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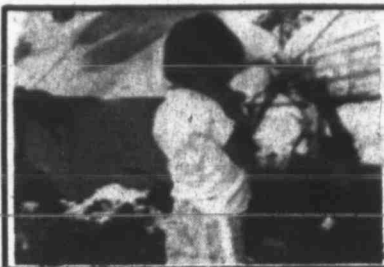
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Spring Board

How's that?

Garfield talks

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Calendar Mall booths

TODAY

Alpha Phi Delta sorority will have a gift-wrapping booth at Big Spring Mall from 1 to 5 p.m.

The Big Spring Humane Society will sponsor an Adopt-a-Pet from 1 to 5 p.m. at Big Spring Mall.

The Western Sportsman Gun Club will have a .22 pistol and rifle match at 12:45 p.m. nine miles west on Andrews Highway. The match is open to the public.

The Mexican-American Class of 1986 will have an organizational meeting for officers for the senior dance at 1:30 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce office.

MONDAY

The Comhoma Independent School District tax office will be closed for the holidays Dec. 23-27 and Jan. 1. The office will be open Dec. 30-31 for those wishing to pay their taxes before Jan. 1.

TUESDAY

The Howard County Library will be closed for the holidays through Thursday. It also will be closed Dec. 31-Jan. 1.

THURSDAY

Scenic Mountain Lodge Local 1934 will elect officers for 1986. Polls will be open at the Veterans Administration Medical Center from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Tops on TV

Mickey Mouse

"Mickey's Christmas Carol," animated, airs at 7 p.m. on Channel 13. Mickey Mouse appears in his first new show in 30 years. Also featured in yuletide short subjects are Goofy, Donald Duck and Daisy, Jiminy Cricket and Minnie Mouse.

Outside Fair

Skies should be fair today and warmer with a high near 70 and light westerly winds. Tonight's low should be in the mid 30s. Monday, look for fair skies and a high in the upper 60s.



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U-Way passes goal

For the first time in three years, the Howard County United Way, headquartered in Big Spring, has surpassed its yearly goal of \$210,000, according to figures released by the local office.

A total of \$214,291.20 had been pledged as of Friday.

The number of Pacesetters, those contributing \$500 or more has doubled from last year to 80.

Malone-Hogan Hospital was the largest contributor per employee, donating \$12,450 and matching donations from 240 employees.

United Way director Sherrie Bordsfke attributed the success of this year's campaign to additional person-to-person contact between volunteers and donors. The public education campaign mounted to increase public awareness "has done wonders," she said.

"In one day I was able to get \$3,500 more from doctors who had already contributed. Almost every one of them doubled their pledge or became Pacesetters," she said.

The local United Way supplies funds for the American Red Cross, the Boys Club, the Boy and Girl Scouts, Northside Community Center, the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, the Salvation Army, the YMCA, and the West Side Community and Day Care Centers.

The success of the local campaign matches a nationwide trend of record donations to the charity. Last week officials estimated that Americans are giving a record \$2.33 billion to United Way this year, capping the organization's best three years in more than a quarter century.

The projected 1985 national increase of 9 percent over 1984 for the nation's 2,200 local United Ways follows gains of 10 percent and 9.5 percent the previous two years.

Cashing in cans



Darrol Clawson climbs a mountain of crushed cans at the Coors Recycling Center.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Aluminum recycling still vogue

By HANK MURPHY
Staff Writer

Tens of billions of high-tech "high-pressure vessels," are tossed out yearly in the United States. And the companies who make these smooth, shiny cylinders want them back.

These "pressure vessels" are, of course, aluminum beer and soft drink cans. Aluminum companies and can manufacturers such as Coors Co. will gladly take them back crushed, creased, mashed or mangled.

Aluminum made its first inroads as a beverage container almost 27 years ago up in the Colorado Rockies. The trail was pioneered by Adolph Coors in 1958, said Randy Howell, division sales manager for Coors in Big Spring.

"In 1959 (Coors) announced a 7-ounce can in aluminum," Howell said. "Part of the sales pitch was that you could return this can and get money back."

Since the thin path blazed by Coors, captains of the aluminum industry and aluminum packagers have cut a much wider swath.

Indeed, today more than 33 billion cans are recycled annually, said John Van Devender, supervisor of marketing and communication for ALCOA Co. in Pittsburgh. That's about 1.2 billion pounds of light-weight aluminum, a mountain or metal to rival even one of the Rocky's craggy peaks.

During the '70s for reasons both economic and ecologic, aluminum RECYCLING page 2-A

Howard College salaries below average

By JANET WARREN

Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau AUSTIN — Academic faculty members at Howard County Junior College are receiving lower average salaries than their associates at other Texas colleges, according to figures released last week.

At Howard College, the average salary for academic faculty members in the 1985-86 school year is \$26,578, compared with the

statewide average of \$29,916. Academic faculty salaries at that institution ranged from \$20,633 to \$32,460.

The average salary was \$30,974 at Midland College and \$31,838 at Odessa College.

The averages were compiled by the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System.

At the state's public community colleges, faculty salaries in general academic programs are

3.8 percent higher than last year.

Meanwhile, faculty salaries at Texas public universities are about 5.1 percent higher than last year. The current inflation rate is 3.2 percent, said Higher Education Commissioner Kenneth Ashworth.

But the slight gain may not prevent Texas from losing ground, he added.

"It appears with the improving economic situation in other states and the constraints on funding in

Texas that we may dip below the national average again," although Texas hasn't done so since 1981, Ashworth said.

In the long run, the low salaries will damage the state's ability to attract and keep outstanding professors, Ashworth said.

Since the average Texas increase is higher than the minimum level funded by the Texas Legislature, Ashworth said he suspects the schools are not filling

vacancies and are using the money for raises.

The highest average salaries in the state for professors, associate professors, assistant professors and instructors are: the University of Texas at Austin, \$37,650; University of Houston-University Park, \$36,913; the University of Texas at Dallas, \$36,145; Texas A&M University, \$35,626; and Texas Tech University, \$34,948.

Christmas gifts, food go to needy families

By SPENCER SANDOW
Staff Writer

The line of people stretched from the door of the Prager Building to the building next door, people talking amongst themselves and calling after an occasional child.

Few children were there, though. The people were there to accept free toys and food from the Salvation Army as a Christmas surprise for their absent offspring.

Tables in the building were piled high with toys. Cheerful volunteers assisted shy mothers in choosing two toys and stocking stuffers for each child. Some mothers could be seen dragging large boxes full of toys for their large families.

Estela Montez said if the Salvation Army hadn't helped, her two boys wouldn't have Christmas gifts this year.

"They only had two gifts last year," she said, choosing a soccer ball, miniature robots and a tiny, muscle-bound warrior figure.

Elena Mier filled her box with dolls for her seven girls and other toys for her three boys. The dolls had been dressed by community volunteers in a contest. They were displayed at local malls and banks, and winning dolls were auctioned off to purchase more dolls for next Christmas.

Ebony Club members from the Big Spring Federal Prison Camp assisted the women in carrying boxes to their cars.

The club, reorganized in September to become a community service organization, spent three weeks fixing bicycles for the Salvation Army.

"People donated bikes that needed to be repaired. We took the pieces and put them together to make a good bike," said club spokesman Stanley Stith. About 100 broken bikes had been donated, and the club made about 50 usable bikes from those, he said.

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Frank Lewis of the Big Spring Federal Prison Camp's Ebony Club helps carry food for someone at the Salvation Army giveaway Saturday.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Salvation

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"It gives us a joy to help the community," said member Frank Lewis Jr. "It makes us feel good."

Stith said the prison administration has "bent over backwards" to help the club work on community service projects.

Salvation Army Captain Carroll Braun said close to 700 needy children from about 300 families would receive new toys from the Army Saturday.

"We are getting a lot of husband and wife families and elderly couples this year," he said, but he didn't know why the increase in those categories.

The charity is \$7,000 short of its \$35,000 goal for the Christmas project, he said, and donations still are being accepted.

"The community has really come out this year" in support of the Army, he said. Any funds left over from the Christmas project will be used for "winter relief" to buy food for needy families, he said.

The Army is also passing out the "angel" and "ornament" gifts, said volunteer Elizabeth Smith. Christmas trees at the two malls were decorated with paper angels or ornaments, each written with a child's age and sex. Donors bought toys or clothes for the children and wrapped them to be distributed Saturday.



Salvation Army volunteers help needy parents choose free Christmas toys for their children in the Prager building on Third Street Saturday.

Recycling

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can recycling centers sprouted like spring wheat throughout the nation sown and nourished by corporate giants Coors and ALCOA. It was the dawning of environmentalism, the spawning of new concepts and programs. It was the age that gave birth to the Environmental Protection Agency, the catalytic converter, no nukes, smokestack scrubbers and the renewal of recycling logic.

"At that point in time (the early '70s) the Coors Co. started a 'cash for cans' program," Howell said.

ALCOA's involvement in the recycling push was a "response to the ideals of the '70s," Van Devender said. "If you can remember, it was a time when people were out marching in the street over things like pollution and the waste of resources."

Ironically, aluminum is one mineral resource that's in little danger of running out. Eight percent of the earth's solid crust is aluminum. It's found in just about every rock except sand and limestone. Chances are there are pounds of it in an average Big Spring backyard.

The mineral is found most abundantly in bauxite ore, a material whose known world reserves should last more than 400 years.

"We don't recycle aluminum because it's a dwindling resource; we recycle it because its the wise thing to do," Van Devender said.

Wise, he said, not only to conserve a resource, but dollar-wise as well. Van Devender estimated ALCOA produces 40 percent of its new aluminum from recycled metal. It takes 95 percent less energy to make new aluminum from old as to extract it from bauxite ore, he said. He figures that ALCOA has saved \$200 million to \$400 million since recycling efforts began.

But the economic benefits don't baffle just big business.

The going rate for aluminum in Big Spring is 15 cents to 18 cents a pound depending on where the cans are taken.

Twenty-four cans, a case of empties, adds up to a pound of aluminum, Howell said.

"What we did in Odessa for instance was to take the recycling

center we had at the warehouse and donate all the equipment to the Girls Club of Odessa for the youth shelter up there, and they reap the profits.

"Here what we did was, there was not an organization in town to offer a person to man the operation, so Odessa Metals took it over, and we give them the space outside the warehouse," Howell said.

Big Spring also has another place where people can turn their cans to currency. Big Spring Iron and Metal on Highway 80 buys scrap metal of all kinds. The company is currently purchasing 150 to 200 pounds of cans a day but will buy 300 to 400 pounds when the can trade is brisker, said operation manager Sidney Brewer.

Despite the obvious benefits recycling holds for individuals, industry and a clean environment, a lot of people are still pitching out instead of pitching in.

"I imagine a lot of people are throwing them (aluminum cans) away," Brewer said. Throwing them away is akin to throwing out money, he said.

Hospital helicopter crash kills 3

LONG PINE, Neb. — Searchers early Saturday found the wreckage of a helicopter that crashed on its way to take an injured boy from one hospital to another, killing the pilot and both nurses aboard.

The helicopter, which disappeared Friday night, was found in a shallow valley about 20 miles south of this north-central Nebraska community, said Tom Randall, a flying service owner who joined the search.

"We were in hopes that maybe a beacon light or strobe would be going, or if there was a survivor, they would signal us, but there was no chance of that," said Randall.

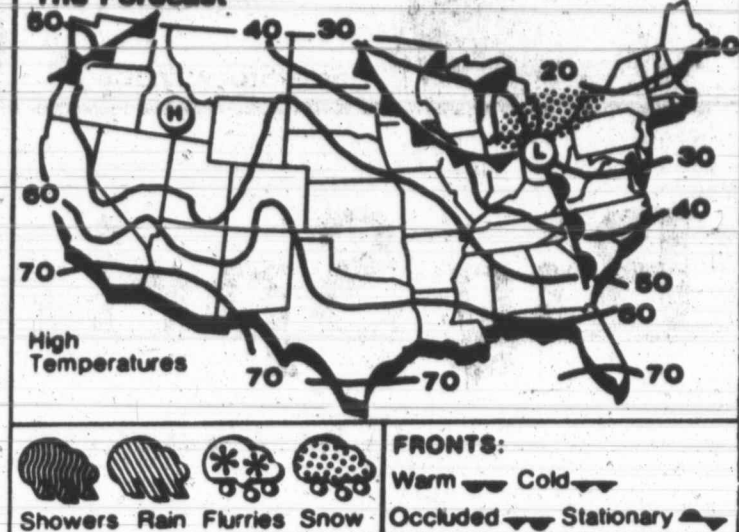
The craft was flying from Good Samaritan Hospital, in Kearney in southern Nebraska, to Brown County Hospital, in Ainsworth in northern Nebraska, to take the injured boy to Children's Memorial Hospital.

Dion Quintana, 8, who was hit by a car while sledding, was instead taken by ambulance to Children's Memorial, where he was listed in serious condition Saturday.

Buffalo County Sheriff Frank Diene identified the crash victims as Craig Budden, 32, and nurses Nancy Brandon, 32, and Joan Brown, 28, all of Kearney.

Weather

The Forecast



Forecast

West Texas - Mostly fair through Monday. A little cooler north Sunday night. Highs Sunday 60s north and mountains to mid 70s Big Bend valleys. Lows Sunday night mid 20s Panhandle and mountains to upper 30s southeast. Highs Monday 50s mountains and Panhandle to 70s valleys of southwest.

State

By The Associated Press

The first day of winter in Texas Saturday brought clear skies and mild temperatures to most of the state, while light rain and fog dotted the lower Rio Grande valley.

The National Weather Service reported late afternoon temperatures reached into the 50s and 60s Saturday across all areas of the state, and the weekend forecast was for even balmy weather. Winds across the east half of Texas were generally light and variable Saturday, with west to southwest winds in West Texas.

Nation

Temperatures near zero chilled the upper Midwest and snow fell Saturday from the Great Lakes to the northern Atlantic Coast for the first day of winter, but warm air pushed into the northern and central Plains.

Midday temperatures were still around zero over parts of Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota and readings were generally in the teens and single numbers across the upper Mississippi Valley, the Great Lakes and the Ohio Valley.

Snow fell Saturday across much of the Great Lakes region, and parts of the upper Ohio Valley and northern Atlantic Coast region.

3 hurt in 3-vehicle wreck

Three men were injured in a three-vehicle accident Saturday on the north service road of I-20 at Highway 87 at 5 p.m.

Bobby Henry of Coahoma was taken by ambulance to Malone-Hogan Hospital, where he was treated for cuts to the face and released, a hospital spokesman said.

Ronald Edgar Musser of Route 1 Box 464 and Schaffer Musser of the same address were taken to the hospital by private vehicle and treated for minor injuries and released, the spokesman said.

The accident occurred when a Ford hauler truck, driven by Alex

ander Lee Boyd of Gail Route Box 2, failed to yield right of way to a Ford pickup, driven by Ronald Musser, according to police reports.

The left front of the hauler truck struck the right panel of the pickup, which reeled and struck a blue Cutlass eastbound on the road, the accident report stated.

The car was driven by Roger Ortiz. Edward Bafino was a passenger. Both escaped injury.

Boyd was cited for failure to yield right of way, and the Mussers were cited for failure to wear seat belts, according to police reports.

Police Beat

7-11 robbery attempt fails

• A person armed with a knife tried to rob the 7-Eleven at 902 Willa at 10:25 p.m. Friday, according to police reports. The robber ordered the clerk to give him money from the cash register, and the clerk refused, said police Lt. Troy Hogue. The assailant pulled a knife on the clerk, but fled when another customer entered the store, Hogue said.

• Police arrested Gilbert A. Narbaiz Jr., 25, of 500 Goliad on suspicion of misapplication of fiduciary funds at 5:54 p.m. Friday, according to police reports.

• Police arrested Melissa Ann Puga, 17, of Western Villa Trailer Park at the Wal-Mart at 2600 Gregg at 10:30 p.m. Friday on suspicion of theft over \$20 but less than \$200, arrest reports show.

• Police arrested David Randy Herrera, 18, of 1100 Pickens at 1:15 p.m. Friday at 1400 Gregg on suspicion of driving while intoxicated, according to police reports.

• Police arrested Virginia Juarez Diaz, 27, of 1605 Cardinal at 5:46 p.m. Friday in the 700 block of N. Douglass on warrants for revocation of probation and violating the child school attendance law, according to police reports.

• Police arrested Stephen Lee Kidd, 31, of 601 Circle at 1:52 p.m. Friday on Department of Public Safety warrants for speeding and driving with an ex-

pired licence, according to police reports.

• John Paul Anderson of 1809 Lancaster told police someone stole two aluminum ladders worth \$142 from him between 6 p.m. Thursday and 10 a.m. Saturday.

• Hank Thompson of 1701 W. Fourth told police someone stole a 6-month-old terrier/poodle from its kennel between 5:30 p.m. Friday and 8:30 a.m. Saturday. The dog belongs to W.I. Kimbell of Las Vegas, Nev.

• Tom Harig, manager of Wal-Mart, told police one of his employees saw another employee undercharging a customer at the cash register for \$69.42 of women's clothing at 8:30 p.m. Friday.

• Thieves stole a bike, valued at \$125, from the backyard of Kelly Maudlin of 902 Douglass, according to police reports.

• Monica Lewis of 120 Air Base Road Apt. 1 told police someone she knows stole a \$59 radio/cassette stereo and a \$5 brass door key on a glass key ring from her while the person was visiting her at 2:15 a.m. Saturday.

• J.D. Dow of 1506 Donley told police someone broke into his house between 1:15 p.m. and 9:05 p.m. Friday. The burglar caused an undetermined amount of damage to a door, a screen door and a lock set, according to police reports.

Car dealer selling Rajneesh jewelry

DALLAS (AP) — If car connoisseurs can't wait to buy a Rolls-Royce formerly owned by a guru, the Dallas car dealer who has the autos can sell them a jeweled key chain for the car instead.

Robert Roethlisberger of Dallas, the luxury car dealer who purchased 88 Rolls-Royces from the collection of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh, has put the religious leader's jewel collection on the block as well.

For sale are key chains, including one with a 25-carat yellow sapphire, another with an emerald, and another with diamonds, sapphires and rubies — 88 key chains in all, or one for each car.

The jewelry is on sale at a jewelry store in North Dallas.

In November, Roethlisberger snared national media attention when he bought the Rolls-Royce fleet Rajneesh used for his drives

around his Oregon commune before the guru pleaded guilty to immigration fraud.

"I bought (the jewelry) quite some time ago — before the cars, in fact," Roethlisberger said. He declined to say how much the collection was worth, but said it was appraised at about \$1 million.

It includes watches, necklaces, rings and bracelets. But perhaps the most unusual part is the keychains. The sapphire on one chain measures about an inch wide at 25 to 30 carats.

Commune spokeswoman Ma Ananda Sarita said the jewelry was given to Rajneesh by his disciples at the commune.

Members of the Rancho Rajneesh commune announced Nov. 24 that they were disbanding and placing the commune's assets up for sale.

Sheriff's Log

4 transferred to county jail

Gilbert A. Narbaiz Jr., 25, of 500 Goliad was transferred to county jail at 10:15 p.m. Friday. He was arrested on suspicion of misapplication of fiduciary funds, according to sheriff's reports. He was released on a \$2,500 bond set by Justice of the Peace Willie Grant.

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• David Randy Herrera, 18, of 1100 Pickens was transferred to county jail at 3:48 a.m. Saturday. He was arrested at 1:15 p.m. Friday in the 200 block of W. 15th on suspicion of driving while intoxicated, according to sheriff's reports. He was released on \$1,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace

Lewis Heflin.

• Virginia Juarez Diaz, 27, of 1605 Cardinal was transferred to county jail at 10:10 a.m. Saturday. She was arrested in the 700 block of N. Douglass on warrants for revocation of probation and violating the child school attendance law, according to sheriff's reports.

• Deputies turned over to the U.S. Border Patrol Izquier Rosales-Martinez, 25, Jose Luis Moreno, 26, and Alfredo Rosales-Ramirez, 21, as suspected illegal aliens. The three were picked up at 1:45 a.m. Saturday, according to sheriff's reports.

• A truck dropped a barrel of oil, which spilled on the 2599 overpass between Highway 176 and I-20 at 9:45 p.m. Friday, according to sheriff's reports. A sheriff's department spokesman said "there was hardly any oil" spilled on the roadway. The Texas Highway Department sent a sand truck to the spot, he said.

Deaths

Jonathan Hidalgo

Graveside services for Jonathan Daniel Hidalgo, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hidalgo of Big Spring, will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Trinity Memorial Park, directed by Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

He died at 11:20 p.m. Thursday shortly after birth.

He is survived by his parents; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hidalgo of East Lansing, Mich.; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ismael Bihl of Big Spring; and maternal great-grandmother Lupe Chavarria of Big Spring.

Irene Willis

MELROSE, N.M. — Graveside services for Irene F. Willis, 79, of 614 Colgate in Big Spring will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the Melrose Cemetery, directed by the Steed-Todd Funeral Home of Clovis, N.M. The Rev. David Crow, retired Baptist minister from Melrose, will officiate. Local arrangements were made by Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

She died at 9:20 p.m. Friday at Malone-Hogan Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born Dec. 25, 1905, in Quay County, N.M., and married James Willis June 29, 1923, in Tucumcari, N.M. He died in February of 1981. She taught school for 39 years, 31 of those in Melrose in elementary education. She retired in 1973.

She lived in Melrose from 1942 until she moved to Big Spring in August of 1985 to live with her daughter. She and her late husband were inducted into the New Mexico Education Association Eastern District Educators Hall of Fame. She was active in the Melrose Senior Citizens Association for many years.

She is survived by her daughter,

Betty Conley of Big Spring; her son, Joe Willis of Carlsbad, N.M.; four sisters, Jessie Alford of Nara Visa, N.M., and June McMean, Julia Welling and Lorene Proctor, all of Dalhart; three brothers, Tom Kelly of Nucla, Colo., Fred Kelly of Ouray, Colo., and Bill Kelly of Nara Visa, N.M.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society.

Ruth Villarrial

CHILDRESS — Services for Ruth Lopes Villarrial, 68, formerly of Big Spring will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Margarito Barboza, pastor of the Nueva Jerusalem Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Childress Cemetery, directed by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Home.

She was born May 22, 1917, in Big Spring and married Brigido Villarrial Oct. 19, 1941, in Big Spring.

She is survived by her husband, Brigido Villarrial of Childress; five sons, Merce Villarrial of Big Spring, Brigido Villarrial of Odessa, Raul Villarrial of Amarillo, Ramon Villarrial of Garden City, Kan., and Jose Villarrial of Odessa; a daughter, Mrs. Maria Morales of Hollis, Okla.; two sisters, Victoria Lodi of Dallas and Precilla Gilando of California; and 17 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

Jonathan Daniel Hidalgo, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hidalgo died Thursday evening. Graveside funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m., Monday at the Melrose Cemetery in Melrose, new Mexico.

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Malone named to campaign

Dr. P.W. Malone, who has served as a trustee of the Howard County Junior College District since it began in 1945, has been named honorary chairman of the Howard College 40th Anniversary Endowment Fund Campaign.

The campaign's goal is to raise \$1 million in cash and pledges paid over a three-year period to establish an endowment fund.

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FDA p

WASHINGTON — Administration methylene chloride can cause cancer, the FDA said.

Two prominent scientists said the chemical was "probably" a carcinogen, but the FDA said it was "possibly" one.

"It's an unnecessary burden on industry," said Dr. Mike Center for Science and Policy.

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By Associated Press

FDA proposal under fire

WASHINGTON — The Food and Drug Administration has proposed banning the use of methylene chloride in hair sprays because it can cause cancer in animals, but would allow its continued use in decaffeinating coffee.

Two prominent consumer advocates were quick to condemn the proposal, which was carried Wednesday in the Federal Register and reported Saturday in *The New York Times*.

"It's an insane policy to allow the use of an unnecessary and acknowledged carcinogen," said Dr. Michael F. Jacobson, director of the Center for Science in the Public Interest.

Dr. Sidney M. Wolfe, head of the Health Research Group, said that the proposal violated an amendment to the Food and Drug Act that bars the use in food of any substance that has been shown to cause cancer in laboratory animals.

"They are admitting that it causes cancer because they are barring its use in cosmetics," said Wolfe.

Reagan hails unity

THURMONT, MD. — President Reagan said Saturday that Democrats and Republicans are uniting to reject isolationism and to forge a new foreign policy of "sober-minded realism" against communist expansion.

Reagan, in his weekly radio address, also praised what he called the "truly historic" achievements of Congress before it recessed Friday, including passage of bills to overhaul the federal tax code and to reduce the budget deficit.

Speaking from the presidential retreat at Camp David, Reagan warned that the deficit reduction measure should not be used to cut military spending to fund "wasteful pork-barrel programs."

"Defense spending must depend not on this or that guideline but on one consideration alone: the size of the threat with which our adversaries confront us," the president said.

Dissident thanks Jews

NEWTON, Mass. — Soviet dissident Yelena Bonner thanked the Jewish community for its "spiritual support" Saturday in her first public address since arriving in the United States two weeks ago.

Speaking during Sabbath morning services at Congregation Mishkan Tefila, Mrs. Bonner told worshippers, "I would like you to always remember that your co-believers, and in general other people in our country, have the same dreams, the same needs and also the same moral and spiritual values as you."

"I do not know whether you know, but my husband is considered a prisoner of Zion because he has helped so many Jews in the Soviet Union," Mrs. Bonner, wife of Nobel Peace Prize-winner Andrei Sakharov, said in Russian translated by her son.



Neapolitan children watch smoke in the sky after an explosion ripped through an oil storage facility in Naples, Italy, Saturday morning. Three were killed, and at least 160 injured.

Oil explosion

Fire rages in wake of blast that killed 3

NAPLES, Italy (AP) — An explosion ripped through a petroleum storage depot in this port city on Saturday, killing three people, injuring at least 160, and touching off an oil-fed blaze that raged into the night, officials said.

From 700 to 800 firefighters were called in from throughout south-central Italy to battle the blaze, and air tanker planes dumped fire-retardant foam on the flames, said Renato Profili, a spokesman for the Naples city government.

Italy's minister of civil protection, Giuseppe Zamberletti, declared a state of emergency in the area, where the fire kept blazing in two dozen storage tanks more than 12 hours after the predawn explosion.

Thick columns of choking black smoke darkened the sky for 20 square miles over the Bay of Naples.

Spokeswoman Anna Maria Greco of the Civil Protection Ministry said a mother and her grown daughter were killed when their house collapsed, blown down by the explosion of the nearby oil facility of the state-owned AGIP company. She said one AGIP worker was killed and another was missing.

Nineteen people were hospitalized and 142 were treated for injuries but did not require hospitalization, she said.

A third AGIP worker, Paolo Giordano, 35, who escaped with head injuries, was near two colleagues when the blast occurred at 5 a.m.

"The vacuum of air created by the explosion pushed me into a small building," Giordano told the news agency AGI. "My two colleagues were pushed by the same explosion in the direction of the flames."

Civil protection officials said nearby buildings and homes — some damaged by the blast — were evacuated. They had no count on how many people had

been displaced in the mostly industrial St. Erasmo neighborhood of southeast Naples.

News reports said the blast was heard not only throughout Naples but elsewhere in the province of Campania. Some nearby residents said their houses shook as if rocked by an earthquake.

"We were awakened by three or four booms that sounded like thunder," the news agency ANSA quoted the wife of an AGIP employee as saying. "My husband got up and went to the window. At that moment, there was the main explosion and all the surrounding walls collapsed."

Hospital and city officials said many injuries were caused by inhaling fumes from the fire and by flying glass.

AGIP officials said of 32 storage tanks containing oil and gasoline at the site, eight escaped the fire. AGIP official Giuseppe Bossa told *The Associated Press* that "an enormous stock has been lost. All 24 storage tanks have been destroyed." He said it was too early to estimate damage.

Authorities were investigating the cause of the blast, which officials said occurred during a loading operation. AGIP said the employees were loading a ship at the time of the blast, but company spokeswoman Paola Roselli said it was not believed the loading procedure touched off the explosion.

She said the 32 storage tanks could hold up to 98,000 cubic meters of fuel, but were at about 25 percent of capacity at the time of the explosion.

"It was a tragedy consummated in a short time," Giovanni Morelli, another AGIP employee, told AGI. "But it could have assumed more catastrophic proportions if you think that at 5:45 (a.m.), at least 20 other workers would have begun a new workday."

World

By Associated Press

Paper blasts U.S. tests

MOSCOW — The Defense Ministry newspaper *Red Star* said Saturday the United States is undermining international stability and its own prestige with plans for new nuclear testing in Nevada.

"Preparations for the testing of a nuclear device in Nevada are being conducted under the conditions when the moratorium on all types of nuclear explosions introduced as of August 6 this year remains in effect in the Soviet Union," the newspaper said.

The Soviets declared the unilateral moratorium on nuclear tests in observance of the 40th anniversary of the atomic bombing of Hiroshima, Japan.

It expires Jan. 1, but Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev has said it would be extended if the United States joins in a test ban.

Defector claims secrets

MADRID, Spain — A Cuban who defected with \$500,000 in commissions from his government job was quoted Saturday as saying he is a danger to President Fidel Castro's communist government because he has key economic secrets.

But Manuel Antonio Sanchez Perez, a former vice minister for economic planning, also said he remains loyal to Cuba and has no intention of revealing any information that might hurt his country.

Four members of the Cuban Embassy staff tried to kidnap Sanchez Perez at gunpoint Dec. 13 on a busy Madrid street. Passersby prevented the abduction and held the men until police arrived.

Bomb in van injures 8

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — A mine blew apart a white family's passenger van on a crowded Durban street Saturday, wounding eight people, police said.

The explosion demolished the minibus and sent glass and debris flying as Christmas shoppers scattered.

Police said they did not know who was responsible. The incident came within hours of a threat by the outlawed African National Congress guerrilla movement to intensify its battle against white rule in South Africa.

Captive sends a plea

BEIRUT, Lebanon — Kidnapped British journalist Alec Collett urged British officials in a videotape made public Saturday to free Arabs held in Britain so Moslem extremists will release him after nine months in captivity.

"I assure you that time is short," Collett stressed.

His appeal came amid a Christmas flurry of efforts to secure the release of American and French hostages held by Shiite Moslem extremists in Lebanon.

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Tax & financial planning

NEW INTEREST RULES

New legislation, recently signed by President Reagan eases the 1984 Tax Reform Act imputed interest rules for seller-financed sales of property.

Prior to imputed interest legislation, selling property on contract enabled buyer and seller to adjust the selling price and the interest rates charged in the contract to give what the IRS saw as unfair tax benefits to both parties. By increasing the selling price of the property beyond its actual fair market value, the buyer was able to treat more of the selling price as favorable capital gains. As a trade-off, the seller lowered the contract's interest rate below market levels so the buyer paid less in interest and had a higher basis in the property. Such deals in commercial real estate gave the buyer larger depreciation deductions.

The new law requires that in property sales where the seller carries the financing on amounts of 2.8 million dollars or less, an interest rate of the lesser of 9% or 100% of the "Applicable Federal Rate" (the rate which the federal government pays on money it borrows) must be charged. Where a lower rate is charged in the contract, the IRS will impute the interest rate at the higher level and treat the transaction accordingly for tax purposes. Transactions exceeding \$2.8 million have a test rate of 100% of the federal rate. The \$2.8 million figure will be indexed for inflation after 1989.

The new law is retroactive to June 30th, 1985. To compensate for the fact that some federal tax revenue will be lost because of the new rules, the law includes a provision that extends the depreciation period for 18 year real property to 19 years.

The law specifically excludes from its below-market loan rules those loans of \$90,000 or less made by taxpayers age 65 or more to "continuing care facilities" (retirement homes).

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Opinion

Genes proposal is controversial

Scientifically advanced countries like the United States have plunged far into the world of gene manipulation to boost agricultural out-put. In simple terms, improved and hybrid crops and livestock explain better than anything the overwhelming abundance of American agriculture.

But those refined crops and animals have a soft underbelly: the inability to resist the diseases and harsh conditions that periodically ravage agriculture. Meanwhile, the basic strains from which advanced strains were derived are found primarily in less-developed regions. They have innate resistance to hardship but are less prolific.

Members of the U.N. Food and Agricultural Organization are backing a proposal with the depressing potential of pitting wealthy industrialized countries against poor countries, a la the troubled Law of the Sea Conference. The proposal is relatively simple. Third World countries would be paid by advanced nations to maintain their gene stocks. Then, if a resistant variety were needed to revive a variety, it would be available. In addition, Third World countries want far freer access to species developed by advanced countries from primitive stock.

The outlines of the conflict are clear: Richer, more capable nations want to maintain access to anachronistic genes — but not at the price of surrendering patent rights for advanced gene developments, an argument the Reagan administration supports. The U.S. concept of property rights would be violated and countries that develop advanced genes would be forced to share the fruits of their technology with less-developed nations.

While this position seems niggardly and overly proprietary about something as precious as food, reality is likely to take a different course. It's doubtful such scientific inquiry and commercial rewards will be corralled into an international convention. On balance, that's probably a blessing.



Jesse Trevino Hispanics study legal challenges

Mexican-American political leaders in the Southwest are re-arranging their bets concerning the chances of overturning primary election systems which use run-offs to decide races in which no candidate received more than 50 percent of the vote.

This comes on the heels of a circuit court reversal last week of a New York court's decision last August which threatened to eliminate the run-off provisions of New York city's election laws. civil rights groups saw the initial decision as a blow against traditional primaries in which the two top candidates faced each other in a second ballot.

Hispanic political groups are assessing the decisions and are considering legal challenges to similar systems in the Southwest.

Why they would want to seems clear. Mexican-Americans have time and again fallen victim to election systems, such as the one in Texas, that allow Anglos to band together after the primary election and defeat Mexican-American candidates.

Were Texas' law overturned, Mexican-Americans could score impressive political gains — especially in counties where they have grown rapidly and now form 30-40 percent of a county's population.

But beyond these simple considerations lies a greater danger: Either Anglo or Mexican-American candidates could win nomination — and possibly election — to office without receiving a majority vote of any kind. This would weaken our electoral system and hurt society in ways which could never be documented in a court record or justified by any politician's tally of political wins and losses.

In the same vein, changing these systems of election would make the two major political parties — and perhaps the whole populace — more ethnically polarized than they already are.

Ethnic polarization is the greatest argument against changing the system, particularly in light of recent gains made by Mexican-Americans.

Historical and demographic

forces — along with dogged legal challenges to voter discrimination and badly drawn political districts — have catapulted the number of Mexican-American elected officials in Texas, for example, from 862 in 1975 to almost 1,500 today. That is solid achievement.

On a more practical side, Mexican-Americans who want to push to over-turn the majority provisions of primary election laws should remember that changing the rules for simple political gain would endanger other gains. In states throughout the Southwest, legislatures (which under present circumstances Mexican-Americans could not control) generally have ultimate jurisdiction over county and city affairs and education and social programs.

If polarized on the primary elections issue, legislatures could penalize Mexican-American communities by directing state funds elsewhere. If not thought possible, one need only reflect for a moment on the history of state spending by state legislatures in regards the Mexican-American.

Nor should credence be given to an emerging school of thought that holds Mexican-American political representation should reflect population strength, not just eligible Mexican-American voters. What, are we to do away with voting age qualifications, too?

In essence, the discussion boils down not to politics but social progress. Social progress is about moderate evolution. U.S. senators were not elected by direct popular vote until early this century. One man's vote did not equal that of another's until only 25 years ago.

Mexican-American leaders should drop the idea of scuttling run-off primaries and concentrate on fighting voter discrimination and gerrymandered political districts which dilute Hispanic voting power. Perhaps the New York case, if affirmed, will help.

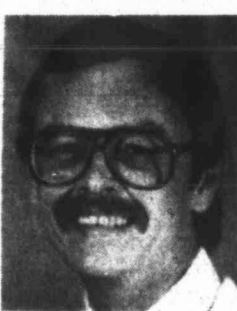
The lower court decision, reversed Dec. 13, may yet win. A strong appeal is being readied for the full circuit court in New York and possibly for the Supreme Court.

Jesse Trevino writes on Hispanic social and political issues.



Second glances

By JOHN RICE
Managing Editor



Ideas, comments helpful

A review of the "opinion" and daily Lifestyle pages by the Friends of the Newspaper advisory committee produced an array of suggestions and comments Wednesday night. The ideas came not only from the committee members, but from people who had contacted them with suggestions.

But even among the members of the group, there was conflict on many items of discussion. Below are suggestions that were made by one or more members of the group.

What's your opinion? Write me in care of the newspaper, P.O. Box 1431, or contact any committee member. Their names and phone numbers appear below.

EDITORIAL PAGE:

- Take Billy Graham's religion column off the editorial page.
- Keep the editorial page a mix of strong opinion and different ideas, encourage readers to write letters and viewpoint columns.
- Keep publishing addresses of public officials frequently on the editorial page.
- Always report how elected local officials vote at public meetings.

LIFESTYLE PAGE:

- Start publishing Associated Press movie reviews of films that are coming to Big Spring.
- List new books available at the public library.
- Publish less club news.
- Publish more information on out-of-town cultural opportunities — symphony, plays, etc.
- Features about people — "People at Work" and, now, "People, Places and Things" are good.

GENERAL DISCUSSION:



Jack Anderson

Japanese underworld sneaks in

By JACK ANDERSON and DALE VAN ATTA
WASHINGTON — Some unwelcome Japanese visitors are reportedly entering the United States, and they're not here to steal high-tech secrets. They are members of the Yakuza, the Japanese underworld gangs that have preyed on their own people for centuries and now aim to expand their operations to this country.

In a sharp warning to its field offices, the Immigration and Naturalization Service says that Yakuza members are entering the United States "to invest, launder (money) and set up new operations." The Yakuza has plenty of money to invest and launder. Japanese police estimate the underworld organization's annual take at more than \$5 billion, from prostitution, pornography and extortion.

Our associate Donald Goldberg has obtained a copy of the Immigration Service's "strategic assessment," which tells inspectors how to spot possible Yakuza members at ports of entry. Once identified, they can be put under surveillance — or sent packing if they lied about criminal records on their entry forms.

Here's what Immigration officials have been told to look for as a way to identify a possible member of the Japanese mob:

- Fingers: The Yakuza custom of cutting off a fingertip dates to the old warrior days when the snippet was offered to the gang leader as apology for a failed assignment. The Immigration Service estimates that nearly half of all present-day Yakuza members "have severed portions of one or more fingers." It does add this cautionary note, however: "Normally, if an individual is missing a portion or complete middle finger, index finger or thumb, it is likely the result of an accident or surgical operation, and cannot be indicative that the individual is Yakuza."
- Tattoos: Six or seven out of every 10

Yakuza gangsters are believed to have some sort of tattoo, ranging from a small mark under the eyebrow to designs covering the entire body. Tattoos are considered a sign of strength, because of the discomfort involved in the procedure.

"The typical Yakuza encountered entering the United States bears tattooing covering the entire rear torso from the waist area over the shoulders and extending down the front torso to the breastbone and midway down the upper arms," the immigration assessment states. "The configuration of the tattooing on the chest area allows the individual to wear open-neck shirts without exposing the tattoo."

• Hair style: The Yakuza traditionally affected either a shaved head or a short, flat-top "Parris Island" crewcut. "Recently, they have overwhelmingly adopted a hair style known in Japan as a 'punch perm,' which is a short, curly, Afro-style permanent," the report says. But it warns that many older Yakuza, and especially the higher-ups, have normal hair styles, making them hard to distinguish from businessmen or tourists.

• Dress: "Many of the upper-echelon Yakuza tend to display their affluence by wearing expensive jewelry and watches, often sporting two or three expensive rings, gold chains and pendants, and gold watches, which retail in Japan for in excess of \$10,000."

• Behavior: "Yakuza often walk with authority of strut/swagger, in the same manner as a police officer, wrestler or other individual with a sense of physical prowess or self-assurance. ... Many Yakuza, occasionally even upper-echelon members, will display an attitude of arrogance or defiance, sometimes manifested by their refusal to answer an officer's questions, their loudly questioning an officer's reasons for asking them certain questions ... and in some cases even loud verbal outbursts or tirades directed at the officer or



Around The Rim

An exit test worth taking

By ROBIN WARD
High school juniors throughout the state surprised education officials and reformers alike this fall when the vast majority of them passed the new exit exams, required by House Bill 72 for graduation from high school.

In the first round of the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills test, 91 percent passed the English portion and 88 percent passed the math segment.

Locally, 90 percent of the juniors passed the English portion and 87 percent passed the math. Other school districts did even better, including Garden City, where 100 percent of the school's 25 juniors passed both segments of the test.

State authorities had predicted 25 percent of the students who took the test would fail it the first time.

Some state officials, including Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Rep. Bill Hammond of Dallas, who wrote the portion of the reform law mandating the graduation testing, are upset by the high percentage who passed. And rightly so.

Hobby claimed last week that the state is perpetrating a fraud on students and their parents if the graduation test is too easy.

Hammond was as harsh, calling the first test Pabulum that used sixth-grade level questions to test the knowledge of 11th-graders.

The whole idea behind legislating educational reform was to raise the standards of instruction in schools and to graduate students who are better qualified for life. A test that the majority of students can already pass does nothing toward this goal.

Instead, it becomes another farce like social promotion, letting students slide by whether they are ready or not.

Sure, a harder graduation test will be tough for those struggling through high school. But the diploma they receive after learning what is necessary to pass the test will be worth something more than the paper it's printed on.

Opinions expressed in this column are those of the staff writer and do not necessarily reflect the views of the newspaper's management.

his interpreter." **DRUGBUSTERS' LAMENT:** The Coast Guard is bearing a heavy load of the South Florida war on drug traffickers, but officials in Miami are quietly complaining that the drug war leaves them no time or resources for the Coast Guard's other responsibilities. The result is that the Coast Guard has had to terminate these traditional functions, which include anti-pollution enforcement, merchant marine oversight and cruise-ship safety inspections. Some members of Congress are nervously waiting for some disaster at sea that can be traced to the Coast Guard's single-minded pursuit of dope smugglers.

WATCH ON THE PENTAGON: Will somebody please get the Air Force brass a library card? They've advertised for someone to research and write a book-length manuscript they've already picked the title for: "U.S. Army Air Forces and Intelligence in World War II." It will delve into the strategy, planning and operations of the service's intelligence from 1941 to 1945. It's not yet known how much the book will cost — or how it will differ from the dozens of books that have already been written on the subject.

MINI-EDITORIAL: Both the news media and public officials have been remiss in their response to the recent outrageous attacks on Arab-American anti-discrimination groups. News stories of bombings and arson haven't received the prominent display they deserve, and public figures who normally voice their opinions on anything have remained strangely reticent. It's a terrible way to have their point proved, but Arab-Americans' claim of racial prejudice seems to have been confirmed. We're confident the FBI, at least, is taking these cowardly acts seriously, and will soon bring the skulking perpetrators to book.

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

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Christmas sorrowful for survivors

ARMERO, Colombia (AP) — Although the children have been "overwhelmed with toys" and full-scale Christmas celebrations are planned, the holiday season has been a time of sorrow and painful remembrance for the volcano survivors.

"Maybe it's because Christmas has always been a family celebration for us, and most of us have had our families either lost or broken" by the tragedy, said Jose Abel Jimenez, a survivor who lives in a tent city in nearby Guayabal with his wife and three children.

About 20,500 Armero residents died when the Nevado del Ruiz volcano erupted Nov. 13, triggering mudslides that wiped out the once prosperous agricultural center of 28,000.

"I know Christmas night is going to be especially sad, and I'm not sure I want to stay up that night," said Blanca Idaly Sanchez, a woman in her mid-40s who said she lost her entire family in the disaster. "But I'm going to try. We have to be realistic and face things the way they are."

Mrs. Sanchez, a seamstress in Armero before the volcano, has started to make stuffed animals for the camp's children "as a way to keep my mind away from my sorrow."

"But it's difficult in Christmas," she said with a sob.

About 2,450 Armero survivors are living in the Guayabal camp. The remaining survivors live in other cities, government shelters or with relatives.

Army Maj. Rafael Ruiz, the provisional mayor of Armero who works from a Guayabal office, said the survivors are "in general, holding up well, and we are now trying to make things easier for them during this pre-Christmas time when they tend to be sad, to remember more intensely the loved ones they lost."

In many of the camp's blue tents, children played with new toys around colorful Christmas trees and replicas of the manger.

"The children are overwhelmed with toys," Ruiz said. "Everybody



As his father works outside, a boy watches his family's Christmas decorations inside the tent that has been their home for the last few weeks. Both the man and his son are survivors of the Nov. 12 eruption of the Nevado

del Ruiz volcano near here that buried the town of Armero killing more than 20,000 people.

is bringing presents. The Central Bank employees were here yesterday, another company did it today, and the Jewish Ladies Association (is) coming tomorrow."

The adults, meanwhile, are looking for work.

"Talk to any of them and they'll tell you that what they want is jobs, a means of earning their own money," the mayor said.

"And the starting point of all the reconstruction effort is to define where the new Armero will be built," he added. "We expect the

government technicians to make the decision before the end of the year."

Abel Jimenez, a farmer, said, "I don't want charity. Give me something to do, and I'll start all over again." Added his wife: "Before the volcano (eruption) we were poor, poor indeed, but independent."

Still, says Ruiz, aid is needed.

"If people abroad want to help, let them send things we can use to rebuild Armero, and let them send medical supplies," he said. "Let

them send things to set up carpentry and other shops, so I can put all these able people who are now idle to make the doors, the windows of their future Armero."

Ruiz said that decomposing bodies are still a problem in Armero.

As the mayor talked to a visitor, a doctor came into his office seeking help to bury six bodies discovered in an Armero street.

"This is urgent, very urgent," the doctor said. "We can hardly keep the dogs away from the

bodies."

The mayor said he is punishing looters by forcing them to bury the decaying bodies which are found daily.

Ruiz has a team of eight psychologists to help survivors who are still jittery, have nightmares or suffer emotional problems.

"We are making progress," he said. "But there is still a long way to go. There are some very serious cases."

Christmas celebrations are part of the effort to help the survivors.

Administration charges Soviet arms violations

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan says in a report to Congress that new Soviet missile deployments and other violations threaten existing arms control agreements and "darken the atmosphere" for any new accord at the Geneva arms control talks.

He says the violations are deliberate and "cause grave concern regarding Soviet commitment to arms control."

But while reserving the right to take counter-measures, the report suggests the administration will not now cancel any of those agreements, and will give the Soviets more time to correct violations.

The report, which Congress required when it approved fiscal 1986 defense spending, is scheduled to be sent to the lawmakers on Monday. A copy of the unclassified document was obtained by The Associated Press on Saturday.

Citing "a pattern of Soviet noncompliance," the report said the most serious new violation is the deployment by the Kremlin of SS-25 intercontinental ballistic missiles during 1985, which the administration contends exceed the unratified 1979 SALT II treaty limit on new missiles.

Reagan calls this "a clear and irreversible violation of the Soviet Union's SALT II commitment" with "important political and military implications."

The report also publicly charges for the first time that the Soviet Union has exceeded the level of 2,504 strategic nuclear delivery vehicles, such as missile launchers and heavy bombers, that it had when it signed the SALT II treaty. The report didn't cite a figure.

It renews past charges of violations of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile treaty.

Christmas celebration has western flair

ANSON (AP) — It was a night intended to stir the embers of memory and pay homage to a tradition now a century old.

In 1934, the people of Anson and surrounding towns began reenacting the Cowboys Christmas Ball.

The first Cowboys ball was held in Anson's Morning Star Hotel in 1885, and was immortalized in a poem by New Yorker William Lawrence Chittenden.

Chittenden died in 1934, and every year since, the descendants

of area settlers and people who just like to dance have met in Anson to reenact the ball.

The event this year began Thursday and ends Saturday night at Pioneer Hall in Anson, north of Abilene in West Texas.

The organizers of the ball try to encourage the observance of tradition. Women wear dresses if they want to dance. And on Thursday, many of the men wore cowboy boots polished to a high gloss.

The music played by L.C. Agnew and the Dixie Playboys was best

suited for waltzes and Texas two-steps. Modern country ballads are played, but in graceful waltz tempo.

Liquor isn't allowed inside — a weathered message painted on the wall above the coat check room says "positively no drinking allowed."

Men who need a drink to lubricate their dancing legs step

outside to the parking lot, where they stand next to the open trunk of a car and sip beer from plastic cups.

Inside, the talk among the older folks is of other balls and other times.

"Plenty of these people pass it from generation to generation," said Clay Cooper, who has missed only one ball in 49 years.

By LILA ESTES

Q.: We are getting our home ready for the Holidays and for the coming New Year. Have you any suggestions?
A.: Yes, we do. Supplement the foundation with lots of love and good thoughts for the Holidays and the coming New Year. Decorate the rooms with smiles and laughter. Warm the interior with good and generous feelings for your fellow man. If all of this is followed, even the smallest house will seem like a warm and inviting home. Best wishes from all of us to all of you for a safe and healthy Holiday and a prosperous New Year.



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China Long's Bachelor's Degree Paid Off

"I knew educated people generally have a better quality of life"

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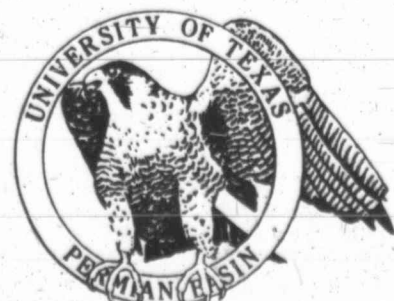
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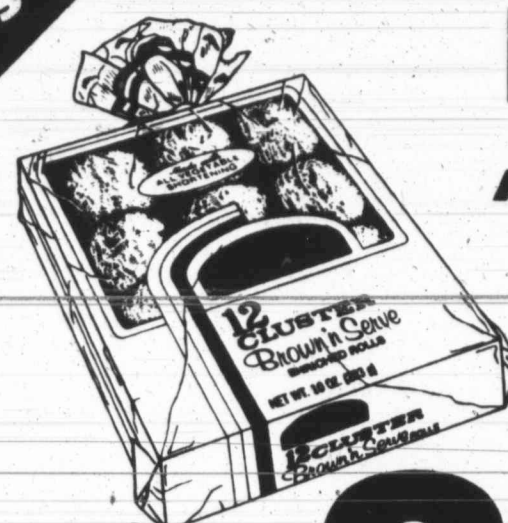
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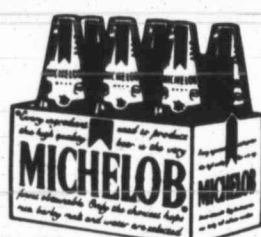
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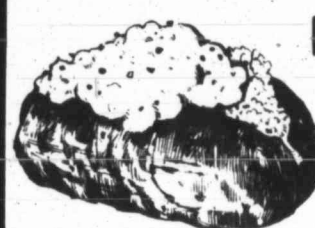
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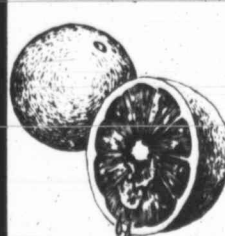
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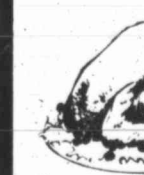


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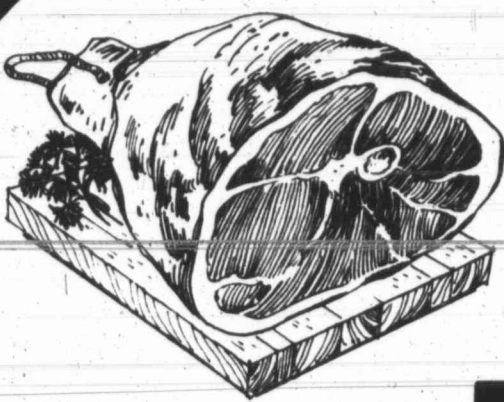
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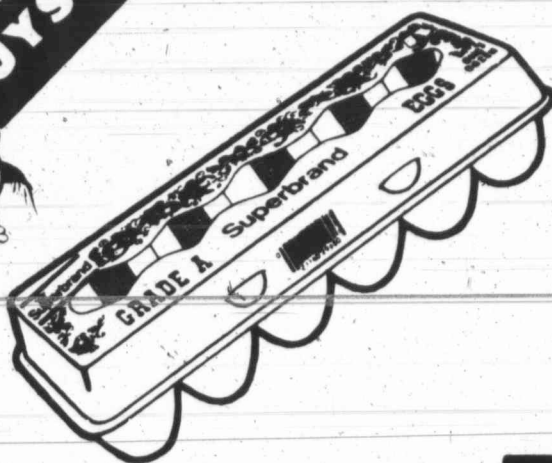
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Birth of Christ

Scholar says Jesus was born in summer of 12 B.C.

BETHLEHEM, Occupied West Bank (AP) — New evidence suggests Jesus was not born Dec. 25, the date on which Christmas has been celebrated for 16 centuries, and that Halley's comet, rather than a star, alerted three wise men to his birth, according to a Biblical scholar.

Jim Fleming, founder and dean of the non-profit Jerusalem Center for Biblical Studies, also says Jesus probably wasn't born in the year 1 A.D. as popularly believed, but in 12 B.C.

Supporting that date is a new translation of a tablet that shows a population census was ordered in the region in 12 B.C., and evidence that Halley's comet was visible that year, Fleming said.

Luke's Gospel recounts that Jesus' parents, Mary and Joseph, had traveled to Bethlehem to be counted for the census when he was born in the

stable of a crowded inn. The family lived in Nazareth.

Fleming, 42, a native of East Meadow, N.Y., said one popular belief about Jesus' birth does appear correct: he apparently was born in Bethlehem near the present-day Church of the Nativity, if not at the exact spot marked inside the church.

Archaeological evidence shows a church first was built on the site in the 4th century, on the edge of biblical Bethlehem, where an inn could have been located, he said.

Fleming, who also lectures on historical geography and archaeology at Hebrew University in Jerusalem, founded the non-denominational Jerusalem Center for Biblical Studies 10 years ago to offer Bible courses for clergy and lay teachers.

He said during a government-sponsored seminar with students and journalists that his theory about Jesus' birth was based in part on an unpublished

work by Jerry Vardaman, professor of archaeology at the Cobb Institute of Archaeology at Mississippi State University, in Starkville, Miss.

He said 4th-century scholars used New Testament references to choose Dec. 25, 1 A.D. as the date of Christmas.

"But it appears they made a mistake in guessing," Fleming said.

Modern scholars, he said, have found evidence indicating Jesus was born before 1 A.D., including a reference in the Book of Matthew that says King Herod was alive at the time of the Messiah's birth. Herod is believed to have died in 4 B.C., he said.

When scholars recently deciphered a tablet known as the Aemilius Secundus inscription, discovered 300 years ago in Beirut, Lebanon, they found that a census had been ordered by Quirinius, the governor of Syria, in 12 B.C., Fleming said.

According to Luke, the census that sent Mary and Joseph to Bethlehem was carried out while Quirinius was governor.

Vardaman, interviewed by telephone, concurred with Fleming's interpretation of his work. He said the Aemilius Secundus inscription is now in the Venice Museum in Italy.

Fleming said the Dec. 25 birthdate does not fit in with Luke's statement that shepherds in nearby fields were the first to learn of Jesus' birth.

Shepherds' flocks were not permitted on fields after they'd been plowed in October or November to allow winter rains to soak into the parched ground, Fleming said.

Shepherds were encouraged to graze their sheep in late summer and early fall to eat the stubble of sown crops and fertilize the fields, he said, making it more likely that Jesus was born sometime between late July and early October.

Commissioners to consider contracts for tax collection

Howard County commissioners will review tax collection contracts with the city of Big Spring and the Big Spring Independent School District during their meeting Monday.

The meeting is set for 9 a.m. at the Howard County Courthouse.

Dorothy Moore, county tax assessor and collector, said she expects the commissioners to approve the contracts submitted by the two tax entities. The contracts would be effective beginning next October, she said.

Moore said she has not yet figured out the fees her office will charge for collection duties, but the amounts will be determined by each entity's percentage of the total tax roll.

If commissioners approve the contracts on Monday, the Forsan and Coahoma school districts would be the only two remaining tax entities in the county that collect their own taxes.

Commissioners also will be presented a 1984-85 comprehensive annual financial report of county monies submitted by Guy White, a

certified public accountant in Big Spring who is currently retained by the county.

County auditor Jackie Olson said the report contains no major recommendations and "hopefully it will be accepted."

During last year's presentation, White recommended to the court that the justice of the peace offices be consolidated.

County treasurer Bonnie Franklin also will inform commissioners of the need for the county to establish a new policy for automobile allowance fees that are to be recorded on W-2 tax forms.

According to information that her office recently received from the Internal Revenue Service, the value to be included in employee wages of employer-provided vehicles will be either the fair market value of the vehicle use or a flat rate of \$3 per day if certain criteria are met.

The new policy will affect employee's use of vehicles in the county's road and bridge department, Franklin said.

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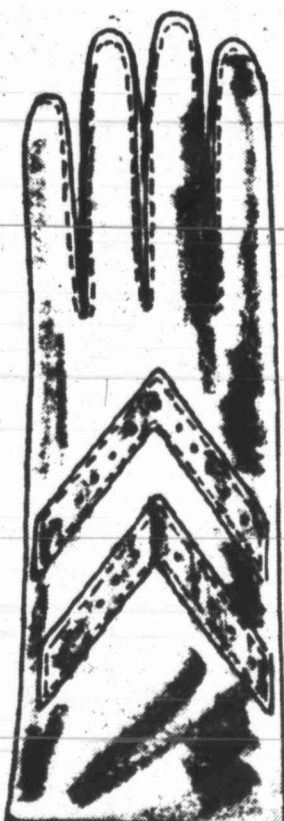


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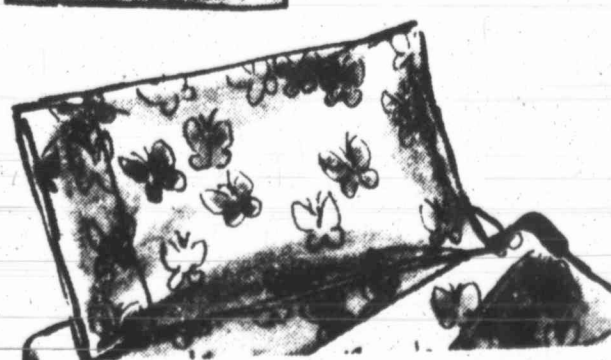
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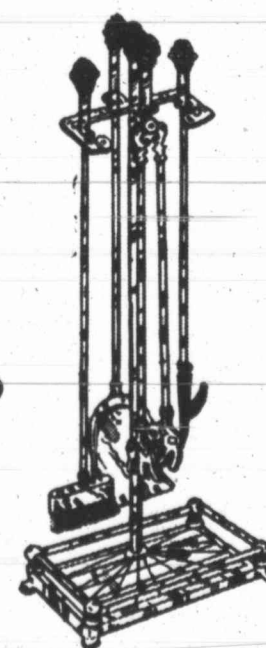
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Christmas calendar

TODAY

• The Crestview Baptist Church combined choirs will perform "The Story of Christmas" musical at 2 p.m. at the church.

• The Trinity Baptist Church adult choir will present "An Old Fashioned Christmas" musical at 6 p.m. at the church. A nursery will be provided.

• Iglesia Bautista Central, 2105 Lancaster, will present the play "El Camino Del Paz" at 6 p.m. in celebration of Christmas. The public is invited.

• The combined adult and youth choirs of the First Church of God will present "An Old Fashioned Christmas" at 6:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary. The program was written by church members. The youth will also act out a modern Christmas and re-enact

the Nativity scene. The public is invited.

TUESDAY, CHRISTMAS EVE

• St. Paul Lutheran Church will have a childrens program at 6 p.m.

• St. Mary's Episcopal Church will have a Christ Mass at 10:30 p.m. followed by a reception in the parish hall.

• Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church will have a traditional Christmas midnight mass with music beginning at 11:45 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, CHRISTMAS DAY

• St. Mary's Episcopal Church will have Holy Eucharist at noon.

• St. Paul's Lutheran Church will have a worship service at 10 a.m.

• Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church will have Christmas mass at 10:30 a.m.

Holiday death toll forecast

CHICAGO (AP) — The National Safety Council has forecast 150 to 250 traffic deaths during the two-day Christmas holiday that begins Monday evening.

Another 7,400 to 12,600 people are likely to suffer disabling injuries during the period, which begins at 6 p.m. Monday and ends at midnight Wednesday, the council said.

In the four-day Christmas holiday last year, 537 people were killed

and 23,500 suffered disabling injuries, the council said.

The number of people who might be killed in a two-day, non-holiday period was unavailable Saturday because the council's office was closed.

The safety council noted that wearing seat belts and placing children in appropriate seating are the best precautions in avoiding injuries in traffic accidents.

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Suits seek damages from tobacco industry

AUSTIN (AP) — A Mesquite couple and survivors of a Tarrant County cancer victim have filed lawsuits against tobacco companies and cigarette distributors, blaming them for suffering and death.

"Defendants have never paid any punitive damages and therefore (have) large death debits to settle with society," the lawsuits contend.

Both suits were filed in state district court here Friday. They come about a month after a cigarette-smoking Bastrop couple filed a similar suit seeking

\$58 million in damages for the cancer and emphysema that they claim have disabled them.

The latest suits do not seek a specific amount of damages. One of the lawyers handling the suits said they are the beginning of a courthouse war against smoking.

"We're a group of five firms joined to come on real strong and to pool our resources. We're going after" the tobacco industry, said attorney Bob Gibbins of Austin.

"We think it's going to serve society as a whole because we

feel like for years the public has been deceived, induced and addicted" to cigarette smoking, said Gibbins, a former smoker.

The suits filed by Gibbins name as defendants R.J. Reynolds, the Tobacco Institute, American Brands Inc., and three Texas cigarette distributors — Houston-based Fleming Foods of Texas Inc., Coppell-based Minyard Food Stores Inc., and Fort Worth-based MCK Candy Co.

Spokesmen for the defendants could not be reached for comment after the suits were filed Friday. But contacted after the Bastrop couple's suit was filed, an R.J. Reynolds attorney noted that the tobacco industry never has paid a penny in settlement of the more than 145 lawsuits filed against it since the late 1960s when the government declared smoking a health hazard.

Marie Tully of Mesquite, a plaintiff in one of the latest suits, said she filed on behalf of her husband. Robert Allen Tully is disabled due to throat and tongue cancer diagnosed in 1984.

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Megaphone

Edited by
Delinda Bennett

Sands

By SHERI PERRY

Students choose best and most



The student body recently assembled to vote for "best" and "most."

The results of this poll are: most beautiful, Michelle Herm; most handsome, Leland Bearden; biggest feet, Marc Rodgers; smallest feet, Michelle Hall; cutest smiles, Paul Martin and Michelle Herm; and biggest flirts, Pandy Grigg and Leland Bearden.

Others on the poll are: most school spirit, Leland Bearden and Michelle Herm; most likely to succeed, Brant Staggs and Sheri Perry; wildest and craziest, Daryl Bayes and Deanna Herm; and biggest gossips, Leland Bearden and Jeannetta Ramey.

Others titles include: most stylish, Jimmy Gomez and Michelle Herm; most old fashioned, Todd Rallsback and Sheri Perry; and most talented, Jimmy Gomez and Jamie McGinnis.

Mr. and Miss SHS are Leland Bearden and Michelle Herm. Mr. and Miss SJH are Kama Blas-ingame and Albert Franco.

Teachers chose Who's Who. Juniors chosen are: Elaine Barraza, Lenora Gonzales, Michelle Hall, Sharla Rhodes and Jerry Long.

Seniors chosen for Who's Who are: Michelle Herm, Sheri Perry, Daryl Bayes, Leland Bearden and Brent Staggs.

The all-district football players were also announced recently. Making first team are Leland Bearden and Ricky Ferguson. Receiving honorable mention are: Lee Young, Marc Rodgers, Jay Fryar, Paul Martin and Ricky Ferguson.

The Mustangs were defeated by Coahoma Tuesday. The varsity boys and girls participated in the Borden County Invitational Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Grady

By BARB WHATLEY

Math, Science teams win trophy



The Math and Science team placed second in number sense, math and science and first in calculator at the Van Horn meet Saturday. The team also won the sweepstakes trophy at the meet.

The Future Homemakers of America had their annual high school Christmas party during lunch on

Tuesday. Sandwiches and other goodies were served.

The Christmas program was held Thursday. The fourth, fifth and sixth grades and the high school choir performed.

School will resume at regular time on Jan. 2.

Coahoma

Students show Christmas spirit

The Big Red Band performed a Christmas concert Sunday. Also playing were the elementary and junior high band. The attendance was high and the concert exceptionally well.

A door decorating contest was held in high school last week. Each homeroom decorated their classroom doors with a chosen theme.

Winners of the contest were Mrs. Parker's second period class. Mrs. Parker is the art teacher.

Rodney Gee was selected November's "student of the month." Gee, a senior, is active in varsity football and basketball as well as being a honor student.

The Bulldog teams won a sweep Wednesday against the Sands Mustangs. Rodney Gee scored the final two points in the last seconds of play to win the varsity boys' game 70-69.

The girls' varsity topped Sands 68-36. The junior varsity boys more than doubled Sands with a score of 61-28 and the girls won 40-22.

The advisor of the "Bulldogs Tale" apologises to the readers for missing the megaphone in the past. A third writer has been selected.

The journalism department printed a paper that was available starting Thursday. Copies are 10 cents.

Goliad

By DEBBY DENNARD

Maverick and Merit honor roll



The sixth grade Maverick honor roll students are: Majid Adam, Jennifer Arrick, Evalynn Barnett, Tanya Boucher, Robin Cave, Jack Christie, Brian Crowell, Greggo Earnest, Larry Fish, Issac Florz, Mary Ellen Franco and Marisha Fraser.

Others include: Cecilia Galindo, Idian Griffin, Shawna Griffith, Gena Gizzard, Bradley Heckler, Heath Henderickson, Leticia Hilario, Lori Loftin, Jennifer May, Sandra Moore, Da Nichols, Kristen Payer, Jeremy Pope and Cynthia Resendez.

Others are: Chris Sedinger, Travis Sinclear, Connie Solley, Wielea Soza, Mary Terrazas, Marci Weaver, Julie Wenzik, Christina Wingert and Maria Yanez.

Sixth grade students making the Merit honor roll are: Shane Acuff, Heather Armstrong, Stefani Balderach, Michae Beddow, Amy Berringer, Ann Boyd, Isabel Calderon, Christopher Carter, Benjamin Chau, Patrick Chaverria and Stephanie Cisneros.

Others are: Gerald Cobos, Katrina Crane, Shannon Crenshaw, Yelisa Fennell, Ernesto Franco, Michael Gamboa, Ruben Gamboa, Anne Gamboa, Anthony Garcia, Patsy Garza, Margo Glickman,

Sammy Gonzales, Ulysses Gonzales and Alan Grant. Others include: Dangelia Green, Jame Grimsley, Mae Grisham, Michelle Haney, Marrie Harper, Jason Helms, Shane Higgins, Abelardo Hilario, Eric Johnke, Renee Johnson, Janet Johnston, Renae Jones, Jill Jordan, Heather Kilnefer, David Knous, Melissa Knox, Bran Laster and Ronald Letcher.

Others included on this roll are: Sherida Hooper, Lisa Marquez, Kristin Marshall, Lee Martin, Jason Matthias, Ray Mendoza, Danika Morales, Karma Morrow, Jana Moss, Charles Myers, Denice Myers, Gracie Nieto and Kathy Ogburn.

Others include: Christopher Park, Kimberly Panye, Dena Perez, Chris Pesina, Cort Petterson, Joy Petty, Mary Porras, Amber Richardson, Ann Rivas, Stephen Robertson, Deann Roberts, Dewey Rodgers, Ricky Rodriguez, Stephen Rodriguez and Teresa Ross.

Others are: Guy Roten, Kris Ryan, Rosarie Sanchez, Anthony Sarmiento, Micheal Sims, Gregory Skelton, Kathryn Smart, Ann Sotelo, Roxanne Stillman, Jennifer Suggs, Billy Sumpter, Jennifer Velasquez, Amie Walters, James Ward, Jennifer Ware, Glenn Wilson and Melanie Japata.

Happy holidays! See you in school Jan. 2.

Choir competes in pre-area auditions

On Dec. 6 five members of the Big Spring High School choir traveled to Odessa for the pre-area choir auditions.

Those auditioning were: Dana Anderson, Shelly Brasel, Mike Carroll, Kathryn Dawes and Malinda Ellison.

Dana Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Anderson, and Shelly Brasel, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Bob Brasel, were chosen to continue to the area auditions.

Mike Carroll and Kathryn Dawes are first alternates.

Anderson and Brasel will travel to Lubbock Jan. 11 to audition for a place in the All-State Choir. If chosen, they will perform in San Antonio at the Texas Music Educators Association Convention with other members of the All-State Choir.

Loud woman wins contest

TOKYO (AP) — A woman let loose an ear-shattering "Thief! Give me back my underwear!" to win 50,000 yen (about \$250) Saturday in Japan's Fifth Annual Hall's Year-End Shouting Contest.

Sachiko Sakai, who said she lost four pairs of underwear from her wash to "panty thieves" in one week this year, won the women's event with a screech measuring 109.3 decibels.

Office worker Toshinaga Sakurai, 21, won the men's competition, yelling "Bakayaro (you idiot!)" at 117.7 decibels.

The sound level 30 feet from a working jackhammer is about 100 decibels, and each increase of one number is a multiple of 10.

TSU extends tuition deadline

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas Southern University officials, fearing delinquent tuition fees could mean a plunge in enrollment next semester, have extended the deadline for students to pay their fees.

More than 1,950 students — almost one-fourth of TSU's total enrollment of 8,035 — still owe the university more than \$735,000 in tuition and fees, said university spokesman Chuck Smith.

The school had set 5 p.m. Friday as the deadline for paying tuition, but extended the cutoff time to 5 p.m. Monday.

The Texas Legislature for the first time is allowing students to pay their tuition in installments instead of one payment to help them cope with recently tripled college fees.

But under state law, students who fail to pay up their tuition in time are not allowed to receive credit for this semester's course work or re-enroll next semester.

TSU officials fear that if enroll-

ment drops next semester, the Legislature will allocate less money to the school.

Smith said TSU is holding grades on students who have not paid and will charge \$50 to each student who pays late and wishes to re-enroll.

At the University of Houston, officials said about 1,250 students or 2.8 percent of the school's enrollment of 43,606 owe more than \$365,000 in delinquent taxes,

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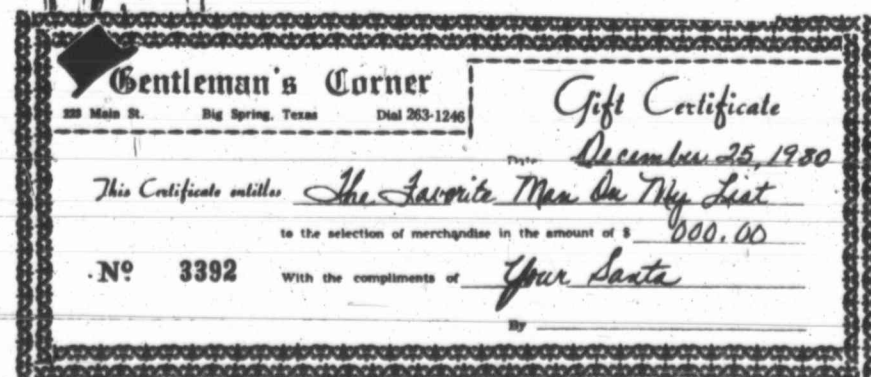
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Postal clerk Debby Engle works in the mail office of Seattle-Tacoma International Airport sorting packages bound for Alaska. Most of the mail was being sent by truck to the Portland airport, while thousands of passengers were stranded because of fog.

Thousands seek flights as Seattle fog breaks

SEATTLE (AP) — Thousands of holiday air travelers grounded by dense fog scrambled for flights Saturday as the mist that surrounded the Seattle-Tacoma International Airport for three days finally lifted.

But forecasters warned that more fog was expected Saturday night before a new weather system moves in Sunday to end the problem.

Planes were getting in and out of the airport by 9 a.m., said airport supervisor Henry Hampton.

"I have no idea how many planes got out this morning," he said. "We were too busy doing other things."

The fog that rolled in Wednesday cut visibility to less than 700 feet and forced the cancellation of many flights and delays of others.

Many incoming planes were diverted to Portland, Ore., and Yakima, where Avis and National car rental agents said they ran out of cars to rent to people wanting to drive to Seattle. Some passengers leaving Seattle were bused to Portland, 175 miles to the south, where fog was not a problem.

Others waited, watching the gloom, sleeping on their luggage, jamming airport snack bars, restaurants and lounges and forming long lines at ticket counters.

Thousands were still stuck at the airport early Saturday, said Hampton, who could not estimate how many.

"I've been stranded here 12 hours trying to get a flight to Min-

neapolis," said James Konat of Seattle, who carried a large box of fish on ice along with his luggage. "I've got about \$100 worth of seafood in this box. I've got about 24 hours before it rots."

On Thursday, 65 planes took off or landed, compared with about 600 on a normal day, said George Orr, assistant air traffic manager. About 35 flights departed or arrived between midnight Thursday and 4 p.m. Friday, he said.

The fog hampered the delivery of Christmas cards and packages as workers at the Postal Service's airport facility struggled to get a million pieces of mail to their destinations. The Postal Service and private express cargo carriers were using trucks to get mail to airports at Portland, Spokane and San Francisco.

Robbie Stephens, operations manager for the airport post office, predicted 80 percent of the mail there Friday would make it to recipients by Christmas.

Horizon Airlines, a regional carrier, added flights between Yakima, about 100 miles from Seattle, and Portland to handle the extra traffic.

"We have all these extra people that can't get into Seattle. They are just sending us planes from Portland, and we are filling them up and sending them back to Portland," said a Horizon spokeswoman in Yakima.

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On Tuesday December 17, 1985 the City Council of the City of Big Spring, Texas, passed and approved on second and final reading an ordinance which is described as follows:
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Thomas D. Ferguson
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11th American faces spy charges this year

WASHINGTON (AP) — A former FBI clerk who is the 11th American charged with spying this year told an undercover FBI agent that he gave defense secrets to the Soviet Union, the FBI charged Saturday in court papers.

Randy Miles Jeffries, a messenger for a stenographic firm that transcribes secret congressional proceedings, was ordered held without bond on espionage charges pending formal arraignment Monday in U.S. District Court.

In a criminal complaint, the FBI

said that Jeffries admitted during a meeting Friday with an FBI agent posing as a Soviet agent that he had met twice with Soviet officials and given them portions of government documents, including one that was marked "Top Secret."

The complaint stated that Jeffries told the undercover agent that he had offered to sell the complete set of three documents to the Soviets for \$5,000.

FBI spokesman Lane Bonner said Jeffries worked for the FBI as a "support employee."

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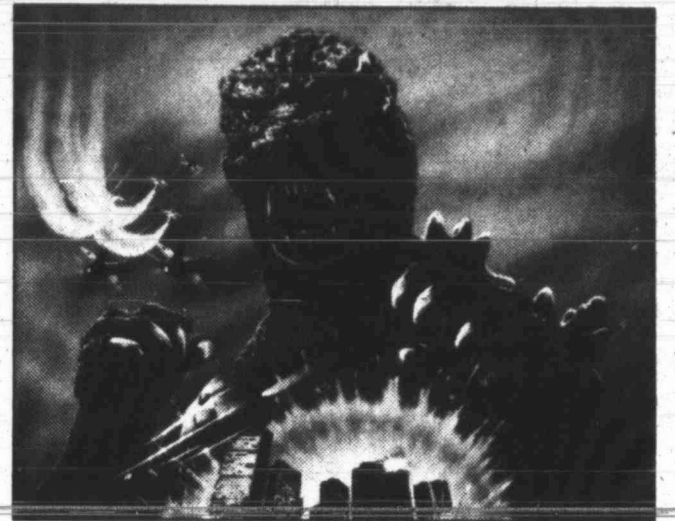


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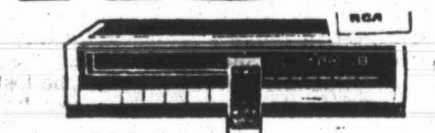
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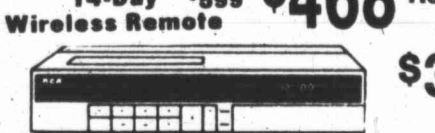
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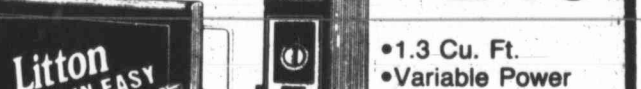
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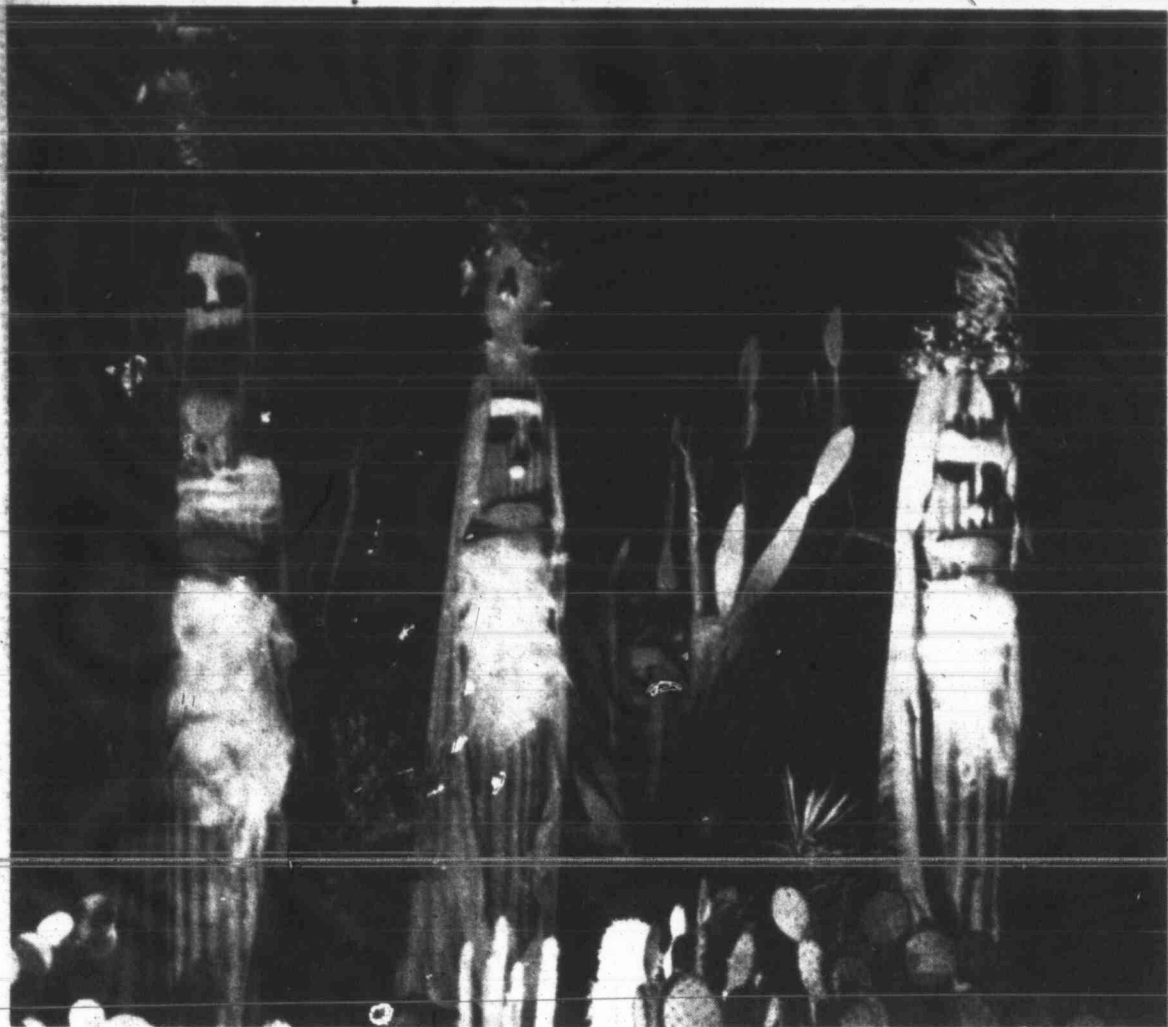
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Academia

• Donna Reitzer of Goliad Middle School was named an Academic All-American for academic excellence. Her name will appear in the Academic All-American Scholar Directory, published nationally. She was nominated for the award by her science teacher, L. Battle. She is the daughter of Leonard and Cynthia Reitzer and the granddaughter of Martha Shelley of Big Spring.

• Kristi Leigh Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred I. Franklin Sr. of Big Spring, was one of 27 Howard Payne University students selected as national outstanding campus leaders to be included in the 1986 "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities."



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Yates waxes Permian

By CHARLIE ALCORN
Sports Writer

IRVING — Houston Yates brought the Class 5-A state title back to the Bayou City for the first time in 32 years as they devastated an outmanned Odessa Permian squad 37-0 Saturday afternoon in Texas Stadium.

It was Yates' city savvy over Permian's West Texas discipline in a game that was close through the first half but turned into a blow out as the Lions scored 28 unanswered points in the second half.

Yates, who finished with a spotless 16-0 record, was led by senior tailback Johnny Bailey, who rushed for a game-high 184 yards on 17 carries. As a team, Yates rushed for 269 yards. Fullback Lawrence King added 34 yards.

The Lion defense, which averaged well over 200 pounds across the line and linebacker positions, was equally impressive as it stopped Permian's vaunted rushing attack cold. They also recorded nine quarterback sacks and constantly hurried Permian's pass attempts.

The first half of the game was a defensive struggle with the first quarter ending in a 0-0 deadlock.

Yates opened the second quarter with an eight-play drive from their own 26 yard line to the Permian 10. Odessa held the Lion's out of the end zone when Yates quarterback Charles Price could not connect on a pair of passes. The game remained scoreless when Quentin Smith's 29-yard field goal attempt went wide right.

Smith got another chance on the Lion's next series when Yates drove from their own 41 yard line down to the Permian 12 before the Mojo defense stiffened. Smith's 29-yard field goal was true, and the Lions took a 3-0 lead with 3:01 left in the half.

The play of the game took place with only a minute remaining in the half when Yates tight end Zeno Alexander went up between two Permian defenders and came down with Price's perfect 27-yard touchdown pass.

The touchdown was set up by a 22-yard punt by Permian's Greg Hill that went out of bounds inside the Odessa 40 yard line.

Smith mixed the extra point attempt after Alexander's touchdown, leaving the score 9-0 at halftime.

Yates opened up the third quarter with a five-play 55-yard drive that was highlighted by a pair of spectacular Bailey runs. Bailey went 14 yards to the Permian 15 yard line and then took the ball on the next play to give the Lions a comfortable 16-0 lead with 9:54 left in the third quarter.

Permian	Yates
First downs	15-20
Rushes-yards	20-269
Passing	172-98
Comp-Att	11-26-3 7-13-1
Punts	5-35 3-34
Fumbles-Lost	3-1 3-1
Penalties-Yards	6-60 4-30

Yates next scoring drive was set up when linebacker Larry Gill recovered a Jason Harrington fumble at the Permian 44 yard line.

On the second play of scrimmage, Bailey raced 28 yards to the Permian 11 yard line, setting up fullback Lawrence King's 11-yard touchdown run. Smith's PAT was good, leaving the score 23-0 at the end of the third quarter.

Permian drove inside Yates territory twice in the third quarter but was stymied each time before they reached paydirt by the aggressive Lion defensive front.

Yates scored their first touchdown of the fourth quarter with 5:03 remaining when reserve tailback Johnny Fisher burst 27 yards for the touchdown.

The touchdown was set up by Bailey's 29 yard run. Smith's PAT was good leaving the score 30-0.

Yates' final score came in the final minute of play when defensive back Reginald Breiggs stepped in front of a quick out to Permian wide receiver Greg Anderson. He went 25 yards for the touchdown leaving the final score 37-0.

The only highlight of the game for Permian was the play of Anderson, who caught 9 passes for 165 yards.

It was Permian's eighth appearance in the state finals. They finish the season at 14-1-1.

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING — Permian — Jason Harrington 12-28; Woody Bryant 4-3; Marcus Lott 7-10; Mark Seider 10-34. Yates — Johnny Bailey 17-184; Lawrence King 7-34; Johnny Fisher 1-27. **PASSING** — Permian — Harrington 8-19-107.1 int.; Rich Fletcher 0-3-0-1 int.; Albert Jordan 3-4-65-1 int. Yates — Charles Price 7-13-98-1 int. **RECEIVING** — Permian — Anderson 9-165; Watson 1-6; Bryant 1-2; Yates — Zeno Alexander 2-38; Bailey 1-13; Quentin Smith 1-26; King 2-16.



Houston Yates running back Lawrence King tries to avoid the tackle of Odessa Permian's Danny Servance during second quarter action of the UIL Class AAAA State Championship.

8 Steers make All-District gridiron team

The Big Spring Steers are well represented on this year's 4-5A All-District Football Team as eight Steers were selected to either First Team or Honorable Mention.

Just like last season, District champion Odessa Permian, runner-up Midland Lee and third place finisher San Angelo Central led the selections.

Led by Coach of the Year winner, John Wilkins, the Permian placed six players on the first team. It also had the league's Most Valuable Defensive Player; linebacker Danny Servance and Most Valuable Offensive Player, wide receiver Greg Anderson.

Midland Lee followed, placing five players on the first unit while San Angelo Central placed four first teamers offensively and defensively.

Following those three powerhouses were the Steers, who placed three performers on the first unit to go along with five Honorable Mention selections.

Leading the way for Big Spring was senior quarterback Carl Speck, who ended up as West Texas' leading passer with 1,496 yards passing while completing 102 of 224 passes. He threw 8 touchdowns passes and was intercepted only 10 times. Four of the interceptions came



CARL SPECK
...top passer in West Texas

in the season finale against Central.

Speck was just named out by Anderson for Most Valuable Player honors.

Also making the first unit was Speck's leading receiver; tight end David Shortes. The dependable senior snagged 31 passes for 459 yards and two touchdowns.

The final Steer named to the first team was offensive tackle Tim Green. The big senior helped pave the way to make Big Spring one of the most feared offenses in the district.

The Steers placed three players on the Honorable Mention defensive list.

Junior noseguard Todd Coker, junior linebacker Mike Cahill and senior cornerback Stacy Kilgore joined the elite crew.

Coker, a 6-0, 190-pounder, led the Steers in tackles with 61. Cahill, a 6-1, 185-pounder, followed with 58 stops. The 5-7, 135-pound Kilgore didn't get his first start until the sixth game of the season.

He emerged as a hard-hitting cornerback who liked to take on the sweep. He finished the season with 16 tackles and one interception.

Offensively the Steers placed guard Paul Sotello and running back Phillip Matthews on the team.

Sotello, a 5-10, 210-pounder teamed with Green to make the Steers' left side a very dominating one.

Matthews, a 5-7, 140-pound junior, was one of the district leaders in all-purpose offense. He was Big Spring's leading rusher with 669 yards in 114 carries and eight touchdowns. He caught an additional 15 passes for 210 yards and three TD's. He also returned a punt 65 yards for another TD.

1985 4-5A All-District Football Team
FIRST TEAM DEFENSE
DOWN LINEMEN — Shed Mayberry, Odessa High, 5-10, 211, Jr.
Luis Salcido, Odessa Permian, 5-8, 170, Sr.
Fred Squire, San Angelo Central, 5-10, 175, Sr.



TIM GREEN
...rock-steady tackle

DEFENSIVE ENDS — Brad Cooper, Midland Lee, 6-1, 164, Sr.
Troy Baker, Odessa Permian, 6-2, 235, Sr.
Jerry LeClaire, Odessa Permian, 5-9, 170, Sr.

LINEBACKERS — Anthony Davis, San Angelo Central, 5-10, 170, Sr.
James Hunter, Abilene Cooper, 5-11, 220, Jr.
Alberto Jasso, Abilene High, 5-10, 210, Sr.
Danny Servance, Odessa Permian, 6-0, 180, Sr.

SECONDARY — Robert Williams, Odessa Permian, 5-11, 175, Sr.
Chris Kenney, Midland Lee, 5-9, 153, Sr.
Chris Nolen, San Angelo Central, 5-7, 150, Sr.
Greg Russell, Abilene High, 5-10, 160, Sr.
PUNTER — Jeff Wright, Odessa High, 5-11, 175, Sr.
MOST VALUABLE PLAYER — Danny

Servance, Odessa Permian, 6-0, 180, LB, Sr.

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE
CENTER — Wade Wiesepape, Midland Lee, 6-0, 181, Sr.

GUARDS — Jake Young, Midland Lee, 6-5, 220, Sr.
Ricky Lee, Midland Lee, 6-4, 227, Sr.

TACKLES — Tim Green, Big Spring, 6-0, 210, Sr.

Rod Jay, Odessa High, 5-10, 175, Sr.

TIGHT END — David Shortes, Big Spring, 6-2, 190, Sr.

WIDE RECEIVERS — Greg Anderson, Odessa Permian, 5-11, 160, Sr.

Kenny DeLaGarza, Midland High, 5-8, 140, Sr.

QUARTERBACK — Carl Speck, Big Spring, 5-11, 170, Sr.

RUNNING BACKS — C.L. Bowman, San Angelo Central, 5-7, 150, Sr.

Marcus Lott, Odessa Permian, 5-10, 190, Sr.

Jake Madrid, Midland High, 5-9, 165, Sr.

KICKER — Woody Bryant, Odessa Permian, 5-9, 180, Jr.

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER — Greg Anderson, Odessa Permian, 5-11, 160, Sr. WR.

COACH OF YEAR — John Wilkins, Odessa Permian.

HONORABLE MENTION DEFENSE

DOWN LINEMEN — Todd Coker, Big Spring, Mike Jones, Odessa High.

LINEBACKERS — Tony Brown, Midland Lee, Jay Roach, Midland Lee.

Terry Powell, Odessa High, Terrance Stevenson, Abilene High, Mike Cahill, Big Spring, Mark Johnson, Midland High, Steve Pruitt, Midland High.

SECONDARY — Jake Madrid, Midland High, Terry Young, Midland Lee, Artie Braisford, Abilene High.

Stacy Kilgore, Big Spring, Joel Quintella, Odessa High, Kevin Whitt, Midland Lee.

PUNTER — Bill Dehlinger, Abilene



DAVID SHORTES
...top T.E. in South Plains

HONORABLE MENTION OFFENSE

CENTER — Willie Flores, San Angelo Central, Danny Freeman, Abilene Cooper.

GUARDS — Frank Bryan, San Angelo Central, Paul Sotello, Big Spring, Pete Hernandez, Abilene High, Scott Russell, San Angelo Central, Scott Russell, Odessa Permian.

TACKLES — Kevin Wilson, Odessa Permian, Steve Gill, Abilene Cooper.

TIGHT ENDS — Mike Eppley, San Angelo Central, Bobby Williams, Midland High.

WIDE RECEIVERS — D.C. McDonald, Abilene Cooper, Dexter Traylor, Midland Lee.

QUARTERBACKS — Shawn Gilliam, Odessa High, Jason Harrington, Odessa Permian.

RUNNING BACKS — Don Hall, San Angelo Central, David Tollison, Abilene Cooper, Phillip Matthews, Big Spring, Garry Powell, Odessa High, Charlie Good, San Angelo Central.

Goldthwaite, Sweetwater bring titles to West Texas

Goldthwaite 24 Runge 7

GEORGETOWN (AP) — The Goldthwaite Eagles, sparked by second-half touchdowns from Scott Miller and Doug Holtzclaw, won their first state football championship Friday night with a 24-7 victory over Runge in the Class A title game.

The Eagles, 15-0-1, knocked off defending champion Munday last week to advance to the finals.

Running back A.B. Greene provided nearly all of Runge's offense with 132 yards. The Yellowjackets, runner-up in district 14A, finished the season at 12-3.

The Eagles, leading 10-7 at the half, put the game out of reach with two third-quarter touchdowns, both set up by Runge miscues.

Following Darren Pafford's recovery of a Green fumble, Goldthwaite drove 44 yards in five plays. Quarterback Jeff Head's 43-yard scramble out of the pocket was the big play, setting up Miller's three-yard scoring plunge with 4:49 left in the quarter.

Two minutes later, Goldthwaite's defense stopped Runge on fourth down when a pass on a fake punt play fell incomplete. The Eagles took over at the Runge 42 and drove 58 yards, all on the ground, for the touchdown. Holtzclaw took the ball over from three yards out with :22 left in the period.

The Yellowjackets were ineffective when forced into their passing game in the fourth quarter. Quarterback Augie Rodriguez was sacked twice and had one pass picked off in the end zone before time ran out.

Runge scored first on a 27-yard pass from Rodriguez to wingback Mike Mendoza with 3:00 left in the first period. Rodriguez' PAT gave

the Yellowjackets a 7-0 lead. The Eagles came back with two second-quarter scores. Tim Simms booted a 28-yard field goal with 9:34 left after a Goldthwaite drive stalled at the Runge 8.

With one second left in the half, quarterback Head capped a 73-yard drive when he hit Kip Thompson with a 12-yard touchdown pass. Sims added the PAT to give Goldthwaite its first lead, 10-7.

Sweetwater 17 Tomball 7

FORT WORTH (AP) — All-State defensive back Mike Welch intercepted three passes and blocked a field goal attempt Saturday as Sweetwater hammered out a 17-7 victory over Tomball for the Class AAAA state schoolboy championship.

The state title was the first for the Mustangs, 13-1-1, whose only other trip to the finals was a 20-7 loss to Nederland 28 years ago Saturday.

Tomball, a state finalist last year, ended the year 14-1.

Sweetwater struck for 10 quick points in the first quarter, survived a shaky third period and rode its big-play defense and the running and passing of quarterback Neal Hoover to its biggest triumph ever.

Hoover winged a 13-yard scoring pass to halfback Tom Hargrove early in the fourth period after Cougar running back Bubba Greely had stunned the Mustangs with a 51-yard touchdown run.

The Hoover-to-Hargrove TD pass ended the scoring but not the fireworks.

Welch, a senior hampered all year by injuries, picked off three Lance Pavlas passes in the final quarter, recording his steals at the Mustang 40, 38 and 23.

In the third quarter, with Sweet-

water nursing a 10-7 lead, Welch shot through to block a tying field goal attempt by Doak Hardee.

Sweetwater tackle Kyle Hooper scooped up the ball and rumbled out to the Mustang 44.

After an exchange of punts, Chris Davis skyjacked a Tomball pass at the Cougar 14 to set up the final Sweetwater score.

Sweetwater's Bruce Carrington pounced on a Tomball fumble at the Cougar 26 in the first quarter and Bobby Adkins drilled a 25-yard field goal to open the scoring.

Sweetwater hiked its lead to 10-0 five minutes later as Rufus Smith capped a 68-yard scoring drive on a 5-yard touchdown sweep around right end.

Hoover, a 6-1, 175-pound senior, passed 27 and 15 yards to end Anthony Norman and added runs of 10 and 11 yards on the option to take the Mustangs into scoring range.

A swarming Sweetwater defense led by tackle Jon Riggs limited the painted Tomball attack to a total of 7 yards in the first half and only 142 for the day.

Greely, the alltime career rusher in Class AAAA with 6,496 yards, was held to 59 yards on 11 carries, with 51 coming on the touchdown run early in the third period.

Hargrove led Sweetwater with 57 yards on 17 carries followed by Andre Walker, 11-54, and Hoover, 9-45. Hoover hit 9 of 17 passes for 155 yards.

Electra 29 Groveton 13

ARLINGTON (AP) — Tailback Charlie Lott rushed for 124 yards and scored three touchdowns to lead Electra to a 29-13 win over Groveton Saturday night in the Class 2A state championship football game.

Lott, who scored on runs of 1- and 4 yards and caught an 11-yard scor-



A.B. Greene of Runge blasts through the middle of the Goldthwaite line to gain nine yards during the second quarter of the UIL Class A State Championship. Looking on is Ray Tollerson (67) of Runge.

ing pass from quarterback Rodney Bell, accounted for 23 of Electra's 29 points.

A 6-foot-3, 212-pound senior, Lott also scored one two-point conversion and kicked three extra points.

Electra, ranked No.1 from the start of the season, finished the year a perfect 15-0. Groveton, the defending champion, finished 15-1 and had a 23-game win streak ended.

Groveton quarterback Glenn Ray Thornton ran 18 yards for a touchdown midway through the first quarter to give the Indians a 7-0 lead. The score was set up by Patrick Williams' interception of a Bell pass.

Lott's 4-yard TD run and the two-

point conversion run put Electra on top 8-7 with 11:05 to go in the second quarter.

Bell's touchdown pass to Lott gave the Tigers a 15-7 halftime advantage. Groveton's defense cut down Lott Short of a first down on a four- and-one try from the Indian 3 early in the third quarter.

And on Groveton's second play, Delsriel Williams ran 94 yards for a touchdown. The try for two failed.

Williams, a 2,000-yard rusher this season, finished with 124 yards rushing against Electra.

Edward Willis put the Tigers up 22-13 with an 11-yard run early in the fourth quarter and Lott put the finishing touches on the win with a 1-yard touchdown run.

Daingerfield 47 Cuero 22

WACO (AP) — Johnnie Hurndon scored three touchdowns and quarterback Jamie Evans hit wide receiver Steve Stutsman with two touchdown passes Saturday night to lift the Daingerfield Tigers to a Class 3A State Championship 47-22 victory over the Cuero Gobblers.

It was unbeaten Daingerfield's fourth visit to the finals and third title. The Tigers, who were a perfect 16-0, also won the crown in 1968 and 1983.

Cuero, which won the title in 1973 and 1974, finished the year 14-2 in its fourth visit to the finals.

Giants down Steelers; Skins deck Cards

**Giants 28
Steelers 10**

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — The New York Giants are taking their best record in 22 years into the National Football League playoffs with only the slightest look back at what might have been.

A week after losing the National Conference East title to Dallas, the Giants overpowered the Pittsburgh Steelers 28-10 behind Joe Morris' 202-yard rushing performance Saturday to clinch a wild-card playoff berth and propel the Cleveland Browns into the playoffs.

The game produced several team milestones for the Giants, including a single-season rushing record for Morris, and a 10-6 record, their best since 1963.

But most important to the Giants was their third playoff berth —

they'll open at home next weekend against either Washington or San Francisco.

The New York victory gave Cleveland the American Conference Central title — the only way the Browns could have lost was via wins by Pittsburgh and Cincinnati to create a three-way tie. Pittsburgh, meanwhile, finished 7-9, its first losing season since 1971.

The Giants are in it due largely to a running game that controlled the Steelers on a cold, blustery day. The Giants ran for 289 yards, 202 on 38 carries by Morris, that included a 65-yard single-shoed touchdown run. It was the second-best rushing performance in Giants' history — Gene Roberts had 218 in 1950.

Morris also became the first player to gain more than 200 yards against the Steelers since O.J. Simpson did it in 1975.

Whatever, the day belonged to

the 5-foot-7, 195-pound Morris, who has been named to the NFC Pro Bowl team. His only failure came midway through the fourth quarter, when he was thwarted in an attempt for a fourth TD on a fourth down at the Steelers' 1.

Constantly slashing inside and breaking out, he registered his sixth 100-yard game of the season and had his fourth three-touchdown game with scoring runs of 9, 65 and 1 yard. In the first half, he ran for 153 yards as New York went off at intermission with a 28-3 lead and 218 rushing yards.

Morris left New York quarterback Phil Simms, who entered the game needing 277 yards for a second straight 4,000-yard season, with an easy task. Simms threw only six passes in the first half, one a 23-yard touchdown pass to Bobby Johnson. He finished with 10 of 16 for 106 yards.

**Redskins 27
Cardinals 16**

ST. LOUIS (AP) — George Rogers ran for a club-record 205 yards and one touchdown as the Washington Redskins kept their National Football League playoff hopes alive with a 27-16 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals Saturday.

The outcome left the Redskins' hopes for a National Conference wild-card berth hinging on the outcome of Sunday's contest between the San Francisco 49ers and Dallas Cowboys.

In an earlier contest Saturday, the New York Giants locked up one NFC wild-card spot with a 28-10 victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers. Both New York and Washington have 10-6 records, but the Giants own a better mark within the division.

Washington's rugged defense, ranked second in the NFL against the rush, bottled up St. Louis after the opening quarter, which saw the Cardinals jump out to a 9-0 lead.

After recovering Rogers' fumble on the Redskins' first play of the game, St. Louis scored on Novo Bojovic's 42-yard field goal in the opening two minutes. Quarterback Neil Lomax later hit Roy Green with an 8-yard scoring pass, boosting the Cards to their 9-0 advantage.

But the Cards didn't score again until the final minutes of the game on Lomax's two-yard toss to Clyde Duncan after Washington had built up a 27-9 lead.

When St. Louis tried an onside kick following Green's touchdown, safety Barry Wilburn recovered it for Washington. The Redskins turned it into three points when Mark Moseley kicked a 48-yard field goal.

After Dave Butz recovered a

Lomax fumble on the St. Louis 38, the Redskins took the lead, when quarterback Jay Schroeder combined with Gary Clark on a 27-yard touchdown pass. Moseley, who missed three field goal attempts in the game, was good from 30 yards out just before the half as Washington took a 13-10 lead into intermission.

The Redskins then wrapped up the victory on Rogers' one-yard run late in the third quarter.

Rogers' rushing total on 34 carries gave the Washington running back a season total of 1,082 yards, marking the third time he has topped the 1,000-yard plateau.

Stump Mitchell also topped the 1,000-yard barrier for the Cards, dashing 64 yards in the closing minutes to give him 129 yards for the day. Mitchell's run to the Redskins' 17 set up Lomax's consolation touchdown pass to Duncan with 2:12 remaining.

Sweden takes lead in Davis Cup finals

MUNICH, West Germany (AP) — Mats Wilander and Joakim Nystroem routed Boris Becker and Andreas Maurer 6-4, 6-2, 6-1 Saturday, giving defending champion Sweden a 2-1 lead over West Germany in the best-of-five Davis Cup tennis final.

In Sunday's final two singles matches, Wilander faces Becker and Sweden's Stefan Edberg plays Michael Westphal of West Germany in the last match.

Wilander and Nystroem, one of the top doubles teams in the world, outclassed Becker and Maurer in 1 hour, 18 minutes, moving Sweden closer to its third Davis Cup title.

The West Germans were so outplayed in the second and third sets that many fans in the capacity crowd of 13,000 in Olympic Hall started leaving long before the end.

With Sweden leading 3-2 in the second set, Becker and Maurer won only two points in the next seven games as Wilander and Nystroem closed out the second set and raced to a 4-0 lead in the third.

Nystroem's sizzling service returns demolished the West Germans' game.

Swedish Coach Hans Olsson said the doubles could turn out to be the key match of the series.

"The team that loses the doubles will be in trouble," he said on the eve of the match.

In the opening singles Friday, Wilander beat Westphal 6-3, 6-4,

10-8, then Becker, the 18-year-old Wimbledon champion, defeated Edberg, the Australian Open champion, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5, 8-6.

Wilander, ranked third in the world, and Nystroem, No. 11, quickly established control in the doubles. They broke Maurer's serve in the third game of the first set and never appeared to be in danger.

Wilander served out the set, but the Swedes profited from a controversial call on set point. The ball hit by Wilander clearly appeared to be out, but it was called good despite protests by the West

Germans.

Maurer, the weakest server of the four players in the doubles match on the fast indoor carpet surface, again was broken in the third game of the second set and Sweden took a 3-1 lead.

Becker held serve, making it 3-2, but after that, it was mostly Sweden.

Nystroem mastered Becker's booming serve, continually firing cross-court returns out of reach of the West Germans.

In the final game, Maurer fell behind 30-0 on his serve, but the West Germans took the next three

points. Maurer then committed three unforced errors in a row, hitting long on an easy forehand for the match's final point.

"I was very convinced that we'd win the doubles and we did it. On this fast surface it's very impor-

tant to return well and we did that today," Olsson said.

Becker, No. 6 in the world, said that he was bothered by a torn muscle in his left side, an injury suffered in training last week.

"I thought I wouldn't even be

able to play the doubles but they worked on it and I felt better before the match," Becker said. "I think I'll play Sunday."

Wilander said he felt encouraged by Sweden's 2-1 lead in the series.

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HIGHLAND SOUTH BEST — See this home w/everything just move in. Beautiful bak trees and yard. Formal Lv and Din room. All of the amenities.
NEW ON MARKET — 4 B/2b with 2b apt. & 1 b apt two store cottage type home nice quiet nrth on corner lot Johnson St. \$40's.
VIRGINIA ST. — Owner ready to sell large 3b home. \$20's. Workshop.
OFFICE SPACE — And warehouse, excellent buy on E. 4th. Good investment. 50's. **SILVER HEELS** — 40 acres \$28,500.
3B 1 1/2B FRESHLY PAINTED — Inside & out, Redwood covered patio, fenced, carpeted, stove, washer & dryer, D.W., ceiling fans to stay. Must see to appreciate. High \$30's. Can be assum at 9 1/2 yrs.

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2502 E. 34th — Nice 3 bdrm. 2 bth. dbl. gar., storage, good well, large lot.
COLLINS ROAD — 1.66 ac. fenced, barn & pens, well & drip system to 33 pecan trees.
DIXON ST. — 3 bdrm., gar., cent heat & air, fence, real nice.
COAHOMA — 3 bdrm. 2 carport. Laundry room, fireplace, fence, corner, nice.
WRIGHT ST. — Nice 2 bdrm reduced.
GRACE ST. — 2 bdrm, gar., stg. lge lot.
MIDWAY — 3 bdrm. 3 car gar. lge lot.
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KENTWOOD — Owner transferred must sell this 3 bdr 2 1/2 bath brick, huge den with i.p. and grill, central H/A, fenced yard and lot. This home is clean and well cared for.
COLLEGE PARK — 3 bdr, 2 1/2 ba, 2200 sq. ft. of lovely home like new. Mid \$80's.
HIGHLAND — 4 1/2 bdr 2 1/2 baths den with i.p. freshly painted an excellent location and view reduced again for quick sale.
404 E. 33RD — 3 bdr 2 ba brick, recently redone unusual location sacrifice \$30's.
205 BLUEBERRY — 3 bdr 2 ba fenced, wood shop nice and clean.
3913 HAMILTON — 3 bdr, den, good location, good shape. Owner anxious, low, low \$30's.
414 KEEWEE — 3 bdr, den, fenced yard priced below market. Make an offer.
2310 MARSHALL — 3 bdr brick on corner lot, good location. Priced low \$30's. Make offer.
1089 MITTEL — 3 bdr, 2 ba, formal dining utility fenced close to schools. Low \$30's.
1401 MAIN — Large 3 bdr, 2 ba brick has cottage on rear needs some work. Mid \$20's.
SUBURBAN
COUNTRY CLUB RD — Large 3 bdr, brick, 1 1/2 acres, Fensan schools. Must sell.
SILVER HEELS — 2 1/2 brick a quality property owner anxious and will deal.
GAIL ROUTE — 4 bdr, 2 ba brick approx. 2800 sq. ft. on 3 1/2 acres.
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LARGE 4 B.V. — In Kentwood area C/Ht air ien air range C/Ht formal din, breakfast room, lrg den, lrv rm and large workshop — gar at back. 70's.
OWNER ANXIOUS — To sell this 2 B.V. strim wind doors, lrv den with WB/FP, DW R/O disp and more. Must see to appreciate. 70's.
CALL ON — This 2 B.V. in Kentwood C/Ht air strim wind doors water softener, DW disp, new oven, den with WB/FP more. 60's.
CHECK THIS — 3 1/2 neat as a pin and owner will finance or will lease \$75.00 mo. 30,000, 100' N. Green.
H & A GROCERY — On N. 7th will lease or owner finance. Has apt, game room on large corner lot fenced. Reduced price \$35,000.
ALMOST NEW — Restaurant with n house sold as pkg. Owner will carry at 11 1/2 yr. balloon, pay on 25 yr., min closing and down.
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JUST LISTED
BUY IN KENTWOOD DIST. — \$34,000. 3 Bdrm, fresh decor, earthenware cpl. storm w/d.
OPEN BEFORE CHRISTMAS — Brick 3 bdrm. din. w/French doors, storm w/ds/dr.
PARK YOUR SLEIGH — Country estate, lovely contemporary 3 1/2, formal dining, den w. fireplace, office. Acreage. \$90's.
ASSUME THIS LOAN — And be in this 3 1/2 brick beauty by Xmas. **JINGLE ALL THE WAY TO THE BANK** — With what you save on this 3 bdr., with den, 22,000 under FHA appraisal, cent. heat, great st.
EXECUTIVE MANORS
HOLIDAY GOODIES — 2 story rock house, 4 Bdrm/3 1/2 Bth, WBFP, office, gourmet kit, Jacuzzi, trees & land.
MOM WOULD LOVE — This Highland beauty with pool & jacuzzi. Wrap it up for Xmas.
WILL SELL OR LEASE — This most unusual country home in town. Nestled on 1 acre. Too many extras to list.
TREASURED LOCATION — Majestic view from hillside location. 4 bedroom, 3 bths, 3 living areas, heated pool. Tastefully decorated, superbly maintained! Highland South!
MRS. SANTA'S FIRST CHOICE — Quiet elegance throughout, 3 large bedrooms, 2 nearly new baths (one with glass shower) plush new carpet, decorator drapes & matching paper. All new kitchen w. Jenn Aire range, formal dining, Highland South! Reduced!
ROOM FOR MRS. SANTA'S GRANDCHILDREN & MR. SANTA'S WORKSHOP — 3 1/2, over 2600 sq. ft. huge workshop, in city limits, 2.5 acres.
HIGHLAND SOUTH CHRISTMAS! — Entertain in true elegance. Large family room, fireplace & French doors make every season special. Formal dining, push button kitchen, bay windowed breakfast. Assume loan!
FOR HAPPY HOLIDAYS — See this 2 living 4 bdr. 2 1/2 bath, formal dining, spacious kitchen, fireplace, 2 covered areas, 1 acre lot, giant oak trees.
HANG YOUR STOCKINGS — By the fireplace in this lovely Highland South home. Immaculate 3 or 4 bedroom, formal, den w. fireplace. Transferred owner must sell! Only \$92,000! Drastic Reduction.
PARK YOUR SLEIGH! — Country estate, lovely contemporary 3 1/2, formal dining, den w. fireplace, office, gameroom, on acreage. Reduced!
GREGG ST. BUILDING — Plus 2 lots & 2 paved parking areas. Just reduced to \$90,000!
LOVELY COUNTRY HOME — Water well, 1/2 acre, plus lovely 3 1/2. **READY FOR SANTA** — Lovely Highland South 4-2-2.
GREAT LOCATION! — Pretty 3 1/2, sep. den w. fireplace, \$80's.
HOLIDAY WABBIT — For large family in brick 4 1/2, CGH/CRA, WBFP, frms, brick, tile floor and storage, approx. 2318 sq. ft.
TOP OF THE LINE
SPARKLING POOL — Custom family home, 3 1/2, fireplace, \$75,000.
SOLID COMFORT! — Cozy fireplace in sep. den, big kitchen, 3 1/2. **AUTUMN LEAVES & CRUNCHY APPLES** — Country brick 3 1/2, apple orchard, garden spot, good well, acreage. \$70's.
LOVELY — 3 1/2, new cpl. & paint. Great back yard with heated pool. **'TIS THE SEASON** — To entertain in lge sun room, brick 2 1/2/1 h/m in Edward Hgts, extra special additions!
2 YEARS NEW! — Well designed 3 1/2, lovely decor. \$69,500.
KENTWOOD CHRISTMAS! — Enjoy spa & deck, 3 bdr. 2 bth, double garage, like new. Walk to Kentwood school. \$60's.
COUNTRY FEEL — In town, brick, 3 1/2, off/hobby rm, open den/att/dn, storage, lots of trees.
SHUGGLE IN — By the cozy fireplace in lrvs. new custom 3 1/2 brick in College Park. \$40's.
WRAP THIS ONE UP — Lovely 3 1/2 carpet, earthenware, lovely yd., mind cond.
ASSUME 9 1/2% V.A. LOAN! — Payments only \$357. Spotless 3 1/2. Kentwood!
WRAPPED NICELY — Brick 3 1/2 hrm, hot tub/private enclosure, garden area, excellent neighborhood.
GIVE THANKS — For solid Parkhill beauty in private location, 3 bdr., 2 bth, sunken den, \$50's.
STOCKING STUFFER — Brick 3 1/2 almost new, WBFP, energy efficient, superb shape & area.
IN BY CHRISTMAS! — You've gotta see this spotless 3 bdr. 2 bth. with big rooms. Country kitchen w. many cabinets, super location! \$58,500.
WISEMEN KNOW — This 3 Bdrm/2 Bath hrm would be a smart move while interest & points are down, call Connie and find out!
THAT HOLIDAY GLOW — From WBFP w/heat & a lot in a spacious den, brick 3 1/2, excellent condition & neighborhood.
HANG YOUR STOCKINGS — On this lovely corner firepl. Brick with 3 1/2.
DOES YOUR PARTRIDGE NEED A PECAN TREE? — Also get a house in perfect condition, 3 bdr., 2 ba, with den, fantastic neighborhood. \$40,000.
REAL VALUES
SMELL THE AROMA — Spread thru this Brick 3 1/2 hrm, lg kit/dn area for all your guests & turkey foot.
ELVES HAVE BEEN BUY! — Redecorating this brick 3 Bdrm home on Purdue, tidy with fresh decor.
VACANT — And ready to move into.
HOPE YOU & YOURS — Can fill this brick hrm on Morrison, 3 1/2, lg den for good times.
WULF LOVE — This pretty brick hrm in Edwards Hts. w. all new kitchen, plush earthenware carpet, formal dining, New ref. air & cent. heat, 2 car garage & exercise room. Pool too! Just \$47,000!
YOUR SANTA — Can have an office at home. Brick 3 1/2, open kit, dn liv. lg master suite.
COUNTRY KITCHEN — 3 bdr. 2 full bth. Central location. Great decor.
A COZY FIREPLACE — In separate den, well cared for 3 bedroom, storm windows, central heat, workshop. \$40's.

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GREAT CHOICES — COUNTRY HOMES
1. Brick, 3br2bth, so neat & nice. Spacious too. \$49,900.
2. 5 Acres, 3br2bth, corrals. Gail Rd. \$5ffies.
3. \$22,000. Brick 3br1bth. Needs Work — but a bargain!!!
4. Forsan School, 2br1bath, brick, \$22,500. Remodeled.
5. New Construction — beautiful panoramic view, 3br, 2bath, fireplace, dbl garage. Low, low FHA downpayment \$39,950.
5. Midway Rd. 3br1bath, dbl carport. \$39,500.
4 BEDROOMS — KENTWOOD — \$59,900. — Huge, spacious den, fireplace, over 1800 ft. floor space. Better see this one — it's a stand out.
COAHOMA — Spacious executive home. Truly a showplace, yard surrounded with tile fence. 3br2bath, fireplace, lge kitchen, breakfast bar.
MONEY WELL SPENT — Lovely College Park, 3br2bath, fireplace, a newer energy efficient home with assumable FHA loan for reasonable downpayment without qualifying for loan. \$5ffies.
NO ONE HAS EVER MET — This home without liking it. So extra beautiful — right out of Better Homes & Gardens — just reduced to make it a stunning bargain. \$3,000 down & assume loan with short term payoff. 2br1bath, study, patio. Nice, handy n/hood \$30,000.
DREXEL ST. — **FOURTIES** — A lot for the money & prestigious neighborhood too. Big bedrooms. 3br2bath brick. Extra neat & clean.
CHEAP — CHEAP — \$18,000 — 2br1bath nr city park, school. A real home at a mobile home price.
NO MONEY????? — WORK IT OUT — Paint & minor repair for FHA downpayment & closing costs. 2br1bath, garage, carpet. Handy, nice n/hood. \$22,500.
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NEW LISTING — At 2600 E. 16th, off FM 700 across from Big Spring Mall. Very nice 3 bdrm brick completely remodeled w/new appliances, new wood burning frpl., all new carpet. Kentwood School Dist. Only \$35,000.
OUTSIDE CITY
TUBBS ADDITION — New brick home on 10 scenic acres on Angela Rd. One lrg lvg area w/bay window dining just off large kitchen w/custom cabinets and all bit-ins. Pretty paper and paneling. Custom drapes. Good water well. 22x22 metal workshop.
ROCCO RD. — Only \$39,500 buys this large brick w/3 bdrms, lvg rm, plus den w/free standing frpl. Approx. 1980 sq. ft. Good water well, 15x10 stg. bldg. & well house.
COUNTRY CLUB RD. — Darling like new frame home on 10 pretty acres, w/3 bdrms, 2 bths. Skylights in kitchen and master bath, well arranged plan w/one lge lvg area. Grt closet space. Good water well. Veteran can assume loan on acreage at 9 1/2%. Mid \$40's.
SPANISH STYLE STUCCO HOME — On 10 acres. Lovely setting for this spacious home. Barn, cellar, 4 car shop bldg, 3 water wells, 2 windmills.
DEBRA LANE — Private loan can be assumed on this nice 3 bdrm home on 1 acre. City utilities w/exception of sewer. Septic tank, Forsan School Dist. Mid \$40's.
2ND 2ND ST. — Coahoma. Pretty 3 bdrm frame on corner lot. New formica in kitchen w/break bar. Storm windows & doors. Lge fenced yd. w/mobile home hook-up. Water well. Only \$29,500.
507 S. AVENUE — 2 bdrm frame furnished home. Only \$17,500.
SAND SPRINGS — Large rooms in this nice 2 bdrm frame home on Miller B. Rd. Central heat and ref. air. Very clean and nice. Lge bk yd fenced. Huge covered steel trailer port w/hook up.
CUSTOM BUILT — Dbl. wide manuf. home on .78 acre. Corner of Mitchell & Sterling Sts. Spacious 3 bdrm 2 bth. Lge lvg area w/frpl. City water. 28x10 stg bldg. w/elec. Only \$29,500.
INSIDE CITY
624 CAYLOR — A real doll house. Roomy 2 bdrm plus den. Pretty mirrored wall, ceiling fans, new carpet thruout, covered patio. New water lines inside snad out. \$39,500.
408 E. 17TH — Only \$25,000 buys this like new home w/new carpet, new cabinet top & sink in lge kitchen. New paint. Nice interior w/draperies. Good location.
4018 VICKY ST. — Pretty tri-level home btl for lge family. 4 bdrms 3 bth. Lge rooms. Owner has just painted and installed new carpet. Dbl garage. Great floor plan for privacy!
2507 REBECCA — This special home has one lge lvg area w/corner frpl. Pretty papered kitchen w/new range top, & all bit-ins. Formal dining room. 3 bdrm 1 1/2 bth plus dbl. garage. Pretty inside and out!
CUSTOM BUILT — Home on Phillips Rd. Inside city on 1.3 acres. Lovely brick w/many amenities. Huge lvg rm w/frpl. Huge metal workshop. Lovely setting with brick patio and landscaping.
WASHINGTON BLVD. — Great location for this pretty stucco & brick home. Lots of living area, plus dining room and lge kitchen w/breakfast area. Many kitchen cabinets, bit in oven/range, pretty cpl. thruout. Detached garage w/lge workshop & stg. \$30's.
REDUCED — 2713 Central. Very nice 3 bdrm 2 bth home with huge den w/frpl. Formal lvg, formal dining and kitchen w/all bit-ins. Paved bk yd great for vehicles. Ref. air central heat. Reduced to \$45,000. Assume fixed 9 1/2% loan w/no qualifying.
SPIC & SPAN — 3 Bdrm home on Kentucky Way. Pretty cpl and decor. New roof. Carport. Roomy! And sturdy home on Ayford. Slate roof, fenced. Garage. Owner will paint and finance w/good down payment. Only \$21,000!
1409 AYLFORD — 2 lge bdrms, office, lvg. rm, kitchen-dining. Utility. lge. lot. Reduced!
SELLING BELOW APPRAISAL! — 805 W. 16th — FHA-VA appraised \$29,900. 3 bdrm, lvg. rm, dining rm, den, utility, with one bdrm apt. in back. Great buy!
PRETTY HOME AT — 2600 E. 16th, off FM 700 across from Big Spring Mall. Very nice 3 bdrm brick completely remodeled w/new appliances, new wood burning frpl., all new carpet. Kentwood School Dist. Only \$35,000.
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MOTEL — 14 room, 3 kitchenette apts. Most furniture remains. Owner will finance.
MOTEL — W. Hwy. 80, 66 rooms, restaurant, needs work.
TRAILER PARK — 8 acres: 4 acres developed in 18 spaces. Reduced!
CITY BLOCK FOR SALE — \$25,000.
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THE ULTIMATE GIFT — The most luxurious home in Big Spring — 3.8 acres with security fence surrounding lovely grounds, tennis court, swimming pool with cabana & hot tub. Outstanding home with over 8,000 sq. ft. with leaded windows across the front — everything you could ever want is included in this lovely home. Truly for the person with everything.

A HOME FOR ALL SEASONS — New custom-built contemporary on remote Indian Hills lot. Great style & amenities.
DECK THE HALLS — Highland Beauty has it all. Space, new carpet, inground pool — new landscaping.

IT SPARKLES — Nearly new custom built, Parkhill area — 3-2-2 Owner finance.
A HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS — beautiful situated on 2 acres, this passive solar heated brick 3-2-2 has it all, extras you expect in an executive home. \$102,500.

THE GATHERING OF FAMILY — Will be even more enjoyable in this lovely 4 bedroom, 2 bath brick in Highland South. Appraised & selling for \$102,000.

CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAYS — In custom built College Park, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath — loads of room. \$90's.

OPEN THIS PACKAGE — And make your dreams come true with this Highland contemporary beauty. Secluded master bedroom, many extras. \$90's.

NEW ON THE MARKET — Highland beauty 3-2-2 fireplace, close to schools, Jennie range, and many more extras. \$90's.

TIS THE SEASON — To settle around the fireplace. Highland 3-2-2 newly new, sep. dining & living. \$90's.

HAND YOUR STOCKINGS — On pretty fireplace in Highland 3-2-2 on corner lot. Love view, loads of storage. \$90's.

HOLIDAY DREAM — Large rooms, 3-2-2 elegant 3-2-2 on Parkway. Super sized lot. \$80's.

HOLIDAY CHARMER — 3 bedroom, 2 bath — Indian Hills, brick, fireplace — Owner finance.

A VERY SPECIAL HOME — In Kentwood, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, high family room with fireplace — dark room — hot tub on enclosed patio. \$70's.

HOLIDAY JOY — Will be yours in corner Kentwood, custom decorated, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, satellite dish, fenced. Double garage with rear extra room.

GATHER YOUR FAMILY — In 4 bedroom, 2 bath, with family room that has fireplace, wet bar, above ground pool.

GATHER AROUND THE FIREPLACE — In this neat and pretty 3-2-1 on beautifully landscaped corner lot. Walk to Kentwood schools. \$80's.

TELL SANTA — You want this nearly new Kentwood home. Three well arranged bedrooms, 2 baths. \$60's.

ONLY \$2,999 — Down. Roomy Kentwood 3-2-2 corner lot — no approval. \$60's.

YULE LOVE — This immaculate brick home on corner lot, beautifully landscaped double garage — 3 bedroom, 2 bath — fireplace in family room — sixties.

HOLIDAY CHEERS — For this nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath in Parkhill — guest house shop in back. \$50's.

TOAST THE SEASON — In a nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick on 1/2 acre — fireplace & water well are extras. \$60's.

DIE A GIFT — Your family will enjoy for years to come. This very special brick 3-2-2 has all the extras you can imagine — security system, custom drapes, ceiling fans, sprinkler system. \$65,000.

TRIM THE TREE — In charming den w/fireplace — Kentwood young executive — 3-2-2. New carpet.

ROOM FOR ALL THE REINDEER — On Fenced double lot in Western Hills. Adorable 3-2, convenient lot with jenn air range, sunken den, fireplace. Low \$60's.

TAG THIS ONE — For yourself — 3 bedroom, 2 baths, playroom in remodeled 2 story. Price reduced. \$50's.

SURPRISE YOUR FAMILY — With this delightful 3-2-2 brick on corner lot with breathtaking landscaping, sprinkler system, too many extras to list. A special price of \$9,800.

DECK THE HALLS — & enjoy this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, formal living with fireplace, sun room steps to double carport. Super price of \$68,000.

SANTA'S GIFT — To the young executive 3-2-2 fireplace, ref. air — Assume without approval.

ROOM FOR ALL THE REINDEER — 5 bedroom, 3 bath home on corner lot — formal living dining with Ben Franklin — Apart. in rear & greenhouse. Owner finance.

FIREPLACE SETS THE SCENE — For family Christmas, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, ref. air. Low \$60's.

HOLIDAY SPARKLE — Kentwood brick, 3-2, w/earthtone carpet — Tree shaded back yard. Assumable loan.

WARM COUNTRY FEELINGS — Spacious brick, 3-2-2 on double lot. Only \$50,500.

WRAP THIS UP — Washington area, 3 bedrooms, king sized rooms, guest room off garage. \$30's.

SUGAR & SPICE — And everything nice in this cute and neat 2-1 near high school. Den & Living room and nice kitchen give you lots of room to celebrate the holidays. Low \$30's.

SCROOGE WOULD LOVE — This deal — \$2,000 down & owner will finance at 10% for 10 years for this 2 bedroom home with double garage & apartment \$30,000.

NEW YEAR, NEW HOME — Cathedral ceiling, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, fenced. \$30,000. A GIFT FOR YOU — 2 bedroom, 1 bath, owner finance — Low investment cost.

WRAP UP PRETTY — New carpet in 3-1 with den, Kentwood schools — Assume loan. \$29,500.

YOUR GIFT TO THE FAMILY — Could be this nice 2 bedroom home — separate den with Ben Franklin stone. Close to schools — Twenties.

BUNDLE UP — And come see this cute 3 bedroom, with den, quiet location. \$20's.

WRAP THIS UP — Old fashioned home with molder ceilings, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, huge warm kitchen. \$102,500.

CHRISTMAS PACKAGE — 2 mobiles on 1/2 acre East of town — Owner will finance. \$20's.

TWO-FOR-ONE — Investment rentals — 2 houses on one lot — Only \$25,500.

SANTAS ELVES SAY THIS IS A — Perfect starter, 3 bedrooms, high kitchen — close to shopping. A real steal in mid \$20's.

CHRISTMAS DINNER — Won't be a chore in this large kitchen, 2 big bedrooms, near schools. Low \$20's.

A GIFT IN COAHOMA — Owner will finance this nice 3 bedroom on large corner lot — hook ups for mobile on side — Twenties.

CHRISTMAS SALE — Brick 2 bedroom with large living area carport. Special financing available. \$25,000.

SMALL PACKAGES — Sometime hold the biggest gift such as this precious 2 bedroom, with sep. dining & pretty carpet. Teens. — BARGAIN BUY — Duplex for only \$19,500 — negotiable terms.

WISHES COME TRUE — 3 bedroom, 1 bath, fresh paint. \$17,000.

HOLIDAY DELIGHT — \$12,500 for 2 bedroom, 1 bath that owner will finance.

SUBURBAN

DOWN THE CHIMNEY — Of a lovely fireplace in the cozy den of this 2 story in Silver Heels, 3-2-2. Lots of Charm.

HOLIDAY PACKAGES — 3 bedroom, brick home with king sized rooms including large living area with fireplace plus 24 acres — some in cultivation. 2 wells.

THROUGH THE WOODS — Suburban home on nearly 4 acres — brick 3-2. In ground pool — very private. Price reduced to \$89,500.00.

THE ULTIMATE SOLD — an acre & a half, in a great location, extras.

WATCH FOR SANTA — From this lovely brick home on 2 acres. 3-2-2 fireplace, RV storage. \$70's.

GIVE YOUR FAMILY A PRESENT — Split bedroom arrangement, f.p., custom cabinets, 1 acre & water well. Sand Springs. COAHOMA SCHOOLS — & room garage in this 3-2 mobile on 1/2 acre. Fenced, trees. Upst \$40's.

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Thursday — 2:00 p.m. Tuesday
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Thursday: Monday — 5:00 p.m.
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Sports Briefs**Cardinals get rid of coaching staff**

ST. LOUIS (AP) — William V. Bidwill, owner of the St. Louis Cardinals of the National Football League, fired head Coach Jim Hanifan and the team's entire coaching staff after it lost the final game of the season Saturday, completing a disappointing 5-11 record.

"I made the decision in the best interest of the team," Bidwill said. "Jim Hanifan is a fine man, a good football coach and a good friend. I wish Jim and his staff well in their future endeavors."

Terps win Cherry Bowl

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) — Maryland quarterback Stan Gelbaugh ran for one touchdown and passed for two others and the 20th-ranked Terrapins took advantage of five Syracuse turnovers for a 35-18 Cherry Bowl victory over the Orangemen Saturday.

Maryland, the Atlantic Coast Conference champions, finished the season 9-3. Syracuse wound up 7-5.

Olympic medalists win big

VIRGINIA BEACH, Va. (AP) — Four Olympic boxing medalists — Tyrell Biggs, Evander Holyfield, Meldrick Taylor and Mark Breland — extended their unbeaten professional records, two of them by knockouts, in a nationally televised boxing card Saturday.

Biggs, a 1984 Los Angeles gold medalist from Philadelphia, knocked out Tony Anthony of Detroit at 2:57 of the first round in their heavyweight bout at The Pavilion.

Holyfield, a 1984 bronze medalist from Atlanta, scored a technical knockout over Anthony Davis of Las Vegas, Nev., at 1:31 of the fourth round in their cruiserweight match.

The toughest fight of the afternoon belonged to gold medalist Taylor of Philadelphia, who endured an eight-round slugfest with Victor Acosta of New York before earning a unanimous decision in a lightweight bout.

Breland, a gold medalist from New York, jabbed his way to a unanimous welterweight decision over Hedgemon "Two Guns" Robertson of Los Angeles in the afternoon's final bout.

Crossroads Basketball**GIRLS**

GRADY 47, Ira 35
Shana Hale, Grady 12; Pennington, Ira. Records: Grady 8-3; Ira 0-9.

GARDEN CITY 49, STANTON 41
Garden City — Jana Hunter 20; Danette Holdamph 15. Stanton — Fryar 16, Leeann Tom 10. Records — Stanton 6-7; Garden City 6-4. JV — Stanton 43, Garden City 41.

SANDS 80, NEW HOME 28
Sands — Herm 29; Perry 10, Webb 26. New Home — Keith 12.

COLORADO CITY 49, STAMFORD 40
C-ity — Denise Jackson 14; Stamford — Vera Strickland 22; Records — Colorado City 1-9; Stamford 2-6. JV — Stamford 24, Colorado City 22.

BOYS

GRADY 53, IRA 50
Grady — Mitchell 14; Deatherage 14, Gonzales 14; Ira — Forbes 15; Records — Ira 6-4; Grady 3-8.

STANTON 70, GARDEN CITY 31
Stanton — Glaspie 17; Gonzales 14; Garden City — Brennen 11; Records — Stanton 12-1, JV — Stanton 45, Garden City 36.

SANDS 90, NEW HOME 44
Sands — Bearden 31; Staggs 11; New Home — Caballero 12.

FRENSHIP 46, COLORADO CITY 43
Frenship — Turnbow 16; Smith 17; Colorado City — Ruben Rivera 10. Records — Frenship 7-5; Colorado City 1-9.

COAHOMA 67, IRAAN 66
Coahoma — Calaway 14, Ernest 15; Iraan — Clay 20. Records — Coahoma 5-7.

GREENWOOD VARSITY 44; COAHOMA JV 41
Coahoma — White 19; Reid 12.

SCOREBOARD**State Playoffs**

FRIDAY
Class 1A Championship
Goldthwaite 24, Runge 7

NBA Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

Boston 21 5 .808
New Jersey 17 12 .586 5 1/2
Philadelphia 15 12 .556 6 1/2
Washington 13 12 .520 7 1/2
New York 7 19 .269 14

Central Division

Milwaukee 18 12 .600
Detroit 15 13 .536 2
Atlanta 13 14 .481 3 1/2
Cleveland 12 15 .444 4 1/2
Chicago 10 20 .333 8
Indiana 9 19 .296 8 1/2

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

Denver 18 9 .667
Houston 18 10 .643 1/2
San Antonio 16 12 .571 2 1/2
Utah 16 13 .552 3
Dallas 13 12 .520 4
Sacramento 9 18 .333 9

Pacific Division

L.A. Lakers 23 3 .885
Portland 15 14 .517 9 1/2
Seattle 11 17 .393 13
Phoenix 9 17 .346 14
L.A. Clippers 9 18 .333 14 1/2
Golden State 10 20 .333 15

Friday's Games

New Jersey 122, Houston 112
Philadelphia 112, Utah 105
Indiana 114, Milwaukee 102
L.A. Lakers 128, Cleveland 116
San Antonio 119, L.A. Clippers 104

Late Games Not Included

Saturday's Games

New Jersey 102, Indiana 98
Detroit at New York (n)
L.A. Lakers at Washington (n)
Houston at Atlanta (n)
Boston at Philadelphia (n)
Utah at Chicago (n)
Dallas at Milwaukee (n)
San Antonio at Denver (n)
Golden State at Phoenix (n)
L.A. Clippers at Sacramento (n)
Portland at Seattle (n)

Sunday's Games

New York at Washington, 6 p.m.
Dallas at Cleveland, 7 p.m.
Denver at Portland, 10 p.m.

Monday's Game

Cleveland at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.

NFL Schedule

Friday's Game
Denver 27; Seattle 24

Saturday's Games

New York Giants 28, Pittsburgh 10
Washington 27, St. Louis 16

Sunday's Games

Atlanta at New Orleans
Buffalo at Miami
Chicago at Detroit
Cincinnati at New England
Cleveland at New York Jets
Green Bay at Tampa Bay
Philadelphia at Minnesota
San Diego at Kansas City
Houston at Indianapolis
Dallas at San Francisco

Monday's Game

Los Angeles Raiders at Los Angeles Rams

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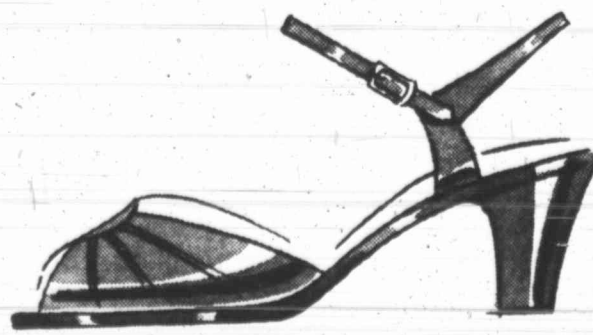
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A Christmas remembered...

Readers share holiday memories

Family spends holiday at hospital

1980 was destined to be a special Christmas! After all, this would be our first Christmas with our new baby after 7 years of childless marriage. Little did we realize that we would

be spending our Christmas in Lubbock hospital undergoing what would be the first in a series of surgeries to correct our baby

daughter's facial deformity. For you see, little Jennifer was born with a cleft lip and palate and an associated deformity of the skull.

The time between Jennifer's birth in late August and those first 3 months in which we anticipated the first reconstructive surgery was a hard time, but not lacking in a lot of joy and love shared by friends and family. We anxiously awaited the time when Jennifer turned 3 months old or reached 10 lbs. in weight so that the surgery could be performed. Gaining weight was a problem because of feeding difficulties, but progress was being made. Then came a major setback...an unidentified intestinal virus which set us back a month and left us with a prayer that she would live and a weight of only 7 lbs. at 3 months of age. However, our faith and a child with a strong will sustained us. A month later we entered Lubbock



JENNIFER JOHNSON

Methodist Hospital on December 3 with a weight of 10 lbs. and 5 ozs. and an excitement about having a new face created for our precious baby.

The experience of this hospitalization brought with it feelings of fear and assurance, sadness and joy, relief and apprehension. Our emotions ran the gamut. We were in a sense losing the child that we had loved for these 4 months and gaining a new child. After all, isn't physical attractiveness one of the cultural norms for acceptance in our society? But would we miss the oh-so-happy baby with one nostril and the everpresent opening in her face? Our questions would soon be answered.

The surgery proceeded as planned and was very successful. She was brought from surgery looking so very tiny, but so very beautiful. What a very special Christmas gift! The feeling of joy and love so astounding! It was a feeling only surpassed by the feelings we all have when our children are born. But in a sense, our child was just being born as we saw a face being reconstructed and a new life being created.

NOTE: Jennifer is now 5 years old and enjoying her kindergarten year in school. She has undergone 11 surgical procedures to date. She continues to be a child with a strong will to live, a great imagination, a zeal for life, and all in all, a "real trooper."

Carolyn Johnson
402 Westover Road

Doll drops Depression despair

I remember many things of Christmas from my childhood — a decorated cedar tree each year, red paper rope, both my grandpas' fireplaces with biscuits cooking in them, pressed into service due to the multitude of kinfolks. But a Christmas I have thought about occasionally throughout the years, is my 4th Christmas in the mid-30s.

Times were very hard for nearly everyone and my mother had explained to me Santa Claus could not bring me a doll, the MOST important gift at Christmas. As a parent now, I realize how hard this must have been for my folks, though in my memory I accepted it with no trouble. Because of my young age, my mother only taught music twice a week in a rural school. On a trip to the courthouse, not long before Christmas, we happened to meet one of her school trustees, Mr. Scott, a rancher. I explained to Mr. Scott why Santa couldn't bring me a doll that year. A few nights later, my mother called me to come to the front door —

this was very unusual to me. Mr. Scott was there and shyly handed me a doll. This was such a big shock to me — Mr. Scott, at our door, in the night, with a doll! I know now this must have filled him with the wonderful, warm feeling that comes when giving to someone who is wishing, but not expecting! Times had to be hard for the large Scott family, too.

Our lives became intertwined in the following years — all day school picnics, revivals, school box suppers. I remember at one box supper, long before bidding began, I whispered to Mr. Scott which was our box — the prettiest I thought — so we could have supper together after he bought it. He did.

In 1942, Camp Hood took in his ranch, which had been in his family for generations. He died within 6 months. I heard the adults say it was of a broken heart. Mr. Scott had the deepest blue eyes I ever saw.

Carolyn Newton
2615 Ann Dr.

Pain overshadowed with joy

My most memorable Christmas was 1965. Our family had recently been devastated by my brother's death in Vietnam in October. Six weeks after his death, my husband and I separated. He took our three children ages 6½, 5, and 3½ years, and I had no contact with the children since December 5. I didn't know their condition or whereabouts. My life was complete anguish, I could neither sleep nor eat. My time was spent alternating between prayer, tears and pacing the floor. I was so afraid I would never see my babies again. Grief was my constant companion and only my faith in God kept me alive during these terrible black days.

My attorney worked diligently, and on December 20th I was notified that the children would be returned to me the next day. Could such a miracle really be possible? My prayers were heard and answered! I went to the store and

purchased a small tree and a few little presents in anticipation. At 5 a.m. on December 21 a car appeared in the dark winter morning and the children were deposited at the top of the driveway. What a happy reunion! Our Christmas was materially poor, that year, but oh so rich in love and togetherness.

Yes, there was still much hurt from my brother's death and our family being ripped apart. But all that pain was tempered and overshadowed with the indescribable joy of my children being with me once again.

Twenty Christmases have passed now, and much has happened, both happy and sad. The children are grown and have families of their own, but I've never experienced such joy either before or since that can possibly compare with that morning in December so very long ago.

M. Marcella Leight

Poppa and Santa were friends

My six year old daughter's imagination stirred my memories of a long ago Christmas Day. I lived with my grandparents Poppa and Momma (Oscar and Mary Martin). Poppa was an old retired cowboy who always had a few shots of whiskey on Saturday nights and on all holidays.

On the Christmas morning when I was five years old, I remember I awoke to find that Santa Claus had not eaten the cookies nor drank the chocolate milk that I had left for him. I knew Poppa always stayed up late, so I asked him if he had

seen Santa Claus. He said, "Shore I seen em. He was so fat he couldn't git in the door. He had to turn sideways to git in. I ast em if he wanted milk and cookies but he sed he'd druther have a snort of whiskey. So we set down and had a little snort."

I remember that was such a warm feeling to think that Poppa and Santa Claus were friends. I hope when my daughters grow up they have warm and fond memories like I possess of Christmas past.

Mariann Williams Heffington

Life treasured after near-tragedy

Christmas again! We were a small family, only my father, my mother and I, but our love was so deep and we were so close, that our coming together at Christmas was a joyous union. It became even more joyous after I married and my husband and son and daughter came to share it with us.

But this year, disaster had struck. Father died of cancer June 19, and as we prepared to go to the old home place to check on it, there was the hopeless feeling that Christmas would never be happy again.

My husband and I were busily packing for the trip, interrupted by the eager "help" of the children. Suddenly I became aware that the children were no longer underfoot. We couldn't find them in the house so we hurried to the garage. It was bitterly cold and my husband had

started the car to warm up. We opened the car door and there they were! ...or were they? They lay seemingly lifeless from carbon monoxide and did not respond to our frantic efforts. Were they dying? We did not know. Frantically we opened the garage door and sped to the doctor's office. With oxygen, he soon revived our daughter, but our son responded so slowly that we feared he would not revive at all...but very gradually he came back to us.

We proceeded with Christmas. We still missed Father, but we had been shocked into a miraculous awareness of the great treasures life still held...our children and each other. This will always be my most memorable Christmas.

Oma Anderson
608 Bucknell

Holiday brings couple together

My first husband Wayne Lowry and I came home to Big Spring to be with the family (Warren's) at Christmas 1971.

Wayne Lowry died in Big Spring after Christmas of 1972 and was buried here. I flew back to Michigan to settle his affairs. I had no Christmas in 1973 and 74.

Bob Erickson's wife died in 1974. (He went to my church.)

In 1975 Christmas and deep snow came to Michigan. I was home sick for Texas. I was watching the



MR. AND MRS. BOB ERICKSON

Dinah Shore Show when she asked, "Are you alone on Christmas Eve?" and I answered aloud, "yes" and she added, "No one should be alone on Christmas Eve, call someone."

I called Bob Erickson and asked, "Are you alone on Christmas Eve?" and he answered, "Yes" and I added, "No one should be alone on Christmas Eve."

And a strange thing happened — shortly afterwards the door bell rang and here stood Bob loaded down with beautifully wrapped gifts!

We were married the next year in 1976. (Haven't had a lonely Christmas since!)

Wanda Erickson



Dear Abby

Mystery man has something to hide

DEAR ABBY: I have been going with a man for nearly a year. I am a widow and "J" has been divorced for 15 years. We love each other very much. I'm a young 76, and he is 65, but he said age doesn't matter when you love a person.

I was very lonely when I met J.,

as I had not dated since my husband's death — 18 years ago. J. has been wonderful to me. He takes me out to dinner and brings me flowers, but there are a few things that bother me. He lives about 15 miles from me and won't give me his home phone number. I would

like to have it in case of an emergency. I know the town he lives in, but he doesn't want to give me his home address. Not that I would go there, but I wonder why he's so secretive about these things.

He has my phone number and

calls me often. He owns his own business not far from where I live and I have that phone number, but I rarely call him.

He has married children and other relatives whom I would love to meet, but he doesn't want them to know about me. He's met most of

my family, and they think he's great. I am a much happier person since J. came into my life. I probably shouldn't let these things bother me, but they do. Please help me.

BOTHERED

DEAR BOTHERED: A man who

refuses to disclose his home telephone number and address to the woman he professes to love is hiding something. Add to that the fact that he doesn't want his family to know about you, and you have good reason for being bothered. Something is fishy.

Newcomers

Joy Fortenberry of the Newcomer Greeting Service welcomed several families to Big Spring the week of Dec. 9-14.

From Abilene comes RANDY AND ANGELA REEVES. He is manager of Safeway on Gregg Street. They enjoy golf, handicrafts and sports.

Plant manager for Western Container is GREG KIMBROUGH from Houston. He and wife Bonnie and sons Andrew, 11, and Josh, 8, enjoy sailing, soccer, swimming and reading.

JIM LEEPER, an instructor

with Halliburton & Welx, is from Farmington, N.M. He and wife Julie have a son David, 13. Their hobbies include reading, sewing, violin and music.

An oil broker with Chris Christopher Co. is WILLIAM STEPHENS from Dallas. He and wife Shelly enjoy reading, cooking, baking and golf.

S. VANCE WEAVER from Midland is employed by Texaco Inc. His wife Caren is a makeup artist with Pappagallo Dress Shop in Midland. They enjoy fishing, hunting, horses and handicrafts.

FREDA CUNNINGHAM is from Odessa. Her husband James moved to Big Spring at an earlier time. Their hobbies include bowling, reading and fishing.

An operator at Western Container is STEPHEN MCKINLEY from Jackson, Miss. He and wife Patti enjoy fishing, camping and weight lifting.

OSCAR PAYTON, wife Shirley, son Billy, 12, and daughter Donna, 11, are from Albuquerque, N.M. Payton is a salesman with Associated Publishing. The family enjoys fishing, hunting, handicrafts

and sewing. SANDRA GREEN and son Adam, 8, are from Lubbock and enjoy needle point, crochet, reading and swimming. Green is a staff accountant with Kenneth Booth C.P.A.

A pumper with Texaco Inc. is RODNEY FUQUA from Snyder. He and wife Terri have two daughters, Mandie, 10, and Rebecca, 1, and a son Clay, 8. They enjoy black powder guns, hunting, art and skating.

J.B. AND MARY STRINGER are from Mansfield and enjoy

traveling, fishing, hunting and art. Stringer is retired from N.L. Industries.

Manager of Church's Fried Chicken is MARY BUTLER from Midland. She and daughters Shantel, 11, Shauna, 8, and Sheila, 5, and son David, 4, enjoy bowling and reading.

MICKEY MOLTZ is from Oklahoma City, Okla. and does food service work. His wife Elizabeth is a therapeutic recreation specialist at the Veterans Administration Medical Center. They have a daughter Michelle and a son

Steven, 3. The family enjoys sports, reading, sewing and crafts. W.T. AND AGNES RUTLEDGE SR. are from Buchanan Dam and enjoy camping, fishing, sewing and golf. He is retired from Texaco.

A self-employed plumber is FRED CASTILLO from Hobbs, N.M. He and wife Sandy have five daughters, Mary, 18, Ramona, 14, Erma, 12, Amy, 10, and Delia, 3, and four sons, Domingo, 15, Fred Jr., Victor, 13, and Tony, 7. They also have a grandson, Alfredo, 9 mo. The family enjoys bingo, cooking, sports and skating.

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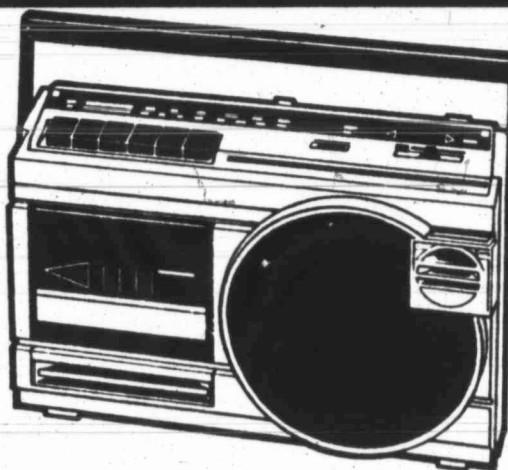
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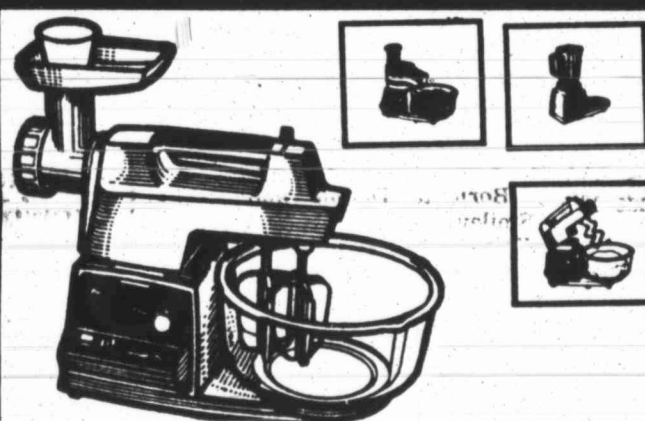
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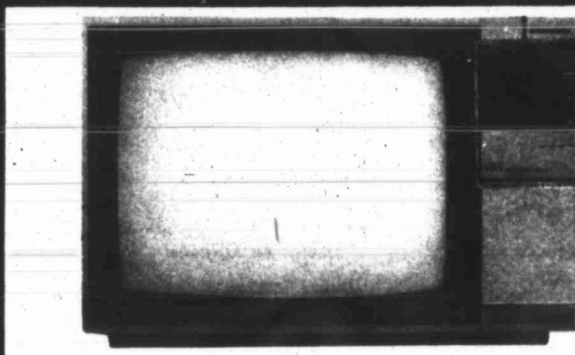
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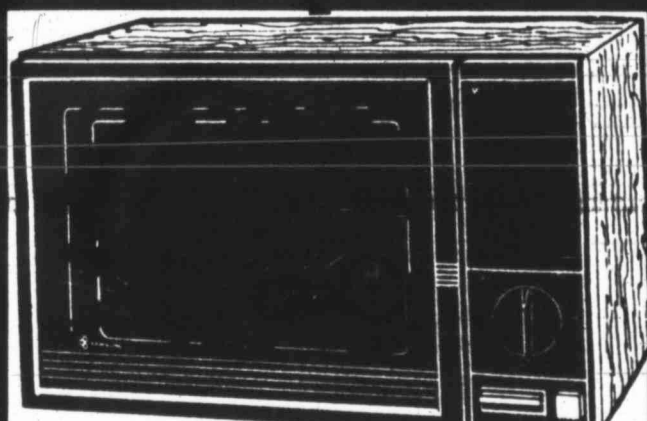


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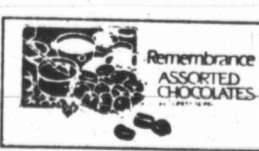
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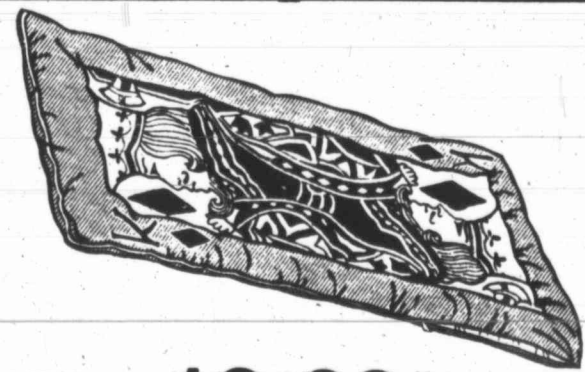
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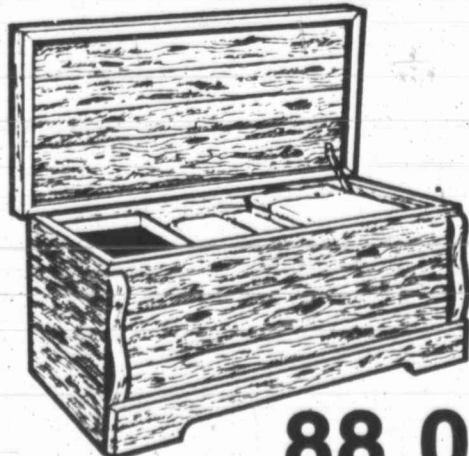
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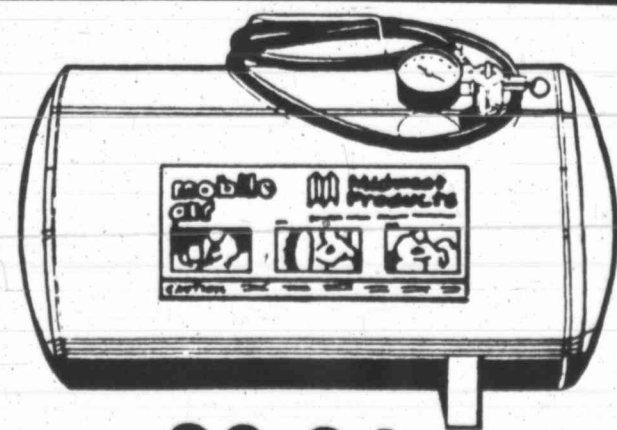
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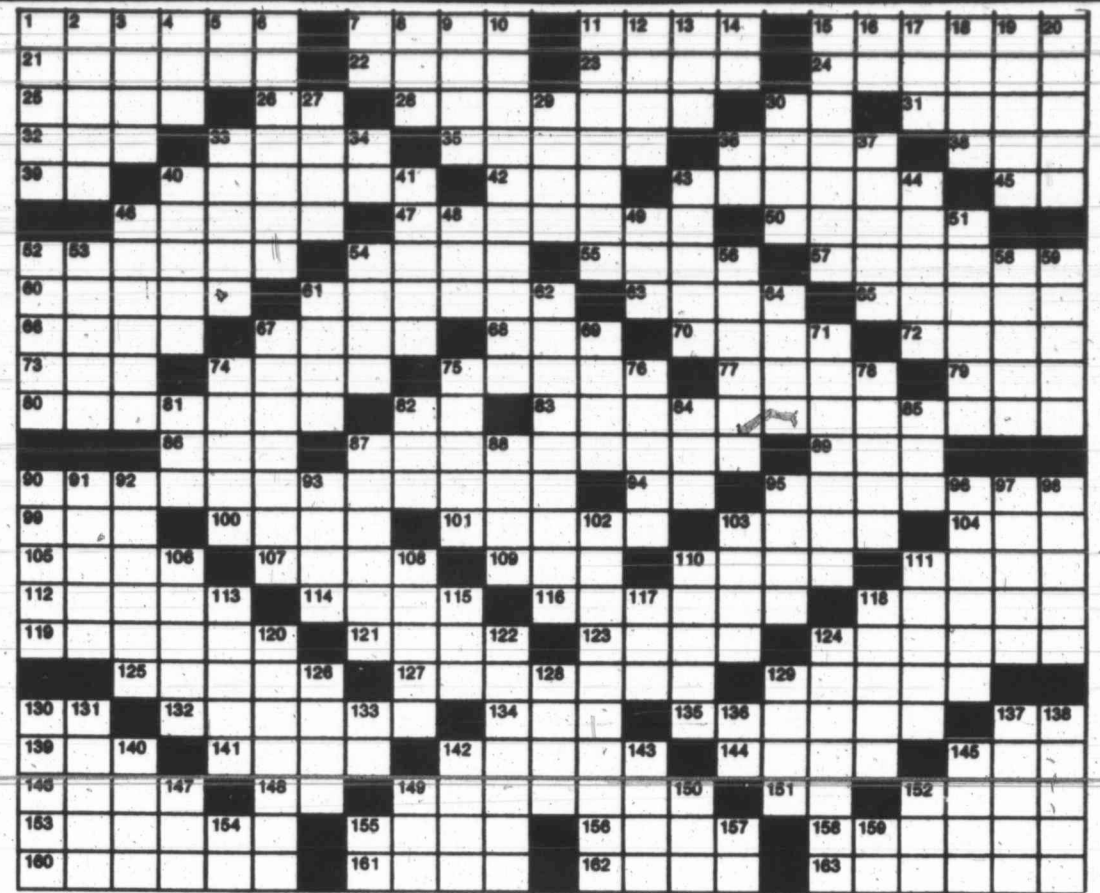
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Wedding

Green-Dunlap

Wakenda Green and Gerald Dunlap were wed Dec. 13 at the Sand Springs Church of Christ. Eric Dickey officiated at the 7:30 p.m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Wendel and Wynona Payte, 2803 Lawrence. The bridegroom is the son of J.C. and Jewell Dunlap, 3704 Connally.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white lace over blue satin gown. The long gown featured a scalloped flounce accented with blue bows. The

neckline of ruffled lace also was accented with blue bows.

She wore a crown of baby's breath and greenery with white and blue streamers.

The bride carried a bouquet of blue roses, baby's breath and white rose buds with white streamers.

Lanita Fritzler was matron of honor. Bobby Brumley was best man.

Jennifer Dunlap, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. Ring bearer was Jeremy Green, son of the bride.

David Brumley and Whitney Payte, brother of the bride, were ushers.

A reception followed in the fellowship hall. A three-tiered white cake with blue flowers was served. The table was centered with the bride's bouquet.

A graduate of Big Spring High School, the bride is employed by State National Bank. The bridegroom is employed by Gregg Street Texaco.

The couple is residing in Big Spring.

Storkclub

MALONE-HOGAN

HOSPITAL
Born to Arlene Morin, Sterling City Route Box 203D, a son, Gabriel Lee Barraza, at 1:57 p.m. Dec. 12, weighing 7 pounds 1 ounce.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Esquivel, Gail Route Box 437, a daughter, LeeAnn, at 4:38 p.m. Dec. 12, weighing 6 pounds 4 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Lynn Halfmann, Garden City, a daughter, Michelle Theresa, at 5:30 a.m. Dec. 13, weighing 10 pounds 4 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Carson, Colorado City, a son, James Scott, at 6:13 a.m. Dec. 13, weighing 6 pounds 11 ounces.
Born to Carolyn Mentel, Col-

orado City, a son, Arland Richard, at 11:25 p.m. Dec. 13, weighing 8 pounds 2 3/4 ounces.
Born to Linda Hart, Big Spring, a son, Jameson Tyler, at 11:50 a.m. Dec. 17, weighing 6 pounds 10 1/2 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ismael Solis, 818 W. 5th, twin daughters, Andrea Marie at 8:45 p.m. Dec. 18, weighing 5 pounds 1 ounce, and Lisa Marie at 8:55 p.m. Dec. 18, weighing 5 pounds 6 1/2 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nance, 403 Dallas, a son, Justin Michael, at 11:15 p.m. Dec. 18, weighing 7 pounds 7 ounces.
Born to Billy and Debbie Hall, Snyder, a daughter, Laura Ann, at 11:30 p.m. Dec. 18, weighing 5 pounds 10 ounces.

Born to Lisa Fryar and Bucky Jackman, 538 Westover #142, a son, Michael Shae, at 3:10 a.m. Dec. 19, weighing 8 pounds 8 1/2 ounces.

ELSEWHERE
Born to Dennis and Beeky Smiley, 3224 Auburn, a son, Jake Robert, at 3:23 p.m. Dec. 17, at Odessa Women's and Children's Hospital in Odessa, weighing 8 pounds 5 1/2 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Genaro Rosa Jr., Stanton, a son, Israel Lorenzo, at 10:25 p.m. Dec. 7, at Midland Memorial Hospital in Midland, weighing 6 pounds 6 ounces.

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Cafeteria menus

BIG SPRING SENIOR CITIZENS MENUS
MONDAY — Saurkraut & weiners; baked beans; spinach; peach custard with cottage cheese; cornbread; margarine; skim milk.
TUESDAY — holiday
WEDNESDAY — holiday
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Wedding



MR. AND MRS. JON W. AMOS
...wed Sept. 27

Stacy-Amos

Alice Margaret Stacy and STG 2 Jon William Amos were wed Sept. 27 at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Hall in San Ysidro, Calif. Dr. Diane Gaffney officiated at the 2 p.m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of John and Anna Stacy of San Diego, Calif. The bridegroom is the son of John Paul and Becky Amos of Gail Route Box 283.

Vases of mixed silk flowers decorated the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length white gown. The bodice was of French lace with encrusted pearls. The back of the bodice closed with

small satin buttons from the neckline to waistline. Ribbons of graduated lengths on skirt were trimmed with lace appliques and satin bow.

The bride carried a cascade of white baby silk roses trimmed with violets and violet lace streamers.

Beyona Queen of Imperial Beach, Calif., was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Shirley Stacy of San Diego, sister of the bride; Yvette Walker of San Diego; Nancy Navarro of San Diego; Bernita Williams of San Diego; and Berneta Williams of San Diego.

Flower girls were Nichole Queen and Debbie Singer. Douglas Singer

was ring bearer.

Kurt Kirchner was best man. Groomsmen were Michael Stacy, Gary Stacy and John Stacy Jr., brothers of the bride, and Glen Jurena of El Cajon, Calif.

The bride graduated from Montgomery High in San Diego. She attended Southwestern College in San Diego for three years. The bridegroom graduated from Big Spring High School. He is a sonar technician in the United States Navy.

Following a visit with family and friends in Big Spring, the couple will reside in Charleston, S.C.

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Wedding

Stephens-Richardson

Becky Stephens became Mrs. Tommy Richardson at an evening ceremony Nov. 16 at Heights Baptist Church in San Angelo. Lee Brewer, chaplain of West Texas Boys Ranch in San Angelo, officiated at the 7 p.m. rite.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stephens of Big Spring and the late Nella Stephens. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Richardson of Sherman.

The couple stood before an altar with pink and white carnations, roses and three candelabras.

Jeni Oeler of New Mexico was pianist with Veda Owens of Sweetwater as vocalist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white organza gown with fitted bodice, sheer organza yoke and appliques. The full sleeves with wide lace cuffs were fastened with covered buttons and came to a point at the hand. The full A-line skirt flowed into a chapel-length train. She wore a matching hat with lace veiling and



MRS. TOMMY RICHARDSON
...formerly Becky Stephens

seed pearls.

The bride carried a bouquet of white daisies and pink carnations.

Amy Ragan of Big Spring was maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Kim Gilbreath of Lubbock.

Mitch Landry of Claude was best man. Groomsman was Chad Young of Dallas.

Ushers were Mark Stephens and Michael Stephens, brothers of the bride, and Rob Williams of Del Rio.

A reception followed in the fellowship hall. The bride's table featured a three-tiered cake with pink trim and topped with a cupid and wedding bells. The table was covered in white lace with pink trim.

The bridegroom's table featured a German chocolate cake.

The bride graduated from Big Spring High School and is a junior at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

The bridegroom graduated from Sherman High School in Sherman and is a senior at Angelo State University.

Following a wedding trip to an undisclosed location, the couple is residing in San Angelo.

Anniversary

The J.T. Bullocks

J.T. and Mildred Bullock, 2610 Central, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception Dec. 1 at 2 p.m. in the Holiday Inn Patio Room.

The couple's children hosted the party. A surprise love song, "Be Nobody's Darling But Mine," was sung at the party.

Five generations attended. They are: Ethel Collier of Canterbury North, Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. C.A. (Shirley) Darley of 1704 Morrison, Mrs. David (Debbie) Scott of 4207 Dixon, and Ann Marie Scott of 4207 Dixon.

Bullock was born in Voss. The former Mildred Collier was born in Anson.

The couple met at a party in Lubbock in April, 1935. They were married Dec. 24, 1935, at the home of the Rev. T.H. McLain in Lubbock. McLain officiated at the ceremony.

Their children are Jerry Bullock of Odessa, Robert Bullock of New Braunfels and Shirley Darley of 1704 Morrison. They also have seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

During their marriage, the couple



J.T. AND MILDRED
BULLOCK
...celebrate 50th anniversary



J.T. AND MILDRED
BULLOCK
...in a 1944 photo

ple has lived in Lubbock, Odessa, Colorado City and Lovington, N.M. He owned and operated Western Motel in Colorado City for 13 years.

The Bullocks said they have had happy years except for the loss of their 18-year-old grandson, Robert Jay Bullock Jr., in an accident Sept. 18, 1985.

In their spare time, the couple enjoys traveling, entertaining at home, and working in the yard.

Lifestyle guidelines

We will be pleased to announce the news of your engagement, wedding, silver or golden anniversary in the Lifestyle section of the Big Spring Herald. We try to use the story on the date you request, but sometimes space does not permit this. The information must be submitted to us on a form available at the Herald no later than Wednesday noon before the Sunday it is to be published. The form must include a name and telephone number of a person whom we can reach during the day for more information.

We will use a picture of the couple in the announcement. Or in the case of engagement announcements where a picture of the couple is not available, we will use one of the bride-elect. The picture must be a professional quality studio photograph. We prefer a 5 x 7 glossy black and white print. We ask for this kind of photograph so that it will reproduce well in the newspaper. Following the picture's publication, it may be picked up at the Lifestyle department.

The information for the story may be brought to the Lifestyle department of the Herald, which is located at 710 Scurry. Or it may be mailed to

Lifestyle Department, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79720. Call us at (915) 263-7531 if we can help with more information or clarification of our policies.

ENGAGEMENTS
Information of engagement announcements must be submitted to the Lifestyle department of the Herald anytime after the engagement is a reality until at least three weeks prior to the wedding. Anything closer than three weeks will not be published. The engagement form must be submitted no later than Wednesday noon prior to the Sunday it is to be published.

If the bride-elect, prospective bridegroom or their parents do not now or have never lived in our area, we need to know why you are submitting your engagement to the Herald. If only grandparents live in our area, please give their names and addresses.

WEDDINGS
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You have to keep your diet well balanced — 10-15 percent from protein, 30-35 percent from fat, and the rest from carbohydrates, emphasizing the complex carbs, like grains, vegetables, breads, pasta, potatoes, cereals, and fruits.

And since you probably want that

extra weight to be muscle, not fat, you will indeed have to increase your exercise as you're adding calories. For each pound of extra muscle weight, you need an extra 3,000 calories over a given period. For example, if you add 700 to 1,000 calories a day to your diet (in the proportions I outlined) you should gain up to two pounds of muscle weight in a week. Your balanced diet will supply all the vitamins you need.

If you have stayed at your present weight over the years, then you can figure your present calorie intake at about the rate of 11 calories for each pound. That's the number needed just to stay where you are, to support your present ac-

tivity. If you are very active, you need twice that number. That means that at your present weight of 115 pounds, if you are very active, you are probably getting right around 2,500 calories a day. If so, that would be the base from which to arrange your new diet. To put the new weight on where you want it you have to choose exercises that make muscles there grow — i.e. weightlifting for upper-body muscle growth.

Dr. Donohue welcomes reader mail but regrets that, due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.

Wedding



MRS. TIMOTHY S. FRAZIER
...formerly Dana Turner

Turner-Frazier

Dana Kay Turner and Timothy Scott Frazier were married Saturday at Acton United Methodist Church in Granbury. John Featherston of North Davis Church of Christ in Arlington officiated at the 12 p.m. rite.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner of Granbury. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frazier of Arlington and formerly of Big Spring. The bride is a graduate of

Monterey High School in Lubbock and attended Texas Tech University. She is a graduate of the University of Texas at Arlington School of Nursing and is employed at Arlington Memorial Hospital.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Lamar High School in Arlington and attends the University of Texas at Arlington. He is employed at Heritage Mailing in Fort Worth. Following their honeymoon, the couple will live in Arlington.

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