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Recycling Toys

Hereford High art students gave a final inspection of some toys the classes donated and refurbished. With the Red Cross, the students will distribute the gifts to 35 needy families in

the area on Christmas Eve. Gayla Kimball, art teacher, said toys still may be turned in to the Red Cross office at 101 Avenue E.

Chamber discusses 1983 plans

BY O.G. NIEMAN

Editor-Publisher

Plans for the new chamber year highlighted a regular monthly meeting of the Deaf Smith County Chamber board of directors Thursday afternoon.

The board will welcome new directors and officers to a "retreat" in mid-January to discuss goals and activities for the year. President-elect Bob Sims and the executive committee will announce the date and time as soon as possible.

Sims urged directors to "put on their thinking caps" and attend the planning session. He also asked directors to be thinking of ways to strengthen the agricultural involvement of the chamber in the community and county.

In other business, the board heard a report on the annual

Pheasant Hunt from tourism chairman Jim Rowton, heard a report from Women's Division president Carolyn Canon, and approved the monthly financial statement.

Rowton and C of C President Bill Johnson termed the pheasant hunting project a "success". Johnson said the American Sportsman Club had 35 members here, and club representatives praised the conduct of the project and added that the guide service by Kiwanians was "outstanding".

Johnson said the chamber and Kiwanis Club hosted 89 hunters the first weekend of the season. "We had no complaints from landowners, and everything seemed to go smooth." He cited vice president Sims for helping secure additional land just in time for the project.

Johnson also noted that this was his last regular board meeting, expressing appreciation to the directors for their efforts and cooperation during the year.

Mrs. Canon reported on the Christmas Lighting Ceremony which opens the Yule season each year on the

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Highway officials want more bucks

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Texas Highway Department officials say maintenance and construction of the state's roads will cost \$60 billion over the next 20 years and have asked lawmakers to nearly double their funding.

Highway engineer Mark Goode of the Texas Highway Department asked for \$2.8 billion in 1984 and \$2.9 billion in 1985 for highways. By comparison, the 1983 budget sets aside \$1.5 billion for highways.

Part of the money could come from a federal highway bill now under consideration in Congress, from which

Texas could expect to receive \$400 million a year, Goode said Thursday.

He told the House Subcommittee on Highway Funding the \$60 billion total projected need over the next 20 years was stated in "1982 dollars" and included costs of building new highways and maintaining the ones already in existence.

"It's a very conservative figure," he said. "The normal design life of a highway is 20 years, and the average age of the interstate system in Texas is already 10 years."

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Accurate Cruise missile joins American arsenal

ROME, N.Y. (AP) — The air-launched cruise missile, accurate enough to hit a baseball diamond after cruising 1,500 miles at treetop level, is now part of America's nuclear arsenal.

The first of thousands of the radar-ducking missiles, which cost about \$1 million each and are 15 times more destructive than the first atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima, entered combat readiness Thursday at Griffiss Air Force Base.

Gen. Bengis L. Davis, chief of the Strategic Air Command, said at a ribbon-cutting ceremony that the new generation of weapons "adds mightily to our strategic deterrence and enhances the goal of world peace."

He said the Soviet Union has no weapons as sophisticated as the new missiles, which are launched from B-52 bombers and can "read" terrain below, avoiding obstacles and

guiding themselves as they fly at 500 mph.

Sixteen bombers from the 416th Bombardment Wing will each carry a dozen of the jet-powered weapons, making up the vanguard of a 201-plane force which could launch a strike on 10 minutes notice.

Between 50 and 75 people representing 10 anti-nuclear groups held a vigil outside the base to protest the deployment, said Cynthia Banas of the Mohawk Valley Peace Council.

She called the Boeing-built missile a first-strike weapon designed "to attack the other person."

But the mayor of nearby Rome, Carl Eilenberg, who observed the ceremony in a Griffiss hangar, said the protesters represented a minority view.

Maj. Richard Tebay of SAC headquarters in Omaha, Neb., said the missile can "read" terrain on an approach grid covering hundreds of miles, making adjustments to avoid obstacles. Tests have shown the missile accurate to within 20 to 30 feet of its target.

He said 12 cruise missiles will be carried aboard B-52 bombers in 25,000-pound clusters of six under each wing. The B-52s also will have four conventional ther-

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Senate agrees to purchase Ron handful of MX missiles

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate today handed President Reagan his first MX missile victory of the lame-duck congressional session by agreeing to buy the new nuclear weapons after Congress approves a basing plan.

By a 56-42 margin, the Senate enacted a White House-backed amendment to a stopgap spending bill that includes \$988 million to buy the first five missiles. Last week, the House defeated

money to buy the missiles. When the Senate finally passes the entire stopgap bill, it will be sent to a House-Senate conference committee to try to iron out the differences, including the MX procurement question.

House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. has he doesn't think the House will go along with the Reagan request.

The Senate proposal says none of the MX production money can be spent until after both houses of Congress

approve a basing plan, which the Reagan administration will send to Congress after next March 1.

Passage came after more than three hours of debate.

"This is probably going to be the last chance for the MX," said Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga. He noted that the missile has been studied for at least eight years and more than 30 basing proposals have been considered and rejected.

Nunn urged approval of the compromise because of the "significant concessions" by the president.

But the Senate voted 70-28 to kill a motion by Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif., to eliminate production money.

Reagan has proposed building 100 MX weapons,

which he renamed the "Peacekeeper," and putting them in 100 silos in a "dense pack" formation near Cheyenne, Wyo.

But "dense pack" has been widely criticized and came in for more fire today during the dramatic debate that was watched by only a handful of people in the galleries.

Vice President George Bush, acting in his capacity as presiding officer of the Senate, was on hand. He would have voted in case of a tie.

Reagan, after the House defeat, endorsed the compromise proposal that would retain procurement money, but ban its being spent until Congress approves a basing mode.

Sun might be setting on PUC

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — After months of study and testimony, the Sunset Commission narrowly failed to recommend that the Legislature extend the Public Utility Commission's watchdog duties over electric and telephone rates.

A similar crucial vote comes today on continued operations of the Texas Railroad Commission and the State Board of Insurance.

The vote on a proposed bill to continue PUC operations, with several modifications, failed Thursday by a 5-4 vote, with six votes needed to send it to the 1983 Legislature.

"This means that we will make no recommendation to the Legislature," said Sen. Ed Howard, D-Texas, commission chairman and one of those voting "no."

"Does this mean it will be up to someone else to introduce separate legislation to re-create it to operate for the next 12 years?" asked Sen. Kent Caperton, D-Bryan, who voted for the extension.

"That's right," Howard said. The forthcoming session of the Legislature, which convenes Jan. 11, must take positive action to keep the utility commission alive. Otherwise, it will automatically be abolished.

Also voting against the proposal were Sen. Ike Harris, R-Dallas, and Reps. Gary Thompson, D-Abilene, and Elton Bomer, D-Montalba.

Vice Chairman Rep. Charles Evans, a Hurst Democrat, was absent. The failed proposed legislation on the PUC would have authorized an "independent utility counsel" to represent consumers before the PUC on telephone and electric utility matters.

The consumers' lawyer" also could appear for consumers when utilities appear before individual city councils.

The counsel would be under direction of the PUC and would not represent consumers before the Railroad Commission, which handles appeals on natural gas rates.

The proposal also would have — Authorized the PUC to (See PUC, Page 2)

U.S. factory use still declining

By The Associated Press

The use of America's factories fell to its lowest level on record in November and the nation's foreign trade went into the red, but a rise in housing starts signaled some strength in the nation's economy.

An surge in the housing industry 4s considered a key component in sparking the economy to recovery from recession, in part because housing affects so many other

industries, such as those involved in materials and household appliances. In recent weeks, home builders and buyers have benefited from declining interest rates.

November housing starts climbed 27 percent from October, and 66 percent from a year earlier, to an annual rate of 1.43 million units, the most since January 1981, the Commerce Department said Thursday.

In addition, building permits for future construction rose 6 percent to 1.24 million units, the highest since December 1980.

Also on the positive side was the Labor Department's report that first-time claims for jobless benefits in the week ended Dec. 4 fell by 8,000 to 590,000, the lowest level since August.

In another recession-battered industry, autos, the news grew worse. Indefinite layoffs among U.S. autoworkers rose to 268,128 this week, the fourth consecutive week the figure reached a new high, the five domestic automakers said.

Temporary layoffs were 20,950 this week, down from 25,550 last week.

At the same time, the industry journal Automotive News reported that this week's U.S. car production will be up 10.1 percent from last week, to 118,332 units from 107,447.

Other reports indicating the recession may still be intact included: —U.S. manufacturers (See ECONOMY, Page 2)

Walesa says he was 'kidnapped'

GDANSK, Poland (AP) — Lech Walesa said today he was "kidnapped" by police for nine hours Thursday to keep him from addressing a memorial rally. But he vowed that his outlawed Solidarity movement will "win one day" despite government efforts to crush it.

"I have to find a way to realize our goals," said Walesa, speaking to reporters for the first time since he was interned in the martial law crackdown Dec. 13, 1981. Walesa was released last month.

The news conference was held in Walesa's Gdansk apartment after police allowed Western reporters through a cordon that had been thrown up around the building. Earlier, they had barred the reporters from entering, questioning some who tried to do so.

Security throughout Gdansk also appeared more relaxed than Thursday, when thousands of riot police clashed with Poles angered by Walesa's detention. No injuries or arrests were reported.

Walesa said armed plainclothes police came to his home about 10:30 Thursday morning (4:30 a.m. EST), carrying a crow bar that they did not use. "As a reasonable man, I had to go," he said.

The officers took him to city hall, Walesa said, where he was questioned for 30 minutes about alleged financial irregularities in the Gdansk chapter of Solidarity, which he headed.

He said he was then "kidnapped" by men in civilian clothes. You can call it kidnapping.

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Donations still needed to brighten holidays

Thanks to the generosity of city and county residents, the Christmas Stocking Fund of Hereford will brighten the lives of needy persons again this year.

Total contributions had reached \$4,179 Thursday, and the CSF group will use all donations to help the less fortunate families. There are no administrative fees in the program.

The Hereford Brand is serving as a helping hand for the Christmas Stocking Fund organization. The newspaper is accepting monetary contributions, and is also accepting the names of needy families.

One letter to the CSF comes from a 12-year-old boy:

"I have one brother and three sisters and we won't be able to have much Christmas this year. My dad has been without work for four months, our car is broke and we are

behind on our utility bills. "We pray every night for dad to find a job. We're living only on food stamps. We have a Christmas tree but nothing to put under it. My parents don't know about this letter, but if you could help, our address is..."

The CSF will read all letters submitted concerning needy families, and a screening committee will try to determine those who need the help the most.

Checks to the program should be payable to the Christmas Stocking Fund and mailed to The Brand, Box 673, Hereford, Tx. 79045, or taken to the newspaper office.

PREVIOUS BALANCE	\$3,079
Fritz Christmas	30
Mrs. H.G. Cook	10
Anonymous	100
Gaylord & Virginia Newell	50
Nattle Station Circle of United Methodist Church	80
Anonymous	25
Alleen Montgomery	15

Champion Feeders	500
Carrie Black Circle of United Methodist Women	75
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowan	20
Birdene B. Huff	20
Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Posey	25
W.H. Viet	25
Gid & Junita Brown	100
Anonymous	15
Earl & Peggy Clark	10
TOTAL TO DATE:	\$4,179



By O.G. Speed, Nieman

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says there's nothing wrong with having nothing to say; the trick is not to say it aloud.

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An eastern monarch once charged his wise man to invent a phrase which would be true and appropriate at all times and in all situations. Their answer was, "And this, too, shall pass away."

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If you want to get an early start on your Christmas shopping, better start Saturday! In case you haven't noticed, there are just six shopping days after today - if you count Christmas Eve as a full day.

Hereford merchants are offering some real bargains for the gift seekers this year, as you've probably noticed in the pages of The Brand. The chamber's retail trade committee has been sponsoring a "Shop Hereford" promotion and giving away free trips, and the final drawing for a trip will be held Monday. Saturday will be the last chance to get in the promotion!

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Christmas is a time of sharing, and Hereford citizens have a number of opportunities to help make Christmas brighter for someone this year.

A number of church groups will be securing the names of needy families and providing help for specific people. The Christmas Stocking Fund, sponsored by a group of anonymous men, accepts contributions and provides help for the less fortunate. Contributions can be made at the newspaper office.

Project Christmas Card, a longtime program sponsored by the Medical-Dental Auxiliary, uses contributions to purchase equipment for Deaf Smith General Hospital. The deadline is Saturday for those who wish to donate and have their names listed on a greeting page in The Brand. The idea is to contribute to the fund instead of sending cards.

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Hereford's Jerome Friemel and Dimmitt's Carl King are among a 19-member "transition committee" named by Governor-elect Mark White. The committee will recommend policies and appointments in the new state administration, according to a report from White.

Make the bed soft for baby Jesus

"Making the bed soft for Baby Jesus" is the tradition in the Howard Johnson family.

Starting the first week of December, Howard, Carolyn, Chris, 13, and Jennifer, 12, draw names among themselves. In the week to follow, they must perform good deeds for the person they drew - without getting caught.

For each deed done clandestinely, the doer gets to put a straw in the manger of the family nativity scene and thus make the bed soft.

Mrs. Johnson said it helps the attitude of the family around Christmas because they are "smiling at each other."

"The idea is giving love, you, see," she said. Her idea is from a magazine article she read about four years ago.

update friday

New Mexico man indicted for murder

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — A 25-year-old New Mexico man has been indicted in the beating death of a Catholic priest who first was reported missing when he failed to show up for Christmas Mass last year.

A grand jury returned the murder indictment Thursday against James Harry Reyes of Chama, N.M., who is being held in Albuquerque on \$250,000 bond, said a spokeswoman for the Ector County district attorney's office, who asked not to be identified.

Reyes was charged with "striking and beating ... by some unknown means" the Rev. Patrick Ryan, 51, of Denver City, whose nude and beaten body was found Dec. 22, 1981, in an Odessa motel room. His hands had been tied behind his back.

Worried parishioners in rural West Texas reported the Pallotine priest missing after he missed both the Christmas Eve and Christmas Day masses.

Odessa police said Ryan, born in Doon, Ireland, had registered in the motel under an assumed name. His body was identified Dec. 26, 1981, when several parishioners drove 94 miles to Odessa.

Reyes called police in Albuquerque police Nov. 19 and told them he knew something about Ryan's slaying, Albuquerque police Sgt. Nick Alarid said. He was arrested at an Albuquerque motel room at short time later.

Officers videotape DWI suspects

WEATHERFORD, Texas (AP) — Parker County authorities don't think their movies will win any Oscars, but they do hope they win some convictions — from local judges.

Officers are using a security system at the Parker County Jail to videotape the booking of people suspected of driving while intoxicated. A prosecutor said he will begin using the videotapes in court next month.

The only way to find out if the tapes are admissible as evidence is to take them to court, said County Attorney Fred Barker.

"We're still bungling our way through the program," Barker said.

Texas law prohibits introduction of oral testimony except to show that something the defendant says in court is not true, Barker said.

But Barker believes statements made by a defendant unrelated to the case — such as swearing at officers — and the visual part of the tape should be admissible.

Barker said the videotapes, part of the security system at the jail, will provide stronger evidence in DWI cases, especially those in which defendants refuse to take breath or blood tests.

Senate adopts package

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate adopted an \$11.6-billion foreign aid package Thursday night containing \$475 million more in aid for Israel than the Reagan administration requested.

The aid figure was approved by a vote of 57-41 as part of a catchall spending measure that was expected to be

passed later and sent to a House-Senate conference committee.

The administration has opposed the increase in aid for Israel, arguing that it would make it difficult to enlist Arab support for President Reagan's Middle East peace initiative.

The administration proposed \$500 million in grants to Israel for purchase of military equipment and \$785 million in security-related aid designed to strengthen the country's economy.

The Senate approved the military aid grants to \$850 million and upped the security-related economic assistance to \$910 million.

The House accepted the administration's recommendation of \$785 million in economic support money, but increased the amount of grants for military purchases to \$750 million.

Pair rescued from wrecked helicopter

HOUSTON (AP) — Two men watched a helicopter crash in a south Houston field and then dragged two passengers to safety moments before the aircraft burst into flames.

Larry Craig, 37, saw he watched the helicopter land once, take off again, and then come crashing down near a hangar shortly after noon Thursday.

Craig, a pilot for Powersair Inc., said he and Powersair mechanic Bob Trick dragged the two passengers away from the helicopter after they fell out of the bouncing cockpit.

Weather

West Texas — Partly cloudy north and fair south through Saturday. Turning cooler Saturday. Highs 65 to 78. Lows mostly in the 30s. Highs Saturday 58 north to 78 Big Bend.

Concorde still dodging financial storm clouds

LONDON (AP) — Six years after its turbulent takeoff, Concorde, the British-French supersonic jetliner, is still dodging financial storm clouds.

Though passengers appear to love it, the state subsidies that keep it aloft are as uncertain as the winds over the Atlantic Ocean.

In London, the Conservative government of Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher has said that after next April it will no longer pick up \$22.5 million to \$25.5 million a year in "support costs."

In Paris, President Francois Mitterrand's Socialist government continues to absorb a \$23 million yearly operating loss.

In the past seven months, Air France Concorde services from Paris to Rio de Janeiro, Caracas, Mexico City and Washington have been axed, and there are persistent rumors — denied by the French Transportation Ministry — that its remaining New York flights will be grounded.

Despite the uncertainties, the sleek, delta-winged plane with the swivel nose — down for landing, up for cruising — soars over the Atlantic each day, cruising at 1,350 mph, landing a mere three hours and 45 minutes after takeoff, three hours faster than other

jets. At least for the immediate future, it appears likely to continue doing so.

"We support Concorde," said a spokesman for the French Transportation Ministry. "We are committed to it."

Sir John King, chairman of state-owned British Airways, declared: "Concorde services will go on. We are very happy about future prospects."

Indeed, the British have some reason to be.

Since the government decided to write off the 120 million-pound purchase price (\$193 million at today's exchange rate), BA's seven Concordes have soared from losses of \$16.2 million between 1976 and 1981 to profits of \$3.2 million in 1981-82 and \$11.3 million in 1982-83.

More than half a million passengers have been carried. The airline's twice-daily flights from London to New York and three times a week to Washington fly 70 percent full.

By June 1983, British Airways expects to begin handing over to the Treasury 80 percent of Concorde operating profits.

The bright horizon was clouded last month by Trade Minister Ian Sproat's decision to stop footing the bill for support costs — men and equipment needed for testing and licensing operations.

But BA has countered with a plan for one year's postponement in the transfer of both the support costs and the profits. In the interim, it hopes to cut costs to below \$6.5 million and negotiate a cut-price deal for spare parts.

"We want to keep flying Concorde because, one, it's profitable and two, it's an image-builder," says BA spokesman Ted Duggan.

Dallas to buy back station

DALLAS (AP) — The City of Dallas will spend \$704,000 for a downtown fire station to save the building from the wrecking ball — a move the City Council believes is the first of its kind by any city-elected body.

Dallas City Council members voted unanimously Wednesday to buy back the historic downtown building for several thousand dollars more than a developer paid the city for it last February.

The City Council entered a heated debate with the Zorina Corp. over the building. The council claimed Zorina agreed to preserve the Central Fire Station, but the company said its letter of intent was not binding.

Council members also voted to authorize eminent domain proceedings if the developer refuses to sell the building to the city, and told city building officials to revoke the building permit issued to Zorina for construction at the site.

The picture is far less rosy for Air France. The airline's seven planes have lost \$98 million. Despite shedding unprofitable routes, it expects to lose another \$26 million in the current year, of which the government will absorb 90 percent.

Air France ended its debt-ridden Rio-Caracas service on April 1 of this year, its Washington run Oct. 29 and Mexico City Oct. 31.

With its Paris-New York daily flight usually just over 60 percent full, spokesman Jim Collins said the airline continues to fly Concorde "solely at the request of the French government."

Concorde has been a doubtful proposition from the start. Conceived in 1962, its builders, British Aerospace and France's Aerospatiale, expected it to revolutionize long-distance jet travel. The two governments budgeted 170 million pounds (\$275 million at today's prices) for developing it, planned to start flying passengers by 1969 and expected to sell 400 planes.

But soon, development costs soared — eventually reaching \$3.24 billion — the airline industry sagged and the plane ran into production difficulties and opposition from environmental groups, which complained of the noise and fought to keep it out of big city airports.

The plane made its maiden flight March 2, 1969, over

Toulouse, France. It wasn't until Jan. 21, 1976, that the first passengers were carried — from London to Bahrain by British Airways.

Concorde's main problem has always been the cost of flying it. A Paris-New York ticket costs \$1,497, London to New York \$1,915. At those prices, nearly 18 percent higher than regular first-

class fares, few but expensive-account fliers can afford the luxury of supersonic travel.

Those who do take Concorde are enthusiastic.

"The Concorde is a great help in my line of work," said New York advertising executive Oliver C. Hill before boarding a recent flight at London's Heathrow Airport.

"When there are clients to see in London and New York the same day, there is just no other way to operate."

Both BA and Air France are now using the plane for package tours, flying soccer fans to the World Cup in Spain and archaeology buffs to the pyramids of Egypt.

For the occasional passenger, money is no object.

Singapore businessman Kim Tiong took his wife, six children, his parents, a son-in-law and two nieces with him from London to New York. The bill: \$24,906.

"You can't take your money with you," he explained.

Governor requests private donations

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Gov. William Milliken appealed for private donations of food and shelter to Michigan's needy, saying the hard-hit state's double-digit jobless rate has created a "human emergency."

Meanwhile, Detroit Mayor Coleman Young persuaded the federal government to donate 1 million pounds of surplus non-fat dry milk for the city's poor residents.

The announcement came one day after the government offered the city surplus cheese, butter, fruit juice, bread, flour, spaghetti, macaroni, rice and oatmeal.

"There are many people in this state who have run out of alternatives and now face the basic question of whether they will have enough to eat," Milliken said Thursday as he launched a relief program in a state where the unemployment rate is 17.2 percent.

"It is the responsibility of those of us who continue to work to assure that those who are not working continue to have food and shelter," he said.

"There is a human emergency in Michigan," said Milliken, a Republican

who is retiring Jan. 1 after a record 14 years in office.

Young, a Democrat, announced Thursday that the federal government will make the non-fat dry milk available in January and February.

It is the nation's only such giveaway to a city, Detroit officials said.

Young, who declared an emergency in the state's largest city Dec. 7, called for the federal government to declare a national emergency.

"We're trying to get an 'act of man' declared an emergency, as well as an 'act of God,' like a tornado or a flood ... Starvation is an emergency, and so is homelessness," he said Thursday.

The governor's plan calls for the state Department of Social Services to set aside \$1 million as seed money for local aid efforts and asks the Legislature to appropriate \$800,000 for the distribution of government surplus food and to support school breakfast programs.

Obituaries

ALFREDO JASSO
Services for Alfredo Jasso, 48, of Plainview will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Plainview with the Rev. Pat Hoffman, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Rex Nichols, pastor of Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Plainview with the Rev. Pat Hoffman, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Rex Nichols, pastor of Holy Spirit Catholic Church of Tulsa.

Burial will be in Plainview Cemetery under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home.

Mr. Jasso died Thursday morning from injuries suffered in an automobile accident five miles south of Hereford.

He was born in Yancy and attended public schools there. He moved to Plainview in 1956 where he married Francis Cabrera in May of 1958. He moved to Dumas in 1976 and returned to Plainview in August of this year.

Mr. Jasso was employed by Swift Independent Meat Packing Company in Hereford and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Plainview. Survivors include his wife;

his father, Simon of Yancy; three daughters, Karmen and Erica, both of Plainview, and Gloria of Madrid, Calif.; a son, Alfredo Jr. of Madrid; two half-brothers, Raul and Steve, both of Hondo; and six sisters, Juanita Frausto of Dumas, Alicia Amador of Kress, Rosa Sanchez of Hondo, Elaina Cabrera and Virginia DeLeon, both of Devine, and Patsy DeLeon of Yancy.

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Negligence, carelessness can ruin holidays

Although it is "the season to be jolly", many area residents will find this holiday season to be less than jolly because of negligence and carelessness, according to Major C.W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Three things are almost certain to be a part of the season: homes and apartments will be filled with gifts; families taking trips to be with loved ones and friends; and the crime rate skyrockets.

Major Bell offered the

following suggestion as precautions you can and should take to void turning this joyous time into an unpleasant or tragic memory.

Start with your home. Make sure that you lock all doors and windows whether you are in the house or not. If you leave, don't leave a key outside in a great hiding place. Burglars, even

amateurs, know all the usual and unusual hiding places.

We advise you not to make your affluence known. If you do put your Christmas tree in front of the picture window, be sure that the gifts are not easily visible from the outside.

If your holiday plans include a trip, have home deliveries discontinued and ask a trusted neighbor to look

after your home. A collection of newspapers in the front yard is a beacon to burglars.

Plan a safe trip. Get plenty of rest the night before you leave. Allow plenty of time to get to your destination. It is much better to arrive late than not to arrive at all. Take a break in your driving every two hours or each 100 miles to avoid fatigue. Above all, do not mix alcohol and driving.

Be sure to lock the doors and remove the keys when you leave your automobile. Don't tempt thieves by leaving attractively wrapped packages on the seats or in plain view. Put gifts and luggage in the trunk, safely out of sight.

Robbery also increases during this season but there are several things you can do to avoid becoming a victim. Don't try to carry too many large bundles that block your vision. If you shop at night, don't go alone and park in a well lighted area.

Police investigate burglary

A burglary, a vandalism and a domestic problem were reported to Hereford police Thursday.

At 308 Avenue I, the vinyl top on a car was torn.

The burglary report, from 525 Avenue H, included missing items of a clock, two candle holders, and an angel figurine. Total loss, including damage to the window where entry was gained, was set at about \$120.

Roads — from page 1

Goode said it would cost \$100 billion to replace Texas' existing roads, and he urged the panel to back his request for more money as a way of protecting the state's investment.

"Rehabilitation of the existing system is our No. 1 priority," he said.

Richard Salwen of the Texas Good Roads Association said for every \$1.66 motorists pay in taxes related to transportation, only \$1 is actually spent on highways.

For instance, he said, 25 percent of the state tax on gasoline is dedicated to public education.

Texans pay a hidden "bad roads tax" of \$300 a year because deteriorating highways cause traffic jams and increased fuel consumption, more accidents and damage to auto suspension systems, he said.

Rep. Ed Emmett, R-Kingwood, chairman of the subcommittee, said after the hearing that the mostly likely way to raise the needed money would be to earmark for highways the sales taxes

collected for cars, tires, auto parts and other transportation-related items.

At present, those taxes go into the general revenue fund.

Marcus Yancey, deputy director of the highway department, told the lawmakers keeping good roads in Texas was essential to the state's economic health.

"These are real needs. They are not pipe dreams," he said.

Census projections show Texas' population will increase by 50 percent by the year 2000, and he said 85 percent of the newcomers will live in an area bounded roughly by Denton, Laredo, Corpus Christi, Beaumont and back to Denton.

He said Texans own more cars per household than any other state.

"We have more vehicles, including trucks, than we have people," he said. "We have more three-car households than any other state."

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napping since they were not in uniform and did not bother to introduce themselves."

Police drove him around the city for 8½ hours, he said, leaving him at his doorstep about 7:30 p.m. (1:30 p.m. EST).

The government did not publicly acknowledge that Walesa had been detained.

Walesa said he had expected authorities to stop him from speaking at a memorial rally for workers slain in riots in 1970 and 1981. It was to be held outside the V.I. Lenin shipyard, where Solidarity was born in the summer of 1980.

"That's why I gave you my speech beforehand," he said, referring to a text distributed to Western reporters in Warsaw on Wednesday.

"We have to win one day," Walesa said of Solidarity, which was suspended under martial law and banned last October under a law that

restores Communist Party control over labor groups.

On Thursday, riot police ringed the V.I. Lenin shipyard, patrolled a soaring steel monument to the slain workers outside the yard, and cruised streets leading to it. They checked documents of passers-by and barred access to those who did not live or work in the area.

Despite the massive police turnout, a crowd of workers gathered at the base of the monument during the mid-afternoon shift change. They chanted "Free Lech!" and "Solidarity!" before dispersing on their own after about 15 minutes.

As the workers moved away, police rolled a water cannon and an armored personnel carrier into an adjacent street, and a helmeted squad of feared "Zomo" riot police advanced toward the retreating workers.

"Gestapo!" the retreating workers screamed. They also

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courthouse square, and noted the deadline was Friday for entering the Home Lighting Contest.

The Women's Division installation banquet is scheduled Jan. 11 at the Hereford Country Club, announced Mrs. Canon. Olivia Denning is to be installed as new president.

Mike Carr, executive vice president, reported that plans are being made for the annual C of C Banquet, which is to be held Feb. 3. The board is

also making plans for its installation dinner in January.

Directors attending the meeting included Johnson, Sims, Tom Burdett, Irene McKinster, Bobby Owen, Don Tardy, Buddy Peeler, Danny Boyer, Bob Gentry, Cal Jones, and Mrs. Canon. Absent were John Stagner and Bill Reinauer. Others in attendance were Jim Rowton, Speedy Nieman and office manager Toni Shakocius.

Economy — from page 1

operated at just 67.8 percent of capacity in November, the lowest the government has recorded in figures going back to 1948, the Federal Reserve Board said. The new decline was assured after Wednesday's Fed report that industrial production fell 0.4 percent in November, the 14th decline in 16 months.

"The nation's current account" of foreign trade — the broadest measure of trade in goods, services and other financial transactions — fell to a \$4.2 billion deficit in the third quarter and now seems headed for the first yearly shortfall since 1979, the Commerce Department said. Officials blamed the strong U.S. dollar and weak foreign economies, saying the deficit will be even larger next year.

Wall Street responded to the mixed news Thursday with stocks falling to a nine-week low. The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials

dropped 2.39 to 990.25. The last time the Dow closed lower was Oct. 8, when it stood at 986.85.

In other economic developments Thursday:

—American Telephone & Telegraph Co. unveiled a plan for breaking itself up, saying it would spin off more than \$100 billion of its assets to seven new phone companies.

—International Harvester Co. said it had a net loss of \$1.01 billion in its fiscal fourth quarter, setting what appeared to be a new record for a quarterly loss by a U.S. company.

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monuclear bombs and six short-range missiles in the bomb bay. After firing cruise missiles from distances up to 1,500 miles, the B-52 would attempt a conventional bombing run on other targets.

The cruise missile was pushed in 1977 by the ad-

ministration of President Jimmy Carter, who said it would eliminate any need for the proposed intercontinental B-1 bomber. But the Reagan administration has revived plans for the B-1 to replace the aging B-52.

The Air Force plans to buy about 4,000 missiles. By 1985, 105 B-52G bombers and 96 later-model B-52H bombers will have the cruise.

The Navy also plans to buy thousands of cruise missiles and put them on ships, including renovated World War II battleships.

By next fall, cruise missiles will be operational at Wurtsmith Air Force Base in Michigan, said Griffin spokesman Carl Sahre. Fairchild Air Force Base in Washington state and Blytheville Air Force Base in Arkansas will get the weapon in 1984 and 1985. Cruise missiles also will be deployed at bases in North Dakota, South Dakota, California and Texas, he said.

PUC — from page one

give "lifeline rates" to people over 65 years and the handicapped.

— Prohibited the PUC from allowing a fuel cost adjustment to be added to electricity bills.

— Required the PUC to hold regional hearings throughout the state on any major statewide rate case.

"It was the public counsel and the lifeline section that I disagreed with most," said Thompson. "That's not fair to other ratepayers."

"I'm sure someone will have another bill to continue the commission," said Rep.

Ernestine Glossbrenner, D-Alice, who voted for it.

Howard said he voted against the proposal because he did not think it should be before the Sunset Commission.

"We should be concerned with whether an agency operates economically and efficiently," he said. "This is not the place where you piggyback your pet projects on an agency, when they should be considered as separate legislation. The Sunset process is too important to be burdened with stuff like this."

Awards presented to top selling Camp Fire girls



Misty Pagett, left, and Sherry Vermillion ...with Mrs. Helen Langley, Board president

Harder hosts Christmas meeting

The Westway Extension Club Christmas meeting was held in the home of Sherry Harder Tuesday night. Debbie Keyes, president, conducted the business session.

Members of the club were asked to assist with the reception for Terri Johnson, whose wedding to John Long will be solemnized on Dec. 31.

Comments and reports on the Christmas bazaar were given and plans for continuing the bazaar next year were discussed.

The club voted to contribute to the Christmas Stocking Fund.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, members were served refreshments of Christmas goodies, tea and coffee.

Leta Kaul conducted the installation service using Beatitudes from the book of

Matthew as a basis for "Beatitudes for a Leader." As her charge to the new officers, she gave experts from Billy Graham's book, "Angels," and as each officer was installed Ms. Kaul presented her with a Hallmark angel named to symbolize the duties of her office.

Debbie Keyes, president, placed officers and members in position and the service closed with all representing a living Christmas tree.

New officers installed were Nancy Nixon, president; Carolyn Evers, vice-president; Marjorie Thomas, secretary-reporter; Grace Covington, parliamentarian; and Terri Johnson, council delegate.

Others present were Helen Brown, Joan Bookout, Diane Perkins, and Billie Landrum.

Awards were presented to the top candy sellers at the Camp Fire Council board of directors meeting Tuesday night at the Camp Fire Lodge. Winners and their parents were guests of honor at the presentation.

Glenda Kendrix received the council award, a 10-speed bicycle, for being the top selling Camp Fire girl.

There was a tie between Misty Pagett and Sherry Vermillion for top selling Blue Bird. Both girls received AM-FM radio cassette recorders.

Top selling Adventure member, Tracy Flood, was also presented an AM-FM radio cassette recorder.

Misha Kesse was recognized as top selling Discovery Club member and Donann Cummings as top selling Horizon Club member. Both received AM-FM headphone radios.

Each girl that sold five or

Koenig shows oil paintings

Members of Sweet 'n' Fancy Cake Decorating Club held a Christmas party Thursday morning at the Community Center.

Following a covered dish luncheon, Alice Koenig, a club member who is also a local artist, showed several of her oil paintings.

Pam Spencer, as well as eight children, were welcomed as guests.

Other members present were Rosie Tijerina, Margaret Gamez, Nora Perez, Eveylen Crofford, Elida Balderas, Isabel Cervantes, Susana Gonzales, Hope Torres, Mary McCutchen, and Martha Lytal.

Carols sung to Westgate residents

Toujour Amis Study Club members' children sang Christmas carols at Westgate Nursing Home recently.

Following in the singing, the children were treated to cookies and hot chocolate in the home of Charlotte Tyler where a surprise visit from Santa Claus complete the festivities.

Members and children attending were Karen Keeling and Tyler; Lori Hall and Riley; Katy Timmons and Paul; Robbie Ames and Lyndsi and Craig; Beverly Lambert and Jeff; Sharon Hodges and Heather; Susan Perrin and Sarah; Nanette Ashby and Allison; Cristin Leasure; Ms. Tyler, Cassie and Adam; and Rhonda Long.

Look at it this way: If the yule tree lost most of its needles before you got it inside, think of how much less sweeping you'll have to do.

Little rules of life: When the last ornament is placed on the tree, the first three will immediately fall off.

more packages of gift wrap, which was sold along with the candy, had a chance to win a 48-inch bear. Cindy Bell was the winner of the stuffed animal.

The annual Camp Fire candy sale is the organization's major money-making project. In addition to the funds received from the sale, it is an opportunity to further implement the Camp Fire program, giving girls an oppor-

tunity to learn while earning and by giving service to the council.

The money is used to introduce new activities into the Camp Fire program. New programs being introduced this year are "Caution Without Fear," "Many Cultures," "Pride in Hereford," and a program dealing directly with young people, educating them about how to deal with child abuse.



Tracy Flood



Donann Cummings



Cindy Bell ...with Ann Cummings, Adventure leader

Smith gives reading for Dawn Music Club

Dawn Music Club members Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J.B. Caraway. Mrs. Bill Caraway served as co-hostess.

Mrs. Alfred Smith read "Twelve Days of Christmas" as written by Kerri Steiert while women's editor of The Hereford Brand several years ago.

Mrs. O. Wertenberger gave a program about origins customs and foods adopted by immigrants in the United

States and passed down to present time.

Mrs. Carl Wimberley, president, presided at the business session, during which date changes were discussed for the Westgate birthday party.

Carols were sung and refreshments of hot punch and finger foods were served.

Mrs. Reece Stewart will be hostess for the Jan. 11 meeting.

Members enjoy holiday dinner

Carrell Ann Simmons hosted the members of La Madre Mia Study Club Monday for their annual Christmas party. Dinner was served by Ms. Simmons and co-hostesses, Mary Beth White, Georgia Sparks, and Tricia Sims.

Members exchanged gifts and answered roll call with "What I Don't Want for Christmas."

Others attending were Joyce Allred, Frances Berry, Jeri Bezner, Ruth Black, Beverly Bryant, Gena Geries, Sarah Hazelrigg, Mary Herring, Betty Lady, JoAnn Lane, Sandra Martin, Gladys Merritt, Bettye Owen, Lucy Rogers, Jenna Simons, Mysedia Smith, Debbie Tardy, Betty Taylor, Marlene Watson, and Judy Williams.

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Brown gives inspirational Christmas reading for club

Veleda Study Club met recently in the home of Norma Martin, with Patricia Weldon assisting as co-hostess. Holiday treats including cheese balls, fruit cake, candy, assorted cookies, punch, and coffee were served from a table decorated for Christmas.

Juanita Brown was in charge of the program. She gave an inspirational reading on Mary's thoughts and feelings the first Christmas. The program was made more special with music presented

by Marjorie Lasiter, Marcella McLain, Theda Seiver, Norma Walden, and Frances Crume.

The program was followed by an exchange of white elephant gifts.

A short business meeting was conducted by Donna Lindeman, president. Members decided to give \$50 to the Christmas Stocking Fund.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Patricia Weldon.

Warrick provides special music

Members of the Lone Star Study Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Oneita Davidson, with Bertha Dettmann serving as co-hostess.

During a short business session conducted by Ruby Stevenson, an offering was taken for a needy family.

Earl Warrick, a guest, sang "Star of the East" and then led the group in singing "Silent Night" with Ms. Davidson at the piano. Bibby Morgan told a Christmas story entitled "He Passed Through."

After a gift exchange, refreshments were served to Opal Bookout, Juanita Boynton, Evadna Cox, Jessie Mae Dodson, Margaret Ann

Durham, Wilma Goetsch, Hilda Havens, Nadine Hill, Ursalee Jacobsen.

Also, Lucille Naylor, Grace Tinnin, Zoe Williams, Winnie Wiseman, Ruth Womble, Sue Hensley, Mildred Elliot, and Emma Suit.

There's nothing like the glow of Christmas lights to remind you: You didn't lay in a supply of replacement bulbs.



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State titles up for grabs

Schoolboy football season ends Saturday

By JAY JORDEN Associated Press Writer

Hurst Bell coach Tim Andrews says that for 16 years he has dreamed about the opportunity to coach a high school football team through the playoffs to the state championship.

The dream becomes reality for Edwards at 2 p.m. Saturday, when his Blue Raiders clash with Beaumont West Brook in the Houston Astrodome for Class 5A supremacy.

"That's what so scary about it," the 38-year-old Edwards said. "This might be a once-in-a-lifetime thing so I'm trying to enjoy everything about it. I'm taking in the whole view and it's been great. It really has. And it really has gone by quickly."

Tailback Tom Ward put Bell in the finals with two touchdown runs for a 21-13 semifinal win over Dallas Carter at Texas Stadium last weekend.

"You see other people and you dream about it," Edwards said.

But he will readily admit his team has done more than dreaming about victory.

"This is just a great bunch of young people who believe in themselves and believe in their coaches," the coach, who began his football career as a two-sport star in the Southeast Texas town of Somerville.

"They have to set high goals for themselves. They have really come together. At times, it has just been like a dream," said Edwards.

The Blue Raiders, 14-0-1, began the season with a tough 17-7 victory over Fort Worth Western Hills, followed by six straight victories by the combined score of 246-12.

Bell then slipped by Arlington Bowie 28-26 and whipped Arlington Lamar 24-7 to amass a 9-0 record before tackling Eules Trinity.

"We were taking it week by week and got a little further ahead each game," Edwards said. "We really didn't know how good we were."

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The Blue Raiders slammed the Trojans 20-9 in a convincing win at Texas Stadium before 29,000 fans. Bell then rolled over Grand Prairie, Fort Worth Western Hills and San Angelo in the playoffs before downing Trinity again, this time on penetrations.

"We got together on the sidelines and said we didn't want our season to end," quarterback Craig Presnall said. "We went out there and did it. That is the kind of team we are."

But Presnall had equal praise for Edwards, who began his coaching career as manager of the prison baseball team at Huntsville and required armed guards to keep his players on the field.

"He's the best coach I ever had," said Presnall, who ran for a 7-yard TD in the Carter game. "He'd do anything for me and for anybody else. He's a very good man."

The Bruins, 10-4-1, eliminated Vidor 40-9 to reach the playoffs with a 6-4 record.

Against Converse Judson last week, the Bruins punter retreated to his own 11-yard line on a high snap from center, then threw a screen pass that went 89 yards for the score and a 14-0 lead. West Brook trampled Judson 27-12.

In other finals action, the Corsicana Tigers, 14-0, face off against Fort Bend Willowridge at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Kyle Field in College Station for the Class 4A crown. Willowridge, also 14-0 and fresh from a 38-0 mauling of

New Braunfels in the semifinals, has outscored its opponents in four playoff games 143-26.

But coach Neal Quillan fears the most powerful opponent will be Corsicana, which has outscored opponents 125-9.

"We looked at Corsicana on film," Quillan said, "and the kids are impressed with them. We know they are going to be the best team we've played all year."

Corsicana coach Don Denbow is equally impressed with Willowridge.

"The teams they played against in the playoffs, they marched right over," said Denbow. "It's as if the playoffs weren't even there."

Willowridge, in only its third year on the varsity level, had a chance to play for the state championship last season. The Eagles lost to Brownwood 14-9 in last year's final.

Littlefield wrestles with Refugio at 2 p.m. Saturday in Brownwood in the Class 3A title bout.

East Bernard, a preseason favorite to win the Class 2A final, has formidable competition in Eastland, which has averaged 47 points a game. Last-minute victories are the Mavericks' specialty.

In area playoffs, Eastland came from behind in the fourth quarter to tie the Holliday, 7-7, before winning on first downs, 14-8. Penetrations were tied, 2-2, and Holliday missed a field goal with 17 seconds left.

Newsome new weapon in Cowboy attack

IRVING, Texas (AP) — When tailback Tony Dorsett gets tired or hurt, the defense usually relaxes with his replacement on the field.

Then they meet Timmy Newsome, the latest secret weapon developed by the Dallas Cowboys.

Patience by Coach Tom Landry with the talented, but green Newsome has started to pay big dividends.

Newsome has gone from absent without leave in summer camp to awesome without a doubt in Dallas' stretch run to the National Football League playoffs.

The third-year, sixth-round draft selection from tiny Winston-Salem State stormed out of camp last August because he objected when Landry switched him from

Martina or Chris?

Who's best?

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Martina Navratilova has made her latest claim as the No. 1 women's tennis player in the world. Now it's Chris Evert Lloyd's turn.

Navratilova, the top seed in the select 12-woman field in the \$300,000 Toyota Championships, advanced to the semifinals with an easy 6-2, 6-1 victory over Wendy Turnbull of Australia Thursday night. She will face Hana Mandlikova of Czechoslovakia, the No. 4 seed, who outlasted hard-serving Barbara Potter 4-6,

Lloyd makes her first appearance in this season finale tonight when she takes on Pam Shriver. In tonight's other matchup, third-seeded Andrea Jaeger will take on Tracy Austin, the defending champion.

The semifinals will be held Saturday, beginning at 4 p.m. EST, with the finals scheduled for Sunday, starting at 7 p.m.

"I really don't care who's No. 1," Turnbull said after being crushed by Navratilova. "There are two people who care. Let them fight it out."

Lloyd is seeded No. 2, and defeated Navratilova in the finals of the Australian Open two weeks ago. Navratilova won the first two meetings of the two top players, beating Lloyd en route to winning the French Open and stopping her in the finals at Wimbledon.

Lloyd, however, bounced back to win the U.S. Open, then captured her first Australian Open title, beating Navratilova in the finals.

Appearing slightly rusty from her two-week layoff — her last match was the loss to Lloyd in the Australian Open — Navratilova struggled to hold her first two serves to begin the match. Turnbull, playing confidently, kept the pressure on, and the world's No. 1 player fell quickly behind 30-40.

Navratilova took the next three points to hold serve, but after Turnbull held at 15, Navratilova struggled again before holding serve.

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The win gave the Owls a season record of 4-2, while St. Mary's dropped to 8-2.

Perry signs for 26th pro season

SEATTLE (AP) — Veteran right-hander Gaylord Perry has signed with the Seattle Mariners for the 1983 season, his 26th professional baseball season.

Perry, at 44 the oldest active player in the major leagues, is a two-time Cy Young winner who currently leads all active pitchers in victories, with 307, and ranks third on the all-time strikeout list with 3,452.

His 116 strikeouts last year also marked the 18th time in his career he topped the 100-strikeout plateau in a season.

"We are obviously delighted to have Gaylord back for another year," Mariners' President Dan O'Brien said Thursday. "As he approaches more milestones in his illustrious career, we are happy that he has chosen to do so in a Mariner uniform."

The 1983 season will be Perry's 22nd in the major leagues.

The Mariners originally signed Perry as a free agent on March 5, 1982. His 10-12 record last year was highlighted by his 300th career victory, a 7-3 decision over the New York Yankees on May 6 at the Kingdome.

Dallas was a 10-point favorite.

Edwards paces LaPlata victory

DUMAS — Shelly Edwards scored eight points and Stephanie Thomas added five as LaPlata's 9th grade cruised past Borger, 32-15, Thursday in the opening round of the Dumas Ninth Grade Girls' Basketball Tournament here.

Stanton, meanwhile, lost its opening round game to Dumas Whitem 52-36.

LaPlata will play the winner of the Dumas Orange-Spearman game Saturday at 12:30 p.m. in its next game. If it wins, it will play again at 7 p.m. A loss would mean a 5:30 p.m. contest.

Stanton (3-5 on the season), meanwhile, will play at 10 a.m. Saturday against Per-

ryton, a 26-21 loser to Pampa in a first round game.

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Akeem the Dream leads Houston past Utah, 82-57

TOKYO (AP) — Akeem Abdul Olajuwon, the University of Houston's 7-foot center from Lagos, Nigeria, scored a career-high 30 points, grabbed 18 rebounds and blocked eight shots, leading the 14th-ranked Cougars to an 82-57 rout over the University of Utah today in the third Sunray Ball college basketball tournament.

The huge sophomore awed 4,300 fans with his devastating dunk shots as he muscled in under the hoop against the smaller Utes.

Houston took a 34-26 halftime lead behind Olajuwon's 15 points. The Cougars then pulled away in the second half, dominating the boards and breaking through the Utah defense.

Larry Micheaux added 17 points for Houston and Clyde Drexler had 15.

Olajuwon was held to eight points in Houston's 72-63 loss to top-ranked Virginia in the first game of the NCAA-sanctioned tournament Thursday night.

Houston, ending a two-game losing streak, now has a 6-2 record this season, while Utah is 4-4.

Utah held a 10-8 lead early in the game behind Angelo Robinson's three baskets, but Houston then scored 10

straight points as Olajuwon got into gear. Utah moved within 28-26 late in the first half, but never got that close again.

"We rebounded hard ... that was the key," said Houston Coach Guy Lewis. "It was a fine recovery from last night's disaster. Akeem dominated play out there."

Houston outbounded the Utes 47-27 and hit 30 of 53 shots from the floor for 56.6 percent. Utah, trying to shoot over the Cougars' tight zone defense, hit only 22 of 63 shots for 34.9 percent.

Utah still was within six points, 46-40, eight minutes into the second half, but four free throws by Olajuwon and two baskets by David Rose gave Houston a 54-42 lead with 9:30 left.

Robinson led Utah with 14 points, while Peter Williams had 12.

"I had messed up the play selections for three quarters, so I told (quarterback) Jay (Hess) to call the plays on that drive," coach Rod Hess said.

His son completed six passes on the drive, including one for a touchdown to running back Thomas Sanders.

Against Pilot Point in regionals, Hess again called all the plays in the winning drive, which began at the Eastland 21-yard line with 2:21 to play.

The younger Hess hit end Justin Owen for a 9-yard touchdown with 11 seconds left, pulling Eastland to within one point of Pilot Point at 20-19.

The Mavericks worked the same play, nabbing a touchdown for the two points.

In the next contest, Olney scored four touchdowns to grab a 29-21 lead against Eastlan. But Eastland tied the score and scored again with 1:11 remaining.

The Mavericks overcame Hale Center in the semifinals, moving from a 12-10 deficit to win. Hess has completed 167 of 280 passes for 2,974 yards and 35 touchdowns this season.

Union Hill, which ended Bremond's 29-game winning streak last weekend in the Class A semifinals with a 20-8 win, squares off against Roscoe at 2 p.m. Saturday in Weatherford.

"That was a real big win for us," said assistant coach Tony Lowery. "From a coach's standpoint, it was really unexpected. The stats for the game were real close. We just got the breaks."

The biggest was a 71-yard interception return for a touchdown by Gaylon Bowser in the fourth period.

Bowser is the team's leading rusher with 1,700 yards, and running back Tony Isome has 1,300 yards. Quarterback Derrick Stevens has passed for 1,110 yards.

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In Holiday Bowl

Ohio State defense to test BYU offense

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Ohio State's Marcus Marek believes tonight's Holiday Bowl will be like none other in the game's brief history. The average score in the bowl's four years has been 36-33, with two games settled by a single point and another by two points. Citing that, its sponsors like to call it America's most exciting bowl. Marek, Ohio State's All America linebacker, believes at least the high-scoring aspect may change tonight when the Buckeyes play Brigham Young. "I can see us holding them

to less than 10 points. That's how well we're playing defensively lately," said the 6-foot-2, 220-pound senior, nine tackles away from being Ohio State's all-time career tackling leader. That will be a tall assignment against the pass-happy Western Athletic Conference champions. They have averaged 32.5 points in posting an 8-3 record, the same as the Buckeyes. No opponent has held Brigham Young to less than 14 points, not even top-ranked Georgia this season. On the other hand, Marek is predicting a big night for the

Big Ten Conference runner-up's attack. Ohio State, a 6-point favorite, averaged 35 points in finishing the season with six straight triumphs. "I think we're going to score points," said Marek. "Our offense is a machine right now. It's one of the best in the country. We've got our run going." The game, being carried by Mizlou Television Network and ESPN at 9 p.m. EST, will match Ohio State's rushing against Brigham Young's air game. A sellout crowd of nearly 53,000 will watch Young test an Ohio State secondary that

yielded 226 yards per game. Young threw for 3,100 yards and 18 touchdowns, ranking second in the nation in total offense. "I think we're going to surprise Ohio State. They'll know they're in a football game," said Mike Morgan, the Cougars' all-conference defensive tackle. Neil Balholm, one of Brigham Young's primary receivers, expects big things of Young against the Buckeyes. "He has the ability to make things happen. He's able to scramble and keep the ball alive," said Balholm.

Brigham Young, of course, has no one to match Ohio State tailback Tim Spencer, the Big Ten's No. 1 rusher with 1,371 yards this season. Of that total, 953 yards came in the Buckeyes' closing six victories. No other back in major college football matched Spencer's pace over the last six games. The Cougars' No. 1 rusher is fullback Casey Tiumalu, with 665 yards. The meeting is the first between the schools although Edwards lost twice to Ohio State's Earle Bruce when he guided Iowa State.

Hereford boys host Portales

Hereford's boys will try to snap a three-game losing streak tonight when they host Portales in a non-district basketball game at 7:30 in the high school gym. The girls, meanwhile, will have the night off. They will host loop-leader Amarillo High Monday in their next outing. The boys, 2-8 on the season, have lost their last three games by a total of nine points. Overall, they've lost five games by six points, or less. "We just haven't been able to get over the hump, it seems," coach Bobby Decker explained. "We've played hard, but we haven't been able to win the close ones consistently. I thought the one we won against Lubbock Coronado last week (a 74-73 triumph) achieved on a shot by Gary Long at the final buzzer) might turn things around, but it didn't. Since then, the Herd has lost by two points to Palo Duro (85-83), by five to Odessa Permian (74-70) and by two to Plainview (54-52) Tuesday night in a District 3-5A battle. "I really don't know much about Portales. I haven't been able to talk to any coach who has played them, or even seen them. "I was talking to a radio broadcaster from Portales the other day, and he said they were a lot like us — pretty small. "In other District 3-5A games tonight, Plainview is at Amarillo High for boys and girls games. Caprock visits Tascosa, Palo Duro is at Coronado and Monterey visits Lubbock High. In the boys' race, Palo Duro and AHS are tied with 2-0 records. Plainview and Coronado are a half-game back at 1-0. Caprock and Lubbock stand 1-1, while Monterey, Hereford and Tascosa share the cellar with 0-2 records. AHS' girls lead the way with a 4-0 mark. They are 11-0 on the year. Plainview and Monterey are 3-0, while Palo Duro, Hereford and Tascosa are 2-2. Caprock and Coronado are 0-3, while Lubbock is 0-4.

Field Goal Percentage
Steve Welch 70-121 (.578); Jeff Streun 22-48 (.458); Terry Shelton 28-68 (.411); Gary Long 36-149 (.275); Brian Taylor 49-116 (.423); Gomer Garcia 6-17 (.352); Steve Barrett 5-15 (.333); Robert Abalos 2-7 (.286); Kevin Redus 1-12 (.083).
Free Throw Percentage
Steve Barrett 2-2 (1.000); Gomer Garcia 7-8 (.875); Jeff Streun 22-37 (.594); Brian Taylor 30-40 (.750); Gary Long 12-25 (.480); Steve Welch 16-27 (.592); Terry Shelton 16-30 (.533); Kevin Redus 4-8 (.500).
Rebounds
Steve Welch 67; Brian Taylor 53; Terry Shelton 47; Gary Long 41; Jeff Streun 37; Kevin Redus 9; Steve Barrett 7; Robert Abalos 5; Gomer Garcia 5.
Assists
Gary Long 28; Brian Taylor 25; Jeff Streun 23; Steve Welch 13; Steve Welch 7; Robert Abalos 3; Terry Shelton 3; Kevin Redus 2; Gomer Garcia 2.
Leading Scorers
Steve Welch 15.6; Gary Long 12.9; Brian Taylor 11.6; Jeff Streun 7.6; Terry Shelton 7.2.

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Dolphins host rugged Jets

By The Associated Press
Miami Dolphins quarterback David Woodley may be grateful for one thing. Stock in the New York Jets "Sack Exchange" has taken a slight dip.

The Jets, who led the National Football League with 66 quarterback sacks last season, had only 14 going into Saturday's game in the Orange Bowl at Miami.

"We may not be getting as many sacks as we usually get," Jets safety Ken Schroy says, "but we sure are getting the pressures. That's just as good as a sack as far as we're concerned."

The Jets, 5-1, take the third-ranked defense in the NFL into the game against Miami's ninth-ranked offense in the American Conference. The Jets, led by quarterback Richard Todd and running back Freeman McNeil, also have the No. 2 offense in the AFC. McNeil is the top rusher in the NFL with 532 yards on 100 carries.

The Dolphins, 4-2, meanwhile, counter with Woodley and the league's No. 2 rusher, fullback Andra Franklin, who has 518 yards on 120 yards.

"This is a game we have to have," Miami Coach Don Shula said of the contest between two AFC contenders. "Especially, since we're going against a team we're in direct competition with. It would be very meaningful to beat a good team like the Jets."

In Saturday's only other game, the Los Angeles Rams, 1-5, travel crosscountry to their old home park, the Coliseum, to play the Los Angeles Raiders, 5-1.

The Dolphins have the advantage of being healthy, while the Jets still are recovering from several injuries. Wide receiver Lam Jones may not be able to start with a sore ankle, and he would be replaced by Bobby Jones.

Knicks outlast Celtics in OT

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD AP Sports Writer
In Larry Bird's mind, there was no way Boston could lose to the New York Knicks, even when the Celtics were behind by 12 points with less than six minutes to go. He was nearly right. But the Knicks survived an 18-6 outburst by Boston that forced the game into overtime and beat the Celtics 113-105 in National Basketball Association action Thursday night. It was only the eighth victory in 24 games for the Knicks, while the Celtics are 19-5.

"There wasn't one time in the game I thought we weren't going to win it," said Bird, whose confidence is built on many Boston comebacks in the past, including a victory over Detroit Wednesday night after the Celtics trailed by 20 points.

"We expected to win against the Knicks with their record," said Bird, who had 23 points and 14 rebounds for the Celtics. "We should have won this game. But there was a letdown after we caught them."

Bernard King scored 27 points for New York, including five in overtime, but it was the Knicks defense that proved to be the difference, holding the Celtics to 40.8 percent shooting.

And although the Celtics passed the 100 mark in overtime, it was only the second time this season they have been held under 100 points in 48 minutes. And both times it was the Knicks who did it.

In other games, Atlanta beat Cleveland 106-97, San Antonio belted Denver 120-108, Golden State tripped Phoenix 98-94, Portland defeated San Diego 111-103 and Seattle stopped Dallas 103-93.

Sly Williams, making his first start of the season, scored 19 points for New York while Marvin Webster also had 19 for the Knicks. Center Rick Robey, starting in place of injured regular Robert Parish, had 18 points and 15 rebounds for Boston.

Spurs 120, Nuggets 108
Johnny Moore scored a career-high 29 points and reserve forward Bill Willoughby hit 10 straight fourth-quarter points for San Antonio in its victory over Denver.

Moore, averaging 12 points per game, was forced to shoot more because George Gervin, the NBA's second-leading scorer, was limited to 27 minutes and 18 points because of foul trouble.

Willoughby, whose 18 points was his season high, had two three-point field goals in the fourth quarter to keep the Nuggets, who were led by Dan Issel with 30 points, from getting closer than eight points in the period.

Sonics 103, Mavericks 93
David Thompson, playing in only his second game after a knee injury, scored 18 points to lead Seattle over Dallas. The Sonics outscored the Mavericks 23-4 in a 7½-minute span in the second half to take their biggest lead, 42-26. Dallas rallied to cut the deficit to five, 73-68, in the third quarter, but it got no closer than that.

Jay Vincent scored 21 points to lead the Mavericks. Blazers 111, Clippers 103
Jim Paxson scored 21 points for Portland to pace the victory over San Diego, which had only eight players because of injuries.

Darnell Valentine added 20 points for the Trail Blazers, who never trailed in the game after scoring 11 of the first 13 points.

Randy Smith led the Clippers with 23 points and nine assists. Warriors 98, Suns 94
Joe Barry Carroll scored 26 points and Purvis Short added 24 as Golden State rallied from a 17-point halftime deficit against Phoenix.

The Warriors still trailed 75-69 after three periods, but they finally took their first lead of the game at 84-83 on a layup by Lorenzo Romar. The Suns, who got 21 points from Walter Davis, never regained the advantage.

Hawks 106, Cavaliers 97
Mike Glenn scored all 14 points in the fourth quarter to boost Atlanta past Cleveland, which lost its fifth straight game.

Glenn's first points of the game gave Atlanta a 77-76 lead and another basket ignited a run of 10 Hawks points in a row that gave them an 89-80 edge.

Rory Sparrow led Atlanta with 24 points, while Cliff Robinson topped all scorers with 25 for the Cavaliers.

Scoreboard

Scores

Thursday's College Basketball Scores
By The Associated Press
St. Peter's 61, Brooklyn Coll. 51
Virginia 72, Houston 63
SOUTH
Davidson 47, Furman 46
N. Alabama 86, W. Georgia 64
SE Louisiana 59, Georgia St. 42
MIDWEST
Evansville 81, US International 59
Ohio St. 81, Youngstown St. 53
Minnesota 71, Dayton 65
SOUTHWEST
E. Texas St. 82, E. Texas Baptist 76
Houston Baptist 69, Texas-San Antonio 64, OT
Rice 64, St. Mary's, Texas 54
FAR WEST
Pepperdine 86, Nev.-Reno 83
Utah St. 74, Weber St. 62

NFL standings

National Football League
By The Associated Press
American Conference
W L T Pct. PF PA
Cincinnati 5 1 0 .833 129 90
L.A. Raiders 5 1 0 .833 155 125
N.Y. Jets 5 1 0 .833 171 95
Buffalo 4 2 0 .667 98 72
Miami 4 2 0 .667 117 95
Pittsburgh 4 2 0 .667 121 101
San Diego 4 2 0 .667 160 120
New England 3 3 0 .500 83 101
Seattle 3 3 0 .500 104 96
Cleveland 2 4 0 .333 89 122
Denver 2 4 0 .333 111 149
Houston 1 5 0 .167 81 155
Kansas City 1 5 0 .167 89 129
Baltimore 0 6 0 .000 60 138
National Conference
Dallas 5 1 0 .833 158 83
Washington 5 1 0 .833 120 104
Atlanta 4 2 0 .667 153 119
Green Bay 4 2 0 .667 144 115
Detroit 3 3 0 .500 102 95
Minnesota 3 3 0 .500 108 98
New Orleans 3 3 0 .500 77 106
N.Y. Giants 3 3 0 .500 103 97
St. Louis 3 3 0 .500 101 114
Chicago 2 4 0 .333 77 112
San Francisco 2 4 0 .333 156 155
L.A. Rams 1 5 0 .167 122 159
Philadelphia 1 5 0 .167 108 135

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Transactions

Thursday's Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
National League
NEW YORK METS—Traded Charlie Puleo, pitcher; Lloyd McClendon, catcher; and Jason Felice, outfielder, to the Cincinnati Reds for Tom Seaver, pitcher.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
SEATTLE MARINERS—Signed Gaylor Perry, pitcher, to a one-year contract.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
LOS ANGELES RAMS—Signed Myron Laska, lineman.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Signed Don Bessilieu, safety, to a free-agent contract. Placed Wayne Smith, defensive back, on the injured reserve list.

Texas in shape

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The Texas Longhorns will be in their best shape of the season when they tackle the North Carolina Tar Heels in the Sun Bowl Christmas Day, says Texas Coach Fred Akers. Fullback Carl Robinson, sidelined with a hamstring pull, returned to full-scale practice Thursday. All other injured players who missed the last two games of the season returned to practice earlier in the week, Akers said.

NBA standings

National Basketball Association
By The Associated Press
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division
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Philadelphia 19 4 .826 —
Boston 19 5 .792 ½
New Jersey 12 11 .522 7
Washington 11 11 .500 7½
New York 8 16 .333 11½
Central Division
Milwaukee 15 9 .625 —
Detroit 13 11 .542 2
Atlanta 12 11 .522 2½
Indiana 9 14 .391 5½
Chicago 8 15 .348 6½
Cleveland 3 20 .130 11½
WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division
San Antonio 17 9 .654 —
Kansas City 13 7 .650 4
Dallas 11 11 .500 4
Utah 10 14 .417 6
Houston 3 19 .136 12
Pacific Division
Los Angeles 17 5 .773 —
Seattle 17 6 .739 ½
Portland 14 11 .560 4½
Phoenix 13 11 .542 5
Golden State 11 14 .440 7½
San Diego 4 20 .167 14

NHL standings

National Hockey League
By The Associated Press
Wales Conference
Patrick Division
W L T GF GA Pts
NY Isles 17 13 5 127 108 39
Philadelphia 17 11 4 127 103 38
Washington 13 9 9 118 113 35
NY Rangers 16 13 2 130 116 34
Boston 18 9 6 144 104 42
New Jersey 6 21 7 94 148 19
Adams Division
Montreal 19 7 6 152 110 44
Boston 18 9 6 144 104 42
Quebec 15 12 4 147 141 34
Philadelphia 13 13 6 125 112 32
Hartford 9 17 4 104 143 22
Campbell Conference
Norris Division
Chicago 20 5 6 140 97 46
Minnesota 19 8 6 147 119 44
St. Louis 11 20 2 115 121 25
Detroit 7 18 7 94 135 21
Toronto 5 18 6 98 134 16
Smythe Division
Edmonton 14 11 7 149 135 36
New Jersey at Edmonton
Vancouver 13 14 6 125 117 32
Winnipeg 14 13 3 131 132 31
Los Angeles at Boston
Buffalo at Quebec
New York Rangers at Detroit
Washington at Pittsburgh
Chicago at Toronto
Minnesota at Vancouver
Montreal at Calgary

Bowl preview

By The Associated Press
Independence Bowl At Shreveport, La.
Wisconsin 14, Kansas State 3.
Friday, Dec. 17, Holiday Bowl At San Diego, Calif.
Ohio State (8-3) vs. Brigham Young (8-3), 9 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 18, California Bowl At Fresno, Calif.
Bowling Green (7-4) vs. Fresno St. (10-1-0), 4 p.m.
Tangerine Bowl At Orlando, Fla.
Boston College (8-2-1) vs. Auburn (8-3), 8 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 25, Sun Bowl At El Paso, Texas
North Carolina (7-4) vs. Texas (9-2), 3 p.m.
Aloha Bowl At Honolulu
Maryland (8-3) vs. Washington (9-2), 7 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 29, Liberty Bowl At Memphis, Tenn.
Alabama (7-4) vs. Illinois (7-4), 8 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 30, Gator Bowl At Jacksonville, Fla.
West Virginia (9-2) vs. Florida State (8-3), 8 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 31, Hall of Fame Bowl At Birmingham, Ala.
Vanderbilt (8-3) vs. Air Force (7-5), 2 p.m.
Peach Bowl At Atlanta
Tennessee (6-4-1) vs. Iowa (7-4), 3 p.m.
Bluebonnet Bowl At Houston
Arkansas (8-2-1) vs. Florida (8-3), 7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 1, Fieswa Bowl At Coeur d'Alene, Idaho
Southern Methodist (11-1) vs. Zou-21, m. 7:30 p.m.
Rosebough At Orange Bowl At Miami, Fla.
Louisiana State (8-2-1) vs. Nebraska (11-1), 8 p.m.
Sugar Bowl At New Orleans
Penn State (10-1-0) vs. Georgia (11-0-0), 8 p.m.

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NBA box scores

DALLAS (93)
Aguirre 5-16 3-6 14, Vincent 10-19 1-11 21, Cummings 4-14 5-6 13, Blackman 5-11 8-10 18, Davis 6-8 3-3 15, Garnett 1-5 0-0 2, Nimpheus 0-3 0-0 0, Ransley 1-5 0-0 2, Turner 1-4 1-2 3, Bristow 1-3 0-0 2, Spanarkel 1-2 1-2 3. Totals 58-92 22-30 93.
SEATTLE (103)
Tolbert 4-11 4-12 12, Vranes 5-7 0-0 10, Sikma 2-5 2-2 6, Thompson 7-14 4-4 18, Williams 7-16 2-2 16, Shelton 5-15 0-0 10, Danielson 3-4 0-2 6, Smith 4-7 1-2 9, Kelsner 1-5 1-2 3, Brown 6-10 0-0 13, Radford 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 44-96 14-20 103.
Dallas 24 12 32 53
Seattle 29 22 28 44-103
Three-point goals—Aguirre, Brown, Fouled out—Vranes. Total Fouls—Dallas 18, Seattle 25. Rebounds—Dallas 50 (Cummings 15), Seattle 44 (Thompson and Danielson 9). Assists—Dallas 18 (Davis 6), Seattle 27 (Williams 8). Technicals—Shelton A-3, 116.
SAN ANTONIO (120)
Banks 4-12 2-2 10, Mitchell 3-10 3-5 9, Gilmore 8-13 4-4 20, Moore 11-19 6-9 29, Gervin 5-8 8-8 18, Willoughby 6-9 4-4 18, Rains 9-4 2-2 2, Griffin 3-5 0-0 6, Robinson 1-1 0-2 2, Phegley 2-4 2-2 6. Totals 45-87 31-38 120.
DENVER (108)
English 11-21 3-5 26, Vandeweghe 9-18 4-4 22, Issel 11-22 6-4 30, Dunn 3-6 1-2 7, Hamlik 0-5 2-2 2, McKinney 3-7 3-4 9, Godrick 1-1 0-0 2, Kelley 1-2 0-2 2, Williams 3-4 2-4 8, Ray 0-3 0-0 0. Totals 42-89 21-29 108.
Three-point goals—Moore, Willoughby 2, Issel 2, English. Fouled out—Gervin, Williams, Robinson—San Antonio 54 (Banks 11), Denver 35 (Vandeweghe 8). Assists—San Antonio 20 (Banks 7), Denver 28 (English 6). Total fouls—San Antonio 29, Denver 29. Technicals—San Antonio, delay of game, and Issel A-10, 815.



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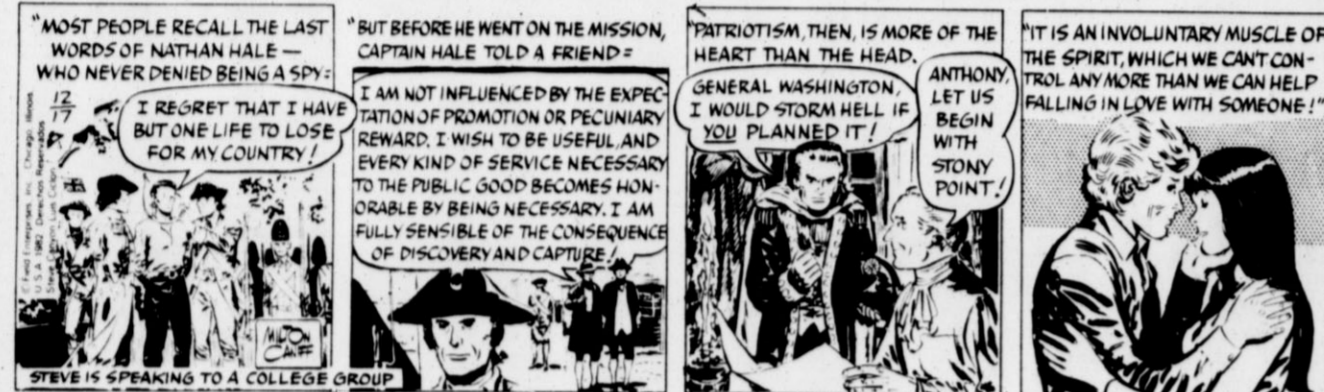
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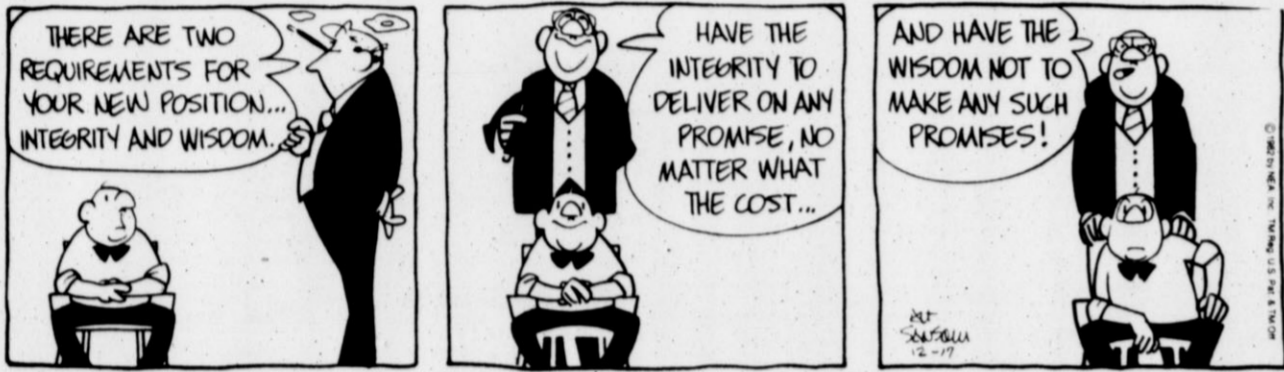


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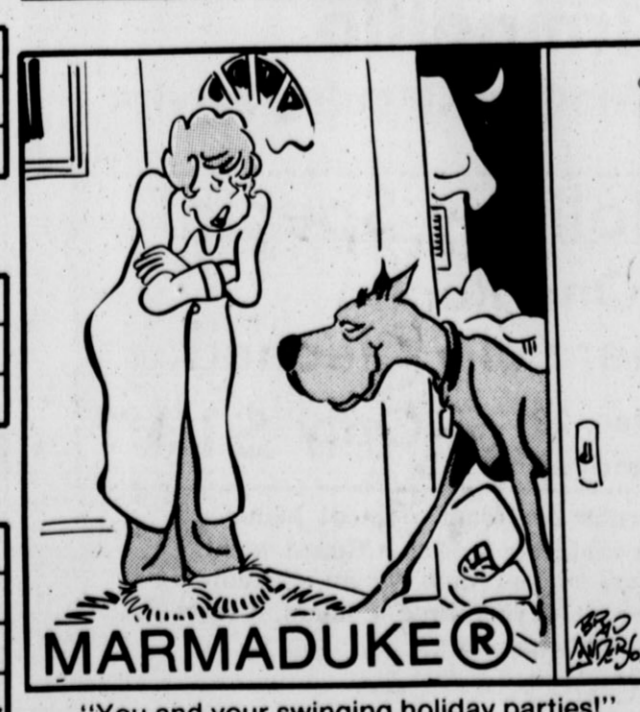
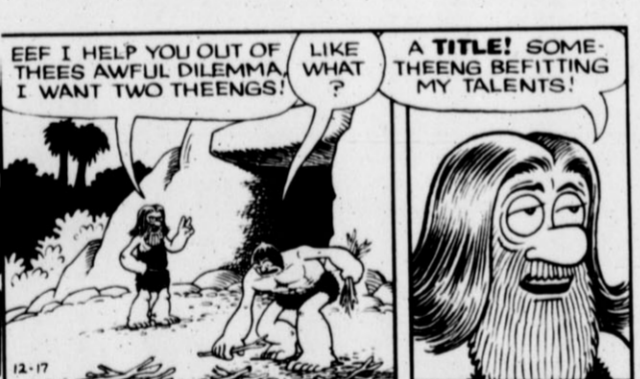
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Television Schedules

FRIDAY

- 7:00 Super Book
Powers of Matthew Star
Matthew performs a daring rescue to save his guardian. (60 min.)
- Washington Week/Review
Paul Duke is joined by top Washington journalists analyzing the week's news.
- MOVIE: 'Batman' Arch-villains of the underworld (the Catwoman, the Joker, the Penguin and the Riddler) join forces to dispose of Batman and Robin. Adam West, Burt Ward, Cesar Romero. 1966
- Benson
Benson faces the problem of a cook who has her children taken away from her. [Closed Captioned]
- Camp Meeting USA
Solid Gold
- Dukes of Hazard
NFL Game of the Week
Prime News
El Cobete Distinguido
MOVIE: 'Don't Cry, It's Only Thunder'
A young American serviceman aids homeless orphans in wartime Saigon. Dennis Christopher, Susan Saint James. 1981
- Swiss Family Robinson
Wall Street Week
Louis Ruker analyzes the '80s with a weekly review of economic and investment matters.
- New Old Couple
Oscar falls in love with a woman who makes a pass at Felix.
- ESPN Special
An NCAA Football Preview of the Holiday. California, Tangerine, Aloha and Liberty Bows.
- 8:00 Charytin
Programa musical presentando la bella Charytin.
- 700 Club
Knight Rider
Michael Knight meets an amnesia victim that can help him foil an assassination attempt. (60 min.)
- Austin City Limits
MOVIE: 'Dr. No'
James Bond discovers a nuclear base in Jamaica established to divert the course of rockets projected from Cape Canaveral. Sean Connery, Ursula Andress, Jack Lord. 1963
- Jim Bakker
Best of Midnight Specials
Dallas J.R.
pulls his dirtiest trick yet in his fight with Bobby for Ewing Oil. (60 min.)
- NCAA Football: Holiday Bowl from San Diego, CA
- Vanessa
Remington Steele
Firing Line
Westbrook Hospital
News
Falcon Crest
Jacqueline Ferrault returns to the valley with enough evidence to put Angela in prison. (60 min.)
- Freeman Reports
24 Horas
MOVIE: 'The Border'
A man wages war against corrupt border guards who manipulate the lives of Mexican immigrants. Jack Nicholson, Valerie Perrine, Warren Oates. 1982. Rated R
- TBS Evening News
- 9:30 Star Time
To Be Announced
Dick Cavett Conclusion.
Kearney is the guest.
- Soap
Sports Tonight
Película: 'Rebeldes en Canada'
- 10:15 All in the Family
10:30 Another Life
Tonight Show
Business Report
Charlie's Angels
The King Is Coming
MOVIE: 'A Christmas Without Snow'
A group of choir members struggle under the leadership of a perfectionist director. Michael Learned, John Houseman, Ramon Bieri. (2 hrs.)
- Crossfire
MOVIE: 'The Rover'
A pirate rescues a young woman from a revolutionary mob. Anthony Quinn, Rosanna Schiaffino, Rita Hayworth.
- 11:00 Burns & Allen
Sign Off
Jim Bakker
ESPN SportsCenter
News
Jack Benny Show
SCTV Network
Nightline
Saturday Night
- 11:30
- 12:00 Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ
America Screams
Married Joan
Last Word
Zola Levitt
Mike Douglas People Now
Sina Limosna de Amor
My Little Margie
Heritage USA Update
Twilight Zone
Sign Off
Charytin
Programa musical presentando la bella Charytin.
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SATURDAY

- 7:00 Contact
Flintstone Funnies
Romper Room
Super Friends
Joy Junction
U.S. Farm Report
Sports/Weather
ESPN SportsCenter
News/Sports/Weather
Teatro Fantastico
Rich Little's 'A Christmas Carol'
Rich performs a different version of this Christmas classic.
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Ann Landers

Couple hooked on pot

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am a 35-year-old wife and mother. My husband and I have been smoking pot for 14 years.

We have tried to quit dozens of times, but we can't. The habit is costing us \$40 a week. We are both overweight because of the munchies that go with pot smoking. They say pot is "relaxing," and we can certainly vouch for that. In fact, when we get home from work and have supper we are so relaxed after a few joints we are too stoned to read or watch TV. There is no conversation and no sex. My husband has fallen asleep trying so often that we have given up.

I have seen letters in your column from high school and college kids who say they are in trouble because of pot, but never anything from adults like us—and I am sure there must be millions. To put it simply, we are middle-aged people who are hooked and want to get off, but we can't.

What's the answer?-- Ashamed in Illinois

DEAR ASHAMED: Your letter should lay to rest for all time that old line that marijuana is not addictive. Back in the late '60s a long list of so-called experts were saying pot is harmless and nonaddictive. I was considered some kind of nut because I disagreed. Furthermore, I had very little professional support--Dr. Zigmund M. Lebensohn of Washington, D.C., Dr. Francis Braceland of Hartford, Conn., and Dr. Harvey Powelson at Berkeley, Calif., were the only ones who backed me up.

Recently I have received thousands of letters from potheads who want to get off. My consultant for this problem is Dr. Edward C. Senay, psychiatrist and top-notch authority on street drugs. Dr. Senay recommends one of two approaches. First, good old Alcoholics Anonymous. They have done a fabulous job of getting people off all

addictive substances. (Most folks don't realize that alcohol IS a drug--undoubtedly the most abused drug of all.) AA is free. It's in the phone book and there are thousands of chapter meetings going on all over the world. Yes, teenagers are welcome.

Dr. Senay also recommends professional help--a psychologist or psychiatrist who is knowledgeable in the field. In Chicago, Dr. Fred Schick and Dr. Sydney Schnoll (both at Northwestern University) are superb. Pot addicts who choose the counseling route are carefully monitored. Their urine output is measured every week to make sure they are not smoking on the sly. Users of alcohol and drugs tend to be skillful liars.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: This is my first letter to Ann Landers--or any newspaper



personality, for that matter. The letter about the mother who made her 12-year-old son and eight-year-old daughter shower together struck a familiar chord.

My ex-mother-in-law put my husband and his sister in the tub together until she was 14 and he was 15. She washed them both ALL OVER. To add to the nuttiness, she insisted that the girl wear panties and washed her after the boy. She made him stand with his face to the wall so he "wouldn't see anything."

Early nuttiness makes for later nuttiness. I got out of that marriage fast.--Wary Of Bathroom Moms

DEAR WARY: "As the twig is bent..." and that Mom really bent them. Thanks for writing.

Drama presentation scheduled Sunday

"Especially for Him This Christmas," three Christmas dramas, will be presented by Frio Baptist Church at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Characters for "A String of Blue Beads" will be portrayed by Kirk Sparkman, Tori Self, and Candace Matthews.

"Gold, Circumstance and Mud" will feature Tim Tone, Shelly Frye, Andrea Wall, Jana Baird, Thad Hill, and Cindy Harker.

Scott Robbins, Amy Mason, Walt Tindal, Kandi Sparkman, Carrie Matthews, Lee Harder, Thad Hill, and Jana Baird will portray the characters in "The Three Visits."

Carolers for all three dramas will Billy Joe Wall, Suzy Wall, Ruth Robbins, Virginia Self, and Robin Baldwin.

Melody Tone is the director and writer of all three plays. She is being assisted by

Michelle Harder, Doug Janovec, and Kirk Andrews.

"A String of Blue Beads" is adapted from a story written by Fulton Oursler. "Gold, Circumstance and Mud" is adapted from a story by Rex Knowles, and "The Three Visits" is adapted by Leo Tolstoy.

BARBS

Phil Pastoret

The best criticism of punk rock is to be found in the name of the stuff.

The way they're jumping the shopping seasons, we'll soon be treated to the sight of Santa lighting the first July 4th giant cracker.



Today In History

By The Associated Press Today is Friday, Dec. 17, the 351st day of 1982. There are 14 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Dec. 17, 1903, Orville and Wilbur Wright made the first successful airplane flight, at Kitty Hawk, N.C.

On this date:

In 1538, Pope Paul III excommunicated King Henry VIII of England.

In 1830, South American patriot Simon Bolivar died in Colombia.

In 1843, the Charles Dickens story "A Christmas Carol" was published in England.

In 1973, Arab guerrillas attacked a U.S. jetliner at an airport in Rome, killing 31 people.

Ten years ago: Apollo 17 astronaut Ronald Evans floated in space for 47 minutes to retrieve film from the earth-bound space craft.

Five years ago: An Israeli peace delegation attending Sabbath services was cheered in by thousands of Egyptians in Cairo.

One year ago: Polish officials reported that seven people had been killed when police opened fire at a strike-bound coal mine near Katowice.

Today's birthday: Pro basketball star Albert King is 23.

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Christmas tree to be at mall until Monday

The sight of a small child struggling for breath is painful to the helpless observer. It could mean asthma, the most common chronic disease of childhood.

In Hereford, a community effort coordinated by Lung Association volunteer Jewel Smith is helping in the fight against asthma and other breath robbers.

The second annual Christmas seal tree project was kicked off Dec. 4 when a large, empty Christmas tree was placed in Sugarland Mall.

Shoppers are invited to help decorate the tree during mall hours by making a donation of any size and signing a paper candy cane ornament to add to the tree.

The project is special because of the participation and involvement of many

concerned Hereford residents.

The tree was donated by the noon Kiwanis Club and ornaments by the VFW.

Among the groups volunteering to accept donations and hang the ornaments are the Hereford High Key Club, La Plata Study Club, American Legion Auxiliary, La Madre Mia Study Club, La Plata Study Club, American Legion Auxiliary, La Madre Mia Study Club, Alpha Iota Mu sorority, Hereford Garden Club, Homemakers Sunday school class at First United Methodist Church, and the VFW Auxiliary.

"Last year almost \$800 was raised," says Ms. Smith. "We hope to exceed that amount this year."

The tree will be set up in Sugarland Mall until Monday. For more information, contact Ms. Smith at 364-1418.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL Sara Aguillar, Tom Brorman, Gerald Brown, Chris Cantu, Anna Castillo, Eric Castillo.

Isabell Celaya, Leroy Collier, Anna Conklin, Lizzie Edmondson, Delma Garza, Earl Holt, Charlene Howell.

Eugene Lucero, Wayne McCutchen, Angie Medina, Rupert Mendoza, Lucille Richardson, Carlos Romero.

Donita Rule, Clarence Schulz, F.H. Smotherman, Carroll Tucker, Maggie Walker, L.B. Worthan.

Military Muster

Marine Sgt. Terry G. Bowland, son of Vernon and Margie Stone of Route, 1 Box 98A, Hereford, has departed on a deployment to Korea.

He is a member of Company "D", 1st Tracked Vehicle Battalion, on Okinawa.

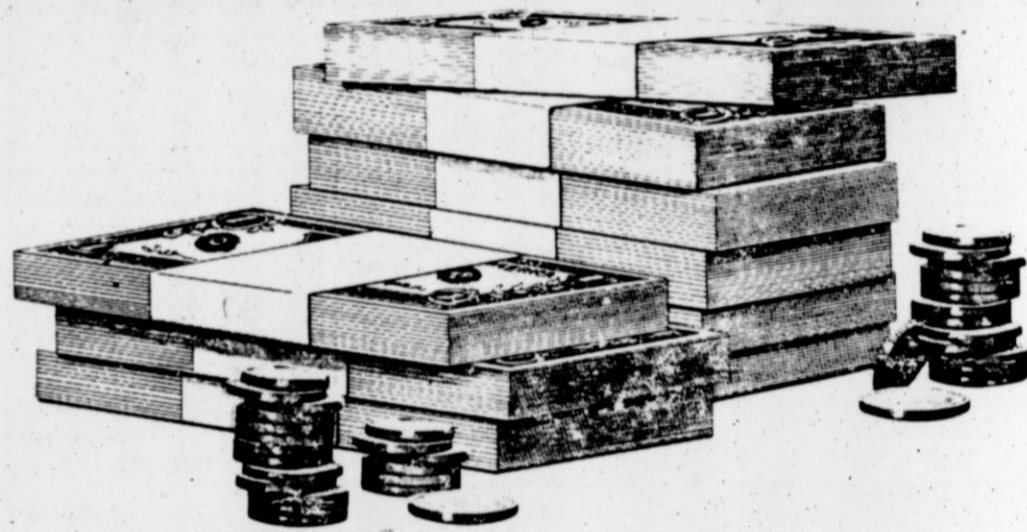
During the deployment, his unit will participate in "Combined Arms Firing Exercise 82", at Pocheon, Korea. The annual exercises provide Marine Air and ground units from Okinawa long-term, cold weather unit training with the opportunity for combined arms firing and maneuvers with the Republic of Korea forces.



Any goods found in English waters or goods that have floated onto an English shoreline belong to the crown.

Kelley's Employment Agency Full Service Agency 364-2023

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(The minimum balance printed in yesterday's paper was incorrect.)

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POLLY'S POINTERS

Polly Fisher

Stretching tight boots

DEAR POLLY -- The lovely leather boots I bought last year are now too tight in the calves. Either the leather "shrank" or my calves (horrors, can it be?) expanded. They were rather expensive boots. Is there any way to make them fit once again -- short of going on a diet? -- PEARL

DEAR PEARL -- Well, whatever the cause for those tight boots, you should be able to stretch them enough -- so long as the discrepancy in size isn't too great! Dampen the leather thoroughly with alcohol, then put the boots on. The dampened leather should stretch slightly, enough to fit well without cutting off your circulation. Wear them for several hours. Be sure the leather is absolutely dry before you take the boots off. You may have to repeat this treatment the next day, but after one or two sessions, those boots should fit like a glove! -- POLLY

DEAR POLLY -- Cleaning potatoes for baking is quite a task when doing a large quantity. I've found that putting them in my dishwasher and running it through one entire cycle (no soap) cleans them beautifully. Then rinse with cold water and bake. -- MRS. W.

DEAR POLLY -- I keep a brown felt-tip pen around the house to touch up furniture, doors, and moldings that get scraped, scratched, or knicked. It is much easier than restaining and it makes the marks almost invisible. -- JANA



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FOR LEASE: Nice brick 3 bedroom home. Garage, large fenced yard. References and deposit required. Phone 364-8114 9 to 5; 364-2926 after 6 p.m. 5-118-tfc

Self-lock storage. 364-8448. 5-95-tfc

Prime 3-office space for lease. Off-street parking. Hwy 385 at N. Lee. Paneled, carpet, next door to Stan Knox TV & Music. See Stan, 364-0766. 5-60-tfc

Office space for rent. Various sizes available. Call Don Tardy, 364-4561. 5-115-6c

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5. For Rent

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Have a vacancy in convenient apartment. Furnished, carpeted. Wall heaters. Bills paid. For couple or single adult. No children, no pets, deposit. 364-2553 residence; 364-5191 office. 5-127-tfc

FURNISHED MOBILE HOMES Two and three bedrooms. Countryside Mobile Home Park. Also mobile home parking spaces. Deposit. No pets. 364-0064. 5-134-tfc

UNFURNISHED APARTMENT Nice, large 2 bedroom apartments. 1 1/2 baths. Refrigerated air, renter pays only electric bills. We pay cable TV, gas, water, trash. \$250.00 per month. \$100.00 deposit. 364-8421. 5-129-tfc

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Will do house cleaning. 364-0792. 6-119-5p

WEST SIDE SALVAGE We buy trucks, cars, pickups. Any condition. Call 364-5530. 6-87-tfc

We pay cash for mobile homes, regardless of condition. Prefer 1965 to 1975 models. 364-0064. 6-172-tfc

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10A. Personals

Seeking information on Kenneth Moran Sr. son, 18 years old. All replies confidential. Cecile Moran, R No. 8, Box 463, St. Joseph, Mo. 64504. 10A-104-10p

Drinking a Problem? For help or information, call 364-2141 24 hours. 10A-104-22p

"Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Sandy Vallejo of 203 Dayton, write to Mark, 700 A. Hickory, Hannibal, MO. 63401. Reward!" 10A-116-10p

11. Business Service

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TERRY RILEY CONSTRUCTION General contractor. Remodeling, repairs of all kinds, fencing, painting, etc. Mobile 357-2603; Home 578-4363; or 578-4381. 11-110-22p

REMODELING and insulation of all kinds, metal buildings, attics, side walls. For free estimate, call Forrest McDowell. 578-4682 days; 578-4390 nights. 11-111-1fc

CUSTOM FARMING. Bob Hicks, 578-4521. 11-114-10c

Additions, remodeling, cabinet work. Free estimate. Call Bill McDowell, 364-8447 after 5 p.m. 11-66-1fc

Hubble Water Service - Well repair pumps, windmill-Sales and Service. Days 364-3159; nights 364-2684 or 364-1786. 11-138-1fc

Will do medicare and medicaid insurance claims for elderly people. Experienced. Can furnish references. Call 364-6496 after 5:30 p.m. 11-115-22p

Have your house cleaned for that special party!! or on a regular basis. Also will do office cleaning. Good references. 364-7377. 11-115-5p

12. Livestock

WHEAT PASTURE WANTED Call Neal Lemons 364-2907 or 289-5672. 12-46-1fc

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If you have wheat or beet pasture for sale, you will be paid promptly. Call Mike Solomon, 364-6880. 12-96-1fc

Have horses. Would like to trade for cows. Call 289-5390. 12-119-10c

13. Lost & Found

LOST: 2 large white puppies. 8 weeks old. Strayed from 405 Avenue I. REWARD. Contact 364-1624 or 364-1280. 13-116-5p

FOUND: 200 Block of Hickory. Glasses in case. Identify at the Hereford Brand. 13-117-1fc

FOUND: Wrist watch. Identify at the Hereford Brand. 13-119-1fc

LOST: Medium tan and white male dog. Floppy ears. Answers to Clyde. REWARD. If found, call 364-8520 or 364-2217. Owner anxious. 13-119-5p

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The World Almanac

1. Where is the U.S. Air Force Academy? (a) Colorado Springs, Colo. (b) New London, Conn. (c) Kings Point, N.Y. 2. Of which city's symphony is Seiji Ozawa the conductor? (a) Tokyo (b) San Francisco (c) Boston 3. Who was the organizer of the American Red Cross? (a) Florence Nightingale (b) Margaret Sanger (c) Clara Barton

ANSWERS



Make the Connection Seat belts can save your life.

Democrat turned Republican has no regrets

WASHINGTON (AP) — He is one lame duck who clipped his own wings, a life-long Democrat who has been called everything from a turncoat to a hero since he switched to the Republican Party one year ago.

But Rep. Eugene Atkinson, defeated in a hard-fought re-election contest last month, has already composed his own political epitaph: "I'd do it again."

"At the time I thought it was a political gamble," said the congressman, relaxing in his office during a recent interview. "But I didn't expect to lose."

However, he did — to seven-term state Rep. Joseph Kolter in a race where an intense anti-Atkinson effort was mounted by organized labor. Atkinson lost by nearly 36,000 votes — 100,481 to 64,539.

"They think I orchestrated the whole collapse of the western world," Atkinson said with a shrug and a smile. "The one group I've worked for is the steel industry and that's the group that worked hardest against me."

However, the race has not left him bitter toward his constituents in the Pennsylvania's new 4th Congressional District north of Pittsburgh or the man voters chose to replace him.

"Joe (Kolter) did it his way. He took a political advantage and bless him, it worked for him," Atkinson said. "I don't blame the people's vote ... Twenty-three percent unemployment — you can't rationalize that. I still happen to maintain the faith that the president did not cause it."

Atkinson, 55, says his loyalty to President Reagan will pay off with a job — possibly a trade-related position befitting a former customs inspector.

"They've talked in generalities," he said, describing meetings with White House aides. "I honest-to-God believe in the president of the United States and what he's trying to do. Ideally, I want to stay in some capacity and express that."

Raised in Aliquippa in the heart of western Pennsylvania steel country, Atkinson was an active Democrat who served as a commissioner and chairman of the Democratic Party in Beaver County.

Despite that background and an abiding reverence for the Kennedy brothers, Atkinson insists his switch was not as enigmatic as it appeared. "I never bought the cradle-

to-grave philosophies," he said. "If I were still a county commissioner, I'd still be a Democrat. We did everything we could to try to hold down the cost of government and still provide services."

When he got to Washington in 1978, Atkinson says he found himself out of step with national Democratic aims and was criticized for voting like a Republican.

Critics said he joined the Republican Party to safeguard his seat, since the GOP-controlled state legislature was in charge of redrawing Pennsylvania's congressional map and eliminating two districts.

Republican state lawmakers did their best to protect their new colleague. But Atkinson believes they would have tried to protect him anyway because he supported GOP policies in Congress.

During the campaign, a spokesman for the National Republican Congressional Committee called the race "the one district in the country where the unions decided to pull everything out."

Atkinson benefited from heavy business and GOP contributions, but labor money rolled into the Kolter campaign and union members staged a massive registration drive to swell an existing 25,000-vote Democratic plurality.

The congressman, who says his only junket in two terms was to Youngstown, Ohio, attributes his move to a basic belief in Republican policies and respect for Reagan's determination to carry them out.

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HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Combatting varicose veins

DEAR DR. LAMB — My wife is 24 years old, 5 feet 2 and weighs 102 pounds. She has had three kids. Nine months ago she had an operation on her right leg and had a varicose vein stripped. The doctor did not remove all the varicose veins and she had to go back and have some type of shot in some smaller veins. She is again having pain and a vein has popped out on the back side of her leg during her pregnancy.

She doesn't work. Only the living room is carpeted. Would carpet in the entire house help? She also rides a bicycle with me when I jog in the afternoons.

I would appreciate all the information you could send me as this is getting us very worried and is very expensive as well. What is going to happen to her if she keeps losing veins in her legs?

DEAR READER — There is an inherited tendency to varicose veins and evidently your wife is prone to them.

A varicose vein is simply a vein that has been over-stretched to the point that it has lost most of its elasticity. When that happens the valves in the large veins in the legs don't meet. That allows the blood to run back downhill or leak backwards. The accumulated blood in the dilated veins allows swelling to occur.

Obviously the thing to do is to prevent overstretching the veins as much as possible. That is why support hose and pressure garments are used. The compression prevents, to some extent, the overdistention of the veins.

One of the best ways to avoid stretching the veins is to not stand still. The long column of blood from the heart to the legs fills the veins and promotes stretching.

There are two sets of veins, the ones you see under the skin and the other set inside the leg muscles you don't see. Walking and riding her bicycle compresses the deep veins and actually help empty the veins.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My grandmother, who is 86, has seborrhea. Is this hard to get rid of? She washes her hair and neck with some soap the doctor gave her. Can she give this to anyone else?

DEAR READER — First, it is not contagious at all and there is no way anyone can catch it from her. It is an inherited (genetic) skin condition. A simplification is to think of it as somewhere between dandruff and psoriasis. The scaling and red patches really have nothing to do with the sebaceous (oil) glands of the skin.

Frequent shampooing is helpful. Her doctor has probably prescribed a medicated shampoo. The condition cannot be "cured" but it can be controlled.

When the medicated shampoos don't work, a corticosteroid gel or liquid can be used on the scalp. A hydrocortisone cream may be applied to the face and areas other than the scalp. These measures usually control the condition.



The first English dukedom was created when King Edward III gave his son, the Black Prince, the title of Duke of Cornwall — a title retained today by Prince Charles.

OPEC ministers gather to avert price war

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — OPEC oil ministers gathered today to prepare for a year-end conference that members hope will smooth differences in the strife-ridden cartel and prevent a petroleum price war on the world market.

Ministers from Algeria, Indonesia, Venezuela, and the United Arab Emirates consulted privately before opening a day-long session of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries Market Monitoring Committee.

The session is aimed at studying proposals for stopping persistent overproduction and underpricing which has weakened the cartel's unity in recent months.

While the glut on the world oil market has pressured OPEC to reduce its prices, internal bickering is seen by many Western analysts as the main threat to OPEC's ability to survive.

But some observers say the 13 countries may be able to resolve their differences at the upcoming session, which opens at a Vienna hotel on Sunday.

OPEC sources say delega-

tion leaders are meeting in informal behind-the-scenes sessions today and Saturday to help insure a smooth ministerial session.

"We hope to be able to ease the market problems," United Arab Emirates Oil Minister Mana Saeed Otaiba, chairman of the marketing committee, said shortly after arriving here. "There is no magical solution. It depends on the various ministers, how far they can sacrifice."

Industry analysts say the OPEC committee may propose increasing the group's overall production ceiling, currently set at 17.5 million barrels a day.

But some members have ignored that by cutting prices and boosting output in an effort to increase sales in the glutted market.

A main dispute is between Saudi Arabia and the more radical OPEC members, led by Iran and Libya. The Saudis say while they have cut production and remained loyal to OPEC's \$34-per-barrel benchmark price, Iran and other countries have cut prices and increased sales.

Iran and Iraq, both in need of cash to finance their border war, are expected to seek an increase in their production quotas at the ministerial session.

Iran and other OPEC price cutters argue since Saudi Arabia is the largest of the cartel's producers and the least needy, it should absorb whatever production cuts are necessary.

Some folks work on a solution so long that they never get around to coping with the problem.

Kids' Christmas toys would last much longer if the grownups were given some of their own to play with.



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