



FIRST GROUP — Mrs. Gracie Mae Lane is among the first adults to take the swine flu vaccine at the city-county health unit. The inoculation is being administered by Mrs. Helen Walters, public health nurse. Shots for person 18 to 64 are available Tuesday and Wednesday for the next few weeks at the center.

(Photo By Danny Valdes)

Over 100 are given shots to combat swine flu here

Over 100 persons had already taken the swine flu vaccine in this morning in the first day of free shots at the City-County Health Unit.

The unit is located behind the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center. The shots currently being offered are the

monovalent shots for persons 18-64. Children's shots will be offered at a later date at the center.

The inoculations will not be offered through the schools, only at the center. Children will take a series of two.

By the Associated Press
Estonians, Latvians, Poles and Ukrainians are among the American ethnic groups being represented at a White House meeting with President Ford, who is hoping he can "put the

Eastern European matter behind him."

Democratic nominee Jimmy Carter, at home today in Plains, Ga., denied rumors about his love life amid charges that they were spread by the Ford campaign. And Ford campaign spokesmen denied spreading the rumors.

Ford scheduled meetings today with representatives of groups representing Americans of Polish, Hungarian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Estonian, Czech, Slovak, Serbian and Ukrainian descent.

Ford will attempt to make up for his remark during last week's debate with Carter when the President asserted, "There is no Soviet domination of Eastern Europe."

That remark brought immediate outcries from leaders of various groups representing Americans of Eastern European descent. The next day, Ford began backing off the comment and later said he did not concede Soviet domination of Eastern European countries.

At least one of the ethnic leaders meeting with Ford today, Aloysius Mazewski, head of the Polish American Congress, got a call last week from Ford, who reportedly apologized for the statement.

A White House aide said Ford called the meeting in hopes he can "put the Eastern European matter behind him" before he departs for a campaign trip into New York and New Jersey.

At a Columbus Day ceremony Monday in Washington, Ford again tried to smooth over the debate remark by saying: "People of the Old World still look to the New World as the champion of freedom, the champion of human rights. America has been their hope and their help and we will never let them down."

Ford held a strategy session at the White House on Monday, and one of those attending was Sen. Bob Dole, his running mate. Dole, addressing the Eastern Europe issue, said Ford's debate statement had had no adverse effect other than a "ferocious outpouring of bitter words by Mr. Carter."

Carter's running mate, Sen. Walter Mondale, campaigned Monday in New York.

Carter, in Eau Claire, Wis., Monday, said rumors allegedly being spread by Ford campaign workers about his having had an extramarital affair are "seamy" lies.

A spokesman for Ford's campaign committee denied any role in spreading the rumors about Carter, but columnist Jack Anderson, who first reported the story, said the rumors were fed to him by four staff members of the President Ford Committee.

Anderson, who refused to name the four Ford sources, said he had found no truth to the rumors.

Anderson said on ABC's "Good Morning America" show that "Ford's campaign aides have been searching Jimmy Carter's past for a sex scandal." He said the Ford campaign sources supplied him with the name of a woman they suggested had once had an affair with Carter and that they later offered him the names of four other women.

William Greener, a spokesman for the Ford committee, replied: "Speaking for the top people of the committee, I absolutely deny that they had anything to do with the story, nor would they. If anyone around here were found doing such a thing, he would be fired on the spot."

But Anderson said later that three

of the sources in the Ford headquarters work for Greener. Informed of that, Greener said, "If someone can step up and tell me who they are, I will fire them on the spot." Anderson has declined to name his sources.

Anderson said the rumor also was spread to other reporters and that

some of them told him it had come from Republican sources. "The only people who knew I had the allegation about Carter's romances were the Ford aides who planted them with me," Anderson said.

Carter said he heard about the rumors Saturday and "it caused me and Rosalynn some concern at first."

Connally says Congress most partisan in memory

MERRILLVILLE, Ind. (AP) — Former Secretary of the Treasury John Connally says he has gained a new perspective on the power of Congress during campaign appearances around the country on behalf of Republican candidates.

"I would trade control of the White House for control of Congress in a minute," Connally said told reporters Monday night prior to a fund-raising dinner here.

He lashed out at the 94th Congress for being "the most irresponsible and partisan one I can remember" and criticized the lawmakers for "giving themselves a pardon" by changing the statute of limitations on federal campaign finance laws from five to three years.

Earlier in day, Connally stopped at Lafayette, just a stone's throw from Purdue University, where Earl Butz served as dean of agriculture before joining the Nixon administration.

Connally said it was the mark of a "great fellow" that his former cabinet colleague resigned as secretary of agriculture after making an obscene racial slur.

"He was man enough to just step down," said Connally, who winds up a two-day campaign swing through Butz' home state today with appearances in South Bend and Evansville.

Connally said the joke that led to Butz' resignation was harsh and vulgar, but no worse than Jimmy Carter's comments about ethnic purity or his statements on lust and adultery in an interview with Playboy magazine.

Carter's Playboy interview, Connally said, was "the writing of vulgarities and obscenities in a vulgar magazine."

Connally predicted Ford would carry most of the South and give Carter "a run for his money in Georgia."

Connally, who campaigned with Ford in Texas during the weekend, said the situation there, as in Oklahoma, Louisiana, Mississippi and Florida, is close but he thinks the President will win those states.

"President Ford will carry more of the South than Jimmy Carter," Connally said.

Comfortable win seen for Carter in Texas

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Top managers of Jimmy Carter's campaign in Texas said today they see signs of a "comfortable" win on Nov. 2.

"It would have to be an estimate, but I estimate Carter right now would get 55 to 58 per cent of the vote in Texas," Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong told a news conference.

"If all the things we are going now reach down to the grass roots level by election day I think Texas is comfortably in the Democratic column."

Chuck Parrish, Carter's state campaign coordinator sent to Texas from Georgia, said the vote drive was "in a valley about two weeks ago but since then we have been gaining. If this continues we will win in Texas."

Both promised that Carter would make at least one more trip to Texas before election day. He has been in Texas twice since Labor Day. Sen. Walter Mondale, the Democratic vice presidential nominee, also is scheduled to visit Texas gain, after the Oct. 15 vice presidential debate in Texas.

Armstrong said the present campaign "is clearly the best party effort since 1964 and as good or better as 1960 when most officials took part." He particularly pointed out the campaign efforts of Gov. Dolph Briscoe, Agriculture Commissioner John White and Texas AFL-CIO President Harry Hubbard.

"It is approaching being an all-out

campaign," said Armstrong, state campaign chairman.

Armstrong denied recent Republican claims that Democratic officials were using state planes to campaign for Carter on state time.

Armstrong said he spends "virtually all my free time" on the campaign—mostly at lunch, nights and weekends. "I am in the land office every morning and take care of anything that needs handling."

Armstrong says he travels either in his own private plane or a rented plane and is his own pilot. "The state plane has not been used and will not be used for campaign trips," he said.

He said is reimbursed by the Carter campaign for any travel expenses.

Parrish said Rosalynn Carter rode in Briscoe's plane while she was in Texas but the governor was reimbursed by the Carter campaign.

Parrish also said that he did not think the endorsement of President Ford by Dr. W. A. Criswell, prominent Southern Baptist leader in Dallas, would hurt Carter in Texas. "Some people were turned back by the way it was said," he said.

Armstrong said Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson has specifically asked that she remain on the state steering committee for Carter. Mrs. Johnson earlier issued a public statement saying she was "distressed" and hurt by Carter's comments about LBJ in a Playboy magazine interview.

Three die after taking flu shots in Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Allegheny County Health Department today shut down all 13 of its swine flu inoculation sites following the deaths of three elderly people hours after receiving the vaccine at a Pittsburgh clinic.

"As a precautionary measure, we have closed the sites pending a study by the coroner's office and the two physicians who are here from the federal Center for Disease Control," said a Health Department spokeswoman.

"At this time, there is no known factor linking the deaths with the vaccine or the immunization program," said the spokeswoman, Miriam Blair. She added that all three victims were elderly and they all had a history of heart or lung problems.

County Coroner Cyril Wecht had said earlier that the stress of getting the shots may have contributed to the deaths.

Mahon reception is set Wednesday

The Martin County committee for the Re-election of George Mahon will have a reception for the veteran Democratic congressman and his wife in the First National Room of the First National Bank in Stanton from 4 to 6 p.m., Wednesday.

Jimmy Stallings heads the Martin County committee working on behalf of Mahon.

David Langston, Mahon's campaign manager, will be in attendance. The public is invited to attend and greet the Mahons.

Coffee and punch will be served.

In Washington, the national director of the swine flu immunization program, Dr. W. Delano Meriwether, said, "We have absolutely no reason to believe there is a specific problem with the vaccine."

The victims, who died within hours of receiving their inoculations Monday, were Charles Gabig, 71, of Mount Oliver; Julia Bucci, 75, of Whitehall, and Ella Michael, 74, of Mount Washington.

They had been immunized at the South Side clinic with the combination vaccine used for older people and high risk cases, people with chronic illnesses. The combination vaccine is designed to protect against both swine flu and the Type A Victoria flu that was prevalent last winter.

The closing of the clinic is "to be on the safe side pending further investigation," a Health Department spokesman said. The clinic was closed late Monday and remained closed today.

Officials from the federal Center for Disease Control of Atlanta were dispatched to Pittsburgh today to investigate the deaths.

The center, which is administering the government's \$135 million program to immunize most of the population against swine flu, reported late last week that it had received no reports of severe reactions to the flu shots.

Wecht said that a preliminary autopsy indicated Gabig, who died at home, suffered a heart attack. No autopsy was to be done on Mrs. Bucci at the family's request, he said.

Mrs. Michael, a widow who lived alone, was found dead in her home Monday evening. A Health Department spokesman said she had a history of heart trouble.

Mardian gets new Watergate coverup trial

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Court of Appeals today upheld the Watergate conspiracy convictions of three one-time close aides to former President Richard M. Nixon but ordered a new trial for a fourth defendant, Robert C. Mardian.

Mardian, a former Nixon campaign official and an assistant attorney general before that, was convicted on New Year's Day of 1975 along with former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell and the two men who once were Nixon's closest advisers, John D. Ehrlichman and H.R. Haldeman.

A fifth defendant, Kenneth W. Parkinson, was acquitted in the cover-up trial, which lasted four months.

All were accused of attempting to thwart investigations into the original Watergate break-in on June 17, 1972. Dist. Judge John J. Sirica presided over the trial.

Nixon himself was named as an unnamed co-conspirator by the same grand jury which indicted the others.

Mardian, 52, was convicted on a charge of conspiring with the others to obstruct justice, and was sentenced on Feb. 21, 1975, to serve 10 months to three years in prison. Mitchell, Haldeman and Ehrlichman were convicted of the conspiracy charge as well as obstruction of justice and lying under oath in various instances. They each were sentenced to two and one-half to eight years in prison.

All four were free pending appeal. In ordering the new trial for Mardian, the court said Sirica should have allowed the former deputy director of the 1972 Nixon re-election committee to be tried separately.

Mardian's lawyers had claimed from the start that he would be tainted unfairly by testimony against the others. Later in the initial stages of the case his principal lawyer was hospitalized for surgery.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Report loitering

Q. What can one do about trash men who sit in your alley for two and one half hours and do not move?

A. City trash department officials asked citizens to call their office immediately if this occurs so that they can check it out. Please call 3-8311 and ask for the trash pickup department superintendent.

Calendar: TNA meeting

TODAY

The Texas Nurses Association, District 24, will meet 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Allred Building of the Big Spring State Hospital. The meeting will feature a slide presentation.

The Big Spring Quarterback Club meets tonight at 7:30 in the High School Cafeteria for all Steer boosters.

The Coahoma chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church of Coahoma.

Offbeat: Out of frying pan

Kelly Williams built a campfire in the creek bottom near his home around 7 p.m. Monday.

He was bending over the fire to warm his hands when a .22 bullet fell out of his pocket into the fire.

The bullet exploded and struck Kelly in the ankle. It came to rest against a bone, but did not penetrate, according to the police report of the accident.

The 15-year-old youth was hospitalized at Malone-Hogan, then released.

TV's best: Baseball

The National League should be all over by 7 p.m., but that still leaves the most interesting contest — Yankees vs. Royals on ABC. And, Oh, those New York fans!

Inside: Board whole again

THE WIFE of Mao Tse-tung, along with several others, are arrested in China for trying to overthrow the government, reports say. See p. 2A.

BIG SPRING Independent School District board of trustees appoints two local men to fill vacancies left by resignations. See p. 3A.

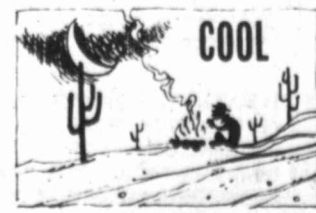
STEERS are looking forward to Friday's clash with the second best team in the state, according to this week's AP poll. See p. 1B.

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Outside: Cooler

Skies should remain clear tonight, turning partly cloudy and cooler tomorrow. Highs today in the mid 80s with a low tonight in the lower 50s and high tomorrow in the mid 70s. Winds should be from the southwest at 10-20 miles-per-hour.



Great Puzzle Contest

Identify this photograph and:

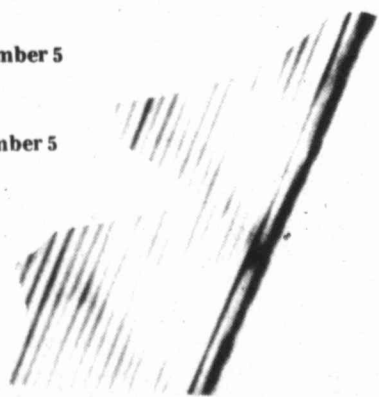
WIN \$100

Below is a puzzle piece from a picture of a Big Spring area object or place. To the first person or persons who can specifically identify the object, the Herald will pay \$50 — plus another \$50 bonus if the winner is a home delivery or mail subscriber of the Herald, or a grand total prize of \$100.

HERE ARE THE RULES: Each day, a different puzzle piece will be run in the Herald. Save them, and try to piece together the identification of the place. Your answer must be specific to win. Opinions of the judges are final. At 5 p.m. each day, the judges will review guesses which arrive at the Herald on that day. Entries arriving after that time will go in the following day's judging. Winners will be announced only at this spot in the newspaper on the next day. If there is more than one winner on any day, the \$100 prize will be divided evenly among them.

Puzzle number 5

Piece number 5



Mail your guess to the Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, 79720, or drop it by the Herald's office at 710 Scurry. If you do not subscribe, be sure to do so by checking the box below.

Name

Address

Phone

My guess is:

Yes, I am a
Herald
subscriber

Please start my
subscription to
the Herald
right away

Mao's widow, others arrested in China

HONG KONG (AP)—Mao Tse-tung's widow, Chiang Ching, and three other radical members of the Chinese Communist party Politburo have been arrested on charges of plotting to seize control of the Chinese government, according to unconfirmed reports circulating today in Peking.

Residents in the Chinese capital, contacted by telephone from Hong Kong, said the reports were first heard in the city Monday evening and were the topic of open conversation today.

No official confirmation of the reports could be obtained. The Japan Broadcasting Corp. reported from Peking that all was "quiet and normal" there. But the open discussion of the reports emphasized that the power struggle between pragmatic moderates and revolutionary radicals which began with the death of Premier Chou En-lai last January is still raging.

Those reported arrested with Mao's 62-year-old widow were Wang Hung-wen, 38, the Shanghai "boy wonder" whom Mao elevated from a factory assembly line to a party vice chairmanship for his services to the revolutionary cause in the 1966-69 Cultural Revolution; First Vice-Premier Chang Chun-chiao, 55, a member of the Polit-



REPORTED ARRESTED — Chiang Ching, right, widow of China's Chairman Mao Tse-tung, and three other ultra-leftist Chinese Communist party Politburo members have been arrested by authorities in Peking on charges of plotting a coup, the Daily Telegraph of London reported in today's editions. Named along with Chiang Ching were, from left: Chang Chun-chiao, Wang Hung-wen and Yao Wen-yuan.

buro's standing committee; and Yao Wen-yuan, 51, a leading ideologist and polemicist since the Cultural Revolution purge 10 years ago.

The London Daily Telegraph's Peking correspondent, Nigel Wade, reported that reliable sources told him the arrests were announced to political organizers at special weekend briefings.

The London Financial Times said the four radicals were under house arrest, according to "unconfirmed

reports from Peking." It said the reports suggested that "the power struggle which surfaced within the leadership before Chairman Mao died has since intensified."

Wade said few details of the alleged plot were known. He said the plotters apparently got little support from the army, and he speculated that they may be charged with such "treasonable" actions as forging statements and sayings attributed to Mao during the last months

before he died on Sept. 9. The Telegraph report said the four radicals' last known public appearance was on Sept. 30, at a meeting on the eve of China's national day.

Japanese correspondents in Peking reported that none of the four was at the airport Monday to welcome Prime Minister Thomas Somare of Papua New Guinea when he arrived for a visit to China. Official airport welcomes are important occasions in Peking, and political significance is deduced from

the lineup of officials present.

Somare was greeted by Premier Hua Kuo-feng and Vice-Premier Li Hsien-nien, 71, an expert in financial and economic affairs, according to the official Chinese news agency Hsinhua. There had been speculation that Chang would become premier if Hua succeeded Mao as Communist party chairman.

But the London Financial Times reported that Li fulfilled the duties of premier at Somare's arrival. Japanese reports from Peking reiterated that Hua had been chosen for the party chairmanship. This succession was announced in wall posters last weekend, but there has been no official announcement.

Councilmen approve funds for IG budget

City Council business was dispatched in an hour this morning during regular session.

Councilmen approved \$23,000 in city funds to augment the budget for the Big Spring Industrial Growth and Development Council. Further funds will be provided through the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

Following unanimous approval of the proposed budget, Councilman Charles Tompkins jokingly asked when Big Spring would see a return on the money it is providing for industrial growth.

"Just wait two weeks," replied Roger Brown, chairman of the Industrial Development Board.

Councilmen also approved a set of guidelines by which to determine how to spend funds provided through the Federal Community Development Block Grant Program.

Paul Feazelle, head of community development for the city, claims that the figure may be as high as \$300,000.

The six criteria to be used in judging each application for funds are: extent to which the project will benefit low income, 25 to 35 per cent; extent to which project will supplement expansion or conservation of low-income housing, 25 to 35 per cent; whether substandard housing is involved, 10 to 15 per cent; the extent to which the project is designed to alleviate imminent threat to

health or safety, 10 to 15 per cent; the extent of poverty involved, five to 10 per cent; and whether matching funds for other Federal programs are available, up to 10 per cent.

Councilmen speculated that using \$200,000 of the grant for use on the Beal's Creek project would fulfill most of the criteria. A motion was then passed naming the project as the number one priority for funding.

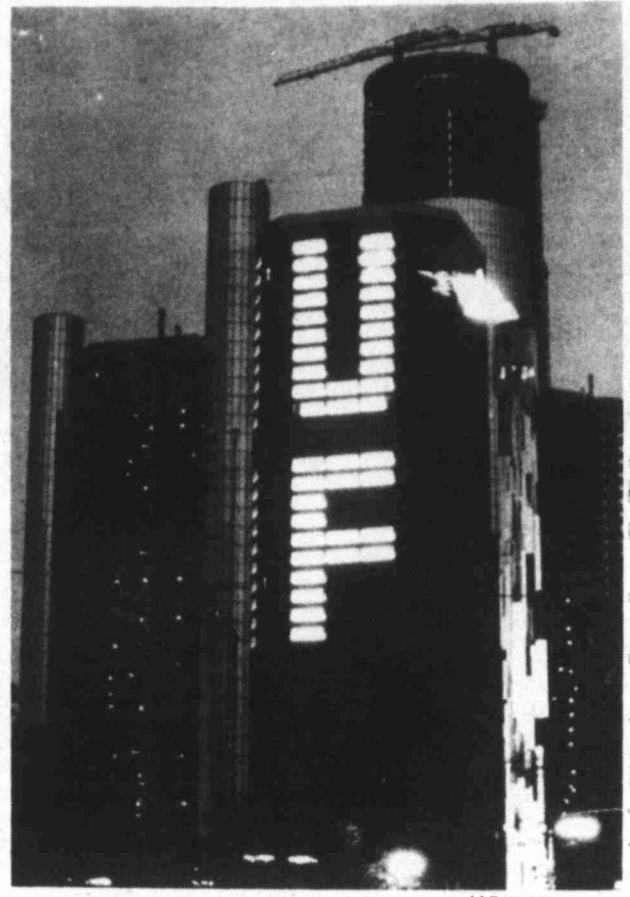
With the \$200,000, the city would drain and dredge portions of the One Mile Lake to help alleviate mosquito problems there. The creek itself would also be altered to help stem flooding problems in the area.

According to Feazelle, the proposed city action would not interfere with proposed work on the project by the Federal Corps of Engineers.

Councilmen also approved a bid of \$5,065.33 for the purchase of a new trash pump for the city from Chancy Equipment Co. The machine will pump 1,000 gallons of trash per minute, and was the least costly of the pumps meeting specifications.

In other business, the council: —approved the second and final reading of a revised animal ordinance for the city.

And —approved the minutes of a meeting of the Detoxification Steering Committee.



WORLD'S TALLEST SIGN — Detroit's United Fund Torch Drive began Monday night with sign made up of 24 stories of lighted windows in the city's new Renaissance Center riverfront complex. The display is being billed as the "world's tallest sign." As the \$36.1-million goal progresses the blue lights now illuminating the sign will be replaced by red ones from bottom.

Army surgeon says pot hurts sex development

CHICAGO (AP) — Experiments with rats have proved that marijuana interferes with sexual development, says an army surgeon.

Dr. John W. Harmon of the Walter Reed Army Medical Center at Washington presented his findings in a report to the Clinical Congress of the American College of Surgeons on Monday.

He reported that Delta Nine Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC), the ingredient of marijuana that produces the high, caused experimental rats to develop smaller-than-normal testicles.

At the end of the experiment, the rats which had been given THC had smaller testicles, although the weight of their bodies and livers was unchanged, and two of the 16 were unable to produce sperm.

Harmon reported also that levels of testosterone, a male sex hormone, were lower both in the blood serum and the testicles of the rats given the marijuana derivative than in the others.

These data, combined with results of other studies, prompted him to say in an interview that it is no longer speculation but a certainty that marijuana interferes with sexual development.

He and Aliapoulos previously reported cases of breast enlargement in male patients who were heavy, chronic marijuana users.

Some required surgery to correct the condition. In others, it disappeared after they stopped smoking marijuana.

The commissioners also agreed to purchase and trade two pickups for the road and bridge and agriculture departments. They will also advertise for bids for two diesel dump trucks. Bids will be taken on either Oct. 25 or Nov. 8 with a date to be set.

The commissioners denied a request for waiving fees for a dance at the Fair Barns when it was discovered that the agency listed as sponsor was not aware of the coming event.

Griffin pays highest price

T. L. Griffin of Coahoma paid the highest price for a bull, \$2,250, in the recent production sale at the Youngblood Ranch in Dawson County.

The bidding was strong and everything moved quickly as 80 head of Hereford bulls and 60 head of bred and open heifers were sold during the auction.

Representatives of the 6666 and Pitchford ranches were volume buyers during the sale, a development which surprised auction officials.

Prices were somewhat down from last year, according to Arlan Youngblood. Youngblood said, however, that prices were "real good" compared to other production sales and the current market price of cattle.

NCOA auction rescheduled

The auction planned by the Permian Chapter, Non-commissioned Officers Association for 3 p.m. Sunday, has been rescheduled for 6:30 p.m.

It will be held in the NCO Club Ball Room, and is open to all personnel in the Big Spring area.

In order to donate items to this charitable organization, or for additional information, contact one of the following: TSgt. Harvey J. Schirmer, extension 2770 or 263-7486; SMSgt. Charles W. Hazzard, extensions 2131 or 2396 (nights); TSgt. Charles D. Back, extension 2131 or 263-4535; or SSgt. Donald J. Knusley, extension 2514 or 263-4959.

Club to meet here Thursday

The Prospectors Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the club building in back of 324 Runnels.

All persons interested in rocks and gem collections are invited to attend. Virgil Clark will bring the program.

Weather

Mild cold front approaches state

Another cold front approached Texas today, and forecasters looked for it to shove south to around San Angelo by Wednesday morning.

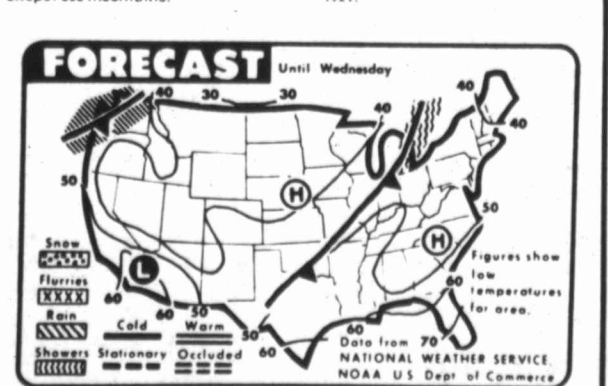
Official observers didn't expect the frontal system to progress much farther, and no rain was in prospect. Some increase in clouds was foreseen in its wake.

Skies remained clear over the northwest half of the state and there were occasional clouds elsewhere. Southwest winds up to 12 miles per hour fanned the Panhandle-Plains sector.

Early morning temperatures ranged from 34 degrees at Marfa and 42 at El Paso in far West Texas up to 66 at Corpus Christi on the coast. Top marks Monday afternoon went as high as 90 in Fort Worth.

Forecasters indicated no sharp chill from the latest front. Readings early Wednesday were expected to dip into the 30s in the West Texas mountains and to range elsewhere from the low 40s in the northwest part of the state up to the middle 50s in the southeast.

WEST TEXAS: Little or no precipitation expected Thursday through Saturday. Warming trend Thursday and Friday. Highs mostly in the 40s except 90s extreme southwest. Lows in the mid 40s north to the mid 50s south except 30s mountains.



WEATHER FORECAST — Cool weather with partly-cloudy skies is forecast today for the northern half of the state. Seasonably mild temperatures are expected in the southern half. Rain is forecast for the Pacific Northwest.

Nuclear power plant operation date reset

The operation date for the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant has been rescheduled from 1980 to 1981, according to W. G. Marquardt, president of Texas Electric Service Co. In addition, the utility is revising the cost estimate of the plant upward.

The 2.3 million-kilowatt power plant is now under construction near Glen Rose.

\$42,179 grant is approved

—AUSTIN — The Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, which includes Howard County, has been awarded a \$42,179 grant by the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's office to fund 1977 regional planning activities.

The Permian Basin Commission will also receive a \$31,778 grant to continue operation of a regional teletype system for law enforcement agencies.

Texas, about 45 miles southwest of Fort Worth.

"We review load forecasts periodically," said Marquardt. "The latest review has shown that electricity from Comanche Peak will not be needed as soon as we previously thought."

Lower demand forecasts are a result of several factors including slower economic growth in such areas as homebuilding and industrial expansion, and continued conservation by customers.

The Comanche Peak project was chosen for rescheduling because recent delays in placing the reinforcing steel and pouring the high-strength concrete have pushed the project several months behind the original timetable.

Changing the plant schedule, Marquardt said, will avoid the need for expensive overtime and extra shift work to make up lost time.

Marquardt also said a study is under way to determine the increase in the plant's construction cost.

"It is now apparent that

the cost of the plant will be higher than was previously estimated," he said. "It takes ten years or more to design and build a nuclear plant. During that time, cost estimates will change substantially."

"Much more of the engineering work has been done than was at the time of our previous estimate," he said, "and more contracts for equipment have been signed. So we are now in a position to make a more accurate cost estimate."

The previous estimate, made in May of 1975, was \$987 million.

Texas Electric is building the Comanche Peak plant as a joint project with Dallas Power & Light and Texas Power & Light, the other two electric companies in the Texas Utilities Co. system.

The three firms are also building a number of power plants in East Texas that use lignite coal for fuel. Marquardt explained that the construction program was designed to reduce the use of natural gas for fuel, as well as to provide for future increased needs of electricity.

Deaths

Mae Foster

Graveside services for Mae Foster, 69, mother of Fayn McMillan, Big Spring, will be held Wednesday in a Steele, Mo. cemetery.

Mrs. Foster died in a local hospital Monday.

Darel Highley

Darel Highley Sr., 54, died this morning in San Angelo following a recent illness. Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

He was born June 21, 1922 in Oklahoma.

He married Patty Lou Westbrook December 25, 1948 in Blooming Grove. He moved to Big Spring in 1952 from Lubbock.

He was assistant fire chief at Webb AFB and he was a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include his widow, Pat, of the home; to sons, Darel Highley Jr. and Robert Highley, Alpine; a daughter, Miss Marka Highley, of the home; his mother, Mrs. Sarah Highley, Lubbock; a brother, Homer Highley, Caruthersville.

Seay planning on retirement

LAMESA — F. M. Seay, Lamesa fire marshal, is planning to retire Nov. 1 after 22 years of service.

Before moving to Lamesa in 1940, Seay was a farmer in Runnels County.

Since Seay joined the Lamesa fire-fighting department, the force has grown from three to 11 men. The department currently has four trucks, all with booster units on them.

Mo.; and a sister, Mrs. Phyllis Hardy, Lubbock.

Fannie Drake

Services for Mrs. J. A. (Fannie) Drake, 71, who died at 5:15 Sunday in a local hospital, were held 4 p.m. today in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel. Rev. Jene Greer, pastor of the Wesley United Methodist Church officiated.

Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park. She was a charter member of the Wesley United Methodist Church.

Palbearers were Joe Hamby, Jack Price, Sam Robertson, Tommy Lovelace, Willie D. Lovelace and Roy Bennet.

Lester Short

Services were held at 2 p.m., Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Midland for Lester M. Short, 70, Midland, who died Thursday in a Midland hospital following an illness.

Born in Whitewright Oct. 20, 2905, Mr. Short at one time was a druggist for Cunningham and Phillips Drug Store in Big Spring. He moved to Midland in 1973 where he operated the old downtown City Drugstore.

He was a member of the Midland Chamber of Commerce and a past president of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association and the West Texas Pharmaceutical Association.

Survivors include his widow, Geneva Short; a son, Robert L. Short of Chicago, Ill.; a daughter, Mrs. Mike Flood of Bloomington, Ill.; a stepson, Andy Parker of Lakeview, Ore.; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Leroy Thompson of Aberdeen, Wash.; a sister, Mrs. Lora Short of Denison; and seven grandchildren.

World

Decisive action vowed

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — The Syrian government vowed today to take "decisive deterrent and punitive action" following Palestinian attacks on Syrian embassies in Pakistan and Italy. The attacks were an apparent reprisal for Syria's intervention in the Lebanese civil war against the Palestinians and their leftist Lebanese Moslem allies. Three Palestinians brandishing machine guns broke into the Syrian Embassy in Rome on Monday. They wounded the first secretary in the leg and held five embassy officials hostage for two hours before surrendering to Italian police. Later Monday three Palestinians tried to take over the Syrian Embassy in Islamabad, Pakistan, after throwing bombs at the ambassador's residence. One of the attackers was reported killed.

Recovery faith shaken

NEW YORK (AP) — If the recent poor showing of the stock market is any guide, American investors' hopes for economic recovery have undergone a bit of a shakeup lately. The best-known measure of stock price trends, the Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks, fell 11.56 points Monday to 940.82 — its lowest level in nearly nine months.

New Today lady takes over

LOS ANGELES (AP) — She doesn't look like Barbara Walters, doesn't talk like Barbara Walters and, for some reason, didn't mention Barbara Walters on D-Day. Her name is Jane Pauley, 25. She's an attractive ex-Chicago newscaster with a four-year background in news. She began Monday as the new First Lady at NBC's "Today," succeeding Barbara Walters.

Police beat Recorder stolen

Bauer Elementary was broken into over the weekend with a recorder, tapes and candy reported missing.

Other thefts reported included Debbie Preston, 3821 Connally, who reported a CB radio taken at that address. Mrs. J. Friesen, 1905 Wasson, reported two bicycles stolen at that address. Wendell Burley, 808 Lamesa, reported a .22 calibre pistol stolen.

Traffic accidents Monday included one at NE 6th and N. Main involving vehicles driven by Raul Paredes, 607 NW 4th and Daniel Ornelas, 508 NE 10th.

At 6:23 p.m. there was an accident at 700 E. 4th, involving a parked vehicle

belonging to Thomas Uganga, Rt. 2 and one that left the scene.

At 9th and Goliad at 7:47 p.m., vehicles driven by Roy Phillips, 401 Pennsylvania and Marvin Casey, 2313 Miller, collided.

At 9 p.m. at the intersection of Stadium and Arizona, a parked vehicle belonging to W. R. Campbell was struck by one driven by John Birdwell of Sterling City Route.

In the morning, a parked car at 506 NW 10th was hit by a vehicle driven by Rita G. Harris of 1410 Robin. At noon at 3rd and Goliad, vehicles driven by Edmund Lee Thackeray, 1500 11th Pl., and Norma Turner Grant of Coahoma, collided.

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1940 Buick—waited for owner's return

ODESSA, Tex. (AP) — There were four cigarette butts in the car's ashtray—two with lipstick stains, two without. What the hell, mused Wayne Davis, "that old boy just had to be a ladies' man." Davis climbed into the

"nearly new" 1940 Buick convertible Super Eight, sniffed the musty though elegant red leather upholstery, and knew he'd purchased more than a car. "The car has a strange background," explained Mrs. Frank Dougherty, who recently sold the sleek, black convertible to Davis. Mrs. Dougherty purchased the Buick in the early 1940s

from a couple in New York and drove it back to Texas. She gave it to her son, Sammy, for his 18th birthday. It was the summer of 1943. In October 1943, he joined the U.S. Army Air Corps and in 1944 went to Europe as Lt. Dougherty—pilot of a P47 "Thunderbolt." In September a telegram arrived: "Your son's plane

was caught in a shock wave from an explosion of some train cars...." "I could have sold the car at that time. Not many new cars were being manufactured due to the war. But Sammy loved that car and I just couldn't sell it to someone and have it wind up on a junk heap somewhere," Mrs. Dougherty said. She put the car in a storage

shed, drained the crankcase, deflated the tires, and covered it with a tarpaulin shroud. And there it sat from 1945 until just recently. "I paid a friend \$500—sort of a finder's fee—to show me where the car was and I assured Mrs. Dougherty that it would be preserved," Davis said. "I plan to sell it to a collector or to a museum. It's just a super, super car. It still has the gasoline ration stamp glued to the windshield. Everything is in perfect order."

Whoever buys the car will be getting a real jewel, Davis said, and they'll get the cigarette butts—four Phillip Morris Ltd. English blend—for free. "Yeah, I'm just gonna leave 'em in the ashtray," Davis said. "No charge."

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Ridin' fence



Last word on news

with Marj Carpenter

When you come back into the office, you're liable to have all kinds of messages on your desk. Some are nice. Some are not nice. But one a few weeks back surprised me.

The note said, "Marj call 1-800-292-5680." I did. And it's an amazing service. It's called tele-news and somebody on the other end starts talking and giving you news.

I still haven't figured out what it is all about and who is sponsoring it, but it is interesting.

The first story they rattled off involved an incident where a small businessman got the squeeze up in Oregon. So I decided it was a conservative group.

Then I put the number aside a few days and the next time I dialed it, I got a couple of news stories that were indirectly related to the telephone industry. So I decided maybe the telephone company is sponsoring it.

But whoever is sponsoring it, it is interesting. Call it yourself if you want to hear it talk. It's an interesting voice anyway.

Why not? Everybody else gets into the news business. We are constantly surrounded by blaring radios and glaring television spouting out news.

Magazines discuss it. Telephones might as well get into the act.

But somehow, newspapers survive as the last word on news. This is partly because people can wipe their feet on them when it rains, and partly because you can go back and read it over a second time.

I remember back in the in-between years when I had been working for newspapers, stopped to raise babies and then went back to newspapering.

I would briefly hear something on the radio or have it flash by on television and I'd go pick up the paper to see what it said about it. But then, I'm prejudiced. I'm newspaper oriented.

I remember one of the things that made me give up the glorious world of housekeeping and go back to reporting. My husband had been ill and accumulated massive debts so I knew I was getting ready to be ejected from that happy world of cooking, mopping, mending, sewing, chauffeuring, washing, ironing, waxing, polishing, baking, gardening, shopping, bliss.

But one day, after Number 2 daughter had climbed into the fireplace and scattered ashes on the carpet; Number 1 daughter had thrown up during the night on a giant stuffed purple rabbit, and the son had carried dirt into the house in his little beach pail to build sand dunes in his bedroom; my husband came in at night and said, "I wish you could manage as well as Patti Winters."

Now Patti is an old Vincent gal. She was Patti Carpenter and she has a lot of relatives around this area. I've told some of them this tale. She's twin sister to Mrs. Buddy Barr, daughter-in-law to Mrs. Willis Winters and daughter of the late Ed Carpenter.

My husband complained dolefully, "Dotti has more kids than we do and I ate lunch out there today at the farm and before we were through eating, she was up vacuuming the living room." That sounded to me like poor Patti was having as bad a time as I was, but I didn't say anything.

However, the next week I dutifully had the boss and his wife to supper. I went to lots of trouble. The kids thought it was Thanksgiving because I knocked myself out so much. But right after everybody's eating got under way, I excused myself and went to the closet and got the

vacuum out.

I vacuumed the living room. My husband almost had a heart attack. He came in the living room and shouted above the vacuum. I just happened to cut it off in time for everybody to hear the shouting.

The next week, things were in such a condition of icy silence at our house that I gave serious thought to an offer I'd had to go back to reporting. And that's where I've been ever since. My going back was partially caused by a Howard County gal. I think about that when I get out near Vincent—ridin' fence.

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U.S., Kremlin war inevitable?

NEW YORK (AP) — Chinese Premier Hua Kuo-feng is said to have told former U.S. Secretary of Defense James Schlesinger that war between the United States and the Soviet Union is inevitable. Time Magazine also says in this week's issue that Schlesinger, a critic of détente, disagreed with Hua. Schlesinger recently completed a three-week tour of China.

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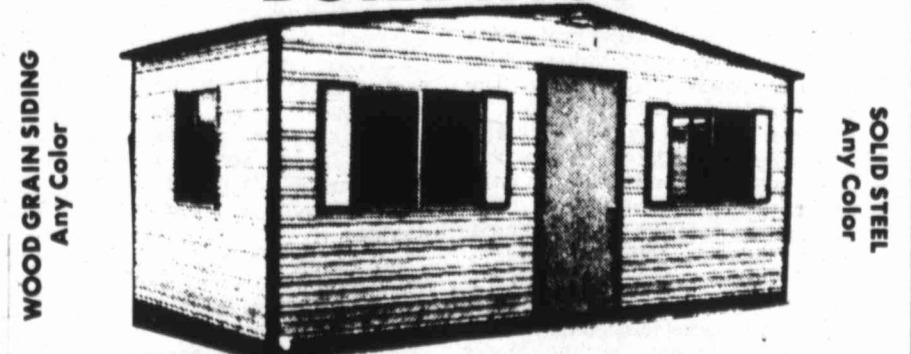
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Publisher's corner

Military people tax payers, too

Big Spring Mayor Wade Choate recently received an anonymous letter which requested space in this "Publisher's Corner."

ALTHOUGH THE Herald cannot run anonymous letters to the editor, one will occasionally arrive at the newspaper which warrants us trying to use it in some other manner.

Thus, here is a portion of the letter which came to Mayor Choate and which makes an important point:

Dear Mayor Choate:

I am proud to be an Air Force dependent; and I am proud to be a citizen of Big Spring.

Our family has become attached to this city, its wide open spaces, friendly people, and found it a good place to live; so much that we, like many others, have plans to retire here.

I wonder, if possible, if J. Tom Graham in one of his "Publisher's Corners" could explain (to those who have a mistaken idea) that military people do pay federal taxes, just like non-military.

AND EVEN though the government gives assistance for military school children, those of us who own homes also pay local and school taxes, just like everyone else.

Again, I thank you and your delegation for your past efforts (in behalf of Webb AFB) and the many hours you have yet to go.

Sincerely,
A Big Spring citizen
Air Force dependent

Sometimes people do not understand. One thing that I think most important to our town is that we not let the cloud which has been placed over Webb since the March 11 announcement that it was a candidate to be closed put a cloud over the natural warmth and friendliness of our Big Spring people to Air Force personnel and their dependents.

THE UNCERTAINTY over Webb, which creates all kinds of problems from credit to job lengths, cannot help but be a strain on the lives of many individuals.

There is nothing this community can do about it. The environmental impact process must move along at its own pace, and the uncertainty continues.

Let's keep our compassion, both on the military and civilian side, for the many people who will be hurt if Webb should close, and let's remain friends and friendly.

—J. TOM GRAHAM



Poland is free

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — Probably the country most affected by last week's presidential debates was Poland. President Ford in his startling statement on Russian influence in Eastern Europe said, among other things, that Poland was not dominated by the Soviet Union and would remain free as long as he was President.

THE POLISH PEOPLE received the news with joy, and a friend in Warsaw told me on the telephone it has changed their lives overnight.

As soon as I heard the news I called my friend Wojcik in Warsaw. (This is not his real name as I don't want to get him in trouble.) He told me, "This has been a great week for us. The day my brother-in-law Simcowitz heard the news we were free he drank half a bottle of vodka and went out in the street and told a Russian soldier to get the hell out of the country."

"That's wonderful," I said. "Let me speak with Simcowitz."

"You can't. He was hauled off to jail for insulting a foreign tourist."

"That's too bad," I said.

"It's the price you have to pay for being in a free country," Wojcik said. "My friend Bedicovitz wrote an editorial in the newspaper, Red Truth, pointing out that Simcowitz should not have been arrested because, according to Mr. Ford, Poland was an independent, autonomous nation."

"I'll bet Bedicovitz got a good reaction to the editorial."

"I DON'T know. I haven't seen him since. They closed up his newspaper and took him off to the Ministry of Interior for questioning."

"I'm sorry to hear that."

"His wife hired a lawyer but the Minister of the Interior denied he had ever heard of Bedicovitz. He referred the lawyer to the Soviet Consulate for any information."

"What did the Soviet Consulate say?"

"They said the Polish lawyer should be in an insane asylum and referred him back to the Minister of the Interior."

"What did the minister say?"

"He put the lawyer in an asylum for his own good."

"That's terrible."

Wojcik said, "When the other lawyers in Warsaw heard about it they petitioned the chairman of the Communist Party to have their colleague released from the asylum."

"And he released him?" I asked.

"No, he tore up the petition and warned them that if they kept up their agitation the Soviets would demand that they all be sent to asylums too."

"That's terrible," I said.

"Living in a free country doesn't mean you can yell 'Soviet pig' in a crowded movie theater."

"DID ANYONE YELL 'Soviet pig' in a movie theater?"

"A Soviet political attaché said someone did, and he warned the chairman of the Polish Communist Party that if he heard it again Moscow would have to take drastic steps to protect its friendship with the Polish people."

"I don't see why the Soviets should take umbrage since Poland is not in the Russian sphere of influence."

"That's what Aronowicz said in a poem he read in front of the Soviet War Memorial yesterday."

"I never heard of Aronowicz."

"Neither has his family since he read the poem. Listen, I have to go now. There's someone knocking on the door."

"Are you expecting anyone?"

"At three o'clock in the morning?"

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THE POLISH PEOPLE: LEADER OF THE POLISH PEOPLE



We overdo cholesterol business

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: My husband has had two heart attacks, and both times, while in the hospital, he was given two eggs each morning for breakfast, and also was served butter and ice cream.

At home he cuts all the fat from his meat, uses margarine, and has eggs one morning a week for breakfast.

Does the hospital serve him these things because you are allowed a certain amount? — Mrs. H.W.

If his doctor ordered a low-cholesterol diet he would not be getting such items as eggs, butter, milk, etc. But that would not have contributed to his heart attack while there. A few days of cholesterol (or no cholesterol) will not have any effect whatever.

Your letter does point up the fact that not all heart attack candidates are cholesterol "freaks." You can be quite sparing of cholesterol foods and still get attacks. In the great rush to indict cholesterol for many of the bodily ills of mankind, we have lost sight of the fact that the body makes cholesterol whether it gets it directly from food sources or not.

I'm not saying we should all go out and gorge on eggs and animal fats. Far from it. Sensible cholesterol foods is important for us all. I'm just saying that simply limiting known cholesterol foods is not the total answer. In fact, I'm pretty sure that if as much attention was given to weight reduction as is given to cholesterol reduction we'd find the incidence of heart problems plummeting.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I am a grandmother, 55 years old. I started menopause 11 months ago (my last normal period). I felt fine, never seemed to suffer from any of the usual menopause symptoms.

About five months ago my nipples and surrounding areas began to hurt and then I menstruated for five or six days. I continue to lead an active life. This month my breasts began to hurt again and this morning I started to menstruate again.

Is this normal? — S.C.

NOT NORMAL, but then you were not quite normal in starting menopause at such a late age. That

meant your ovaries were unusually active for a woman of that age.

When the ovaries cease producing hormones (menopause), other glands — chiefly the adrenals — take over to some extent and there may be a mimicking of menstrual cycles for a time. That could be true in your case.

However, it is always better to be safe than not entirely sure about things, so you should be examined. Breast soreness is not a symptom of cancer. Unexpected vaginal bleeding can be, although I doubt this in your case. I have put together a booklet (based on many of the letters I receive over the years) on menopause, its symptoms, problems, etc. If you'd like a copy, send 35 cents to me in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: A friend and I were discussing babies and mothers. We would like to know if a baby sleeps and wakes up in the mother's womb when still unborn. — Z.S.

A BABY, especially in the later months of pregnancy, goes through definite periods of activity and inactivity. Whether these can be described as waking and sleeping is debatable, but I wouldn't argue with use of either set of terms.

The baby kicks, changes position, and even makes non-heartbeat sounds which have been recorded. There has been some speculation, too, as to whether or not a baby dreams. Since his only concern is of physical growth and survival one doubts that.

The newborn easily makes up for any "sleep" he may have lost in the womb, getting in as much as 20 hours a day of it in the weeks after birth.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: A simple question. Where do your letters come

from? — Mrs. R.E.

From cities, towns, and hamlets in 50 states, Canadian provinces — and from Europe. There's even a newspaper in Yugoslavia that runs me.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Have you ever heard of arthritis of the jaw? The pain in my jaw makes me miserable. — Mrs. A.J.

Yes, the jaw joint can become involved, as can any other. However, you would have arthritis symptoms in other joints as well.

But arthritis is not the only cause of jaw joint pain. A chief cause is malocclusion of the teeth (poor bite). Also, a jaw point that has been dislocated can be painful and lead to other problems. It can force the jaw itself out of alignment.

The particular joint involved is usually the "temporomandibular" joint, referred to as the "TMJ." There is one of these joints on either side of the jaw just in front of the ear. It allows movement where the lower jaw attaches to the skull.

Artificial dentures that have become worn or ill-fitting can lead to such jaw problems. I suggest you have a dentist take a look. Often adjustments can ease the TMJ problem. It has been suggested that this TMJ problem may also have something to do with certain ear symptoms, such as ringing noises.

Although cholesterol has been implicated in heart attacks and other circulatory troubles, it is also vital to human life. For this reason Dr. Thosteson has entitled his booklet, "Control Your Cholesterol Sensibly."

For a copy write to him in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents.

My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: How do you know if you are really prepared to enter the kingdom of heaven? — A.A.

DEAR A. A.: Your question suggests to me that you may not be sure that you are truly committed to Jesus Christ. God's purpose in redemption is to provide a way back into fellowship with Him. Our personal relationship with God is not dependent upon our performing works of righteousness, adhering to religious practices, or living a clean, moral life. In giving His Son, Jesus Christ, to die upon the cross, God made possible our reconciliation with Him. Christ's death and resurrection restore that fellowship which sin has broken. The moment one turns to Jesus in faith and repentance for sin, he has passed from death to new life.

When death comes, the born-again

Christian will go to heaven because he is trusting in the finished work of Jesus Christ. Jesus said, "... He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; he is passed from death unto life" (John 5:24).

The Bible clearly teaches "... by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves ... lest any man should boast" (Ephesians 2:8-9); and, "... to him that worketh not, but believeth on him that justifieth the ungodly, his faith is counted for righteousness" (Romans 4:5).

We must accept salvation as a gift; it cannot be earned. The basis for assurance of eternal life is not to be found in feelings and emotions, but in knowing that one has placed implicit faith in the sure promises of God's Word, the Bible.



Out of context

Around the rim

Troy Bryant

Well, I read it.

You know, Jimmy Carter's "Playboy" interview.

And, as usual, the national media picked out the worst of the interview and stuck it in everyone's nose.

DON'T MISUNDERSTAND, I believe that the stories should have been written initially, but I believe that Republicans quickly began whipping a dead elephant by trying to make political hay out of it, using the media.

In the first place, there should be nothing surprising about a Baptist, whether he calls himself born-again, saved, or whatever, telling anyone who will listen about his faith.

From a minister's viewpoint, what better way is there to reach the sinners but by a major magazine ready by around 40 million of them.

A politician's standpoint is the same. What better way is there to reach voters than by giving interviews to magazine reporters, newspaper reporters, and other kinds of reporters. The "Playboy" interviewer said in his introduction that Carter had just finished an interview with six reporters from Reader's Digest when the bulk of the "Playboy" interview was taped.

Carter merely voiced his views, honestly and in depth in the interview and the press picked up on less than one per cent of it, and blew it out of proportion.

I think that any reasonable person must agree with the reasons Carter assented to the interview, what he

said in the interview for the most part, and that he has a right to express his own opinion.

I ADMIRE him for taking the opportunity to let millions of people know where he stands, instead of letting his press secretary issue vague policy statements as President Ford does.

Ford said he was too moral to give "Playboy" interviews, but it's obvious that the so-called morality is contrived. He wasn't too moral to lie about his support of the common situs picketing bill, which he promised labor leaders he would sign, then veto.

He also wasn't too moral to pardon the man who broke any number of laws in his Presidential campaigns and the subsequent cover-up.

As far as I'm concerned, Lyndon B. Johnson wasn't perfect, and he did mislead the American people about the war in Vietnam.

And I challenge any man to truthfully state that he has never lusted after any woman other than his wife.

Carter also said that a man shouldn't consider himself better than another because he is faithful to his wife and the other man is not. That's what my Bible says, too.

I THINK the interview is must reading for anyone interested in politics.

Furthermore, to keep from putting more money into Hugh Hefner's pockets, anyone who wants to read it can contact me and I'll let them use my article to copy on the copier.



Good man slips

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — It happens all too often. A good man, possessed of fine principles, wins a seat in Congress and manages to hang on to it. Then, in the heady atmosphere of Washington, his principles slowly begin to erode.

WATCHING A GOOD man slip is always a sad experience. It's particularly wrenching to see it happen to Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif. Few men have come to Congress with a more impressive past and a more promising future.

An ex-FBI agent and a self-made millionaire, he had one of the finest records in the House. He became known as a legislator who stood up for the downtrodden and spoke up for his convictions.

He was the right man, it seemed, to head the Constitutional Rights Subcommittee. But power and prestige have differing effects on different men. To some, they offer challenges; to others, temptations. Don Edwards, after ascending the heights, began to slide back down again.

He has been an ineffective chairman. He even let his own privacy bill die in his subcommittee. Worse, we have now caught him in a blatant conflict of interest. Here are the details of the complex story:

Edwards made most of his fortune as founder and president of the Valley Title Company, which has become the largest title company in his home district. A few years ago, he stepped down as the firm's top officer, but he remains its controlling stockholder, with 51 per cent of the shares.

In 1963, a year after he was first elected to Congress, his company took title to a parcel of land in Santa Clara, Calif. The title company, although holding the deed to the property, never actually owned it. Instead, the firm held the land for the real owner, a practice that is quite legal under California law.

In March, 1970, the land was officially deeded to the Ginden R and B Company, which built the Monte Alban Apartments on the property. One of the principal partners was Ben Ginden, who told us his company paid about \$5,000 to the congressman's firm for its services.

Ginden acknowledged that he has also paid the congressman's firm an additional \$5,000 to \$10,000 for its title work on other land deals. Our examination of the California land records disclosed several real estate transactions that the Valley Title Company handled for Ginden. The latest was only a few months ago.

Ginden has also written letters to newspapers defending Edwards and has made donations to the congressman's campaigns. The relationship between the two men, clearly, has been profitable.

A FEW YEARS ago, Ben Ginden and his associates fell behind in their mortgage payments on the Monte Alban Apartments. The Dept. of Housing and Urban Development, which had guaranteed the mortgage, threatened to foreclose the project.

Ginden sought the assistance of the congressman who promptly dispatched a missive to HUD. Edwards asked the housing officials to waive almost \$20,000 in payments so the Ginden project could be continued. "If HUD were to throw (Monte Alban) into foreclosure," pleaded Edwards, "there will be 192 families evicted."

His letter to HUD concluded: "I feel impelled to stress that I would certainly hope that this project be saved. I would appreciate your time and cooperation in my receiving a full

report." Edwards did not mention the fact that he was writing in behalf of his firm's client, nor that his firm had been involved in the actual real estate transaction in question.

The congressman told our reporters Gary Cohn and Andy Penn that he was unaware his company had once held title to the land. At the time he wrote to HUD, he said, he didn't even know that Ginden was a client of his title company. All he was doing, insisted Edwards, was providing a normal service for a constituent.

BUT GINDEN told us a different story. "I know Don Edwards, and I like him," he said. On a couple of occasions, said Ginden, he had run into the congressman and had boasted: "Don, sometimes, I've thrown a little business your way." The congressman, recalled Ginden, had said: "Fine."

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Dear Editor:

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New school trustees named

By MARJ CARPENTER
Delbert Donelson and Bobby Fuller were named as members of the board of trustees of the Big Spring Independent School District in action following an executive session Monday night.

The term of office of the two new trustees is to extend until the next board election in April. One man replaces Jerry Jenkins and the other Thomas Fettes, both of whom have resigned in recent weeks.

THE OFFICIAL board statement issued said that "careful consideration has been given by the board for many weeks to several possible members of the board. Our main concerns were to find citizens willing to serve, interested in the children on Big Spring, and able to work in harmony with the present board."

The board also indicated



DONELSON FULLER

that they had a difficult time making a decision because there were so many qualified candidates for the positions.

Fuller is a chemical engineer at Cosden Oil and Chemical Co. and is a former track star at Big Spring High School. Donelson, who grew up in Stanton, is a vice president of the State National Bank and is active in 4-H Club work and many other civic organizations.

In other action, the board approved two proposed vocational building trades

projects for the coming school year. This year, they are undertaking projects that will help the public construct projects at a low cost.

They will remodel a house for the Northside Day Care Center and also construct an observation tower at the big spring for the parks department of the City of Big Spring.

John Bagnall, vocational administrator, pointed out that "At this time not many new homes are being constructed. I really think it will be beneficial for the youths to learn remodeling work because there may be a lot of it in Big Spring in the near future."

HE ALSO TOLD the board that they plan to work simultaneously on the jobs. "We will repair the roof on the Day Care Center first and then begin outside work on the park tower. Then if the weather gets bad, we can work inside the house," he added.

THE BOARD authorized Don Crockett to advertise for bids for surplus property including two duplexes, a garage and carport, a two-bay garage and two butane storage tanks on the Gay Hill school property. These will all be moved. The board also to sell the 100 foot radio tower located on the school's property at 13th and Austin, formerly used to transmit radio signals for maintenance and school bus transmissions.

The board again discussed the possibility of setting up a senior citizens activities policy. Board members are discussing cutting admission fees for senior citizens back to student fees for many school events. Additional study will be made before action is taken.

THE FIRST PUBLIC mention was made of a project which has been studied behind the scenes for many weeks. The Big Spring schools, Howard College and the City of Big Spring are discussing combining their tax services both in appraisal and collection.

It was pointed out to the board in a study made by local administrators that the Texas Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations included among its recommendations these comments.

One was "Mandatory consolidation of the local tax appraisal functions into units of practical and efficient size should be required by state law." Another was "The State Constitution however, does give a special place to the county tax assessor and commissioners court in property tax administration. A sound and acceptable approach to combining county authority with the responsibilities of all other local governments continues to be hard to find."

These were used as part of the basis for eliminating the county from the cooperative venture since there collections are set up by law entirely different from the other agencies.

Purpose of the combination would be to combine services, save money for local tax payers, if possible, and make it more convenient for the taxpayer.

THE DISCUSSION between the three groups at this time indicates that the three would be willing for the school district to serve as the contractor since they have the larger number of parcels of property involved. The computer services at the college would probably be utilized.

The plan is still in the talking stages and must be approved by all three governmental groups prior to any action being taken. Their present appraisal contract extends to the first of the year. J. O. Hagood, school tax collector, is planning to retire next summer.

The board approved hiring Mrs. Pennie Anderson, head start teacher; Mrs. Reba K. Bristow, Goliad homemaker; Miss Annetta Childress, Airport individualized program and Mrs. Lora Warren, Park Hill first grade.

Resignations accepted included Mrs. Rhonda

Rothell, Park Hill first grade and Mrs. Susie Watkins, Airport individualized program.

The board also heard a report on the recent inservice training on crime prevention and drug education which was considered a success.

A LETTER from the governor's office was read concerning the state plans to conduct a study of the taxable wealth of school districts in designing a system for allocation of funds for public education. It has been pointed out that the state may demand almost double evaluation of present property values in Texas.

There is to be a meeting in Austin Nov. 3 to discuss the matter. The local board plans to send Don Crockett, assistant superintendent of business, to the meeting.

The November Board meeting was rescheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 9. The board also heard a report on meeting of school officials in the Webb hearings and the fact that Dr. Emmett McKenzie will participate in a National Academy of School executive's seminar on Time Management in February.

Board members also heard a report that the workmen's compensation insurance. The school may have higher premiums because the schools have had an increase in the frequency of accidents this school year. The board discussed the possibility of setting up safety committees.

All board members were present with Roy Watkins presiding and those attending including Jim Bill Little, Delnor Poss, Don Reynolds, and Al Valdes.

Administrators present included Dr. McKenzie, Lynn Hise, Harold Bentley, Don Green, Crockett and Bagnall.

Carter lives up to pledge

SNYDER — Scurry County school superintendent Roy Carter resigned from office here Monday, thus fulfilling a pledge to abolish the position if he were elected.

Scurry County has no common school districts. In campaigning for office, Carter said he felt that much of the paper work for the three independent school districts in the county was being handled by the Region 14 Education Service Center in Abilene.

Carter's resignation was accepted by the Scurry County commissioners.

Tax roll OKed by trustees

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City School Board approved the 1976 tax roll at its meeting Monday night.

Tax assessor-collector Jay Craddock said that valuations for this year would be \$750,450,070, 67 per cent of actual value. This should bring in \$1,365,648 in taxes, he said.

The board also oked the 1975-76 audit report presented by auditor Joe Morren.

The audit indicated the expenditures of the past fiscal year were \$2,445,300, Moran said.

Sixty-five per cent of students enrolled in school are eating in lunch rooms, Craddock reported. Of the 1,335 enrolled, and the 988 dining in the lunch rooms, 609 eat free lunches or lunches at a reduced price. Of the 537 that have breakfast, 494 eat free or at a reduced price, he said.

Cost of the free and reduced price meals is paid for by the taxpayers in the Colorado City school district and by federal funds, he said.

Farm Dawson gold star awards announced

Dawson County's coveted Gold Star Girl and Boy Awards went to Katrina Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid, and John (Button) Senter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Senter. The awards, highest a 4-H'er can earn, were presented at a recent banquet in the Lamesa High School Student Center.

The two recipients are both members of the Lamesa 4-H Club and have excelled in 4-H work at the local, district, and state levels. Miss Reid has also been recognized on a national level.

The awards are presented on the basis of leadership and involvement as reflected by their record books. Both Reid and Senter have held offices of responsibility and participated in several project areas.

Other awards presented at the banquet to adult leaders, alumni, and friends of 4-H: Sharon Echols and J. P. Senter, outstanding adult leaders, received 4-H Spurs; Sonic Drive-In and Radio Station KPET were "Friends of 4-H"; Sissy Senter, Gayland Airhart, Quinton Airhart, Dan Seely, and Jim Beam were recognized as "outstanding 4-H alumni."

State Senator Ken Hance presented

Farm markets

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were \$1.10 a bale lower to \$2.25 higher at midday.

Traders evened up positions prior to release of the government cotton crop estimate anticipated after the close of the market today, brokers said. The average price for strict low middling 11-16 inch spot cotton was unavailable Monday because of the Columbus Day holiday. Midday prices were \$1.10 a bale lower to \$2.25 higher than the previous close. Dec 81.90, Mar 82.75, May 82.45.

Tax notices are due soon

According to Howard County Tax Collector-Assessor Zirah Bednar, county tax notices should be out shortly. They were prepared Friday and should be worked up and in the mail today.

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Playboy quotes said evangelical, maligned

DENTON, Tex. (AP) — Jimmy Carter's comments in Playboy Magazine were in keeping with the evangelical faith, says a university professor who lambasted the Rev. W.A. Criswell for criticizing Carter's statements.

Dr. Joe Barnhart of North Texas State University, author of "The Billy Graham Religion," said Monday that he felt Carter had been greatly maligned and misunderstood by the Rev. Criswell and other critics over the controversial magazine interview.

The Rev. Criswell, pastor of the nearly 20,000-member First Baptist Church of Dallas, Sunday endorsed President Ford after verbally attacking the former Georgia governor on several occasions during a church service attended by Ford.

"On many occasions, Criswell has confused his Baptist tradition with his own eccentric political causes," Barnhart said.

Among other things, Carter said in the interview that he had lusted in his heart and he was opposed to "shacking up."

The professor said many Baptist ministers and deacons have said the same thing and used the same choice of words from the pulpit.

"If what Carter said had been written, as it well could have been, in any Baptist paper or Christian paper, few, if any, of the ultra conservative evangelicals would have said anything," said Barnhart. "What he said is strictly in keeping with the evangelical faith."

The professor added, "In fact, Carter is as prudish as

Criswell or Billy Graham although he is probably more interesting."

"Billy Graham, who is an ordained Southern Baptist minister, once said on national television that he had lusted in his heart and the implication was that that is where he left it — locked in

his heart — which is precisely what Jimmy Carter said."

The NTSU professor added that the very Baptist tradition that influences Carter will cause him to strictly follow the Baptist doctrine of separation of church and state.

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ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Ideal day to converse with partners and get routine affairs well organized and reach right decisions. Be extra careful in any paper work you handle today.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Get financial matters handled in a most satisfactory manner now and have a greater income in the near future. Plan how to improve property so it becomes more valuable and attractive.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Stating personal aims to others is wise so they can help you to gain them more readily. Avoid one who could cause trouble today.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Good day for analyzing your position in life and how to advance more quickly. Listen to what an adviser has to suggest to you confidentially. Follow the best of such ideas.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Think out what your subconscious goals are and then get them in operation quickly. Take care that you are only with congenials.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Get busy on any public and career matters that are important at this time and be sure that your credit is good. A higher-up could help you to improve your position within your community. Be grateful.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Ideal day to get into new interests that fascinate you, but be sure to first study them carefully. A new contact can give you the information you need. Make the evening a charming one.

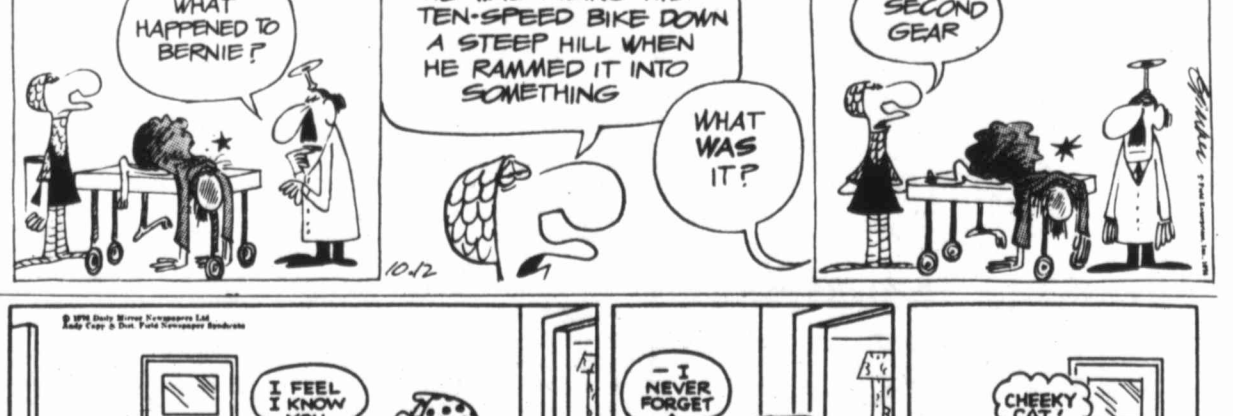
SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Find the right formula that will give you greater efficiency and you gain greater benefits. Do whatever will bring greater understanding with a loved one. Avoid one who is jealous of you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) An ingenious but hasty-acting friend can be of help to you today if you contact this person early. A civic matter can be of help to you. Handle it in a most clever way.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Tackle all that work ahead of you and get it done efficiently so that you get the right benefits from it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Set up an amusement schedule early in the day and then you can get your work done efficiently. You can get excellent results through conversations with others.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Think more about those who dwell with you and have a better rapport with them. Nice day for extending invitations to good friends and showing hospitality.



Lorance v accept pc selection

HOUSTON (Houston lawyer Lorance, a writ dated for Texas Court justice, has proposed that a five-member committee decide qualified candidates for Democratic nomination in Yarbrough.

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Lorance won't accept panel selection

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston lawyer Tom Lorance, a write-in candidate for Texas Supreme Court justice, has rejected a proposal that a five-member committee decide the best qualified candidate to oppose Democratic nominee Donald Yarbrough.

Lorance and Sam Houston, a state court judge from Denton, are write-in opponents of Yarbrough, who was a surprise winner in the Democratic primary election.

Yarbrough, 35, from Houston, is defendant in 15 civil suits and faces several grievances which could strip him of his license to practice law.

Lorance, 53, said Monday he was reluctant over permitting a committee to decide because "I am fearful it would be a political decision, based on politics and not on qualifications. If it (the decision) is based on a name, then I lose."

Sam Houston is one of the most revered names in Texas history. Judge Houston said, "Qualifications enter into it, but politics, if you are successful, means having the person who can establish name identification and get elected. Electability definitely should be considered by any committee."

Roloff trial dispute merely law question

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Lawyers for Texas and for Lester Roloff should agree their dispute is over a question of law, eliminating the need for "a three-ring circus" jury trial, says State District Judge Charles Mathews.

A pretrial hearing in the state's effort to regulate the radio evangelist's homes for wayward children is set Oct. 18.

Roloff's lawyer, David Gibbs, filed a motion for summary judgment Monday. Asst. Atty. Gen. Lynn Taylor said he, too, would file a summary judgment motion this week.

The judge reminded the lawyers that such motions say, in effect, that there are no issues of fact to be decided, only a question of law.

Taylor agreed. He said the state never has contested Roloff's claim that the homes are operated by a religious group.

But Gibbs disagreed. He said it is necessary for Roloff to prove his religious convictions are sincerely held. After that, Roloff can claim he is exempt from the law giving the Department of Public Welfare jurisdiction over the homes, Gibbs said.

The case is similar to cases involving the Amish religious sect, in which the U.S. Supreme Court has held that the state has no authority to demand school attendance on the ground that Amish schools lack a proper curriculum, Gibbs said.

Taylor says there is no similarity. Texas is not trying to tell Roloff what to teach, Taylor said. All Texas wants is make sure the children are properly clothed and fed and that fire safety regulations are met.

The judge said a man cannot claim the laws against murder and rape do not apply to him because they violate his religious convictions.

"I have a very strong feeling that this case is a law question and not a fact question," the judge said.

Tenth of band on honor roll

The Big Spring High School Steer Band Honor Roll was announced this week. To be eligible, each student must have a straight "A" average.

Approximately ten per cent of the band reached this goal. This ten per cent is comprised of six seniors, three juniors, eight sophomores, and two freshmen.

The seniors are Steve Hodges, Cecil Key, Keith McGuire, Gala Teague, Tammy Thomas, and Julie White. The juniors include Laura Allen, Kim Andrews, and Angie Fulham. Cindy Cowan, Barry Fish, Cheryl Loper, Scott McGuire, Sheryl Merritt, Scott Vick, and Paula Witte are among the sophomores. The freshmen are Lorraine Langford and Kent Cook.

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Should reader return old stolen goods

DEAR ABBY: How does one go about marketing a genuine Gutenberg Bible? It was stolen from a German museum during World War I by an American soldier who has been dead for many years.

Is it still considered "stolen goods"? Or is it possible to sell it legitimately?

HAVE ONE

DEAR HAVE: Regardless of how long ago the article was stolen, it's still stolen property and cannot be sold legitimately. And since you know that it was stolen from a museum in Germany, you have a moral obligation to return it to the German government.

The German Embassy in Washington, D.C., would deeply appreciate hearing from you. I urge you to contact them.

DEAR ABBY: I'm 19 and have a bum for a boyfriend. Ken and I love each other very much and plan on getting married some day, but I don't want a bum for a husband. He's 25, but very immature in many ways. Ken has never kept a job for more than three months. He quits and lays around collecting unemployment. When I get on his back because I practically have to support him, he gets another job, but it never lasts very long.

When I lecture him about his laziness, he says if I really loved him I wouldn't try to change him. Abby, I DO love him, but I don't want to support him the rest of his life. I'm very ambitious. I've worked since I was 16, and keep getting promotions. What should I do? Say goodbye to the only guy I've ever loved, or accept him as he is and quit trying to change him?

"19 AND AMBITIOUS"

DEAR "19": I think you really want to break up with Ken, but you want me to make the decision for you, which says something about your own immaturity. I can't see this "bum" being anything more than a bum, married or single. And until you can, don't waste any more time on him.

DEAR ABBY: May I comment on the American serviceman who wanted to marry a Korean girl? You advised him to talk to his Army chaplain.

That was a bum steer, for sure. I spent five years in Korea as an American G.I., and I've yet to see an Army chaplain who would help a G.I. marry a girl who wasn't round-eyed, Anglo-Saxon and Christian.

It's true that many Korean girls have faked love for American soldiers just to get a trip to America and citizenship, but they were mostly prostitutes. Many Korean girls are honest, hard-working and loving and far superior to American women in more ways than I can count. Sign this...

MARRIED ONE

DEAR MARRIED: Don't bum-rap Army chaplains. They still provide the best counsel available for the G.I. overseas.

Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

New ruling to let FTC pick Clubhouse up tab for consumer groups

By the Associated Press

Consumer groups are finding it less expensive to get their views across to federal agencies these days, with taxpayers picking up part of the tab for consumer participation in government rule making.

Legislation and federal rulings have authorized the agencies to provide grants to consumer organizations — and certain individuals — who testify on proposed rules and regulations and meet specific standards.

The Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act opened the way for the grants, by permitting the Federal Trade Commission to pay the expenses of some participants in agency hearings to establish trade regulations.

And the comptroller general has ruled that other federal agencies may do the same thing unless there is a law specifically prohibiting the practice.

Note: the ruling does not mean that the agency is required to pay costs for consumers; it simply means

it has the right to do so if it chooses.

In order to qualify for public funds, the group or individual generally must represent a viewpoint that is necessary for a fair decision and would not otherwise be represented. The applicant must be unable to afford participation without government help.

The Federal Trade Commission already has issued grants totaling almost half a million dollars. The money is used for legal research, for travel and hotel expenses in connection with attending hearings and for staff and overhead costs associated with a particular issue before the FTC.

The emphasis is on consumer groups, but individuals are considered if they meet commission standards, particularly if they have a point of view that is not represented by any organization or industry.

By the beginning of September, the FTC's Bureau of

Consumer Protection had received 54 requests for funds. The commission approved 31 requests from consumer groups and one from an individual — Joel M. Platt, who represented the interests of Illinois consumers concerning vocational schools. Fifteen of the requests were turned down and seven were pending.

The amounts of the grants, as detailed by the Office of Consumer Affairs of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, ranged from \$528 to the National Council on Senior Citizens for use in connection with proposed regulations on the funeral industry to \$91,020, given to the National Consumer Law Center to facilitate testimony on credit practices.

The Food and Drug Administration is seeking public comment on whether it should pay certain expenses of consumer representatives.

Texas Garden Clubs to hold convention

the evening dinner.

Thursday morning's horticulture breakfast program will be "Wind-Water-Sun-Soil Food" a mini-vegetable gardening idea for home and patio by Dr. Wm. S. Peavy, area horticulturist for Texas A&M University.

Following the business session and election of officers for 1977-1979, a bus tour will be made to the Chamizal National Monument. Luncheon "Let's Be Amigos" will conclude the convention followed by a tour of the greenhouses and landscapes of the Juarez Track, tour of Embassy and other homes, plus shopping at the Juarez market.

Reservations should be made by today with Mrs. G. D. Allen, 7609 Parkland, El Paso 79925.

Gold Star Mothers meet

The Big Spring Chapter of American Gold Star Mothers was host to the Department of Texas Annual Executive board meeting October 8-9 at the Settles Hotel.

The meeting was attended by officers and members from eight towns in this area. The local chapter hosted a dinner on Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Thomas.

The board meeting was officially called to order Saturday morning at 9:00 a.m. with the Department of Texas president, Mrs. Dorothy Tischer, presiding. At the business meeting, various types of business and communications were considered.

Final plans for the 24th Annual Convention of the American Gold Star Mothers

to be held in April 1977 in El Paso, the home of the department president, were completed.

Scottish Rite Saturday nite

All Scottish Rite Masons are invited to the obligatory Feast of Tishri Banquet which will be held 7 p.m. Saturday night, October 9 at Coker's Restaurant.

The wives and guests of all Scottish Rite Masons are included in the steak dinner and the "Traditional Toasts."

In carrying out this Annual Festival of Masonic Thanksgiving Scottish Rite Masons help to perpetuate an ancient custom of assembling in the Autumn of the year to rejoice and give thanks for Nature's bounties and God's manifold blessings.

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HANDICRAFT CLUB — From left to right are Mrs. Carol Simmons, secretary; Mrs. Karen De La Rosa, project assistant; Mrs. Estella De La Paz, president; and Mrs. Joy Fortenberry.

Special crafts displayed

Annual social for newcomers

A tea for all newcomers to Big Spring sponsored by the Newcomers Bridge and Handicraft clubs was held Thursday morning October 7 at the Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room.

The tea was one of the two annual social events sponsored by the clubs. Special crafts made by members were displayed. Members played games and Mrs. Ray Studel and Mrs. Ernest De La Paz won the door prizes.

Guests at the tea were Shirkeen Brown from

Mississippi and Diane Turner from Indiana.

Newcomers was organized in 1971 by Mrs. Joy Fortenberry and Ms. Felice Logan as an offshoot of the original Newcomers Club. Mrs. De La Paz is now president.

Newcomers Bridge Club began in 1972, organized by Mrs. Fortenberry and Mrs. W. Earl Ezzell to help people get acquainted with other residents in the Big Spring area. They now have 20 members.

The Handicraft Club was organized to enable new residents to get acquainted while enjoying and learning new and old handicrafts.

Cranberries good buy

COLLEGE STATION — This will be a big year for cranberries, a good growing season will provide about nine per cent more than last year — and the second largest crop on record, Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, says.

"Specials on cranberries are already showing up in some stores and consumers can buy this short-season fruit now to use fresh, then freeze for later use," she suggested.

Mrs. Clyatt is consumer marketing information

specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Apples, pears, bananas, oranges and cantaloupe are seasonal fruits in best supply and good prices."

"Cabbage is abundant now and most prices are low. Also, for menu variety, try eggplant and squash, both of which are in heavy supply. Carrots, green peppers, dry onions and potatoes are other economical vegetable choices."

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'That team dressed in black'

By DANNY REAGAN

The Big Spring Steers travel to Odessa this Friday night to meet the team that is currently only one vote out of first place in the entire state in the Associated Press balloting for the top 4-A football team.

That team that is sometimes called "MOJO",

(Mashers of Jolting Offenses), is picked to finish numero uno in the District 5-4A football wars, and the Steers are picked to finish as the Odessan's clean-up crew in last place.

Permian is a prohibitive favorite over the locals, and there are a number of reasons why this is the case. Despite returning only

nine lettermen from last year's 12-2-1 squad that lost to Port Neches-Grove in the State Schoolboy finals, the Panthers have already beaten two of the biggest and fastest competitors in league play this year.

"They are in the driver's seat in the conference," said Steer Head Coach Don Robbins about Permian. "They are not as big as Midland High or as fast as Abilene High, but they are a well-disciplined team that enjoys playing and has a great esprit de corps."

Robbins also has an interesting observation about the success that Permian always seems to have.

"The unique thing about Permian is the fans... their boosters don't let the kids get down. The fans are the 'Mojo', they never let the team forget the tradition that the school has.

"Whether the team is doing good or bad, the fans are up on their feet all the time, making sure the team gets out there and pitches a fit," Robbins continued.

"Permian always has two or three hundred people out everyday to watch them practice, and thousands always come to the game, whether its at home or away," Robbins concluded.

This year Permian probably doesn't have that much superior talent as they have had in the past. And they're human. Sometimes they don't play any better than any other team. But they have that winning tradition, and that's hard to

beat. Permian may not be near as speedy as Abilene, but they are a lot quicker... to be sure, their quickness ranks second to none. They are a smart ball club, and quickness just follows naturally.

Robbins feels that the "John Wayne" of the Panthers is their quarterback Curtis Pittman.

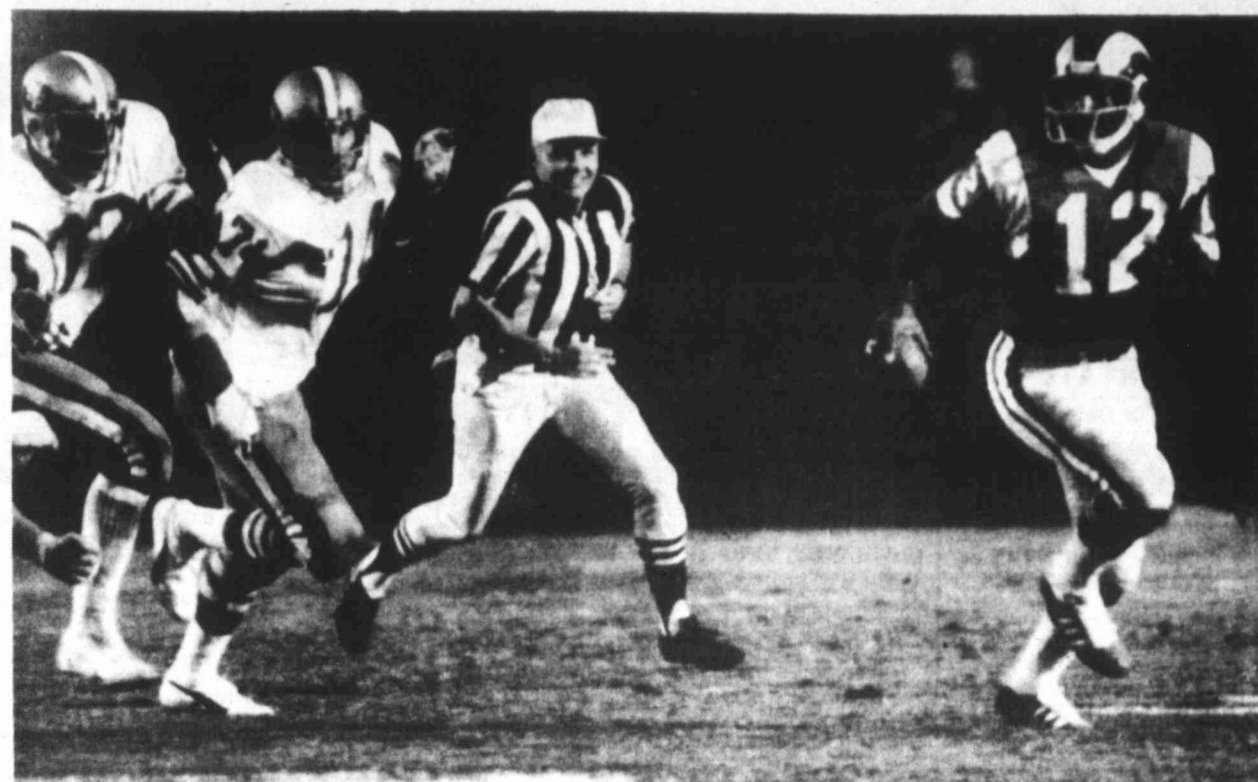
"He is one heckuva field general," said Robbins, "and he can throw the ball 60 yards in the air."

Permian has one more advantage over any other team in District 5-4A. They are so much more polished than anyone else because they played five more games last year on their way to the state finals. Robbins feels like that is equivalent to an additional spring training session.

Permian was weak on offense last season, finishing seventh in the league in total yards and seventh in points scored. The Panthers averaged less than 200 yards a game total offense during district play.

After playing two district games this year, Permian is not faring much better offensively. They are ranked sixth in total offense. But their defense is what makes them the powerhouse they are.

If the Steers can get a promising passing game off the ground, and play respectively on defense, then it should be a very interesting game. Go if you can.



WIDE RUN — Los Angeles Rams' quarterback James Harris runs wide looking for an opening to pass. In pursuit are San Francisco 49ers' Cleveland Elam (72) and Jimmy Webb (74) during Monday night's game in the first half. San Francisco won 16-0.

(AP Wirephoto)

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Wose wants Wed twade?

CINCINNATI (AP) — Pete Rose, a red-blooded member of the Cincinnati Reds, talking about switching uniforms?

That possibility surfaced Monday as the Reds were attempting to eliminate the Philadelphia Phillies in their second National League playoff sweep.

Unhappy over references to his age during recent negotiations with the Reds,

Rose has told friends he is disgruntled with annual contract haggling with the Reds' front office and is considering a move that could land him with the Phils.

"Sure I'm unhappy. But it didn't just come up. I've been unhappy with my salary a long time," said the 35-year-old third baseman.

Under major league baseball contract rules Rose holds the right to select where he would like to be traded. A player with 10 years experience in the major leagues and five with the same club can veto a trade to another club.

The 35-year-old third baseman-outfielder, who was raised in Cincinnati and became one of baseball's biggest drawing cards with his hustling, aggressive style, has been a thorn in Philadelphia's side all season.

Rose is reportedly irritated over the Reds' initial contract offer which called for a two-year contract at \$200,000 a year. He is currently receiving \$190,000 a year. Teammates Johnny Bench and Joe Morgan are the highest paid players on the world champions, both at a reported \$250,000 a year.

Houston advances

Tech in top 10

Michigan remains on top in The Associated Press major college football poll and Nebraska, the No. 1 preseason pick, has moved up to third place.

Fresh from a 42-10 romp over Michigan State and facing Northwestern on Saturday, the Wolverines drew 57 first-place votes and 1,194 of a possible 1,200 points from a nationwide panel of 60 sports writers and sportscasters in balloting announced Monday.

Pittsburgh got three first-place votes and 1,057 points

after its 27-6 triumph over Louisville and held onto second place.

Nebraska jumped from sixth to third with 848 points following its 24-12 triumph over Colorado.

UCLA, which topped Stanford 38-20, leaped from fifth to fourth with 834 points. Maryland received 660 points and advanced to fifth from seventh last week after a 16-6 decision over North Carolina State. Oklahoma fell from third to sixth with 611 points after a 6-6 tie with Texas.

Missouri, ninth last week, beat Kansas State 28-21 and advanced to No. 7 with 485 points.

NY, Royals vie tonight

NEW YORK (AP) — It is said that if you are going to make mistakes, it is best to make them all at once and get them out of your system. If that's the case, then the New York Yankees should be in good shape for tonight's third game of their American League playoff series against Kansas City.

Dock Ellis, a 17-game winner, gets the start for New York against Andy Hassler, 5-12, of the Royals.

The teams are tied 1-1 in the best-of-five playoff that will send the survivor into the World Series. The Yankees barely survived Sunday's 7-3 second-game loss.

There were a season-high five errors of commission and at least one error of omission. There were pop flies falling all over the place. There was a missed cutoff throw and base-running blunders. It was a team loss in the truest sense.

Earlier, Royals' shortstop Freddie Patek had fanned Chris Chambliss on the bases.

Chambliss was on first base in the third inning with New York leading 3-2. Carlos May bounced a single into right field and Chambliss took off for second. Waiting for him was Patek, faking a play that sent the runner sliding in, safe by 200 feet as the ball bounced into right field.

Another mistake. In the eighth inning, the Royals wrapped up their victory with a three-run rally on a pop-fly attack of looping singles by Frank White, Patek and Buck Martinez, a trio of hitters who never will be confused with Murderers' Row.

"It's about time," decided rookie Tom Poquette, who drove in two of the Royals' seven runs with a single and double. "Things had to start evening out. We haven't been getting any breaks."

Brett thought the victory might be a turning point for the Royals, who staggered into the playoffs with nine losses in their final 11 regular-season games.

Tommy Hart, silent giant

49ers pull ahead of Rams

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Tommy Hart proved the silent giant of the San Francisco 49ers as he smashed through the line, tossed Los Angeles quarterback James Harris for losses on six occasions and didn't say a word.

"I didn't say anything to him and he didn't say anything to me," was the response of the 251-pound

Hart after his 49ers had upset the Rams 16-0 in their nationally televised National Football League battle.

San Francisco quarterback Jim Plunkett threw touchdown passes of 36 yards to Willie McGee and six to Tom Mitchell in a third quarter blitz, but few defensive lines have done the job of the 49ers' front four.

They tossed the 210-pound Harris for losses 10 times, a 49ers' club record, and reminded the big quarterback of when he was playing for the embryo Buffalo Bills.

"That," said the 6-foot-4 Hart, "was the greatest game of my career," and no one would argue with the nine-year pro veteran from Morris Brown College who has been the starting defensive left end for the 49ers the past six years.

His greatest game propelled San Francisco to a 4-1 record and ahead of the 3-1 Rams in the NFC West. The Southern California

team had been favored by 13 points.

The Rams dominated the first quarter but picked up four penalties for holding. As Plunkett saw it, "That was the only way they could keep our defensive guys out."

Coach Chuck Knox of the previously undefeated Rams admitted, "They have one of the most active defensive lines in the league. They just got us in situations they would like us to be in. We tried adjustments in our blocking, but it just got to be third and 12 and here they come."

"We knew if we could stop the Rams' running game, particularly on the first down, we could beat them," Hart explained. "They have the best running in the conference and usually are good for four to six yards on that first down. We stopped them, and that is the difference."

In the first two league games, both Lawrence McCutcheon and John Cappelletti, the 1-2 running

attack of the Rams gained more than 100 yards each game.

The 49ers stopped McCutcheon at 72 yards on 16 carries and throttled Cappelletti at 12 yards in seven carries.

San Francisco, after a 0-0 first half, whizzed 73 yards in four plays after taking the second-half kickoff. A Plunkett to Del Williams pass gained 20 yards and another eight when the receiver fumbled out of bounds. On the next play, Plunkett hit McGee for the touchdown.

Then Hart's sacks on Harris with resultant fumbles set up the second touchdown and an 18-yard field goal by Steve Mike-Mayer — all the scoring in 5 minutes 56 seconds of the third quarter.

The game marked the first time the Rams had been shut out at home in a regular season game since they came to Los Angeles from Cleveland in 1946.

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Monday's Games

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Montreal at Detroit
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Wednesday's Games

Boston at New York Rangers
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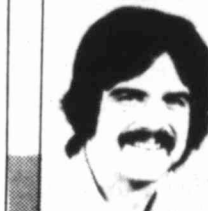
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Monday's Games

No games scheduled Tuesday's Games

San Diego at Quebec
Calgary at Birmingham

Wednesday's Game
Calgary at Houston



THROUGH the fieldglasses

By Danny Reagan

Numerous items piled up on my desk yesterday on my usual day off. First of all, the Bovine injury report.

The only new casualty of the week was Steve Hughes who suffered a bruised shoulder. But it is only a muscle bruise and nothing serious. He should be ready to play against Permian.

Hughes was the only Steer who missed a very good day of practice Monday, (of course Jesse Doss is out for the season after knee surgery). Head Coach Robbins indicated that his charges were not emotionally down after their lopsided defeat at the hands of Midland last Friday night.

"We realize that Midland is not that much better than we are, but we just didn't react last Friday. We didn't make that many mental mistakes, but in trying avoid those mistakes, we just didn't react properly," Robbins said.

The Bovine mentor feels that if the locals can just strike a happy medium, they'll do okay against Permian. He already sees some enthusiasm and aggressiveness brewing for the encounter.

The Steer freshmen had a disappointing Saturday. They lost to Lamesa 13-12 in what was described as a very defensive game. There were a number of local standouts, however. Dennis Morrison had 30 yards rushing, Ronnie Walker had 34, and Jorge Martinez had two yards.

Sr. receiver Michael Domino caught four passes for 84 yards. Quarterback Jimmy Marquez threw a 19-yard TD pass, and Walker ran in the other TD from the seven-yard line.

With 30 seconds remaining in the game, the local frosh were on the Lamesa three-yard line, but three successive penalties moved them back 25 yards, making it impossible to win the game.

Willie Williams, the former Big Spring star who is now receiving nation-wide attention at Austin College, returns to action in his hometown Thursday night.

The Austin College football team is stopping in Big Spring for a workout at Memorial Stadium. The Kangaroos will stopover enroute to Alpine where they will play Sul Ross State University Saturday night.

Williams, a senior at the Sherman college, was a second team NAIA All-American free safety last year. He has already intercepted six passes this season and has been named player of the week in the new Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association.

A four-sport letterman at Austin College, Williams is playing both offense and defense this season. His six interceptions lead the conference. As a split end, he is averaging 27 yards per catch.

In YMCA Gra-Y football action over the

weekend, the Oilers skunked the Cowboys 24-0.

Mike Heckler for the Oilers scored one TD and two two-point conversions. Felix Garcia IV scored a TD, as did teammate Scotty Frazier. Justin Webb rounded out the scoring for the victors with a two-point PAT.

In other action, the Steelers beat the Dolphins 40-0. (Oh, what the pro Steelers would give for that score), and the Bobcats also walked away with a skunk, beating the Bears 22-0.

Billy Paul, for the 'cats ran for two touchdowns, and Jay Pirkle for another. Mike Dodd and Charlie Reagan were good for two extra point conversions.

The Oilers and Steelers both are in the lead with a 3-0 record. The Bobcats are 2-1, the Cowboys are 1-2, and the Dolphins and Bears bring up the rear with identical 0-3 records.

In the Herald reader's Football contest, Bobby Roevers, P.O. Box 851, won top prize of \$12.50. Mrs. Beina Harvell won second place, and Don Stevens came in third.

In the staff "Crystal Ball" picks, Troy Bryant was the top prognosticator this week with 21 right out of 24. This shot him out into a 5 game lead over the closest pigskin gypsy.

QB Club 7:30

Again, don't forget the Big Spring Quarterback Club meeting tonight at 7:30 at the High School cafeteria. Robbins and staff are hoping for an even bigger crowd than appeared last week, which happened to be the biggest of the year.

Tonight's show should be a good one, with game films and a detailed scouting report of Permian which, believe it or not, doesn't look that bad.

The coaches and players urge all Steer faithfuls to come to the meeting tonight and support their efforts.

Billy Spears of Coahoma just returned recently from the San Mateo Mountains, south of Magdalena, N.M. after bagging what will be rated as one of the top 30 record-size Elks in the Pope and young Archery world record book.

Spears used a 72-lb. bow weight in taking the monster that dressed out to over 400 pounds and came in with 11 point antlers.

This was the second elk Spears has taken with a bow and arrow. He shot another one in 1973. The Bowman is having his current prize shoulder-mounted.

Quote for the day: "This was the biggest win I've had since I've been at Texas Tech. Anytime you can beat A&M at Kyle Field, that's something." — Steve Sloan, TT coach.

Houston passed!

HOUSTON (AP) — According to the form charts, the Houston Oilers shouldn't have been able to pass so effectively against the Denver Broncos' No. 1 ranked pass defense unit.

But Oiler Coach O. A. "Bum" Phillips says the Oilers didn't go by the form charts.

"We chart ourselves just like other teams chart us to pick up our tendencies," Phillips said Monday, explaining the Oilers' 17-3 victory. "We noticed that we tended to run a lot of first and second downs so we switched."

"You have to check yourself every week or so and come back with some tendency breakers."

Houston's "tendency breakers" worked perfectly against the surprised Broncos. Dan Pastorini completed passes on the first

four plays of the game and finished with 24 completions in 40 attempts for 213 yards.

Phillips said it wasn't a lack of respect for the Broncos secondary that caused the Oilers to unleash their passing attack.

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Poultry K-4

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MISCELLANEOUS L

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Dogs, Pets, Etc. L-3

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USED 5 piece dinette. \$39.95
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(1) 23" ZENITH color TV,

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FRIGIDAIRE frost proof, 2 door ref.

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2 door, automatic defrost & food compartment, 90 day warranty, parts & labor. \$129.95

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400 East 3rd 267-2732

FOR EASY quick carpet cleaning,

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FOR SALE: Hotpoint dishwasher, \$85.

23" color Magnavox T.V. with stand. \$220. Stereo cabinet with components. \$175. Trundle bed set, iron frame. \$40. 25 foot of 5 foot chain link fence with posts and 38" wide gate. \$60. Mag. Love, 267-2511, extension 7866 or 267-1294 after 4:30.

STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, Washer,

dryer, living room sofa and chair. Dineette table and chairs. 263-2586.

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\$75. Gas range, \$75. Kenmore washer, dryer, \$110 pair, or \$240 for all. 263-7114.

Pianos - Organs L-6

PIANO TUNING and repair. Immediate attention. Don Toller, Music Studio, 2104 Alabama. Phone 263-8197.

Sporting Goods L-8

BROWNING SHOTGUNS: New, made in Belgium. Call 267-5798.

Garage Sale L-10

THREE FAMILY Garage Sale. Furniture, riding lawn mower, clothes, miscellaneous. Tuesday, Thursday, 1702 South Monticello.

GARAGE SALE: 1316 Stadium.

Cooking utensils, tools, camping equipment, antiques.

INSIDE MOVING SALE: Starts Monday.

Furniture, clothing, (teens' clothes), huge selection of books, household items. A lot of miscellaneous. 4218 Parkway.

Miscellaneous L-11

FOR SALE: 1971 Vega canoe, good condition. Also, two leather occasional chairs, good condition. 267-4905.

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Or Portable Buildings for all purposes. Finished or unfinished inside. All sizes and colors. Delivered anywhere. Bank Financing.

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bedroom, two bath mobile home. Phone 267-7840 or 267-5869.

AUTOMOBILES M

Motorcycles M-1

FOR SALE: 1975 Honda 550. Excellent condition. Phone 263-0852 for more information.

1975 HONDA 450: Only 800 miles

like new condition. Call 267-2774 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1973 Kawasaki 500. Call

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1974 HONDA MT 250 ENDURO, ex-

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FOR SALE: 1973 Harley Davidson

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Trucks For Sale M-9

1974 INTERNATIONAL SCOUT: 12,000 actual miles. Call 394-4537.

1976 BLAZER: LOADED, warranty

still good, make offer. Call 267-5798.

COLLECTORS' ITEMS: Completely

restored, 1951 Ford 1/2 ton pickup, new motor, tires, upholstery, and paint. 263-7404.

1973 CHEVROLET ONE ton van.

Power steering, brakes, automatic, air, stereo, custom interior. \$3,850. Call 263-8107.

LEGAL NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Coahoma ISD has a 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath brick home for sale. This house is located at the east end of Ramsey Street on the north side of the street. Bids will be taken until 8 p.m. October 12, 1976 at the Board Room of the Administration Building on the Campus of the Coahoma school, Coahoma, Texas (at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud). Minimum bid taken will be \$29,000.00. For further information, please contact Mr. W.A. Wilson, Superintendent, Box 110, Coahoma, Tx. 79511 or phone 915-394-4258. Coahoma ISD reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

LEGAL NOTICE

Howard College will be accepting bids on one pickup. Bids will be taken until 5 p.m. Monday, October 18, 1976 at the business office of Howard College. Specifications may be obtained at the business office between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. All bids should be addressed to the attention of Mike Bruner, Business Manager, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, Texas. Bids will be awarded Tuesday night, October 19 at the regular board meeting. Howard College reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Howard College is an equal opportunity affirmative action institution.

LEGAL NOTICE

Howard College will be accepting bids on steel for the addition to the Student Union Building on the campus of Howard College. Bids will be taken until 5 p.m. Monday, October 18, 1976, at the business office of Howard College. Detailed specifications may be obtained from the business office between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. All bids should be addressed to the attention of Mike Bruner, Business Manager, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, Texas. Bids will be awarded Tuesday night, October 19 at the regular board meeting. Howard College reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Howard College is an equal opportunity affirmative action institution.

Trucks For Sale M-9

1973 1/2 TON CHEVROLET pickup. Power and air, 350 engine, four speed transmission, new tires. 44,000 miles. \$2,595. With L.P. gas system \$2,895. 353-8271, 353-4891.

1972 1 TON GMC Truck, 400 Engine,

power steering, and power brakes. Four speed transmission, excellent condition. \$2,695. 353-4871, 353-4891.

Autos M-10

FOR SALE: 1974 Plymouth Valiant, four door, V-6 engine, automatic, power brakes, air, good condition. Call 267-7109.

FOR SALE: 1968 Chevy Impala two

door hardtop, power and air. \$900. Call 756-2720. After 5:00 p.m. call 267-1449.

FOR SALE: 1972 Honda Coupe \$225 or

best offer as is. Call 267-1449.

BLUE 1974 PINTO Station Wagon

Four speed standard transmission, radio. \$1,400. Call 263-1464 or 267-9330.

1956 CHEVROLET FOUR door har-

dot, 327 V6 hydramatic. Good running condition. Some spare parts. \$600 firm. 263-0997 after 6:00.

1962 CHEVY II BODY, two door

hardtop. 1967 Chevy Nova, two door hardtop. After 6:00 p.m. 263-1658.

FOR SALE: 1974 Volkswagen Bug,

26,000 miles, radio. Call 267-2774 after 5:00 p.m.

1968 MERCURY MONTEREY, two

door hardtop, excellent condition. \$700. Phone 263-3107 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR SALE or trade: 1968 Oldsmobile

98 town sedan. \$875. Call 267-6936 for more information.

FOR SALE: 1974 Cougar XR7. Good

condition. Good tires. Must sell. Call 267-7025 after 5:00.

1970 OLDSMOBILE 98 TWO door

hardtop, tilt and travel steering wheel, power brakes, electric windows and seats, air conditioner. \$1,050. 802 West 17th.

1973 CHEVROLET CAPRICE Classic.

One owner. A steal at \$2,295. Call 263-4119.

MUST SELL: 1974 Ford Pinto. Clean,

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Indians paid \$16 million debt 100 years later

TAMA, Iowa (AP) — After 30 years of legal pow-wows, the Mesquakie Indians have collected \$6.6 million from Uncle Sam as settlement of a century-old debt for 17 million acres of land.

The tribe that lives in Tama's pine-forested hills got the money for land it once owned in Iowa, Missouri, Illinois and Kansas. The U.S. government acquired it in 10 treaties between 1804 and 1867.

"The government is very slow when it comes to Indians," Frank Pushetonequa, the tribal planner, said in an interview. President Ford signed a bill appropriating the money last year, after the tribe won a court suit.

The tribe decided to divide 80 per cent of the money — \$5,267,738 — among its 902 members now and put the rest into a trust held by the federal government. If the Mesquakie want some of that \$1,316,395 or its interest, they

must say how they intend to use it.

"People think we're getting so much money, but they don't realize how small the individual payments are," said Pushetonequa.

Per capita payments were \$5,840. The tribe's 329 minors get their shares when they reach age 18.

"That kind of money is nothing today," said a Mesquakie housewife, who spent most of her \$5,840 on bills.

Merchants in this central Iowa town reported increased sales to the Indians after the windfall arrived last month, especially of household appliances, television sets and clothing.

Several Mesquakie bought cars and trucks, new and used, "and they're still coming in," said auto dealer Ruth Kasal. "A lot have invested their money and will borrow to buy the vehicles."

The Mesquakie, whose nation is known as the Sac

and Fox of the Mississippi in Iowa, don't feel the government gave them the money as a goodwill gesture or apology.

"We sued them for it and we beat them," Pushetonequa said. "We've had to battle them for everything we have."

The suit was filed in 1948 but didn't even get to court until 1956. The long battle was fought for the Indians primarily by Lawrence Mills, a Chicago attorney.

"The blankety-blank government found all kinds of excuses," Mills said. "They don't like to see the Indians get what's coming to them."

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