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How's that?

Pecan poles

Thanks to a reader, R.E. Gregory of Big Spring, we finally know where you can get long cane poles for knocking pecans out of trees. The poles come inside new rolls of carpet, and most carpet stores just throw the poles away, Gregory said. Bill Willis, owner of Big Spring Carpet, confirmed that the poles are thrown away.

Calendar

Liberty

TODAY

Chancellor Fidel Alvarez and Ricardo Salvador of the Mexican consulate will speak at the LULAC meeting at 7 p.m. in the courthouse.

The Big Spring Humane Society will meet at 7 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Downtown merchants will have a festival from 8:45 a.m. to 3:20 p.m. at Goliad Middle School to raise funds to restore the Statue of Liberty. Visitors can contribute by purchasing a variety of Liberty items such as T-shirts, hats and buttons. Also the "Move to Freedom" exhibit will be on display.

The National Association of Retired and Veteran Railway Employees will meet at the Kentwood Older Adult Center for a potluck supper and business meeting at 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

The National Little League will have a parents' meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Elbow Elementary School cafeteria. Any interested parents are invited.

The senior citizens dance will be at 8 p.m. in Industrial Park Building No. 487. The Country Jammers band will play and guests are welcome.

SATURDAY

The Big Spring Symphony Orchestra with guest conductor James Cunningham will perform at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. A reception will follow at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Tickets, available at the door, are \$7.50 for adults and \$4 for students and senior citizens.

The Heritage Museum will have a reception from 2 to 4 p.m. for the opening of the Kids' Corner exhibits. Admission is free.

Howard College homecoming will begin with a baseball game against Paris Junior College at 1 p.m. The dance will be at 9 p.m. in the East Room of Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Tops on TV

Documentary

James Burke reconstructs the birth of television and scrutinizes the major role it plays in our lives today in "Connections: An Alternate View of Change" at 8 p.m. on Channel 5.

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Spending cut will hurt SWCID

By SPENCER SANDOW Staff Writer

The SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf will be hard hit by Gov. Mark White's order for state agencies and universities to trim 13 percent off their budgets, director Sam Hill said this morning.

But Howard College and Big Spring State Hospital officials said they shouldn't be affected as much. The budget cuts will "most

definitely" affect SWCID, said Hill. He said he has directed department supervisors to trim their individual budgets by 13 percent.

"At this stage we are just tightening our belts even more. We will reduce expenditures and travel, be frugal in utility use and so on," he said.

Hill said the institute is in the initial stages of planning its 1986-87 budget.

State hospital officials are "stu-

dying all of our options," said assistant superintendent Robert von Rosenberg. Purchases will be delayed and travel curtailed if possible, he said, but the hospital must comply with a federal court order that prevents cutting back on mental health workers.

"It would affect us drastically if we had to make a 13 percent cut," he said. "I don't think it will (go that far). I don't see how the hospital could make a 13 percent

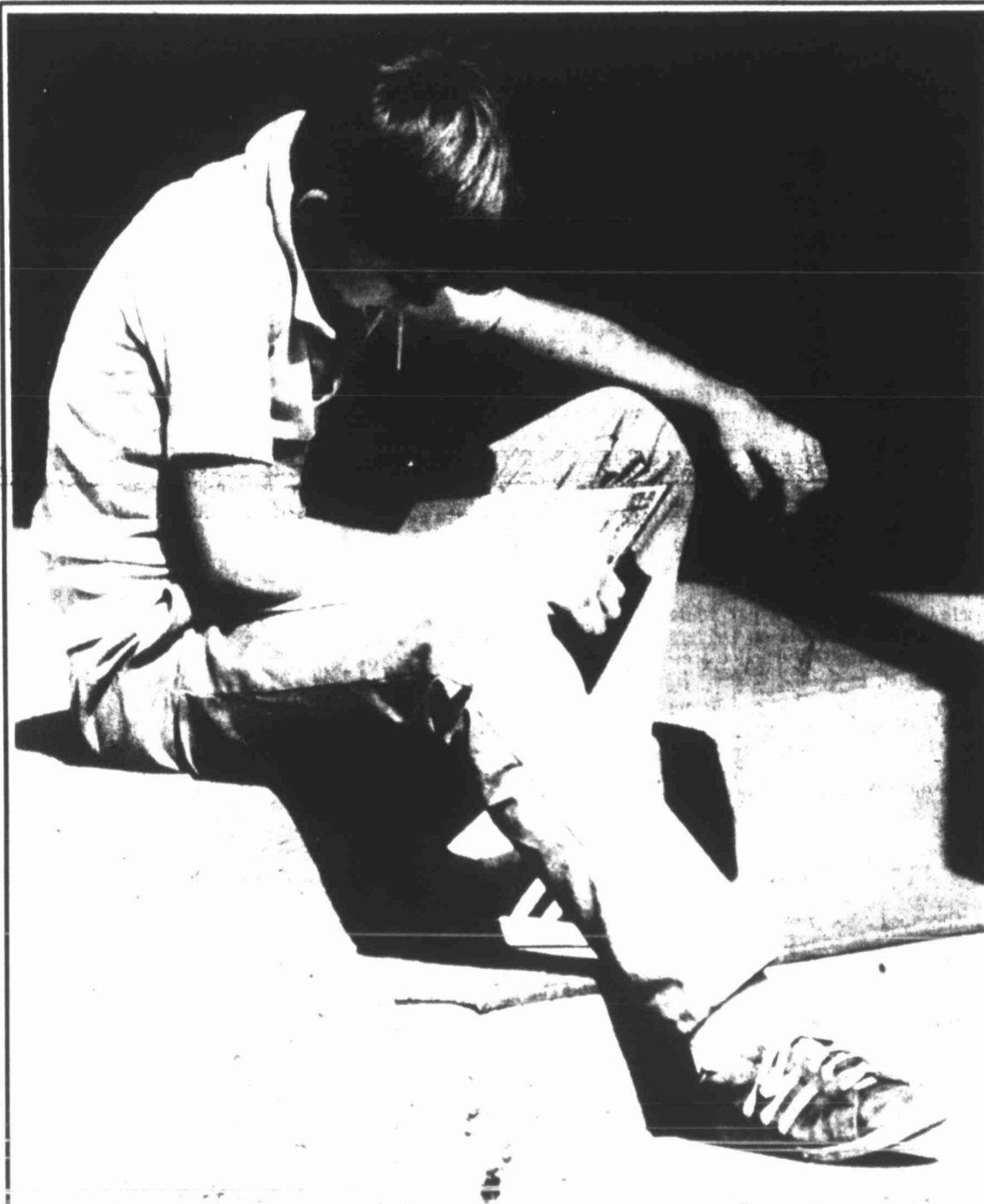
cut and still provide its services." Howard College president Bob Riley said the governor's order will have little effect on the college.

"I understand that's just for the government offices," he said. "Until we get more information, we aren't going to plan any changes at all."

Riley said the college is "pretty well funded through August," but cuts may affect next year's budget, which is being considered now.

"Emergency situations tend to arise in the state government rather regularly. Seemingly there is a solution out there without all of the (dire consequences) occurring," he said.

Hill said SWCID will be harder hit than Howard College because SWCID gets all its funding from the state. Howard College is funded partly by local taxes and partly by contact-hour funding from the state that already has been determined, he said.



Chris Abbott, 11, takes advantage of the record-breaking warm weather Wednesday to soak in the sun while reading some class work on the steps of Marcy Elementary.

Record high temps to turn cool

After two consecutive days of record-breaking temperatures and another expected record-breaker today, temperatures are expected to drop 20 degrees Friday to a high in the mid 60s. The thermometer reached 89 degrees Wednesday, breaking the 1930 record of 79 by 10

degrees. Tuesday, a high of 85 degrees broke the 1930 record of 80.

A record also was set Saturday, when temperatures reached 84 degrees, 2 degrees above the 1945 record.

Today, skies are partly cloudy and temperatures continue

warm with a record high in the upper 80s predicted and southwest winds at 10 to 20 miles per hour. Tonight, skies should be increasingly cloudy and cooler with a low in the mid 40s, as a cold front begins moving into the area. Friday, a low in the upper 30s is expected.

Reagan pushes new windfall tax linked to crude import fee

By WILLIAM GARLAND Harte-Hanks Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON - The Reagan administration has proposed to the Senate Finance Committee that a new windfall profit tax on crude oil — attached to an oil import fee — might help raise revenues as part of overall tax reform.

In an unreleased memo sent to members of the committee last week, an "alternative windfall profit tax" on crude oil was listed by the Treasury Department along with a number of other suggestions that could raise tax reform revenues.

The proposal would put a 50 percent alternative windfall profit tax on an oil producer's profits that result from an import fee on foreign oil.

Income to the federal government, as a result of an \$8 per barrel oil import fee plus the windfall pro-

fit tax on domestic producers, would provide almost \$100 billion in new federal revenue through 1990, according to the memo.

The current windfall profit tax on crude oil, enacted by Congress in 1980, is scheduled to phase out in the early 1990s. Most independent oil producers have stopped paying the windfall tax because the price of oil has gone below the level at which the levy is imposed.

The import fee issue has divided both the industry and Texas congressmen. The fee has been seen by many as a way of bolstering the domestic price of oil as the price continues to fall.

A subcommittee of the Senate Finance Committee has scheduled two days of hearings next week on import fee proposals, including a bill by Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, that would seek to establish a "floor" on domestic prices for oil.

Snyder man guilty of store robbery

By SCOTT FITZGERALD Staff Writer

Jimmy McBroom, 32, of Snyder was found guilty of aggravated robbery Wednesday night after three hours of deliberation by a four-man, eight-woman jury in 118th District Court.

The punishment phase of the trial began this morning, but the jury had not set punishment by press time.

District Attorney Rick Hamby asked jurors for a 15-year 1 day sentence. Defense attorney Robert Miller asked jurors to exercise "compassion" by granting probation for McBroom.

McBroom and two other men from Snyder robbed Big Mike's Liquor store of \$486.70 on Jan. 10. They were arrested shortly after the robbery on FM 669 by Howard County Game Warden Wayne Armstrong, who found two loaded guns belonging to McBroom in his car. The accomplices, Robert Lee

Baker, 28, and Craig Sherman Bailey, 17, both of Snyder, pleaded guilty to the robbery last month. Baker was given a 12-year prison sentence, and Bailey was sentenced to seven years by District Judge James Gregg.

McBroom claimed during the trial that he was driver of the car, but did not know a robbery had taken place until Bailey showed him the money.

Both Baker and Bailey testified Wednesday afternoon that McBroom did not know of the robbery, but they gave differing accounts of what happened.

Liquor store owner Gus Tatom identified Baker and Bailey as the two men who entered the store that evening to purchase a half-gallon of whiskey.

Tatom said Baker pointed a gun at him when he reached the counter and demanded cash from the register and the store owner's

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Foreman enters race for school board seat

By SPENCER SANDOW Staff Writer

Jaime Baldwin, the most recent candidate to join the race for the Big Spring Independent School District board of trustees, said he is concerned with the number of students not passing.

Baldwin, electronics cable foreman at Big Spring Federal Prison Camp, is running for one of three at-large positions on the school board. The election will be April 5.

Other candidates for the positions are Larry Phillippe, Teddy

Griffith, Dock Voorhies and incumbents Bill Brooks and Dan Wise.

"I'm concerned about the kids not passing the grades in school (and about) suspensions," Baldwin said this week.

One problem, he said, is that learning problems in students are not detected early enough.

Another concern, said Baldwin, is the issuing of unexcused absences. If a student receives five unexcused absences, he doesn't pass to the next grade.

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JAIME BALDWIN running for school board

Engineer testifies he opposed space launch

BRIGHAM CITY, Utah (AP) — Managers of the company that makes the space shuttle booster rockets initially opposed a cold weather liftoff but withdrew their objections the night before Challenger's ill-fated launch, despite the reservations of at least one engineer, a company executive said.

Morton Thiokol engineer Allan J. McDonald, a 26-year veteran of the company, said Wednesday he testified last week at a closed hearing of the presidential commission investigating the Jan. 28 disaster

that he had urged against launching the shuttle.

But Thomas Russell, vice president for corporate development and strategic planning in the company's Chicago headquarters, said Wednesday that new, last-minute information persuaded top Morton Thiokol managers to approve the launch.

He declined to reveal exactly what prompted the company to withdraw its original objections.

"Initially, Morton Thiokol was not in favor of a launch," Russell

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Names in the news

DEVONPORT, England — PRINCE ANDREW celebrated his 26th birthday away from his current flame, Sarah Ferguson, with his fellow officers on board the Royal Navy ship HMS Brazen.

Andrew, a helicopter pilot in the Royal Navy, was busy below decks as the frigate arrived Wednesday at this southwestern English port after exercises in the North Sea.

In London, the press was busy trailing Miss Ferguson, the woman widely touted to be the prince's future bride. She refused to comment to reporters about her relationship with the second son of Queen Elizabeth II.



PRINCE ANDREW ...has birthday on ship



"BUZZ" ALDRIN ...guest on kid's show

LOS ANGELES — Astronaut EDWIN "BUZZ" ALDRIN will appear on NBC's "Punky Brewster" show to help young viewers cope with the deaths of the seven astronauts aboard the space shuttle challenger, the series' creator says.

Executive producer David Duclon, who wrote the episode scheduled for broadcast March 9, said he was inspired by news coverage of how children who saw the shuttle explosion on television were affected by it.

Aldrin, who made man's first visit to the moon's surface with Neil Armstrong in 1969, will appear

as himself. He tells Punky, played by Soleil Moon Frye, about the risks that all explorers take.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — JOHNNY PAYCHECK and TANYA TUCKER are among more than three dozen country music stars lined up for the 10-hour "Thunder Across America" benefit concert for the American Indian on March

22. "We have a long way to go," country singer Bobby Storm said Wednesday. Storm, a full-blooded Cherokee, heads Save the Original Red Man Inc., the fund-raising group sponsoring the event in the 9,900-seat Municipal Auditorium.

Other performers scheduled to appear include Johnny Rodriguez, Faron Young and Gus Hardin,

Storm said. Tickets cost \$10 and concertgoers are asked to bring canned food for needy Indians.

Storm would not estimate how much will be raised, but said, "If we raise just \$20, it's worth the effort." The group's seven-member board of directors will decide how the proceeds are used, he said.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Entertainer DANNY THOMAS, who founded St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 25 years ago, has urged the Legislature to keep its promise to boost medical school research into children's diseases.

Thomas told Tennessee lawmakers Wednesday that the state's promise to boost research funding at the University of Tennessee medical school kept St. Jude from leaving Memphis for St. Louis in February.

"When our doors opened in 1962, children went there to die," Thomas said of St. Jude, a leading research institution in such childhood diseases as leukemia. "Now, we're pushing 60 percent cured, better than 50 percent."

Gov. Lamar Alexander later said the state has pledged to spend \$50 million over the next five years to upgrade research at the UT medical school, also in Memphis. At least \$10 million would go toward research on children's diseases.

Weather

The Forecast

Low Temperatures: 40, 50, 60, 70

FRONTS: Warm, Cold, Occluded, Stationary

Shows: Showers, Rain, Flurries, Snow

Police Beat

Video machines burglarized

Teresa Thomas, owner of the Circle J Restaurant, 1200 E. Fourth St., told police Wednesday morning that someone stole \$500 in change after causing \$200 damage to a glass frame and \$375 damage to 10 video machines during a break-in of the business between 10:30 p.m. Tuesday and 6:15 a.m. Wednesday.

Patti Losell of 2205 Alabama St. told police Wednesday morning that someone she knows struck her with a hard object at the corner of 19th and Johnson Streets Wednesday morning. According to the complaint, Losell suffered bruises to her left leg.

Luanna Ramos of 1502 Mesa St. told police Wednesday night that someone she knows struck her with a beer bottle outside 1324 Utah St. Wednesday night. Ramos suffered abrasions to her face and a swollen eye, according to the report.

Sonia Hill of 1210 Carr Lane told police Wednesday night that someone stole her wallet containing \$580 while she was inside the Bowl-A-Rama Wednesday night.

Melessa Parker of 1204 S. Gregg St. told police Wednesday night that someone she knows assaulted Richard Parker of the same address at his residence Wednesday night. Before leaving, the man kicked and caused an undetermined amount of damage to a glass window and two doors.

Paul Nabors, owner of College Automatic Laundry, 1604 E. Fourth St., told police Wednesday morning

that someone stole \$10 and caused an undetermined amount of damage to a video machine between 4 p.m. Tuesday and 6:30 a.m. Wednesday.

Becky Hall of Gail Route Box 460 told police Wednesday morning that someone caused an undetermined amount of damage to a plate glass window and a glass door at the office of John R. Fish, 207 E. Seventh St. According to the complaint, a rock was thrown through the window.

Doris Steele of 508 Westover St. Apt. 207 Building 7 told police Wednesday morning that someone stole a \$175 bicycle with a black frame and red and blue tires from outside her residence. The theft occurred between 3 p.m. Sunday and 1 a.m. Monday, according to the complaint.

Yongyudh Pibulthapattana, owner of Terry's Drive In, 1307 E. Fourth St., told police Wednesday morning that someone damaged two glass doors and three coin-operated machines before removing an undetermined amount of coins from the machine between 10 p.m. Tuesday and 6:50 a.m. Wednesday.

Kathy Rupard, 28, of Route 3 Box 125 was arrested early this morning on suspicion of driving while intoxicated.

William Lang, 20, of Garden City was arrested Wednesday night in connection with the theft of \$22 worth of items at the TG&Y Store, 501 Birdwell Lane, Wednesday night.

Chamber names chairmen

The Chamber of Commerce approved chairmen for its health and safety committee at a meeting Wednesday.

Dr. Alice B. Haynes will be chairman, and Dr. Charles Rainwater and Kathy Viccinelli will be co-chairmen.

In other business, the chamber:

- Approved the Ambassadors' request to sponsor the Fourth of July fireworks.
- Approved a \$900 down payment on the next belt buckle in the series of Big Spring buckles. This buckle will depict rodeo events.
- Rejected a request by the American Chamber of Commerce

Executives to sell them names of local members.

Arnold Marshall, chairman of the Transportation Committee, announced that the Highway Department would pursue making two FM 700 extensions, connecting the road to Highways 87 and 350, if the chamber could provide the right-of-way.

Announced a new city map will be published with ads selling for \$175 each. A three-year supply of 30,000 maps will be published.

Crimestoppers awarded \$1,200 to three confidential informers this month.

Deaths

Charles Austin

Graveside services for Charles L. Austin, 59, of Big Spring will be at 10 a.m. Friday at the Big Spring State Hospital Cemetery. Chaplain Mike Perry will officiate under direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He died Saturday afternoon, Feb. 15, at Malone-Hogan Hospital after a long illness.

Edward Acri Sr.

Services for Edward Acri Sr., 81, father of a Big Spring man, will be conducted Saturday by Fiero Funeral Home. Burial will be in the Mother of Grace Catholic Cemetery.

He died Thursday, Feb. 20, after a short illness.

He was preceded in death by his wife.

He is survived by a son, Edward Acri Jr. of Big Spring; two daughters, Mrs. John Bangon of Roslyn, Penn., and Margaret Ann Gomeeda of Brington, N.J.; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was employed by International Harvester before retirement.

Clinton Hull Jr.

Services for Clinton Franklin Hull Jr., 39, of 2309 Allendale will be Friday at 2 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Bobby Fuller, pastor at College Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

He died Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 19, at Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born June 3, 1946, in Big Spring and married Sandra Allen, Feb. 22, 1980, in Big Spring. He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and a lifetime resident of Big Spring and Coahoma. He graduated from Coahoma High School in 1964.

He served in the Naval Reserves and went to work for Corden Oil and Gas in 1966. He was working in the asphalt division at the time of his death. He was a member of the International Operating Engineers Local 826.

He is survived by wife, Sandra of Big Spring; two sons, Scott Hull and Travis Hull of Big Spring; a daughter, Britton Hull; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hull Sr. of Midway; and two stepsons, Todd Tubb and Tim Tubb of Big Spring.

Pallbearers will be Mike Carey, Pat McMahan, Paul Jenkins, Duane Murphee, Leonard Sneed, Johnnie D. Wright, Aaron Combs and Noel R. Harvell Jr.

Juliana Lopez

Rosary for Juliana Lopez, 78, of 605 N.E. Ninth St., will be Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. at St. Thomas Catholic Church with the Rev. Vreteau Partor officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

She died Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 19, at a local hospital after a long illness.

She was born Dec. 19, 1907, in Juanao, Mexico. She married Francisco Lopez in 1920 in Manuel Doblado, Mexico. He died May 1, 1965.

She was a member of St. Thomas Catholic Church. She moved to Big Spring in 1958 from Altus, Okla. She is survived by two sons, Jose J. Lopez of Big Spring and Agapita

Lopez of Mercedes; a daughter, Francisca Rameriz of Mexico City; two sisters, Luc Becerra and Juana Mendez, both of Juanao; four brothers, Jesus Becerra, Don Acrao Becerra, Ponciano Becerra and Costancio Bercerra, all of Juanao, Mexico; 17 grandchildren; and 34 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Elias Chavez, Adolph Garcia, Leo Escoveda, Genaro Yanez, Fred Gutierrez Jr. and Arturo Yanez.

Thelma Neal

Services for Thelma Neal, 84, longtime resident of Big Spring, are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She died Wednesday evening, Feb. 19, at Mountain Home, Ark.

Holland Parks

DALLAS — Graveside services for Holland Parks, 62, of Big Spring are set for 3 p.m. today at Grove Hill Memorial Park with the Rev. Roy G. Sims Jr. of Dallas officiating, directed by Troy Suggs Funeral Home. Local arrangements are being handled by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He died Tuesday, Feb. 18, in a local hospital after a long illness. He recently moved to Big Spring from Dallas. He was a member of Owenwood Methodist Church in Dallas and the Big Spring Masonic Lodge No. 1340.

He is survived by his wife, Rose Mary; two sons, James Holland Parks and Ray Lawrence Pruge Jr.; three daughters, Leta Ruth Knight III, Carol Louise Azad and Peggy Lynn Tedder; his mother, Mrs. H.O. Parks of Dallas; his brother, Richard E. Parks; his sister, Caroline Hillers; and 12 grandchildren.

Jessie Trim

WACO — Graveside services for Mrs. Jessie Bert Trim, 80, of Waco, mother of a Big Spring man, will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Waco Memorial Park, with the Rev. Travis Gibson of the Highland Baptist Church officiating. Directing is Wilkerson-Hatch Funeral Home.

She died Wednesday, Feb. 19, after a long illness.

She is survived by two sons, Walter R. Trim of Big Spring and Gerrold M. Trim of Dallas, and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Walter F. Trim, in 1981.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society.

Ruth Reese

Services for Mrs. J.O. (Ruth) Reese, 83, of 2704 Central are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. She died Thursday, Feb. 19, at 12:55 a.m. in Malone-Hogan Hospital after a long illness.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

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Sheriff's Log

2 released after serving time

Howard County sheriff's deputies released two men from county jail after they served time for DWI convictions.

Jerry L. Bullard, 31, of Gail route Box 152 and Louis Alan Weaver, 35, of Odessa were released Wednesday morning.

Texas Ranger Charles Brune

and an Andrews County sheriff's deputy arrested Joe Edgar Hollingshed, 39, of Sterling City Route Box T33D on a warrant charging him with theft over \$200 and under \$750.

He was released on \$3,000 bond Wednesday afternoon.

Trial

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Baker, who is McBroom's brother-in-law, told jurors he had taken a gun from McBroom's house, loaded it, and "would have used it" had Tatom not complied with his demand.

He said he stole the money because he wanted to pay back a rent debt to his brother-in-law. He further testified that McBroom was unaware of the robbery and unaware that his pistol had been used until after the three fled the scene.

Baker said he pulled the money from a paper sack, and began counting and handing it out to

McBroom and Bailey moments before they spotted the game warden on FM 669.

Bailey, however, testified that Baker began counting out the cash before the trio had turned off on FM 669.

Deputy sheriff Carl Thurman told jurors that during the booking procedure at the sheriff's office, McBroom had \$255.75 of the stolen money. Bailey had \$120 and Baker had \$111.

Bailey also said McBroom was not present at a Snyder cafe when he and Baker plotted the robbery three days before it occurred.

Baker said McBroom was present, though he didn't join in the conversation.

Earlier Monday, Armstrong, who arrested the trio, testified that the pistol used in the robbery belonged to McBroom.

McBroom told jurors the gun was his, but that he was unaware his pistol was in the car until after Armstrong produced it during the arrest.

The defendant also said he was an "easy-going" person and did not plead his innocence until after three days in the county jail because "I figured no one would believe me."

3 hurt in separate wrecks

Three people were treated at Malone-Hogan hospital Wednesday after two separate motor vehicle mishaps in Big Spring.

John Truscott III, 18, of Sterling City Route Box 1576 was listed in stable condition this morning following surgery Wednesday night, said a hospital spokeswoman.

He was struck by a car while riding his motorcycle on Drivers Road, according to the police accident report.

The car, driven by 39-year-old June Jobe of Sterling City Route, Box 44D, turned left from South U.S. Highway 87 into Truscott's path and struck him, according to the accident report. Jobe told

police she did not see Truscott before making the turn.

Earlier, 5-year-old Christy Hambrick and 16-year-old Margaret Hambrick were treated and released from Malone-Hogan after the car in which they were passengers was involved in an accident on E. Third St. Wednesday evening.

According to police, a car driven by Margaret Hambrick, 24, was traveling west alongside another westbound car driven by Roger Dalton, 45, of No. 1 Courtney Place Apt. 707. Dalton turned left into the path of Hambrick's car, and the vehicles collided, the accident report shows.

The occupants of both cars were wearing seatbelts, the report indicated.

3 nabbed in cocaine bust

Three Big Spring residents were arrested Wednesday for delivery of about two ounces of cocaine with a street value of \$10,000, police said today.

The buy-buck bust was executed by an agent of the Drug Enforcement Agency's Midland office and by four Big Spring investigators,

along with Police Chief Rick Turner.

Turner said the bust had been planned over a period of several months. He said the names of those arrested are being withheld until they are arraigned in federal court this afternoon in Abilene.

3rd council candidate files

A third candidate for City Council filed Wednesday afternoon, the deadline for filing for the April 6 election.

John L. Whitmire of 600 Sycamore, who is employed by D&M Bail Bond Service, added his name to the list of candidates for District 2 councilman, currently

held by Larry Miller who will not run for re-election.

Other candidates for the position are D.W. Overman and Tim Blackshear.

Two candidates will battle for the post of mayor, Cotton Mize and Troy Fraser.

School

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"I don't understand why," Baldwin said. "I don't know whether the kids are getting a good deal."

He said he also wishes to investigate the teacher career ladder system. "There's a lot of dissension," he said.

Baldwin and his wife, Mary, have four children: Jaline Jr., Juan, Martin and Marisol.

He describes himself as a self-educated former migrant worker.

Shuttle

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said. "At a subsequent time in the early evening (of Jan. 27), after considering some additional information, Morton Thiokol was in a position to recommend a launch."

He is a veteran of the Army and has a management and accounting background. He was a police officer in Homestead, Fla., for five years and was a sales manager at Fleet Tire Service in Big Spring.

Baldwin coaches the Howard County Boxing Team and is a sponsor of the Ebony Culture Club at the prison. He is a past Jaycee member, and has worked on community projects for the Salvation Army, the Chamber of Commerce and Westside Community Center.

pany's Wasatch Division near Brigham City then decided to recommend a launch based on new information, Russell said.

He declined to say whether the decision was made over the objections of some Morton Thiokol engineers.

But McDonald, of Pleasant View, said he told the commission that his objections were overruled by his boss, Joe Kilminster, who transmitted a launch-approval letter to NASA.

MYERS & SMITH
Funeral Home and Chapel

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U.S. reassures Grenada

WASHINGTON — President Reagan, flying to Grenada for a hero's welcome, says the United States stands ready to help if the tiny Caribbean island, which U.S. troops invaded in 1983, is threatened with a violent uprising. Administration officials said Reagan, who plans to lay a wreath at a monument to the 19 U.S. servicemen who died in the invasion, also would announce steps to strengthen his administration's 12-year plan to bolster sagging Caribbean economies.

NASA job for astronaut

WASHINGTON — Former astronaut Richard Truly is in line to take over the battered space shuttle program, sources close to the program say, moving in as a presidential commission widens its probe into the Challenger accident that killed seven crew members in the nation's worst space tragedy. The sources, speaking Wednesday only on condition of anonymity, said Truly's appointment would be made official today by William Graham, acting administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Trapped women rescued

STANLEY, Idaho — Two women trapped more than four days between snowdrifts on a highway have been rescued after being found wrapped in a blanket under 5 feet of snow, authorities said.

Sherrita Renne, 19, and Lydia Benham, 18, both of Boise, "were in pretty good shape considering their experience," said Marie Osborn, the nurse on duty at the Salmon River Emergency Clinic in Stanley, where they were taken after being rescued Wednesday night.

Michener is recovering

AUSTIN — Author James Michener, whose most recent best-seller is the novel "Texas," is recuperating in stable condition at Seton Medical Center after undergoing a quintuple heart bypass operation.

Michener, 79, author of more than 30 books, was hospitalized Saturday after arriving at the emergency room complaining of chest pains, hospital spokeswoman Linda McFarland said Wednesday.

Filipino journalist slain

LOS ANGELES — The slaying of an American-based Filipino journalist after he received a threatening note had the mark of a professional killer, says his publisher, whose newspaper opposed the Marcos government.

Oscar Salvatierra, 41, was killed by a gunman who entered his suburban Glendale home and shot him several times, just a day after he received in the mail a note threatening his life. The FBI is investigating the slaying.

Salvatierra was the Los Angeles bureau chief of the San Francisco-based Philippine News, a weekly that had frequently editorialized against the government of President Ferdinand Marcos.



Opposition leader Corazon Aquino greets Ambassador Pedro Ortiz Armengol of Spain, right, Thursday at her Manila headquarters. Others are Ambassador Wiegner Heilema, wearing white shirt, from the Netherlands, and Ambassador Robin G.T. McLaren of Great Britain.

Philippines

Pressure mounting to punish Marcos

WASHINGTON (AP) — With anger still building over the Philippine election, a plan to curb American aid to the government of President Ferdinand Marcos won key converts while the Reagan administration said it prized democracy more than two strategic U.S. military bases in that country.

"We have a big stake there," Secretary of State George P. Shultz told the Senate Budget Committee Wednesday, referring to Clark Air Base and Subic Bay in the Philippines, the largest American bases outside the United States.

But he added: "We have a stake in freedom. We have a stake in democracy. Let's put that first, over and above the bases."

Meanwhile, Corazon Aquino met with diplomats from more than a dozen European nations and Japan, and told them she was determined to assume the presidency of the Philippines at the "earliest possible time."

She also rejected suggestions that the bitterly contested election won by President Marcos be annulled and said there was more at stake than "the petulance of a spoiled and aging dictator who tried to cheat... and failed."

The desire to punish Marcos quickly was also reflected in the Senate's overwhelming approval Wednesday of a resolution declaring the presidential election results were "marked by such widespread fraud that they cannot be considered a fair reflection of the will of the people of the Philippines." The vote was 85-9.

The administration urged caution on a more substantive proposal to curb American aid, which amounts to \$245 million for fiscal 1986. Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger warned that cutting off military aid could play into the hands of communist insurgents.

At the same time, it was known that the White House hopes special envoy Philip C. Habib will find some way in which Marcos and his challenger, Corazon Aquino, can share power. Habib, who was sent to Manila by President Reagan, has been silent about his talks there and is not expected to return home before the weekend.

But on Capitol Hill, momentum was building behind a proposal by Rep. Stephen J. Solarz, D-N.Y., to put most aid funds into an escrow account until Marcos was replaced by another government.

The Marcos-controlled National Assembly declared Marcos the victor over Mrs. Aquino, although she also has declared victory.

Solarz, chairman of the House subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, said Wednesday he had reached "a kind of agreement in principle" with the chairmen of the House and Senate foreign affairs committees to place in escrow this year's unspent U.S. security assistance and \$197.7 million requested for fiscal 1987.

Solarz said under the agreement with Rep. Dante Fascell, D-Fla., and Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Ind., the funds would be released with "the establishment of a legitimate government in the Philippines that has the confidence of the Filipino people."

World

By Associated Press

Hussein view studied

MANAMA, Bahrain — Palestine Liberation Organization Chairman Yasser Arafat met with his top aides in Iraq today to consider Jordanian King Hussein's decision to suspend his efforts to include Arafat in the Middle East peace process, sources said.

PLO officials in Baghdad, reached by telephone, said Arafat would not make any comment on Hussein's action until after meeting with his aides.

Space station launched

MOSCOW — The Soviet Union today launched a new space station that is designed to become the primary building block of a permanently manned orbital complex, the official Tass news agency said.

The space station, named Mir, or Peace, has six docking ports to accommodate other craft ferrying in cosmonauts and supplies, and also contains advanced equipment for flight control and research, Tass said.

Soviet television showed a brief film clip of the liftoff from the central Asian Cosmodrome at 12:29 a.m., but little detail of the new space platform was visible.

Iranian plane blown up

TEHRAN, Iran — Iran said one of its passenger planes on a domestic flight between Tehran and Ahvaz was attacked by an Iraqi jet fighter today and blown up in the sky.

The official Islamic Republic News Agency said the attack occurred about noon local time.

Ahvaz is some 330 miles southwest of Tehran, and about 60 miles east of Iraq. Iran and Iraq have been fighting a border war for 5½ years that intensified with an Iranian offensive that began on Feb. 9.

Chinese rapists killed

PEKING — Their heads bowed and arms bound, two sons of senior officials and a co-defendant all convicted of multiple rape were paraded before 3,000 spectators and then executed by firing squad in Shanghai, official reports said today.

The men were convicted of individually raping or gang raping six women, three attempted rapes, and seduction or indecent behavior toward 42 other women. The offenses took place in seven provinces, the Shanghai newspaper Jiefang Ribao reported.

Tutu may meet Botha

CAPE TOWN, South Africa — A church delegation including Bishop Desmond Tutu went to President P.W. Botha's residence today, planning to meet with the South African leader for the first time since the country's racial unrest broke out 17 months ago.

But the South African Broadcasting Corp. reported that it was unclear whether the group actually met with Botha or whether they met other senior officials.

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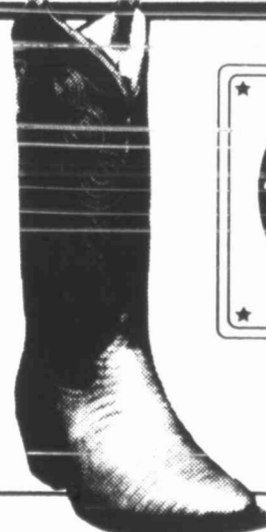
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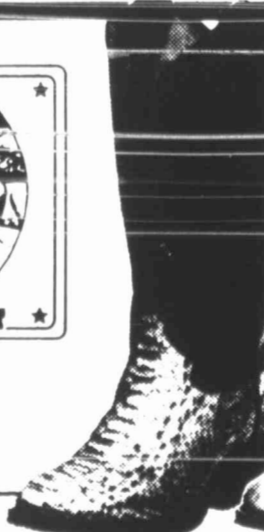
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Opinion

Davis built team of quality in city

It is with a certain degree of sadness that we bid adieu to Don Davis, who resigned this week after seven years as Big Spring city manager.

Davis' tenure was remarkable both for its longevity and for its accomplishments.

All but the most recent arrivals in Big Spring will recall the volatile political climate that existed here in the 1970s and the constant turmoil within the city. Those passions were cooled by Davis' obvious competence and professionalism.

Among the less visible accomplishments was a thorough upgrading of the city staff and building a quality management team. That alone has allowed the city to continue to improve its service and infrastructure at a time when the local economic base was declining and resources were getting more scarce.

It took a great deal of leadership and gumption to recommend to the city council the construction of a large hanger at the industrial park in order to try to lure new industry. That hanger now houses Western Container's bottle manufacturing operations.

The most visible accomplishment has to be the capital improvements program which has done wonders in improving Big Spring's streets, sewers and water lines. With judicious use of available funds, the capital program will accomplish even more than was promised when the voters approved it.

During Davis' term the city also has constructed its trash bailer which will extend the life of the city landfill, improved the facilities at Comanche Trail Park, built a new animal shelter and currently is renovating the municipal auditorium. There are other things, to be sure, but these serve to present the picture of Davis' contributions to Big Spring.

We also must acknowledge that Davis leaves Big Spring with some problems. The city now has some of the highest sewer and water fees in West Texas, a situation that will make it difficult for the city to attract new industries.

Then there are the recent revelations that the city has failed to meet the Environmental Protection Agency's standards on wastewater discharges despite a multi-million dollar reconstruction of the treatment plant. Big Spring still could face some staggering fines for that failure.

The sewer plant situation is what we believe prompted Davis' decision to resign. As a true professional, he has shouldered the responsibility and has taken an action that will allow a new city manager to avoid carrying any burden of blame.

We urge the city council to be patient and demanding in finding a new city manager. The quality staff and management team can carry on the business of the city for some time.

We wish Don Davis well in his future endeavors.

Mailbag

Prison terms show that life is cheap

To the editor:

This is in response to an article of 1/24/86 that appeared in the Big Spring Herald regarding three prisoners being transferred to prison.

I am in hopes that an attorney or a judge can clarify for me what seems to be a gross miscarriage of justice on the part of our court system.

The prisoner accused of sexual

assault drew a 15-year sentence. An aggravated robbery charge resulted in a 12-year sentence.

The one accused of involuntary manslaughter was sentenced to 10 years.

Can it be, based on lengths of sentences, that the taking of a life is really less serious than the other two crimes since the manslaughter charge drew the lesser sentence?

I welcome an explanation for these terms that to me seem incompatible with the respective crimes.

ALTHEA M. POTTER
1103 E. 15th St.

Today

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, Feb. 20, the 51st day of 1986. There are 314 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Feb. 20, 1962, astronaut John Glenn became the first American to orbit Earth after blasting off aboard the Friendship 7 Mercury capsule.

On this date:

In 1792, President George Washington signed an act creating the U.S. Post Office.

In 1809, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that the power of the federal government is greater than that of any individual state.

In 1839, Congress prohibited dueling in the District of Columbia.

In 1896, American abolitionist Frederick Douglass died in Washington.

In 1933, the House of Representatives completed congressional actions on an amendment to repeal Prohibition.

In 1938, Anthony Eden resigned

as British foreign secretary, charging Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain with appeasing Nazi Germany.

In 1965, the Ranger 8 spacecraft crashed on the moon after sending back thousands of pictures of the lunar surface.

In 1971, radio and television stations across the U.S. were erroneously ordered by the National Emergency Warning Center in Colorado to leave the air. The mistake was not resolved for more than a half hour.

In 1972, columnist and radio commentator Walter Winchell died in Los Angeles.

Ten years ago: Wall Street had its busiest day in history as more than 44½ million shares changed hands.

Five years ago: The three engines of the space shuttle Columbia were test fired in unison for the first time in preparation of the first shuttle flight in April.

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NRA steps up campaign



By JACK ANDERSON and JOSEPH SPEAR
WASHINGTON — Vote hunters of the National Rifle Association are quietly stalking their prey on Capitol Hill: They need 52 more members of the House to pass a bill that would seriously weaken the 1968 Gun Control Act.

Also prowling the congressional thicket in search of votes in Handgun Control Inc., which needs 38 additional House members to vote against the NRA-favored bill and kill it. The anti-gun group already has the names of 180 members who have promised to oppose the new bill; a majority of the House membership — 218 — is necessary either to keep the legislation hibernating in the Judiciary Committee or force it out for a floor vote.

Last November, we reported that 68 members had signed a discharge petition to disgorge it from the committee. Despite the wall of secrecy erected around the signatures, we identified 31 who had signed, and disclosed that they had received a total of \$275,002 in donations from the rifle association's political fund since 1983.

Since then, the NRA has been working hard — and with obvious success — to track down more signatories for the discharge petition. Part of its lobbying effort, as usual, is to call on its membership for grass-roots pressure on individual members of the House. A Jan. 24 mailing reported that 158 (the figure had grown to 166 when we went to press) signatures had been collected, and told NRA members bluntly:

"If your congressman doesn't sign the discharge petition on the 'Firearms Owners Protection Act,' he's not working for gun and hunting rights in America. It's that plain and simple."

With the help of Handgun Control, we have identified 114 House members, not previously disclosed, who have signed the discharge petition to bring the bill to a vote. Our associate Tony Capaccio has checked campaign contribution records, which show that of the 145 supporters of the petition, 124 have received a total of \$506,291 in NRA donations since 1983. Here are the newly identified members who have received more than \$1,000:

Alabama: William Dickinson, R, \$15,488; Richard Shelby, D, \$1,300.

- Alaska: Don Young, R, \$5,007.
- Arizona: John McCain, R, \$1,057; Jim Kolbe, R, \$5,007.
- California: Charles Pashayan, R, \$2,307; David Dreier, R, \$2,057; Robert Dornan, R, \$4,950; Bill Lowery, R, \$1,759; Duncan Hunter, R, \$7,500.
- Colorado: Michael Strang, R, \$6,299.
- Florida: Michael Bilirakis, R, \$10,194; Andy Ireland, R, \$5,007; Tom Lewis, R, \$3,250.
- Georgia: Roy J. Rowland, D, \$4,950.
- Iowa: Cooper Evans, R, \$2,500.
- Kentucky: Gene Snyder, R, \$5,719; Larry Hopkins, R, \$1,500; Carl Perkins, D, \$5,707.
- Maine: John McKernan, R, \$5,450.
- Michigan: Bob Traxler, D, \$2,000.
- Minnesota: Vin Weber, R, \$2,300.
- Missouri: Robert Young, D, \$2,509; Gene Taylor, R, \$1,750.
- Mississippi: Webb Franklin, R, \$6,367; Wayne Dowdy, D, \$3,307; Trent Lott, R, \$5,250.
- Nebraska: Hal Daub, R, \$2,057.
- New Jersey: Dean Gallo, R, \$6,284; Jim Saxton, R, \$5,007.
- New York: Jack Kemp, R, \$9,950.
- North Carolina: Tim Valentine, D, \$4,950; William Cobey, R, \$8,041; Howard Coble, R, \$2,057; W.G. Hefner, D, \$2,807.
- Ohio: Delbert Latta, R, \$3,600.
- Oregon: Robert Smith, R, \$3,057; Denny Smith, R, \$5,450.
- Pennsylvania: Don Ritter, R, \$2,562.
- South Carolina: Floyd Spence, R, \$3,250.
- Tennessee: James Quillen, R, \$5,500; Marilyn Lloyd, D, \$5,500; Bart Gordon, D, \$5,450; Don Sundquist, R, \$5,000.
- Texas: Steve Bartlett, R, \$2,500; Joe Barton, R, \$2,000; Mac Sweeney, R, \$4,950; Richard Arney, R, \$2,000.
- Virginia: Dan Daniel, D, \$2,307.
- Wisconsin: James Sensenbrenner, R, \$2,500.

Footnote: Of the 145 House members we've identified as signers of the discharge petition, 21 have received no donations from the rifle association since 1983.

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

Insight

Challenger tragedy changes outlook

By HARRY F. ROSENTHAL
WASHINGTON (AP) — In all the years of its existence, NASA has been the coddled darling of Congress. What NASA wants, NASA gets — that's how it used to be.

But the Challenger tragedy, bursting the space agency's reputation for triumph-optimism, has changed all that.

Senators used to come to NASA hearings wearing their best smile to be photographed with astronauts. On Tuesday, in the first congressional look into the space shuttle explosion, they snarled.

"At this juncture, it seems to have been an avoidable accident instead of an unavoidable one," said Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C., when the hearing of the Senate science subcommittee had barely gotten under way.

The senators questioned everything from the way the space agency makes launch-no-launch decisions to its priorities to its operations without a permanent chief. One senator even put officials on the spot on whether they were more loyal to the White House than to Congress.

NASA's acting administrator William Graham and shuttle director Jesse Moore were asked about the O-rings on the shuttle booster rockets, the cold at the launch pad and other suspected causes of the Jan. 28 explosion. Their replies fell on skeptical ears.

"I think the record on this particular issue calls into question the way alarm bells are heard or rung," said Sen. Albert Gore Jr., D-Tenn.

Hollings was dissatisfied after one exchange with Graham and pointed out that he sat on three Senate committees dealing with NASA.

— the budget, oversight and appropriations committees.

"I got you coming three ways," he said. Gore asked the acting administrator about James M. Beggs, the agency chief who is on leave to defend himself against a criminal indictment in an unrelated case.

"Who is in charge at NASA?" Gore asked. "I am, Sen. Gore," said Graham.

Gore then said he heard Beggs has been coming to his office daily and issuing instructions to officials, including Graham.

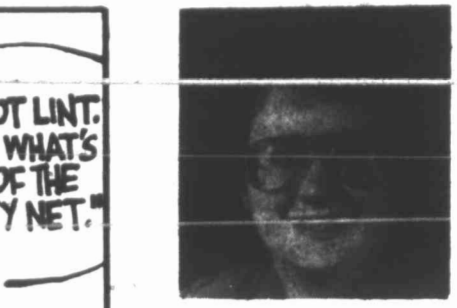
"That's inaccurate," said Graham. Gore complained about Beggs "not being fully gone, still sort of there, but on leave and so forth," and added:

"I believe NASA needs a full time administrator, not an acting administrator, and an administrator who can take the helm and set the kind of tone that is going to be so critically needed in the aftermath of this difficult tragedy."

The senators were equally contentious with William Rogers, the chairman of the presidential commission investigating the accident, and Neil Armstrong, America's first moon-walker, who is the vice chairman.

When Hollings suggested the commission would not make much headway if it didn't hire investigators, Rogers replied: "I was a D.A. (District Attorney) for a long time and I know how to conduct criminal investigations."

Sen. Donald Riegle, D-Mich., asked if congressional staffers could sit in on the commission's executive meetings. No, said Rogers, citing the separation between executive and legislative branches. The commission was appointed by President Reagan and reports to



Around The Rim

Education will reduce crime

By SPENCER SANDOW

The governor of Virginia, Gerald L. Baliles, has come up with an idea that may both reduce crime and help criminals — a parole policy that demands functional literacy before an inmate is returned to society, according to an Associated Press story.

Statistics show that some 85 percent of juvenile delinquents and 60 percent of adult criminals are functionally illiterate, a number far disproportionate to society.

The figure suggests a relationship between illiteracy and crime. It could be that a reason for committing crime is a frustration at being unable to cope with society.

Baliles said that prisoners often find themselves unable to fill out job application forms or balance checkbooks, basic requirements for the way we live.

Without being able to even fill out a job application, the illiterate must often subsist on day-to-day jobs with low pay, if he can find work at all. In a highly literate-oriented society like ours, it is hard for him to keep up with the times, and hard to get even basic necessary information.

By giving parolees the knowledge they lack, the proposed Virginia policy would give them a better chance at surviving out of prison without resorting to crime to get what they need and want.

With education, standards of living tend to increase. That gives people a stake in society, which means they tend to cooperate with it rather than work against it.

No doubt the program will only give prisoners the basic knowledge needed to read, but that's a start. In other programs around the nation, an inmate can earn a high school or college degree by correspondence while still in prison.

Gov. Baliles is on the right track by suggesting the parole requirement. Let's get the program in Texas, where it will do a lot of good.

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

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Panel sets promotion guideline

The local Civil Service Commission decided Tuesday to round down to the next number when a fraction exists in selecting the top 30 percent of a civil service testing group.

Commission member Drew Mouton explained this morning that when no test takers score 70 percent on an exam, the alternative is to accept the top 30 percent of scorers as eligible for consideration for promotion.

Mouton said in some cases simple arithmetic makes selection of 30 percent of the men impossible. In many instances, the number of men selected may include a fraction, calling for a third or half a man to be considered.

He explained the ruling made one man ineligible for promotion this year. But, he said, no men who score a passing 70 need be concerned about the new ruling since they automatically are considered for advancement.

Nursing degree courses offered

Applications will be accepted through Feb. 28 for the Texas Tech University Health Science Center School of Nursing bachelor's degree program. The next classes will begin in June, according to a university news release.

Registered nurses from diploma and associate degree programs are eligible to receive credit for previous education. Upper division non-nursing courses, which may be required, are offered at various educational institutions throughout the Permian Basin.

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Election meeting set

Texas Supreme Court Justice Raul A. Gonzalez will have a press conference at the Municipal Airport at 8 a.m. Friday to kick off his campaign in West Texas.

Gonzalez was appointed to the Supreme Court by Governor Mark White in October, 1984 and is now running for his first term of elective office.

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The fair will commemorate Children's Dental Health Week, according to a news release.

Featured will be puppet shows, games, helicopter rides, videos and a toothbrush exchange, during which children can bring their old toothbrushes and exchange them for new ones.

The fair also will offer dental screenings by a dentist and toothbrushing instructions by dental hygiene students.

School band to contest in Midland

About 40 Big Spring High School band students will compete in a UIL solo and ensemble contest for AAAAA bands Saturday at Midland college.

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Blackwoods to perform in C-City

COLORADO CITY — The Blackwood Brothers, a Christian music group that has won nine Grammy Awards, will be in concert at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Colorado City school auditorium. Admission is free, but donations will be accepted, according to a news release.

Singing with the Blackwoods will be Everett Stagner, a local resident who has gone on tour with the group in China, Israel, Taiwan and South Africa.

In addition to the Grammys, the group has won several Dove

Awards for best male group and Gospel Music Awards for favorite group.

The group has been featured on "Hee Haw," "The 700 Club," "The PTL Club," "The Tennessee Ernie Ford Show," "The Tomorrow Show" with Tom Snyder, and most recently, "The Barbara Mandrell and the Mandrell Sisters" show.

The group has toured in 43 countries, including Communist-controlled China and the USSR, bringing in Bibles. Donations to the group go to purchase Bibles for people in Communist countries,

where they are often unavailable. The brothers got their start after the Depression in rural Claiborne County, Miss.

"They were poor share-croppers, but were brought up in an atmosphere of positive Christian faith," which led them to form the Blackwood Brothers Quartet in 1934, the release said.

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Housing starts show biggest gain in two years

WASHINGTON (AP) — Construction of new homes surged 15.7 percent in January, the biggest jump in almost two years, the government reported Wednesday.

The Commerce Department said new homes and apartments were started at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 2.09 million units in January, compared to a December rate of 1.8 million units.

The sharp increase, following a strong 9 percent December gain, was the healthiest since a 17 percent jump in housing starts in February 1984.

Deputy White House press secretary Larry Speakes hailed the figures as indicating "tremendous strength" in housing markets.

"This is solid evidence that the future of the nation's housing in-

dustry — indeed the entire economy — is solid," he said.

Several industry economists, heartened by the encouraging news, predicted the wave of good fortune could continue at least through the spring.

But Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige warned against expecting a housing boom to develop this year.

"Some indicators for home building are less favorable," Baldrige said in a statement.

He said that deposits to thrift institutions "remain sluggish, loan qualifying standards have been tightened and vacancy rates for rental housing in some regions are high. Thus, while boom conditions are not likely, we can look forward to a year of further gains from

1985's total (of housing starts)." Speakes applauded the new housing figures, along with Tuesday's stock market high, last week's producer price index showing inflation dropped at the wholesale level, and recent unemployment figures.

The big January improvement came from a sharp 24.5 percent jump in construction of single-family homes, which were built at

an annual rate of 1.95 million units last month.

The Commerce Department report said that fixed-rate, 25- to 30-year mortgages now are averaging around 10.75 percent, the lowest rate in almost seven years. Construction of multi-family units rose a smaller 2.5 percent to an annual rate of 735,000 units.

Glass found in two jars of baby food

By The Associated Press

Glass chunks have been found in two jars of Gerber baby food in Georgia, officials said, and a Miami couple reported finding slivers in two bottles of juice, but one company spokesman said there is no reason for concern.

The reports Tuesday followed complaints last week about glass in a jar of strained peaches that prompted dozens of upstate New York supermarkets to pull Gerber products off their shelves. Borman's Inc. of Detroit also removed the peach baby food from its 87 Farmer Jack stores in Michigan and Ohio, Borman's said Tuesday.

A Miami couple said Tuesday they found glass in apple-cherry juice. Police in Swainsboro, Ga., said Tuesday that they had found "chunks more than slivers" in at least two jars of Gerber baby food. Consumers in New York had said they found it in jars of bananas, peas and strained peaches.

Company spokesmen were unavailable for comment this morning on the latest reports, said a secretary at Gerber's Fremont, Mich., headquarters. She said officials were drafting a statement.

In Miami, WPLG-TV quoted a Gerber Product Inc. spokeswoman as saying the slivers apparently came from a jar that broke in a case of juice, and was an isolated incident. She said the glass was probably near the bottle's rim and was sucked in when the vacuum-seal top was broken.

The company said Monday it had found no evidence of glass in the peaches, in other jars in the store where that jar was purchased or in samples from that batch.

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Dear Abby

Man fears ex-wife will kiss and not tell

DEAR ABBY: I recently split up with my wife (I will pseudo-name her "Alice"), who has genital herpes. A number of my male friends are interested in dating her, and I know she's interested in dating them.

If I tell them she has herpes, I may be violating her rights. If I don't, and they catch it from her, I may not only lose my friends, but face a lawsuit. Others may be facing the same dilemma, so if you print this, please withhold my identity. Call me...

ALICE'S HUSBAND
DEAR HUSBAND: Be certain that your wife takes seriously her responsibility to warn those she could infect. I assume that you, too, have herpes, and are aware that a person with herpes can live quite normally with it between occasional outbreaks. But before you make any announcements to your friends, search your conscience for your motives — and don't try to pass off your anger as altruism.

DEAR ABBY: In a recent column, "Modern Mom" said that a child's bedroom should be a private, comfortable place to call his own and, unlike most mothers, she did not believe in screaming at a child to clean up his home. Then you said, "I agree. Keep the door closed and go in once a week to rake it," and added, "If there is

any snacking in the room, insist that all dishes and leftovers should be taken to the kitchen before bedtime." Thanks for that, Abby, but most child psychologists advocate training children to keep neat and orderly rooms. They say parents who allow their children to live in messy rooms are abdicating their responsibilities as parents.

How do you justify your answer, Abby?

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DEAR MOTHER: I think the child who learns by experiencing the consequences of his actions learns faster. Example: Johnny forgets his lunch. No problem. Mother brings it to him. Susie can't find her favorite blouse. No problem. Mother searches her room and finds it under her bed wrapped in a pair of jeans.

When Mother doesn't rush in to rescue a forgetful or disorganized child, the child "remembers," and gets organized faster.

I have harvested a lot of mail on that one. Score: readers against Abby, 110; to Abby, 39.

DEAR ABBY: A couple of years ago you were asked by a schoolteacher what you would say if you could give young people just one piece of advice. What was it?

ANOTHER SCHOOLTEACHER
DEAR TEACHER: It was: "If I

could give young people one piece of advice, it would be, read, read, read! In reading, you will open up new worlds, real and imagined. Read for information, read for pleasure. Our libraries are filled with knowledge and joy, and it's all there — free for the taking. The person who does not read is no better off than the person who cannot

DEAR ABBY: I have an apartment neighbor who goes outside all hours of the day and night to whistle for his cat! He sometimes does this as much as five or six times an hour. This is getting on my nerves. What are you supposed to do about harmless eccentrics who do nutty

things?
WHISTLER'S NEIGHBOR
DEAR NEIGHBOR: Whistling for his cat every 10 minutes? Perhaps your neighbor is lonely and could use some human companionship. Why not invite him in for some tea and sympathy? The poor fellow may be just whistling for attention.

(Every teenager should know the truth about sex, drugs and how to be happy. For Abby's booklet, send your name and address clearly printed with a check or money order for \$2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents) self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

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News

Club meets at Park Inn

The Altrusa Club of Big Spring met Feb. 13 at the Park Inn. A Valentine theme set the meeting with Mary Lynn Welch elected as club sweetheart. Doris Guy shared the origin of Valentine's Day. Helen Dawson served the members homemade Valentine cake.

Next meeting will be at the Park Inn with Gertrude McCann giving a sequicentennial program.

Club honors Washington

The Daughters of the American Revolution met in the home of Jack Alexanders Sunday to celebrate George Washington's birthday.

Mrs. John Damron presided. Mrs. Mike Skalicky presented a program on musical instruments of colonial times. A Williamsburg candlelight concert at the governor's place was narrated by Mrs. Curtis Driver. Mrs. Annie Overhulsen of Snyder was a visitor.

Next meeting will be at 709 E. 15th St. on March 15 at 1:30 p.m.

The Garden Club meets

The Planters Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Joy Fortenberry with Mrs. Fannie Wilkenson, presiding.

The members answered roll call by naming a kind of cactus. The members discussed lending the city library flower and plant arrangements for special occasions.

Adele Tibbs presented a program on Desert Wildflowers. Next meeting will be March 5th in the home of Doris Guy.

The Gold Star Mothers meet

The Gold Star Mothers met in the home of Mrs. Buck Turner.

Delegates elected for the 33rd Annual Gold Star Mother's Convention in El Paso are Mrs. Turner, Mrs. T.D. Peacock and Mrs. Truett Thomas. They will attend the convention April 11 and 12.

Mrs. Turner, hospital representative, reported a need for additional volunteers at the Veterans Administration Medical Center. Art classes are in need of items such as wire clothes hangers, yarn of any color and egg cartons. For more information call Voluntary Services.

Letters have been written by chapter members to Congressman Charles Stenholm and Senator Lloyd Bentsen for assistance in keeping the surgical unit in the VA Medical Center.

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Dr. Donohue

Gold tablets are available for arthritis

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Please tell me about the oral gold medicine. I wonder if I should use it rather than get the injections. Is it as effective as the shots? What are the side effects, greater or less? — R.S.

The drug you are referring to is auranofin (Ridaura), an orally-administered gold agent for treatment of stubborn cases of rheumatoid arthritis, cases that don't respond well to conventional anti-inflammation medicines. It was recently approved for this purpose by the Food and Drug Administration.

So far as we know from limited use to date, the oral capsules do provide results almost comparable to those achieved by the injected gold salts. The side effects are chiefly related to stomach upset, but are generally considered to be less than those from the injections. Diarrhea may occur in up to 40 percent of patients taking the capsules. And, as with the injection therapy, careful periodic blood testing is needed to assure that none of the more serious side effects occur.

The real advantage of the oral medicine is avoidance of the sometimes-painful injections and lowered cost of treatment by eliminating the need for periodic office visits to administer the

shots. Time and greater familiarity with this new medicine should tell us much more about its use and effectiveness. The arthritis reading material you ask for is on the way. Other readers may obtain a copy of "How You Can Control Arthritis" by writing me in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope and 50 cents.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: How much weight has to be lost through exercise before a woman becomes amenorrheic (misses her periods)? Is it the exercise that does it or the weight loss? — Mrs. I.H.

It's the weight loss (actually fat decrease) from the exercise that causes some women to become amenorrheic.

Most women in moderate exercise regimens should not experience any problem. The weight loss point at which amenorrhea can be expected to occur cannot be cited with any accuracy. It will vary from woman to woman. Generally, when it happens it does so as the woman begins to fall below the minimal weight level for her height and build. A drop of two or four pounds below that point can induce the amenorrhea. Conversely, when the woman regains weight she should note a resumption of periods as she gets to a point two or

four pounds over that minimal weight.

Fat weight in some way affects hormone levels and menstruation. I should note that the same phenomenon has been noted in women who have been on sustained severe weight-loss diet regimes.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Recently you used the expression "rule of thumb" in one of your responses and you wondered aloud what it

really meant. My research shows that it goes back to early times when it was legal for men to beat their wives. The "Rule of Thumb" was that the stick used could not be bigger around than a man's thumb. It was still quite a sizeable instrument for beating anyone. Thank heaven, we're moving in better direction. Wife-beating may not be over, but at least it's no longer accepted behavior. — Mrs. R.R.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Regarding the origin of Rule of Thumb as an expression, I recently saw an explanation. The first judicial opinion that suggested wife-beating could be unreasonable was voiced in the case of Sir Thomas Seymore in the early 1600s. He allegedly beat Lady Seymore repeatedly. Eventually, English law recognized the "Rule of Thumb" in the matter. It allowed husbands to beat

their wives with a whip no bigger than a man's thumb. — R.T.

Thanks. I'll certainly be extra careful about using that term from here on.

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

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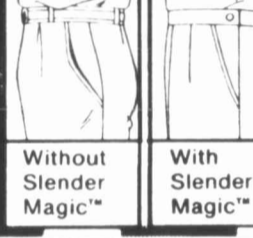
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Callers to DIAL 976 service will be billed a sponsor established charge per call. It is expected that the net revenue effect of this new service will have a positive impact on company revenues.

The Commission has assigned this matter to Docket 6689. A hearing on the merits of this docket shall be held on Friday, May 16, 1986 at 10 a.m. in the Commission offices at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard in Austin, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission within two weeks from the date of this publication, but, in any event, no later than March 17, 1986.

A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.



Aviso Público

De conformidad con una orden de la Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Texas, Southwestern Bell Telephone por medio del presente aviso anuncia que el 6 de Enero de 1986 la compañía registró una tarifa para introducir un nuevo servicio denominado SERVICIO DE TRANSMISION DE INFORMACION - Marque el 976.

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La Comisión ha registrado este asunto bajo el Expediente 6689. Se llevará a cabo una audiencia para discutir los méritos de este expediente a las 10 de la mañana, el viernes 16 de Mayo de 1986 en las oficinas de la Comisión, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard en Austin, Texas.

Toda persona que desee intervenir o participar en el presente proceso debe notificar a la Comisión dentro de dos semanas de la fecha de esta publicación, pero en todo caso no después del 17 de Marzo de 1986.

Las solicitudes de intervención, participación o información deben dirigirse a Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Para obtener mayor información debe llamar a Public Utility Commission, Consumer Affairs Division, (512) 458-0223, ó al (512) 458-0227. ó al (512) 458-0221 si requiere teletipo para personas con impedimentos de audición.



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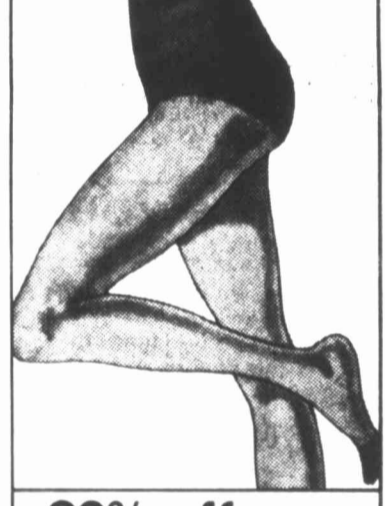
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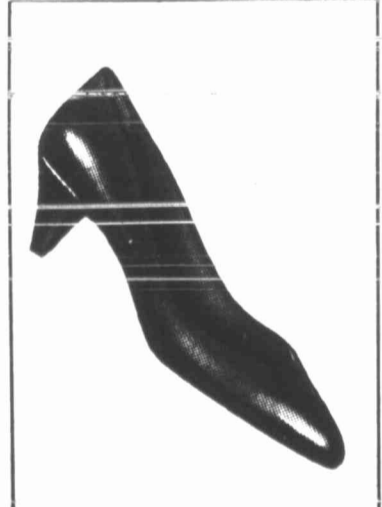
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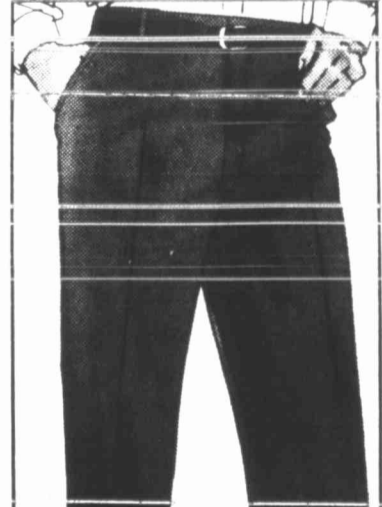
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Thursday Notes

By Charlie Alcorn



We start off the Notes this week with some good news from the ProRodeo circuit.

Big Spring cowboy Wacey Cathey is back at the top of the bull riding pack after falling to fourth two weeks before. Cathey leads the PRCA unofficial standings with \$17,671 in earnings through February 11. The second place man, Charlie Needham of Riverton, Wyoming, is nearly \$1,000 off Cathey's pace.

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Big Spring YMCA gymnastics coach Ken Werner has been selected by the United States Association of Independent Gymnastic Clubs to participate in the 1986 USSR Gym School program. Werner will join local gymnast Will Rutherford and other selected male and female athletes and coaches from across America and Canada.

Werner and Rutherford will depart for Moscow on July 3. Congratulations coach Werner and Rutherford on this unprecedented achievement.

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A pair of small-mouth bass records were recorded at Lake E.V. Spence in a generally light fishing week.

Bruce Davis, of San Angelo brought in a 3-lbs. 10 1/2 oz. small mouth which was quickly followed by Floyd Parker, of Odessa with a small-mouth weighing 3-lbs. 14 oz.

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The Big Spring Steer tennis team suffered a defeat at the hands of Andrews last Tuesday. The boys lost 7-3 with Taff Wennick and Binky Tubbs picking up the two Steers singles victories. Jeff Needles and Charlie Bott teamed up for the lone Big Spring doubles win.

The Lady Steers were shut out by the Andrews girls, 9-0.

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Big Spring Boxing Club President Jose Martinez and Zeke Valles reported that the club's benefit dance Saturday, February 15 was a great success and helped raise money for the club's trip to the regional Golden Gloves tournament this week in Odessa.

The entire club thanks everybody who attended and the friends, parents and boxers that helped set up the Howard County Fair Barn.

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The Western Junior College Athletic Conference statistics show the Hawk's Walt Reynolds as the sixth leading rebounder at 7.7 per game and is the team's leading scorer at 11.3 points per game. Reynolds also has 40 blocked shots, fourth best in the WJAC.

Mike McCall is the second leading rebounder and scorer for the Hawks at 4.9 rebounds and 10.3 points per game. Mike Duran is among the conference leaders with 5.1 rebounds per game.

The Hawk-Queens, who are fighting for the fourth spot in the regional tournament with Clarendon College (both 3-6), have several players among the WJAC leaders.

Lorri French is the fourth leading scorer at 14.3 points per game, 5th in assists at 4.4 per game, 20th in rebounding at 4.9 per game.

Terri Powell, who has been coming on strong late in the season, is 7th in scoring at 13.8 points per game and 9th in individual free throw percentage at .702

Post Carolyn Willand is 21st in scoring at 10 points per game and 10th in rebounding at 7.3

Point guard Pam Franklin is 6th in assists at 4.3 per game and has 60 steals, fifth best in the WJAC.

Sophia Ish is the fourth leading rebounder averaging 8.9 caroms per game.

Forsan playoff tonight

GREENWOOD — The Forsan Buffaloes will be the first Crossroads Country boys basketball team to hit the playoff trail when they battle the Iraan Braves in a Class A bi-district clash tonight at 7:30 in the Greenwood High School gym.

Coach C. L. Coats' Buffaloes, who finished the regular season with a 17-7 record, will face the Braves, (17-8) district champs of District 15-A.

On Friday night the Stanton Buffaloes (21-7), runner-up in District 8-2A, will face 7-2A champion Clint.

The game will take place in Pecos at 8 p.m.

Rounding out area playoff teams will be 16-A winner Sands (22-6) going against Wink. The two will square off Saturday at 7 p.m. in Andrews.

AREA PLAYOFF SCHEDULE
THURSDAY, FEB. 20 — Forsan (16-A) vs. Iraan (15-A), Greenwood, 7:30 p.m.
FRIDAY, FEB. 21 — Stanton (8-2A) vs. Clint (7-2A), Pecos, 8 p.m.
SATURDAY, FEB. 22 — Sands (16-A) vs. Wink (15-A), 7 p.m.

Big Spring track season opens with high expectations

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Writer

Possessing what he calls the "most raw speed he's ever had" in his eight-year tenure at Big Spring High School, track coach Randy Britton is expecting good things from his boys track squad.

Both the Steers and Lady Steers will get a chance to display their talents when track season officially opens in Ft. Stockton at the Comanche Relays, a two-day meet beginning Friday.

Unlike in the past, Britton has a very capable stable of sprinters. "I've got six guys who can run on the sprint relay and 10 that can run on the mile relay," said Britton. That's what makes it so good, there's competition within the team. In the past if you made the relay you knew you were on it because we didn't have anybody else."

Britton thinks his 400 meter relay squad is capable of running in the

low 42's or high 41's this season. Senior lettermen Dewayne Sherman leads the way. Then there's underclassmen James Harlin, Charles White, Phillip Matthews, Wimberly White and Danny Williams. Matthews has already clocked a 10.9 100 and 22.8 200 in a recent practice meet. Charles White has recorded a 11.0 and Harlin a 11.2 in the 100.

Britton thinks his mile relay team can get below the 3:20 mark before the season ends. Last week in a practice meet, the Steers 1600 relay teams recorded times of 3:33.8 and 3:37.0.

Heading the crop of relay candidates are Wimberly White, Sean Jackson, Cedrick Banks and Sherman. Others include Brian Reid, Dax McCracken, Matthews, Paul Decker, Kim Anding and Brian Mayfield.

Last season Banks, a sophomore, recorded a 50.4. Coming straight out of basketball, Sherman, ran a

Steer slate offers tough start

By CHARLIE ALCORN
Sports Writer

The Big Spring Steers will get a baptism of fire when they open their 1986 2-4A schedule with last year's district runner-up San Angelo Lake View and defending 4A state champion Sweetwater.

Big Spring recently dropped into District 2-4A after 30 years in the state's largest classification and will be the district's biggest school with 1,310 students enrolled in 1985-86. The 4A range is 715 to 1,439 students.

Big Spring head football coach Quinn Eudy was not overly concerned about the Steer's new schedule. "Not too shabby is it? We're going to have to play real

hard three weeks in a row, but I would rather catch those good teams early than late," said Eudy of the games with non-district opponent Lubbock Estacado, San Angelo Lake View and Sweetwater. "If we could draw the schedule up like we wanted, I probably would have done it a little differently, but I am not unhappy with this schedule at all."

Eudy said the Steers open date was very opportune. "Those three ball games are all going to be very physical and your first game is always real physical because everybody's fresh and ready to go. Our open date couldn't have come a better time, because I imagine we'll need the rest."

The Steers schedule, set Wednesday at a meeting of the 2-4A coaches and athletic directors in Odessa, includes two non-district games against 5A El Paso Riverside and traditional rival Estacado of District 1-4A.

Big Spring Athletic Director Ron Logback said that the site of the Steers second game with Lubbock Estacado had yet to be determined. "We're trying to get them to come down here again, but we haven't had much luck so far," Logback said a decision on the site should be handed down today.

The Steers will open the season at home against Riverside on September 5. Big Spring has never played the El Paso school from District 2-5A. Last year the Rangers went 6-4 on the year and

made it to the state playoffs by virtue of a second place finish in the district. Riverside lost to El Paso Andrews 50-12 in bi-district play.

Following the two non-district ball games Big Spring will travel to San Angelo on September 19 and then play Sweetwater at home on September 26.

The rest of the Steers 2-4A schedule goes as follows; the Steers will travel to Lamesa on October 10, play Fort Stockton at home on October 17, travel to Pecos on October 24, play Monahans at home on October 31, travel to Snyder on November 7 and finish the season at home against Andrews on November 14.

The Steers finished at 3-7 in 1985.

Texas whips SMU; take lead in SWC

By The Associated Press

Bob Weltlich has his first victory in four years against Dave Bliss, a fellow assistant to Bob Knight at Army and Indiana, and Weltlich's Texas Longhorns are all alone atop the Southwest Conference basketball race.

Karl Willock's free throw with 25 seconds left gave Texas a 58-57 victory Wednesday night in Austin, ending an eight-game losing streak against Southern Methodist University.

With the victory, its eighth in a row, Texas improved its record to 17-8 for the season and 12-2 in SWC play, one-half game ahead of idle Texas Christian (11-2). SMU fell to 16-8 for the season and 8-5 in league play.

Elsewhere Wednesday night, Rice's Jeff Crawford hit a 25-foot shot in the closing seconds but missed a 30-footer at the buzzer and Arkansas (12-13, 4-10) escaped with a 60-59 victory over the Owls (9-15, 2-11). The victory was only the second for the Razorbacks in seven home conference games this season.

At College Station, Texas A&M (15-10, 9-4) held Texas Tech (12-12, 6-7) to only 13 points in the first half and held off a second-half rally to defeat the Red Raiders, 71-58.

Texas and TCU battle Saturday in Fort Worth, with the winner taking the upper hand toward nailing down the top seed in the league's post-season tournament.

Willock, fouled by Scott Johnson while attempting a jumper with two seconds left on the 45-second shot clock and the game tied 57-57, missed the first of two free throws. Texas then called time out.

"The timeout really calmed me down," Willock said. "I said 'Karl, you can make the shot.' I'm a senior and I'm supposed to come through in the clutch."

After Willock made the second free throw, SMU (16-8, 8-5) ran the clock down to three seconds before Glenn Puddy missed a 12-foot shot along the left baseline.

"I didn't have any option," said Puddy, a 6-foot-8 sophomore who had 11 points and 10 rebounds. "I felt confident. I knew we had some guys underneath the boards."

They did, but Texas' John Brownlee grabbed the rebound as time expired, evoking a thunderous roar from the crowd of 8,884.

Weltlich, fist clenched, leaped out on the court, his team having gained its first one-point victory of the season after losing four games by that margin.

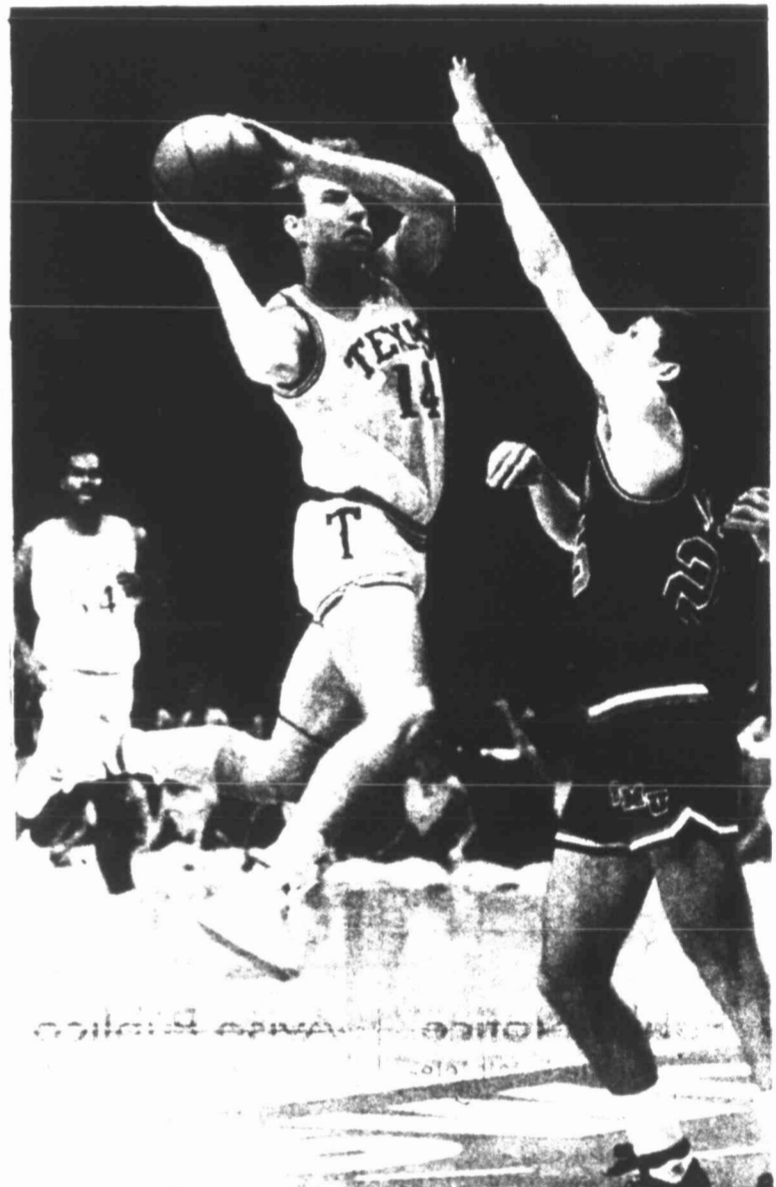
The Mustangs tied the score three times, the last time at 57-57 with 1:08 left on a driving eight-foot shot in the lane by point guard Butch Moore, who led them with 16 points.

But after Willock's free throw, Moore, who was able to penetrate against Texas' man-to-man defense all night, was met by a 1-3-1 zone. Instead of driving, he dumped the ball to Puddy.

"It was a good play," Moore said. "He just didn't knock it down. We do that again, he knocks it down."

Texas trailed 37-30 at halftime, but held SMU to 20 points in the second half.

SMU had broken loose for scor-



Texas guard Karl Willock (14) takes a flying leap to make a pass to a teammate as Scott Johnson of SMU tries to block the basketball in Southwest Conference action Wednesday night in Austin. Texas defeated SMU 58-57 to take sole possession of first place in the SWC.

ing streaks of 10 and eight points to take control in the first half. Kevin Lewis, who scored 12 points, hit a jumper from the top of the key, and Moore put in a layup, giving the Mustangs a 37-28 lead.

USFL merger creates 'Dream Team'

NEW YORK (AP) — The United States Football League has finally created its so-called "dream team" and propped up its winningest team. Now all it has to do is play.

Representatives from the eight remaining USFL teams, meeting here Wednesday to reaffirm their commitment to resume play this fall after three seasons in the spring, finally got around to completing the Houston-New Jersey merger that united on the New Jersey Generals the USFL's three remaining high-profile stars — Herschel Walker, Doug Flutie and Jim Kelly.

The action solidified the USFL teams in the league's two biggest markets and left franchises in New Jersey, Arizona, Birmingham, Memphis, Orlando, Tampa Bay, Jacksonville and Baltimore.

The owners also found new cash

for the Baltimore Stars, the team that has won two of the league's three spring titles; merged what's left of the Denver franchise into Jacksonville; promised that all 325 of its present players would be paid March 1; announced its playing dates, and changed one of its rules.

And — as they have since the league began in 1982 — they predicted a glowing future.

The reason? Publicly they maintain there's no way they can lose their \$1.32 million antitrust suit against the National Football League. The lawsuit will go to trial this spring.

"There's virtually no chance of us losing this lawsuit," said Donald Trump, owner of the Generals and a man who has yet to utter a discouraging word even while the league was losing an estimated \$150 million over its three spring seasons.

"Once you see the evidence come out in court, there's no way won't agree with us," said Harry Usher, commissioner of the league which maintains that the only obstacle to its success is that the NFL and the three major networks have combined to keep the league off the air.

The optimistic talk also extended to the Generals-Gambler's merger that brought together Kelly, Walker and Flutie. It also raised questions about the status of Flutie, who makes more than \$1 million a year but will probably have to play backup to Kelly if he's not traded.

Jerry Argovitz, the one-time agent and former owner of the Gambler's who will be the president of the Generals, immediately challenged the NFL champion Chicago Bears to a game.

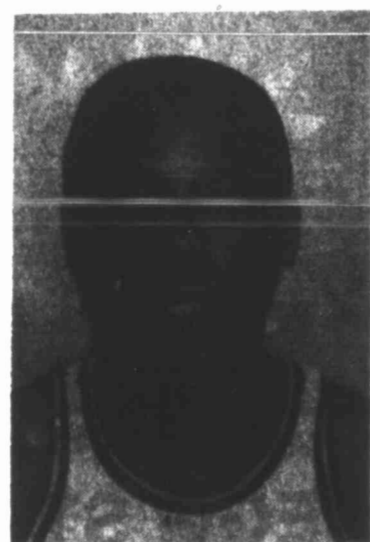
"We want to take on the Super Bowl champs," he said. "I

guarantee you we'll score 40 points. There's no way they can match up with us."

There was less bragging from Baltimore, who despite winning its second straight USFL title lost Coach Jim Mora to the NFL New Orleans Saints last month.

But there was help in the form of a new co-owner — New York real estate magnate Steven Ross, who purchased the Gambler's from Argovitz and his partners and paid their bills. The Generals-Gambler's merger left Ross free to then purchase "more than 50 percent" of the Stars, which he will run as an equal with Myles Tanenbaum, the last of the USFL's original owners.

Argovitz said Houston Coach Jack Pardee will move to New Jersey, replacing Walt Michaels. And Mouse Davis, the Denver coach, will become the head coach of Jacksonville.



DEWAYNE SHERMAN
...strong quarter man

51.3 on his leg last week. The rest of the group runs in the 52 to 53-second range.



BRIAN REID
...top hurdler

The Steers have two good half-milers in McCracken and Jackson. Last week both ran 2:06's. Britton

feels that McCracken, who flirted with a sub two-minute mark last year, will go well under the barrier this season.

The 300 hurdles will also be a strong event for the Steers. Sherman and Reid both ran in the low 40's last season. Britton expects them to dip in the 38's this season. Mayfield, who ran a 42.2 last season, can also score points in the event as well as the 110 hurdles.

Unlike in the past, Big Spring will also get points in the field events, led by Mayfield in the high and long jumps. The sophomore went 6-7 last year to win district. This year he and Britton think he's capable of going 6-10. Mayfield also went 21-feet in the long jump. "Brian's got the potential to go to state in the high jump. But I think we're going to use him in more events so we can take full advantage of his ability."

Britton thinks that Wimberly White could be a dark horse in the long jump. Last week he went 20-10 in the practice meet. "With his leg strength and speed, I think he can go 23-feet," said Britton.

The Steers are also counting on points from senior discus thrower Paul Sotello. His best was 137-11 last season.

STEER ENTRIES
HJ — Brian Mayfield
LJ — Mayfield, Wimberly White
Shot — Dickie Kelly
Discus — Paul Sotello, Timmy Green
400 Relay — Phillip Matthews, James Harlin, Charles White, Wimberly White
800 — Dax McCracken, Sean Jackson
300 Hurdles — Brian Reid, Dewayne Sherman
100 — Phillip Matthews, Charles White, James Harlin
400 — Kim Anding, Paul Decker, Cedrick Banks
200 — Matthews
1600 Relay — Sherman, Banks, Wimberly White, Jackson
1600 — McCracken

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Hawks run out of players; Jazz run to win

By The Associated Press
 After Atlanta committed 42 fouls and finished with four eligible players, coach Gene Shue said Coach Webb said it best: "They just outmanned us at the end."

NBA

The Utah Jazz, after making 43-of-56 free throws in an NBA game that took 2 hours, 53 minutes to play, defeated the Hawks 109-105 in overtime Wednesday night that saw Atlanta assessed three

technical fouls with seven seconds left.

The first technical was called when the Hawks called timeout when they had none remaining, then Glenn Rivers was whistled for a technical for arguing. Rivers also was ejected, and with five players already on the bench after fouling out, the Hawks got another technical for having only four eligible players left.

NBA rules say a disqualified player is allowed to come back as the fifth man on the court, but a technical is assessed.

Cliff Levingston, one of the

Hawks who fouled out, returned to the game and made a three-point play to make the score 107-105, but Utah's Rickey Green led the victory with two free throws with two seconds left.

Adrian Dantley, who scored 10 of his 31 points in overtime for the Jazz, was 17-of-19 from the free throw line. He said he wasn't surprised when the Hawks started fouling anyone who got near the basket with the ball.

Thurl Bailey had 19 points for Utah, while Randy Wittman led Atlanta with 23. Webb scored a career-high 21 points for the

Hawks, who were already short-handed before the game because Dominique Wilkins has an injured knee.

76ers 153, Trail Blazers 133 Philadelphia notched its highest point total since the 76ers posted 159 in a game against Phoenix in 1970.

Moses Malone had 38 points and Charles Barkley 31 points and 17 rebounds for the 76ers, who played without injured guard Julius Erving.

Celtics 115, Warriors 100 Larry Bird had 36 points, 12 rebounds and 11 assists as Boston

defeated Golden State without injured forwards Kevin McHale and Scott Wedman.

Rocks 124, Mavericks 107 Milwaukee won its sixth straight game while handing Dallas only its third loss in 13 outings.

Paul Pressey scored 26 points to lead the Bucks, who clinched the victory by outscoring the Mavericks 21-4 over the first five minutes of the fourth quarter to extend a 10-point lead to 116-89.

Lakers 90, Pacers 81 Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Earvin "Magic" Johnson scored 21 points each and keyed streaks that

carried Los Angeles over Indiana.

Isiah Thomas had 23 points and Bill Laimbeer and Kelly Tripucka 21 each for the Pistons to offset 31-point games by Tom Chambers and Xavier McDaniel by the Super-Sonics. Chambers, however, was ejected from the game with 7:02 left for fighting with Detroit's Rick Mahorn.

Bulls 90, Nets 96

Michael Holton, playing with Chicago on a 10-day contract, scored 18 points, including a tiebreaking jumper in the final minute against New Jersey.

Girls vie for state berth

For the first time Dorothy Garrett Coliseum will be the site of the girls Region I 2-A basketball tournament.

Four teams from three district will converge at Dorothy Garrett in hopes of reaching the state tournament in Austin next weekend. Vying for the spot will be District 3-2A teams Abernathy and Bovina along with Reagan County of 8-2A and Morton of 5-2A.

The first game will be Friday at 6 p.m. it will pit Bovina vs. Morton. The second contest at 8 p.m. will pit Abernathy vs. Reagan County.

The winners will meet in the championship game at 1 p.m. Saturday.

REGION I 2-A TOURNAMENT PARINGS
FRIDAY, 6 P.M. — Bovina (23-4) vs. Morton (25-4)
FRIDAY, 8 P.M. — Abernathy (22-3) vs. Reagan County (26-0)
SATURDAY, 1 P.M. — Two winners will meet in finals

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GIRLS A BIG QUESTION MARK

Britton is looking at the other side of the coin when it comes to his girls squad, one that is filled with underclasswomen. Shot putter-discus thrower Amanda Solis is the lone senior who will be making the trip to Ft. Stockton.

Last year she was one of the district's top performers with throws of 38-4 in the shot and 113-0 in the discus. Junior weight person Paula Jolley, who qualified for regional in the shot last season, won't be making the trip this week because of disciplinary reasons. Jolley had bests of 39-3 in the shot and 119-6 in the discus.

After that Britton looks to letterwomen Connie Swinney in the 100 meters, Priscilla Banks in the triple jump and Michelle LeGrande in the 400.

"I really don't know what to expect, said Britton. "These girls are all so young, we'll just have to see what they can do. This is like a practice meet for us."

Running prelims and field events get underway at 2:30 p.m. Finals get started at 12:30 p.m. Saturday.

SHOT — Amanda Solis, Maria Sanchez
DISCUS — Solis, Sanchez
TRIPLE JUMP — Priscilla Banks
LONG JUMP — Monica Arimendez
 100 — Connie Swinney, Kim White, Angie Dees
 200 — White, Dees, Helga Lysght
 400 — Michelle LeGrande, Lysght
 800 — Lysght, Arimendez, Susan Gaitan
 1600 — Manuela Bernal, Susan Garza
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1600 RELAY — LeGrande, Swinney, Arimendez, Bernal

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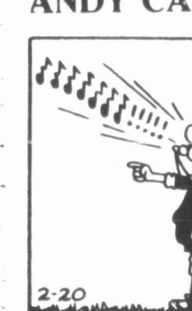
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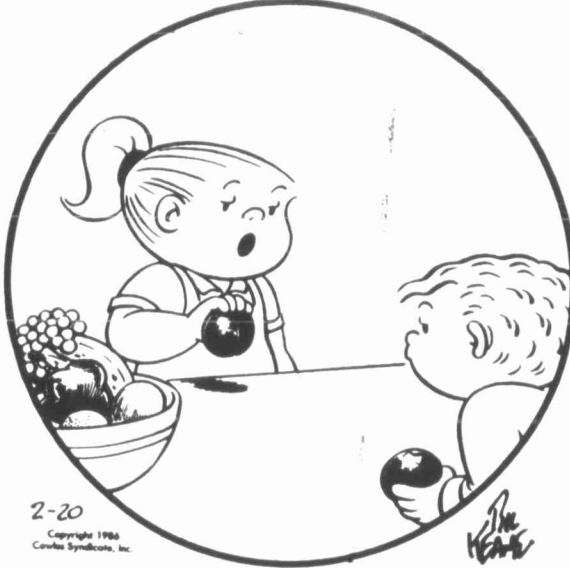
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GENERAL TENDENCIES: Until noon, you are apt to find it difficult to avoid any arguments with other persons or to keep yourself from forcing issues where some restraint is required.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Try not to argue with the one you love, and later you find home conditions to be very easy to handle.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) A good day to transfer messages to others since you may find it difficult to gain your objectives today.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Study into better ways of gaining a greater abundance in the near future. Don't permit a talkative partner to dissuade you.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Study your most intimate wishes and know how best to gain them and then pursue them energetically.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Gather data you need that is connected with present interests, and then you'll know how to head into the future.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You can get the support you need from one who likes you very much for some venture that is important to you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Think about how to improve your reputation within the community in which you reside.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) You are able to garner bits and pieces of data that you need, so go after it early. Try not to spend any more than is necessary.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Get busy at important business and personal affairs and handle them wisely. Steer clear of gossipy friends.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Follow the good ideas of a clever partner and you can attain whatever you desire. Don't permit that secret anxiety to deter you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You can produce a great deal today so be efficient. Don't permit an aggressive and demanding friend to take your time.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Plan more time to be with your mate and friends in the days ahead. Use care in handling important business matters.

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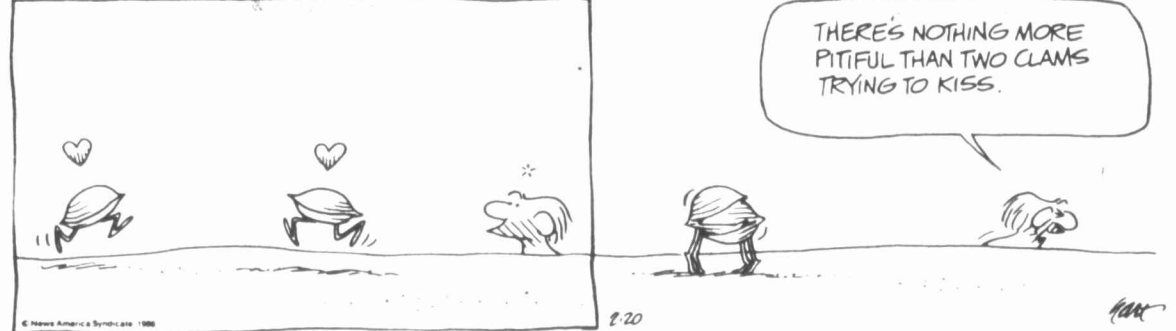
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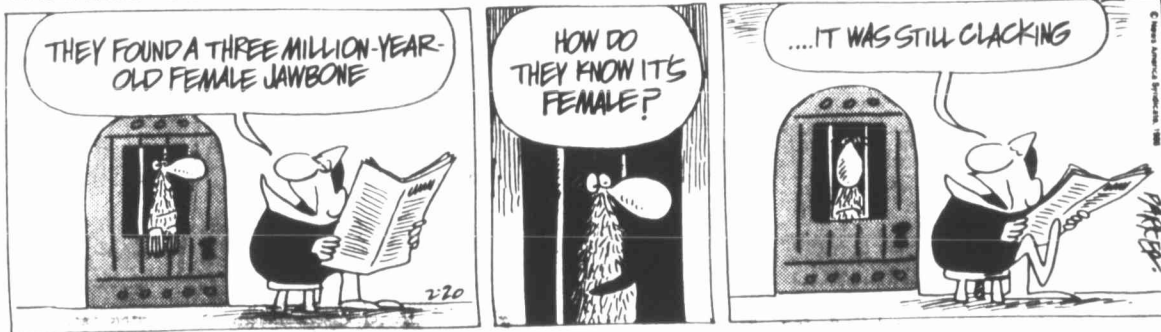
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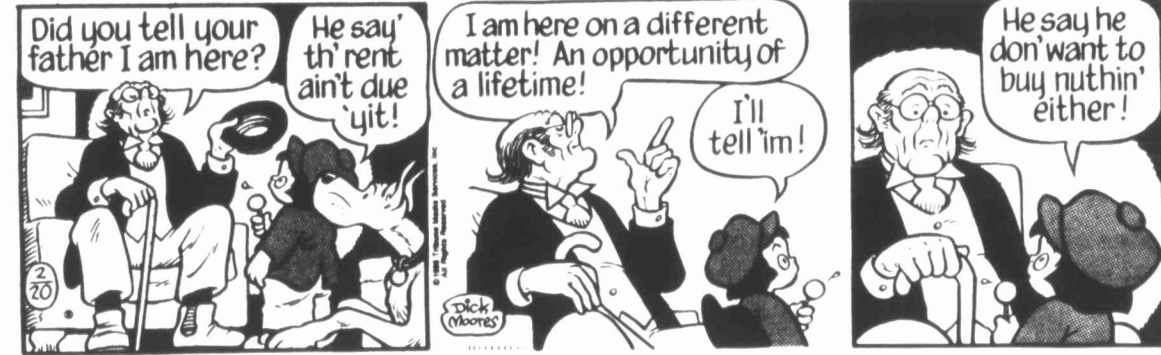
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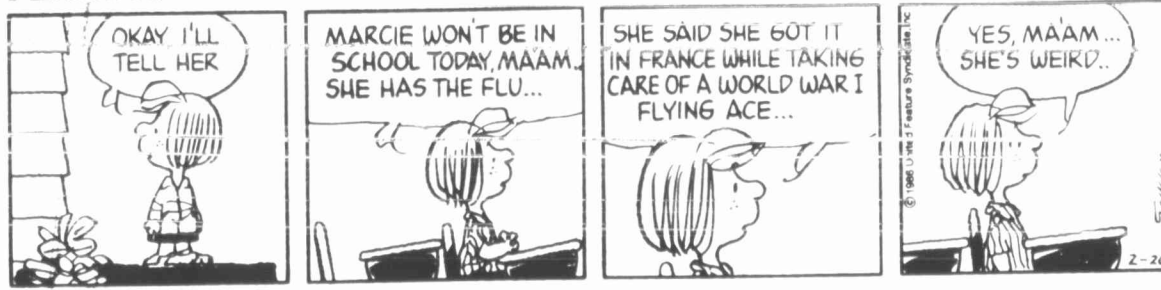
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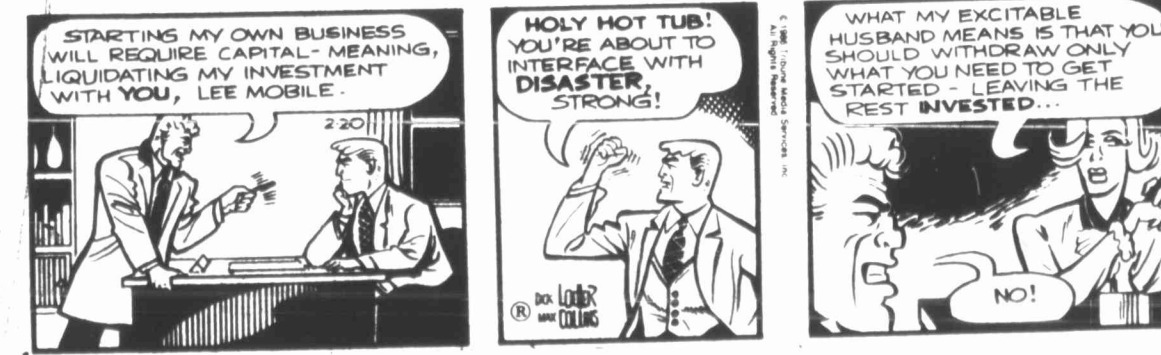
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REAL ESTATE 001

HISTORIC OLD HOME in Big Spring on 3 acres reduced to \$35,000. Also 36 acres on Senic Texas land, \$100 an acre. See Aubrey Weaver 204 Main.

Houses for Sale 002

THREE BEDROOM, bath carpet, garage, two storage buildings. Small down payment. Call 267-2717.

3214 AUBURN 3-1, Large den, owner carried. \$3000 down, owner agent. Call Mark collect 1-806-795-9337.

NICE TWO bedroom 1 1/2 baths, centrally located corner lot. Possible owner financing. Phone 267-3369.

FOR SALE: Three bedroom, one bath, new floor furnace, close to school, church, and college. Located at 1806 11th place. Call 806-462-7314.

FOR SALE: home at 1304 Nolan. To see call after 4:00 p.m.; 263-4233 or 267-3967.

LOVELY, THREE bedroom, two bath home with carport. College Park. Owner financing for right terms. 267-9790 after 6:00 and weekends.

FOR SALE country brick home, a lot of extras. Must see to appreciate. 263-4778.

NICE, CARPETED older home for sale or trade for newer home and pay difference. Call 263-8284.

COUNTRY HOME: Beautiful 3 BD, 2 BTH, 3 car garage on two acres. Located in Klondike. Bargain! Etheredge Realty 806-872-9062.

MUST SELL: 2 year old, three bedroom, two bath, fireplace, brick home on 150x150 lot. Coahoma School District. 394-4457 after 5:00.

ANXIOUS OWNER offers best buy of week. Will pay BUYER'S closing cost and give carpet allowance on this nice 3 bedroom brick home. Priced in 30's. Call Marjorie. ERA Reeder, Realtors, 267-8266, or home 267-7740.

MOVING TO Lubbock? Big Spring family would like to trade their home in Lubbock for one here. Call Marjorie. ERA - Reeder, Realtors, 267-8266, or home 267-7740.

THREE BEDROOM, two bath, brick, 2208 Morrison. May assume with low down. Many extras. 267-7538 or 263-4000.

TWO BEDROOM, one bath, attached garage. New carpet and paint. Call 263-8110.

BY OWNER see to appreciate beautiful 4/5 bedroom, two bath, livingroom, den, dining room. Nearly new carpet. 106 Washington 267-5918.

TWO BEDROOM brick: assumable loan, no down payment. 263-1206 ask for Mary; or 267-9523.

FHA APPRAISED for \$50,000, Kentwood 3 bedroom / 2 bath brick, large den / W.B.F.P. well cared for home and yard. Call Connie Helms, ERA Reeder, Realtors, 267-8266 or home, 267-7029.

THIS IS your chance to live in a quality location, own a quality 3 bedroom brick home for only \$42,000. New loan or assume FHA. Let me show you how, call Connie Helms, ERA Reeder, Realtors, 267-8266 or home, 267-7029.

Houses for Sale 002

LIVE IN Kentwood School Area for only \$34,000. Three bedroom home with earlthone carpet, fresh wallpaper, trees and fenced yard. Call Connie Helms, ERA Reeder, Realtors, 267-8266 or home, 267-7029.

SO APPEALING from the street - but just look inside. From 20 foot master bedroom to beautiful baths, pretty kitchen, picture window view of backyard - this home is extra special. Double carport, 100 yards to golf course. \$42,500. Brick. McDonald Realty, 263-7615; Ted Hull 263-7867.

TWO HOUSES in Lubbock, in 20's. Excellent condition. Call 263-1755.

CLEAN TWO bedroom, one bath home. Furnished or unfurnished corner lot, fenced yard. 263-3987.

Business Property 004

FOR SALE: Prime Gregg Street Business Property. Two lots at 1602 Gregg Street. \$70,000. Call 915-267-4656. Leave message.

Acreage for sale 005

ONE ACRE on Jeffery road. All utilities. \$7,500. 263-7982.

GREAT WATER well on 10 acres, Chaparral Road. Large home unfinished. Worth looking at. 806-799-0934.

1983 THREE BEDROOM, two bath on 2 acres. Coahoma School District. Will sell separate. 267-957; 263-0096 after 5:30.

Farms & Ranches 006

GOOD COTTON farm 640 acres, located in Northern Martin County. Owner financed. Etheredge Realty 806-872-9062.

Resort Property 007

LAKE PROPERTY Colorado City Lake. Excellent water front, deeded lot. Call 267-2160.

Manufactured Housing For Sale 015

CLOSE OUT on a 1985 Champion Woodlake doublewide; 1,680 square feet, \$20 per square foot. Three bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, storm windows and doors, composition roof, patio door, all appliances. Only \$393 per month for first 3 years at 11.75% annual percentage rate. \$459 for remainder 12 years at 14.75% annual percentage rate. Only \$1,701 down. Call Glen 915-694-6666.

LARGE SELECTION of pre-owned homes for 99¢ down! Example: Three bedroom, two bath. 180 payments at only \$155 per month at 14.75% Annual Percentage Rate. Call Glen 915-694-6666.

BUY A new two or three bedroom home and receive \$1000 cash back. Low payments and low down payment. Many floor plans available. Call Ted collect 915-694-6666.

OWNER LEAVING town. Must sacrifice large equity on a 14 x 80 three bedroom, two bath mobile home with fireplace. Low interest rate and low payment. Must see to appreciate. Call Bill 915-563-0543.

Manufactured Housing For Sale 015

TRADE IN your mobile home. Assume a new double wide or 18 foot wide and receive as much as \$2000 cash back. Call George collect 915-694-6666.

DOWN PAYMENT problems? Budget problems? Credit problems? No problem! Call the housing specialists. 915-563-0543 ask for Bill.

1974 14 x 80 Wayside. Three bedroom, two bath for only \$6990. Call Ted collect at 915-694-6666.

TWO BEDROOM mobile home for sale, take over payments. Call after 5:00 p.m. 267-1409.

REAL BARGAIN: Extra clean, well taken care of manufactured home lived in one year. 64 x 28 with 4 bedrooms, two baths, family room with fireplace, ceiling fans, formal dining room with built in hutch, kitchen with bar, dishwasher, double ovens, frost free refrigerator, disposal, refrigerated air, extra insulation package, composition roof, 8 x 32 decking, fully underpinned. New \$51,363.00 will sacrifice for \$37,000. Negotiable. Need to sell! Call 263-7404 or 267-6300.

NEW THREE bedroom, wood siding, furnished, delivered, anchored, free storage building. Unbelievable low price. Payments. 267-5547.

NEW 80 x 14 THREE bedroom, two bath, wood siding, furnished, delivered, anchored. Less than rent. 267-5547.

14x84 THREE BEDROOM, two bath, total electric, built in appliances. One owner, must see to appreciate. Low, low monthly payment. Call Terry at 263-1942.

NEW 1986 DOUBLEWIDE. Cathedral ceilings, separate utility room. Three bedrooms, two bath, lovely colors. One year warranty. Free delivery and set-up. Call The Equalizer, 267-3901.

FOR SALE: 1982, 14x70 mobile home. Two bedroom, one bath, large rooms, mini-blinds, curtains. \$13,500. Call 393-5748 after 5:00.

1958 HICKS MOBILE home - good condition. Unfurnished \$800; Furnished \$1,000. Call 267-5660.

Cemetery Lots For Sale 020

FOUR CEMETERY lots. "Garden of Gethsemane". Choice lots. \$400 each. Call collect 697-3623.

RENTALS 050

Furnished Apartments 052

NICE ONE Bedroom apartment, \$245.00 monthly deposit, also one, two bedroom mobile homes. \$195.00 - \$225.00. No children or pets. 263-6944 or 263-2341.

JUST VACATED nice clean, 2 bedroom. Stove, refrigerator, fenced yard, \$175. 267-5740.

LOW RATES. Payment plans, one, two, three bedroom apartments selected for rent reduction. Freshly painted, electricity, water paved. Furnished, unfurnished. Limited time. 263-7811.

SANDRA GALE Apartments, 2911 West Hwy 80. Furnished 1 and 2 bedroom, water paid. Call 263-0906.

WEST 80 APARTMENTS, 3304 West Hwy. 80. Furnished 1 and 2 bedroom, water paid. 267-6561.

LARGE ONE bedroom apartment. Carpet, water, gas paid. \$175. Call 267-2655.

FOR RENT: Large one bedroom fully furnished apartment. Good location, all bills paid, including cable. No children. Call 393-5331.

FURNISHED APARTMENT for rent, \$125, \$75 deposit. Water paid. 263-0889. No pets.

FURNISHED ONE bedroom apartment. Utilities paid. Deposit, references required. Adult, no pets. 267-2272 or 510 Benton.

NICELY FURNISHED duplex apartment. 2 large rooms, bills paid. Adults only. No pets. 267-5456.

YOU NEED to see this spotless one bedroom apartment. Carpeted, furnace, no pets. Call 267-7316.

FURNISHED / UNFURNISHED three room apartment. Washer and Dryer. Pay weekly or monthly. 267-5021 or 267-6061.

306 NORTH WEST 5th. West front apartment. Nice 1 bedroom furnished apartment. All utilities paid. HUD approved, single or couple only. \$225 month, \$50 deposit. Inquire at 108 South 404.

THREE 1 BEDROOM duplex, from \$150 to \$200 month. Deposit and references required. No pets. 263-2591; 267-8754.

Unfurnished Apartments 053

PARKHILL TERRACE apartment 2 bedroom apartment. Call 263-6091, Monday thru Friday, 9:00 - 5:00. After 5:00, 263-3831.

PONDEROSA APARTMENTS, 1425 East 6th. One and two bedrooms, two bedroom. All bills paid. 263-6319.

Furnished Houses 060

NICE TWO bedroom furnished house. No pets, no children. \$265 month deposit required. 267-8702.

NICE CLEAN one bedroom house, \$135 month, \$50 deposit. No children. No pets. Inquire at 802 Andre.

Furnished Houses 060

ONE, TWO, and three bedroom, fenced yards - maintained, water, trash sewer paid, deposit. HUD approved. Call 267-5346.

Unfurnished Houses 061

WHY RENT? You can own your own home for less money down than a typical rent deposit and lower payments than renting. Call 267-5346.

OASIS PROPERTIES nice, clean rentals available immediately. Central air and heat. Refrigerator, stove, drapes, new paint. Call 267-1913 or come by 2515 Ent.

GREENBELT 2 AND 3 bedroom brick homes. See large ad this section or phone, 263-8869.

KENTWOOD 2601 CINDY. Three bedroom, two bath, carpet, fenced backyard. \$450 monthly plus deposit. 263-6514.

203-A BENTON, ONE bedroom, carpeted, paneled. \$150, \$75 deposit. HUD approved. 267-7449 or 263-8919.

TWO BEDROOM, large living room, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, utility room, must have references. \$250 a month. 263-6400.

TWO BEDROOM, refurnished inside. \$100 deposit, \$250 monthly. No children, 1611 Lark. Call 267-3492.

NICE ONE bedroom house. Carpeted, carport, \$160. Two bedroom duplex, carpet, garage, drapes, \$165. 267-2655.

TWO AND Three bedroom brick homes, refrigerated air, dishwashers, stoves, refrigerators, children and pets welcome. \$300 and up, \$150 deposit. 267-3932.

ONE, TWO, and three bedroom, fenced yards - maintained, deposit. HUD approved. Call 267-5546.

TWO BEDROOM unfurnished house for rent. Has stove and refrigerator, central heat, carpet thru-out. \$275, \$150 deposit. Call 263-8912.

TWO AND three bedroom houses for rent. Call after 6:00 p.m., 263-4410.

ONE OR two bedroom. Stove and refrigerator. Start at \$175. References. Good location. 263-7161 or 267-1857.

TWO BEDROOM duplex, carpeted, good location. \$175 monthly, \$50 deposit. Call 267-2236.

FOR RENT: Three bedroom duplex. One bath, good carpet, back fence, stove and refrigerator. 263-4593.

TWO BEDROOM, one bath behind Goliad Middle School. Inquire at 2211 Cecilia, 263-8217.

THREE BEDROOM, one bath. New carpet and paint, fenced yard. Near college, shopping. References. 399-4369.

CLEAN THREE bedroom, one bath. Garage, fenced yard. \$250 month, \$100 deposit. 263-8202 after 4:00.

ONE BEDROOM, stove and refrigerator. \$150 month, deposit. 113 East 15th. 263-8034 after 6:00.

Housing Wanted 062

YOUNG PROFESSIONAL family seeking four bedroom to lease. Preferably in the Kentwood area. Leave message for Dr. Carpenter at the F.P.C. Hospital 263-8304 ext. 227 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. or 263-1902 after 9:00 p.m., anyone at 303-948-4114 or 303-543-0021.

Business Buildings 070

INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS for rent. Reasonably priced, 225 square feet to 34,000 square feet. Plenty of working space outside. Call Monday thru Friday 8:00-5:00, 267-3671 ask for Tom.

Office Space 071

PETROLEUM BUILDING is now leasing office space. For more information, contact Vicki Slaton at 263-3658 or 267-6821.

OFFICE LEASE space 1510-1512 Scurry in new professional building. Call 267-9458 or evenings 263-2318 for more information.

PRIME LOCATION for this new office space for lease on East FM 700. Will be divided and carpeted for your needs. Call Larry Hollar, 263-1275 or 263-1866 after 6:00 p.m.

Manufactured Housing For Rent 080

FURNISHED THREE bedroom trailer on private lot, washer and dryer. Couple or one child. 1213 Harding.

Announcements 100

LET'S HAVE FUN in the sand and sun! Help organize a Sand-Buggy Club in the Big Spring Area. Interested parties contact: 263-0059; 263-2728; 267-1566.

Lodges 101

STATED MEETING Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 every 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:30 p.m. 219 Main. Bill Barry-Dill W.M., T.R. Morris, Sec.

STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge No. 1340 A.F. & A.M. 1st and 3rd Thurs., 7:30 p.m. 2101 Lancaster. Robert Crenshaw W.M., Richard Knous, Sec.

Special Notices 102

POSTED NO TRESPASSING VIOLATORS WILL BE PROSECUTED CHALK RANCH SOUTH EAST HOWARD CO. MITCHELL CO. GLASSBOCK CO.

BOOKS TO GO, 1001 S. Lancaster. Like new paperbacks. Great bargains. Monday - Saturday 11:00 to 6:00.

Audrey L. Schueling has made application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Local Cartage Permit and a Package Store Permit for the location of 1700 Marcy Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, to be operated under the trade name of Eimer's Liquor Store. Audrey L. Schueling, Gail Route Box 151.

Lost & Found 105

LOST: BLONDE, male Lhasa Apso, short haired, with blue collar. Was seen taken from Scenic Mountain by a couple in a red four door. \$50 reward for information leading to return. 267-6391 or 263-1598 after 5:30.

LOST on Rebecca Street, male Siamese cat with bob tail. Reward. Call 267-4246.

LOST MALE German Shepherd, approximately 3 years old. Lost in vicinity of Big Spring Industrial Park. Last seen on Sunday 02-09-86. Call 267-5074 or 267-6656.

LOST 3 MONTH Blonde Cocker Spaniel, 1500 Block Wood Street. Answers to "Chrystal". 263-0064; 267-7332.

Personal 110

WAS YOUR photograph PUBLISHED in the Herald? You can order reprints. Call 263-7331 for information.

POLARITY THERAPY, a holistic healing therapy developed by Dr. Randolph Stone. Sharon Simonek Therapist. For appointment call 263-3831.

TRIPLE SIX: Wishing You The "Greatest"!!! On Your Day!!! With My Love!!! Forever!!! Your, "B".

Business Opportunities 150

LOUNGE FOR rent - furnished with beer box, tables and chairs and bar. Call 263-7464.

PRONTO DRIVE IN Grocery #1 for rent. Gas pumps, kitchen, walk-in's, and etc. Excellent opportunity of ambitious couple. Call 267-2236.

INVESTORS WANTED. Low investments, small term, high yield. Good for first time investors. For information contact Matthew Hill at 915-267-2281.

FOR LEASE: Exxon Service Station, Interstate 20 location. Substantial capital required. Call 267-5870.

WE DELIVER CALL 263-7331 Big Spring Herald

Cook's Water Well Drilling & Pump Service

Call 915-263-3757 or 394-4630

JRS enterprises SPECIAL LAWN SERVICE

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PART TIME LVN WANTED FOR ALL SHIFTS

Contact Doris Bergerson Administrator or Pat Fowler + D.O.N. Stanton Care Center 700, Stanton, Texas

FIRST REALTY 263-1223 207 W. 10th Big Spring's Best Buys Dorothy Jones.....267-1384 Don Yates, Broker. 263-2373

SPECIAL OF THE WEEK 22 ACRE RANCHETTE - In Luther community, reduced for quick sale. 3 bedroom unique rock home, barns, etc. Assume 10.25% VA loan, small down. See Sunday's Ad For More Listings

WHO'S WHO FOR SERVICE To List Your Service In Who's Who Call 263-7331

Concrete Work 722 ALL TYPES Cement work: patios, sidewalks, fences, stucco, driveways, plaster swimming pools. 267-2655 Ventura Company.

CONCRETE WORK No job too large or too small. Call after 3:30. Jay Burchett, 263-6491. Free estimates.

Dirt Contractor 728 D&T DIRT CONTRACTORS, INC. Yards landscaping, driveways, parking areas. SAND, gravel, topsoil, yard dirt, septic tanks, driveways and parking areas. 915-263-8160 or 915-263-4619. Sam Froman Dirt Contracting.

Fences 731 REDWOOD, CEDAR, Spruce, Chain Link. Complete quality priced before building. Brown Fence Service, 263-4517 anytime.

Furniture 734 FURNITURE, REPAIR, stripping and refinishing. Antique and modern. Bob's Custom Woodwork, 267-5811.

Home Improvement 738 HOME REPAIR SERVICE. Door locks window panes storm doors - mini-blinds window screens handrails. Call 263-2503. BOB'S CUSTOM Woodwork Full service remodeling, additions, cabinets, doors furniture repair, caning, stripping and refinishing. 267-5811.

Moving 746 CITY DELIVERY. Move furniture and appliances. One item or complete household. 263-2225, 400 West 3rd. Tom Coates.

Painting Papering 749 WALL PAPER, Remolding, Drywall, Acoustic Ceiling, Painting, Denon and Sons. 267-1124.

Plumbing 755 LICENSED PLUMBER. New, repair, or sewer calls. Bill Weaver, 267-5920.

Rentals 761 RENT "N" OWN - Furniture, major appliances, TV's, stereos, dinettes. 903 Johnson, call 263-8436.

Roofing 767 ROOFING - SHINGLES. Hot tar and gravel. All repairs. Free estimates. Call 267-1116, or 267-4289.

Siding 771 STEEL SIDING. Soffit and Fascia. Financing available, licensed, bonded, insured. Local resident. Jim Johnson 267-2377.

D & E SIDING - Remodeling - Carpentry - Financing. \$ Save Big \$ Here. We care. 263-2339.

Tax Service 780 REASONABLY PRICED Tax Preparation. Personal and small business. Jean Tidwell 398-5596.

Top Soil 783 IDEAL SOIL for lawns, gardens, and rose bushes. 263-8037.

GO CLASSIFIED! 263-73

EMPLOYMENT	250	Jobs Wanted	299	Sewing	399	
Help Wanted	270	EXPERIENCED TREE PRUNING . Removal, yard work, etc. For free estimates call 267-8317.	EXPERIENCED SEAMSTRESSES , smockers and embroiderers needed for Big Spring Cottage Industry. Please contact 267-1741, 267-1546 or 263-7648 for more information.	Office Equipment	517	
NOTICE HOMEWORKERS		PAINTING INSIDE AND OUT . Minor repair. Free estimates. John Turner: 263-3487/267-4939.	FARMER'S COLUMN	400	Garage Sales	535
Some "Homeworker Needed" ads may involve some investment on the part of the answering party. PLEASE CHECK CAREFULLY BEFORE INVESTING ANY MONEY.		HONEST, DEPENDABLE , married man with degree looking for permanent position. Experience in building, construction, water well, drilling and service. Call (915)499-2482.	Form Equipment	490	Garage Sales	535
RETAIL SALES full or part time. Conscientious person to work daily and some weekends. Sales experience preferred but not required. Salary commensurate with experience. Will train. Send resume to Box 1160-A c/o Big Spring Herald.		CLEAN YARDS , haul trash, mow grass, clean storage sheds, and odd jobs. Call 263-4672.	STEEL SEA Containers 8'x8'-1/2'x40' . Water proof, vermin proof, dust proof. Requires no foundation. Excellent storage for any use. We deliver. (915)653-4490 San Angelo, Texas.	Engraving	518	INSIDE SALE - Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 10:00 to 4:00. Silk flowers, china, lamps, miscellaneous. 806 Scurry.
GILLS FRIED chicken is now taking applications for day and evening shifts. Must be 18 years of age. Apply in person only. 1101 Gregg.		GENERAL CARPENTRY Repair Remodeled Additions-Cabinets-Formica-Floor Tile. Lyn Carpenter, 263-0832. Satisfaction guaranteed.	FOR SALE: 12 row J.D. planter with monitor, 12 row S.S. cultivator, 12 row S.S. crop knifer, and 9 row J.D. lister with row markers. Also dual hubs and spacers for J.D. 4440. Call Troy at 263-1146.	Computer Supplies	519	YARD SALE - Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday. Many kids items, shoes, toys.
BIG SPRING EMPLOYMENT AGENCY		B & J's Home Improvement Service . Moving 1 article or complete household. Painting inside or out. Household repairs. Lawn work - Trash hauling. Free Estimates. Call 263-4701 or 263-1836.	Poultry for Sale	520	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMO	
Coronado Plaza 267-2535		I WILL sit with sick or elderly . Day or night in home or hospital. Call 263-7266.	Horses	527	5 YEAR - 62,000 MILE WARRANTY ON ALL THESE DEMOS	
BOOKKEEPER - All office skills. Experience. Local. Open.		FINANCIAL	445	1985 CADILLAC COUPE DEVILLE - Stk. #11K559 - Platinum grey cloth seats, fully loaded.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
LOAN SEC. - Loan experience needed, local company. Excellent.		Loans	MISCELLANEOUS	1985 BUICK RIVIERA - Stk. #11B565 - Dark blue, blue cloth seat, fully loaded.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
CASHIERS - Need several. Experience. Open.		SIGNATURE LOANS up to \$253. CIC Finance, 406 Runnels, 263-7338. Subject to approval.	500	1985 CAPRICE - Stk. #10-41 - 4-door, green w/green cloth seats, fully loaded.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
PART-TIME - Several positions. Open.		WOMAN'S COLUMN	Dogs, Pets, Etc.	1985 CAPRICE - Stk. #1-154 - 4-door, cream beige w/saddle cloth seat, fully loaded.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
DRIVER - Fuel experience. Good safety record. Open.		Child Care	513	1985 K10 BLAZER - Stk. #3ET-281 - fully loaded.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
FUEL DESK cashier looking for mature dependable person. Some cashier experience preferred. Good rate of pay, paid vacation, and benefits. Relief shift and night shift opening. Apply in person, Rip Griffin Truck Stop, fuel desk.		OPENINGS Now available for all age groups. Lots of room to grow and play. Midway Day Care 263-8700.	SAND SPRINGS Kennels . A.K.C. Chows all colors; Toy Poodles; Pekingese; Chihuahuas - Terms. 560 Hooser Road, 393-5259.	DOG GROOMING	1985 S10 BLAZER TOHOE - Stk. #7T448 - 4 wheel drive, red/white, red cloth seats, fully loaded.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS
LVN NEEDED for homecare. Call 267-6295.		SNOOPY'S NOW Open, Monday thru Saturday. Two meals and snacks. Infants and up. 507 East 14th, 263-7507.	BETTY'S ANIMAL HOUSE . Pet board, dog, cats welcome. Large indoor kennels, outdoor exercise. Flea and tick baths. 267-1115.	GOOD CONDITION - Captain's bed with mattress. 4 shelves, 2 drawers. \$150. Call 267-6688.	1985 SUBURBAN - Stk. #4T336 - Blue/silver, blue custom cloth seats, travelquest conversion, front & rear AM, fully loaded.	
NOW TAKING applications at Sam's Package Store, 2409 Gregg, between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. No phone calls please.		RESPONSIBLE BABYSITTER . Will babysit in my home, any age, from 7:00 to 6:00. Call 267-4826.	FOR SALE: Registered female boxer . Good watchdog. Excellent mother, good with children. Call 263-7150.	WHITE WASHER , avocado dryer. \$50 each. Full mattress, box springs. \$40. Call 267-5739.	1985 SUBURBAN - Stk. #3T297 - Dark blue/tan, travelquest, custom conversion, fully loaded.	
WHATABURGER Now interviewing for management personnel. Excellent pay and benefits. Call Jean Hale, 263-7359 between 2:00 and 5:00 p.m. E.O.E.		CHILD CARE in my home. 1 to 3 years old, hot meals and snacks. 263-0991.	MIXED PUPPIES , five weeks, one male, one female, \$5 each. Male kitten ten weeks old, has shots, \$10. Male puppy, six months, has shots, \$15. 267-1115, 267-8032.	Garage Sales	535	
TIED UP COUNTING YOUR PENNIES? Count \$\$\$ money \$\$\$ instead selling Avon. Earn up to 50%. For more information call Sue Ward at 263-6695.		BABYSITTING in my home by the week. Infant to 2 years. Completely fenced yard. References available. Come by 611 Aylford.	IRIS' NOW Open full-time. Cheryl (The Dog House) now associated with us. Indoor boarding full-time. 263-2409/263-7900.	Garage Sale : Thursday 9:00 to 3:00; Friday and Saturday, 9:00 to 6:00. Baby clothes, crib, swing, walker, tools, weights and bench, ceiling fan. 2601 Hunter.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
FULL-TIME MAINTENANCE Position. Must have neat, clean appearance and be dependable. Salary plus benefits. Call 267-6331 or come by 906 Gregg.		GOLDEN RULE Pre-School has openings for 3 and 4 year olds. Full time only. Call 263-2976.	YOUR PETS home away from home. Double-D Kennels. Heated air conditioned. 2112 West 3rd, 263-2409.	FOR SALE: Bassett sofa and chair , \$150; Laz-y-boy recliner, \$150, and one end table, \$40. Toshiba microwave oven \$50. Call 267-2261 after 5:00 p.m.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
COMPUTER OPERATOR . Full charge accounts receivable and payable, general ledger, payroll, mailing list and word star. Applicant should have two years experience and/or degree. Delta, 267-5268.		EXPERIENCED CHILD care for day or evening shifts. Reasonable rates. Call 267-3213.	POODLE GROOMING - I do them the way you like them. Call Ann Fritzier, 263-0670.	WHITE WASHER , avocado dryer. \$50 each. Full mattress, box springs. \$40. Call 267-5739.	DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS - DEMOS	
EXPERIENCED WAITRESS needed. Apply in person. Lee's Chinese Garden, 324 Runnels.		READ 'EM AND EAT! RECIPE EXCHANGE EVERY WEDNESDAY. Big Spring Herald	RAY'S PET GROOMING , 16 years experience. Free dip with grooming. Cats welcome. Call 263-2179.	Garage Sales	535	

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AUTOMOBILES 550
Cars for Sale 553
 1973 TOYOTA COROLLA, \$450. 1974 Ford Caprice, \$550. 1970 Toyota Sprint, \$350. All in good condition. Parts for Pinto. 267-8388.
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FOR SALE: 1979 Chevy Caprice, 4 door, V8, vinyl top. Best offer. See at 1811 Runnels.
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Pickups 555
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Trucks 557
 1978 DATSUN KINGCAB, white with fiberglass camper, 5 speed. See at 1608 Oriole, after 12:00.
Vans 560
 1974 DODGE TRAVCO Camper Van, 1979 318 engine, automatic, air. call 393-5713 after 5:00.
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Recreational Veh 563
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FOR SALE: 1964 Harley, clean. \$2,500. Come by 1611 State.
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 1974 FORD PICKUP, Ranger XLT, Good condition, \$1,600. See at 1407 Sycamore, or call 267-4832.
MOVING SALE: Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Beds, brass headboard, desk, kitchenware, tools. 1805 Choctaw.
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GARAGE SALE: 1104 Nolan, Friday and Saturday, 10:00 to 6:00.

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 The Big Spring Independent School District will receive sealed bids for the re-roofing of portions of the Big Spring High School. A Urethane Foam, Elastomeric Roofing and Insulation System is specified. Big documents and information may be obtained in the School Business Office, 706 11th Place, Big Spring, Texas 79726. Bids will be accepted in the Business Office until 2:00 p.m., March 6, 1986, and opened publicly at that time. The awarding of a contract to the successful bidder will be made by the Board of Trustees at the regular meeting on March 13, 1986, at 5:15 p.m., Big Spring High School Board Room. 2735 February 20 & 27, 1986

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 The Big Spring Independent School District will receive sealed bids for the purchase of thirty (30) Packaged Evaporative Coolers until 2:30 p.m., March 6, 1986, in the office of the Assistant Superintendent for Business, 706 11th Place, Big Spring, TX 79726.
 Specifications and bid forms may be obtained from the School Business Office at the address listed above. Bid recapitulations and recommendations to purchase these units at the best bid shall be presented to the Board of Trustees during its regular meeting at 5:15 p.m., March 13, 1986. The bid proposal forms are requesting bids on equipment only. Please utilize the specifications and quotation form provided to complete your bid. Also, indicate the delivery date on which you anticipate that the equipment shall be made. Return your quotation to the School Business Office on or before the date and hour indicated above. The Big Spring Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
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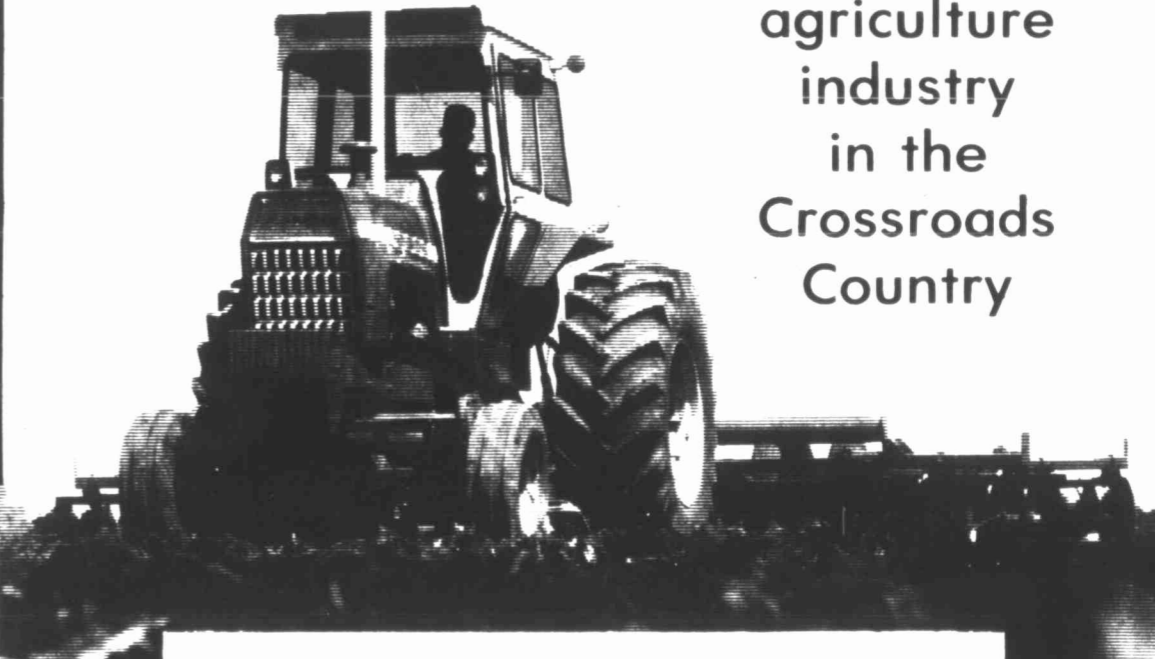



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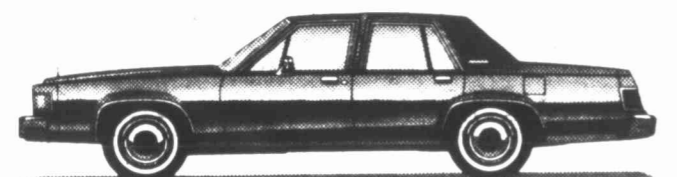
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