radial tires, good mileage. \$6950.00
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1971 FORD MAXI-VAN - 6 cylinder, automatic, good condition, new paint, new tires. \$2195.00

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Mr. Rogers' sweater makes history

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A red cardigan sweater, the symbol of what has made the fatherly Mister Rogers a comfy, cozy guest in children's homes for 30 years, becomes a piece of American folklore as it takes its place in the Smithsonian Institution's permanent collection.

Fred Rogers was to present the zip-up sweater, hand-knit by his late mother, during a ceremony today at the museum in Washington. Officials planned the presentation as part of National Education Week.

"I wear a sweater to make it seem like a comfortable time. It's a symbol of staying a while, of settling down for some quiet time

together," said Rogers, who is liked by children because he likes them just the way they are.

The sweater will be displayed in the National Museum of American History, keeping company with such items as Frank Sinatra's bow tie, the ruby slippers Judy Garland wore in "The Wizard Of Oz," comedian Rodney Dangerfield's red tie and the chairs Archie and Edith Bunker used in the TV series "All In The Family."

"The sweater is the most obvious, visible symbol of Mister Rogers. It's his trademark, his costume," said Carl Scheele, curator of the museum's division of community life.

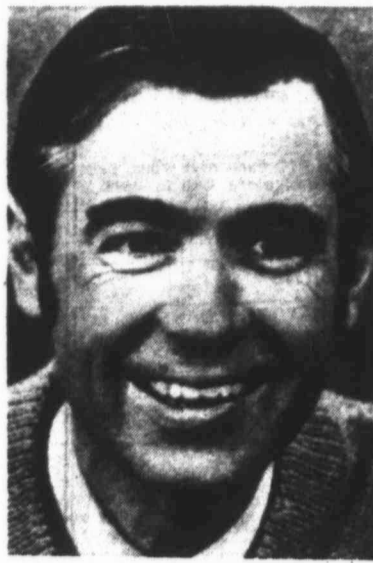
"It will be displayed in the TV

section, but we really want to emphasize his contributions to American education. He's more than a TV personality. He's an educator," Scheele said.

"He is an institution. He's part of pop culture," said David Newell, Rogers' publicist who plays the show's character Mr. McFeely, the mailman who always says "Speedy delivery!"

Rogers, 56, a Presbyterian minister and a child psychologist, is seen by an estimated 8 million viewers a week on 250 stations in the Public Broadcasting System.

The program, which won an Emmy in 1980, has been running continuously since 1968.



Mr. Rogers honored.

Moss PTA to meet tonight

The Moss PTA will meet tonight at 7 p.m. at Moss Elementary. Lynn Hise, superintendent of the Big Spring Independent School

District, will discuss the recent Legislative changes which affect the Big Spring Independent School District.

Grand jury hears 23 cases

Howard County 118th District Court grand jury continues to meet through Tuesday morning. The 12-member jury began hearing a list of 23 cases starting Mon-

day morning at 9 a.m. Howard County District Attorney's office says case results will not be known until the jury breaks up.

Firemen control two blazes

Big Spring firemen extinguished two small fires Monday, according to departmental reports.

The second fire occurred at 4:24 p.m. in the rear apartment at 504 1/2 Goliad, according to reports.

Firemen took 10 minutes to put out a fire caused by an electrical wire short at a two-story brick building at 205 E. Third. Firemen arrived at the scene at 2:02 p.m. Monday.

Firemen extinguished a blanket that had caught on fire when it was placed over a stove. The fire in the wood-frame building was put out in 13 minutes, reports stated. No damage estimate was available on either of the two fires.

Mahon honored by Tech law school

Former U.S. Rep. George H. Mahon, D-Lubbock, who retired to live in Colorado City, will be honored by the Texas Tech University School of Law at a reception at 3:30 p.m. today in the Law School Forum in Lubbock.

The reception also will honor the donors and holder of the George Herman Mahon Professorship of Law. Mr. and Mrs. C.B. "Chuck" Thornton Jr. will represent the Thornton family, who endowed the professorship. Also present will be

Corwin Johnson, the first holder of the professorship.

Mahon, who represented Texas' 19th Congressional District including Lubbock, Colorado City and Big Spring for 44 years, and his wife, Helen, will attend the reception, which is open to all friends of the Mahons.

Mahon was elected to Congress in 1934, the year the 19th District was created. He continuously served in the House of Representatives until retiring in 1978. During his final 13 years in the House, he served

as chairman of the House Appropriations Committee. He was dean of the House when he retired.

The professorship was established in 1981 by the late Charles "Tex" Thornton of Litton Industries and his wife. Chuck Thornton is their son.

The professorship is the first endowed faculty position in the law school. Johnson, a legal authority in property, land-use planning, water resources and environmental law, will have the Mahon Professorship for one year.

Council looking for heroes

The Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council is looking for heroes.

The Council, which grants an annual award for rural heroism, will announce the 1984 recipient at its April 1, 1985, meeting in Houston, according to President Ben Bullard.

Deadline for submitting entries and nominations is March 1, 1985. Nominations should be sent to the

Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, Box 489, Waco, Texas 76703.

To be eligible, a candidate must have performed a heroic act that saved another person's life within Texas during 1984. The heroism should be related to farming and ranching.

Nominations should include a written account of the incident and the names.

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