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Local weather

Forecast for the Big Spring area: Sunny Friday. Clear and not as cold tonight. Highs mid to upper 60s Friday. Lows tonight from the mid 20s to lower 30s. The high for Wednesday was 62 and 77 was the low.



Soviets no longer jamming airwaves

By DAVID BRISCOE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — After 38 years of continuous Soviet jamming of Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty, millions of people in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union are now getting "loud and clear" news programming from the West about their own cultures.

Word that the more than 2,000 jamming transmitters in Russia, other Soviet states and Afghanistan had shut down spread through Europe on Wednesday as shortwave radio operators discovered the annoying, raspy hum of Soviet interference was no longer heard over U.S., West German, Israeli or other broadcasts.

"The hum is gone," announced Malcolm S. Forbes Jr., chairman of the Board for Overseas Broadcasting, which directs the \$200 million-a-year U.S. broadcasting effort based in Europe. "We think this is a very significant move by the Soviet Union," Forbes said at a news conference.

Future programming aimed at the services' estimated 55 million listeners could now include more music, fewer repeated programs and such new features as call-in talk shows, officials said.

Forbes said radio engineers who had developed sophisticated techniques for overriding the jamming were surprised by the development, although there had been some subtle signs of change during a recent visit by U.S. broadcast executives to Moscow in September.

He said the action could bring significant savings to the economically hard-pressed Soviets, who officials estimate spend up to \$1.25 billion a year on jamming.

Moscow made no announcement before or after turning off its equipment.

The European operations are run separately from the Voice of America and are aimed solely at the Soviet bloc. Soviet jamming of VOA transmissions stopped in 1987 and VOA now has a bureau in Moscow.

VOA covers much broader world news and more U.S. affairs than Radio Free Europe or Radio Liberty, which have been

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Without knowing whose entry they were considering, judges of a recent Thanksgiving drawing and coloring contest gave the two first place awards to members of the same family — Vickie Weaver and her son Chris. The contest was sponsored by Cosden Federal Credit Union, Fina and the Big Spring Herald. Vickie was the winner in the free-hand drawing category, receiving \$50 for her effort, while her nine-year old son was the winner of the coloring contest, taking home \$25.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Jurors to face homicide case

By SARAH LUMAN
Staff Writer

District Attorney Rick Hamby will present cases to three separate grand juries next week, including one resubmitted to hear a homicide case.

Hamby said today his office will present cases to the Glasscock County grand jury on Monday, then spend Tuesday and Wednesday with the regular Howard County grand jury. On Thursday, he said, a special session of an August grand jury will return to hear a homicide case involving a former Big Spring police officer.

A Glasscock County grand jury will meet first, Hamby said, with that session in Garden City expected to last only one day and cover "half a dozen" cases.

"I'm counting on finishing Monday down there. I need everybody back here Tuesday." He said his office will present a "low average" case load to the regular Howard County grand jury, which will hear "between 35 and 40 cases."

That panel will meet Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday, Hamby said, the grand jurors from an August panel will be resubmitted to hear evidence in the slaying of Caryle Dunn, 25, shot to death April 12.

Her husband, former Big Spring police officer Dennis C. Dunn, 39, was charged with involuntary manslaughter in the shooting and released on \$90,000 bond within hours.

A shooting incident at the couple's 2325 Ent Drive home wounded Mrs. Dunn. Dunn drove her to Scenic Mountain Medical Center after the 10:30 p.m. incident.

Mrs. Dunn was pronounced dead at 11:50 p.m. by Howard County justice of the peace Willie Grant, who ordered an autopsy. Its results indicated Mrs. Dunn died of massive heart damage caused by a single gunshot wound to the chest.

Dunn was arrested at the hospital on what Police Chief Joe Cook called a preliminary charge of involuntary manslaughter. He was released on \$90,000 bond at approximately 7 a.m. April 13, according to Howard County Sheriff's Department records.

Suspended from the police department after his arrest in the slaying, Dunn was arrested April 25 on charges of public intoxication after police were called to a reported disturbance in a tavern. Cook announced that Dunn had been terminated from the police department April 28.

After Dunn was injured in a one-vehicle accident near Pampa in the Texas Panhandle, authorities in Pampa said charges of driving while intoxicated were expected to be filed. Dunn was believed residing in the Amarillo area when the case was first taken to the grand jury, Hamby said at that time.

Tuesday, the district attorney said the August grand jury will return "to hear that case and that case only."

A key witness in the case, Texas Ranger Joe Sanders of the Midland Department of Public Safety office, was unavailable to testify in August, Hamby explained today. He also noted that "the grand jury asked for several other things to be done before they could reach a decision."

"Mr. Sanders will be here, and it is imperative that the grand jury be able to hear him," Hamby said. "He has worked so hard on this case, and he will be explaining the investigation he has done, the statements he's taken and evidence he's found."

"We will take that case to the grand jury just as we do all cases," Hamby said. "The police department puts the (involuntary manslaughter) label on the case, GRAND JURY page 3-A

U.S. not budging on Arafat visa despite U.N. vote

By PETER JAMES SPIELMANN
Associated Press Writer

UNITED NATIONS — The General Assembly voted 151-2 to condemn the United States for not letting Yasser Arafat enter the country and gave it until today to reverse the decision. U.S. officials said they would not budge.

If Arafat, the PLO chairman, is not granted a U.S. visa, Arab nations will offer a resolution to reconvene the General Assembly in Geneva so Arafat can address it. Diplomats said passage was

assured.

The United States and Israel opposed Wednesday's condemnation. Britain abstained because it said the criticism was too harsh, but all other U.S. allies supported the denunciation.

The vote was conducted in a rare and dramatic roll call, requested by Jordan.

In a departure from the standard electronic voting, delegates voted in the official U.N. languages: Arabic, English, Chinese, French, Russian and Spanish. They called

out "Na'm," "Yes," "Zan Cheng," "Oui," "Da," "Si," and in the case of Israel and the United States, "No."

Absent from the roll call were Dominica, Grenada, Paraguay, St. Kitts, Nevis, and South Africa.

The resolution asked U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar to inform the General Assembly by tonight of the U.S. response. Secretary of State George P. Shultz said the United States would not change its mind. The State Department denied

Arafat a visa on security grounds, saying he condones and encourages terrorism perpetrated by the Palestine Liberation Organization.

Arafat had said he wanted to explain to the General Assembly the position taken by the Palestine National Council in its recent meeting in Algiers. The council — the PLO's parliament in exile — implicitly recognized Israel's right to exist, accepting key U.N. resolutions on the Middle East calling for negotiations with states in the region.

Iraqi Ambassador Ismat Kittani said if Arafat does not receive a visa, "it will constitute a grievous blow to the process of peace in the Middle East."

"I feel very pained to see that the United States is the odd couple with Israel in the United Nations," said Clovis Maksud, ambassador of the Arab League, which sponsored the resolution.

"We are hopeful the international outcry against the U.S. position will jolt the subsequent U.S. U.N. VOTE page 3-A

Pet sleuth learns business acumen

SPokane, Wash. (AP) — Making Lassie come home for fun and profit seemed like a good idea to Richard Calvin, 32, founder of an animal retrieval service called American Pet Club.

Last spring he decided to give up an electronics career after hitting on the idea of charging a flat fee of \$20 for each lost Fido, Kitty or Tweety Pie he could reunite with the owner.

"It's such a heartwarming experience, matching pets with their owners," he said. "It's still a wonderful thing to see, even with all the jerks I run across."

In fact, he says he has been successful in more than 50 cases since August but adds, "I already have \$440 in bad accounts."

In one case, he found the family dog for a frantic woman, "but when I called and said I was coming out to get my check the (husband) said, 'Fine. You step on my property and you'll wind up leaving on a stretcher.'" Calvin said.

"Sure, when their pets are missing, people would give their eye teeth to get them back," he said, "but as soon as their babies come home, so many of them turn totally two-faced. It's really distressing."

His solution? Abandon the honor system and demand payment before giving an owner the location

of the missing pet.

"If my information turns out to be bad, then I will gladly refund the money," Calvin said, "but like anything else in this world, it all comes down to dollars and cents."

To become a pet sleuth, he placed newspaper advertisements giving the business name and phone number.

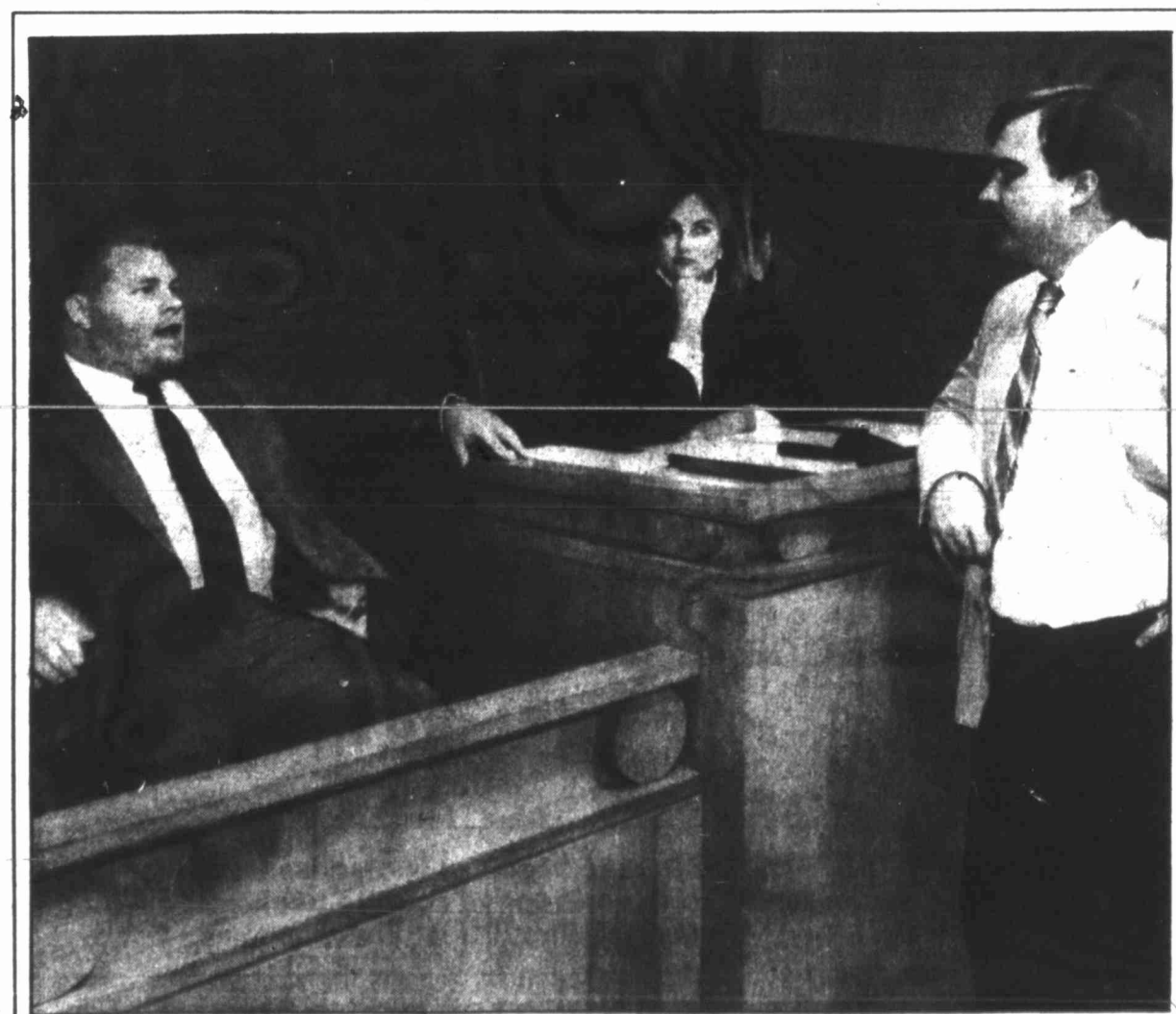
After getting a description of the missing pet, he compares notes with all available descriptions of animals that have been found, visiting area animal shelters daily and scanning lost-and-found ads.

He never handles the animals, serving merely as a link between those who lose pets and those who find the wayward creatures.

Sometimes he is contacted first by the finder, like the person who found a 1-year-old cocker spaniel bearing a rabies tag with a Texas identification number.

After a few long-distance calls, Calvin reached a veterinarian who identified the owners as Terry and Kelleen Little, who had just moved to the area from Odessa, Texas. A call to directory assistance got him their phone number, and Caleb was reunited with the Littles within hours.

"We had tried everything," Ms. Little said. "We never would have gotten Caleb back any other way."



John Graham Whitfield (played by Larson Lloyd, left) responds to a question posed to him by Defense Attorney Stevens (Jean Shotts) as Judge Heath (Cloetta Shotts) listens. The Spring

City Theatre players will present "The Night of January 16th" at 8 p.m. today through Saturday in the 118th District Courtroom on the third floor of the courthouse.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Audience will decide play's fate

HERALD STAFF REPORT

"The Night of January 16th," a courtroom drama written by Ayn Rand, will be presented by Spring City Theatre tonight, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. in the 118th District Courtroom on the third floor of the County Courthouse.

The play dramatizes a murder trial, but does not include a pre-arranged verdict. The jurors — to be selected from the audience via a random drawing — will observe the play from the jury box and deliver a verdict at the end of the play. The verdict will dictate which of the two endings the cast will perform.

Famous people who have served on the jury during past professional performances of the play include: Jack Dempsey, Babe Ruth and Helen Keller.

Spring City Theatre cast members appearing in the play are: Sharon Justice, Dennis Gahagan, Cindy Appel, Hardy Wilkerson, Jean Shotts, Debra Reid, Angela Way, Cindy Mitts, Barbara Danley, Mary Gahagan, Ricky Mitchell, Roger Lloyd, Charista Martin and Mack Wofford.

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Third teen in custody in border death

MARFA (AP) — Mexican police have taken a third teen-ager into custody in connection with a sniper attack on a trio of Rio Grande white-water rafters, authorities say.

The boy was being questioned Wednesday evening and had not been charged, said Hugh Rushton, the U.S. Border Patrol's chief agent in Marfa. Rushton and Presidio County chief deputy Steve Bailey said they didn't know the boy's age, but that he was under 17.

Rushton said the Border Patrol talked with the boy's father Tuesday and persuaded him to have the suspect give himself up. The father is a ranch hand in the United States.

The boy was one of two suspects police on both sides of the border had been looking for since arresting and questioning two other teen-agers Tuesday, Rushton said. Two of the suspects are jailed in Mexico; the other is in the United States.

All three boys in custody are suspected of taking part in a sniper attack on three rafters Nov. 19, police said. Michael Heffley, 40, of Eastland, died in the attack. His wife, Jamie, and river guide Jim Burr were injured. Police said the teen-agers carried out the attack on a whim.

The three victims were rafting through Colorado Canyon, about 22 miles east of Redford, when assailants on the 300-foot canyon rim on the Mexican side began shooting at them, the survivors said. Burr was shot in the right thigh, and Heffley was shot once in the back as he dragged his wife to safety after she had been shot in her left side and left shoulder.

Police acting on a tip arrested the first two suspects Tuesday and charged them with murder, police said.

Presidio County sheriff's deputies arrested Eduardo Rodriguez Pineda, 17, about 8:30 a.m. Tuesday at his home east of the Big Bend village of Redford, Sheriff Rick Thompson said.

The other boy, an unidentified 16-year-old, was arrested Tuesday by Mexican police near the town of El Mulato, about 15 miles south of the canyon where the shooting took place.

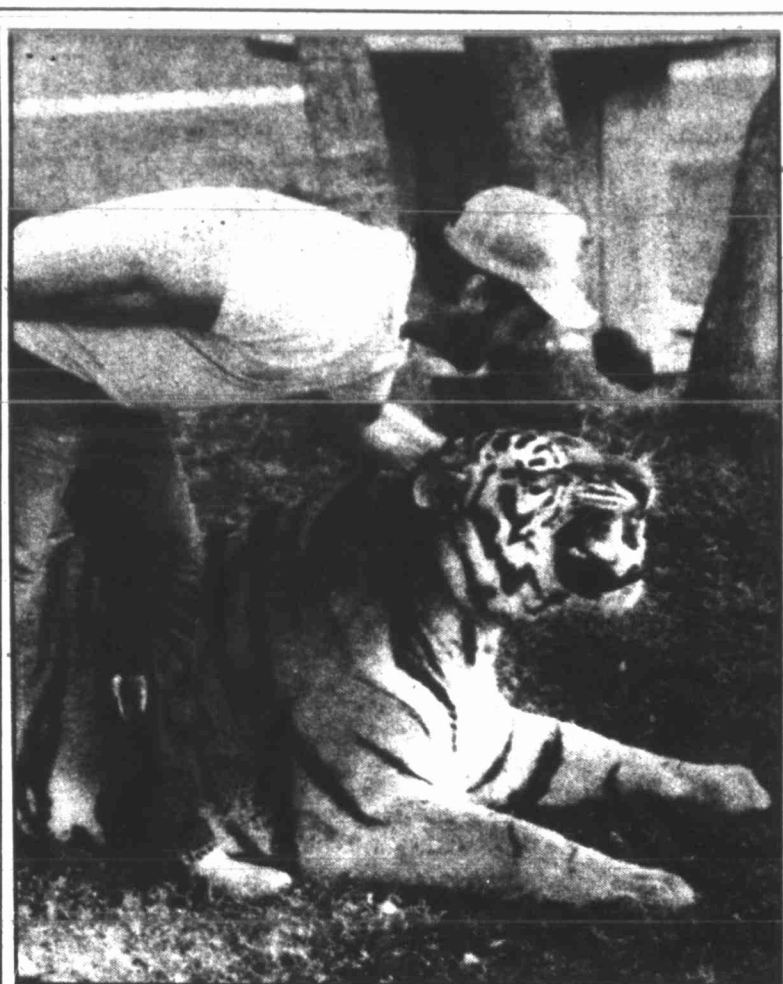
Rodriguez, a Mexican citizen and a resident alien of the United States, was jailed in lieu of \$50,000 bail, police said.

Mexicans go by their paternal names, which are placed before their maternal names. The sheriff's office on Tuesday identified their suspect as Eduardo Pineda Rodriguez, but Rushton said the department had switched the last two names for filing purposes.

The youth arrested Wednesday was delivered by his father to the state police office in Ojinaga, Rushton said.

The two suspects in Mexican custody have implicated Rodriguez, Rushton said.

Police on both sides of the border continued searching Wednesday for the fourth suspect.



Under investigation

ALVIN — John Bush with Tony, a 2-year old Siberian tiger. Bush and a veterinarian are under investigation by federal officials to determine whether the killing of the 800-pound tiger violated the federal Endangered Species Act. Tony was put to death Monday after neighbors complained it roamed around in their back yards last week and killed a chicken. Area residents expressed shock at the killing and said they just wanted the declawed tiger out of the neighborhood.

Associated Press photo

Convicted murderer insists he's innocent

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — A man convicted of slaying his former girlfriend and three of her siblings says it was two mysterious, long-haired men who stabbed the four family members to death.

Leo Narvaiz Jr., 20, in his first extensive interview since the April 15 slayings, said from Texas' death row Wednesday, that he was wounded by one of two men who did the killings.

Narvaiz, who arrived last week on death row after being sentenced to death last month, acknowledged being at the mobile home where Shannon Mann, 17, her sisters Jennifer, 19, Martha, 15, and brother Ernest, 11, were stabbed to death.

"I wouldn't be that dumb to kill four people," he said. "All I admitted was I was at the scene of the crime. I didn't have any part of it. I know there's a lot of people that think I actually did it, but I'm innocent."

The four Mann children were brutally stabbed. Some of the knife blades were broken and still embedded in the bodies, which were scattered throughout the Manns' mobile home. Authorities have described the scene as the worst in Bexar County history.

Narvaiz, his voice wavering at times, said he has nightmares about the slayings.

Narvaiz said he had been drinking at a friend's house and had downed perhaps three six-packs of beer and had smoked some marijuana when he left about midnight

to go shoot pool. "I was still in my right stage of mind," he said. "I can handle it. I only drink on weekends."

On the way to the pool hall, he said a man he knew as "Joe" and another unidentified man asked if he knew where the Manns recently had moved.

He said the two dropped him off to get some cigarettes and his girlfriend, Shannon, let him in.

A few minutes later, the men, whom he described as Hispanics with shoulder-length hair, beards and tattoos, returned.

"It all just started happening," Narvaiz said. "They were going crazy. I tried to defend myself. That's how I got stabbed."

He said as one of the men was stabbing Shannon, he fled outside and into some nearby woods.

"He would have killed me next but my girlfriend got in the way," he said. "She was saying to run and I ran."

"I messed up by not calling the cops. I panicked and I ran. I ran and ran and ran. It was like a nightmare to me."

"I don't like the situation that I'm in — that everyone thinks I'm a killer. I cry myself when they call me on TV a mass killer."

The revelation from Narvaiz is just a twist on several versions of the story he told authorities, said Beth Taylor, an assistant Bexar County district attorney, who handled the case.

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Methodist Church -"The Living Christmas Tree", December 10 -11-12, 7:30 p.m. Free tickets now available at Church office.

FAMILY Pack Special! Drive thru and call - in orders welcome. Hickory House, 1611 East 4th, 267-8921.

TOYS for Tots Run. Sponsored by The Big Spring Harley Owners Group (Hog) December 3, Noon to 3:00 p.m. Everyone welcome! If you wish to donate a toy for the underprivileged, call 263-2322 between noon and 3:00 p.m. Saturday, December 3 and will ride over and pick it up or you can bring it by the Harley Davidson Shop, 908 West 3rd, anytime this

week. Come on Big Spring, show your support! Give a toy for tot!

GINGERBREAD House making party! December 3, Big Spring Mall -Come by Gale's Cakes and Cookies for entry forms. Deadline December 1.

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Business

Nabisco takeover is biggest ever

NEW YORK (AP) — A top buyout firm won the tumultuous war for RJR Nabisco with the biggest takeover on record, a \$24.53 billion offer that derailed a rival bid by Nabisco executives who triggered the bidding frenzy.

RJR Nabisco Inc. directors approved the \$109-a-share offer by Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. Inc. late Wednesday, capping a day of frantic, confusing maneuvering in the auction of the cigarette-and-food giant.

A member of the competing investment group led by RJR chief executive officer F. Ross Johnson said their last-minute offer — \$25.42 billion or \$112 per share — had been higher, but suggested the group had been cheated by an unfair bidding process.

The value of Kohlberg's offer for America's 19th largest industrial company was nearly double the old takeover record, \$13.4 billion for Gulf Corp. in 1984.

Although the Johnson group's offer appeared to be higher, RJR said its board of directors concluded Kohlberg's offer was substantially equal. Kohlberg's offer per share broke down to \$81 in cash, \$18 in stock and additional securities worth \$10, RJR said.

"The Board of Directors of RJR Nabisco, by unanimous vote of all directors present, adopted the KKR offer as being in the best interest of the company and its shareholders," the company said. RJR did not say exactly why Kohlberg's offer prevailed.

The breakdown of the Johnson group's bid was not disclosed, but Shearson Lehman Hutton, the Wall Street firm that was one of its key financial partners, said, "From what we know, our bid was the best."

"We are mystified about the process and the standards that the board used to reach its decision," it said in a statement. "We are going to continue to keep our options open. We believe the RJR shareholders will have a lot of questions as well."

Kohlberg, the undisputed leader in buying companies with borrowed money in deals known as leveraged buyouts, said it was happy with the outcome.

"We are also pleased that this process has come to an end so that the employees of RJR, its consumers and suppliers and the communities it serves, can be assured that business will now return to normal and stability will be restored," Kohlberg's two principals, Henry R. Kravis and George Roberts, said in a statement.

However, the deal raised the prospect that some businesses in one of America's biggest consumer product companies might be sold to help Kohlberg pay for its prize.

Kohlberg gave no indication which of RJR's worldwide operations might be discarded. There was speculation that candidates could include some or all of RJR's food businesses. RJR's tobacco business roots still account for about 40 percent of its sales.

Atlanta-based RJR is one of the largest consumer products companies, with more than 120,000 employees worldwide. Its brands include such well-known products as Camel cigarettes, Shredded Wheat and Life Savers.

The deal's size and complexity have raised major questions about whether the frenzied level of leveraged buyouts and debt-financed restructurings has gone too far in transforming much of corporate America.

The deal also signaled a spectacular defeat for Johnson, whose group began the struggle to take the company private with a \$75-a-share offer on Oct. 20 that was raised five times.

The Atlanta Constitution reported today that Kohlberg would install RJR's former chairman and chief executive officer, J. Paul Sticht, in the top post for a few months to smooth the transition. The newspaper said Kohlberg would move the company's corporate headquarters back to Winston-Salem, N.C.

In heavy New York Stock Exchange trading Wednesday, RJR stock shot up \$2.25 to \$93 a share on the possibility the auction would be prolonged. In early trading today, RJR was off 75 cents to \$92.25 a share.

When the battle began in October, RJR stock was trading at less than \$56 a share. For RJR shareholders who held on for the last five wild weeks, their pretax gain totals nearly 95 percent.

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Witnesses warn commission of looming deficit disaster

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Economic Commission's recommendations may come to naught, but it has become the best sounding board around for people fed up with the seven-year deadlock over the federal budget deficit.

A variety of officials representing corporate America, labor unions and various special interest groups have paraded before the commission to raise alarms about the deficit and insist that the new administration and Congress do something.

Government officials, past and present, also have lent their voices to the clamor, with many pointing to skittish financial markets as the best reason for quick action next year.

On Wednesday, former Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker echoed concerns raised two weeks earlier by his successor at the central bank, Alan Greenspan.

Volcker said a failure to act

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could trigger a loss of confidence by foreigners in U.S. investments which could topple the country into a severe recession.

"We are, entirely unnecessarily in my view, undercutting the economic foundation of United States world leadership," Volcker said.

Two weeks ago, Greenspan told the commission that the need to deal with the deficit is becoming ever more urgent because the huge tide of red ink has begun to "eat away at the foundations of our economic strength."

Another government official, Charles Bowsher, head of the General Accounting Office, told the

advisory panel Wednesday that just holding the growth of spending to the level of inflation, as has been suggested by President-elect George Bush, would not be enough to get the deficit under control.

He said consideration will have to be given to raising taxes, something Bush has vowed he will not do, to go along with further cuts in government spending.

"There are no painless ways to cut spending or increase revenues," Bowsher said. "When the long-term health of our nation's economy is at stake, everything must be negotiable, including defense spending, entitlements and taxes."

Volcker told the panel that he favors boosting the gasoline tax, saying that even if the tax were raised 50 cents per gallon over the next several years, Americans would still be paying far less for fuel than residents of most other countries.

A boost in the gasoline tax was also proposed Wednesday by the Council on Competitiveness, composed of 157 chief executives from business, organized labor and higher education.

The group said a combination of tax increases and spending cuts should be used to slash the deficit by \$120 billion by 1993. The deficit in the just-completed fiscal year

was \$155.1 billion.

"The budget deficit is the nation's No. 1 economic problem," said John Young, chairman of the council and head of Hewlett-Packard Co. "We are concerned that the stability of global financial markets will continue to be shaken by a belief that the deficit is a politically intractable problem."

The 12-member economic commission is still awaiting word on the names of the two persons Bush will appoint to the panel. Officials say those appointments will indicate whether the president-elect intends to use the advisory group in a serious effort to reduce the budget deficit.

Bush has said he will make the appointments some time in December but he has sidestepped questions about how seriously he will take any report the panel adopts.

While the group by law is scheduled to develop a deficit reduction plan by March 1, Bush has the power to postpone the report until Sept. 1.

House Speaker Jim Wright told the panel Wednesday that he hoped it would be allowed to complete its work by March 1 so that it would have a major impact on the congressional budget deliberations. He also urged Bush to submit his own budget plan by mid-February, incorporating any changes he considers necessary to the document Reagan will send Congress on Jan. 9.

"We do not have the luxury of a leisurely schedule," Wright said. "The problems won't wait indefinitely while people try to read our lips or read our minds."

Soviets

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steadily jammed since they were started in the early 1950s.

Radio Liberty, Radio Free Europe and the 3-year-old Radio Afghanistan are funded by Congress. Radio Liberty is a former CIA operation, but Forbes said all three stations provide accurate and objective coverage. Their native-language broadcasts have more listeners than any other stations in areas where jamming stopped earlier, such as Hungary and Poland, he said.

The only jamming remaining is of VOA broadcasts into Afghanistan and Radio Free Europe transmissions into Czechoslovakia and Bulgaria. Officials said the continued jamming could either have been an oversight or another example of the reluctance of Europe's toughest communist regimes to embrace Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's policies of glasnost or openness.

Charles Z. Wick, director of the U.S. Information Agency which runs VOA, said the lifting of jamming apparently was timed to coincide with the meeting next week of Gorbachev and President Reagan.

"It's another marker in the Soviet march toward trying to be an acceptable citizen of the world community as against the pariah that they have been," Wick said in a telephone interview.

The Soviet action came so quickly that radio engineers were only becoming aware of it as Secretary of State George Shultz said in a broadcast to Europe Wednesday morning that radio jamming was one area where progress was still needed with the Soviets.

"The cessation of jamming represents a significant step on the part of the Soviet government toward the free flow of information," said Gene Pell, president of Radio Liberty, which is based in Munich, West Germany.

"Reports from the Soviet Union and the Baltic republics confirm that Radio Liberty and Radio Free Europe broadcasts are being heard loud and clear," said Pell.

Officials said broadcasts now might include more music, which is so badly mangled by jamming that it is rarely played on the stations.

Stanley Leinwoll, engineering director for Radio Liberty in New York City, called the jamming halt "a momentous event," but cautioned that the Soviets "never do dismantle their devices."

"I certainly wouldn't take any precipitous actions in terms of taking our anti-jamming transmitters off the air," he said.

Ken Thompson, a broadcast board official in Washington, said he first got word the jamming had stopped in a message left by Pell from Munich on his telephone answering machine Tuesday evening.

In Europe, jubilant engineers were up late into the night checking the newly cleared broadcasts.

U.N. vote

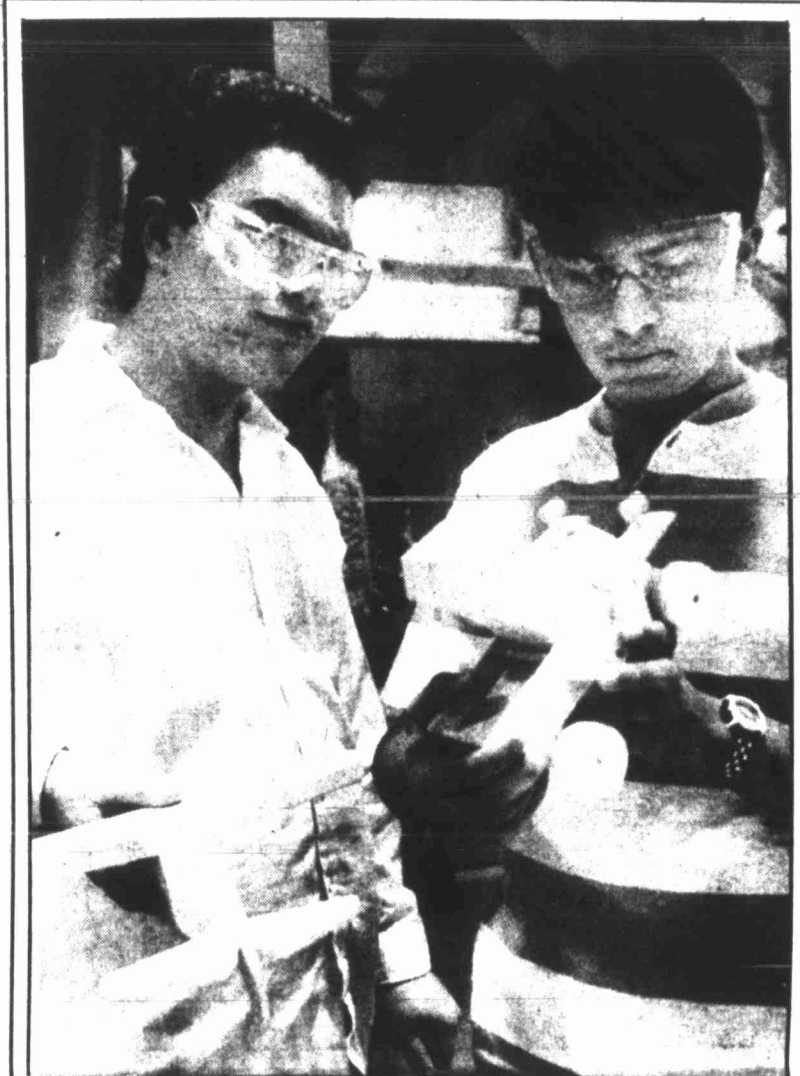
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administration into a reassessment of its policies of bias toward Israel," he said.

Arab diplomats said they would quickly introduce a resolution to shift the General Assembly to Geneva in mid-December. The second resolution would likely be voted on by early next week, and the diplomats said they had the votes to pass it.

The United States says it does not oppose a move to Geneva and would participate in debate there.

Undersecretary-General Joseph Verner Reed said plans were already under way to move the assembly to Geneva, the European headquarters of the world body. It



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Fun products

Big Spring High School 10th graders Heath White, left, and Michael Garcia admire the handiwork of one of their peers as they wait for the glue on their projects to dry in their Production Systems class at the school Wednesday morning.

Grand jury

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not us. We take our case to the grand jury naked, and they determine what the charge will be.

"The grand jury has the option to change the charges, and they may do so. They may even change it to something totally unrelated, a completely different kind of case," he said, citing an example of a case being presented as a burglary and resulting in indictments for perjury.

Confirming that the delayed capital murder trial of Pamela Newton, a 21-year-old Big Spring woman accused of killing C. Vance Kimble during an April 1 robbery, has not been reset to date, Hamby said his office has been heavily preoccupied with a series of capital cases.

"I am just now gaining the experience," Hamby said today, "of moving through the regular docket and working on these capital cases. In a small office like ours, a series of capital cases can really occupy all your concentration."

"In a large office you can just say, well, so-and-so, you concentrate on this case and prepare for it, and we'll take care of the rest, but here we cannot do that. To prepare a case for the grand jury requires a tremendous amount of preparation," he said.

"For a burglary case, for instance, we will have three weeks of preparation before going to the

grand jury, and that's three weeks of concentrating solely on that case and dropping everything else."

Capital murder cases such as that against Newton demand even more concentrated preparation, he said, adding it is not practical for him to spend all his time concentrating on such a case while his assistant, William Dupree, attempts to carry the remaining caseload alone — or vice versa.

Newton and her brother Patrick, 18, are accused of capital murder in the Kimble slaying, as are Michael Lee Hodnett, 23, and 17-year-old Dennis Wayne Noggler. Noggler is from Coahoma; the others are Big Spring residents. Noggler, Hodnett and Patrick Newton are free on \$50,000 bond each. Pamela Newton remains in custody in the Howard County jail, where she has been held since April.

The Newtons and Hodnett were arrested in New Orleans, La. several days after Kimble was found dead of a gunshot wound to the chest in his South U.S. Highway 97 home. Authorities said several items had been taken from Kimble's home, as had a Ford pickup truck later found in Howard County and a Chrysler automobile recovered in Louisiana. Noggler was arrested in Florida and returned to Howard County separately.

Agreement allows the United States to protect its security interests.

The General Assembly debate on the Palestinian issue originally was scheduled today, Friday and Dec. 6 but has been postponed.

The resolution on moving must first be heard by a 16-member budgetary advisory committee because it has financial implications.

It then would go to the General Assembly's finance committee, formally called the Fifth Committee, which would vote on it and send it to the General Assembly for action.

The cost of the move to Geneva was not known.

Police investigate fight

Police are investigating the cause of an altercation that led to a 17-year-old Big Spring High School student allegedly threatening a junior high school student with a knife, Patrol Sgt. John Leubner said.

The incident occurred about 3:30 p.m. just outside school property when a 14-year-old male Runnels Junior High School — who was a passenger in a car driven by another youth — displayed a can of mace to the male high school student, Leubner said.

The 17-year-old then produced a knife and allegedly threatened the life of the younger student who fled into the high school gymnasium

and alerted several coaches, Leubner advised.

Big Spring High School Principal Kent Bowerman said because the alleged incident occurred outside school property it will be investigated by police and school officials will not take disciplinary action.

Leubner said the youths had apparently been involved in an earlier fight and the mother of the 14-year-old gave her son a can of mace for protection, Leubner said.

Lt. Juan Palacios said police are continuing to investigate the incident and juvenile authorities may become involved at a later date.

Sheriff's log

Howard County Sheriff's Department officers reported the following incidents as of 8 a.m. today:

• Brenda Kay Thompson, 33, Route One, was returned from the Fort Worth Sheriff's Office Wednesday on charges of revocation of parole/possession of controlled substance.

• David George Summers, 39, 505 Scott St., was sentenced to four years in the Texas Department of Corrections after pleading guilty in 118th District Court to charges of unlawfully carrying a weapon on licensed premises. He was credited for 75 days served.

• Jessie Lee Woodruff, 1002 N.

Main Apt. No. 9, 24, was sentenced to two years probation and fined \$531.50 after pleading guilty in county court to charges of driving while intoxicated.

• Roy Stephen Chamberlain, 36, 1513 Main St., was released after delivering bonds totaling \$400 to Texas Department of Public Safety officers. He had been arrested by city police on outstanding Department of Public Safety warrants.

• Langford Wood, 50, 602 N.E. Tenth St., was being held in lieu of bonds totaling \$1,000 after being arrested on two warrants for bondsmen off bond on charges of theft of service.

Deaths

Adolfo Cortinas

Adolfo Cortinas, 79, Big Spring, died Thursday Morning at 3:50 a.m. after a long illness.

Services are pending in Eagle Pass and local arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Ella Kasting Helm

Ella Kasting Helm, 89, Coahoma, died Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1988 in a local hospital.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at First Salem Lutheran Church, Roscoe, with the Rev. Lowell Helsted officiating. Burial will be in Roscoe Cemetery under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home. Local arrangements are with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home where she will lie in state through today.

She was born Feb. 15, 1899 in Austin County and married Louis Helm July 18, 1918 in Coryell City. He died May 23, 1982. She was a member of First Salem Lutheran Church, Roscoe. She and her husband farmed in Haskell, Jones and Nolan Counties. They moved to Roscoe in 1948 from Jones County, then to Coahoma in November of 1980.

Survivors include five sons: Herbert, Roscoe; Lewis, Ira; Milbert, Monahans; Robert, Coahoma; and Albert, Childress; one daughter, Mrs. Tom (Willie Mae) Dutell, Abilene; 13 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Mrs. Agnes White, June 25, 1987 and a grandson,

Herbert Helm Jr. Aug. 26, 1972. Family will gather at the church in Roscoe before service time.

Roscoe Taft Newell Jr.

Roscoe Taft Newell Jr., 57, The Colony, son of a Big Spring resident, died Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1988 in his home.

Memorial services were at 3 p.m. today in the Harrington-Bratcher Dickey Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiating, under the direction of Harrington-Bratcher-Dickey Funeral Home.

He was born March 7, 1931 in Greenville and married Lavada Jane Blackwell Feb. 29, 1984 in Hob Springs, Ark. He was self-employed in building material sales and was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean conflict.

Survivors include his mother, Mary Newell, Big Spring; his wife, Lavada, The Colony; two sons, John R. Whitney; and James W. Dallas; one daughter, Susan Bailey, Seguin; three stepsons, Tommy Melton, Rockwall; Terry McGowin, Roswell, N.M.; and Toby McGowin, Arlington; five brothers: Lewis, Des Moines, Iowa; Wes, Plano; Don (Buddy), Plano; J.C., Garden City; and Truitt, Hobbs, N.M.; and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Roscoe Taft Newell Sr.

Honorary pallbearers will be Fred Gwynes, Doug Gwynes, John Strawn, Jim Melton, Joe Bill Griffin, Ken Lambert, Layman Leahmon, Floyd Terrell and D.E. Booth.

Family suggests memorials to the American Lung Association.

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Spring board

How's that? Veteran

Q. As a veteran, how can I find out if I am eligible for services at the VA hospital?

A. You can find out by attending the Veterans Administration Medical Center's open meeting for all interested veterans at 7 p.m. tonight in Room 212. Available services at the medical center and eligibility requirements will be discussed, according to Conrad Alexander, Medical Center director. All eligible veterans are encouraged to attend.

Calendar Play

TODAY

• "Night of January 16th" is a murder trial in which the audience decides the verdict and the ending, and will be presented by Spring City Theatre in the District Court Room on the third floor of the County Court House. Performance will begin at 8 p.m. Admission will be \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12.

• The Humane Society will meet at 7 p.m. at 2308 Roberts.

• Lakeview Headstart will be sponsoring a talent show beginning at 6:30 p.m.; 13 door prizes will be given away. Children under the age of seven are admitted free with parent or guardian. Cost will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for students. All ages are welcome to compete.

FRIDAY

• The Ho Ho Hotline, sponsored by the Golden Plains Care Center, will take children's calls to Santa from 6 to 8 p.m. Call 263-7635.

• The city has announced that the water will be turned off on Albrook Street from 8-5 p.m. to allow for fire hydrant repair. No other streets should be affected.

• The city will be flushing fire hydrants in the Greenbelt area between 1 and 5 p.m.

• There will be a senior citizens' dance beginning at 8 p.m. in the Airpark, building 487.

Police beat

Big Spring police reported investigating the following incidents:

• John Steven Renfro, 21, P.O. Box 3788, was arrested on charges of driving while license suspended, failure to control speed, and failure to leave information after the car he was driving collided with a city vehicle at Moss Creek Lake.

• The manager of the Pizza Inn, 1702 S. Gregg St., reported an unknown person cashed a forged check.

• A woman who resides in the 1600 block of Lincoln Avenue reported a man she knows threatened to injure her.

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Opinion

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

Views of other Texas papers

Here is a sampling of editorial opinion from across Texas:

Prince could teach Dan

One of the biggest problems every vice president faces is simply finding something worthwhile to do. Britain's Prince Charles faces a similar dilemma. The heir apparent to the throne recently celebrated his 40th birthday. Since his mother, Queen Elizabeth II, is only 62, currently in good health, and not particularly inclined to abdicate, Charles may have to wait another decade or two to become king. While he is waiting, the prince — who is a year younger than Vice President-elect Dan Quayle — has found some meaningful and worthwhile work to occupy his time. Charles regularly visits inner-city slums, schools and factories. He organized Project Fullemploy to prepare young, urban blacks for jobs, persuaded some London companies to offer jobs to people who have dropped out of school, and plays an active role in helping the poor gain title to their own homes through "sweat equity." If Bush means what he says, and if Quayle runs out of meaningful work to do, Bush might suggest that his vice president look to Charles' example. It should be an eye-opening experience for Quayle, who is a son of wealth and privilege, and it might do some good for the country. *San Antonio Express-News*

Strengthen Mexican ties

The United States has a great deal of interest in all world policy, but perhaps none is of greater importance than that in our two closest neighbors, Canada and Mexico. And lately, most news has been, if not good, at least encouraging. Last week, the administration celebrated the acceptance of the free trade agreement with Canada. The reelection of Conservative Prime Minister Brian Mulroney, who promoted the pact, only emphasizes the importance of the deal. But that was the easy part. Last week, President-elect George Bush had a historic meeting with President-elect of Mexico, Carlos Salinas de Gortari, to discuss economic cooperation. Since Mexican presidential terms run six years and U.S. presidential terms four years, it's not often two about-to-be heads of state get to meet in frank talks. So the discussion itself was a milestone. But Mexico's difficult economic problems don't make our own problems in that area any easier, particularly on the border. And then there is the grumbling at the results of July's election in Mexico, which many outside the dominant PRI party dispute. Bush will have to call on his vast experience and diplomacy to deal with Mexico's debt and inflation problems. When Ronald Reagan first announced his candidacy nine years ago, he talked about an accord that would bind the three North American countries. We now have achieved the first step with the Canadian agreement. The Mexican connection will take a great deal more work. *El Paso Times*

Bigger would be better

More than 2.8 million visitors trooped into the State Fair of Texas this fall to enjoy the hot corny dogs, the dizzying rides, the livestock, the marching bands, the auto show. Next year, fair officials plan to build on that success by increasing the run to 24 days. The idea is to build the fair into even more of an economic attraction. The fair has a new president — Errol McKoy, a veteran theme park executive — and the opportunity to become not just bigger, but better. What's needed is more support from the local corporate community, which has drifted away from the tradition of supporting the fair with contributions and/or exhibits. Time was when the fair was the place that visitors first saw new products and whiz-bang inventions. It still could be. The Dallas Chamber of Commerce and the new Texas Department of Commerce could help by promoting the State Fair of Texas as a major national exhibition. The fair is already a heck of a good time, but it could be much, much more. *The Dallas Morning News*

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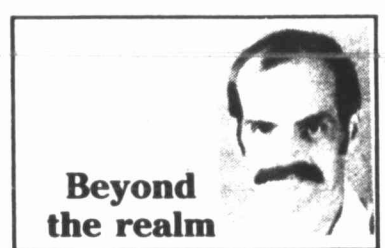


Veto preserves needed jobs

By ART BUCHWALD
There was a great sigh of relief in Washington, D.C., last week when a vindictive ethics bill was vetoed by a benign President Reagan. The veto preserves the opportunity for retired administration appointees and former members of Congress to make a buck the same way they have done in the past. A White House insider, now on his way out, told me, "If signed, this bill would have destroyed the democratic American way of life. What good does it do for a man to serve his country when he can't sell his connections to the highest bidder once his term is over?" "Does that mean you are against ethics in Washington?" I asked him. "I am for ethics. Everyone in Washington supports ethics, but at the same time, too much can choke you. One of the reasons many people join the government is for the golden parachute they get at the end of the rainbow. Some former congressmen and executive appointees have few skills other than the sale of their influence to the highest bidder. An ethics bill would destroy the profit incentive for many who are now leaving the Reagan administration." "You see no conflict of interest in peddling your connections to the private sector?" "Of course not. It is essential that lobbyists maintain access to the right people in our government. And it is also important that clients deal with legitimate influence peddlers rather than phonies who pretend they know somebody but don't." "Now that the bill has been vetoed, is it your intention to solicit new accounts from the business world?" "I wouldn't say that. But if I can give people an informative and worthwhile tour of the Pentagon for a small fee, I feel that I am doing my share for the defense of my country. With an ethics bill, it's every man for himself. Without such a law, those who know the ropes will be the most rewarded."

A touch of fashion for Big Spring

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer
In a world where pressing problems, such as the budget deficit and the plight of the homeless, appear to be hopeless, it's nice to see that city planners in Beverly Hills, Calif. are not shirking their responsibilities. Officials in the trendy, posh community, fearing that cracked sidewalks and traffic jams will scare shoppers away, are recommending "designer" sidewalks and novel street lamps as a solution to the problem, according to a recent Associated Press story. "Are we slipping? Not a bit. But to maintain our present position of total excellence we have to keep our guard up. That's what, basically, the city is very concerned about. Maintaining the image." Karl Shurz, president of the Beverly Hills Chamber of Commerce, told the AP. Now, the thought of designer sidewalks may strike some as a bit frivolous, but I think it's an idea whose time has come. In fact, I think the city fathers here in Big Spring ought to pick the ball up, so to speak, and run with the concept. Just think of the possibilities.

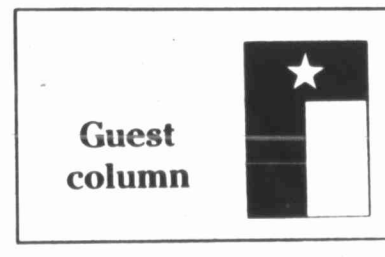


Beyond the realm
• The Calvin Kline Settles Hotel — Set against a stunning backdrop of mauve and beige-colored halls, one is immediately struck by the chic, yet so very Western, motif of the newly-designed hotel. Ornamental wagon wheels, generously encrusted with turquoise pebbles, are prominently displayed in every room. Not to be outdone, the restaurant floors visitors with its centerpiece: A larger-than-life statue of Gene Autrey — consisting entirely of rhinestones, of course.
• The Bill Blass City Auditorium — The auditorium is the focal point of local culture, so what better man to remodel it than Blass? Elegance will be the password of every nook and cranny of the building. Elegant chandeliers will hang from the roof, plush royal-

blue curtains will outline the stage and — best of all — those tacky seats will be replaced by authentic Early American chairs. They may be uncomfortable, but remember — you're not there to sit, you're there to be seen, silly person.
• The Ralph Lauren Howard College Gymnasium — The Dorothy Garrett Coliseum is nice, but let's face facts, folks: The college gym is a mess. Such a site needs a fashionable, but oh, so very manly air. For starters, let's get some color into the thing. Beiges and other pastels are no longer for sissies, so let's paint the floor beige, the seats powder blue and — as a crowning point — change the basketball backboards from clear plastic to a stunning magenta. *Tres chic!*
There are, of course, other eyesores in Big Spring that practically beg for a makeover from the likes of Oleg Cassini or Yves St. Laurent. If we would be so bold — and were willing to bankroll the affair — our streets and buildings would become the talk of Texas. We could even have a new slogan for the Spring City: When you're haute, you're haute.

Boys and pachysandra don't mix

By CHRIS SATULLO
Good fences, Robert Frost once said famously, make good neighbors. He never said anything about pachysandra, however. I was fully 16 years old before I realized that to call someone's behavior "neighborly" was a compliment.



about the triggering incidents. There were other provocations and counter-provocations, I suppose. As they used to say during Watergate, I have no independent recollection. All I know is that the feud was a daily fact of my life for as long as I can remember. I thought every set of neighbors in America darted icy stares at one another each morning as they stood in driveways separated by a slim flower bed, brushing snow off their cars.

When I was growing up, my family's relations with the people next door, the Chamoniks, were fashioned after the model of such friendly neighbors as the Armenians and the Turks. It was open warfare. Between implacable foes. To the death. And the prime battleground was a bed of pachysandra. The pachysandra was on their turf — covered it, actually. The dark-green leaves of this squat plant spread over 95 percent of their front lawn. You might ask: If the Chamoniks didn't feel like mowing a lawn, what skin was it off the Satullus' noses? Well, there's this thing about pachysandra: When you hit a Wiffle ball into it, the ball disappears. To recover the ball, you have to wade into the pachysandra and root around a bit, perhaps bruising some of those precious little leaves. The Satullo boys and their friends hit a lot of Wiffle balls into the pachysandra. Every year, from the first crocus to the start of street football season somewhere around Labor Day, our front yard was transformed into Satullo Stadium, the premier Wiffleball arena in the New World. The Chamoniks' yard was just outside the first-base line, and not too many kids could get around on my fastball when it was really humming. Hence a lot of foul pops and dribblers headed into the leafy taboo zone. A Wiffle ball, particularly a new one without the soft spots, is a terrible thing to waste. So we would mount rescue expeditions, as fraught with tension and peril as anything attempted by the "Mission: Impossible" crew. You see, the Chamoniks did not suffer insults to their pachysandra

lightly, they felt about those leaves the way some folks feel about puppies left in locked cars on hot days. If they caught an urchin in the sacred greenery, they would first fix upon him The Stare, then be followed by The Lecture, then the ritual Confiscation of the Ball to Be Given to the Children at the Home. We had no quarrel with the Children at the Home, but we sure as heck didn't see why they needed any more Wiffle balls. So, with one player posted as lookout, another would crawl on all fours toward the pachysandra. Gingerly, the plastic bat would be extended, skimming the top of the leaves gently, trying to preserve them while still locating the ball. Honest, we really did try to avoid harming the damn plants — while avoiding detection. It was no use. Perhaps you've seen the commercial for the long-distance telephone company that brags you can hear a pin drop over their lines. Well, Mrs. Chamonik, sitting in Cleveland, Ohio, could hear a pachysandra leaf rustle in Palo Alto, Calif. — if she happened to own that leaf. Without fail, within seconds of the start of a rescue mission, she would be at her front door, scowling. You could only hope you'd already snatched the ball and pranced triumphantly to your side of the demilitarized zone before she noticed the high crimes and misdemeanors being committed on her front yard. The Battle of the Pachysandra was the continuing guerrilla action in a feud whose roots were as obscure and tangled as those of World War I. I don't really know why my parents didn't talk to the Chamoniks, though I've heard from my mother the Homeric tales

of the triggering incidents. There were other provocations and counter-provocations, I suppose. As they used to say during Watergate, I have no independent recollection. All I know is that the feud was a daily fact of my life for as long as I can remember. I thought every set of neighbors in America darted icy stares at one another each morning as they stood in driveways separated by a slim flower bed, brushing snow off their cars. Ah, that flower bed. What the pachysandra were in summer, that 2-foot-wide border became in fall and early spring, when the Satullo sports focus was on the backboard and hoop on our garage. I can't deny it: Errant, bouncing basketballs do a great deal of damage to phlox and Johnny-jump-ups. But when Mr. Chamonik tried the Confiscate-for-the-Children-at-the-Home routine on my new basketball — which, after all, cost considerably more than a Wiffle ball — that was more than my father, who generally tried to ignore the conflict, could take. When I weepily told my dad what had happened, I wasn't sure how he'd react. He had often sternly told us not to make a bad situation worse by vexing our neighbors. What he did was march over there, confront our neighbor and demand the ball back. To see him stand up for me with such uncharacteristic anger was profoundly thrilling. It showed me, as if I needed to be shown, how loyal my dad was to his boys. The Battle of the Pachysandra taught me other lessons that I try to remember today — now that I'm the property owner, gazing out at the swarm of kids who nightly make my front lawn the infield for their kickball game. One: To forget what it's like to be a kid is a terrible shame. Two: Worrying too much about your property can make you crazy. Three: If you see a nice patch of pachysandra, bend down and take a look. You might find a very nice Wiffle ball. For the Children at the Home, of course.

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Three charged in rock deaths

JOLIET, Ill. (AP) — Police arrested three men in the death of a Chicago motorist killed in what authorities called a game of hit-and-miss played by dropping concrete blocks from a viaduct on cars passing below.

"They said they had nothing to do, so they decided to play a game and give points for hits and near-misses," an investigator said Tuesday.

Authorities believe the three had been dropping heavy rocks and concrete blocks from a

viaduct over Interstate 57 since August, police said.

The three, Leon DeRouin, 18, Kevin J. DeLorenzo, 19, and Matthew E. Taylor, 19, were charged in the death of Charles Layfield, 57. Layfield was decapitated Friday when the truck he was riding in was hit by a 15- to 30-pound chunk of concrete thrown from an overpass.

Police received anonymous tips from people who said the youths bragged about the incident, said Capt. Ladd Fruge.

Soviet leader set to meet Reagan

NEW YORK (AP) — Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev plans to play tourist between official functions during his visit next week to address the United Nations and meet one last time with President Reagan.

Gorbachev is due to arrive Tuesday afternoon. The next day he is scheduled to chat with United Nations Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar and Argentine Foreign Minister Dante Caputo, who is president of the General Assembly, before addressing the assembly itself.

Then comes lunch on Governors Island with President Reagan and President-elect Bush, according to the tentative itinerary released by the Soviet

U.N. Mission. Coast Guard security plans include closing the 375-foot Buttermilk Channel, which separates the island from Brooklyn.

The Soviet and American first ladies, outgoing and incoming, will attend a luncheon hosted by Perez de Cuellar's wife.

In the afternoon, Gorbachev is to visit the Metropolitan Museum of Art, then it's off to Trump Tower, a glittery monument to venture capitalism, where developer Donald Trump hopes to show the Communist leader a swimming pool inside a \$19 million apartment and Raisa Gorbachev the exclusive shops in the peach-colored marble atrium.

Former mobster boss may be dead

NEW YORK (AP) — A man officials contended was once the acting boss of the Brooklyn-based Colombo crime family has been missing for more than two weeks and is believed to have been murdered, according to a newspaper report today.

James Angellino, 52, was seen Nov. 15 leaving his office at the Greater Blouse, Skirt and Undergarment Association Inc. in Manhattan's garment district. He was accompanied by another man in his 40s.

Angellino's girlfriend reported him missing Nov. 18, the Daily News reported. The two had been living together in Brooklyn since his release from federal prison May 5.

Angellino's car was found recently in a Manhattan garage but police and FBI agents did not find any trace of the missing man. The investigation is continuing.

"We haven't found a body but we believe he's gone forever," an unidentified Justice Department

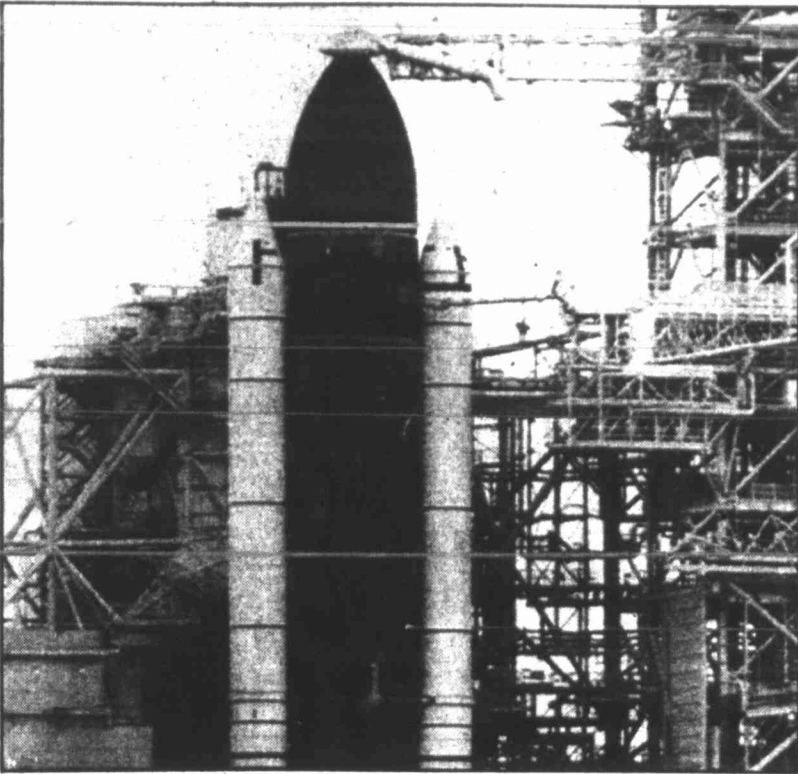
official told the News.

Angellino and reputed Colombo captain Joseph Tomasello were convicted in 1986 of conspiring to buy supposedly stolen videocassette recorders in an FBI sting, for which both men served approximately 10 months in jail.

"During the prosecution we contended that for a period of time Angellino was the acting boss of the family" in place of imprisoned boss Carmine Persico, said Edward McDonald, chief of the Brooklyn Organized Crime Strike Force, which prosecuted the two.

According to court records, the Greater Blouse association, a trade association of about 700 ladies' garment manufacturers, is jointly controlled by the Gambino, Genovese and Colombo crime families. The records identify Angellino as the Colombo representative, the News said.

Neither McDonald nor Angellino's lawyer, Frank Lopez, would comment about the disappearance, the newspaper said.



KENNEDY SPACE CENTER, Fla. — The external tank, center, with solid rocket boosters on each side, stands on Pad 39B at the Kennedy Space Center. The orbiter Atlantis, surrounded by a service structure on the other side, will not be released as scheduled.

Shuttle mission postponed today

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The launch of space shuttle Atlantis and five military astronauts on a secret spy satellite mission was postponed today for at least one day by bad weather.

"The launch of STS-27 has been postponed because of local conditions and unacceptable upper-level winds," launch control commentator Hugh Harris reported at 8:55 a.m. EST.

The countdown, blacked out publicly for security reasons, stood at nine minutes when the scrub was called, sources reported. It had been held there for more than an hour while officials waited in vain for a significant break in the cloudy, windy weather, which before dawn had carried intermittent showers.

There was no immediate report on when the launch would be rescheduled, but it was expected to be Friday or Saturday.

NASA and the Air Force had said earlier the launch would occur sometime between 6:32 a.m. and 9:32 a.m., but would not disclose the exact time because of the classified nature of the mission.

Sources had said the actual launch goal was 7 a.m. but as the bad weather persisted, they said

World

Supreme Soviet adopts reforms

MOSCOW (AP) — The Supreme Soviet today voted overwhelmingly to adopt President Mikhail S. Gorbachev's overhaul of the political structure, but a handful of "no" votes and abstentions showed the reforms remain controversial.

The vote came after unusually fiery debate over the reforms, which Gorbachev said will help make the nation a society ruled by law rather than central dictate.

The reforms create a strong presidency in place of the largely ceremonial role now accorded the head of state. They also establish a new Congress of People's Deputies to elect the president and the Supreme Soviet.

The package was being changed almost up until the final vote to incorporate objections from lawmakers and the public.

Many of those who objected to various drafts said it gave too much power to one person.

Mexican president takes office

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Carlos Salinas de Gortari, a disciple and exponent of the free market who becomes president of Mexico today, welcomed Latin American leaders and diplomats from around the world despite protests from his electoral opponents.

President Fidel Castro of Cuba, President Daniel Ortega of Nicaragua and other heads of state attended a private dinner Wednesday for Salinas at the National Palace.

With Cabinet appointments announced Wednesday, Salinas served notice that he intends to push ahead with the economic policies he designed while serving as his predecessor's budget director: encouraging competition and reducing state involvement in the economy in an effort to promote

growth.

Salinas has said his biggest concern is "to get Mexico to grow again," and to do that the country needs both new investment and the use of resources that now go abroad as payments on Mexico's \$102 billion foreign debt.

Salinas, who has a Ph.D. in economics and government from Harvard, inherits a country with a lot of problems: the debt, an economy that has been stagnant for six years, an inflation rate of 40 percent, and an electoral system that has lost credibility.

The new president will need a quick success to demonstrate his command of the job, and he expects help from President-elect George Bush's incoming administration to win a reduction in debt payments.

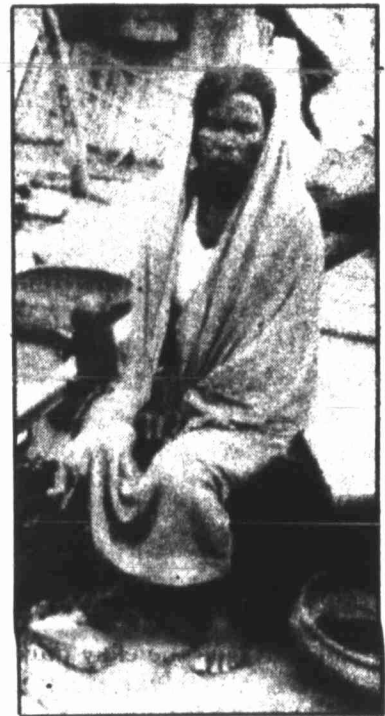
Cyclone batters Bangladesh

DHAKA, Bangladesh (AP) — Strong winds and cloudy skies hampered helicopter search and rescue operations today in battered coastal regions and tiny sand bars where more than 500 people were reported dead after a cyclone.

The cyclone lashed the Bay of Bengal coast Tuesday night, churning up 15-foot-high waves that submerged low-lying islands and pounding the mainland with winds up to 102 mph.

Dhaka newspapers said at least 500 people died and more than 1,000 were missing in Bangladesh. The human toll and the difficulty in accurately assessing it were augmented by the settlement of thousands of peasants and fishermen on newly emerging islands off the Bangladesh coast.

Hundreds of these islands, most of them narrow sand bars that are partially submerged each day even by normal tides, have been created by silt and sediment.



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Dear Abby



Young lady is tired of old question

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If I tell them the truth about my age, I get a backhanded compliment, like, "You look young for your age." If I lie, and they find out, I lose my credibility. One woman had the nerve to ask me my age in front of a crowd of people at a wedding. I was so angry, I lied. When people guess my age, nobody gets it right. They think I'm 24 or 25.

I'm starting a new job soon and I'm sure I'll be asked how old I am. How do I handle it? If I don't tell them, they will think I'm younger than I really am. If I tell them the truth, they will want to know why I haven't married at my age, etc. Please tell me how to deal with this. — **AGE CONSCIOUS**

DEAR AGE CONSCIOUS: The cardinal rule: Never lie. However, you do not have to answer a question simply because it was asked. No need to get defensive, sarcastic or hostile. The most effective dodge is to smile, look the person in the eye, and in a very pleasant tone say, "My goodness, that's a rather personal question that I choose not to answer. I hope you don't mind." Then change the subject.

Since you are asked this question often and it irritates you, I recommend practicing the above response before a mirror — and commit it to memory.

DEAR ABBY: My sister's son committed suicide a few months ago. Although my sister and I live far apart in distance, we are extremely close. His birthday would have been this week, and I couldn't decide whether to send her and her husband a nice card, call them, or just not mention it for fear of upsetting them.

My thoughts were: What if they were coping quite well? Wouldn't a card or call from me just stir up more emotion? The boy was like a son to me and they know it. — **BEREAVING, TOO**

DEAR BEREAVING: Since it's been only a few months, even if they're "coping," they are still grieving. A brief note, "Thinking of you with love," would say it all.

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KAYE LANI RAE RAFKO



JERRY LEE LEWIS

MONROE, Mich. (AP) — Miss America 1987 Kaye Lani Rae Rafko says she is engaged to a 26-year-old computer analyst she met five years ago in a strawberry patch.

The 25-year-old nurse, whose reign ended in September, said Monday she plans to marry Chuck Wilson next August and settle somewhere between Ann Arbor and Monroe. Rafko's hometown 25 miles south of Detroit.

"He's my best friend in the whole world," said Rafko. "He treats me like a lady."

The Monroe man met his bride-to-be in 1983 while she was picking strawberries at a farm where he worked. For Wilson, it was love at first sight, although he waited until Nov. 21 of this year to pop the question.

Rafko said she was equally smitten but needed a little pro-

dding from her mother.

"She said, 'Why don't you go over and talk to him?'" Rafko recalled. "I ended up going back three times that day to pick strawberries and I gave him my phone number. He was just real special."

HERNANDO, Miss. (AP) — Santa will get a little help from rock 'n' roller Jerry Lee Lewis when this town about 20 miles south of Memphis, Tenn., stages its Christmas parade Saturday.

Lewis, who has owned a rural residence near this town of about 3,000 residents since 1972, will serve as the parade's grand marshal, Donna Greer, director of the chamber of commerce said.

The 53-year-old performer, his sixth wife, Kerrie, 25, and their 11-month-old son, Jerry Lee III, are scheduled to lead the parade in a red Corvette convertible.

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Area brief

Townsend is named 'Employee of the Month'

Paul Townsend, medical technologist at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, has been selected as "Employee of the Month" for the month of November, according to Conrad Alexander, medical center director.

Townsend received his bachelor's degree from Angelo

State University, San Angelo, in 1972. He came to the medical center in 1983 and has received several awards, based on outstanding work.

He was born in San Saba and attended high school there, moving to San Angelo to attend college.

Townsend is married to the former Mary Kay Wall of Burnet.

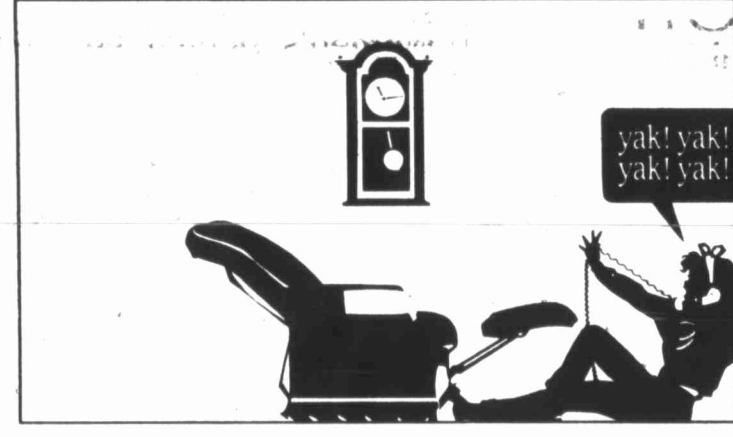
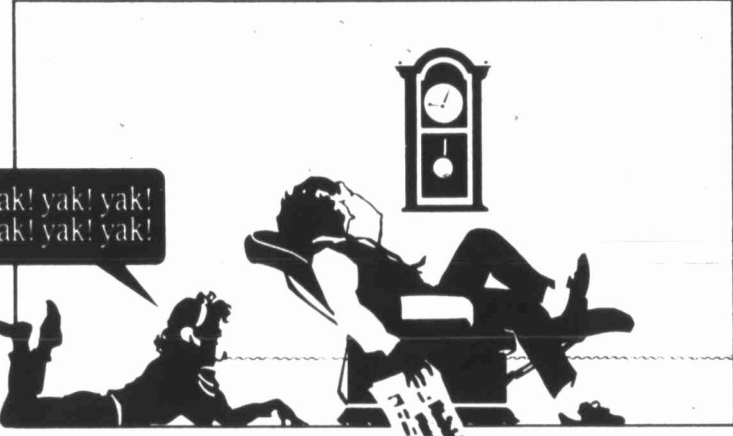
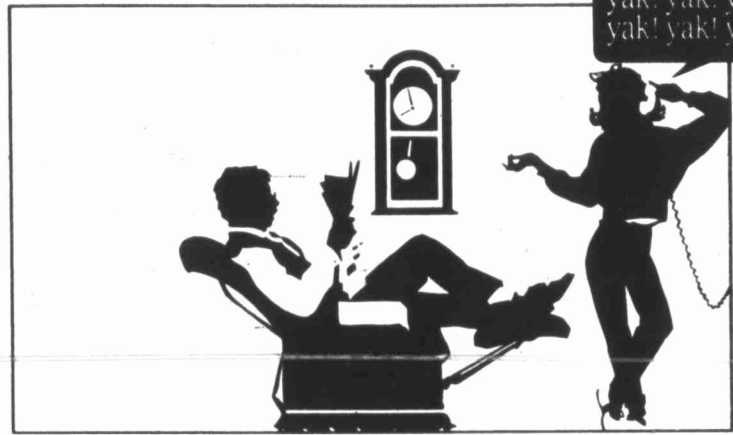
They have two sons, Shane and Joshua.

He is active in community affairs, serving on the Community Blood Advisor Council, and assisting with 4-H Clubs.

"He is a decided asset to the Big Spring area and the VA Medical Center," Alexander said.



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Local art on display

Robert Miller, a Big Spring attorney, will be among local art collectors loaning works of art for display in the Big Spring Collects Art Show to be held Saturday from 7-10 p.m. at State National Bank. Miller is shown with his Bob Gaelich sculpture "Early Arrival."

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Tickets to the event are \$10 and can be purchased at the Heritage Museum, sponsor of the event. Wine and cheese will be served at the show, and valet parking will be available. For more information, contact the Heritage Museum, 267-8255.

At the movies

The following movies will be showing at local theatres this weekend: "Naked Gun," rated PG-13; "High Spirits," rated PG-13; "Punch Line," rated R, and "Child's Play," rated R, will be playing at Movies 4.

"Earnest Saves Christmas," rated PG, and "Everybody's All-American," rated R, will be showing at the Ritz.

• "Earnest Saves Christmas" features this scenario: Santa Claus has decided to step down and pass on his mantle to a successor, with Earnest being assigned the task of choosing a suitable candidate.

• "Everybody's All-American," starring Dennis Quaid and Jessica Lange, chronicles the rise and fall of

a Southern football star over the course of several decades. "Gorillas in the Mist," rated PG and "Iron Eagle," rated PG-13, will be playing at the Cinema in College Park.

"Gorillas in the Mist," starring Sigourney Weaver, tells the story of Dian Fossey, the woman whose almost obsessive studies of the mountain gorillas of Central Africa led to her violent and mystery-shrouded death.

"Iron Eagle II," starring Louis Gossett Jr., tells the story of General Sinclair who leads a squadron of American and Russian renegades against an outlaw nation holding the world hostage.

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MOSCOW — Country and western singer Roy Clark accepts flowers from an audience member after a weekend concert in the Soviet Union recently.

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Smith: CBS' new morning man

NEW YORK (AP) — Harry Smith's arm shoots up in the air mid-sentence and he snaps his fingers. "You know what it was? I'll tell you what it was! The seed was planted in high school, because I had an English teacher and we had to write a term paper... I couldn't come up with anything and (the teacher) John Gulassa said, 'Here's some books. Why don't you read these and see what you think?' And he gave me 'On the Road,' by Jack Kerouac. "That was the beginning of the end for me. You know, the beginning of the end which turned out to be the great beginning." Smith, 37, was searching his memory for the genesis of the story of how a kid from a small blue-collar town in the Midwest found himself in New York City as co-host of a network morning news show. "CBS, This Morning" celebrates

its first anniversary this week. Although it is still struggling in the ratings behind NBC's "Today" and ABC's "Good Morning America," Smith and co-host Kathleen Sullivan have developed an easy-going rapport, and the network seems content to let them develop a following. The pressure doesn't seem to get to Smith, the most likely successor to Charles Kuralt as CBS' resident laid-back philosopher. Smith's feet-on-the-ground attitude comes from deep Midwestern roots and a strict religious upbringing. His father worked two jobs, as a policeman and a milkman. Smith was the youngest of eight children, most of whom "got married pretty young and went out into the world and got real jobs and had real lives," Smith said. "I was the youngest and kind of the surprise. I got a little bit more attention than the other ones did, had a rich fantasy life about

doing something other than going to work at the Youngstown Sheet and Tool." Most of those fantasies revolved around television. Despite a budding interest in literature and philosophy, Smith went to college on a football scholarship and planned to be a high-school football coach. He attended Central College in Pella, Iowa, an intellectually "dangerous" place for a young jock, he said. "because they said, 'Here are books. How would you like to read them?' And so I did, and my notions about being a football coach were short-lived." He graduated with a degree in communications and theater. After a stint as a public TV talk-show host in Denver, he moved over to KMGH-TV, the CBS affiliate. There he anchored the noon news with another reporter, Andrea Joyce. Their courtship sounds right out of "Broadcast News."

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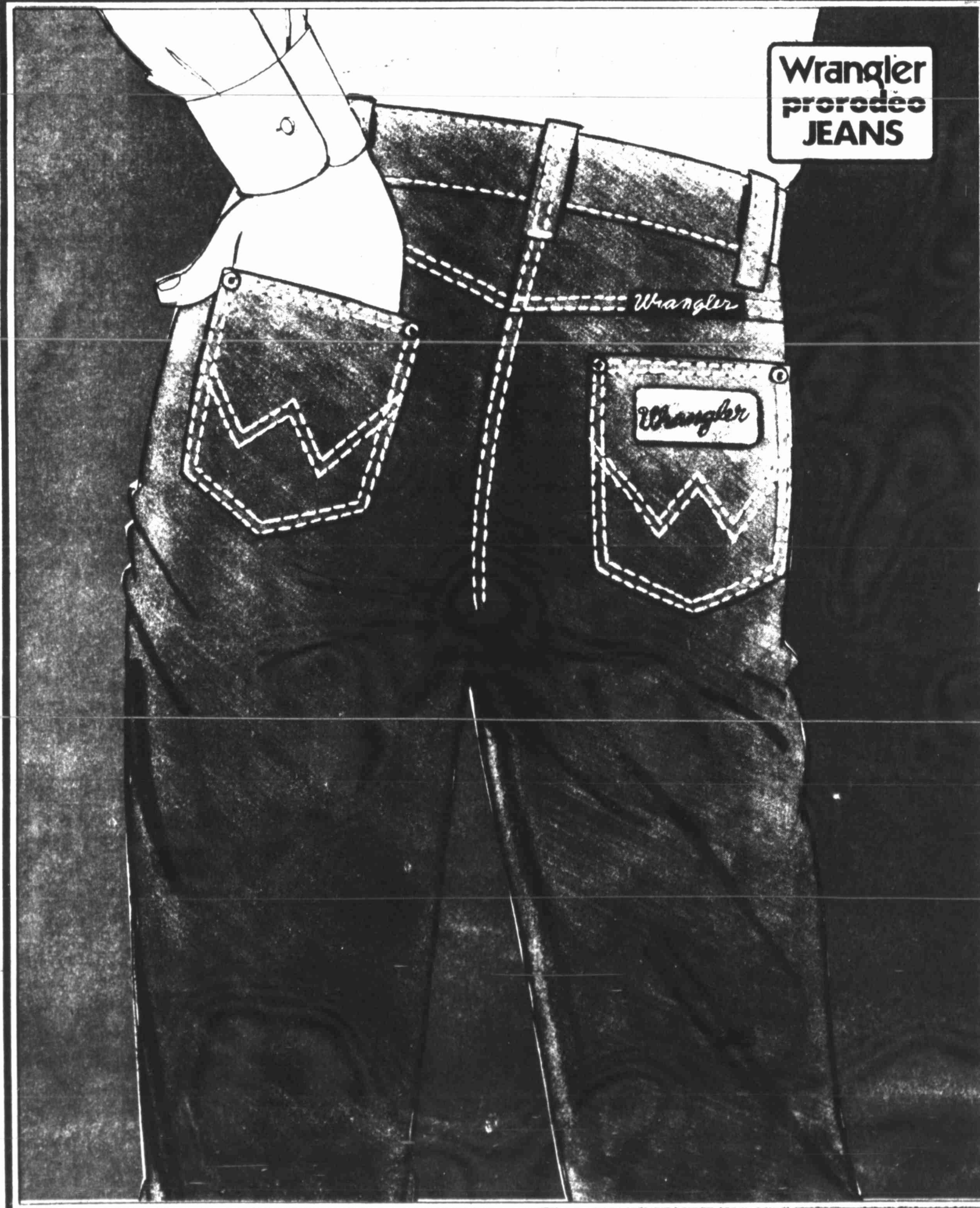
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Coahoma clown makes return trip to National Finals Rodeo

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

Coahoma rodeo clown Quail Dobbs will be working the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, Nev., which begins Saturday and runs to Dec. 11.

This makes the fourth time Dobbs has been selected to work the nationals finals. He also worked as a bull fighter in 1972.

Only Dobbs and retired clown Buck LaGrande hold the honor of working the finals both as a clown and bull fighter.

The National Finals Rodeo Commission select the bull fighters and clown to work the rodeo each year.

Registration is being accepted through today at the YMCA for the four-on-four basketball league.

Players will call their own fouls and violations. Teams must have a minimum of six players on their roster. Entry fee is \$50 per team, and \$30 for non-YMCA members. There is no charge for YMCA members.

For more information call the YMCA at 267-8234.

The YMCA is conducting Youth Basketball registration through Dec. 18.

There will be two leagues for boys and girls — Instructional League, for ages 6-8; and Junior League, for ages 9-12. The goal for Instructional League is 8'6" tall while the Junior League will shoot at regulation-sized 10-foot goals.

Entry fee is \$22.50 for Y members and \$27.50 for non-members.

For more information call 267-8234.

The Second Annual West Texas Shootout Basketball Tournament will be Dec. 2-3 at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Entry fee is \$110 per team, limited to the first 16 teams to enter. Roster limit is 10 players per team.

The first three finishers will receive team trophies and the top two teams will also receive individual trophies. The winning team will get half of its entry fee back. There will also be an all-tourney team and a MVP award.

For more information call Ralph McCarter at 267-6311 or 263-4989 (after 5 p.m.) or Roy Green at 263-0383.

The Big Spring Bass Club will have its final tournament of the year at Lake Colorado City from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. Saturday.

The club will have its monthly meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

For more information call Glenn Berry at 394-4802.

The 19th Annual Dallas White Rock Marathon will begin Sunday at 8 a.m. in front of Dallas City Hall.

More than 3,000 runners are expected to participate in the 26.2-mile run. White Rock is recognized as one of the largest marathons in the Southwest.

In conjunction with the marathon, there will be Ran the Rock Awards Banquet at the Dallas Convention Center Friday. Saturday there will also be a sport fitness expo, and a rock and roll dinner and style show at the Sheraton-Dallas Hotel.

For more information call Linda Grooms at (214) 450-5454.

Local bowler Phillip Ringener finished 15th in the \$150,000 Budweiser Classic at Columbus Square Bowling Palace in Columbus, Ohio.

Ringener won 12 games and lost 12 games. His averaged 214.6 in the tournament, earning himself \$2,300.

Ron Williams of Cahokia, Ill. defeated Dave Ferrano of Kingston, N.Y. 242-193 to win the championship round. Williams won \$27,000 and Ferrano won \$14,000.

Coahoma will be the site of the Coahoma Invitational Basketball Tournament today through Saturday at the Coahoma Elementary gym and Coahoma High School gym.

There will be six teams in the girls division — Colorado City, Brownfield, Snyder, Tahoka, Coahoma and Forsan. Colorado City and Forsan both drew byes the opening round. Action today pits Brownfield versus Snyder at 5:30 p.m.; and Coahoma against Tahoka at 7 p.m. Both games are at the elementary gym.

In the eight-team boys division, the Big Spring junior varsity will play Greenwood at 4 p.m. in the elementary gym. In the high school gym at 4, Stanton will play Colorado City. In the high school gym at 5:30 p.m., Tahoka will play Forsan, and at 8:30 p.m. at the elementary gym, Coahoma will play Snyder junior varsity.

Stamford drew a bye Thursday night.

The girls championship game is slated for Saturday at 7 p.m. while the boys title tilt will follow at 8:30 p.m. Both games will be in the elementary gym.

Hawks versus Chaps

What: Howard College Hawks vs. Midland College Chaparrals, Western Conference basketball game.

Where: Chaparral Center, Midland College Campus.

When: Tonight, 7:30 p.m.

Team records: Chaps are 7-3, 1-0 in conference play; Howard is 8-6, 0-0 in conference.

Coaches: MC — Reggie Franklin, 2nd year. HC — Steve Green, 1st year.

Last meeting: Midland won, 84-66, Feb. 15 in Chap Center.

Last game: Howard beat ASU JV, 94-66 Monday; Midland defeated Western Texas, 110-100 Monday.

MC players to watch: Darryl King, 6'9" freshman forward from Lawton, Okla. 11.3 ppg average; Tim Owens, 6'5" forward from Houston, 19.2 ppg average; Fred Campbell, from Salisbury, N.C., 11.9 ppg average; Kethus Hanks, from Houston, 10 ppg average; Charlie McCovery, sophomore point guard.

HC players to watch: Guard Larry Pettigrew, from Tyler 12.2 ppg. average; post player Carlos Thunn, 11.7 from San Paulo, Brazil, ppg. average.

Green on Chaparrals: "They're very talented at every position. They have great team quickness and run the court very well — and their team defense is very solid.

"McCovery is an extremely good player. He's probably the premier point guard in the country."

Green on Hawks: "I think we're beginning to mature as a team. We're showing signs of really coming together... Our practices have become more and more competitive — and



Howard College Hawks' point guard Keith Gillespie (10) glides towards the basket against the Angelo State University junior varsity in action Monday night at Dorothy Garrett Col-

iseum. Tonight in Midland the Hawks will begin conference play against Midland College at 7:30.

that's a good sign this time of season." Injuries: MC — none; Howard — Terrence Lewis (foot), doubtful; Carlos Thunn (ankle) questionable.

Oral Roberts garners big road win

By The Associated Press

It was the kind of call you just don't get on the road, the kind an Oral Roberts doesn't get at Louisiana State.

Oral Roberts got it, however, and a 100-96 victory with it Wednesday night, the Titans' first road win since the 1986-87 season.

All LSU coach Dale Brown got was a pair of technical fouls and plenty of frustration.

Greg Sutton was fouled by Chris Jackson as he shot from 15-feet at the buzzer in a tie game. The shot bounced off the rim, but Sutton went to the line and won it by making two free throws. He then hit two of four assessed in a double technical foul against Brown, who carried his protest onto the court between Sutton's free throws.

"At best, in my opinion, it was a no-call," Brown said. "But they (the officials) didn't lose the game for us. We lost it."

"It was a foul," ORU coach Ken Trickey said. "He (Jackson) really hacked him."

"I didn't like it to end that way. I would have preferred that Greg shoot the two and it end 98-96."

Still, it was a road win, and that's all Trickey could ask for. Oral Roberts was 8-21 last season, 0-13 as the visiting team.

In games involving ranked teams, No. 13 Louisville lost to Vanderbilt 65-62 when Barry Goheen made a 45-foot shot at the buzzer, No. 1 Duke routed East Carolina 95-46, No. 11 Arizona stopped New Mexico 80-67 for Coach Lute Olson's 300th career victory, No. 18 Villanova beat St. Francis, Pa., 70-60 and No. 19 Florida edged Siena 71-67.



LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — The University of Arkansas Little Rock's Derrick Owens comes up with a turnover as the University of Houston's Eduardo

Drewnick (50) watches. UALR won the game 100-67.

Trickey, ORU's coach from 1969 until 1974, came back this year and said the team needs confidence.

"I tell my kids we've got to win and lose with class," he said.

"We've got to start expecting to beat teams like LSU on the road if we're going to bring this program back.

"This is a great win for us. It's a

game we can look back on a year or two from now when our program is back where we want it to be."

LSU, which led 58-48 at halftime,

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Beck upsets Wilander in Masters tennis

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) — Boris Becker is the Nolan Ryan of tennis. When his fastball is on target, he's hard to beat.

Becker proved it again Wednesday night when he upset top-seeded Mats Wilander 7-6 (9-7), 6-7 (1-7), 6-1 at the Masters. The West German had 13 aces and 18 service winners, and lost only three points when he got his first serve in.

"I was very keyed up to play tonight because Mats is the number one player in the world," Becker said. "He's the man to beat."

Becker is seeded fourth at the

Masters, but he's the hottest player on the tour. Since losing to Henri Leconte at the French Open, he has won 30 of 32 matches and four tournaments.

"I've changed my whole approach since the French Open," Becker said. "I used to lose not because the other guy was beating me but because I was beating myself. Now I don't give my opponents anything."

The old Boris might have self-destructed after making three unforced errors and double-faulting twice in the second tiebreaker. The mistakes triggered screaming and racket-slamming outbursts by

Becker, but he regained his composure and routed Wilander in the final set.

"It was very difficult to come back (after losing the second set)," Becker said. "I was under pressure and he was playing very well. But I didn't lose my nerve."

Wilander, now 0-3 against Becker at the Masters, agreed.

"He played better than me on the big points," the Swede said. "When he had chances, he took advantage of them."

In other matches, third-seeded Andre Agassi beat No. 7 Tim Mayotte 6-2, 6-4 and eighth-seeded Leconte downed No. 5 Stefan

Edberg 6-4, 6-2.

The round-robin tournament continues tonight, with Becker playing Edberg, second-seeded Ivan Lendl meeting No. 6 Jakob Hlasek and Wilander facing Leconte.

The eight players are divided into two groups. The top two finishers in each group following round-robin play advance to the semifinals.

"This tournament has a lot to do with pride and prestige," Becker said. "We are the top eight players and we don't want to lose to each other."

After winning the second set with the help of two netcord winners,

Wilander appeared to be on a roll. But after holding serve to open the final set, he lost the last six games.

"I felt very confident going into the last set, but then he broke me at 1-all and that was it," said Wilander, who won the Australian, French and U.S. Opens this year.

Agassi's first Masters appearance lasted only 56 minutes.

"I don't think Tim played nearly as well as he's capable of playing," Agassi said. "In a match like this, you just want to get it over with."

Agassi, who has risen from No. 25 to No. 3 in the rankings this year, said playing at Madison Square Garden was a great experience.

"The people were really enthusiastic," he said. "I'm looking forward to my next match on Friday."

After a listless performance against Leconte, Edberg sounded like he would rather be home in London. The Wimbledon champion hadn't played in nearly a month because of tendinitis in both knees.

"When you haven't played in a while, you always tend to be a little slow," he said. "I didn't have too many expectations when I came out here tonight."

"That got my confidence back," he said.

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Magic scores 40; Lakers beat Sonics

By The Associated Press
As usual, Magic had the magic touch. Across town, so did Mark Johnson.

NBA

Magic Johnson scored 40 points, moved into second on the NBA's all-time assist list and led the Los Angeles Lakers past the Seattle SuperSonics 110-106 Wednesday night.

While Johnson was having his best night of the season at the

Forum in Inglewood, Jackson was nearly as hot at the Arena in Los Angeles. He scored eight of his game-high 32 points in overtime to lead the New York Knicks to a 135-128 victory over the Los Angeles Clippers.

Elsewhere, it was Boston 133, New Jersey 100; San Antonio 105, Miami 101; Houston 101, Dallas 89; Utah 107, Chicago 93; Philadelphia 114, Portland 106; and Detroit 114, Indiana 111.

Johnson made four free throws in the last 18 seconds to secure the victory for the two-time defending

champions. He scored 16 of the Lakers' 30 points in the final quarter.

With 1:15 to play in the third quarter, Johnson passed to Orlando Woolridge on a brilliant alley-oop play to give Los Angeles an 80-62 lead. That assist was Johnson's eighth of 10 on the night and moved him past Lenny Wilkens into second place with 7,212 assists. The 10-year veteran from Michigan State now trails only Oscar Robertson, who finished his career with 9,887.

A pair of Johnson free throws

gave Los Angeles a 10-point lead with 2:19 to play, but Seattle ran off 10 straight points to tie the game at 106 on Derrick McKey's layup with 35 seconds remaining.

Olden Polynice badly missed a pair of free throws with 20 seconds to play, leading to Johnson's four foul shots.

Dale Ellis led the Sonics with 36 points, including 23 in the first half.

Rockets 101, Mavericks 89

Playing like a veteran, rookie Derrick Chievous came off the bench to score 25 points and make up for a rough night for Akeem Olajuwon. While Olajuwon scored just 15 points and missed all five shots in the first half, the Rockets still snapped the Mavericks' five-game winning streak.

Chievous was the reason. He had 16 first-half points and keyed a 10-point run in the fourth period.

Rolando Blackman led Dallas with 26 points, while Mark Aguirre was benched and barely played in the second half.

Jazz 107, Bulls 93

At Salt Lake City, Darrell Griffith scored 32 points and was in the

middle of big spurts in the second and third quarters as Utah handed the Bulls their fourth straight defeat.

76ers 114, Trail Blazers 106
Charles Barkley nearly destroyed the Blazers singlehandedly with 41 points and 22 rebounds. That gave Barkley a total of 72 points and 45 rebounds for his last two games.

The victory was the fifth in six games for Philadelphia, which played without injured starters Cliff Robinson and Maurice Cheeks.

Sports Briefs

Walker's brother killed in mishap

IRVING (AP) — Dallas Cowboys running back Herschel Walker says it will be one of the most difficult games he has ever played in when he takes the field against the Cleveland Browns.

Walker was scheduled to fly to Wrightsville, Ga., for the funeral of his brother at the conclusion of today's practice session.

Renneth Walker, 31, died in a work-related accident at Southern Railroad in Wrightsville earlier this week.

Walker will attend the funeral and fly from Atlanta to Cleveland to join the rest of the Cowboys Saturday in time for Sunday's game.

"This would be hard for anyone to go through," Walker said Wednesday. "It would be tough for anyone to play a football game like this. It will be unusual."

Renneth Walker was the second of seven children and one of four boys in the Walker family. He also competed in athletics.

Dallas Carter verdict coming

AUSTIN (AP) — The Dallas Carter High School football team was expected to learn today if they are to continue in the schoolboy football playoffs or if they will be disqualified because of violations of the state's no-pass, no-play rule.

The hearing involves the Texas Education Agency and the Dallas Independent School District and was to be held at the Travis County Courthouse.

Carter is scheduled to play Marshall at Baylor University in Waco at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Although Lufkin was eliminated from the playoffs with the loss to Carter, the University Interscholastic League granted the school permission to continue with football practice this week in case they are told to replace the Dallas school.

If the judge grants the Dallas school district a permanent injunction against enforcement of the no-pass, no-play rule, the game will be on.

If the judge rules in favor of the TEA, Lufkin will meet Marshall at 8 p.m. Saturday in Tyler.

Sports Slate

Calendar Steers

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Livestock For Sale 435

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Horses 445

ARABIAN HORSES. (2) gray mares, 11 years old. Yearling colts, (1) bay, (1) chestnut. Very gentle. Reasonable. 399 4564 or (915)334 6011.

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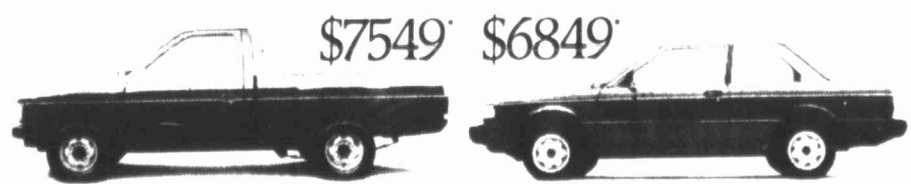
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Houses For Sale 601

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- 1985 FORD BRONCO II XLT - Brown/tan tutone, automatic, one owner with 52,000 miles. \$8,995
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- GARAGE SALE: Tires, tools, drapes, copying machine, car, camper, clothes, furniture, miscellaneous. Friday and Saturday, 8:00-5:00. 1605 Indian Hills.
- 2302 MERRILY DRIVE. Garage Sale Friday, Saturday, 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. Bargain Christmas gifts and decorations, dinette chairs, radio, linens, nice lawn furniture, clothes.
- GIGANTIC GARAGE sale - Christmas decorations, appliances, sewing machine, miscellaneous, clothes, dolls. 8:30-5:00 Saturday, 1:00-5:00 Sunday. 1723 Yale. No early birds please!
- GARAGE SALE: Corner of Fordham and Kent Street. No Early Sales! 8:00-5:00 Saturday Only!
- WASHER, DRYER, refrigerator, roll top desk, 10 speed bicycle, shelf, lots more. Friday thru Sunday. 2207 Scurry.
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- SAVE YOUR Money!! Giant garage sale coming! Friday, 12-9-88. Lots of toys; bikes; Christmas decor and wrapping; sweaters, coats and ski clothes; bar-b-que grill and outdoor furniture; fabric, art and frames; curtains and bedspreads; silk plants and baskets; women, teen and kids clothes and shoes and much, much more. See Christmas sale ad in 12-7 and 12-8 newspaper to give hours and address. Prices are low, low!
- GREAT GARAGE Sale Saturday morning only! 7:30-12:00. Children's toys, bicycles, clothes, furniture, Durrie rug, 1602 Indian Hills.
- GARAGE SALE, 1014 South Nolan from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Friday only. Lots of Christmas ornaments, pot and pans, glassware, cookbooks and lots miscellaneous.
- FOUR FAMILY Sale: 626 State. Saturday, Sunday. Tools, king size waterbed with new mattress, bicycle, kid's coats, adult winter clothing, sheets, fabrics and miscellaneous.
- YARD SALE: Merrick Road, Sand Springs, take Salem Road exit. Bicycles, new toys, jewelry, furniture, glassware, cassette tapes, bedspreads, new strollers and car seats. 793 9991 Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 9:00-11:00.
- GARAGE SALE, 501 East 17th. Friday, Saturday. Shell plant hangers, coats, clothes dollar a sack!
- 1110 EAST 12th, Saturday and Sunday. Furniture, baby clothes, miscellaneous.
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SCOREBOARD

Hawks schedule

Here is the 1988-89 schedule for the Howard College Hawks' mens basketball team. (Date, opponent and tipoff times are listed. Home games are in boldface and will be played in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, HC campus.)

Oct. 31-Nov. 1 - Ranger Classic at Ranger, TBA

Nov. 3-5 - Midland Tournament at Midland, TBA

Nov. 7 - Cisco, 8 p.m.

Nov. 12 - Ft. Sil, 7:30 p.m.

Nov. 14 - Ranger, 7:30 p.m.

Nov. 17-19 - Pratt Tournament, Pratt, Kan. TBA

Nov. 21 - Cisco, 8 p.m.

Nov. 26 - St. Edward's JV, 6 p.m.

Nov. 28 - Angelo State JV, 7 p.m.

Dec. 1 - Midland College, TBA

Dec. 5 - Odessa College, TBA

Dec. 8 - New Mexico JC, 8 p.m.

Jan. 9 - Lubbock Christian JV, 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 12 - New Mexico Military, Roswell, N.M., TBA

Jan. 17 - Clarendon College, 8 p.m.

Jan. 19 - Western Texas (Snyder), 8 p.m.

Jan. 23 - South Plains, 8 p.m.

Jan. 26 - Frank Phillips, 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 30 - Midland College, 8 p.m.

Feb. 2 - Odessa College, 8 p.m.

Feb. 6 - New Mexico JC (Hobbs, N.M.), 8 p.m.

Feb. 9 - Clarendon College, 8 p.m.

Feb. 10 - Frank Phillips (Borger), 8 p.m.

Feb. 13 - New Mexico Military, 7 p.m.

Feb. 20 - Western Texas, 8 p.m.

Feb. 23 - South Plains (Levelland), 8 p.m.

Mar. 2-4 - Regional Tournament (Waco), TBA

Mar. 14-18 - National Tournament (Hutchinson, Kan.), TBA

Queens schedule

Here is the 1988-89 schedule for the Howard College Hawk Queens' womens basketball team. (Date, opponent and tipoff times are listed. Home games are in boldface and will be played in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.)

Oct. 26-28 - McLennan Classic (Waco), TBA

Nov. 3-5 - South Plains Tournament (Levelland), TBA

Nov. 7 - Cisco College, 6 p.m.

Nov. 17-19 - Hawk Queen Classic, TBA

Nov. 21 - Cisco College, 6 p.m.

Nov. 26 - Fort Hood, 8 p.m.

Dec. 2-3 - Westark Classic (Ft. Smith, Ark.), TBA

Dec. 8 - New Mexico JC, 6 p.m.

Jan. 5-7 - Odessa College Tournament, TBA

Jan. 13 - Odessa College, 7 p.m.

Jan. 17 - Clarendon College, 6 p.m.

Jan. 19 - Western Texas (Snyder), 6 p.m.

Jan. 23 - South Plains, 6 p.m.

Jan. 27 - Fort Hood, 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 2 - Odessa College, 6 p.m.

Feb. 6 - New Mexico JC (Hobbs, N.M.), 6 p.m.

Feb. 9 - Clarendon College, 6 p.m.

Feb. 10 - Frank Phillips (Borger), 6 p.m.

Feb. 16 - Frank Phillips, 6 p.m.

Feb. 17 - Weatherford College, 6 p.m.

Feb. 20 - Western Texas, 6 p.m.

Feb. 23 - South Plains (Levelland), 6 p.m.

Feb. 23-March 3 - Womens Region V Tournament (Waco), TBA

Transactions

BASKETBALL

American League

BOSTON RED SOX—Agreed to terms with Rich Gedman, catcher, on a one-year contract.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Named Dave Aust director of public relations, and Pete Vanderwarker publicity assistant.

National League

HOUSTON ASTROS—Named Rick Sweet manager of Osceola of the Florida State League.

NEW YORK METS—Named Gerry Huszicker director of minor league operations and Bobby Floyd minor league coordinator.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Named Woody Hyke manager and Bruce Kison pitching coach of Bradenton of the Gulf Coast League. Signed Dom Scala, Jerry Gardner, Steve Demeter, Angel Figueroa and Fred Goodman, scouts.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CHICAGO BULLS—Activated Charles Davis, forward, from the injured list.

HOUSTON ROCKETS—Activated Purvis Short, forward, from the injured list. Placed Bernard Thompson, guard, on the injured list.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

CHICAGO BEARS—Signed Ben Bennett, quarterback.

DETROIT LIONS—Named Lynn Dickey quarterback coach for the rest of the season.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Waived Willie Beecher, kicker.

Canadian Football League

TORONTO ARGONAUTS—Announced that businessman Harry Ornest has purchased the team.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Signed Mario Lemieux, center, to a new contract for the current season.

QUEBEC NORDIQUES—Announced that Marcel Aubut, president, and five business partners have purchased a majority interest in the franchise for an undisclosed amount of money.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Traded Mike Bullard, center, to the Philadelphia Flyers for Peter Zezel, center.

SOCCER

Major Indoor Soccer League

WICHITA WINGS—Released Roger Chavez, forward.

COLLEGE

COLUMBIA—Announced the resignation of Larry McElreavy, head football coach.

PITTSBURGH—Announced the resignation of Shelton Collier, women's volleyball coach, so he can become assistant coach for the USA Olympic women's team.

WEST GEORGIA—Fred Frank Vohun, head football coach.

College Hoops

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EAST

Boston U. 78, Massachusetts 76

Brooklyn Col. 65, Winthrop 57

Bucknell 86, Duquesne 83

Connecticut 75, Yale 44

Holy Cross 90, Mount St. Mary's, Md. 89

Northeastern 78, Fairfield 70

Pittsburgh 75, Robert Morris 62

Princeton 43, Colgate 33

Rhode Island 88, Brown 82

St. John's 86, Fairleigh Dickinson 55

St. Joseph's 89, Drexel 77

Villanova 70, St. Francis, Pa. 60

Wagner 86, St. Francis, NY 85

SOUTH

Appalachian St. 95, Liberty 77

Bethel, Tenn. 80, Tennessee St. 74

Duke 95, East Carolina 46

E. Kentucky 95, W. Va. Wesleyan 85

E. Tennessee St. 109, Bluefield Coll. 77

Florida 71, Siena 67

Jackson St. 127, Miles 90

Marshall 111, South Alabama 110

McNeese St. 79, Tn. Chattanooga 66

Mercer 97, Fort Valley St. 56

Mississippi 97, NW Louisiana 81

Mohrhead St. 107, Campbellsville 73

N.C. Central 66, N. Carolina A&T 54

Oral Roberts 100, LSU 96

Radford 91, California, Pa. 70

S. Mississippi 69, NE Louisiana 57

Stetson 79, Bethune-Cookman 68

Vanderbilt 65, Louisville 62

Virginia 75, Arkansas 65

Wake Forest 56, Davidson 47

MIDWEST

Bowling Green 91, Defiance 67

Dayton 82, Miss. Valley St. 61

DePaul 66, Maine 46

Kansas St. 86, Utah St. 67

Kent St. 60, Niagara 59

Michigan St. 77, Nebraska 75

S. Illinois 77, Evansville 71

W. Illinois 71, Texas Wesleyan 43

Wis. Green Bay 75, N. Illinois 65

SOUTHWEST

Ark. Little Rock 100, Houston 67

Prairie View 94, Huston-Tillotson 77

Rice 107, Alcorn St. 74

Texas Christian 66, Centenary 60

FAR WEST

Arizona 80, New Mexico 67

California 76, Grambling St. 58

Colorado St. 73, Colorado 72

Nevada-Reno 92, Washington 90

Pacific U. 95, Cal Poly-SLO 74

San Diego 90, Cal Lutheran 64

San Francisco 82, Cal-Irvine 89

Santa Clara 83, Chaminade 75

Texas El Paso 59, New Mexico St. 51

Wyoming 77, Texas Southern 74

NBA Standings

All Times EST				
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	11	5	.687	—
Boston	9	5	.643	1 1/2
New Jersey	8	7	.533	2
Washington	7	9	.438	3 1/2
Charlotte	4	7	.364	4
Chicago	3	10	.231	6
Central Division				
Detroit	11	3	.786	—
Cleveland	8	3	.727	1 1/2
Atlanta	8	6	.571	3
Milwaukee	6	5	.545	3 1/2
Chicago	6	8	.429	5
Indiana	2	12	.143	9
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Dallas	9	4	.692	—
Denver	9	4	.692	—
Utah	9	4	.692	—
Houston	9	6	.600	1
San Antonio	5	8	.385	4
Miami	0	12	.000	8 1/2
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	10	3	.769	—
Portland	7	7	.500	3 1/2
Golden State	6	7	.462	4
Phoenix	6	7	.462	4
Seattle	6	7	.462	4
L.A. Clippers	6	8	.429	4 1/2
Sacramento	4	8	.333	7
Wednesday's Games				
Boston 133, New Jersey 100				
Philadelphia 114, Portland 106				
San Antonio 105, Miami 101				
Detroit 114, Indiana 111				
Houston 101, Dallas 89				
Utah 107, Chicago 93				
L.A. Lakers 110, Seattle 106				
New York 135, L.A. Clippers 128, OT				
Thursday's Games				
Philadelphia at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.				
Washington at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.				
Cleveland at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.				
Denver at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.				
Friday's Games				
Milwaukee at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.				
Portland at Miami, 7:30 p.m.				
Detroit at Washington, 8 p.m.				
Boston at Cleveland, 8 p.m.				
New York at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.				
Golden State at Denver, 9:30 p.m.				
Houston at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.				
L.A. Clippers at Seattle, 10 p.m.				
Utah at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.				
Saturday's Games				
Portland at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.				
Philadelphia at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.				
Charlotte at Houston, 8:30 p.m.				
Chicago at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.				
New York at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.				
L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.				
Golden State at Seattle, 10 p.m.				
Utah at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.				
Sunday's Games				
Detroit at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.				
Denver at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.				
Washington at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.				

HS Playoffs

By The Associated Press

Here are this week's pairings for the Texas high school football playoffs:

Class 5A Quarterfinals

Region I

Odessa Permian (11-2) vs. Arlington Lamar (11-2), 2 p.m. Saturday, Odessa

Region II

Marshall (12-0) vs. Dallas Carter (11-0-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, Floyd Casey Stadium, Waco

Region III

Willowridge (12-0) vs. Houston Stratford (11-4), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Astrodome

Region IV

Corpus Christi Carroll (13-0) vs. Converse Judson (12-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, Corpus Christi

Class 1A Quarterfinals

Region I

Monahans (10-2) vs. Cleburne (11-2), 1:30 p.m. Saturday at San Angelo

Region II

Denison (12-1) vs. Paris (10-3), 2 p.m. Saturday, Texas Stadium, Irving

Region III

West Orange Stark (10-2) vs. Tomball (10-1-1), 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Astrodome

Region IV

Kerrville Tivy (12-0) vs. Uvalde (12-1), 8 p.m. Friday, Memorial Stadium, Austin

Class 3A Quarterfinals

Region I

Denver City (11-2) vs. Decatur (9-2-2), 2 p.m. Saturday, Sweetwater

Region II

Southlake Carroll (13-0) vs. Wills Point (10-2), 8 p.m. Saturday, Pennington Field, Bedford

Region III

Fairfield (12-1) vs. Navasota (10-3), 8 p.m. Friday, Sam Houston State

Region IV

Hitchcock (10-2-1) vs. Sweeny (6-5-1), 8 p.m. Friday, Angleton

Class 2A Quarterfinals

Region I

Quanah (11-1) vs. Eastland (10-2-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Shotwell Stadium, Abilene

Region II

McGregor (11-1-1) vs. Celina (12-1), 8 p.m. Friday, Pennington Field, Bedford

Region III

Hughes Springs (12-0-1) vs. Corrigan Camden (12-0-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Lutkin Martin

Region IV

Refugio (12-0) vs. Boling (13-0), 8 p.m. Friday, Rosenberg Terry

Class A Quarterfinals

Region I

White Deer (12-0) vs. Rankin (12-0), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Levelland

Region II

Lindsay (10-2) vs. Rotan (10-2-1), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Mineral Wells

Region III

Fannindel (12-1) vs. Bremond (11-1-1), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Greenville Phillips

Region IV

Bartlett (12-0) vs. Flatonia (13-0), 8 p.m. Friday, Nelson Field, Austin

Six-Man Semifinals

Region I

Christoval (12-0) vs. Fort Hancock (13-0), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Fort Stockton

Region II

Zephyr (13-0) vs. May (11-2), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Gordon Wood Stadium, Brownwood

All-SWC

DALLAS (AP) — Here is The Associated Press 1988 All-Southwest Conference football team as selected by the league's coaches:

OFFENSE

FIRST TEAM

QB—Tim Grover, Arkansas, soph., 5-10, 180, Duncan, Okla.

RB—Darren Lewis, Texas A&M, 5-11, 210, soph., Dallas, Eric Metcalf, Texas, 5-9, 178, Sr., Arlington, Va.

WR—Jason Phillips, Houston, 5-9, 175, Sr., Houston, (tie), James Dixon, Houston, 5-10, 185, Sr., Vernon, Texas, Tony Jones, Texas, 5-7, 140, Jr., Grapeland, Texas.

TE—Billy Winston, Arkansas, 6-2, 240, Jr., Marianna, Ark.

Linemen: T-Jim Mabry, Arkansas, 6-4, 267, Soph., Memphis, Tenn. and Matt McCall, Texas A&M, 6-7, 295, Soph., Lutkin, Texas; G-Freddie Childress, Arkansas, 6-4, 328, Sr., West Helena, Ark. and Jerry Fontenot, Texas A&M, 6-4, 270, Sr., Lafayette, La. C-Courtney Hall, Rice, 6-2, 260, Sr., Carson, Calif.

Placekicker—Kendall Trainor, Arkansas, 6-2, 210, Sr., Fredonia, Kan.

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR—Robert Wilson, Texas A&M, 6-1, 235, freshman, Houston.

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

Linemen—Wayne Martin, Arkansas, 6-5, 263, Sr., Cherry Valley, Ark.; Glenn Montgomery, Houston, 6-0, 265, Sr., Gretna, La.; Tracy Simien, TCU, 6-2, 243, Sr., Sweeny, Texas; Mitchell Benson, TCU, 6-3, 296, Sr., Fort Worth.

Linebackers—John Roper, Texas A&M, 6-2, 210, Sr., Houston; Britt Hager, Texas, 6-1, 225, Sr., Odessa, Texas; (tie) Kerry Owens, Arkansas, 6-2, 232, Sr., Stuttgart, Ark., and Aaron Wallace, Texas A&M, 6-4,

230, Jr., Dallas.

Secondary—Steve Atwater, Arkansas, 6-4, 216, Sr., St. Louis; Falanda Newton, TCU, 6-2, 199, Sr., Fort Worth; Johnny Jackson, Houston, 6-1, 190, Sr., Harlingen, Texas; Robert Blackmon, Baylor, 5-11, 198, Jr., Van Vleet, Texas.

Defensive Player of the Year—Martin, Arkansas.

Defensive Newcomer of the Year—Wille Mack Garza, Texas, 5-9, 175, freshman, Refugio, Texas.

Punter—Bobby Lillard, Texas, 6-5, 220, Jr., Abilene, Texas.

Kick Returner—Tyron Thurman, Texas Tech, 5-3, 135, Sr., Midland, Texas.

Coach of the Year—Ken Hatfield, Arkansas.

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

QB (tie), Billy Joe Tolliver, Texas Tech, Andre Ware, Houston.

WR—Tyron Thurman, Texas Tech, Rod Harris, Texas A&M.

RB—Chuck Weatherspoon, Houston; James Gray, Texas Tech.

TE—David Bell, Baylor.

OL—Joe Baines, Houston; Charles Odiorne, Texas Tech; L.B. Moon, Texas A&M; Byron Forsythe, Houston; Elbert Crawford, Arkansas.

Placekicker—Scott Segrist, Texas Tech.

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

Linemen—Desmond Royal, Texas Tech; Michael Shepherd, Arkansas; Terry Lynch, Texas Tech; Kerry Crawford, Arkansas.

Linebackers—James Francis, Baylor; Gary Joe Kinne, Baylor; Lamar Lathon, Houston; James Mosley, Texas Tech.

Secondary—Patrick Williams, Arkansas; Alton Montgomery, Houston; Alex Morris, Texas A&M; (tie) Donald Harris, Texas Tech; and Richard Brothers, Arkansas.

Punter—Sean Wilson, Texas A&M.

Fishing Report

WEST

BAYLOR: Rapabi Store Closed until March 1.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water fairly clear, 74 degrees, 8 feet low, black bass

good in the 14-18 inch range on topwaters in 10-12 feet of water; crappie good to 20 lbs. per string, white bass good in number to 20 fish per string on slabs, catfish fair to 20 pounds on trotline baited with shad and perch.

GRANBURY: Water stained, 2 feet low, black bass fair to 16 inches on spinners, striped fair to 9 pounds on Bomber A, crappie good around the boat houses and around marinas on minnows, catfish fair to 13 pounds on rod and reel with spinner bait.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water clear, 5 feet low, black bass fair in the 2-3 pound range on dark worms and topwaters; striped fairly good in the 6-9 pound range on shad and spoons and some minnows, crappie fairly good in Hubbard Creek in 3-10 feet of water on minnows with some limits, white bass low; catfish fairly good on trotline in the 9-22 pound range.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water clear, 61 degrees, 10 feet low, large-mouth bass fairly good to 9 pounds on jig and pig, plastic worms and cranks, smallmouth good to 5 1/2 pounds on cranks; striped good to 7 pounds while slabbing for white bass, some limits, crappie improving, white bass excellent while schooling; catfish fairly good to 6 pounds on trotline with live bait.

SPENCE: Water clear, 60 degrees, 25 feet low, black bass fairly good to 5 1/2 pounds, a few limits on Pig and Jig, striped slow, crappie improving to 15 pounds on 15 fish per string on minnows, white bass are still schooling, with some under birds near the dam on slabs, yellow catfish fair to 15 pounds on trotline and rod and reel over baited holes.

TWIN BUTTES: Water clear, black bass fair to 5 1/2 pounds on dark worms, striped slow; crappie fairly good to 15 lbs. per string to 1 1/2 pounds each on minnows, catfish slow.

WHITE RIVER: Water clear, 53 degrees, 5 feet low, black bass good to 6 pounds on jigs and worms in 1 foot of water; crappie good in 17 feet of water on small minnows; catfish fair in the 1-4 pound range on live bait in fairly shallow water around the bank.

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ACROSS

- Bank shot
- Killer whale
- Syrian
- Grassy plain
- Thug
- Vincent Lopez theme song
- Out of trouble
- Traveling man
- Touch lovingly
- "My Name Is —"
- Endured
- Business
- Lease
- Rabbit
- City on the Moselle
- Elec. unit
- Lemony
- N. Mex. resort town
- Concur
- No trouble in sight
- "He is —" (Bible)
- Dispatched
- Before: pref.
- Giant Mel
- The one mentioned
- Compositions
- "The Deacon's Masterpiece"
- War god
- Step on it!
- Neighborhood
- Eye
- Sandarac tree
- Get off
- Holy man
- Author Wiesel
- Wipe out
- Detect
- Peruse
- Dunderheads

DOWN

- 1st sound
- Code word for "A"
- Finn transport
- Toronto's prov.
- Woolly fabric
- Old Jr. alphabet
- Kitchen or den
- Bill's partner
- Sock style
- Dread
- A bear
- To shelter
- Old poet
- Mistakes
- N.Z. soldier
- Strength
- Lacquer base
- Houston pro
- Pitcher's dream game
- Invited one
- Musical piece
- Stadium
- Rich
- Shimon of Isr.
- Prospector's test
- Mirror
- house (free)
- Sound system
- Closet item
- Spoken
- Wander
- Bowled
- In good shape
- Macaws
- Coarse meal
- China's place
- Staff notation
- Busy ones
- "Grand — Opy"
- To and —

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PICT PLAZA BLAS
ADAN OASES RAIL
CLEANS WEEP ANDI
TRINIS ASCENDED
SLEO AWDS
FRAMF ERAA DOLOR
LEVI ARODES IRA
AGAT LABOR SDAK
GER SATIRE PETE
GRATE FINE RISES
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JEANE DIXON'S
Your Horoscope

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: New opportunities for advancement and extra money may seem limited now, but the situation is only temporary. The financial outlook takes an upturn in February or March. June is favored for tying the knot! Relationships grow when couples begin talking more. Reach out for life's richest experiences. Career prospects improve when you begin to stretch yourself. Someone from your past returns, changing almost everything. You feel very optimistic!

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: conductor Milton Delugg, journalist Hy Gardner, Gen. Alexander Haig, publisher Randolph Hearst, actress Julie

Harris, artist Georges Seurat.

AIRES (March 21-April 19): Leave nothing to chance today. Do everything you can to enhance your image. Showcase your leadership skills and your stock will rise at work. You are more ambitious than in the past.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You may have to spend some money to make money today. Travel is favored. Mutual trust and respect are essential to a good relationship. Do not forget it! Fire the coals of romance.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Preventive medicine can save you trouble and money later on. Do not be too coy with members of the opposite sex or they could go elsewhere. It is time to put down some roots.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You have a chance to do something nice for yourself. Do it! Make home improvements now and you can save money. Your values give you an important yardstick many peo-

ple do not have.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Think about business if considering a career change. Your practicality is a big plus! An emotional matter involving the past may come up for review. Be prepared to deal with it fully.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Your inventive mind has hit upon a new plan to save money. Higher-ups are impressed and could reward you with a bonus. A former love tries to make you feel guilty.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Good luck comes to you in a creative field. Salespeople, writers and investors should do especially well. Use your social skills to gain power. Reveal your romantic plans to your parents.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You win an important point in negotiations. Be more flexible if you want true peace. Do not follow the rules. An older person receives an unexpected check. A mistake is overlooked.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Train yourself to "think positive." Stop putting yourself down. An athletic or literary contest will help rebuild your confidence. Money comes when you make the right choice. Romance is thrilling. Avoid making demands.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Be especially careful not to hurt other people's feelings. Clinch a business transaction by becoming slightly more assertive. A good day for seeking favors or loans. Romance improves.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The results of a poor financial decision are best kept under wraps. Do not move too quickly where a business or marital partnership is concerned. You need time to think things through.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Try to steer clear of gossiping people. They could have a chip on their shoulder. Money is available for education or a partnership, but there could be strings attached. Remain independent.

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"LET ME TELL YOU WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS THING:"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"We asked God to bless this LAST night!"

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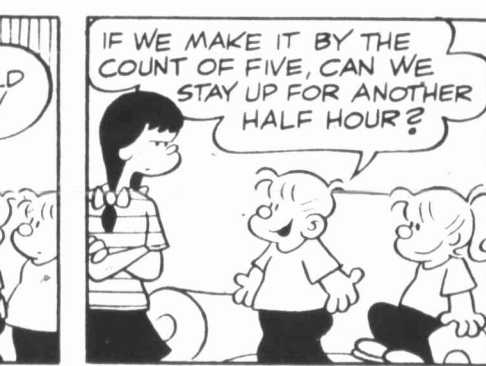
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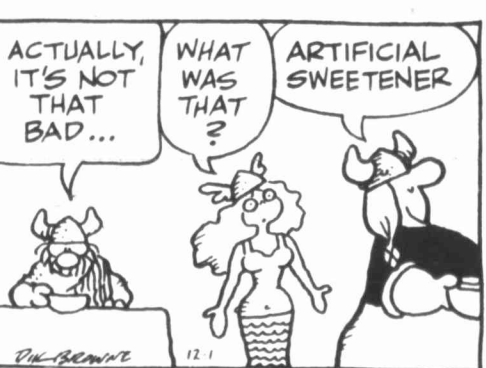
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