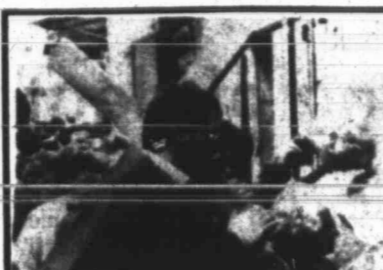




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How's that?

Clean up

Q. How may I participate in the citywide cleanup April 13?
A. The Chamber of Commerce and members of the 4x4 cleanup program are in the process now of assigning team captains and crew leaders. Each crew leader will recruit four people to join the crew, and each of these four will invite four more, and so on.

The event is opened to anyone in the city who would like to help clean up major thoroughfares and unsightly lots. Call the Chamber if you have time or equipment to donate.

The cleanup is set from 8 a.m. to noon next Saturday.

Calendar

Dancing

TODAY

The Senior Citizens dance will be at 7:30 p.m. at Airpark Building No. 487.

SATURDAY

The Howard County Youth Horseman Club will have a Belt Buckle Playday at 1 p.m. at the club arena on the Garden City Highway.

The county library will be closed today for the Easter holiday.

MONDAY

The Howard County Youth Horseman Club meets at the club arena on the Garden City Highway with Russell Walker as speaker. A weiner roast begins at 7 p.m. with the meeting beginning at 7:30 p.m. All members and interested persons may attend.

The Howard County Chapter of the NAACP meets at 7 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce Conference Room. The public is invited to attend.

TUESDAY

The Permian Basin Southwest Chapter of the Paralyzed Veterans of America meet at 7 p.m. in room 212 of the Veterans Administration Medical Center.

Tops on TV

Movie

While preparing for an all-important race, a divorced, carefree motocross racer vows to reform his reckless lifestyle and to accept the responsibilities of being an adult on "Stormin' Home". The movie, starring Gil Gerard and Lisa Blount, airs at 8 p.m. on channel 7.

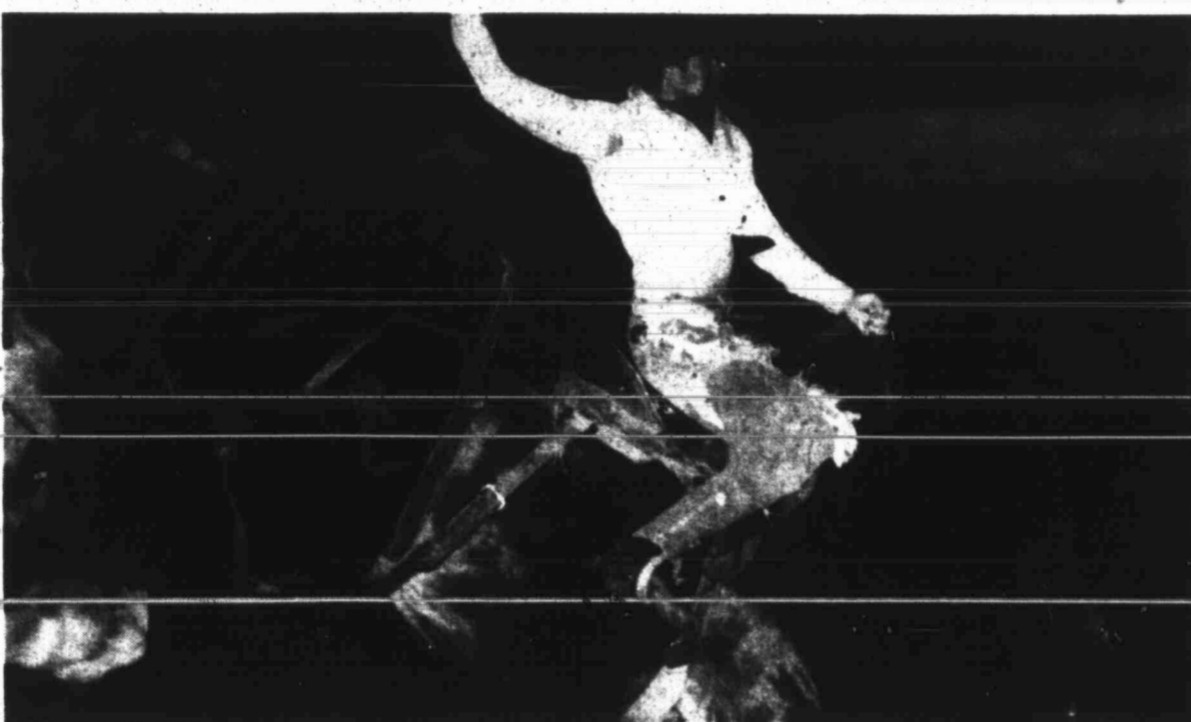
Outside Sunny

Today's weather features sunny skies and cooler temperatures with highs in the mid 70s. Northerly winds are blowing 5 to 15 miles per hour. By Saturday, highs will be in the lower 80s with southerly winds blowing 5 to 15 miles per hour.

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Saddle sores



An unidentified saddle-bronc rider stays atop his mount during competition Thursday night at the Howard College Rodeo.

Oil price drop pumps gloomy state forecast

HOUSTON (AP) — Every time the price of Texas crude oil drops \$1 a barrel, the state loses about \$100 million in revenues, a state financial officer says.

"It's really rare in this country that a state is as closely tied to the oil and gas industry," Dale Craymer, the state's manager of revenue estimation, said Thursday at a symposium on the relation between oil prices and state revenues.

Twenty-eight percent of the state's tax revenues come from the oil and gas industry, Craymer said. "You may have heard that the

oilman is a dying breed in this state," he said. "Well, that may be true. But when they go, they're going to have to pay the inheritance taxes as well."

Craymer estimated oil prices would drop from about \$27 a barrel this year to \$24.15 in 1987 and \$19.48 in 1989.

"For every \$1 drop in the price of oil, we lose about \$30 million in sales taxes," he said. "By about 1990 — for every drop in oil — instead of \$30 million, we'll probably lose about \$37 million."

The state experienced a 33 per-
Oil prices page 5-A

Spring economy: Signs of growth

• Deposits up at banks, S&Ls

By CAROL BALDWIN
Staff Writer

Bank deposits were up slightly for most Big Spring-area banks during the first quarter of 1985, but a local savings and loan was reporting \$6 million in additional deposits for the first quarter of 1985.

According to figures, First National Bank had first quarter deposits of \$157,971,422, compared to the last quarter figures of 1984 of \$155,932,236.

State National Bank reported first quarter deposits today of \$107,448,053, compared to \$97,574,224 recorded during the last quarter of 1984.

Coahoma State Bank was reporting \$14,990,322 in deposits during the first quarter of 1985. That compares to last quarter 1984 deposits of \$14,722,000.

Security State Bank was reporting slightly lower figures for the first quarter of 1985 as compared to the last quarter of 1984. Figures show \$32,597,735 for the first quarter of 1985, compared to \$34,045,028.

Big Spring Savings reported an increase of \$6 million in deposits from the last quarter of 1984 to the first quarter of 1985, according to Bruce Hogenmiller, manager. Hogenmiller said the savings and loan is a branch institution with headquarters in Lufkin, but he was able to break down local figures.

Locally, Big Spring Savings had deposits of \$33,274,475 for the first quarter of 1985, compared to last quarter 1984

figures of \$27,297,462. Loans for Big Spring Savings were also up by \$5 million, Hogenmiller said. Figures show loans amounting to \$17,097,162 for the first quarter of 1985, compared to loans from the last quarter of 1984 amounting to \$12,092,765.

First Federal Savings reported first quarter deposits of \$82,713,000, compared to \$88,906,000 collected for the last quarter of 1984.

An employee at First Federal said loans could not be broken down for the local institution. For the entire association, which includes several branch offices, total loans for first quarter 1985 were \$122,659,000, compared to last quarter loans of \$102,669,000.

JoEtta Hart of City Savings said loan and deposit figures for the local facility are kept in the San Angelo office for the City Savings chain and said she could not break them down locally.

First National Bank reported slightly less money out in loans for the first quarter of 1985. Figures show \$58,335,130 in loans for the first quarter, compared to \$61,270,821 for the last quarter of 1984.

Security State reported \$14,923,393 in loans for the first quarter of 1985, compared to \$14,557,456 for the last quarter of 1984.

State National reported \$51,109,873 in loans for the first quarter of 1985, compared to last quarter 1984
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• Building estimates double

By KEELY COGHLAN
Staff Writer

The amount of estimated construction costs for building permits granted during March jumped to almost twice the amount collected in March 1984.

The increase, to \$395,593 of estimated construction costs this month compared to \$223,640 a year ago, follows a poor first two months of 1985.

According to figures from the city's building permits office, the amount of permits granted, the amount of fees collected by the city and estimated construction costs in January and February lagged behind figures from 1984.

The city granted 12 permits in March this year and collected \$887 in fees. In March 1984, they granted 35 permits and collected \$645 in fees.

According to the figures, most of the increase in building cost estimates can be attributed to the proposed construction of a seafood restaurant, Seawings.

Records show Seawings, to be located at 404 E. FM 700, will be built for an estimated \$218,000 by Landmark Resources of San Angelo. The architect is listed as Johnny Jennings of San Angelo, and the project is being financed by Big Spring Savings.

Although the estimated construction costs for March are up, the number of permits granted, fees collected and construction costs are down for the first six

months of the fiscal year compared to the first six months in 1984.

For the fiscal year, beginning in October 1984, through March 1985, the city granted 66 permits and collected \$1,831 in building permit fees. The projects had a total estimated construction cost of \$661,018.

In fiscal year 1984 through March, the city granted 161 permits and collected \$11,201 in permit fees for projects that had an estimated cost of \$6.62 million.

According to records, the city granted permits for two housing units with an estimated cost of \$15,500; two public works and utility buildings at \$26,293; two stores at \$248,000; four non-residential buildings, at \$1,950; a sign, at \$10,000; and one garage at \$4,000.

In addition, the city granted permits for one renovation of a business at \$80,000; three additions that would increase the number of housing units at a cost of \$15,300; and two additions that would not change the number of housing units, at a cost \$6,800.

The Parks Insurance Agency also was granted a building permit for renovation at its building at 900 Main. According to records, renovation costs are estimated at \$80,000.

City Council candidate Gary Don Carey also was granted a permit to construct an addition onto his beauty salon at 1508A E. FM 700.

An Easter story

The crisis of life and the meaning of death

This fourth installment of a five-part Easter series about the changing stages of life from childhood through death and beyond, as related to Jesus' life, deals with adult crises.

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

An Arab sheik, a deeply devout man of utmost integrity, was considered his region's greatest chief in the long-ago Middle East. Always just and compassionate, he possessed immense wealth, vigorous health and bounteous happiness. His seven sons and three daughters feasted joyously with him on occasions and life was sweet and pleasing.

Then disaster struck. His thousands of sheep, camels and cattle were stolen by raiding tribes. Fire and marauders killed his many servants. His sons and daughters died in a hurricane that destroyed their homes. He himself was stricken by a repugnant disease that mottled his body with running sores.

He was cast "into the mire," he says in that ancient biblical legend. Past friends abandoned him and he hated ever being born. "There is no justice!" he screamed at the Almighty.

Such calamities occur in life although rarely so sweepingly as the devastations that engulfed the battered, seemingly blameless character in the Book of Job.

Ordinarily they are more fragmentary, creeping, gradually wreaking their havoc.

"Adult crises," psychology calls them, at mid-life and later stages, when the whole framework of living seems to come apart, the former moorings collapse, directions blur and the point of it all goes stale and vapid.

"The experience of the mid-stage of crisis can be likened to being carried in the trough of a wave," write psychologists James and Evelyn Whitehead, adding that it causes disorientation, confusion and an overwhelming sense of loss.

It's a kind of dark "tunnel," a "no-man's land," with threatening disarray all around. Psychoanalyst Erik Erikson says such times are critical "turning points," either for

regression or progress, retardation or fuller integration.

The ordeal can be a troubled marriage, whose dismemberment comes on gradually, the hurts, the stifled resentments, the blocked conversation and bitterness that finally bring divorce, wrecking the order and plans of lifetimes.

The blow can be the death of a mate, a parent, brother or sister, stripping away the framework of mutual love and strength that had braced a person from the start. It can be a child killed in an accident, cutting away the hopes and promise of continuity vested in offspring.

It can be a vocational disruption, a sharpening disenchantment with a job, or a growing awareness of being pushed aside. It can be getting fired or laid off, losing means of support.

That common void if prolonged can become desperate and corrosive, not only in terms of deprived sustenance of a worker and his family, but in the demeaning of him as a failure to those whom he cares most about.

The onslaught can come from
Easter page 2-A



Good Friday procession in Jerusalem.

Associated Press photo

An Easter story: crisis of life, meaning of death

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retirement, when usefulness seems gone. It can come from aging, when stamina declines, when an older no longer counts the years from his birth but from how many he may have left, when he questions whether or not he matters or ever did.

The crisis can come from ravaging illness or the crush of death.

"Let him be crucified!" That was the thunderbolt that hit Jesus as he stood before the judgment seat of the Roman governor, Pontius Pilate.

The Galilean teacher had seen it coming, had discerned the mounting forces closing around him and had told his men he would be seized, mocked, scourged and killed and "on the third day he will rise."

It stumped his disciples. They couldn't figure it. Only the night before his arrest, they had shared a last supper and he spoke cryptically of betrayal and denial among them. He also said:

"Where I am going you cannot follow me now; but you shall follow me afterward ... I go to prepare a place for you ... I will not leave you desolate ... Peace, I leave with you ... Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid."

As his bewildered apostles walked with him through Jerusalem's midnight streets, on beyond the city walls and up the hill of Gethsemane, he told them:

"Abide in me, and I in you ... Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends ... You are my friends ... It is to your advantage that I go away ... You will weep and lament ... but your sorrow will be turned into joy."

At a clearing in an olive grove, he asked them to wait and watch while he went apart to pray. It was then that the enormity of his predicament swept him. "My soul is very sorrowful, even unto death."

He threw himself face down on a large rock, sobbing, pleading, "Abba, Father, all things are possible to thee; remove this cup from me." In that last grasp of temptation, he wanted out. But in the instant, he also regained himself, his utter adherence to God.

"Nevertheless, not my will, but thine be done," he prayed, true to his being, the tumult quieting within him. "Not what I will, but what thou wilt."

Psychologists say that in the grip of ordinary adult crises, such as some stabbing, disordering event, bereavement or approach of death itself, people who develop new capacities from it come to accept and confront it directly.

Not to do so brings "stagnation," Erikson says. But for those who do, after the initial staggering, destabilizing effects, he says, past strengths are "evoked and tested in the developmental challenge" and "embodied in the mature

Holy Week calendar

GOOD FRIDAY

● First Presbyterian Church will sponsor Good Friday services at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

● A Good Friday Liturgy is planned for 5:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

● Stations of the Cross and meditations service is at 3 p.m. at the Highland Mall parking lot at 6:45 p.m. for a procession with the carrying of the cross to the church. A Liturgical service with solemn prayer of intercession, Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion begins at 8 p.m.

● The Rev. Loren Gardner, pastor of the Coahoma First United Methodist Church, will speak at Holy Week services at 7 p.m. at the Coahoma First United Methodist Church.

SATURDAY

● A Holy Saturday Liturgy is at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. An acolyte practice for the Great Vigil of Easter is at 10:30 a.m. The Great Vigil of Easter, baptism and Holy Eucharist services is at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's.

● An Easter vigil is planned at 8 p.m. at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.

SUNDAY

● St. Paul Lutheran Church will host a 7 a.m. Easter sunrise service in the courtyard of the church. A pancake breakfast is planned for 7:45 a.m. These special events will be followed by regular Sunday services.

● Berea Baptist, 4004 Wasson Road, will host Easter sunrise services at 6:30 a.m.

● First Christian Church will host a sunrise service at 6:30 a.m. followed by a breakfast and Easter egg hunt. A community-wide sunrise service at the college auditorium is at 7:30 a.m., followed by the chancel choir cantata at 10:15 a.m. at the church.

● A Christian community celebration is set for 7:30 a.m. at the Howard College auditorium. The ladies' ensemble, First Baptist Church, will present special music, along with a community choir. Speakers are Guy White, Keith Wiseman and Kenneth Patrick. The event is sponsored by the Big Spring Ministerial Fellowship.

● Hillcrest Baptist Church will host a "Resurrection Rally" at 10 a.m. to noon at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. A musical, "Then Came the Morning" will feature choir members singing on a large cross, followed by Joe Whitten and "His Children" and a special Easter message by the Rev. Terry Fox.

● An Easter sunrise worship service will be held at 6:15 a.m. at the Cross on the Bryant Harris Ranch, one mile east of Garden City on the Sterling City Highway. The service is sponsored by the First Baptist Church and the First Methodist Church of Garden City. Breakfast will follow the service in the educational building of First Baptist.

● An Easter cantata, "I Witness to Easter," will be presented at 9 a.m. in the First Methodist Church, Garden City, and at 11 a.m. in the First Baptist Church, Garden City.

● Easter Mass will be at 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

● Easter services will be at 11 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church.

character as virtues" and new strengths.

It is a "crucial period of increased vulnerability and heightened potential," he says.

Jesus got up and roused his dozing apostles. An armed cohort of Roman soldiers and officials burst into the clearing, their torches casting a quiver of lights and shadows on the trees.

The soldiers seized Jesus and bound his arms with ropes as the apostles fled in terror. Taken first to the high priest's house for a denunciations, late-night interrogations, he was slapped about, spat on and taunted, "Prophecy to us, you Christ!"

Shortly after dawn before most of the common people who admired

him were up and about, so as to avoid a tumult, he was hauled before Pilate. It was a quick, hurried trial, goaded by a Temple clique. "We have found this man perverting our nation ... saying he himself is Christ a king."

"Are you the King of the Jews?" Pilate demanded.

"You have said so," Jesus said. "For this I was born and for this I have come into the world, to bear witness to the truth."

"What is truth?" Pilate scoffed. He sent Jesus to the guardhouse for scourging, 39 strokes with a lead-tipped flail. The soldiers shoved a ring of thorns down on his head, threw a purple cloth on his bleeding shoulders and hooted, "Hail, King of the Jews!"

He was shoved back before Pilate, who eyed the mauled, ridiculously clad figure cynically. "Behold the man!"

The rounded-up Temple crew yelled, "Away with him, crucify him! ... We have no king but Caesar."

Pilate nodded sardonically and pronounced the sentence: crucifixion.

A military detachment hurried Jesus through Jerusalem streets, a heavy crossbeam on his shoulders. Several times he fell but staggered on to the top of a waste-littered hill called Golgotha, "Place of the Skulls."

With his outstretched arms bound and his hands spiked to the crossbeam, it was hoisted on the upright post and dropped into the notch atop it with a jolt, and his feet nailed to it.

Jesus, his body convulsed with pain, looked about haggardly at the bystanders. "Father, forgive them for they know not what they do."

It is the cruelest execution known, lasting for hours or even days, the suspension constricting the rib cage, forcing the victim to push himself upward intermittently from his nailed feet to gulp air. Gnats swarmed about his sweating, blood-smearred face. Excruciating cramps coiled through him and his body shuddered with convulsions.

"My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?" he cried loudly.

A mystery hovered here. "He was wounded for our transgressions," the prophet Isaiah envisioned it, "bruised for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that made us whole ... With his stripes we are healed."

Other honorable men have been slain in good causes, Abraham Lincoln, Mahatma Gandhi, Martin Luther King, and their causes advanced by it. In Jesus' case, however, one considered perfect endured the fiercest dying for a humanity he espoused.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only son ... that the world might be saved through him," he had said.

His sacrifice is seen as absorbing, in God's unerring justice, the results of human sin, taking it on himself, balancing the human scales with forgiving mercy bought at a devastating price.

The innocent, totally good man, had met the worst. It appeared that blind destruction had the upper hand. That is how it had seemed to the desolated sheik, Job, how it often seems to the trampled and suffering.

Under a blazing sun, Jesus hung on the cross until mid-afternoon when the sky darkened, thunder cracked and a rending earthquake shook the earth. "Father, into thy hands, I commend my spirit!" he shouted into the storm. His head sagged, "It is finished."

TOMORROW: Completion.

Weather

Local

WEST TEXAS — Sunny days and fair nights through Saturday. A little warmer Saturday. Lows tonight upper 90s Panhandle to upper 40s south. Highs Saturday near 70 Panhandle to mid 80s south.

Forecast

Although yesterday's highs were near 90, the high temperature for today should be in the mid 70s. Northerly winds are blowing 5 to 15 miles per hour. Fair skies are forecasted for tonight with lows in the mid 40s. The mercury will rise on Saturday with highs reaching the lower 80s. Winds will be blowing southerly, 5 to 15 miles per hour.

Yesterday

High temperature.....	89
Low temperature.....	45
Record high.....	94
Record low.....	25
Rainfall.....	6.90
Year-to-date.....	3.92
Normal-to-date.....	2.22

Soil temps

4-inch...High-67, Low-60
8-inch...High-64, Low-62

Sheriff's Log

Two released on \$2,000 bond

Texas Department of Public Safety troopers arrested two persons Thursday night for driving while intoxicated.

Diane Hart Dawson, 36, of Sherman was released on \$1,000 bond.

Charles William Hesson Sr., 48, of Gail Route Box 221 was released on \$1,000 bond.

Big Spring police transferred Marie Davis Marquez, 25, of 1317 Mesquite to Howard County jail after she was charged with burglary. She was released on \$3,000 bond.

Sheriff's deputies arrested Jack Acuff, 31, of 120 Airbase Apt. 5B25 and charged him with forgery. He was released on \$5,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Lewis Heflin.

Police transferred Rodolfo H. Hilaro, 25, of 120 Airbase Building 31 Apt. No. 1 to county jail after he was charged with driving while license suspended and a second offense of failure to maintain financial responsibility. He was released on bonds totalling \$1,000.

Police Beat

Man reports auto theft to PD

A yellow 1972 Ford station wagon was stolen Thursday night, owner Vicente Solis of 704 N.W. 10th told police.

The car was valued at \$2,000. Betty Stephens of 2608 Carleton told police the gas tank on his blue 1984 Mercury was damaged between 8 and 10 p.m. Thursday. Damage was estimated at \$500.

James Proctor of Route 1 told police someone stole his motorcycle helmet between 9:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Thursday, while he was at 1601 Gregg. The helmet was valued at \$125.

Monalisa Bird of Lamesa told police someone assaulted her at midnight Friday in the west parking lot of the Homestead Inn.

Tina Garza of Box 3190 told police her child had been injured at 8 p.m. Thursday at 1002 N. Main. The child had facial bruises and scratches, the report stated.

Joni Rice of 1810 State told police someone stole three orange plastic chairs and two grey chairs between 5 and 9:15 p.m. Thursday from La Posada. The orange chairs are valued at \$20 each.

The ceiling was damaged in the T-Club at 311 N.W. Fourth in a burglary between March 26 and 11:40 p.m. Thursday. The ceiling was valued at \$1,500.

Rudolfo Puentes of 1207 Elm told police someone stole \$149 in cash from him at 3 p.m. Wednesday at State National Bank.

Patricia Marcon of Route 3 told police someone stole a full-length corduroy coat, valued at \$117, between 3 p.m. Wednesday and 9 a.m. Thursday from her blue 1977 Chevrolet Camaro at 110 E. 17th.

Deaths

Anne Martin

Anne Martin, 90, of Santa Barbara, Calif., a former Howard County Superintendent of Schools, died Thursday morning in California following a brief illness.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. David Knowell of Prairie View Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

She was born July 22, 1894, in Arkansas. She had lived in California since 1952.

She was a member of the Retired Teachers and of Delta Kappa Gamma. She had worked for O.P.A. in Odessa. She also taught school in Howard County for many years and was the county superintendent of schools in Howard County for eight years. She later became a practical nurse before her retirement.

She is survived by three nephews, Martin Fryar and Billy Fryar, both of Big Spring, and Fred Martin of Odessa; and five nieces, Betty Thomas and Marilyn Hodnett, both of Big Spring, Gertrude Gillespie of New York, N.Y., Alice Ann Brown and Gay Nell Martin, both of Fort Worth.

She also is survived by 31 grandnieces and grand-nephews.

Eduardo Martinez

Eduardo G. Martinez, 64, died Wednesday morning in Midland following a lengthy illness. Services were held at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Rev. James F. Delaney, pastor, officiating. Graveside services were at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Martinez married Estella Munoz Sept. 16, 1941, in Big Spring. He was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, where he had served as a deacon and been very active through the years.

He lived in the Howard County area most of his life. Before moving to Big Spring in July 1957, he had farmed for many years. He worked for the Big Spring Independent School District as a custodian from 1957 until retiring in the early 1970s because of ill health.

He is survived by his wife, Estella Martinez of Big Spring; five daughters, Beatrice Montez of Fort Worth, Lydia Chabarria of Smithfield, Matilda Irvin of Big Spring, Stella Ramirez of Corpus Christi and Maria Isabel Buchanan of Coweta, Okla.; three sons, Eduardo Martinez of Brownwood, Alfredo Martinez of Lubbock and Jorge Martinez of San Antonio; two brothers, A.G. Martinez of Big Spring and Reynaldo Martinez of Houston; two sisters, Lupe Martinez of Sunnyside, Wash., and Marianna Martinez of Bryan; and 21 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ramon Montez, Mike Garza, Manuel Chabarria, Michael Buchanan, Paul Irvin and Reynaldo Ramirez.

James Morgan

James Morgan, 80, died Friday morning in a local hospital. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

Delia McNew

Mrs. R.W. (Delia) McNew, 92, died Thursday morning at her home following a lengthy illness. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Trinity Baptist Church with Dr. Claude Craven, pastor, and Rev. Guy White, pastor at East Fourth Street Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

She was born Jan. 21, 1893, in Gorman. She married Roy W. McNew Aug. 22, 1914, in Huto. He died Sept. 24, 1967.

She was a member of the Trinity Baptist Church and the Big Spring Rebekah Lodge No. 284. She attended college at Stepp. She also attended the Catholic convent in Stanton for one year because it was the only school in the county at that time.

She moved to Howard County in 1903 in a covered wagon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee S. Hamlin. They farmed and ranched north of Big Spring until 1936 when they moved to Big Spring.

Her daughter, Callie Bennett, was living with her at the time of her death.

Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, R.X. "Jack" McNew and Ruth McNew of Big Spring; three daughters, Callie Bennett, Mrs. Jeff (Bonnie) Skeen and Mrs. Dwight (Ettrude) McCann, all of Big Spring; one son-in-law, Byron McCracken of Big Spring; one brother, O.E. Hamlin of Big Spring; 14 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

Other relatives include one daughter, Ethel Mae McCracken,

who died Oct. 31, 1977; a granddaughter, Polly Clem, who died in July 1975; a grandson, Timothy Davidson, who died on Dec. 25, 1980, and one brother, M.L. Hamlin, deceased.

Pallbearers will be Jimmy Rodgers, Robert Cline, William McNew, Rodney Cline, Danny Clark and Rube McNew.

Catarino Vega

ODESSA — Catarino E. Vega, 80, formerly of Big Spring died Thursday after a long illness. Services will be Saturday at 3:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church with Jose Garcia, officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include his wife Olivia Olvera of Odessa; five sons, Catarino Vega Jr., Rolando Vega, Oscar Vega and Joe Vega all of Odessa; and Johnny Vega of Austin; five daughters, Mary Dominguez, Viola Vega, Danette Vega and Selina Vega, all of Odessa, and Sylvia Conger of Austin; 15 grandchildren; 1 great-grandson and several nieces and nephews.

Oliver Bradford

GRAHAM — Oliver L. Bradford, 86, the father of a Big Spring resident, died Wednesday in an Olney nursing home. Graveside services will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday in Dobbs Valley Cemetery in Palo Pinto County.

Rev. John Randles, pastor of the Oak Street Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be under the direction of the Morrison Funeral Home in Graham.

Bradford was born Sept. 21, 1898, in Brazos. He came to Graham in 1965 from Brown. He married Johnnie Smith Dec. 16, 1918, in Brazos. She preceded him in death.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Graham, where he served as a deacon. He also was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Boy Scouts of America, the Eastern Star and the Lions Club.

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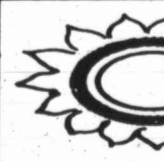
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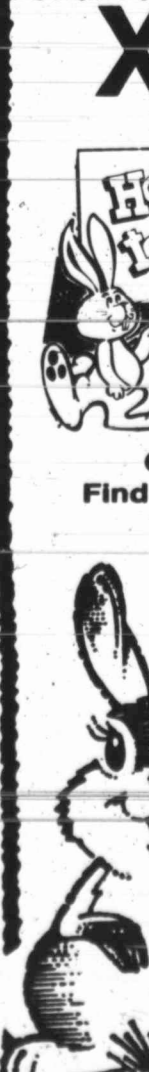
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Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

James M. Morgan, Jr., 80, died Friday. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.

Mrs. R. W. (Delia) McNew, 92, died Thursday. Services will be Saturday at 2:00 P.M. at the Trinity Baptist Church. Interment will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

Anne Martin, 90, died Thursday. Services will be Saturday at 10:00 A.M. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

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By The Associated Press

Fires rage in Southeast

Wind-whipped fires raced across nearly 30,000 acres of forest and farmland in six tinder-dry Southeastern states, destroying more than 60 buildings, injuring at least 11 people and forcing the evacuation of hundreds, authorities said today.

States of emergency were declared Thursday in Burke County, N.C., and all across South Carolina, where at least 169 fires have consumed more than 10,000 acres. Residents in those areas were asked to observe a ban on open fires.

Fires also burned today in Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama, said Bruce Jewell, public information officer of the U.S. Forest Service Southeast Region.

"We've been down on rainfall for most of the spring, dry conditions have been building since last weekend," said Jewell.

Pryor guilty of libel

OAKLAND, Calif. — Comedian Richard Pryor libeled an Oakland attorney in his movie "Richard Pryor Live on Sunset Strip" by saying he once had a "black lawyer" who took him for "hook, line and sinker," a jury ruled.

An Alameda County jury ordered Rastar Films, the movie's producer, and Columbia Pictures, the distributor, to pay attorney Michael Ashburne \$500,000 for the statement made in the film three years ago. Ashburne, who was Pryor's attorney from 1975 to 1980, settled out of court last November with the popular entertainer.

Ashburne's attorney, Sheldon Otis, argued that the film was screened in 1,220 theaters across the nation and that additional viewers saw it on 27,000 videocassettes sold later.

Otis said Columbia and Rastar both neglected to use standard procedures for keeping potentially damaging material out of films.

'We are the World' gala

Organizers of a worldwide simultaneous broadcast today of "We Are the World" said they hoped their efforts would raise millions for African famine relief.

Radio stations in at least 25 countries and Muzak — playing a voice for only the second time — were to broadcast the song by 46 American artists, organizers said. The cable rock channel MTV also was to join in, and The Associated Press Radio Network decided to transmit the song over its network line to some 1,100 stations around the country.

"We'll have 5,000 stations playing it, and that's a conservative estimate," said Harvey Melnick, director of marketing for Radio and Records magazine, which helped organize the broadcast.



A Christian pilgrim carries his cross along the Via Dolorosa in Jerusalem during the Good Friday procession. The group was halted at one of the Stations of the Cross.

Christian group leads Good Friday cavalcade

JERUSALEM (AP) — Christian pilgrims from around the world, some bearing wooden crosses, today retraced the steps of Jesus through the narrow streets of Old Jerusalem to Calvary in a Good Friday procession.

At the Vatican, Pope John Paul II donned a priest's black mantle, slipped into a booth inside St. Peter's Basilica and heard 13 worshippers' confessions at the start of a day of mourning to mark Christ's crucifixion.

Led by Franciscan priests, several thousand pilgrims marched from St. Anne's Church at the start of Jerusalem's Via Dolorosa to the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. The Crusader-built church encompasses both the Hill of Calvary where tradition says Jesus was crucified and the tomb where his body was placed.

The narrow alleys through which the crowds passed have been venerated since the Middle Ages as the route taken by Christ after he was condemned to die.

"You can just picture the crowds when Jesus was going along," said the Rev. Michael Arms, a Roman Catholic priest from Mendota, Minn. "It's good to have the crowds here. It adds to the reality of it."

Church bells tolled, mingling with the Arabic calls to prayer from nearby mosques. Out of view of most pilgrims were Israeli border police, watching the procession from the rooftops.

Jerusalem's old walled city was jammed with pilgrims as they stopped to recite prayers at the 14 stations of the cross along the Via Dolorosa.

Israelis clean homes for Jewish Passover

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israelis cleaned their homes of bread and other leavened foods today as they prepared to celebrate the Jewish Passover holiday commemorating the exodus of the Hebrews from slavery under the Egyptian Pharaohs.

The holiday begins at sundown with a traditional feast known as the Seder, and continues for eight days.

The start of Passover this year coincides with Good Friday, and tens of thousands of Jewish tourists and Christian pilgrims have arrived in the Holy Land in the past few days.

Passover marks the flight of Jews from ancient Egypt. The name derives from the account in the Book of Exodus, which tells how God "passed over" the homes of the Israelites when meting out the 10 plagues to their Egyptian masters.

This year, Israelis are drawing a parallel between their ancestors' flight from Egypt and the recent airlift that brought thousands of Ethiopian Jews to Israel.

Israelis say both groups fled persecution in Africa, and that both made their way through the desert to the Promised Land.

Thousands of immigrants who escaped famine-stricken Ethiopia will celebrate Passover at centers where they have been learning Hebrew and adjusting to their new surroundings.

The Passover rituals practiced in Israel are alien to the Ethiopian Jews, who were isolated for centuries from the mainstream of Jewish life.

World

By The Associated Press

Syria calls for ceasefire

BEIRUT, Lebanon — Syria is demanding that President Amin Gemayel bring a quick end to eight days of sectarian fighting in Sidon, under the threat that it will send Syrian soldiers into the southern port city to restore order, a newspaper said today.

Christians and Muslims traded gunfire and mortar barrages in Sidon again today, killing one policeman and wounding 11 civilians, police said. Other fighting was reported in Beirut and the central Lebanese mountains.

During the past eight days, 48 people have been killed and 190 injured in Sidon.

The independent Beirut newspaper An-Nahar said Gemayel, a Christian, had received a "semi-ultimatum" from Syria to end the fighting in Sidon before it engulfs all of Lebanon in another round of civil war fighting.

Murder suspect nabbed

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica — Police officers acting on information from U.S. officials located a key suspect in the slaying of an American drug agent and captured him after a brief shootout outside San Jose, authorities said.

Costa Rican agents found Rafael Caro Quintero, who is reported to be a major figure in Mexico's leading drug syndicate, and captured him on an estate close to San Jose's international airport Thursday, Security Minister Benjamin Piza said.

"There was a very brief shootout, then he gave up," Piza said. No was wounded. Piza said Costa Rican authorities acted on a tip from the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration.

Police also took into custody four other men and a 17-year-old Mexican girl who said she had been kidnapped, Piza said.

Iran resumes attacks

BAGHDAD, Iraq — A powerful blast, the eighth in 23 days, today rocked Baghdad, and Iran said it launched a missile attack on the Iraqi capital.

A huge plume of dark gray smoke could be seen billowing from the densely populated city center moments after the blast.

A foreign resident who lives near the city center described the explosion as "very fierce."

Pop rock goes to China

PEKING — More than 1,000 pop music fans guarded by at least 100 police lined up today to buy tickets for a concert by the British singing duo Wham, which is making the first major rock tour of China.

"I have been waiting since 3 p.m. yesterday," said Ma Zhiliang, 24, a student at the front of a line stretching around the block. "I have never heard their music."

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Opinion

Civil service plan isn't the answer

The bubbling cauldron of anger in the fire department makes a case for change in the city government system. Something is clearly amiss to spark such vehemence by local firefighters. We don't believe, however, the solution is to add another layer of bureaucracy to the city structure. We don't think civil service is the answer.

Three issues emerge: additional benefits; local vs. state control; fairness in hiring, promotion and termination.

Benefits that would come from adopting the state civil service system for local firefighters would be considerable: an additional three days of sick leave and vacation time every year and the provision for accumulating 90 days of sick leave — with payment in cash when a firefighter terminates his employment. The cost of these benefits is considerable.

There can be no question but that local control is preferable to state control. No reasonable-thinking person would invite the loss of home control over home activities. If state mandate is best, why not abdicate the entire local function to some greater power — like the state or federal government?

The key issue must be fairness, or the perceived lack of fairness in the city's personnel system. Councilmen must take a cue from the firefighters' cause. A full and fair investigation of complaints should be made, and that probe would be less than accurate if it stops at the department head level. Perhaps a new system for hiring, promotions and termination is in order.

Creating a new bureaucracy in the form of state civil service won't alleviate the problem, it will only compound it. We believe city residents would be well-advised to vote "no" Saturday to civil service.



Art Buchwald

Soviets bargain, but not on arms

The argument on what weapons this country should buy is no longer based on whether they're necessary, or even if they're necessary, or even if they're necessary, or even if they're necessary...

"How serious are your people in Geneva?" I asked. "Not very serious," he replied. "Why do you ask?" "Our president says that you wouldn't become serious until Congress votes funds for the MX missile. Any truth to that?"

WASHINGTON — One of history's strangest attempts at literary collaboration is described in an internal FBI memo that tells how President Lyndon Johnson tried to get FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover to write a book on the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.



Jack Anderson

LBJ, JFK and the FBI



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But Johnson had a fallback position, which Fortas then presented. He asked that Hoover at least issue a statement on one point the critics had raised: the discrepancies between FBI reports and the Warren Commission concerning the Kennedy autopsy.



Around

The Rim

On phobias and pains

By SCOTT FITZGERALD I drove the car by myself. I nearly lost consciousness on the Triborough Bridge.

That's the late author John Cheever talking in "The Angel of the Bridge" — a short story about a man suffering from a phobia of driving across bridges.

It could have been me on March 26, the day Cosden roared into flames.

After arriving at the company's main entrance gates, I stood amongst other media members and watched the billowy yellow flames engulf the plant. The sight was surreal in affect.

The heat also added to the incident's bizarreness.

City Editor Keith Briscoe and I drove back to the newsroom where I was instructed to gather information from the police radio and handle phone calls.

That's when I started getting a little delirious. I've been in confusing situations before, but never with an aching chest like I had now.

Actually I had been experiencing an aching chest syndrome the week before. It began making its appearance a bit more frequently and now I decided was the time to go out to Malone-Hogan and let the medical experts there make sense of it.

So, out to the hospital — I drove the car by myself. No bridges. Just an aching chest.

The diagnosis after all tests had concluded was to slow down a little bit. My esophagus had rebelled from being treated miserably. "Don't forget, I'm here too," it later told me in private. "Or I'm liable to do it again."

Thank God, I have no heart of darkness, but rather — a good healthy heart if I take care of myself. You know: eat right, get enough sleep and quit worrying. Giving up cigarettes just may help.

For those who visited me and notified me while I was layed up, I could see their concern was straight from the heart and I thank them.

My first night at Malone-Hogan was spent in the intensive care ward. I thought of Cheever's story again.

"My life was over, and it would never come back, everything that I loved — blue-sky courage, lustiness, the natural grasp of things. It would never come back."

After the excellent care and three nights spent in Malone-Hogan, I felt my old self again. I thought of Cheever's story "The Angel of the Bridge," again while checking out of the hospital.

"It all came back — blue-sky courage, the high spirits of lustiness, an ecstatic serenity."

Boy, I was glad of that. And thankful to get on with my life again.

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

Mailbag

Giving thanks for protection

To the editor: I felt that the "Comic" strip, "Family Circus" was very apropos last Sunday, coming as it did just after the many miracles at the Cosden fire. And now, this Easter

Sunday, what a wonderful opportunity for Christians of this community to meet in our own Churches or at the Resurrection Rally at the Coliseum to praise God for His hand of protection over all of us, and especially on the people involved at Cosden.

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Insight

Deficit tremors have a credibility gap

By DONALD ROTHBERG WASHINGTON — To better understand the budget ballet being danced on Capitol Hill and across town at the White House, keep in mind that the numbers that flash across the stage have about as much relation to reality as the Sugar Plum Fairy.

So when the Senate Budget Committee votes for a plan that would lop \$300 billion from the federal deficit over the next three years, don't believe it.

When the administration talks about sharp reductions in deficits in the "out years," don't believe it.

All sides in the debate have earned a high degree of public skepticism. In fact, one of the biggest problems in dealing with the deficit may be that there is so little credibility, it is hard to get the public to pay much attention to calls for sacrifice or arguments that they ought to give up their special interest — be it Amtrak or farm subsidies or student loan guarantees — for the greater good of cutting the deficit.

Neither Congress nor the administration has convinced people that the deficit will be cut or that the sacrifices will be shared equally.

That is the theory behind moves for an across-the-board budget freeze: convince people that everyone will be hurt.

The problem with that theory is the question whether welfare recipients should share the

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burden equally with bankers who commute on Amtrak.

At the heart of the credibility problem are the numbers that pop up every spring when the budget debate gets rolling.

Keep in mind the historic date: March 31, 1980, nearly five years ago. That was the day the Senate Budget Committee approved a budget outline that called for a \$2 billion surplus. Ten days earlier, the House Budget Committee gave its endorsement to an outline that also was \$2 billion in the black.

That was the last drop of black ink seen anywhere near a federal budget. It was wiped out by a revolt among Democrats who opposed its cuts in domestic programs and the \$5.2 billion increase in defense spending sought by Jimmy Carter.

Sen. George S. McGovern, D-S.D., denounced it as an "obscene resolution" and Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif., attacked it as "extreme." The deficit for the fiscal year they were talking about ended up as \$78.9 billion — a figure

that President Reagan would be delighted to achieve anytime before he leaves office. While that budget debate was under way, Reagan was campaigning for president and promising he would increase defense spending, cut taxes and balance the federal budget by 1982.

As everyone now knows, he was elected president and made good on the first two elements of that promise. He fell about \$128 billion short of the budget-balancing goal and that's the closest he's likely to come between now and the end of his second term.

Another big date in the downfall of credibility was May 7, 1981. Reagan was president and, with the help of conservative Democrats, he won House approval of a budget resolution calling for sharp domestic spending cuts that his backers said would result in a deficit of \$31 billion and a balanced budget by 1984. That deficit projection was nearly \$100 billion short.

Fourteen months later, Congress was approving a budget outline that called for "holding" the deficit to \$103.9 billion. That was for the fiscal year in which the deficit was \$207.7 billion.

So it goes, year after year, until a numbed public stops paying attention and one record deficit looks pretty much like another.

Donald M. Rothberg is the chief political writer of The Associated Press.

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Howard Co. defense contracts top \$4 million

Harte-Hanks Washington Bureau
WASHINGTON — Howard County received more than \$4.9 million in Defense Department contracts in 1984, according to a newly-released government report that lists all defense expenditures valued at more than \$25,000.
 Contracts in Howard County were let by the Army, Air Force and the Defense Logistics Agency during the 1984 federal

fiscal year, which ended last October.
 The largest contract, let by the Air Force, went to Union Carbide Corp. in Big Spring for \$1.8 million.
 Other contracts let in Howard County included:
 • A \$1.1 million contract to Federal Prison Camp in Big Spring by the Army.
 • A \$941,000 contract to Federal Prison Industries Inc. in Big Spring by the Army.

• A contract for \$877,000 to Union Federal Prison Industries in Big Spring by the Defense Logistics Agency, which lets general contracts for the Defense Department.
 For the state as a whole, more than \$8.7 billion worth of defense contracts were let by the Defense Department in the 1984 fiscal year. The Air Force let the most valuable contracts in the state, totaling \$3.4 billion.

Contracts from the Army in Texas totaled \$1.6 billion and contracts from the Navy totaled \$1.2 million. The Defense Logistics Agency, which issues most general defense contracts, issued \$2.2 million in contracts during 1984 in Texas.
 In Texas, Tarrant County received the most valuable contracts, totaling \$2.9 billion. Dallas County received \$1.3 billion in contracts.

Oil prices

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 cent drop in sales tax revenues collected from the industry between 1982 and 1984, he said. In 1982, some \$372 million was collected in sales taxes from oil and gas, compared to \$250 million in 1984.
 However, Jared Hazelton, president of the Texas Research League, said Craymer's predictions were based on a "consensus forecast of the optimists."
 "I want to remind you that the consensus forecast has been wrong for the last 15 years," he said.
 Hazelton, whose non-profit privately financed group studies state and local governments, predicted Texas one day will be faced with a "fiscal crisis" that will force legislators to consider cutting state services, making them more efficient or making them the responsibility of the private sector or local governments.
 The other options are to increase

revenues by raising taxes, find a way to expand the state's tax base or create new taxes, Hazelton said.
 "It's going to come down to whether we have (a state) income tax or whether we don't," he said.
 Richard Murray, a University of Houston political analyst, said legislators probably would not pass a state income tax.
 "I think we'll do something with the sales tax, and we'll fight over where we go from there," he said.
 Murray said the state has "lurch-ed from one fiscal crisis to another" because legislators have failed to plan far enough ahead.
 "The state has some major long-term problems, serious problems," Murray said. "But if you look at the political world, it tends to operate on a short-term basis."
 State lawmakers' approach to financial problems traditionally has been "you just tinker a little bit ... and you hope something will turn up," he said.

Banks

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 pared to \$4,386,877 for the last quarter of 1984.
 Coahoma State Bank reported

\$9,058,231 in loans for the first quarter of 1985, compared to \$9,216,000 for the last quarter of 1984.

Water deliveries down

A belated spring continued to dull municipal water demands on the Colorado River Municipal Water District, but that may be changing drastically, CRMWD

spokesman Joe Pickle said.
 On the other hand, oilfield and industrial deliveries of 164.737 million gallons were up 55.412 million gallons, or 50.68 percent.

Man accused of parole break

The Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles is expected to make a decision early next week whether a Big Spring man broke conditions of his parole.

District parole officer David Harmon recommended to a district parole board examiner Thursday that parole be revoked for Robert Lewis Valentine, 25, of 205 N.W. Third.

Valentine was accused of violating parole conditions stating that he not break the law and that he find suitable employment.

Since his release from the Texas Department of Corrections, Valentine has been charged with criminal mischief and robbery.

Valentine was arrested on Feb. 7 in connection with a robbery that occurred at Allen's Grocery on Jan. 31.

Howard County grand jurors indicted him on the robbery charge last March.

For the record

• Genice Torres of 1500 Wood was listed in Thursday's police reports as being involved in an incident at Fina's Cafe. She said the incident really occurred near the Wyoming Hotel.

• Johnnie Hurlocker of 1312 Wright said her name was incompletely listed as Johnnie Morgan in an accident story on Page 5A of Thursday's edition.

• Bill Steagald of Coahoma said a story Wednesday on the Army Air Corps bombardier school should have stated that most graduates went to heavy bombardment assignments, but that some were assigned to medium bombardment or instruction.
 Also, Steagald said that flying was among his duties while stationed in the Marianas Islands.

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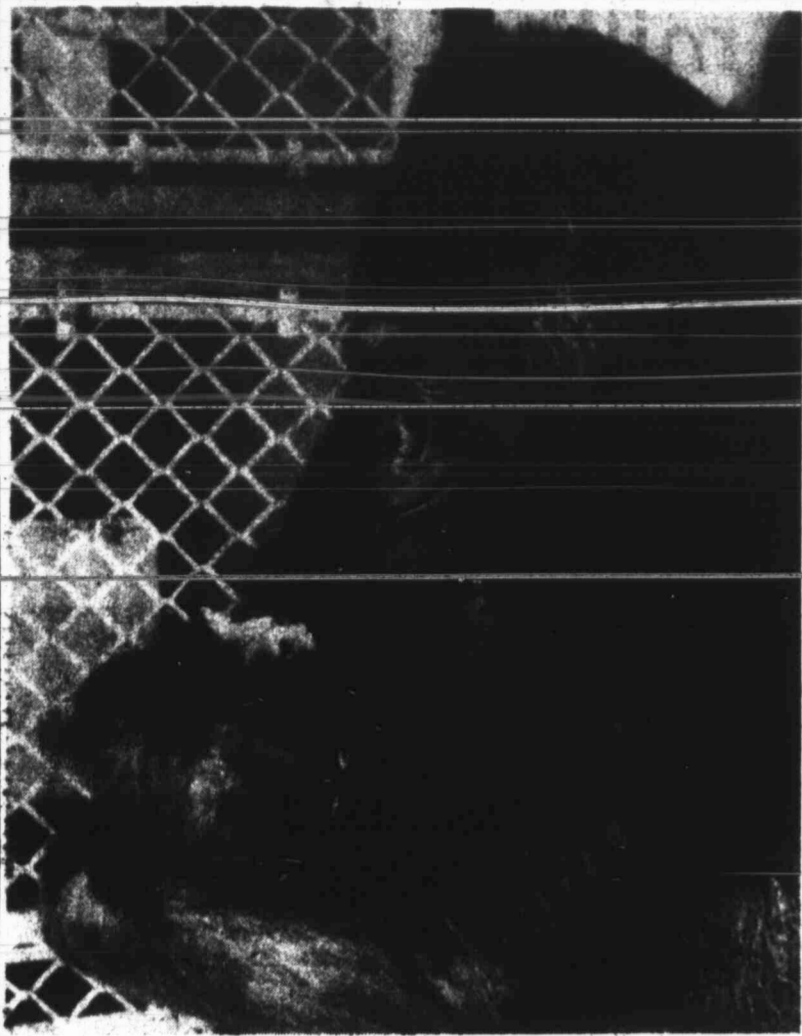
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KOKO the talking gorilla holds her new kitten. Associated Press photo

Talking gorilla gets new kitten

WOODSIDE, Calif. (AP) — Koko the "talking" gorilla who cried when her pet kitten died, has a new feline friend, and with it a rival.

Michael, the other gorilla at the Gorilla Foundation who knows sign language, has staked a claim to the pet.

Calling her new kitten "baby," Koko cradles and kisses the tiny pet, wraps it in blankets and shows it her toys. Thus ends her period of mourning for All Ball, her first pet cat that was killed by a car before Christmas.

Koko, who "talks" with about 500 words expressed in sign language, gave a cry of distress when told that "All Ball" was gone. She had asked for the furry friend for Christmas in 1983.

Until Koko received the new kitten, the 13-year-old gorilla would make comments such as "sleep cat" and "frown-sad" whenever the subject of cats came up in her conversation, said Penny Patterson, director of the Gorilla Foundation in this

community about 20 miles south of San Francisco.

It was Ms. Patterson who taught Koko more than 500 words expressed in sign language.

Asking for another striped cat, Koko would plead, "Tiger, please tiger," Ms. Patterson said.

But Koko didn't want just any cat. She wanted another like All Ball, who was a Manx, an unusual breed with no tail, said Colleen Corey, an administrative and research assistant at the foundation.

"It was no easy task to find a kitten of this rare breed at this time of the year, when very few kittens are born," Ms. Patterson said.

After months of searching, the foundation finally found a 7-week-old Manx tiger-striped kitten in Riverside.

At first, Koko was disappointed that she "wasn't able to pick a kitten. She wanted to pick her own," Ms. Corey said.

Koko's disappointment was quickly forgotten.

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The Easter celebration will begin at 10 a.m. with a dramatic presentation of "Then Came the Morning." At 11 a.m., His Children, an ensemble with the Joe Whitten Prison Ministries, will perform a short concert. The Rev. Terry Fox, pastor of Hillcrest Baptist, will speak at 11 a.m.

A television projector will display music solos and dramatic

scenes on a 20-foot wide screen. And scenes from the movie, "Jesus of Nazareth," will be projected on the screen during musical segments.

The choir crosses were constructed by 15 church members over the past several months. Last year, the observance drew 1,500 people, and officials are expecting about 2,000 this year.

Child care will be provided in the East Room of the coliseum, where puppet shows and Bible stories will be presented for the children's entertainment.

The rally and child care are free of cost.

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'Jingle Bells' peach of a song

SAVANNAH, a. (AP) — "Jingle Bells," the Christmas classic about dashing through the snow in a sleigh, is thought to have been written in semi-tropical Savannah, and a group of residents is planning a monument to the tune.

Composer James Lord Pierpont, the rebel son of an abolitionist New England minister, copyrighted the song in Savannah in 1857.

To commemorate the song's origin, the James L. Pierpont "Jingle Bells" Marker-Scholarship Committee on Wednesday announced plans to erect a marker featuring a couple riding in a one-horse open sleigh.

Committee Chairman Milton H. Rahn, an amateur historian, said he recently discovered the song's Southern origin while researching the roots of the Unitarian Church in Savannah.

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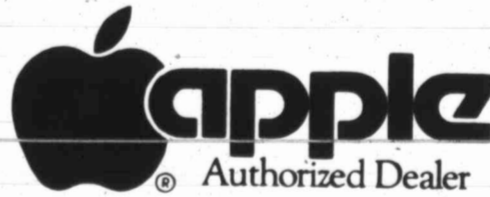
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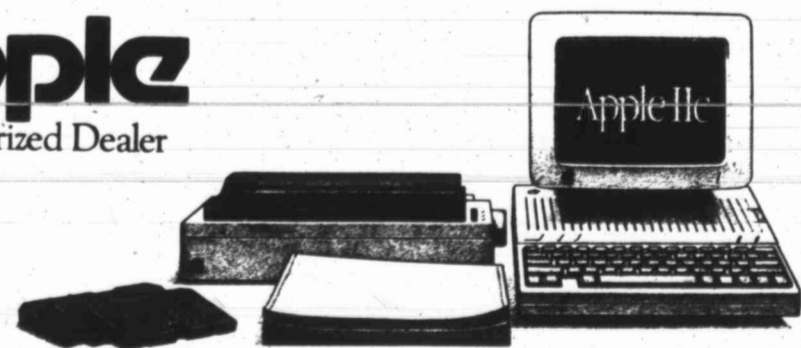
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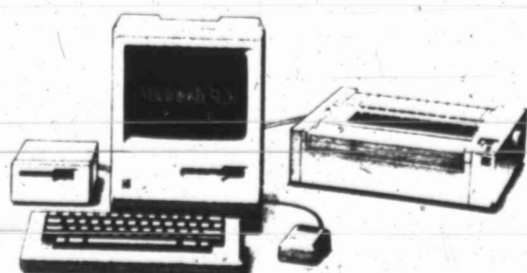
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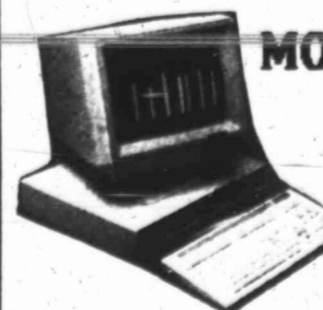
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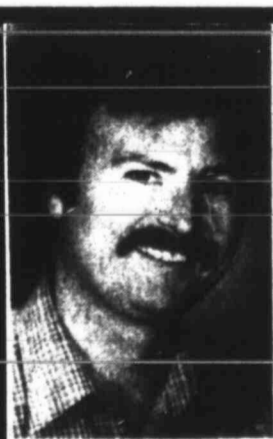


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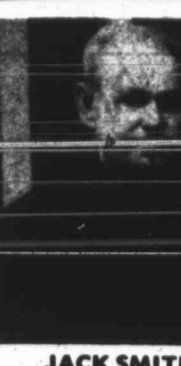
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JACK SMITH EULA CLIFTON G.W. EVANS

Three take first place at annual domino tournament

Eula Clifton, Jack Smith and G.W. Evans are winners of the Canterbury Retirement Center's annual Domino Tournament for residents. The tournament was held during the week of March 26 and ended Monday. Smith and Mrs. Clifton won first place in the Domino division. Evans and Mrs. Clifton won the "42" division. Runners-up in the Domino division were: Reg Castle and Mary Rasberry, second place; and Valeria Blanton and Jennie Barber, third place. In the "42"

division runners-up were: Mrs. Barber and Elizabeth Brooks, second place; and Ruby McElrath and Alene Castle, third place. The tournament consisted of 12 teams playing in each division. The participants are avid Domino and "42" players but not professionals. The tournament was coordinated by Pat Johnston, assistant director of Canterbury. The Rev. Robert Bonnington, pastor of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, and Jo Ann Guitler of the Canterbury board of directors assisted in presenting trophies to the finalists and winners.

DEAR ABBY: Please tell me what the rule is on using Roman numerals for a middle name. My mother-in-law insists that our infant son should be David Dennis Monroe IV (not his real name). His father, grandfather and

great-grandfather all had the first name David, but each had a different middle name. I believe it is not correct to use numerals unless the name is exactly the same. I hope you can clear

this up, as I find it very pretentious. Please, sign me... NO NAME, NO CITY. DEAR NO NAME, NO CITY: No problem. You are right. No

numeral (or junior) is used when the middle name is different. The entire name — first, middle and last — must be exactly the same for the first son to be named "Junior," and for a grandson, a great-grandson, etc. to be named "III," "IV," etc.

Shower honors Kim West

Kim West, bride-elect of Glenn Slate, was honored March 23 at a miscellaneous shower in the Fellowship Hall of East Fourth Street Baptist Church.

Hosting the shower were Mmes. H.D. Stewart, R.C. Stocks, Roy Hester, David Rhoton, Harold Cain, Loy Anderson, Mike West, Marvin Hanson, Jerry Oliphant, James Norman, Terry Hansen, Ben Hitt, Joe Anderson, Dick Davis, M.L. Kirby and Royce Griffith. Their gift was a three-piece bath set.

Special guests were the honoree's mother Mrs. Leonard West, the prospective bridegroom's mother Mrs. Edward Slate, and his sister Elizabeth Slate. Peach and white corsages were presented to the honoree and the mothers.

Guests were served from a table draped with white linen overlaid with white lace. An arrangement of peach flowers in a crystal vase, flanked by peach candles in crystal holders, decorated the table. The couple will wed April 20 at the Fourteenth and Main Street Church of Christ. Doug Morris, youth minister, will officiate.



Dr. Donohue

Caffeine can cause rebound headache

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: L.W. wrote you about an all-encompassing headache in the early morning that improved after he got up and ate breakfast. I too have experienced this type of headache. My doctor found no reason after a thorough exam and brain scan. Through a process of elimination I discovered the culprit to be caffeine addiction. If I omitted my usual coffee the night before, or happened to drink decaffeinated coffee, the headache occurred without fail. Having breakfast relieved it (the coffee need satisfied) almost immediately. Since discovering this, I have kicked the coffee habit and now can drink decaffeinated coffee or skip coffee altogether with no morning headache. Thought you might be interested in this. — A.F.

What can I add to that classic bit of diagnosis and remedy? You met the enemy, the caffeine withdrawal headache, and blew it out of the water.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I am concerned about atrial fibrillation. Does that mean weakening of arteries? Are they deteriorating? What brings it on? Anything you can explain will be greatly appreciated. — M.V.C.

It refers to the atria, the upper chambers of the heart, where the heart pumping tempo is directed. In atrial fibrillation, the normally metronomic regularity of the heart beat is lost. Why this happens sometimes eludes us, but there are many known causes. Sometimes it is from poor blood supply to the heart's pacemaker tissue, and sometimes from overactivity of the thyroid gland. Damaged heart valves, as from early rheumatic fever, may lie in the background of atrial fibrillation.

Whatever its cause, the irregularity can almost always be controlled. If the beat cannot be made perfectly regular again, it can at least be slowed down so that the heart still pumps well. This can usually be done with drugs. If that doesn't work, it can be accomplished through what is called cardioversion, applying a shock to the heart with a small amount of electric current.

Auxiliary wins program award

The O'Neal-Kunkle Chapter of the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary recently was awarded a first place trophy for its patriotic Americanism program, which was presented by Mrs. Porter Motley of Knott in April 1984. The trophy was presented by the Texas Disabled American Veterans.

The Auxiliary annually presents a program on Americanism. Mrs. Motley was the chairperson of it for 1983-1984, and as such presented the award-winning program. Each auxiliary in the state is required to report on this activity. The O'Neal-Kunkle Chapter earned first place in Texas.

The program began with patriotic music, some of which was sung by the members and other pieces performed on the autoharp. Afterwards, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Feaster and their "Little People Puppet Troop" presented a puppet show.

The first skit was "The Laughing Song." A comical character began singing and laughing and grew happier as he went on. His laughter was contagious, causing all his friends to laugh.

Next was "Elvira," a skit about a black boy that sang impressively and was joined by others including



MRS. PORTER MOTLEY ...presented program

the apple of his eye, Elvira. Then they met.

"Say Something Good About America" concluded the show. The captain in the skit spoke wise words of admonition, which were intermingled with the patriotic songs of "This is My Country," "America the Beautiful" and "God Bless America."

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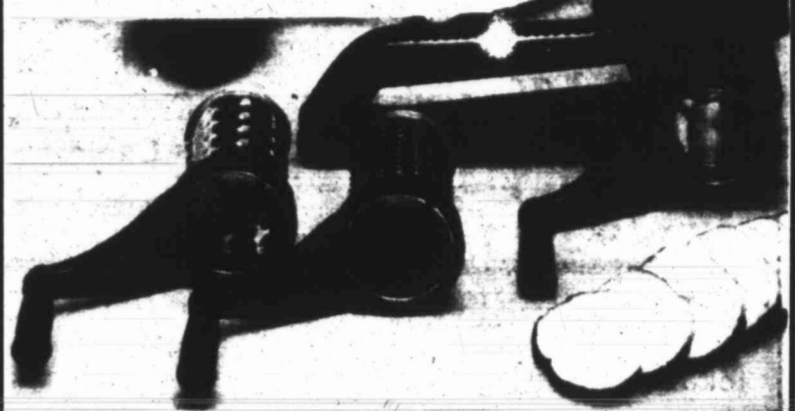
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Rejoice In The Lord

Religion

Texans favor ministers in family, not politics

By DAVID HILL
Texas Poll Director

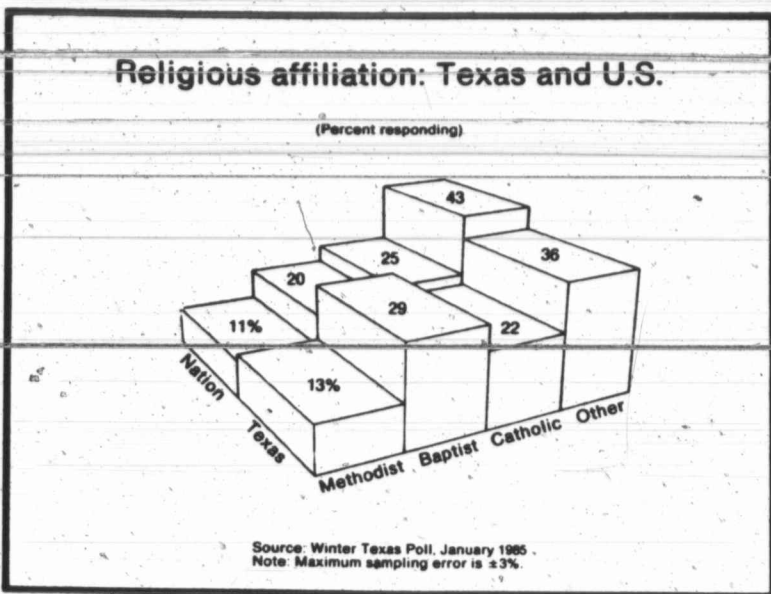
Texans like the idea of their children joining the clergy. But they're not as favorably disposed toward ministers who become involved in political matters.

Those are the findings of the most recent Texas Poll, a survey of statewide public opinion that asked Texans questions about religion in their lives. Two of those questions concerned public attitudes toward the clergy.

More than eight in 10 Texans said it would be very favorable (28 percent) or favorable (54 percent) "for a son or daughter to go into the clergy, that is, become a priest, minister or other church leader."

Nine percent viewed the idea unfavorably, and another 9 percent had no opinion.

The responses were consistent across religious groups: At least eight in 10 members of all religious groups responded either very



favorably or favorably.

On the other clergy-related question, half of the respondents said they disapprove of the idea of ministers becoming involved in politics. Another 39 percent approved, and 10 percent had no opinion.

Again among religious groups, the responses varied little:

- Baptists — 42 percent approved; 50 percent disapproved.
- Catholics — 36 percent approved; 53 percent disapproved.
- Methodists — 38 percent approved; 50 percent disapproved.

Other religious groups — 39 percent approved, 50 percent disapproved.

Several groups, however, displayed significant differences. More than half of the blacks (51 percent) approved of the idea, perhaps reflecting long-time involvement of black ministers in politics, especially during the civil rights movement. More recently, white conservative Baptist ministers such as the Rev. Jerry Falwell have become politically active.

Only a quarter of those with less-than-high-school educations approved of the idea, and 62 percent disapproved.

And among those 61 and older, 30 percent approved of the idea, and 58 percent disapproved. Among those under 30 years old, 45 percent approved.

The Texas Poll is a nonpartisan telephone survey of public opinion sponsored quarterly by Harte-Hanks Communications Inc. and conducted by Texas A&M University's Public Policy Resources Laboratory. The most recent poll interviewed 1,000 Texans Jan. 17-21. The sampling error is 3 percent in either direction.

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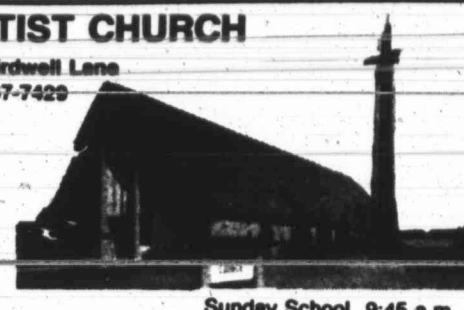
Sunday Services: 9:45 A.M.
Bible Study: 10:45 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.
Worship Services: 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Midweek Bible Study: 7:00 P.M.
J.T. Broese & Kenneth Knott, Ministers

COLLEGE BAPTIST CHURCH

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Phone 267-7429



Bobby W. Fuller
Pastor



Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

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Scott Poole: Minister of Ed.-Youth
Kevin Warner: Outreach Missionary
James Kinman: Minister Music



Guy White
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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Bible Study & Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.
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— Easter Sunrise Services —
Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Dinner on the grounds
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.



4204 Wason Road
267-8438
Eddie Tingle: Pastor

— MID-WEEK —
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

GOSPEL MEETING

— SERVICES —

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Morning Worship 10:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.

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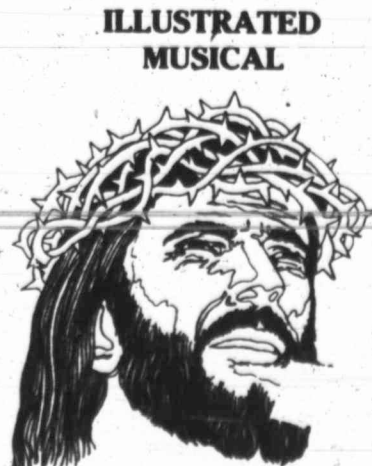
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First Assembly of God

4th & Lancaster 10:45 a.m.

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A SPECTACULAR MUSICAL EXPERIENCE!



Church news briefs

By KIM KIRKHAM
Religion Editor

Coahoma church hosts revival for Easter season

To celebrate the Easter season, the First Baptist Church of Coahoma will have a revival April 7-10. Bob Clements will be the evangelist with Randy Butler directing music. The public is invited.

Sunday is High Attendance Day with morning services beginning at 11 a.m. Dinner on the Ground with Easter Egg Hunt will follow. Sunday School Rally Night will be the Sunday evening service emphasis.

Evening services during the week begin at 7 p.m. Friend and Neighbor Night will be Monday. Tuesday has been designated Children and Youth Night. Children will have a fellowship before the service, and the junior high and high school youth will meet for fellowship after the service. Wednesday is Family Night with an after-church fellowship following the service.

Ministries of Elk City, Okla.

Each night ventriloquism, puppets, illusions, stories, songs, games and prizes will be used to excite and minister to children ages five through 12. All children and adults may attend.

The Rev. David Fleming, leader

of Gospel Fun Ministries, has a goal to "do everything I can to reach children on their level with an exciting, fun-filled service and help them realize that God loves them and wants to give them an exciting and fulfilling life through Jesus Christ."

Nazarene church recalls resurrection

First Church of the Nazarene will observe its "Resurrection Celebration" beginning at 9:15 a.m. Sunday with a fellowship time for adults and teens in the Fellowship Hall and children in Kids' Korner.

Sunday School classes begin at 9:45 a.m. The worship service begins at 10:50 a.m. in the sanctuary featuring Easter music by the reJoice Choir and Big Spring's New Direction. The Rev. Carl

Powers, pastor, will preach an Easter sermon depicting the resurrection.

The celebration continues at 6 p.m. with the reJoice Choir under the direction of Otis Thompson and presenting Tom Fettke's cantata "No Other Lamb". The cantata begins with praise to the new born Christ, sees him through the crucifixion and closes with the news of the resurrection.

Membership Night fetes Arah Phillips

The Women of First Church of God met Monday in the church's Fellowship Hall for the annual Membership and Guest Night. A salad supper was served.

Speaker Madeline Boadle told of her recent trip to Okinawa and described the customs, language, dress and religions of the Okinawans.

The people are quiet and peaceful and always ready to speak three words — hello, good-

bye and peace, showing the sign of peace. The island of Okinawa is small with a population of more than 450,000, she said.

The annual Life Membership Award was presented to Arah Phillips for many years of service to the Women of the Church of God and the church.

The next meeting will be May 6 under the direction of Spiritual Life Director Renae Loy.

Fellowship sponsors celebration

A Christian community celebration will be at 7:30 a.m. Sunday at the Howard College auditorium. The event is sponsored by the Big Spring Ministerial Fellowship.

The Ladies' Ensemble of First Baptist Church of Big Spring and a

community choir will present music.

Speakers will be Guy White of East Fourth Street Baptist, Keith Wiseman of First United Methodist and Kenneth Patrick of First Baptist.

Oil man speaker at gospel dinner

Dick Spencer, an independent oil man, will be the speaker at a Full Gospel Business Men's dinner meeting Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the Howard College Student Union Building.

Spencer owns an oil drilling and

operating company, airplanes, ranches and resort developments. While operating his business interests, he also pastors Midland Christian Fellowship Church where more than 400 people worship.

Banquet features non-profit ministry

An introductory banquet for "Open Doors" ministry will be at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Holiday Inn.

The speaker is a courier from the Asian Base of "Open Doors". A color slide presentation will be shown.

"Open Doors" provides Bibles to Christians in the restricted coun-

tries. The ministry is non-profit and non-denominational.

Adults interested in what is happening to Christians in different parts of the world are invited to attend. Reservations should be made by calling Mary Alice at 263-0645 or Rebecca at 267-6087.

The 3 Gs featured at Baptist revival

The Golden Glory Gang Choir of College Baptist Church were featured Monday at the revival at Salem Baptist Church.

The Rev. Bobby Fuller, pastor of College Baptist, has been conducting the revival services at Salem Baptist this week.

St. Paul Lutheran Church

9th & Scurry
Carroll C. Kohl, Pastor



Sunday School 9:30 A.M. Morning Worship 8:30 & 10:45 A.M.



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College Baptist presents Easter drama

College Baptist Church will present "The Three Nails", an Easter drama, at 7 p.m. Sunday. Nursery will be provided for children under 5. The public is invited.

Going back 2,000 years to the time of the crucifixion, the drama will depict the events that took place within one family — joy, despair and sorrow. Joy will be felt in the healing

power of Jesus Christ. Despair will be felt in the helplessness at the time of the crucifixion. Sorrow will be felt in the death of Christ.

The cast includes: Tommy Porter, Terri Johansen, Carl Johansen, Gary Hull, Tim Blackshear, Janet Hull, Jason Warner, Noel Wayne Hull and John Stanley.

First Assembly hosts children's revival

A children's revival will be at 6 p.m. Sunday and at 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday at the First

Assembly of God, 4th and Lancaster. Leading the event will be "Preacher Dave" of Gospel Fun

Calvary Baptist Church

1200 West 4th
263-4242

"The Church For Positive Believers"

SERVICES: Mark 9:23
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.
Herb McPherson: Pastor
Nursery Open

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

1209 Wright St.

SERVICES:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.
Sunday Evening Service Broadcast on KBYG — 6:30-7:30 P.M.



Dr. Bill Berryhill
Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Eighth and Runnels
263-4211

Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.

Minister: Flynn V. Long, Jr.

Church School 9:40 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Service broadcast on KBST 1490

BIRDWELL LANE BAPTIST CHURCH

Birdwell Lane & 16th St.
267-7157

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.



Jack Collier
Pastor

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Make plans now to attend an illustrated musical "Lamb of Glory" by the First Assembly of God Choir. Easter Sunday at 10:45 a.m.

Lynn Plant-Pastor
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 10:45
Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday Night 7:00

Unemployment rate holding steady at 7.3%

WASHINGTON (AP) — Civilian unemployment held steady in March at 7.3 percent, the government said today, as the creation of 439,000 new jobs just accommodated the number of Americans entering the labor force in search of work.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE
Howard County will receive bids for Roof Repair and Installation of Evaporative Cooling Units for the Howard County Show Building until 10:00 A.M. on April 18, 1985. Work will consist of replacing metal roof panels, removal of cooling units, and installation of 2 new cooling units.

Bids must be submitted to: Jackie Olson, County Auditor, Howard County Courthouse, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

Mid Specifications may be obtained at the County Auditor's Office. Contract will be awarded at the regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court at 10:00 A.M. on April 23, 1985.

The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Jackie Olson, County Auditor
2294 March 29 & April 5, 1985

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of DAVID L. CATES, Deceased, No. 10,585 on the Probate Docket of the County Court of Howard County, Texas, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 2 day of April, 1985, in the aforesaid proceeding, which proceeding is still pending, and that I now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in Howard County, Texas, are hereby required to present the same to me respectively at the address below given before suit on same are barred by general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. My residence and postal address is 2310 1/2 No. Main, Midland, Texas.

DATED this 2 day of April, 1985.

RILEY CATES, Executor of the Estate of DAVID L. CATES, Deceased

2201 April 5, 1985

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE COUNTY JUDGE

GLASCOCK COUNTY, TEXAS

To Sell A 4-Acre Tract of Abandoned Highway Land Described Below

TO: All Whom It May Concern

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County Judge of Glascock County, Texas, will sell to the Heirs of Belle Wilkerson, as their separate property, as the abutting and adjoining landowner at the fair market price less the fair market price of certain exchanged easements and fence work, the following described 4 Acre tract of abandoned highway land situated in Glascock County, Texas, to wit:

BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of said Section 2, Block 34, Township 5 South, T&P Ry. Co. Survey, Glascock County, Texas; thence in an Easterly direction 140 yards, thence in a Northerly direction 140 yards, thence in a Westerly direction 140 yards, thence in a Southerly direction, between Sections #2 and #3, 140 yards to the place of beginning containing about 4 Acres more or less.

Said Purchasers shall pay the cost of appraisals and notice of publication.

The Commissioners Court of Glascock County, Texas will meet at 9:00 A.M. on the 9th day of April, 1985 to consider such appraisals and will cause said tract to be conveyed to the Heirs of Belle Wilkerson, as their separate property, provided, however, that if, in the opinion of said Commissioners Court, the appraisals submitted do not represent the fair market value of (a) said 4 Acre tract and (b) said exchanged easements and fence work, then said Commissioners Court may, in its discretion, reject said offer of sale.

WITNESS MY HAND this 19 day of March, 1985.

JOHN E. ROBINSON

County Judge of Glascock County, Texas

ATTESTED:

BETTY PATE, County Clerk

WANDA L. JOHNSON,

Glascock County, Texas

2285 March 22 & 29, 1985

April 5, 1985



I said I'm only 39!

To all users of Tampax Super Plus tampons:

Tambrands Inc., manufacturer of Tampax tampons, changed the material used in its Tampax Super Plus tampons.

The absorbent material, polyacrylate, was removed because of research findings which indicate that under certain laboratory conditions polyacrylate may increase the risk of toxic shock syndrome.

No polyacrylate is or has been used in the company's other tampon products—Super, Slender Regular, Original Regular and Junior flushable tampons.

If your carton of Super Plus tampons shows the word "polyacrylate" in the ingredients statement on the back panel, Tambrands will send you a coupon good for a free replacement carton. Consumers may obtain a coupon by sending the back panel of the carton showing the word "polyacrylate" to:

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Women have used over 80 billion Tampax tampons since 1935. Tampax tampons will always provide the highest quality sanitary protection.

Where to vote

Big Spring Independent School District
Trustee Elections April 6, 1985

District	Polling Place	Election Precincts
District 2	High school library	201-W1 401-W1 (the part south of Third Street) 402-W2 (the part south of Third Street)
District 2	Goliad library	202-W3 203-W2 202-W3 (only Highland South, rural) 304 (east of U.S. 87) 205 (south of 25th St.)
District 4	Kentwood cafeteria	204-W2 205 (north of 25th St.)
District 4	East room, coliseum	403-W2 401-W1 (north of Third Street) 402-W2 (north of Third Street)
		103 104 105 404 405 406 304 (north of Interstate)
Big Spring City Council		
At-large election April 6		
	Polling Place	Election Precincts
At-large	Airport school	102-W1
At-large	N.Side Fire Station	101-W1 201-W1 301-W1 401-W1
At-large	Kentwood School	203-W2 204-W2
At-large	Garrett Coliseum	402-W2 403-W2
At-large	18th&Main Fire Station	202-W3 302-W3
At-large	Wasson Rd. Fire Station	303-W3

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITATION

STATE OF TEXAS

TO: JAMES AUSTIN HARRINGTON, a/k/a TERRY MCKEE Defendant in the cause herein described.

GREETINGS:

"YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 118th Judicial District, Howard County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said county in Big Spring, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof, being at or before 10:00 A.M. on Monday, the 29th day of Apr., 1985, then and there to answer the petition of PERCY FOREMAN AND HARVILL, HARDY & MILUTIN VS JAMES AUSTIN HARRINGTON a/k/a TERRY MCKEE in which PERCY FOREMAN AND HARVILL, HARDY & MILUTIN are Plaintiffs and JAMES AUSTIN HARRINGTON a/k/a TERRY MCKEE is Defendant. The said Petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of Feb. 1985, discloses that the nature of said suit is as follows:

The Defendant entered into written contract with the Plaintiffs for representation in a cause of action against Long Star Steel Company because of injuries sustained by the Defendant in an accident in April, 1980.

Defendant authorized the Plaintiff to prosecute his claim to final judgment and agreed to pay Plaintiff 50% of any judgment or settlement of such claim. The claim was prosecuted to settlement wherein the Defendant executed a Release Compromise Settlement dated March 22, 1983.

The Defendant subsequently refused to endorse the settlement check thus breaching the contract between Defendant and Plaintiff. Plaintiffs were unable to obtain legal compensation for legal services rendered and had requested that Defendant pay the same and Defendant has refused to pay the same or sign the settlement check.

Plaintiffs bring this action to recover the full contract price of \$19,430.00 and the costs and expenses incurred by Plaintiffs as a result of prosecution of Defendant's law suit in the sum of \$22,818.74.

Plaintiffs further request that the Court order the Defendant to endorse the settlement check so that funds may be disbursed according to the prescribed contract.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT on this 13th day of Mar., 1985, at Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Peggy Crittenden
Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas
2271 March 15, 22, 29 & April 5, 1985

RODEO FANS

Howard College & West Texas State University N.I.R.A. Rodeo

April 4, 5, 6 7:30 p.m.

Rodeo Bowl

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Vote Saturday Against State Civil Service

Don't be fooled by slick catchwords. The bottom line is that one group wants special benefits, and in the process it will cost you in tax dollars.

Pol. Adv. Paid For By Citizens for Home Rule, Wade Choate, Treas., 2707 Crestline, Big Spring.

During the past several weeks there has been a lot of media coverage regarding the Civil Service issue and the Fire Department. I feel that the negative aspects outweigh the positive aspects in regards to State Civil Service.

Administrative problems within an organization is not solved by implementing Civil Service. The line and upper management personnel must be capable of handling administrative problems within their respective organizations. With capable administrators running an agency there is no need for review boards or grievance committees. Paying someone for sick leave or other cash payments will cost thousands of dollars a year and will not reduce turnovers. Using this money for increased salaries and other incentives will reduce turnovers as will having competent supervisors within the organization.

A Career Development program that rewards productive and dedicated employees of an organization has more merit than a program that gives all employees the same benefits whether or not they are productive. In my opinion Civil Service offers a city no guarantee of full productivity from all employees that participate in the program.

A Career Development program only rewards the people that are giving something to the community and nothing to the non-producers who will eventually be weeded out. I have worked under both Civil Service and non Civil Service and base my opinion on this fact.

Detective Sergeant Bud Jones
Big Spring Police Department

Pol. Adv. paid by Bud Jones & Concerned Police Department Employees.

Easter

SUNDAY BRUNCH

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263-7621

Try it — and if you don't like it --- you're stuck with it!

Big Spring voters are asked Saturday to adopt State Civil Service Statute for all it takes is a simple majority.

But if it doesn't prove wise or workable, you're stuck with it.

You see, the law says that to vote it out, 51 per cent of the eligible registered voters must vote to do this. Unfortunately, almost no election — local, state or national — ever comes close to getting half, let alone 51 per cent, of eligible voters to the polls. And if they did, everyone of them would have to vote for repeal.

So, as a practical matter, if you try it and don't like it, you're still stuck with it.

Based on the experience of scores of Texas cities who made this mistake, let's not make the same mistake. Vote Saturday against adopting State Civil Service for firemen.

Citizens For Home Rule, Wade Choate, Treas., 2707 Crestline, Big Spring

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Howard cowgirls ride tough

By CHARLIE ALCORN
Sports Writer

Host Howard College had an excellent showing during the first night of competition at the Howard College West Texas State University Rodeo Thursday night in the Big Spring Rodeo Bowl.

Leading the way for the Hawks rodeo team was Kathy Cochran, who was in first place in the goat tying competition after one round. Miss Cochran's time in the event was 13.3 seconds. Also garnering a first place position after one round was HC Barrel Racer Kristi Taylor, of Big Spring, who scooted around the course in a time of 16.97 seconds.

Howard College's co-ed roping team of David McCain and Lisa Berry roped their steer fast enough for a second place time in the first round. The co-ed duo stretched their calf in 11.7 seconds, just behind the first place team of Rick Smather and Hadley Read of Tarleton College at 9.8 seconds.

Miss Taylor also picked up a second place in the Breakaway Roping competition. Her time of 4.3 seconds was one second off the leader, Louise Davis of Texas Tech.

Other riders for Howard College were Tony Dunn in the Bareback Riding and Graves Wallace in Calf Roping. Tony Dunn in the Steer Wrestling, pulled down his calf in 12.5 seconds but was penalized 10 seconds for getting out of the shoot too soon.

Miss Taylor was charged with a no time in the goat tying event after her goat got up.



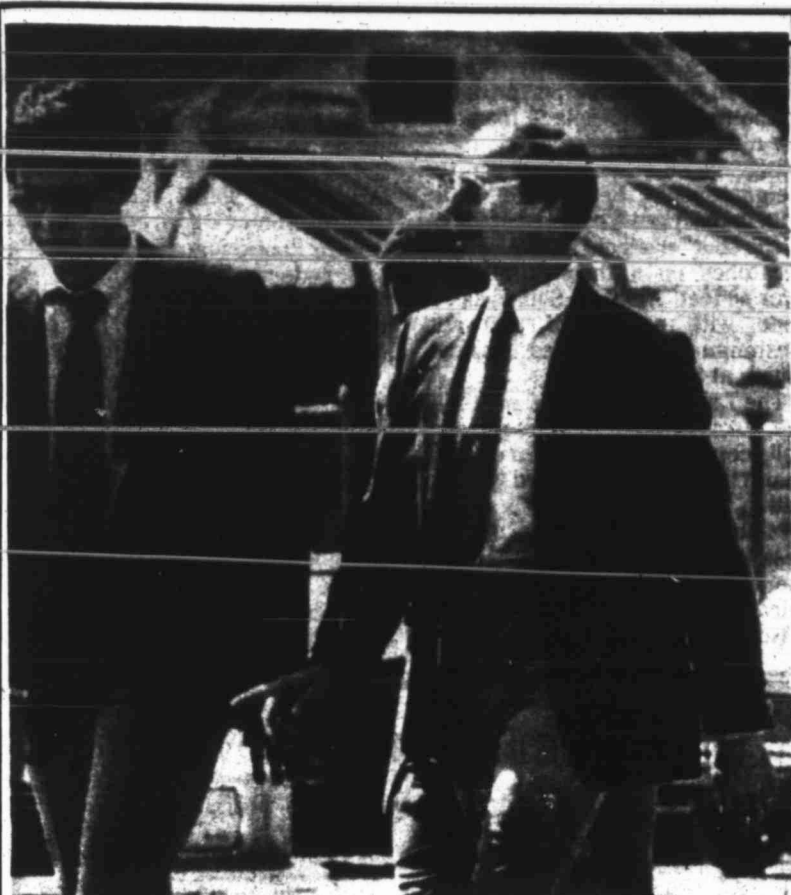
CLINTO BROWN of Sul Ross University goes for a ride on a wild pony in the first round of the saddlebronc riding competition at the Howard College West Texas State Rodeo Thursday night. BROWN was the only cowboy able to stay on his ride and was in first place with a 66 point total.

In a special calf dressing event, the Howard College Student Government Association, led by Hawk hoop standout Michael Porter and Hawk Queens Allison and Diane Dickson, narrowly

defeated the HC Faculty team after it was ruled that the Faculty's calf was left unscorted a the finish line. Obviously a severe breach of the rules.

Second round action will begin

tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at the Rodeo Bowl. Everyone is encouraged to attend, this being one of the finest group of collegiate rodeo talent south of the National Finals in Boseman, Montana.



Associated Press photo

Assistant coach MAX PFEIFER (left) and head coach NED FOWLER walk to the criminal courts building in New Orleans Thursday. The coaches testified to a grand jury investigating a point shaving scandal involving Tulane basketball players.

Tulane axes hoops

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Tulane University's 73-year-old basketball program, rocked by an alleged point-shaving scheme and cash payments to players, has been shutdown for good, says the president of the 150-year-old institution.

Eamon Kelly also said Coach Ned Fowler resigned Thursday after admitting that he paid cash to players — a serious violation of NCAA rules. Assistant coaches Mike Richardson and Max Pfeifer also resigned.

Kelly made his announcement while Fowler and three assistants were closeted with a grand jury investigating allegations that basketball players used drugs and took money to cut Tulane's score in three games.

Later Thursday, the panel indicted three players, including John "Hot Rod" Williams, and five other men — three of them students — on charges of sports bribery and conspiracy. It ac-

cused five players of accepting at least \$17,000.

Gary Kranz, a student indicted in the gambling case, also was charged with possessing cocaine and — in a separate indictment — with selling the drug to three team members. No players were indicted on drug charges.

Tulane, as a 10½-point favorite, failed to beat the spread in a 64-63 victory over Southern Mississippi on Feb. 2. The Green Wave was a four-point underdog Feb. 20 when it lost 60-49 to Memphis State. Williams, who averaged 17.8 points per game in Tulane's 15-13 season, scored 15 against Southern Mississippi and 14 against Memphis State.

Kelly said he is certain the board of administrators and the university Senate will accept his recommendation to drop basketball, and he expects the termination to be permanent.

Prep stars highlight Texas Relays

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Roy Martin, the Dallas schoolboy star of last year's Texas Relays, is back again but he could have company in the spotlight of the 58th annual Texas Relays in tonight's 100 meter dash.

Martin and two more of the nation's top high school sprinters, as ranked by Track and Field News Magazine, will be competing.

Martin of Dallas Roosevelt, Joe DeLoach of Bay City, and Henry Thomas of Hawthorne (California) High School are ranked in the top three in the 100 meter dash in 1984 with Thomas drawing the No. 1 ranking.

Thomas, last year's California state champion in the 100 and 200, has already run a 10.3 manually timed in the 100 and a 9.2 manual, wind-aided this year.

Martin, the Texas Class 5A 100 meters champion, was selected the outstanding male performer at last year's Texas Relays when he won the 100 meters and anchored Roosevelt to victories in the 400 and 1600 meter relays.

This year he has run a 10.02 wind-aided, automatic timed 100.

Last year DeLoach won the State 4A 100 meters and won the 100 at the Pan American Junior Championship. He's recorded a 10.22 in

the 100 this spring. All three will anchor their team's 400-meter relays and all three have been excellent this spring.

Martin and Thomas could meet again in the 1600 meter relay. Thomas ran a 46.8 anchor leg as Hawthorne was timed in 3:12.5 earlier this year.

Martin has anchored Roosevelt to the 1600 meter relay title in the last three Texas Relays. Roosevelt has run a 3:12.28 this year. Martin also was an alternate on the U.S. Olympic team.

The high school 100 meters will be held tonight. The high school 400 and 1600 meter relay will be Satur-

day evening. Preliminaries were set for this morning in numerous collegiate running events and such field events as the long jump and high jump.

Olympian Kirk Batiste, the United States' silver medalist in the 200, will be in the 100 meter dash in the University Division.

Texas Christian's world class 400 relay team has a time of 39.10 this spring.

More than 2,200 athletes representing 202 schools will compete in the Relays which actually began Wednesday with the decathlon. There are 55 events.

Hapless Renegades win first

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — The Orlando Renegades may be the worst team in the United States Football League, but at least for one game they were the best team on the field.

The Renegades whipped the Memphis Showboats 28-17 Thursday night for their first victory since moving to Orlando in the off-season from Washington, where they were called the Federals.

"I said all along that we were becoming a better team each week," Orlando Coach Lee Corso said. "Our philosophy this week was that if we could win this week we could wipe out all the other games and get respect."

The Renegades came close to respect last week when they led the Denver Gold 17-0 at the half before dropping a 21-17 decision.

The breakthrough Thursday left the two teams at opposite emotional extremes.

Memphis Coach Pepper Rodgers, whose team dropped to 3-4, was so upset he locked the dressing room door immediately after the game in violation of United States Football League rules.

He sent the team's public relations director out with a prepared statement.

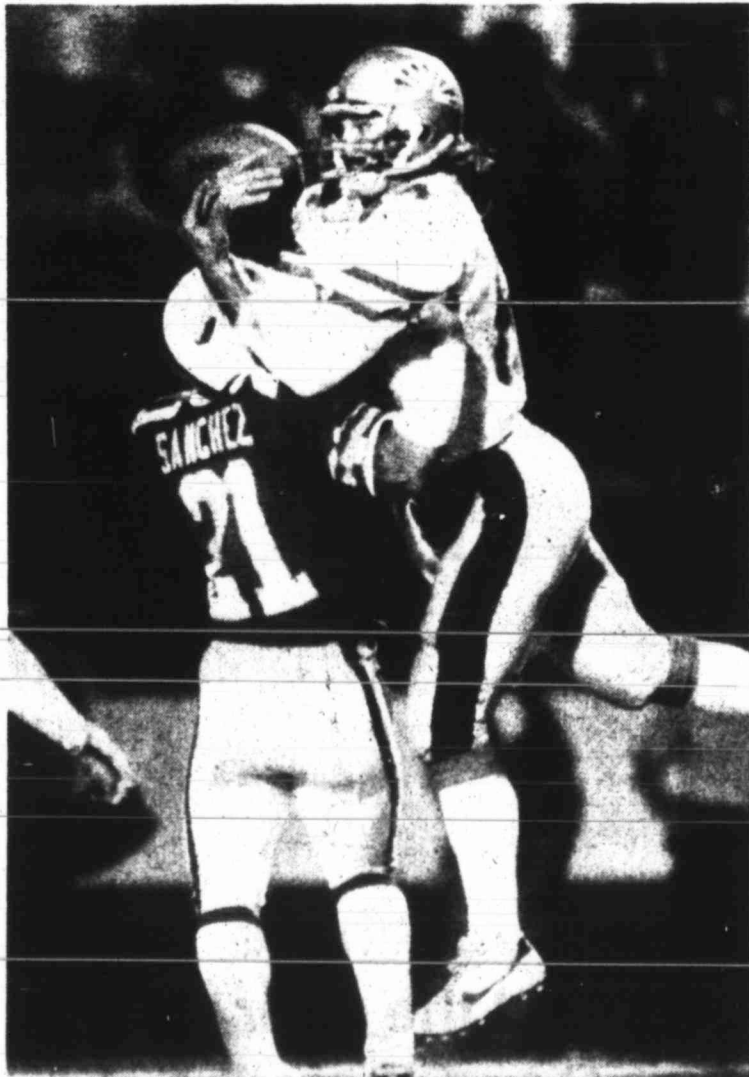
"To say that I'm disappointed is the understatement of the year," it said. "This is undoubtedly one of the low points of the season for the Showboats."

The Renegades, 1-6, started and finished with a bang. Jerry Parrish took the opening kickoff 87 yards for a touchdown, and quarterback Reggie Collier scampered 67 yards to the final score with 33 seconds remaining. The clinching touchdown was Collier's third of the game.

The 67-yard run on a broken pass play killed what had been a furious fourth-quarter Memphis rally. Down 21-7 early in the period, Memphis got a 13-yard touchdown run from Harry Sydney and a 26-yard field goal from Chuck Bushbeck.

The Showboats were at the Orlando 30 with 58 seconds left when Mike Kelley's fourth-and-10 pass sailed high off the fingertips of Anthony Parker.

Three plays later, on third-and-3, Collier dropped back to pass but found no open receivers. He eluded



Associated Press photo

Memphis Showboats GREG MOSER can't hang on to the ball after being hit by Orlando Renegade's LUPE SANCHEZ during first half action in the 28-17 victory for the Renegades.

two Memphis linemen in the backfield and picked up a block on the right sideline to score easily.

Collier ended the night with 70 yards rushing on six carries. He also connected on 12 of 19 passes for 136 yards with no interceptions.

On the opening kickoff, Parrish found a gaping hole in the middle of the field, then cut down the right sideline and scored untouched.

But the Showboats, trying to end a three-game losing streak of their own, came back to tie the game in the middle of the first period when Walter Lewis capped an eight-play, 64-yard drive with a 10-yard pass to Mark Rauh.

On its next possession, Orlando needed just 1:58 and eight plays to

drive 70 yards for a touchdown. Three straight completed passes to three different receivers moved Orlando from the Memphis 38 to the 1-yard line, and Collier sneaked in from there.

Orlando ran the score to 21-7 on the second play of the final period, when Collier scored on a 2-yard run.

Then it was Memphis' turn for a quick drive. With two Kelley passes covering 49 yards, the Showboats moved 67 yards in four plays to cut Orlando's lead to 21-14. Sydney ran up the middle for the 13-yard touchdown.

Memphis added a 26-yard field goal by Bushbeck with 4:25 left.

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Mayfield goes 6-7 to lead Steer thinclads

ANDREWS — Big Spring Steers freshman high jumper Brian Mayfield stole the show Oil Patch Relays yesterday in leading the Steers to a third place finish.

Mayfield jumped a career-best 6-7 in the high jump while winning the first place medal. His jump establishes a new freshman record and breaks the school record. The old record of 6-4 was set by Kenneth Coffey in 1978. Coffey is now a member of the Washington Redskins.

Mayfield cleared 5-8 and then passed to 6-0. Moving up inch by inch, he made his way to 6-7. He cleared the barrier on his second attempt, with three inches to spare, according to coach Randy Britton. He then failed trying to clear 6-8.

"Brian just jumped super," said Britton. "It was a windy day but he handled it fine. He might have gone higher on a better day." Mayfield also finished second in the high jump with a leap of 20-6. Meanwhile Paul Sotello placed third in the discus with a toss of 137-0.



Steers high jumper **BRIAN MAYFIELD** is shown here competing in the long jump, but the high jump is his speciality. Yesterday he jumped four inches over his previous best to establish a new school record of 6-7.

In a change from the traditional track meet, all running events consisted of relays. The top relay for the Steers was the 3200 meter relay. The team of

Preston Harrison (2:13.0), Wesley Watson (2:08.6), Sean Jackson (2:00.8) and Dax McCracken (2:05.0) placed first in a time of 8:35.40.

The Steers placed second in the sprint relay. The foursome of Danny Williams, Charles White, Brian Reid and Dewayne Sherman ran a season-best 44.20. The 800 relay team finished third. Williams, Mayfield, Kevin Freeman and White ran a 1:36.10.

Also finishing third was the 1600 relay team of Cedrick Banks (53.7), Sherman (53.0), Jackson (53.2) and Reid (52.7). Their time of 3:32.80 was one second off their previous best. The sprint medley relay of Williams, White, Shawn Shellman and Banks placed fourth (1:40.50). The 70 shuttle hurdle relay team of Reid, Jackson, Sherman and Mayfield placed fifth in a time of 41.10.

Gaining a fourth place finish was the distance medley relay. John Renteria, Calvin Harris, Brian Boyd and Albert Ortega ran a 13.31.00.

Lovington, New Mexico won the boys division with 145 points. Host Andrews finished second with 130 points and the Steers followed with 124 points.

LADY STEERS FINISH FOURTH The Big Spring Lady Steers, powered by a strong performance in the field events, place fourth in the meet.

Big Spring dominated the the weight events. Sophomore Paula Jolley uncorked a career-best 37-11 in the shot for a gold medal. Jolley scratched on a throw that went over 40-feet. Amanda Solis was second with a toss of 35-0 and freshman Kellie Myles finished fourth at 31-9. The Lady Steers also went 1-2 in the discus, only in reverse order. Solis copped the gold with a career-best 113-0. Jolley finished second with a throw of 106-0. Monica Lockridge off a career-best 16-7 jump to finish second in the long jump. She also placed third in the triple jump (33-8). Rounding out the field events

scoring a a third place by high jumper Cary Brooks, who cleared 4-8.

The top two Lady Steers finishes in the relays came from second places in the sprint medley and 800 relays. The sprint medley foursome of Eunice Drew, JoAnn Ezell, Monica Lockridge and Michelle LaGrande ran a 2:01.80.

The 800 relay team of Drew, Connie Swinney, Katrina Thompson and Monica Lockridge clocked a 1:53.90.

The 1600 relay team of Brooks, Thompson, Swinney and LaGrand placed fourth in 4:33.80.

Lovington, N.M won the meet and was followed closely by Monahans. Big Spring scored 100 points in their fourth place finish.

Both the Steers and Lady Steers will compete in the Tall City Relay next Saturday in Midland.

Midland powers past Steers, 8-4

MIDLAND — Led by the bat of Kenny De La Garza, the Midland Bulldogs downed the Big Spring Steers 8-4 in District 4-5A baseball play yesterday.

De La Garza went 4 for 4 at the plate, including a two-run homer in the sixth inning. The Steers got runners on base in the top of the seventh inning, but couldn't get them in.

Michael Gonzales was the winning hurler for Midland while Jay Pirkle took the loss for the Steers. Midland outhit Big Spring 11-10.

Tommy Gartman led the Big Spring bats with a 3 for 4 hitting performance while driving in two runs. Jerry Anderson added two singles and one RBI. Chris Lamb was credited with driving in a run and Eli Torres collected a double.

Pirkle also got two hits. Coach Roland Atkins' Steers are now 3-4 in district and 8-9 on the year.

Their next game will be Tuesday in Odessa versus Permian at 4 p.m.

4-5A Standings

- 1. Lee 6-0
- 2. Cooper 7-1
- 3. Midland High 4-4
- 4. Big Spring 3-4

- 1. Odessa High 2-4
- 2. Abilene High 2-4
- 3. San Angelo 2-4
- 4. Permian 2-4

THURSDAY'S GAMES
Permian 11, Abilene 9; Cooper 20, Odessa High 2; Midland High 8, Big Spring 4; Midland Lee 11, San Angelo 5.

TUESDAY'S GAMES
Lee at Cooper; Abilene at Midland; Big Spring at Permian; Odessa at San Angelo.

'New guy' leads Greensboro golf

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — It's a new experience for Jeff Sluman.

"Everything felt pretty good. I got into a rhythm. I felt like I was going to play pretty good all day.

"But leading the tournament? Yes, I'm surprised," Sluman said after his no-bogey, 6-under-par 66 had staked him to a one-shot advantage Thursday in the first round of the \$400,000 Greater Greensboro Open golf tournament.

Sluman, now 27, joined the PGA Tour in 1983. "I thought I'd give it a shot," he said. "I didn't want to be 35 and say 'what if.'"

The 5-foot-7, 135-pounder failed to meet the minimum performance standards that season, took his game on the Asian circuit last season and rejoined the American Tour this year. He ranks a distant 148th on the money-winning list, has a career-high finish of 25th and is leading a Tour event for the first time.

The turn-around in his fortunes, he said, is the result of some help he received on the practice tee earlier this week from fellow pro Bob Tway. "I had the ball too far away, my stance was too open," Sluman said.

"I changed my set-up, and it helped," he said. "I got into a good rhythm and things were falling."

Sandy Lyle, a long-hitting Scot who needs only to qualify for the final two rounds of this event to secure his full playing rights on the U.S. Tour, was the first man off the tee and completed his 67 before winds kicked up and hampered play the rest of the day.

Dan Pohl, Bobby Clampett and Joey Sindelar had 68s, 4-under-par on the 6,857-yard Forest Oaks Country Club course. Lanny Wadkins, a two-time winner already this season, and Roger Maltbie were next at 69.

Of those leaders, only Clampett played in the afternoon when the winds were at their worst. "It was difficult," Clampett said. "They'd be blowing 35-40 miles an hour, then die down. And they were swirling. It was pretty tricky."

Ben Crenshaw, who will defend his title in the Masters at Augusta, Ga., next week, shot 75 in the afternoon gusts. U.S. Open titleholder Fuzzy Zoeller matched par 72. Andy Bean, the defending Greensboro champion, struggled to a 74.

"Kind of fun," he said.

Pokes says farewell to Donley

DALLAS (AP) — Doug Donley's career with the Dallas Cowboys is over, but the veteran wide receiver says he hopes to link up with another National Football League club.

Donley received official word Wednesday from Cowboys Coach Tom Landry that he had failed his final 1984 physical because of a chronic shoulder problem.

"I didn't know until I read the newspaper story that Dr. (Marvin) Knight (team physician) didn't plan to pass me on the physical for next season," Donley told the Dallas Times Herald.

"Nobody told me anything about not passing the physical. I don't know whose fault that is. But they didn't get the word to me."

Landry told Donley that he could either retire or be placed on league waivers.

"I've got to go on what the doctors are telling me," Landry said. "We will not pass him on his physical. He can retire or he can play somewhere else. If he wants to play football, he needs to go somewhere else."

Donley said he is leaning toward playing for another NFL team and would prefer to stay in the Sun Belt. But he said he also will consider entering the real estate business in Dallas.

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NBA Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Boston	60	18	.769	-
x-Philadelphia	55	21	.724	3
x-New Jersey	38	39	.494	23 1/2
x-Washington	37	39	.487	23
New York	24	53	.312	38 1/2
Central Division				
y-Milwaukee	56	21	.727	-
x-Detroit	41	35	.539	14 1/2
x-Chicago	37	40	.481	19
Cleveland	33	43	.434	22 1/2
Atlanta	31	45	.403	25
Indiana	20	57	.260	38
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
x-Denver	49	27	.645	-
x-Houston	44	32	.579	5
x-Dallas	42	34	.553	7
x-San Antonio	39	38	.506	10 1/2
x-Utah	37	40	.481	12 1/2
Kansas City	39	46	.459	15
Pacific Division				
y-L.A. Lakers	56	20	.737	-
x-Portland	38	38	.500	18
Phoenix	33	44	.429	23 1/2
Seattle	31	46	.403	25 1/2
L.A. Clippers	28	49	.364	28 1/2
Golden State	21	56	.273	35 1/2

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title

HC Baseball

HOWARD BATTING												
	AB	R	H	HR	SB	RBI	BA					
Garcia	91	27	52	7	1	42	.571					
Byrd	95	24	39	1	10	23	.411					
Ortiz	73	25	28	1	12	15	.348					
Casillar	73	13	37	2	2	29	.376					
Citrone	24	9	9	0	4	4	.375					
Smith, B	25	6	9	0	0	4	.360					
Lanfear	12	5	4	0	1	3	.333					
Carrasco	15	5	4	0	1	7	.267					
Howell	23	7	5	0	1	3	.217					
Carroll	8	1	1	0	1	1	.125					
Lovara	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000					
Navarro	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000					
DeJesus	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000					
Gonzales	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000					
Smith, K	4	1	0	0	0	0	.000					
HOWARD	206	64	79	5	19	53	.383					
OPPONENTS	209	31	60	3	1	28	.287					
H O W A R D P I T C H I N G												
	GP	IP	H	SO	W-L	ERA						
Willis	2	10.3	13	9	1-0	1.36						
Lopez	2	7.3	9	6	2-0	1.22						
Ashcraft	2	14.0	10	20	2-0	2.00						
Myra	2	12.0	15	14	1-0	3.50						
Gonzales	1	3.6	8	1	0-0	5.83						
Carrasco	2	3.6	8	7	0-1	9.72						
HOWARD	0	51.0	60	28	6-1	3.02						
OPPONENTS	0	45.0	79	18	1-6	6.85						

DP: HOWARD 1
OPPONENTS 6

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
BOSTON RED SOX—Placed Jerry Remy, second baseman, on the 21-day disabled list. Released Jeff Newman, catcher, for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. Optioned Ed Jurak, infielder, Mike Brown and Ed Glynn, pitchers, to Pawtucket of the International League.
TEXAS RANGERS—Placed Mickey Rivers, outfielder, on waivers for the purpose of giving him an unconditional release. Traded Donnie Scott, catcher, to the Seattle Mariners for Orlando Mercado, catcher. Signed Glenn Brummer, catcher, to a minor league contract.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Sent Rick Leach, outfielder, to Syracuse of the International League. Sent Fred Manrique, infielder, to their minor league complex for reassignment.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Optioned Randy

Johnson, infielder, to Richmond of the International League.
NL—Suspended Lonnie Smith of the St. Louis Cardinals for three days and fined him an undisclosed amount for an altercation with an umpire in an exhibition game March 20.

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Dinah Shore Golf

RANCHO MIRAGE, Calif. (AP)—First round scores Thursday in the Ladies Professional Golfers' Association Nabisco Dinah Shore tournament on the 6,278-yard, par 72 Mission Hills Country Club Course:
Myra Blackwelder 34-34-68
Jane Crafter 35-34-69
Patty Sheehan 33-36-69
Judy Clark 34-35-69
Alice Miller 35-35-70
Muffin Spencer-Devlin 34-38-70
Pat Bradley 36-34-70
Rosie Jones 36-34-70
Terri Luckhurst 35-36-70
Betsy King 36-34-70
Becky Pearson 35-35-70
Jane Geddes 36-35-71
Jan Stephenson 36-35-71
Jane Rislock 36-35-71
Jackie Bertsch 36-35-71
Marta Figueras-Dotti 35-36-71
Donna Caponi 34-37-71
Barbara Moyness 35-37-72
Lauri Peterson 36-36-72
Silvia Bertolaccini 37-35-72
Beth Daniel 36-36-72
Kathy Whitworth 36-36-72
Cindy Hill 36-36-72
Denise Strebig 36-36-72
Chris Johnson 36-36-72
Vicki Fergon 36-36-72
Hollis Stacy 36-37-73
Juli Inkster 35-38-73
Patti Rizzo 36-37-73
Vicki Alvarez 36-37-73
Dot Germain 37-36-73
Robin Walton 37-36-73
Laurie Rinker 34-39-73
Amy Alcott 34-39-73
JoAnne Carner 36-37-73

Greensboro Open

GREENSBORO, C. (AP)—First round scores Thursday in the \$400,000 Greater Greensboro Open golf tournament on the 6,958 yard, par 36-36-72 Forest Oaks Country Club course (a-amateur):
Jeff Sluman 33-33-66
Sandy Lyle 32-35-67
Joey Sindelar 31-37-68
Dan Pohl 33-33-68
Bobby Clampett 32-36-68
Roger Maltbie 34-35-69
Lanny Wadkins 35-34-69
Jim Nelford 33-37-70
Rex Caldwell 37-33-70
Phil Hancock 36-34-70
Jim Simons 35-35-70
Craig Stadler 34-36-70
Ray Floyd 35-35-70
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Ken Green 36-35-71
Vance Hefner 36-35-71
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Ron Streck 34-38-72
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HC Rodeo Thursday Results

- Calif Roping**
1. Gary Rowe WTC 9.9 sec.
2. Todd Small WTC 10.6 sec.
3. Don Eddleman WTC 11.0 sec.
- Breakaway Roping**
1. Louise Davis Tx. Tech 3.3 sec.
2. Kristi Taylor HC 4.3 sec.
3. Sandi Miller OC 4.7 sec.
- Saddlebronc Riding**
1. Clinton Brown Sul Ross 66 pts.
- Steer Wrestling**
1. C.J. Urbenek Tarleton 7.8 sec.
2. Keith Easter Tx. Tech 11.02 sec.
3. Brent Arnold Tarleton 13.65 sec.
- Goat Tying**
1. Kathy Cochran HC 13.3 sec.
2. Page McElhanon OC 13.4 sec.
3. Sonny Nance ENMU 13.5 sec.
- Team Roping**
1. SmatherRead Tarleton 9.8 sec.
2. McCainBerry HC 11.7 sec.
3. ParkSmather Tarleton 12.5 sec.
- Barrel Racing**
1. Kristi Taylor HC 16.97 sec.
2. Sheri Schaefer Tarleton 17.60 sec.
3. Sandy Miller OC 17.61 sec.
- Bull Riding**
1. Van Hale WTC 67 pts.
2. Chet Burrows ENMU 66 pts.
3. Phillip Graff Sul Ross 63 pts.
4. Greg Rhodes WTC 63 pts.

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'SPRING IS WHEN WINTER AND SUMMER FIGHT TO SEE WHO GETS TO BE NEXT.'

Your Daily HOROSCOPE

from the CARROLL RIGTER INSTITUTE

FORECAST FOR SAT. APRIL 6, 1985

GENERAL TENDENCIES: The morning brings you a considerable amount of understanding what you can best do to make your surroundings more attractive and to shop for those items that will bring pleasure.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Morning is fine for investigating into whatever you do not comprehend and then you will have right data with which to work.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) If you clarify your position, you can easily get allies to join with you in some venture. Then please others as much as you can.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Consider the aspects before tackling any job and then you will know what to do. You may get new ideas in the evening.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Count the cost of some pleasure you desire having, and see where you can cut corners so that it won't be so expensive.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Showing kin that you are practical can please them very much today, but avoid some strange newcomer in the evening.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Phoe calls to and from can be the means through which you gain fine benefits today. Make visits that are necessary.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) If you are conventional at home, you can solve that financial affair very nicely. Get basic affairs well handled.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) If you plan carefully, you can start getting your big plans working successfully, but don't permit kin to get you discouraged.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Be in the quiet of your study or with an expert and work out plans of importance for the future.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) You are able to get the backing of a dynamic friend for some interest that means a great deal to you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You understand how to gain more goodwill in the morning, so make the plans that will bring right results.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) You get fine ideas and results during the day hours, but tonight one who opposes you can be upsetting. Get into civic work.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be able to formulate plans for becoming very successful during the lifetime and should be encouraged in this. Be sure to give right spiritual training early plus a good education so that upon reaching adulthood your progeny won't be torn between one and the other.

"The Stars impel; they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!
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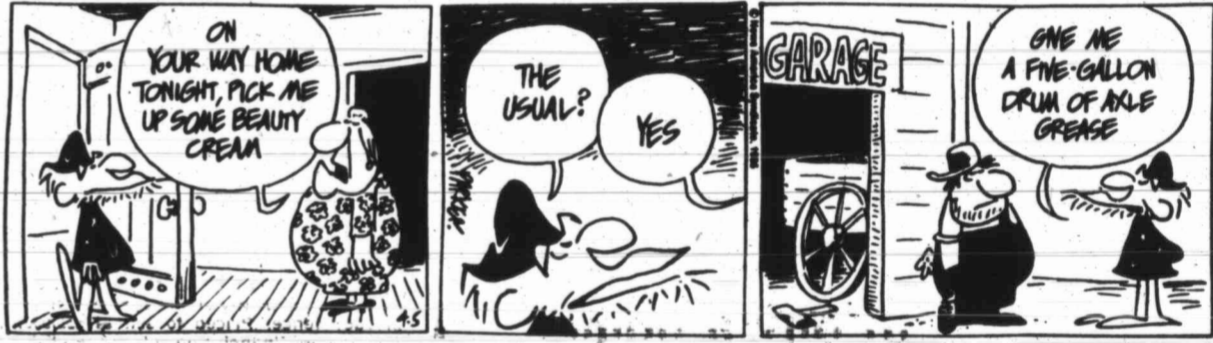
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AL West looking to improve standing

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON, AP Sports Writer

In the American League, the West is not best, but it had something last year the East Division didn't — a pennant race.

While the Detroit Tigers were running away with the East, six teams in the West finished within 10 games of each other. The last-place Texas Rangers were 15 games behind the first-place Kansas City Royals — the same spread between Detroit and runner-up Toronto in the East.

The Royals didn't get above .500 to stay until Sept. 5, but they went on to finish three games ahead of the California Angels and Minnesota Twins.

SS), who came from San Diego along with pitcher Tim Lollar in the LaMarr Hoyt trade. Salazar and Guillen join speedsters Daryl Boston (CF), Rudy Law (CF) and Julio Cruz (2B); Boston and Guillen have been touted as Rookie of the Year candidates. Harold Baines (RF), Ron Kittle (DH), Carlton Fisk (C) and Greg Walker (1B) provide the punch.

Despite the trade of Hoyt, LaRusso expects the pitching to be strong with Tom Seaver (283 victories), Richard Dotson, Floyd Bannister, Britt Burns and Lollar. Bob James joins 42-year-old Ron Reed in the bullpen.

Chuck Cottier starts his first season as manager of the Seattle Mariners, who have been under .500 each of their eight years in the league. The Mariners' prospects start with first baseman Alvin Davis (27 homers, 116 RBIs), the 1984 Rookie of the Year, and Mark Langston, who led the league in strikeouts while winning Rookie Pitcher of the Year honors.

"We finished the '84 season on a high note by playing excellent baseball over the last half of the season (they were 10 games under .500 at one point)," Royals Manager Dick Howser says. "I feel good about our chances again. We have some good reasons to be positive."

"It will be important for us to have George Brett (3B) and Wilson all season. Wilson makes things happen and Brett is our big bat. Steve Balboni (1B) got over the hurdle last year and gives us a legitimate power hitter."

Seattle's offensive strength other than Davis lies in the outfield, which includes Dave Henderson, Phil Bradley and Al Cowens. The return of DH Gorman Thomas from shoulder surgery would be a big help.

Cottier calls the rotation of Langston, Jim Beattie, Mike Moore and Matt Young "the best starting foursome in the American League." Edwin Nunez may be ready to join Ed VanDe Berg in the bullpen.

Brett suffered a series of injuries, while Wilson joined the club late after serving a jail sentence for drug abuse.

And, of course, the Royals have Dan Quisenberry (124 saves in the last three years), the league's premier reliever.

Howser says he is "not much for predictions" but predicts that "it's going to take more wins this year (KC had 84) for the division title."

Despite a last-place finish, Texas Manager Doug Rader is "very optimistic when I assess our chances" because "we received outstanding performances from a number of individuals." They include starting pitchers Frank Tanana, Charlie Hough and Mike Mason, Pete O'Brien (1B) and Buddy Bell (3B). Rader says the outfield of Gary Ward, George Wright and Larry Parrish is one of the best in the league.

Mauch is looking for starters to join Geoff Zahn, Mike "Perfect Game" Witt and Ron Romanick in the rotation. He says — without tongue in cheek — that the bullpen of Donnie Moore, Doug Corbett, Luis Sanchez, Curt Kaufman and Jim Slaton "is certainly one to be reckoned with."

Elsewhere, Mauch is counting on veterans such as Brian Downing (LF), Doug DeCinces (3B), Bobby Grich (IF), Rod Carew (1B), Bob Boone (C), Rob Wilford (2B), Reggie Jackson (OF-DH) and Juan Beniquez (OF) to provide leadership for youngsters such as Dick Schofield (SS), Gary Pettis (CF) and Mike Brown (OF).

The Rangers acquired a full-time DH in Cliff Johnson and a new catcher in Don Slaught, but Dave Schmidt and Dave Stewart must come through in the bullpen.

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"FACTS THAT EVERY VOTER SHOULD KNOW"

Many Big Spring voters may be confused about Saturday's election because the Big Spring City Council has distorted the facts about the state civil service issue for Big Spring Fire Fighters. Citizens for home rule have also been distorting the facts about civil service in an effort to defeat this very important issue. If you are a Big Spring voter, you may be interested in comparing the distortions with the facts before you go to the polls on Saturday.

DISTORTION: The City Council claims that the three extra days of sick leave and vacation time that civil service will provide for local fire fighters will cost the city \$22,548 annually.

FACT: These extra days of sick leave and vacation time will not cost the city one extra cent in the daily operating budget. Sick leave and vacation pay are included in the annual salaries of the fire fighters, and the present policy does not require a replacement for a fireman that is on sick leave or on vacation. Civil service will not change the present city policy.

DISTORTION: The City Council and citizens for home rule claim that the fire fighters want local control of the city council and city management taken away and transferred to Austin.

FACT: City management will still have control over the fire department. City management will still have the power to hire and to fire fire department personnel. Local firemen will still take their orders from their superiors within the fire dept. There are regulations on the state level that now exist that local fire departments have to follow. Being governed by these state regulations has not resulted in the city management losing control of the fire dept.

DISTORTION: The City Council and the citizens for home rule would have you believe that if civil service is passed by the voters, the city will be forced to give the same benefits to all city employees, because present city policy would have all city employees treated equally.

FACT: The City Council is not required to offer civil service benefits to all city employees. All city employees are not treated equally under the present city policy. City policemen are provided patrol cars to drive during off duty hours. This policy of providing personal vehicles is not offered to all city employees. The city manager, a city employee, has been given a 66% pay raise over the past five years. This amounts to approximately 20 thousand dollars in pay raises during a five year period of time. All city employees have not enjoyed such raises.

DISTORTION: The City Council claims that civil service will cost the city an additional \$71,346 dollars annually.

FACT: The long range costs to the city concerning accumulated sick leave based on figures over the last three years would cost the city an additional \$16,000 annually. Presently, it costs the city approximately \$18,000 dollars to train a new fireman and get him certified. The turnover rate in the department is 16% annually or a loss of approximately eight fireman each year. The average turnover rate for those departments under state civil service is approximately six percent. Figure the cost of having to train eight new firemen per year, and it would be \$144,000 annually. Cut the turnover rate down to the average that departments have under state civil service, and the savings to Big Spring would be \$72,000, each year. Instead of state civil service costing the city, it would actually result in a savings to the city and would result in a more experienced and qualified fire department which will provide better fire protection for our city.

DISTORTION: The City Council tells you that civil service is not in the best interest of Big Spring.

FACT: 55 of the 60 largest cities in Texas are under civil service (52 are under state civil service and three are under city charter civil service). Most of these cities are experiencing growth and prosperity. Obviously, civil service does not hinder a city's growth or prosperity, something that Big Spring has not experienced for several years.

DISTORTION: The Big Spring City Council and the citizens for home rule would have you believe that the local fire fighters are trying to take the authority of home rule away from local voters.

FACT: The present city council has made a mockery of the home rule charter for the city of Big Spring. The council violated the charter when it extended the terms of some of its members without getting voter approval as the charter requires.

FACT: The claim that civil service would weaken home rule is the pinnacle of hypocrisy and is an outright distortion of the facts. Some of those that make up the citizens for home rule were serving on the Big Spring City Council when the council voted to build the hanger without getting voter approval.

FACT: They were on the Big Spring City Council when the decision was made to spend two million dollars to remodel the sewer plant without going to the voters for approval. These that are crying for home rule now, are many of the same people that in the past never so much as gave the voters a thought before obligating the people of Big Spring to these high cost projects. The group is now asking the question, who is in charge? Why ask now, they never did before!

FACT: We fully believe that the voters of Big Spring are in charge. You have the power and you have the right to make some badly needed changes in our city leadership this Saturday. Remember, it is your city, and your tax dollars that the present leadership has so poorly managed.

QUESTION: If you were sitting on the City Council, would you have voted to extend the terms of its members without first getting voter approval?

If you were sitting on the City Council, would you have voted to give the city manager \$20,000 dollars in raises over the past five years? A time when the city was in an economic slump. Do you believe in giving a manager that kind of a raise when under his management, the city has been in a steady state of decline?

Do you believe in giving a manager such a raise when you know that he is looking for a job elsewhere and will be leaving when he can find a desired position?

Does this sound like a sound business practice to you? Does it seem reasonable to close all of the fire sub stations in town and leave them open and unattended while firemen are attending mandatory training sessions at the order of the city manager?

Doesn't this appear to be a neglect of the tax payers dollars? The present city leadership has been in control now for several years and has led the city into one of the greatest declines in its history.

It is obvious to all, these that now control city management have no plan of action to reverse this downward trend.

It is time for a changing of the guards. It is time to put new people on the council that have a plan of action to turn Big Spring around.

FACT: You, the voters, of Big Spring, are the only ones who can initiate such a change of direction for our city. If you agree that it is time for a change, then you must go to the polls Saturday and vote for that change.

If you don't go to the polls to vote, there will be no change forth coming, and we will have several more years of the present ineffective leadership that we have been experiencing. We do not have to ask the voters who is in charge. We know who is in charge

.....YOU ARE IN CHARGE.....

For the future of Big Spring, we appeal to you to make every effort to go to the polls Saturday and vote for a change for the City Council, and to vote for a stronger and better fire department by approving state civil service for our local firemen.

THE FUTURE OF BIG SPRING IS IN YOUR HANDS, AND THAT IS WHERE IT BELONGS.

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