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**Larry Don Shaw comments** on Clements statements concerning the SSC proposal. See page 2A.

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# **Spring** board

# How's that? Calendar

Q. How can a I have a notice for my organization's non-charitable dance put in the

A. Though dance notices were previously in the Calendar, they will now be on the Entertainment page, published Saturdays. To have your notice in the Entertainment page, contact Scott Fitzgerald, entertainment editor, by calling 263-7331.

# Calendar Health check

TODAY

• The CANtRead board will meet at the Howard County Library at 6 p.m. The council will meet at 7:30 p.m. The film "What If You Couldn't Read" will be shown.

 A tax seminar designed specifically for the agriculture producer will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce conference room. WEDNESDAY

• The Wall Committee, working on a project to bring a Vietnam memorial wall to Big Spring, will meet at 8 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce conference room, 215 W. Third St. Everyone is invited.

• The local chapter of the American Red Cross will meet at 7 p.m. at the St. Mary's Episcopal Church parish hall. All volunteers are urged to attend.

THURSDAY

 The Salvation Army will be giving away bread from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 308 Alford St.

# City to pick dam proposal

City officials plan to review engineering proposals for the repair of Comanche Lake Dam and present a recommendation to City Council at its next meeting, according to City Manager Mack Wofford.

Wofford said the city received engineering proposals from three firms: Vansickle, Mickelson & Klein Inc. of Austin; Freese & Nichols Inc. of Fort Worth; and Parkhill, Smith & Cooper of Lubbock.

Public Works Director Tom Decell, City Councilmen Harold Hall and Russ McEwen and Wofford will review the proposals, which are "resumes" of the engineering firms, Wofford said.

The proposals detail the firms' experience, key personnel who would be involved in the dam project and how they propose to do the work, he said. They do not include the cost of the work, which is unknown, he

The city anticipates a \$650,000 grant from the Texas Department of Community Development emergency fund to go

toward repair of the dam. Although the city hasn't yet received the money, "no news is good news," Wofford said.

To facilitate obtaining the promised funds, the city has designated \$112,642 of its own money toward repairs. The funds had been budgeted for the

softball park. In order for the city to receive the state grant, it must show it's willing to spend some of its own money for the project, Wofford has said.

If the project can be accomplished with the grant, the TDCA will not require city money to be spent, he said. Although no exact figures are available on the project, he expects the cost to exceed the \$650,000 and he believes the city

money will be necessary. Heavy rains in late August contributed to a breach in the dam, causing the release of approximately two-thirds of the lake's water and flooding of nearby low lying areas.

# Super Collider

# Clements rules out West Texas for project

Austin Bureau

AUSTIN-Gov. Bill Clements today ruled out the Big Spring area as a possible site for the Superconducting Super Collider (SSC) project because it isn't near a metropolitan

'In the judgment of everybody concerned that we've talked to, (it) has to do with the fact that it looks like the Dallas-Fort Worth area or the Houston metropolitan area are the only two areas that really qualify under the criteria already published," Clements said at his weekly news conference.

Asked if he was saying that this ruled out the Big Spring area, Clements added: "I am. I am saying that (being away from a

metropolitan center) would be a very strong negative so far as Big Spring is concerned or so far as the area around Hereford is concerned, and the Panhandle and so forth."

The governor said that criterion is important because the super atom smasher needs to be located near top-notch educational

With that in mind, he said, if located in Texas, the project "probably will be located somewhere in that general triangle area between Austin, Bryan and Houston." Dallas-Fort Worth is another option, he said.

Before Clements' remarks, the nine potential Texas sites included one between Bryan-College Station and Houston, another north of the Dallas-Fort Worth area and several in and \$10 billion into the Texas economy over a

West Texas, including Garden City, Pecos 10-year period, he said. It also could provide and Amarillo.

Scientists at the Texas Accelerator Center near Houston have received \$10.2 million in Energy Department funding to study aspects of the super collider. The center is part of a collaborative effort among Texas A&M University, Rice University, the

University of Texas at Austin and the University of Houston. Clements said the atom smasher will be his No. 1 priority when he visits with federal officials next week in Washington, D.C., where he will be attending a governors'

conference. The project could inject between \$6 billion

3,000 to 4,000 jobs for Texans in addition to bringing scientists to the state from throughout the world, Clements added.

'This will be a tremendous asset to this state," he said.

The governor said the chief competitors for the project are Illinois and California. But he said he will argue in Washington that Texas is the only state without a federal research center and therefore should get this

one. "We are entitled to one," he added. More than 24 states are actively competing for the \$6 billion project. Even Canada has expressed an interest in being involved in the federal project if it is placed near the U.S.-Canadian border.

**Eve-to-eye** 

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Lawrence Hawkins, a freshman at Howard College, closely ex- display at the Howard College Library. The displays are

# City given \$1 million for airport

A grant of more than \$1 million has been awarded the city of Big Spring for airport improvements, a spokesman for Senator Phil Gramm said this morning.

The grant is to be used for the building and marking of a runway and taxiway, and for installing runway lights and guidance signs, Larry Neal said this morning. He is press secretary at Gramm's Washington D.C. office.

City Manager Mack Wofford confirmed that he received a letter this morning from the Federal Aviation Administration informing him the \$1,001,516 grant

Wofford said the project at the McMahon-Wrinkle Airport is a major expansion and construction is expected to take six months. A crosswind runway is planned.

Conventional runways are built to accommodate prevailing winds, he said, but a crosswind runway will allow safer aircraft landings when the wind blows from a different direction. A taxiway is currently being used as a crosswind run-

way, he said. In addition to the \$1 million grant,

\$111,280 of airport-generated city money may be used for the project, he said. City Council approved the funding when application was made for the grant, he said.

A tentative schedule would include advertising for bids for construction Feb. 27, awarding bids March 24, and issuing notice to proceed with construction May 1, Wofford said. The construction contractor would have 10 days after May 1 to begin the project, he said.

The project should be complete near the first of November, he said.

# West Texans not quitting on SSC bid

By SCOTT FITZGERALD Staff Writer

It was more than seven hours of highways that separated Ralph McLaughlin'in Midland and Bill Clements in Austin this morning when they addressed the media on area prospects for the superconducting, super collider atom smasher.

West Texas Chamber of Commerce SSC steering committee Chairman Ralph McLaughlin planned to update planning and scheduling for the proposed Garden City site. Instead, he was faced with the need to respond to Clements' announcement that the governor was ruling out West Texas as a viable SSC

Although committee members were disappointed upon hearing Clements' announcement, McLaughlin said that his group's efforts will continue to attempt to lure the multi-billion dollar project to

'We're disappointed but it's not that definite," McLaughlin said concerning Clements' remarks.

He said the steering committee will continue with its request for proposal efforts to locate the project

at the Garden City site until April 1. That is the date the Department of Energy has announced that invitations for site proposals will be

sought from the governors of each state. Although Clements' comments about ruling out West Texas as a possible site were not a formal announcement or statement, Deputy Press Secretary Jay Rosser this morning said they do represent the governor's interpretation of established federal

The federal criteria requires the SSC site be located in proximity to a major urban area and be accessible to major research facilities, Rosser said. Clements has not yet appointed members to a

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# District 3 councilman announces candidacy

By SPENCER SANDOW Staff Writer

Big Spring City Councilman Harold Hall announced this morning that he will seek another term in the election April 4. Hall represents district 3.

Two candidates in Coahoma and one on the Big Spring school board also have filed for re-election.

Hall was elected to the Council in April 1984 for a three-year term, and also served from 1972-78.

During his first two terms in office, he was instrumental in the transformation of the former Webb Air Force Base to the present industrial park, he said.

For the past two years, he has been Mayor Pro-Tem. He represents Big Spring

side of town.

HAROLD HALL on the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, through which attempts are made to secure federal and state funds to assist the community. Hall said he has sought to ensure that tax

funds were used "as constructively and ef-

ficiently as possible" to avoid the need to increase taxes. He has been active in upgrading the community's water and sewer systems and in improvements to the city park, he said, and he worked to obtain state funds for improvements to Comanche Lake Dam and to improve roads and utilities on the north

He said he currently is active in the effort to bring the superconductng super collider to West Texas.

Hall is a native of Big Spring and has been married for 45 years to the former Dorothy Hayward. They have three grown sons and six grandchildren.

Local contractor D.D. Johnston also has filed for the district 3 Council position. District 1 Councilman Henry Sanchez has not announced whether he will seek re-

The deadline to file as candidate for the April 4 election is 5 p.m. Wednesday for both Big Spring and Coahoma.

Coahoma Councilman Billy Sullivan and Mayor Eleanor Garrett have filed for reelection, Coahoma City Clerk Karen Bell said this morning. In addition to the two positions, the Coun-

cil seat filled by Barbara Robertson will be voted on, Bell said. Both Council positions The city code is unclear as to the pro-

ceedure if no candidate files for a position, she said. But she doesn't expect the situa-The candidates usually "come in at the last minute," she said. "They want to see who else will sign up" before committing

themselves. Incumbent Billy Pineda has filed for reelection as district 1 representative of the Big Spring Independent School District board of trustees. Dewayne Fraser, incumbent for district 3, has not announced whether he will seek re-election.

The deadline to file as school beard candidate is March 4.



**Jubilation** 

It was celebration time for the Howard College Hawks after they edged the Midland College Chaparrals 78-75 Monday night in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Bruce Mitchell (34) hugs Matt Brown, who prepares to give a double high five to teammates Rod Martin (left) and Robert Baglay (right) Midland came into the coliseum as the sixth ranked feart in the country. See story and picture in Sports, page 1B.

# Annual county spelling bee March 10

The annual Howard County Spelling Bee will be Tuesday, March 10, again under the sponsorship of the Big Spring Herald.

The bee will begin at 4 p.m. in the Howard

Junior College auditorium.

Students of elementary, middle and junior high schools through the eighth grade are eligible to participate. Contestants from 12 or 13 county schools are expected to compete, as they have during the past several years.

Each of the local schools are expected to conduct their bees by Tuesday, March 3, so infor-

Fire closes TU

DALLAS (AP) — Texas Utilities

Electric Co. officials do not expect service to be disrupted for repairs

after a Monday night explosion and

fire at a generating unit at a Lake

There were no injuries in the fire,

sparked by an explosion in a

natural gas-powered electric

generator. It occurred shortly

before 6 p.m. at Unit One of the

two-unit electric generating plant

about 17 miles east of downtown,

utility spokesman Dick Ramsey

The power plant's generators

had a capacity of about 990,000

kilowatts, less than 5 percent of TU

Operation of the two generators

was halted all night and they were

expected to remain closed for an

undetermined amount of time,

"The load isn't particulary heavy. I know that. They've been

able to route around it," said Paul

Freeman, a spokesman for the

The four-alarm fire was ex-

The control room was evacuated

and the other unit at the plant was

tinguished by Dallas firefighters

about three hours later, he said.

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Herald by Wednesday, March 4.

The county bee winner will qualify to compete at the regional event, scheduled Saturday, March 28, at Monterey High School in Lubbock.

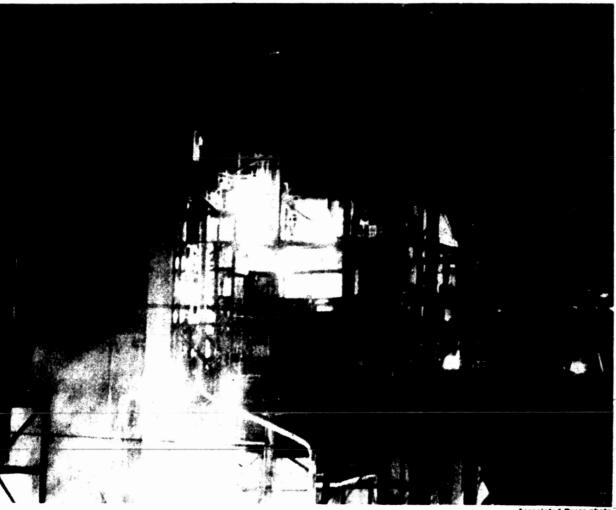
Copies of the book, "Words of the Cham-pions," are being sold by the Big Spring Independent School District administration office and the Herald. The price is 53 cents, including

The Herald will again pay expenses for the winner and the winner's parents to attend the

mation on their winners can be reported to the Lubbock competition, according to Publisher Tom Watson.

> The winner of last year's county bee was Carvel Nguyen, then a 10-year-old student at Bauer Magnet School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tra Nguyen. The runner-up was Brandy Taylor of Coahoma Junior High School.

In 1985, the winner was Marilyn Corvin, then a 13-year-old student at Goliad Middle School. Sherrill West, then a 13-year-old at Coahoma Junior High, was runner-up.



Smoke can be seen at the base of a Texas Utilities Electric Co. natural gas-operated plant at Lake Ray Hubbard east of Dallas Monday night. The fire in a 375-megawatt generator was extinguished by Dallas firefighters in about three hours.

# Sheriff's log

shut down, Ramsey said.

# Retaliation arrest made

retaliation and carrying an illegal weapon.

He was released on bonds totalling \$11,000.

• Deputies arrested Martin S. Puga, 22, 1502 W. Second St.; Monday noon on a hindering a secured creditor revocation of probation warrant. He was released on \$1,000

tion of probation warrant. He was He was released on \$10,000 bond.

Deputies released Malaquias on probation for forgery and driv-Vierra, 42, 411 N.W. 10th St., Moning while intoxicated. He was day morning from county jail after denied bond on the forgery charge his arrest Saturday night on and remained in county jail this

> Police transferred Lonnie Dale Rawls, 19, 508 Benton St., to county jail Monday morning after he was arrested on suspicion of criminal trespass. He was released

 Police transferred Jimmy Weldon Lunsford, 30, 2206 S. Mon-• Deputies arrested Lionicio ticello, to county jail Monday after-Rodriquez Jr., 31, 828 W. Seventh noon after he was arrested on St., Monday afternoon on a revoca- delivery of a controlled substance.

# Police beat

# \$400 air conditioner stolen

A \$400 air conditioner was taken from the south window at 407 W. Dovle Rice told police.

• A 25-caliber, blue steel pistol was stolen from a vehicle owned by-Third St. between 12 p.m. Saturday Victor Wrve, 632 Caylor St. The gun and 10 a.m. Monday, occupant was taken before 6 p.m. Monday.

# **Howard College to provide** financial aid information

Howard College's Financial Aid cial Aid Awareness Week. Office will have an information table at the Big Spring Mall on Thursday and Friday, February 19-20, 1987 from 3-8 p.m. and on Saturday February 21, 1987 from 10

a.m.-6 p.m. Money is available for anyone interested in attending college, according to the Texas Association of Student Financial Aid. The group announced that this week is Finan-

However, early application is a key item in securing funds, since some funds are limited. Applications for financial aid will

be available at the table as well as general information about types of financial assistance available.

Contact Financial Aid Office at Howard College for applications and more information at 1001 Birdwell Lane or 267-6311 extension 345.

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# SSC reaction

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nine-person research committee, Rosser said.

The committee is to prepare and research information for a presentation to federal officials for their consideration of Texas for the SSC site, Rosser said.

"The committee is obviously a top priority with the governor, but people don't seem to understand that reviewing candidates is not an overnight process," Rosser said.

McLaughlin, who commented this morning from Midland during news conference at the City site offers a strong advantage

with its cost projection. "We haven't given up. If cost is a

factor — we have to be considered," McLaughlin said. He said the Garden City site would save taxpayers "billions of

dollars," compared to other sites.

McLaughlin said he was upset

the project had not taken construction costs into consideration. "If cost is no problem, then why

that preliminary talk of locating

don't we just put it (SSC) on the floor of ocean?" he added. The steering committee would be discussing the possibility of hiring

a lobbyist to promote further West Texas efforts to locate the SSC here, McLaughlin said. **Executive Vice-President LeRoy** Tillery of the Big Spring Area

Chamber of Commerce said the first priority of a lobbyist would be to ensure that the Garden City site Petroleum Club, said the Garden be selected for the state's proposal to the federal government.

Nine other areas throughout the state have expressed interest in being selected as the site for the project, Tillery said.

Members from 15 media groups throughout West Texas were present for this morning's press conference, Tillery reported.

# **Shaw: White critics** 'must be surprised'

he said.

**Austin Bureau** AUSTIN - State Rep. Larry Don Shaw said Tuesday those in his area who criticized former Gov.

Mark White for inaction on the atom smasher project "must be surprised now. "They thought it would all hap-

pen if they got White out of office," Shaw, D-Big Spring, said. "Some of those who bad-mouthed White must be surprised now," he said.

White's successor, Gov. Bill Clements, announced Tuesday that West Texas sites would be out of the running in Texas' bid for the **Superconducting Super Collider.** 

Shaw said he would talk with Clements' staff to find out why Glasscock County and also a Trans-Pecos area were excluded returned to office. from potential sites.

Texas is among many states vying for the \$6 billion particle accelerator recommended for construction by the Department of Energy

Shaw said he would back

Shaw said bickering among those in West Texas on the progress of

putting together a bid may have influenced Clements' decision. During the 1984 election, Shaw said the West Texas Chamber of

Commerce criticized White for not appointing a panel to compose a state bid proposal. But Shaw said White delayed ap-

pointing the panel because at that time the federal government had not decided on whether to pursue the project.

Although White eventually appointed the panel several of the committee members complained that the state was not preparing its bid soon enough after Clements

Shaw said that criticism may have reached Clements. "I'm not saying that that kind of thing clouds the decision of a politician, but it doesn't help," Shaw said.

Shaw said if Texas hopes to attract the scientific facility it must Clements 100 percent to get the pro- commit more funds to higher ject to Texas. "No matter where it education.





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SAT & SUN. 2:00 MATINEES - MON. & TUES. \$2.50 MOVIE HOTLINE

# Weather

WEST TEXAS: Cloudy with no major temperature changes through Wednesday. Scattered showers east of the mountains with rain mixed with snow north this morning. Highs 30s Panhandle to mid 50s southwest. Lows tonight mid 30s plateaus of southwest to low 20s Panhandle.

# Area briefs

# **C-City Dancers host senior dance**

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City Dancers will host a senior citizens' dance tonight, from 7-10 p.m. at the Civic Center. The Pork Proctor Band will provide the music. A covered dish supper will be served

# Tax appraisal audit to be presented

Glen Fillingim of Fillingim & Green will address members of the Howard County Consolidated Tax Appraisal District on his audit of the

The district meets at 1 p.m. Wednesday in the county courtroom. District members will take action on approving his report and audit

District members will also ammend the 1987 budget and take action on purchasing office furniture.

# Medical scholarship fund organized

SNYDER - Area scholars interested in the field of medicine will benefit from a scholarship fund established in the memory of Dorothy Teague, according to Madilyn Pettit, Snyder.

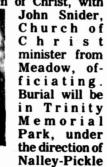
The nursing scholarship fund has been established at West Texas State Bank in Snyder, Pettit said, in honor of Mrs. Teague, who died Saturday. An LVN, Mrs. Teague received her title at the Medical Arts Hospital in August 1965. She was employed at the Cogdill General Hospital in Snyder at the time of her death.

# Deaths

## **Lulu Adams**

Mrs. Fred (Lulu) Adams, 81, Austin, formerly of Coahoma, died Monday, Feb. 16, 1987, in Austin, after an illness

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at the Coahoma Church of Christ, with



**LULU ADAMS** 

& Welch Funeral Home. She was born Oct. 23, 1905, in Vernon. She married Fred H. Adams Dec. 5, 1923, in Fort Worth.

He died on Sept. 23, 1985. She came to Coahoma in 1923 to farm with her husband and later owned and operated Coahoma Hardware and Grocery

She had served as Justice of the Peace for Howard County for 20 years, before retiring.

She was a member of the Coahoma Church of Christ and a member and past matron of Coahoma Chapter No. 499, Order of the Eastern Star. She was also a member of the Coahoma Past Matron's Club.

She is survived by one daughter, June Sampson of Austin; one son, Jerry Adams of Amarillo; one sister, Mrs. Aulden (Lucille) Thomas of Big Spring; six grandchildren; nine greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Grady Tindol, Phil Winn, Jack Buchanan, Rickey Phinney, Romey Mays and Weldon Weaver.

goes in the state, I fully support it," The family suggests memorials to the Lubbock Children's Home,

Tipton's Children's Home, in Tipton, Okla., or the Shriner's Crippled Children's Hospital, 610 Texas Ave., Galveston, Texas 77550.

# Margaret Beechly

Mrs. U.S. (Margaret) Beechly, Big Spring, died Monday, Feb. 16, 1987, at her home, after a lengthy

Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel, with Royce



in Trinity Memorial Park. She came to Big Spring in 1959 from Abilene.

She was born Feb. 26, 1917, in Jones County. She married U.S. Beechly March 11, 1955, in Abilene. She had worked as a secretary at Kimble Feed Co. and D & W Furniture. She had also worked as deputy clerk for Howard County Clerk's Office, retiring after 7 years in 1980.

She was a member of 14th and Main Church of Christ, the



301 E. 24th St., Big Spring

Rebekah Lodge, and member of the VFW Auxillary.

She is survived by her husband, U.S. Beechly of the home; one daughter, Barbara Ann Lacy of Dallas; one grandson; four greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Harold Gilmore, George Weeks, Morris Molpus, M.A. Dunagan, D.W. Pierce, Bill McMahon, Delbert Harland.

# **Bernie Scudday**

Bernie John Scudday, 42, Dallas, formerly of Forsan, died Monday evening, Feb. 16, 1987, at Scenie Mountain Medical Center after a lengthy illness:

Services will be at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel, with Rev. Jack Clinkscales, pastor of Forsan Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born June 14, 1944, in Big Spring. He grew up in Forsan and attended and graduated from Forsan schools.

He had attended West Texas State University in Canyon.

He had lived in Dallas for a number of years and had worked as a computer operator. He was a member of Forsan Bap-

tist Church. He is survived by his parents, O.W. and Nova Scudday of Forsan; one sister, Mrs. Jerry (Ginny) Matthews of Eastland.

# Laycee Donn **Butler**

Laycee Donn Butler, 5-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry W. Butler, Stanton, died Monday, Feb.

16, 1987, at her residence. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at Belvue Church of Christ in Stanton, with Rick Laing, minister, officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery, under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

She was born Aug. 22, 1986, in Midland.

She is survived by three sisters, Leslie Shey Boswell, Brandie Denise Boswell and Sheila Lane Butler all of the home; one brother, David Wayne Butler of the home; maternal grandparents, C. Randle and Marilyn Pilkinton of Slaton; paternal grandparents, C.E. and Betty Butler of Stanton; paternal great-grandparents, A.R. and **Bessie Butler of Gordon.** 

# Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

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# Nation

By Associated Press

# Shamir to explain role

WASHINGTON - Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir intends to try to make two points clear during his visit here: Arming Iran was a U.S. idea, and Israel had nothing to do with the secret fund for Nicaraguan rebels.

Shamir, according to Israeli officials, will stress his nation's close ties with the United States and a willingness to explore peace prospects with its Arab neighbors during a threeday visit beginning today.

He is expecting a warm reception from President Reagan and senior adminsitration officials, with only a new U.S. arms plan for Jordan and Saudi Arabia a potential source of

But the visit is still likely to be marked by controversy as Shamir faces members of Congress and an American press eager to get at the origins of the Iran-Contra scandal.

Also, the prime minister is bound to be quizzed about persistent rumors that Israel is negotiating a deal to free a captured Israeli pilot and some of the American and other foreign hostages in Lebanon in exchange for 400 Arab prisoners.

# Gates makes promise

WASHINGTON - Robert M. Gates, President Reagan's nominee to succeed William J. Casey as director of the CIA, promised today to avoid "valleys of mistrust" with Congress, such as the situation that led to the Iran-

'We must insure that no covert action is undertaken without proper coordination and proper written authorization, and also that they are conducted in full accordance with the law and our own regulations," Gates said in a statement at the outset of his confirmation hearing for the post.

'We must find a way to avoid valleys of mistrust in this relationship." Gates said. "I consider it one of my highest priorities to help reestablish mutual trust and confidence."

The Senate Intelligence Committee chairman, Sen. David Boren, D-Okla., promised a careful examination both of Gates' qualifications and of his involvement in the Iran-Contra matter.

# Women claim children

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Five women who claim to be the mothers of six young children found hungry and insect-bitten in a park have met with authorities in an attempt to regain custody of the youngsters, the women's at-

'What they're trying to do is be straightforward and as non-adversarial as they can possibly can, "said attorney Paula Walborsky of her clients, members of a Washington, D.C.-area communal group known as the Finders. "They believe it can be best handled in a straightforward, cooperative manner."

The women planned to judge settles custody of the children. The 2- to 7-year-old children, dressed in tattered clothes, were discovered Feb. 4 in a Tallahassee park with two well-dressed men, who have pleaded innocent to misdemeanor child abuse charges.

Ms. Walborsky said the women, who arrived here Friday, answered questions Monday from officials of the state Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services.

They have nothing to hide. Cooperation would be the fastest way to get what they want the kids released and the men in jail released," Ms. Walborsky said.



Two children express grief over the collapse of 26-year-old Johnnetta Hodges, on sidewalk at right, who rescued family members Sunday from a burning apartment on Chicago's South Side. Hodges, who was five months pregnant, died later at a Chicago hospital.

# **Fatal fires**

# Pregnant woman saves family, dies

 $(\mathbf{AP})-\mathbf{A}$  pregnant woman collapsed and died after leading two children from a burning Chicago apartment, while weekend fires in five other states killed 17 other people, most of them children, authorities said. "She was standing and just collapsed," said Fire

Department spokesman Jerry Lawrence. "I'm told she had a history of heart problems.' Paramedics tried to revive Johnnetta Hodges at the scene. She was taken to the University of Chicago's

Billings Hospital and pronounced dead at about 11 a.m. Sunday, said Sandy Clark, a hospital administrator. No attempt was made to deliver the fetus, which was at least 5 months old, Ms. Clark said.

The fire started when Ms. Hodges' 5-year-old son, Tecata, ignited some bedding while playing with a lighter in the bedroom of a second-floor apartment, Lawrence said. The blaze was quickly extinguished by firefighters and caused minor damage to the

The other child was Kewannee Hodges, 14, a nephew of the victim, according to Jacob Cook, a spokesman for city's Department of Human Services. The victim's mother, Mary Hodges, accompanied

her daughter to the hospital, but was not injured in the fire, Ms. Clark said. Other residents of the three-story brick apartment building on the South Side had been evacuated when the woman led the children out, Lawrence said. He said he did not know how many people lived in the

Others killed in fires included a little boy and three young sisters who died in their home in Pennsylvania. and three children killed in Providence, R.I., in that >

city's deadliest fire in almost a decade. A 1-year-old boy died in his crib in New York City, a man and his 18-year-old son were killed in Tennesee and two children died in Seattle. An elderly couple died in New York City and two people died in separate fires

in New England.

A firefighter was killed Monday at Everett, Wash., in a fire that destroyed the library and cafeteria at **Everett Community College. Battalion Chief Larry** Dressel said the cause of the fire was not known.

In Chicago, Johnnetta Hodges's 5-year-old son, Tecata, ignited bedding while playing with a lighter in their apartment, said Fire Department spokesman Jerry Lawrence.

Fire broke out Sunday in a Cochranton, Pa., home, killing a 4-year-old Amish boy and his three sisters, aged 3 years, 2 years and 1 month, officials said.

Authorities said the fire started on the first floor, apparently from an overheated chimney on a woodburning stove, said Venango County Coroner Jonathan

In Providence, officials speculated that an electric heater placed too close to a bed might have caused a tenement fire Saturday that killed three children. Four children and an 83-year-old baby sitter were injured.

Moise said the fire was the worst in terms of deaths and injuries since a 1977 dormitory fire that killed 10 Providence College students

In Seattle, a fire that apparently began in a bathroom swept through a nearby children's bedroom Saturday morning, killing Evangel Vau Savini. 10. Her 7-year-old brother, Fili Vau Savini Jr., died early Sunday from burns covering 70 percent of his body, said Harborview Medical Center operator Helga Duckart. New York City firefighters rescued two men from a

ninth-floor apartment fire thought to have started in the room of 13-month-old Seron Eason at about 3 a.m. Sunday. The men sustained minor injuries.

The baby's body was found when the fire was brought under control after about 30 minutes, said Fire Department spokesman Efrain Parrilla. The cause

# World

**By Associated Press** 

# Vietnam fires general

BANGKOK, Thailand - Vietnam announced today that 12 ministers — including Vietnam War hero Gen. Van Tien Dung - have been fired in one of the most sweeping government shake-ups in that Communist nation's

Analysts said the firings were part of an effort to inject vigor and efficiency into an aging leadership that led Vietnam to victory in wars against the French and Americans but failed to bring post-war economic recovery.

The Voice of Vietnam radio, monitored in Bangkok, said 12 ministers lost seats on the Council of Ministers, while a 13th was shifted to a new portfolio. It said several ministries were merged and other government agencies were incorporated into ministries.

The move follows the unprecedented resignations of three top officials from their Communist Party posts last December and a revamp of the all-powerful party Politburo. The three officials — General Secretary Truong Chinh, Prime Minister Pham Van Dong, and key Politburo member Le Duc Tho still hold their government posts.

# Soviets free dissident

MOSCOW - A Soviet government spokesman said today that dissident Anatoly Koryagin has been ordered released from prison and that Jewish activist Josef Begun most likely" will be freed soon.

Foreign Ministry spokesman Gennady Gerasimov said a special commission of the Supreme Soviet, the Soviet parliament, that is reviewing dissident appeals for clemency decided Friday to release the 48-year-old Koryagin to "spare him further imprisonment."

Koryagin, a psychiatrist, was sentenced in 1981 to seven years in prison and five years internal exile after complaining the government was sending dissidents to mental hospitals.

## **Britain to bar AIDS**

LONDON — AIDS soon will be added to the list of diseases that can bar entry into Britain, the Home Office said.

Although it is not yet policy, in practice visitors already may be refused entry if immigration authorities suspect them of having AIDS, or acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

A Home Office spokesman, who could not be identified in keeping with British practice, said Monday that an American airline steward was detained at Gatwick Airport overnight last month and then returned to the United States because he was suspected of having AIDS.

# Irish elect prime minister

DUBLIN! Ireland - Irish voters cast polls predict will end in defeat for Prime Minister Garret FitzGerald but may deny challenger Charles Haughey an outright majority.

Irish state radio estimated about one-sixth of the electorate had voted by noon and called it "a brisk turnout." At the last general election in 1982, 72.8 percent of those eligible An absolute majority for Haughey in the

166-seat Dail, or lower house of the Irish Parliament, would mean a remarkable comeback for a politician who has served two abbreviated terms as prime minister in a career dogged by controversy.

# Lawmakers cite public opinion to defend 65 mph

and rural lawmakers leading the move to increase the federal speed limit to 65 mph are bolstering their case with public opinion polls, states' rights arguments and even lessons about teaching children to respect the law.

"A child now sits in the back seat and watches his old man drive and put it at 62 mph, because that is where you can get by," Sen. Alan Mann, spokesman for the Simpson, R-Wyo., said during debate on the measure last week. "It happens to be that the speed Feb. 4 that would allow states to in-

But they are being countered by legislators and their allies, largely from urban and Eastern states, whose major argument is safety. "Every recognizable piece of

evidence indicates that speed on highways kills and that trucks and other vehicles operate most safely at lower speeds," says Robert American Trucking Association. The Senate passed a highway bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Western limit is 55. That is a pretty poor crease the speed limit to 65 mph on segments of interstates outside urban areas. The highway bill approved by the House on Jan. 21 would retain the 55 mph limit. Conferees from the two chambers are expected to begin meeting this

> cording to the office of Sen. Steven commissioned a poll last Symms, R-Idaho, chief Senate supporter of the higher speed limit, the bill would allow higher speeds on 33,910 miles of the 43,291 miles of

Al Lauersdorf, traffic safety specialist with the National Safety Council, which favors the lower limit, says, "We look at that as probably an opening. If they get that, probably they'll go further.'

The American Automobile Association, which favors allowing Part of the dispute is tactical. Ac- states to set higher speed limits, September asking whether speed limits should be increased on rural interstates. The results: 56 percent said yes and 40 percent said no. The telephone survey of 1,014

margin of error of plus or minus 3 disagree. percent, and represented a reversal of an identical poll in 1985, when 43 percent said speeds should be increased and 55 percent said no. The lower limit was instituted in

Symms argues "the energy scare has passed" and says the 55 mph limit costs 1 billion additional hours of passenger time each year. But House supporters of 55 such

1974 in response to the oil embargo.

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randomly selected adults had a Transportation Committee,

"My main argument for 55 is it saves fuel, it saves lives and it saves money," Howard says.

Howard and his allies say the lower speed limit saves about 167,000 barrels of oil daily, and reduces automobile maintenance costs because cars run more efficiently at the lower speed. And they say the billion extra hours of passenger time works out to an as James Howard, D-N.J., chair- average of one minute for each car

# Budget would cut junior college funds

By DANA PALMER

**Austin Bureau** AUSTIN - Higher education officials appealed Monday for help in thwarting a House budget proposal that would cut funding by 27 percent for the state's 49 public junior colleges.

That would reduce funding for the 1988-89 biennium to less than \$600 million, said Stewart McLaurin, president of Kilgore College and the Texas Public the budget subcommittee of the Community-Junior College House Higher Education Association.

That's at a time when the state's Coordinating Board is recommending \$1.1 billion for community colleges, he said.

The proposal for a 27 percent reduction is included under a barebones appropriations bill filed in the House as a vehicle for developing a final budget proposal.

A Senate bill is proposing \$819

tain current funding levels through the 1988-89 biennium.

McLaurin said the state's junior colleges would like to see a return to 1985 funding levels, similar to the House and Senate budget proposals for the state's senior universities.

That would bring the 1988-89 total funding for junior colleges to \$992 million, up from the current biennium's \$847 million, McLaurin told Committee.

"This request, if granted, is not a growth budget. It is a maintenance budget," he said.

The long-term goal would be to receive the \$1.1 billion recommended by the Coordinating Board, McLaurin said.

With another 27 percent cut, McLaurin said, academic programs would be eliminated, million in funding for junior col- especially with funding so tight at leges that basically would make the local level.

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# Free enterprise a costly lesson

What a costly economics lesson the 1983 Emergency Jobs Appropriations Act turned out to be.

A federal Government Accounting Office report on the multibillion-dollar boondoggle is enough to set taxpayers' teeth on edge.

When the nation's unemployment rate was more than 11 percent and 12.5 million persons were out of work in the country's worse recession since the Great Depression, the Jobs Act was expected to produce as many as a half-million jobs.

But 15 months and \$3.1 billion later, the program produced only 35,000 jobs at a record cost of \$88,571 each, according to the GAO report.

During the same 15-month period — March 1983 to June 1984. - 5.8 million jobs were created by private businesses as the jobless rate dropped to 7.4 percent.

Why didn't the jobs bill work?

It didn't for the same reasons most federal job programs fail. The government usually reacts too slowly to changing economic conditions and then wastes valuable time and money implementing its programs.

Instead of acting quickly to funnel the funds into programs to assist private business in creating immediate jobs, Congress earmarked about 86 percent for long-term public projects such as highways, dams and airports.

Those big projects take years to design and plan before construction begins. So they do nothing to provide short-term relief for unemployed workers.

Predictably, the act produced bureaucratic horrors. The Department of Education, for example, was given \$40 million to remove barriers to the handicapped at schools. Two years later, not a cent had been spent because the department had not developed regulations for distributing the funds.

But the GAO report says that even under ideal circumstances the 1983 act would have been a costly effort that helped but a handful of the nation's unemployed.

According to GAO auditors, had the entire \$9 billion been spent within a year of the law's enactment, only 131,000 jobs would have been produced at a cost of \$68,700 per job!

That's still a poor return on investment.

Free enterprise is the engine that drives the U.S. economy. That's the oft-taught and seldom-learned lesson that should be emphasized from this latest fiasco of simply throwing money at the problem.

When the economy sputters, the government can help tune it through changes in the money policies, the tax code and various incentives. But, as the 1983 Jobs Act demonstrates, short of a depression, government cannot produce enough jobs to restore economic vitality. That's a job for private businesses.

The GAO report on the 1983 act reiterates the principle that government does not belong in the job-creation business. If that lesson is learned, then perhaps the act will have served a useful purpose after all.

We hope Texas can learn this lesson as the administration of Gov. Bill Clements searches for ways get to jobless Texans

# **Mailbag**

# Dislikes proposed container bill

To the editor:

I feel the need to tell people about House Bill 210. This bill puts a mandatory 5-cent deposit on all beverage containers. You would, of course, be reimbursed when you return these containers to your favorite retailer. This creates several problems

for me as a consumer. One problem is the dirty, empty containers being returned and stored at an outlet where I buy food products. This has to increase health hazards in storing these containers.

If this bill is meant to reduce litter, I have read that of the nationwide litter problem, less than 20 percent is beverage containers. If this is the case, then we also need

to consider a 5-cent deposit on cigarette and candy wrappers.

styrofoam fast food containers? Last, but not least, we would definitely need a 5-cent deposit on disposable diapers. Our cost on products ultimately

How about a 5-cent deposit on

will go up, as wholesalers and retailers will have increased expenses with the addition of equipment, manpower, and storage areas to handle the returns. This bill will not solve the pro-

blem of litter, but will increase our consumer cost! Now is the time to let your legislator know

P.O. Box 267

# Today

48th day of 1987. There are 317 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 17, 1801, the U.S. House of Representatives broke an electoral tie between Thomas Jefferson and Aaron Burr, electing Jefferson president. Burr became vice president.

On this date:

Spring, Tex.

In 1817, a street in Baltimore Washington.

Today is Tuesday, Feb. 17, the became the first to be lighted with gas from America's first gas company.

In 1865, Columbia, S.C., burned as the Confederates moved out and Union forces began moving in. It has never been determined which side set the blaze.)

In 1897, the forerunner of the National PTA, the National Congress of Mothers, was founded in

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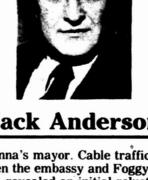
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LOOKING BACK William Livington (1732-1790)

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Embassy 'gift funds' used

many extravagant ways

## **Jack Anderson**

Vienna's mayor. Cable traffic between the embassy and Foggy Bottom revealed an initial reluctance in Washington to approve the exenditure; it was finally OK'd after

• In December 19085, von Damm played the gracious hostess to Attorney General Edwin Meese, his son and their wives, who stopped off in Vienna while on a European tour. The ambassador, who worked in the White House while Meese was presidential counselor, threw a party for the visitors.

She also arranged tickets to the Vienna Opera production of 'Fidelio" at a cost of \$317.28 for five tickets. The purpose of the expenditure was "to further U.S. interests," according to the embassy voucher.

 Also justified by the need to promote the national interest was the purchase of 10 scallop-shaped pewter bowls from Cartier Inc. in New York at a cost of \$1,023.

Not all the embassies with gift funds spent the money on fripperies. The GAO auditors noted that the embassy in Lagos, Nigeria, which had received more than \$338,000 in donations, used the money to make badly needed improvements at a consulate, "such as retaining walls, fences and gates." In addition, the embassy donated a large chunk of the gift fund to the American International School in Lagos.

The Paris embassy also used its gift fund for such unglamorous expenses as renovating the ambassador's residence, buying a piano, reupholstering furniture, installing drapes and painting light

The Moscow embassy wouldn't let the GAO auditors see its gift fund vouchers on grounds of security

Footnote: The current ambassador to Austria, Ronald Lauder, was deprived of a \$150,000 check for the gift fund from his mother, cosmetics tycoon Estee Lauder, because nervous Foggy Bottom bureaucrats sent the dona-

But when the embassy's summer employment program for young people was short of funds last year, Ambassador Lauder wrote out a check of his own for \$10,000.

UNDER THE DOME: Rep. Tom Lantos, D-Calif., is known on Capitol Hill for his interest in foreign affairs, his concern for mistreated animals and his usually dignified appearance.

But the Hungarian-born Lantos is also a bit of a ham — in an almost literal sense. As a sort of Rich Little of the animal kingdom, he does an amazingly lifelike imitation of a

His aides are amused by the boss's oinking — but also a little nervous. They can't be sure when a constituent from the posh San Francisco Peninsula might happen by during a performance and wonder if there's a truffle hunt going on in their congressman's inner

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

In 1772, Livingston retired to his



# **Art Buchwald** Just another Washington snow job

By ART BUCHWALD Despite what the President said last week, the country doesn't need a Star Wars program — it needs a Snow Plow Initiative.

All Mr. Reagan had to do was look out the window of his limousine to realize the capital had been brought to a grinding halt without one Soviet missile being

The idea of having enough snowclearing equipment for Washington, D.C., has always been a dream of government scientists, many of whom live outside the Beltway.

Werner Zamblowski, a leading voice for developing the Snow Plow Initiative, claims it is not only feasible to produce such a system with present technology,; but it is absolutely necessary considering the snow job the Soviets are doing on Moscow

"The United States has the technical know-how to remove the snow from its streets," he said in his thick German accent. "It's just a question of getting the Congress to pay for it. To dump tomorrow we must be willing to invest in the future today. Our children and their children must never be snow-

"I see the day when not only our main streets but our side streets will be plowed out from curb to curb. I see the day when we can push all abandoned cars into the Potomac. And I see the day when Washington's honorable mayor will actually be in town when the snowstorm comes.'

ts of the Si itiative believe SPI is unrealistic. Jarrell Jerryboam is opposed because he doesn't think snow removal in Washington has any future. "Once the first snowflake hits the ground," he says, 'everyone in the nation's capital panics. It doesn't matter how many snowplows you deploy, they're only going to be blocked by people taking early leave from the Pentagon.'

Jerryboam showed satellite photographs of last week's storm to prove that snowplows are not the answer to snow removal. "It takes more than equipment to deter snow. The truth is that there is no response to a Washington snowfall because the chance of human error is too great.'

Secretary of Defense Cap Weinberger, caught in a storm on the George Washington Parkway, told reporters in an off-the-record wiener roast that Moscow has three times as many snowplows as Washington. These plows have a throw weight capable of clearing a six-lane highway from Pinsk to Minsk in less than an hour.

Asked why Washington is so short on trucks and bulldozers, and the Soviets so big on them, Weinberger blamed liberals soft on snow for drifting from one crisis to another. He told Ted Koppel, who happened to be on the parkway doing a snow-removal report, "We're paying the price for 20 years of salt and sand neglect.'

I called the White House and asked where the President stood on a Snow Plow Initiative. A spokesman replied, "The President's dream has always been to leave a clean Washington behind when he finished his term. He plans to go on television next week and deny that any U.S. snow-removal equipment was sold to Iran.

"He will also announce that he is appointing a snow-removal commission made up of those guilty of last week's disaster to recommend what Washington should do in case of a new storm.

"In an address to the nation the President will express sympathy for those who suffered during the past week and he intends to read a letter from a little girl who couldn't go to school and pray because of the snowstorm and the Supreme

"Finally he will cite a true national hero — a driver of a tow truck who was buried in an embankment for three days on I-66 When he was dug out he was asked by the highway patrol if he had any message for the American people and he said, 'Send me more

# Saturday, Feb. 17, 1787 PHILADELPHIA TODAY The Supreme Executive Council

today pardoned William Brock, alias William Smith. Brock, con-JAMES RANDALL HOWELL victed of burglary, was under a sentence of death. He was pardoned if he transported himself beyond the seas not subject to return to the United States. Jacob Hiltzheimer accompanied

By JACK ANDERSON and

**JOSEPH SPEAR** 

investigation of American em-

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Faith Ryan Whittlesey in

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Both women worked in the

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that Whittlesey had dipped into her

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House Foreign Operations Sub-

committee, headed by Rep. Dan

Mica, D-Fla., ordered a General

Accounting Office audit of all such

privately financed embassy funds.

Our associate Lucette Lagnado has

Here are some examples of the

Vienna embassy's expenditures

from the gift fund during the tenure

of von Damm, who resigned as am-

bassador after marrying the owner

of Vienna's famous Sacher Hotel:

more than \$13,000 to take some 400

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• In August 1985, von Damm dip-

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News stories last fall reported

Damm next door in Austria.

WASHINGTON - A government

Gen. Thomas Mifflin to his place at the Falls of the Schuylkifl. They crossed the river there to inspect some farm land the general purchased last year.

**CONFEDERATION TODAY** Congress was adjourned today. William Samuel Johnson reported York's weather continued

The Assembly of New York today resolved to ask its delegation in Congress to call for a convention to revise the Articles of Confederation. It is believed that Alexander Hamilton was the author of this

**DELEGATES TODAY** George Washington's weather

report was 32 in the morning. Gen. Jeremiah Wadsworth and John Chaloner visited the general. Wadsworth was still actively engaged in supplying the Army. He was commissary general in the late war and Chaloner was his assistant

William Livingston was the

Constitution Daybook

Catherine Livingston of Albany, N.Y. Upon graduation from Yale in 1741, he began the study of law with the liberal James Alexander. In 1745, before the completion of

his legal studies, he married Susanna French by whom he had 13 children. He began to champion popular causes and to oppose the established order.

In 1751, he fought the founding of King's College because it would increase the influence and power of the Anglican church in New York. His appeal served to strengthen the colonial politics.

By the end of that decade, however, his attempts to reconcile man, who is at once a writer, a the street mobs to the leadership of the wealthy moderates cost him his political power in New York

country estate, Liberty Hall, in Elizabethtown, N.J., but he ended his retirement almost immediately, quickly plunging into the political life of that colony. Livingston served as delegate from New Jersey to the First Continental Congress where he joined his son-in-law John Jay in drafting an address to the American people. He continued his work during the

Second Continental Congress, and in 1776 the New Jersey Legislature elected him first governor of the State of New Jersey, a position he held until his death in 1790. In 1787, Livingston traveled to

Philadelphia to take his seat as a member of the New Jersey delegation to the Federal Convention where he worked for compromise and signed the Constitution. He thereafter exerted his influence and helped to produce the speed and unanimity with which the New Jersey ratifying convention adopted the Constitution.

Livingston read and spoke Dutch fluently, as his mother was Dutch. He liked to pun, and several of his letters this year give delightful examples of this trait.

He saw himself as a plain and Liberal Party and, by 1760, Liv- unassuming individual as this ingston was playing a major role in colonial politics. description of him by a French diplomat indicates: "You may have an idea of this respectable governor, and a ploughman, on rning that he takes pride in call-

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# Lifestyle



Beta Sigma Phi sweethearts are, left, Tonita Reid — Alpha Phi Delta; Linda Coskey — Preceptor Delta; Carolyn Clark — Mu Zeta

Chapter; and Lisa Murphy — Mu Zeta. The women were honored on Valentine's Day with a banquet at the Howard College Cactus Room.

# Beta Sigma Phi Sweethearts named

This year's Beta Sigma Phi chapter sweethearts are Carolyn Clark, Mu Zeta Chapter; Tonita Reid, Alpha Phi Delta; Linda Coskey, Preceptor Delta; and Lisa Murphy, city council sweetheart.

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The Big Spring chapters celebrated Valentine's Day and honored their sweethearts with a banquet at the Howard College Cactus Room Saturday.

CAROLYN CLARK pledged the Mu Zeta Chapter in 1986. She serves the chapter as city council representative and is a member of

TONITA REID pledged Alpha Phi Delta in 1980. She serves the chapter as treasurer and is being honored as Girl of the Year and chapter sweetheart. She has served on city council for several years and served the council as vice president. Reid progressed into XPE in 1986 and is on the ways and means and social committees. She has one daughter, Nicci. Her hobbies include skiing, weight lifting. landscaping and reading.

the contact, membership and member of the newly formed scrapbook committees of her chapter, Preceptor Delta, and chapter. Clark has one daughter, serves as recording secretary. Misty, and attends Howard Col- Coskey is also president of city lege. She is employed at Winn-council. She has been honored as has served in all chapter offices, on council for several years. Coskey

pledge of the year, girl of the year vice president. She is also a city council representative, a capacity in which she has served for several years. She is has one daughter, Lacy. Murphy is a patient data coordinator at Big Spring State Hospital Outreach Department where she has worked since 1978. Her hobbies include sewing, cookbecoming an RN.

# Club notes

# Club to give \$100 to Proctor fund

The Mary Jane Club met Thursday and voted to contribute \$100 to the Christie Porctor Fund.

Club members will also help by distributing pictures and posters. The group met at the home of Mrs. Larry Nix, Midway Rd., with Mrs. Donal Hale, co-hosting. Mrs. Horace Nash presided over a brief business meeting and Mrs. Raymond Phillips presented a program.

Phillips, president of the Howard Glassock Chapter of the American Cancer Society, presented "Five Minutes that May Save Your Life." She explained how a monthly breast self-examiniation can detect

A woman should have a baseline mammogram completed between the ages of 35 and 39; ages 40 through 49 should have one every 1 to 2 years; and over age 50, annually.

Some of the risk factors to be aware of are; white female over age 45: having a personal history of breast cancer; having a mother or sister who developed breast cancer before menopause; begining menses before age 12: having no children or having a child after age 35; personal history of ovarian, uterine or colon cancer; and being 40 percent or more

Phillips explained the services that are available for cancer patients through the local chapter. For more information, call Mrs. Clyde Thomas, service chairman, 267-6272.

Members answered roll call with "When was your last mammogram?" Guests were Phillips and Darla and Amber Choate.

The next meeting will be March 12 at the home of Mrs. Sonny Hart.

# Two chosen as chapter delegates

Mrs. Turner, chapter president, and Mrs. Kathryn Thomas, first vice president were selected as delegates at the American Gold Star Mother Chapter meeting on Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Odell Turner, 1310 Runnels St.

The women will attend the department of Texas Convention in Houston

Turner opened the meeting with the ritual and Betty O'Brien, chaplain pro-tem, opened the Bible and voiced the ritual prayer.

The group presented the Veteran's Administration Medical Center report stating that 31 patients and six visitors were served refreshments of coffee and cake on Jan. 21 by Mrs. Edna Peacock and Mrs. O'Brien. Patients at the medical center need western paperback books, domino counters, pool sticks and dontations to replenish the fish tanks on the

sixth floor, according to the report. The community service report showed that \$35 in donations, six vases of flowers and 10 trays of food were given to the sick and shut-in friends. The chapter history book was presented to the past chapter president

Mrs. Peacock by Elida Hernandez, chapter historian. The March 12th meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Annie Smith.

## Club member to move to California

A letter of resignation from Dolores Norred, was read at the Feb. 13th meeting of the City Extension Homemakers Club.

She will be moving to Thousand Oaks, Calif. in March to be near her family.

The group met at the home of Irene Priebe. One new member, Debbie Lancaster, was welcomed. Sarah Landers was guest.

Roll call was answered by members telling their birthplace. The council report was presented by Jowili Etchison. She announced the proceeds made at the January stock show food booth. The club bylaws were read and revisions were made. Cookies will be taken to the State Hospital the first week in May and November.

The program "Now you see it, Now you don't" was on stain and spot removal and presented by Nadine Hodnett and Etchison. The purpose of was to extend the life of clothing by removing stains spots with the proper cleaning solvents.

The women said to always test for fabric change on underside seam or

The next meeting will be Feb. 27 at the home of Jowili Etchison.

# **Creator of teddy bears finds** each has its own personality

HARTFORD CITY, Ind. (AP) — cy of Teddy Roosevelt, the man Terry McVicker has a lot in common with Beartholomew, Robearto bears she lovingly creates.

McVicker considers herself a she began crafting the furry creatures, she has built a reputation for herself among bear collectors.

She insists that each of her bears has its own personality and nothing delights her more than a customer who recognizes that quality and falls in love with a particular bear because of its quirky embroidered smile or quizzical expression.

She is emotionally attached to the stuffed animals. Speaking of a bear she sold recently, she said: "I was kind of sad to see him go, I wanted to look at him a couple more days.

"I make them one at a time. I don't like mass production because I get bored," she said as she stroked a half-finished, cream-colored teddy bear in her lap.

"I used to make the body first and stuff it and then put the face and ears on last. But now, I put the face on first because the bear gets personality, and then I enjoy

McVicker has been making stuffed animals since high school, but her love affair with bears began a year ago when a friend insisted

She began with a pattern from a book in the library and gradually created her own design. McVicker's creations are reminiscent of antique teddy bears. Their long, thin arms and legs and humped backs date to the presiden-

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who inspired the first such bears. "The first couple I made, I gave and Bearjamin — the jointed teddy away," she said. Her daughter's

friends were first in line. "I gave away a lot of bears — all bear artist, and in the year since of Mary's friends got experimental bears. As I would develop my pattern, I got rid of the ones I didn't

> Since she began making bears, McVicker also has started collecting the works of other bear artists, and friendly ursine faces peek out from cabinets and cubbyholes throughout her house.

> Her interest in the cuddly creatures mirrors what seems to be a national trend. Stuffed bears aren't just for children anymore. McVicker said about half of hers went to adult collectors.

> "A lot of people had bears when they were kids, and I think they kind of take people back to their childhood," McVicker said. "Each bear has a personality. They are like an old friend or confidante."

> McVicker, the mother of two and a former school teacher, is in the process of getting a retail merchant's license from the state. She said she planned to expand her business and was thinking about designing a line of bear clothing.

> "I didn't intend for it to be a fulltime business or job," she said. "But it looks like that's what it's going to be."

(several times) and as chapter sweetheart. Over the years, she all chapter committees and on city and her husband, Mike, have to sons. Chuck and Clark. She is a cosmetologist at Eloise's Hair Fashions and her hobbies include reading and needlework. LISA MURPHY is the city coun-

cil sweetheart. Murphy pledged Mu Zeta in 1986, serving that LINDA COSKEY is a charter chapter as treasurer, president, honored as pledge and girl of the are \$5 per person and can be puryear and chapter sweetheart. She chased from any Beta Sigma Phi progressed into XPE in 1986 and is member.

DEAR ABBY: I just read the let-

ter from "On the Outside Looking

In," the graduate student who's

shy and insecure. He described

himself as "nice looking, per-

sonable, intelligent, sensitive, with

a good sense of humor." Well, I

have the same qualities as this

male, only I'm 23, not ugly, tall

with long blond hair, and I'm

female. I also have trouble connec-

ting with members of the opposite

ing and snow skiing. She has been continuing her education toward In lieu of the Valentine Ball, the Beta Sigma Phi chapters have recording secretary and city coun-scheduled a spring charity dance cil representative and being on April 3 at the Stampede. Tickets

sex, but I think it's the way I dress.
I dress like a "biker" — black leather jacket and black knee-high Dear Abby leather boots. Guys, especially the clean-cut ones — the kind I like usually get the wrong impression of me; they think I'm a "tough" girl and they don't bother to talk to me. I'm not "tough" — I have very high moral standards. I just like the look of leather.

Very often when my friends and I go dancing at a bar, we get offers from a lot of weirdos who try to pick us up and take us outside to be as high as yours. tango in the back seat of their car. Meanwhile, we try to think of a

Here's a message for "Looking In": Don't give up. I'd love to meet you, but I know that's impossible because Abby isn't running a dating service. So next time you're at a bar, or walking down the street, if you see a tall blonde in a black leather jacket, please stop and get acquainted.

A NICE LEATHER-LOVING

**DEAR GIRL: You say cleancut** guys don't bother to talk to you because you dress in black leather and look like a "biker." The guys whom you call "weirdos," who want to pick you up for immoral purposes, may just look like weirdos — their moral standards might

The way a person dresses is a statement he makes about himself. nice, police way to say, "Leave us If you don't want to look like a 'tough girl,'' don't dress like one. And don't you judge another person's character and motives until you get to know him, and if you're lucky, no one will judge you before he gets to know you. But start with

> DEAR ABBY: So macho Al in Santa Barbara says he hates pants on women because he can't tell the women from the men. How about

when you're driving down the two wonderful children, but life has street and the driver in front of you has a nice head of hair down to her shoulders, and when you pass her, you notice that "she" also has a beard and moustache.

She's a good book mis judged by her cover

Now that is what I call ridiculous!

LIKES PANTS ON WOMEN

CONFIDENTIAL TO FURIOUS IN FORT LAUDERDALE: My response to Mr. Barrett's letter about what an unborn child would miss had to be oen of the most misunderstood columns I have ever written. For the record: I am not pro-

abortion — I am pro-choice. When "Hurting in Fort Worth" wrote that she and her husband had agreed to have no children, and she became accidentally pregnant, her husband, knowing that she was opposed to abortion on religious and moral grounds, insisted that she have an abortion. I advised her: "If you have to choose between your husband and the baby, choose the baby." I did not encourage her to have an abortion.

I received a barrage of critical mail and a few supportive letters. I maintain that every child should be a wanted child, and God help the child born into a family that does not want him, cannot provide for him and resents his presence.

DEAR ABBY: Mike and I have been married for 14 years and have not been easy for me with this man. Along the way he picked up a lot of bad habits such as drinking, smoking four packs a day, gambling and staying out all night.

About a year ago he became a 'new" man. He quit drinking, smoking, gambling, and he stays out only one night at week - on Saturdays.

He finally broke down and confessed that he's been seeing another woman, and he owes it all to her! He was honest enough to confess, but how can'I tell him not to see her any more when she did more to make a man out of him than I did?

ON THE SPOT

DEAR ON: Once you give your husband permission to "see" another woman, you can say goodbye to your marriage. Regardless of what your husband "owes" her, he shouldn't be paying it off with what belongs exclusively to you.

DEAR ABBY: Will you please tell me how I can get a high school diploma by mail?

**ANONYMOUS IN** CAMBRIDGE, OHIO

DEAR ANONYMOUS:

Telephone your neighborhood high school and inquire about its adult education programs. Ask specifically about the General Equivalency Diploma program. In most states you must be 18, but there are exceptions.

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# Donohue gives answers to woman plagued with urinary tract infections

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Will you** please cover urinary tract infections? I am one of those women who get it every three or four months. It is both bothersome and puzzling, as to why. Is my system lacking something? I've done everything I can, but I might be msising something you know about. - M.W.

Women get more urinary tract infections (UTIs) because of their anatomy. Their bladder outlets are shorter than men's. Bacteria have an easier approach to the tract and to bladder itself.

It's wise, though, to make sure there isn't some structural disturbance in the tract obstructing free flow of urine. If there is stagnating urine, the chances of repeated infections increase. I think it's time you had X-rays to determine this, if that has not been done.

Let's assume this is done and no structural problems exists. There are ways to defend against such infections. One is to go on a low dose of antibiotics for a long period, say six months. Another is to take antibiotics after sexual relations, for that is one of the prime disposing situations for such infection. Intercourse can allow entrance of the bacteria into the lower tract to cause the infection.

I know UTI is a nagging problem, but it is almost always one with an answer somewhere.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: What is isolated systolic hypertension?

Blood pressure numbers, such as 120 over 80, refer to the two kinds of pressure. The first number is the systolic beat pressure, as the heart acts to pump. The second is the diastolic pressure, the residual pressure in the vessels after the beat. Isolated systolic hypertension means the high pressure is present only during the beating (systolic) phase.

Certain peculiarities mark the two pressures. For example, diastolic pressure tends to rise gradually through the middle years of life, then level off. Systolic pressure, on the other hand, is apt to begin rising aftr age 60, when the other pressure is leveling. This is a growing problem encountered today with the sharp rise of the elderly segment in our population. You will find answers to your other questions (another part of your let-"Blood Pressure and Your Health," which addressed envelope to Dr. Donohue in care of the other readers may order by writing me in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a long, stamped,

self-addressed envelope and \$1.25. DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I have a



Dr. Donohue

real problem with my husband. When he comes home and sits down, before I know it he has fallen asleep. He does this at work, and has to stop and take a nap. It's either this or he is constantly eating ice cubes or popcorn to stay awake. The minute he goes to bed he is asleep in seconds. It is embarrassing to have people over, because he is always dropping off to sleep. He is only 62 years of age. Please help. I am really at the end of the rope. I, on the other hand, suffer from insomnia. — D.E.

What can I say? There are as many reasons for your husband's somnolence as there are for your insomnia. Both problems require a doctor's visit if they are interfering with domestic tranquility or daytime functioning.

I mIght come up with all manner of clever conclusions to explain your husband's lethargy anemia, low thyroid production. I might ask if he snores loudly and thrashes about during sleep. That would be a good indiction of sleep apnea, which can carry over into daytime drowsiness. And I haven't scratched the surface of causes yet. The best I can do is offer you that old wheeze about seeing a doctor. That's what both of you have

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Why no mention of enterically-coated aspirin for the arthritic who says aspirin upsets his stomach? (recent item). — W.W.

Enteric aspirin is coated and doesn't dissolve in the stomach. It's a good idea. One drawback is that it may not be as completely absorbed as uncoated kinds. But if it works, it's OK.

the insomnia problem and offers some ways to help you get your needed rest. For a copy of "Why Can't You Sleep?," send \$1.00 and a stamped, self-Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 11210, Chicago, IL 60611.

Dr. Donohue welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received dai-ly, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his col-

# **Boudoir portraits**

# Photographer finds demand for his work

photographer gives quiet directions: "Look this way. That's good. Just move your left hand back ... OK? That'll be great!'

He works carefully and precisely, constantly talking and flattering.

The model is a little nervous at first, but she quickly relaxes. It could be any portrait sitting - if she had her clothes on.

Instead of street clothes, Laura is wearing a simple white teddy. The set is all in white with touches of subtle color: a chaise with a satin coverlet and pillows piled high, white drapes in the background, a delicate bouquet of flowers on a table. Imagine a romantic boudoir set in a forest of studio lights and watched by an omnipresent camera.

Thomas Judd works meticulously, constantly adjusting lights and his model, taking just one more meter reading, then one or two shots, then a new pose, and the whole process of adjustment begins again.

About two years ago he began to get calls for boudoir portraits, intimate portraits women could use as gifts for very special friends: lovers and husbands. He did a few for friends and portrait clients and began to get calls from word-ofmouth referrals.

He worked out promotional arrangements with some area lingerie stores and began to get even more calls. After a number of successful sessions he decided the Christmas and Valentine seasons would be the time to begin promoting the service.

Boudoir photography is a big, if somewhat private, business. First popular in California, it has become a nationwide craze in the last few years.

It is a rare month that one of the professional photographer's magazines does not carry an article on the subject and more than a few ads for seminars, costumes, sets or supplies.

Like many boudoir photographers, Judd is a little surprised at his clientele. He says the average age is about 30 to 35, actually a little younger than the national average, and that many or most of his clients are professional women. Many are married. Most say they want the pictures for a husband or a boyfriend, but a few admit the photos are just for themselves.

So far Judd's clients have all been women, but he has had inquiries from couples and says he asked his wife to talk to women would do men if asked. One couple where she works. None of them says they want to do their sitting in found the idea objectionable. In



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in Denton. Judd says he tries to make his pictures look sexy, but not explicit.

an antique bathtub. They have the tub and are willing to bring it to the

As the sitting proceeds, it becomes more openly erotic. "Would you mind taking your strap down," the photographer asks. But Judd insists his pictures are clean.

"I want them to be kind of sexy, but not explicit by any means," he says. He has not yet been asked to do any real nudes, and says he is not sure he would if approached.

He and his clients seem to prefer the suggestive rather than the revealing. Many of his clients first want to pose in a swim suit, but when they see his samples they realize that the lingerie in his photos is actually less revealing than most swimwear.

moting this type of photo, he says, he tried the idea on the most conservative people he knew. When he received no negative responses he

fact, several were interested in booking sittings. Most of the clients so far have

been attractive, Judd says, but not all have them have been exceptionally good looking. "I try to make them look better than they thought they could look,'

he says. He is pleased when clients

tell him they have never looked so

good before or when they say their

friends almost did not recognize Judd has been a photographer most of his life, and much of his business has been for performers and models. His experience working with models' portfolios keeps

him current on style. "A woman wants to be portrayed like a model ... like a star," When he first thought of pro- says. He believes that with a little extra effort and technique he can are often for someone who knows

achieve that effect.

describes his fees as moderate for Denton, and says his average total bill is around \$150, about half the national average for this type of photography.

His typical order includes one display size print, 11 by 14 inches or larger and several smaller prints.

He prides himself on being able to make photographs which need neither excessive soft focus or retouching to flatter the sitter. He says that very few of his prints are retouched except to fix mechanical flaws in the film or print, though he savs he could remove every flaw and wrinkle if anyone ever asked him to do so.

If his clients are not all up to Playboy standards, he doesn't seem worried.

He points out that these pictures and loves the sitter. His aim is to He says his sittings usually take make her look just as good as she about two hours and produce 20 to possibly can. "You can make a 25 poses. The basic sitting fee is \$50 flattering picture of anyone," he with prints extra, available either says. "The secret is caring about individually or in packages. He the person."

# Special sitters help handicapped children

ARLINGTON (AP) - For a family with a physically handicapped or mentally handicapped child, an extra pair of hands can mean the difference between staying at home day after day or going out to a movie, an amusement park, or just for a walk.

Special Sitters provides those "It's difficult for families to find

someone to care for them (children with special needs) because it can be hard work," said Emma Bell, an Arlington resident and mother of a 6-year-old girl with multiple handicaps. Special Sitters began two years

ago by the First Texas Council of Camp Fire in Fort Worth to teach teens how to care for children with special needs. A group of 11 Arlington teen-agers recently completed training.

"I'm so happy it's in Tarrant County," Mrs. Bell said. "There's a big difference between doing it just because you know how and because you want to be doing it. The teen-agers involved in the program are just amazing to me.' Carla Garber, Camp Fire special

services coordinator in Fort Worth, said the Special Sitters program began in Seattle and was so successful that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services gave Camp Fire a grant to set up similar programs in five other cities.

Fort Worth was selected as one of the five cities because of the need in the area, Ms. Garber said.

"Most people just think of hiring a sitter so they can go out for an evening," said Mrs. Bell, founder of Our Special Children, a support group for families with developmentally delayed or mentally handicapped children.

"These (sitters) are available for all kinds of things, and we (parents) think up all kinds of ways for getting a break.

Mrs. Bell said some families hire a sitter so the parents can do yard work, spend more time with another child, or just relax. Having a sitter also enables the whole family to enjoy an outing to a place such as Six Flags, she said.

"Some of the families take their sitter with them on vacations,"



Special Sitter Robin George, 16, of Arlington, works with 5-year-old Vanesa Harbin. Special Sitters provide

parents that other pair of hands they didn't have before.'

help for families with a physically or mentally handicapped child.

said.

Mrs. Bell said Our Special Children uses sitters at its monthly meetings, allowing families and sitters to meet each other and giving sitters a chance to become familiar with each child. This allows the parents to decide whether to use the sitter.

'The veteran sitters are very popular and are on everyone's list," Bell said, and having the additional 11 will make a big difference.

"If you needed a sitter before, you had to count on sitters from Fort Worth," Mrs. Bell said. "It worked for some, but for some it didn't. We're really excited (to

Mrs. Bell said. "It gives the have the recently trained group), but it doesn't begin to cover the

So far, 61 people have completed training since the program began two years ago. Training consists of 24 hours of instruction by area professionals, including an occupational therapist, the program director of United Cerebral Palsy, a former child-care worker who has worked with the developmentally handicapped, and parents of hearing-impaired children who teach sign language, Ms. Garber

Areas of training include communication, managing a child's behavior and special needs such as feeding and dressing handicanned

Sitters are taught to communicate with parents in terms in listening effectively and being

'We teach them to let the parents know what they (the sitters) feel they can and can't do," Ms. Garber said, including telling parents they are uncomfortable dealing with a child in a particular

How to interview for a job and negotiate for a wage is part of the training, and a "play section," is included too.

'We feel that as teens, they may have forgotten how to play," Ms. Garber said. "At that age they're usually concentrating on being conhisticated, so we teach them to play responsively.

# **Training for grandparents**

sore, start working out in water, circulation. suggests Grandparents magazine. Easy aquatic exercises trim in- fered in your area or start a group effectively as calisthenics but pushes and all-over stretches. without the usual aches and pains.

water's natural resistance, encise on dry land.

To get in shape without getting at the proper level, they'll benefit

Check if water exercises are ofches, strengthen the heart, flex on your own using a simple projoints and increase muscle tone as gram of leg lifts, upper body

It is essential that the heartbeat Water workouts are easier stays within what's called the because there is no fight with training zone for the duration of the gravity. The water supports the workout. Every few minutes durbody, so there's less stress on ing the workout and immediately weight-bearing joints. Yet, after the final exercise, place two because muscles work against fingers lightly on the large (carotid) artery on the side of your durance develops just as with exerneck. Count beats for six seconds and multiply by 10. Adjust the in-What's more, like any physical tensity of workout if needed to keep exercises performed regularly and heartbeat near the suggested rate.



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# No. six Chaps bite dust

By EDDIE CURRAN Staff Writer

Before Monday night's Howard College Hawks-Midland Chaparrals showdown, word circulated in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum that Kevin Bradsher, the team's leading scorer, and Sam Williams, its tallest player, had been dismissed from the team.

If that wasn't disturbing enough, the absence of the Hawks was. The Chaps had done their layups, gone into the dressing room, returned, and still the home team wasn't on the floor.

With the game scheduled to start in little more than a minute, fans were asking each other questions. Where are the Hawks? Without Bradsher and Williams, won't they get killed by the nations' sixth ranked team?

At courtside, Sandra Brown, the wife of Hawks' coach Larry Brown, reassured those nearby.

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'The Hawks are comin'. They're just down there eating raw meat. Not exacty, but close. When the Hawks finally ran into Dorothy Garrett, they glistened with the sweat of a 45-minute work out. There were no smiles on the Howard players.

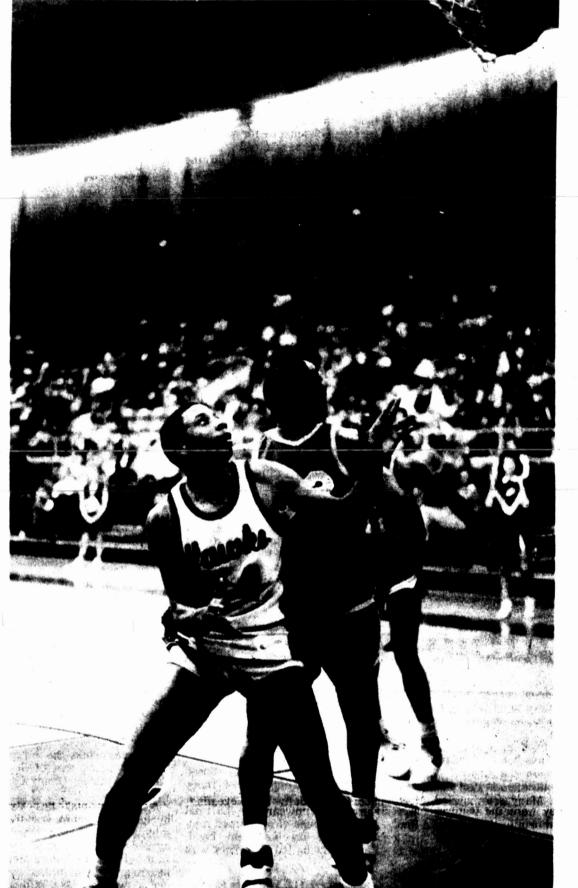
Two wonderful hours later, there was jubilation. When the buzzer sounded with the Hawks on top 78-75, players hugged and jumped, fans rushed to the floor, and Brown pegged his wife with a big kiss.

In the locker room celebration afterwards, Matt Brown, who had played perhaps his best game of the year, chanted, "We're the Miracle Midgets. We're the Miracle Midgets!'

That they were. The two tallest Hawks stretch out at 6-4 and 6-3, while the Chaps had six players over 6-6. But those two Hawks, Myron Wright and Mitchell Porter, blocked out, leaped, and went after rebounds like dogs after, well, raw

Wright got started a little too soon. He dunked during warm-ups, and the refs called a technical. The Chaps hit the free throw, and then their first two shots to take a 5-0 lead.

The Hawks, playing patiently on offense and relentlessly on defense, scrapped to a 12-9 lead after consecutive three-pointers by Robert **CHAPS** page 2B



Howard College forward Myron Wright scrambles for rebounding position against Midland College's Billy Ray Smith during action Monday night at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. The Hawks upset the number six Chapparals 78-75.

# For Howard College hoops, it was a night to remember

By EDDIE CURRAN Staff Writer

You would have been hard pressed to find a happier bunch than the Howard College Hawks basketball team Monday night. After beating the sixth ranked Midland College Chapparals, the Hawks exulted in their locker room.

"Yeah! Yeah!" was all they could say at first. Matt Brown, the Hawks' sophomore guard from New York, yelled to his teammates, "We're the Miracle Midgets!" Point guard Dennis Rhodes pointed to a message on the chalkboard that read, 'You have to believe,' and, between laughter, roared, "We believed, we believed!'

Coach Larry Brown walked into the room, the players quieted, and he told them what he thought of their effort.

"I knew you could win, and you knew you could win. You earned every bit of it. It wasn't no fluke, and it wasn't no home job.

"I'm really proud of you. I can't say much more," Brown said.

Mitchell Porter, with his best game of the year, scored 16 points and grabbed 10 rebounds. The Hawks could not have beaten Midland last night without his inside play.

"Tonight I was giving everything I had," Porter said. "I wasn't holding anything back. We all came together. Everybody earned this thing, everybody earned this.

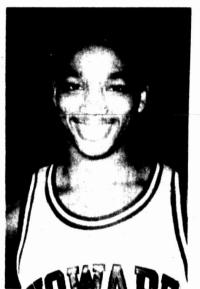
Myron Wright, Porter's partner inside, scored 17 points and grabbed 11 rebounds. He also hit four pressure free throws in the last two minutes, and came away with the biggest rebound of the game in the final 30 seconds.

"If it came down to the win, I guess I had to be the one to do it. I just concentrated. I knew we had to do it," Wright said about the foul shots. "I wasn't going to let anybody get it," he added about the big board.

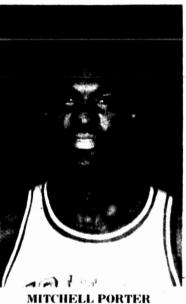
Rhodes couldn't stop laughing.

"It's an indescribable feel-

**Bulldoggettes miss playoffs** 



DENNIS RHODES .12 points, nine assists



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ing. When you beat the number six ranked team in the nation, it's indescribable. We knew we could play without them (Bradsher and Williams). We believed it, and we went out and did it," Rhodes said.

A beaming Coach Brown explained why the Hawks didn't enter the Coliseum until less than two minutes before the game.

"We worked out in the old gym. We've been starting kind of slow, so we got their blood flowing. I'm sure the fans and the other team were wondering," Brown said.

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# Sports Briefs———

# Steers in Sweetwater

The Big Spring Steers' games in Sweetwater tonight will be earlier than usual. The J.V. will start at 5 p.m., and the varsity will begin at 6:30.

Big Spring comes into the contest with a 18-11 overall record and 10-4 district mark, good for third place. The Steers are coming off a 84-78 loss to Lamesa Friday night in Steer Gym.

Sweetwater is currently 15-14 overall and 6-9 in district play. The Mustangs are saddled in fifth place. Friday night Sweetwater was upset by Monahans 60-56.

In the first Big Spring-Sweetwater meeting, the Steers won the game 87-70. Brian Mayfield and Charles Young combined for 47 points in the win.

# Softball meeting tonight

There will be a softball meeting today Feb. 17, at 7 p.m. in the second floor meeting room of the Big Spr-

The subject of discussion will be unique ideas of raising money for new softball fields this year. All interested softball players and coaches are urged to

# Playoff games on tap

Tonight Dorothy Garrett will be the site of a Class A girls hoop bi-district double-header. In the 6 p.m. game it will be Highland versus Robert Lee and at 8 it will be Roscoe versus Sterling

# Lady Steers vs. Canyon

The Big Spring Lady Steers will be in bi-district basketball playoff action Thursday when they travel to Lubbock to take on Canyon at 7:30 p.m. at Lubbock Coronado High School Gym.

The Lady Steers, 25-4, are ranked number 10 in the state while Canyon, runner-up in District 1-4A, is ranked second in the state and sports a 28-2 record.

# Six locals win in GG finals

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m ODESSA-The\ Big\ Spring\ Boxing\ Club\ had\ three}$ winners in the finals of the Golden Gloves Tournament in Odessa's Ector County Coliseum last night.

Geno Lozano won the 95-pound weight division by decisioning Bubby Jones of Odessa. Lozano was named the Best Fighter in his weight division. Johnny Hernandez, a 106-pound Junior Olympic,

stopped Joe DeLeon of Odessa. and Cruz Gutierrez won the 80-pound division uncontested. The Howard County Boxing Club also had three

winners Monday night

Juan Garza, Mario Cavozos and Jim Cautu were all Golden Glove winners.

# Astro owner sues owner

HOUSTON (AP) — Houson Astros minority owner Don A. Sanders is suing majority owner John J. McMullen, claiming McMullen reneged on a 1984 agreement on how to manage the team.

Sanders, the largest minority owner of the Astros with a 13.6 percent share, wants a judge to order McMullen to allow him to participate as an owner in management of the club.

The suit was filed Monday in state district court. "I've tried to settle this thing with him for three or four months," Sanders said. "I just want John to live up to what he promised. I believed that John and I, as a team, would make the baseball decisions.

If McMullen does not honor the alleged agreement, the suit asks he be ordered to buy Sanders' share for \$8.2 million. Sanders said he has invested \$4.1 million in the Houston Sports Association, which owns the

# Three frogs suspended

FORT WORTH (AP) - Three Texas Christian University football players have been suspended for disciplinary reasons, Coach Jim Wacker announced. Off the Horned Frogs squad are junior-to-be cornerback Ricky Rougely of Carthage, sophomore defensive back Roy Evans of Atlanta, Texas, and sophomore linebacker Paul Montgomery of

Wacker would not elaborate on the reasons for the suspensions, which were ordered on Monday, but Montgomery confirmed the action involved an oncampus liquor violation, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported.

"I think Coach Wacker is over-reacting a little bit." Montgomery told the newspaper. "I'm upset. I don't understand the situation right now. A lot of players on the team drink.

Wacker would not say if the suspensions are permanent.

### BALLINGER — The Sonora Broncos knocked the Coahoma Bulldogettes out of the running for a state playoff berth by taking a 60-55 win last night.

The Broncos and Bulldoggettes, who tied for the district first half crown, were playing to see who would face second half district winner Abilene Wylie for the district championship. Both Sonora and Wylie

will advance to the state playoffs though. Sonora will

play Wylie tonight in Ballinger. 'Our kids played hard and gave it everything they had said Coahoma coach Truman Meissner. "Sonora played a little better than they had before. But I guess it just wasn't our night to win. If Sonora plays with the effort they had against us, then I think they

can beat Wylie. But I don't know if they'll be emotionally drained after such a hard game against us." It is the first time in eight years the Bulldoggettes

haven't advanced to the state playoffs. The game was nip-and-tuck all the way as Coahoma led 14-12 after the first quarter and 31-30 at the half. In a low-scoring third quarter, Sonora took a 38-37 lead going into the final quarter. "The third

quarter was a real down period for us," said Meissner. We didn't play well. At the start of the quarter we got four straight steals and didn't score on a single one.

Senior post player Shanna Fowler paced Coahoma with 18 points. Shonna Drewery scored 13 and Nancy Hardison added 10 points. Kate Mathews paced the winners with 24 points.

'She hadn't hurt us in the past, but everything she threw up went in last night," said Meissner of Sonora's 5-9 post player. Sonora is 19-13 and the Bulldoggettes end the

season with a 24-6 record. COAHOMA (55) — Nancy Hardison 4 2 10; Jo Hudson 2 0 4; Shanna Fowler 6 6 18; Shana Drewery 4 5 13; Jancy Cunn-

ingham 2 0 4; Paula Clanton 3 0 6; totals 21 13 55. SONORA (60) - Gayann Dobbs 1 7 9; kathy Witzher 3 0 6; Michelle McCleary 6 2 14; Aaan Balch 1 0 2; Kate Mathews 11 2 245; Kellie Whitehead 1 3 5; totals 23 14 60

SCORE BY QUARTERS 12 18 Sonora 12 RECORDS — Coahoma (24-6); Sonora (19-13).

# This girl is a scoring machine

MASON CITY. Iowa (AP) — It wasn't even an average night for Ventura's Lynne Lorenzen, but it was still something special.

Although the 54 points Lorenzen scored in Monday night's sectional tournament game were 10 below her average, they were more than enough to make her the national career scoring leader in high school basketball.

"I came out kind of sluggish, but I knew tonight would be the night if things all went well." said Lorenzen, who has scored 6,266 points in her career

Lorenzen needed 39 points to pass the state and national record of 6,250 set by Denise Long of Union-Whitten and she reached that figure with 5 minutes, 12 seconds left in the third quarter of her team's 87-51 victory over Meservey-Thornton.

Long, who played from 1965-69, was in the crowd of 4,000 that packed the Mason City High School gym realize I was crying because there

and joined Lorenzen in the celebra- was so much to take in. It was such tion of her achievement afterwards. "I was kind of nervous before the

game," Lorenzen said. "My arms felt like needles. But once we got into the game, I felt more relaxed.'

Lorenzen plays the six-player girls' game which gives the three forwards in front court more opportunities to score than a five-onfive full-court game. Long also played under those rules.

Lorenzen got the record breaking points when she caught a lob pass from teammate Steph Anderson just to the right of the basket and banked in a layup. A roar went up from crowd and the game was stopped for five minutes

so the feat could be recognized. "That was definitely a big wow," Lorenzen said of the recordbreaking basket. "It's something that was so special. I didn't even

an emotional high. It's something I'd love to do again.

Lorenzen was fouled on her historic basket and when the game resumed, the 6-foot-2 senior sank the free throw to complete a threepoint play as if nothing had happened. For the game, Lorenzen was 24-for-33 from the field and made all six of her free throws.

Long, who works at a Des Moines hospital, said she was happy to see Lorenzen break her record, which at one time was thought to be

"On the ride up here I was joking around in the car and then about halfway, I started having the same kind of feelings I had on the bus before a game," Long said.

"I think it's a tribute to me to have the record broken by someone like Lynne - someone who's a tremendous athlete like she is. someone who's a tremendous

# Hoosiers escape lowly Badgers

By The Associated Press The Indiana Hoosiers apparently bring out the best in the worst of the Big Ten.

Having just recently escaped with a close victory over Northwestern last week, the secondranked Hoosiers were extended to three overtimes Monday night in beating lowly Wisconsin, 86-85.

'They deserved to win the ballgame," Indiana Coach Bobby Knight said of the Hoosiers. "They played hard and well.'

Wisconsin Coach Steve Yoder, whose Badgers are tied with Northwestern for last place in the conference, said that "for guys who have been maligned the last four weeks, I thought our players were just great.'

He said, though, it was no consolation playing the Hoosiers that

"We've been too close too many times to think about that," Yoder said. "What we needed was a victory, but we didn't get it."

In other action, it was No. 4 DePaul 88, Monmouth 53; No. 5 Temple 84, Duquesne 56; No. 9 Syracuse 96, Villanova 82, and No. 20 St. John's 63, Fairleigh Dickinson 59.

Dean Garrett hit a follow shot with four seconds left in the third overtime to give Indiana the win. Garrett, who led all scorers with 21 points, grabbed a rebound off a missed shot by Joe Hillman and banked it in.

J.J. Weber scored 20 points for Wisconsin before fouling out in the second overtime. Mike Heineman also had 20 for the Badgers.

Steve Alford scored 13 points to become Indiana's all-time leading scorer. Alford missed his first two shots of the game before hitting a three-pointer from the corner with 14:40 to surpass the late Don Schlundt, who scored 2,192 points from 1952-55.

No.4 DePaul 88, Monmouth 53 Terence Greene and Kevin Edwards each scored 18 points to lead DePaul a 74-38 lead. A three-point



Wisconsin's Trent Jackson (on ground) knocks the ball out of Indiana's Dean Garrett (22) hands while Kurt Portman watches. Indiana won the game in triple overtimem 86-85.

DePaul over visiting Monmouth. start of the second half gave

field goal by reserve James Monmouth, 7-15, kept the score O'Shaughnessy gave DePaul an respectable until a 31-8 run at the 80-39 lead, it largest, with less than six minutes left.

The Hawks of the ECAC Metro

Conference fell apart in the second half, scoring only eight points in 11 minutes. Ernest Dix had 14 points and Ken Henry chipped in with 10.

For DePaul, 23-1, Rod Strickland scored 12 points and Stanley Brundy had 10. The Blue Demons have won seven straight since suffering their only loss, Jan. 25 against Georgetown.

No. 5 Temple 84, Duquesne 56 Nate Blackwell scored 24 points and Ramon Rivas had 14 points and 11 rebounds as Temple extended its winning streak to 13 games by routing Duquesne.

The Owls scored 17 consecutive points late in the first half to build a 44-23 halftime lead, then cruised to their 24th victory in their last 25 games to clinch a tie for the Atlantic 10 regular season title.

Jerome Dowdell came off the bench in the second half to score a career-high 14 points, including nine on three-point field goals.

No. 9 Syracuse 96, Villanova 82 Sherman Douglas scored 25 points, hitting 10-of-10 from the field, and Rony Seikaly and Derrick Coleman had 20 each as Svracuse overcame a 15-point deficit early in the second half to

Villanova outscored Syracuse 7-2 at the start of the second half to take a 55-40 lead. But Syracuse, led by Douglas, who scored 18 in the final half, and Seikaly and Coleman each with 13 in the last 20 minutes, rallied to finally move ahead, 74-73, with 5:39 left.

Once Syracuse got the lead on a pair of free throws by Douglas, the Orangemen outscored the Wildcats 22-9 the rest of the way.

Doug West led Villanova with 21 points and Harold Jensen had 19. No. 20 St. John's 63, Fairleigh **Dickinson 59** 

Marcus Broadnax hit a 15-foot jumper with 31 seconds left and Willie Glass added two free throws with seven seconds remaining as St. John's edged Fairleigh Dickinson at Madison Square Garden.

New York Yankees Don Mattingly, shown here in a file photo, won his arbitration case with the Yankees. The Yankees' slugger will receive almost two millions dollars a year.

# Yankees' slugger almost 2 million dollar man

**By The Associated Press** Don Mattingly of the New York

Yankees today was granted the after hitting .288 with 26 home runs largest salary arbitration award in the 13-year history of the procedure, winning a \$1.975 million one-year contract. The Yankees had offered \$1.7

million to Mattingly, their All-Star first baseman who had a .352 batting average last year with 113 RBI and 31 homers. Mattingly's case was heard Monday by arbitrator Arbid Anderson.

The previous highest arbitration award was the \$1.85 million granted to pitcher Jack Morris of the Detroit Tigers earlier this Outfielder Kevin McReynolds of

the New York Mets lost his arbitration case, while the other case heard Monday, that of St. Louis Cardinals pitcher Danny Cox, still was pending.

Mattingly and the Yankees avoided arbitration at the last minute a year ago when they agreed on a \$1.375 million contract. In a bid to settle before Monday's hearing, the team offered the slugger a two-year, \$3.5 million deal which Mattingly's agent, Jim Krivacs, rejected.

Mattingly, a Gold Glove winner, set set Yankee club records with 238 hits and 53 doubles last year. McReynolds, acquired by New

Remember.

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Grinning, he admitted he

liked the dramatic effect of

the late entrance. He also said

he didn't want the Midland

coach to know about Brad-

sher's absence until the last

"I'm real proud of our kids,

because they fought so hard.

They could have lost their

composure, but they didn't.

Mitchell Porter was outstan-

York from San Diego in December, was looking for an \$825,000 contract and 96 runs batted in for the Padres last year. The Mets countered at

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Cox, 12-13 with a 2.90 earned run average for the Cardinals last year, asked for \$875,000 while St. Louis came in at \$600,000.

Meanwhile, two pitchers, Cleveland's Ken Schrom and Ted Power of Cincinnati, lost their arbitration arguments, leaving management with 11 victories in the 18 cases decided so far.

Arbitrator Richard Bloch, who on Friday had awarded the \$1.85 million contract to Morris, chose the figures submitted by the clubs in the cases of Power and Schrom.

Power had sought \$610,000 after a 10-6 season with a 3.70 ERA in 56 games last year. He will play instead for the Reds' figure of \$500,000. Schrom, who wanted \$545,000 after going 14-7 with a 4.54 ERA in 34 games, was awarded the Indians' offer of \$450,000.

Among other players who settled their salary disputes before arbitration hearings were pitchers Dwight Gooden of the Mets, Mike Smithson of Minnesota and Bob James of the Chicago White Sox, and infielder Pat Tabler of the

# Malones cause trouble in NBA

By The Associated Press While the Boston Celtics were

having problems with Utah's Karl Malone, the Phoenix Suns had double Malone trouble. Karl Malone scored 25 points and

pulled down 15 rebounds and the Utah reserves outscored the Boston bench 56-6 as the Jazz and forced Phoenix into 27 defeated the Celtics 109-89 Monday Meanwhile, Jeff Malone tied his

season-high with 38 points and Brad Daugherty 21 while Cleveland Williams and Mike Gminski had 22 Patrick Ewing led New York with Moses Malone shook off the flu that kept him on the bench at the start of the game to score 36 and pull down a game-high 11 rebounds as the Washington Bullets beat the Phoenix Suns 124-110.

# NBA

"Malone was all over the boards and was running the fast break," Boston Coach K.C. Jones said.

We had trouble with both Malones," said Phoenix Coach John MacLeod.

Karl Malone scored seven points in the fourth quarter as Utah broke open a tight game, outscoring Boston 26-16. Darrell Griffith, who didn't play in the first quarter, added 23 points, including five 3-point goals, and Thurl Bailey had 18 while John Stockton dished out 17

Bullets 124, Suns 110 Moses Malone, who complained of dizziness before the game and sat out the first period, came off the bench to score nine points in the

second quarter while Jeff Malone 10,000-point career mark, helping McCormick had 19 points to lead added seven to give the Bullets a 60-49 halftime lead Moses added 12 points in the third period as Washington took an 89-76 lead.

Walter Davis paced Phoenix with 24 points and Larry Nance added 23 but Washington notched 18 steals

Cavaliers 105, SuperSonics 94 held high-scoring Tom Chambers and Xavier McDaniel to a combined 16 points in handing visiting

Seattle its sixth straight setback. Chambers, averaging 23.9 points, was held to 11. McDaniel, scoring at a 22.4 clip, did not score until 2:55 was left in the game and finished with five points. Dale Ellis led Seattle with 17 points, nearly seven below his average.

Rockets 105, Mavericks 100 Houston's Akeem Olajuwon scored 36 points and blocked a shot by Rolando Blackman with 13 seconds to play and Cedric Maxwell made four free throws in the final nine seconds as the thirdplace Rockets moved within five games of the first-place Mavericks in the Midwest Division.

Blackman, who scored 22 points, could have put Dallas back in the lead but Olajuwon's block kept Houston in front.

**Bucks 128, Nets 124** Sidney Moncrief, in his second game since returning from an injury, scored 20 points, 11 in the period, and passed the Milwaukee to its fifth straight victory, tying its longest streak of the season. The third-place Bucks are just

two games behind first first-place

Atlanta in the Central Division. The Nets have lost 10 of their last 11 games and 16 of 18.

apiece for visiting New Jersey.

Milwaukee Coach Don Nelson said he had planned to use Moncrief only the first five minutes of each quarter. He played 24 minutes.

Kings 124, Bulls 120 Sacramento's Eddie Johnson scored seven of his 17 points in overtime and Reggie Theus hit two clutch free throws with 12 seconds

remaining. Chicago's Michael Jordan, who led all scorers with 43 points, gave the Bulls a 120-119 lead on a pair of free throws with 1:31 left.

But Johnson put the visiting Kings ahead to stay at 121-120 on a 15-foot jumper with 56 seconds left and Theus, who scored 28 points, made his free throws when he was fouled by Jordan after LaSalle Thompson's steal.

Otis Thorpe led Sacramento with 29 points while Chicago's Dave Corzine of the Bulls had a season-high

76ers 111. Knicks 101 **Charles Barkley scored 17 points** and grabbed 19 rebounds while Tim

six Philadelphia players in double figures. With the score tied 20-20 in the first quarter, the 76ers ran off 10 consecutive points and never trailed thereafter.

**Maurice Cheeks and Roy Hinson** each had 18 points, Andrew Toney 15 and Erving 10 for Philadelphia. Ricky Pierce led Milwaukee with Erving did not play in the final 23 points while Cummings and Paul period because of a jammed mid-Ron Harper scored 28 points and Pressey each had 21. Buck dle finger on his right hand. 24 points.

Pacers 112, Warriors 93

Indiana used Chuck Person's 25 points and a club record 40-point first quarter to beat Golden State.

Indiana led 40-25 after the first quarter, including 12 of Vern Fleming's 18 points. Golden State got as close as 70-66 with 5:23 to go in the third quarter but the Pacers then boosted their lead to as much as 21 points remaining thanks to a 10-0 spurt, six by Person.

Trail Blazers 110, Clippers 105

Clyde Drexler tied his season high with 36 points and Jerome Kersey added 19 in place of the injured Kiki Vandeweghe. Although they had only eight healthy players due to Vandeweghe's back spasms and Michael Holton's bruised thigh, the Blazers stormed to a 19-point lead late in the second quarter.

Trailing 88-73 after three quarters, the Clippers opened the final period with an 18-3 run and Earl Cureton's layup with 7:28 left tied the game 91-91.

ding on the inside. He told me in practice he was going go do "He really came to play, and I thought Matt Brown was

a real positive. I thought that Matt really met the challenge tonight. And Dennis did a good job passing the ball. He's a clutch player. Me and him have had a whole lot of wins through the years," Brown said about Rhodes, his old point guard at Bryan High School.

"That was a tremendous show of support. I think the Hawks' nest (Dorothy Garrett Coliseum) could be a place where people could have a rough time if they keep doing

"I just hope this will be a spring board to something good. We can't have a letdown. Every night they've got to do it, but there's no telling what we can do," Brown said.

In the locker room, his players were screaming, "Waco, Waco!", where the regional playoffs will be.

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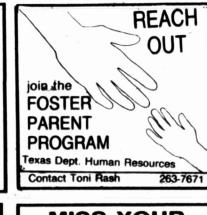
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# Chaps

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Barley and Walter Walker. With less than ten minutes remaining in the half, Brown inserted Rod Martin, a 6-1 whippet of a guard who had played sparingly during the year, and almost never doing crucial situations.

The skinny guard, nicknamed "Boo" by his teammates, responded with a three-pointer and a shake-and-bake layup in the lane to give the Hawks a 30-24 lead at the 7:20 mark. A minute later, Dennis Rhodes, the Hawks' 5-6 point guard, got his third foul, and Porter's third foul followed soon

Brown responded by slowing the game down, but with Rhodes and Porter on the bench, the Chaps took a 42-41 lead at the half.

The Hawks opened the second half with three turnovers, and it seemed the fears of the Hawks' fans might soon become reality. Though the crowd at Dorothy Garrett was perhaps the biggest of the year, they were slow in exploding, but with reason. The Chaps were probably just too big a hurdle for the undermanned Hawks, and the mood was one of doubt filled hope.

With 16:43 remaining, Walter Walker went down in a heap, and the Chaps' Billy Ray Smith grabbed the ball for an easy layup. With Walker writhing on the floor and holding his knee, Midland led 49.41 a and then assisted to Porter, and the

In the Hawks' locker room during halftime, Brown wrote on the chalkboard, "You have to believe." Early in the second half, down by nine, their belief in themselves was their only chance. With Walker recovering on the bench, Rhodes hit two three pointers, then found Billy Giggins in a seam in the Chaps' defense, and Giggins scored to knot the game at 49.

With 11:34 left, Porter got his fourth foul as Smith scored a bucket, and the Chaps led 59-56. Without Porter, who was cleaning the glass with a vengeance, the Hawks wouldn't have had much chance. Brown stayed with his hustling sophomore, and Porter responded with a put-in after an offensive rebound.

At the 7:20 mark, Bruce Mitchell tipped in a rebound to give the Hawks a 64-63 lead, and the Hawks' fans erupted. From this point on, the story was noise and an intense trading of buckets. The Hawks would score, the Chaps would score, back and forth, back and forth. Trailing by three, Brown took off in the air looking for a shot, but passed it off to Wright, who hit the layup and was fouled. The three-point play tied the game at

Rhodes made a twisting layup

Hawks led 73-70 with 2:15 left. At 1:53, Rhodes passed to Wright, who was fouled, and the Chaps called time. A standing ovation thundered on the Hawks, who were close to their biggest win of the year.

Wright canned both free throws, and the Hawks led 75-70. The Chaps' Todd Duncan, an ace shooter in the midst of an off night, swished a three-pointer to close the lead to two at 1:35. On the Hawks' possession, the ref called Rhodes for a charge at midcourt, and the Coliseum exploded with boos.

The Hawks' defense held, and Rhodes was fouled. He missed the front end of the one-and-one, and the Chaps dribbled down the court looking to tie the game. Duncan bombed another from three-point land, but this one missed, and Wright looked to be on a staircase as he lunged for the coveted rebound.

Again Rhodes was fouled, and this time he made one of two for a three-point lead. With 14 seconds remaining, Mickey Blalock scored inside to bring the Chaps within one. Midland fouled Wright after the inbounds, and the freshman hit his third and fourth foul shots of the final two minutes for a three point

When Midland missed on a final shot, fans swarmed onto the floor and the celebration started.

The Hawks improved to 14-12 overall and 7-6 in conference without Bradsher, who averaged 24 points a game, and Williams, who was averaging over 10 a game. Four Hawks scored in double figures. Wright led with 17 points, Porter followed with 16, and Walker and Rhodes each scored 12.

Wright and Porter also had double figures in rebounding. Wright grabbed 11 and Porter battled for 10. Walker, who returned to the game, had six rebounds. Brown dished out four assists, and backcourt mate Rhodes had nine assists and three steals.

Odessa defeated West Texas 83-77 last night, so the battle for the fourth and last playoff spot remains a struggle. Odessa is 6-6 in conference, a half game back, but they play Clarendon twice, while Howard must face South Plains twice, including Thursday night in Big Spring.

Until then, the Hawks can celebrate. Last night they did something really special.

34-12; Barley 1-1-4; Wright 5-7-17; Mitchell 1-2-4; Brown 3-0-6; Giggins 1-0-2; Martin 2-0-5; Porter 7-2-16. Totals: 25-18-78. Six three pointers.

MIDLAND (75) — Blalock 4-5-13; Minor 9-6-77. Paramet 0-0-0. Martin 3-0-0. HOWARD (78) — Rhodes 4-2-12; Walker 9-6-27; Barnett 0-0-0; Martin 0-0-0; Duncan 2-3-8; Sears 0-0-0; Stanwood 3-0-6; Smith

6-3-15. Henry 1-0-2; Jones 1-0-2; Nix 1-0-2.

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# WJCAC Standings

Here are the men's standings in the WJCAC. Season record is listed first, followed by conference record. South Plains Midland 23-3, 10-3 Odessa 15-10, 6-6 Clarendon 7-13, 3-8 Frank Phillips 10-16, 3-9 5-21, 2-12 MONDAY'S RESULTS South Plains 88 Clarendon 77: Frank Phillips 75, NMMI 73; Odessa 83, WTC 77; Howard 78, Midland College 75. THURSDAY'S GAMES

WTC at Midland College; South Plains at Howard; NMJC at NMMI; Odessa College

Here are the women's WJCAC standings. Season record is listed first, followed by conference record **Western Texas** South Plains Howard 17-8.5-4 Clarendon Frank Phillips New Mexico 8-18; 1-8 THURSDAY'S RESULTS Western Texas 80, Odessa 71; South Plains 63. Clarendon 55.

THURSDAY'S GAMES South Plains at Howard; Odessa College at

## State hoops llog

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) - Here is the **Texas Association of Basketball Coaches** Lubbock Avalanche-Journal final weekly high school basketball poll, with team records through Saturday's games and last week's ranking: GIRLS

1. Dallas South Oak Cliff 27-3 1 Port Arthur Jefferson 28-2 2 Austin Westlake 29-0 3 4. Duncanville 27-4 4 Longview 28-2 5

Tyler Lee 27-4 6 7. Plainview 22-6 7 North Mesquite 27-4 8 9. Huntsville 27-5 9 10. San Antonio Clark 26-4 10

CLASS 4A Levelland 29-1 1 McKinney 27-3 4 Canyon 28-2 2 Calallen 30-2 3 Stephenville 24-4 7 West Orange-Stark 20-6 6 7. Little Cypress-Mauriceville 22-7 8. Waco Midway 24-5 9 9. Big Spring 25-4 10 10. Fredericksburg 20-9

Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson 29-0 1 Mont Belvieu Barbers Hill 25-4 3 Brownsboro 30-0 4 5. New Boston 25-0 5 Ingleside 27-3 7 8. Slaton 25-4 8 9. Gilmer 26-2 9 10. Hillsboro 26-3 10

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9. Gregory-Portland 26-2 10

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Smithville 24-3 9

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10. Saltillo 25-5 10

1. Paducah 25-2 1

# **College Boxes**

At Rosemont, III. 6, Still 2-3 1-4 5, Palmer 0-3 0-0 0, Greene 1-3 0-0 2, Hinnant 3-4 2-4 8. Totals 23-58 7-12 53.

Golden 2-4 0-0 4, Greene 8-13 1-3 18, Comegys 3-8 2-2 8, Edwards 9-13 0-0 18, Strickland 5-7 1-1 12, Brundy 5-9 0-0 10. Laux 2-6 0-0 5, Holland 2-4 0-0 4, Sowell 2-4 0-1 4, Hamby 0-1 0-3 0, O'Shaughnessy 1-3 Tune 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 40-74 4-10 88 Halftime-DePaul 43 Monmouth, N.J.

30. Three-point goals-Monmouth, N.J. 0-3 (Henry 0-1, Matthews 0-1, Palmer 0-1) DePaul 4-9 (Greene 1-2, Strickland 1-1, Laux 1-4, O'Shaughnessy 1-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Monmouth, N.J. 29 (Dix 7), DePaul 46 (Comegys 9). Assists—Monmouth, N.J. 14 (Palmer 6), DePaul 28 (Strickland 8). Total fouls-Monmouth, N.J. 14, DePaul 12.

At Madison, Wis. INDIANA (86)

Calloway 3-5 1-1 7, Thomas 7-10 3-5 17, 4-19 3-4 13. Evl 3-4 2-3 8. Hillman 0-1 0-0 0. Meier 2-4 1-3 5, Freeman 0-1 0-0 0, Smith 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 32-71 20-28 86. WISCONSIN (85) Portmann 1-3 0-0 2, Molaski 1-2 2-2 4,

Weber 8-14 4-6 20, Jackson 7-10 3-4 18, Heineman 7-13 3-3 20, Ripley 3-4 3-5 10, Smith 3-6 0-2 7, Jones 1-2 2-2 4, Schubring 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 31-54 17-24 85. Halftime-Wisconsin 32, Indiana 31 Regulation 62-62. 1st overtime 70-70. 2nd overtime 79-79. 3-point goals—Indiana 2-11 (Alford 2-11), Wisconsin 6-9 (Jackson 1-1,

Heineman 3-6, Ripley 1-1, Smith 1-1). Re-bounds—Indiana 42 (Garrett 11), Wisconsin 31 (Weber 10). Assists-Indiana 19 (Freeman 7), Wisconsin 23 (Molaski 7) Total fouls-Indiana 22, Wisconsin 22 Fouled out-Calloway, Thomas, Weber.

# **College Hoops**

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Westminster, Pa. 70, Clarion 64 Wheeling 71, Fairmont St. 70 Yeshiva 67, Stevens Tech 61 York, Pa. 113, Penn St.-Harrisburg 62 SOUTH

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# **NBA Boxes**

At Richfield, Ohio SEATTLE (94)

Chambers 3-13 5-5 11, McDaniel 2-10 1-2 5, Lister 5-13 3-4 13, Ellis 8-20 1-2 17, McMillan 2-3 0-0 4, Lucas 3-7 2-3 8, Young 2-4 1-2 6, Stansbury 0-1 0-0 0, Phelps 3-3 0-0 6, Johnson 0-0 1-2 1, K. Williams 6-10 3-4 15, Schoene 4-7 0-0 8. Totals 38-91 17-24 94. 

15, Daugherty 7-13 7-10 21, Ehlo 2-5 3-4 7, Harper 13-19 2-3 28, West 0-2 0-0 0, Bagley 0-1 0-0 0, Price 1-3 2-2 4, Turpin 0-2 0-0 0, Corbin 0-3 3-6 3, Lee 4-6 0-0 8, Newman 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 40-79 25-34 105. 

.24.25.28.28-105 3-Point goal-Young. Fouled out-None. Rebounds-Seattle 57 (Lister 14), Cleveland 51 (Ehlo 11). Assists—Seattle 19 (Young 8), Cleveland 24 (Ehlo 9). Total fouls—Seattle 30, Cleveland 20. A-12,163.

At Indianapolis GOLDEN STATE (93) McDonald 4-5 0-0 8, L. Smith 5-9 0-0 10.

Carroll 6-18 1-1 13, Floyd 3-9 0-0 6, Mullin 4-6 0-2 9, Short 7-13 2-2 16, Teagle 2-10 0-0 4, Ballard 5-11 0-0 10, Moss 2-3 0-0 4, Whitehead 5-10 3-4 13, Henderson 0-0 0-0 0, Higgins 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 43-94 6-9 93. INDIANA (112) Person 10-19 5-6 25, H. Williams 7-12 3-3

18, Long 6-11 7-8 19, Tisdale 4-9 4-6 12, Macy 3-5 0-0 6, Richardson 3-5 0-0 6, Anderson 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 43-84 26-30 112. Golden State .......25.24.29.15-.93 Rebounds-Golden State 44 (L. Smith 13),

17. Stipanovich 2-7 3-3 7, Fleming 7-14 4-4

Indiana 55 (Person, H. Williams 10). Assists—Golden State 26 (Floyd 12), Indiana 29 (Fleming, Long, Macy 5). Total fouls— Golden State 22, Indiana 16. A-9,012. At New York PHILADELPHIA (111)

Barkley 5-12 7-9 17, Hinson 8-13 2-2 18, McCormick 6-9 7-10 19, Cheeks 7-13 4-7 18, Erving 5-9 0-0 10, Vranes 2-3 1-2 5, Toney 5-7 4-5 15, Wingate 3-7 3-4 9. Totals 41-73 28-39 NEW YORK (101) Cartwright 5-8 1-2 11, Walker 7-12 4-4 18, Ewing 11-24 2-5 24, Henderson 5-6 2-2 12,

Wilkins 9-22 0-1 19, Tucker 4-7 0-0 10, McNealy 0-1 2-2 2, Sparrow 0-1 0-1 0, Cummings 0-0 0-0 0, Oldham 2-2 1-2 5 Totals 43-83 12-19 101. . 32.33.21.25-111 3-Point goals—Toney, Tucker 2, Wilkins Four 1 - 4 out - Walter 1, Re-bounds—Philadelphia 53 (Barkley 19), New York 37 (Ewing 9). Assists Philadelphia 20 (Cheeks 5), New

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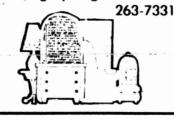
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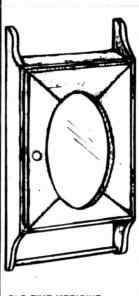
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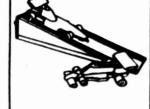
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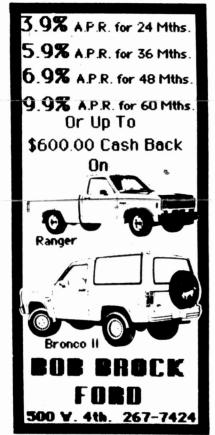
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ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) A new contact has the knowledge that can be helpful to you, so cultivate this person. Be tactful. TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) You can keep the prom-

ises you have made in a most wise manner. Don't per-

mit anything to disturb you.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) An associate shows you how to gain a cherished desire. A friend later tries to change your plans, but hold your ground.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) You can pro-

duce more at your job than usual. Later you find civic

matters need your attention. LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Get some amusement or romance set up. Be very cooperative tonight and study

something worthwhile.
VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Talk over with family members your practical matters. Get together with in-

fluential people and learn a good deal.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Be certain to get important letters out before you get together with associates. Have some fun tonight.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Get some financial or property affair settled. Plan for a greater abundance in

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Get into some personal activities that can be beneficial to you. Be with

congenials tonight. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Rid yourself of a problematical affair. Later please your family with the

aid of a bigwig.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Get in touch with a dynamic person you know. Plan a trip that will be

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Today is the best time to handle some worldly affair. Be happy with the one you love tonight.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will have every ability to understand the problems of others and be able to help them to get the right solutions to them. Upon reaching maturity your progeny will want to make a sudden change, but this soon passes and he, or she, is willing to work hard.

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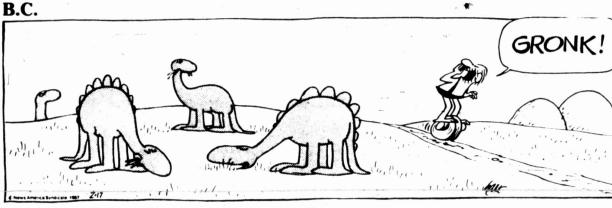
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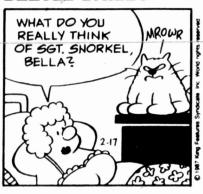
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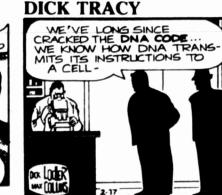


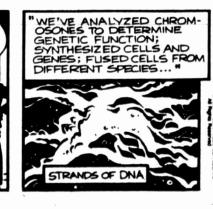
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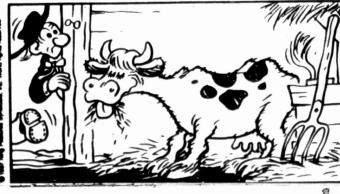












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# State

By the Associated Press

# Lawmaker says build more prisons

**TENNESSEE** COLONY — Tex- this year. ans must decide whether they are willing to pay for more prisons or release convicts currently behind bars, says the chairman of the House Corrections Committee.

"There are only two alternatives," said Rep. Allen Hightower, who accompanied Speaker Gib Lewis and 16 other House committee chairmen on a tour of four prison units Monday.

"We build more prisons and do a better job of parole and probation, or we turn prisoners out,' Hightower, D-Huntsville, said.

During their day-long tour, the lawmakers got a first-hand look at the state's filled-to-capacity prison talk with inmates and top officials of the Texas Department of Corrections.

They visited the construction site of a 2,250-bed prison scheduled to open this summer, but several said the new unit won't end the crowding crisis that has closed the

We should be building two of these right now," said Rep. Al Luna, D-Houston, of the \$67 million Mark W. Michael unit that officials said should open by July.

The the prison population has continued to expand while courtordered reforms are reducing inmate population at some prisons.

Hightower noted that legislatiton introduced to impose tougher sentences and stop the early release of inmates will, if passed, add to the pressure on a prison system already under court supervision.

"They're just plugging in the numbers to build more and more system, where they were able to and more of these (prisons)," he

> Jim Lynaugh, acting director of the Texas Department of Corrections, said the prison system that was closed last week should reopen today.

But the problem of too many inprison system's gates three times mates and too few cells remains.

# Alamo City prepares for papal visit

SAN ANTONIO - A 144-acre cluding clearing the land, building tract of rolling West Bexar County land described by one priest as "like a part of the hills of Galilee" has been selected as the site where Pope John Paul II will celebrate

Mass during a Sept. 13 visit. The pope is scheduled to make a 22-hour stopover in San Antonio as part of a 10-city U.S. tour.

Selection of the undeveloped land, honed by nature into a large amphitheater, was announced during a news conference Monday.

Wild grasses and holly shrubs cover much of the land, which slopes about 15 degrees from the site's low point.

But by next fall, when the pope arrives, the site will be covered with grass "like one big football

field," a developer said. An estimated \$750,000 will be spent to prepare the site - in-

a temporary altar and making other preparations for the expected throng of at least 500,000 people expected.

'We want to create a sacred space so that when people come there they know they're there to celebrate with the Holy Father - a Mass of thanksgiving, a Mass asking God's blessings upon our state and nation and world," said Father Lawrence Stuebben, Texas coordinator for the papal visit.

Private vehicles will be prohibited in the vicinity of the site. Instead, officials plan to implement a park-and-ride system in which about 1,000 city and school buses will be used.

The site is near Interstate 410, Loop 1604 and a new West Side Expressway scheduled to open in

# Study: alien law won't affect funds

the new federal immigration act indicates there will be little change in

state funding for illegal aliens. The report by the Texas House Research Organization said public schools in Texas already enroll the children of illegal aliens. As a result, there should be no added costs to education, the state's big-

gest expenditure, the report said. In addition, the immigration law passed Nov. 6 provides for federal payments to state and local governments to help cover costs of services to newly legalized

residents. The report said that while longterm implications cannot be job market, capital investments measured, there are indications and voting patterns unless it is

AUSTIN — A legislative study of mediate impact on state finances and the state's economy.

The new law grants temporary legal status to illegal aliens who have lived in the United States since Jan. 1, 1982 and levies fines against employers who knowingly hire illegal aliens.

The report said the employer sanctions could cause major changes in the Texas work force, depending on how vigorously the immigration service enforces the

The study said Gov. Bill Clements predicts the law will force major changes in the Texas the new law will have no im- amended substantially.

# Group proposes truck deregulation

AUSTIN — A group of Senate and ed rates. House members proposed that motor truck rates within the state be deregulated.

one of the authors of the Motor Carrier Competition Act, said Monday.

"We must not let the single, narrow-interest trucking lobby stifle the Texas economy any longer," said Rep. Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi. "It is time to change to free enterprise."

Others appearing at the news conference were Sen. Chet Edwards, D-Duncanville, and Rep. Bill Hammond, R-Dallas.

in both houses would let the Texas Shreveport, La., and Little Rock, Railroad Commission set rates, but Ark., because of Texas' nonintrastate truckers would be allow- competitive intrastate trucking ed to charge less than the establish-rates.

Congress deregulated interstate trucking in 1980.

As a result, Caperton said, "pic-Texans are being badly goug- ture frames made in Taylor can be ed," Sen. Kent Caperton, D-Bryan, shipped all the way to Illinois for the same or less than they can be delivered to Palestine, Texas.'

> "Trucking competition will stimulate the Texas economy, encourage businesses to locate here and help keep down the price of food and at the same time allow Texas farmers to compete more fairly with out-of-state farmers,' said Edwards.

Hammond said the Dallas-Fort The proposed change introduced Worth area has lost business to

# Drugs found under watermelon load

McALLEN - In 11 separate The driver of the truck was arcases, law officers seized 1,462 rested pending a hearing before a pounds of marijuana in the Rio magistrate today, authorities said. Grande Valley over the weekend, officials said.

The haul included 1,100 pounds of the drug hidden beneath a load of watermelons, authorities said Monday.

Acting on a tip, U.S. Customs officers found marijuana in a 200 pounds would really be tractor-trailer rig Saturday night something big. Now we have five, on a highway outside Edinburg. six, eight cases a day.

The drug was found underneath a load of watermelons, officials said. "It was a normal weekend. We

do this daily, really," said Juan Garcia, assistant chief of the McAllen sector of the Border Patrol. "It used to be 800 pounds or

# Clements speaks on partisanship

AUSTIN - Gov. Bill Clements have not." says Democrats in the Legislature would be more helpful solving the state's economic woes if they would work at it from a nonpartisan angle.

"I have repeatedly called on members of the Legislature to shun partisan politics and work together to solve these problems," Clements told the Southwestern Dairy Industry Conference on Monday. "Some have listened and some

Later Clements told reporters he was more "amused" than "irritated" by Democratic criticism

of his budget request. Last Thursday, Democratic senators gave their formal response to Clements' call for taxes within the expected 1988-89 revenue estimates.

Clements said Monday his critics were trying to sell Texans on a \$6 billion tax bill.

# Car owners recount sour experiences

LATONIA, Ky. (AP) — Their cars have leaked floods of fluids, died dozens of deaths, and made more trips to the garage than to the grocery store. Now, the owners of such lemons are uniting to show displeasure to automakers.

About 30 people turned out Monday night for the initial meeting of the American Lemon Club, a grassroots effort to put the squeeze on automakers who put clunkers on the road.

'It's really tough to try to fight them, especially if you're doing it alone," said co-founder Pat Trimble of Silver Grove. "I think from now on, they're going to get the message."

Their message: end the horror stories like those shared Monday

'The story of my life is trying to get a car that will run," lamented Pat Willman, 40, of Ludlow, who listed a litany of problems with his

Mark Owen of Dayton, said he bought a 2-year-old used car from a dealer and immediately got a taste of what to expect.

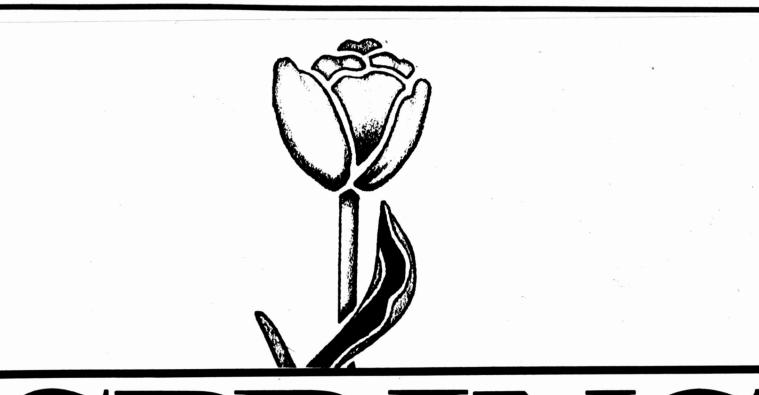
"It turned out to be a lemon," Owen said. "He gave me a complimentary tank of gas. As soon as I got it home, it was leaking all over the driveway.

Ms. Trimble said more than 300 people from around the country and Canada have contacted the organization since it was formed last fall. The Lemon Club hopes to help owners of troubled cars pressure automakers into making necessary repairs or replacing the



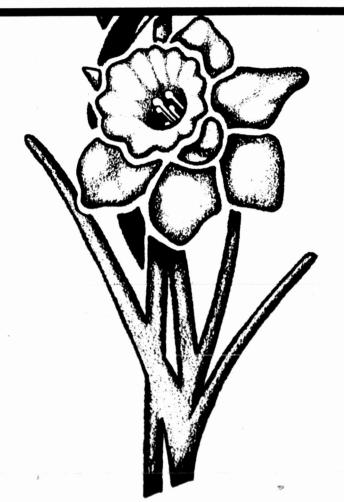
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Mark Owen, of Dayton, Ky., expresses his dissatisfaction with his car problems at the first meeting Monday night of the organization called the American Lemon Club.



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