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BIG SPRING (TEXAS) THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1985

## Spring Board

### How's that?

#### Public schools

Q. When does Texas Public School week begin?

A. Texas Public School week begins Monday and continues through Friday, according to Janice Rosson, coordinator of Texas Public School week activities locally.

#### Calendar

##### Singing

###### TODAY

• The New Life Chapel at the Industrial Park will sponsor the McKeithens, a gospel singing group, at 7:30 p.m. A nursery will be provided.

• The Tom Castle Country and Western band will perform at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Center.

###### FRIDAY

• The Howard County Library will have story time for pre-school children from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

• A senior citizen's dance is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Friday in Airpark building 487.

###### SATURDAY

• The Howard County Library will show two films from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. They are "The White Seal" and "Who's On First."

• The annual Gem and Mineral Show is slated this weekend at the Dora Roberts fairbarn.

###### MONDAY

• The American Home Economics Association will meet at Herman's Restaurant at 6:30 p.m. Nancy Vassar, R.N., will discuss home health care.

• Tall Talkers Toastmaster Club will have its weekly meeting at 6:30 a.m. in the Holiday Inn Patio Room. Interested persons may attend.

###### TUESDAY

• The AARP will meet at 10 a.m. at Kentwood Center. The program begins at 10:30 a.m.

### Yes, that's rain

A light rain began falling in Big Spring shortly after 10 a.m. today, and a 30 percent chance of continued rainfall remained in the forecast for today.

The light rain brings Big Spring closer to the normal rainfall to date, according to figures at the U.S. Big Spring Field Station.

As of Feb. 27, Big Spring had received .91 of an inch of rain. Normal to date is 1.27 inches. Today's rainfall had not been measured this morning but accumulations were noted in gutters and pedestrians were sent scurrying for cover as the moderate rain fell throughout the city.

The National Weather Service was reporting rain from New Mexico to Lubbock and as far south as San Angelo and Van Horn. The NWS office in Midland was reporting light rain, light winds and temperatures around 50 degrees late this morning.

Cloudy skies should remain in the area through Friday night, according to the forecast.

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## Firemen file petition for civil service

By KEELY COGHLAN  
Staff Writer

The Big Spring firefighters' union Wednesday afternoon filed a petition calling for a city election on state civil service benefits for fire department employees.

Fire Department Capt. Robert Muller, vice president of the Big Spring Professional Fire Fighters Association Local No. 2922, filed the petition at 3 p.m., he said.

Muller said the petitions contain 635 signatures. However, after

counting the signatures, City Secretary Tom Ferguson said firemen had collected 647 signatures.

Firemen need only 358 signatures of registered voters to place the issue of instituting state civil service laws for the city's fire department on the ballot, Ferguson said.

"We still have a few (petitions) out. I'm supposed to get the others in by Friday. We hope to have a lit-

tle over 700 signatures," Muller said.

"Everybody I've talked to so far has been pretty supportive," Muller said. "All we can do is wait and see if we get on the ballot. Once we're on the ballot, we'll go out and work and educate the people."

Ferguson said he requested a current list of all registered voters in the city from Tax Assessor-Collector Dorothy Moore's office. "As soon as I get that, we'll sit

down and compare signatures on the petition with the voter registration list to make sure people (who signed the petition) are properly registered," Ferguson said.

Certification of the petition should take about four to five days once Ferguson receives the voter registration list, he said.

"Then we'll present the petition to the council, and it's up to them to take action on it. They must act (set a date for the elections) within

60 days," Ferguson said.

Union members, who spearheaded the petition drive, said they began collecting signatures in January in hopes of having the issue placed on the April 6 ballot.

The union has about 35 members, 75 percent of the city's force, Muller said.

Fire Chief Carl Dorton, who is not a member of the union, said he had no comment on the petition filing.



Jeremy Pope kicks a ball during an old-fashioned game of kickball at Bauer Magnet School.



Bridget Hall finds it's no easy task to catch the kickball during competition on the playground.



E.D. Barnett loses sight of the ball as the wind blows her hair in her face.



GEORGE BUSH

## Bush vows to protect oil future

Bureau and wire reports Vice President George Bush said nothing about a tax reform plan denounced by oilmen but had words of encouragement for the petroleum industry in a visit Wednesday to Midland.

In Austin today, however, Bush told Texas legislators that enacting tax reforms was one of the keys to

continued national economic expansion.

Bush, a former Midland resident in town to kick off its Centennial celebration, called the domestic oil industry "essential to our national security."

"We know that and we're not going to do anything to jeopardize that," the vice president said to

heavy applause during his keynote speech in Midland Wednesday.

Many state officials, including Gov. Mark White, say the "modified flat tax" proposed by the Reagan administration would do away with tax breaks important to the oil industry, especially independents, and destroy the incentive for exploration and drilling.

Earlier this week in Washington, White charged that the tax plan would "destroy" the U.S. energy industry and cost 200,000 jobs in Texas alone.

Bush, himself a former Texas oilman, told his audience the economic growth during the

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## Hightower's plan

### Ag boss offers remedy for farm woes

AMES, Iowa (AP) — The Reagan administration's proposed farm bill is "a piece of idiocy" that will drive one-third of the country's family farmers off the farm, Texas' agriculture commissioner said Wednesday.

At a meeting following the National Crisis Action Rally in Ames, Jim Hightower told about 700 people that his proposed Farm Policy Reform Act offered a "common sense, realistic" alternative to Reagan's plan.

He said the administration's plan would establish lower federal loan rates on most commodities, even though many farmers are going bankrupt because of already-low commodity prices.

"Their program is such an ugly anti-farmer proposal that it will wrinkle your shirt just to read it," Hightower said. "What we've got to have is a full-scale farmer rebellion against the Big Mo-Jos in Washington who are trying to ram this bit of idiocy down our throats."

(Agriculture Secretary John) Block and (budget director) David Stockman have been trying to pit the family farmers against the other taxpayers of this nation, trying to portray the family farmers as poor managers begging for a bailout from their own greed," Hightower said. "We're not going to let them get away with that hogwash any longer."

Hightower said the proposed farm bill was developed by talking to farmers across the

nation.

The eight major parts of the bill are:

- Mandatory production controls subject to producer referendum to limit total U.S. production of storable commodities to actual demand.
- Establishing a federal loan rate at actual cost of production.
- Targeting the program to small and medium-sized farmers, using a progressive scale of production allotments to discourage conglomerate farming.
- Mandatory soil and water conservation practices.
- Debt restructuring, including a temporary moratorium on foreclosures.
- Revitalizing food-for-peace programs.
- Creating self-help crop insurance programs, which would require all producers to contribute a small percentage of their annual production of storable commodities into a Federal Disaster Reserve for use after natural disasters.
- Aggressive market-development programs by the USDA to establish more foreign markets.

The Iowa Farm Unity Coalition organized the mini-rally to explain the proposed farm bill. Those who attended were asked to mail leaflets supporting the proposal to their congressmen and to the White House.



## Cowper says hospital will remain open

Dr. Roscoe Cowper of Cowper Clinic and Hospital said he has no plans to close down the hospital located at 1500 Gregg.

Cowper said, "Right now, we need more doctors" at the hospital. "The hospital is open and the clinic is open," he said this morning, responding to reports that he had closed his hospital.

"We will go from there," he added. He said in the future there is a possibility the hospital may shut down, "but it would be a temporary deal" until another doctor is added to the staff.

Cowper said the clinic, also located at 1500 Gregg, is unaffected by any changes in hospital operation. Hours will remain as usual.

Cowper has been practicing medicine in Big Spring for more than 50 years. He was first an associate of Dr. Charles Bivens in a hospital on Main Street.

After working with Bivens for two years, Cowper opened an office in the Petroleum Building. He practiced there from 1936 until he built his hospital in 1940.





Herald photo by Tim Appel

**SWEEPSTAKES** — The Big Spring High School Meistersingers and the Meistersingers girls' choir both won sweepstakes, the highest rating given, at University Interscholastic League competition Tuesday in Midland. The Troubadours, another BSHS choir, rated two Division II ratings at the competition. Representing the Meistersingers above are, from left, Dana Anderson, Brenda Shirey, Jaime Sotelo, Barbie Holmes and Medina Corwin.

## Accident victim tells story behind wreck

By KEELY COGHLAN  
Staff Writer

A 16-year-old Big Spring man whose car ran into a house late Wednesday morning told police he was being chased by a yellow car with a "Big Bird" on it before the one-car accident occurred.

Tony Ray Phipps of 602 Baylor told police he was traveling east on Kentucky Way, toward the intersection of Kentucky and Tulane, when the accident occurred at 11:24 a.m.

Phipps turned north on Tulane and swerved left into the yard of

706 Tulane to avoid an oncoming vehicle in his lane of traffic, according to the police report.

His 1976 white Mercury Monarch traveled across the lawn and then struck the southeast corner of the house at 706 Tulane, owned by Morris Robertson. Phipps backed up to the sidewalk, where he backed up over a one-foot high cement wall. His car became "hung up" on the wall, according to the report.

Damage to the lawn, house and cement wall was set at \$10,000, according to the police report.

Phipps told police he was being chased by the yellow car immediately before the accident, according to the report.

The car started following Phipps when he was traveling north on Birdwell Lane, he told police. The yellow car turned onto Birdwell from 11th Place and followed him, "staying on his bumper," the report stated.

At one point during the chase, the yellow car struck Phipps' car from behind, he told police. Phipps continued driving on Birdwell to the

## Fire damages pickup truck

An electrical fire in a pickup truck parked in front of the First National Bank Wednesday caused an estimated \$200 damage, according to a Big Spring Fire Department report.

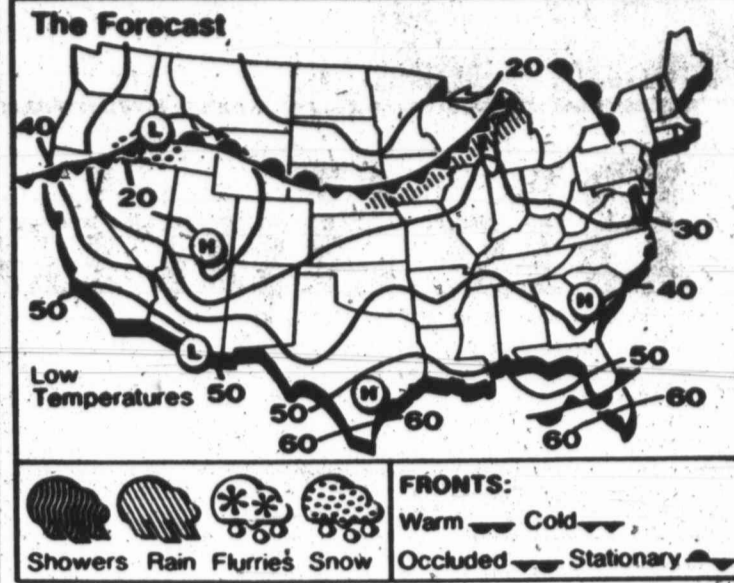
Two firemen, responding to a report of a truck fire at 1:50 p.m., found the fire in the pickup truck already out on their arrival, according to the report.

The fire occurred in the engine compartment of the truck, the report stated.

Firemen do not know who the truck's owner is, according to the report.

Because the truck was parked in front of the bank, firemen waited a few minutes for the owner to come out, but returned to the fire station at 2 p.m., according to Arson Investigator Burr Lea Settles.

## Weather



### Local

An 80 percent chance of rain is in today's forecast with high temperatures reaching the mid 60s. Southerly winds are blowing 10 to 20 miles per hour. Tonight's low will be in the low 40s with southerly winds blowing 5 to 15 miles per hour. Cloudy skies tomorrow will become partly cloudy in the afternoon. High temperature will be in the mid 70s with southwesterly winds blowing 10 to 20 miles per hour and gusty.

### State

Continued mild weather is expected in Texas for the next several days, before another cold front arrives late in the weekend.

Thunderstorms could accompany the front on Sunday, with accompanying much cooler temperatures, meteorologists say. Temperatures are expected to be in the 50s and 60s, and occasionally into the 70s, until then.

Clouds covered most of Texas early this morning. Light rain fell overnight across portions of the southern tip of the state. The light rain was accompanied by fog that reduced visibilities to one-half mile in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

A few patches of light rain were scattered across Southwest Texas. No other rainfall was reported in the state.

A ridge of high pressure covered the eastern half of Texas where winds were light and variable. A low pressure trough developed in the far west producing southerly winds at 5 to 10 mph across west Texas.

### Forecast

**WEST TEXAS:** A chance of drizzle southeast late tonight and Friday morning. Lows tonight mid 30s Panhandle to mid 40s extreme south. Highs Friday mid 60s Panhandle to near 80 Big Bend.

**263-1151**

## Sheriff's Log

### Deputies investigate theft

Sheriff's deputies are investigating an oil field theft that occurred at the Basin Construction Building, four miles west on Highway 176 at the Guitar Ranch.

Two drill bits valued at \$790 were taken between Tuesday and Wednesday.

● Bill Clayton of 1310 Colby reported an auto theft to the sheriff's department yesterday. According to sheriff's reports, a 1942 Plymouth Coupe that was being restored was stolen sometime in February from the Heckler farm, seven miles north of Coahoma.

● Sheriff's deputies issued peace bond warrants to Ellen Marie Anders, 22, of P.O. Box 3324 and Janis Dean Chrisman, 23, of P.O. Box 3324.

They were released on \$1,000 bonds.

● Big Spring police transferred Bobby L. Edmondson, 24, of 608 Goliad, Cathy Ann Bullock, 34, of 707 1/2 E. 15th and Elton Jones, 24, of 810 Andre to county jail after they were arrested for driving while intoxicated.

They were released on \$1,000 bonds.

## Police Beat

### Woman reports checks stolen

Two Social Security checks totaling \$786 were reported stolen Wednesday, according to police reports.

Ramona Munoz of 106 N. Nolan told police Wednesday the checks, made out to her brother Juan Hilario, were stolen in October and November.

● Police early this morning arrested Cathy Williams Bullock, 34, of 810 E. 15th, in the 400 block of the N. service road of Interstate 20 on suspicion of driving while intoxicated.

● Margaret Thomas of 3708 Calvin told police that her front windshield of her 1980 Toyota was broken when an object struck her windshield while she was driving

down Westover. The incident occurred at 11 p.m. Wednesday and caused \$200 damage.

● Police Tuesday afternoon arrested Ronnie Dearl Sutton, 17, of Sterling City Route at 200 S. Gregg on an assault warrant. Sutton was released on bond.

● Janet Schmidt of 2614 Central told police someone stole 30 cassettes, valued at \$25, from her brown 1976 Chevrolet. The tapes were taken between 7 p.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday, according to police reports.

● Jesse Paul Silva of 408 Douglas told police someone broke his house window at noon Wednesday.

## Former Coahoma mayor seeks City Council seat

Former mayor Joe Swinney and two other former City Council members have filed as candidates for three open seats on the Coahoma City Council.

Swinney, who is employed by Harding Well Service, has filed for the mayor's seat currently held by Pat Harrison. He served as mayor of Coahoma from April 1967 through April 1969 and two other terms, from April 1975 through April 1979. He was also appointed mayor by the City Council in April 1979 and served until April 1984 before resigning.

Ronnie Dodson and Billy Sullivan

are seeking two-year term positions on the council. The council consists of only three councilmen following the surprise resignations of Mayor Pro-tem Brian Jensen and councilman Gary Roberts.

No one has filed for the one-year term position, City Secretary Cindy Langston said this morning.

Dodson, who is employed by Petro-Lewis, served two two-year terms from April 1979 through April 1984. Sullivan, who is employed by Walsh and Watts Inc., served a one-year term from April 1983 through 1984.



Former pilot Jerry Provenza, 41, whose subjects include aviation and railroads, was named Artist of the Month by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

## Bush

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Reagan administration will "protect cities like Midland from future economic swings caused by outside forces."

He acknowledged that the oil industry has been dealt some setbacks during the past few years but said: "We can also be confident that our domestic oil industry will come back strong."

In the joint address to the Texas House and Senate, Bush also said controlling the federal budget and liberalizing trade policies were necessary for economic growth.

He accused the U.S. Congress of taking a step in the wrong direction Wednesday in approving legislation authorizing emergency loans to farmers to finance spring plantings.

Bush, a possible 1988 Republican presidential contender and an adopted Texan, delivered the congressional swipe while also repeating the Republican administration's budget pitch in a 15-minute speech.

Democrats dominate both the Texas House and Senate, and members never interrupted Bush's address with applause, in contrast to his Midland speech.

Bush told Texas legislators — facing budget woes of their own — that federal spending must be controlled to sustain continued economic expansion.

The federal economy, largely because of tax cuts imposed by the

Republican team of Ronald Reagan and Bush, has shown remarkable signs of revival, he said.

"The last thing we want to do now is derail this impressive engine of progress," Bush said. "We must keep the economy on the track of growth by lightening the government burden and further liberalizing incentives for work and investment and for risk-taking."

Some Texas Democrats, meanwhile, weren't impressed with Bush's address. Sen. Hugh Parmer, D-Fort Worth, likened it to "Orwellian thinking."

Parmer said Texas' economy — based largely on oil and agriculture — has not yet shown signs of improvement. "This administration," he said, "uses public relations techniques without any recognition of what the realities are."

Parmer said workers in oil and agriculture "are going to find it hard to identify with the portrait of the country that he drew today."

During his Midland speech, Bush also promoted the administration's newly mounted campaign for a showdown vote on the MX missile.

A vote in Congress against the MX would take away an important bargaining chip at upcoming arms negotiations, he said.

Bush also called on the Soviet Union to join with the United States in a chemical weapons ban.

## Water districts seeking permit for dam project

Now that the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the Lower Colorado River Authority have settled their dispute over rights to water in the Colorado River, what lies ahead for the Stacy Reservoir project?

Owen H. Ivie, general manager of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, said the Stacy Dam project will have to have an unencumbered permit from the Texas Water Commission (TWC) before the project can be built.

Should the TWC grant the permit, the reservoir could be in place by 1990, said Joe Pickle, secretary to the water district board.

Local water district members said the TWC may set a pre-hearing March 11 to determine who will be party to the actual hearing set after the pre-hearing.

Ivie has asked the water

district's consulting engineers to update cost estimates for the project in preparation for these meetings.

The next step is a meeting of the district's Long Range Planning committee. The group will meet to consider negotiations with potential customers for part of Stacy's water, Pickle said.

The district will also begin a study of the proposed basin to determine what will be involved in overcoming physical problems such as relocation of highways and roads, power lines, and the reactivation of the environmental permit with the U.S. Engineers, Pickle said.

Once a permit is issued, CRMWD will begin finalized plans and specifications for the reservoir. The district can begin negotiations for required land.

## Shaw pushing legislation requiring 1 license plate

Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau  
AUSTIN — Saying the state's financial worries must be considered, Rep. Larry Don Shaw is pushing a bill to eliminate the requirement for front license plates on vehicles.

Shaw, D-Big Spring, said the bill would save the state \$20 million in five years. He said the money saved "would be better used on Department of Public Safety salaries and other programs within the DPS."

But DPS Capt. Frankie Waller testified that the department supports the two-license plate system. He said the front license plate is an effective tool in law enforcement.

A representative of the Houston Police Officer's Association also

spoke against the bill. "By removing front license plates, you will remove one of the best investigative tools available to law enforcement agencies in the state of Texas," Houston police officer Bill Elkin said.

Shaw defended the bill in closing remarks. "This bill is not an anti-law enforcement bill," Shaw said. "This state is in financial difficulty. I think the \$20 million dollars that would be saved would be better used in crime prevention in this state."

The bill was sent a subcommittee for further study. An identical bill presented last week by Rep. James Horn, R-Denton, is also being considered by that subcommittee.

## Three file for Forsan school board

Two Forsan Independent School District trustees have filed for reelection, said school superintendent J.F. Poyner.

The two members seeking reelection are Larry Bristo and Fred Holguin, who are currently serving three-year terms on the board.

Mrs. Mary Lintner is the third candidate to file for the two, three-year term positions. The filing deadline is March 6.

## Deaths

### Doyle Milner

Doyle L. Milner, 69, died Thursday morning in a local hospital following a lengthy illness. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

**Nalley-Pickle & Welch**  
Funeral Home  
and Rosewood Chapel

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# Nation

By Associated Press

## The dress off her back

HAYWARD, Calif. — When it comes to seeking justice, Municipal Court Judge Peggy Hora doesn't like anything to stand in her way. Not even her clothes.

So when the judge was faced with a women defendant in an ill-fitting, khaki dress issued by the Alameda County jail, she decided that was no way to appear before a jury Wednesday.

The judge stepped into her chambers, slipped off the size 16, beige-and-black striped dress she was wearing and gave it to the defendant.

"You can never tell what a judge has on under the robe. I looked the same as I always look on the bench. It's just that there was no dress there," Ms. Hora said.

## Best, worst U.S. cities

NEW YORK — If you fear crime, flee to Wheeling, W. Va. If public schools are your top priority, you'd rather be in Philadelphia.

But for overall civic perfection, Pittsburgh is tops, according to the new edition of Rand McNally's "Places Rated Almanac," which ranks the quality of life in the 329 cities where three-fourths of the nation's people live.

Authors Richard Boyer and David Savageau say they hope the almanac will become required reading for the 6 million mobile Americans who move from one state to another each year.

At the bottom was Yuba City, Calif., which, until the list was released Wednesday, was best known for its almond groves and the mass murder of 25 migrant farm workers in 1971 for which Juan Corona was convicted.

## Farm rally fills stadium

AMES, Iowa — Sporting signs and stirred by high school bands, 15,000 farmers filled a college stadium to express outrage over federal farm policies, with one lawmaker calling the rally "an alarm clock to wake a sleeping president."

"I think anyone looking around here, seeing this place jammed to the rafters, would have to call it a success," Roger Blobaum of the National Farmers Organization said of Wednesday's rally at the Hilton Coliseum.

Those who couldn't fit inside the 15,000-seat facility at Iowa State University gathered outside to hear participants in the "National Crisis Action Rally" by loudspeaker.

## Diabetic breakthrough

NEW YORK — The discovery of the genetic blueprint for an insulin "trigger" that plays a role in diabetes could ultimately lead to new treatments and custom-designed drugs to treat the disease, which afflicts an estimated one in 20 Americans, a researcher says.

In a report published today, researchers announced the discovery of the gene that guides the production of a molecule called the insulin receptor, which allows human cells to respond to insulin.

The receptor, located on the surface of human cells, triggers cell changes when it detects insulin outside the cell.

# True concessions

## Nicaraguan head offers to bar Cuban advisers

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — President Daniel Ortega offered Wednesday night to have about 100 Cuban military advisers withdrawn from Nicaragua and to put an "indefinite moratorium" on acquiring new weapons systems.

The offer, included in a seven-page document read by Ortega to reporters, is part of a peace proposal which the president earlier said was being sent to U.S. congressional leaders.

The proposals, Ortega said, could help persuade the Reagan administration to "discontinue the hostile policy against Nicaragua" and drop its request for funds from Congress to aid anti-Sandinista rebels.

President Reagan is leading an administration effort to restore \$14 million in aid for rebels fighting to overthrow the leftist Sandinistas, who came to power in a 1979 coup that overthrew the pro-U.S. regime of Anastasio Somoza.

In Washington, State Department spokeswoman Vivienne Ascher said of Ortega's offer: "We haven't received anything directly. When we receive the full text we will study it."

The Nicaraguan government has said there are 200 Cuban military advisers in the country, but other estimates have put the number as high as 2,000.

Among the weapons Ortega said would be covered by the moratorium were "interception aircraft." Nicaragua has contended that it has the right to acquire Soviet MiG fighter planes but says it has not obtained them.

In early November, the Sandinistas received what Western sources said were at least six Soviet MI-24 helicopters — heavily armored aircraft capable of saturating a battlefield with rocket and machine-gun fire. They also have 73 Soviet-made tanks, 120 armored cars and personnel carriers and about 100 howitzers and multiple rocket launchers.

Ortega told foreign and Nicaraguan reporters that his proposals were "a first step toward the fulfillment of the objectives" advocated by the Contadora group, which is seeking a negotiated settlement to Central American conflicts. A proposed Contadora peace treaty calls for the withdrawal of all foreign military advisers from Central America.

Ortega said his offer was "motivated by the seriousness of the regional situation which requires of the governments involved a responsible, mature and flexible attitude, (which) favors easing of tension...."

He said he was confident that Central American governments would sign a peace agreement drawn up by the Contadora countries — Mexico, Colombia, Panama and Venezuela — "and that the North American government will return to the Manzanillo



Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega offers Wednesday night to have about 100 Cuban military advisers withdrawn from Nicaragua and to declare an "indefinite moratorium" on acquisition of new weapons systems.

talks." He referred to talks begun between the United States and Nicaragua in Mexico last June and broken off by the Reagan administration in January.

Ortega revealed some aspects of his proposals after a meeting with visiting U.S. bishops Tuesday night. The Roman Catholic delegation, led by Archbishop John J. O'Connor of New York, went to El Salvador on Wednesday.

Nicaragua has said it would ask Cuba to remove its military advisers as part of the pending Contadora agreement, which calls for removal of foreign military advisers in Central America.

In November 1983, Nicaragua ordered some of the more than 8,000 Cubans believed to have been in the country at the time to leave, and government sources said 2,100 left. Most of them were teachers, doctors, technicians and sports trainers, the sources said.

# Former envoy to Vietnam dies

BEVERLY, Mass. (AP) — Henry Cabot Lodge, the Boston aristocrat who battled the Soviet Union in the United Nations and served two terms as ambassador to South Vietnam as U.S. involvement deepened in Southeast Asia, died Wednesday. He was 82.

Lodge died about 6 p.m. at his home in Beverly after suffering from congestive heart failure, according to his son, George.

With his career, the three-term U.S. senator and 1960 vice presidential candidate changed his famous family's image as

isolationists. He backed the Marshall Plan and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in the Senate, and headed the U.S. delegation to the Vietnam peace talks in Paris in 1969. He also served as ambassador to Germany and presidential envoy to the Vatican.

Lodge led the drive to elect Dwight D. Eisenhower as president in 1952, losing his own Senate seat in the process to a young Bostonian named John F. Kennedy. His sharp wit made him a tourist attraction at the United Nations. And his image as a tough foe of communism helped him win New Hampshire's Republican presidential primary on a write-in vote in 1964.

Lodge urged Americans not to be impatient with the U.N.'s inability to solve major problems. "To many of these questions, there is no basic solution under present conditions," he said. "In many of them, the choice is 'talk or fight.' The fact that the talk may be boring or turgid or uninspiring should not cause us to forget the fact that it is preferable to war."

# World

By Associated Press

## Chinese convict 3 spies

PEKING — Three entertainers, including an actor in a military troupe, have been convicted on charges of spying for the Nationalist Chinese government on Taiwan, recruiting anti-Communist agents and inciting defections, the government announced today.

It was one of the biggest espionage cases reported by Peking in the 36-year-old political dispute between the Communist mainland and capitalist island.

There was no immediate comment from Taiwanese authorities.

## Gromyko visits Spain

MADRID, Spain — Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko arrived today for talks with Spanish officials at a time of growing Western concern about Spain's position in NATO and of chilly U.S.-Spanish relations.

The 75-year-old Gromyko arrived aboard a special Aeroflot flight from Rome, where he had met with Italian officials and Pope John Paul II. He was greeted at Barajas airport by Foreign Minister Fernando Moran and Soviet diplomats based in Spain.

Before Gromyko's departure, the Italian government released the text of a joint Soviet-Italian communique that said both sides favor eliminating nuclear arms and reserving outer space for "exclusively peaceful uses."

## Pan Am workers strike

A strike by transportation union workers against Pan American World Airways led to the cancellation of flights to the United States from Rome and London today, but airline officials said they were accommodating all passengers.

Airline officials elsewhere in Europe, in Africa and the Far East reported little immediate impact.

Pan Am was operating four out of seven scheduled flights from London to the United States today, and "all passengers are being accommodated," said a company spokesman, who spoke on condition he not be identified. He said the airline expected to operate on the same schedule Friday, subject to instructions from company officials.

## Dollar takes tailspin

LONDON — World currencies consolidated their gains against the dollar today after massive intervention by Europe's central banks sent the U.S. currency into a tailspin. But traders warned the dollar's reversal may only be temporary.

Gold prices were little changed in light trading. "The basic perception of the dollar's strength has not changed," said one London currency dealer.

On Wednesday, the banks sold a whopping \$1.5 billion on European exchanges, knocking the dollar into its biggest one-day tailspin in 3½ years.

Their move followed a dollar surge that saw the U.S. currency breaking records almost daily for a month.

## Hijackers surrender to police

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Two Syrians being deported from West Germany hijacked a Lufthansa airliner to Vienna on Wednesday. Agents posing as a reporter and a lawyer convinced the pair to surrender after a five-hour standoff, authorities said.

The hijackers had threatened to kill the pilot if police approached the plane, authorities said, but Lohmeier said after the ordeal that although the pair had brandished knives and glass shards in front of him, they never directly threatened him.

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AT&T Communications has filed restructured tariffs designed to more closely recover access and other costs for private line, DATAPHONE® Digital Service, OCC Facilities, WATS and 800 services.

Also proposed is the institution of a charge for directory assistance to begin to recover access costs incurred for such service, and increases in rates for operator assisted AT&T Long Distance calls.

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The proposed new rates for all services would result in an increase in adjusted test period revenues of \$123.4 million, or 11.3 percent.

A complete copy of the proposed tariffs are on file with the Texas Public Utility Commission.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene or participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information also may be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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# Opinion

## Here's a toast to free speech

Baseball caps askew, the guys belly up to the bar for a cold brew. Back slapping and good-natured kidding ensue. The foamy stuff flows freely. "Welcome ... to Miller time."

Or: Bikini-clad coeds and gorgeous hunks frolic on a sandy beach, then reach for a Stroh's. (Or is it a Bud?)

If millions of Americans now consider beer indispensable to good times, television ads like those probably are one of the reasons. But do the commercials contribute to alcohol abuse?

Yes, insists an unusual coalition of consumer, parent-teacher and temperance groups. They want Congress to ban all beer and wine commercials from the airwaves, just as cigarette advertising was snuffed from TV screens 14 years ago.

In our view, that would be an unwarranted erosion of the First Amendment, as would a requirement that broadcasters air more public service announcements warning of the dangers of drinking. True, the Supreme Court has upheld the TV ban on cigarette advertising, but the court also has recognized that "commercial" speech deserves some protection.

Even if an ad ban in this case could pass constitutional muster, it would not necessarily be wise. If government can outlaw one form of speech that some people find distasteful, why not others? And if a product can be legally sold, why can't it be advertised?

Unfortunately, less attention has been paid to those questions than to the alleged link between advertising and alcohol abuse. If the proponents of an ad ban are not wholly persuasive on that score, neither are the beer and wine makers.

They contend that TV ads don't encourage excessive drinking, merely influence brand preference. But it seems obvious that the industry's financial health depends in part on its ability to lure new, younger drinkers. Why else do ads associate beer and wine-drinking with sex appeal and personal success?

The best way out of this debate would be for advertisers and broadcasters, mindful of the threat of government intrusion, to show more restraint and responsibility. Temperance leaders, in turn, should devise more imaginative ways of getting their important message across.

For example, as an antidote to those beery good times, how about a spot showing a broken-down baseball player fighting off the ravages of alcoholism in a sanitarium? His warning could go something like this: "When you're having more than one, think where you could end up. Like me."

## Mailbag

### A turn for the better

To the editor: This letter is to all the people who use the Garden City Hwy. off of Hwy. 87 South.

Evidently, some people do not realize how dangerous this intersection is. More than once I've come too close to having a wreck there caused by people turning onto Hwy. 87 from Garden City Hwy. You need to realize that people driving on Hwy. 87 at a rate of 55 mph (or more) cannot stop on a dime when someone pulls out in front of them. Please stop completely at the stop sign and make absolutely sure there is no oncoming traffic on Hwy. 87.

Put yourselves in their place and think before you pull out. You could get someone hurt or killed and that someone could be you.

R. HOUSEHOLDER  
Sterling City Rt.

### The center of attention

To the editor: I wanted the people of Big Spring to know that the Northside Community Center is doing a lot to help the community.

I needed help recently and other agencies recommended the center. I was scared to death and positive no one would help me. After I explained my situation to Marianne Brown, the director, she made several phone calls and help was on its way.

My situation has improved a lot and I am now a volunteer at the center. Mrs. Brown explained to me that this kind of help is possible because of the support of the people in the community.

So thank you Northside Community Center and all you people of

Big Spring for helping me.  
DONNA SMITH  
2527 Hunter

### A little help from a friend

To the editor: During my cross-country trip from the east coast to the west coast, I and my fellow traveler fell upon hard times and found ourselves stranded in your town of Big Spring, Texas.

If it weren't for the help of Marianne Brown and the Red Cross I may have very well sold all my possessions just to make my way.

Thanks for the help from the Red Cross I may now make my way with pride and dignity.

JAMES O. DOBLOSKY, JR.  
Active Duty USN

### Father says thanks for help

To the editor: On February 1, 1985 my daughter was involved in a serious car accident which resulted in her hospitalization at Malone and Hogan Hospital.

The care she received from the Emergency Medical Service crew and at the hospital was truly outstanding. My wife and I live 260 miles from Big Spring. To be with our daughter my wife spent 13 days in your fine city. We both express our sincere thanks to the entire hospital staff and to the other fine people of your wonderful city, for all their help and moral support which they provided to us in our time of need. You will always be remembered in our prayers.

JIM SCHMITZ  
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## Soviet-style 'Star Wars'

WASHINGTON — President Reagan's "Star Wars" defense plan won't be limited to destruction of incoming Soviet missiles. The Pentagon also wants the capability to blind the Soviets in the crucial early stages of a nuclear exchange by neutralizing their spy satellites, which keep tabs on U.S. ships and other retaliatory forces.

The truth is that "Star Wars" is nothing new. Both sides have had military satellites in space for years. Indeed, Pentagon analysts have been working out priorities for the various kinds of Soviet satellites that would have to be knocked out. According to a secret General Accounting Office study obtained by my associate Dale Van Atta, there are four types of Soviet spy satellites that would have to be destroyed. Here are the satellites and the reasons they qualify for top priority:

• RORSAT (radar ocean reconnaissance satellite): The GAO report describes the deployment in "Star Wars" language. "These satellites provide real-time tracking and targeting data to users in the vicinity of the target or non-real-time data to central control points," the report explains.

In this context, "real-time" means that the location of an American ship is known to Soviet monitors in the area the second the satellite picks it up. It takes longer ("non-real-time") if the Soviet ships aren't monitoring the satellite themselves and the information must get to them by way of a Moscow clearinghouse.

How good is the Soviet RORSAT? The GAO report says it "can probably detect destroyer-size ships in good weather and aircraft-carrier-size ships — or smaller ships in close proximity to each other — in rough seas."

• EORSAT (electronic intelligence ocean reconnaissance satellite): "These satellites are used with RORSATs for detection and tracking of naval vessels in open or coastal waters," the GAO report states, adding:

"The EORSAT is possibly the Soviet space-based system which is most capable of sea target detection. It provides targeting data of about 2-kilometer accuracy to anti-ship missile platforms (on other ships, helicopters, etc.). In land or air warfare, it would also be used to detect airborne warning and control systems, radar sites and operating airfields."

## Insight

# A big switch for telephone companies

**Gone are the days of dialing a dozen numbers to connect to an AT&T competitor. Now, all it takes is dialing the area code, the number and maybe a '1.'**

their sales effort. MCI, for example, does a mailing a month during the three-month pre-subscription period.

There are an estimated 400 companies offering long-distance service in the United States. About a dozen join each battle.

For example, in Bethesda, Md., where eight exchanges will convert next Sunday, 11 companies offered to serve area homes. Four sent literature to households and one, AT&T, called consumers soliciting business.

The others were listed on the local phone company's mailing, but made no other solicitations.

In six states, the local company sends a ballot with the list of participating long-distance companies. But in most cases, only the list comes. To sign up for a service, the customer must notify the long-distance company.

Customers who make no designation usually are hooked to AT&T.

Wayne Purvis, equal access product manager for Pacific Bell, said 65 percent of the customers in some neighborhoods pick a long-distance company, while in others the rate is 20 percent. "We're really scratching our heads to determine why we're getting such variances," he said.

Purvis said economically depressed areas seem to have low response levels. He surmised poor people "don't have the kind of long-

distance bills that would tempt them to look at long-distance alternatives."

Pacific Bell is now sending out ballots to consumers. The first went out in early February, Purvis said, and it is too soon to gauge consumer response.

Northwestern Bell, which serves Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska and the Dakotas, decided the fairest way to handle what has become known as "default traffic" is to allocate customers who don't make a selection among the long-distance companies.

Since AT&T is getting such a big chunk of the so-called "default" business, the Federal Communications Commission has decided to allow all default traffic to go to AT&T.

But FCC Commissioner Dennis Patrick warns: "The problem we're going to have is customer objection (to) being involuntarily assigned to some carrier about which the customer knows nothing."

In fact, the way balloting has worked in Minneapolis, as many as 80 percent of the customers make their own choice. Northwestern Bell's Jim Atkinson said those who have been assigned to long-distance companies have had few complaints.

"There is a reason why people default," he said. Most of the time the reason is they don't make enough long-distance calls for it to matter.

FCC Chairman Mark S. Fowler said, "I don't think that we should mandate that they make a choice, but I think we ought to do what we can to encourage them to make a choice."

"People ... have a responsibility to read their mail," Fowler said. "Checking a box and returning it is 'no, too onerous on consumers.'"

Written by the Associated Press.



## Around The Rim La verdad de la mentira

Por LUIS RIOS

Me asusta el poder de nuestras escuelas sobre los alumnos y tambien las ideas de los maestros que varias veces son totalmente diferentes que las de los padres.

Si uno tiene un hijo o hija que va a la escuela, sabe bien que van a pasar mucho mas tiempo en clase de en que su propia casa.

Desde chicos los estudiantes se ponen a escuchar lo que les dicen sus maestros. De primero estos ninos de seis y siete anos son facilmente influenciados por lo que les dice un adulto.

A los ninos no les importa y ni saben si lo que les dicen es verdad o mentira. Y uno por estar en el trabajo o en la casa no puede saber como les explica la maestra la leccion.

Un maestro puede decirle a su clase que el Presidente Reagan es un hombre muy grande y los Republicanos van a liberar el mundo del comunismo y los Democraticos.

Y los pobres inocentes se creen del. Otros ni piensan de lo que les dijo. Pero si oyen la misma cosa cada semana, se ponen a pensar y luego se les implanta la idea en la cabeza.

Los maestros nomas deben de enseñar y educar y no convencer a los alumnos de que cosas deben de saber o entender. Pero no es asi, porque como muchos de Uds., yo fui a la escuela donde nos enseñaban que todos los presidentes de los estados unidos fueron gran hombres todo lo que hace este pais es bueno.

Pero eso no es verdad. Y todavia, muchos piensan que eso es verdad. Pero lo que enseñan en las escuelas es lo que los libros contienen. Si un libro documenta que el Nixon no sabia nada de Watergate, que puede decir uno? Pues no tienen que creerle. Fue este pais que robo Texas de Mexico.

Y no nomas son los ninos que son victimas de ideas y filosofias de estos "maestros." Cada dia nosotros leemos y escuchamos ideas de otras personas — personas de dinero y poder en el gobierno.

Muchas veces nosotros pensamos que lo que dice un gobernador, presidente, representante o lo que sea, es la pura verdad y nadie nos puede decir diferente.

El presidente Reagan dia tras dia dice sobre la radio, television y la prensa dice que la economia de los estados unidos esta perfectamente estable.

Pero que le diga eso a los labriegos o cualquier agricultor. Ellos saben que eso es mentira.

Opiniones expresadas en este articulo son ideas del autor y no reflejan las ideas de la administracion de esta prensa.



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# Lifestyle

## Syd Dictor to give stress workshop



Dr. Donohue

### Pituitary tumor causes new growth

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I turned 36 recently. My problem is that I seem to have started growing again. Within the last year my feet have grown a size and a half. Even my arms are longer. My height has increased by one and-a-half inches. Should I be concerned? Family and friends seem to think I should be. Any advice you can give me would surely be appreciated. — D.A.P.

I join your family and friends in urging that you be examined.

Have you ever heard of acromegaly? That's an abnormal growth of certain physical features due to a tumor of the pituitary gland. That gland normally makes growth hormone that permits children to grow to their hereditarily dictated size. When puberty is completed the hormone secretion slows down, but if there is a tumor of the gland the tumor acts like gland tissue and starts secreting the hormone.

You report enough symptoms of abnormal growth to warrant investigation. In acromegaly the hands and feet enlarge. The jaw may increase in size, the tongue thickens and the person may note a need for a larger hat size. Often people with this have headache and joint pains.

You mention height increase. Height doesn't usually change since linear growth is shut off as bones fuse at puberty, so those bones are not involved in the new acromegaly growth. However, bones do thicken.

These changes do not occur overnight, but are gradual. It needs to be stopped. Please be examined.

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** What is your opinion of oral chelation. This involves megavitamins to combat cholesterol buildup in arteries. They claim that the treatment enlarges the thymus gland to produce antibodies against artery plaques. — Mrs. E.H.

None of this makes any sense, and I cannot find any literature referring to any role antibodies play in plaque removal. Also, you should be wary of any vitamin overdoses.

For example, vitamins A and D at only ten times the recommended

daily allowances can be poisonous. And even the B vitamins, once believed safe in almost any amount, are now known to be toxic in very large doses.

I encourage you to continue the accepted ways to prevent cholesterol buildup and forget such fanciful, unproven methods. You can get a good idea on how to do this in the booklet, "Control Cholesterol Sensibly," which I have sent you. Other readers may obtain one by writing me at P.O. Box 11210, Chicago, IL 60611, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope and 50 cents for printing and handling.

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I have a little grandson, five years old, who hasn't developed properly in the chest area. The breastbone just hasn't come out like it should. What can be done about this? — Mrs. J.A.

You're speaking of a funnel shape to your grandson's chest, aren't you? The name of the condition is pectus excavatum. Has this been diagnosed? Sometimes the abnormality is so mild that nothing need be done.

However, if the inward dip of the breastbone (sternum) is pronounced to the point where it presses against heart or lungs, then surgery has to be done to correct things. Or if the deformity seems to be getting worse or creating a significant cosmetic concern then surgery would be recommended.

Dr. Donohue welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.

"Work is a Family Affair" is the 1985 theme of Social Work Month, which is celebrated each March by the National Association of Social Workers. To enhance skills in counseling families and individuals who are coping with stress, the West Texas Unit of the National Association of Social Workers is sponsoring a workshop, "Group Therapy Applications," from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Big Spring.

The workshop is designed to introduce basic approaches of group leadership to the inexperienced and to refresh the skills and stimulate the creativity of experienced group leaders. Social workers in Big Spring are focusing on the effects of stress on family life. The effect of worker-related stress on the family and family-related stress on the employee are concerns of professional social workers.

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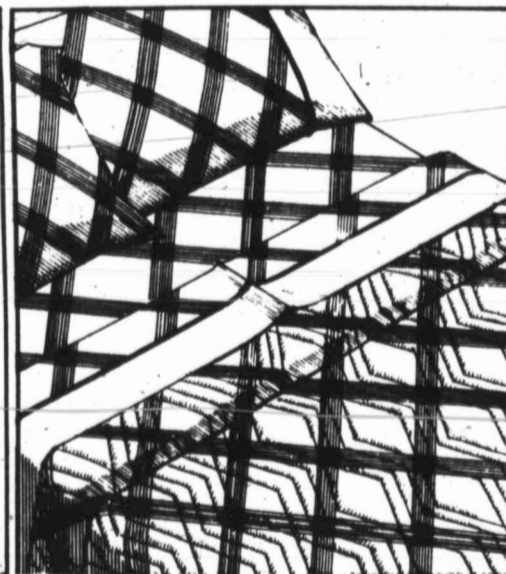
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### Extension agent gives program to homemakers

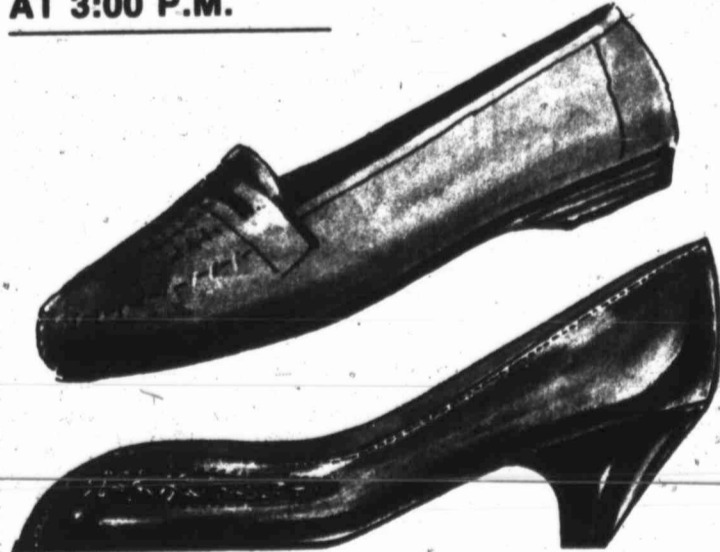
Howard County Extension Agent Naomi Hunt Tuesday presented a program, "Selecting a Doctor," to the Center Point Extension Homemakers. She also spoke on how to be an informed patient.

The club was invited to the training class, "How to Make Felt." The class will be tonight at 7 p.m. Members also voted to make cookies twice a year, March 26 and Oct. 7.

A covered dish meeting will be March 12. Following the business meeting, members will work on dog blankets.

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# Lifestyle



Dear Abby

## Father hesitates to reveal unhappy past

DEAR ABBY: I've been wanting to write to you for years, but never had the courage.

My children, now middle-aged, are demanding that I write a family history, as I've had a very successful, colorful life, have traveled extensively and have many grandchildren.

I have avoided doing so because I was illegitimate and had a very unhappy and humiliating childhood.

Should I confess all to the entire family and brazen it out? As for friends, I doubt that they would care. I'm nearly 75 and have few contemporaries left.

At the time of my birth, my mother was in her teens and my father was in his mid-40s, married, fairly well-off and the father of three. I remember seeing him only once when I was 9 or 10. That's all I know about him, as my mother became hysterical whenever my father's name was mentioned and refused to discuss the matter. She did marry, but it was a brief and unhappy marriage. I took care of her until she died 10 years ago.

Do my children and grandchildren need to hear this dismal story?

MISSING LINK

DEAR LINK: Yes! It's a fascinating story and a part of their heritage. You have nothing to be ashamed of. If you fear that your family will think less of you, you're wrong. They will probably value you even more.

### Mary Skalicky presents Hewett's music

Mary Skalicky presented a rendition of "The Battle of Trenton" during the Captain Elisha Mack Chapter meeting of the Daughters of American Revolution, Sunday. The meeting was at the home of Mrs. Jack Alexander.

The sonata Mrs. Skalicky performed was dedicated to General Washington by James Hewitt. The Battle of Trenton is a form of "battle music" type of composition originally written for orchestra then transcribed for piano.

Hewitt was born in England in 1770, came to New York in 1792 and advertised himself as "Professor of music from the Opera House, Hanover Square, and professional concerts under the direction Hayden, Pleyel, etc., London."

Hewitt was a composer, arranger, music publisher, performer, merchant, importer, teacher and orchestra conductor in New York, Boston and other cities in the south between 1792 and 1825. He published more than 490 works during 1801 and 1811, 66 of which were his own. Hewitt became an important force in shaping the musical culture of the new nation, Mrs. Skalicky said.

Mrs. Lougene Renshaw of Big Spring and Pauline Wood and Mary Predue of Stanton were visitors. The next meeting will be at La Posada, March 16.

### Stewart presents program about Veteran's Hospital

John Stewart, director of the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Big Spring, presented a slide show of the hospital at the 1948 Hyperion Club meeting, Feb. 21, at the home of Mrs. Robert Stripling.

Stewart told about the programs the hospital works with. He has been with Veterans Administration 25 years and in Big Spring five years.

The United States has 172 Veterans Hospitals, and the one in Big Spring is one of the better ones, Stewart said. The nursing home at the hospital cares for 40 people and is located on the top floor. The average age of vet patients is 54.

The club donated \$25 to the YM-CA to buy a membership for a child. The club also voted to send \$100 to the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center.

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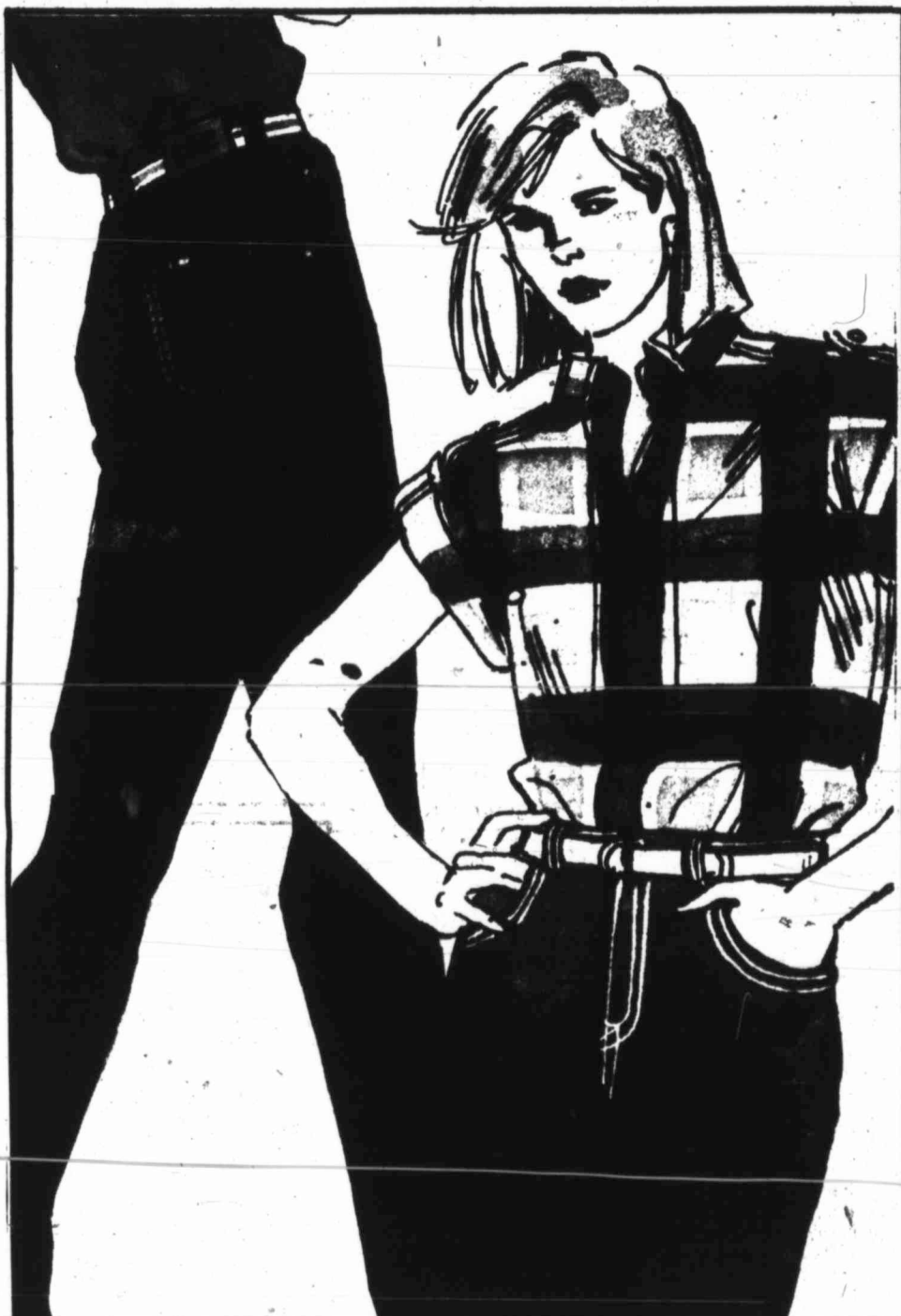
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# Academia roll call

• The Howard College Forensic team recently captured a first place, a second place and two blue ribbons at the Phi Rho Pi Forensics tournament at San Jacinto College in Pasadena.

Taking first in poetry interpretation was KENNEDY PUGH, a sophomore from Denver, Colo. MIKE WALKER, a freshman from Big Spring, placed second in prose interpretation.

Blue ribbons were awarded to Lanton Hobbby and Mike Walker for progressing to the finals in impromptu speaking and dramatic interpretation.

• COLLEGE STATION — A number of local students are on honor rolls at Texas A&M University in College Station.

Students named to the Distinguished Student rolls include DIRK CALLISON, fall graduate, agricultural education; JERRY SPEIGHT GRIMES, junior, electrical engineering; TROY GRIMES, sophomore, business administration; and KIM RICHARDSON, fall graduate, mechanical engineering.

Others receiving the Distinguished Student honor were MICHAEL LAMAR, junior, bioengineering; and REAGAN BROOKS, Coahoma, senior animal science major.

• WEATHERFORD, Okla. — LARRY DEAN CORDES was accepted for the spring semester at the Southwestern Oklahoma State University School of Pharmacy. Following the completion of 60 semester hours of pre-pharmacy courses, students make application for pharmacy school. Cordes is the son of ED AND BETTIE CORDES of Big Spring.

• ABILENE — LESLYE DE OVERMAN, daughter of D.W. AND JANE OVERMAN, was named to the fall Dean's honor list at Abilene Christian University. To be on the list, students must have a 3.45 grade point average or above and be enrolled in at least 12 hours of credit.

• TERESA WASH of Big Spring, a teacher at Stanton High School, has been selected to lead a group of students on a trip sponsored by the American Institute for Foreign Study of Greenwich, Conn.

Group members attend a special two week course in French language and culture organized by the College International de Cannes. At the end of the two-weeks, group members tour Geneva, Paris and London. They also join a Mediterranean cruise.

• AUSTIN — MARIA DIANA DOMINGUEZ of 3002 Parkway and CARRIE LEIGH LITTLE of 6 Highland Cove received their



This Pennsylvania kid took a degree in cuteness at a baby parade in Quarryville. He plans to graduate for real in 2001.

bachelor of science degrees in home economics in December from the University of Texas at Austin.

• Executive office elections for the Big Spring High School Key Club were held recently for the 1985-86 school year.

Elected were CAREY FRASER, president; MATT GARRETT, first vice president; MATT BURROW, second vice president; TODD MCKIMMEY, secretary; KEVAN WILLIAMS, assistant secretary; and AARON ALLEN, treasurer.

Officers will be installed at the awards banquet May 2. All will be juniors or sophomores next year. CHAD WASH is outgoing president.

• LEVELLAND — Two Big Spring-area students were named to the President's and Dean's honor lists at South Plains College for the fall semester.

TERRI CAVE of Ackerly was named to the President's List. DANA CANNON of Big Spring was named to the Dean's List.

• SNYDER — LYNDRY FRENCH and JEANNA ROBERTS have been named to the Dean's List for the 1984 fall

semester at Western Texas College. Also on the list is JAY INGRAM of Coahoma.

• SAN ANGELO — Several area students graduated from Angelo State University in December. They are LAVELLE KAY BRADFORD, who received a bachelor of science degree with a major in elementary education; KEVIN VICTOR NOLTING, who received a bachelor of business administration degree with a major in management; and MARIA JUANITA LOPEZ of Garden City, who received a bachelor of science degree with a major in elementary education. DEE ELLEN EARHART received a bachelor of business administration.

• SAN MARCOS — SCOTT BARNES of Big Spring made the Dean's List at Southwest Texas State University. Barnes Big Spring address is 1014 Baylor.

• HARLINGEN — Cadet Sgt. SAMUEL JOSEPH ROSS, 16, son of THOMAS ROSS of Big Spring, has been named to the superintendent's list at the Marine Military Academy in Harlingen. Ross is a sophomore.

The Marine Military Academy is a private military college preparatory boarding school for boys in grades 8 through 12.

• The Texas Society of Professional Engineers, Permian Basin Chapter, is sponsoring the second annual Mathcounts contest for 7th and 8th grade students. Students from 16 area schools will enter teams. Winners advance to Austin for the state contest and state winners advance to Washington, D.C., in May.

The contest will be held at the University of Texas at the Permian Basin this Saturday. UTPB faculty will conduct the contest.

• NORMAN, Okla. — PATRICIA ANNE JONES and TIM H. FREEZE are two Big Spring students listed on the University of Oklahoma's honor roll for the 1984 fall semester.

MARJORI MADDOX KREBS of Colorado City also made the honor roll. Jones and Krebs attained 4.0 grade point averages.

A number of Howard College and SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf students made the Howard County Junior College District honor rolls recently.

Based on grade-points, the students are:

SUMMA CUM LAUDE: Ken Andreas, James Baldwin, Phelan Butler, Timothy Shann Culver, Ronda Fowler, Lorrie French, Samuel Marsh, Lelio Martinez-Villaiba, Shelley Dee Neill, Robert Price and Nancy Wood.

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Also Jo Anne Hearne, Barbara Hernandez, Brandon Iden, Michael McCartney, Richard Mauro, Dona Mehan, Brande Moseley, Jackie Piper, Denia Pope, Janet Reinert, Sharon Simonek, Kimberly Taylor, Janet Wilson and Stacey Wood.

MAGNA CUM LAUDE: Emmitt Bartee, Kimberly Beckham, Silvia Cisneros, Rosalinda Cruz, Paul Cunningham, Molly Early, Stacey Eitner, Enid Hamby, Gregg Kingston, Roland Kriethe, Sammie Laws, Ann McCray, Misti Meyers, Gary Newton and Wendalyn Patton.

Also Michael Porter, Becky Richey, Stephen Rogers, Robby Roten, Adriel Saldivar, Karen Salter, Tommy Smith, Kristi Taylor, Robert Whitted, Tammy Winnsmann and Joe Wright.

# Spelling champs



Loraine Castillo, a 5th grader at Washington Elementary School, captured the Spelling Bee competition over runner up Jeremy Beatty. Ms. Castillo is the daughter of Mrs. Anna Dutton of 1910 11th Place. Her teacher is Mrs. Shirley Bradshaw. Jeremy Beatty's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beatty of 1403 Park. His teacher is Clarence Hawkins.



Ann Rivas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Rivas of 1408 Bluebird, won the Spelling Bee contest at Marcy School. Her 5th grade teacher is Mrs. Molly Smith. The runner up was Nancy Birrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Birrell of 404 W. 12th. Ms. Rivas spelled "mystify" and "usher" correctly to win the competition.

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## Senate OKs own version of water bill

**Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau**  
**AUSTIN** — The Texas Senate gave overwhelming approval Wednesday to a proposed statewide water plan that sets the stage for a confrontation with the Texas House over how the state's water problems should be handled.

A proposed constitutional amendment seeking voter approval of \$1.2 billion in water bonds was approved 28-1. Sen. John Sharp, D-Victoria, citing reservations on the groundwater provisions, cast the sole opposing vote. Legislation providing a blueprint on how state water should be managed was approved 30-0.

House lawmakers already have approved their version of a statewide water plan that sports an \$800 million price tag and provides less protection to the state's groundwater supplies and to bays and estuaries that line the Texas Coast.

Differences in the two bills likely will be resolved by a House-Senate conference committee. Efforts to draft a statewide water plan two years ago failed in conference committee, but Senate water sponsors are more optimistic about the prospect of renewed negotiations.

"There are enough differences in the bills where there is plenty room for give and take," said Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock.

Approval of the legislative proposals came after sponsors assured East Texas lawmakers that it contained no provisions that would authorize the distribution of East Texas water to West Texas.

Fear of such diversions helped defeat the past three statewide water plans submitted to Texas voters during the last 18 years.

Approval of the Senate plan, Montford said as debate began, would "put into place in Texas probably the most comprehensive water program that has ever been attempted in any state."

Environmentalists lauded Senate action providing stronger protection to coastal bays and estuaries. Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, led the fight to require that the Texas Water Commission "maintain the productivity" of the environmentally sensitive marine habitats during consideration of reservoirs upstream that would choke the flow of freshwater.

Montford and others wanted the Texas Water Commission to "maintain a productive habitat," language that Truan charged was "bad, ambiguous and an unquantifiable standard" that could not be interpreted by state courts.

Truan's first attempt at imposing the stronger language failed, 15-16, but won final approval after the Senate voted 19-9 to reconsider.



Associated Press photo  
**EVA HAVERSTOCK** raised a Texas flag over New Guinea on a trip to see a solar eclipse.

## Long shadow of Texas Eclipse hunters: Sun never sets on Lone Star

**HOUSTON (AP)** — Natives stumbling through the bush of Oceania that morning were brought up short at the sight of it — a Lone Star flag snapping in the brisk New Guinea air.

Davy Crockett would have been proud — and even prouder of Eva Haverstock, the Houston woman who had raised this flag, not to assert a territorial claim, but merely to announce her presence.

Eva had come halfway around the world to see a total eclipse of the sun. True, the eclipse might have been watched in climes nearer home, but Eva, who has a taste for the exotic, is not one to skimp.

"I'm much too old to worry about saving money," she says.

She and Don, her husband, have been chasing eclipses since 1977.

"That's when I heard of a group of people flying to Columbia to see an eclipse there, and I thought, 'That's fun,'" she says. "Besides, we have friends in Columbia, and it was time we paid them a call."

In the event, the sighting was marred by some last-minute cloud — eclipse hunters are at the mercy of clouds — but it didn't matter. The Haverstocks had caught the bug and, two years later, they were off to see another eclipse — this one in Kenya. Since then, they have been to Indonesia, in 1983, and New Guinea, last year.

"It's such a spiritual feeling watching an eclipse," Eva says explaining why one would bother. "It's unreal. Out there on the Kenya plain, there were antelope and zebra, and when it got dark, the animals became very quiet, and the birds put their heads under their wings. You could feel the hand of God move across the sky."

"And I'm not a religious person," she adds. "But it's awe-inspiring. There's no other way to describe

it. It brings something out in you, you didn't know was there."

She and Don travel with a floating crew of some 20 other enthusiasts from this part of the country, "and each of us has his own job to do." (One of these people is Houston's Paul Maley, whom she describes as "a lot more serious about eclipses than we are. I would say he's the ranking amateur in this part of the country.")

Eva is the group's timer.

"I know when the eclipse is going to start, and I do the countdown. Ten, nine, eight ..." she simulates. "When I get to one, the others start taking their pictures."

Don, a retired electrical superintendent who now devotes himself to "developing and managing rental property," has a more exotic task: He takes temperatures and records wind velocities.

"I don't know why I do it," he says, only half-seriously.

"I know why," says Eva. "You like to see the nude girls on the beach at Bora Bora. Don't kid me."

To make his measurements, he uses a thermometer of disappointing ordinariness.

"I've seen the temperature drop six to 12 degrees during an eclipse," he says. Data he recorded in Indonesia reads as follows: 9:45 a.m., 42 degrees; 10 a.m., 44; 10:15 a.m., 36; 11 a.m., 34; 12 p.m., 29; 12:30 p.m., 36.

"We have the easiest jobs of the whole bunch," says Eva. "We don't have to take a lot of equipment. Some people carry telescopes as big as caskets."

The Haverstocks are now sharing their data with the federal government. Eva begins to explain why ... and gives up.

## Foreign trade deficit hits \$10.3 billion mark

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — The United States suffered a \$10.3 billion trade deficit in January, 28 percent higher than the December figure, as a flood of imports swamped a record showing for U.S. exports, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said the January deficit was far above the \$8 billion deficit recorded in December although the United States exported a record \$19.4 billion in goods during the month.

The export total exceeded the old record of \$19.2 billion set last July and reflected increases in sales of machinery, office machines and new passenger cars.

However, the 1.4 percent gain in exports over the December total was swamped by a 9.8 percent jump in imports, which totaled \$29.7 billion during January.

The United States posted a record trading deficit of \$123.3 billion last year and many analysts expect the figure this year will could hit \$130 billion.

The country's poor trading performance has been blamed primarily on the remarkable

strength of the dollar, which has been headed upward since the end of 1980. After posting almost daily records during most of February, however, the dollar has retreated in the last two days.

However, most analysts say the fundamental forces that have kept the dollar strong have not changed. Those forecasters predict the currency will stay at near-record levels for 1985.

The strong dollar means imports are much more attractive to U.S. consumers because they are cheaper and it makes U.S. goods more difficult to sell overseas because they are more expensive.

The January surge in imports came from increases in passenger cars, telecommunications equipment and iron and steel mill products.

Sales of passenger cars from Japan, the leading importer, totaled \$1.06 billion in January, up 1 percent from the December total. But the increase in car shipments from other countries was even more pronounced, jumping 66 percent, to a new total of \$897.4 million.

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## Thursday Notes

By Steve Belvin

The Big Spring High School tennis teams had a rough time of it Tuesday in Midland as they took on Midland High School in a dual match.

The boys failed to register a win as Midland High took seven wins.

The girls fared a little better as Angie Wilson took a 1-6, 6-1, 6-4 win over Kim Launder. Midland swept the match 9-1.

Big Spring will be in action this Friday in a tournament in Odessa.

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Luis Puga was the top finisher for Big Spring High School at the Sweetwater weight lifting meet last weekend. Puga, competing in the 242-pound division, finished second with an overall total of 1,025 pounds.

He squatted 365 pounds, bench pressed 240 pounds and dead-lifted 420 pounds.

Victor Pruitt finished second in the 198-pound class with a total of 990. Pruitt squatted 320, bench pressed 220 and dead-lifted 450.

Stacey Kilgore placed third in the 132-pound division as he finished with a total of 730 pounds. Kilgore squatted 230; bench pressed 180 and dead-lifted 320.

The final top Big Spring finisher was Mark Gomez in the 175-pound class. He finished with a total of 925. Gomez squatted 305, bench pressed 230 and dead-lifted 390.

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The volleyball tournament sponsored by the United Way was a success as \$1,000 was raised as 28 teams entered the tourney last week.

The Castaways won a championship in the women's division. Razz-Ma-Tazz got second; Super Save, Consolation and Blue Blazers, Sportsmanship Award.

The Country Farmer won the men's division over Spikers. Las Aguilas won the consolation while Cajo's received the Sportsmanship Award.

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Hawk-Queens guard Molly Early is currently the 10th ranked scorer in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference with a 14.2 average. Alex Provencio is 11th in rebounding with seven per game. Diane Dickson and Provencio also rank high in the shot-blocking category.

For the Hawks, Bruce Kimble and Michael Porter rank fifth and sixth in the scoring race. Kimble averages 19 points per game while Porter follows at 17.

Walt Reynolds is sixth in rebounding (7.7) while Porter is fifth in assists (4.8) and in free throw percentage (.785). Martin Jenkins is sixth in field goal percentage (.605).



Texas Tech forward DWIGHT PHILLIPS and the Tech cheerleaders celebrate the upset victory the Raiders pulled on SMU, in Dallas, Wednesday night. Texas Tech, with their 59-54 victory over SMU, can clinch the SWC title outright if they defeat TCU in Fort Worth on Saturday.

## Red Raiders whip SMU

DALLAS (AP) — Reserve Tony Benford once again played the Mustang-killer Wednesday night, giving his Texas Tech Red Raiders their first piece of a Southwest Conference basketball title since 1973.

His three clutch free throws in the final 40 seconds brought the Red Raiders a 59-54 victory over No. 13 Southern Methodist, at least a share of the Southwest Conference title and the No. 1 seed in the post-season tournament.

Benford's 15-foot jump shot in the final three seconds defeated SMU 64-63 in Lubbock in January.

"Benford did it again with some big free throws at the end," said Texas Tech Coach Gerald Myers.

"This a great victory for a great

bunch of guys. It is really something to come in here and win on the road and survive the schedule we've played.

"Who would have thought we would be playing in this game for this (the title) at the beginning of the year?" he added. "Nobody thought that we would be here except those guys in there (the team)."

Benford said, "I was hoping it wouldn't come down to this (last second heroics) again, but I was ready."

Tech can clinch the SWC title outright if it defeats Texas Christian in Fort Worth on Saturday.

SMU Coach Dave Bliss said Tech deserved the victory.

"Right now, they're the best

team in the Southwest Conference," said Bliss. "Bubba Jennings did a great job shooting for them and they hit some big free throws. We didn't pick a very good time to lose our first home game."

SMU was 15-0 in Moody Coliseum going into the showdown with the Red Raiders.

"It's hard to believe this has really happened," said Jennings. "It hasn't sunk in yet."

The Red Raiders, who defeated SMU earlier in the season by one point, are 19-7 overall and 11-4 in the SWC race.

SMU, with a game remaining on Sunday against Houston, is 21-7 and 10-5. The Mustangs will be the No. 2 seed in the tournament which begins in Dallas March 8th.

Benford hit both ends of a one-and-one with 22 seconds to play as a seething crowd of 9,007 fans in Moody Coliseum pelted the floor with ice and even shook the basket while he tried to shoot.

Benford made one free throw while the basket was swaying, but referee Moose Stubben had blown his whistle so the Red Raider had to shoot over. He made the next one.

Jennings led the Red Raiders with 23 points while Butch Moore was high for the Mustangs with 15.

Seven-foot center Jon Koncak fouled out with 1:27 to play for SMU, which went the last 4:54 without a field goal. Tech shot 52 percent from the floor to a poor 42 percent for the Mustangs.



Herald photo by Steve Belvin

HEADED TO REGIONALS — These members of the Big Spring High School swim team will be participating in the Region-1 Swim Meet in Lubbock this weekend at the Texas Tech pool. They are (left-right) Louis Morellon, Mitch Houghton, Cade Loftin, Lisa Salazar, Rose Mier, Hartley Newell, Tiffany Milch, Annie Gutierrez and Michelle Hummel.

### First time for girls

## Swimmers head to regionals

By STEVE BELVIN  
Staff Writer

LUBBOCK — For the girls it will be a new experience, for the boys it will be a chance to improve from the year before.

The Big Spring swim team will compete in the regional swim meet this weekend at the Texas Tech pool.

The girls will have six contestants who will be making their first trip to regionals. Freshman Annie Gutierrez and sophomore alternate Tiffany Milch are the only non-seniors.

The 400 yard freestyle relay team of Gutierrez, Hartley Newell, Rose Mier and Michelle Hummel will be trying to improve time of 4:36.53. Coach Harlan Smith knows asking for a gold medal is a little far-fetched, but he will settle for some improvement. "I just want to drop our time and hopefully get in to the finals," said Smith. "The girls will probably be nervous and anxious. They have had plenty of rest so they should improve their

time."

Lisa Salazar is the other Big Spring participant in the 100 breaststroke. Smith is looking for her to knock two seconds off her best of 1:20.

The Big Spring coach rates San Angelo Central and Amarillo High as the top teams in the meet.

The Big Spring boys will be led by sophomore 100 butterfly and 100 backstroker Cade Loftin, who competed at the meet last year. This year Smith expects him to push for a place in the finals.

Maybe his best chance comes in the backstroke. His time of 1:04 puts him in the thick of things. "There is maybe three swimmers that are around a minute," explained Smith. "Then everyone else is around the 1:06 mark. It will be a fight for those places."

Loftin finally broke the one-minute in the butterfly. It came at the district meet where he finished fourth. His time of 59.14 broke Todd Lloyd's previous school record of 59.30.

Big Spring's other swimmer is freshman Mitch Houghton in the 100 breaststroke. He has improved at a rapid pace this season, improving by five seconds to a 1:13.

The other Big Spring participant is junior diver Louis Morellon. Morellon is hoping to rebound off a dismal showing in district in which he finished sixth.

"Louis had a poor district meet," Smith stated. "He failed one dive but still manage to make the top six. The failed dive affected him mentally the rest of the meet. Now he's got his confidence back and has been hitting his dives. I look for him to be in the top six. He has a chance to go to the state meet."

Smith lists Amarillo High, El Paso Eastwood and Midland High as the boys favorites.

Competition begins Friday morning at 9 with the girls diving. Swimming Prelims get underway at 2 p.m. Boys diving will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday. Swimming finals get underway at 2 p.m.

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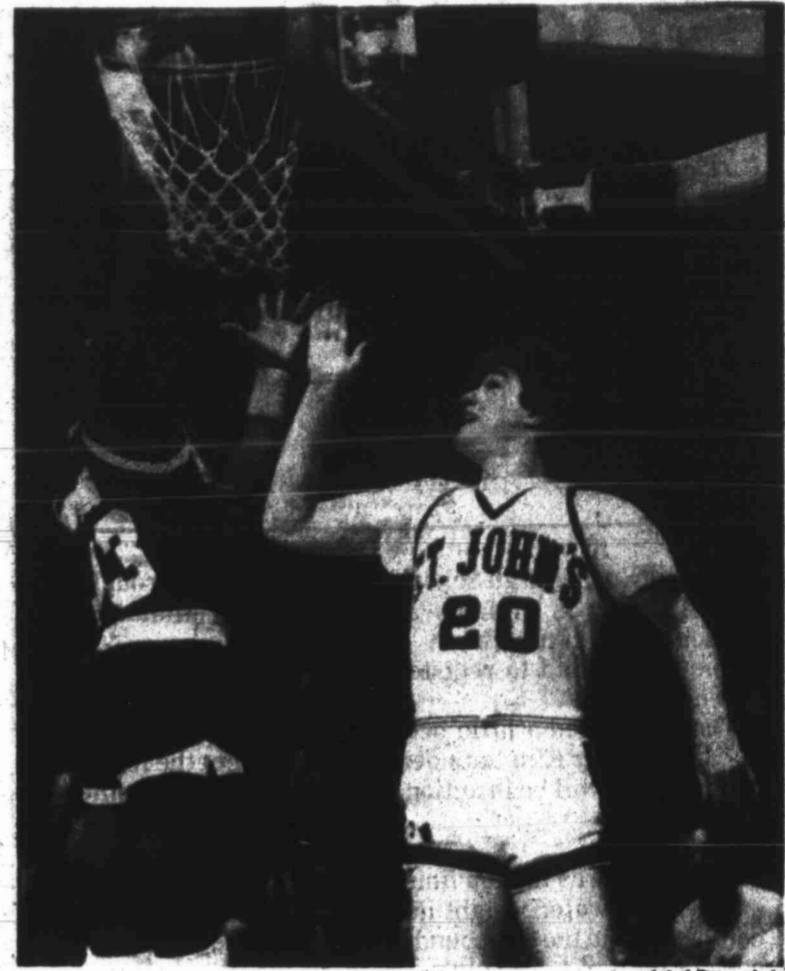
# Hoyas devastate No. 1 Redmen

**By The Associated Press**  
 This time, Georgetown was wearing the look of winners. The second-ranked Hoyas got another strong game from All-American Patrick Ewing, a surprising performance from Reggie Williams and an all-around good defensive effort to rout No. 1 St. John's 85-69 in a Big East Conference game Wednesday night. It was sweet revenge at sold out Madison Square Garden for Georgetown, which was ranked No. 1 when it lost to then-No. 2 St. John's 89-85 on Jan. 26 in Landover, Md., a loss that broke the Hoyas' 26-game winning streak. This was more a game of pride, Georgetown Coach John Thompson said after his team snapped the Redmen's 13-game winning string. The Hoyas, 26-2 overall, began pulling away in the first half and kept attacking to beat St. John's, 24-2 and the unanimous choice as the nation's best team in the most recent Associated Press poll. In other Top Twenty games, No. 5 Duke rolled Clemson 90-73, No. 6 Oklahoma topped Oklahoma State 89-84, No. 10 Georgia Tech stopped No. 8 North Carolina 67-62, No. 9 Nevada-Las Vegas edged California-Irvine 97-95, Texas Tech

tripped No. 13 Southern Methodist 59-54, No. 14 Georgia routed Mississippi 94-66, and Maryland nipped No. 16 North Carolina State 71-70. "It was an unreal performance," Carnesecca said. "They were marvelous in every department. It was their night." Despite the loss, St. John's still leads the Big East race with a 14-1 conference mark, while Georgetown is second at 13-2. St. John's can win the regular-season title by beating Providence on Saturday. "They pretty much got the league won," Thompson said. But he had to be pleased with what he saw Wednesday night. The Hoyas scored the game's first seven points, and after St. John's rallied to take its only lead at 24-22, Ewing and Williams led Georgetown to a 44-33 lead at halftime. In the second half, the Redmen got within seven points early but could not contend with Georgetown's relentless pressure at both ends of the court. Ewing, the 7-foot center, finished with 20 points — several on uncharacteristic outside jump shots — along with nine rebounds and six blocked shots.

Williams, a 6-7 sophomore swingman, scored a career-high 25 points on nine of 13 shooting from the field. Chris Mullin led St. John's with 21 points, but could not give his team the spark it needed. "They did a great defensive job," the 6-6 Olympian guard said. "They made it hard for me to get the ball in scoring position." **Top Ten** Johnny Dawkins scored 19 points and became Duke's all-time assist leader as the hot-shooting Blue Devils cruised past Clemson in the Atlantic Coast Conference. Dawkins' six assists gave him a career total of 405, moving him past Jim Sparakeel's total of 399. Duke made 20 of 28 shots from the floor in the first half in taking a 45-31 lead. The host Blue Devils sank nine of their first 10 shots in the second half in expanding the advantage to 64-38. Jay Bilas scored 18 points for Duke, 21-5, which finished with six players in double figures. Oklahoma got 21 points from Darryl Kennedy and 20 from All-American Wayman Tisdale to win its second straight Big Eight regular-season crown by beating Oklahoma State. The Sooners, 23-5 overall and 12-1

in the league, ran their homecourt winning streak to 31 games. They used an 18-4 surge early in the game to take a 25-14 lead that they held the rest of the night. In Atlanta, Yvon Johnson sank four foul shots and Bruce Dahrymple made three in the final 37 seconds to help Georgia Tech beat North Carolina and clinch at least a tie for the ACC regular-season championship. Georgia Tech took the lead for good five minutes into the game and went on to raise its record to 20-6 overall — its fourth 20-victory season in history — and 9-5 in the league. North Carolina is 21-7 and 8-5. Mark Price led the Yellow Jackets with 18 points and Dahrymple 15. Kenny Smith scored 16 points for North Carolina. In Las Vegas, forward Armon Gilliam scored 24 points, including 12 of 13 free-throw attempts, as UNLV downed California-Irvine to win its third straight Pacific Coast Athletic Association regular-season title. UNLV, 16-1 in league play and 23-3 overall, made seven of eight foul shots in the final 42 seconds of the game to hold off the Anteaters, 8-9 in the PCAA and 13-15 overall.



Georgetown's center PATRICK EWING goes to the hoop against St. John's forward CHRIS MULLIN during the first half of their game Wednesday night at New York's Madison Square Garden.

## Face 5th ranked Cooper Steer baseball season opens

**By STEVE BELVIN**  
 Staff Writer  
**ABILENE** — You could never tell by watching the Big Spring Steers baseball team practice that they are a team in search of its first district win in two seasons. Last year Coach Roland Atkins' young squad went a disastrous 0-14 in tough District 4-5A dominated by Abilene Cooper. But at this practice session the Steers zipped through their workouts with visions of upsetting No. 5 Cooper Friday morning at 10 in Abilene. The game will kickoff the season-opening district tournament. A round-robin affair where the teams can get a personal look at each other before district starts. "Last season is behind us now," said senior second baseman Jerry Anderson. "I'm optimistic because we have a good attitude and everyone believes we can win." The Steers have proved they can win by taking wins over Monahans and Lamesa in scrimmages. Atkins inherits all but one of his

starters back, including All-District performers Jay Pirkle and Sammy Watson. Pirkle or Mike Dodd will get the starting call against Cooper. When one is pitching the other will play left field. Pirkle along with Anderson are legitimate long-ball threats. Watson, a senior shortstop, is a good contact hitter according to his coach. Last season he batted .378 and he's looking to better things this season. "I think I'll hit .400 this season," he said. "We'll have a successful season because this year we all play as one." If Big Spring can remedy their pitching problems, things might be rough on district foes. Last season Big Spring out-hit 12 of its 14 opponents but their pitching was erratic. Atkins says the pitching is getting better and one of the main reasons is junior right-hander Dodd. Dodd is developing a knuckle-curve to go along with his fastball. "I changed to the pitch

because it drops down more. Last year my curve was flat and the batters had a easier time hitting it," said Dodd. Senior curveballer Tommy Gartman will round out the rotation and lefty Eli Torres, a junior transfer from Lubbock, will handle relief duties. Atkins makes it clear that pitching is the key to his team's success. "Pitching is 75 percent of this game, if you don't have it, it kills you," he said. "Our pitchers are coming around and showing a little more control. They are throwing 60 percent strikes. Pirkle is our hardest thrower and Dodd is learning to stay in front of the hitters and make them hit his pitch." **PROBABLE STARTERS**  
 RF — Matt Garrett  
 SS — Sammy Watson  
 P — LF — Mike Dodd  
 P — LF — Jay Pirkle  
 2B — Jerry Anderson  
 CF — Felix Olivas  
 1B — Eli Torres  
 C — Chris Lamb  
 3B — Randy Hayworth

## Hawks, Queens in final WJCAC tilt

**HOBBS, N.M.** — The Howard College Hawks will be fighting for a home berth in the opening round of the conference tournament tonight when they take on the New Mexico Junior College Thunderbirds at 9 p.m. in the last regular season game. If the Hawks win, more than likely they will host a game in Big Spring Saturday night. If they lose, they go on the road. The Hawks were defeated by NMJC 77-71 in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum earlier. It was a two-man

show for the Hawks as guards Joe Burney and Bruce Kimble combined for 41. In that game T-Bird forward Derrick Hill burned Howard for 22 points. Eddie Newell leads NMJC in scoring at 14 while Hill and Frank Bagley average 10 points per contest. Kimble and Michael Porter pace Howard averaging 18 and 17 points. On the other the Hawk-Queens are just trying to end their season on a winning note, having been knocked out of the regional tourney

Monday by Clarendon. It's a big game because a win will give coach Don Steven his eighth consecutive 20-win season at Howard. The Queens handled NMJC easily in the first meeting, winning 73-55; behind a balanced scoring attack. Howard placed four scorers in double figures led by Molly Early's 22 points. Sharon Haynes leads NMJC with a 17-point, 13-rebound average. Early leads the Queens at 14 points per game. Game time is 7 p.m.

## 8-2A coaches tab All-District team

A pair of Stanton juniors were selected to the 8-2A All-District boys basketball team. Kevin Glaspie and Mark Gonzales, who played the wing positions for coach Eric Looney's Buffaloes were named to the squad. The squad featured six seniors and four juniors. District runner-up Big Lake paced the squad with three players. District champ Wall and Stanton each placed two players on the team. The 6-1 Glaspie was the district's leading scorer, averaging 22 points per game. He also pulled down seven rebounds per game. Gonzales showed why he is considered one of the premier jumpers in the district by averaging 10 rebounds per game, despite standing only 5-10. He was the district's second leading scorer averaging 17 points per game. Big Lake was defeated in the opening round of state playoff action by Clint. Wall was defeated Tuesday night by Seagraves 82-53 in area competition. **8-2A ALL-DISTRICT BOYS SQUAD**  
 Jimmy Turbeville, 6-1, Jr., Eldorado;  
 KEVIN GLASPIE, 6-1, JR., STANTON;  
 Adam Arana, 5-9, Jr., McCamey;  
 Ken Wallace, 6-1, Sr., Greenwood;  
 MARK GONZALES, 5-10, JR., STANTON;  
 Ward Dierschke, 6-3, Sr., Wall;  
 David McBe, 6-4, Sr., Big Lake;  
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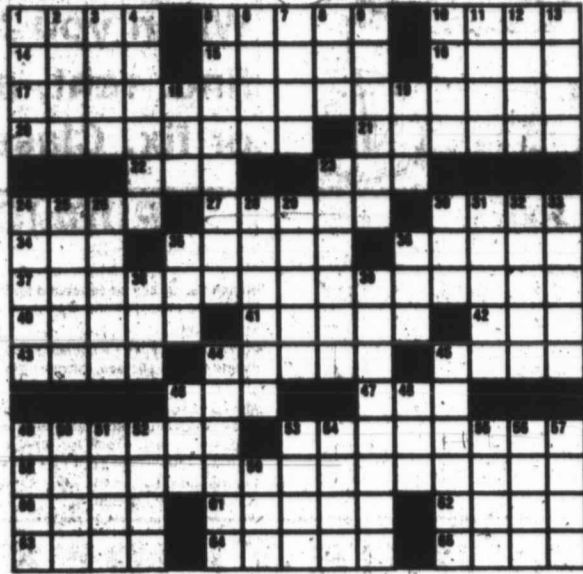
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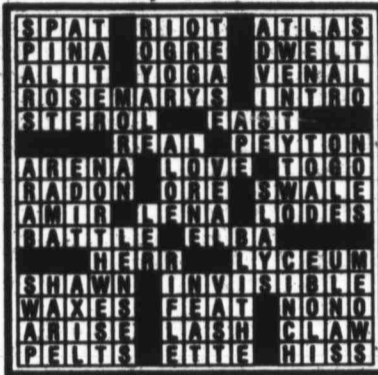
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Verb
  - 5 Catkin
  - 10 Church section
  - 14 Rounded part
  - 15 Pop
  - 16 Gold of her
  - 17 Making a name in substance
  - 20 Suspension
  - 21 Risk
  - 22 Cudgel
  - 23 Put on
  - 24 One Hoop —
  - 27 More frosty
  - 30 Garbed
  - 34 Excavation
  - 35 Tangle
  - 36 Clever remark
  - 37 Traveling first class?
  - 40 Nihilist
  - 41 Villain's expression
  - 42 Murray or West
  - 43 Adult pike
  - 44 Dancer Shearer
  - 45 Back talk
  - 46 — Jacinto
  - 47 Macerate
  - 48 Visitors
  - 53 Easy to understand
  - 58 On a pedestal of sorts
  - 60 Portico
  - 61 — blue
  - 62 Tarkenton of football
  - 63 Chin. club
  - 64 Label again
  - 65 Cravings



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### Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



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- DOWN**
- 1 Eur. river
  - 2 Desolate
  - 3 Help a crook
  - 4 Close
  - 5 Flying
  - 6 Aromatic herb
  - 7 Like omelets
  - 8 Partner of neither
  - 9 Shiver
  - 10 Cupid
  - 11 — up (make jaunty)

- 12 Border
- 13 Formerly once
- 14 Green parrot
- 15 Container
- 16 Probing one
- 17 Decay
- 18 Follower of a certain religion
- 19 Garret
- 20 Johnny or Kit
- 21 Oom native
- 22 Vehicle
- 23 Camel's kin
- 24 Assumed name
- 25 Units of force
- 26 Coterie
- 27 Boat: abbr.
- 28 Garden tool
- 29 Lasting from Jan. to Dec.
- 30 Liberator's relative
- 31 Pongous
- 32 Sault — Marie
- 33 Fairy
- 34 Pith

- 50 "Do — others..."
- 51 Jacket
- 52 Matted hair
- 53 Map
- 54 — Kazan
- 55 Concern
- 56 "— Old Cow-hand"
- 57 Rec rooms
- 58 Devoured

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**ARIES** (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Morning is best for handling communications of all sorts, and then you can be with kin and handle home affairs.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20) Do not permit monetary affairs to disturb your state of mind and later you can handle important communications.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21) Personal affairs may not go well in the morning, so concentrate on financial matters and get good results.

**MOON CHILDREN** (June 22 to Jul. 21) Fretting about what you can do nothing about is unwise. Later you find you can handle personal matters with alacrity.

**LEO** (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) A pal could be disappointing in the morning, but don't let this bother you, and later you can plan a stratagem for gaining your aims.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Take no risks with outside affairs during daytime and then in the evening you can gain personal wishes readily.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You are not quite ready to put that new idea to work yet, so keep busy at routine and worldly matters.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Make sure to study facts and figures correctly before you put over that deal you have in mind.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Steer clear of associate who is out of sorts today and could cause trouble. Come through with what is expected of you.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) It is important you handle work ahead of you in a conscientious fashion, and then later you can come to a new agreement.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Be sure you find out what recreation will cost later and then concentrate on getting your work done.

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Housecleaning 390

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**FARMER'S COLUMN 400**  
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**WE FIX** tractor flats on the farm. Big Spring Tire, 267-7021.

**MISCELLANEOUS 500**  
**Antiques 503**  
**FOR SALE:** Antique fern stand. Paid \$100 will sell for \$75. 263-7422.

**Dogs, Pets, Etc. 513**  
**BETTY'S ANIMAL** HOUSE: Pet boarding, cats welcome. Large indoor kennels, outdoor exercise. Flea and tick baths. 267-1115.

**SAND SPRINGS** Kennels: Raising A.K.C. Chows, Poodles, Pekingeses, Chihuahuas. Terms available. 393-3239 360 Hooser Road.

**FOR SALE:** Adorable Lhasa Apso puppies, four weeks old. Two 13" color 1 w/s. Call 263-6920 after 5 p.m.

**FIVE REGISTERED** Miniature Collies (Sheepies). Sable and white. \$100 each. 263-1371, 263-6766.

**Just Two Left! Border Collie Puppies**  
One male, 11 weeks, \$100. One male, 14 weeks, \$100.  
Tom Crossler (915) 394-4320

**AKC REGISTERED** Red miniature Dachshund puppies. Two males - seven months, one female - six months, one male - four weeks. Papers, shots and wormed. (915) 728-5549.

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**LOSE WEIGHT** now, ask me how. Use herbs for good nutrition. Call Bill or Pete Marsalis (915)263-1974.

**LOSE WEIGHT** and feel great! Call Latricia 267-8904.

**PACKING MATERIAL**... 30 gallon bags of newspaper shreddings make great packing material. \$1 per bag. Available at the Big Spring Herald, your community newspaper.

**FOR SALE:** Clothing store fixtures including cash register, racks, hangers, and much more. Call 263-1888.

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•90 DAY Cash Option  
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First weeks rent FREE with any new rental made in February. RCA TV's, VCR's, Stereos, Whirlpool appliances, living room, bedroom, and dinette furniture.

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**SQUIRREL MONKEY**, eight months old, \$475. 293-5259.

**150 GALLON** BUTANE tank with regulator and fittings \$150. Upright piano, good condition \$100. Antique couch \$100. Masonite skirting for mobile home \$100. 263-4701 or 263-1836.

**ALUMINUM** FISHING boat, 10 horsepower Johnson motor and trailer. Also three dogs - one cow dog, two mixed breed. Call 263-3204 after 5:00.

**Want to Buy 549**  
**GOOD USED** furniture and appliances. Duke Used Furniture, 504 West 3rd, 267-5021.

**BUY, SELL, TRADE** anything of value. Branchman New and Used Furniture, 1008 East Third, 263-3068.

**WE BUY** good used furniture and appliances. Cory Wayne's Used Furniture, 600 West Third, 263-2223.

**WANT TO BUY:** Reasonably priced front end loader for Ferguson tractor. Also grain drill. Call 394-4733 after 6:00 p.m.

**AUTOMOBILES 550**  
**Cars for Sale 553**

**WE BUY** and haul off junked and wrecked cars. Also wrecker service and car parts. Texas Wrecking on North 87. Days 267-1671. Nights 263-4969.

**WE BUY** wrecked and junk cars. Call Jimmy, 267-8889.

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Many Units to Select From  
Carroll Coates Auto Sales  
1101 West 4th 263-4943

**1978 CADILLAC** EL Dorado - baby blue leather, loaded. Wholesale \$4,300, will take \$3,500. 267-2643, 267-2607.

**1964 OLDSMOBILE** DELTA 88, four door, loaded, excellent condition. \$9,500 or best offer. 267-9849.

**1964 LINCOLN** TOWNCAR, light blue with dark blue carriage top. Four months old, 17,500 miles, like new. \$18,500. Call 263-4015 after 8:00.

**1983 TOYOTA** COROLLA wagon, 36,000 miles. AM/FM, automatic, air, \$6,100. 263-8454.

**1980 OLDSMOBILE** TORONADO, Fully loaded. Call after 5:00 263-8698.

**MUST SELL** 1977 Monte Carlo - 305 engine, make offer. Call 398-5594.

**FOR SALE** 1980 light blue Ford Mustang, 70,000 miles. Runs and looks great. \$2,950. 293-5209.

**1953 PLYMOUTH**, EXCELLENT mechanical condition with overdrive & 1972 Plymouth Cricket, good motor, bad transmission, 2 & 6 cylinder motors for Dodge or Plymouth, one V8 318, one 350 Buick motor. Several old junk cars. 267-4388.

**ONE OWNER** extra clean 1978 Ford LTD Landau, two door hard top. Brown vinyl over white, 68,000 miles, power seats, windows, V-8, automatic, air, cruise control. 263-6648 after 4:00 p.m.

CREAM PUFFS

**1982 CHEV** CITATION 2-DR. - Halchback, V-8, auto. - air, new tires. Low mileage. \$4895

**1981 CHEV** MALIBU STATION WAGON - V-8, auto. air. New tires. \$4895

**1979 FORD** LTD 4-DR. - New motor, good combination - auto-air. \$3450

**1977 PONTIAC** G.P. - New motor Red-white interior, auto-air, bucket seats. \$3495

**1977 CHEV** CAMARO - Auto, V-8, air cond. new rubber. \$3250

**1978 CHEV** MALIBU STATION WAGON - Auto-air, runs perfect. \$3195

**1978 LINCOLN** 4-DR TOWN CAR - One owner, loaded - new radials, only 41,000 miles. \$5450





# SCOREBOARD

## NHL Glance

WALDES CONFERENCE				
Patrick Division				
W	L	T	Pts	GF
Washington	37	18	7	258
Philadelphia	37	16	7	257
NY Islanders	32	26	4	281
NY Rangers	20	31	9	224
Pittsburgh	20	35	5	213
New Jersey	18	35	8	206

Adams Division				
W	L	T	Pts	GF
Montreal	32	21	10	242
Buffalo	29	20	12	221
Quebec	31	24	8	260
Boston	28	28	8	218
Hartford	20	34	7	207

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE				
Norris Division				
W	L	T	Pts	GF
St. Louis	30	21	10	233
Chicago	30	30	4	248
Detroit	19	33	11	227
Minnesota	18	34	11	212
Toronto	16	40	7	209

Smythe Division				
W	L	T	Pts	GF
x-Edmonton	43	13	7	83
Winnipeg	32	28	7	71
Calgary	31	25	7	69
Los Angeles	28	24	11	67
Vancouver	18	37	8	44

Wednesday's Games				
Detroit 11, Vancouver 5				
Winnipeg 6, Pittsburgh 4				
Toronto 6, Minnesota 1				
Chicago 6, New Jersey 3				
St. Louis 3, Buffalo 1				
Minnesota at Phoenix				
Montreal at Edmonton 1				
Quebec 5, Los Angeles 2				

Thursday's Games				
Philadelphia at Boston				
Washington at N.Y. Rangers				

Friday's Games				
Hartford at New Jersey				
Minnesota at Detroit				
Montreal at Calgary				
Los Angeles at Edmonton				

## WJAC Standings

MEN		
1. Midland	15-2	
2. Odessa	13-4	
3. Amarillo	12-5	
4. NMJI	11-6	
5. WTC	9-8	
6. NMJC	9-9	
7. Howard	7-10	
8. Frank Phillips	6-11	
9. Clarendon	3-14	
10. South Plains	1-16	

WOMEN		
1. Odessa	13-0	
2. WTC	12-2	
3. Clarendon	9-5	
4. Amarillo	7-7	
5. Howard	5-9	
6. NMJC	5-9	
7. South Plains	1-11	
8. Frank Phillips	1-13	

**TONIGHT'S GAMES**  
 Howard at NMJC; NMJI at Amarillo; Odessa at Clarendon; South Plains at Frank Phillips; Midland at Western Texas.

**SCORES**  
 EAST  
 Alliance 96, St. Vincent 90  
 CCNY 62, NYU 56  
 Drexel 70, Lehigh 69  
 Georgetown 85, St. John's 69

Lafayette 70, Delaware 65  
 Loyola, Md. 58, Towson St. 56, OT  
 N.J. Tech 88, Stevens Tech 68  
 Rider 59, Hobstra 58  
 Villanova 80, Seton Hall 75  
 Wagner 95, Long Island U. 83, OT  
 Williams 58, Wesleyan 56

**FAR WEST**  
 Colorado 88, Missouri 78, OT  
 Coll. of Idaho 88, NW Nazarene 78  
 Nev.-Las Vegas 97, Cal-Irvine 86

**TOURNAMENTS**  
 Cent. Intercollegiate Ath. Assoc.  
 First Round  
 Elizabeth City St. 101, Fayetteville St. 81  
 Hampton 82, Livingstone 69  
 Norfolk St. 97, N.C. Central 64  
 St. Augustine's 81, St. Paul's 69  
 Independent College Ath. Conf.  
 First Round  
 Alfred 82, St. Lawrence 64

**NAIA Dist. 2 Playoffs**  
 First Round  
 George Fox 50, Western Baptist 47, OT  
 Linfield 69, Warner Pacific 56  
 W. Oregon 54, S. Oregon 50

**Pennsylvania Conference**  
 Eastern Division  
 Championship  
 Millersville 81, Mansfield 73  
 West Virginia Conf.  
 First Round  
 Glenville St. 72, Salem, W.Va. 66  
 W. Virginia Tech 80, Alderson-Broaddus 72  
 Wheeling 75, Concord 65

**BASKETBALL**  
 National Basketball Association  
**KANSAS CITY KINGS** - Signed Eddie Neely, forward. Waived David Pope, forward.

**FOOTBALL**  
 National Football League  
**CHICAGO BEARS** - Re-signed Buddy Ryan, defensive coordinator.  
 United States Football League  
**ARIZONA OUTLAWS** - Waived Fred Sims, running back. Asked Alan Risher, quarterback, to play on the seven-man developmental squad.

**HOCKEY**  
 National Hockey League  
**NHL** - Fined the Minnesota North Stars \$2,500 for a brawl with the Detroit Red Wings on Feb. 14.

**Fishing report**  
**AUSTIN (AP)** - Here is the fishing report compiled by the Parks and Wildlife Department for Thursday, Feb. 28, 1984:  
**AMISTAD**: Water clear, 51 degrees, 16 feet low; black bass fair to good to eight pounds on pig and jig; striped good to 18 pounds in fair numbers; white bass good to 100 fish per stringer in mouth of Zorro Canyon; crappie slow; catfish good to six pounds in 120 feet of water.  
**BASTROP**: Water clear, 57 degrees, normal level; black bass good to 5 1/2 pounds on Fat Getsil, Rat Traps and char-

trouse spinners; hybrid striped slow; crappie picking up on live minnows; catfish fair to 4 1/2 pounds on limb lines and jug hose.  
**BUCHANAN**: Lower end clear, 54 degrees, 13 feet low; black bass good to five pounds on red backed crawfish; strip slow to six pounds on white Hellbenders; crappie slow; white bass fairly slow to 20 fish per stringer around Garrett Island; catfish good to four pounds on chicken liver baited trotlines.  
**HUBBARD CREEK**: Water clear, 44 degrees, nine feet low; black bass slow; striped slow; crappie picking up with stringers to 15 fish; white bass slow; catfish good to 5 1/2 pounds in good numbers on shad, bream, minnows and frozen alewife.  
**O.C. FISHER**: Water clear, 56 degrees, 34 feet low; black bass slow to six pounds upriver on stickups with jig; white bass fair when schooling; crappie slow and scattered at spillway; catfish fair on trotline.  
**POSSUM KINGDOM**: Water clear, 50 degrees, lake full; black bass slow; striped fairly slow near dam; crappie picking up; white bass picking up; catfish fair to five pounds.  
**SPENCE**: Water clear, 27 feet low; striped slow to 12 pounds on live perch in 35-40 feet of water; black bass fair in creekside stickups to 6 1/2 pounds; white bass good schooling in main body; catfish and crappie slow.

## NBA Glance

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
x-Boston	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	47	12	.797	-
Washington	45	13	.776	1 1/2
New Jersey	30	29	.508	17
New York	29	29	.500	17 1/2
	20	39	.339	27

Central Division				
Milwaukee	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	41	18	.695	-
Chicago	33	25	.569	7 1/2
Atlanta	26	31	.456	14
Cleveland	24	34	.414	16 1/2
Indiana	21	37	.362	19 1/2
	19	39	.328	21 1/2

WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Denver	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	38	21	.644	-
Dallas	34	24	.586	3 1/2
San Antonio	32	26	.552	5 1/2
Utah	28	31	.475	10
Kansas City	28	31	.475	10
	19	38	.333	18

Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	W	L	Pct.	GB
Portland	42	17	.712	-
Phoenix	27	31	.466	14 1/2
Seattle	27	32	.458	15
L.A. Clippers	25	33	.431	16 1/2
Golden State	23	37	.373	20
	14	44	.241	27 1/2

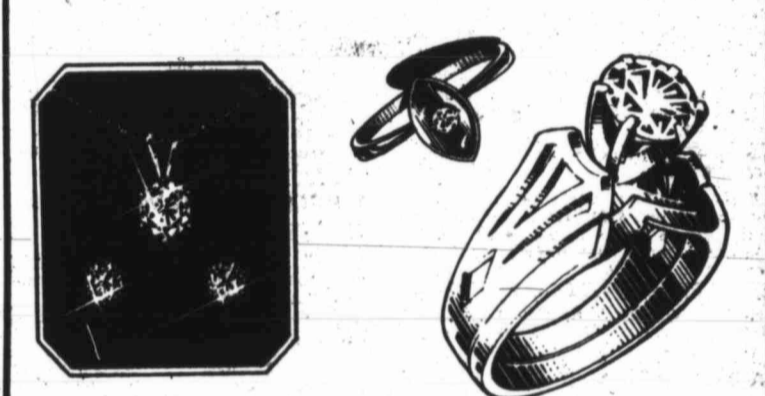
x-clinched playoff berth.

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 Denver 124, Washington 111  
 New Jersey 114, Atlanta 91  
 Boston 111, San Antonio 102  
 Indiana 108, New York 106  
 Detroit 108, Chicago 99  
 Milwaukee 119, Utah 100  
 Houston 117, L.A. Clippers 109

**Thursday's Games**  
 Philadelphia at Kansas City  
 L.A. Lakers at Phoenix  
 Portland at Golden State  
 Cleveland vs. Seattle at Tacoma, Wash.

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**HOUSE WANTED** - Government employe, family of five, with pets. Price range \$400-\$500. 267-9864.

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**LARGE SALE** Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Washer, dryer, cook stove, heater, king-queen-full-twin beds, chest, antique bachelor chest, living room suite, table and chairs, fern stand, foot lockers, old trunks, dishes, pans, silverware, Gott water coolers, 1972 International Travel-All, pickup bed trailer, 100 assorted hub caps. Two miles Andrews Highway sign.

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- 1984 CROWN VICTORIA 4-DR. STK. NO. 613** - White, red leather, floor mats, WSW, cov. spare, coming lamps, tilt wheel, speed control, leather wrapped steering wheel, power seat, air, tinted glass, AM/FM cassette, luxury group, R/H mirror, wire W/C, premium sound, power locks, windows, cov. group.
- 1984 CROWN VICTORIA 4-DR. STK. NO. 805** - Tutone red, red velour, floor mats, interval wipers, illuminated entry, auto lamps, WSW, cov. spare, coming lamps, tilt wheel, leather wrapped wheel, speed control, power seat, windows, locks, auto. temp air, AM/FM cassette, luxury group, R/H mirror, locking W/C, power antenna, premium sound, tinted glass.
- 1984 GRAN MARQUIS 4-DR. STK. NO. 562** - Tutone red, red velour, floor mats, illuminated entry, auto lamps, WSW, cov. spare, coming lamps, tilt wheel, cruise control, power seats, windows & locks, AM/FM cassette, R/H mirror, illuminated visor mirror, B/S molding, premium sound, light group, cov. group, locking wire W/C.

**Super Demo Sale**

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## Transactions

**BASEBALL**  
 American League  
**TEXAS RANGERS** - Traded Billy Sample, outfielder, and a player to be named later to the New York Yankees for Toby Harrah, infielder.

National League  
**NEW YORK METS** - Signed Dwight Gooden, pitcher, and Jose Oquendo, shortstop, to one-year contracts.  
**PITTSBURGH PIRATES** - Signed Rick Reuschel, pitcher, to a minor-league contract.

**HUGHES RENTAL & SALES**

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JACKIE OLSON-Auditor  
 233 February 23 & 29, 1985

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