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How's that?

Flashing lights

Q. When flashing lights in a school zone are off, do you have to follow the lowered speed posted in the area?

A. Kathy Hosler, a local police officer, said that even when flashing lights in a school zone are not flashing, the speed is posted on a sign with the hours that the lowered speed limit is in effect. Most hours are posted from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Some of the elementary schools, such as Marcy, have a posted time for the afternoon.

Calendar

Friends

TODAY

• Friends of the Howard County Library will meet at noon in the Library conference room.

• The Compassionate Friends of Howard County, a self-help group for bereaved parents, will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the community center in Coahoma. Call 394-4562 for more information.

SATURDAY

• The Big Spring Road Riders are hosting a motorcycle show and bake sale in the Big Spring Mall from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

• United Blood Services is hosting a blood drive in the Big Spring Mall from noon to 6 p.m.

• The annual Chamber of Commerce banquet is at 7 p.m. in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Enter the coliseum by the East Ramp. Man and woman of the year will be recognized and several former Big Springers will be honored.

Tops on TV

Child murderer

"The Bad Seed", a remake of the 1956 thriller about a bright 9-year-old girl and her mother's gradual, horrifying discovery that her child is a cold-blooded murderer, will air at 7 p.m. on channel 2. A promoter encourages Bull to enter wrestling, but the bull's friends try to talk him out of it on "Night Court" at 8:30 p.m. on channel 13.

Outside

Cloudy

Tonight's forecast calls for lows in the upper 20s and fair skies. Winds will be southerly, 5 to 10 miles per hour. Sunny skies are forecasted for tomorrow with high temperatures reaching the lower 60s. Southwesterly winds will be blowing 10 to 20 miles per hour.

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Report:

MHMR needs change

Staff and wire reports
AUSTIN — Gov. Mark White said today a special study committee has recommended the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation make "substantial changes" to improve its effectiveness.

The 16-member Legislative Oversight Committee was charged by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Speaker Gib Lewis to advise the Legislature on the future directions for MHMR services in Texas.

A.K. Smith, superintendent of the Big Spring State Hospital, said his facility was included in the study "only peripherally."

"Overall, the oversight report makes recommendation that direct the department to make substantial changes to improve the management effectiveness of the agency," White told a news conference. "The report directs the agency to manage its programs as a system that must be well coordinated and centrally directed to maximize the use of our state funds and serve the mentally disabled population of Texas."

Smith said the governor's report "certainly carries clout." He said he had not seen the report and did not know how it might affect Big Spring's state hospital, which serves 46 counties.

White said the highlights of the report included recommendations that the department:

- Initiate a six-year strategic plan for mental health services.
- Work with the insurance industry to develop a health insurance program for short-term institutional care.
- Establish fee collection policies for community centers to increase local revenues.
- Develop enforceable performance contracts of community MHMR centers to ensure that state dollars are efficiently and effectively utilized.

Punxsutawney who?



A prairie dog at Big Spring's state park Wednesday seems praying that his groundhog cousin was wrong in forecasting six more weeks of winter weather.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Congress balks at Reagan tax pitch

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's appeal for tax simplification, the only new initiative in a State of the Union litany of revived first-term proposals, is drawing hesitant support from a Congress preoccupied with deficit-reduction.

In the first congressional address of his second term, Reagan Wednesday night proclaimed a "Second American Revolution" that would include "historic reform" of the nation's tax code. Reagan indicated that his proposal would be a modification of a flat-rate plan advanced by the Treasury Department, but that it would allow homeowners to continue deducting home mortgage interest payments. It should not be "a tax increase in disguise," the president said in his nationally broadcast address.

Reagan's spokesman Larry Speakes said today the White House switchboard was open for about 45 minutes after the speech and received 349 calls praising the speech and 35 from people who didn't like it.

"It was not an exceptionally heavy volume, but a pretty good turnout," Speakes said.

Many House and Senate members suggested that tax revision would have to be put on a back burner while Congress wrestles with ways to reduce deficits soaring above \$200 billion.

"I prefer one at a time," said Senate Majority Leader Robert Dole, R-Kan., suggesting that deficit-reduction had the highest priority. However, he said Reagan could probably win approval for the tax plan if he "gets behind it"

in a major lobbying effort. Reagan did not endorse the Treasury Department plan as such, but said he was directing newly sworn-in Treasury Secretary James T. Baker to begin working with congressional sponsors of a flat-rate tax plan so "together we can pass, this year, a tax bill for fairness, simplicity and growth."

He said his plan would lower tax rates "as low as possible by removing many tax preferences" and would propose a top rate "of no more than 28 percent."

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By CAROL BALDWIN
Staff Writer

A proposal passed Tuesday by the Texas Senate to raise the legal drinking age in Texas from 19 to 21 has drawn fire from Texas Legislators who charge that the bill enforces a return to Prohibition on a group of adults who have other legal rights.

Three Big Spring High School seniors — legally adults and one year younger than the current drinking age — have mixed emotions about the bill, which would raise the drinking age to 21 by Sept. 1, 1986.

Scott Jensen, 18, Cathy Porras, 19, and Kenneth Whitehead, 18, talked about how they feel about teens and drinking and the availability of liquor to people not legally old enough to purchase it.

Jensen said, "Personally, I don't drink very much." Although his father keeps "a six-pack in the refrigerator for company," Jensen said no one in his family drinks.

Jensen feels raising the drinking age "will help people out. There will be less drunk drivers on the road."

Miss Porras disagrees with the proposal to raise the drink-

For adults only



CATHY PORRAS



KENNETH WHITEHEAD



SCOTT JENSEN

Age 21 liquor law gets mixed reaction

ing age to 21. "I don't think they should. Teen-agers will buy (beer and liquor) whether they are (und- age) or not."

Whitehead said, "People will find (liquor) whether they change the age or not. I don't drink, but if I wanted to I could

find somebody to buy it or I could buy it myself. I've done it for other people."

Jensen also agrees. "It's too

easy to buy it. I know 15-year-olds who go in (to area stores) every week and get beer."

Raising the drinking age would also mean raising the age for admittance to clubs where alcohol is served.

Miss Porras said, "I waited a long time to turn 19. There are a lot of people who don't go out just to get drunk."

All three said they know of several teens who are developing problems with alcohol.

Jensen said, "When you go down Gregg Street you see it (beer) everywhere." He added that he has a 16-year-old friend who has been involved in two minor accidents, both times while drinking.

"He backed into a fire plug and chunked a hole in the side of his truck. He also hit a mailbox. He said he can drive better drunk," Jensen said.

Although Miss Porras disagrees with the proposal, she feels Legislators are trying to help teen-agers and are not maliciously trying to whisk away their rights. "They are doing it for your own good," she said.

Miss Porras said many teen-agers want to drink because they are bored and can find little else to do with their free time.

"There's not much to do in Big Spring. That's why a lot of teen-agers go out and get drunk," she said.

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Water bill flowing in Legislature

Panel OKs Montford plan

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas legislators tackled the state's water crisis as a House committee unanimously endorsed an \$800 million statewide water program scheduled for debate on the House floor.

Shortly after Wednesday's endorsement, a Senate committee heard about 20 witnesses on a \$1 billion water package but put off a decision until next Wednesday, the day after the House debate.

"Maybe we will have the House bill over here next Wednesday," said Sen. Tati Santiesteban, D-El Paso, chairman of the Senate Natural Resources Committee. The committee still has to contend with 32 proposed amendments before sending it for a Senate debate.

"It's a comprehensive plan that has a little bit in it for every area of the state," said Rep. Tom Cradick, R-Midland, chairman of the House Natural Resources Committee. "We haven't heard of any substantial opposition ... I think that most people realize there needs to be a water plan, and I think we'll see a plan passed this session of the Legislature."

"There is no more vitally important issues before this

Legislature," said Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, co-sponsor of the Senate water package with Santiesteban.

The two water programs are the outgrowth of coordinated efforts by Gov. Mark White, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Speaker Gib Lewis, plus extensive work by the House and Senate committees.

Not everyone is happy over the legislators' efforts.

"This insane bill would create a super hierarchy of bureaucrats," said Paul Peters, a Gonzales County farmer before the Senate committee.

Rodney Reagan of Uvalde suggested to senators the state's money would be better spent by increasing rainfall through weather modification.

The House Natural Resources Committee voted 9-0 to send a water bill and companion constitutional amendment to the House floor. The plan would establish a bond program to raise funds for a variety of water development and conservation projects. The constitutional amendment portion of the package would be placed before voters in November.

The House plan calls for \$200 million in bond issues.

Water page 2-A

Monkey on Mars

Scientists believe monkey's face is a sign of civilization

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A mile-long monkey's face silently stares at the stars from its perch on Mars, according to a group of scientists who believe the strange profile was left as a cosmic calling card hundreds of thousands of years ago.

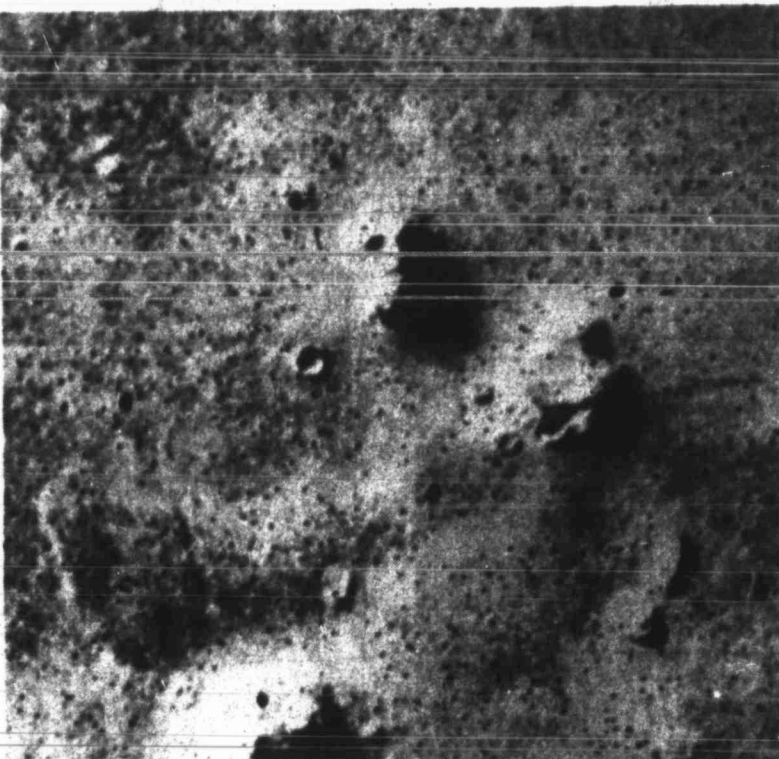
The 30 scientists, known as the Mars Investigation Group, believe two photographs sent back from Mars in 1976 by the Viking spacecraft indicate the existence of an ancient civilization, Richard Hoagland, group member and science writer, said Thursday.

The photos show what appear to be four huge pyramids lined up symmetrically with the face about six miles away, suggesting a parallel with Stonehenge, the ancient monument of huge stones in England, Hoagland said.

"Geometrically, the face could be seen in profile (from the pyramids) as the summer solstice sun rose over it" an estimated 500,000 years ago, he said in a telephone interview from Berkeley.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration officials and other skeptics contend the figures were accidentally formed by natural elements or by the play of light and shadow.

Larry King, a NASA spokesman in Mountain View, Calif., said he doubts the previous existence of life on



A mile-long monkey's face stares silently at the stars from its perch on Mars in this view sent back from Mars in 1976 by the Viking spacecraft.

Mars and likened the face to "the man on the moon."

But Dr. C. West Churchman, a professor at the University of California at Berkeley and the group's principal investigator, said there are too many details pointing to the possibility of an

extinct Martian race.

"It's hard to believe that all that symmetry could have been done by winds and sand as we know it on Earth," he said in a telephone interview from Philadelphia. "If it had just been the face, I would not have been that convinced. But the fact that

these (pyramids) are lined up in a certain way with the face makes me inclined to believe that there was (an ancient civilization)."

The two Viking photographs were taken at different times of day, reducing the chance that the figures were illusory cast by tricky shadows, Hoagland said.

The face — a mile long and three-quarters of a mile wide — appears to be looking toward the stars, Hoagland said. It bears a resemblance to the Egyptian sphinx, but looks more like an ape, he said.

If the scientists believe there was an ancient civilization on Mars, they must learn the significance of the face and the pyramids, Churchman said.

"Why in the world did they ever create a face looking upward?" he said. "I understand that similar faces have been constructed in civilizations on Earth. The faces are looking up at the sky because they are looking up to God or some divinity."

The Berkeley scientists, who first discussed the photos last spring, have raised \$250,000 of a \$475,000 goal toward further research into the mysterious face.

Police kill man after high-speed chase

SHERMAN (AP) — An order to "blow him off the road" ended a 100-mph chase in Grayson County as law enforcement officers opened fire on a man racing down Texas Highway 82 tossing out packages of explosives and shooting a sub-machine gun.

Thomas Francis Wood Jr., 40, was pronounced dead at a site four miles east of here about 45 minutes after officials spotted his van, believed to be stolen, and gave chase about 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Wood reportedly hurled plastic explosives at pursuing officers, but

none of them exploded. Grayson County Sheriff Jack Driscoll said the man also was armed with a submachine gun which he fired at pursuing officers.

"We gave him every opportunity to stop, and we didn't even return fire when he threw those devices.

But when he opened on my men, I ordered them to open on him," said Driscoll.

About 45 minutes after the chase involving some 12 law enforcement vehicles started, Driscoll gave the order to "blow him off the road," the newspaper said.

Police Beat

Burglars take guns, recorder

Four guns and a video cassette recorder were stolen Tuesday from a house on the south service road of Interstate 20 near the Coors Distribution plant, according to police reports.

The burglary of the house, owned by Tommy and Debbie Osborn of P.O. Box 267, occurred between Tuesday and 12:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Guns taken were: a .357-caliber Magnum; a .22-caliber revolver; a .243-caliber bolt-action rifle; and a 12-gauge pump shotgun.

In addition, the window on a door was broken. The amount of the damage and the stolen items are unknown.

Billy Nobian of 3232 Cornell told police that someone towed his 1975 Pontiac Grand Ville from in front of his residence without his permission. The car was valued at \$800.

A 19-inch color television set was stolen in a burglary at 306 N.E. Sixth, owner Inez Gonzales Jr. told police. The burglary occurred between 7:50 a.m. and 8:15 p.m. Wednesday. The set was valued at \$420.

Lesa Wolsey of 1012 E. 20th told police someone threatened her Wednesday afternoon outside her house.

Margie Noyola of 1615 Cardinal filed an arson report with the police department. According to the report, the fire occurred at 1:36 a.m. Saturday. When the fire

department arrived at the scene, the couch was on fire and the television set on; no one was in the house.

Glennnda Wilson of 3910 W. Highway 80 told police someone damaged five kitchen cupboard doors, a sofa, a chair, a coffee table and two bedroom doors in an apartment at 4107 W. Highway 80. Damage was estimated at \$290. In addition, the same person took three light bulbs and left the apartment without paying a month of rent, \$295.

Gene Rutherford of the Big Spring State Hospital told police that someone stole two 10-pound packages of stew beef on Tuesday. The beef was valued at \$32.

Police Wednesday arrested William McNew, 26, of 1008 W. Sixth on suspicion of driving while intoxicated and no driver's license.

Police also arrested William Graham, 46, of 605 McEwen on suspicion of DWI, driving while license suspended and failure to carry automobile insurance.

Police arrested Longino Flores Sr., 39, of 1404 W. Second at 2:11 p.m. Wednesday at his residence on an assault warrant. Flores was released on bond.

Police also arrested Rebecca Hilario Saenz, 28, of 705 S. Lancaster at 3:16 p.m. at 1705 F.M. 700 on suspicion of theft of more than \$20 and less than \$200. She was released after paying a fine.

Sheriff's Log

Sheriff investigates break in

Howard County sheriff's deputies are investigating a burglary that took place around midnight at Lakeway Grocery on Route Three.

"Around midnight, the building was entered and an alarm went off. The people were frightened off," Sheriff A.N. Standard said.

According to sheriff's reports, entry to the building was accomplished by breaking the front door out on the north side of the building. Items amounting to \$115.15 were taken and estimated damage to the door is listed at \$200.

Debby Thompson reported a car on fire early last evening four miles north on the old Gail Highway. Arlie Knight of the Jonesboro Fire Department said they responded to the call but "were unable to locate the burning car."

Big Spring police transferred Ricardo A. Uranga, 25, of 1409 E. Sixth to county jail after he was arrested for driving while intoxicated (DWI). He was released on \$1,000 bond set by Municipal Judge Melvin Daratt.

Sheriff's deputies arrested Tommy Leon Owen, 43, of Forsan on a warrant charging him with revocation of probation on a DWI charge. He was released on \$1,000 bond set by Howard County Judge Milton

Kirby.

Alejandro Rodriguez, also known as Alex Rios Lopez, 25, of Midland was released to the U.S. Border Patrol for federal prosecution.

His Howard County charges of DWI, evading arrest, no operator's license, failure to maintain financial responsibility and speeding were withdrawn.

Michael Gene Anderson, 23, of 3708 Hamilton was released from custody of county jail on the authorization of District Judge James Gregg.

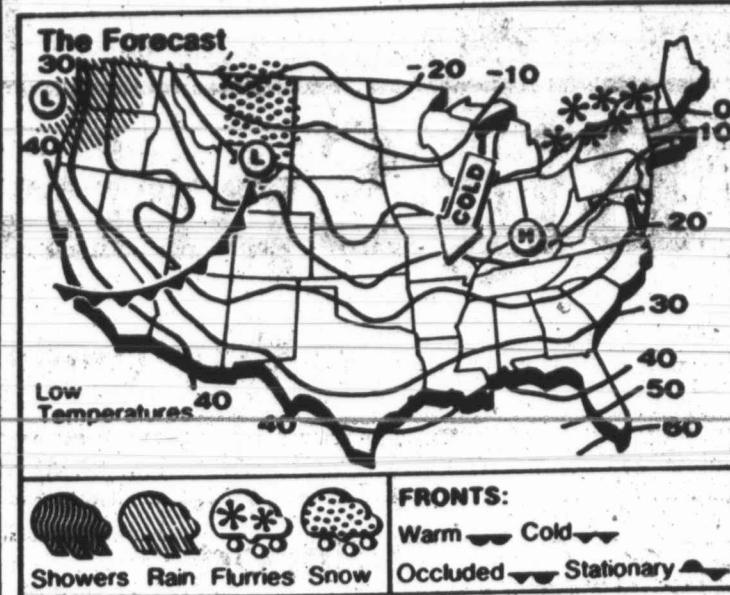
He had pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery by passing in July and recently charged with revocation of probation.

Big Spring police transferred Rebecca Hilario Saenz, 28, of 705 S. Lancaster to county jail after she was charged with theft over \$20 and under \$200. She was released on \$1,000 bond.

The sheriff's department released seven illegal aliens to the U.S. Border Patrol last night. They were transferred to Marfa, Texas.

Leonso Lee Jimenez Jr., 25, of 1108 S. Johnson was released to Eastland County authorities on their warrant charging him with DWI. He has been charged in Howard County with DWI and driving while license suspended.

Weather



Local

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Saturday through Monday. A chance of rain concho valley Monday. colder Monday. Lows 20s and 30s, highs 40s and 50s.

State

Clearing skies and warmer temperatures teamed up today to give winter weary Texans pleasant weather.

Forecasters say the clear skies and warmer temperatures will continue through Friday.

Cloud cover was decreasing early today from west to east across the state and skies were to be clear to partly cloudy statewide.

Forecast

Today's highs will reach the lower 50s, and northeasterly winds will become southerly, 5 to 10 miles per hour. The forecast for tomorrow calls for sunny skies and high temperatures in the lower 60s. Southwesterly winds will be blowing 10 to 20 miles per hour.

Yesterday

High temperature.....	58
Low temperature.....	28
Record high.....	81
Record low.....	65
Rainfall.....	0.00
Year-to-date.....	00.39
Normal-to-date.....	00.71

Other cities

CITY	HI	LOW
Abilene	55	32
Amarillo	28	24
Austin	45	34
Dallas	40	31
San Angelo	62	24
Wichita Falls	32	26

Markets

Index.....	1287.98	Texas.....	34%	+1/4
Volume.....	80,306,900	Texas Instruments.....	127	+1/4
NAME	CURRENT QUOTE	Texas Utilities.....	27 1/2	+1/4
IBM.....	174 1/2	U.S. Steel.....	27 1/2	+1/4
American Airlines.....	36 1/2	Exxon.....	90 1/2	+1/4
American Petrofina.....	60 1/2	Westinghouse.....	35 1/2	+1/4
Bethlehem Steel.....	29 1/2	Western Union.....	38	nc
Chrysler.....	32 1/2	Zales.....	38	+1/4
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Essex.....	21 1/2	Pioneer.....	33 1/2	+1/4
Firestone.....	19 1/2	MCI.....	04	nc
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J.C. Penney.....	130 1/2			
Kodak.....	40 1/2			
Coca-Cola.....	61 1/2			
Deere.....	41 1/2			
Mobility.....	28			
Pacific Gas.....	17 1/2			
Phillips.....	50 1/2			
Sears.....	35			
Shell.....	35 1/2			
San Oil.....	40 1/2			
AT&T.....	21 1/2			

Deaths

Lowell Boyd

Lowell Boyd, 74, died Thursday morning at 6:30 a.m. at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a sudden illness.

Services are pending in Baird, Tx.

He is survived by his wife Florene of Baird; one son, Wayne Boyd of Denton; two sisters, Rose West and Nell Mobley of Baird; and one brother Douglas Boyd of Big Spring.

Leonard Meyer

Leonard "Bill" Meyer, 52, of Midway, died Wednesday afternoon at Malone-Hogan Hospital following a sudden illness. Services will be Friday at 10 a.m. in the Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with Chaplain Lee Butler officiating.

Graveside services will be at 4:30 p.m. Friday in the old Dublin Cemetery in Dublin.

He was born July 8, 1932, in Everly, Iowa. He married Joy Burdette July 2, 1954, in Fort Worth. He moved to Big Spring in 1966 from Milford, Iowa. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Coahoma.

He served in the U.S. Air Force. He had farmed in Iowa for 11 years before coming to Big Spring. He was a truck driver and was driving for the Permian Corp. at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Jimmy (Cheryl) Wright of Garland and Mrs. David (Deborah) Baremore of Snyder; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Michael and Teri Meyer of Stephenville and Bruce Meyer of Big Spring; three brothers, Harold Meyer and Calvin Meyer, both of Everly, Iowa, Don Meyer of Sanborn, Iowa; three sisters, Margaret Meyer of Colorado Springs, Colo., Mrs. Jerry (Lucille) Stravers of Pella, Iowa and Mrs. Lloyd (Gert) Triggs of Dickens, Iowa.

Pallbearers will be Charles Burdette, Robert Allen, Tim Allen, Charles Thompson, Jeff Thompson, and C. Roy Wright.

All drivers of Permian Corp. will be honorary pallbearers. The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association or the First Presbyterian Church, Coahoma.

Mary McKee

Mary E. McKee, 72, died Wednesday at Malone-Hogan Hospital following a short illness.

Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. Thursday at Trinity Memorial Park with the Rev. Randy Smith, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Ackerly, officiating.

She was born March 17, 1912, in Howard County. She married Dois McKee April 29, 1937, in El Paso. Along with her father, J.W. Allen, she operated the Allen Grocery Store for many years. The grocery store was opened in 1930.

She was a member of a pioneer family. Her father worked for the C.C. Slaughter Ranch.

Survivors include her husband; a niece and a grandnephew.

Pallbearers will be Audvay Graham, Lloyd Wiggins, J.I. Suggs, Norman Holcombe, Wayne Walker, and V.W. Kemper.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel

Fae Linam, 55, died Tuesday. Graveside services will be Friday at 10:00 A.M. at Trinity Memorial Park.

Leonard W. (Bill) Meyer, 52, died Wednesday. Services will be Friday at 10:00 A.M. in Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Graveside services will be Friday at 4:30 P.M. at the Old Dublin Cemetery in Dublin, Texas.

John Hatfield, 40, died Sunday. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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BIG SPRING

Fire destroys area man's car

A car belonging to a Midland man was totally destroyed by a fire started Wednesday when ashes flew out of his pipe and ignited the car, according to fire department reports.

Big Spring firemen arrived at 5:51 p.m. at the scene, about eight miles north of town, to find the 1983 Mercury Capri "fully engulfed" by flames. The interior, the motor and

the left front tire of the car were burning, the report stated.

The two men called to the fire extinguished the blaze with 75 gallons of water. They had cleaned their unit and returned to duty by 6:25 p.m., according to the report.

Damage to the car, owned by Kelly Phillips of Midland, was set at \$6,000, the report stated.

Phillips told firemen the fire started when he was smoking his pipe in the car, the report stated.

Church cancels bingo games

Bingo games for this Saturday at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church have been cancelled. Instead, the church is having a welcoming dinner for its new priests, originally scheduled for last weekend but postponed because of the weather. Saturday bingo games will resume Feb. 17.

Water

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million in water supply projects, \$200 million for sewage treatment projects, \$200 million for buying and developing sites for reservoir projects and \$200 million for flood control projects.

The measure also includes a \$250 million bond insurance program to help cities or agencies that want to get better credit ratings for their water projects.

The Senate package, which also entails a water bill and companion constitutional amendment, calls for \$200 million in bonds for hardship water supply loans, \$200 million for hardship water quality loans, and \$400 million for state participation in local water and waste water projects. A pending amendment calls for \$300 million in bonds for flood control, which is not in the House bill.

"I feel strongly the Senate must consider the flood control amendment in order to have a viable vote

statewide on the constitution change," Montford said.

The Senate constitutional amendment would allocate \$5 million for a pilot program which, if successful, could lead to \$200 million in water conservation bonds for agriculture two years from now.

The Senate bill would delete the \$250 million guarantee program in the House bill. Montford's bill also proposes a cost-sharing program for farmers similar to one suggested by Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower, which is not in the House bill.

Craddick said the House package, "was put together not just by this committee but over a two-year period. Probably every group could think of some way they'd like to change it, but we've been there before ... They've got to realize by now that they're not going to get everything they want in or out of the bill."

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Nation

By The Associated Press

CBS libel trial heats up

NEW YORK — Gen. William C. Westmoreland suppressed a 1967 cable showing greater enemy strength in Vietnam because it would have been a "political bombshell" if it had reached Washington, according to a retired two-star general.

The testimony of retired Maj. Gen. Joseph A. McChristian, the highest-ranking military officer to testify on behalf of CBS, was even harsher than the remarks he made when he appeared in the documentary that sparked Westmoreland's \$120 million libel suit against the network.

And according to McChristian, an unhappy Westmoreland called him two days before the Jan. 23, 1982, documentary and chastised him for taking part.

George Crile, producer of the documentary, was scheduled to take the witness stand today for the second time in the 17-week-old trial. Crile, a co-defendant, was called earlier by Westmoreland's attorneys as a hostile witness.

Goetzland just a fantasy

NEW YORK — There is no Goetzland, where passengers in subway bumper cars take potshots at each other. There are no Goetz fanzines, reporting Bernhard Goetz's favorite foods or television shows.

But the tale of the man who has admitted shooting four youths in a subway car is being exploited. Goetz T-shirts sport comic slogans; a rock video uses the Goetz case as a storyline; nearly a million copies of an instant book tell Goetz's story, days after his indictment on weapons possession charges.

On Wednesday, Goetz, 37, pleaded innocent to illegal weapons charges and had his bail reduced from \$50,000 to \$5,000. A grand jury had refused to return an indictment on charges of attempted murder.

Goetz is not reaping any profits from this activity. "There have been proposals for movies, magazine articles, books. But there have been no negotiations; Mr. Goetz wants no part of it," said his lawyer, Joseph Kelnner.

But everybody, it seems, wants a piece of Goetz. Little One Books of Toronto got the jump with a 128-page book, "Bernhard Goetz: Vigilante or Victim?" The book, which reached the stands this week, goes for \$3.95.

Lenders rip credit plan

DES MOINES, Iowa — Lenders and lawmakers denounced the government's latest farm credit plan as inadequate, but Iowa Gov. Terry Branstad says he's been assured more help is on the way from a "bottomless pit" of federal money.

Agriculture Secretary John Block, announcing the plan Wednesday in Washington, said at least \$650 million would be made available for farm loan guarantees and that the government would ease regulatory pressure on rural banks.

The aid package is in response to pleas from farmers who are squeezed between high interest rates and declining prices for their crops and land, which often is used as collateral for loans.

The plan calls for bankers to "write down" or reduce enough of a farmer's loan principal or interest to bring payments within reach, in return for federal loan guarantees on part of the remaining loan.

Backing the president

Congressmen question Reagan's tax reforms

Harte-Hanks Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Texas congressmen Wednesday night embraced President Reagan's call for national renewal, but questioned his ability to push through domestic budget cuts and tax reform through Congress.

"I liked the tone of the president's speech. It was positive, upbeat," Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, said following the president's nationally televised state of the union address delivered to a joint session of Congress.

However, said Bentsen, "I am concerned about his continued failure to meet the deficit problem, both in his budget and in tonight's speech."

Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, was more optimistic about the president's economic message.

"I believe in this state of the union address we have something we can build on in the way of a political base," said Gramm.

"The real question is, in kicking off the tax and budget fight tonight, did he score points with people who really count — not members of Congress who are hired hands — but with the people," Gramm said.

The freshman senator said he can "see a base of support in the country" for tax reform, but noted that "every special interest group in the country opposes the president."

"The American people support him and so do I," Gramm said in an interview.

Bentsen also questioned the seriousness of Reagan's continued support for congressional passage of a balanced budget amendment. "If such an amendment were now in force, the budget the president sent two days ago — with its \$180 billion deficit — would be unconstitutional. And it probably ought to be," he said.

Reagan said James A. Baker, newly installed secretary of the Treasury Department, would be in charge of coming up with a bipartisan compromise for tax "simplification" that could pass Congress. Many Texas congressmen are expected to lobby against provisions in the plan that would knock out tax breaks for oil and gas producers.

"We don't want to destroy the incentive to invest in our business community and some of the provisions on oil and gas and high technology could do that," said Rep. Joe Barton, R-Ennis.

Rep. Charles Stenholm, D-Stamford, noted that Reagan "was careful to select his words on tax simplification. I think he was careful not to endorse the Treasury's original package," which included elimination of the oil



Congressman Charles Stenholm.



Senator Lloyd Bentsen.

and gas tax breaks.

Both Barton and Stenholm were among those who gave strong general praise to the address.

"I think it was a masterful speech," said Stenholm, who agreed with others that Reagan would nevertheless have trouble with his economic initiatives in Congress.

"I think the president still has real problems with the budget and the debt," Stenholm said. "I think he touched every base (and) sure didn't hurt himself."

"I was very impressed with what he had to say," said Rep. Solomon P. Ortiz, D-Corpus Christi. Even though he said he found most of the speech positive, he added that Reagan left "a lot of unanswered questions. Those of us in Congress need a better explanation of what those (economic) reforms are going to be."

"The president struck a very responsive chord with me and all Americans," said Rep. Tom Loeffler, R-Hunt. "Every American citizen can feel like a hero because we are prouder, stronger and better."

"Clearly he placed this challenge (for reducing federal spending) in the lap of Congress and Congress must deal with the day of reckoning," he said. "It is time for politicians to take off their political hats to get to work in reducing federal spending."

Group wants alcohol off airwaves

WASHINGTON (AP) — Opponents of wine and beer commercials say the advertisements should be banned from the airwaves because they "glamorize alcohol" and contribute to its abuse, especially among young people.

The proposed ban was discussed today at a Senate subcommittee hearing at which spokesmen for brewers, wineries, advertisers and broadcasters asked lawmakers not to meddle with the commercials.

They said public service announcements and programs sponsored by industry groups are more effective ways to warn young people about alcohol abuse.

The conflicting views were presented in prepared testimony to the Senate Labor and Human Resources subcommittee on alcoholism, headed by Republican Paula Hawkins of Florida. No legislation on the subject has been introduced this year in either house.

Groups advocating a ban have formed Project SMART — Stop Marketing Alcohol on Radio and TV. If a ban proves politically impossible, the coalition is willing to accept an equal time requirement for ads depicting the social and health problems associated with alcohol.

Depending on their position, witnesses cited different studies that confirmed or disputed a link between adver-

tising and alcohol abuse. There was also disagreement over whether broadcasters have aired enough public service warnings about alcohol.

"We are particularly concerned about the impact of such advertising on vulnerable populations including young people generally — children of alcoholics, specifically, and heavy drinkers," said Martha Baker, president of the National Council on Alcoholism.

On the other hand, she contended, "Public service announcements and entertainment programming which depict adverse consequences associated with drinking are rare and frequently relegated to viewing hours when most Americans are asleep."

World

By The Associated Press

Police get prison terms

TORUN, Poland — A panel of judges today convicted four secret police officers of murdering a pro-Solidarity Roman Catholic priest and sentenced them to prison terms of 14 to 25 years.

The five judges rejected the prosecution's demand for the death penalty against Capt. Grzegorz Piotrowski, accused of being the ringleader in the kidnap-murder of the Rev. Jerzy Popieluszko. Piotrowski, 33, was sentenced to 25 years in prison, the most severe sentence in Poland next to death.

Piotrowski's superior, Col. Adam Pietruszka, 47, was found guilty of instigating the killing last October and given a 25-year sentence. Lt. Leszek Pekala, 32, was sentenced to 15 years in prison and Lt. Waldemar Chmielewski, 29, was given 14 years in prison for their participation in the murder.

During the trial the two lieutenants had testified that Piotrowski led them in the kidnapping and killing of Popieluszko.

Dissident returns home

TOKYO — Bound for home and an uncertain welcome after two years of self-imposed exile, South Korean dissident Kim Dae-jung has urged his government to give him back his political rights so he can work for democratic change.

In Seoul, many of his supporters were reportedly placed under house arrest.

The 59-year-old opposition leader arrived in Tokyo today for an overnight stay before flying to the South Korean capital of Seoul on Friday to face an uncertain reception from the government of President Chun Doo-hwan.

The Reagan administration reportedly urged Seoul to refrain from harsh treatment of Kim, making it clear that a planned April visit by Chun to the United States depended on how Seoul handled the affair.

Six gunmen hijack plane

BEIRUT, Lebanon — Six gunmen seized control of a Cyprus Airways Boeing 707 jetliner at Beirut airport today, shortly before its scheduled takeoff on a regular flight to Larnaca, Cyprus, airport sources here said.

They said the attackers apparently were holding the nine crew members hostage. Fifty-nine passengers had been scheduled to take Flight 342 but the gunmen did not permit them to board, the sources said.

The sources, who refused to be identified for security reasons, said the attackers forced their way aboard the plane at gunpoint at 3:45 p.m.

The privately owned Voice of Lebanon radio station said the assailants demanded the release of two Lebanese men held by Cyprus authorities. But the radio said the attackers did not immediately give the names of the two men held or say why they were detained in



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Opinion

Threat from food imports ignored

Last year's sweeping recall of grain products containing trace amounts of the pesticide ethylene dibromide should have given pause to even the most sanguine consumer. It was costly and inconvenient, yet the risk of exposure to the deadly pesticide was enough to justify it.

On the whole, however, residues of pesticides on imported foods — everything from coffee, tea and cocoa to nuts, fruits and vegetables — have only recently begun to receive the respect due them as a public health threat. A recent report by the Natural Resources Defense Council underlines the need to pay more attention to the matter. According to the council, a non-profit organization concerned with environmental issues, more than half of the fruits and vegetables imported into the United States bear residues of pesticides in measureable amounts. Many of these residues are of pesticides — including DDT, lindane and endrin — that have been outlawed for use by growers in the United States. Most alarming, the report concludes that the federal agency responsible for monitoring the safety of such imports, the Food and Drug Administration, is simply unequipped to carry out the job.

One can perhaps argue about the stringency of federal standards governing pesticide residues on produce or the safety of the pesticides themselves. What is unarguable — and indefensible, as well — is the FDA's failure to head off the threat of residual pesticides in a timely and responsible fashion.



Steve Chapman

Project Smart edges on idea of socialism

It's been barely a year since drinkers and other libertarians celebrated the 50th anniversary of the repeal of Prohibition. Maybe we celebrated too soon. Ever since, people who occupy themselves by interfering with other people's private affairs have been trying to do everything short of resurrect the Volstead Act. Their latest effort is a drive to ban beer and wine ads from radio and television. The drive is the work of a coalition of abstainers, self-styled guardians of the "public interest" and compulsive busybodies, collectively known as Project Smart (for Stop Marketing Alcohol on Radio and Television). Among them: the Mormon and Baptist Churches, the Center for Science in the Public Interest and the National Parent-Teacher Association. Whatever their diversity, the groups share a stunted appreciation of personal freedom.

Still, they've collected 600,000 signatures supporting their effort to ban the ads or require broadcasters to provide free time for counter-ads deploring drinking. A Senate committee plans hearings. The safety Nazis have already gotten laws to compel seat belt use and to ban drinking by adults under the age of 21. They got cigarette ads off the airwaves 14 years ago. But they can never rest from protecting people from the temptations of vice.

No one familiar with the history of modern social puritanism in America can be confident that drinking or smoking (or maybe even driving) will be legal half a century from now. The real Puritans would disapprove; they approved of alcohol, used sensibly. The neo-prohibitionists, by contrast, believe not only that these habits are evil, but that anything evil should be against the law.

Their latest cause is a perfect illustration. The coalition gripes that radio and TV ads glorify drinking. No doubt they do; ads wouldn't sell much Budweiser by convincing people it's disgusting.

But in a free society, why should it be illegal for sellers to "glamorize" legal products? Anyone who disagrees is perfectly free to propagandize against it. To silence your opponents is to admit the weakness of your cause.

The coalition worries that children may be unduly influenced

by these ads. Well, that's why there are laws against selling alcohol to minors. The gullibility of children is no grounds for a putting a strait-jacket on adults. Among the pubescent, tobacco-chewing ballplayers are the best publicity Red Man could get. Should we forbid telecasts to show any player with a bulge in his cheek?

Another alleged hazard is that these ads encourage drunk driving. But that logic, Chevrolet ads are just as guilty, since they promote the other half of the drunk driving combination. The way to combat drunk driving is to enforce laws against it.

Besides defying common sense, the measure probably also probably violates the First Amendment. Commercial speech has always been given less protection than political speech, but this ban goes too far.

In fact, it matches the Supreme Court's description of a law it reviewed in 1976. "What is at issue," said the court, "is whether a state may completely suppress the dissemination of concededly truthful information about entirely lawful activity, fearful of that information's effect upon ... its recipients." The court's answer: no.

Forcing broadcasters to foot the bill for "public interest" commercials ostensibly exposing the dangers of alcohol is a little more reasonable, but not much. Groups that object to drinking shouldn't expect other people to pay for the dissemination of their views. Should auto ads have to be balanced by commercials on the risks of driving? Granted, broadcasters get free use of the "public airwaves," but the obvious remedy for that defect is to charge them a fee for it.

There is no end to the protections that could be written into law. Why not ban commercials for eggs and ice cream as well as anything else that conceivably may be dangerous?

This is an approach worthy of a nation of children, who must be protected from making independent decisions lest they incur the slightest risk. It reflects the immature urge to obtain security at the expense of liberty, including the liberty of those who disagree.

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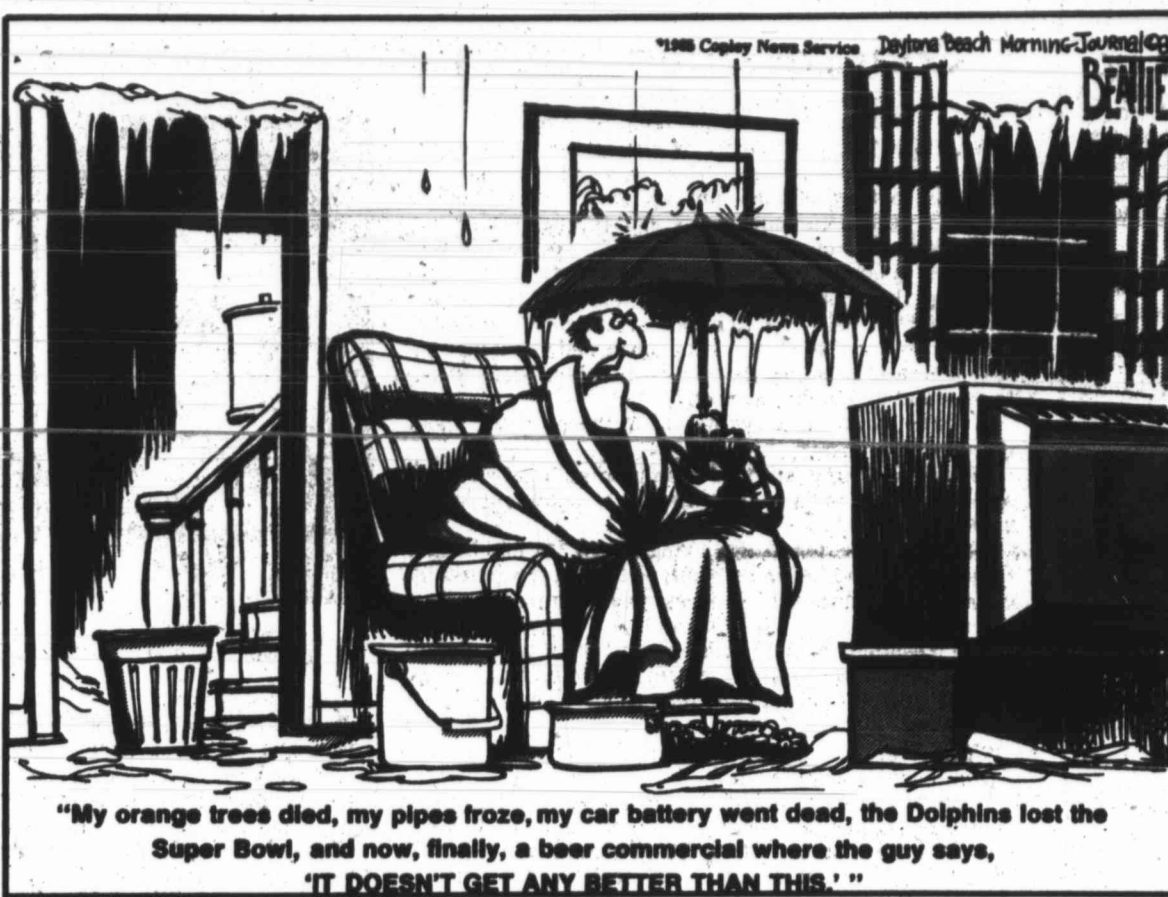
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Jack Anderson

Assassins end reporters life

WASHINGTON — Last Oct. 13, a Chinese-American journalist named Henry Liu fired off a terse letter to me about the Taiwanese government's attempts to intimidate Chinese-language newspapers in this country. The China Times, he wrote, "was a victim of political interference which our laws prohibit." It was to be the last letter Liu was to write.

The next day, two assassins scouted Liu's suburban Dale City, Calif., neighborhood on bicycles. A day later, they returned, waylaid Liu in his garage, whipped out pistols and shot him three times. Then the killers pedaled off on their bikes, which police found abandoned.

The day after the tragedy, Liu's wife, Helen, wrote me an anguished letter. "I have terrible news to inform you," she began. After the shooting, the assassins fled, she reported, "before I caught sight of their faces." But she thought she knew who they were: hired assassins of the Taiwanese government. "They were not interested in money," she noted. "Valuable in the target, 'were not touched at all.' It was perfectly clear to her. The assassination is politically motivated," she wrote bitterly.

Helen Liu was right. The Taiwanese authorities, after vehemently denying having any part in the assassination, have now reversed themselves. They have admitted that Taiwan's military intelligence agency was involved in the shooting and have arrested the official believed to be responsible.

Though the Taiwanese deserve credit for accepting responsibility, intelligence sources believe the Taiwanese decided to make a clean breast of the affair and claim it was an unauthorized, isolated incident. If they can make an arguable case that Liu's assassination was a regrettable aberration, they might avoid retaliation by Congress.

For an amendment to the Export Control Act authorizes Congress to cut off weapons shipments to countries that engage in systematic harassment of their critics in the United States. Taiwan receives some \$800 million a year in military aid that could be threatened by the Liu murder. Already, Rep. Tom Lantos, D-Calif., the Liu family's congressman, has asked for hearings on the case.

There is evidence of a pattern of harassment, which I have documented in the past. Here's the record:

• Five years ago, I reported that Taiwan had sent streams of agents into the United States to infiltrate Chinese-American groups that favored Communist China. This was confirmed by a secret 1979 Senate report, which also reported that the Taiwanese government had even considered sending letter

bombs to prominent Americans who were pro-Peking.

• Three years ago, I reported that Chen Wen-cheng, a Carnegie-Mellon University professor who had dared to criticize the Taiwanese government, had died violently during a visit to his native Taiwan. There was evidence that he had been viciously tortured during 13 hours of interrogation by the security police. But the Taiwanese authorities claimed he had committed suicide by jumping off a high-rise building.

The Taiwanese admission of involvement in the Liu murder came as a surprise. Intelligence sources confirmed to my associate Donald Goldberg that the killers belonged to the notorious Bamboo Gang, one of Taiwan's largest organized crime combines. The government had just begun a massive crackdown on organized crime in Taiwan; intelligence sources believe the Bamboo killers murdered a troublesome government critic as part of a deal to win immunity for their organization. The sources aren't certain which side initiated the arrangement.

COMPUTER HANGUP — The Pentagon is having serious problems keeping track of its inventories, as everyone knows by now. Unfortunately, it's also having serious problems with a fancy computer system that was supposed to keep track of weapons inventory and maintenance schedules.

The system was begun in October 1982, and given a nifty acronym, MARS (Material Readiness Support), but has been going downhill ever since. According to an internal Pentagon analysis, the project is already a year and a half behind schedule, and will cost at least \$600,000 more than its original \$2 million budget.

Even worse, the MARS system can do only a small portion of the work it was supposed to be capable of. Instead, the new system will be hooked up to "interface" with existing computer systems so it can carry out its original mission.

DIPLOMATIC DIGEST — In Foggy Bottom, the importance of a particular country in an administration's eyes is measured by the size of its "desk" — State Department lingo for the office that deals with a country or region. In the old, pre-Khomeini days, Iran rated a full, separate desk with several desk officers. Now, to mark the current low point in U.S.-Iranian relations, the Iran desk has been combined with the Iraq desk. This represents a significant promotion for Iraq, which used to be part of the Lebanon-Syria-Iraq desk. The Iraqi embassy was duly informed of the upgrading.

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

Insight

A different State of the Union

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan and his opponents differ on the true State of the Union. But government statistics paint a picture of a United States different in many ways today than in January 1981 when Reagan took office.

For one thing, there are nearly 9 million more Americans now than there were then. But simple population growth isn't the only change that has occurred.

Calculating the well-being of 237,347,000 people is a complex issue and much of the detailed information can take a long time to collect. But trends can be spotted from the statistics Americans and their government compile with great intensity. Here is a rundown, based on the latest data available:

PEOPLE

For the year ending last October, the nation's birth rate was 15.5 live births per 1,000 residents. That is a drop from a rate of 16.2 for 1980, before Reagan took office.

The death rate, meanwhile, fell from 8.9 per 1,000 in 1980 to 8.6 last year. The infant death rate was 12.5 per 1,000 live births in 1980, and is now down to 10.5.

The marriage rate fell from 10.9 per 1,000 people in 1980 to 10.5 last year. The divorce rate dipped too, down from 5.3 to 5.1 per 1,000. Overall, 65.5 percent of Americans were married in 1980 and 64.5 percent in 1982.

The share who remained single grew from 20.3 percent to 20.9 percent and the divorced increased from 6.2 percent to 7.0 percent. The

number of widowed Americans dropped from 8.0 percent to 7.7 percent.

There were 94.5 men for every 100 women in 1982, the same as in 1980.

The nation's median age, which reached 30.0 years in 1980, has climbed to 30.6.

HEALTH

Health expenditures rose from \$1.075 per person in 1980 to \$1.365 in 1982, rising from 9.5 percent to 10.5 percent of the gross national product.

Medicare payments jumped from \$36.8 billion in 1980 to \$52.2 billion in 1982, while Medicaid and other public assistance for medical care rose from \$28.5 billion to \$36 billion.

FOOD

Per capita consumption of meat fell from 186.2 pounds in 1980 to 170.8 pounds in 1982. Fish and poultry consumption was also off slightly; vegetable consumption increased somewhat.

The average weekly cost of food for a family of four rose from \$88.10 in 1980 to \$95.40 in 1983.

EDUCATION

As the post-war Baby Boom generation finished its schooling, enrollment fell from 58.5 million in 1980 to 57.7 million in 1982.

The median years of education grew from 12.5 years in 1980 to 12.6 in 1982. Average Scholastic Aptitude Test scores edged up from 424 to 426 in the verbal portion and from 466 to

467 in the math segment. Public schools spent an average of \$2,678 per pupil in 1982, up from \$2,275 in 1980.

CRIME

The nation's crime rate dipped from 5,900 per 100,000 people in 1980 to 5,553 in 1982.

The prison population increased from 315,974 to 396,072.

THE ELDERLY

The number of people age 65 and over totaled 26,285,000 in 1982, 11.6 percent of the population. That's up from 11.3 percent in 1980.

Among the elderly there are 67.2 men per 100 women, a decline from 67.6 in 1980.

AGRICULTURE

The number of small farms has increased sharply, with spreads of under 50 acres totaling 632,000 in 1982. That was up 17 percent from the last count in 1978.

However, most of the increase was among part-time farmers who also have other jobs. Among commercial operations, those between 50 acres and 1,999 acres declined and the number and size of the larger operations increased.

EMPLOYMENT

Unemployment held steady at a relatively high 9.7 percent in 1982 and 9.6 percent in 1983. But it fell last year, ending up at 7.2 percent in December as the economy expanded to create 3.2 million new jobs.



Around The Rim

Comunismo y democracia

Por LUIS RIOS
Escritor del Herald

El comunismo es la ideología y forma de gobernar en china, rusia y otros países asociados con estas gran fuerzas.

Nomas la palabra "comunismo" nos pone a pensar del poder de rusia y la posibilidad de otra guerra mundial. Pero, lo que mas nos asusta del comunismo es no saber en realidad que es.

Lo que sabemos es nomas lo que oímos y lo que leemos. Es verdad que no sabemos como viven las personas en los países donde hay comunismo. Y ellos menos saben como vivimos nosotros aqui en los estados unidos.

Comunismo es un sistema caracterizado por la ausencia de clases sociales y todos tener el mismo el medio de poder producir propiedad.

Pero los estados unidos fue formado por dos ideologías — la democracia y tambien el capitalismo. Uno es una forma de goberno y el otro es una forma de hacer negocio. Las dos formas se juntan para hacer los estados unidos el poder militar y de negocio que es hora en el mundo.

Una sin la otra no pueden trabajar. Se necesitan para vivir.

Hay gente aqui en Big Spring que le dice y le quiere explicar que el comunismo y su forma de socialismo puede existir en los estados unidos. Un hombre me dijo que este país seria mas mejor para la gente si era comunista o socialista.

Me quiso explicar que el gobierno era responsable por toda la gente aqui. Me dijo que el gobierno debia pagar por todas las medicinas y por los medicos, por la renta o casa donde vive uno, por la comida y ropa y debia conseguirnos trabajos a todos trabajando por el gobierno.

En otras palabras todos trabajaríamos por una causa. La causa del goberno y este país y todo lo que representa — no importa si lo que representa este gobierno es contra nuestras ideas.

Pero esta idea de gobernar y de negocio trabaja por rusia y otros países comunistas. Pero tambien la combinación de democracia y capitalismo es lo que hace los estados unidos funcionar.

Pero como sabemos que es mas mejor para los otros países en el mundo? Los estados unidos quiere imponer su forma de goberno en estos países y rusia tambien quiere hacer lo mismo con su forma de pensar.

Pero nunca les preguntamos a estos países que en realidad quieren ellos. Nomas asumimos que lo que queremos nosotros trabajara para todos. Pero eso no es verdad, nomas preguntéle aun ruso.

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Rebekahs report visits to the sick

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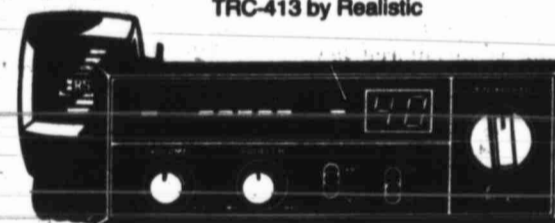
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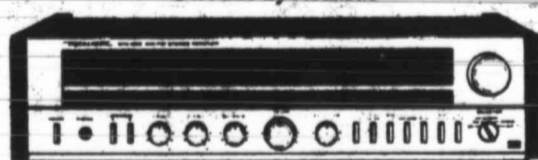


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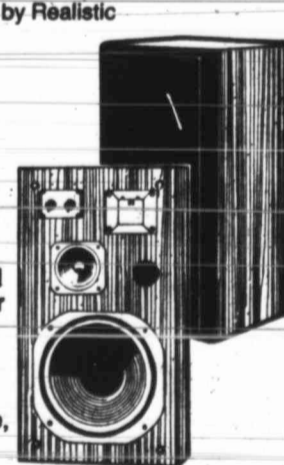
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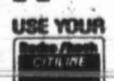
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There's your letter, which I'm pleased to use. Angioplasty is an exciting technique for opening clogged arteries. I'm glad it was so successful for you. It's a way of enlarging the central part of an artery by running a tube into it. Until quite recently it was considered experimental and reserved for only very special cases. But as with everything in medicine, accumulated experience in its use and continued development of the skills involved have brought it into much greater acceptance.

The artery cleaning works this way: The inserted tube has on its end a balloon. When the tip is maneuvered to a narrow segment of the artery, the balloon is inflated, squashing fatty buildup aside, thus permitting free flow of

blood. Angioplasty is used now not only for leg arteries, but for those of the heart muscle, obviating the necessity of opening the chest. It

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Shower honors mother, baby

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Hostesses for the event were: Marguerite Cooper, Mrs. Harold Cain, Mrs. Francys Plowman, Mrs. Billy Rudd, Mrs. M.L. Kirby, Mrs. Dick Davis, Mrs. Jerry Oliphant, Mrs. R.C. Stocks, Mrs. Wade Shanks, Mrs. Ben Hitt, Mrs. Royce Griffith, and Mrs. R.G. Adkins. The hostesses presented the honorees with a stroller.

Special guests at the shower were the baby's four-year-old sister, Cynthia, her aunts, Mrs. Robbie Cadenhead, Mrs. Oscar Franco and her great-aunt, Jeanette Mansfield.

Guests were registered at a table covered with a pink cloth edged in white lace. Pink flowers in a crystal vase and a ceramic rabbit decorated the register table. The guest book was made by Mrs. Kirby using a bib for the front cover.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a pink cloth edged in white lace. It was centered with a small pink and white teddy bear encircled with pink net and flowers, flanked by pink candles in crystal holders.

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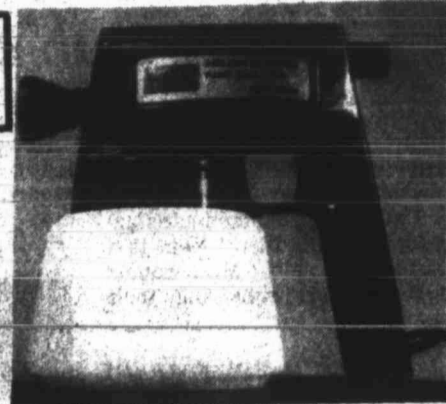
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Saving energy can earn you credit

By ROBERT METZ
(Seventh of a series)
Government officials wonder why more taxpayers don't claim the sizable deductions allowed for home improvements that cut energy costs.

Critics of the Internal Revenue Service have an answer: They say the government's definition of improvements that qualify for the residential-energy credit is too narrow and that filing for the credit is too complicated.

Residential-energy tax credits were approved by Congress in 1978 to encourage homeowners to make their dwellings more energy-efficient.

So if you spent money insulating your home or adding a source of renewable energy to it, you can probably cut your taxes.

There are two types of expenditures that qualify for a credit:

Under the general category of weatherizing your home, you can deduct 15 percent of what you spend for weatherproofing, up to a maximum credit of \$300 per residence. Improvements qualifying for this credit include:

- Insulation for ceilings, walls, roofs, floors and water heaters.
- Storm windows and doors.
- Caulking and weatherstripping to make your home more airtight.
- More efficient heating equipment, including ignition systems that replace gas pilot lights.
- A thermostat that automatically turns your furnace on or off.
- A meter that shows the cost of energy used.

CUT YOUR OWN TAXES AND SAVE

These items must be new, must be expected to last at least three years, and must meet performance standards set by the Treasury. Ask the seller for proof that the items you're buying qualify for the credit.

To qualify for the credit for energy-saving items, your home

must have been virtually completed before April 20, 1977. Carpeting, drapes, interior paneling and exterior siding don't qualify for the credit, even if they insulate.

Under the general category of expenditures for renewable energy sources, you may take a credit of 40 percent of the first \$10,000 you spend on a single residence. Improvements that qualify:

- Solar equipment, such as rooftop collectors, rock beds to store heat, and heat exchangers. These systems can be designed either to heat your home directly or to produce electricity.
- Geothermal equipment that distributes natural heat stored in rock or underground water.
- Windmills that capture wind energy to produce electricity.

You cannot take a credit for money you spent for a wood-burning stove or a peat-burning system; nor do hydrogen-fueled devices, greenhouses or swimming pools used for energy storage qualify.

To qualify, the renewable energy improvements must have been installed after April 19, 1977, the day the government proposed the

credits. You can be either the owner of the home or the renter who lives there, but it must be your principal residence. A vacation home does not qualify. You must be the first person to use the item, and it must have an expected life of at least five years.

To claim an energy credit, fill out form 5695 and enter the credit on line 43 of your form 1040.

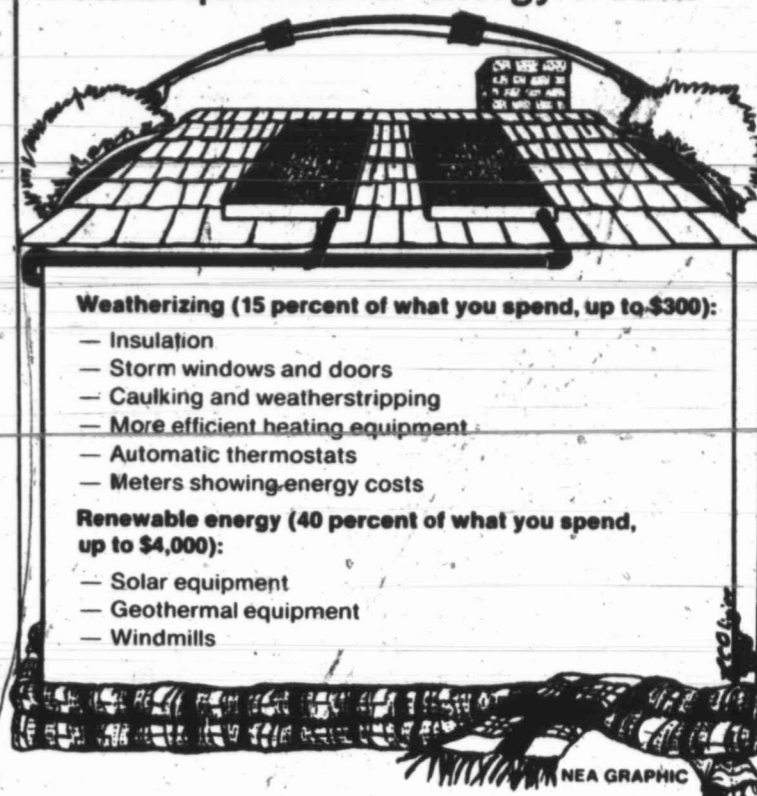
If your energy credit is greater than the amount of tax you owe, you can reduce your current tax liability to zero and carry over the unused portion of your credit to count against next year's taxes.

Bear in mind that the \$300 energy credit ceiling for weatherizing expenditures and the \$4,000 maximum for renewable sources of energy are your limit for as long as you live in that home. If you took a \$25 credit for weatherstripping your home in 1982 and a \$200 credit for insulating your home in 1983, you cannot take more than a \$75 year credit this year, no matter how much you spent on storm windows in 1984.

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What qualifies for energy credits



Weatherizing (15 percent of what you spend, up to \$300):

- Insulation
- Storm windows and doors
- Caulking and weatherstripping
- More efficient heating equipment
- Automatic thermostats
- Meters showing energy costs

Renewable energy (40 percent of what you spend, up to \$4,000):

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Novel reviewed at Hyperion meeting

Mrs. Rogers Hefley reviewed the book *Silver Wings, Santiago Blue* by Janet Dailey at the Jan. 17 meeting of the 1985 Hyperion Club. The meeting was held at the Big Spring Country Club.

The story is about the first

Women Airforce Service Pilots (WASPs). They were trained during World War II at Avenger Field in Sweetwater.

In spite of disapproval from family and friends, four young women of varying backgrounds ar-

rived determined to earn the silver wings of an Army pilot and the Santiago Blue uniform of the WASPs. Dailey brings to life the despair, romance and danger of women performing men's jobs in a man's world.

In business, members answered roll call by showing articles made by them. Reports to the Western District were to be mailed by Feb. 1. Mrs. Walter Ross was a guest.

The next meeting will be Feb. 21.

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Reagan calls for simplification of income tax code

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more than 35 percent."

The president's fourth State of the Union speech restated such familiar Reagan themes as

smaller government and family values, and he gave lawmakers a pitch for major elements of his new budget — with its call for a \$30 billion increase in defense spend-

ing and \$39 billion in domestic spending cuts.

"Tonight was a night of eloquent generalities. Tomorrow he must begin to inform people as to the

sometimes difficult realities of the Reagan revolution," said House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass.

Although Republican congressional leaders have been near

unanimous in their criticism of the high level of defense spending in Reagan's budget proposal, the president told Congress: "We must not relax our efforts to restore military strength."

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Tax district retains officers

The Howard County Consolidated Tax Appraisal District will retain its 1984 officers through 1985.

The board met yesterday and unanimously approved a motion that Billy Smith continue as chairman, Rob Roberson as vice president and D.D. Johnston as secretary. Johnston and J. Arnold Marshall were absent from the meeting.

The board also unanimously approved to retain the services of Maxwell Green of Green & Fillingim, a certified public accountant firm. Green audited the district's 1984 financial records and will continue to in 1985.

The board spent the rest of the meeting reviewing drafts for a policy and personnel book that Chief Appraiser Gene Pereira is assembling for staff employees.

Challenger files for school trustee

W. Wayne Henry, an employee of Fiberflex, has filed for the Dist. 4 position on the Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees.

The position is currently held by Jimmy Anderson, who has not indicated whether he will seek reelection in April.

Henry resides at 2508 Allendale.

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Notes

By Charlie Alcorn



The WJCAC stats released for the week ending February 3 showed steady improvement for the Hawk Queens and Hawks as the final weeks of the season come to a head.

The Hawks Mike Porter continues to stand out among the league's best, averaging 18.5 points per contest and 5.3 assists which placed him 5th and 3rd respectively in the WJCAC. Porter is also the league's third most accurate free throw shooter with a .813 percentage.

Bruce Kimble is sixth in scoring with a 17.6 average and Joe Burney is eleventh with a 13.2 average per game. Walt Reynolds is averaging 8.1 rebounds per contest, good enough to place him third among the league's top boardmen.

As a team, Howard is averaging 82.9 points per game and allowing 77.6 defensively for a third and eighth place ranking respectively. The Hawks are eighth in field goal percentage at .492 and lead the league in free throw percentage with a sparkling .719 percentage.

Hawk Queen Molly Early is the 11th leading scorer in the WJCAC, averaging 13.1 points per contest. Alex Provincio is the 10th leading rebounder with 6.7 boards per game.

As a team, Howard ranks fourth and third respectively in the offensive (70.8) and defensive (60.3) categories. The Queens rank seventh in both free throw and field goal percentages.

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The District 4-5A boy's statistics show Big Spring's Benard Williams as the league's 10th leading scorer, averaging 15.5 points per game. Mike Leuschner is 16th with a 13-point average and is currently 12th among the district's rebounders with 6.5 a game.

As a team, the Steers continue to lead the league in total rebounds averaging 33.1 a game. Big Spring ranks fifth in offensive output at 63.9 points per game.

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The Runnels Junior High school boy's A team defeated the Snyder Junior High squad, 44-42, in a tight contest Tuesday afternoon at Snyder.

Leading scorer for Runnels was Carleton Clark with 20 points. Kiley Jones was the leading rebounder with 13 and Ben Gonzales was cited for his excellent defensive contribution. The "A" team (not to be confused with the latently violent television show), raised their record to 4-5.

In the B game, Runnels took a 33-27 victory over Snyder. John Smith led the scoring with 15 points. Ed Vinas had 8 points, and Dennis Harsteld tallied 6 in the winning effort. The B squad was cited for their excellent team play as they ran their record to an impressive 8-2 on the year.

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The Big Spring Chicano Golf Association has rescheduled its benefit Louisiana draw tournament for Linda Gonzales to this Sunday February 10, at the Municipal course. There will be a \$10 fee per man in an ABCD format. A meeting of the organization has been rescheduled for 7:30 this Friday, February 8 at La Bodega to elect new officers and provide more information about the tournament.

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Anyone interested in becoming a Dallas Cowboy season ticket holder should contact the Cowboy Ticket Office at 214-369-8000.

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Crossroad country recruiting is picking up steam with the national signing date for major colleges coming up on February 13.

Colorado City's Doug Chitsey has made a verbal agreement with UTA. The 6'2, 195 lb. quarterback threw for 2,400 yards and 24 touchdowns and was picked as the Most Valuable Offensive Player on the West Texas Super Team. Chitsey was also selected 2nd team 3A All-State.

Chitsey's battery mate, 6'4 190 lb. Don Randle, has been rumored to be leaning toward Eastern New Mexico in Portales. The 1st team 3A All-State tight end has also been looking at UTEP, Howard Payne, McMurray, and could possibly hook up with his old quarterback at UTA.

Coahoma's All Crossroads Country defensive tackle Shawn Justiss is also leaning toward Eastern New Mexico in the recruitment hunt.



First place team (You All) at the United Way Volleyball tournament held at the Federal Prison Camp. Back row, left to right: Karen Wilson, Cottie Paulin, Helen Scott, Tammy Newson. Front row, left to right: Lana Williams, Deanna Cotton, Paula Baker. The tournament raised over \$1000 and another one is scheduled for Feb. 22-24. The entry deadline is Feb. 15, with a \$25 fee per team. For more information call 267-5201.

Porkers hold off No. 4 Ponies

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK. — Freshman Kenny Hutchinson, less than a .500 percent free throw shooter, made two charity attempts with 16 seconds remaining and Arkansas held off fourth-ranked Southern Methodist 69-66 in a Southwest Conference game last night.

Hutchinson's shots gave the Razorbacks a 67-64 lead. SMU's Jon Koncak pulled down an offensive rebound and scored with seven seconds remaining, but the Mustangs had to foul Joe Kleine with two seconds remaining. Kleine iced the game with his two shots.

The loss, only the third of the season for the Mustangs against 18 victories. It left SMU with a one game cushion over Arkansas in the SWC race. Arkansas is 7-3 in league play and 16-8 for the season.

Even though Hutchinson made the free throws, it was the outside shooting of freshman shooter Byron Irvin and the inside work of Charles Balentine that lifted the Razorbacks past the Mustangs.

Irvin had 18 points and made 9 of 12 shots from the floor, only one of those inside. Balentine, who scored a career-high 29 points in a 63-60 overtime loss to SMU earlier, scored 17 points, including 13 in the second half.

SMU led by five points at the half, but Arkansas took the lead, 38-37 on an Irvin bomb — the Razorbacks first lead since 8-5 early in the game.

Houston 94

Texas 80

HOUSTON — Greg Anderson scored 30 points to lead five Houston Cougars in double figures and the Cougars used a baseline-to-baseline pressing defense to wilt the Texas Longhorns 94-80 in SWC play.

The Cougars ended a four-game losing streak and improved their record to 14-8 overall and 6-4 in SWC action. The Longhorns fell to 11-9 and 4-6.

Texas, which defeated the Cougars 61-58 in their first meeting this season, led twice in the opening minutes but trailed 39-27 at halftime.

Playoff picture
shaping up

With the regular season basketball season winding down there are a number of Crossroads area teams that have a shot at post-season play.

The Klondike Cougars, (24-1) and ranked number 6 in the state polls, are already in the playoffs. Coach Jimmy Thomas' crew won the first half of District 10-A with a 5-0 record. They presently lead the district with a 3-0 mark.

In Garden City, people are already preparing for the playoffs. The Lady Bearcats won the District 16-A first half crown with a 5-0 mark. They currently lead the second half with a 3-0 record.

Coach Bill May's Borden County Lady Coyotes have earned themselves a place in the state playoffs by virtue of their first half, second place finish in 10-A play. The Lady Coyotes finished 4-1 behind undefeated O'Donnell.

Borden County and O'Donnell is set for another showdown this Friday in Gail. Both teams take 4-0 records into the contest.

A good second half boy's race is heating up in District 16-A. Forsan, Sands and Grady all have chances. Friday game's will pit Grady versus front-runner Sterling City and Sands versus Forsan.

The Coahoma girls and Colorado City boys also have playoff possibilities in District 6-3A.

Coach Mike Hart's C-City Wolves finished in a first-place tie with Crane in the first half of district play. Both teams had 4-1 records. The Wolves are currently 1-0 in second half play going into Friday's contest with Ozona.

The Coahoma girls, coached by Bill Dennis, are looking for their second straight trip to the playoffs. They are still in the playoff picture by virtue of their second place finish in the first half play. Coahoma finished with a 4-1 record behind undefeated Crane.

The Bulldogettes are currently 1-2 in second half action. Coahoma's future rests with the outcome of Friday's Crane-Sonora contest in Crane. Both teams bring 4-0 second half records into the meeting.

If Crane defeats Sonora, then Crane would win the outright district championship. Coahoma and Sonora would have to have an extra playoff game to see who is the runner-up. But if Sonora defeats Crane, Coahoma is out of the playoff picture and Crane and Sonora would play again to determine the district champion.

Aggies 78

Baylor 74

COLLEGE STATION — Kenny Brown scored 23 points to pace Texas A&M to a 78-74 win over Baylor.

Carlos Briggs led Baylor with 21 points but missed a shot from the corner before the final buzzer. The shot would have tied the game at 76.

David Glover fouled Winston Crite on the rebound and Crite made two free throws with no time on the clock.

Ga. Tech 81,
(5) Duke 71

ATLANTA — Mark Price scored 22 points and John Salley and Yvon Joseph each had 17 as the 10th-ranked Georgia Tech pounded No. 5 Duke 81-71 in Atlantic Coast Conference basketball Wednesday night.

The Yellow Jackets surged to an 8-0 lead in the first 3 and a half minutes, and Duke was never able to get within five the rest of the way.

The victory lifted the Jackets to 17-4 on the year and 6-3 in conference. Duke fell to 16-4 and 5-4 and had a three game winning streak snapped.

Illinois St. 73,
(17) Tulsa 72

TULSA — Micheal McKenny dropped in a layup with seven seconds remaining in overtime to give the Salukis a 73-72 victory over 17th-ranked Tulsa in Missouri Valley Conference basketball action Wednesday.

Dayton 67,
(18) DePaul 63

CHICAGO — Sedric Toney scored a game-high 22 points, including eight free throws in the final 1:04 Wednesday night, to engineer Dayton's upset of No. 18 DePaul and complete the Flyers' back-to-back upsets of the Blue Demons.

It was Dayton's second victory



Associated Press photo

Post players JON KONCAK (33) of the SMU Mustangs and Arkansas' JOE KLEINE lock up in a heated battle underneath.

over DePaul in 12 days and snapped the Blue Demons' 36-game consecutive win streak at home. DePaul, led by Marty Embury's 17 points, slipped to 14-6.

(2) Georgetown 71,
Fla. Southern 39

LANDOVER — Reggie Williams and Perry McDonald each scored 12 points to lead a balanced Georgetown attack that earned the second-ranked Hoyas an easy 71-39

college basketball rout over Florida Southern Wednesday night. The Hoyas, 20-2, started out slowly but never trailed after scoring 12 straight points first-half points to take a 14-4 lead. The Moccasins, a NCAA Division II team with no one on the rosterover 6'6, continually had problems with 7-foot Georgetown center Patrick Ewing, who finished with only four points but had six blocked shots in the decisive first half.

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New York	18	32	360
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Detroit	30	18	625
Chicago	24	24	500
Atlanta	20	28	400
Indiana	16	33	327
Cleveland	15	33	313
WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Midwest Division			
Denver	31	20	608
Houston	27	21	563
Dallas	27	23	540
San Antonio	24	25	490
Utah	22	27	449
Kansas City	16	32	333
Pacific Division			
L.A. Lakers	35	16	696
Phoenix	24	25	490
Portland	21	30	412
Seattle	21	30	412
L.A. Clippers	20	29	408
Golden State	11	37	229

Wednesday's Games			
Philadelphia 116, Washington 111			
New Jersey 106, Milwaukee 93			
Boston 113, Cleveland 108			
Dallas 120, Golden State 103			
Denver 120, Seattle 101			
Thursday's Games			
Chicago at Cleveland			
Detroit at Washington			
Atlanta at Milwaukee			
Golden State at Houston			
L.A. Clippers at San Antonio			
Utah at Kansas City			
Indiana at Phoenix			
Friday's Games			
No games scheduled			
Saturday's Games			
No games scheduled			
Sunday's Game			
All Star Game at Indianapolis			

NHL Glance

WALE CONFERENCE			
Patrick Division			
Washington	33	13	8
Philadelphia	29	16	6
NY Islanders	28	22	3
NY Rangers	17	27	8
Pittsburgh	18	26	5
New Jersey	16	29	6
Adams Division			
Buffalo	26	15	12
Montreal	26	17	10
Quebec	25	21	7
Boston	24	22	7
Hartford	17	28	5
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE			
Norris Division			
St. Louis	24	19	9
Chicago	23	28	3

Minnesota	16	27	10
Detroit	16	30	8
Toronto	11	35	7

Edmonton	38	10	6
Calgary	28	20	7
Winnipeg	28	22	5
Los Angeles	23	21	9
Vancouver	15	33	7

Wednesday's Games			
Calgary 7, Hartford 4			
St. Louis 4, Vancouver 0			
Buffalo 3, Minnesota 1			
Winnipeg 6, Edmonton 2			
Chicago 3, Toronto 2			
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Hartford at Boston			
Pittsburgh at New Jersey			
St. Louis at Detroit			
Los Angeles at Philadelphia			
Montreal at Quebec			
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N.Y. Rangers at N.Y. Islanders			
Los Angeles at Washington			
Edmonton at Minnesota			
Vancouver at Winnipeg			

SWC Standings

Southwest Conference					
	Conference			All Games	
	W	L	Pct.	W	L Pct.
Southern Meth.	8	2	.800	18	3 .857
Texas A&M	7	3	.700	15	6 .714
Arkansas	7	3	.700	16	8 .667
Houston	6	4	.600	14	8 .636
Texas Tech	5	4	.556	13	7 .650
Texas Christian	4	6	.400	12	9 .571

Texas	4	6	400
Rice	2	8	200
Baylor	1	8	111

Saturday's Results			
Texas 66, Texas Tech 61			

THIS WEEK'S GAMES			
SUNDAY: Illinois 77, Houston 76;			
Southern Methodist 68, Rice 52;			
Georgetown 56, Arkansas 39.			
TUESDAY: Texas Tech 86, Midwestern 74			
WEDNESDAY: Arkansas 69, Southern Methodist 66; Texas A&M 78, Baylor 74;			
Rice 62; Texas Christian 61; Houston 94, Texas 20.			
SATURDAY: Southern Methodist at N.C. State; Arkansas at Texas Christian.			

NAIA Top 20

The Top Twenty teams in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics basketball poll, with first-place votes, this season's records and points, through games of Feb. 3:			
1. SW Oklahoma (23)	21-0	574	
2. Saginaw Val., Mich.	17-0	538	
3. Carson-Newman, Tenn.	22-1	525	
4. Fran. Merriam, S.C.	18-2	448	
5. Cent. Arkansas	16-2	410	
6. Union, Tenn.	20-1	405	
7. Wayland Baptist, Texas	18-4	384	

8. Berry, Ga.	21-4	338	
9. Portland, Ore.	16-7	306	
10. Charleston, S.C.	16-3	287	
11. Georgia-Southwest	17-2	259	
12. Mo. Southern	16-2	258	
13. Louisiana College	14-3	221	
14. Tarleton St., Texas	16-4	179	
15. Alabama-Huntsville	13-4	161	
16. Dillard, La.	15-4	154	
17. Aquinas, Mich.	19-4	147	
18. Mo.-Kansas City	19-5	112	
19. Okla. Christian	19-4	107	
20. Wingate, N.C.	15-6	46	

NAIA Women's Top 20

The Top Twenty teams in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics basketball poll, with first-place votes, this season's records and points:			
1. Charleston, SC (25)	19-2	452	
2. NE Okla. (2)	18-2	391	
3. Washburn, Kan. (3)	20-3	384	
4. Wis-Stevens Pt. (1)	14-4	366	
5. W Va Wesleyan	16-2	315	
6. Ft. Hays St., Kan.	19-3	308	
7. St. Mary's, Texas	16-4	270	
8. Wis-Eau Claire	16-3	269	
9. Saginaw Val., Mich.	18-3	185	
10. Westmont, Calif	18-3	164	
11. Hawaii-Pacific	23-5	134	
12. Biola, Calif	20-3	118	
13. Chaminade, Hawaii	20-7	85	
14. Georgetown, Ky	19-2	72	
15. St. Thomas Aquinas, NY	24-5	54	
16. Wiley, Texas	23-4	51	
17. Birmingham-Sou., Ala	18-4	32	
18. Cumberland, Ky	19-2	25	
(tie) Ga Southwest	16-3	25	
20. Webber, Fla.	24-2	19	

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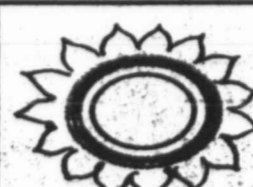
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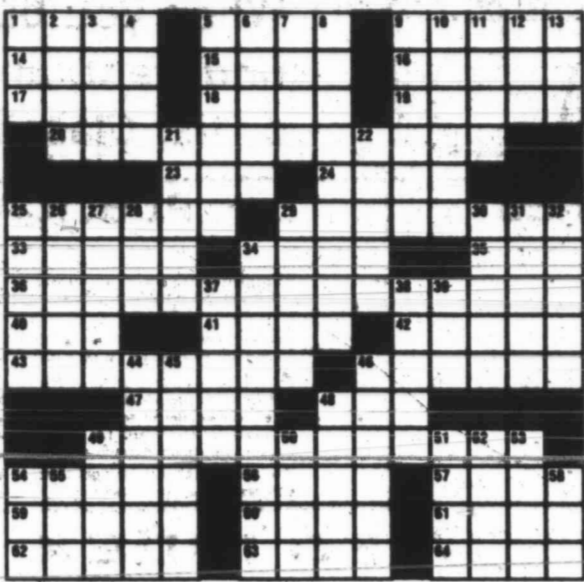
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THE Daily Crossword

by CF Murray

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- Gentle as a —
 - Town map
 - Punctuation mark
 - "A Death in the Family" author
 - Take on
 - "What's in —?"
 - Bartok or Lugosi
 - Walters item
 - Fatigue
 - Sturdy
 - Classic car
 - Verve
 - In a dry way
 - Twaddle
 - Laming disease
 - FDN's set
 - Marsh elder
 - Elusive
 - "— body meets a body."
 - do well
 - Quaker family
 - Motion supporter
 - Smart
 - Casual
 - Pasture sound
 - Lagard
 - Spirit of a culture
 - Zola title
 - Spilled one
 - Robert of Scot.
 - Heavy shoe
 - Caliber
 - Places to save
 - Raleon d—
 - Singer Paul

- DOWN**
- Testing place
 - Yellow
 - Discotheque
 - Hungry as a —
 - Bogus
 - Cant
 - Code or rug
 - Mosaic-like
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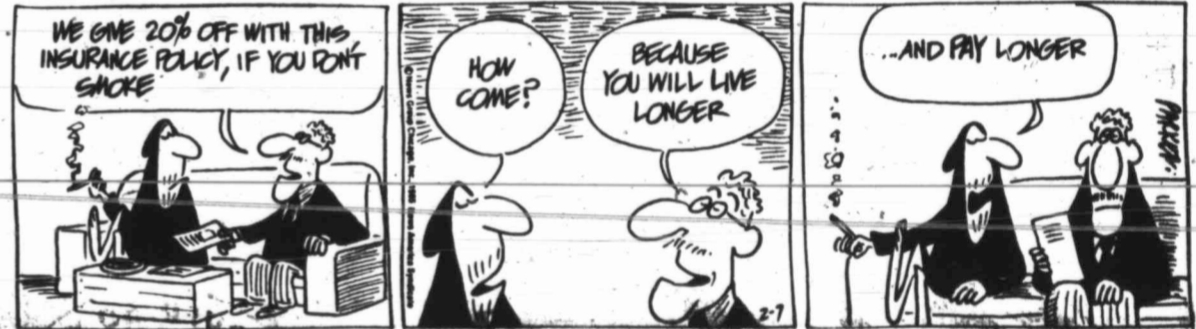
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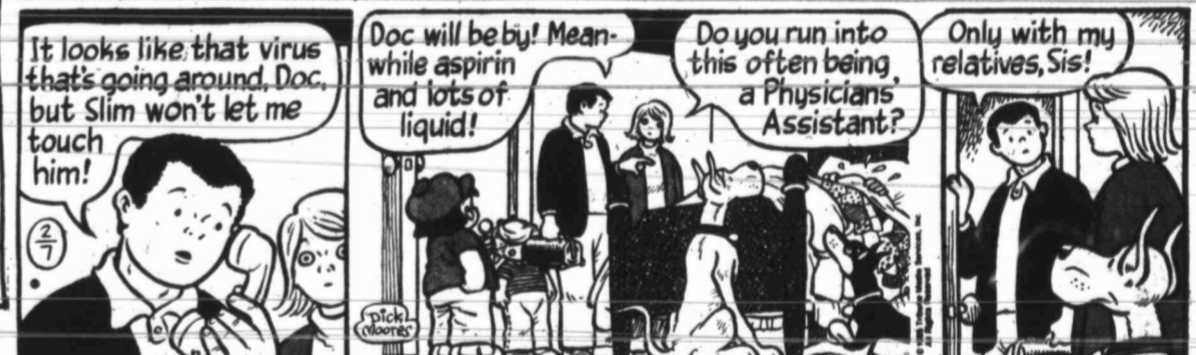
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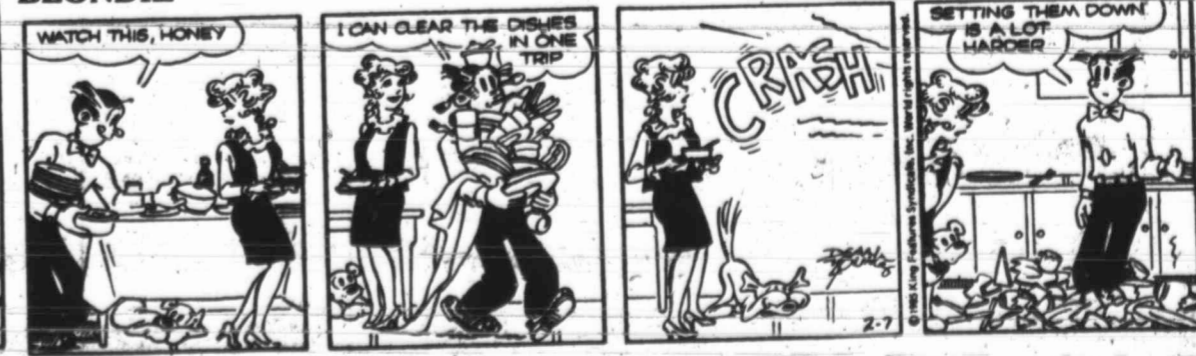
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Houses for Sale 002

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081

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Lodges

101

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Special Notices

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EMPLOYMENT

250

Help Wanted

270

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FINANCIAL

300

Loans

325

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WOMAN'S COLUMN

350

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375

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400

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420

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430

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435

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445

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508

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527

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533

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535

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Miscellaneous

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