



Reagan to Congress: 'Make my day'

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan gets defensive when critics of his foreign policy call him a trigger happy gunslinger, but he is cultivating a Clint Eastwood image as he duels with Congress over cutting the budget.

raising taxes again. "Let them be forewarned," the former Western film star said, "no matter how well-intentioned they might be and what their reasons might be, I have my veto pen drawn and ready for any tax increase that Congress might even think of sending up. And I have only one thing to say to the tax increasers: 'Go ahead, make my day.'"

"Sudden Impact." When Reagan borrowed it for budget talk, however, one Democratic member of the Senate panel, Ernest Hollings of South Carolina, dismissed the president's warning as "outrageous nonsense."

The impasse-breaking proposal was approved by the Republican-controlled panel late Wednesday on a party-line 11-9 vote.

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Spring Board

How's that?

Council vote

Q. Can the Big Spring mayor vote except in the case of a tie?
A. Yes, according to City Attorney Doyle Curtis. Mayor Clyde Angel votes on every question under the city's home rule charter. Mayors in towns operating under general law cannot vote except in the case of a tie. Some home rule charters also prohibit the mayor from voting except in case of a tie. On the commissioners' court, the county judge cannot vote except in case of a tie.

Calendar

Crops program

TODAY

- The Tom Castle Country and Western band will perform at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Center.
- The Howard County Extension Crops Program area committee will sponsor an information meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Dora Roberts Fair barn south of the Big Spring Rodeo Bowl. David Davis from the Texas Department of Agriculture will be here to discuss new regulations and answer questions.

FRIDAY

- The Howard County Library will have story time for pre-school children from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
- The Big Spring bands will sponsor a rummage sale from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the old TG&Y space at Highland Mall.
- The Senior Citizens club will wear the green Friday night when members dance to western music at a St. Patrick's Day dance at 7:30 p.m. at Airpark Building 487.

Tops on TV

Choices

John Forsythe hosts "The People's Choice Awards" live from the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium at 8 p.m. on channel 7.

Outside

Cloudy

A 30 percent chance of rain remains in today's forecast. Highs this afternoon will reach the upper 60s. Winds will be northerly, 15 to 25 miles per hour. By tonight, the chance of rain decreases to 20 percent. Lows will fall to the mid 40s and winds will be northerly, 5 to 10 miles per hour. On Thursday, look for highs in the low 60s.

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Oil prices up on spot market

By CAROL BALDWIN
Staff Writer

Spot market prices have driven the price of a barrel of oil up after it hit a low of under \$25 a barrel several weeks ago.

Ed Thompson of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association said the latest price was up to \$27.40 a barrel for West Texas Intermediate crude. Prices for other blends have also risen recently.

Thompson said the spot market is the going price for oil purchased from tankers, which store hundreds of thousands of

barrels.

Countries such as "Great Britain and Norway have no storage space" for surplus oil, Thompson said. "They put it on tankers and wait for someone to bid on it."

Because of a recent decline in surpluses, "some countries couldn't get the oil they needed," Thompson explained. "They had to bid for it."

"Norway, Great Britain and Nigeria were overproducing," he said.

The worldwide oil glut has forced countries to slow production. As a result, supply

dwindled and the bidding price increased.

"This has had some affect on increasing (the price) back up," Thompson said.

Before the days of OPEC, major oil companies "would say how much they would pay for a barrel of oil," Thompson said. This is known as the posted price.

However, "when OPEC came along, they set the price," he said. Countries began overproducing oil until "we had a surplus. People started cutting oil prices" in order to compete on the market.

The falling price of oil was a major con-

cern to Permian Basin producers, Thompson said. Producers "thought the price would go below \$25 (a barrel). That, coupled with "tax problems and a considerable drop in the rig count" had local producers worried about the Permian Basin economy, he said.

The gradual price increase in the price per barrel "helps to steady the outlook. It offers a little encouragement," Thompson said.

The falling prices of oil "were both beneficial and harmful to the consumer."

Farmers sow aid for Africa

By KEELY COGHLAN
Staff Writer

Government agriculture agencies and farmers' groups, including the local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, are banding together to send food to Ethiopia, which remains in the grip of a severe famine and drought.

Texas producers, commodity associations and boards, the Texas Department of Agriculture and the conservation agency met last week and formed a group that will ship Texas commodities to Africa, according to Tim Hall, Howard County's conservation director.

"We want to try and do what we can to help the people in Africa," Hall said.

The group will turn over the food to Save the Children, which will oversee disbursement of the food, he said.

"There will be no overhead costs, except for what Save the Children has," Hall said. "Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower said that 'every penny spent will buy a penny's worth of food.'"

The group is seeking donations of \$35, which will buy 10 bushels of grain, "but really we'll accept donations of any amount," he said.

Donations should be sent to either the local ASCS office or to the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Deadline for contributions will be April 30, so the groups have time to pool their resources, buy the goods and ship them in the summer, Hall said.

"I realize this is a time when people are strapped for money," Hall said. "But the people in Africa probably can go further on that same money."

The project was instigated by the Texas Department of Agriculture, Hall said. "They were very instrumental in the whole project," he said.

"I'm glad to be involved in this effort," Hall said.

For more information, call Hall at 267-2557. People also can contact Sig Rogers, Hall said.



State hospital here has requested a larger budget. Herald photo by Tim Appel

State hospitals in a squeeze, director says

Staff and bureau reports

AUSTIN — The state cannot comply with lawsuit settlements on institutions for the mentally ill and retarded without more money, an agency spokesman said Wednesday.

In fact, the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation needs at least \$302 million above previous recommendations to fully comply with the federal court settlement terms, board chairman R. Coke Mills told the House Appropriations Committee.

In a revised request, the agency is asking for a total of \$330 million more than a House panel has recommended.

In December, the Legislative Budget Board recommended funding at the Big Spring State Hospital be slashed by about \$11 million over the next two budget years.

A. K. Smith, hospital administrator, said the hospital had requested \$19.5 million and \$20.4 million for the next two budget years.

The LBB proposed that Big Spr-

ing State Hospital receive \$14.86 million for each of the next two budget years. That compared with the \$14.89 million set for the current budget year.

Mills said an extra \$41 million for the two-year budget period is needed "to make significant progress" in satisfying the courts and to help maintain certification of the state schools and hospitals.

The \$41 million request covers better staff-to-patient ratios, administration and life safety code renovations.

An additional \$260 million would be needed to "fully comply with the lawsuits," Mills said. The bulk of that request would go to the state schools and community centers. State hospitals would receive an extra \$48 million.

He also asked for an additional \$28 million, not related to the lawsuit, primarily to restore funding to the agency's Texas Research Institute of Mental Sciences.

Despite the pleas, the agency has not come close to having its requests granted.

Farm Bureau proposes aid plan

Staff and wire reports

Calling President Reagan's farm bill proposals "too drastic," the American Farm Bureau Federation is advocating a program that would soften the blow of farm price declines with continued federal support payments.

That stance is a departure for the 3.3 million-member farm organization, the nation's largest. In the past, it has been an outspoken opponent of the target price program that offers direct payments to farmers when market prices are depressed.

The Texas Farm Bureau, however, has always opposed either ending or reducing target prices, Howard County Farm

Bureau President Mike Moates said today.

"The Texas Farm Bureau wants price supports," Moates said. "We can't diversify into other crops. Around here, we can basically only grow cotton and a little feed grain."

Robert Delano, a Virginia farmer and the group's national president, said at a news conference Wednesday that times are too tough in farming for the relatively abrupt end to price supports that Reagan wants.

Referring to the Farm Bureau convention in Honolulu in January, Delano said: "I'm not sure our delegates said they want government out" of farming. "I don't see

anywhere in our statements where we say, 'Let's get the government out of agriculture.'"

Delano was to meet Monday and Tuesday with the Texas Farm Bureau president, S.M. True, in Washington, D.C., to clear up the state organization's differences with the national group, Moates said. The Texas bureau has differed with the national group's interpretation of resolutions and actions taken on the farm bill at the Hawaii convention, he said.

"We don't want to dissent from the American farm bureau, just from its interpretation of the farm bill," Moates said. The American Farm Bureau directors interpreted the resolutions passed there dif-

ferently from the state delegation, he said.

The state organization dissented most with limitations on subsidies, Moates said. "The main thing bothering us is that they're trying to phase out target prices and limitations so fast."

Delano described the administration bill, designed to usher in a more "market-oriented" agriculture and wean farmers from subsidies, as "too drastic," and added, "We think ours is a more moderate approach."

The bill Delano outlined would retain, at slightly lower levels, the current system of "target prices," which are fixed commodity prices.

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Cops are cat's meow to orphan felines on Scurry

By CAROL BALDWIN
Staff Writer

Before last week, stray cats on Scurry Street always knew where they could go for a free hand-out — to the big green and white house in the 1400 block where a short, thin elderly woman always had plenty of food and time for them.

Maurine Terrell, 61, fed and cared for the wild cats in the neighborhood, earning her the nickname of "the cat lady" among acquaintances.

After the assault last week that led to her death, police visited the house to care for the five wild cats and four kittens that were regulars at Mrs. Terrell's.

"Ardis (Hodges, with the animal control department) went over every day to feed and water them while she was in the hospital," said Janie Edwards, a dispatcher with the police department.

Since Mrs. Terrell's death Friday, police are trying to find homes for the cats, which they say are too wild for

house pets.

"We're trying to pick them up and find homes for them. Some are at the animal shelter," Mrs. Edwards said.

One of the cats is holed up under the house with two of its kittens, she said. A member of the humane society took the kittens to draw the mother cat out from under the house.

The plan worked, up to a point, Mrs. Edwards said. "The mother cat came out, but she took the kittens back under

the house with her," she said.

The humane society has two of the cat's other kittens, Mrs. Edwards said.

"We're going to have to put a trap out to catch (the others) and put them in the shelter," she said. "There's no point in them roaming the neighborhood."

Ideal homes for the cats would be ranches and farms, Mrs. Edwards said. "They're not tame. They're not house cats," she said. "They probably would make good mousers on a farm or ranch. They're wild."

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Nation

By The Associated Press

Stocks drop; sales up

Stock and bond prices tumbled and interest rates moved higher after the Commerce Department reported that retail sales jumped 1.4 percent in February for their best advance since November.

Major U.S. automakers, meanwhile, said Wednesday their combined early March sales rose a modest 3.3 percent from a year earlier.

And the nation's 1,000 largest manufacturers boosted their capital appropriations 82 percent in 1984 to \$116 billion, despite heavy cutbacks in the petroleum industry, the Conference Board said.

The retail sales report raised concerns on Wall Street that economic growth, combined with recent growth in the money supply, might be so brisk as to prompt the Federal Reserve to tighten credit, pushing up interest rates.

Airlines goes bankrupt

TAMPA, Fla. — Provincetown-Boston Airline, in financial difficulty since a brief shutdown by federal aviation officials last fall, filed Wednesday for protection from its creditors under U.S. bankruptcy laws, an attorney said.

The airline, which as one of the nation's largest regional carriers flies to 13 Florida cities and eight cities in the Northeast, will continue operations as normal, said Stephen Story, an attorney for Hugh C. Culverhouse, who holds the controlling interest of the Naples-based airline.

The Federal Aviation Administration shut PBA down for two weeks in November for alleged safety violations. After the FAA allowed the airline to return to service, a 19-seat PBA plane crashed on takeoff in Jacksonville, killing all 13 people aboard.

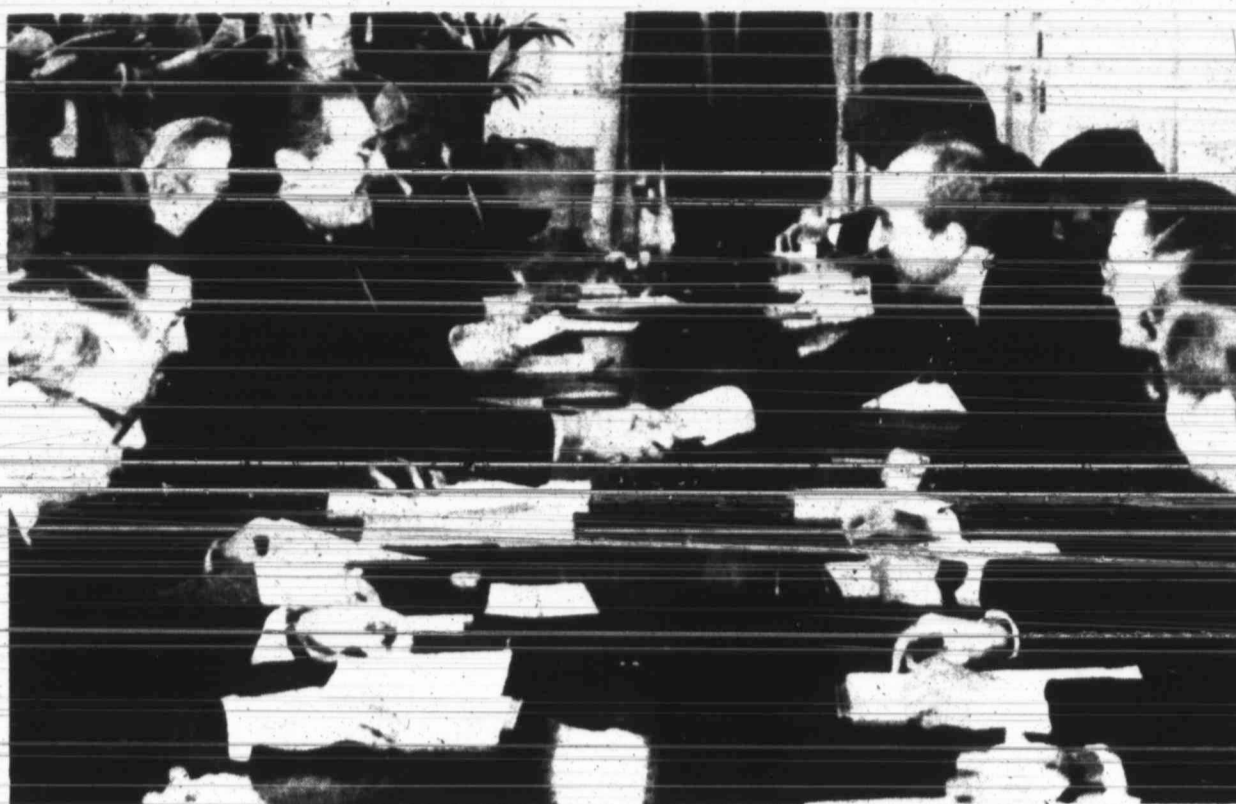
Mr. Coke-Is-It wins bid

ATLANTA — A man who changed his last name to Coke-Is-It because his old one was frequently mispronounced has reached an agreement with the Coca-Cola Co., which holds a trademark on the advertising slogan, the company said.

Frederick Koch, 54, of West Brattleboro, Vt., changed his name legally to Coke-Is-It in November, saying he was tired of hearing people pronounce his name as "Kotch" or "Cook."

"Coke is it" was the answer he always gave for the correct pronunciation, he said.

Coca-Cola filed an appeal in Windham (Vt.) County Court to block Koch's name change "primarily to protect the Coke campaign," said spokesman Tom Gray after the company announced Wednesday that an agreement had been reached.



U.S. arms control talks chief negotiator Max Kampelman, right, shakes hands with his Soviet counterpart Victor Karpov across the conference table in the U.S. mission in Geneva, Thursday.

Talks timetable

U.S., USSR delegates meet in inaugural session

GENEVA, Switzerland (AP) — U.S. and Soviet negotiators met for nearly two hours today and to set up a timetable for their talks on searching for an agreement limiting nuclear weapons.

Bound by their own rule of "confidentiality," they made no statements about their discussions to reporters. Victor P. Karpov, head of the Soviet delegation, said they would meet again March 19.

"It's only the second meeting," Karpov said with a smile and a wave of the hand. The talks formally opened Tuesday after a 15-month stalemate over the basing of new U.S. nuclear weapons in Western Europe.

On the table are strategic bombers, intercontinental missiles and nuclear submarines, the intermediate-range weapons both sides have in Europe, and defense systems, including President Reagan's research program on anti-missile shields.

Max M. Kampelman, the chief U.S. negotiator, greeted Karpov as the two delegations took their places in an eighth floor meeting room at the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

"Maybe you and I should shake hands," the American told the Russian with a smile as they posed for photographers. They shook hands twice to make sure.

Taking a playful swipe at Karpov, who held an extensive interview with a handful of reporters before the initial session on Tuesday, Kampelman asked: "Do you think you've had enough publicity?"

Karpov replied, "Yes, I think so," and took his place.

U.S. officials said the first meeting Tuesday made a good start, and they predicted a comprehensive discussion of issues during their first in-depth session today. At Tuesday's opening session, only Karpov participated. All three U.S. negotiators, Kampelman, John Tower and Maynard Glitman, attended.

Today, the other two Soviet negotiators joined in, so all six delegates were present.

U.S. sources, who spoke on condition they not be identified, said the two sides tentatively agreed to a six-week term when they met on Tuesday. They said Kampelman preferred a three-week session, but the Soviets wanted to stay at the table much longer.

Final approval of the length of the session was left to today's meeting, the sources said.

As he and his two fellow negotiators arrived, Karpov was asked if he had received any new instructions from the new Kremlin chief Mikhail S. Gorbachev. Karpov replied "Not yet."

Joseph Lehman, spokesman for the U.S. delegates, said Wednesday: "The president says this is a new opportunity for progress, and we are going to take that approach both substantively and psychologically."

The Americans hope "to get down to earnest business right away," he said. Lehman predicted a "full and lively dialogue" on the topics of space weapons, and strategic and medium-range nuclear weapons.

World

By The Associated Press

Blast kills 1, injures 11

POINTE-A-PITRE, Guadeloupe — A bomb blast ripped through a restaurant shortly after noon Wednesday, killing one person and injuring 11. Police said four of the wounded were Americans from a cruise ship.

It was the third bombing in five days on the French Caribbean island. The wave of violence began just before the first stage of local elections last Sunday.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility for Wednesday's explosion at the L'Escale restaurant in central Pointe-a-Pitre, the island's largest city.

Authorities said Marie-Jose Aubery, 37, of Guadeloupe, died of her injuries at the Regional Hospital in Pointe-a-Pitre.

5 held in agent's slaying

MEXICO CITY — A state police commander and four agents are under arrest in connection with an investigation of drug trafficking and the murder of a U.S. narcotics agent, a television network and a national news service reported Wednesday night.

Televisa, Mexico's most prominent television network, and the news service of the leading Mexico City newspaper Excelsior both reported that a police commander and four agents are under arrest in Guadalajara, the city where Enrique Camarena Salazar, an agent of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, was abducted Feb. 7.

The television quoted the Jalisco State Attorney General's office, and the newspaper gave no sources.

Police sources in Guadalajara said more than 20 people, many of them police agents, were detained Wednesday for questioning in the investigation. Joel Huacuja, a reporter for the Guadalajara newspaper El Jalisco, said in a telephone interview.

Gorbachev, Kohl meet

MOSCOW — The new Soviet leader, Mikhail S. Gorbachev, told West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl today he opposed Western European participation in President Reagan's space-based defense research plan. But, Kohl said, there was no warning, as in the past, about jeopardizing arms control agreements.

"Gorbachev indicated that he doesn't want Western Europe to go along with or participate in" the Strategic Defense Initiative, Kohl told reporters after the meeting.

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Iran bombs Iraqi captial

By The Associated Press
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Iraq denied that Baghdad had been hit by a missile, and said the bank was damaged by a bomb planted by Iranian agents. An Interior Ministry source, speaking on Baghdad Radio, said some bank guards were injured slightly.

After Iran's reported missile attack, the official Islamic Republic News Agency of Iran said Iraqi warplanes fired missiles into Iran's capital Tehran and the northeastern city of Tabriz, killing 17 people.

An Iraqi spokesman confirmed the air raids on the two cities.

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Lifestyle

March is Social Workers Month



Dr. Donohue

Leg pain recovery time a key clue

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I am the original walking man and have more miles on my legs than I could ever count. Now in my retirement, I have begun a regular walking program. Each morning I walk a mile and a half. I have had pain problems steadily for the past few years, but more recently, I have noticed that the pain occurs with irritating regularity, almost uniformly. For example, I can tell almost to the exact point in my morning walk, when I will have to stop to let my leg pain ease up. Then I am able to go on another several blocks, then zingo, another pain. I only have to wait a couple of minutes to get relief. Is this possibly pain from nerve compression you spoke of recently? — I.J.

My guess would be that you are dealing with our old friend, intermittent claudication. Translated, that means that when exercising the large muscles of your legs, the circulation is inadequate to nourish them and they let you know about it by sending out "starvation" distress signals. It is more likely to be circulation rather than nerve-related when the pain recovery time is only a couple of minutes. The same pain/relief cycle can hold for nerve-related pain, but there the recovery times tend to be longer, say 10 minutes. Simple tests will determine just what is causing your pains, which, if circulation-caused, would tend to disappear with a regular aerobic training program. Your regular walking is that kind of program. This would not happen were the pain nerve-related.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I am a nervous person when it comes to my health. I was diagnosed as having a stomach ulcer recently, and my doctor talked to me at length. We decided to just go with the oral medicine to see how it worked before having tests for cancer. Now I just happened to pick up a magazine that was discussing the very same problem, so I am living in fear of it being cancerous. What would you have done? I did have X-rays done. I am on medicine to cut down the acid in the stomach. Should a biopsy be done? — J.F.

The odds are pretty long against a stomach ulcer turning out to be cancer, but the doctor must constantly keep the possibility in mind. Only about 3 percent of ulcers examined specifically for cancer turn out to be that. So the doctor must balance that fact with the expense and hospitalization required for the tests. X-rays alone can, in fact, tell much.

However, even after treatment is started, the doctor watches the patient's progress carefully. I am sure that your doctor knows much more now than when you wrote

your note to me. If an ulcer has not shown signs of healing within an allotted time (four to six weeks) after starting antacid-type treatment, then the doctor would decide to obtain a tissue sample with an endoscope to test for malignancy.

Social workers in Big Spring and across the country are celebrating Social Workers Month throughout March with the theme "Work is a Family Affair."

The West Texas Unit of the National Association of Social Workers had a workshop for social workers in Big Spring titled "Group Therapy Applications", March 1. This organization also plans an awards ceremony for West Texas Social Worker of the Year, Howard County Social Worker of the Year, and Howard County Citizen of the Year. Big Spring Hospital plans to honor its Social Worker of the Year at a reception March 25.

Social workers were among the first professionals to identify and address the effects of various

stressors on family life, says Big Spring State Hospital officials. Social workers are applying their expertise in facilitating solutions to social problems in the workplace. They also are responding to family problems of the 80s through many counseling and crisis intervention projects.

Social workers provide services through child guidance centers and family services agencies, business and industrial programs, general and psychiatric hospitals, private practice and mental health centers.

Professional social workers hold a bachelor's degree and may have a master's degree in social work from accredited colleges and universities. Social workers combine their knowledge and skills with compassion and a desire to help people.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

You are hereby notified of the opportunity for written public comment concerning the Construction Permit Application No. 9575 by High Plains Gas System to increase the rated capacity of a natural gas sweetening plant West of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. The location of the facility is approximately four (4) miles West of Big Spring and one mile South of Interstate Highway 10. The facility proposes to increase the emission of the following contaminants: sulfur oxides, nitrogen oxides, and volatile organic compounds, including but not limited to petroleum vapors and carbon monoxide. The Executive Director of the Texas Air Control Board has made the preliminary determination to issue this permit.

A copy of all materials submitted by the applicant including the preliminary analysis thereof is available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board, 6330 Highway 290 East, Austin, Texas 78723, and at the Region 6 office at 1901 East 37th Street, Suite 101, Odessa, Texas 79762. All interested persons may inspect these materials and submit written comments to the Executive Director of the Texas Air Control Board. All comments received in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice, April 13, 1985, shall be considered by the Board in making its decision on the application. All comments will be made available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board office in Austin.

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Entire inventory of RCA TV's marked for quick liquidation

KM. TROY, MI. Leonard Bogdan, Kmart executive, unveiled plans today for the complete liquidation of all RCA Color-Trak, black and white TV's and video cassette recorders from existing stock at local Kmart Stores. "We've got to clear the floors," Bogdan said. "to make room for a major order of the latest RCA models."



Bogdan maintained Kmart was willing to cut prices on the remaining RCA TV's and VCR's "to the bare bones" in order to meet current sales goals. "I don't care how big a sacrifice we must make, we'll do whatever is necessary." Industry sources reported last week that Kmart had placed a major order with RCA, and that large fleets of RCA trucks were already enroute

to Kmart Stores across the country. The latest report underscored the necessity for Kmart to sell off remaining floor stocks before the trucks reach their destination.

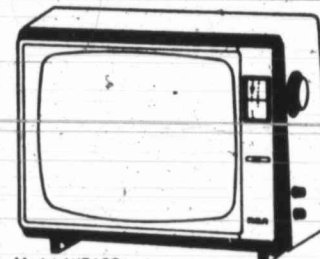
According to Bogdan, sales of RCA ColorTrak TV's and video cassette recorders have been brisk since early last fall. There has always been tremendous acceptance among our customers of RCA technology," Bogdan

said. With some of the lowest prices of the year, I'm sure we'll get the job done.

Many long time Kmart customers, when queried by reporters, said they had waited a long time for the RCA Sell Off and were glad it had finally been announced.

"We'll be back with new late models," says RCA's Patterson

KM. INDIANAPOLIS INDIANA, RCA executive Jack Patterson revealed today that Kmart had placed extensive orders for RCA's latest models of ColorTrak and black and white TV's and Video Cassette Recorders. "We're shipping now," Patterson said. "I only hope Kmart can make room for them."



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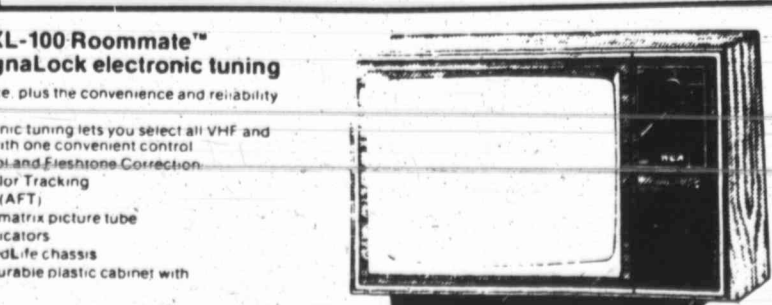
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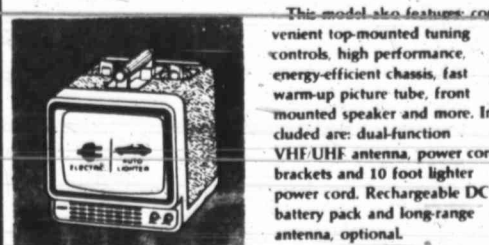
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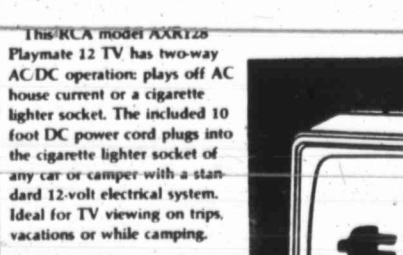
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Coahoma Lions plan to clean up Coahoma

The Coahoma Lions is sponsoring a Coahoma Clean Up Day, Saturday.

The organization will meet at 8 a.m. at Katy's Kitchen for project assignments. The members plan to clean up the park and practice ball fields.

Anyone interested in helping can meet with the group Saturday. The Lions also want to encourage Coahoma residents to make Saturday a day to clean around their own property. The Coahoma trash dump will be open for all Coahoma citizens.

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THE Daily Crossword by Louisa Sabin

ACROSS

- Use acid artistically
- Parlor seats
- Open
- Kind of rubber
- Gay
- contenders
- US president
- Eastern prince
- Asian college
- Actress Durbin
- Formal lid
- Fruit of the maple
- Off-center
- "Carmen" role
- Bumpkin of old
- Wisc. city
- Onassis
- Distant
- Charmy of films
- Wanderer
- Car of yore
- Saws
- Capri or Wight
- Utah at first
- Vend
- Romantic runaway
- Cruise
- Wishful one
- Guinness
- Reserved
- Medal behavior
- US president
- Over hill and
- Detect in a way
- Sari wearer
- B.A. word
- Schoolyard insult
- Chip in

DOWN

- Solar-lunar time span
- No-no
- Move lurchingly
- Falstaff's buddy
- Lawmaker
- Story opener
- Court figures
- Completely
- Alias for Morpheus
- Turk. city
- US president
- King of comedy
- Columnist
- Barrett
- Type face: abbr.
- Consumed
- Headpiece for "The Saint"
- Chemical compounds
- Taste
- Nuncupative
- Sally of space
- Wit
- To shelter
- US president
- Machine part
- Danish island group
- Slick
- Push down
- Three score and ten
- Ignores
- Ness
- Scratches out
- Egyptian dam
- City on the Lys
- Eagle's home
- Icelandic tale
- At hand
- Camera part
- "- on parle..."
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Your Daily HOROSCOPE

from the CARROLL-RIGHTER INSTITUTE

FORECAST FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1985

GENERAL TENDENCIES: The daytime brings lack of some of the feeling of well-being that you like so much, but be patient as the late day and evening finds you able to achieve much of value.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Higher-ups are not in the mood to release favors in the morning, but later they change their minds and all is well.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Don't jump into some new kind of work during the daytime, but later you can study it further and get much accomplished.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Use only mature judgment since your intuition is apt to be off kilter. In the evening, all clears up for you.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Don't force associates to agree with one of your plans since they are busy with their own right now.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Study the work you have promised to do and don't make any revisions during the daytime. By evening, you gain the good will of all.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Forget expensive pleasures during the day and keep busy at work. Tonight you can enjoy inexpensive amusements.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) If you are unkind, you could upset a family tie very badly, so be gentle and in the evening, home life gets heavenly.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Don't be upset by some letter or phone call you receive in the morning, since later you find others are most friendly and extend favors.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Use care in the spending of money today and try to build up your bank account. Get estimates for repair work.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) You may feel disgruntled during the day for lack of fun, but use patience and tonight you get relief from tensions.

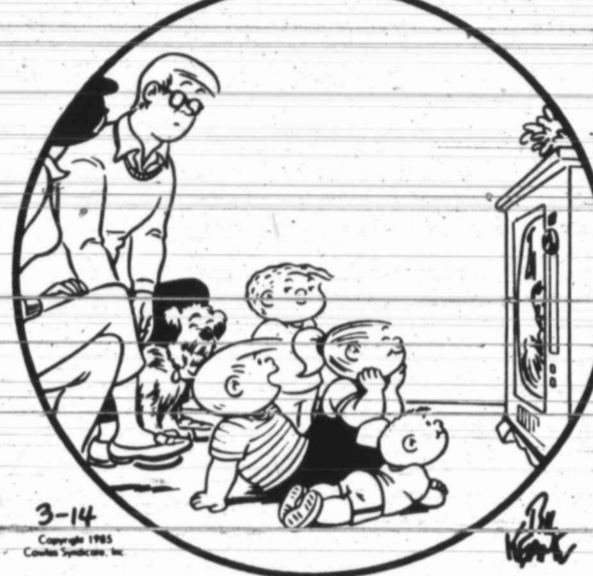
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Some personal worries can annoy you during the daytime, but relax and tonight you know how to solve the problems.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) A dynamic pal endeavors to involve you in something you do not like, so give him or her room, and tonight you can enjoy a good friend.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she can easily spot mistakes in conditions around him or her, and know what the right solution is in every instance. The early life may not be very affluent, but later many opportunities become prosperous.

"The Stars impel; they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!
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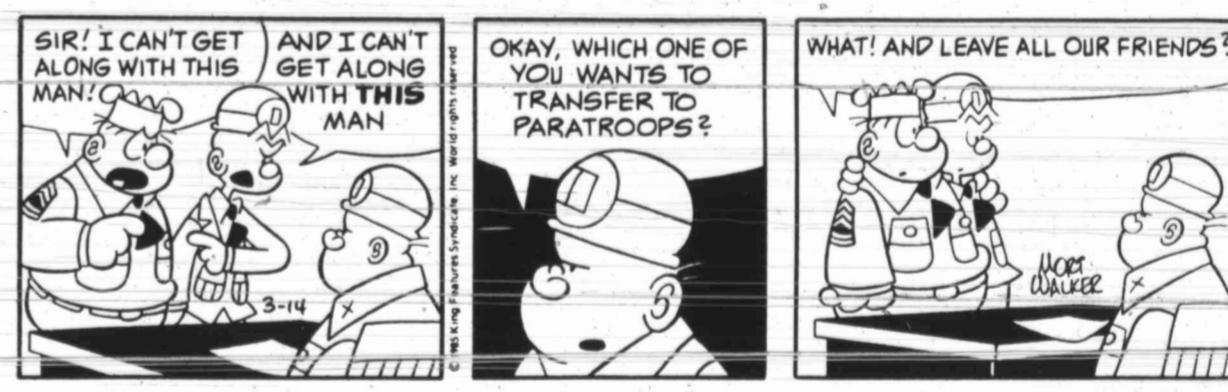
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Vans 560
1982 CHEVROLET ZIMMER van, low mileage, loaded, \$12,750. See to appreciate. 506 East 16th. 263-1171.
FOR SALE: 1982 Ford custom van, one owner, low mileage, excellent condition. \$11,500. Call 263-1805.

Travel Trailers 565
1983 KOMFORT 30' TRAVEL Trailer with twin beds and full bath in rear. 1701 Alabama.
1976 CHARTER TRAVEL Trailer. Extra nice. 8' x 35'. Park model. Information 263-3846.
WIDOW MUST sell by March 17th. 1984 30' travel trailer. Fully self-contained, many extras. See at **Rumsey's Mobile Home Park**, Hwy 80 West, Midland. No calls please.

Campers 567
MUST SELL: Wrecking out 10' pickup camper. Propane refrigerator \$325; three burner stove and oven \$150; one bowl sink with pump \$27; three Sears ladders \$285; 20 lb. L.P. tank \$20; L.P. light \$10; L.P. gas regulator \$10; air conditioner \$185; electric heater \$15; long electric cord \$1.00. 263-7837 between 4-6.

Motorcycles 570
FOR SALE: 1978 Honda Trail 90. Excellent condition. New tires and battery, low mileage. 393-5348.
1983 YAMAHA DIRT bike. New top end. \$800. See at 1-20 Trailer Park, Lot 15.

Boats 580
SPRING SALE: New Evinrude powered boats. Dealer for Dyna-Trak, Thundercraft, Deckboat, and all Bass Tracker models with 1985 Evinrude of all sizes. Chrene Boat and Marine, 1300 East Fourth, Big Spring, 263-6661.
15 FOOT WALK THRU, Sooner Craft. Tri-hull with 75 hp Evinrude, factory trailer. \$1,750. 263-1584.

Auto Service & Repair 581
PROFESSIONAL WINDOW Tinting: Several shades available, five-year guarantee. Reasonable prices. Call 394-4243 after 4:00.

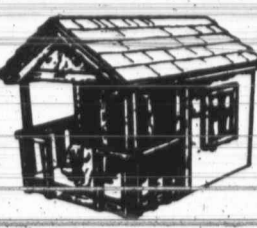
Auto Parts & Supplies 583
1980 305 ENGINE, 26,000 miles, \$700. Call 263-0600.

Auto Parts & Supplies 583
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Oilfield Service 590
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PUBLIC NOTICE
 "THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RR. WILL CLOSE ITS AGENCY IN BIG SPRING, TEX. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DAY MARCH 15, 1985. PATRON WILL CALL: J. W. FOX, MCO, AT 1-800-442-1686. 2263 March 11-15, 1985

PUBLIC NOTICE
Advertisement for Bids
 The Howard County Junior College District is now accepting bids for the following:
 1. Automotive Equipment and Miscellaneous Tools
 2. Phase Contrast Microscope
 3. Video Equipment
 4. Microcomputer Equipment and Software
 5. Computer Terminals
 Specifications may be obtained from the Business Manager on March 18, 1985. Sealed bids will be accepted through 4:00 p.m. on Friday, March 22, 1985, at which time they will be opened and read aloud. The bids will then be tabulated and presented to the Board of Trustees for action during the next Board meeting on Tuesday, March 26, 1985. Questions should be directed to the Business Manager, Howard County Junior College District, Big Spring, Texas. Howard County Junior College District reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 2260 March 13 & 14, 1985

PUBLIC NOTICE
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:
 You are hereby notified of the opportunity for written public comment concerning the Construction Permit Application No. 9575 by High Plains Gas System to increase the rated capacity of a natural gas sweetening plant West of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. The location of the facility is approximately four (4) miles West of Big Spring and one mile South of Interstate Highway 10. The facility proposes to increase the emission of the following contaminants: sulfur oxides, nitrogen oxides, and volatile organic compounds, including but not limited to petroleum vapors and carbon monoxide. The Executive Director of the Texas Air Control Board has made the preliminary determination to issue this permit.
 A copy of all materials submitted by the applicant including the preliminary analysis thereof is available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board, 6330 Highway 290 East, Austin, Texas 78723, and at the Region 6 office at 1901 East 37th Street, Suite 101, Odessa, Texas 79762. All interested persons may inspect these materials and submit written comments to the Executive Director of the Texas Air Control Board. All comments received in writing within thirty (30) days of this notice, April 13, 1985, shall be considered by the Board in making its decision on the application. All comments will be made available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board office in Austin.

2266 March 13 & 14, 1985

PUBLIC NOTICE
SHERIFF'S SALE
 TEXAS WRECKER SERVICE, N. HWY. 87, BIG SPRING, TEXAS
 MARCH 21, 1985 @ 10:00 AM
 Phone: 915-267-1671

YEAR	LICENSE #	VIN #
1977 Chev	Tex. QEF136	1L47U7279188
1980 DATSUN SW	Tex. WGN283	WHLB310073427
1978 Ply	Tex. QTJ731	HLA1G8B313425
1972 Chev	Tex. BY1879	1XZFP2W154589
1975 Ford	Tex. RCR285	5W81F221487
1979 Ford PU	Tex. PV4967	9B48H160880
1979 Ford SW	Tex. TPC580	9K94T167008
1968 Ford PU	Tex. MB5606	F10YKD52950
1973 Ford	Tex. ZV6954	F25HKB2067
1960 Ford	Tex. AVN409	OK12S13820
1980 GMC PU	None	TCZ14A2512426

2268 March 14, 1985

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Howard County will receive bids for the Roof Repair of the Howard County Show Building until 10:00 A.M. on March 22, 1985. Work consist of replacing metal roof panels, removal of cooling units, and installation of 2 new cooling units. Bids should be submitted to: Jackie Olson, County Auditor Howard County Courthouse, Big Spring, Tx. 79720.
 Bid Specifications may be obtained at the County Auditors Office. Contract will be awarded at the regular meeting of the Commissioners Court at 10:00 A.M. on March 25, 1985. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
 JACKIE OLSON
 County Auditor
 2250 March 7 & 14, 1985

USED CARS

March Money Savers

All of these units are one owner & most of them local one owner units with low mileage.

- 1984 LINCOLN TOWN CAR — Dark red with matching vinyl top, matching cloth interior, fully loaded with 26,000 miles.
- 1984 LINCOLN MARK VII — White with red velour interior, fully loaded local one owner with only 5,000 miles.
- 1984 FORD TEMPO GLX 2-DR. — Brown metallic with cloth interior, 4 cylinder, automatic, one owner with 13,000 miles.
- 1982 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS 4-DR. — White with matching vinyl top, red velour interior, local one owner.
- 1982 CADILLAC FLEETWOOD BROUGHAM 2-DR. — Apricot metallic, dark apricot vinyl top, matching velour interior, fully loaded, local one owner with only 17,000 miles.
- 1982 OLDSMOBILE 98 REGENCY 4-DR. — Apricot metallic with dark apricot vinyl top, matching leather interior, fully loaded, local one owner with 33,000 miles.
- 1982 BUICK PARK AVENUE 2-DR. — Light blue/green metallic, white vinyl roof, matching cloth interior, fully loaded, local one owner with 20,000 miles.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION
 (AVISO DE ELECCION DE REGENTES)
 The Stanton Independent School District Board of Trustees hereby gives notice of an election to be held on Saturday, April 6, 1985, for the purpose of electing one trustee for each of positions designated as Place #3, Place #4, and Place #5.
 (Por la presente la junta de regentes del distrito escolar independiente da aviso que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el dia Sabado, Abril 6 de 1985 con el proposito de para la eleccion de (1) un regentes para posicion designados como lugar 3, lugar 4, lugar 5.
 ABSENTEE VOTING by personal appearance will begin on Monday, March 18, 1985, and continue through Tuesday, April 2, 1985 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. (VOTACION FOR AUSENCIA en persona comencara el Lunes de Marzo 18 de 1985 y continuara hasta el Martes de Abril 2 de 1985 desde las 8:00 a.m. hasta las 5:00 p.m. en todos los dias que no sean sabado, domingo, o dia oficial de vacaciones estatales.)
 Absentee voting in person will be conducted at the office of Doris Stephenson, Martin County Clerk, Martin County, Stanton, Texas 79782. (Votando por ausencia personal va ser conducido acerca de la oficina de Doris Stephenson del condado de Martin. Solicitudes para una boleta de ausencia por correo deben dar vuelta por correo al Doris Stephenson County Clerk, Martin County, Stanton, Texas 79782.)
 THE POLLING PLACE(S) designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election. (Los sitios de votacion indicados abajo se abrieran desde las 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. el dia de la eleccion.)
 Pct. No. (Num. de precincto) Location (Coleccion) All Jr. High Cafeteria
 2267 March 14, 1985

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March 16, 1985

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MAR. 23 \$200. SHOPPING SPREE
 Drawing will be held March 23. Tickets will be sold at Safeway Stores or by any employee. All money from ticket sales will be donated to Easter Seal campaign!

MAR. 23

For information, contact Tom Land, Mgr. or Nancy Bond, Safeway College Park