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## Spring Board

### How's that? Government debt

Q. When Reagan became president, how much was the national debt, the annual spending deficit and the foreign trade deficit? How much are they now?

A. For fiscal year 1981, the national debt was \$1,003 trillion, according to Congressman Charles Stenoh's Washington, D.C., office. The 1985 national debt was \$1,827 trillion. The annual spending deficit for fiscal year 1981 was \$78.9 billion, and for 1985 was \$212.2 billion. The foreign trade deficit for calendar year 1980 was \$36.3 billion, and for 1985 was \$148.4 billion.

### Calendar

#### U.G.L.Y. Bartender

##### TODAY

• The Greenhouse is having a mixed doubles pool tournament at 9 p.m. for the U.G.L.Y. Bartender contest to benefit Multiple Sclerosis. Entry fee is \$10 per couple. Trophies for first and second place will be awarded.

• "On Golden Pond" will be presented at the Colorado City Playhouse at 8 p.m. today and Saturday. Tickets are \$5 and may be reserved by calling 728-3491.

• The Merry Mixers will have a square dance at 8 p.m. in the Square Corral with caller James Moore. Guests are welcome.

• The senior citizens dance will be at 8 a.m. in Industrial Park Building No. 487. The Country Jammers band will play. Guests are welcome.

##### SATURDAY

• Cleanup of the spring for which Big Spring was named will be from 8 a.m. to noon. Volunteers should meet at the spring in Comanche Trail Park.

• The Big Spring Symphony will perform "A Gershwin Evening" at 8 p.m. in the Municipal Auditorium. Tickets are \$7.50 for adults and \$4 for students and senior citizens. They are available at the Chamber of Commerce or the Municipal Theater box office.

• An orientation for Humane Society volunteers will be held at 10 a.m. at the animal shelter on Midway Road, across from Cameo Homes.

• The Howard County Sheriff's Posse will sponsor the West Texas Barrel Racers meet and team roping at the Sheriff's Posse arena on Andrews Highway, starting at 11 a.m. Saturday and Sunday, and running all day. Spectators are welcome.

• The Potton House will be open Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m.

### Outside

#### Sunny

This afternoon, skies are sunny with a high of 80 to 84. Winds are south to southwest at 10 to 20 miles per hour. Tonight will be partly cloudy with a low in the mid 50s. Saturday, look for sunny skies and a high in the mid 80s.

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## Argument ends in man's death

By HANK MURPHY  
Staff Writer

An apparent argument escalated into murder Thursday afternoon as a 24-year-old man was shot to death at 408 S. Benton St., police say.

Disidoro Canales Jr. of 800 Willia St. was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Willie Grant after suffering multiple gunshot wounds, police Sgt. Ray Meek said Thursday.

This was the second murder in Big Spring this week and the third murder this month.

Police are looking for a suspect described as a 5'2" 120-pound Hispanic man with green eyes and brown hair believed to be in his early 20s. A warrant for his arrest was issued by Grant. Police are withholding the suspect's name.

The suspect was seen running from the area of the killing, which occurred about 4:30 p.m., with a gun in hand, said a witness.

The witness said the man was wearing a white shirt "that was torn nearly plumb off. It looked like he'd been in a fight."

Another man said he heard what seemed like "about eight shots in a row. I thought it was a kid lighting fire crackers," he said.

According to police, a number of people were in the yard of the Benton residence at the time Canales was shot. His body was draped with a blood-soaked sheet lying near a chainlink fence while police talked to witnesses and waited for the justice of the peace to arrive.

Detective Bill Anderson said today police are getting some cooperation from witnesses, but he said six or seven of them are refusing to give information.

Shortly after the shooting, police were investigating a trail of blood they believe came from the suspect.

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## 7-Elevens halt sale of adult magazines

### Staff and wire reports

The May issues of Playboy, Penthouse and Forum will be the last sold at Southland's 4,500 company-owned 7-Eleven convenience stores, President Jere W. Thompson said Thursday.

The corporate action will affect Big Spring's nine company-owned 7-Eleven stores, area manager supervisor Mike Rials said this morning.

"We will discontinue selling those magazines after the May issues have been sold," Rials said. Southland Corp. officials in Dallas said they decided to stop selling adult magazines at company-owned 7-Eleven stores because of possible links between the magazines and crime, but an analyst said the corporation's motive might have been more pragmatic.

Dallas-based Southland will encourage the 3,600 franchisee-operated 7-Elevens to adopt the policy as well, Thompson said.

He said the decision was prompted by testimony during the

special hearings conducted by the U.S. Attorney General's Commission on Pornography.

"The testimony before that commission indicates a growing public awareness and concern over a possible connection between adult magazines and crime, violence and child abuse," Thompson said. "Southland is very sensitive to our position as a leadership company and responsible corporate citizen."

Pastor Carl Powers of the Church of Nazarene in Big Spring said this morning he was thrilled to read about Southland's decision.

"It's an answer to prayer," he said. "I think this certainly is a real cause of jubilation."

Powers said no local drive had been organized to ban the magazines, but he said members of the Howard County Ministerial Fellowship were encouraged to object to the sale of those magazines.

Ed Gagnon, a retail analyst with Eppler, Guerin & Turner in Dallas, said he was surprised by Southland's decision. He noted that

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## Chamber to honor oldest living grads

The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce is looking for Howard County's own oldest living graduates.

The play "The Oldest Living Graduate," part of the Texas Trilogy by Preston Jones, will be presented April 21 in the Municipal Auditorium at 8 p.m., and the oldest living graduates from Big Spring, Sands, Coahoma and For-

san High Schools will be recognized and receive a plaque, according to information from the chamber.

The graduates will be special guests at a party honoring Paul Baker, the play's director. They also will receive free VIP tickets to the production.

To apply or to nominate someone for oldest living graduate, call the chamber at 263-7641.

## U.S. carriers moved to take up position

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two American aircraft carriers today moved toward an expected rendezvous near the island of Sicily to await a final decision in Washington on whether to mount a military strike against Libya, sources said.

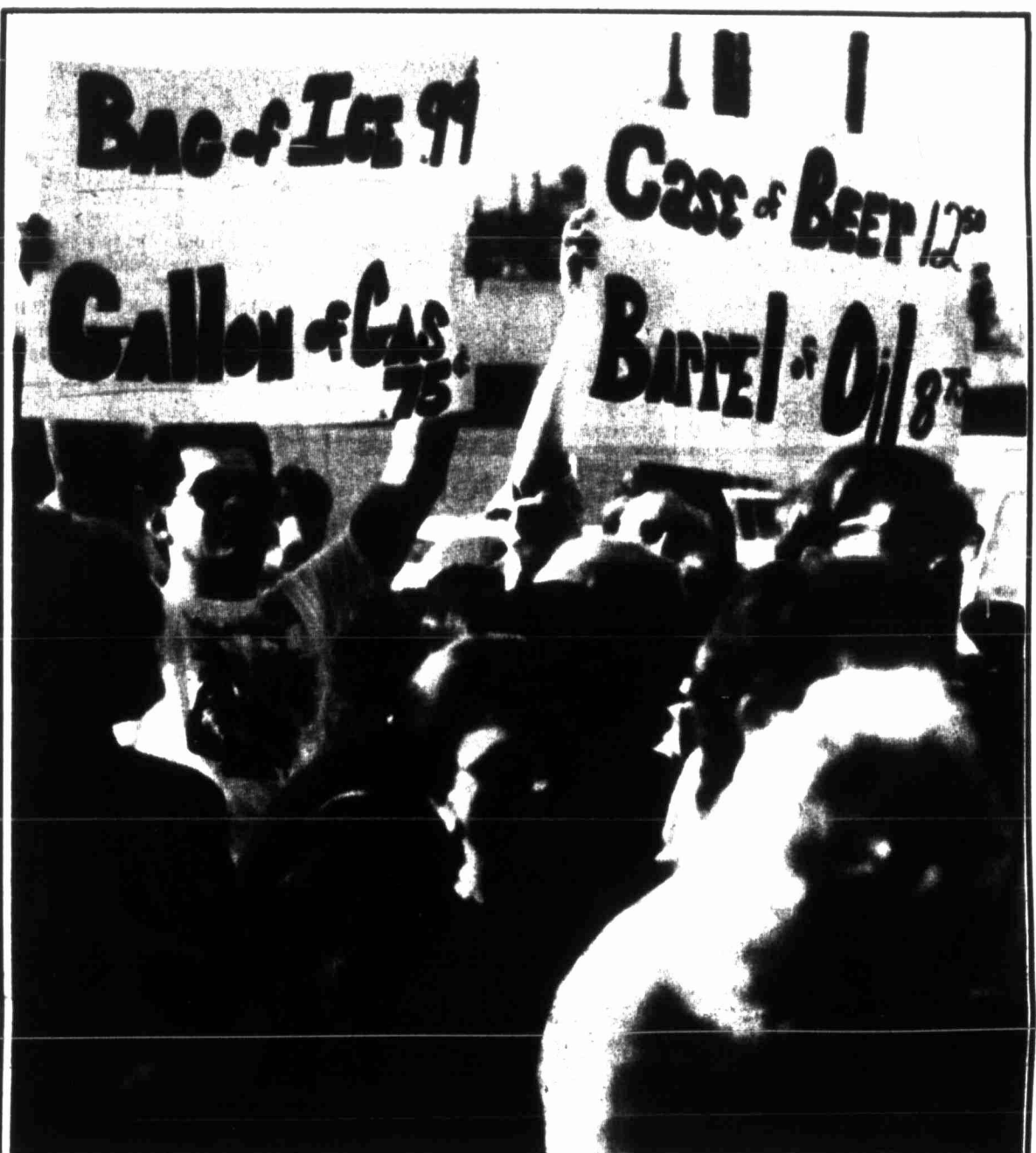
The carriers Coral Sea and America were described this morning as nearing a point "where it won't take long to form a battle group and move out."

The Coral Sea, ordered out of port in Malaga, Spain, on Thursday, was described by the sources

as steaming eastward and located to the south of Sardinia. The carrier America, which left Livorno, Italy, on Wednesday, was said to be steaming to the north and west of Sicily.

"They're steaming toward each other and should meet near Sicily," said one source. "From that point, they'll continue sailing eastward into the central Mediterranean."

The sources stressed, however, that the carriers had not been given any final go-ahead to launch a military strike against Libya in retaliation for recent terrorist attacks.



Mario Saavedra, left, and Ronnie Lewis hold signs during Thursday's oil rally in Odessa. Several hundred people turned out for simultaneous rallies in Midland and Odessa to promote a positive attitude in communities affected by the downturn in the oil business.

## Petro jitters

### Rallies bring cheer to flagging spirits

MIDLAND and ODESSA (AP) — High school bands played rousing marches, a rainbow of balloons floated into sunny skies and pep talks echoed notes of optimism as these twin cities gathered to forget the slump in oil prices and celebrate their grit.

"We had some rough times in the 30s, the old-timers tell me. We were so down we had to reach up to touch bottom," former Midland mayor Hank Avery told some 800 people assembled in an auditorium in downtown Midland.

Midland and Odessa will survive because of their people, said Avery, who was mayor during the area's last recession in the mid-60s.

Several organizations sponsored simultaneous rallies Thursday afternoon in the two West Texas cities, which are separated by a 20-mile stretch of State Highway 80 lined with oil-related and oil-dependent businesses.

Midland and Odessa are

capitals of the Permian Basin, which produces more than 20 percent of the nation's oil. Both cities have been hit hard by the decline in the price of oil, which was selling for \$13.58 a barrel on Thursday for the May futures market, up 58 cents from the previous day.

In Odessa, about 500 people showed up for the 4:45 p.m. CST rally in front of the Odessa College Sports Center.

Mario Saavedra, 29, carried a placard that read: "Bag of Ice 99 Cents, Gallon of Gas 75 Cents." Bar owner Ronnie Lewis carried another placard: "Case of Beer \$12.50, Barrel of Oil \$8.75."

"Maybe this will cheer him up," said 15-year-old Mary Madrid of her father, a worker in an oil tank company who has been returning home earlier each day as his hours are cut down.

The rallies kicked off a four-month media campaign dubbed "People With Character: Fueling Progress In the Petroplex."

The balloons — blue and yellow in Midland and four colors in Odessa — symbolized that the Permian Basin has "nowhere to go but up," said Joan Baskin, president of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

"It's to remind folks that they are the area's greatest asset," she said. "We can't control OPEC or the federal government or speculators. But we're toasting all folks in Midland and Odessa. They've been down this road before."

The crowds at both rallies were mostly composed of office workers and business people, apparently not among the numbers of unemployed that reached 7.8 percent in Midland and 9.3 percent in Odessa for February.

"If you dwell on it, you could feel pretty low," said Tom Wageman, president of RepublicBank First National Midland, who attended the Midland rally with his wife. "It's not over yet."

Earlier this week, administration sources disclosed that President Reagan had embraced the option of a military strike. But Pentagon officials, who spoke only on condition they not be identified, said no concrete orders had yet been issued to the 6th Fleet.

At the White House, meanwhile, presidential spokesman Larry Speakes declined comment on the worldwide furor over terrorism and declined to say how long the policy of silence would last.

"I am still in my no-comment mode," Speakes replied when asked why U.S. soldiers at night clubs in West Berlin were not warned

that U.S. intelligence had received indications of an impending terrorist attack before last weekend's bombing at a crowded discotheque.

When asked whether the no-comment policy would be permanent or of limited duration, Speakes responded, "Oh, I don't know, when you hear me talking, you will know."

Speakes was asked about a statement by NATO commander Bernard W. Rogers that the United States had advance warning of the Berlin night club bombing, in which two people, including an American soldier, were killed. Defense Department spokesman

Fred Hoffman said Thursday he was "not in a position to comment" on the warning report.

Rogers, speaking in Atlanta on Wednesday, also said there was "indisputable evidence" that Libyan leader Moammar Khadafy was behind the attack.

He said U.S. officials were attempting to warn off-duty soldiers at gathering places in West Berlin when the blast occurred early Saturday at the La Belle club.

"We were about 15 minutes too late," Rogers said.

Sixty-four Americans, many of them servicemen, were among the more than 200 injured.



# Names in the news

**By The Associated Press**  
**LONDON** — Sir LAURENCE OLIVIER, recuperating from a slight viral infection, appeared via modern technology in the opening of the \$5.11 million musical "Time," which was poorly received by critics.

Lord Olivier, cast as an otherworldly sage called Akash, is seen as a disembodied fiberglass hologram who communicates with the on-stage actors in the show about a trial set in space.

Cliff Richard, the 45-year-old British pop star, has the onstage lead as a rock star forced to defend the Earth in a trial that could lead to its destruction.

The opening night audience at London's Dominion Theatre on Wednesday night applauded the 78-year-old Olivier's opening image inside what looked like a suspended 14-foot egg.

**NEW HAVEN, Conn.** — Violinist ISAAC STERN is giving his son David an early graduation present Saturday. The father and son will perform on stage together for the first time.

"I'm not sure who will be more nervous, David or I," the 65-year-old Stern said recently. "But I know the most nervous ones will be Mrs. Stern and the rest of the family."

With his son conducting, Stern will play Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto. The younger Stern, a music



**KURT VONNEGUT**  
...speaks out on censorship

major at Yale University, also will conduct Brahms' German Requiem, and his father will play in the violin section of the orchestra.

Saturday's concert will be David's final one as director of the school's Bach Society, a position he has held for three years.

The concert is meant as a fundraiser for the Bach Society, but Isaac Stern said, "It's really a celebration of David's graduation."

IRVING — Novelist **KURT VON-**



**DEBORAH CARTHY-DEU**  
...Miss Universe gets ride

NEGUT lashed out against censorship, saying "it usually happens in isolated rural areas."

"They're trying to get elected to the school committee never having read a book," Vonnegut, whose works include "Slaughterhouse Five," told students Wednesday at North Lake College. "The people who throw it out — hayseeds usually — haven't even read it."

**LEXINGTON, Ky.** — Miss Universe came close to thumbing a ride while returning here from a

tour of a Midway horse farm.

**DEBORAH CARTHY-DEU** and a traveling companion were stranded Wednesday after their host's new car broke down.

Along came a city employee who picked up the two women and brought them into Lexington.

They didn't get his name, but he got an autographed picture of Carthy-Deu.

"It will absolutely be part of my memoirs," she said later in the day.

**LOS ANGELES** — Comedian **GEORGE BURNS** is still living life in the fast lane at age 90.

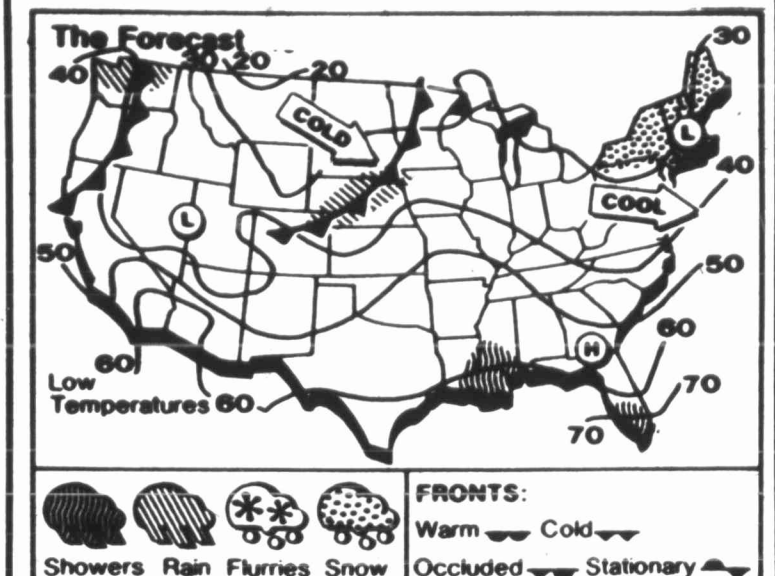
The city on Thursday dedicated George Burns Road, a two-block thoroughfare beside Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, as appreciation for his work in raising money for the hospital.

Asked how he felt about a road named after him, Burns said: "Well, if you hang around long enough, anything can happen."

**LONDON** — **PRINCESS ANNE**, Queen Elizabeth II's only daughter, will visit Canada for seven days in June, Buckingham Palace has announced.

The princess will carry out engagements in New Brunswick and Ontario, and as president of the British Olympic Association will visit the site of the 1988 Winter Olympics at Calgary, Alberta, the palace said Thursday.

## Weather



## Yesterday

High temperature.....	70
Low temperature.....	50
Record high.....	96
Record low.....	30
Rainfall.....	0.00
Year-to-date.....	0.37
Normal-to-date.....	2.40
Soil high temperature, 4".....	71
Soil low temperature, 4".....	65

Soil high temperature, 8".....69  
 Soil low temperature, 8".....66

## Other cities

CITY.....	HI	LO
Abilene.....	57	50
Amarillo.....	62	36
Austin.....	56	51
Dallas.....	67	53
San Angelo.....	72	51
Wichita Falls.....	64	47

## Police Beat

### Motorcycle reported stolen

Marilyn Newton of 1103 Lamar St. told police Thursday morning that someone stole a \$300 motorcycle from outside her residence between 10:30 p.m. Tuesday and 5:30 p.m. Wednesday.

● Lester Long of 709 1/2 E. 12th St. told police Thursday morning that someone stole a \$169 portable cassette player from his residence between April 3 and 8 a.m. Thursday.

● Kenneth Yates of Furr's

Cafeteria told police someone broke into the business early this morning and stole two pieces of pie.

Joe H. Grunillo, 27, of Coahoma and Victor Crenshaw, 25, of 1301 W. Second St. were arrested at the cafeteria on suspicion of the burglary.

● David Marques, 22, of 610 N.W. Eighth St. was arrested Thursday afternoon for a second offense of driving without insurance.

## Sheriff's Log

### 2 transferred to county jail

Police transferred two persons to county jail Thursday afternoon after their arrests.

● Armando Castillo, 20, of Del Rio was arrested on suspicion of driving while intoxicated. He was

released on \$1,000 bond.  
 ● David B. Marquez, 22, of 610 N.W. Eighth was arrested for failure to maintain financial responsibility. He was released on \$500 bond.

## School board head elected

**COLORADO CITY** — Dr. Billy Bruce Bridgeford was elected president of the Colorado Independent School District board of trustees at a meeting Thursday.

Bridgeford, who has served on the board eight years, succeeds Eddie Piland.

Also elected were J.C. Britton as vice president and Dwayne Harris,

secretary.  
 In an executive session, the board renewed contracts for all 108 of the district's teachers for 1986-87, said Superintendent Charlie Uselton.

Salaries have been frozen for school personnel except for a state-mandated pay raise of \$114 a month for teachers, Uselton said.

## Area men on state panel

**Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau**  
**AUSTIN** — Seven West Texas officials, including Howard County Commissioner O.L. Brown of Big Spring, have been named by Gov. Mark White to the Permian Basin Region Community Development Block Grant Review Committee.

Others are Upton County Judge Peggy Garner of Rankin, who also was named chairman; Andrews County Judge Les Brown of An-

draws; Winkler County Judge Mary Frances Clark of Kermit; Martin County Judge Bob Deavenport of Stanton; Ector County Judge Nola Jan Fisher of Odessa; and Mayor Danny Fryar of Stanton.

The committee reviews and votes on distribution of federal Community Development Block Grant funds in a 14-county area of West Texas.

## Markets

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Name	CURRENT QUOTE
American Airlines	54 1/2
American Petroleum	44 1/2
Atlantic Richfield	37 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	17 1/2
Chrysler	42 1/2
DuPont	72 1/2
Emery	19
Enersys	15 1/2
Ford	82 1/2
Firestone	25 1/2
Gen. Telephone	51 1/2
Halliburton	23
IBM	151 1/2
J.C. Penney	68 1/2
Johnsonville	7 1/2
K Mart	64 1/2
Coca-Cola	101 1/2
DeBeers	7 1/2
Mobil	29 1/2
Pacific Gas	22 1/2
Phillips	19 1/2
Sears	46 1/2
Sun Oil	47 1/2
AT&T	22 1/2
Texasco	31 1/2
Texas Instruments	127 1/2
Texas Utilities	34 1/2
U.S. Steel	30 1/2
Exxon	56 1/2
Westinghouse	56 1/2
Western Union	6 1/2
Zales	34 1/2
Kidde	37 1/2
Pioneer	30 1/2
HCA	40 1/2
MUTUAL FUNDS	
Ampac	9.80-10.81
ICA	13.66-14.99
New Economy	20.43-22.33
New Perspective	10.19-11.14
Gold	342.00-342.50
Silver	5.45-5.48

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## For the record

A story in Wednesday's Herald incorrectly reported that Coahoma may get an extra \$17,000 a year from Enersys under terms of a new contract the City Council reviewed Tuesday night.  
 The actual amount the city may realize with the new contract is \$1,700, said Enersys representative Dearl Pittman.

## Brooks voted school board president

Newly re-elected school board member Bill Brooks was chosen president of the Big Spring Independent School District board of trustees at a special meeting Thursday.

Billy Fineda was elected vice president and newly re-elected Dan Wise was chosen secretary of the board. Wise also was nominated for vice president, but declined the nomination.

The initial vote count for Brooks and Wise was incorrect at one precinct, said Don Crockett, assistant superintendent for business. Brooks had

3,341 votes and Wise had 2,399, one additional vote each than was previously reported, he said.

Brooks, Wise and newcomer Dock Voorhies were sworn into office.

In other business, the board approved high school band and choir trips. The choir will go to the Buccaneer Music Festival in Corpus Christi May 1-4. The band will go to the Sandy Lake Band Fun Fest in Dallas April 24-27.

All board members were at the meeting.

## Malpractice suit filed against 2 local doctors

A malpractice suit against two local doctors and Malone-Hogan Hospital was one of two civil suits filed this week in the 118th District Clerk's office.

● Gwenda K. Justice and her husband Daniel Justice, both of Big Spring, are suing Dr. Donald E. Crockett Jr., Dr. J.E. Mathews and Malone-Hogan Hospital "to recover damages arising from personal injuries sustained by Gwenda K. Justice on May 5, 1985."

The suit contends that the injuries were "proximately caused by negligence of the defendants."

According to the petition filed Monday, Mrs. Justice underwent surgery performed by Crockett at Malone-Hogan in May 1985 for the removal of her gall bladder.

During the course of the surgery, the petition alleges Mrs. Justice suffered damage to her colon and internal organs.

The damage resulted in the woman suffering "permanent physical impairment," according to the petition.

The suit claims the three defendants "were each and all negligent in the medical treatment rendered

to such plaintiff."  
 The lawsuit did not request a set amount of money for damages, but did request the court to award pre- and post-judgment interest as allowed by law.

● In the second lawsuit, Billy Ray White and his wife, Norma Joyce White, both of Big Spring, claim that a Lamesa man was negligent while driving a car on June 6, 1985, that collided with the White's pickup in the intersection of Benton and Second Streets.

According to the petition filed Tuesday, Rudolfo Ybanez, Jr. was negligent in failing to keep a proper lookout, failing to properly use his brakes, driving at a high rate of speed, failing to attempt to avoid a collision, driving while intoxicated and running a stop sign.

The petition contends that both Whites suffered "severe bodily injuries" as a result of the collision and incurred medical expenses totaling about \$1,500.

The petition did not request a set amount of damages, but did request the court to award "such other and further relief to which plaintiffs may be justly entitled."

## Murder

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 "We found a few blood spots, then the trail just petered out," said Capt. Melvin Fowler. Meek said later that police think the blood was that of the victim and not the suspect.

Anderson said this morning that no motive for the killing has been determined, and police do not know if the suspect has access to a vehicle.

Meek said Thursday it was not known if the suspect was still armed. Police have not found the murder weapon. They said, however, it appears to be a small-caliber handgun.

Within the last month, Big Spring has had two shootings and three murders.

"It's going to be a long year the way things are starting out," Meek said.

On Tuesday, Jewell War II veteran William H. Jewell, 66, was found beaten to death with a baseball bat. His roommate, who is suspected of the murder, is in Big Spring State Hospital undergoing psychiatric evaluation.

On March 22, Albert Gonzales, 23, was found shot to death outside

his car at 610 N.W. Eighth St. Police have made no arrests in connection with that murder.

Rosary services for Canales will be at 7 p.m. Friday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Funeral Mass will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. James Delaney, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born Dec. 5, 1961, in Seguin and had lived in Big Spring for eight years, where he worked as an electrician's helper. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

He is survived by a son, Jason Canales of Big Spring; a daughter, Jessica Canales of Big Spring; a stepdaughter, Jennifer Gamble of Big Spring.

Other survivors include his mother, Brigida Canales of Big Spring; his father, Disidoro Canales Sr. of Big Spring; three sisters, Mary Garcia of Big Spring, Dominga Guzman of Crosbyton and Maria Guzman of Denver City; and four brothers, Tony Canales of Crosbyton, Martin Canales of Denver City, and Adam and Joe Eric Canales, both of Big Spring.

## Deaths

### Clayton C. "Nick" Nichols

Services for Clayton C. "Nick" Nichols, 73, of Midway Road will be Saturday at 3 p.m. at Myers & Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Ray Bell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Coahoma, officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park with Masonic graveside rites by Coahoma Lodge No. 992 AF&AM.

Nichols died Thursday morning, April 10, 1986, at Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Oct. 27, 1912, in Que County, N.M., and married Hazel Trent June 11, 1932, in Sweetwater. He came to Howard County in 1957 and began working for the Texas and Pacific Railroad in 1938 in Stanton as a section hand. He retired as roadmaster in 1977 in Big Spring. He was a member of the National Association of Veteran and Retired Railroaders and a life member of the Roadmasters and Maintenance of Way Association of America. He was a member of the Church of Christ, the Roscoe Lodge No. 980 AF&AM and was a past master of Hiram Lodge No. 433 AF&AM in Collinsville.

He is survived by his wife, Hazel of Midway Road; two sons, Don Nichols of Midway Road and Nick Nichols of Coahoma; a daughter, Mrs. Royce (Peggy) Holdridge of Greenville, S.C.; four sisters, Mrs. R.G. (Ina) Brazelton of Sweetwater, Mrs. Bertha V. Anderson of Trent, Mrs. R.B. (Billie) Robinson

### Francios Walker

Services for Francios Walker, 19, of 2501 Hunter are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. She died Thursday evening at Malone-Hogan Hospital after a long illness.

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

Disidoro Canales, 24, died Thursday. Rosary will be Friday at 7:00 P.M. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral Mass will be Saturday at 11:00 A.M. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Archie Aldridge, 91, died Thursday in Midland. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

301 E. 24th St., Big Spring

of Hamlin and Mrs. Mattie Jo Blankenship of Anson; two brothers, Virgil H. Utley of Midland and Jack L. Utley of Gainesville; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Fellow Masons will serve as pallbearers.

### Archie Aldridge

**SWEETWATER** — Graveside services for Archie Aldridge, 91, formerly of Big Spring, will be Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Sweetwater Cemetery with the Rev. Eldon Cook, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sand Springs, officiating. Myers & Smith Funeral Home will direct.

Aldridge died Thursday, April 10, 1986, at Physicians and Surgeons Hospital of Midland after a long illness.

He was born Feb. 9, 1895, in Paris and moved to Big Spring in 1974 from Wichita, Kan., to live with his brother, Hubert G. Aldridge. He had been in Midland at Westwind Care Facility since 1980. He was a veteran and retired farmer and painter.

He is survived by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hubert G. (Cleo) Aldridge of Big Spring.

### John Harrison Jr.

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** — Services for John Harrison Jr. of Washington, D.C., formerly of Big Spring, are pending at Richard Rapp Funeral Home in Washington, D.C.

He died Thursday, April 10, 1986. He was born in Odessa and raised in Big Spring.

Local survivors are his father, J.B. "Pete" Harrison of Big Spring and his sister, Georgie Newsome of Big Spring.

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# Nation

By Associated Press

## Curbs on Italian wine

WASHINGTON — Only Italian wines with certificates assuring they're not laced with methanol will be allowed into the United States, the director of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms said.

Stephen E. Higgins said Thursday the bureau was taking the action in the wake of tainted-wine deaths in Italy, and added, "Even with the certificate of analysis, ATF will pull representative samples of the wine for testing in ATF laboratories."

In related action, Safeway Stores, based in Oakland, Calif., ordered its managers nationwide to pull Italian wines from their shelves.

## AIDS victim in school

KOKOMO, Ind. — A teen-age AIDS victim was back in school today, but at least 24 other students were absent because of his return, the school's principal said.

Ryan White, 14, rejoined classes at the Western Middle School in Russiaville on Thursday after Clinton Circuit Judge Jack R. O'Neill dismissed a temporary restraining order barring the Kokomo boy from attending school.

About 27 of the school's 364 pupils were taken home by parents immediately after the ruling, Principal Ron Colby said today.

## Brazilian pushes claim

WASHINGTON — A Brazilian fisherman says his son was killed by debris from the space shuttle Challenger and he wants NASA to pay him \$21 million. The space agency says there is no proof such a death occurred.

John Kipalani, a 52-year-old Miskito Indian, claims he was sailing with his son, Ken, from Colombia to Baltimore on Jan. 28 when a 20-foot-long piece of metal fell from the sky.

In a claim filed with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration at the Kennedy Space Center in Florida, Kipalani said the metal sliced through his 47-foot shrimp boat 53 miles off the coast of North and South Carolina and struck his sleeping son.

## Accused fired in court

SAN FRANCISCO — The father of a slain teen-age girl smuggled a revolver into a courtroom in a hollowed-out book and fired point-blank at the accused killer, wounding him as the judge dived under the bench, witnesses said.

Jack Spiegelman had been watching pretrial proceedings Thursday when he suddenly rose, pulled a pistol from his pocket and aimed it at the defendant, Daniel David Morgan, who was about six feet away, the witnesses said.

After the shooting, Spiegelman dropped the gun and surrendered, said police Inspector Jeff Brosch, who was testifying at the hearing.

## Fees up at UT campus

GALVESTON — University of Texas regents approved increases in student fees and housing rates at the Austin campus next fall.

UT Austin officials said the move was necessary because of higher costs of providing services. The increases approved by regents Thursday will be in addition to tuition boosts approved by the Legislature last year.

"We want to keep the costs to the students as low as possible, but the reality is that the university's costs keep going up," said UT President William Cunningham.



Former Texas Gov. Bill Clements as he spoke to a private school rally at Austin Thursday. Clements and two other gubernatorial candidates were in Austin where hundreds appeared at a state Board of Education committee hearing on proposed private school rules.

# Private schools

## Proposed rule angers parents, preachers

Wire Reports

AUSTIN — A committee of the State Board of Education voted 4-0 today to toss the issue of regulating private schools back to the state Legislature.

The Committee on Students approved a resolution which asks the 1987 Legislature to decide the issue of regulating private schools. The resolution also included guidelines to determine the definition of private schools.

The measure will go to the full board Saturday. Committee Chairman Jack Strong of Longview said he favored today's action after being told at the hearing the Texas Legislative Council has issued an opinion saying the matter is out of the authority of the state education board and must be handled by the Legislature.

Today's meeting followed protests on Thursday by opponents to new regulations for private and church schools who had a double-barrel argument — the state shouldn't make any changes. And, if it does, the Legislature should handle the revision.

More than 75 witnesses, including 17 state legislators, appeared Thursday before the Students Committee of the State Board of Education to protest any new controls over non-public schools.

"If they go ahead with these changes, we will sue them in court," GOP gubernatorial candidate Kent Hance told an enthusiastic rally of the opponents Thursday.

"I have been approached by a number of clients who say they want me to file suit for damages against each of you if this is passed," Dallas attorney Curtis Brown told the committee.

"The threat of legal action will not keep us from doing what we think we should do," replied committee chairman Jack Strong of Longview, a former state senator.

More than 1,000 jammed the auditorium and about twice that many filled the corridors and adjoining rooms to listen to the proceedings through speakers.

Outside, hundreds more kept their rally going with speeches, hymns and patriotic songs.

The proposed new regulations, which were postponed from the board's March meeting, mandate that a private or parochial school — which includes classes held in the home by parents — must be approved by the state.

Such schools also must teach a course of instruction similar to that required of public schools and have adequate physical facilities, and its students must take an annual achievement test.

The only current requirement of a private or parochial school is that it offer a course in citizenship.

Many of the more than 75 witnesses, including a number of legislators, claimed the board had no authority to lay down the rules because the constitution gave them control only of public schools.

State Rep. Larry Don Shaw, D-Big Spring, said the current rule was vague, but added, "I don't think you should attempt to address these problems by an administrative ruling."

Preachers and parents who instruct children either at home or in private institutions claimed their children are gifts from God and they would refuse to abide by any law that hampers their education.

# World

By Associated Press

## Kohl sees Libyan link

BONN, West Germany — Chancellor Helmut Kohl today identified Libya as a suspect in the bombing of a West Berlin discotheque in which two people were killed and 230 were hurt.

"There are a great many indications that the bombing of the discotheque in Berlin also has a Libyan background," Kohl told a news conference. "I didn't say only, I said also."

By stressing the word "also" Kohl appeared to be hinting that others were involved, but he refused to say who. "I have said what I am going to say on this matter, you know that an investigation is going on," he told reporters.

## Shootout frees captive

BAALBEK, Lebanon — Hunters stumbled across a kidnapped French teacher in eastern Lebanon's Bekaa Valley early today, and freed him during a shootout with his captors.

The teacher, 42-year-old Michel Brian, was not hurt in the gun battle on the outskirts of the ancient Roman town of Baalbek.

Brian told reporters he was kidnapped Tuesday evening in militia-ruled west Beirut by gunmen who bundled him into a car. He is a teacher at the College Protestant Francais, a private school in Beirut.

## Soviets end test ban

MOSCOW — The Soviet Union announced today it is ending a self-imposed moratorium on nuclear tests because of the nuclear weapons test conducted by the United States.

The official news agency Tass carried a brief statement: "In connection with yet another nuclear blast set off in the United States, the government of the U.S.S.R. declared that it is now free from its unilateral commitment to refrain from staging any nuclear explosions."

"At the same time," Tass added, "the Soviet Union expresses readiness at any moment to return to the issue of a mutual moratorium on nuclear explosions if the U.S. government declares that it will refrain from conducting such blasts."

## Flight engineer testifies

OTTAWA — The chartered DC-8 jet that crashed last December and killed 248 American soldiers was overloaded and "flew like a dog," says the flight engineer from a crew that flew the plane from Cairo to Cologne, West Germany.

Charles Alonso, testifying Thursday before a Canadian Aviation Safety Board hearing, said the Arrow Air plane was crammed with baggage both in the hold and the cabin, lost all its drinking water to leaks, and had one engine running hot.

## Search on for captors

DUBLIN, Ireland — Police searching for kidnapped socialite Jennifer Guinness said today they had flushed out known criminals and Irish Republican Army sympathizers, but had no firm evidence linking her abduction to the outlawed guerrillas.

No group has claimed responsibility for the kidnapping and no contact has been reported with her abductors, a three-man gang police said was led by a burly gunman called "Colonel."

They demanded a ransom of \$2.6 million for the safe return of Mrs. Guinness, a member of the Guinness banking and brewery dynasty — Ireland's richest family.

# Softer gun control bill now goes to Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) —

Stimulated by a gun lobby whose victory in the House was decisive but not total, Congress is moving to weaken the 1968 law that reflected Americans' outrage at the murders of Martin Luther King Jr. and Robert F. Kennedy.

Shortly after the House voted overwhelmingly on Thursday to weaken many provisions of the law — but to retain a ban on interstate handgun sales — gun lobby strategists huddled to plan their next step.

At issue is whether the Senate should accept the House bill, or insist on a conference to water down or eliminate provisions won by handgun control forces.

Retention of the prohibition on interstate handgun sales was added

to the House bill after heavy lobbying by gun control groups and uniformed police officers. They also succeeded in tacking on a ban on future possession and transfer of automatic weapons, but those currently owning machine guns would be allowed to keep them.

Sen. James A. McClure, R-Idaho, sponsor of a Senate-passed bill that also would weaken the current gun law, said the House measure was a "positive step" but contains "some provisions that I don't support."

His office said he has not decided whether to accept the House bill.

Rep. Harold L. Volkmer, D-Mo., sponsor of the House bill, said, "I'm going to recommend to the senators that they take it and run with it as is."

And the lawmaker who sponsored

the gun control language, Rep. William J. Hughes, D-N.J., also predicted Senate acceptance.

The key vote on Volkmer's bill was 286-136, with support coming from 128 Democrats and 158 Republicans. There were 118 Democrats and 18 Republicans opposed.

After the opening day of House debate Wednesday, it appeared that the National Rifle Association and other pro-gun groups would sweep to victory with massive changes to the 1968 law.

But on Thursday, the pressure applied by the police groups and handgun control advocates including Sarah Brady — wife of presidential press secretary James Brady — won on the interstate sales and machine gun provisions.

# Court, House testimony set

AUSTIN (AP) — Chief Justice John Hill of the Texas Supreme Court agreed today to testify before a House committee "to remove this cloud" of alleged impropriety from the court.

House Judicial Affairs Committee chairman Frank Tejeda, D-San Antonio, has said his committee is investigating allegations of possible high court impropriety in its handling of a request by lawyer and campaign contributor Pat Maloney Sr. to transfer two cases from a San Antonio appeals court.

Hill met briefly with Reps. Smith Gilley, D-Greenville, and David Patronella, D-Houston, in the chief justice's office today and said he would appear within the hour before the committee at the

Capitol. Hill questioned whether the investigation was to gain publicity or was "an honest effort to ferret out the facts."

Nevertheless, he said, he said he had "no personal quarrel" with Tejeda.

Gilley said Thursday Tejeda's committee, of which Gilley is vice chairman, had no right to issue subpoenas to two Supreme Court justices.

"If I was either one of those judges, I would take those subpoenas and throw them in the trash can," Gilley said.

Tejeda's committee subpoenaed Associate Justices William Kilgarlin and C.L. Ray to testify at a committee session today. The

two justices said they would not honor the subpoenas because of the constitutional principle of separation of powers.

"I sincerely regret what action the committee took regarding Judge Ray and Judge Kilgarlin, two outstanding judges," Gilley said.

At the request of the lawyer for the two justices, Austin State District Judge Paul Davis on Wednesday issued a restraining order against the committee. He set an April 18 hearing.

The committee is investigating alleged improprieties by Ray and is looking into actions by two of Kilgarlin's briefing attorneys.

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# Opinion



Art Buchwald

## Reagan believer all way through

The rumor in Washington is President Reagan has decided that when he goes, he's going to take all of us with him. The decision was made after Mr. Reagan saw "Rambo" for the 26th time. The information came from one of my many White House sources.

"The President is tired of being Mr. Nice Guy," he told me. "He has decided to show some muscle, so people will sit down reasonably together and cry 'uncle.'"

"I'm all for that," I said. "What can I do to help him?"

"You can believe him," my White House source said.

"Believe him about what?"

"About everything. Do you believe the Sandinistas can walk to Harlingen, Texas, in two days?"

"I'll believe less if you want me to."

"I believe it," I said.

"Do you believe the Nicaraguans invaded Honduras with 1,500 soldiers as their first step to a takeover of Mexico?"

"If I didn't believe that, there would be nothing to believe."

"Then do you believe the only thing that will drive them back to Managua is \$100 million?"

"You mean you want to give the Sandinistas \$100 million to get out of Honduras?"

"No, we want to give the contras \$100 million to boot the Sandinistas out and overthrow their government at the same time."

"That's easy to believe."

"Okay, you've passed the first part of the test. Now let's see how you do on the budget. Do you believe the Defense Department needs every nickel it can get?"

"If Mr. Reagan says it, I believe it."

"Plus a lot more money for Star Wars, Stealth bombers and the sophisticated weapons too secret to even discuss?"

"I have never doubted our needing them."

"Then you have to believe the President needs a supplemental donation for naval actions such as the one we just saw in Libya."

"I have no problem supporting the President on everything he did in Libya."

"Then you're not against the underground atomic tests in Nevada which the President has to have if he's going to get anywhere with Gorbachev?"

"Can I make a blanket deal with you and say I support the President on the whole kit and caboodle?"

"We have to do these one at a time, otherwise the press will say the President doesn't have the support of the American people."

"I believe that too."

"How do you feel about the President's arms negotiations?"

"How should I feel about them?"

"Mr. Reagan is doing everything in his power to bring about an agreement."

"I believe it."

"Do you believe that in a nuclear war which neither side can hope to win, we could still come out on top?"

"I haven't believed that up to now."

"Think about it. Doesn't it make sense?"

"If it makes sense to the President, it makes sense to me."

The White House man seemed very pleased with our session.

"How do you feel about prayer in school?"

"I don't believe in it."

"I thought you supported the President."

"I do the killing of Sandinistas. Do I have to support him on prayer in schools?"

"In our Administration you can't have one without the other."

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Jack Anderson

## PLO hunts for sanctuary

By JACK ANDERSON and JOSEPH SPEAR  
WASHINGTON — Like the legendary frontier rascal being run out of town in tar and feathers, Yasir Arafat has tried to make it look as if he were leading a PLO parade out of his sanctuary in Tunisia.

But the humiliating reality is that Arafat was invited to leave in no uncertain terms, and he is having the devil's own time trying to find another Arab country that will take him in with any degree of hospitality.

Considering the past behavior of his cohorts in the Palestine Liberation Organization, to say nothing of the Israeli retaliatory strikes their presence invites, it's hard to blame the Arab governments for being reluctant to play host to Arafat and his unruly hordes.

The PLO's press agents have accentuated the positive, of course, boasting that all of the PLO troops who debarked from Beirut under Israeli guns in 1982 have now returned to their old haunts in Beirut and its environs. This is probably an exaggeration; but even so, it points up the embarrassment Arafat must feel at not setting up his old headquarters in Lebanon.

The reason he hasn't is that even the armed PLO guerrillas in Beirut are kept on a tight leash by the Syrian army. Syrian President Hafez Assad was the greatest single benefactor of the PLO ouster in 1982 and the subsequent withdrawal of Israeli troops — and he can hardly be expected to throw away the control of most of Lebanon by welcoming back a rival.

There has been some talk lately of a reconciliation between Arafat and Assad, presumably under pressure from the Soviets, who value Arafat as a useful tool to stir up trouble, and who have undoubted influence with Assad as his chief arms supplier. But there is a strong personal antipathy between the two Arab rivals — the rigid, ascetic Assad detests the effete, easily compromised Arafat. Sources told our associate Lucette Lagnado that any reconciliation, which they regard as unlikely, would definitely be on Assad's terms.

The history of the PLO's stay in Tunisia is enough to make any potential host leery. The defeated PLO troops were allowed in only on condition that they

refrain from terrorist activities. But the PLO murdered three Israelis in Cyprus last September, provoking an Israeli air raid on the PLO headquarters outside Tunis. Many Tunisians were killed.

Yet the internal dynamics of the PLO — and Arafat's always challengeable leadership — demand that the organization be "close to the action." That means being as near to Israel as possible, and being given loose enough rein to carry out the kind of operations that are the PLO's main reason for being.

Jordan's King Hussein still remembers the PLO as demanding guests who nettled him until he ejected them in a bloody showdown in 1970 — an operation that the PLO still refers to as "Black September." In recent months, Hussein has allowed the PLO to open offices in his kingdom, but like his Syrian neighbor, he keeps the PLO elements under tight control. Now Hussein has fallen out with Arafat over regional peace talks, thereby souring relations. Furthermore, Hussein is vulnerable to retaliation from Israel, which has reminded him pointedly of this.

Libyan dictator Muammar Khadafy supports the Palestinian cause but despises Arafat. Libya is also a bit far from Israel for the PLO's purposes.

Egypt is a possibility, but since there's an Israeli embassy in Cairo, a PLO headquarters there could be sticky.

Iraq is probably the likeliest prospect on Arafat's "house-hunting" list, but it is also far from Israel's borders, and Iraqi President Saddam Hussein would be certain to keep the PLO under strict bounds.

VISA VEXATIONS: Applicants for tourist visas into the United States are a perennial source of worry for American consular officials. They must decide, usually on the basis of inadequate or possibly misleading information supplied by the applicant, whether the visitor is a legitimate tourist or will decide to stay in this country illegally. A cable from the consulate in Alexandria, Egypt, to Foggy Bottom described one class of alleged tourists who almost automatically raise suspicion: "As usual," it noted, "the bulk of the applicants are university students (who) claim to have \$2,000 and plan to stay at 'any hotel in New York.'"

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## Insight

# Khadafy puts Western alliance in bind

By CHARLES J. HANLEY  
Whatever he has or hasn't done, Moammar Khadafy, unpredictable leader of an underdeveloped land, has managed to shake the superstructure of the Western alliance.

When the Western powers sit down in Tokyo next month for their annual summit, the desert nomad's son will be the invisible man, setting the agenda with his threats of worldwide anti-American terrorism.

Time and again since December, the United States and its West European allies have quarreled, discreetly but sharply, over what to do about the Libyan: Military reprisals? Economic penalties? Quiet diplomacy?

The Americans have pushed for firm retaliation, and the Europeans — with different interests, different views — have pushed back.

"We see that always, with these American economic embargoes, we are forced into it," a resentful West German diplomat said in a recent Bonn interview.

But Europeans sound frustrated, too.

A West German conservative, in a high-ranking security position, said he had no doubt Khadafy's government has its hands in Middle Eastern and European terrorism, and "we have to implement tangible measures, measures they really feel."

But, he added, "there is just no hard evidence, and it's hard to find."

The two officials, speaking on condition of anonymity, were among more than a dozen European specialists interviewed recently about international terrorism.

The interviews took place before last week's bombings of a TWA jetliner and a West Berlin nightclub packed with American GIs — attacks the U.S. administration links to Libya.

On Wednesday, West Germany expelled two Libyan diplomats, but Bonn officials say their government is still unlikely to join in U.S. economic sanctions against Libya.

Their continued reluctance led Richard Burt, U.S. ambassador to Bonn, to criticize the West Europeans for an "overly parochial" attitude toward the terrorist threat. Less openly, the Americans were grumbling that the West Europeans are worried more about their trade with Libya — \$12 billion last year — than about security, an assertion some Europeans privately confirm.

When the Reagan administration cut off all U.S. commerce with Libya after last December's Rome-Vienna airport massacres, the Europeans did not go along.

When the U.S. 6th Fleet clashed with Libyan forces in the Gulf of Sidra last month, Italy, Greece and other U.S. partners in the Mediterranean counseled American restraint.

And when U.S. officials sought to tie last week's bombings to Libya, the NATO partners balked at joining the sharp-edged American rhetoric against Khadafy.

American officials say they have confidential information that makes the connection — reportedly intercepted Libyan radio messages. But Khadafy dared anyone to publish a message said to congratulate Libyan diplomats in East Germany for carrying out last weekend's Berlin bombing.

When the Americans presented such material to the Bonn government this week, the West Germans seemed unimpressed.

Antonio Badini, foreign policy adviser to Italian Prime Minister Bettino Craxi, summarized the quandary.

Italy has evidence of Libyan financial and logistical support for Palestinian terrorists, he

said, "but not to the point to prove to us that Libya is behind their acts."

Similarly, in London, a British official said his country has "no objection to taking actions against specific targets if they can be identified. But it has to be accurate and discriminate."

But the Italians admit another reason for being cautious about sudden actions against Khadafy: They have a complex, many-sided relationship with oil-rich Libya, a former colony, a relationship that includes \$5 billion a year in trade, more than any other European country.

"We have about 11,000 Italians there in Libya," noted another Rome official. "We must take into consideration the safety of those people."

For the West Europeans, at home in the world's most interdependent market, trade is their lifeblood. They resent repeated U.S. pressure to use trade as a weapon, first against the Soviet Union for what happened in Afghanistan in 1979, Poland in 1981, and now against Libya.

They fear Khadafy's brother Arab states might retaliate with anti-European sanctions of their own. "Who knows where it would end," said the West German diplomat.

Such questions will be debated in Tokyo May 4-6, when the fight against terrorism, at U.S. insistence, will be on the agenda of the Western economic summit. The Libyan "madman," as he is vilified in Washington, will be the unseen player.

Charles J. Hanley, based at the AP Foreign Desk in New York, recently completed a nine-action tour to investigate international terrorism.

## Mailbag

### Christians must outvote politicians

To the editor:  
Why did it speed thru Congress? Christians must outvote politicians who enrich gun sellers & fer that R-d Bogies come in. Call in public self after-bone hand guns. Tomorrow sell tranquilizer hand guns.

Guns are emotional, may be detected, confiscated by advanced equipment. Know that prohibit of alco (inner embalming fluid) also comes later. Only wives, widows, wage war against it? Wake up.

LEE B. MILLS

### Obtaining alcohol is the question

To the editor:  
Since this country was originally founded on the principle of freedom of choice, it would seem to me that the "Liquor by the drink" decision should be made by the majority, and not by a handful of opposition who want to keep the issue out of the polls.

It also seems that the issue is being confused. People who are against liquor by the drink claim that it will increase the amount of drink-related crimes here. Anyone over 21 can already get liquor by the drink in this county by simply purchasing a temporary membership to one of the local private clubs. Also, anyone who has a desire to drink can walk into any liquor store and purchase a bottle which would be much more potent and less expensive than a mixed drink they would get in a bar or restaurant.

If the issue was whether or not there would be any liquor sold in Big Spring, then it would be a different situation. But since there is

### Layoffs elude U.S. Senators

To the editor:  
After reading Sen. Bentsen's article in Sunday's paper I was thoroughly disgusted. Texans now just because you lost your jobs and have no hopes of getting another one until this oil crisis is over don't you dare to feel sorry for yourselves.

He says to quit feeling sorry for yourselves and get to work. The only thing he didn't say was where. Did Sen. Bentsen lose his job? Does he wonder how his bills will be paid and how food will be put on the table for his kids?

The ones I know including some of my family are more than willing to work but when there is no work you can't. Bentsen should not make statements on matters that are completely out of the working man's reach by belittling him. Should he not forget the working man's vote?

BERNELL BAYES

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Around The Rim

## 12 years ago today...

By SCOTT FITZGERALD  
And 12 years ago today, it was said on the radio Tuesday morning, Henry Aaron of the Atlanta Braves hit his 715th home run to break Babe Ruth's record.

The verse came back to me as I rolled out of bed and looked out the window.

Henry Aaron hit his 715th Homerun for himself and it wasn't like everyone said it would be.

The skys had no lightning or thunder and the right hand of God didn't strike Henry down for assaulting the Babe's record.

The verse was from a long radical poem I had written in college about the feat of Henry Aaron gunning down on the sacred home run record held by the mighty Babe Ruth.

The feat captivated my attention and was first brought to light in the summer of 1973 when my older brother wrote a homesick postcard to me in Texas from New York City.

He had just moved to the city and was engrossed with the daily tabloids' reportage of sensational crime in the big city.

He wrote in his postcard that all he gave merit to anymore was Henry Aaron's determined feat of hitting home runs to break the magical record.

That set me off. Every ounce of frustration I felt was written down and symbolically tied in with Henry Aaron smacking homers. Any clue of social injustice I saw was tied in with gentleman Henry smacking the ball over the fence.

The result was a 12-stanza narrative imitating Bob Dylan's rally against the American mainstream.

And I didn't hesitate reading it aloud. Once in an England church chapel. Another time in front of a stuffy college literary group where tea and crumpets were the order of the day.

Perhaps it was unrealistic to put Henry Aaron on such zenith-like thrones. All he did was murder fastballs — burying them deep in the bleachers.

Idols never die though. Henry Aaron is still a hero fit for me.

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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# Candidate focuses on trucking, gas

By HANK MURPHY  
Staff Writer

Deregulation of the trucking industry, a greater emphasis on truck safety and revitalizing the state's natural gas industry are the focus of state Rep. Ed Emmett's campaign for railroad commissioner, he said Wednesday.

The Republican member of the House Transportation Committee said the state is unable to attract many new industries because trucking regulations create monopolies and excessive rates. He cited the case of United Parcel Service being unable to operate in Texas for 19 years because a delivery company, Tex-Pac, already operated here.

"Rather than spending its time regulating the economics of trucking, the Railroad Commission



ED EMMETT  
...controls must go

should focus on truck safety," he said.

"Their job is to protect the public, not protect monopolies," he said of the commission.

Emmett said Texas is one of only five states in the nation that have no safety regulations for large trucks. Because the commission has turned a blind eye to safety, Texas leads the nation in traffic fatalities involving trucks, he said.

Emmett, who also chairs the House Energy Committee, says federal restrictions placed on the state's natural gas industry by the Fuel Use Act need to be lifted as well.

Texas is the leading coal-burning state in the nation despite having enormous natural gas reserves, Emmett said. "That doesn't make

sense to me," he said.

He said deregulating the natural gas industry, establishing a fair distribution system and repealing the Windfall Profit Tax would enable Texas to "soar to recovery."

"The natural gas industry is critical to our future because OPEC cannot disrupt the natural gas market," he said.

But when asked how a railroad commissioner from Texas can change policies handed down from Washington, Emmett said only that he would vigorously lobby for the Texas gas industry.

Should Emmett be elected in November, he will be the first Republican to serve on the commission. The Republican primary is May 6.

# Hightower policies questioned

By HANK MURPHY  
Staff Writer

Republican Charles Trompler was in town Wednesday lashing out at Agricultural Commissioner Jim Hightower and grabbing tight the coattails of the Reagan administration.

The GOP candidate for Hightower's post made a stop in Big Spring after attending a Republican Women's Club luncheon in Midland and questioned everything from Hightower's policies and lifestyle, to his legal qualifications to hold office.

"Jim Hightower does not meet the statutory requirements for the office he now holds," Trompler said.

And why not?  
"The statutory requirements say that you must be a practical farmer and Jim does not meet those requirements. Jim has never been a practical farmer."

"When he was running for election he told the people of Texas that he did have a farm background.

And that is not true. He does not have any farm background whatsoever."

Trompler said Hightower had no real interest in agriculture before he became state commissioner.

"He doesn't know agriculture; he's using the job to run for governor," Trompler charged.

The role of commissioner is marketing Texas agricultural products, Trompler said. To him, that means increasing exports.

He played down the "farmer market," a crop diversification project launched under Hightower aimed at whetting state appetites for locally grown produce, and praised the 1985 farm bill signed by President Reagan.

The farm bill will "make our farm commodities competitive in the world market," he said.

Also, he said it will act as a safety net for farmers during the transition to an export-based economy.

A free market advocate, Trompler said he subscribes to Reagan's laissez-faire economics



CHARLES TROMPLER  
...runs for ag office

and would like to see it extended to the farm community.

# Comanche may open next year

DALLAS (AP) — A senior official with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission says the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant near Glen Rose could be open by mid-1987, the Dallas Morning News reported today.

Vince Noonan, director of the NRC's Comanche Peak response team, said in Washington that if there are no problems with the reinspection of the plant and no protracted licensing hearings, commercial operations could begin in early 1987.

But he called that outlook "very optimistic," indicating startup would more likely be later in the year.

# Crop signup extended

Tim Hall of the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service has released the following farm information:

• The 1986 program crop signup has been extended until April 25.

• On the 50-92 program, Hall reminds farmers to be sure that conserving use acres when added to ACR (set aside) and cotton will equal or exceed your 1986 cotton base (or other base crops). If they do not equal or exceed the base, expect a decrease in base and perhaps a decrease in deficiency payments. Conserving acres here would be the blanks (no matter the skip pattern), small grains not reaching the hard dough, hay crops and a few lesser known uses.

• A variation from sunflowers, grasses for seed or a few others could be detrimental to your base and payments.

• Cotton loans will not get in the picture until Aug. 1. Farmers participating in the wheat or other grain programs will be issued a commodity certificate or PIK redemption from an existing grain loan beginning April 30 and running through Sept. 30.

• Farmers in the grain program receiving a commodity credit may use it to redeem cotton from an existing cotton loan starting Aug. 1.

• Final cotton deficiencies for next February are now undetermined. Details on PIK cotton and commodity certificates will be forthcoming.

• Hired hands who receive part of the crop are eligible for deficiency payments. But if they and the operator exceed \$50,000 combined while not paying all farming expenses, payment limits will be linked with the operator.

• Only if all farming expenses are accounted for separately will the hand and operator receive consideration for separate pay limits.

• Wheat, rye, oats and barley planted for grain or set aside must be certified by May 1. If farmers use these acres for set aside, they must have been off those acres since March 1 in Howard County.

• Final placement in the loan dates is May 31 for cotton and grain sorghum.

• Farmers planting less of one crop and more of another may be able to exchange what they have designated as base crops.

To substantiate this exchange, an appeal must be filed before 5 p.m. April 25 and the records must reflect a downward trend or complete shutoff in certain crops.

Hall said this will not mean 10 acres of grain sorghum base will be sure to equal 10 acres of added cotton base. He said the ASCS will not be able to tell how many acres can be exchanged until after the county committee meets soon after April 25.

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"It's a wonderful opportunity for us," said drama instructor Tim Haynes. "It will give our students another chance to perform in a touring situation, a wonderful educational experience."

The play will be performed at 1 and 3 p.m. in the Texas Tech University Theater in Lubbock.

Tickets are \$2 and are available at the door, or reservations may be made by calling the university.

McDonald's, co-sponsor of the production, will host a punch and cookies party on the lawn between productions.

"Snow White" won a superior rating at the Texas Junior College Speech and Theater Association one-act play festival in Paris, Texas, in February. The individual cast members also won awards, Haynes said.

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# Lifestyle

Dear Abby



## What's up front or on top doesn't count much at all

**DEAR ABBY:** Why all the letters about bald men? What makes people think a man needs hair in order to be attractive? And why should any man let his thinning hair grow long enough to wrap around his head six times to create the illusion of hair?

My husband is 33, and he's losing his hair but fast. Do I care? Heck, no! He gets more handsome and distinguished-looking every day. I can't wait until he is out of the military so he can start growing a beard. I think guys with beards and little or no hair on their heads are the sexiest-looking men alive.

Bald-headed men and flat-chested women have a lot in common. They feel embarrassed because of what they don't have. Some try to "fix it," which is OK if they think they need it. But once they wise up and realize that what they are has nothing to do with what's on their heads or what's up front, they are much happier, self-assured and together.

I am built like a 12-year-old boy, but my husband thinks I'm sexier than Dolly Parton.

Print this. So many people need to see it.

**HAPPY**  
**DEAR HAPPY:** And I am happy for you. You and your lucky man sound like a peach of a pair.

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**DEAR ABBY:** I am 60 years old and an incurable collector — baby clothes, news clippings, coupons, jars (cleaned, of course) and miscellaneous items. I box and store these items throughout my large house, in the attic, closets, under beds, basement — anywhere they are not in plain view.

My problem is not my collecting, but my children. They are all grown with homes of their own and find my habit distasteful. When I leave the house for work, shopping, vacation, etc., they clean me out. They go through my things and throw away what they regard as unnecessary and take for their own use whatever they want. They have discarded, or taken, some of my parents' belongings, baby clothes (special to me only), household items and my "junk."

I can't change the locks. My husband wouldn't hear of it, and gives me no support.

Don't think I'm trying to defend my habit. I know it's a quirk, but it's harmless. I'm trying to defend my privacy. If it were my husband doing this, I wouldn't like it, but it is his house as well, and I would have to respect his right to live in a clutter-free environment. My children, however, have no claim here and have no right to go through my drawers and closets and take my things.

Please give me suggestions as to how I can put an end to this. I'm afraid to leave my house.

Thank you for any help you can give me.

**BARBARA**  
**DEAR BARBARA:** As long as your "collection" does not present a fire hazard, is not in plain view and inconveniences no one in your home, your children have no right to enter your home in your absence and clean it out.

Your husband's failure to support your right to privacy baffles me. You say, "It is his house as well, and I would have to respect his right to live in a clutter-free environment." Can it be your collection is actually an inconvenience and source of irritation

to your husband but he has not verbalized it to you? Discuss it with him, and if that's the case, you owe it to him to stop collecting.

However, if it's as you described — "just a harmless quirk" — and you are a competent, functioning adult, if your children refuse to keep out, they should be locked out.

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Dr. Donohue



## Angioplasty not limited to heart arteries

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I recently was told after testing at the hospital that my problems are due to poor circulation. I have had severe leg cramps and pain, generally a lot of great discomfort. I have not consulted my doctor since the tests. I am thinking about angioplasty. Is that possible for the legs? — Mrs. V.D.

Let's first describe angioplasty briefly for other readers. It is a way to open a clogged artery by inserting into it a soft flexible tube that has a balloon at its tip. By inflating the balloon at the point of fatty buildup you can squash it aside to permit free flow of blood. "Angio" is the medical word for vessel and "plasty" refers to the procedure.

I suppose most people think of angioplasty in connection with work on heart arteries because that is where most of the attention and publicity has been centered.

But it can be used in other places, the legs included. It can be used in your case to clear the arteries serving your leg muscles and perhaps be the answer to your great leg discomfort, if poor circulation is the cause.

Angioplasty is not, however, the only means of correcting poor blood circulation. Conventional surgery is an option. But when angioplasty can do the job, it is being chosen over other methods because it does not entail a major operation. You can recuperate in a shorter span and you don't have to stay in the hospital very long.

Everybody is looking to cut hospital time and expense. Angioplasty is just one of the many effective tools for accomplishing those goals.

You can ask your doctor about this technique and he will tell you if you are an angioplasty candidate or not.

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I do not remember ever seeing Klinefelter syndrome discussed in your column. My grandson has been diagnosed as having KS. He begins treatment this month. How long before we can see a change in his physical and emotional problems? Please discuss it, so we can have some peace of mind. — Mrs. G.W.S.

I've never discussed it. Yours is my first Klinefelter letter.

There are varieties of Klinefelter's syndrome. Let me discuss the most common one.

We are talking about sex chromosomes and how they determine sex of a child. Every woman is born with two sex chromosomes, XX, and every man has his two, XY. In Klinefelter's syndrome the child has an extra chromosome, XXY.

The consequence of this is that the person, who is male in all

respects, has certain characteristics. These vary according to the various forms of Klinefelter's I spoke of earlier.

A few of the untoward features might be a tall, slim build. He may have testes a bit smaller than usual. Some people may develop trouble adjusting socially or have learning disabilities associated with these changes. The breast may be a bit larger than a normal male's.

But you cannot tell a KS child

from a cursory look. The only way to find out is to examine the body cells and find that extra chromosome.

Now, since there is a deficient supply of the male hormone, testosterone, (made in the testes) that has to be supplied by injection. It permits normal muscle and genital development. And this will begin quite soon after beginning treatment. Any emotional problems should subside with the physical improvements.

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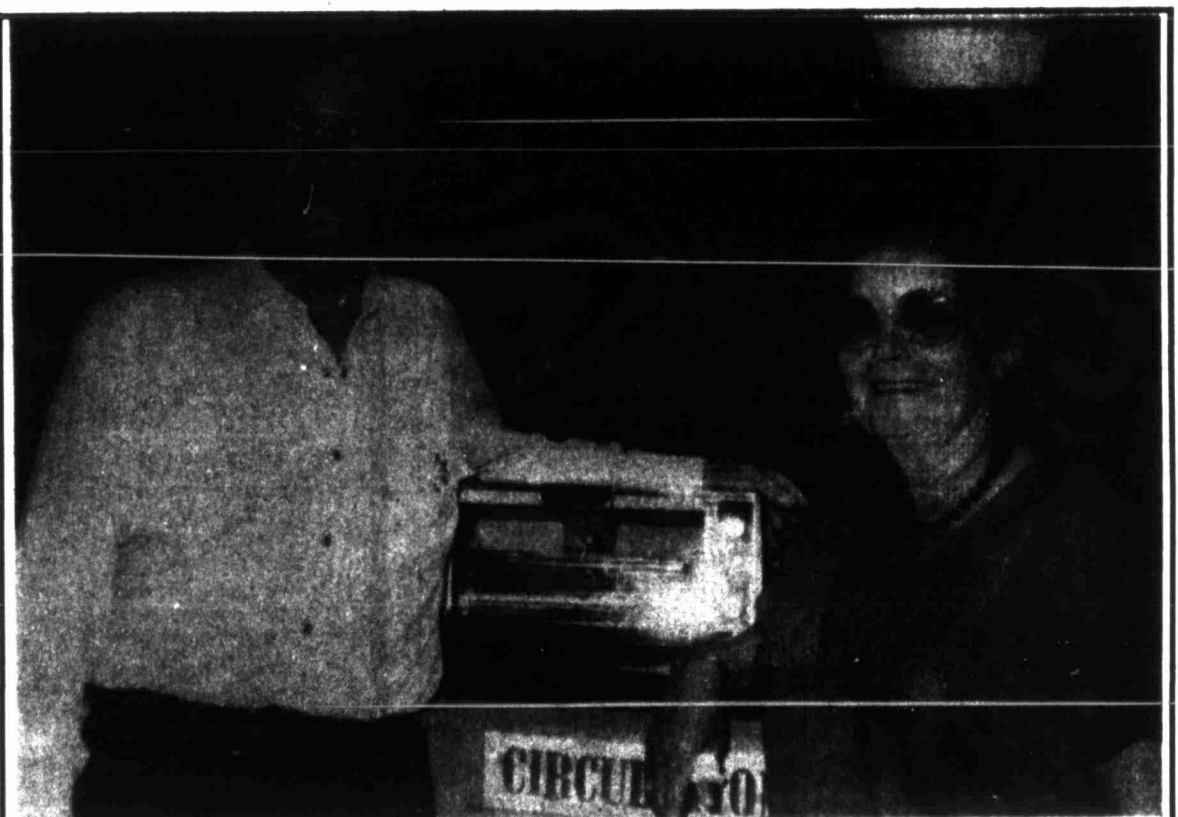
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# Religion

## Church of God 'keeps on going'

**By CARLEEN EVERETT**  
Lifestyle Editor

Nine months after the fatal bus accident, the Reverend Franklin Nelson, pastor of the Big Spring Powerhouse Church of God in Christ, vividly recalls the tragedy near Ackerly.

"I saw it happen," he said. "I don't remember the bus turning, I just remember seeing it in the field half-cocked on its side."

Members of the Big Spring Powerhouse Church of God in Christ, the San Angelo Deliverance Tabernacle Church of God in Christ and the Midland Wayside Church of God in Christ had been to a state conference that day and were on their way home, Nelson said.

The accident rocked the congregation but, Nelson says, it also strengthened their faith in God and made them better Christians.

In an interview this week, Nelson said he could have just as easily been driving the bus.

"I had just driven from Midland to Big Spring and Scott was continuing from Big Spring to Lubbock. And the only reason I wasn't on the bus was because there wasn't enough room, so I drove my car with my family."

Robert Scott, the driver of the bus, is a good friend of Nelson's, he said. Scott is a deacon in the church and "we've worked side-by-side for years," he said.

"It wasn't the bus driver's fault," said Gail Nelson, the minister's wife. "There had been lots of other reports of accidents on the same stretch of road," Nelson said. "In fact, the National Transportation Safety Board was doing a study on it, but we never heard the results," he said. Results of that investigation are due later this month.

"We went to California, Tennessee, Florida and Washington D.C. and it was the same driver," Mrs. Nelson said. "Even those who lost their families told him that it wasn't

his fault."

"It was God's will," Rev. Nelson said. "If God allowed it to happen, it was for a reason. God is supreme and has all power. We are not to question him. We believe we have become better Christians because of it," he said.

One of the most painful parts of the accident, according to the Nelsons, was the misinformation given by the press. "So much of the information was handled incorrectly," Nelson said.

Yet they survived it all. Their survival is credited to the Reverend Willie Weatherspoon, the former pastor of the Powerhouse Church of God in Christ in Big Spring who died six months before the accident. "Rev. Weatherspoon had a vision to join the churches close together. He was a great leader. The unity he inspired is what made us pull together to get us through it," he said.

After Weatherspoon's death,

Nelson was appointed pastor of the church. Weatherspoon had been the pastor for 30 years. "He was a father figure to the congregation. We were just coming out of the grieving stage from Weatherspoon's death and then the accident happened," Nelson said.

"I called on the Lord to give me strength," he said. "I thought it was more pressure than I could take."

Mary Weatherspoon, the minister's widow, also was a "great encouragement," Nelson said. "Many people draw from her. She has remained faithful in the church and has helped me a great deal," he said.

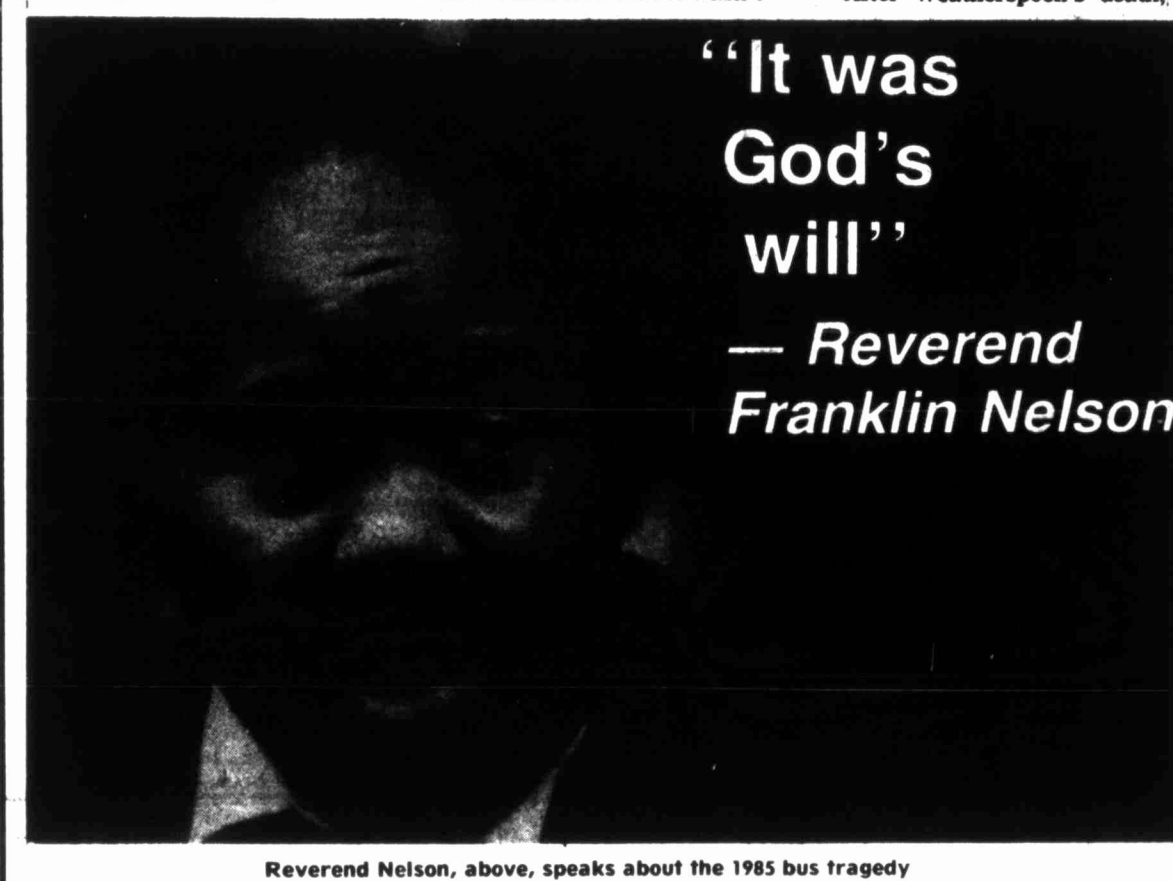
They've come to accept the accident better than those outside the church, he said. "We've reached deep into the word of God."

Many of the "outsiders" of the church tried to get family members to disassociate with the church, Nelson said. "But through prayer, we've made it."

"As long as we hold on to the faith we believe in and the stronger we are spiritually, we'll be better off," he said.

"We've pulled together and will keep going," the Nelsons said. "We were always told by Rev. Weatherspoon that when you have a tragedy or turmoil — don't stop — just keep going. The pastor wouldn't want us to stop," she said.

Mrs. Nelson relates the story of Brother Kenneth Weatherspoon, son of the late Rev. Weatherspoon, who is pastor of the San Angelo Deliverance Tabernacle Church of God in Christ. "He was questioned on the news and asked if the Churches of God in Christ shouldn't re-think our situation and stop traveling since this was the second accident with loss of lives." (The first was a van accident in Midland that took one life.) "Brother Kenneth looked at them straight in the eyes and said 'does American or TWA stop when they have airplane crashes? Why should we stop?' I was so proud of him," she said.



Reverend Nelson, above, speaks about the 1985 bus tragedy

**"It was God's will"**  
— Reverend Franklin Nelson

## Oldest local church school joins in celebration

St. Mary's Episcopal School, the oldest church related school in Big Spring, was founded and operated in the depression years. It reopened on September 26, 1960 with 11 students, a car called the Melody Wagon, two teachers and lots of enthusiasm, BeBe McCasland, administrator of the school, said.

By spring of the next year, the enrollment had increased to 18, she said in an interview on the eve of the church's 100th anniversary. The first year, St. Mary's School was under the direction of Mrs. Wanda Watson and assisted by Mrs. Peggy McDonald. Classes offered were pre-kindergarten and kindergarten. The total enrollment was limited to 30 pupils, she said.

Initial funding of the school was a loan of \$2,500 from St. Mary's

Episcopal Church. For the first 21 years, the school was housed in the Sunday school rooms of the church at 1001 Goliad, McCasland said.

"In 1981, when the Big Spring school board announced the sale of the old Park Hill School Property, a donor saw the chance for the school to expand its educational program, and purchased the former public school building for St. Mary's. Undergoing major renovations and refurbishing, the updated facility provided eight classrooms, a library, music room, chapel, cafeteria with a full-sized stage, offices and 10 acres of land that provided ample playground space. The school is now in its 26th year and has grown into over a half million dollar operation with an ongoing endowment campaign,"

she said.

Over the years, the school has offered a phonics program, science, mathematics, social studies,

music, weekly chapel services, physical fitness, art appreciation, foreign languages and computers, McCasland said.



Children enter St. Mary's Episcopal School, above, located at 118 Cedar.

## Church briefs

### Roney leads revival service

SAND SPRINGS — Revival services will begin April 13-18 at 7:30 each

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evening at the First Baptist Church of Sand Springs.

Guest speaker will be Rich Roney, chief of chaplain services at the Veterans Medical Center and supply pastor (interim) for East Fourth Baptist Church.

Roney is vice president for Toastmasters International; member of the DAV, Veterans Administration Volunteer Society; speaker for the Lions Club, Rotary Club, and American Business Women's Association; taught death and dying for the community; winner of several speaking contests; and a member of the Howard County Ministerial Fellowship.

Music for the revival service will be led by Doug Stanislaus.

### Sixth annual walk-a-thon set

The Immaculate Heart of Mary Church will sponsor its sixth annual Walk-a-Thon Sunday, April 20. Sign-ins begin at 1 p.m. at the Highland Mall parking lot.

Prizes will be awarded to the fastest walker, most pledges (dollar amount), most pledges (number), oldest walker and youngest walker. Prizes will be \$40 gift certificate to House of Charm, \$20 gift certificate to Bealls and K.C.'s Steakhouse, \$10 dinner for two at Rosita's Fajitas and four tickets to the Ritz.

### Missions are topic of service

GARDEN CITY — The Rev. and Mrs. James Bell will lead a special service on the missions of the church at the Garden City United Methodist Church Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

The program in the sanctuary will follow a fellowship supper honoring the Bells. The Bells will share their experiences as a missionary couple.

Rev. James is an ordained minister of the United Methodist Church. He was appointed missionary pastor of the Methodist Blackfeet Mission in Browning, Mont. for ten years. He then became a volunteer staff member with the Ecumenical Institute, a global organization concerned with the human factor in rural development. As a volunteer, he served on assignments dealing with the Stouss Indian reservation, Republic of South Korea, Republic of China, Taiwan, Republic of the Philippines, Hong Kong, India, Kenya and Nigeria.

Bell is currently the associate pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Midland.

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# Fighting terrorism needs closer global effort

**EDITOR'S NOTE** — "In today's world," said Palestinian guerrilla George Habash, "no one is neutral." And in today's world of terrorism, no one is immune. This final installment of a five-part series looks at how governments are confronting the threat.

By CHARLES J. HANLEY  
Associated Press Writer  
PARIS (AP) — As the jetliner eased into its descent for Beirut airport, the long arm of the United States was waiting.

Aboard the plane sat Hussein Athar, suspect in an alleged plot to blow up the U.S. Embassy in Rome. Authorities in Switzerland had just freed him in exchange for a Swiss diplomat kidnapped in Beirut.

On the ground, readying a trap, waited a band of Lebanese gunmen dispatched by the Americans to abduct the 21-year-old Shiite Moslem. If U.S. and Italian investigators could interrogate Athar, he might provide information crucial to the case against seven alleged collaborators in the abortive Rome plot.

But as the young Lebanese stepped from the airliner, the plan fell apart. Heavily armed Shiites quickly closed in on their comrade, and he was whisked off to chaotic Beirut and safety.

The January 1985 kidnap attempt, recounted by a U.S. official deeply involved in the plan, helps illustrate the two-track approach — legal and "extra-legal" — governments are taking to deal with international terrorism.

In interviews in Europe, the Middle East and the United States, security officials, diplomats and others said the anti-terrorist fight requires closer international cooperation through treaties, intelligence-gathering and extradition agreements.

But many, often speaking off the record, said "extraordinary" means may be just as essential.

"There's a whole underworld at work out there," said a U.S. diplomat in the Middle East. "Israelis are killed here, Palestinian boats are sunk there. You don't always know what's going on. But it's important."

On the legal level, governments are cooperating more closely on terrorism. The Interpol police network, with headquarters here, may symbolize the change.

For years, the 138-nation cooperative did not transmit alerts for many terrorist crimes because of their political overtones. But in October 1984 new guidelines extended Interpol's jurisdiction to attacks on innocents — terrorism — even if the motivations are political. Spanish police credit the change for the capture of three Basque terrorists in Belgium.

Raymond E. Kendall, British secretary general of Interpol, said the organization is catching up with the times, since "terrorism as a form of violent organized crime is probably here to stay."

The world community also has patched together a half-dozen anti-terrorism treaties since 1969, calling on governments to prosecute or extradite aircraft hijackers, aircraft saboteurs, hostage-takers and those who attack diplomats.

But terrorists slip easily through this net of international agreements. Such countries as Iran and Lebanon, favorite

destinations of skyjacks, either reject the treaties or ignore their obligations under the pacts.

On the police level, officials publicly extol inter-governmental cooperation. Italian police, for example, make use of West Germany's anti-terrorist computer system. But in private the Europeans complain freely, especially about the French, who do not consider simple membership in an armed group a crime, as Italian and West German law does.

## Target Terror

"If German terrorists feel they are in trouble, they take a 'vacation' in France and we can't get at them," said a high-ranking West German security official. Italian police say as many as 150 Red Brigades members and other wanted leftists are in France.

The Reagan administration, meanwhile, expresses disappointment with all the West Europeans for not joining in U.S. economic sanctions against Libya for its alleged support of Palestinian terrorism.

Such disputes will not be resolved soon.

In Paris, a French Interior Ministry official said "uniformization" of European laws will never

take place. In Bonn, a West German diplomat said anti-Libya sanctions would provoke Arab retaliation, and "who knows where it would end." Several noted the United States itself is not always cooperative — it will not, for one thing, extradite some accused Irish Republican Army terrorists to Britain.

Frustrated with the multilateral approach, the United States is turning toward single-handed tactics, possibly including more Beirut-style kidnap attempts.

The Senate has approved legislation making it a U.S. crime, punishable by death, for terrorists to kill Americans abroad, and Secretary of State George P. Shultz says he favors kidnapping such suspects on foreign soil if necessary, a violation of interna-

tional law. Some spectacular "extra-legal" methods have already been used, such as the U.S. interception of an Egyptian airliner carrying the Achille Lauro "seajacking" suspects last October.

But other such tactics are pursued quietly. A West European official disclosed, for example, that his government — contrary to diplomatic-immunity standards — is X-raying "diplomatic pouch" shipments, looking for weapons.

And some tactics are pursued in bloody underground wars. Diplomats in the Middle East trace a string of recent attacks to a vendetta between Israel's Mossad secret service and the Palestine Liberation Organization's elite Force 17. After Palestinian gunmen killed

three Israelis on their yacht in a Cyprus harbor last September, the PLO claimed the victims were Mossad agents. Israel denied it, but a well-placed West European diplomat says his government has since confirmed the three were watching PLO seaborne operations for Mossad.

In October, two Israeli seamen were murdered in Spain in another mysterious attack, and in January saboteurs blew up two Palestinian-owned hydrofoil ships in a Sicilian harbor, another apparent blow in a secretive maritime war.

Israeli officials said in interviews they may revert to the "hit team" tactics of the 1970s, when roving Mossad agents assassinated PLO officials abroad.

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## Two tied for Masters lead

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Tom Kite called them the fastest greens he had ever seen, but they certainly didn't faze Ken Green and Bill Kratzert.

"I made about four or five no-brainers today," Green said Thursday after sinking four birdie putts of 35 feet or more in composing a 4-under-par 68 that gave him a share, with Kratzert, of the first-round lead in the 50th Masters golf tournament.

"I putted today probably as well as anyone could putt here, and I don't say that boastfully," Kratzert said after starting the day with a 60-footer for birdie on the first hole.

"I guess I just woke up with a good touch today," Kratzert added. Just how fast were the greens?

Gary Player, the three-time Masters champion from South Africa, four-putted the ninth and had a 77.

British Open champion Sandy Lyle of Scotland, who won his first tournament in the United States last week at the Greater Greensboro Open, three-putted twice and had a 76.

Bernhard Langer, the West German who won this major title last year, also three-putted twice in his round of 74.

"The greens were so fast you couldn't stop the ball," Langer said. "It kept going, going and going."

Johnny Miller putted from the back fringe into the water on No. 12 and took a triple bogey 6. He eventually shot 74.

Kite said his playing partner, Curtis Strange, once had a 15-footer that he just touched.

"On any ordinary vanilla green it wouldn't have gone six inches,"

Kite said. "This one went six feet past."

The lush Augusta National Golf Club course is known for its fast greens, but they were faster than usual Thursday because of swirling northwesterly winds that began in the morning and lasted throughout the day.

The wind also left the elite international field of 88 wondering about club selection.

"You had to make your mind up what the wind was doing and go with it," Kratzert said. "It was a difficult day to play."

"It was like guessing what a pitcher will throw," Tom Watson added.

Gary Koch, winless since claiming two victories in 1984, and Taiwan's T.C. Chen, who led the U.S. Open after three rounds last year, were one shot behind the leaders with 69s.

Watson, a two-time Masters winner, headed a group of six at 70 that also included Australian Greg Norman, Tommy Nakajima of Japan, Dave Barr of Canada and Americans Tom Kite and Bob Tway.

Seve Ballesteros, seeking his third Masters title in seven years, was among seven players at 71, a group that also included 1984 Masters champion Ben Crenshaw and PGA champion Hubert Green.

Ballesteros, who has seen little action this season because of his 1986 suspension from the Professional Golfers Association Tour, said he felt comfortable all day and "that makes me confident because today it was very difficult."

Jack Nicklaus, who has five Masters crowns among his record 17 major professional champion-



BILL KRATZERT ...tied for lead



KEN GREEN ...tied for lead

ships, had a 74 and Arnold Palmer, who has won this event four times, shot 80.

Calvin Peete, the only two-time winner on the tour this season, had a 75 and Lee Trevino 76.

John Mahaffey, who claimed the Tournament Players Championship two weeks ago, was well back at 79 and Mac O'Grady, mired in a feud with the PGA, had a 82 — sharing the worst score of the day with amateur Michael Podolak.

Kratzert has had four victories during his 11-year professional career but has won only once in the last five years.

"It's been a difficult time period that I went through," he said. "I was able to get back on track. The difference right now and five or six years ago is my attitude is a lot better."

Green, playing in his first Masters after winning the Buick Open last year, opened his news conference by declaring he wasn't an unknown.

"Everybody in my family knows me," he said. "I have color. I'm not a quiet clone, so to speak."

Green also distinguished himself by having the only female caddy on the course — his sister, Shelley.

"She's been with me two years," he said. "She's got no clue when it comes to golf. The best thing she does for me is I can say things to her that I wouldn't say to an ordinary John caddy."

Green said he was trying to downplay the Masters as much as possible.

"If I think, 'Oh God, the Masters,' then I'll choke," he said. Masters page 2B

## All want to sport coveted jacket

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — "Donning the Masters green coat is an honor that comes to few." — Bob Goalby, 1968.

"I can't tell you how happy I am to be wearing the green coat of the Masters champion." — Billy Casper, 1970.

"I intend to wear the green jacket ... with a proud dignity." — Ray Floyd, 1976.

One of sport's most coveted trophies is a medium-weight wool jacket with three brass buttons down the front, and Augusta National Golf Club's emblem stitched bull's-eye over the heart.

It's not really an emerald green or a forest green. People simply call it Masters' green, and golfers lucky enough to win it, smile when they talk about it.

"I took it home that night and slept with it. I wanted it to be close to me," recalled Ben Crenshaw, the 1984 Masters winner.

Says his wife, Julie: "I make him put it on whenever we come here, and I just smile. I don't get to see it very often."

Unlike other trophies that wind up collecting dust on mantles and bookshelves, a green jacket will only have one home — Augusta National.

"I think they changed the rule so the champion can take the coat off the premises for the year after he wins," Crenshaw said.

Yet two people connected with

Augusta National, a member and a staff worker, said they weren't certain there had been a rule change. And Crenshaw, for one, isn't concerned.

"I want mine to stay here. It belongs here. And whenever I come to the club, it's in the locker waiting for me."

For some reason, the green jacket always seems to perfectly fit the champion each year.

"Mine fit me, it really did," Crenshaw said with a laugh. "It was just the right size and, by far, it's the best jacket I ever had on."

"Craig Stadler's fit him pretty well, too," he said, referring to the husky 1982 champion. "And Seve Ballesteros has long arms, and his fit him."

For Ballesteros, the jacket's smart fit in 1980 may have been an accident; he had his very own to wear when he won again in 1983.

It is no coincidence that these green jackets seem to fit first-time champions so well — with no embarrassingly short sleeves or tightness across the back.

On Sunday, about the time the winner is emerging, one of the Augusta National locker room managers — Council Dandridge or Eugene Jones — will size up the new champion and hurriedly chose a jacket for him from the stock at the clubhouse.

Jacket page 2B

## Upsets hit NHL playoffs

By The Associated Press  
For the second straight night, the Hartford Whalers shocked the Quebec Nordiques and the lowly Toronto Maple Leafs upset the Chicago Blackhawks Thursday night in the NHL playoffs and took commanding leads in their first-round series.

In winning 4-1 over the highly-favored Nordiques, winners of the regular-season Adams championship with the fourth-best record in the NHL, the fourth-place Whalers went back to Hartford for Games 3 and 4 on Saturday and Sunday with a 2-0 advantage in their best-of-five series.

**ADAMS DIVISION**  
Whalers 4, Nordiques 2  
Paul MacDermid scored two goals and Mike Liut turned in his second consecutive strong performance in goal to lead the Whalers over the Nordiques. Stewart Gavin and Torrie Robertson also scored for the underdog Whalers.  
Canadiens 3, Bruins 2  
Claude Lemieux's second power-play goal of the game, with 2:27 left in the third period, led Montreal over Boston. The victory gave the Canadiens a 2-0 advantage over the Bruins as the series headed back to Boston.

**PATRICK DIVISION**  
Flyers 2, Rangers 1  
Rich Sutter and Brad McCrimmon scored 11 seconds apart in the first period to trigger the Flyers over the Rangers.  
The Patrick Division champion Flyers, who were upset by the fourth-place Rangers in the opener Wednesday night, showed why they were the top defensive team in the league, holding New York to 12 shots while peppering goaltender John Vanbiesbrouck with 44.  
Capitals 5, Islanders 2  
Defenseman Scott Stevens had one goal and two assists and Bob Gould scored twice to lead Washington past the Islanders for the second straight night.

**NORRIS DIVISION**  
North Stars 6, Blues 2  
Dennis Maruk recorded two goals and two assists and Brian Bellows added two goals, leading the North Stars over the Blues to even their series at 1-1.  
Maple Leafs 6, Blackhawks 4  
Walt Poddubny's tie-breaking goal with 56 seconds remaining lifted Toronto over Chicago.

**SMYTHE DIVISION**  
Oilers 5, Canucks 1  
Mark Messier and Wayne Gretzky scored in the game's opening 99 seconds, leading Edmonton over Vancouver and into a 2-0 lead in their series.

Flames 6, Jets 4  
Rookie goaltender Mike Vernon extended his unbeaten streak to 10 games as Calgary beat Winnipeg and took a 2-0 lead in their series.



Robert Reid (33) of the Houston Rockets tries to get past Earvin Johnson of the Los Angeles Lakers Thursday night at the LA Forum. The Lakers won the contest 117-113.

## Final Laker-Rocket game a hard battle

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — The final meeting of the NBA's regular season between the Houston Rockets and Los Angeles Lakers didn't mean a thing, but it sure wasn't played as if such was the case.

"The fans got their money's worth tonight," Coach Bill Fitch of the Rockets said following his team's 117-113 loss to the defending NBA champion Lakers Thursday night. "They got to see two great teams play a tremendous game."

A sellout crowd of 17,505 at the Forum watched Earvin "Magic" Johnson accumulate 26 points and 16 assists as the Lakers, who clinched the Pacific Division and Western Conference regular-season titles long ago, earn their 61st win of the season.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar added 23 points, Maurice Lucas came off the bench to contribute 20 points, and Byron Scott tallied 18 points as the Lakers snapped the six-game winning streak of the Midwest Division champion Rockets.

Akeem Olajuwon led the Rockets with 34 points, 15 in the fourth quarter. He also had eight rebounds and seven blocked shots. Robert Reid added 25 points for Houston, including nine in the final

period.  
The game was close all the way. The Rockets led 34-33 after one period and extended their advantage to 45-37 early in the second period. But the Lakers battled back to tie the game 60-60 at halftime.

Neither team led by more than two points during the third quarter, with Los Angeles holding an 86-85 advantage entering the final 12 minutes.

The Rockets led 105-102 early in the fourth quarter thanks mainly to the efforts of Olajuwon. But Scott made a three-point field goal to give the Lakers a 107-105 advantage and Los Angeles went ahead for good at 111-110 on a pair of free throws by Scott with 1:22 left.

The Lakers extended the lead to 113-110 on a tip-in by Abdul-Jabbar with 54 seconds left.

A 111 shot by Olajuwon made it 113-111, but Johnson hit two foul shots with 17 seconds to go and James Worthy added a dunk six seconds later. Worthy contributed 15 points to the Lakers' cause along with a game-high 14 rebounds.

"We were out there to take care of business," Coach Pat Riley of the Lakers said. "Both teams were committed to win. Robert Reid was a big factor, he kept them in the game with great outside shooting."

## Brewers only unbeaten team left in AL

By The Associated Press  
The surprising Milwaukee Brewers staged a dramatic rally Thursday and, three games into the season, are the only unbeaten team in the American League.

Ernest Riles hit a tie-breaking three-run homer to climax a four-run ninth-inning comeback against Chicago relief ace Ron James as the Brewers defeated the White Sox 8-5.

With one out in the ninth, Mike Felder and Robin Yount singled. James struck out Paul Molitor but Billy Jo Robidoux tied it 5-5 with a single and Riles hit his second homer of the young season.

The White Sox led 5-1, scoring all their runs in the fourth inning against Juan Nieves, who was making his major-league debut. Milwaukee made it 5-3 on Yount's two-run double in the seventh and Riles singled in the eighth and scored again on Paul Householder's double.

"I can't remember us making this kind of a comeback last season," Riles said. "But now we believe in ourselves."

Meanwhile, the Minnesota Twins suffered their first setback in three games, losing to Oakland 3-0. Elsewhere in the AL, it was New York Yankees 6, Kansas City 5 in 10 innings; Boston 4, Detroit 2; Baltimore 5, Cleveland 1; Toronto 11, Texas 10; Seattle 5, California 2. In the National League, it was St.

Louis 4, Chicago Cubs 2; Montreal 6, Atlanta 3; Houston 4, San Francisco 0; San Diego 3, Los Angeles 2.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

**A's 3, Twins 0**  
Moose Haas scattered six hits over 7 2-3 innings in his debut with Oakland and rookie Jose Canseco hit a two-run homer. Haas, acquired from Milwaukee late in spring training, walked one and struck out five. He gave way to Jay Howell after Kent Hrbek doubled with two out in the eighth.

The A's took a 1-0 lead in the fourth inning when slugger Dave Kingman, 0-for-8 on the season, beat out a bunt with Dwayne Murphy on third base. Canseco homered in the seventh off loser John Butcher.

**Yankees 6, Royals 5**  
Don Mattingly singled home the tying run with two out in the ninth inning and pinch hitter Dale Berra squeezed home the winner with the bases loaded and one out in the 10th, scoring Mike Easler, who led off with a double off Al Hargreaves. The Royals tried a suicide squeeze against Dave Righetti in the top of the 10th but Lynn Jones missed the ball and Frank White was tagged out.  
Kansas City led 5-0 after 4 1/2 innings, mainly thanks to Darryl Motley's three-run double off Joe Niekro, and Bret Saberhagen held

the Yankees hitless until the fifth when Ken Griffey singled and Mike Pagliarulo homered. Dave Winfield tripled a run home in the sixth and scored on a single by Easler.

**Red Sox 4, Tigers 2**  
With two out in the Boston fifth, Ed Romero doubled off Dan Petry and scored on a single by Dwight Evans to tie the game 1-1. Wade Boggs walked, Bill Buckner doubled Evans home and Jim Rice singled for two more runs. Meanwhile, Al Nipper checked Detroit on four hits over 8 2-3 innings.

**Orioles 5, Indians 1**  
Fred Lynn greeted Cleveland reliever Jamie Easterly with a tie-breaking three-run homer in the seventh inning. Rick Dempsey hit two home runs and Baltimore pitchers Ken Dixon and Rich Bordi held the Indians without an earned run.

Lynn hit his first home run of the season with two out to put Baltimore in front 4-1. John Shelby began the uprising with a one-out double off Jim Kern, who replaced starter Tom Candiotti at the start of the inning. After Cal Ripken was safe on third baseman Brook Jacoby's throwing error, Kern retired Eddie Murray on a fly ball before Easterly came in to face Lynn. Dempsey hit leadoff homers in the fifth and eighth innings.

**Blue Jays 11, Rangers 10**  
Willie Jaysh and George Bell hit consecutive two-out home runs



Texas Rangers' manager Bobby Valentine questions home plate umpire Ted Hedry on one of his calls in Texas' Thursday night game against Toronto. Toronto won the contest 11-10.

in the eighth inning as Toronto erased a 10-8 deficit. The rally began when Garth Iorg singled off Greg Harris with two out. Uphaw then homered to tie the game and Bell followed with the game-winning. Tom Henke pitched the last two innings for Toronto and was credited with the victory. The Rangers had taken a 10-8 lead in the bottom of the seventh on Don Slaught's two-run double.  
Texas rookie Bobby Witt, mak-

ing his major-league debut, lasted only 3 1-3 innings, walking six and yielding five hits, six runs, including a two-run homer by Cecil Fielder. Toronto starter Jimmy Key lasted just one-third of an inning. He faced six batters and four of them dilled extra-base hits as Texas took a 5-1 lead. Pete O'Brien homered for Texas.

**Mariners 5, Angels 2**  
Gorman Thomas and Alvin Unbeaten page 2B



# Sports Briefs

## Grady athletic banquet

**LENORAH** — Grady High School will host its annual athletic banquet Tuesday, May 6 at 7:30 p.m. at the old Grady gymnasium. Guest speaker will be David McWilliams, head football coach at Texas Tech University. Tickets are \$4 per person and they can be purchased at Grady High School or from Grady Booster Club members.

## Coahoma athletic banquet

**COAHOMA** — The Coahoma All-Sports Booster Club will be sponsoring the Coahoma High School Athletic Banquet on Tuesday, April 29 at 6 p.m. at the elementary school cafeteria. Tickets are \$6 and can be purchased at the CHS front office or by calling 394-4207 or 263-6290. Guest speaker will be Ronnie Flowers of Odessa.

## Ladies golf association

The Comanche Trail Ladies Golf Association began its new year by hosting a Mixed Club Scramble Tournament with the Big Spring Country Club Women's Golf Association last Saturday. The winning team with a two under par 73 was: Glendine Williams, Ramona Harris, Mary Hollomon and Peggy Wilson. New officers for the Comanche women are: Delores Hull, President; Ruby Hones, Vice-President; Betty Ray Coffee, Secretary and Ramona Harris, Treasurer.

## Softball tourney

**ODESSA** — Judy's Bonding and Athletic Supply will be hosting the First Annual Cinco De Mayo Men's Slow-Pitch Softball Tournament May 3-4 at the U.T.P.B. Softball Complex. The ASA tournament has a \$100 entry fee to the first 36 teams entered. Entry deadline is April 30. First place teams will receive new Nike shoes for all players. The first three teams will receive T-Shirts. The All-Tournament team will receive windbreakers. The first four teams will receive team trophies. To enter call Ricky Jorgensen at 332-5061.

## Two-Man Partnership

There will be a two-man partnership at the Big Spring Country Club golf course the Saturday and Sunday. Golfers will be flighted by Saturday's scores. Entry fee is \$40 per man. Starting time both days will be 1:30 p.m. For more information contact Gary Hammer at 267-5354.

## Big Spring sports banquet

The Big Spring High School Spring Sports Banquet will be held May 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the Big Spring High School cafeteria. The banquet is sponsored by the Big Spring All-Sports Booster Club. Guest speaker will be Spencer "Tattoo" Johnson, Public Relations Director for the traveling basketball team, Shooting Stars. Tickets are \$8 per person and can be purchased at the Big Spring High School front office.

## Masters

Continued from page 1B  
He also said he often was confused with the other Green — Hubert. During a practice round with

Hubert earlier this week, Ken said he "overheard a lady say, 'Why does Hubert have two caddies?'"

## Jacket

Continued from page 1B  
At the winner's ceremony near the 18th green, club steward Frank Carpenter Jr., will hand the jacket to defending champion Bernhard Langer, who in turn, will hand it to his successor. "But what if Langer wins again?" Carpenter asked with a grin.

National, about 300 men from all over America. They, too, wear their jackets only at the club, which stays open from mid-October to mid-May. The first Masters champion to be awarded a green jacket was Sam Snead in 1949.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Jackie Olson, County Auditor, will receive sealed bids until 10:00 AM May 9, 1986 for fuel products (gasoline, diesel, grease, oil) in the Office of County Auditor, Courthouse, Big Spring, Texas. Bids will be tabulated and presented to the Commissioners Court at 10:00 AM on May 12, 1986 for their consideration. The Court reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Specifications may be obtained by contacting Jackie Olson, 267-8561, County Courthouse, Big Spring, Texas. Payment for fuel products will be from the County's Equipment Operating Fund. Jackie Olson 2635 April 11 & 18, 1986

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# Dominique leaps toward scoring title

By The Associated Press  
Fun is scoring 57 points, as Dominique Wilkins did. Not so much fun is having to win a game at Boston Garden, which the Cleveland Cavaliers must do.

Wilkins laid waste to the New Jersey Nets Thursday night in posting the highest individual scoring performance of the NBA season in a 126-117 defeat of the Nets.

**Bucks 102, Cavaliers 101**  
Cleveland lost its sixth straight after cutting a 10-point Buck lead to 102-101 with 35 seconds to play on World B. Free's three-point shot.

## NBA

Cleveland had a final chance to pull out the game after a Milwaukee turnover, but neither Free, who had 26 points, nor Eddie Johnson could get off a shot.

Moncrief had 22 points for

Milwaukee and Terry Cummings added 20. Mel Turpin scored 25 for Cleveland.

**Hawks 126, Nets 117**  
Wilkins, who sat out 10 minutes of the highest-scoring game of his career, equaled the franchise scoring mark established by Bob Pettit of the St. Louis Hawks in 1961 and tied by Atlanta's Lou Hudson in 1969. It also surpassed the previous single-game high, English's 54 against Houston on Nov. 11.

Wilkins played 38 minutes of the 48-minute contest, scoring 18 points in the first period and 16 in both the third and fourth quarters. Atlanta led 59-49 at halftime and 96-75 after three periods.

**Nuggets 115, Suns 113**  
Danny Schayes' layup with one second to play ended a wild fourth period, which featured eight ties and 15 lead changes. Phoenix had a slim chance after Schayes, who was fouled on the play, missed a free throw. But a three-point attempt by Walter Davis went awry.

**Jazz 119, Kings 108**  
Thurl Bailey scored half of his 22 points in the fourth period to help the Jazz pull away from Sacramento.

Dantley virtually conceded the league scoring title to Wilkins by managing only 18 points.

**Dallas 115, Seattle 109**  
Mark Aguirre and Rolando Blackman scored 19 points each to help Dallas snap a three-game losing streak. Aguirre and Blackman combined for 21 points in the third quarter as Dallas built a 14-point lead.

Center Jack Sikma, slated for knee surgery next week, came off the bench to rally Seattle, scoring 11 points as the Sonics pulled within 89-84.

After Seattle got within 109-107 with 30 seconds to play, Dallas' Brad Davis, who had 10 of his 16 points in the fourth quarter, hit four free throws.

Trail Blazers 115, Clippers 100  
Clyde Drexler scored 26 points as

the Trail Blazers spoiled the Clippers' home finale.

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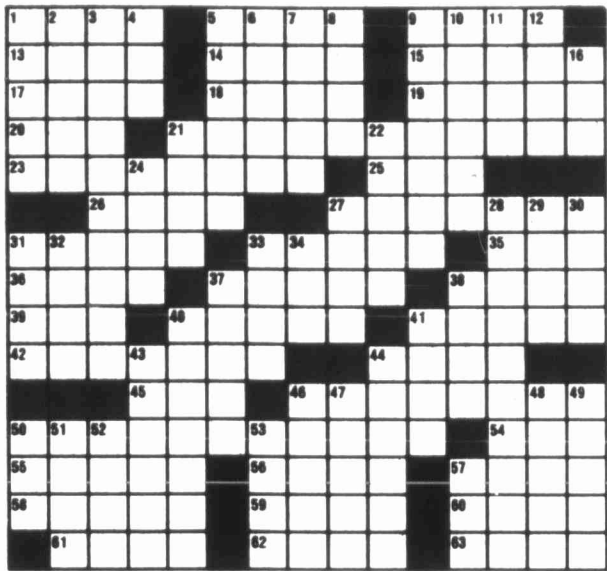
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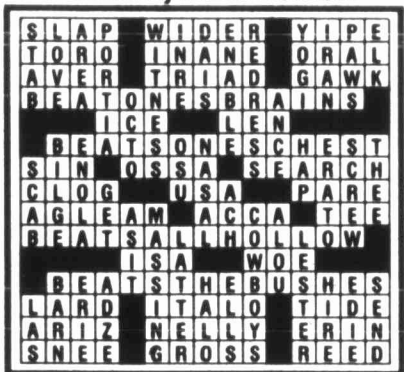
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  - 17 Make an entrance
  - 18 Garibaldi's birthplace
  - 19 Reddish-brown
  - 20 Hackberry relative
  - 21 Fenway Park hero
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  - 27 Pointer
  - 31 Velvet cloth
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  - 35 DDE
  - 36 Woodsman's tool
  - 37 Reception
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  - 54 Snoop
  - 55 Juridic
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**ARIES** (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Morning is fine for contacting those who can assist you to improve your interests, but later don't get confused.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20) You can easily make worthwhile changes in the morning, but later be more economical.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 21) Some changes in arrangements with associates could improve conditions around you and it would be wise to make them.

**MOON CHILDREN** (June 22 to Jul. 21) Have a talk with an expert who can help you to become more productive. Forget your worries.

**LEO** (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Make appointments with good friends for entertainments that are mutually pleasurable, but later don't change your mind.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You understand how to bring your finest talents to the attention of bigwigs so that you can make the most of them.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Be more willing to show your affection for others and get a good response. Take a trip that will help expand your interests.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) A good day to talk to experts so that you can deal with others better in the days ahead.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) You may be in need of help from somebody you suddenly think about, so contact this person and get the assistance you need.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Adding new activities to regular ones can bring in more income now and in the future.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Today can bring you some new romantic interest that will be most welcome. Add to your present happiness.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) A family tie has different views for the future from your own but try to come to an agreement and be harmonious.

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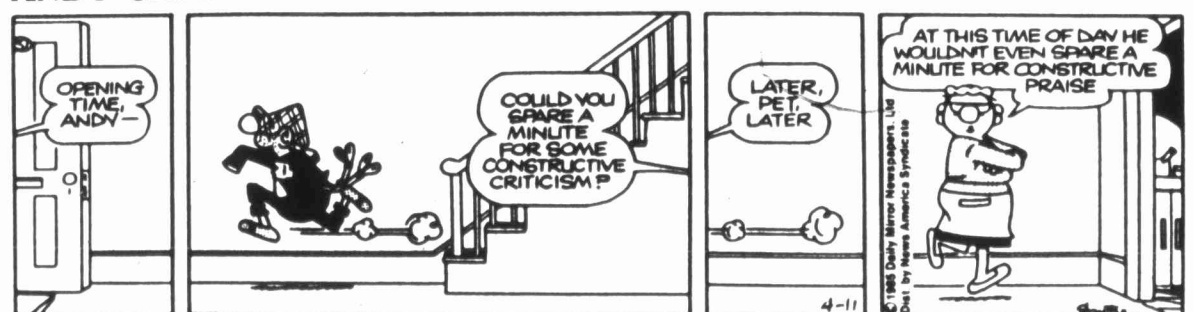
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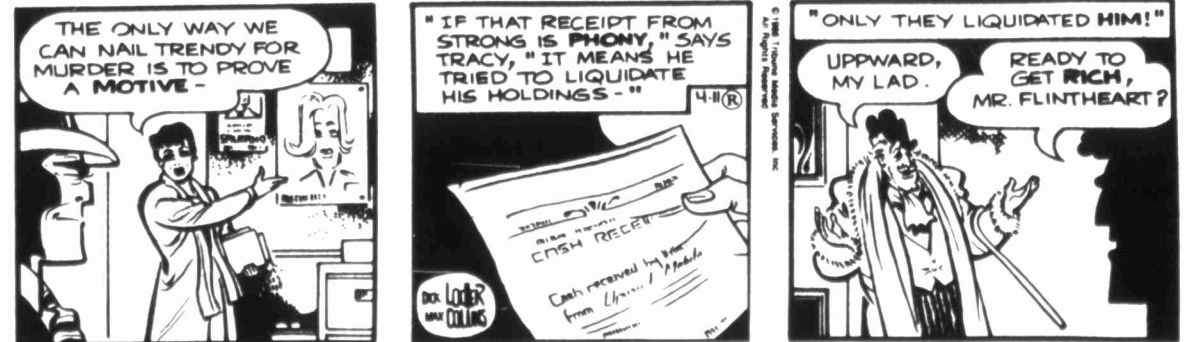
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**SPECIAL OF THE WEEK**  
**LOVELY 3 BEDROOM** — 2 bath, 2 car garage brick home with fireplace in Ackerly. Concrete block fence plus carport for motor home. Priced for quick sale. Call for details.  
 See Sunday's Ad For More Listings

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### Home Of The Week

274 CRESTLINE — THE LAST MOVE YOU'LL EVER WANT TO MAKE — will be into this gorgeous 4 bdrm, 4 bath, home with bit-in kitchen, ample closet space, heated pool, indoor spa, central heat & air, & too many extras to list. CALL FOR DETAILS.  
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**FHA MANAGEMENT BROKER — REPO PROPERTIES — BIG SPRING AREA**  
**V-I-E-W-T-I-F-U-L COUNTRY \$42,000** — Brick, 3 br, 2 bath, dbl. garage, fireplace, & much more — new construction. Enjoy extra privacy, serene beautiful country side & Signal Peak Mountain view from dining room & kitchen. Or enchanting over view of Big Spring city lights in evenings. Last of best lots — fine country neighborhood. City water.  
**YOUNG, LOVELY, VERSATILE** — Large family area — corner fireplace & kitchen bar overlooks view extra family comfort & fun. Recently built, modern insulation, storm windows for low utility bills. Nice! Nice! Nice! SForties. College Park.  
**TREAT YOURSELF — \$29,995.00** — To a bargain priced home for quick owner transfer. Neat & clean 4 br, 2 bath, central cooling & heating, 20 ft. master bedroom. You might qualify for \$100. FHA minimum loan down payment.  
**MOBILE HOME SITE — COUNTRY** — \$3,900 — Midway Rd. Coahoma school. Water, gas, etc. Excellent location.  
**COUNTRY ACRES — \$800.00** — Per acre & up. 3 lovely choices. Two with water wells. One — a breathtaking scenic, private valley. Another with its own pond. Silver Hills/Forsan school.  
**WASHINGTON BLVD. AREA** — Right out of Better Homes & Gardens — this extraordinary home gives a happy feeling from front entry to Hollywood master bath & bedroom overlooking tiled patio. Cedar lined walk in closet. A touch of the best SForties. Brick, 3 br, 2 bath, central air.  
**COAHOMA SCHOOL — SAND SPRINGS** — Paved, country lane leads to this impeccable brick 3br, 2 bath home that has such nice manicured grounds & yard. The inside is even nicer. SForties.  
**KENTWOOD — DON'T GAMBLE** — You've seen the most for your money — until — you've seen this executive rambler in prestigious Kentwood Addn. Over 1700 ft. — a truly large den, fireplace for \$52,000. 3 (or 4) bedroom, 2 bath.  
 Sue Bradbury 263-7537 Joyce Sanders 267-9411  
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### REAL ESTATE 001 Houses for Sale 002

I PAY cash for first and second lien mortgages. 915-694-8866; nights and weekends 915-697-6221.

#### Houses for Sale 002

**EXCEPTIONAL BUY!** Owner says sell! Real nice 2 bedroom brick home. All new carpet, built-in stove. Will pay buyers closing cost. Only \$29,000. Call Gail 267-3183. Area Realty, 267-8296.

**THREE BEDROOM**, one bath house. 2 acres, horse corral, carport, scenic location. \$50,000. 263-3305 after 6:00 weekdays.

**TWO BEDROOM**, one bath lovely starter home. Convenient location, carpet, plumbing, cabinets, oven-stove, paint, paper. Seller pay buyers closing costs. Almost nothing down, principle and interest. Payment \$190 month. See Bob Spears Realtor, 263-4884 or 267-8296.

**FIRST TIME ON MARKET** 3.2 brick newly redecorated home. Excellent neighborhood, owner. 263-1418, 267-7942.

**SACRIFICE! FORSAN SCHOOL District** Extra large 3/2 den, workshop, large lot, 8 1/2 assumable loan, low payments. Owner. 263-8639.

**COAHOMA SCHOOL**, one block away: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, carpet, paneling, ceiling fans, central heat and evaporative air, well, storage shed, excellent buy. \$48,500. 200 High School Drive. 394-4386.

**IN COAHOMA** Modern 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace. 1/2 acre plus rental to make payments. Must sacrifice. 394-4801.

**THREE BEDROOM**, two bath brick, 2000 square feet. \$25,000. Owner finance at 10%. 1601 Main St. Call 263-7903.

**BY OWNER** 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1,640 square feet. Large den, cathedral ceiling, covered patio, pretty landscape. \$48,000. Call for appointment, 263-4907, 421 Hillside.

### \$1,000 DOWN BY OWNER

Nice remodeled, 2 bedroom house on West 5th Street. Capeted, fenced yard, total payments \$160.  
 267-2655

FOR SALE by owner 3-1-1707 Purdue. \$45,000. Call weekdays after 5:00, anytime weekends, 267-9721.

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#### L & M PROPERTIES 267-3648 - 263-2910

**\$400** — 3 bdrm, 2 liv areas. New carpet. Fnc.

**\$325** — 3 bdrm, 2 ba gar, Parkway Rd.

**\$300** — 3 bdrm, 2 ba 1 acre, Coahoma Sch.

**\$275** — 2 bdrm, carpet.

**\$275** — 2 bdrm, garage, new capet, near College.

**\$250** — 2 bdrm mobile, rmpg, ref. Elbow Sch.

### Marie Rowland REALTOR

2101 Scurry 263-2591  
 CERTIFIED APPRAISALS

HILTOP RD. — \$25,000. 2 large bedr & storage. fenced. Owner will carry \$400.00 DOWN — Payments \$157.47 pr yard, needs some work.  
**REDUCED \$3,000** — 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large den, carpeted & draped, 12x20 storage, fenced, att. garage. Must sell leaving town!  
**BRICK ON DREXEL** — 3 bedroom, large den with bar, carpeted & draped, nice. MUST SEE TO APPRECIATE — This lovely decorated 2 bedroom 2 bath, large living room, kitchen, den, nice yard with 6 ft. tile fence.  
**1306 PRINCETON** — 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, 18x22 den with fireplace, mini-blinds & ceiling fans stay. BEEN REMODELED. We handle VA and FHA repos.

Rufus Rowland, Appraiser, GRI, Broker  
 Thelma Montgomery ..... 267-8754

**SOLD** — 1 1/2 bath, very clean, good garden, carport & storage. \$18,000.00. Call 263-2591. \$1,000 down, 15% interest, 15 years, 3 bedroom, fenced yard, tax & ins. for 15 years, 3 bedroom, fenced yard, HUD approved, 267-5937.

### Featured Home Of The Week

**WEST TEXAS COUNTRY HOME**  
 COLORADO CITY, TEXAS

3000 plus square ft. 4 bdr., 3 1/2 bth. House and two acres. Priced at only \$175,000. Shown by ERA REEDER REALTOR'S ..... 915-267-8266

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### Manufactured Housing For Sale 015

**THREE BEDROOM**, one and a half bath mobile home only \$146.00 per month. 108 months at 15 annual percentage rate. \$500.00 down payment. Call 915-332-0963 in Odessa, ask for Robert.

**18' WIDE TIFFINY** three bedroom, two bath, only \$291.00 per month, \$1,125.00 down payment. 180 payments at 14.5 annual percentage rate. Call Wayne at 915-332-0882 in Odessa.

**\$100.00 TOTAL MOVE** in cost on pre-owned double wide. 11.75 annual percentage rate at 180 months at \$359.00 per month. Over 50 pre-owned homes to choose from. A-1 Mobile Homes at 4750 Andrews Highway in Odessa Texas—915-332-0881.

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**BALCONY KITCHEN TIFFINY** home. Only \$233.00 per month, 180 months at 14.5 annual percentage rate. \$898.00 down. Ask for Dave at 915-332-0883.

### Furnished Houses 060

**ONE, TWO, three bedroom**, fenced yards, maintained, water, paid, deposit. HUD approved. 267-5546 or 263-0746.

**TWO BEDROOM**, one bath, glassed porch, near Presbyterian Church. Refrigerator and stove, \$235.00. McDonald Agent 267-7653.

### Unfurnished Houses 061

**TWO BEDROOM**, brick carport and storage. \$225 month, \$150 deposit. 263-2591 or 267-8754.

**5 ROOM, FURNISHED** house. Nice neighborhood, near college and shopping center. \$350 monthly. Call 267-7694.

**UNFURNISHED** in Coahoma. Large three bedroom. Call 267-5952.

**LARGE, TWO Bedroom**, two bath mobile home. Appliances, Coahoma Schools, \$295. Call 263-8842.

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

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

### Cemetery Lots For sale 020

**TWO LOTS** for sale at the Trinity Memorial Cemetery. Asking \$400 each. These lots are located in the new part of the cemetery. 263-6609.

### Furnished Apartments 052

**TWO EFFICIENT** apartment and one bedroom, furnished. All bills paid, will take HUD. \$225 and \$250 month with deposit. 263-2591 or 267-8754.

**LOW RATES**. Payment plans. One, two, three bedroom. Some remodeled, all nice. Electric, water, paid. Furnished, unfurnished. 263-7811.

**NICE ONE** Bedroom apartment, \$245.00. 150.00 deposit, also one, two bedroom mobile homes. \$195.00. \$225.00. No children or pets. 263-6944 or 263-2341.

**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.

**FURNISHED APARTMENT** for rent. Water paid, \$125.00 month, \$75.00 deposit. Call 263-0889.

**ONE AND TWO** furnished bedroom apartment. Some weekly rates. All bills paid. Courtyard Apartments — 267-3770.

**FURNISHED, CLEAN**, attractive, large one bedroom apartment. Carpet, central heating and refrigerated air conditioning. \$275.00 plus deposit. No bills paid. No pets. 1104 East 11th Place East apartment, call 267-7628.

**ONE BEDROOM**, kitchenette, \$175. Electric and water paid. Call 263-0661.

**NEAR V.A. Hospital** — Off street parking, living room, bedroom, kitchen and bath. Mr Shaw — 263-2531, 263-0726, 263-8402.

### Unfurnished Apartments 053

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

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

**ONE, TWO and Three bedroom**. Bills paid, rent based on 30% of income, less for child, special deductions for elderly and handicapped. (Equal Opportunity Housing), Northcrest Village, 1002 North Main. 267-5191.

**PLEASANT LIVING**. Large one or two bedroom, attached carport, private ground level patio, lovely landscaping and pool. 801 Marcy — Manager #36.

**DUPLEX**, three large rooms, redecorated beautiful hardwood floors in living area, carpeted bedroom, offstreet parking. Quite neighborhood. 267-5937.

**TWO BEDROOM** duplex, 1 1/2 bath, partially furnished. Carpeted, drapes, fireplace. \$325, plus \$100 deposit. Call 393-5319.

**REMODELED ONE bedroom**, East 15th. Starts \$135, references. 263-7161 or 267-1857.

**FURNISHED OR unfurnished**, two bedroom apartment for rent 1604 1/2 Main. Convenient for Gregg Street employees, HUD approved. 263-3514 or 263-8513.

**UNFURNISHED DUPLEX** for rent, stove and refrigerator furnished water paid. HUD approved, 267-5937.

**EXTRA NICE**, one bedroom apartment. Excellent location. \$165 plus \$50 deposit. Call evenings, 267-2236.

### Furnished Houses 060

**WHY RENT?** You can own your own home for less money down than a typical rent deposit and lower payments than renting. Call Glen at 915-694-6660 or 915-563-3028.

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We have over 100 listings in all price ranges and locations and can show anything listed with the Big Spring Board of Realtors. Space does not permit us to tell you everything about each listing. That's why we want you to tell us. We also have up-to-date financing and re-location information. Won't you let us help you?

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**Lodges 101**

STATED MEETING Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 every 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:30 P.M. 219 Main. Bill Arryhill 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 Crumshaw W.M., Richard Knous, Sec.

**Special Notices 102**

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

Charles Byron Harris has made application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Off Premise Beer and Wire License for the location of 1500 East 4th, Big Spring, Howard County, Texas to be operated under the trade name of East 4th Fast Stop. Charles Byron Harris, 2800 Crestline, Big Spring Texas 79720.

**Lost & Found 105**

REWARD: BLACK Labrador. Choke collar with tags, flea collar. West 13th Call 267-8435.  
REWARD: LOST, eight month old pit bull puppies in Kenwood area on 4-9-86. One male and one female, both brown with white chest. Male has trimmed ears, call 267-5668 or 263-7467.

**Personal 110**

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

**Business Opportunities 150**

FOR SALE: Prime Gregg Street business property. Two lots at 1602 Gregg Street, Big Spring, Texas. \$70,000. Call 1-915-267-4656. Leave message.

FOR LEASE: Exxon Service Station. Capital required. 1-20 location. Call 267-5870.

**EMPLOYMENT 250**

**Help Wanted 270**

**WOMAN'S COLUMN 350**

**Child Care 375**

**Laundry 380**

**Help Wanted 270**

DISTRIBUTOR'S WANTED: National manufacturer of exciting patented steel frame homes is looking for distributors. Many select territories available. Refundable investment required. For additional information and literature call Ben Childers at 1-800-772-5909.

POSITION AVAILABLE for permanent part-time relief pharmacist in West Texas. Hospital experience preferred. Contact Innovative Pharmacy Services, Inc. (512) 346-3506.

HARD WORK, modest pay and the chance to make a real difference in childrens lives. Foster group needs live-in house parent for adolescent girls. Mature, intergetic, well organized couple or a single female. Write describing your qualifications to P.O. Box 3772, San Angelo—COE.

**Jobs Wanted 299**

PAINTING INSIDE and out. Minor repair. Free estimates. John Turner - 263-3487-267-4939.

**Horses 445**

FOR SALE: Four year old Sorrel Gelding. 16 1/2 hands 1/4 thoroughbred, registered. \$500.00, 263-1460 days or 267-3742 nights.

**Arts & Crafts 504**

COUNTRY GIFTS: Big Spring Mall, Workshop for Folk Art on Wood, Saturday April 19th. Classes on Monday, Wednesday. Art Classes.

**Dogs, Pets, Etc. 513**

SAND SPRINGS Kennels. A.K.C. Chows all colors; Toy Poodles; Pekinges; Chihuahuas - Terms. 560 Hooser Road, 393-5259.

**FINANCIAL 300**

**Loans 325**

**ATTENTION WORKING MOTHERS**

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**Child Care 375**

**Laundry 380**

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ATTENTION! WORKING mothers; working bachelors, if you need your house cleaned from top to bottom. Call Lisa, 263-1677. Low rates.

**FARMER'S COLUMN 400**

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**Piano Tuning 527**

RAY WOOD piano service. Tuning and repair, quality work, reasonable rates. Call 394-4444.

**Household Goods 531**

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FURNITURE - COUCH, chair, footstool, end tables, lamp and rug \$150. Occasional chair \$10. Box spring and mattress (double) \$50. Small deep freeze \$20. Decorator Credenza \$10. 267-8002 after 4:00 or all day, weekends.

FOR SALE: Bent wood rocker, coffee table, couch and chair, stereo and speakers, baby clothes, infant car seat, crib toys, walker, and book shelf. Call 263-1460 days or 267-3742 night.

OPEN HOUSE furniture sale: Preffly-plus-quality, Coronado Hills Apartment #49. Phone 263-4264.

**Miscellaneous 537**

REAL GOOD, 2x6, 2x8, 2x10 and 2x12 framing material. 1x4, 1x8, 1x10, 1x12 sub flooring and decking. Call 267-6456 after 5:00 p.m.

MUFFLERS, TAILPIPPES. Complete exhaust systems, custom pipe bending and dual exhaust systems for any make or model car or pickup. Free estimates. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mastercard, Visa welcome. Briggs Welding & Muffler, 501 North Birdwell, across from Hubbard Packing. 267-1488.

BRING US your STREAMLINED 2-Line (that's about ten words) Classified Ad. Weekender ads are specifically designed to sell a single item priced at under \$100. Your ad appears on Friday and Saturday - 2 days, 2 lines, 2 dollars. DEADLINE, 3 p.m. Thursdays. If you don't sell your item, call us before 3 p.m. Thursday and we will run your ad in the Weekender Special free until your item is sold.

CONCRETE YARD ORNAMENTS. Deer, birds, chickens, ducks, frogs, donkey. Lay a ways. North Birdwell and Monogram Street, call 263-4435.

**REPO RENTALS**

Rent To Own Buy, Sale Or Trade Living Room, Bedroom, Dining Room Furniture & Appliances 2000 West 3rd 263-7101

NEW 6500 DOWNDRAFT window air conditioner. Still in box, \$299. Johnson Sheet Metal, 267-3259.

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FOR SALE: Pickup, car, dishwasher, couch, love seat, dining room set with china cabinet. Call 263-4877.

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NEW KENMORE 24,400 BTU 220 V, \$650. Hotpoint 5,000 BTU 120V, \$100. Both twin down units, 267-5169.

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FIRST TIME Garage Sale. You name it we have it. Excellent womens, childrens clothing, curtains, coats, antiques, pool table, table saw, telescope, wicker and lots of miscellaneous. Friday, 9:00 - 5:00; Saturday, 9:00 - 4:00. 907 East 4th, (formerly Morgan's Boots).

BACKYARD SALE: 2300 Alabama, Saturday only. Lots of clothes and miscellaneous items.

SATURDAY: 8:00 till 2:00. Lovely clothes, love seats, chairs, carpet, miscellaneous. 2507 East 24th.

GARAGE SALE: Player's Club parking lot. Saturday, April 13th to benefit Multiple Sclerosis 1:00 p.m. until ??? 3202 East IH-20.

GIGANTIC THREE family inside/out side sale, 1324 Harding, Friday and Saturday, 10:00 to 5:00. Weather permits.

PATIO SALE 2400 East Mary. Stereo, entertainment center, mattress, box-springs, mower, bedspread, canopy, microwave cart.

REMODELED HOME furnishings, doors, light fixtures, kitchen stove and vent, sink, dishes, childrens clothes, ski clothes, etc. 803 Highland 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

GARAGE SALE: girls clothes 0 to 5, miscellaneous. Friday, Saturday, 9:00 to 4:00; Sunday 1:00 to 4:00. 1749 Purdue.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, 9:00 to 5:00, 700 San Antonio. Baby clothes, TV, bar stools, twin bed.

207 SCURRY, FRIDAY thru Sunday. Maple bedroom suite, chest of drawers, porta-crib, bassinet, lots more.

GARAGE SALE: Large mens clothing, golf clubs. Friday and Saturday, 2603 Ann.

GIGANTIC GARAGE Sale! Large variety of items!!! Highland Mall, Saturday only, 9:00 to 4:00. Sponsored by Forsan Senior Club.

LARGE FOUR family garage sale. 2712 Rebecca. Bar stools, furniture, lots of nice brand name childrens clothing, kitchen items, toys, curtains, miscellaneous. Don't miss it. Saturday only, 9:00 to 3:00.

2613 ANN -SATURDAY only, starts 8:00 a.m. Childrens clothes all sizes, baby things, other miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday only. Baby clothes and lots more. 2502 Fairchild.

GENERAL ELECTRIC cabinet T.V., cracker box welder with leads, camper shell for pickup, lots of glassware and miscellaneous. Saturday only - 207 Washington.

OUTSIDE SALE: Saturday 9:00 to 6:00. 1705 Scurry, next to Beauty Center.

BACKYARD SALE: Saturday only, Hilltop Road. Clothes, tools and other miscellaneous. Everything cheap. Follow signs.

GARAGE SALE: 4201 Parkway, Saturday 12th, 9:00 a.m. Everything half price.

GUNS, POOL table, lawn mower, motorcycles, furniture, dishware, clothes, flower pots, all sizes, terrariums, plant stands, baby things, trolling motor, tires, bumpers, too many things to list. Saturday Sunday, 701 Lorilla.

Some "Homeworker Needed" ads may involve one investment on the part of the answering party. PLEASE CHECK CAREFULLY BEFORE INVESTING ANY MONEY.  
WHATABURGER NOW interviewing for management personnel. Excellent pay and benefits. Call Jean Hale, at 263-7359 or go by 1110 Gregg Street, E.O.E.  
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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.  
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REDWOOD, CEDAR, Spruce, Chain Link. Compare quality- priced before building. Brown Fence Service, 263-6517 anytime.

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

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**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 267-1110, or 267-4289.

**Tax Service 780**  
INCOME TAX Service. Individual and small business. Pick up and delivery. Jean Tidwell, 399-5594.  
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**Top Soil 783**  
IDEAL SOIL for lawns, gardens, and rose bushes. 263-8037.

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G.E. R.C.A. Parts and repairs. Videocassette VHS - Recorders. Sharp Technology. 915-694-1047.

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WINDOW COVERINGS Custom Draperies - Swags - Cornices - Micro and Mini blinds. Brooks Furniture Shop, 700 Aylford. Phone 263-2522.

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TIRED OF hoisting your lawn hoses from one side of your yard to the other? Call Dyer Plumbing for all your Sprinkler System needs. Automatic, manual, commercial or residential systems. Call 263-0671.

**Political Announcement DEMOCRATS**

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 3, 1986.

**U.S. REPRESENTATIVE 17th Congressional District of Texas**  
Charles W. Stenholm  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Stenholm for Congress Committee, Stephen Haterius, Sect. Box 1082, Stamford, Tx. 75563

**COUNTY CLERK**  
Margaret Ray  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Margaret Ray, 1404 Johnson, Big Spring, Tx. 79720

**COUNTY JUDGE**  
Milton L. Kirby  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Milton L. Kirby, 1407 East 5th, Big Spring, Tx. 79720  
Warren Wise  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Warren Wise, No. 1 Highland Mall, Big Spring, Tx. 79720

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2**  
John Stanley  
Pol. Adv. Paid by John Stanley, 1104 Mt. Vernon, Big Spring, Tx. 79720  
Paul H. Allen  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Paul H. Allen, South Route, Coahoma, Texas 75511

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4**  
Al Valdes  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Al Valdes, 634 Caylor Dr., Big Spring, Tx. 79720  
H.M. (Mack) Underwood  
Pol. Adv. Paid by H.M. (Mack) Underwood, 1429 East 6th, Big Spring, Tx. 79720

**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PCT. 1 PLACE 2**  
William (Bill) Shankles  
Pol. Adv. Paid by William (Bill) Shankles, 4110 Bloor, Big Spring, Tx. 79720  
Stanley ("Bogie") Bogard  
Pol. Adv. Paid by Stanley ("Bogie") Bogard, 1737 Purdue, Big Spring, Tx. 79720

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John R. (Rich) Anderson  
Pol. Adv. Paid by John R. (Rich) Anderson, Box 134, Oakl, Tx. 79728

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**1985 FORD BRONCO CUSTOM 4X4** - Tan with tape stripes, tan vinyl bucket seats, 351 H.O., automatic, air, AM/FM, gauges, wheels, local one owner with only 22,000 miles.  
**1984 FORD BRONCO XLT LARIAT 4X4** - Red/white tutone, red cloth beach seats, tilt/cruise, 351 H.O., air, automatic, AM/FM cassette, power windows, and locks, gauges, digital clock, local one owner with 36,000 miles.

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**1983 FORD F150 SUPERCAB XLT LARIAT** - Charcoal gray/red tutone, red captains chairs, 351, tilt/cruise, power windows, & locks, gauges, AM/FM cassette, dual tanks, one owner with 37,000 miles.  
**1982 FORD F150 SUPERCAB CUSTOM** - White with carnal knitted vinyl bench seats, 351, gauges, AM radio, cruise control, air, dual tanks, one owner with 46,000 miles.  
**1981 FORD F150 CUSTOM** - Brown/tan tutone, tan vinyl interior, 302 V-8, air, automatic, cruise control, AM radio, dual tanks, local one owner with 48,000 miles.

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Miscellaneous 537

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GOOD USED furniture and appliances. Duke Used Furniture, 504 West 3rd. 267-5021.

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AUTOMOBILES 550

1982 STEEL BODIED T-Bucket, 351 Windsor, new interior and paint! Suburban disc brakes, 293-5764 or 267-8140.

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STARCRRAFT FOLD down camper with air conditioner, extra clean, very reasonable. Also Sears fiberglass boat with 7 horse motor and trailer, good condition. 267-3133.

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FOR SALE: 1979 Chrysler Cordoba. Call for more information, 267-5756.

Jeeps 554

1983 JEEP CHEROKEE, silver, black interior, excellent condition, new tires, 263-1176 after 5:00.

Pickups 555

1980 FORD RANGER Lariat pickup, long wide bed. Call 915-263-1902.

1975 CHEVROLET 3/4 ton. Good work pickup. Call 399-4786.

1982 CHEVROLET DIESEL 4.2 liter pickup. Automatic transmission, AM/FM radio, air. Contact Tom, 267-3671.

Pickups 555

1982 FORD RANGER pickup. Automatic, air, AM radio, cloth interior. Contact Tom, 267-3671.

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Trucks 557

1984 INTERNATIONAL SCOUT 4 wheel drive, good condition, good hunting wagon, \$1,000.00, 263-3239.

1974 INTERNATIONAL 1710 2 TON, 18 foot van, roll-up door, good tires, runs good. See at 1236 West 3rd or 263-6037.

Recreational Veh 563

21' MOTOR home, bath, air conditioner, power plant, good motor, good tires. \$8,000. Call 263-7903.

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1984 WILDERNESS TRAVEL trailer, 25', 65 watt generator, roof rack and ladder, storage pod, awning, air, stabilizing units. Used one time. Must sell. 915-394-4812 or 915-394-4025.

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1972 18' NOMAD TRAVEL trailer, self contained, \$1,450.00. Call 263-4500.

Campers 567

STARCRRAFT FOLD down camper with air conditioner, extra clean, very reasonable. Also Sears fiberglass boat with 7 horse motor and trailer, good condition. 267-3133.

Motorcycles 570

GO-CART, 3 h.p., good condition. \$300. Call 267-9952.

FOR SALE: 750 Suzuki fully dressed, extra clean, \$900. Call after 6:00, 267-1515.

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HONDA 70 ATV three wheeler, \$300.00. Call 263-7290.

1980 YAMAHA SPECIAL, perfect condition, windshield, new tires, adult ridden, \$900.00. Call 267-7306.

Bicycles 573

SELL YOUR old bicycle in the WEEKENDER SPECIAL. Call 263-7331 for more information.

Trailers 577

30 FOOT FLAT bed goose neck, completely rebuilt trailer for sale. Call 915-263-4932 or 915-263-4410 after 6:00 p.m.

Boats 580

1984 17 1/2 COBIA WALK THRU boat. Never used, 140 h.p. Johnson motor, drive on trailer. Paid \$11,950 will sacrifice. Call 915-394-4812 or 915-394-4025.

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Thursday's Games Atlanta 126, New Jersey 117 Milwaukee 102, Cleveland 101 Denver 115, Phoenix 113 L.A. Lakers 117, Houston 113 Utah 119, Sacramento 106 Portland 115, L.A. Clippers 100 Dallas 115, Seattle 109

Friday's Games Cleveland at Boston, 7:30 p.m. Indiana at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m. Detroit at New York, 8 p.m. Washington at Chicago, 8:30 p.m. Portland at Golden State, 11 p.m.

Saturday's Games Indiana at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m. Phoenix at Houston, 8:30 p.m. New York at Milwaukee, 9 p.m. Utah at Denver, 9:30 p.m. Dallas at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m. L.A. Lakers at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m. Golden State at Seattle, 10:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games New Jersey at Boston, 12:30 p.m. Philadelphia at Washington, 12:30 p.m. Chicago at Cleveland, 12:30 p.m. Portland at San Antonio, 3:30 p.m. L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 10 p.m. Dallas at L.A. Lakers, 10 p.m.

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# Spring is time for lawn improvement

By TINA M. STEFFEN  
Staff Writer

The roar of a lawn mower, the whirl of a fertilizer spreader and the light taps of sprinkled water hitting the earth, all are sounds of spring.

Families working on lawns are a common site this time of the year as the yards, trees and bushes awaken from winter's sleep. With a little extra care, your yard will look attractive and healthy throughout the summer and winter months.

"The main thing to think about now is planting trees, shrubs, blooming plants and gardens," says Terri Johansen of Johansen's Landscaping and Nursery. "First, plan where you're going to plant. Second, plant."

"In planning, take into account windows around the house, walkways and recreational areas, and use a pleasing design," she says. "A knowledgeable nursery person can tell you what to plant where, what size the plant will be at maturity."

In planting, make sure the soil is prepared properly. "To do this add some organic matter — peat moss, soil conditioner, mulch or compost," she says. "Mix organic matter on a 1 to 1 ratio with the soil. That is half and half. If you do this it helps maintain moisture in the soil, the soil is looser for roots to find water and nutrients, and you can probably water less often."

After preparing the soil, plant. Take care not to take all the soil off the roots that you plant. Make sure the plant is spaced properly and use a starter solution on them (root stimulator), then water.

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for sunny and shady places in your landscape; however, you must make the proper selection. "To do that, talk to someone that is knowledgeable about the plants — a nursery person," Johansen said. "Keep everything watered real

well," she said. "which means that you may have to water daily in the beginning and through the hot summer." First check the soil by feeling with your finger or a stick to see how damp the soil is a few inches down where the root system

is. "Trees and shrubs are an asset to your property value. It pays to keep them healthy, and it makes you feel good to see it looking nice," she said. "It's important to keep trees and shrubs watered, even established ones. You have to replenish the soil moisture that was there because the trees will wilt and dry if it gets dry enough."

Use a sprinkler around the dripline of the tree when watering it. The dripline is the outward most edges of the tree's canopy.

It is important to water the yard weekly to a depth of at least one inch of wet soil. "Make sure that you water very well. If we have a dry summer and you do not water well, then the plant will be weak. If we have a hard winter, then we'll lose them, and they will be damaged more next winter. Fertilizers will also make them winter healthy." According to Johansen, insects tend to stay away from healthy plants, bushes, and trees.

"Fertilize once a month on blooming and garden plants," she says. However, she doesn't recommend fertilizing new trees and shrubs during the first year. "If you over fertilize during the first year, it will cause the roots to burn and stunt growth or kill the plant. Use root stimulator. That will make them more hardy for winter and summer."

On pre-existing yards, "it's a good idea to put pre-emergent weed killer down (now before the weeds come up)." It helps prevent weeds before they germinate, and is good for grassburrs and grassy weeds. However, it kills any seed. The grass must be seeded before putting on the weed killer, not

after. The product lasts 60 to 90 days and will be effective on any seed for that length of time, she said.

For weeds already up, use post-emergent spray on them. Two types are available: one for grassy weeds and another for broadleaf weeds. "Make sure the chemical used is suitable for your type of grass," Johansen said. "Some grass is sensitive to the sprays. Look on the bottle for that information."

She suggests talking to a plant professional about what product to use so it won't harm your type of grass.

Spring also is the time to fertilize. Johansen recommends the following schedule, which tends to coincide with summertime holidays: early spring (up to April 1), again Memorial Day, July 4th, and Labor Day. Use fertilizer recommended for this area. It should contain nitrogen,

phosphorous and pot ash, as well as sulphur, iron and zinc. "Those trace elements will insure a healthy yard and keep it from looking anemic. Sulphur helps make the soil more acid so fertilizers are more available to the plant," she says.

To kill insects, treat your yard for what insects you have. Diazonon kills fleas, ticks and some beetles. Diazonon granules will stay around longer and hold their strength longer, Johansen said. An easy way to apply the granules would be to put it down with the fertilizer using a fertilizer spreader.

Sevin dust works well for vegetable gardens and flowering plants. Oftanol or Diazonon will kill white grubworms. Johansen advises home gardeners to be alert to grubworms and more insects this year. "We didn't have enough cold this winter."

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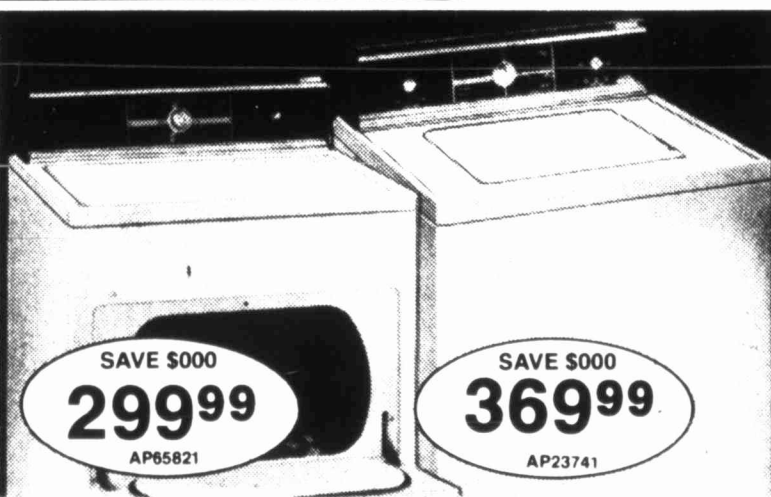
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## Fabric influences interiors' appearance

Fabric is just as important as style when it comes to buying new furniture or reupholstering old pieces, according to fabric designer Lee Mills.

"While you may not have the extra money to alter your home's size or layout, you can change its looks drastically by selecting the right fabrics and colors," says Mills, who is director of design for Naugahyde brand fabric.

"Fabric is a powerful design expression. With a splash of sizzling color or an accent of soft tones, you can light up or soothe, shape or define a room."

When selecting fabric, Mills advises, ask yourself what makes you feel good.

"How a fabric feels is just as important as how it looks," he explains, citing the natural coarseness of wool, the luxury feel

of silk and the free-and-easy mood of cotton. Chintz, he adds, is a surprisingly tough fabric that's enjoying renewed popularity.

While all these fabrics are classics, leather is unquestionably this decade's most important look, evoking richness and prestige, luxury and sensuality, says Mills. He points out that a high price tag can discourage some buyers, however.

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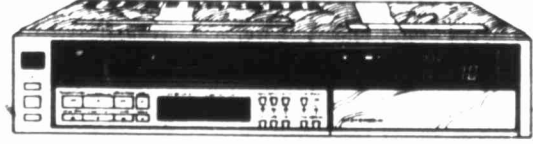
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# Plants warm home's interior



**WARMTH** — As Linda De Waters knows, houseplants can provide warmth and cheer to a home's interior.

By TINA M. STEFFEN  
Staff Writer

Plants create a warm atmosphere in a home where they are used, especially if used as part of the decoration. They are living, easy to decorate with, and often provide a sense of joy to people as a hobby or symbol of a memory or friendship. Plants also have healthful benefits by giving off oxygen.

"Everyone can enjoy houseplants whether they live in an apartment or have country gardens," says Debra Lusk of Green Acres Nursery. "Choosing the right plant for a particular situation should give lots of enjoyment."

"Build a collection of plants with a plan in mind," she says. "Decide if it's just for fun or for decoration."

"The fascination of gardening is the constant challenge of growing plants. But nothing dampens enthusiasm faster than tricky plants," she says. "Use the advice of a nursery person in selecting based on your home situation or level of experience."

According to Lusk, the most difficult interior situation is a dark corner. That situation needs a plant requiring low light, such as Spathiphyllum (Peace Lily), Dracena (Corn Plant), Aglaonema (Silver Queen), and Pothos Ivy. Another situation is the sunny

area of an interior. Floor plants, hanging baskets with blooming or green plants, or collections or groupings of plants look good in these areas.

If the area tends to be rather hot, such as a west window, use Ficus, Norfolk Pine Trees or certain types of Dracenas. If the leaves touch the window, the window's heat will cook them. They should be pulled away from the window a few inches to prevent this.

"Ficus are good for sunny spots," says Linda De Waters, also of Green Acres Nursery. "They can be taken outdoors for the summer and then brought back indoors for the winter."

"A lot (of people) like to take plants outside to get fresh air. Ficus grows three times faster outside than in the house," she said.

People who use plants for decoration have a choice of pots that add to the decorative effect of plants. Pots come in baskets, brass, terra cotta, pottery, ceramic and plastic and in all colors and designs.

"A lot of people buy plants to fill a void, like a hanging basket," De Waters said. "They don't have to buy furniture to fill that void." This is especially true of people on a budget or decorating a new home or apartment.

"Taking care of plants gives people a sense of responsibility — like giving one to a child," she said.

An important factor to remember in plant care is that "every plant needs food just like humans," De Waters said. It's best to buy plant food you mix with water to feed them every time you water, she added.

The frequency of watering depends on the environment. Some people have hot homes, others

don't. Before watering, check for moisture by sticking a finger down into the soil near the plant about two inches. If it feels dry, water. If it doesn't feel dry, don't water but check again a day or so later. The top soil may look dry, but that doesn't mean the soil underneath is dry. Overwatering can cause root rot.

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## Tips prove helpful for painting home

The first step in painting is preparing the surface, according to a paint dealer in Big Spring.

"You don't just pick up a brush and start slapping on paint," said E.G. Miller of Miller's Crown Decorating Center. "You have to prepare the surface."

Walls should be washed with a detergent to remove stains, dirt and grime before painting, and then allowed to dry thoroughly, he said.

Inside bathrooms, where walls often have water stains, painters should treat the stains with a specially prepared type of shellac, he said, or with Kilz, a sealer-primer-stain killer. "If you don't, the stain will blend right in."

The same goes for crayon, ink and lipstick marks on walls, Miller said. "Lipstick will still come through even if you paint over it 10 times."

Nail holes need to be plugged up with a spackling paste. Plastered walls should be dry, cured and hard and should be treated with a solution of one pint vinegar with a gallon of water until the surface is hard.

On exterior walls, sand and scrape the old paint off before applying new coats.

"The sun in this part of the country makes paint chip, flake and burst the bubbles," Miller said.

Locate the source of the moisture that causes the flaking and peeling. Determine whether it should be caulked, and then scrape the paint off and sand to fresh wood. After sanding, prime the bare wood with a wood primer.

Chalking can be removed by washing the area. Mildew stains should be washed, and the mildew then removed by scrubbing the area with a mixture of household bleach in three quarts of water.

Allow the bleach to remain for a few minutes, then rinse with clear water. You should wear waterproof gloves when doing this, and quickly wash any skin area that touches the solution. Do not mix household bleach with ammonia, because the vapor is harmful.

If the plywood is severely cracked, then plywood should replace it. The types of brushes used depends on the type of paint used. A pure-hair bristle brush should be used with oil-based paints, while nylon and polyester brushes should be used with flat latex paints, Miller said.

If you are doing only a room or two, buy throwaway rollers, because they probably will not last long in storage, he said. He also suggested that when doing large areas, smooth the paint on with a roller and then spread it out with a brush.

Airless sprayers also can be used

to speed up the painting, especially when large areas must be painted. Always paint the walls first, then the trim. Use tape to mark the edge of an area to be painted so it

doesn't overrun. To figure out how much paint you need, determine the area of the walls by multiplying height times width, and subtract the area of the

trim and windows. Divide the total by 400 square feet — the area that a one-gallon

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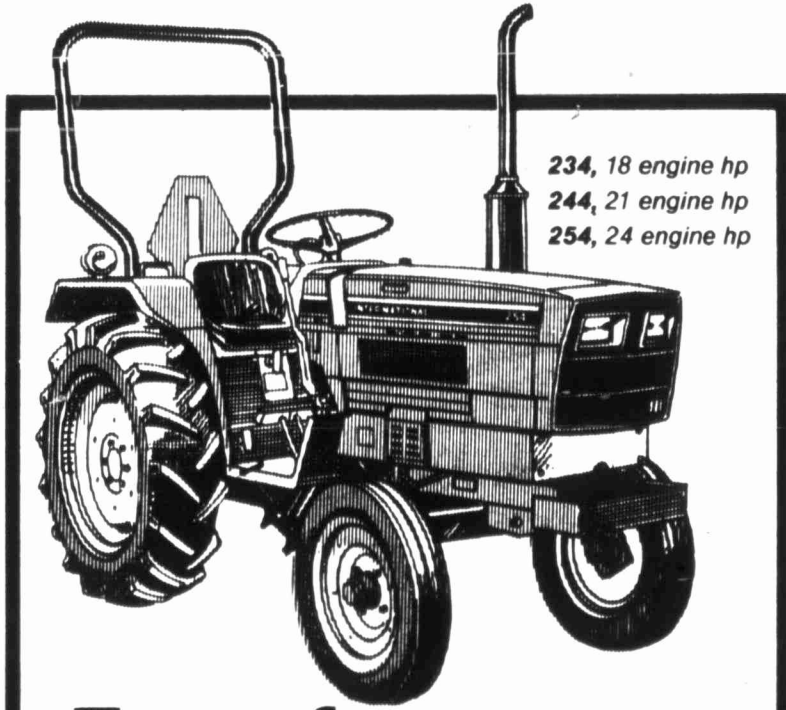
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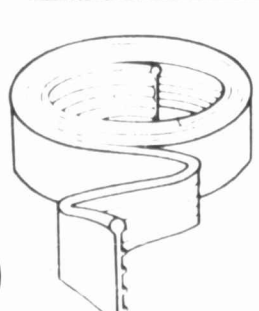
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# Custom kitchen meets needs

By TINA M. STEFFEN  
Staff Writer

When beginning a kitchen remodeling project, Bob Noyes of Bob's Custom Woodwork thinks of how he can get the most counter and cabinet space in the smallest area and what the "work triangle" will be like.

Noyes doesn't look at existing doorways, windows or other openings in the walls, which can be changed to suit the needs of the design. Instead, he looks at the possibilities within the walls' confines.

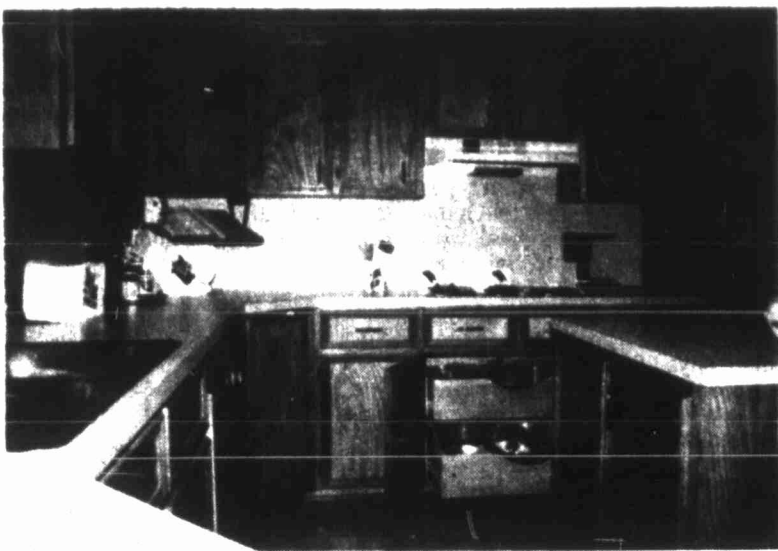
Sometimes he will close up doors and other openings to form a wall and make new openings in order to achieve a better workplace for the family in the kitchen. "The custom kitchen is designed around the individuals in the home and their needs," he says.

Several steps are involved in remodeling a kitchen. The first thing Noyes does with his clients is discuss their needs and desires for the kitchen. Then he develops an idea of how to meet those needs around the available floor space within the confines of the room and the homeowner's pocketbook.

Next, plans are drawn and designed on paper to scale. Noyes discusses with his clients the location of everything in the room and the layout of the work triangle. The work triangle is the space enclosed within a triangle connecting the sink, refrigerator and stove. All details and changes are worked out on paper before the actual remodeling begins.

Next, the cabinets are custom built. Then the room is prepared. This step includes plumbing, electrical and wall work that must be done before the cabinets can be installed. After this, the new cabinets are installed.

In a custom kitchen, Noyes and his crew install counter tops on the cabinets after they are placed in the kitchen, not before, for a minimum of seams. The last step is



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the installation of the appliances, plumbing fixtures, lighting, new floor covering, painting, paneling and wall papering.

A homeowner can choose from ready-built kitchen cabinets or custom cabinetry when remodeling a kitchen. Whichever she chooses, the cabinets should be installed by someone skilled in remodeling and cabinet installation. Most homeowners are not skilled in this work. If they do try to do it themselves, they often end up with a costly mess they can't remedy without outside professional help, Noyes says.

The decision of whether to have custom-built or ready-built cabinets depends on how much the homeowner is willing to spend and the type of quality he wants in the kitchen.

According to Noyes, it initially appears to cost more for a custom kitchen; however, in the long run it isn't higher in cost.

For the do-it-yourselfer who, Noyes stresses, has the ability to redo the kitchen and install his own

cabinets, he can come out with less expense with ready-built cabinets if he installs them himself. If a homeowner has to hire somebody to install ready-built cabinets, then it can be equally as expensive as the custom built, he says.

A ready-built cabinet comes in pre-sized units and may not fit the exact dimensions needed for a particular area. The homeowner then has to make a few sacrifices, Noyes says. In a custom-built cabinet, all space is designed for use, and cabinets are built for the specific need.

In ready-built cabinets, you get what was made. The cabinets usually have one shelf and are made of a thinner grade of masonite or presswood with vinyl, depending on the manufacturer, Noyes says. In recent years, ready-built cabinets have had nice looking fronts of wood, but the bodies remain masonite or presswood.

In a custom kitchen, Noyes says, "we put in shelves to suit needs of the individuals, whether it's a deep shelf to hold pots, pans and pit-

chers or three shelves for smaller items." Counters and cabinets can be made any size. They aren't pre-sized. In special areas, cabinets can be tailored in height, width and depth. They don't have to be an upper and lower cabinet, but can be full-length like pantries and closets.

Custom cabinets also can have special features built in, such as roll-out shelves, Noyes says. The cabinets are usually of a better quality than ready-built because they are made of plywood or lumber instead of presswood or masonite.

A small custom-designed efficiency kitchen can start as low as \$2,000 without new appliances, Noyes says. With most custom kitchens, the price averages from \$6,000 to \$8,000 without new appliances.

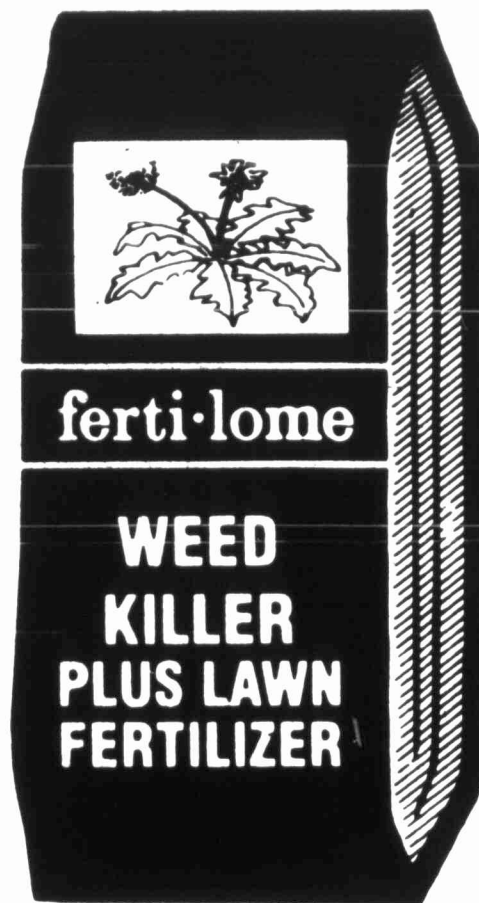
A few things must be taken into consideration when determining the cost: do you plan to move the plumbing? do you have major electrical work? floor work? ceiling work? wall work? new appliances? "We are not talking just about putting cabinets in," he said.

If someone is remodeling his kitchen, Noyes believes he should hire a contractor to custom build it. "A contractor specializes in the area the homeowner is asking to have work done. He has the knowledge to make better use of space and provide and use modern up-to-date materials and products, Noyes says.

"Most people don't have the foggiest idea of the variations of products. (A contractor) knows the product, its quality and what its best uses are. Contractors design with better efficiency and provide the proper product for the job," he says.

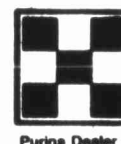
"Sadly, the average consumer is more concerned about the cost instead of what they are buying. It's not how much it costs, but what I got for what I spent."

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## Painting

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can of paint will cover — to determine how many cans of paint to buy. Buy drop cloths to prevent furniture and floors from being splattered with paint.

Most walls are covered with flat latex paint and trim with satin paint, which gives paint a shinier surface. On interior walls in areas where walls will be scrubbed a lot, such as kitchens and bathrooms, use satin paints, Miller said.

On exterior walls, latex paints are longer lasting and are more resistant to chalking, peeling and blistering. Oil paints, however, are least affected by temperature extremes and adheres best to chalking surfaces.

Stop painting for the day at the end of a wall or in a corner. Never start a new can of paint in the middle of a wall.

Tips for exterior walls:

- Paint the underside of siding first, then the surface; always apply from an unpainted area back into the last wet paint to avoid "lap" marks.
- On porches, start at the back, farthest from the steps or

entrance.

- On steps, paint the underside of the step extension first, then the back panel. Finish with the horizontal surface.

- On windows, raise the inside sash and lower the outside sash. Paint the outside sash, first the crossbars then the frame. Don't paint the bottom of the outside sash; use that to move the frame. Then paint the inside sash — crossbars, then frame — but don't paint the top edge.

Move the sashes back to one inch of their closed positions. Paint the parts of the inside sash that were obstructed and the bottom edge of the outside sash. Then, paint the window casing and then the sill.

When the paint is dry, move both sashes down as far as they will go, and paint the upper part of the check rails. When the paint is thoroughly dry, raise both sashes and paint the lower check rails.

- On casement windows, open them and paint the top, side and bottom edges first, then paint the crossbars, frames, casings and sills.
- On doors, paint the molding

edges of top panels first, then the remaining panel area by brushing across then up and down. After all panels are completed, paint the remaining area and finish with the door edges. If the door swings out, paint the lock-side edge with exterior paint. If it swings in, paint the hinged edge with exterior paint.

- Paint flush doors like you would walls. Paint the edges first and then fill in the large area. Then do the door frame and jambs.

- When finished painting wipe excess paint from tools and clean with paint thinner, if an oil paint was used, or water if using a latex paint.

If you have leftover paint, place a thin sheet of plastic wrap or other light plastic under the can lid before closing the lid. This will prevent skinning. Pound the lid down tightly.

- When using a roller, roll slowly into the well or lower end of the tray. Roll back and forth until the roller is well covered. Roll back on to ridges in upper portion to

remove excess paint.

Cover about four square feet by rolling out the letter "N": up, then diagonal, then up. Then cross roll to spread paint and finish with light strokes in one direction, but at a right angle to the cross roll.

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Among the newest looks in this year's window fashions are pleated fabric shades, which feature clean horizontal lines, a soft designer look and a wide range of colors, prints and textures.

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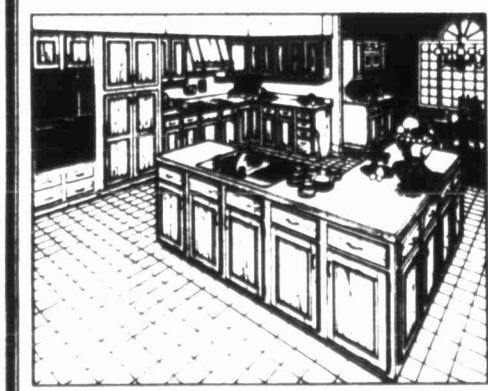
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# Patio can be a good project

By TINA M. STEFFEN  
Staff Writer

Patios are ideal places to entertain, have outdoor barbecues and relax. A patio also can be a relatively easy home improvement project the do-it-yourselfer can create.

When planning a patio area, shade is essential in this part of the country to get maximum benefit from the patio, says Bill Crooker of Mr. G's Garden Center. "There's a lot of heat on patios. It is reflected from the house, which is another reason for shade."

If there are no shady areas already available in a good location for a patio, temporary shade can be created using a shade cloth tailored to the size of the patio. A homeowner also can construct rafters and have a covering of Honeysuckle or Wisteria, which eventually forms a canopy for shade. Many people extend a roof from the house over the patio to create shade.

Other factors to consider when planning the location of a patio are wind and accessibility from the home's doorways.

Wind can be a problem when it gets gusty. Some patios may not have much problem with wind, but others might due to their location, Crooker said. Are there any barriers to help block some of the wind? Barriers can be created if there are none available.

The patio's foundation can be of concrete, brick, brick laid in sand, cross ties or wood laid in the ground. A brick foundation would be easier for a do-it-yourselfer to

handle than concrete, Crooker said, especially since he wouldn't have to complete the foundation all in one day.

"Brick is pretty," he said. "It has a warm and more natural appearance." The do-it-yourselfer can create patterns with brick, which would add interest as well as color. "If the brick isn't level, it still looks nice."

Brick also is more flexible than concrete in terms of usage and is easier to use in making steps, Crooker said. Bricks also can be used in making paths around the patio. "It's simpler than we think," he said. The material costs for a brick patio and a concrete patio are very close, he added.

Brick is available in Midland. Concrete can be purchased locally. Now that the patio is built, it's time to decorate.

A nice point of interest would be a self-contained water fountain, Crooker suggested. The fountain should be placed near an electrical outlet for its circulating pump. Add water to the fountain as it evaporates.

Since wind was considered as a possible problem, certain shrubs can help reduce the wind if planted in the appropriate locations. However, "it may take five to six years before they could become effective wind screens or barriers," Crooker said. In the meantime, they provide color and beauty. The do-it-yourselfer also can try to reduce wind with solid panels or screens.

The simplest way of providing

color and greenery is to use large clay pots or large redwood containers with plants, Crooker said. He suggested Geraniums, Petunias, Spanish Moss, and any hardy plant that is easy to grow in pots. "Be generous with soil conditioner or peat moss," he said. "It will hold the moisture, and you won't have to water as often."

The patio is an ideal place for hanging baskets, he said. Asparagus Fern is an excellent plant for baskets. It can take sun and heat. Periwinkle and Spanish Moss also are good choices, he said.

"In the shaded parts of the patio, you can put indoor plants on the patio. They will really thrive in the summertime. Most of the time here they can remain on the patio well into October," he said.

Container roses add color. Place them in large pots and on the patio's sunnier areas. They will bloom all summer but need to be indoors during the winter.

Hibiscus is a nice patio plant, Crooker said. It needs partial shade. It can take five to six hours of sun but needs shade the rest of the time. Petunias, Geraniums and Dianthus also need partial shade. Periwinkle, Portulaca, Spanish Moss and Purslane all take the hot sun and add color.

For flower beds, the amount of light dictates what plants would do well, he said. Bark chips make a decorative ground cover and help retain moisture.

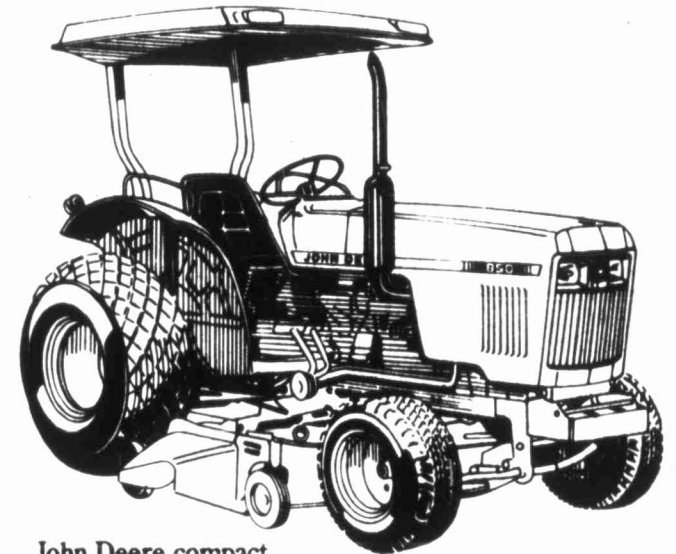
Now that your patio area is built and decorated with colorful plants, show it off by inviting friends over for a barbecue.



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By The Associated Press

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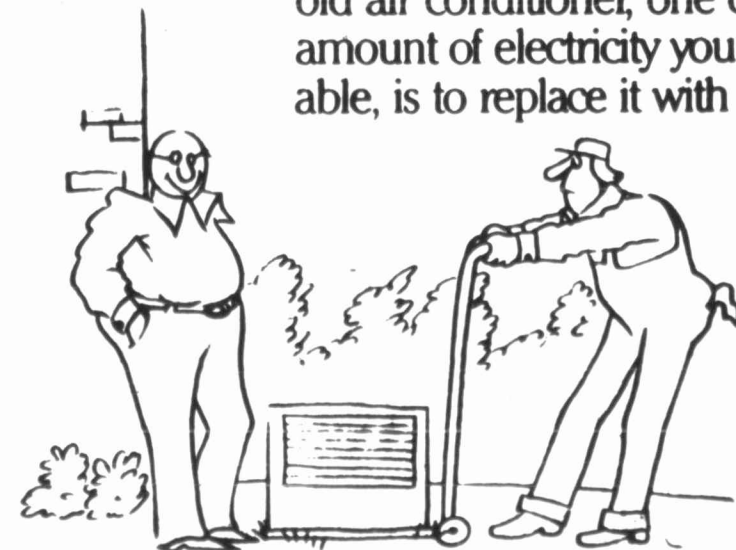
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# Swimming pool is investment in property

By TINA M. STEFFEN  
Staff Writer

A swimming pool is "one of those items that most people have desired to have, and like a dishwasher, once they've had one they can't live without it," says Johnny Rutherford of Dolphin Pools.

"They have an image of what it would be like to have a body of water they can cool off in."

Swimming pools offer recreation, a reason to keep children close to home, and a place to relax and get a tan. Today's consumers purchasing pools are no longer trying to keep up with the Joneses, Rutherford says. They are more rational about what they want in a pool and look for one that is in their income range.

In the past, pool sales were mostly to upper income families. Now many sales are to middle income families. "We do sell some who buy them to use as an aesthetic thing in their yard," Rutherford said. They use the pool as a focal point in their yard and to beef up their landscaping.

Three swimming pools are on the market today: vinyl, gunite (blown concrete), and fiberglass. Pools are no longer rectangular, today they come in all shapes and sizes.

Purchasing an in-ground pool is an investment in the homeowner's property, says Rutherford. Price wise, if a person bought a quality above-ground pool and dressed it up, for another 20 to 30 percent he could have purchased an installed in-ground pool and have an investment in his property. Or if the above-ground pool was big and the in-ground pool was smaller, the price would be comparable. "Big isn't always better when you think of day-to-day costs (of upkeep)," Rutherford said.

In-ground pools have evolved through the years to become more maintenance free, thus making them more advantageous to own, he said. Today's pools have a more non-porous surface than their predecessors. This offers several advantages: it helps prevent leakage totally; algae is unable to cling to it; and chemicals can't be absorbed by it resulting in less pitting.

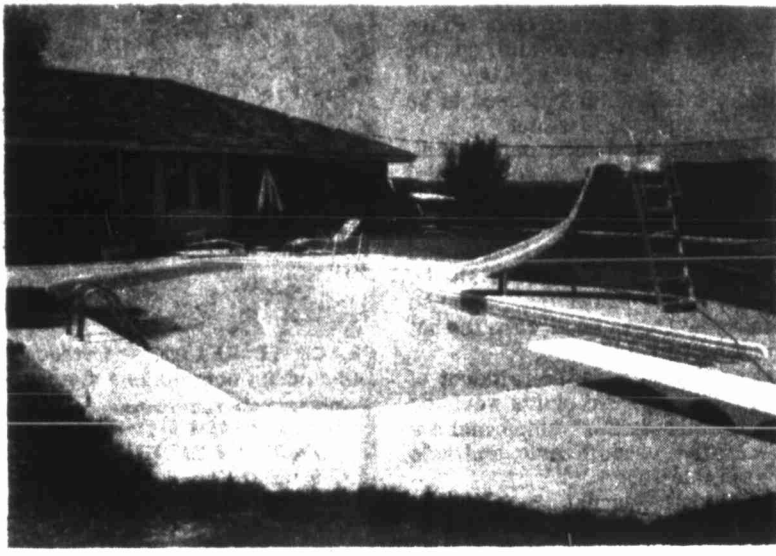
Vinyl has the longest longevity of any water repellent type of material, Rutherford said. Vinyl sheets can be vacuum formed to line any pool surface.

Today's pools range from "inexpensive and cheap to expensive and worth it," he said. Vinyl is the key to stabilizing swimming pool prices as it cut 1/2 off the cost of renovating a pool's interior finish. All pools have to be refurbished on the inside at some point in the future, he said.

Fiberglass (pools) are the same thing people see in spas and boat hulls, he said. It's the reverse process of a boat hull, gel coat on the inside and fiberglass on the outside.

The limitations of a fiberglass pool are the size of the pool, potential blistering and crazing (cracking) of the surface, and fading.

Cracking also is a problem with concrete pools, but not with vinyl pools, he said. Vinyl has a concrete



REFRESHING — A swimming pool not only provides entertainment, it also adds a refreshing focal point to a home's landscape.

bottom, and if it cracks the vinyl just moves to it.

Gone are the days when pools required extensive upkeep. The state-of-the-art pools are virtually maintenance free. They have automatic chlorinators, automatic pool sweeps, proper size pump filtration and circulation systems.

Not all customers get these things, however. When buying a pool, it's important to get the proper size pump filtration circulation system, he said. And in West Texas, it's important to have an operating main drain. It draws the

sand that gets into the pool.

Depending on the time of year and the type of pool, the pool owner will spend 10 to 15 minutes a day if pool maintenance is done on a daily basis or 1 hour if done on a weekly basis. Maintenance involves sweeping trash from the pool, adding chemicals to the water, testing the chemicals, and monitoring the filtration system.

The cost of chemicals and maintenance are two factors to determining the type and size of pool to buy. Vinyl and fiberglass pools will save about 1/2 the cost of

chemicals and maintenance time as a concrete pool.

Today's pools offer many options: inflatable domes, heaters, solar blankets and water slides. Solar blankets are an important energy feature. They capture the sun's heat for use in heating the pool. A pool owner can realize a 10 degree rise over his neighbor's pool if that pool owner is not using a solar blanket on his pool, Rutherford said. It can cut about 60 per-

cent of the energy loss from gas heaters, too, if used as a retention blanket.

Swimming pools can save a home's air conditioning costs, because wet people do not want to walk into a cold home, he said. They will tend to raise the thermometer about eight degrees.

The price of a small in-ground patio pool (play pool) starts around \$7,000 depending on what is

selected amenities wise, Rutherford said. "From \$7,000 to \$15,000 buys a nice pool." The price rises when features are added in and around the pool, such as patios, water displays, cabanas, and landscaping.

Early spring is the best time of the year to have a pool installed, Rutherford says. That way a pool owner has the full season to enjoy his investment.

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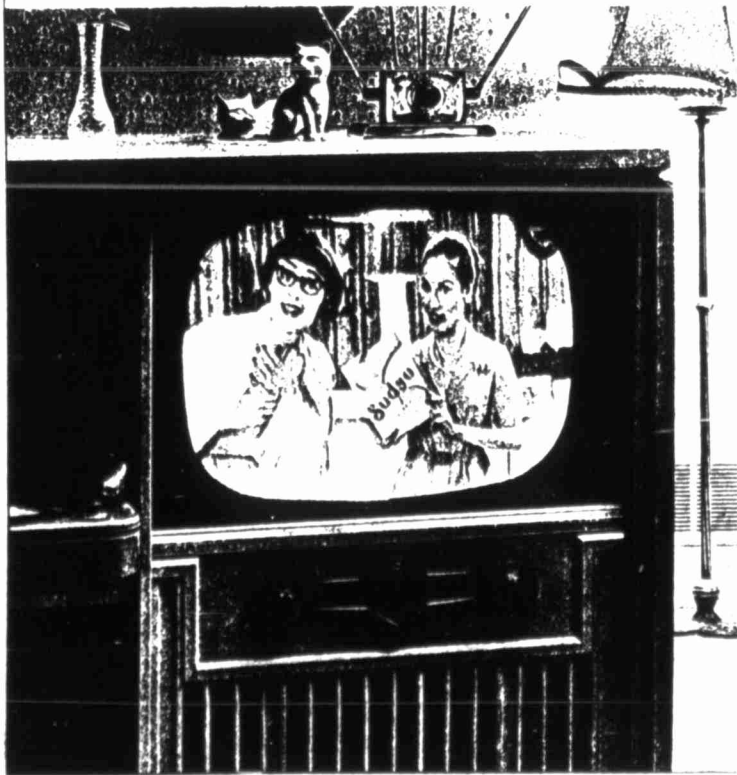
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# Air conditioners need quarterly check

By TINA M. STEFFEN  
Staff Writer

Dirty filters, lack of routine maintenance and an incorrect understanding and operation of the thermostat are problems people have with air conditioning units, says Carol Hollingsworth of Hester and Robertson Mechanical Contractors.

Filters, she said, should be checked at least quarterly. "But in this area where we have so much dust, people should service them more often."

Lack of routine maintenance would include checking filters, Freon, oil, blowers and motors. In regards to the third problem, the thermostat won't last long when people keep changing them constantly. She describes the office situation where people are either cold or hot natured and can't agree on the proper room temperature.

These problems usually can be prevented easily; but if a person is unsure how to remedy air conditioning problems, he should con-

tact a serviceman. Hollingsworth advises getting a qualified service company with servicemen who are trained and kept up-to-date on the latest changes in products to help with problems.

To prepare air conditioners for the hot summer months ahead, make sure the filters are serviced, replaced or cleaned, she said. A clogged filter makes the unit work harder. Also check the Freon to make sure it isn't leaking, and the motors and blower. Oil it if necessary. "Some motors are non-oilable."

Using an air conditioner doesn't mean your summer utility bill has to be sky high if you use it efficiently, she said. Operate the unit only at times when the family is at home. Hollingsworth advises setting the thermostat a few degrees higher than you normally would, such as at 76 or 78 degrees if you usually set it at 72.

Two inexpensive ways to control temperature are the time clock set-up and a night set-back thermostat.

These can be installed to automatically control the times the air conditioner unit turns on and off. It can be set to come on at 4 p.m., and the house will be cool when the family arrives at 5 p.m. It also can affect the temperature at night while the family is sleeping.

If you have an old worn out unit, Hollingsworth suggests replacing it with a high efficiency unit, one with a high SEER (Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating). High efficiency units use electricity more efficiently, she said.

"Texas Electric has really expanded their rebate program for high-efficiency air conditioner installations," she said. Residential rebates can be obtained when the installation meets Texas Electric requirements.

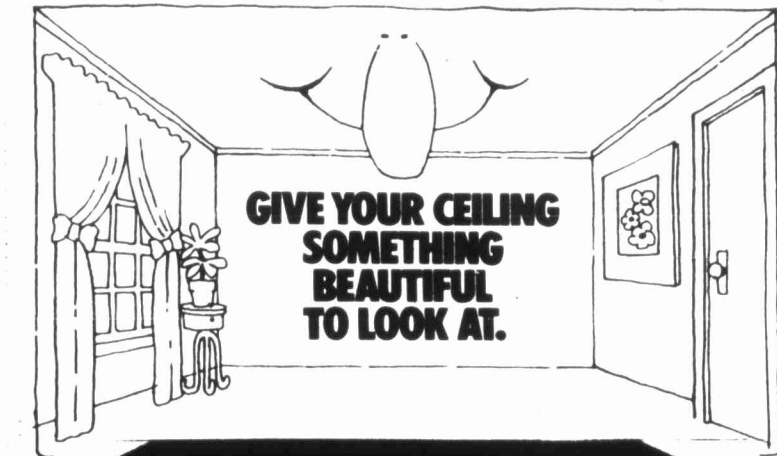
In choosing a new air conditioner, refrigerated air is best for a dry climate, she said. "It's more

comfortable." When it gets to 90 to 100 degrees, evaporative coolers don't cool quite as well, she said. On the other hand, evaporative coolers are less expensive in their initial cost and to operate.

When shopping for an air conditioner, look for the SEER rating. Price also is important in the selection, as well as available financing from the company, a reputable name brand, dealer and manufacturer warranties on parts and labor, and qualified installing contractors.



SERVICING — Carol Cone services a refrigerated air conditioning unit for a customer. Herald photo by Tina Steffen



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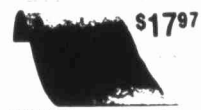
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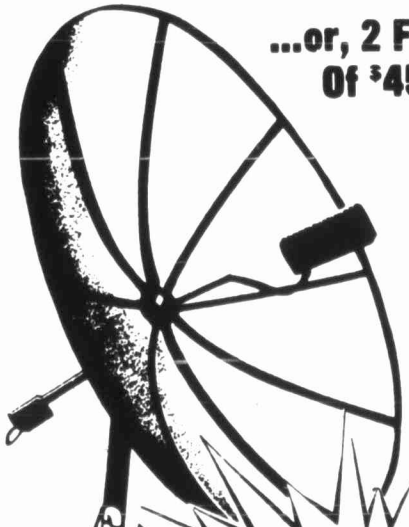


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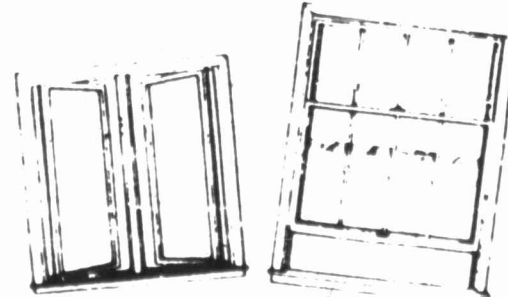
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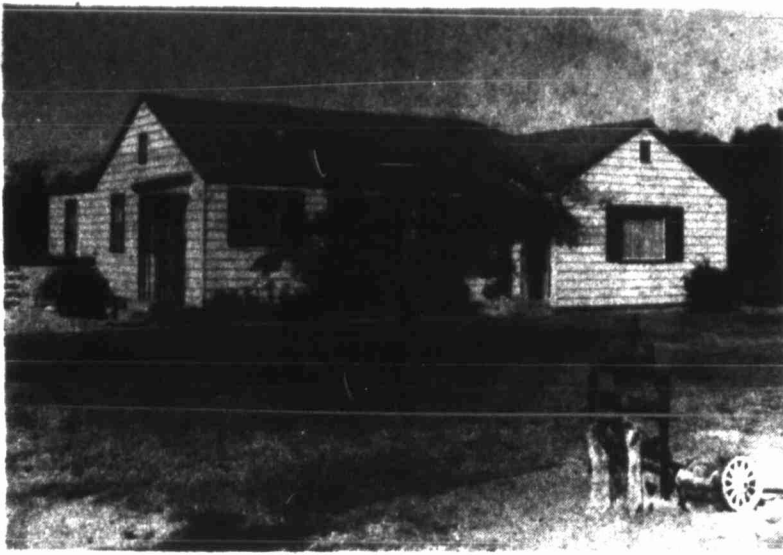
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**RENOVATION** — Steel siding is often used as an attractive exterior for homes being renovated. This is the home of the W. Jones family.

## Steel siding is good alternative for home's exterior

By **TINA M. STEFFEN**  
Staff Writer

If you're tired of painting your home's exterior or are renovating an older home, steel siding is a good alternative.

Steel siding is almost maintenance free and guaranteed not to fade, crack, peel, discolor or rust, says Mike Arnett of Golden Gate Home Improvement. It's purpose is to be installed onto a home's exterior to insulate and beautify the home, as well as eliminate painting and look new. The only maintenance it requires is an occasional washing with a water hose.

Similar types of siding include vinyl or aluminum; however, Arnett doesn't recommend either type for this area because of the extreme heat and cold, hail, dryness and wind.

For most siding installation jobs, a professional contractor must do the work. Most do-it-yourselfers are not knowledgeable enough to handle the task when it comes to problems, Arnett says. The settling of a home, for example, affects the way siding is placed on the home. Also, a metal brake is used to tailor the siding to the home's features.

If a true professional installs the siding, Arnett says, he can make the home look more attractive and make the siding have a tighter fit for less air filtration.

"Siding has had a bad name from bad installers," Arnett says. "The important thing is whatever kind it is, it should be installed properly."

There are no disadvantages to having steel siding in this area, unless it would be not getting it properly installed, he says. The advantages include: only home exterior product that carries a warranty; no painting; insulation; easy to clean; and hail resistant. If siding does experience hail damage, it will be replaced by the manufacturer.

Warranties, references, the company and its location are things to consider when making a siding choice. In a recent survey, Arnett said, 15 percent of siding customers bought their siding because of what it was made of. Another 15 percent bought based on the financing available. However, 59 percent made their purchase based on the installing company's past history.

Many siding brands are on the market with prorated warranties. Should something go wrong after four or five years, the homeowner must pay most of the replacement costs. Arnett suggests shopping for a siding that carries a non-prorated lifetime warranty that is transferable and a 50 year non-prorated hail warranty.

When shopping for a siding company and contractor, look for someone who's business is within at least a 100-mile radius of your hometown, Arnett says. Should problems occur, many companies based further than 100 miles cannot feasibly return to repair a strip of siding after the job is completed. A local contractor can return to handle repairs. It also keeps the money at home, Arnett says.

Arnett also recommends asking the contractor for references before making a selection. "This is the main thing to ask for and check," he said. Also look at how long the company has been in business.

The homeowner also should find out whether the contractor wants cash or is willing to finance. If cash, Arnett says, the homeowner should pay at the most \$300 to \$300 down and no more until the job is completed and he is satisfied with it.

"Don't let the contractor talk you into paying \$4,000 to \$5,000 down so he can buy his materials," Arnett said. "If he doesn't have the money for his materials, what type of business is he in?"

If the contractor agrees to financing, he doesn't get paid for the siding job until it's completed,

# Carpet covers the fifth 'wall'

By The Associated Press  
Some interior decorators think of each room in a house as having five walls — with the fifth "wall" being the floor.

For many homeowners, the floor acts as a background for a room's textures, colors and furnishings.

Carpeting is one of the most versatile and dramatic ways to cover a floor, according to the Du Pont "Antron" Home Decorating Guide, which says carpets can pull together and unify all of a room's decorating components.

A major household investment, carpeting requires care in matching its selection to each room's function with the carpet's fiber, performance features, texture and color.

Once the fiber has been determined, the next step is to select the carpet texture. Varying textures and patterns adds spice to a room and can help to define its style, the guide says.

Textures can be rough to the touch, as in tweed, Berber or level-loop, or it can be smooth, (like plush velvet or Saxony). Patterns can range from a tiny pin-dot print to a bold, abstract geometric.

Mixing a rough Berber carpet with soft suede furniture and the polished look of glass results in a sophisticated, contemporary look. Another option is blending a patterned carpet with another pattern used in the drapes or upholstery. Patterns blend together well when

they are color and design related. An elegant velvet plush or Saxony carpet with a cut-pile pattern helps give a formal dining room or living room a rich, luxurious look.

A family room, children's bedroom or multipurpose room that takes a lot of wear-and-tear should be carpeted with a densely constructed carpet like a loop-pile or low cut-pile.

Choosing a color scheme includes decisions on color groups — warm colors, such as reds, yellow,

browns and oranges, or cool colors like blues, greens or grays — and on color intensities.

Furniture should be selected with room size and function in mind. Whether it's early American, post-modern or traditional, the proportions of the furnishings should be compatible with

the room size. In decorating a living room, choose comfortable furnishings and arrange them in groups that encourage conversation. If it's a bedroom, consider creating an office in a corner or an entertainment center along a wall to extend the room's livability.

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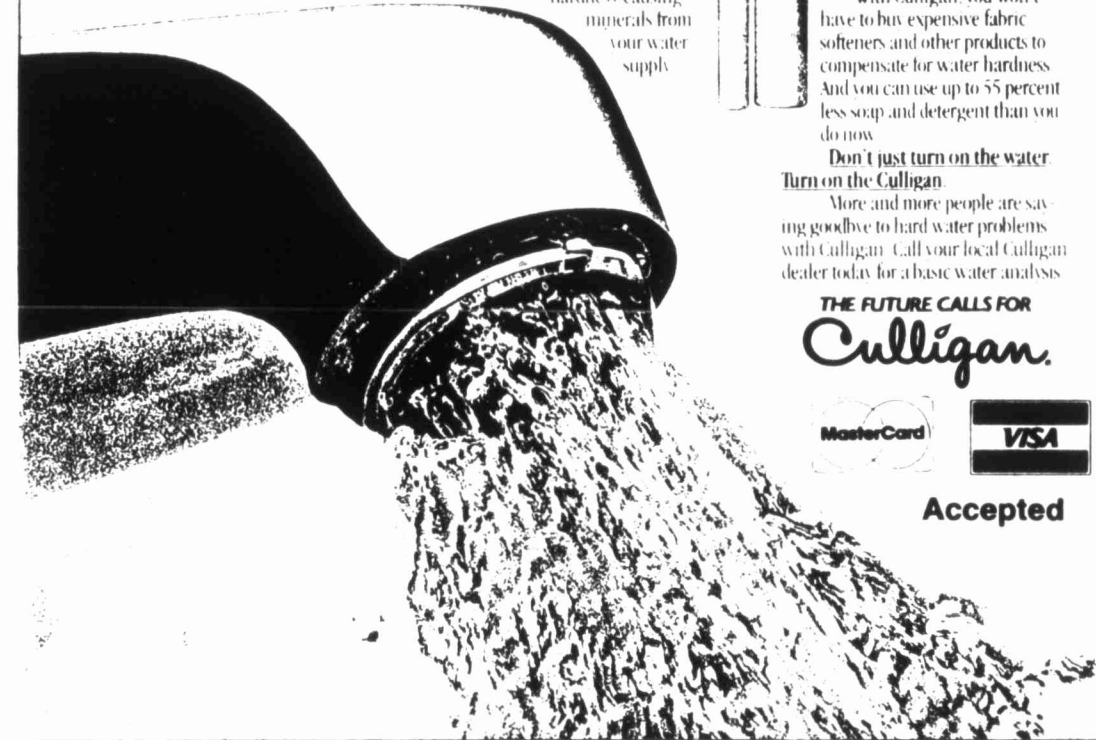
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