



### Arts, crafts fest

Story, Page 2A



### California in flames

Story, Page 3A



### Cards go 3-2

See Sports, Section B

# Big Spring Herald Tuesday

'The Crossroads of West Texas'

BIG SPRING (TEXAS) TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1985

Price 25c

VOL. 58 NO. 136

12 PAGES 2 SECTIONS

Price 25c

## Spring Board

### How's that?

### Recycling

Q. Is there someplace in Big Spring to recycle newspapers, bottles, cans and car oil?

A. Newspapers can be taken to a trailer at the Texaco near Highland Mall, but bottles, cans and car oil aren't being recycled in Big Spring.

### Calendar

### Skating

#### TODAY

• The Big Spring Art Association will meet at Howard College's art department at 7:30 p.m. Noted floral artist and teacher Bill Huffaker will speak.

• Howard County Young Republicans Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 2907 Hunters Glen. A slide presentation will be given on the water amendments for the next election.

• The Association for Retarded Citizens will meet at 7 p.m. at 901 Johnson.

• Dr. John Parquhar will discuss "You and Your Heart" from 7 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. in the Malone-Hogan Hospital cafeteria for Health Night Out. Call 263-1211, Ext. 110, to reserve a place at the free seminar.

• The C-City Dancers will have a dance from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. at the Civic House, Second and Oak, in Colorado City. The public is invited, and a covered dish supper will be served. Porky Proctor Band will be playing.

• The Big Spring Band Boosters will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Big Spring High School band hall.

#### THURSDAY

• The Medicine Shoppe will have a colon-rectal cancer screening today through Saturday.

#### SATURDAY

• The Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. today and 1-6 p.m. Sunday at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. There is no admission fee.

• Marcy Elementary School will have a fall carnival. The kitchen opens at 5:30 p.m. with a Mexican dinner. There will be a costume contest for all ages plus games and booths. Proceeds go to Marcy PTA's yearly project.

#### SUNDAY

• The Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival will be from 1-6 p.m. at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

### Outside

### Cloudy

Today's forecast calls for cloudy skies, a 30 percent chance of rain and a high near 70. Winds are northeast at 10 to 15 miles per hour. Look for a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms tonight and a low in the mid 50s. Wednesday's high should be near 70 with 40 percent chance of thunderstorms.

### Index

Comics.....3B  
Lifestyle.....5-6A  
Obituaries.....2A  
Opinion.....4A  
Sports.....1-2A  
Weather.....2A

# WFAA may stay on cable

By SPENCER SANDOW  
Staff Writer

Big Spring Cable may have the option to keep WFAA television channel at additional cost, said G.M. Batsche, president of Times Mirror Microwave, which supplies WFAA and KERA to West Texas through a chain of microwave towers.

Batsche said the company may

purchase additional microwave equipment to allow WFAA to be broadcast to its subscribers. The proposal and cost estimate will be submitted to cable companies within seven days, he said.

Four companies currently subscribe to WFAA. When Times Mirror officials find out how many of the four will accept the proposal, they will decide whether to pur-

chase the equipment, Batsche said.

Paul Thoman of Big Spring Cable said he had heard unconfirmed rumors of the proposal but has had no concrete news yet. That's the reason he had held off deciding on WFAA's replacement, he said. He said he is definitely interested in pursuing the deal.

"We have made it very clear we want to talk seriously (about the

deal)," he said. "It's very encouraging."

Meanwhile Texas Communities Antenna, Big Spring Cable TV's home office, is still making plans in case the deal doesn't come through. District manager Joe McKinnis said the company will decide what channel will replace WFAA if necessary.

"If the cost isn't prohibitive,

we'll look at keeping it on," he said. "We don't know what (Times Mirror) is going to propose."

Also, a Snyder woman has organized a petition drive to retain WFAA on the microwave tower feed and already has collected 5,000 signatures, Roy McQueen, editor of the *Snyder Daily News*, said Monday.

WFAA page 2-A

## Bentsen bill fights terrorism

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Lloyd Bentsen says he is introducing legislation to end "most-favored-nation" trade status for three countries identified by the State Department as supporters of terrorism.

Bentsen, D-Texas, said over the weekend that Iran, Libya and Syria all are categorized as "most-favored nations," which gives them a break on the tariffs they must pay on their imports into the United States.

The three, along with Cuba, North Korea, Nicaragua and South Yemen, "have been described as supporting terrorism by our State Department," Bentsen said.

"For example, Libya exports substantial amounts of naphtha to us, coming into this country and paying half the tariff that many other countries pay," Bentsen said. "I don't think that's right."

Bentsen said the U.S. imported almost \$280 million in goods from the three countries during the first seven months of 1985.

The three tariff rates are "most favored," which includes most countries; a higher rate that includes communist countries, except Romania, Yugoslavia and the People's Republic of China, for policy reasons; and a special low rate for some developing nations.

Bentsen said his legislation would move Iran, Libya and Syria into the second column with the communist nations.

He said his legislation would require the Secretary of State to maintain a list of nations that support terrorism, which Bentsen said is already done for purposes of military exports; deny trade preference to nations on the list; and give the president authority to waive the denial of trade preference if he notifies Congress first.

## Bit of rain falls

Parts of Howard County received less than an inch of rain Monday and may receive more this week. The forecast calls for a 30 percent chance of rain today and tonight, rising to a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms Wednesday.

The Big Spring field station recorded no rain Monday, but recent showers elevated the yearly total to 20.96 inches, ahead of the normal-to-date of 15.96.

Paul Hopper of Knott recorded .2 of an inch of rain Monday. Tommy Hart of eastern Big Spring recorded .05 of an inch. Wendell Shive of Coahoma got a trace of rain, too small to measure.



THE JUDDS, the country duo consisting of Naomi, the mother, left, and Wynonna, the daughter, accept one of their two awards Monday night at the 19th annual Country Music Association awards show in Nashville. The Judds won their awards for Vocal Group of the Year and Single of the Year.

## Skaggs wins coveted award as entertainer of the year

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — "Country Boy" Ricky Skaggs, who dethroned Alabama as Country Music Association entertainer of the year, choked back sobs and said, "it's everything I've ever worked for all my life."

Skaggs, 31, won the coveted entertainer of the year award and a second honor as No. 1 instrumental group during the ceremony televised from the Grand Ole Opry house on Monday, two nights after it celebrated its 60th anniversary.

George Strait and the Judds joined Skaggs as double winners, but Alabama, the group that has dominated the top entertainer spot for an unprecedented three straight years, didn't pick up an award despite five nominations.

"It's everything I've ever worked for all my life," said Skaggs, who dropped out of high school his senior year and left his home in Louisiana, Ky., to pursue his music career. "I began playing the mandolin at 5 and began singing at 3; I've worked for this and given up so many things to have my career."

He pulled a list out of his pocket as he accepted the award and read off a roll of people who had helped him get his start in country music, his voice cracking as he thanked

his wife, children and parents.

Skaggs, a recording artist for only about four years, won with a boost from his acclaimed single, album and video "Country Boy." He also made a concert tour of Great Britain to perform the nine No. 1 hits he's piled up.

"The day I quit promotin' Ricky Skaggs, they'll have to put me in a padded cell somewhere," he said after the show.

Strait, an ex-foreman of a Texas cattle ranch, won male vocalist of the year and album of the year for "Does Fort Worth Ever Cross Your Mind."

"I'll never forget this night as long as I live," he said.

The Judds, a mother-daughter duo who have been singing professionally for two years, won single of the year for "Why Not Me" and No. 1 vocal group.

"I've never been so happy in my whole life," mother Naomi said.

Reba McEntire was voted female vocalist of the year for the second straight time and guitarist Chet Atkins won top instrumentalist for the eighth time and fifth straight year.

"I like to sing better than eat,"

Ms. McEntire said, then added, "No, that's not right."

Banjoist Earl Scruggs and the late guitarist Lester Flatt became the 43rd and 44th members of the Country Music Hall of Fame. They teamed from 1945 until 1969, recording such famous songs as "Foggy Mountain Breakdown" and the theme for the long-running television show, "The Beverly Hillbillies."

Other awards included Anne Murray and Dave Loggins, duo of the year; Hank Williams Jr., video of the year for "All My Rowdy Friends Are Coming Over Tonight;" Lee Greenwood, song of the year for "God Bless the USA," and Sawyer Brown, Horizon Award for career development.

Miss Murray and Kris Kristofferson were hosts of the show, which featured a segment honoring Willie Nelson for his songwriting career and efforts to help the nation's farmers.

Nelson received a plaque from Steve Meredith, national president of the Future Farmers of America, for arranging September's FarmAid concert in Illinois that raised money for financially ailing farmers.

## Insurance decision postponed

By DANA PALMER

Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau  
AUSTIN — The State Board of Insurance on Monday postponed a decision on personal automobile insurance rates.

The board staff has been pushing for an average 1.3 percent cut statewide, however, those recommendations vary from one area of the state to another.

At the urging of board member Carole Keeton Rylander, hearings on auto insurance rates will reconvene on Friday, Oct. 25, so more information about the effects of the state's new mandatory seatbelt law can be obtained.

The new law, which went into effect Sept. 1, requires those riding in the front seat of a passenger vehicle to wear seatbelts or face a fine. Department of Public Safety (DPS) troopers will begin issuing tickets to violators on Dec. 1.

"I would like to call Col. James P. Adams (of the DPS) to a reopened hearing, or anyone else who would like to speak on seatbelt use or any other component of our rate formula," Rylander said.

A staff recommendation calling for a rate reduction assumes a 50 percent compliance rate with the new law, while the insurance industry request for a 10.6 percent increase assumes only 40 percent, Rylander said.

"I believe we can realize and sustain an even higher usage rate," she added, but more information is needed before any new rates should be set by the board.

Depending on the compliance rate, Rylander said, any resulting reduction in the number of traffic fatalities and injuries would be passed on to the public in the form of lower insurance rates.

Reduction of rates, however, would be secondary to the lives saved, she said.

Actual rates for a particular area of the state will vary from another because of differences in amount of claims and other historical information. In addition, actual rates for a particular policyholder will vary according to several factors, including location in the state, age of the driver and the car's value.

Under the staff recommendation, Howard County residents would see their rates drop 6.4 percent for typical private passenger policies that include collision and comprehensive insurance, according to the agency staff recommendation.

That premium will fall from \$606 to \$567 under the staff proposal compared with \$629 recommended

Insurance page 2-A

## School grounds to continue as voting box

By SCOTT FITZGERALD  
Staff Writer

The county will continue using Centertown School grounds as a voting box in Precinct Four, but will have to make some modifications.

During yesterday afternoon's session of Howard County Commissioner's Court, discussion about the voting box resulted in making arrangements to place a trailer at the site.

Commissioners were informed

during the morning session that the former school building had been heavily damaged by vandals and that the Big Spring Independent School District had been using the site to store livestock.

Commissioner David Barr spoke with Don Crockett, assistant superintendent of the school district, and later told commissioners the school district had no objections to the county placing a trailer on the grounds for the Nov. 5 state amendment election.

In other action yesterday, commissioners:

• Approved the county's treasury report through the month of September. At the end of the month, the county had a \$3,791,024.71 total cash balance and certificates of deposit on hand.

The county had a cash balance of \$281,024.71, according to a report prepared by county treasurer Bonnie Franklin.

• Adopted a resolution regarding nomination of candidates to

serve as board directors for the Howard County Consolidated Tax Appraisal District.

The county nominated D.D. Johnston, Harold Pearce, Jack Barber and Cecil Gilstrap.

• Recommended that discussion about purchasing an Aftex line feeder for the tax assessor's office continue at the next meeting.

County tax assessor Dorothy Moore also told commissioners she was preparing a consolidation collection proposal that will soon be

presented before the court.

• Discussed with Mona Jamison of Fort Stockton, district extension director, alternative funding methods for the county's extension office, whose budget recently was lowered by the Legislature. States funds for the positions of assistant home economics agents in District 6 will be cut, she said. The positions will be eliminated unless the county provides funds.

The budget cuts take effect in August, said Commissioner Paul Allen.

# Bronze sculpture to be at festival

Andrew Wilks, a sculptor from Hereford, will again exhibit his works Saturday and Sunday at the Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival.

The festival, to take place in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, will open to the public from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday. No admission will be charged.

Wilks chose sculpture as his art medium because "my major training in college was in jewelry and pottery," he said. "I liked the size of pottery, and the design and sculpture techniques of jewelry. Sculpture was the way to use the best of both of these mediums."

He picked bronze because "bronze gives me a strong feeling of permanence and durability," Wilks said. "I can be delicate with it and yet still strong."

While he offers a variety of subjects, the majority of Wilks work has been dedicated to wildlife. "I like to do wildlife because the sub-

ject spans time," he said. "It is not limited to a specific time period or culture; it is a universal subject. I usually become interested in the animal and its environment and then create a situation involving the animal that has a certain degree of artistic design."

It is the same study of his subjects that has brought out some of his most intricate details. "The details are necessary to my particular pieces," Wilks said. "To portray an extra degree of realism, I need to use detailing. A smooth goose is right for a celebration of form inspired from nature, but it would not do in the situations I sculpt."

In order to achieve this detail, Wilks does his own foundry work. "In the beginning I was fascinated with the lost wax casting process in bulk — as in bronze casting," he said. "Now it's the need to follow through my idea to completion. I like to have complete control of my pieces."



Shown is a bronze sculpture by Andrew Wilks of Hereford. Several of Wilks' newer wildlife pieces will be presented at the Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival this weekend.

## Sheriff's Log

### Warrant issued in threat

Troy Connor Jr. of Desert Hills Trailer Park Lot No. 12 told Justice of the Peace Willie Grant that someone he knows threatened him with an open pocket knife in the parking lot of Tripp Construction Company in Coahoma.

Grant issued a warrant to a sheriff's deputy for the arrest of the alleged assailant.

The incident, under investigation by the sheriff's department, was reported to have occurred at 2:45 p.m., according to a sheriff's report.

Deputies released Arnulfo Chavera, 25, of Knott from county jail Monday afternoon on an Atascosa County \$50,000 bond. He was arrested last Friday on that county's warrant for bond forfeiture on a previous sexual assault of a child charge.

A Department of Public Safety trooper arrested Curtis Davis, 44, of 704 E. Third on suspicion of driving while intoxicated. He later was released on \$1,000 bond.

Deputies arrested Danny Gene

Priest, 26, of 4112 Dixon on a warrant charging him with violating the terms of his probation received for a DWI judgment. He was released on \$1,000 bond set by County Judge Milton Kirby.

Police transferred Thomas Quitman White, 18, of Olive Branch, Miss., to county jail after he was arrested for passing a forged instrument and theft. He remains in county jail in lieu of bonds totaling \$2,000.

Police transferred James Canada, 38, of Hobbs, N.M., to county jail after he was charged with suspicion of felony DWI. He remains in county jail in lieu of \$1,000 bond.

Stanton Police arrested Victor Esparza, 47, of Stanton on a Howard County warrant charging him with issuing a bad check. He was released after paying his fine.

Police transferred David Allen Risner, 36, of 1103 E. 13th after he was arrested for unlawfully carrying a weapon. He was released on \$1,500 bond.

## Police Beat

### Motel guest reports theft

A motel guest told police \$2,000 in cash was stolen early this week from his room at the Travel Inn at 3500 W. Gregg.

Ray Kelly told police the theft occurred between 9:30 a.m. Monday and 12:15 a.m. Tuesday.

Burglars took \$1,300 in saddles and tack goods between 7 p.m. Sunday and 7:25 a.m. Monday from a building 100 yards east of Owens Street Bridge, according to police reports.

Taken were a brown western roping saddle, valued at \$600; a black pleasure saddle, valued at \$400; two head stalls, valued at \$150; two saddle blankets, valued at \$150; and two saddle pads, valued at \$50.

Debbie Walling of 600 Circle told police someone damaged the paint job on her black 1982 Chevrolet between 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. Thursday at Blankenship Field. Damage was estimated at \$500.

Elsa Amadrigual of 1002 N.

Main told police someone she knows assaulted her at 9 a.m. Monday, bruising her upper arms.

Police arrested John Davis Hyden Jr., 32, in the 2400 block of Gregg Street on suspicion of criminal trespassing, according to police reports. Two addresses were listed for Hyden: 2204 Grace and 1507 Lincoln.

Terry Carter of 5 Highland Cove told police someone broke a window at a warehouse at 110 Runnels between 6 p.m. Saturday and 5 a.m. Monday. Nothing appeared missing, the report stated.

Someone used shoe polish on a police car at the Bent Tree Apartments between 10:30 p.m. Sunday and 7:30 a.m. Monday.

Aurelio Salazar of 829 W. Sixth told police someone broke into his residence between noon and 3:30 p.m. Monday. Taken were several bags of potato chips, fruit, eight cans of canned goods and 12 snack cakes.

## Markets

Name	CURRENT QUOTE	CHANGE from close
American Airlines	40	-1/2
American Petrofina	52 3/4	-1/4
Atlantic Richfield	62 3/4	-1/4
Bethlehem Steel	16 1/2	+1/4
Chrysler	37 1/2	nc
DuPont	59 1/2	+1/4
Enersch	21 1/2	-1/4
Energys	13 1/2	nc
Ford	46 1/2	-1/4

Firestone	18 1/2	nc
Gen. Telephone	39 1/2	+1/4
Halliburton	25 1/2	nc
IBM	128 3/4	+1/4
J.C. Penney	47	-1/4
Johnsmanville	5 1/2	+1/4
K Mart	32 1/2	+1/4
Coca-Cola	70 3/4	-1/4
DeBeers	4 1/2	+1/16
Mobil	30 1/2	-1/4
Pacific Gas	17 1/2	+1/4
Phillips	12 1/2	+1/4
Sears	32 1/2	-1/4
Sun Oil	51 1/2	-1/4
AT&T	21	-1/4
Texaco	37 1/2	+1/4
Texas Instruments	94 1/2	+1/4
Texas Utilities	27 1/2	nc
U.S. Steel	31 1/2	nc
Exxon	33 1/2	nc
Westinghouse	38 1/2	nc
Western Union	11 1/2	-1/4
Zales	28	-1/4
Kidde	34 1/2	-1/4
Pioneer	23 1/2	-1/4
HCA	30 1/2	-1/4

AMCAP — MUTUAL FUNDS  
 ICA 8.30-9.16  
 New Economy 11.87-12.97  
 New Perspective 17.11-18.70  
 New Perspective 7.86-8.59

Noon quotes courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co., 219 Main, Big Spring, Texas 79726, Telephone 267-2501. Current quotes are from today's market, and the change is market activity from 3 p.m. the previous day.

## Insurance

Continued from page 1-A

Howard County residents who buy only the basic policies for bodily injury and property damage would see an increase, from \$162 to \$165. The industry-recommended premium is \$188.

A legislatively mandated increase in the amounts of bodily injury, property damage liability and personal injury protection also would be reflected in the new premium amounts.

Actual rates for a particular policyholder will vary according to several factors, including location, the age of the driver and the car's value.

## WFAA

Continued from page 1-A

The petitions will be presented to West Texas Microwave and Times Mirror Microwave, the companies that own the microwave that transmits WFAA's signal to West Texas cable companies, McQueen said.

On a visit to Big Spring Saturday, Mrs. W.B. Shaw of Snyder gave copies of the petition to Bill Nehls, a merchandiser at the J.C. Penney's store at the Big Spring Mall. Nehls said today that he is preparing a local petition, which will be ready in a few days.

Batsche also explained how the company can continue to provide KERA while being unable to provide WFAA, when the two channels

are broadcast out of Dallas through the same chain of microwave towers.

The owner of the microwave tower at Sweetwater decided to close down his tower, which provides both channels to this area, Batsche said. Batsche said he was able to find another tower to broadcast either KERA or WFAA but not both.

The decision was made to continue KERA, because only four companies subscribe to WFAA and many subscribe to KERA, including numerous school systems which rely on its educational programming, Batsche said.

## Stanton band rated superior

ODESSA — Stanton High School marching band received a Division I, or superior, rating at University Interscholastic League marching contest Saturday. The band now qualifies for regional competition Nov. 2.

Big Spring and Forsan high school marching bands both received Division II, or excellent, ratings in the contest. Garden City High's band received a Division 3, or average, rating.

## CRMWD accepts bid on Stacy Dam bond

Colorado River Municipal Water District directors today accepted the apparent low bid from Prudential-Bache on bond financing for the Stacy Dam project.

Prudential-Bache bid an effective interest rate of 9.3969 percent on the \$53.59 million in principal, bringing the total cost for the 30-year bonds to \$112.069 million, said district board secretary Joe Pickle.

The next lowest bidder, Salaman Bros. Inc. and Associates, bid 9.3977 percent interest, which would translate into about an \$18,000 difference over 30 years,

Pickle said. In addition, the board members were to adopt an \$18.24 million budget for 1986. However, that estimate probably will drop because the bids on the bonds were lower than predicted.

The district budgeted \$12.28 million in 1985. However, an estimated \$5.48 million of this year's budget will be reserved for Stacy Dam bond and interest payments.

The 1986 budget would be a little less than the actual expenses this year if the debt service costs for Stacy were excluded, Pickle said.

## Coffee-maker provided grounds for suspicion

"Where there's smoke ... there's Mr. Coffee?" Firemen investigating a report of smoke Monday afternoon at the Stallings Insurance Agency at 1606 1/2 Gregg found a defective coffee-maker was the culprit.

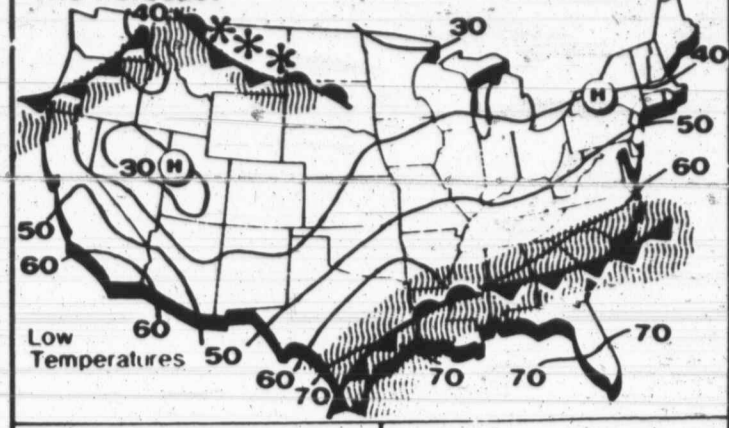
The firefighters arrived at the scene at 2:35 p.m., but were unable

to find any smoke in the building, until a secretary said she had started making coffee but had unplugged the machine.

After testing the coffee maker, firefighters determined on those grounds that it caused the smoke. Damage was estimated at \$30.

## Weather

### The Forecast



FRONTS:  
 Warm — Cold  
 Occluded — Stationary

### Forecast

West Texas - Scattered showers and thunderstorms spreading to all sections by Wednesday. Highs Wednesday upper 60s to mid 70s except mid 80s Big Bend valleys. Lows tonight mid 40s Panhandle and southwest mountains to mid 60s southeast.

### State

A tornado funnel dipped from a heavy thunderstorm southwest of Houston early today, prompting the National Weather Service to issue a tornado warning for persons in Harris and Fort Bend counties.

The twister was sighted by police at Stafford, southwest of Houston, at 3:20 a.m. The tornado did not touch the ground and did not cause any damage, according to Stafford Police dispatcher Leslie Clark.

The tornado warning expired at 4:30 a.m.

The tornado sighting came out of some heavy thunderstorms being reported early today along a cold front that moved through North Central Texas Monday, triggering heavy rains.

The front was located at dawn today from just south of Lufkin southwestward along the coastal plains to just south of Laredo. Rainfall, some described as locally heavy, covered the frontal boundary and most of Texas southeast of a line from Texarkana to Del Rio.

## Deaths

### Clarence Airhart

Services for Clarence E. Airhart, 67, are pending with Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home. Airhart died Tuesday morning in Sweetwater.

### Billy Fryar

Services for Billy Fryar, 52, of Big Spring will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

Fryar died Sunday morning at the Morton Hospital in Dallas after a long illness. He was born March 23, 1933, in Big Spring and married Claudette Clark Nov. 5, 1971. He was a member of the Prairieview Baptist Church and of the Cattlemans Association. He had lived in the Big Spring community all his life and was a farmer and rancher.

He is survived by his wife, Claudette of Big Spring; three sons, Shirley Lloyd Fryar of Abilene, Lanny Fryar of Big Spring and Bobby Clark of Odessa; two daughters, Becky Allen of Quinlan and Ann Marie Senter of Paris; his father, Shirley William Fryar of San Angelo; a brother, Martin Fryar of Big Spring; a sister, Betty Fry Thomas of Big Spring; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Jay P. Senter, Lonnie Nichols, Bennie Blissard, Marshall Trim, Bill Henkle and Stanley Haney.

The family suggests memorials to the Fryar-Ferguson Fund for continuing education for nurses.

### Mrs. Dillie Dixon

Services for Mrs. Dillie Dixon, 89, of Big Spring will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First Church of the Nazarene. Officiating will be the Rev. R.E. Zell of Midlothian Nazarene Church and Dr. Carl Powers, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarene in Big Spring. Burial will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She died Monday morning at Malone-Hogan Hospital after a long illness. She was born Oct. 24, 1895, in Jacksboro and married Benjamin Young Dixon on April 5, 1914, in Childress. He died in February 1966.

She had lived in Big Spring since 1929 and was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene.

She is survived by three daughters, Ila Davis, Jean Jennings and Anna Locklar, all of Big Spring; 10 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Bud Smith, Earl Bohannon, Franklin P. Earley Jr., Josh Ray Messenger, W.H. Messenger, Roger Dixon, Ben Dixon and Lane Brewster.

### G.L. Graham

Services for G.L. (Buck) Graham, 74, of Coahoma will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial will be at the Coahoma

### James Wilcox

Graveside services for James Wilcox, 80, of Big Spring will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Trinity Memorial Park with the Rev. Victor Sedinger, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. Wilcox died Monday morning at Malone-Hogan Hospital after an illness of several months. He was born Feb. 2, 1905, in Texas and married Nancy Mariam Kennedy in 1930 in Boulder, Colo. He was a member of the First Christian Church, where he served as a deacon and elder. He moved to Big Spring in 1930 and had lived here for more than 50 years. Before his retirement, he had worked as a painter.

He is survived by his wife, Mariam of Big Spring; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, James Frank Wilcox, in 1979.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society or the First Christian Church.

## Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home

and Rosewood Chapel

James Wilcox died Monday. Graveside services are tentatively set for 4:00 P.M. Wednesday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Billy Fryar, 52, died Sunday. Services will be Wednesday at 10:00 A.M. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

Mrs. Dillie Dixon, 89, died Monday. Services will be Wednesday at 2:00 P.M. at the First Church of the Nazarene. Interment will be at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Clarence Airhart, 67, died Tuesday. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

George L. Graham, 74, died Tuesday. Services will be Wednesday at 2:00 P.M. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will be at the Coahoma Cemetery.

906 GREGG  
 BIG SPRING

# Nation

## Bush defends Falwell

SEWANE, Tenn. — Vice President George Bush has criticized liberal attacks on fundamentalist Christians such as Moral Majority leader Jerry Falwell for speaking out on political issues. Bush defended their right to do so.

"What bothers me is that these denunciations seem mainly directed against one group or loose federation of groups, the fundamentalist Christians," Bush, an Episcopalian, told a special convocation at the University of the South.

## Top of the heap

NEW YORK — There are du Ponts, Rockefellers and Gettys on the list of the 400 richest people in America, but there is also a former cowboy star, the publisher of a skin magazine and the creator of "All In The Family."

Who is the richest man in America? It is Sam Moore Walton of Bentonville, Ark., according to the annual "Forbes 400," which will appear in the Oct. 28 issue of Forbes magazine.

Walton, founder of the Wal-Mart discount stores, has a net worth \$2.8 billion.

Gene Autry, the cowboy star and businessman, was listed at \$150 million. Robert Guccione, publisher of Penthouse magazine, is worth \$220 million. Norman Lear, who gave the nation "All In The Family," is worth \$175 million.

## Waste shipment put off

PARKERSBURG, W.Va. — Plans to ship a corrosive waste product to a New Jersey disposal site are being temporarily abandoned by du Pont chemical officials because a cylinder used in the first shipment leaked, the company said today.

Eleven people sought treatment Monday for exposure to the chemical, antimony pentachloride, but all the injuries were minor, hospital officials said. About 500 people were evacuated from their homes, emergency officials said.

## Disney's compliance

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Walt Disney changed characters in two films in the 1960s at the request of FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover to make sure FBI agents didn't look foolish, according to documents from the bureau's files. Disney agreed to change characters in "Moon Pilot," made in 1962, and "That Darn Cat," made in 1964, the Arizona Republic reported Monday.

## Inmates free guards

LUCASVILLE, Ohio — Five inmates who held two guards hostage for 15 hours at a maximum security prison released them unharmed and surrendered early today after the convicts' demands were read on radio, a prison spokesman said.

# Wildfires

## Dozen California blazes char houses, land

LOS ANGELES (AP) — At least a dozen wildfires, fanned by hot, dry winds blowing out of the mountains, raged across Southern California today, charring at least 8,000 acres and 10 houses, forcing evacuations of 2,400 people and killing a man who tried to defend his home, authorities say.

One thousand firefighters from Ventura County in the west to San Bernardino County in the east battled the fast-moving blazes.

Three fires burned at least 5,600 acres near Malibu, 40 miles west of downtown Los Angeles, one of them racing down brush-covered hills to the sea and forcing about 400 residents and 2,000 students at Pepperdine University to flee. The students were allowed to return to the campus, which overlooks the Pacific Ocean, about four hours later, said Mike Adam, a school spokesman.

"There are a lot of moving vans on the highway," said Kathy Brown at her Malibu Realty Co. office. "You usually see moving vans and horse trailers in the area when there is a fire."

Flames were fanned by hot, dry Santa Ana winds, heated over the Mojave Desert and pushed through mountain passes into populous areas by a high-pressure ridge over the southwestern states.

National Weather Service meteorologist Peter Wilensky said the winds were dying down "a little bit" Monday afternoon, but said advisories were expected to remain in effect throughout the night.

Residents along the Pacific Coast Highway, jammed with traffic from sightseers, cheered helicopters that came in low to drop loads of water on the leaping flames.

Thirty people were being sheltered at an American Red Cross evacuation center, Red Cross spokesman Herman Keyes said.

The possibility of arson was under investigation in Malibu, Los Angeles County fire Capt. Gordon Pearson said.

In the 3,500-acre Decker Canyon fire near Malibu, four homes and a garage were destroyed, Pearson said. Five homes on Pacific Coast Highway were severely damaged, along with a nursery called Cosentino's, he said.

A fire near Piuma consumed 2,000 acres near Pepperdine and prompted about 400 people to flee 150 multimillion-dollar homes, Los Angeles County sheriff's Deputy Dave Hogan said. None of the



FLAMES TOWER over Mulholland Highway in Malibu, California, Monday. Malibu is 30 miles west of downtown Los Angeles. At least 10 fires, fanned by Santa Ana winds, burned in southern California.

homes burned.

The Piuma fire threatened but did not damage the Hughes Research Laboratory, which contained a \$60 million satellite, on Malibu Canyon Road, Pearson said.

Another fire in the area cracked across at least 150 acres. Two air tankers had to be recalled because of the wind from the fight against a blaze near Mount Baldy, high in the San Gabriel Mountains northeast of Los Angeles, U.S. Forest Service spokesman Bob Swinford said. The 80-acre fire was contained later.

In Ventura County's Wheeler Canyon, 60 miles northwest of Los Angeles and a few miles from Ojai, six structures were destroyed, said county fire spokeswoman Bobbie Barker.

The area had been charred in July by a fire that scorched 118,000

acres. Ms. Barker said she did not know how many acres had been burned Monday or what type of structures had burned.

At Box Canyon, 30 miles northwest of Los Angeles, 59-year-old Johannes Leembruggen suffered a fatal heart attack while helping firefighters save his home, Pearson said. The 600-acre fire burned at least one home, residents said.

"Looks like something out of a war movie," said resident Susan Walker as she looked past a hilltop home as three helicopters dropped fire retardant.

Another suspected arson blaze erupted late Monday on a hill in Montecito Heights, four miles northeast of downtown Los Angeles, destroying a home, a trailer, four sheds and blackening 20 acres before it was extinguished, said fire Capt. Tim Finn. There were no injuries.

# World

## Soviets plan changes

MOSCOW — Communist Party leaders heard a major speech from Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev today on economic and social policy, and changes in a 24-year-old party program that promised to surpass U.S. living standards by 1970, the official news agency said.

The news agency Tass said the Communist Party Central Committee would address a draft new edition of the party program, changes in party manuals, and draft economic and social guidelines for the next five years, and to the year 2000.

## Mishap blocks seaway

THOROLD, Ontario — An accident in the Welland Canal, which links Lakes Erie and Ontario and bypasses Niagara Falls, has blocked traffic through the St. Lawrence Seaway, causing what officials say could be a major blow to shipping.

"It's especially a problem now because people are trying to finish up their shipping season," John Hanieski, chairman of the Detroit-Wayne County Port Authority, said in Detroit Monday.

## Turkish mobster dies

ANKARA, Turkey — Bekir Celenk, an absentee defendant in the trial of 7 men accused of conspiring to kill the pope, suffered a heart attack in a Turkish military prison and died, the Anatolia news agency reported.

A court in Rome was planning to move to Turkey this month to question the reputed Turkish mobster about the alleged 1981 plot to kill Pope John Paul II.

## Peres confirms faith

JERUSALEM — Prime Minister Shimon Peres left today for a 12-day three-nation trip, claiming that the hijacking of an Italian cruise ship in the Mediterranean Sea vindicated Israel's warnings against international terrorism.

"Israel has won — I wouldn't say achievements — but at least the truth it expressed has become an international truth."

## Reagan lobbying wins

LONDON — Pressure from President Reagan induced Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher to cancel talks at the last minute with two PLO representatives, newspapers on both ends of the political spectrum reported today.

Mrs. Thatcher's government said Monday that the meeting was canceled because the PLO representatives failed to fulfill a promise to renounce violence and recognize Israel.

But the London Daily Telegraph quoted U.S. congressional sources as saying Mrs. Thatcher's mind was changed by lobbying from Washington following the Palestinian hijacking of the Italian cruise liner Achille Lauro.

**GO CLASSIFIED!**  
263-7331

**Try A New Recipe**  
**Read Herald Recipe**  
**Exchange every Wednesday**

**CLASSIC CAR RENTAL**  
263-1371  
FM 700 and Birdwell

**Green Acres Nursery**  
700 E. 17th 267-8932  
Trees — Shrubs — Landscape — Tree Trimming  
Lawn Maintenance and Special Occasion Delivery

**KATIES KITCHEN**  
I-20 Coahoma Exit 188  
**ALL YOU CAN EAT**  
Tuesday Night  
**\$9.90 CRAB LEGS \$9.90**  
Mon.-St. 6 a.m.-9 p.m.  
Thur. & Fri. til 11 p.m.  
394-4010  
Served with Salad Bar, Rolls, Tea or Coffee, Choice of Potato  
Coahoma East off of I-20

**PROFESSIONAL SKILL WITH PERSONAL CONCERN**  
Family Value DRUG CENTER

<b>CONTAC</b> Capsules 20's 3.99	<b>ORNEX</b> Decongestant Analgesic Capsules 24's 2.99	<b>AFRIN</b> Nasal Spray 15 ml 2.39	<b>NYQUIL</b> Nighttime Colds Medicine 6 oz 2.99
<b>METAMUCIL</b> Powder Regular or Orange 14 oz 5.99	<b>METAMUCIL</b> Instant Mix Regular or Orange 30's 5.99	<b>SOLTICE</b> Analgesic Quick Rub 3.75 oz 2.99	<b>CEPASTAT</b> Sore Throat Lozenges Regular or Cherry 18's 1.79
<b>HALLS</b> Cough Drops Mentho-Lyptus Honey Lemon Cherry Bag 30's .88	<b>FOSFREE</b> Calcium Vitamins and Iron Tablets 60's 4.69	<b>NEO-SYNEPHRINE</b> Spray 1/4% 15 ml 1.99	<b>MAALOX</b> Liquid 12 oz 2.39
<b>ARRID</b> Extra Dry Solid Regular or Baby Fresh, 2 oz 1.99	<b>ARRID XX</b> Solid Regular or Musk, 2 oz 1.99	<b>NOVAHISTINE</b> DMX 4 oz 2.39	<b>TYLENOL</b> Childrens Chewable Tablets 48's 2.99
<b>CUREL</b> Moisturizing Cream 3 oz 1.49	<b>TYLENOL</b> Extra-Strength Capsules 50's 3.79	<b>DURACELL</b> Alkaline Battery Size AA 4's 2.19	<b>DURACELL</b> Alkaline Battery 9 Volt Size C and D 2's 1.69
<b>NORTHERN</b> Bath Tissue Assorted Colors 4's 1.19	<b>Neals Pharmacy</b> 600 Gregg Street 263-7651		

All prices good thru October 28, 1985 at all Family Value Drug locations. We reserve the right to limit quantities.

**National Credit Union Week**  
(YOU MAY BE A WINNER)  
Cosden Employees Federal Credit Union cordially invite all our members to visit us during Credit Union Week, October 13-17. To those of you who have not yet joined the Credit Union, we extend the same invitation ... visit the Credit Union during this nationwide celebration. We will be giving away two trips to the Dallas Cowboys vs. Atlanta Falcons Football game. All you have to do is come by during the week and sign up. To be eligible for the drawing on Thursday, October 17, 4:00 p.m., you must be a member with at least \$50 in your account. Lucky winners will depart Saturday, October 25, and return after the game on Sunday.  
Phone 263-7331  
**NCUA**

# Opinion

## World Court fails to serve justice

The International Court of Justice, more commonly known as the World Court, was created 40 years ago as the cornerstone of a system of global law. But the court, the principal judicial organ of the United Nations, subsequently became little more than a political forum where countries scored propaganda points against their adversaries.

Mindful of that fact, the Reagan administration announced the other day that the United States will no longer accept the court's compulsory jurisdiction in political cases. Henceforth, the United States will only refer cases to the court when both sides agree to accept its judgment or when adjudication is required by treaty.

Although the U.S. decision was routinely denounced as undermining the court, the fact is that the international tribunal has been ineffectual for the last four decades. The court has no power to enforce its writ because most countries do not recognize its authority.

Only 44 nations can be called before the court when charges are brought against them. Most U.N. members, including the Soviet Union and its allies, plus France, Spain, Italy, West Germany, and China, have refused to accept the court's jurisdiction. And those countries that do present their cases before the court are not obligated to abide by its rulings.

Apart from settling some minor commercial and boundary disputes, the court's influence has been marginal to non-existent. A case in point was the court's 1980 ruling directing Iran to release the 53 American hostages then being held in that country. The Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini ignored the ruling with impunity.

The U.S. withdrawal from the court's jurisdiction was not, as some critics contend, an act of spite. Rather it was a recognition that the World Court, as presently constituted, is all but irrelevant to the advancement of international law and order.



Art Buchwald

## Some ploys break the phone barrier

We are now celebrating National Rejection Month dedicated to the people who are rejected by secretaries who won't let them through to speak to their bosses. Many secretaries are so protective of their bosses that it's impossible to break the phone barrier.

Oglethorpe has solved the problem and many people may be curious as to how he has done it.

"The thing that really tees me off is when a secretary says in a very intimidating voice, 'Mr. Golson is in a meeting. May I inquire what you're calling about?' I keep a list of responses on my wall which I refer to, depending on my mood."

"What are some of them?" I asked him. "My favorite," he replied "is, 'Yes, I'm in his house now with a truckload of pork bellies that he bought in the commodities market and I wish to know whether he wants me to dump them on his lawn or put them in his cellar.'"

"This works?" "It never fails I'm put through right away. Another one I use with equal success is, 'Tell Mr. Golson we just got his tests back from the lab, and it could be good news or bad news depending on how he takes it.'"

Oglethorpe said, "When the secretary asks, 'Do you know Mr. Golson?' I say, 'No, but I'm from his insurance company and I just wanted to tell him the fire has been put out and the only real structural damage to his house was the roof.'"

"Beautiful," I said. "That would even get him out of a board of directors meeting."

"There are some secretaries who are very nosy and will ask, 'What is your business, please?' And then I say, 'Mr. Golson left his American Express card on the waterbed of the Silk Pussycat Motel the other afternoon and we were wondering if he wanted to pick it up or have it mailed to him.'"

"You really play hardball," I said.

"Sometimes you have to be with guys who won't take your calls. I also reply to the same query, 'This is his pharmacist. Just tell him if he took any of the pills I gave him yesterday to have his stomach pumped out, as my boy delivered Mrs. Klinge's prescription to him by mistake.'"

Oglethorpe told me he has an answer for every secretary. "If she says, 'Mr. Golson is tied up. Can you speak to somebody else?' I tell her, 'I don't think so. We're planning a Time magazine cover on solid waste, and we're thinking of doing it on Mr. Golson.' Or, 'He's been cleared for the ambassadorship post and there are just a few more questions I have to ask him.'"

"What is your record on getting through with the last one?" I asked.

"Three seconds. There's one I use when the secretary is pretty nosy about the nature of the call and it always works. I lower my voice to a whisper and say, 'I can't tell you what I'm calling about, and your life will be in danger if anyone in the Soviet Union finds out I made this call.'"

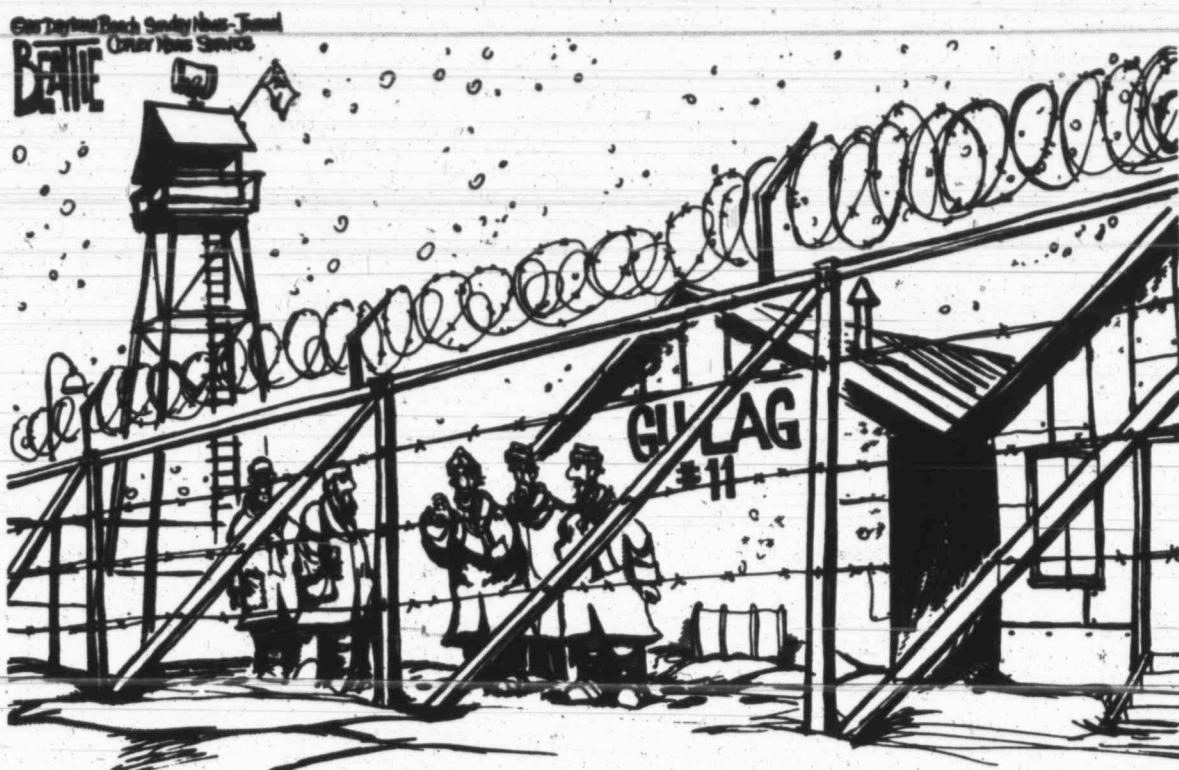
"Give me some more," I said, writing them all down.

"Well, sometimes I might say, 'I'm the manager of the Aknee Tow Truck Company, and one of my new drivers was towing your boss' car away and accidentally rammed it into a brick wall.' And then there's the salad oil ploy. 'If Mr. Golson had oil on his salad yesterday I think I better talk to him. Apparently the can it came in from Sicily was damaged in shipping.'"

"What if the secretary has heard them all?"

"Then I drop the bomb on her. I say angrily, 'I found Mr. Golson's private number in my wife's handbag and I want to know what the hell it was doing there.'"

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



"When I see the news reports of Mrs. Gorbachev in a stylish evening gown, it just makes me feel so... so GOOD about the Soviet system!!!"



Jack Anderson

## Official control impedes AIDS-pork virus research

By JACK ANDERSON and DALE VAN ATTA WASHINGTON — Some medical researchers suspect the federal government is discouraging tests that might identify a deadly swine virus as a cause of AIDS, for fear that such a revelation would wreck the pork industry.

U.S. officials have discounted researchers' suggestions of a connection between AIDS and African swine fever virus, saying that all the government's tests have proved negative. In fact, they say, no cases of African swine fever have ever been found in U.S. pigs.

But while officials claim the scientists are sounding needless alarms, the researchers charge that their work is being impeded by the Agriculture Department, which controls the material necessary for swine fever tests.

The department "is afraid the (pork) industry would fail if African swine fever is related to AIDS," Dr. John Beldekas of Boston University told our reporters Corky Johnson and Stewart Harris. It took Beldekas three months to get swine fever material from reluctant department officials to conduct his research. Though his initial tests showed some positive results, he said Agriculture officials criticized his work.

Beldekas said he had been ordered not to talk to the press for national security reasons, but he charged that Agriculture officials have been leaking word of his research to worried farmers. "I have been indirectly threatened by pig farmers," he said.

At the very least, the new controversy makes clear the frustration that independent scientists feel because of the government's ironclad control of AIDS research.

The theory that African swine fever might be a cause of AIDS was first advanced publicly by Dr. Jane Teas in a letter printed in the respected British medical journal, *Lancet*, in April 1983. Dr. Teas wrote that she had found a parallel between a swine fever outbreak in Haiti and cases of AIDS in humans there. Haitian doctors testing for a correlation in Haiti said they found no evidence to support this.

Dr. Teas theorizes that a new strain of swine fever was contracted by Haitians when they ate undercooked meat, then spread through sexual contact to visiting Americans. The two diseases have similar symptoms, including fever, loss of appetite and swollen lymph glands, she said.

Dr. Teas complains that she was brushed off by Agriculture Department officials and researchers.

Internal memos of the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta indicate that doctors there believe sufficient testing on a possible AIDS-swine fever connection has been done.

"From the outset," states one memo, "extensive investigation of specimens from AIDS patients have been undertaken, which would have identified African swine fever virus should it have been present."

The memos reveal that the tests did show a couple

of positive reactions, but agriculture researchers dismissed these results as "false positives."

Dr. Teas said when British researchers got positive results in preliminary tests, they were discouraged from further experiments by the Agriculture Department. And when Dr. Gus Grossman of St. Vincent's Hospital in New York suggested injecting pigs with the AIDS virus to see if they got sick, the department asked the Atlanta disease center in a memorandum if there was "any way to deal with Dr. Grossman." Grossman said he would have expected "a little more professional attitude."

"They treat you like you're crazy," complained Beldekas. "That's not the way to do science. Human life is at stake."

One agriculture consultant, Dr. William Hess, said he would like to see Beldekas finish his tests. "I don't think African swine fever could cause AIDS by itself," Hess said, "but many people feel there are co-factors helping (the virus) alone." Hess added, "I have a feeling the government is not too interested in (Beldekas') research."

Footnote: An Agriculture Department official denied that it had tried to suppress research, and said, the department had been "more than happy" to supply Beldekas with testing material.

CONFIDENTIAL FILE: Look for a change in the near future in the leadership of Poland. Reports from Warsaw suggest that Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski's health is worsening, and he might be thinking of stepping down. One report says a long-troubling back ache now has him in excruciating pain. The most likely successor to the general is Interior Minister Czeslaw Kiszczak.

DIPLOMATIC DIGEST: A television game show used to ask, ungrammatically, "Who do you trust?" Up at the combination sitcom and soap opera known as the United Nations, the State Department trusts the Libyans least. Libyan diplomats assigned to the United Nations are the only ones not allowed out of the five boroughs of New York. These tight restrictions don't apply to Bulgarians, Cubans, Czechs, East Germans, PLO members, North Koreans, Vietnamese or Soviets.

MINI-EDITORIAL: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission's decision to allow the undamaged reactor at Three Mile Island to resume operations is as flawed as the facility's safety record. The reactor was shut down as a precaution when its twin nearly reached meltdown six years ago in the nation's worst nuclear plant accident. Studies suggest that serious health hazards were caused, and residents of the area dread a recurrence of their nightmare. Supreme Court Justice William Brennan has blocked the startup temporarily, but we urge the full court to make sure that chances of a full-scale disaster are remote — a hard case to make.

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

## Insight

# Uncertainty dogs livestock industry

By DON KENDALL WASHINGTON (AP) — It's a time of uncertainty for the livestock industry, says the Agriculture Department. Not even the huge grain harvest this fall and the prospect of relatively low feed prices have done much to stir action.

Another complication is the new farm bill, which is still stewing in Congress. The House has passed its version, and the Senate will move toward final action later this month.

"The difficulty is to develop a bill that recognizes farmers' present financial dilemma, while helping to reduce the large federal deficit and making agricultural products competitive in world markets," according to a new outlook report by the department's Economic Research Service.

"The final outcome will affect the livestock and poultry sector for the remainder of this decade." Last week, the USDA said the 1985 corn crop is now estimated at a record 8.6 billion bushels, up 12 percent from last year and 4 percent above the previous high of 8.24 billion bushels in 1982.

That will be enough corn to take care of all U.S. domestic and export needs in 1985-86 and still leave about 1.5 billion bushels to be added to the nation's stockpile.

Small wonder that the department's economists figure corn prices at the farm will average in the neighborhood of \$2.35 to \$2.55 per bushel in the 1985-86 marketing year, down from \$2.65 last year and \$3.25 in 1983-84 when supplies were much smaller.

The new farm legislation will not directly affect this fall's crop, but it will begin to weigh on prices as prospects unfold for the 1986 harvest.

If Congress decides to boost grain price supports significantly, it could increase production costs for livestock producers. The House bill does not do this. In fact, it allows price support loan rates to be keyed to market prices, with an option of reducing them further in order to make the commodities more competitive in world trade.

"Feeder livestock producers would be particularly affected as higher or lower grain prices would immediately be factored into the bid price by cattle feeders and feeder pig finishers," the report said. "Further reduc-

tions in bid prices, or prices remaining near present levels, could result in additional herd reductions and larger short-run meat supplies."

On the other hand, the report said, if grain prices continue to decline farmers could be forced to sell off additional livestock in an effort to generate needed cash.

Meanwhile, the value of last year's U.S. potato crop was a record \$2.05 billion, up 6 percent from 1983, according to a recent report by the Agriculture Department.

Final production figures put the 1984 harvest at 362.6 million hundredweight, up 9 percent from 1983, the annual review said.

"The average price of \$5.69 per hundredweight was down 13 cents from 1983, but was more than offset by increased production," the report said.

Processors bought a record 186 million hundredweight of 1984-crop potatoes, nearly 57 percent of total crop sales. Table stock or fresh potatoes accounted for 35 percent, while the remaining 8 percent was sold for seed and livestock feed.

Don Kendall is a writer for The Associated Press.

## Mailbag

### Aging tree sparks childhood memory

To the editor: Does anyone know the age of the Bois-d-Arc tree on Main Street just north of the Guthrie Bldg?

I remember several of these trees on Main — especially in front of the Fisher home. As kids we always called them the Horse apple trees.

Early one Sunday morning in Oct. of 1931, I was delivering the *Big Spring Herald*. I had Main and Scurry St. Route, up to 10th which was one of the best at the time. Being a freckled faced and skinny kid — two older and larger boys proceeded to take my overhead double paper bag and papers and a candy bar I had.

After the fight and I was able to get up (for I had a very bloody nose by this time) I ran to one of the trees and grabbed all the horse apples I could and one went through the front wheel of the bicycle dumping the guy head first on the street and another beside the head of the other guy.

While one was trying to get out from under his bicycle and the other one holding his head I grabbed my bag and papers and ran and hid under the steps of the 1st Baptist Church (it was where the Post Office is now). I delivered those papers but always wondered what some thought about blood on their papers.

So when I go down Main Street and see the Horse apples scattered on sidewalk and street — I think — Shucks the Lord provided that skinny and freckled faced kid with all the ammunition he needed. I sure hate to see that Bois-d-Arc tree die — for it seems pretty sick this year and I still wonder about the age of that tree.

D. D. JOHNSTON  
Box 1147  
Big Spring

EDITOR'S NOTE: Can anyone help with information on the age of this tree?

### Author on water seeks Texas help

To the editor: I'd like to ask your readers for help with a book I'm writing on the social, political and legal history of water management and use in the West. Specifically, I'm interested in problems groundwater pumpers have had with groundwater use, management and allocation during any of the last fifty years.

I'd like to hear from people who have had what they consider to be unique or unpleasant experiences with groundwater managers, management or competition for water. Your help is appreciated.

ZACHARY A. SMITH  
Ohio University  
Athens, OH 45701-2979

## Letters Policy

Letters to the editor should be 350 words or less. They are published at the discretion of the managing editor and are subject to simple editing for length, taste and libel. The essence of the writer's message will not be altered.

Address letters "To the editor," *Big Spring Herald*, Box 1431, Big Spring, TX 79720. Please write your name and address on the letter.

## The Big Spring Herald

"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire.

Published Saturday and Sunday mornings and weekday afternoons, Monday through Friday, by Big Spring Herald, Inc., 710 Scurry St., 79720 (Telephone 915-263-7331). Second class postage paid at Big Spring, Tex.

Thomas Watson  
President/Publisher  
Jim Neary  
Business Manager  
John Rice  
Managing Editor  
Richard White  
Advertising Director  
Bob Rogers  
Production Manager  
Clarence A. Benz  
Circulation Manager

Vertical sidebar with various advertisements and notices, including "10K-Mc Waterf Style", "1/2 14 K", "TWI STERL SILVE WOC", "1/2 Fa Fa", "UI TC are Mail", and "DEAR L realize that or being e created a d fortunately went well. Knowing have called parents left".

# Lifestyle



Dear Abby

## Risky business

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 16-year-old girl. Recently I went into the hospital for some minor surgery. When I got there, I was asked a lot of personal questions — routine things, such as, "Do you smoke? Do you drink? Do you do any kind of drugs? Are you on the pill?" Most of the questions I would have truthfully answered no to, but my parents were in the room at the time, so I just said "no" to all those questions so as not to be grounded for the rest of my life. Then I worried all the way up to the time of my operation, hoping I wouldn't go into a coma or something from the drugs or whatever they used to "put me under." Luckily, everything went well.

Abby, can't they ask you these questions in private? I can see how not being honest could cause a dangerous situation. I know this has been a problem with a lot of kids my age, including my brother. Sign me...

### LIED AND SCARED

DEAR LIED: You are wise to realize that lying about using drugs or being on the pill could have created a dangerous situation, but fortunately for you everything went well.

Knowing you lied, you should have called the nurse after your parents left and revealed the truth.

DEAR ABBY: I just read the letter in your column for someone signed "The Real Victim." It seems "Victim" had witnessed a minor crime and was subpoenaed three times to appear in court to testify. He complained that it had cost him \$487 for time off work, parking, etc.

The court should have informed this individual that if witnesses inform the clerk of the court, either verbally or by letter, of their expenses, they shall be reimbursed. This includes mileage, meals and lodging. Travel can be by any means: bus, air, personal auto, train. Each state has its limits on how much it will pay per mile if a personal car is driven.

Part of my duties for the Supreme Court of Virginia is to reimburse Commonwealth witnesses, and even witnesses for indigent defendants.

"Victim" should contact the clerk of the court he provided a service for, and the clerk will notify the state treasury to reimburse him. Courts realize that witnesses are the keynote to a trial and have state statutes strictly relating to their reimbursement.

LOGAN PERKINS,  
COLONIAL HEIGHTS, VA.

DEAR LOGAN PERKINS: Compensation for witnesses who are subpoenaed to testify varies from state to state, but if I ever witness a crime (minor or major), I hope it's in Colonial Heights, Va. — or in some other community that rewards its witnesses with full compensation.

\*\*\*

(Problems? Write to Abby: For a personal, unpublished reply, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Abby, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038. All correspondence is confidential.)

## Garden club meets at home of Adele Tibbs

The Planters Garden Club met Oct. 2 at the home of Adele Tibbs. Each member answered roll call by naming a fall blooming plant.

A luncheon and book review sponsored by the Council of Garden Clubs will be Saturday at the First United Methodist Church.

The club received a letter from the Big Spring State Hospital requesting small personal gifts for the patients for Christmas.

The next meeting will be Nov. 6.

## Happiness is theme of sorority meeting

Cindy Jones presented a cultural program on happiness to the Alpha Phi Delta Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority at a meeting Oct. 8 at the home of Rhonda Gibbs.

A Halloween party will be Oct. 26 at the home of Toni Sanders. Everyone will be attired in costumes.

Alpha Phi Delta will be the hostess for the City Council meeting at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 7 at the home of Connie Edgemon.

Plans were discussed to make refreshments for the Mountain View Nursing Home for Thanksgiving and to get gifts for the Big Spring State Hospital for Christmas.

The next meeting will be Oct. 22 at the home of Teresa Reid.

## Johnnie

Lou

Avery



Columnist for the

## Big Spring Herald

"Open For Business" every Saturday  
"Around Town" every Sunday

She Keeps You Informed!

## Compare Anywhere Diamonds



### 1/4 Carat of Diamonds

10K-Mount Waterfall Style	12900	14K 3 Styles	18900
---------------------------	-------	--------------	-------

1/2 Carat \$329 Full Carat \$549

14 K Gold Mounting — AA Quality Diamonds



DIAMOND EARSTUDS  
DIAMOND PENDANTS  
ONE WEEK ONLY

1/2 OFF LESS 20% XTRA OFF

TWISTERS 49¢

STERLING SILVER Sale

WOODEN NECKLACES

1/2 OFF Sale Price

Fall Fashions

SALE

UP TO 60% OFF

gregory's SOME EVEN MORE

Fifth Season

Mall Across From Furr's Cafeteria 263-1551



# 5

# FREE PER PACK!

25 great tasting cigarettes for the price of 20!

# 50

# FREE PER CARTON!

250 great tasting cigarettes for the price of 200!



NEW!

## Richland 25's

Available in Regular, Menthol & Lights

Based on manufacturer's suggested retail price. Pricing optional to retailers. Not available in all areas.

SURGEON GENERAL'S WARNING: Smoking Causes Lung Cancer, Heart Disease, Emphysema, And May Complicate Pregnancy.

Kings, 17 mg. "tar", 1.2 mg. nicotine; Menthol, 18 mg. "tar", 1.2 mg. nicotine; Lights, 10 mg. "tar", 0.8 mg. nicotine av. per cigarette by FTC method. © 1985 B&W T Co.



**Dr. Donohue**

**Fire ants ruin trip to the Sun Belt**

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I'm a 70-year-old male in good health. While vacationing in Florida I was bitten on both feet by fire ants. I was at the pool of our golfside complex and brushed them off. They were tiny creatures. Within 10 minutes my feet were burning and dime-sized welts were blotching my mid-section, thighs and upper arms. Upon arrival at the hospital emergency room I was

having difficulty with my speech and my blood pressure read 220/110. With extremely good care from the doctor and nurses my condition was under control within two hours. The diagnosis was anaphylactoid reaction to fire ants. Please explain this very frightening phenomenon. Can I be protected against them in the future? — E.W.  
The fire ant is one of the in-

habitants of the Sun Belt its promoters would like to forget. Call it bad luck that these unpleasant creatures singled you out for one of their occasional anaphylactoid demonstrations. Most people who are bitten have only little skin elevations 24 hours after experiencing the painful sensations of the actual stings. Serious reactions like yours are quite rare. An anaphylactic reaction is one

with profound generalized body symptoms — decreased blood pressure, generalized rash, and difficulty breathing. Your anaphylactoid reaction is much the same; it too is a serious general body reaction. The differences between an anaphylactic and anaphylactoid reaction are not great. In the anaphylactic reaction there has been a previous exposure to fire

ant venom; with the anaphylactoid reaction, no previous exposure is necessary. It's a technical point of no concern. People like you, with no previous exposure, tend to get the range of symptoms — the breathing difficulty and the rest. You did not have the lowering of blood pressure, which is often a part of it. I have two suggestions for you.

One is to carry a kit of drugs and injectibles. You can have that nearby to counter any future fire ant assault. The second is to inquire of your doctor about being desensitized to the ants. Serum is available, and even though there are no guarantees it will work, given the nature of your reaction, it would not be a bad idea to give it a try.

**BUSINESS & INDUSTRY REVIEW**

**Smith's offers quality workmanship on autos**

Quality of work is a commodity that is not emphasized today as much as it used to be. When you the customer spend your money on service, you deserve to get the best that is available. That's what Billy Smith strives for as owner of Smith's Automatic Transmission at 2900 E. FM700. Billy grew up in the automobile repair business. His father worked in the field for 31 years and taught Billy the trade from the time he was young. Billy purchased the family business five years ago. At one time, Smith's Transmission was located in Sand Springs off of Interstate 20. One year ago, the business moved to a new location east of the Big Spring Mall. Billy promises his customers, "You won't find any hidden cost or gimmicks." The work and estimates are guaranteed, he added. He knows the importance of straight forwardness to his customers. It helps to bring repeat business. Billy believes servicing and overhauling transmissions is a specialized field. Therefore, he and his staff are trained in this specialty. Smith's Transmission's staff includes A.J. Langdon and Bill Stewart. When your car needs help, remember Smith's Automatic Transmission at 2900 E. FM700, telephone 267-3955.

**De Wees' Fashions' fall selection is in**

De Wees' Fashions carries a complete line of fashion with the young look for every woman. De Wees' selection follows basic styles as well as the newest trends in design and color. Dresses come with dropped torsos, belted and non-belted chemise silhouettes, pleated skirts, straight-line silhouettes with side drapes, padded shoulders, and blouson bodices gathered into wide hip bands. Sweaters are very strong as separates again this season. De Wees' carries several that can be coordinated with other separates, including wrap, belted circle and Challie skirts. They also have sweaters in full-figure sizes. This fall's blouses can be found in teal, fuchsia, dusty peach, navy, wine, burgundy and royal. The many neckline and sleeve styles are making today's blouses more beautiful than ever. The wide selection of blouses at De Wees' attractively teams up with the store's line of coordinates and separates. Coordinates come with matching skirts, slacks, jackets and blouses in the brands of Tan Jay, Thermo Jac, Dana Point, Jeanne Durrell and Haberdasher by Personal. Jackets come in suited and boxy styles and team up with coordinating drindle and circle skirts. Suited coordinates at De Wees' can be found in the basic colors of navy, taupe, sable, camel, black and fashion colors of purple, moss green, royal, brick, rust and fuchsia. Billie De Wees, owner, carries a selection of clothing for petite misses and half sizes. For the full-figured woman, De Wees' carries the following large sizes: 30 to 36 waists, 36-42 jackets, 30 to 38 pants, and 36 to 46 blouses. In misses sizes, the store carries sizes 4 to 20 in dresses, 3/4 to 13/14 in coordinates, and 4 to 18 blouses. De Wees' Fashions is located at 4200 West Highway 80. Billie also has a store at Aberdeen and Slide in Lubbock (near the South Plains Mall). Looking for something new? Visit De Wees' Fashions between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.



FALL SUITING — Billie De Wees, owner of De Wees' Fashions, shows a royal blue Ultra Suede suit by Abe Schrader. De Wees' carries a complete line of fashion with the young look for every woman. It's located at 4200 West Highway 80.

**OVER 3000 COLORS** CUSTOM MIXED COLORS **OVER 3000 COLORS**  
in spray cans and touch-up bottles  
**Dale's Auto Paints**  
AUTO PAINTS - BODY SHOP SUPPLIES  
THE AUTO PAINT SPECIALISTS  
201 Benton Kim Long-Owner 915-263-8491

**Try A New Recipe!**  
**Read Herald Recipe**  
**Exchange every Wednesday**

**Carrier** **Hester & Robertson**  
263-8342  
North Birdwell Lane **MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS, INC.**

Don't forget! Money-saving **COUPONS** Every Wednesday  
**Big Spring Herald**

**GO CLASSIFIED!** 263-7331  
**ALL WELD CARPORTS**  
With the strength of steel  
Call 267-5378  
Protection for you & your car

Gifts • Candy Cards  
Postal Sub-Station 263-7793  
College Park

**HOME REALTORS**  
Coronado Plaza 263-4663  
263-1741  
Kay Moore, Broker  
MLS

**FAST! FAST!**  
Photo Processing 1 to 3 Hours and your pictures are ready. We use Kodak paper 110, 135, 126 & Disc.  
**RAINBARREL GENERAL STORE**  
College Park

•Gold •Diamonds •Turquoise  
Come Looking For **Jewelry**  
"We bring the world to you."  
**Inland Port 213**  
213 Main

**De Wees' Fashions** Hours 10 to 6 Dial 267-3173  
The Young Look for Every Woman  
Billie De Wees, owner  
4200 West Hwy. 80

**Hester's Supply Co.**  
"Hester's Has It"  
Office Supplies & Equipment  
•Gifts 263-2091  
•Ideas 209 Runnels

Office Supplies 20% Off Full Photocopy Center  
**TALLANT PRINTING**  
**NEW LOW PRICES**  
OFFSET PRINTING  
1000 Letterheads 45.00 1000 Envelopes 52.00  
Black Ink—White Bond  
Ask Us For Quotes Prompt Service—Quality Work  
267-7468 218 W. 3rd St.  
**DIAL "P-PRINT"** At Gregg

**SUNCOUNTRY REALTORS**  
MLS 267-3613 2000 Gregg

**NOW OPEN**  
**PROFESSIONAL BUSINESS SERVICES**  
Payroll • Tax Returns • Accounting  
Owned & Operated by Patsy Henry  
602 N. Lamesa Hwy 267-5315  
Next to Jabor Dry Goods

STONE DAMAGED WINDSHIELD?  
**THE NOVUS METHOD®**  
Don't Replace It. Have It Repaired.  
**PAT & SUE WARREN**  
301 Willard 267-1264

**SOUTHWEST COMPUTER SERVICE**  
Since 1976  
DATA PROCESSING BUSINESS SYSTEMS  
COMPUTER PROGRAMMING  
Phone 267-9427 P.O. Box 2244  
901 Main/205 Big Spring, TX. 79721

**CROSSROADS CARPET**  
WE INSTALL OUR OWN 24 YEARS' EXPERIENCE  
Carpet — Vinyl — Tile  
Commercial & Residential  
Rocky Wooley Owners Duane Sanders  
FREE ESTIMATES OPEN 9 TO 5 Mon.-Sat.  
**267-3215**  
IF NO ANSWER CALL 267-4814 907 JOHNSON

**BIG SPRING EMPLOYMENT AGENCY**  
QUALIFIED JOBS  
Qualified Applicants  
Coronado Square  
267-2935

**G & M GARAGE**  
900 East 3rd 263-1091  
Carburetor & Electrical repair  
Tune-Ups  
Air Conditioner Service  
Cars, Trucks, Inboard Motors  
Complete drive train and brake repair.

Come Looking For Gifts  
From Far Away Places  
"We bring the world to you."  
**Inland Port 213**  
213 Main

**Home Cooking!**  
Homemade cinnamon rolls  
Hamburgers • Lunches Daily  
Orders To Go  
OPEN 6 A.M.-3 P.M. MON.-SAT.  
**Jack & Mattie's Cafe**  
901 W. 3rd 267-9611

Trees—Shrubs—Landscaping—Tree Trimming  
Lawn Maintenance and Special Occasion Delivery  
**Green Acres Nursery**  
700 E. 17th 267-8932

**BILL BODIN**  
ALLSTATE AGENT  
610 So. Johnson  
"Call me for a quote before you renew your present policy."  
**263-3811**

**Crystal-Vend Bottled Water**  
**25¢ Per Gallon**  
Bring your own bottle to get "CRYSTAL-CLEAR" drinking water or "PURIFIED"—for all distilled water uses.  
Newsoms and Both Safeway stores  
Big Spring, Tx.

**Bob's Custom Woodwork**  
"GENERAL CONTRACTOR"  
Additions, Remodeling, Cabinets  
"THE STRIP SHOP" "THE FURNITURE DOCTOR"  
Wood & Metal Furniture Stripping Complete Repairs & Refinishing  
Caring and Insurance Estimates  
**WEST TEXAS MOST COMPLETE FURNITURE REPAIR SHOP**  
Bldg. 613 Industrial Park 267-5811  
Old Fashion Service Guaranteed

Smith's Automatic Transmission  
Complete Transmission Service  
American & Imports  
Billy Smith — Owner  
2900 E. FM 700 267-3955

**MIDWAY PLUMBING & SUPPLY**  
LICENSED — BONDED — COMMERCIAL — RESIDENTIAL  
REMODEL BATH — KITCHEN — SPAS INSTALLED — SEPTIC SYSTEMS  
QUALITY SALES AND SERVICE  
EAST I-20 MOSS LAKE EXIT 267-2586

S  
In weel Forsan B blasting Coahoma Wolves c since 198 scored th Borden while Sar dike scor Here's contests. JAN E state's to "I real the kids a being rar "Again scored 18 kids were  
TONY ST be in the "Yes si to be ran "I don but we ha fort Frida good gam  
TOM RA City's 20 "Whole ball gam until the game. W of took th  
BRUCE string Q "When offensive young m "Over back like pretty to  
TOM HA against R "We m start thro but Briar were cat "I was district a ready aft  
DALE R Kevin G Eldorado "We w knee inju well and "This w back on t start to fi Rose inte  
CURRIE Grady's "It's lil down the speed for "We w minutes About 15 They end plays."  
DANNY ment aga "We w consistent lost fumb ford to tu pect to wi Defensi They scoo credit to anybody

## Crossroads Chalk Talk

In week six of Crossroads Country high school football action, the Forsan Buffaloes continued their march toward an undefeated season, blasting 7-A South rival Garden City, 60-0. 1-20 rivals Colorado City and Coahoma hooked up in a hard hitting defensive battle that saw the Wolves come out with a 20-0 victory. Stanton won their first 8-2A game since 1963 with a fine 14-6 win over Eldorado and the Grady Wildcats scored their second straight victory with a 69-42 pounding of Smyer.

Borden County lost another high scoring game to McCaulley, 49-26, while Sands was whitewashed by Roscoe, 39-0 and Rankin held Klondike scoreless, 53-0.

Here's what the Crossroads coaches had to say about last Friday's contests.

**JAN EAST, FORSAN** — On whether his team should be ranked in the state's top 10.

"I really think we should, not that the polls make any difference, but the kids are shooting for it, and I think they deserve it. But, sometimes being ranked in the polls does more harm than good."

"Against Garden City, the key was taking it to them early. We scored 18 points in the first quarter and set the tone of the game. Our kids were ready to play and they played well on both sides of the ball."



JAN EAST



TONY STRICKLIN

**TONY STRICKLIN, GARDEN CITY** — On whether Forsan deserves to be in the top 10.

"Yes sir, I sure do. They have a fine football team and they deserve to be ranked."

"I don't know if our boys were really ready to play against Forsan, but we have no excuse for a 60-0 ballgame. I was disappointed in our effort Friday night, but we're going to try to regroup this week and play a good game against Roby."

**TOM RAMSEY, COLORADO CITY** — On the defensive intensity of C-City's 20-0 victory over Coahoma.

"Whole lot of bangin' out there. It was definitely the hardest hitting ball game of the year for us. Our defense hung in there three quarters until the offense got cranked up. The defense stopped them the entire game. When we knocked their two quarterbacks out of the game it kind of took the teeth out of their attack."

**BRUCE MITCHELL, COAHOMA** — On losing his starting and second-string QB's early in the game.

"When (Brian) Calaway went out in the first quarter it took our main offensive threat away and when (Danny) Gamble got hurt we put in a young man who hadn't taken a snap since preseason."

"Overall, we had a good game defensively. But, you can't hold a back like (Sammy) Rivera in check all night. I thought we played them pretty tough under the circumstances."



BRUCE MITCHELL



TOM HAM

**TOM HAM, KLONDIKE** — On the improved Cougar passing attack against Rankin.

"We moved the ball pretty well the second half after we decided to start throwing. We couldn't run the ball on them because of their size, but Brian (Kirkland) had his best night of the year and the receivers were catching the ball."

"I was pleased with the kids effort. The slate is clean coming into district and the kids are excited about playing Ropes. We should be ready after such a rough non-district schedule."

**DALE RUTH, STANTON** — On the impressive return of quarterback Kevin Glaspie, who threw for 229 yards and two touchdowns against Eldorado.

"We were real pleased with Kevin's performance. He came off that knee injury and never let it bother him. Our receivers caught the ball well and the offensive line did a good job of protecting Kevin."

"This was our first district win in two years and we were glad to get back on the winning track. The defense had an excellent game from start to finish. Eldorado had the ball on our five-yard line when Timmy Rose intercepted in the end zone on the last play of the game."

**CURRIE McWILLIAMS, GRADY** — On the offensive fireworks in Grady's 69-42 victory over Smyer.

"Louis Gonzales only completed two passes that weren't for touchdowns! Wade Miller caught three passes all for touchdowns and Terry Deatrage caught both his passes for touchdowns. We just had a great game throwing the ball."

"It was a very enjoyable game in that we got to play everybody, including the junior varsity. We've really got the offense working and we're ready for district. The kids are turning this season around just like they said they would."

**DUKE FRISBEE, BORDEN COUNTY** — On his fear and loathing of the spread offense that McCaulley used in defeating the Coyotes 48-26.

"It's like going one-one-one in basketball. If you get burned or fall down there is nobody there to help you out. McCaulley had too much speed for us to handle man for man."

"We went down and scored on our first possession. Took about five minutes on the drive. We kick off and they score on the first play. About 15 seconds on the drive. That kind of set us back on our heels. They ended up scoring 12 points a quarter to our six. And all on big plays."

**DANNY WILHELM, SANDS** — On Sands improved offensive movement against a tough Roscoe team.

"We were real pleased with our offense in that we moved the ball consistently against one of the better teams in the state. We had five lost fumbles and three interceptions that killed us. You just can't afford to turn the ball over that much against a top rated team and expect to win."

Defensively, we gave up the big play for the first time this year. They scored three touchdowns of 40 yards or longer which is a real credit to the (Matt, QB) Denman kid. He runs the Veer better than anybody I've seen."

## Smith home run lifts Cards

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The Los Angeles Dodgers wish that Ozzie Smith had stayed in character.

The slight St. Louis shortstop, who said that hitting home runs is "not my thing," stepped out of character on Monday with a ninth-inning homer that gave the Cardinals a dramatic 3-2 victory over the Dodgers and a 3-2 lead in games in the National League playoffs.

"I wasn't born to grow 6-2, 200 pounds. If I was, I'd take a few extra swings," Smith said. "I felt all my life I was a better offensive player than I've been given credit for. I've always had 48-49 RBI. This year I had 53."

The homer, on a 1-2 pitch from the Dodgers' hard-throwing right-hander, Tom Niedenfuer, was only the 14th of Smith's eight-year career.

"It's the first time I ever hit a home run left-handed (in 3,002 at-bats), but that wasn't really what I was trying to do," Smith said.

"I was trying to get an extra-base hit. I just happened to get under it. If the ball is hit down the line, it has a chance of going out of the ballpark, and that was it."

St. Louis Manager Whitey Herzog said he knew instantly that the low drive was gone. Smith said he wasn't at all certain.

"Whitey had a little better view from the dugout than I had. When I saw the umpire go like that (signalling a homer), I knew," he said. "It's a big moment for us. We knew that we had to win."

The victory gave St. Louis a sweep of the three playoff games at Busch Stadium, but now the series shifts to Dodger Stadium in Los Angeles, where St. Louis dropped the first two games of the series. Right-hander Joaquin Andujar will pitch Wednesday for St. Louis against the Dodgers' Orel Hershiser in a rematch of the Game 2 starters.

"Being down 2-0 and now being up 3-2, I feel pretty good," Herzog said. "I don't know who came up with this seven-game format. I'd

like to go back to five."

"We're not even thinking about two games in Los Angeles. We know that we have to win one game," St. Louis second baseman Tommy Herr said. "It's important to do that, because if they win Game 6 they'll feel like they have momentum going for them in Game 7."

Herzog credited his bullpen for saving "probably the best ballgame of the series."

"They call them the 'bullpen by committee,' and that's what they really are," Herzog said. "We knew that if we didn't get to Fernando (Valenzuela) early, he'd find his groove, and that's what he did."

Valenzuela, who won Game 1, actually had more problems with his control than with St. Louis at the start.

Walls to Willie McGee and Smith set the stage for Herr in the opening inning. The Cards' top RBI man with 110 during the regular season responded with a two-run double, but that's all his team could get until the ninth.

Valenzuela struck out Cesar Cedeno with Herr at third to end the first inning, then fanned McGee to blunt a St. Louis threat in the second.

Los Angeles rebounded in the fourth to tie the game.

Ken Landreaux laced a high Bob Forsch delivery into center field for a single and, one out later, Bill Madlock blasted his second homer in two games.

Herzog wasted little time in replacing Forsch after the right-hander walked Mike Marshall on four pitches and then had his first pitch to Greg Brock lined deep but foul to right.

"I didn't think he was out of gas. Bobby started getting the ball up," said Herzog, who immediately summoned Ken Dayley to face Brock. "Today's ballgame was important. If we didn't win, I didn't think we would have a chance."

Dayley and Valenzuela matched deliveries through the sixth, with



OZZIE SMITH of the St. Louis Cardinals connects for a homerun in the ninth inning to defeat the Los Angeles Dodgers 3-2. The Cardinals took the fifth game of the National League Playoffs and lead the series three games to two.

The Dodger left-hander twice escaping two-on, two-out St. Louis threats.

Todd Worrell bailed out Dayley in the seventh after Mike Scioscia walked and Enos Cabell singled. Worrell threw three balls to Steve Sax, who was trying to sacrifice, then stormed back to strike out the Dodger second baseman. He then got Valenzuela on a grounder to the

mound and Mariano Duncan fouled out to catcher Darrell Porter.

Jeff Lahti, the third St. Louis reliever, picked up the victory after retiring the Dodgers in order in the ninth.

Niedenfuer came on in the bottom of the ninth for Valenzuela, who allowed only four hits but walked a playoff-record eight batters.

## Jets throttle Miami

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Bewitched, bothered and bewildered. And thoroughly beaten.

That was how the Miami Dolphins felt Monday night after being throttled by a stern New York Jets defense and a mistake-free offense. The Jets held the vaunted Miami attack to 200 total yards in a 23-7 National Football League victory that catapulted New York into first place in the AFC East. Freeman McNeil keyed the attack with 173 rushing yards, giving him the league lead at 645, and quarterback Ken O'Brien connected on 18 of 28 passes for 239 yards and a 15-yard touchdown to Kurt Sohn.

The 5-1 Jets are unbeaten since an opening-week loss to the Los Angeles Raiders, and their defense has allowed only 53 points in those five games.

"We mixed up a lot of things, with different coverages and different blitzes, a lot of looks for (Miami quarterback Dan) Marino," said cornerback Russell Carter. "At times he may have been confused."

"We were holding them up at the line and getting penetration and rushing him into doing things

before he wanted to."

Marino — who burned the Jets for six TDs last season — had his worst game as a starter, accounting for only 136 yards through the air. Except for a third-quarter drive of 73 yards capped by a 3-yard score by rookie Ron Davenport, the Dolphins offense was invisible.

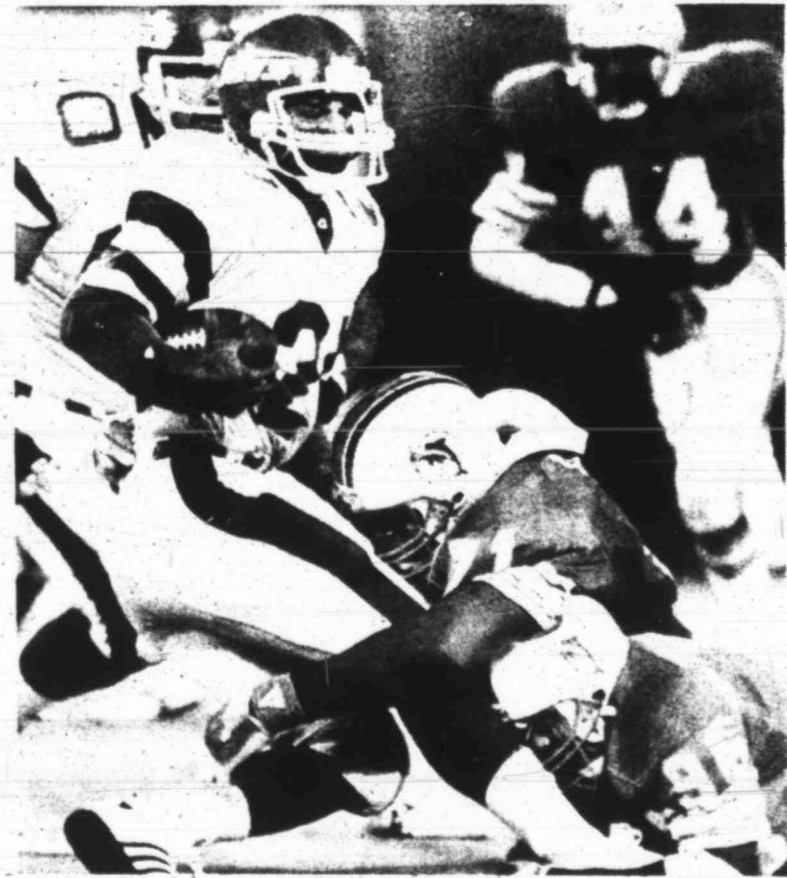
"They just beat us in every aspect of the game out there," said Marino, who was sacked only once but constantly was pressured. "They were the best team out there tonight."

The Jets were so dominant in breaking a seven-game slide against the Dolphins that they controlled the ball for 23 minutes in the second half, moving out from a 6-0 lead.

"I had to make sure the chains kept moving down the field because we couldn't give the ball back to Marino," said McNeil, who averaged 6.2 yards a carry. He is the only runner ever to collect four 100-yard games against Miami.

"They key was Freeman," added O'Brien. "As he goes, we go. The teams are keying on him and not stopping him."

"He's the pulse of our offense," said Jets Coach Joe Walton.



New York Jets running back FREEMAN MCNEIL is stopped after a short gain by the Miami Dolphins defensive tackles. It was one of the few times as MCNEIL rushed for over 150 yards on the night.

## House Bill 72: For whom the grades toll

by MICHAEL A. LUTZ  
AP Sports Writer

Texas high school football players, band members and cheerleaders will find out this week if they can read, write and add well enough to continue playing, marching and yelling.

Under guidelines of the state's controversial "no-pass, no-play" rule, students must pass all subjects at the end of the first six-week grading period to be eligible for extracurricular activity during the second six weeks.

Controversy over the rule led to postponing the state high school baseball playoffs this summer when one state district judge ruled it was unconstitutional.

Another state district judge said the law was constitutional and ordered the playoffs to resume. The State Supreme Court later affirmed that the law was constitutional.

Grades from the first six weeks are due this week, and University Interscholastic League and Texas High School Coaching Association officials, coaches and school administrators are anticipating more confusion and possibly more court action.

"I can foresee that some parent just won't take it," said Donald Jay, executive director of the coaches' association. "His kid will make a 68, or 69 in one class and

he'll decide that's not fair and they'll go to court. It could jeopardize our whole football playoff system just like it did for baseball."

Bill Farney, the UIL's athletic director, hopes the state Supreme Court action will sidetrack some of the litigation.

"I don't think the Supreme Court ruling will necessarily prevent lawsuits," Farney said. "But I think it will discourage a state judge from granting a temporary restraining order, knowing that on the same basis of facts, the Supreme Court is going to overrule it."

Farney said spot checks around the state showed junior high and junior varsity students are most affected by the stricter standards.

"We have heard that a number of junior high and junior varsity kids will be ineligible to the extent that they might have to cancel some schedules," Farney said.

Farney says most of the complaints he hears about no pass, no play involve the length of the ineligibility.

"They seem to feel a shorter period of time would be more educational to give the youngster an opportunity to get back into the program," Farney said. "Six weeks at the beginning, middle or end of a season basically knocks out the whole season."

Marching band competition

could be more affected than football programs, Farney said.

"You don't have a second-team tuba player," he said. "When you have big gaps taken out of your band, it destroys the formations."

Some school districts held their marching band competitions over the weekend so their full bands could compete.

The Houston Independent School District did not schedule its competition early, but Houston Westbury band director Herman Lee is not complaining about the stricter guidelines.

"Something had to be done," he said. "Students were starting to feel that they didn't have to pass. But when they found out the school wasn't kidding, they started studying. We had students that really got down and studied because they wanted to make the band trip."

Farney said most coaches, band directors and administrators agreed that something had to be done to improve the state's educational system, which lagged badly behind the rest of the nation.

"When you're a legislator and you are presented with the facts that Texas is 47th in verbal skills and 49th in math and one in three students that begins the ninth grade doesn't graduate, it's time to

do something," Farney said.

Denison Coach Marty Criswell and Jay think the law went too far.

"There could be some forfeits," Jay said. "We haven't been able to comprehend the justice of this rule. Here you are punishing a group of kids because some other kids didn't pass."

Criswell said he was more concerned about the junior high students.

"My concern is not for the two or three varsity athletes who will get all the publicity," Criswell said. "My heart goes out to those junior high kids and our figures in Denison show we could lose 30 to 50 percent of them."

"What you're doing is making lifetime decisions for some of those kids. You're putting them on the street until 7:30 at night when mom and dad get home from work."

Criswell, whose Yellowjackets are the No. 2 ranked Class 4A team in the state, said he anticipates losing two or three players from his varsity.

"But this is just the tip of the iceberg," Criswell said. "This is all going to come to a head in four or five years. This is eroding high school programs from the bottom up."

# Iowa, Michigan will decide who's No. 1

**By The Associated Press**  
An Iowa offense featuring the pinpoint passing of quarterback Chuck Long and a Michigan defense that has given up a paltry 4.2 points a game clash head-on Saturday in a dream matchup of the nation's two top-rated teams.

"Their offense generates a lot of yardage and a lot of points," Michigan Coach Bo Schembechler said of the Hawkeyes, who remained No. 1 Monday in The Associated Press weekly college football poll. "It's going to be a great battle."

"They've got as fine a college defense as I've ever seen," Iowa Coach Hayden Fry said of the Wolverines, who moved up a notch in the voting to No. 2.

The Big Ten Conference rivals put their respective 5-0 records on the line in Iowa City in a classic test of Iowa's explosive offense and a Michigan defense that's given up but one touchdown this season.

"Maybe the game will be decided by our offense and their defense," Schembechler said. "When it's all said and done, experience has told me that the best defense, if it's got a decent offense, is going to wind up in Pasadena (at the Rose Bowl)."

Michigan's trip into Iowa this year promises to be different than the last visit.

"We're confident. It's not like going into Iowa City last year," Schembechler said. The Hawkeyes handed Michigan a 26-0 defeat last season, when the Wolverines finished 6-6, Schembechler's worst year. The Hawkeyes wound up 8-4-1.

The latest voting reflects the results of last weekend's action. The Wolverines beat intra-state rival Michigan State 31-0 on Saturday while Iowa defeated Wisconsin 23-13. In their conference opener the previous week, Michigan beat

Wisconsin 33-6 and Iowa held off Michigan State 35-31.

"We were eager to put the Michigan State game in the can and get to the Iowa game," Schembechler said. "We came out of the Michigan State game without any injuries. We're ready to go."

Iowa moved to the top of the rankings with easy early-season victories over Drake, Northern Illinois and Iowa State. At the same time, Michigan posted triumphs over Notre Dame, South Carolina and Maryland.

Schembechler said there's little chance of stopping Iowa's potent offense, which features Long and running back Ronnie Harmon.

"You know you're not going to stop them. But the big point is keeping them out of the end zone," Schembechler said.

"He's in command of what goes on out there," Schembechler said of Long. "He's got a great arm and

a great touch. He throws very few bad passes."

Despite his team's strong showing thus far, Fry remains wary of the Wolverines and their overall talent.

"Nobody has moved the ball with any consistency against Michigan," Fry said. "They're the best-balanced football team in America, I don't think there's any question about that."

"You consider their offense, their running game, their passing game, their defense, their ball control, their tremendous number of turnovers... they're for real."

Michigan's strong showing pushed the Oklahoma Sooners from second to third in the rankings despite a 14-7 victory over Texas that knocked the Longhorns out of the Top Twenty along with Southern Methodist, a 21-14 loser to Baylor.



Iowa running back RONNIE HARMON eludes the grasp of a Iowa St. defender in a recent game. Iowa will put its No. 1 ranking on the line when it tangles with No. 2 Michigan Saturday.

## Sports Briefs

### Berry leads HC cowgirls

ALPINE — Breakaway roper Lisa Berry led the Howard College rodeo team recently at the Sul Ross Rodeo, by winning first in the event. Karen Snodgrass finished fourth in the barrel racing, leading the HC cowgirls to a fourth place overall finish.

Ace Thompson led the HC cowboys with his fourth place finish in the calf roping.

### Boxing tourney

The Best in the West Amateur Boxing Tournament will be held Saturday, Oct. 26th and Sun. Oct. 27th at the Howard County Fair Barn. The event, which is sponsored by Coors Beer, will qualify winners to Ft. Hood for the state championships.

Price of admission is \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children. Action begins at 6:30 p.m. Saturday and 1 p.m. on Sunday.

For more information call 267-9389.

### Aggie booster: 'I did nothing wrong'

DALLAS (AP) — Former Texas A&M yell leader Rod Dockery has acknowledged giving Aggie quarterback Kevin Murray \$4,150 in 1983 and 1984, but denied any impropriety in the matter.

Dockery, a Dallas businessman accused of violating NCAA rules by providing payments and a sports car to Murray, said he had done nothing more than give the athlete a parttime job and lease him an automobile. The Dallas Morning News reported today.

"I haven't done anything wrong," Dockery said. But he said because of the public scrutiny over the issue, he will never hire another athlete at his Dallas printing business.

### Kosar hushes QB controversy

BEREA, Ohio (AP) — Rookie quarterback Bernie Kosar wants no part of any controversy over the Cleveland Browns' starting job.

"That's a coaching decision," Kosar said Monday when asked if he thought he deserved the job on the basis of Cleveland's 21-6 victory Sunday over the Houston Oilers.

"I'm not really sure how he (Coach Marty Schottenheimer) is going to handle it," Kosar said. "I don't know how Gary's shoulder is. It's kind of a day-to-day thing."

### Landry not taking anything for granted

IRVING (AP) — Dallas, picked to finish fourth in its division, may be on top of the National Conference East but Cowboys Coach Tom Landry notes there are still 10 games to play.

"Right now I'm not as concerned about the two-game lead as I am the final stats at the end of the season, whether it be 10-6 or 12-4," said Landry.

Dallas' 27-13 victory over Pittsburgh Sunday was the Cowboys' first triumph over the Steelers since 1972, snapping a five-game losing streak.

The Cowboys were generally picked to finish behind division rivals Washington, St. Louis and the New York Giants. Now Dallas has a two-game lead over all three of those teams and a three-game lead over Philadelphia going into Sunday's game with the Eagles.

"It always feels good to beat Pittsburgh," said Landry. "We're still dominating teams defensively."

Tony Dorsett also finally had a 100-yard day against the Steelers, his first in five tries, as he reached the elite 10,000-yard rushing milestone.

"This was one of the biggest highlights," said Dorsett. "I was the skinny little kid from Aliquippa, Pa., who they said would never make a running back."

"Getting 100 yards (113) is just icing on the cake especially with my mother sitting home (Pennsylvania) in her living room watching," Dorsett said. "It still doesn't take the place of a world championship or a Heisman Trophy."

**Radio Shack & COMPUTER CENTERS**

## SAVE \$304<sup>80</sup> ON A TANDY 1000 WORD PROCESSING SYSTEM

**Includes HomeWord and DeskMate™ Software and Printer**

# 1299<sup>00</sup>

Reg. Separate Items 1603.80  
Low As \$60 Per Month on CitLine™




- Tandy 1000 is Software Compatible with the IBM PC—Choose from Thousands of Programs
- DeskMate Features Six Popular Applications on One Disk
- HomeWord Word Processing Program is Easy to Use for Letters, Memos and Reports
- VM-2 Monochrome Monitor Displays 80 x 25 Text and 640 x 200 High-Resolution Graphics
- Print Correspondence-Quality Originals with the DMP-130 Dot-Matrix Printer

\*CitLine revolving credit from Citibank. Payment may vary depending upon balance. Complete system includes 25-1000, 25-1116, 26-1280, 26-1401 and 26-3211. IBM/TM International Business Machines Corp. HomeWord/TM Sierra On-Line.


**ENJOY TOTAL SUPPORT FROM THE WORLD'S LARGEST COMPUTER RETAILER**

**Check Your Phone Book for the Radio Shack Store or Dealer Nearest You**  
Big Spring Mall 263-1368


A DIVISION OF TANDY CORPORATION PRICES APPLY AT RADIO SHACK COMPUTER CENTERS AND PARTICIPATING STORES AND DEALERS




**CHARLIE OGLE**  
... O-line honors



**ROBERT SUMNER**  
... earns two honors



**STACY KILGORE**  
... D-back honors



**PHILLIP MATTHEWS**  
... best running game

### Sumner heads Steer awards

The Big Spring Steers got excellent play from linebacker Robert Sumner in last Friday's game against Abilene Cooper earning him two top honors in the Steer Player of the Week awards.

The 170-pound junior earned Top Steer honors and was in on 14 tackles from his outside linebacker with 8 unassisted and 6 assists for the game. Sumner was also selected as the special teams Player of the Week for his hustle on kickoff coverage.

Steer center Charlie Ogle picked up Player of the Week honors for the Steer trenchmen, grading out highest against the tough Cooper front men.

Junior tailback Phillip Matthews was awarded offensive back of the week honors for his 133 yard performance on 16 carries. It was the best individual rushing game for the Steers this year and gives Matthews 432 yards to the year.

Senior Stacy Kilgore garnered defensive back Player of the Week honors against Cooper for his outstanding pass and run defense.

## GOODYEAR SEMI-ANNUAL INVENTORY CLEARANCE SALE



**As Low As \$15**  
Per Month\*  
For A Set Of 4 Tires

**Save On Steel Belted Radials!**  
**\$29<sup>95</sup>**

\*P155/80R13 Whitewall. No trade needed.

**Tiempo Radial**

- Flexible sidewalls deliver a smooth, comfortable ride
- Steel belted radial construction delivers strength, tread wear, and fuel efficiency
- Tread designed to dissipate heat for tire durability

Sale Ends Oct. 19

Whitewall Size	SALE PRICE No Trade Needed	Monthly Payment* Set of 4
P185/80R13	\$42.70	\$15.00
P185/75R14	\$45.50	\$15.00
P195/75R14	\$49.50	\$15.00
P205/75R14	\$53.80	\$20.00
P205/75R15	\$54.70	\$20.00
P215/75R15	\$57.55	\$20.00
P225/75R15	\$59.40	\$20.00
P235/75R15	\$63.10	\$20.00

**PICKUP, VAN, & RV TIRES**

**Rib Hi-Miler**

Blackwall Size	Tire Type	Load Range	SALE PRICE	Monthly Payment* Set of 4
670X15	Tubetype	C	\$43.15	\$15.00
700X15	Tubetype	C	\$46.90	\$15.00
850X16	Tubetype	C	\$46.90	\$15.00
750X16	Tubetype	C	\$52.35	\$15.00
750X16	Tubeless	D	\$59.95	\$20.00
700X14	Tubeless	C	\$44.10	\$15.00
700X15	Tubeless	C	\$51.80	\$20.00
750X16	Tubeless	E	\$72.15	\$20.00

Sale Ends Nov. 2

**Workhorse Traction Sure Grip**

Blackwall Size	Tire Type	Load Range	SALE PRICE	Monthly Payment* 2 Tires
700X15	Tubetype	C	\$51.80	\$15.00
750X16	Tubetype	C	\$58.15	\$15.00
750X16	Tubetype	D	\$65.65	\$15.00

Sale Ends Nov. 2

**Goodyear Bias Ply**

**\$31<sup>60</sup>**

\*P155-13 Whitewall. With old tire.

**Power Streak II**

Whitewall Size	EVERYDAY LOW PRICE	Monthly Payment* Set of 4
B7X13	\$32.50	\$15.00
C7X14	\$36.25	\$15.00
D7X14	\$38.40	\$15.00
E7X14	\$37.20	\$15.00
F7X14	\$38.60	\$15.00
G7X14	\$43.50	\$15.00

**Goodyear Bias Belted**

**\$35<sup>20</sup>**

\*P155-13 Whitewall. With old tire.

**Lube, Oil Change And Filter**

**\$15**

- Includes up to five quarts oil
- Special diesel oil and filter type may result in extra charges

**Transmission Maintenance**

**\$44**

- Replace fluid pan gasket, and filter on vehicles so equipped.
- Service not available for Honda or Mercedes Benz.
- Warranted 90 days or 4,000 miles, whichever comes first.

**Radiator Protection**

**\$19**

- Includes up to two gallons coolant antifreeze.
- Warranted 6 months or 6,000 miles, whichever comes first.

\*Monthly charge when purchased with The Silver Card, a revolving loan account from Citibank. Amount may be greater due to sales tax and any existing balance on your Silver Card account.

**QUICK CREDIT FROM CITIBANK**  
**ASK US ABOUT 90 DAYS SAME AS CASH**

You may also use these other ways to buy: American Express, Carte Blanche, Diners Club, MasterCard, Visa. Not available at some locations.

PRICES, LIMITED WARRANTIES AND CREDIT TERMS SHOWN ARE AVAILABLE AT GOODYEAR AUTO SERVICE CENTERS. SEE ANY OF THE BELOW LISTED INDEPENDENT DEALERS FOR THEIR COMPETITIVE PRICES, WARRANTIES AND CREDIT TERMS. AUTO SERVICES NOT AVAILABLE AT STARRED LOCATIONS.

STORE HOURS: MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 7:30 A.M. TO 6 P.M.; SATURDAY 7:30 A.M. TO 5 P.M.

408 RÜNNELS, BIG SPRING, TEXAS RAYMOND HATTENBACH, MANAGER

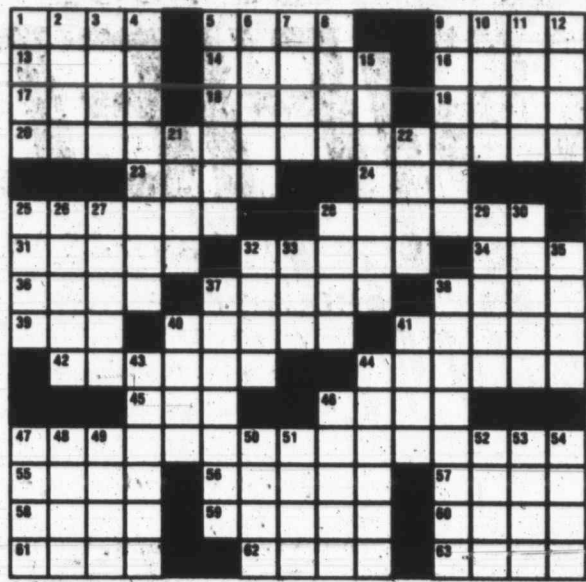
DIAL 267-6337



# COMICS Page

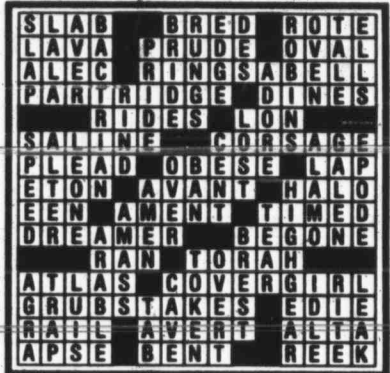
## THE Daily Crossword by Martha J. DeWitt

- ACROSS**
- 1 Certain fiber
  - 5 Examine minutely
  - 9 Hied
  - 13 Give the eye
  - 14 Less ruddy
  - 16 Anxiety
  - 17 Med. subj.
  - 18 Over
  - 19 He wrote "Rule Britannia"
  - 20 Circus performer
  - 23 Compass point
  - 24 Have being
  - 25 Issue forth
  - 26 Sprinkle
  - 31 Distribute
  - 32 Cheese type
  - 34 The almighty I
  - 36 Parched
  - 37 Glass sections
  - 38 Calling or playing
  - 39 Loco
  - 40 "Carmen" composer
  - 41 Crowd at times
  - 42 Indian
  - 44 Crowns
  - 45 Diamonds
  - 46 Lemony
  - 47 Hobo
  - 55 Snack
  - 56 Eng. city
  - 57 Capt. e.g.
  - 58 Leave out
  - 59 Bar for slacking threads
  - 60 Dash
  - 61 Wagers
  - 62 Salamander
  - 63 Cull



© 1985 Tribune Media Services, Inc. All Rights Reserved 10/15/85

### Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



- DOWN**
- 1 Gravy
  - 2 Hindu god of fire
  - 3 Ore refuse
  - 4 Leashed
  - 5 Rare
  - 6 ft. navigator
  - 7 Cockeyed
  - 8 Granular snow
  - 9 Climbed
  - 10 Recreation place
  - 11 Sea eagle
  - 12 Ruminant
  - 15 Gifts for good deeds
  - 21 Touches
  - 22 Vicinity
  - 25 Cheese type
  - 26 Assop's point
  - 27 Leave out a syllable
  - 28 Singing pair
  - 29 Machine parts
  - 30 Heron
  - 32 Stare
  - 33 Single
  - 35 Poems
  - 37 Slender tube
  - 38 Winning slot machine combination
  - 40 One of the three Bs
  - 41 Veracious
  - 43 Dark times
  - 44 Associate
  - 46 Scatter
  - 47 Rounded lump
  - 48 Alaskan city
  - 49 "— true what they..."
  - 50 Afr. port
  - 51 Circuit breaker
  - 52 Eur. capital
  - 53 Winglike
  - 54 Car mar

## DENNIS THE MENACE



"MR. WILSON SAID I'M THE BEST FINAGLER HE EVER SAW! WHATS A FINAGLER?"

## THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"This is the bestest time of day. Dinners are cookin', kids are bathed and daddys come home."

## Your Daily HOROSCOPE

from the CARROLL RIGHTER INSTITUTE

### FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY, OCT. 16, 1985

**GENERAL TENDENCIES:** The daytime brings a plan that can work out very much to your benefit if carried through in a well-rounded fashion, so continue with projects already started.

**ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)** An ideal day to keep promises exactly and conscientiously. Tonight study into new interests that fascinate you.

**TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20)** Come to a meeting of minds with a dynamic partner during the day, and then do the work expected of you in the evening.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)** Use your fine talent to meet any emergencies that may arise. Cooperate with a co-worker and the future will be easier.

**MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21)** You need more amusement so arrange it for the days and weeks ahead, and then get into the tasks ahead of you.

**LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21)** Be more tactful at home in stating policies you wish followed in the morning, then plan the best way to use your finest talents.

**VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22)** Get right into your desk work in the morning, and get it cleared up most efficiently. Entertain guests this evening.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)** Get your practical affairs more as you want them, to be far into the future then do outside tasks well.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)** If you go after your goals in a positive way, you can gain them with relative ease. Be more practical.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)** Plan just how to attain your personal goals over the weekend and make preparations now.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)** Pursue that individual you want to know better and you soon can become friends. Get your business aims well clarified.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)** Get into public work with enthusiasm and accomplish a good deal before you concentrate on intimate matters.

**PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20)** Get into that new interest that intrigues you today and work at it vigorously. The evening is fine for gadding about town.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ...** he or she will brook no interference in gaining own desires, but teach early to respect the rights and feelings of others, and then there can be much success during the lifetime. One who will think and never do anything hastily, and will be a fine organizer.

"The Stars impel; they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!  
© 1985, The McNaught Syndicate, Inc.

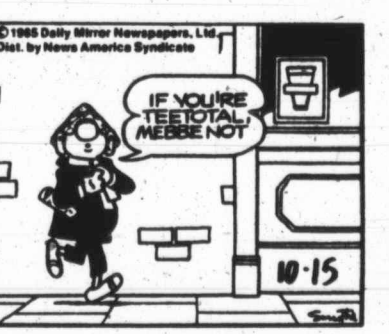
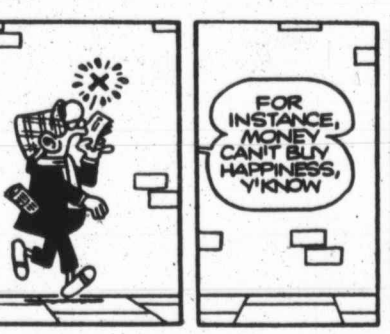
## GEECH



## B.C.



## ANDY CAPP



## HI & LOIS



## BUZ SAWYER



## SNUFFY SMITH



## WIZARD OF ID



## GASOLINE ALLEY



## BEETLE BAILEY



## PEANUTS



## DICK TRACY



## BLONDIE







# SCOREBOARD

## Sports Slate

HOME	SCORE	GUEST
106	200	99
BONUS		ROW

<b>VOLLEYBALL</b> TUESDAY, OCT. 15 - JV Lady Steers vs. Odessa Permian; Odessa, 6:30 p.m. Varsity Lady Steers vs. Odessa Permian; Odessa, 7:30 p.m. SATURDAY, OCT. 19 - Freshmen Lady Steers vs. Seminole, Seminole, p.m. JV Lady Steers vs. Abilene Cooper, Steer Gym, 2 p.m. Varsity Lady Steers vs. Abilene Cooper, Steer Gym, 3 p.m.	<b>SWIMMING</b> SATURDAY, OCT. 19 - BSHS swim team in dual meet vs. Odessa Permian, Odessa, 1 p.m.	<b>CROSS COUNTRY</b> SATURDAY, OCT. 19 - BSHS cross country team in Midland Invitational, Midland.	<b>SOCCER</b> SATURDAY, OCT. 19 - Big Spring BHz in Lubbock Recreational Tournament.	<b>LOCAL FOOTBALL</b> THURSDAY, OCT. 17 - Rannels B vs. Andrews, Memorial Stadium, 4:30 p.m. Rannels A vs. Andrews, Memorial Stadium, 5:30 p.m. Freshmen Steers B vs. Sweetwater, Blankenship Field, 5:30 p.m. Freshmen Steers A vs. Sweetwater, Blankenship Field, 7 p.m. Steer Sophomores vs. Midland Lee, Midland, 5 p.m. Steers JV vs. Midland Lee, Memorial Stadium, 7 p.m. FRIDAY, OCT. 18 - Steers vs. Midland Lee, Midland, 8 p.m.
---	---	---	---	---

<b>YOUTH FOOTBALL LEAGUE</b> SATURDAY, OCT. 19 - Cowboys vs. Packers, Blankenship Field, 1 p.m. Vikings vs. Dolphins, Blankenship Field, 2:30 p.m. Bulldogs vs. Buffaloes, Blankenship Field, 4 p.m.	<b>AREA FOOTBALL</b> FRIDAY, OCT. 18 - Grady at McCaulley, 7:30 p.m. Forsan at Sands, 7:30 p.m. Garden City at Roby, 7:30 p.m. Borden County at Ira, 7:30 p.m. Crane at Cosham, 8 p.m. Klondike at Ropes, 7:30 p.m. Greenwood at Stanton, 8 p.m. Colorado City at Ozona, 8 p.m.
---	---

## Texas HS Top 10

Here is The Associated Press Schoolboy Football Poll with first place votes in parentheses, season records and points based on 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1:

<b>Class 5A</b>	1. Houston Yates (19) 6-0-0 208
	2. Houston Aldine 6-0-0 163
	3. Odessa Permian 5-0-1 139
	4. San Antonio Clark (1) 6-0-0 135
	5. West Orange Starr (1) 6-0-0 133
	6. Sugar Land Willowridge 6-0-0 98
	7. Conroe 5-1-0 89
	8. Temple 5-1-0 47
	9. Converse Judson 5-1-0 38
	10. Edinburg 6-0-0 19
<b>Class 4A</b>	1. Tomball (13) 6-0-0 201
	2. Denison (7) 6-0-0 191
	3. Corsicana 6-0-0 146
	4. Bay City (1) 6-0-0 145
	5. Huntsville 5-0-0 130
	6. New Braunfels 5-0-0 114
	7. Sweetwater 4-1-0 68
	8. Waco Moore 6-0-0 63
	9. Lubbock Estacado 5-0-1 47
	10. Wichita Falls Hirsch 5-1-0 20
<b>Class 3A</b>	1. Hempstead (16) 5-0-0 202
	2. Navasota (1) 6-0-0 182
	3. Daingerfield (2) 6-0-0 160
	4. Kermit 6-0-0 109
	5. Port Arthur Austin (1) 5-0-0 108
	6. Alvarado 6-0-0 94
	7. Cameron (1) 6-0-0 89
	8. Van Vleet 5-0-0 75
	9. Cuero 6-0-0 66
	10. Sweeney 6-0-0 28
<b>Class 2A</b>	1. Electra (15) 5-0-0 183
	2. Hamlin (5) 6-0-0 175
	3. Afton (1) 6-0-0 152
	4. Universal City Randolph 5-0-0 137
	5. Groveton 6-0-0 134
	6. Pilot Point 5-0-0 118
	7. Quitman 6-0-0 77
	8. East Bernard 5-1-0 50
	9. Abernathy 5-1-0 32
	10. Morton 6-0-0 29
<b>Class 1A</b>	1. Munday (19) 6-0-0 208
	2. Union Hill (1) 5-0-0 183
	3. Goldthwaite (1) 6-0-0 165
	4. Wheeler 6-0-0 133
	5. Granger 6-0-0 128
	6. Italy 6-0-0 75
	7. Roscoe 5-1-0 61
	8. Runge 5-1-0 59
	9. Godley 5-1-0 56
	10. Iraan 5-0-0 25

## NFL Glance

AMERICAN CONFERENCE				
W	L	T	Pct.	PF
N.Y. Jets	5	1	0	.833 143
Miami	4	2	0	.667 145
New England	3	3	0	.500 104
Indianapolis	2	4	0	.333 109

NATIONAL CONFERENCE				
W	L	T	Pct.	PF
Dallas	5	1	0	.833 150
N.Y. Giants	3	3	0	.500 143
St. Louis	3	3	0	.500 146
Washington	3	3	0	.500 97
Philadelphia	2	4	0	.333 86

## Mojo moves up 5A ranks

Odessa Permian, knocked from the No. 1 rank in The Associated Press Schoolboy Football Poll by a 7-7 tie with Abilene High, is on the move again.

The Panthers, 5-0-1 after a key 13-7 victory over Midland Lee last week, jumped from fifth to third, taking advantage of Dallas Carter's 17-15 loss to Dallas Jefferson. Carter dropped from third out of the top 10.

The top-ranked teams in all classes - Houston Yates in 5A, Tomball in 4A, Hempstead in 3A, Electra in 2A and Munday in 1A - all scored easy victories and held onto their top billings.

Yates had the closest call among the No. 1-ranked teams, scoring late to defeat Houston Madison, its nemesis last season, 27-14. Madison beat the Lions twice last season.

Edinburg, 6-0, moved into the top 10 for the first time as the No. 10 team in 5A.

In Class 4A, Tomball and Denison continued their duel for supremacy with Tomball holding the lead by a 201-191 point margin over Denison, which beat rugged McKinney 33-12 last week. Tomball downed Cource Oakridge 49-14.

Brownwood, 3-2, lost its second game of the season, 15-14 to Joshua

<b>Central</b>	Buffalo	0	6	0	.000	66	163
	Cleveland	4	2	0	.667	114	87
	Cincinnati	3	4	0	.333	104	106
	Pittsburgh	2	4	0	.333	129	108
	Houston	1	5	0	.167	75	138

NATIONAL CONFERENCE					
East					
Dallas	5	1	.833	150	99
N.Y. Giants	3	3	.500	143	115
St. Louis	3	3	.500	146	163
Washington	3	3	.500	97	134
Philadelphia	2	4	.333	86	90
Central					
Chicago	6	0	1.000	189	98
Detroit	3	3	.500	103	136
Green Bay	3	3	.500	137	140
Minnesota	3	3	.500	137	123
Tampa Bay	0	6	.000	112	177
West					
L.A. Rams	6	0	1.000	153	89
New Orleans	3	3	.500	136	155
San Francisco	3	3	.500	155	117
Atlanta	0	6	.000	120	192

## Playoff Schedule

<b>Sunday, Oct. 20</b> Cincinnati at Houston Dallas at Philadelphia Indianapolis at Buffalo Los Angeles Raiders at Cleveland Los Angeles Rams at Kansas City New Orleans at Atlanta Washington at New York Giants St. Louis at Pittsburgh San Diego at Minnesota San Francisco at Detroit New York Jets at New England Seattle at Denver Tampa Bay at Miami	<b>Monday, Oct. 21</b> Green Bay at Chicago
<b>Tuesday, Oct. 22</b> All Times EDT League Championship Series Chicago vs. Pittsburgh Cincinnati vs. Houston Dallas vs. Philadelphia Indianapolis vs. Buffalo Los Angeles Raiders vs. Cleveland Los Angeles Rams vs. Kansas City New Orleans vs. Atlanta Washington vs. New York Giants St. Louis vs. Pittsburgh San Diego vs. Minnesota San Francisco vs. Detroit New York Jets vs. New England Seattle vs. Denver Tampa Bay vs. Miami	<b>Wednesday, Oct. 23</b> Kansas City vs. Houston Dallas vs. Philadelphia Indianapolis vs. Buffalo Los Angeles Raiders vs. Cleveland Los Angeles Rams vs. Kansas City New Orleans vs. Atlanta Washington vs. New York Giants St. Louis vs. Pittsburgh San Diego vs. Minnesota San Francisco vs. Detroit New York Jets vs. New England Seattle vs. Denver Tampa Bay vs. Miami

## NHL Glance

WALDES CONFERENCE				
W	L	T	Pts	GF
New Jersey	3	0	6	13
Philadelphia	2	1	0	4
N.Y. Islanders	1	1	0	2
N.Y. Rangers	1	2	0	8
Pittsburgh	0	2	0	5
Washington	0	3	0	5
ADAMS DIVISION				
Boston	3	0	0	6
Quebec	3	0	0	6
Hartford	2	0	0	4
Buffalo	2	1	0	4
Montreal	2	0	0	4
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE				
Norris Division				
St. Louis	1	1	0	2
Toronto	1	2	0	6
Minnesota	0	1	1	8
Detroit	0	2	1	9
Chicago	0	3	0	5
Smythe Division				
Calgary	2	0	0	4

<b>Edmonton</b>	2	0	0	4	10
<b>Vancouver</b>	2	1	0	4	13
<b>Los Angeles</b>	0	0	0	0	30
<b>Winnipeg</b>	0	3	0	0	8

**Monday's Games**  
Buffalo 6, Detroit 1  
Vancouver 4, N.Y. Islanders 2

**Tuesday's Games**  
Hartford at Quebec  
Minnesota at Pittsburgh

**Wednesday's Games**  
Washington at Toronto  
Buffalo at Montreal  
Winnipeg at Detroit  
Pittsburgh at Chicago  
St. Louis at Calgary  
N.Y. Islanders at Edmonton  
Boston at Vancouver  
N.Y. Rangers at Los Angeles

## St. Louis-LA

National at St. Louis		ST. LOUIS	
LOS ANGELES	ab r h bi	ab r h bi	
Duncan ss	3 0 0 0	McGee cf	3 1 0 0
Landrum cf	4 1 2 0	OSmith ss	5 2 1 1
Guerrero lf	4 0 0 0	Herr 2b	4 0 1 2
Marshall 3b	4 1 1 2	Clark 1b	3 0 1 0
Marrall rf	3 0 0 0	Cedeno rf	3 0 0 0
Sciocia c	2 0 1 0	Landrum lf	3 0 0 0
Brock lb	1 0 0 0	Puddin 3b	4 0 1 0
Cabell 1b	3 0 1 0	Porter c	2 0 0 0
Niedfuer p	0 0 0 0	Forsch p	0 0 0 0
Sax 2b	3 0 0 0	Dayley p	2 0 1 0
Valenza p	3 0 0 0	Worrell p	0 0 0 0
Matszk lb	0 0 0 0	Bilarr ph	1 0 0 0
		Lahti p	0 0 0 0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>33</b>

Sciocia safe on catcher's interference.

Los Angeles ... 200 200 900-2  
St. Louis ... 200 900 901-3

<b>Los Angeles</b>	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Valenza	8	4	2	2	8	7
Niedfuer	L, 0-1	1-3	1	1	0	0
St. Louis						
Forsch	3-1-3	2	2	2	2	0
Dayley	2-2-3	2	0	0	1	1
Worrell	2	0	0	0	0	1
Lahti W, 1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dayley pitched to 2 batters in the 7th.						
WP - Valenza, 7-2-56.						

## American League

<b>Kansas City Royals vs. Toronto Blue Jays</b> Game One At Exhibition Stadium, Toronto Kansas City ... 000 000 0-1 5 1 Toronto ... 023 100 000-6 11 0 Leibrandt, Farr (3), Gubicza (5) Jackson (8) and Sundberg; Stieb, Henke (9) and Whitt. W-Stieb, 1-0. L-Leibrandt, 0-1.	<b>Game Two</b> At Exhibition Stadium, Toronto Kansas City ... 002 100 001-5 10 3 Toronto ... 000 102 010-2-6 10 0 (10 Innings) Black, Quisenberry (8) and Sundberg; Key, Lamp (4), Lavelle (8), Henke (8) and Whitt. W-Henke, 1-0. L-Quisenberry, 0-1. HRs-Kansas City, Wilson (1), Sheridan (1).
<b>Game Three</b> At Royals Stadium, Kansas City Toronto ... 000 050 000-5 13 1 Kansas City ... 100 112 010-6 10 1 Alexander, Lamp (6), Clancy (8) and Whitt; Sabohagen, Black (5), Farr (5) and Sundberg. W-Farr, 1-0. L-Clancy, 0-1. HRs-Toronto, Barfield (1), Mullinix (1), Kansas City, Brett 2 (8), Sundberg (1).	<b>Game Four</b> At Royals Stadium, Kansas City Toronto ... 000 000 003-3 7 6 Kansas City ... 000 001 000-1 2 0

**NEWCOMERS GREETING SERVICE**  
Your Hostess:  
**Mrs. Joy Fortenberry**  
An Established Newcomer Greeting Service in a field where experience counts for results and satisfaction.  
1207 Lloyd 263-2005

<b>Stieb, Henke and Whitt, Hearson (8); Leibrandt, Quisenberry (9) and Sundberg.</b>	<b>Methodist 6, Maryland 4, Bowling Green 2, Colorado 1, Georgia Tech 1, Kentucky 1, Pitt 1, Purdue 1, Southern California 1.</b>
--	---

**College Top 20**  
The Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season record, total points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 and last week's ranking:

Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Iowa (27)	5-0-0	1,146
2. Michigan (20)	5-0-0	1,126
3. Oklahoma (12)	5-0-0	1,124
4. Arkansas	5-0-0	936
5. Florida	4-0-1	905
6. Penn State (1)	5-0-0	902
7. Nebraska	4-1-0	868
8. Auburn	4-1-0	777
9. Brigham Young	5-1-0	685
10. Air Force	6-0-0	624
11. Ohio State	4-1-0	522
12. Oklahoma State	4-1-0	493
13. Florida State	4-1-0	450
14. Baylor	5-1-0	375
15. Alabama	4-1-0	364
16. Georgia	4-1-0	336
17. LSU	3-1-0	212
18. UCLA	4-1-1	182
19. Army	5-0-0	146
20. Tennessee	2-1-1	141

Others receiving votes: Texas 79, Miami, Fla. 64, Arizona 54, Minnesota 31, Texas A&M 30, Washington 11, Southern

**MONEY EARNS 15% NOW**  
Paid 1.25% Monthly

Your funds double in 4 1/2 years. IRA and Keogh Plans Available. Secured with recorded L&M lien deeds of trust mortgages on Texas single family res. No Fees! No Penalties! Your choice of investment periods. Special rates available for \$100.00 minimum. IRA \$2,000 min., \$5,000 regular minimum.

**MAJOR FUNDING CORP.**  
4500 Bissonnet  
Houston (Bellair) Texas 77401  
(713) 667-4235  
Toll Free: 1-800-392-0696  
Offered to Texas Residents Only

**Movie Capital of Big Spring**  
Over 1,000 titles to choose from:  
Movies \$1.00 a day  
VCR's \$5.00 a day  
You Can Rent or Rent To Own  
Hughes Rental & Sales  
267-6770 1228 West Third 267-5681

**MISS YOUR PAPER?**  
If you should miss your Big Spring Herald, or if service should be unsatisfactory, please telephone:  
Circulation Department  
Phone 263-7331  
Open until 8:30 p.m.  
Mondays through Fridays  
Open Saturdays & Sundays  
Until 10:00 a.m.

**POORBOY'S PIZZA BUFFET SPECIAL**  
Tues.-Fri.  
ALL YOU CAN EAT Pizza & Salad with Drink Included  
**\$285**  
11:30-2:00

New Hours  
11:00-10:00  
Fri. & Sat. 11:00-11:00  
We Deliver (Closed Mon) 1201 Gregg 263-0295

**Life**  
Your life insurance buying decision is one of the most important ones you'll make. And a Southwestern Life agent can help you select the best program. Call your Southwestern agent today. It may be one of the smartest things you do in your whole life.

Walter Stroup, CLU  
700 Scott  
Big Spring, Tex. 79720  
Phone 267-6126

Southwestern Life  
People with Answers

## Transactions

**BASEBALL**  
American League  
**TEXAS RANGERS**-Assigned Luis Pulgar, catcher, to Oklahoma City of the American Association.  
National League  
**ATLANTA BRAVES**-Hired Al Monchak, Tony Bartirome and Bob Skinner as coaches.  
**BASKETBALL**  
National Basketball Association  
**BOSTON CELTICS**-Waived Tracy Mitchell, guard.  
**MILWAUKEE BUCKS**-Waived Andre Goode, forward.  
**PHOENIX SUNS**-Waived Alvin Scott, forward.  
**PHILADELPHIA 76ERS**-Released Daryl Lloyd, forward. Signed Paul Thompson, forward.  
**SAN ANTONIO SPURS**-Signed Marc

READ 'EM AND EAT!  
RECIPE EXCHANGE  
EVERY WEDNESDAY.  
**Big Spring Herald**

**Godfather's Pizza**  
Delivers  
Phone 263-8381  
College Park Mall

**GRASS ANTI FREEZE**

  
ferti-lome  
Winterizer

"Don't let your yard 'BUG' you."  
SEE US!  
**JOHN DAVIS FEED STORE**  
Since 1934  
Serving Big Spring Nearly 50 Yrs.  
7701 E. 2nd Wesley Deats 267-8411

Iavaroni, forward, and Wes Matthews, guard.

**FOOTBALL**  
National Football League  
**KANSAS CITY CHIEFS**-Waived Mike Dawson, nose tackle. Placed Louis Cooper, linebacker, on injured reserve.  
**MINNESOTA VIKINGS**-Announced that Fran Tarkenton, Carl Pohlad and Irwin Jacobs have acquired a 48 percent share in the club.  
**NEW YORK JETS**-Activated Bob Crable, linebacker. Placed Harry Hamilton, safety, on injured reserve.  
**HOCKEY**  
National Hockey League  
**QUEBEC NORDIQUES**-Traded Daniel Bouchard, goaltender, to the Winnipeg Jets for future considerations.  
**WINNIPEG JETS**-Sent Marc Behrend, goaltender; Wade Campbell and Peter Taglianetti, defensemen, to Sherbrooke of the American Hockey League.

**SAVE ON TWO BURIAL SPACES**

**NOW ONLY \$750.00 Total Cost**

• "Garden of Meditation"  
• Minimum Down Payment  
• Easy Monthly Terms

**SPECIAL OFFER**  
only until  
**Oct. 31, 1985**  
Before-Need Only  
CALL Now or MAIL Coupon