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City Councilman Henkel casts 'no' vote

Local gas hike clears first hurdle

By CARLA WALKER

An ordinance allowing Pioneer Natural Gas to raise gas rates 11.02 per cent for Big Spring area customers was passed on the first reading by a two-to-one margin in this morning's called meeting of the City Council.

Ralph Brooks was not present for the meeting, and Ralph McLaughlin and Polly Mays voted in favor of the proposal, while Bill Henkel voted against the measure.

The measure must be given a second reading and approved the second time before it goes into effect. The second reading, and the second public hearing will be Tuesday at the regular City Council meeting, and if approved, the new rate will go into effect Thursday, Feb. 15.

Approximately 10 citizens attended the meeting, with several speaking up during the public hearing. They spoke against the rate increase, stating that their bills had already been increasing, due to operational cost adjustments since the last rate change in 1973.

Dearl D. Pittman, district manager for Pioneer Natural Gas, said that the costs of gas at the well head, in addition to normal operational costs, had necessitated the increase.

The profits made by Pioneer Natural Gas, were part of the discussion. Since the utility is strenuously regulated by the Texas Railroad Commission, their profits are restricted to eight percent over their investment, and Pioneer is audited quarterly to insure that they are properly representing their cost investments and operational ex-

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penses.

Pittman said rate increases across the West Texas area served by Pioneer have been approved by 35 of the 62 towns affected.

"The other towns, however, will have larger increases," said Pittman. "The other customers in the West Texas area will experience — if approved — approximately 14 per cent increase in their bills. Big Spring's increase will only be the 11 per cent, since the Big Spring area was already paying a higher rate than the other towns. The rate per 1,000 cubic feet will now be uniform throughout the West Texas area served by Pioneer."

The average residential customer in Big Spring will see a $1.64 per month or $19.68 per year increase in their gas bill. In the other towns where the 14 per cent increase will be in effect, the rise will be $3.79 per month, or $45.58 per year, bringing the end cost up to the rate proposed for Big Spring.

If adopted, the rate would be equal per Mcf (1,000 cubic feet) for commercial and residential users. Therefore, a consumer who requires 200 Mcf per month would see their rate increase from the present $406.52 to $432.97.

The other two proposals submitted by Pioneer are designed to "put the cost on the customer who incurrs it, rather than prorating it across the general customers," and both were approved unanimously by the Council.

The first relates to new customers. Pioneer, under the proposal, would only have to run the main gas lines 75 feet toward a new customer. Any further distance would be paid for by the customer.

"It costs us just over $2 per foot to run main line to new customers," said Pittman. "Presently, we apply the cost to put a new customer on the line.

"Under our proposal, the new customer would pay the cost for anything over 75 feet, putting the burden on the customer that causes the cost, rather than the other customers subsidizing that cost." Pittman explained.

Similarly, the third proposal would place the cost for setting and turning on meters on the customer, rather than spreading the cost across all the customers.

"If a new customer comes on the line, or if a customer's meter is turned off because he doesn't pay his bill, then under the present system, our cost to send a man out to do the work is figured into the rates of all the customers," said Pittman.

Under the proposed change, the customer would pay an $8 fee to have the meter set or turned on during business hours, or a $12 fee after business hours.

"These two proposals will put the cost on the customer that incurs it, as well as allowing us to regain our cost as it occurs, rather than over an expended period of time through our general customer billing," Pittman noted.

Reporter shot in head dies

NORTH LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) — United Press International reporter Judy Danielak, shot in the head while driving on a highway Tuesday, died today at a hospital, authorities said.

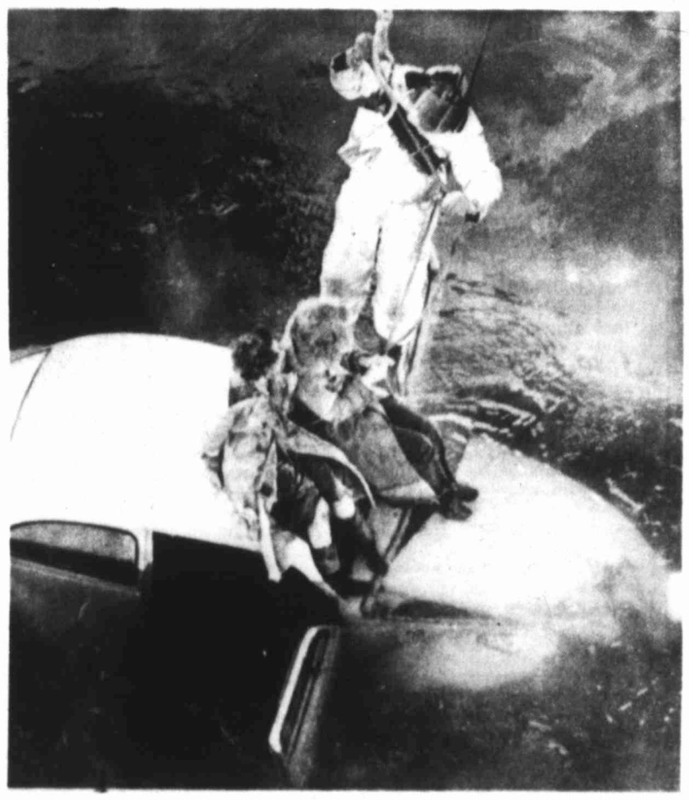
Mrs. Danielak, 21, had been listed in critical condition at a Little Rock hospital.

Police, meanwhile, said they had decided she was shot by somebody "shooting at traffic," but not deliberately out to hit her.

"It's got to be an indiscriminate shooting," Sgt. Walter Miles of the North Little Rock police said Thursday.

She was found unconscious in her car Tuesday evening along Interstate 40 on the eastern edge of North Little Rock.

Mrs. Danielak was a journalism student at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

RESCUER NEARS — Wright Patterson AFB firefighter Capt. Paul Gehringer is lowered to the car where Nancy Paulus and Andrea Tinch are huddled. The Fairborn girls' automobile skidded off the Ohio Rt. 4 and 444 interchange near Dayton Friday morning and plunged into the Mad River.

Gas rate increase rejected

Coahoma police chief resigns

By DON WOODS

COAHOMA — Coahoma Police Chief Benny Fishback's resignation was announced Thursday night at the Coahoma city council meeting in city hall.

Fishback turned in the resignation Jan. 26 when he was offered a higher paying job in the Midland Sheriff's Department. His salary in Coahoma is $11,520 a year.

City councilman have four applications to consider. Odie Majors, part time truck driver for Rip Griffin, was interviewed by councilmen in closed session but no decision has been reached.

A rate increase request from Pioneer Natural Gas Company district manager Representative Dearl D. Pittman was considered along with two other ordinances that would raise service costs.

Coahoma became the first West Texas municipality to reject the gas company's increase when a motion was made by Councilman Ernest Richter to accept the three ordinances and the motion died for lack of a second.

The requested hike would mean an average nine per cent increase for Coahoma residents and an average 11.8 per cent increase for larger, commercial users. Gas adjustment costs would remain the same.

A committee composed of 11 area cities studied the rate hike and recommended compliance with the increase in January. The proposed hike would still be lower than Abilene, Fort Worth, Houston and several other Texas cities. The rate would comply with President Carter's economic guidelines, Pittman said.

The two other ordinances considered concerned Pioneer gas service charges. Meter setting, gas turn on, and turn off costs would be raised to reflect the actual cost of the service rather than adding the cost of the service to the base rate.

Previous cost was $3.50 for the services during or after office hours. The hike would call for an $8 charge during office hours and a $12 charge for after five service. Coahoma Mayor Joe Swinney said, "This ordinance will affect us more than the rate increase."

Service charges would also be raised on gas line installation outside of city limits. Previously the company would lay pipe up to 150 from the main line. The number of feet from the mainline that the company will lay would be halved under the new ordinance to 75. Additional feet will cost from $2 to $2.25 per foot. Again the cost of the service would reflect actual cost.

Councilmen decided to set up another meeting with Pittman before Feb. 15 as the date to put the rate hikes into effect.

A water rate hike was also approved. Councilmen moved to accept a 15 cents per 1,000 gallon hike. The increase of the Colorado River Municipal Water Authority rates to Big Spring. Big Spring passed the increase on to Coahoma for the water the town buys from Big Spring.

A building to provide a place for the city employees to conduct maintenance business was discussed. One proposal suggested an $11,000 complex that included $7,600 for a building with a 30 foot by 30 foot concrete floor with insulated 12 foot walls and $3,500 for a chain link fence.

Councilmen moved, however, to consider equipment purchases before considering the new building. Richter agreed to scout possible government surplus equipment.

Information on a Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission grant for the police department was presented by Swinney. The $7,500 grant would go into effect April 1.

Cohaoma hired a dogcatcher, Bill Grandon, to catch and feed stray dogs. He will provide his own truck and the city will provide a trailer to transport the animals. His salary is $200 a month.

Councilmen also voted to continue in a contract with Johnny Justiss to mow the grass at the cemetery at $150 per cutting.

School trustees okay offstreet parking area

Trustees of the Big Spring Independent School District, meeting in formal session Thursday night, agreed to support a Moss Elementary School PTA proposal to provide an offstreet parking area on the southeast corner of the school campus.

The PTA will donate $2,500 toward a total estimated cost of $8,000 for the paved area, which will provide parking space for an estimated 40 vehicles. The school district will make up the difference in the total cost of the project.

The board also approved three bookkeeping amendments in the school budget. The first concerned Public Law 94-142 involving Special Education, the second ESEA Title 4 Part 3 involving library funds and third Bi-Lingual Education.

The purchase of two school buses, each at a cost of approximately $17,000, was approved by the trustees. The carriers likely cannot be put to use until the 1979-80 school term. The school district tries to replace an average of two school buses each school year.

The board also set Saturday, April 7, as the date for the annual school board election. The terms of Dr. Jim Matthews and Bob West expire this year and both have indicated they will offer for reelection.

Both were originally appointed to the board. Dr. Matthews replaced Roy Watkins while West was named successor to Delnor Poss.

Trustees, in addition, voted to reemploy all administrative and curriculum personnel. The contracts of teachers will not come up for review until March and possible pay adjustments will not be discussed until the board gets into budgeting sometime late in the spring or early summer.

Final budgeting matters, of course, cannot be settled until the State Legislature takes action on school financing sometime later this year.

Trustees upheld an administrative recommendation to suspend a student for the remainder of the school year. The student did not respond to discipline requirements required of all students.

The students got some bad but not unexpected news when it was determined that time lost to classes due to bad weather immediately following the Christmas season would be made up during the annual spring break.

Students are ordinarily off a week during that time but will be required to attend classes March 12-13-14 this year. The change means that the spring break will not start until March 15 and will extend over the weekend. Classes will be resumed March 19.

All trustees were present for the meeting.

Body of missing Odessa girl discovered in shallow grave

By EILEEN McGUIRE

ODESSA — The search for Catherine Ann (Fifi) Murphy, 19, Odessa, ended Thursday night when investigators and police recovered her badly decomposed body from a shallow grave near the Pecos River south of Imperial in Crane County.

According to District Attorney John Green, he and Odessa police officer K.R. Jones were led to the grave by the missing woman's boyfriend, Stephen P. Fife, 22, who was afterwards charged with her murder.

Miss Murphy, Green said in a news conference today, had been missing since July 19, 1978. She was last seen leaving a night club with Fife in her car which was later found abandoned on the parking lot of Permian Bank and Trust. Fife had told police that Miss Murphy had driven him to and left him at his home.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Murphy Jr., had posted a $25,000 reward and distributed circulars regarding her disappearance.

Green's office joined the Odessa Police Department in the search last week upon the request of the police and the Murphys. He commended Jones and other city officers for the long hours of work they had expended in the search.

Of his own office, Green said "It is not this office's function to investigate crime. Our purpose is to prosecute, but we do assist whenever requested by citizens or the police."

Following recovery of Miss Murphy's body, Green said her parents, who were out of town, were notified. They indicated that the reward money they had offered would be turned over to a children's home in memory of their daughter.

Fife is being held on $60,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Charles Gee Jr. His case will be brought before the Grand Jury Monday.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Age limit is 35

Q. Even though the federal prison system normally hires only persons under age 35, wouldn't an exception be made in the case of someone who has prior Civil Service employment if all other standards are met?

A. No. A call to the Dallas office of the Federal Bureau of Prisons revealed to Harry Spannaus, manager of Industrial Park, that the age regulation applies to all persons, regardless of prior Civil Servic employment. Because of the age 55 mandatory retirement of federal prison employees, a person must be no older than 35 when initially employed. Other Civil Service employment does not apply to the 20-year retirement program. The age requirement is a federal statute and has already been tested in court several times. It is legal.

Tops on TV: Dynamite Dylan

Charlie Brown spends a lot of time around his mailbox in a Valentine's Day special, "Be My Valentine, Charlie Brown", at 7 p.m. on Channel 7. Other special features are film clips of performances of the world's greatest rock stars in "Heroes of Rock N' Roll" at 8 p.m., Channel 8. The lineup of specials also includes a guest appearance by 1960's idol Bob Dylan in the "Midnight Special," Channel 2.

Calendar: Hey kids, free movies

TODAY

Entries to the Miniature Art Show being received at East FM 700, the Citizen's Federal Credit Union.

Maximum size 5" x 7" excluding frame and mat. Sculpture 4" x 4" x 6".

SATURDAY

The Howard County Library will show two "free" films on Saturday from 2 p.m. until 3 p.m. They are: "Sara's Summer of the Swans" and "Busy Bodies."

The Guadalupanos of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church will sell fresh, homemade burritos, 50 cents for bean and 65 cents for meat, beginning at 9 a.m. in Highland Shopping Center Mall. All proceeds will go to the Volunteer Services Council for the Big Spring State Hospital.

Judging of the Miniature Art Show 10 a.m. at Citizen's Federal Credit Union, 701 East FM 700.

SUNDAY

Miniature Art Show open to the public at Citizen's Federal Credit Union, 701 East FM 700.

Inside: Amnesia victim

THE ROOF OF A STORE COLLAPSED killing two while she survived and a few months ago she collided with another person while playing basketball causing her to lose her memory. Slowly the Texas teenager is recovering. See page 3-A.

PEOPLE WANT TO GET BACK TO THE BASICS in education, the State Education Commissioner told the state legislature yesterday. He also reported on the cost of education materials per student. See page 6-A.

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Outside: Warmer

The forecast calls for a warm Saturday with temperatures in the mid-60's. Temperatures are expected to be in the low-30's tonight, accompanied by 10-15 miles per hour winds from the south and southwest.

Wholesale prices skyrocket

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wholesale prices, spurred by soaring prices for beef and veal, rose by 1.3 percent in January — the biggest monthly increase in four years, the Labor Department reported today.

The report means consumers can expect hefty increases in grocery prices in the next few months.

Last month alone, wholesale beef and veal prices rose 13 percent, the department said. That was equal to about half the beef and veal increases in all of 1978.

Wholesale price boosts last month were widespread and included sharp gains in gasoline, fuel oil, cosmetics, tobacco, autos, tires, machinery and a variety of other products.

Not since November 1974, when the increase was 1.8 percent, have wholesale prices risen so rapidly in one month. Those prices usually are harbingers of trends in retail prices.

Last November and December, wholesale prices were climbing rapidly but at a slower rate of 0.8 percent. If the January increase continued for a year, the rate would be more than 16 percent.

The report was a not-unexpected disappointment to the Carter administration, which is soliciting help from consumers in its anti-inflation fight.

Alfred Kahn, director of President Carter's four-month-old anti-inflation program, said Thursday, "We have to depend on alert consumers to monitor prices." He suggested that consumers demand explanations from retailers for stiff price boosts that seem unjustified, and that they refuse to buy products that seem to be overpriced.

The administration has cautioned that results of its program to curb wage and price increases probably will not become evident until late spring or summer.

In other developments on the economic front:

—Treasury Secretary Michael Blumenthal said a tax cut might be needed to stimulate the economy in 1981, but it would be dangerous to reduce taxes this year. There have been widespread predictions of a slowdown this year, but the administration does not agree with them. Tax cuts are often prescribed to combat slowdowns.

—The Commerce Department said the price of the average new house rose from $58,700 to $61,100 in December. A year earlier the average new house cost $52,700.

—Economist Henry C. Wallich, one of the nine governors of the Federal Reserve System, endorsed the administration's "wage insurance" tax credit. Under this plan, workers in groups which keep their pay demands below 7 percent would be reimbursed in part through tax relief if inflation rose more than that amount.

Kahn's call for action by the public to combat inflation came in an address to the convention of the Consumer Federation of America.

"We will monitor the largest companies and wage settlements but we're not going to have an army of inspectors working out of Washington to check every rent increase, every doctor's bill, every price in the grocery store," he said.

"We expect the great majority of businesses to try to comply, particularly if they are pressed to do so by their customers. But that pressure is essential — and it is most effectively applied at the local level," Kahn said.

(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

ROLL-UP DOOR WAS BLOWN OFF DURING FIRE
. . . gutted remains of west end of City Body Shop

Burglary-arson probed in City Body Shop fire

A fire early Saturday morning is being investigated as possible arson to cover up a burglary at City Body Shop, 308 Young.

It required approximately one hour for the Big Spring Fire Department to douse the blaze. One portion of the building — the west end, was gutted and almost totally destroyed. A 1978 vehicle which had just been repaired and repainted was also destroyed. Extensive heat and smoke damage was evident throughout the rest of the building.

Evidence seems to imply that burglars broke in and removed some $300 worth of tools before knocking over large containers of paint, pouring body modlying materials over the hood of the car that was lost, and opening and overturning a 20 gallon drum of paint thinner. The fire apparently occurred after the tools were stolen, since the box they were in was closed and covered with debris from the fire.

All the plastics stored at the shop to be used in the dash and other parts of cars being repaired were melted by the intensity of the heat, while several hundred rolls of upholstery materials were also damaged, probably a total loss. Several pieces of large equipment were lost, and damage to the remainder of the building was also heavy.

"It hasn't officially been ruled arson," said Big Spring Police Detective J.D. Carter, who with Fire Marshal Jim Ryals, is investigating the incident. "We are, however, conducting the investigation as a probably burglary-arson."

Art Madewell, owner of the shop, says that telephone service has been restored and the body shop will continue to operate, but on a reduced basis.

Four businesses, Morris Robertson Body Shop, Danny's T-Top, Marshall Day Body Shop in Sand Springs and Pollard Chevrolet have all offered to let Madewell use their shops to continue operation, as much as possible, until the building can be restored.

"If anyone saw any suspicious activity around the building on the night the fire occurred, they could help the investigation by reporting it to Detective Carter.

"We have some small leads we are investigating, but any tips would be useful; both the information and the informant will be kept completely confidential," said Carter.

Digest

Fish threatens construction

BALTIMORE (AP) — Maryland's eastern tiger salamander could threaten construction of a six-lane highway linking Annapolis and Baltimore. The tiny, brown, yellow-spotted salamander, on Maryland's endangered species list, is found mostly in ponds on Maryland's Eastern Shore, with only two confirmed sightings west of Chesapeake Bay. One sighting, within a mile of the proposed highway, was five years ago, but if more are found the Department of Natural Resources would have to study the impact of the proposed highway.

Pintos, Bobcats recalled

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. officials say 610,000 Ford Pinto and Mercury Bobcat owners have responded to a recall intended to eliminate the possibility of an explosion in a rear-end collision, and Ford says it has notified another 800,000 owners.

The automaker recalled 1.5 million 1971-76 model Pinto and Bobcat sedans to modify the fuel tanks. Officials estimate 1.2 million are believed to be on the roads.

Ford has been charged with reckless homicide in the deaths of three Indiana girls who died in a flaming rear-end collision involving a Pinto.

Clement nominated to board

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Unsuccessful Democratic gubernatorial candidate Bob Clement will be nominated by President Carter to fill a vacancy on the Tennessee Valley Authority board of directors, according to Sen. Jim Sasser's office in Washington.

Clement, who served as chairman of the state Public Service Commission, was narrowly defeated by Jake Butcher in the August primary elections.

Alaskan harbor reopened

VALDEZ, Alaska (AP) — Valdez Harbor and the trans-Alaska oil pipeline terminal have been reopened to tankers after a shutdown due to high winds.

The Coast Guard said the harbor and terminal reopened late Thursday.

Oil flow through the 800-mile pipeline from Prudhoe Bay was cut sharply after winds kept high-riding empty tankers from entering the harbor earlier this week. High winds are not uncommon here during winter months, but this is the first time tankers have been unable to enter the port since the pipeline started operations in June 1977.

Deaths

T.R. Fairweather

LAMESA — Services for Teddy R. Fairweather, 60, of Lamesa will be at 2 p.m. today at Lamesa First Baptist Church with the Rev. Bill Hardage, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Lamesa Memorial Park under the direction of Branon Funeral Home.

Fairweather died at 2:10 p.m. Tuesday at Medical Arts Hospital after a sudden illness.

A native of Lovington, N.M., he was a long time resident of Dawson County. He was a retired truck driver and an active volunteer at the Senior Citizens Lodge in Lamesa. Fairweather was a veteran of World War II during which he served in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include a daughter, Ruthie Strickland of Lamesa; three sons, Jerry Mills, Wyo., Otis of Andrews and Donald of Lamesa; two sisters, Margaret Moore of Big Spring and Grace Bailey of Lovington, N.M.; a brother, George of Grand Prairie and seven grandchildren.

Newphews will be Pallbearers.

Mrs. Crane

Mrs. Jesse R. (Alice) Crane, 68, of Big Spring, died at 3:55 p.m. Thursday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a brief illness. Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday at Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

The Rev. Pat Githens, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

Born April 21, 1910, in Indiana, she married Jesse R. Crane in 1930 in Covington, Ind. They moved to Big Spring in 1952 from Crawfordsville, Ind. Mrs. Crane worked at Webb AFB for 20 years as a PBX operator. She was a PBX operator at Big Spring State Hospital at the time of her death. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Jesse R. Crane Jr. of Big Spring; a daughter, Mrs. Carl E. (Diana) Harris of Morganton, N.C.; two sisters, Miss Bula Wright of Crawfordsville, Ind., and Mrs. Martha Gaylor of Attica, Ind.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Dennis Wilson, Gene Haston, Jack Barber, John Gee, Frank Hardesty and Denton Marsalis.

C.E. Haley

Clarence Errol Haley, who observed his 81st birthday in a local nursing home Wednesday, died there at 10 p.m., Thursday. Mr. Haley had been ill the past three months and his condition had worsened in recent days.

Mr. Haley was born in Cross Plains Feb. 7, 1989. He married Esther Belle Bowlus Oct. 5, 1920, in Baird. A longtime employee of the T&P Railway, he retired as a brakeman in 1967. The Haleys moved here from Baird in 1941.

Survivors include his wife, of the home; a daughter, Errolene Bailey, Big Spring; two grandchildren, Esther Nete Smith, Columbus, Miss., and Cindy Yarbrough, Germany; three great-grandchildren and a sister, Bernice Drake, Baird.

Mr. Haley was a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainment. The family made its home at 1218 E. 16th Street.

Graveside rites will be at 2 p.m., Saturday in the Ross Cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Sheppard Funeral Home until 10:30 a.m., Saturday.

Franklin will seek office

STANTON — Terry Franklin, one of three persons whose terms expire on the Stanton school this year, has indicated he will seek the office again.

The terms of Gerald Hanson and Bud Glaspie also end this year but neither has indicated whether he will run again. No other challenger has entered the April 7 election.

Lions schedule Ladies Night

The Evening Lions Club will hold its next meeting at the Family Country Kitchen, located at West Third and Gregg Streets, at 7 p.m., Monday.

It will be Ladies Night and all wives of members are being urged to attend.

Club president Milton Kirby will preside.

Explorer Post meeting Monday

The Veterans Administration Medical Center Explorer Post will have a make-up meeting Monday, at 7:30 p.m. in room 216. All members are urged to attend.

The program will be under the direction of Jim Janeway, Chief of Social Work Service. Jim Roberts, PA will also give CPR instructions. Members needing to re-register should bring their fee of $3.75.

No decision in jury trial

A mistrial was declared at 10 p.m. Thursday in the case of Roger Lando Danley of Fort Worth.

Danley was arrested here Jan. 16 and held without bond on suspicion of auto theft. He is also wanted in Arkansas.

His case was brought before a jury in 118th District Court Tuesday morning. It was the first jury trial in Howard County for 1979.

Assistant District Attorney Don Richard said Danley is still in custody and is being held for Arkansas. The D.A.'s office will make a decision regarding a retrial following Danley's trial in Arkansas.

Flames rake mobile home

Silver Heels Volunteer firemen were called to a blazing scene about five miles south of Big Spring on Jeffrey Road Thursday night after Big Spring police received a call from a woman who said "My house is blowing up!"

The fire which raged through the mobile home of Dale Patterson at about 11:30 p.m. is believed to have originated in the electrical wiring. Patterson said there had been problems with the electrical system prior to the fire.

Burritos sale set Saturday

The Guadalupanos of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church will sell burritos in Highland Shopping Center Mall, Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. All proceeds will be given to the Volunteer Services Council for Big Spring State Hospital to be used for the patients.

The burritos will be homemade on Saturday morning and will sell for 50 cents for bean burritos and 65 cents for meat.

Police beat

Burglar chased by barking dog

David Glen Smith, 508 E. 12th, whose residence was broken into earlier this month, reported that someone apparently attempted to enter the home again.

Between 5 p.m. and 10 p.m. Thursday, someone apparently broke out a window, doing some $20 damage, and started to enter the home. A German Sheppard dog inside must have frightened the would-be burglar away before he could steal anything.

Pam Hanson, Coahoma, and Judy Cox, Box 136, reported that their car was parked on the street in front of the Que and Triangel, when their purses were stolen from the unlocked vehicle. Ms. Hanson's purse contained some $50 cash plus credit cards, bringing the loss to $65. Ms. Cox's purse and its contents were valued at $62.

Two accidents which apparently occurred earlier in the week were reported Thursday.

A parked vehicle belonging to Ronald Roby, 3603 LaJunta, was struck by a vehicle driven by Nola Jones, 2600 Carlton, around 1 a.m. Wednesday.

A vehicle belonging to Benjamin Florez Deanda, 400 NW 11th, was reportedly parked in the 1300 block of E 4th when another vehicle hit it and left the scene, probably Monday morning.

Three fenderbenders were reported Thursday.

At 11:35 a.m. Thursday, vehicles driven by Joey Ike Spears, 2210 Scurry, and Jim Mitchell, 808 Abrams, collided at 15th and Gregg.

Vehicles driven by Marie Jimenez Claverson, 1500 Robin, and Glenna Rogers Ritenour, 408 Westover, collided at 12:05 p.m. at 24th and Gregg.

At 5 p.m., vehicles operated by Rafael Hernandez, 3608 Dixon and Betty Johnson, 109 NW 12th, collided at the intersection of NE 10th and Goliad.

Case baffles authorities

Clues are still being sought to help identify the human skeleton discovered on a ranch southeast of town Jan. 17. Justice of the Peace Bob West said today that the bones continue to baffle authorities.

Sonya Deatherage's grand champ steer nets $52,000

STANTON — Sonya Deatherage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Deatherage of the Tarzan community in Martin County, returned home from the Southwest Livestock Show in Fort Worth last week with the biggest prize of all — $52,000.

Sonya's grand championship steer was purchased by Hansen Enterprizes of Fort Worth.

Martin County Extension Agent Preston Faris said the price paid for the Martin County animal was a world record.

Miss Deatherage was joined in the victory circle by two other Martin County residents, Kendall Newman and Kelly Holcomb.

Newman fielded the champion Hereford steer, which sold for $2,600. Miss Holcomb had the champion Polled Hereford, which she sold for $2,400.

C-City seeking logo, slogan

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking a logo or a symbol plus a slogan.

J.O. Dockery, president of the Ambassadors Club, strongly recommended a symbol of some kind so that it could be used for promotional purposes. The logo could be worn on the Ambassadors' blazers, Dockery said.

Plaques will be awarded to persons offering the winning logo and slogan. Deadline for entry is March 15.

Swank named gas firm exec

COLORADO CITY — Byron Swank, formerly of Hamlin, is the new manager of the Lone Star Gas Company in Colorado City.

Employed by Lone Star for 28 years, Swank began with the company in Waco and later was transferred to Albany.

Swank succeeds Wedge Turner, who was transferred to Snyder.

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Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home

Mrs. Jesse R. (Alice) Crane, age 68, died Thursday afternoon in Lubbock. Services 10:00 a.m. Saturday Feb. 10, 1979 in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with interment in Trinity Memorial Park.

Nalley-Pickle
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel
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Markets

Volume	111.40
Index	822.68
30 Industrials	up 3.81
Transportation	up .68
15 Utilities	off .14
American Airlines	11⅛
American Petrofina	27¾
Braniff	12¼
Bethlehem Steel	27⅛
Chrysler	10
Dr. Pepper	NS
Enserch	17½
Ford	40⅝
Firestone	13⅛
Getty	37¼
General Motors	55
Gulf	23⅞
General Telephone	29⅜
Halliburton	61½
Harte Hanks	21⅞
Houston Oil and Mineral	18¼
IBM	300⅝
J.C. Penney	31⅜
Johnsmanville	23½
Coca Cola	42¼
Mobil	69⅞
Phillips Petroleum	31½
Sears and Roebuck	20½
Sun Oil	43⅞
American Telephone & Tele	63⅛
Texaco	24⅝
Texas Instruments	79¾
Texas Utilities	19½
U.S. Steel	24
Exxon	50⅜
Westinghouse	17⅝
Western Union	15⅝
Zales	NS
Mutual Funds Amcap	8.31 9.08
Investors Co. of Amer.	14.98 16.37
Keystone	3.28 3.58
Puritan	10.02 10.95

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Farm markets

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Cattle and calves. Estimated receipts 1100 compared with 1550 last week and 1975 the same period a year ago. Compared with close of a week ago: Slaughter cows mostly 2.00 higher. Not enough slaughter bulls to fully test trends, few sales steady. All feeder cattle and calves steady to weak. Demand and trading moderate. Run includes around 18 percent slaughter classes. Balance mostly feeders. Receipts curtailed sharply due to rain and ice.

Slaughter cows: Utility 2-3 50.00-53.00; cutter 48.00-52.50; Small lot high dressing 55.00.

Slaughter bulls: Yield grade 1-2 900-1600 lbs. 55.00-62.00.

Feeder steers: Choice 250-400 lbs. 90.00-100.00; 400-500 lbs. 87.00-93.00; 500-600 lbs. 84.00-88.00; good 250-400 lbs. 85.00-91.50 400-500 lbs. 82.00-88.00; 500-600 lbs. 77.00-84.00.

Feeder heifers: Choice 200-300 lbs. 80.00-90.00; 300-400 lbs. 70.00-80.50; 400-500 lbs. 70.00-76.50; 500-600 lbs. 65.00-71.00; good 300-400 lbs. 72.00-78.00.

Hogs: Estimated receipts 750 compared with 875 last week and 1575 the same period a year ago. Compared with last week: Barrows and gilts steady to 1.00 higher.

Barrows and gilts US 1-2 200-230 lbs. 51.00-53.00; US 2-3 200-270 lbs. 50.00-52.00.

Sows: Steady to 1.00 higher. US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 45.00-46.00.

Boars: 300-650 lbs. 33.00-35.00; 150-250 lbs. 39.00-40.00.

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NOVEL APPROACH — Johnnie Lou Avery, president of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce, officially dedicates the opening this morning of the Cue and Triangle Club at Second and Main Streets in a novel way — by trying to cut the ribbon with a cue shot. Co-owners Dean Emme (standing immediately behind Mrs. Avery) and Coy McCann, with cue stick at the ready, along with members of the Chamber's Ambassadors Club and Chamber personnel, were on hand for the ritual. The Cue and Triangle Club formerly was located at 205 Runnels Street.

Second accident causes amnesia

NOCONA, Texas (AP) — First there was a loud cracking noise, then a thundering crash as the roof of the clothing store came thundering down, killing the two people underneath it.

By a few precious seconds, Pam Phipps escaped the tragedy. But the memory of the others who did not stayed in her mind, imbedding itself deep into the recesses of her consciousness.

Though the scars of that tragic afternoon didn't seem to affect Pam, no one knew it was only a matter of time before they would come to the surface.

Then, last month the teenager collided with another player on a basketball court, and suddenly the building was falling again — and Pam's world vanished in a fog of amnesia.

"It's like...like you've just come from another planet," Pam said. "You're sitting down here, and you don't know anybody."

Though she apparently suffered no serious or permanent damage, Pam spent several days in the hospital and still is rebuilding her memory.

Doctors will not comment on her case because lawsuits still are pending in the building collapse, but Pam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Phipps, said they were told their daughter's mind acted like a circuit breaker tripping to prevent an overload.

On Jan. 18, 1978, the 18-year-old varsity cheerleader was in Jim's Specialty Shop in this North Texas town of 3,000. Store manager Jean Crain and a customer, Clifton Baxter, were looking at men's sports jackets.

As Pam was leaving the store, she heard a crackling sound.

"I thought it was just the building settling," she said. But the 75-year-old structure collapsed, killing Mrs. Crain and Baxter. Their bodies were found where Pam had last seen them.

"In the back of her mind was still the thunder and the noise from this building falling in," Pam's mother, Gaither Phipps, quoted doctors as saying.

"When the girls collided heads, this rug was pulled out from under her, and she wasn't sure if that was a girl she hit or that building fell on her," Mrs. Phipps said.

Pam said when her doctor talked with her about the experience, "I could hear the ceiling. It was my imagination, but I could hear...crackling. I could just see it falling."

"Since she was not an immediate family member of these two people that were killed," Mrs. Phipps said, "nobody expected her to go into a deep mourning period or show a lot of emotion.

"She still had all the emotions, but she didn't show them outwardly. They were just all concealed in her. We didn't know that, and she probably didn't even know how much it had bothered her.

"This was just harboring in the back of her mind," Mrs. Phipps said, "and then she just got so busy and got all these things going. (The doctor) said it was all very definitely tied in together."

Pam said she was frightened when her memory vanished.

"People are telling you this is your mother and this is your father. Well, anybody could tell you, I mean, they could take me anywhere and say this is your mother and this is your father. I had to just take their word for it," Pam said. "I didn't know."

"It's really scary if you don't know anything."

Pam got re-acquainted with friends last week at a Nocona basketball game and dance. She went back to school this week, but things have been a little difficult since she doesn't know what she was studying before the accident.

Her memory returns in bits and pieces, usually triggered by a name or some conversation, and sometimes unexpectedly.

A film of the game in which she was injured didn't spark any memories, but it helped her to gain confidence to see herself playing, her mother said.

Watching the Harlem Globetrotters in an exhibition basketball game in nearby Wichita Falls, Pam noticed one of the players making free throws by angling from the side rather than centering on the basket.

Pam called it to her mother's attention, saying, "It looks like it would be easier that way." Pam had always shot her free throws from the side.

Weather

Cold temperatures greet most of Texas

By The Associated Press

Clear skies, brisk northerly winds and a large surface high pressure system combined to drop temperatures to bitter cold levels across most of Texas early today.

But help in the form of warmer temperatures was on the way. Highs today were expected to range from the 40s in Northeast Texas to the 50s and 60s over most of the remainder of the state. In the Big Bend area of Southwest Texas, the mercury was predicted to reach the lower 70s.

Temperatures plunged to below freezing as far south as Galveston and San Antonio. Both had 32-degree readings during the pre-dawn hours.

Forecasts called for a warming trend to continue today, tonight and Friday with highs by Saturday expected to approach the 60-degree reading across much of the northern half of the state.

Skies remained clear over most of the state today and the north wind at about 15 mph combined with the sub-freezing temperatures to make it appear even colder.

Early morning temperatures ranged from the upper teens in the Panhandle and North Texas to the 40s in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Fair and warmer through Saturday. Highs 50s and 60s except 70s Big Bend. Lows 20s mountains to 30s elsewhere. Highs Saturday mostly in the 60s except 70s Big Bend.

EXTENDED FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy and warm Sunday and Monday becoming fair and cooler Tuesday. Highs in 50s and 60s Sunday and Monday cooling to 40s and 50s Tuesday. Lows in 30s and 40s Sunday cooling to 20s and 30s Tuesday.

TEMPERATURES

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	54	19
Amarillo	44	20
Chicago	14	-1
Cincinnati	17	2
Denver	30	20
Dallas-Ft. Worth	52	17
Houston	66	29
Los Angeles	69	42
Miami	65	52
New Orleans	55	41
Richmond	44	21
St. Louis	13	9
San Francisco	56	49
Seattle	50	48
Washington D.C.	36	20

Sun sets today at 6:27 p.m. Sun rises Saturday at 7:33 a.m. Highest temperature this date 88 in 1957. Lowest temperature 10 in 1929. Most precipitation 0.24 in 1927.

WEATHER FORECAST — Very cold weather is expected in the forecast period, Friday until Saturday morning, for the eastern half of the nation. Cold weather is forecast for the Northwest and milder temperatures for the Southwest. Rain is expected for the northern half of the Pacific coast. Snow is forecast in the northern Plains.

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7 **The end of all things is at hand;** therefore, be of sound judgment and sober spirit for the purpose of prayer.

8 Above all, keep fervent in your love for one another, because love covers a multitude of sins.

9 Be hospitable to one another without complaint.

10 **As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another,** as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

11 Whoever speaks, let him speak, as it were, the utterances of God; whoever serves, let him do so as by the strength which God supplies; so that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom belongs the glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

12 Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal among you, which comes upon you for your testing, as though some strange thing were happening to you;

13 but to the degree that you share the sufferings of Christ, keep on rejoicing; so that also at the revelation of His glory, you may rejoice with exultation.

14 If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you.

15 By no means let any of you suffer as a murderer, or thief, or evildoer, or a troublesome meddler;

16 But if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not feel ashamed, but in that name let him glorify God.

17 **For it is time for judgment to begin with the household of God;** and if it begins with us first, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God?

18 AND IF IT IS WITH DIFFICULTY THAT THE RIGHTEOUS IS SAVED, WHAT WILL BECOME OF THE GODLESS MAN AND THE SINNER?

19 Therefore, let those also who suffer according to the will of God entrust their souls to a faithful Creator in doing what is right.

— 1st Peter 4:7-19

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State's combination hard to beat

The fact that the population growth in Texas has doubled the national average during the 1970s can be attributed to more than the lure of warm weather.

It's true that states throughout the Sunbelt have experienced a phenomenal surge since the energy crunch began, but this state's growth has been bigger than most. Not the least of the reasons for the steady admission of people is the fact that a lot of business firms are relocating down here because of the favorable tax situation.

THE BIGGEST CITIES in Texas have urban problems but they are nothing compared to some of the metropolises in the north and east. Cleveland and New York, to name two, have been flirting with financial disaster for a long time now, with relief not yet in sight.

The abundance of energy in Texas has helped but those administering to the public needs must be doing some things right, too.

The growth rate within the state is supposed to continue well into the 80s. That promise provides a good argument for neither abandoning our prudent tax policies nor so restricting revenues that we can't meet the needs of increasing urbanization and population pressures successfully.

From April 1, 1970, through July 1, 1978, Texas grew in population by a rather startling 16.2 per cent, to the point that it ranks only behind California and New York in total population. It likely will overtake New York in the next 25 to 30 years. Numerically, California continues to show tremendous gains. New York, on the other hand, actually has declined in population.

MOREOVER, TEXAS now has, as the end of the decade looms, three of the ten largest cities in the country. Houston is fifth, outranked only by New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Los Angeles, and is certain to go higher in the listings. Dallas is seventh, San Antonio tenth.

The situation for greater growth is rosy because there is room for expansion in practically all directions.

Steady as she goes is good advice for those steering Texas government to follow right now. Our combination is hard to beat.

Teng on the road

Evans, Novak

SEATTLE — On the eighth and last night of Teng Hsiao-ping's U.S. visit, the more symbolic piece of evidence was provided about how quickly respectable conservative opposition to the new Washington-Peking link has vanished.

Instead of standing outside in the Seattle rain protesting abandonment of antidcommunist Taiwan, leaders of the business establishment were inside at Canlis' expensive restaurant hosting a dinner for the veteran of the Communist long march of 1934. The guest list, selected by Boeing Co. chairman T.A. Wilson, included industrial giants of the Pacific Northwest.

That was the tone of Teng's five days on tour after leaving Washington. While his stay in the capital was marked by reassurances of non-combativeness toward Taiwan and warnings about the Russian polar bear. Teng on the road was talking business.

BUSINESS LEADERS IN the three prosperous, high-development cities visited — Atlanta, Houston and Atlanta — were more than willing to respond. The only visible opposition came from extremists (Birchers and Klansmen on the right, Maoists on the left), members of the Chinese-American community loyal to Taiwan and a few nervous politicians.

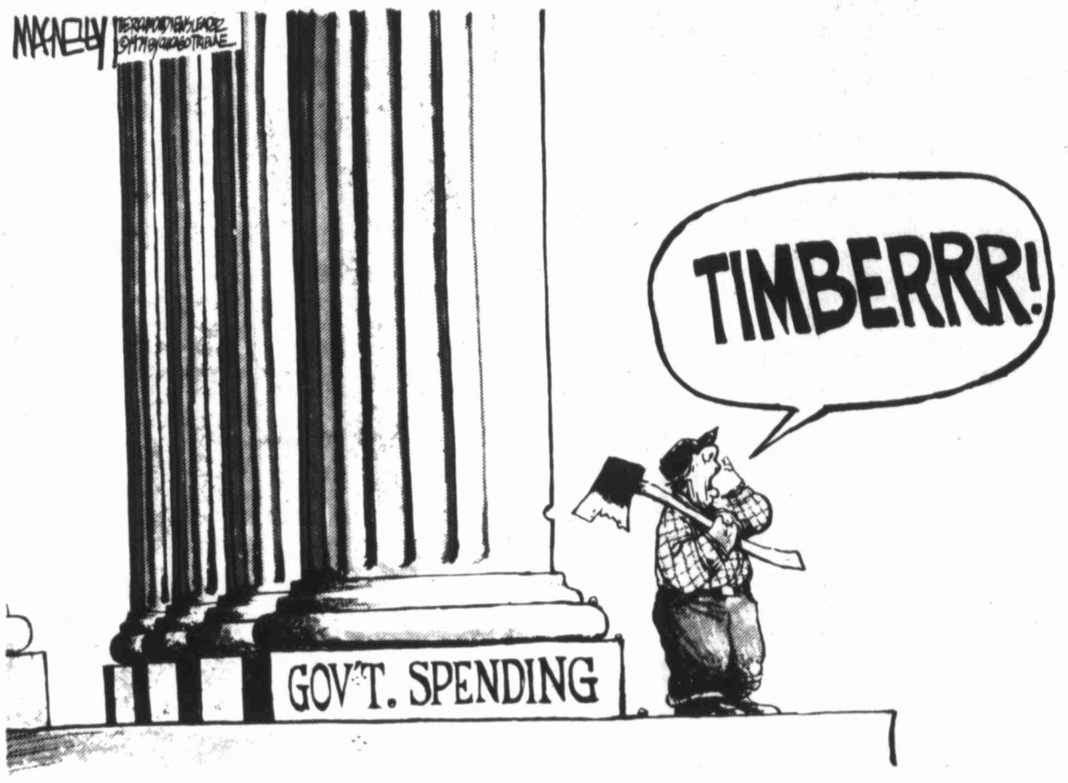
Such nervous politicians were most obvious in Texas. Republican Gov. William Clements greeted Teng at Houston with warmth that matched the winter chill. Clements was positively bubbling, however, compared to Houston's Mayor Jim McConn, who declined to give him the key to the city on grounds that Houston and Taipei are "sister cities."

But businessmen and other leaders of the Houston establishment — including Lt. Gov. William Hobby — felt McConn had overreacted and were embarrassed by him. Hobby, the state's senior Democratic official, introduced Teng to a steak-and-egg breakfast of newspaper editors. At that breakfast, his mother — Oveta Culp Hobby, chairman of the Houston Post — declared "we live in a changing time" that includes U.S.-Chinese "reapprochment."

Carter administration officials had feared that editors from Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana would verbally assault Teng over Taiwan and communism. Not one such query was asked. Instead, they were concerned mainly with dollars-and-cents issues: U.S.-Chinese agreement on oil exploration, Chinese farm production, farm imports from the U.S., Chinese oil exports. "You see," a triumphant China expert from the Carter administration proclaimed to reporters, "that's what people really care about."

Although news reports stressed his attack on Soviet "warmongers," Teng's masterful speech to an Atlanta Chamber of Commerce luncheon emphasized how much China could learn from the people "in what you call the Sunbelt." Such stroking of civic pride and the profit motive surpassed even anti-Soviet harranguing on Teng's road trip.

SO, THE FINAL-NIGHT Seattle dinner was a natural culmination. As a piano played show tunes of the 1930s, Teng rubbed elbows with the likes of George Weyerhaeuser of the Weyerhaeuser Co. Towering multimillionaire David Packard, Richard Nixon's deputy secretary of defense, leaned down to exchange pleasantries with the 5-foot-2 Chinese leader sipping a Coca-Cola ("I ordered a Coke because I've got to get used to it," Teng quipped).



Does slipped disc require surgery?

Paul E. Ruble, M.D.

Dear Dr. Ruble: I have been flat on my back for a month now. My doctor thinks I have a slipped disc between the L-4 and L-5 vertebrae. I have very minor pain. I do not want to go through a myelogram or the surgery. Is thre medicine or other treatment, such as massage, traction, heat, special exercises? Is the surgery very dangerous? Please comment. — B.W.

There are some contradictions in your letter. If the pain is "very minor," why have you been laid up for a month? Does that mean you get the pain only when you are up and around? No one relishes the idea of surgery, but any problem that immobilizes a person for this length of time requires some additional treatment.

Vertebrae are the sections comprising the spine, and the L-4 and L-5 (lower spine) sections are chief trouble spots. In fact, they are the site of about 90 percent of all spinal disc problems. Most disc disorders can be treated conservatively — as with rest on a firm mattress, traction, heat, and gradually increased exercise. This is the treatment tried first. But if none of it works and if the pain persists, then surgery must be considered, especially if there is nerve damage. The object is to relieve the pressure on the nerve caused by the disc protrusion.

You express some concern, too, about the myelogram. That is a special kind of X-ray of the spine. The pictures are made after special dye has been injected into the spinal canal. It provides a nice contrast for clear pictures and is done to confirm suspicions and to locate the precise problem area before surgery. It must be done. It rarely causes any problem.

So if other treatment has failed, you would do well to consider the surgery. If you have doubts about the need for it you can seek a second opinion.

Dear Dr. Ruble: A year ago I used a household disinfectant for a douche. I had a bad burning. My doctor gave me cream to apply and said I would be OK. How long does this problem last? — Mrs. G.B.

I assume you've had sufficient scolding by now. Household cleaning solutions are fine for sinks and floors, but have no place inside the body or for any hygiene purposes. The strong alkalis and acid solutions are terribly irritating, especially to the delicate internal skin. A horrible burn, which will result, takes a long time to heal. Scarring and stricture (tightening) of tissue may result, especially if the burn is deep.

I suspect you used this accidentally. I certainly hope that was the case. Continue using the creams and be examined again to assure that healing is progressing. Also, look into the problem that prompted you to use the disinfectant in the first place.

Dear Dr. Ruble: I am a 53-year-old female. I have been taking B vitamins for the past 15 years. Could this give one a body odor? — Mrs. S.S.

It is unlikely, but possible. Combinations of B vitamins may cause a distinctive odor in the urine. It is conceivable, therefore, that a very large amount of the vitamins taken over a long period would cause a mild body odor.

Dear Dr. Ruble: I have sinus difficulty and seem to have trouble, especially when I fly. But I must fly in my work. What can be done? — Mrs. T.L.

Decongestant drops for the nose or one of the inhalants before boarding might help. It might also be used prior to descent. A variety of these products is available, as well as decongestants in pill form. No guarantees, but they are worth a try.

Dear Dr. Ruble: I have read about the Kegel exercise to help women who have stress incontinence. How effective is this and how long before one should expect to have some improvement? I had this problem after my last baby was born. — H.D.

The exercise is quite effective if the cause of the incontinence (leakage) is weakened pelvic muscles. That can sometimes result in leakage of urine with certain stresses, such as coughing, sneezing, lifting, etc. Some women note improvement in a couple of weeks, some in months. You do the exercise by using the muscles involved in shutting off urination. Do this while actually urinating or in between times. The exercises require patience and persistence. The method is always worth a trial before resorting to surgical repair.

"You Can Stop Sinus Trouble!" is the title of a booklet explaining what sinus trouble really is and what can be done about it. For a copy write to Dr. Ruble in care of The Big Spring Herald, enclosing a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 50 cents.

Dr. Ruble 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.

Crisis solved; so are faces

The State Department had a mini-crisis develop recently when it was discovered there were no People's Republic flags on hand for the visit to Washington by Chinese Deputy Premier Teng Hsio-ping.

A hurry-up order went in for 150 of the banners. (No, Taiwan didn't offer to help).

If the Red flags hadn't come in, the Chinese might not have noticed because a lot of red-faced officials would have been lining the sidewalks.

My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: My father-in-law is a very selfish man, but any time anyone tries to get him to change his ways he always quotes some Bible passage to justify his behavior. I know he is twisting the Bible for his own purposes, but what can we do about it? — Mrs. A.N.

DEAR MRS. A.N.: You have probably discovered that it does little good to argue with him, or even to come up with passages of scripture which contradict his opinions — although at times this may be helpful. Someone has said you can prove anything by the Bible, as long as you take it out of context. I'm not sure this is completely true, but even the devil tried to twist scripture to his own purposes when he tempted Jesus (see Matthew 4:1-11). We study the Bible correctly when we find out what it really says — not what we want it to say.

I know it is hard to have patience with someone who is especially selfish. But you should remember that we are all selfish to one degree or another, and this self-centeredness is at the heart of sin. If you are a Christian, you are called to love your father-in-law, in spite of his selfishness. So ask God to give you a love for him. "This is the message you heard from the beginning: We should love one another" (1 John 3:11, New International Version). Part of that love will also be a patience with him, and a refusal to get drawn into arguments with him. Think of specific ways you can show love to him, also — sometimes a seemingly insignificant deed (like taking him on a ride with you or giving him a little present sometimes when you visit him) will do more than anything else to show your love for him.

Then pray for your father-in-law, that the Holy Spirit will convince him of his need of Jesus Christ, who will forgive him and come to take over the center of his life. Pray also that God will give you opportunities to share Christ with him, both from your personal testimony and from the Bible's truth.

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"I may disagree with what you have to say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

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Enemy in midst

Around the rim

James Werrell

According to the National Federation For Decency, there is an enemy in our midst.

It's that innocent looking box in our living rooms known as the TV.

Most of you probably thought that the tube was just something to prop up your feet in front of after a hard day's work; a harmless diversion; a cure for insomnia. Oh, how wrong you are!

LITTLE DID YOU KNOW (unless you are a charter member of NFFD) that you are exposing yourself (excuse me, wrong choice of words)... that you are subjecting yourself to an onslaught of untold thousands of sexually suggestive comments, allusions to alcoholic comsumption and instances of jiggly!

Surprised, right? Well it's all there in black and white (or living color, as the case may be) in the latest report from the NFD.

These folks gathered a panel of viewers across the country to monitor 762.5 hours of prime-time programming between Sept. 10 and Dec. 2. As they watched (I wonder how they avoided being corrupted themselves) they took records of instances of sex inside and outside of marriage, profanity, comsumption of alcoholic beverages, and, my favorite, jiggly.

This last, by the way, is defined as "undue and unnecessary emphasis on the female anatomy." The dangers here are obvious: Imagine going straight from a shot of Suzanne Sommers to a Jello commercial. You could get terminal jigglies from something like that!

In the way of profanity, NFFD claims that networks have caused our ears to burn with the "F" word, the "S" word, the "SOB" words, and the compound "S" word that begins with "B." In addition, programs have featured such, phrases as "stick it up your rear," and the word "buns" which NFFD claims was "used as an expression for breasts."

In the area of beverage consumption, alcohol was "actually drunk, asked to be drunk, or shown preparing to be drunk" 2,630 times during those hundreds of hours of viewing. Milkshakes were at the bottom of the list of beverages; drunk, requested or Osterized only four times.

LEMONADE, HOT chocolate and soup also fared very poorly. Ranking fairly high on the list, however, was "unidentified." This is probably the stuff that mad scientists drink out of test tubes.

In its survey the NFFD also identifies advertisers which can be counted on to either capitablize on sex, profanity and alcohol, or shy away from the prurient. I was surprised to see Mr. Coffee among the "ten highest ad ratio sex sponsors."

Well, if that's what being married to Marilyn Monroe does to you, then forget it buster!

Hershey (of hot chocolate fame), Xerox, Pizza Hut and Coca-Cola were among the nice guys.

NFFD gets down to the real nitty-gritty with its lists of top ten sex and top ten profanity oriented shows. Topping both lists are motion pictures aired by all three networks. In other words, the most offensive offerings on the tube consist of that which people had previously left home and paid money to see.

The list of least smut-oriented shows was also somewhat of a surprise. Couched among such uplifting dramas as "Grandpa Goes To Washington" and "Project UFO," were the World Series, the American League Playoffs and Monday Night Football.

What's the matter? Didn't NFFD notice that during these seemingly innocent pastimes men were scoring bases on balls, making home runs, and penetrating each other's end-zones? American youth, hide your eyes!

And what about Howard Cosell? He may not be "sex-oriented" but he comes about as close as anything on TV to being obscene. As a matter of fact, when he comes on the air, I often get the temptation to scoot my buns right out of the room.

Loose spending

Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — Just about every nation in real or apparent need has received aid from the United States. The handouts have been channeled through the Agency for International Development, which has carefully disbursed the biggest bucks to friendly regimes. The cash on the barrelhead, theoretically, has helped improve U.S. influence abroad.

This hardheaded, practical approach has always been the selling point that got AID appropriations through Congress — $38 billion since 1961. Any suggestion of simple-minded, do-good extravagance is enough to arouse the wrath of conservative budget cutters on Capitol Hill.

ACCORDINGLY, AID officials have usually maintained close supervision over the way recipients spend their funds. But there is disturbing evidence that they are far less tightfisted when it comes to the money they spend on themselves.

Recent internal audits turned up shocking examples of high living, sloppy record keeping, disregard of agency guidelines and just plain waste in the handling of adminstrative funds. AID's operating expenses are now about $250 million a year.

Some of the agency's 71 missions overseas are run efficiently, but certain abuses are widespread. Telephones and travel funds are used for personal and unofficial purposes. Lavish improvements are made to mission offices without authorization from headquarters. The luxurious, pukka-sahib lifestyle of some mission directors is a mockery of the poverty programs they are supervising.

Here are some of the cases the auditors uncovered:

—In Mali, an improverished land-locked nation in the Sahara desert, all 15 houses leased for AID personnel are equipped with swimming pools, though a public pool is readily available. Not only that, the maintenance costs of these private pools are paid out of operating funds. The Mali mission ignored a 1976 directive from Washington intended to curtail the leasing of houses with swimming pools.

—Top officials of the Pakistan mission have treated their administrative budgets like personal slush funds. Richard Cashin, who took over as mission director in 1977, put the official AID car and chauffeur at his family's beck and call; auditors found records of daily trips to "food markets, jewelry shops, a handicraft center, the American Women's Club sales outlet, rug dealers, beauty shops and similar establishments." The deputy mission director also took the opportunity to cash in on the easy access to public funds by employing two full-time gardeners at his home.

—Reflecting their bosses' cavalier attitude toward the taxpayers' money, single employees and childless couples at the Pakistan mission occupy four-bedroom houses with five or six air conditioners. The auditors were at least able to keep the mission from spending $60,000 for 100 clothes dryers, pointing out that "for most of the year the air is bone-dry." The mission's reason for requesting the fancy appliances was that staff morale would suffer if AID employees couldn't keep up with the Joneses at the American embassy, which issues dryers to its personnel.

—When Irving Tragen took over the Panama AID mission in 1975, he added $6,668 worth of security devices to the official residence, rented an alarm system and hired a full-time guard. He used AID funds to buy a stereo set and color television, and even such picayune items as a shower head and bathroom scale. The deputy director also purchased a color TV with public money, as well as a bar, an ice-making machine and a barbeque.

—General Accounting Office investigators found that the Honduras mission had owned an airplane since 1965; the plane's operating and maintenance expenses ran to $32,000 a year. Mission officials explained they needed a plane to inspect AID projects in the rugged Honduran boondocks; they sold the plane after GAO's audit, and now rent aircraft as needed.

Big Spring Herald Mailbag

Dear Editor:

I would like to relate to the public some of the deceptive antics of the so-called 'Farm Bureau.'

A Farm Bureau spokesman in Midland, Rusty Jones, said on Channel 2 that the Farm Bureau does not support 100 per cent parity in the marketplace or any of the American Agriculture Movement proposals.

I would like for Jones, or anyone else, to explain to me how any organization can call itself a 'farm' organization and not support the backbone of America, the farmer; and insist that he plow his heart out for no profit or even a loss.

Perhaps the name should be changed from Farm Bureau to Bob Bergland's Bureaucrats. I don't think the Secretary of Agriculture or the Farm Bureau know enough about farming to carry on a sensible conversation about agriculture.

What I am trying to say to the people in our area is: Don't let the word 'Farm' in Farm Bureau fool you into thinking it is an organization for farmers. It's not.

The largest number of card-holding Farm Bureau members in Texas live in Harris County, which is Houston. I'm willing to bet there are very few serious farmers in Houston.

I wish to leave you with a quote from the Bible: "Beat your plowshares into swords, and your pruning hooks into spears; let the weak say, I am strong. Joel 3:10.

Tommy Scott
Rt. 1, Box 282

'Standing orders' implemented

Nursing crisis charge draws reply

By MICKIE DICKSON

"There is not a crisis in nursing today," said Mrs. Jean B. Connelly, R. N., Director of Nursing Service, Malone-Hogan Hospital, "The cirsis lies in the nurses of today."

"Not knowing the particulars of the case or situation which led to the attorney general's Dec. 19 ruling on standing orders, it would be difficult to state that his opinion will have a drastic effect on health care in Texas," Mrs. Connelly stated.

The phrase "physician's routine standing orders" can be deceptive and misleading, and cause confusion as to the validity of such orders. It is assumed that "standing orders" are used to treat a patient in the absence of a physician.

In Malone-Hogan Hospital, "standing orders" are implemented by professional registered nurses in cases already disgnosed by the physician, and in emergency situations. It is a mutual understanding between physicians and nurses that an emergency is a condition that requires immediate attention for the preservation of a patient's life.

The right of the professional nurse to perform "acts" such as control of hemorrhage, restoring respirations and heart beat, prevention of shock, etc., in an emergency condition is of substantial significance to preserve life.

Mrs. Connelly says that she cannot foresee any court of law charging a qualified and experienced professional nurse with "malpractice" by responding to an emergency in the absence of a physician, particularly if there are written guidelines approved by the medical staff.

"It would be inhumane for a nurse to observe a patient in cardiac arrest and waste precious minutes to give definitive treatment until a physician has examined and diagnosed the patient as being in cardiac arrest. That would be termed negligence on her part provided she has been trained to assess and react in an emergency. This has been substantiated by many court cases" Mrs. Connelly continues.

Mrs. Connelly agrees that the Texas Nurse Practice Act should be updated with several revisions as well as addendums, particularly mandatory licensure. However, She says, citing the attorney general's decision in one case should not be used to influence the legislature.

A "spokesperson" for the Texas Nurses Association recently stated in a newspaper article "while nurses have no means nor intention of calling a strike, something must be done by the legislature to correct the situation." Mrs. Connelly states that it is beyond her imagination to think that statement is indicative of the opinions of the thousands of registered nurses in Texas who are not members of the TNA.

"As a director of nursing service," Mrs. Connelly states, "I would be derelict in my duty to knowingly place any nurse on the staff in a compromising position by asking or requiring her to perform any illegal act."

"As I stated in the beginning, I personally do not feel there is a crisis in nursing today. The crisis lies in the nurses. Somehow, too many agitators have infiltrated the RN ranks, attained leadership in some areas and influenced the 'new breed' of nurses to forget the basics, namely, dedication to our profession, dignity and discipline in our duty," Mrs. Connelly concludes.

Dr. P.W. Malone says there is no cause for concern on the part of patients or nurses in the hospital or clinic. The two work so closely together with good communication and report that few "standing orders" are implemented.

Dr. Nell Sanders, who is a registered nurse in addition to her medical degree, declares that each patient is treated as an individual at Medical Arts. The same medication may be given to many patients, but only after each one is examined to determine if it is right for him. In emergency situations she expects the RNs to exercise good common sense and good judgment in implementing routine orders to save lives.

Registered Nurse Martha Ellingwood of the Planned Parenthood Center was not aware of the attorney general's opinion H 1295, but felt she needed to learn about it. The raport between the Center and its consulting physicians is very good.

Native of Big Spring appointed to Phillips University position

ENID, Okla — David L. Holmes, a native of Big Spring, has been appointed director of development at Phillips University, according to Ralph E. Glenn, executive assistant to the president.

Holmes, a graduate of Texas Christian University and Brite Divinity School at TCU, has been with the Colorado Christian Home in Denver, Colo., director of public relations since 1976.

While at the Colorado Christian Home, Holmes was responsible for organizing its fund raising events and shared in the development areas with the home's director of development.

Homes' wife, Lysa, is a registered nurse specializing in neonatalogy.

Holmes will be primarily responsible for the Annual Fund, with concentration on the gift clubs of Founders' Circle, the Enid-Phillips Partnership, corporate giving, and alumni support. He begins his duties at Phillips Feb. 19.

"Filling this position has concerned us for quite sometime, I'm happy we found someone with David's skills and character for the job. I think he will strengthen our development program," said Glenn.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

SHANGHAI SNACKER — The weather outside may have been frightful, but this Shanghai youngster still found the taste of ice cream delightful recently on a street in China's largest city.

Vocational Education Week booked Feb. 11-17

"Vocational Education Week," an annual invitation to Texas taxpayers to take a close look at the programs now training more than one million students and adults for skilled jobs, will be observed Feb. 11-17 throughout the state.

Gov. William P. Clements has proclaimed the seven-day period Vocational Education Week in Texas.

High schools, junior and community colleges, technical institutes, and special adult skill centers will open their doors to tours and other visits by interested citizens, according to Ben F. Teague, Texas Education Agency associate commissioner for occupational education and technology.

"Our state has a real need for skilled technicians and crafts workers," Teague points out. "For this reason, Texas schools and colleges are definitely responding to the needs of business and industry for well-trained men and women."

Vocational programs are offered high school students in 949 Texas school districts and at 67 junior and community colleges, according to data compiled by the Texas Education Agency.

During 1977-78, 566,411 high school students studied in the laboratories and shops in their home districts and in cooperative on-the-job training programs. Another 480,299 adults were trained at the Texas State Technical Institute, junior and community colleges, special adult skill centers, and in apprenticeship programs.

New programs designed to meet the needs of a changing industry are being developed to train technicians for future jobs in coal mining and solar energy, Teague points out.

"Both the public schools and community colleges are making a real effort to prepare their students for jobs which will be opening up in the business and industrial centers," Teague says.

"Naturally, these cover a wide range...from laser electro-optics to television production, from environmental health to underwater welding, from nuclear systems technology to diesel and heavy truck mechanics."

Vocational Education Week is sponsored nationally by the American Vocational Association. State sponsors include the Texas Education Agency, Texas Vocational-Technical Association, and the Advisory Council for Vocational-Technical Education in Texas.

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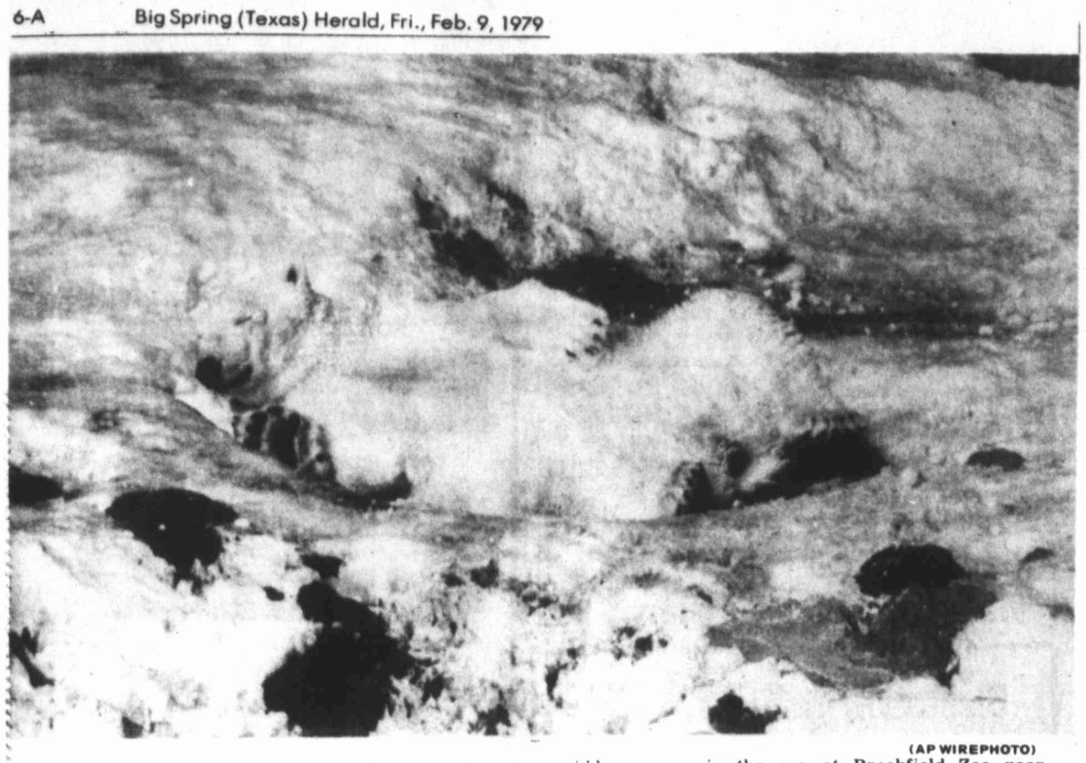

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LOVE THAT WEATHER — Too much snow and cold might not actually be enough for this polar bear, taking a midday snooze in the sun at Brookfield Zoo near Chicago.

Bill to raise state school aid, teachers' salary is introduced

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Sen. Pete Snelson, D-Midland, has introduced a bill raising teacher salaries 15 percent over the next two years and increasing state aid to school districts by $1.4 billion.

Over half the new state aid — $852 million — would go toward raising minimum teacher pay under the Foundation School Program.

Snelson said his bill embodied recommendations of the Texas State Teachers Association.

He said "the $64 question" is passing it in an economy-minded session, where Gov. Bill Clements is insisting on $1 billion in cuts from the already tight appropriation bill written by the Legislative Budget Board.

"I think we will have to play a prioritizing game of whether to put funds into education, indirect tax relief or other agencies. This would not require an additional tax bill but would necessitate some reprioritizing of how we spend our money," Snelson said.

Snelson's bill would maintain local fund assignments — the local taxpayers' share — for the foundation program at current levels. This would substitute state funds for $267 million in new local expenditures required by existing law.

These funds already are included in the Legislative Budget Board's bill, along with $314 million for teacher pay raises of 5.1 percent a year.

Snelson's bill would raise teacher salaries 9.8 percent in 1979-80 and another 5.2 percent in 1980-81.

The minimum salary for a beginning teacher with a bachelor's degree would jump from $8,540 to $10,000 and for a master's degree teacher from $9,110 to $10,630.

All teachers would be moved to a higher level in the overall public school salary classification plan.

State equalization aid, designed to upgrade poor school districts, would increase by $63.9 million a year.

Snelson's bill also would increase state funding for school operating costs — other than salaries — by $77.2 million a year and for bus expenses by $16.9 million in 1979-80 and $18.4 million in 1980-81.

Snelson said Texas' average teacher pay had dropped from 31st in the nation in 1977-78 to 33rd in 1978-79. The Texas average currently is $12,975, according to the National Education Association.

The national average is $15,040, the NEA says.

"The bill is aimed at moving the average teacher pay in Texas toward parity with the national average," Snelson said.

Another feature of the bill would require school districts to spend 95 percent of the state funds they earn for kindergarteners and first graders and 80 percent of their allocations for grades 2 and 3 to hire teachers for those four grades. This, in theory, would reduce teacher-pupil ratios in the lower grades.

In the House, Rep. Froy Salinas, D-Lubbock, introduced legislation that would raise the oil production tax from 4.6 percent to 12.5 percent of market value and apply most of the proceeds to public schools.

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Education commissioner reports

People want return to basics

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The message is clear — the public wants schools to go back to teaching reading, writing and arithmetic, says State Education Commissioner M.L. Brockette.

Brockette also told the Senate Finance Committee on Thursday textbooks and other teaching materials cost the state only $12.41 per student per year yet Texas schools are better supplied than schools in any other state.

Nevertheless, committee member John Traeger shook his head and whistled softly when Deputy Commissioner Alton Bowen read the 1980-81 education budget recommended by the Legislative Budget Board.

"Don't read those figures," interrupted Sen. Grant Jones, D-Abilene, smiling.

To teach over 3 million children over the next two years, the budget board has recommended spending $6.5 billion from all funding sources. This includes $314 million in teacher salary increases and $450 million to make up for losses in local property taxes caused by the 1978 Tax Relief Amendment.

"I go along with the majority of legislators who are insisting that we go back to basics," said Sen. Raul Longoria, D-Edinburg. "The question is, are we returning to basics?"

"You have every right — we all do — to be concerned with the low performances from a number of kids in the public schools," said Brockette.

He said, however, most school districts tell the education agency "reading, writing and arithmetic are their highest priority. I don't think anyone is missing that signal in this day and time."

Bowen was asked if current laws make it difficult to teach basics, and he replied, "I don't feel so. The flexibility with the local districts is there, and they can handle what local citizens desire."

Brockette told committee members not to expect immediate improvement on college entrance scores. He stressed that the return to basic education is a long-range commitment, and scores eventually will improve.

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Retrial of Henley has been moved

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — The new trial of Elmer Wayne Henley, whose 1974 convictions in six of the 27 grisly Houston homosexual torture slayings were reversed, has been moved to Corpus Christi.

Henley's retrial is tentatively scheduled to begin June 4 in State District Judge Noah Kennedy's 148th District court, Kennedy said Thursday.

State District Judge Preston Dial, whom the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals said erred in Henley's first trial here, granted the change of venue Thursday morning in a brief hearing in the well-guarded Bexar County Courthouse.

Numerous Bexar County sheriff's deputies and bailiffs escorted Henley to the courtroom and stood guard in the outside halls. The courthouse was the scene two weeks ago of a wild stabbing spree in which a man wounded three persons, including a prosecutor.

A prisoner was also fatally shot last summer during a prisoner transfer at the courthouse.

Henley, 22, had been moved to the Bexar County Jail on Tuesday and confined to an isolation cell. During his 1974 trial here, a metal detector was used to screen those going into the courtroom. Such a device was not used Thursday, Garza said.

Henley was sentenced to six consecutive 99-year prison sentences after his first trial.

The appeals court, however, ordered a new trial last December after ruling that Dial should have agreed to hear evidence on a defense motion for a second change of venue.

The highly-publicized trial had originally been moved from Houston.

Henley was returned to the Harris County Jail to await his retrial.

His face pale and his once-long hair trimmed short from his stay in prison, Henley wore a leisure-suit jacket and tie for his courtroom appearance that lasted less than 10 minutes.

During the proceedings, Dial asked Henley if he agreed to the change of venue. "Yes, sir," Henley replied quietly.

Kennedy had feared Thursday afternoon that a crowded docket might force him to turn over the case to a visiting judge from Harris County. But he said later in the day that he would be able to preside in the case.

Asked how he felt about accepting such a highly-publicized case, Kennedy said, "I'll try it just like any other case."

Outside the San Antonio courtroom, Henley's mother, Mary, said of her son, "God won't let him stay in there (prison) for the rest of his life for something he didn't do. He (Henley) accepts it as that and goes on and does the best he can.

"God is preparing him for something. He has to suffer through things to be strong for whatever God wants him to do," she added.

'Self-built' house open for inspection

The new home being self-built by Aeron Odan will be open for public inspection Sunday.

Hours will be from 1 to 5 p.m. and the home is located at Route 3, Box 175, Colorado City.

The home is a 2 story style, one of many designs available through Miles Homes, one of the nation's pioneer, pre-cut, do-it-yourself home marketers.

Michael Lewaren, Miles Homes representative in this area, stated that the home is being shown before actual completion so that visitors may examine the construction and quality of materials which go into the home. "Many of the quality features of the home are not visible once the inner walls are finished, so it is our policy to show the public exactly what goes into our homes from the inside out, so to speak," Mike said.

In addition to inspecting the home, visitors will be able to gain first hand information from the owner-builder, Aeron Odan, who will be present to answer questions pertaining to the home.

Mike said Miles pre-cuts and bundles many of the difficult parts of the home to speed up construction and reduce on the job material waste. Lewaren added that in addition to materials, Miles Homes supplies blueprints and step-by-step instructions.

Miles Homes, a division of Insilco, a Fortune 500 diversified corporation, also makes available construction financing for the 50 models of homes it markets in over 40 states.

In order to reach the site of the open house, visitors should go to the intersection of Highways 80 and 208 (blinking light) and proceed south 2-10 mile; turn east and go 2-10 mile.

Water deliveries to oil firms lag

An abnormal January, coupled with the surface water cutoff to oil companies, got 1979 production off to a sluggish start for the Colorado River Municipal Water District.

Total production for the month was 1,110,106, 291 gallons, down 13.7 percent or about 176 million gallons from January 1978. Of this decline, 129 million gallons were in reduced deliveries to oil companies.

Odessa, alone of the cities, showed a gain. Total municipal deliveries stood at 779,712,000 gallons, down 5.75 for the month.

Odessa required 343,526,000 gallons, a gain of 7.64 percent; Big Spring was 179,135,000, down 7.45 percent; Snyder 62,249,000, down 6.13 percent; Stanton 6,022,000, down 20.82 percent; Midland 188,780,000, down 21.22 percent. Robert Lee took 1,032,200 gallons, whereas a year ago it was not taking water from Lake Spence.

Deliveries to oil companies aggregated only 330,394,291 gallons, down 129 million gallons or 28.02 percent. The decline is all the more dramatic when it is considered that last year the companies were reduced to half of their normal draw.

On the light side

Retiring mouth

PIQUA, Ohio (AP) — Charlie the macaw has gone south with his mouth.

"A man who has moved to Florida took him. He is going to live in a nice house and bask in the sun," said Carl Franks, manager of the Fort Piqua Hotel.

The macaw made his home at the hotel for 10 years, but apparently grew weary of gaping guests. Last fall, the 20-year-old bird took a nip out of a woman that took five stitches to close.

"I wish I were going with him," said Franks of the bird's Florida retirement.

Buffalo's buffalos

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Buffalo's boosting buffalos for the Biblical Zoo.

So says the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service here, in announcing Israel will soon get two American bison as gifts from Buffalo, N.Y. The mighty animals are presents for Buffalo's "sister city," Kiryat Gat, in southwest Israel.

The buffalo will be housed at the National Biblical Zoo in Jerusalem, in facilities built for their display and eventual breeding.

Disco Tech

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) — Oklahoma State University may have to change its name to "Disco Tech."

The school is offering hotel and restaurant management students a one-week disco course featuring field trips to more than 40 establishments.

About 35 students have signed up.

"A lot of the universities aren't convinced that this type of thing should be discussed at a university," said Daniel Emenheiser, an assistant professor.

The course is now one week only, but Oklahoma State says it may be expanded to a semester next fall.

Valentines from helicopter

Navy destroyer showered

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — The men of the Richard E. Byrd probably expected a shower of affection when they returned from seven months at sea. They didn't expect to be showered with valentines from a helicopter.

But as the Navy destroyer entered Chesapeake Bay Thursday after a Mediterranean tour, hundreds of hand-made paper valentines rained down.

The love notes — printed on crepe paper so they wouldn't pollute the bay — fell from a helicopter chartered by the crewmen's wives, who apparently couldn't wait the extra hour until the ship docked at Norfolk.

Besides the valentines, some personal notes were lowered by rope.

"It's Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's and Valentine's day — all the days we've missed," said the wife of one crewman as she awaited his homecoming.

The Richard E. Byrd's 350 crewmen seemed delighted. They videotaped the "bombardment" to show to the wives later.

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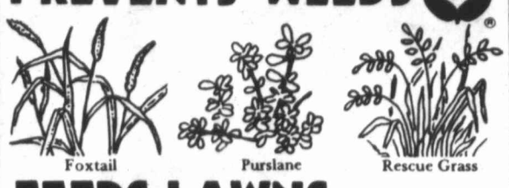

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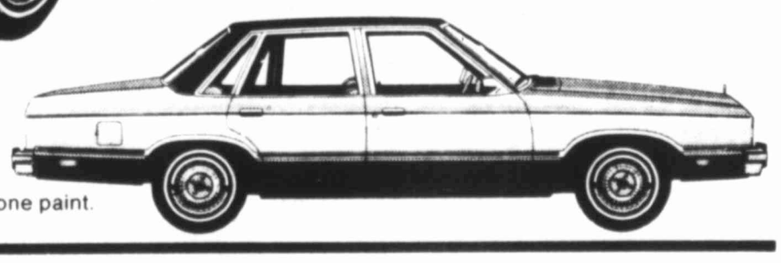

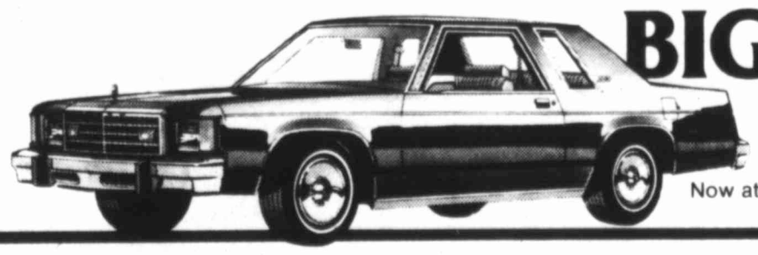

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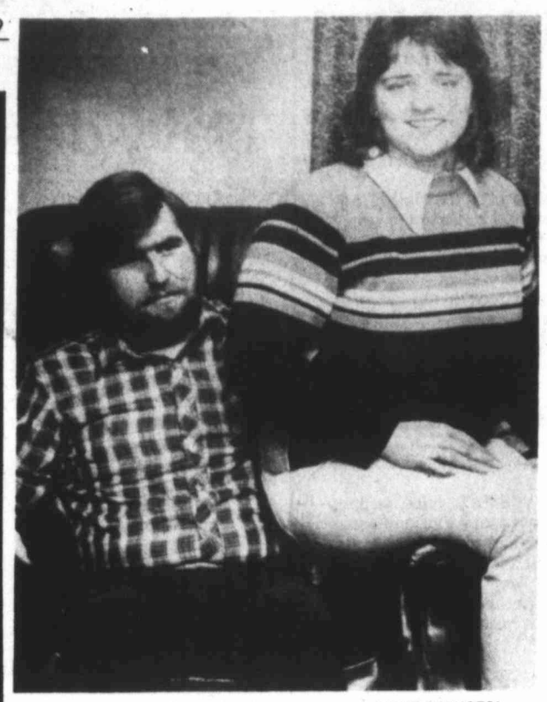

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TOO HEAVY TO ADOPT — The Wisconsin Department of Health and Special Services says Gordon and Barbara Ray, both 28, are too fat to adopt a child. The Rays, who amount to a combined total of more than 400 pounds, vow to throw their weight around until they are allowed to adopt.

Stars honor 50-year members

Big Spring Chapter No. 67, Order of the Eastern Star met Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple with the Worthy Matron Candy Andrews presiding.

At the chapter's 91st Birthday Dinner honoring 50-year members, the Worthy Patron John Gee served as Master of Ceremonies. The invocation was given by Charles T. Clay. The worthy matron gave the Welcome Address.

"It's members like you, who by your careful planning and your stead-fastness of faith and sincerity of purpose have built up the character and dignity of the Eastern Star," stated the worthy matron to the honored members. The response was given by Martha Moody. In closing, Mrs. Moody said, "I voice the sentiments of all 50-year members when I say to the chapter, a year of good fortune we're wishing for you, a year of achieving, of dreams coming true, a year full of happiness, health and content. In fact, the best year you ever have spent."

The tribute to the honored members was given by Mrs. Andrews. The Past Matrons making the presentations were Isla Davis, Mae Hayden, Edith Murdock, Ortry Boatler, Rose Stringfellow, Dorothy Hull, Ruth Pittman, Vera Gross, Dorothy Driver Neel, Thelma Helton, Ina Richardson, Pyrle Bradshaw, Bernice Davis, and Gertia Cantrell.

Others included Virgie Dyer, Frankie Bair, Gena Graham, Margie Baker, Iris McGlothlin, Algus McCarley, Doris Mason, Zan Ryan, Helen Segrest, Alphene Gressett, Viletta Ballou, Grace Kinney, and Elva Biffar.

The 50-year members present receiving the special 50-year pins were Pyrle Bradshaw, Charles T. Clay, Mae Hayden, Ruby Smith, Pauline Petty, and William H. Satterwhite of Lamesa. Thelma Helton, Martha Moody, Lera McClenny, Mignonne Silverling and Tennie Lee Sullivan received ther 50-year pins from Zan Ryan in 1971-72. Opal Burdine presented a 50-year pin to Pearl Ulrey in 1972-73. Dorothy Parish received her pin from her family in 1978. Fifty-year members unable to be present to receive their pins were Beulah Bryant, Lyllian Cunningham, Willie Mae Dabney, Isla Davis, Mary Hatch, Katherine Homan, Naomi Jackson, Velma Josey, Holland Y. Larman, Annie Potton, Donna Ryan, Maymie Schwarzenbach, Lottie Sefton, Ella Neel and Elsie Willis.

A Certificate of Honor in recognition of outstanding service was presented to Edith Fryar, Mother Advisor of Big Spring Assembly No. 60, Order of the Rainbow for Girls. The worthy patron introduced Dana Hodnett, worthy advisor-elect of the Rainbow Assembly and Mr. Willard Wise, Worshipful Master of Staked Plains Lodge No. 598.

The benediction was given by Grace Kinney after a Silent Tribute to the memory of the departed 50-year members.

Pyrle Bradshaw was in charge of the program and gave the history of Big Spring Chapter from the time it was constituted February 10, 1888, by Fannie V. Ward, worthy grand matron and Dr. C.H. Thorn, worthy grand patron, until the present.

At the meeting following the dinner the worthy matron reminded the members that the Rainbow Installation of Officers will be Saturday, at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m. The new Rainbow Advisory Board will be installed at that time.

A dessert-coffee to honor Masons and wives will be hosted by Big Spring chapter Feb. 20 with Irelene Foster, Elizabeth Pickle, J.C. Pickle, Ruth Pittman, Elizabeth Whatley, Martha Moody, Jerry Spencer, Carl Bradley Marie Daniel, and Bernice Davis in charge of refreshments.

The officers and members were reminded to study for the "Leaves of the Tree' Eastern Star School to be held March 13, at the Midland Masonic Temple, 1600 West Wall.

Miss Weber feted at bridal shower

Jeanine Weber, bride elect of Bobby Gene Fishback, was honoree at a wedding shower Feb. 3 in the home of Mrs. Billy Jack Darden, Coahoma.

Special guests were the bride-elects mother, Mrs. Eugene Weber; her sister, Mrs. Dorlyn Sutco of Hooker, Okla. and the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Bill Fishback. Corsages were presented to the honoree and mothers.

Other hostesses were Mrs. Barbee, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. Bobby Roman, Mrs. Grady Tindol, Mrs. Bill Milliken, Mrs. Billy Spears, Mrs. Rod Tiller, Mrs. Charles Parrish, Mrs. Tommy Wyrick, Mrs. Andy Wilson, Mrs. E. A. Richters, Mrs. Guy White, Jr., Mrs. Dwayne Clawson, Mrs. Monroe Teeters and Mrs. J.F. Bobo.

The table was laid with a lace cut cloth with silver and crystal appointments. A pink centerpiece of the brides colors were used.

Fishback and Miss Weber plan a March wedding in Hooken Okla.

Zambrano to present program

The American Association of Retired Persons will hold their February meeting, the 13th, at 10 a.m. at Kentwood Older Adult Activity Center, 2805 Lynn.

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DEAR LESTER COLE (You merry old soul): You are absolutely right! Add another 10 whacks with that hefty volume, "The Careful Writer (A Modern Guide to English Usage," by Theodore M. Bernstein in which he says: "Despite the fact that 'from whence' has occasionally been used by good writers, it is a pleonasm and is best avoided." So I plead pleonasm.

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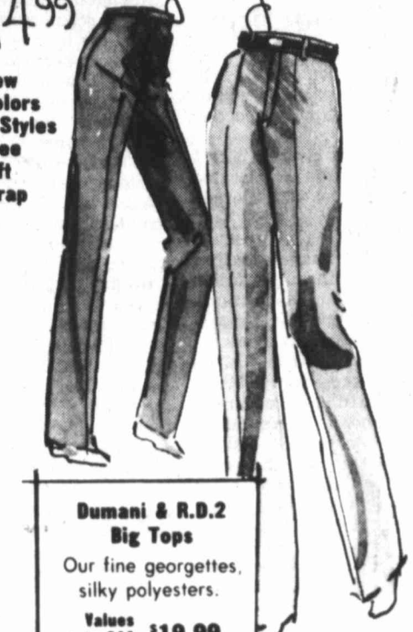

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Teen needs freedom

By Robert Wallace, Ed. D.

Dr. Wallace: I was born and reared in Dixon, Ill. when I was 12, I started hanging around with the wrong crowd. When I was 13, I really started acting bad and got into some trouble.

Now, I'm 15 and our family has moved to Texas, and things have changed for the better. I've straightened out and I'm even on the school honor-roll.

But because of my mistake in Illinois, my parents have me grounded. I'm not allowed to have any dates or go to any school-sponsored activities such as record hops, games or club functions.

I do love my parents but I do need a little freedom too. Do you agree? — Patty, McAllen, Texas

Patty: I think you are to be commended for getting your life straightened out.

I give you a big YES when it concerns your freedom. You do deserve and need time to yourself, and yes I think you should be allowed to attend some of the school-related activities. Hopefully, your parents will see it this way soon.

Dr. Wallace: I've got a good one for you. I'm a pommette at my school. Last year, I was a cheerleader and was on the drill team.

I do enjoy these things, but mainly I do them for my mother. She really is proud of me.

I enjoy being popular, but if I don't try out for cheerleader or pommettes, mom says she will stop me from seeing my boyfriend.

Well, I got an "F" in one of my classes and my mother has stopped all my social activities even seeing my boyfriend, but naturally I'm still a pommette.

Do you think this is right? — Dee, Merced, Calif.

Dee: I think stopping all social activities because of low grades is an error. If the social activities are contributing to the low grades, then they should be tightly regulated but not entirely eliminated.

Naturally when the grades improve, so do the social activities.

Many parents think their children are highly intelligent when in fact they are "just average folk" and there is nothing wrong with that!

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Ginseng is valuable

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) — With the savvy of backwoodsmen and the patience of cotton pickers, a select group of flower pickers are getting up to $140 a pound for a mountain wildflower with purported medicinal and aphrodisiac powers.

Many are old-timers, retired coal miners and railroad men, who keep the whereabouts of their wild American ginseng patches as secret as moonshine stills.

"That's about right," said 65-year-old Earl Anderson of Dover, Pa., who for 50 years has picked ginseng roots. "You can't afford to lose them."

One federal estimate puts the wild ginseng harvest in America at over 100,000 pounds a year, an incredible figure considering that many pickers harvest just a few pounds.

The foot-high flower is valuable for the same reason pickers don't get rich from its harvest. Ginseng patches are thin and scattered, and several hundred roots might be needed to make one pound. Three pounds of green roots are needed to provide one pound of dry, marketable material.

"Last year the price paid to harvesters started at $110 a pound and wound up at $140," said Joseph Snowiss of Williamsport, Pa., a large ginseng exporter. "Sure it's difficult to get, or otherwise the price wouldn't be as high as it is."

Few people would recognize ginseng, a common-looking plant with five leaves and clusters of green flowers that turn to reddish berries when it's in season.

Virtually all of this country's ginseng roots are destined for China, "where it's prescribed for everything from arthritis to lovemaking," said Jim Whipkey, public information officer for the Georgia state House, which has adopted ginseng regulations.

"They claim it makes you younger, gives you a longer life span," he said. "I use it all the time, and I believe it does. It's got a mediciny, licorice kind of taste."

An international trade treaty approved by the United States designated wild ginseng as a threatened species two years ago. Legislatures in at least 15 states now are trying to write laws to regulate its harvest and export.

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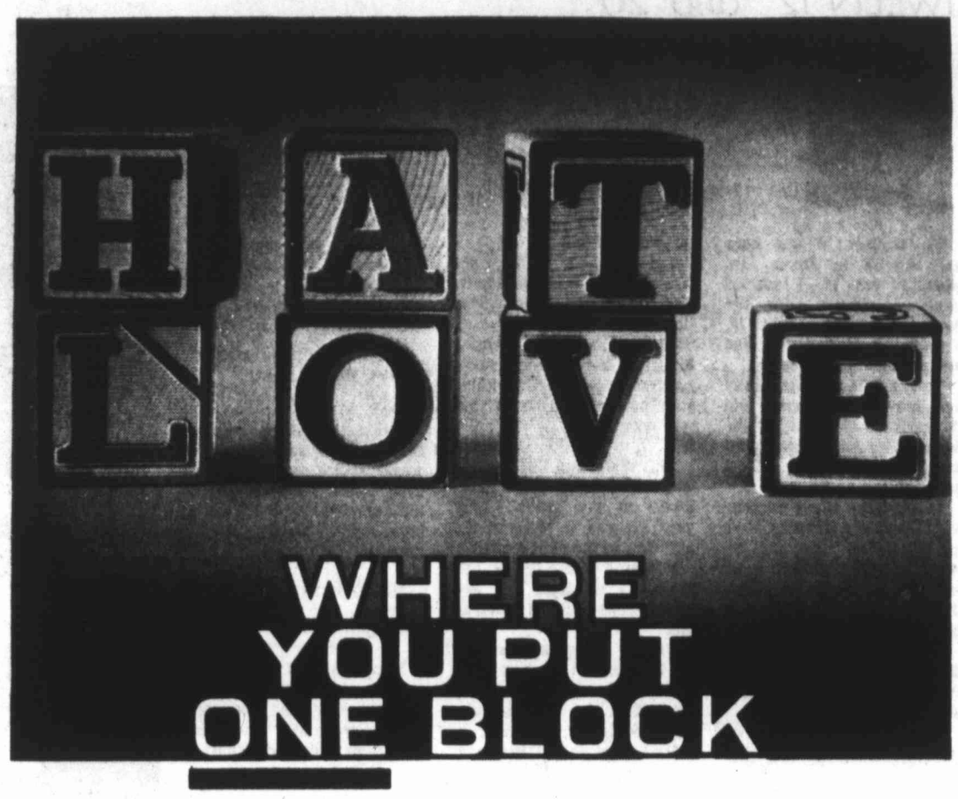

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(PHOTO BY DANNY VALDES)

PUPPET MINISTRY — First Assembly of God has added some new members to its staff — 11 life-size hand puppets made by the same company that manufactures the "actors" and "actresses" of "Sesame Street". The puppets are a regular Sunday morning treat for children who attend the church. First Assembly's trained puppeteers include, from left, Theresa Froman, Frieta Boyce and Phyllis Kerby.

New ministry added to church

Puppets enchant worshipers

Children who attend Sunday school at First Assembly of God, W. 4th and Lancaster, are eagerly anticipating their Bible lessons these days due to a change in "teachers".

The children, ages 3-11, are now being taught by 11 life-size hand puppets. Assisting the puppets in presenting Bible stories to the children are Randall and Frieta Boyce, Sam and Phyllis Kerby and Dale and Theresa Fromen. They supplement this method of Bible instruction with cassette tapes, films and narration.

The idea for the puppet ministry sprang from a seminar in Midland attended by some of the workers. The seminar was conducted by Puppet Production Incorporation, manufacturer of the puppets now used by First Assembly of God as well as puppets used in the television production of "Sesame Street". The workers received training in the puppet ministry from the seminar.

According to Mrs. Boyce, puppets have been repeatedly proven to Christian and secular educators as being an effective method of teaching.

"We've been experimenting with puppets at First Assembly of God for the past four or five months and have found that they hold the children's interest," she said. "We are using them on a regular basis now to teach the children character-building Bible stories."

The puppets "teach" children of First Assembly, of which the Rev. W. Randall Ball is pastor, every Sunday morning, 10:45 to 12. Any parents who wish to provide the experience for their children are invited to call Mrs. Boyce, bus captain, who will be glad to include the children on her Sunday morning bus route.

Evening of yesteryear slated

Plans are in the final stages for an evening reminiscent of the past to be presented at 6 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church.

The ministry of music, under the direction of Joe Whitten, will sing selections from the musical "All Day Singing and Dinner on the Ground." The presentation will be followed with a picnic of fried chicken and trimmings, prepared by church women for the congregation.

Whitten encourages the congregation to dress in attire fashionable at the turn of the century, though it is optional. "Best Dressed" awards will be presented in all age brackets. Props and effects in the choir area will help set the mood for the early 20th century era.

The public is invited to be a part of the evening.

Church of God women, men meet

Women of the Church of God and Men of the Church of God met at the church, 2009 Main, Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

The WCG meeting was opened by Gwen Tinnerstet, spiritual life director, with a Chinese fable on the creation of man.

Mrs. Darrel Reagan provided the study on China. This study included Taiwan, Thailand and Hong Kong. No missionaries are allowed in China, but there is a lot of exchange between Taiwan and Thailand where there are missionaries active.

Twenty-seven women and girls attended the WCG meeting.

Meanwhile the men were presented a program of slides on India by P. Thomas Chacko and George Johns who are from India. Thirty members of the MCG were present.

The men entertained the ladies with a spaghetti and salad supper cooked by Ronnie McDonald.

The WCG met again Thursday, 7:30 p.m. for a business meeting.

Lance Appleton concert scheduled

LANCE APPLETON

Evangelist Lance Appleton, a renown Christian songwriter, musician and singer, will be presented in a special concert at the First Pentecostal Church, 1010 W. 4th, at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Appleton, whose been credited with affecting the lives of thousands of young people with his inspiring musical renditions, will also be the featured singer at the 10 a.m. Wednesday chapel service of Big Spring Christian Academy at Industrial Park.

Pastor M.J. Mullins and his congregation invite all interested young people to be in attendance. Further information and transportation is available by calling 263-0615.

Baptist Association sponsors barbecue

A men and boys wild game barbecue will be sponsored by the Big Spring Baptist Association Feb. 10 at the Howard County Fairbarns.

Volleyball, horse shoe throwing, cow chip throwing and other contest activities will be the highlight of the outing. The events will begin at 1 p.m.

Following the games there will be a barbecued venison supper that will be served from 5 to 6 p.m. A program given by Fellowship of Christian Athletes from Texas Tech University will follow from 6 until 7.

The College Baptist Youth Choir, directed by David Narvell, will perform during the program.

The day promised to be a rewarding one for fathers and sons.

Lutherans rate third

GENEVA, Switzerland (AP) — Lutherans are the third largest Christian group in the world, totaling 70.5 million, new statistics show. The largest body, Roman Catholicism, claims 720 million members while Eastern Orthodoxy totals about 200 million in several branches.

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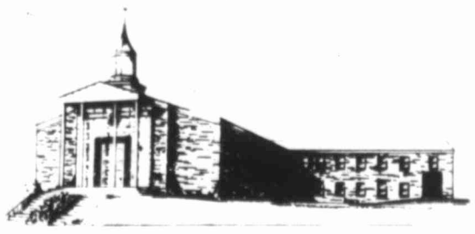

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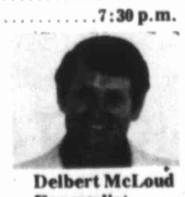

Delbert McLoud Evangelist

A Farthing's Worth
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A study made at John Hopkins University has proven that church-goers live longer! A large sampling of the population shows that the death rate for church-goers is about 500 per 100,000 people, and for non-church-goers it jumps to 900 per 100,000! That means the death rate for non-church-goers is twice that of those who attend regularly!
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New measure would whack funds to Westbrook, Borden schools

Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Stiff opposition has stalled Senate Committee action on a Bill which would cost the state's wealthiest school districts millions of dollars per year in state aid.

Among the losers in West Texas would be the Snyder, Westbrook, Dawson and Borden school districts.

Despite the setback, the bill's author said he would bring his proposal to a vote and expects it to win committee approval.

Sen. Oscar Mauzy contends the measure is needed to help balance the amount of funds local school districts have to spend on students.

But opponents, including about half the members of Mauzy's Senate Education Committee, think the bill would hurt the richest five per cent of the state's 1,100 school districts while only slightly helping the rest.

"It's really not going to benefit anyone on the bottom line," said Buck Wood, an attorney for some of the bill's opponents.

A hearing on the bill Wednesday produced no action, but Mauzy indicated he would push it to a vote as early as next week.

If enacted, the Mauzy bill would divert more than $2 billion in tax revenues over the next five years from one state school fund to another.

Opponents focus on the bill's provision to take revenues from the Available School Fund, the only source of state dollars for the richest school districts.

Any decrease in state aid, opponents claim, would force many rich districts to compensate for the loss by raising taxes.

That possibility doesn't thrill lawmakers who represent the rich districts or the school officials who manage them.

Mauzy proposes to dedicate a protion of the available fund revenues to the Foundation School Fund. The extra dollars would go toward paying the cost of basic school programs in all but the richest districts.

The Texas Education Agency currently classifies about 50 rural school districts, many of them in oil-rich West Texas, as too wealthy to receive aid from the minimum school fund. These districts, called budget-balance districts, receive only a per student allotment from the available fund.

All school districts, regardless of health, now receive about $275 per student from the available fund. The Mauzy bill would trim that allocation to $73 for budget-balance school districts.

The Legislative Budget Board estimates budget-balance districts would lose $5.3 million in 1980 under the Mauzy bill. By 1984, the LBB says the cumulative loss would reach $31 million.

In West Texas, the Snyder Independent School District could lose $670,000 in state aid the first year. Borden and Dawson ISDs could lose $43,000 each and Westbrook ISD in Mitchell County could lose $34,000.

"This particular bill impacts on a few school districts with few pupils, but it has a big impact," attorney Buck Wood told the Senate Education Committee.

Wood, representing an association of budget-balance districts, said the bill would punish residents of wealthy districts with higher taxes while adding just $1.91 per student to the minimum school program.

"It is not going to solve any school finance problems," he concluded.

Mauzy disagreed. The bill is an important step, he said, toward narrowing spending inequities between school districts.

"If (his bill) raises taxes in some of these (budget-balance) districts, I'm not going to feel too sorry," Mauzy said.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

'RHODA' GOES BLONDE — Acress Valerie Harper, the "Rhoda" of the TV series, dances with friend Roger Gottlieb of New York at Studio 54 Thursday night. She's been a blonde for about two weeks, a change for her role in a new film "The Last Married Couple in America" which she's making with George Segal.

Gold slumps

LONDON (AP) — Gold prices slumped $6 to $7 in early trading today after hitting a record $254 an ounce at one point in London Thursday. The dollar fluctuated within narrow limits.

Gold was quoted in London at $243.75 an ounce, a fall of $6 from Thursday's close. In Zurich, gold was quoted at $243.50, a fall of $7.

Three jail escapees caught

PARIS, Texas (AP) — Three men who escaped from the Lamar County jail were back in custody today after being captured near Idabel, Okla.

The trio overpowered a jailer Thursday afternoon and stole a car from a Paris Junior College student, authorities said. The sports car was reported to have alternator and battery trouble when it was stolen.

They were captured outside of Idabel, about 50 miles northeast of Paris.

Authorities identified them as Wayne Breakbill, 17, of Paris, held on auto theft and forgery charges; Roger Smith, 22, of Paris, charged with theft over $200; and Danny White, 17, of Muskogee, Okla., held on aggravated robbery charges.

They hit jailer Cliff Hobbs over the head and locked him in a cell as Hobbs was returning White to the cell, authorities said.

Names in the news

SARAH VAUGHAN

Carnegie minifestival

NEW YORK (AP) — Jazz fans will get three chances in March to see and hear singer Sarah Vaughan at Carnegie Hall. Authorities say it's the first such minifestival for a jazz performer.

"I hope we're establishing a tradition," said jazz impresario George Wein, who will present the shows.

"I've seen Arthur Rubinstein do a cycle of concerts in Carnegie Hall in one month and sell out. I feel jazz artists can do the same thing," he said.

Miss Vaughan will sing on March 21 with Mel Torme and saxophonist Gerry Mulligan. Two days later she will appear with singers Betty Carter and Eddie Jefferson and a 20-piece string orchestra. And on March 30, she will sing with the Count Basie Band.

Biography earns Pulitzer

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) — Author T. Harry Williams says the subject of his new book — like Huey Long, whose biography earned Williams a Pulitzer Prize — was an earthy man who loved power and the poor.

Williams, a professor of history at Louisiana State University, says he is in the research stage of an unauthorized biography of former President Lyndon B. Johnson.

JAMES BROWN

Country music get soul

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The Grand Ole Opry, home of country music, is getting soul.

Country music singer Porter Wagoner said Thursday he has invited soul singer James Brown to sing on the Opry's television show.

Wagoner said Opry officials agreed to let Brown sing as a guest on the show, probably March 9 or 10.

"It will be a historic night," Wagoner said. "There's never been a soul singer on the Opry before."

Brown, who lives in Augusta, Ga., "is a big fan of the Opry," Wagoner added.

Two specials on Oscar night

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — The Museum of Modern Art in New York and the movie "Superman" are pretty special to the movie industry.

Both will receive special awards from the Board of Governors of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences April 9 at the 51st Annual Oscars awards ceremony.

The academy directors Thursday also announced honorary awards to Sir Laurence Olivier, film-maker King Vidor and cartoonist Walter Lantz.

"Superman" will be honored for its special effects, while the museum's Department of Film has been cited for its contribution "to the public's perception of movies as an art form."

Heroin overdose confirmed

NEW YORK (AP) — The Medical Examiner says results of an autopsy have confirmed that punk rock star Sid Vicious died of a heroin overdose.

Dr. Michael Baden said Thursday that final toxicological tests were not complete, but enough information was available to make the determination of death.

Vicious, whose real name was John Simon Ritchie, died last Friday, one day after his release from jail. He was being held on a murder charge in the stabbing death of his girlfriend.

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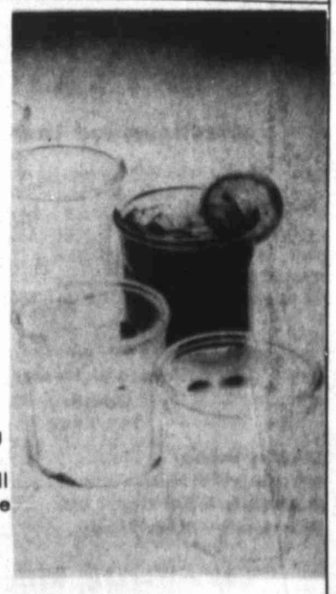

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NMMI struggles past Hawks in 3 OTs

By NATHAN POSS
Sports Editor

"I'm just glad it wasn't for the conference championship." — Howard College Coach Harold Wilder, following the Hawks 45-42 triple overtime loss to the Western Conference's second ranked team, New Mexico Military Institute.

This is one of the few healthy ways the Howard College team can look at the hard fought 45-42 loss to NMMI in one of the most procrastinating, yet exciting, games in recent Hawk history.

The game itself was split into two speeds of rhythm. The first 37 minutes of the contest, if capsuled, could probably outsell Sominex as a sleeping aid. The last three minutes of regulation and the 15 minutes of overtime, however, made up for slow start.

The slow start was to be expected. Wilder, realizing that his troops were outmanned if a run and gun affair were to ensue, went to a four-corner offense early, relying on layups and short range shots to take a 22-20 lead at intermission. The lead would have been more had it not been for NMMI's Lewis Lloyd, the nation's seventh leading scorer with a 29 point average. Lloyd, the 6'7" native of Philadelphia, canned 17 points in the first half to keep the Cadets close.

New Mexico jumped back to a 28-26 lead midway in the second half. Robbie Randolph then connected on a charity shot to close the game to 28-27 with nine minutes remaining.

The game then became the epitome of the stall in the next six minutes, as neither team scored. Both were patiently waiting for layups, but the zone defenses of each squad would not allow it.

Allen Bonds finally gave the Hawks a 29-28 lead as he drove for the basket and canned a short jumper. Then, with 2:20 remaining Rocky Rawls stole an NMMI pass, but missed the ensuing layup. Bonds was trailing the play however, tipping in the rebound to give the Hawks a three-point lead.

The powerful Lloyd then put the Cadets within one with 1:17 remaining as he muscled through the Hawks on an offensive rebound to score.

Elroy Green sank one of two free throws to give Howard a 32-30 lead with 19 seconds remaining, but the effectual Lloyd again scored on an offensive rebound to tie the score with 28 seconds remaining.

Howard then waited for the last shot in regulation. The Hawks got the ball to Randolph in the waning seconds. Randolph drove to the right baseline and put up a shot with one second remaining. The ball rolled around the rim and finally fell off, but NMMI's Roy Hunnicutt fouled Randolph in the process.

Randolph, a plus 80 percent free throw shooter, then calmly sank both charity shots with one second remaining to give HC an apparent victory.

NMMI called timeout to discuss the play that everyone in the Coliseum had predicted, including the Hawks.

NMMI's Art Abreu then launched a long bomb to Lloyd. The two Hawk defenders badly misplayed the ball, as Lloyd accepted the pass unmolested, turned and layed the ball in as the buzzer sounded.

The Hawks jumped to a quick lead on a R.Q. Tolliver bucket in the overtime, but NMMI quickly tied the score.

Bonds sank two free throws to give Howard the lead again, but Hunnicutt connected on a 20-foot jumper to tie the score. Lloyd was fouled underneath on the play, giving the Cadets the ball with two minutes remaining.

NMMI waited for the last shot, but the Hawks fouled the Cadets Bob Summers with seven seconds remaining. Summers missed the free throw, with Lloyd fouling Bonds on the rebound.

Bonds then missed what would have been the go ahead free throw with five seconds remaining, sending the game into the second overtime.

Bonds then hit two free throws with 4:28 to go in the second overtime, but NMMI retaliated to tie the score on a jumper by Hunnicutt.

The Hawks then stalled for the final shot, but a backcourt violation gave NMMI the ball with 45 seconds remaining. NMMI could not convert, sending the game into a third overtime.

Howard College took possession in the third overtime, but lost the ball quickly.

Lloyd scored on a short jumper with 3:10 remaining, then made a free throw with 1:28 left to give NMMI a three point lead.

Randolph canned a long bomb with 18 seconds remaining to bring the score to 43-42, but NMMI effectively controlled the ball the remainder of the game, with Hunnicutt adding a layup as the buzzer sounded for the final margin.

Despite the loss, which has to be disheartening to the Hawks, it was a good performance in most of the contest in the art of fundamental dribbling and passing. Howard executed its game plan capably and could very easily have won. But the one second bomb to Lloyd that tied the game at the regulation buzzer will be hard to forget.

Wilder summarized his team's effort by saying: "I think we proved that we can play our game. The fact that they're second from the top and we're second from the bottom proves this. It's just the little things. We just can't quite make it over the hump."

The Hawks will return to action in the Coliseum this Monday when they host the Midland College Chaparrals.

SCORING

HOWARD		NMMI	
Rawls	0-0-0	Summers	0-0-0
Randolph	5-3-13	Slaughter	1-0-2
Green	4-1-9	Hunnicutt	6-0-12
Bonds	4-4-12	Arthur	1-0-2
Tolliver	1-0-2	Lloyd	11-5-27
Hines	2-2-6	Abreu	1-0-2
TOTALS	16-10-42	TOTALS	20-5-45

Entertain Cooper tomorrow

Steers host OHS

The Big Spring Steers open up a busy weekend tonight when they host the Odessa Bronchos in Steer Gym at 8:00.

Tonight's game will be the first of two District 5-AAAA games for the Bovines this weekend. The second will be a Saturday night make-up affair against the Abilene Cooper Cougars. Game time for the Big Spring-Abilene Cooper affair will be at 7:00, with the JV game slated for a 5:00 tipoff.

The Steers will be seeking their first win in the second half of district play after suffering four losses to the more powerful members of the conference. OHS is 1-4 in secondhalf play.

Big Spring won their first meeting with Odessa on the Bronchos home court by a score of 54-52 when James Magers sank a 15-foot jumper with 30 seconds remaining and Mark Poss connected on two free throws with eight ticks left.

Tonight's game features the two top scorers in the district in Steer postman Poss and OHS guard Danny Wright.

Big Spring Coach Tommy Collins will start a lineup featuring guards Ysa Rubio and Magers, forwards Wilbert Grant and Robert Lara, and post Poss.

Saturday night's game features Abilene Cooper, a team with an outside chance to capture the second half district title. Cooper won the first game between the schools by a score of 49-48.

Saturday night's game will be the final home game for Steer seniors Rubio, Magers, Grant, Poss, Lara, John Fleckenstein, Mike Evans, Cesar Espinoza, and James Cooper.

Central hires Keeling

SAN ANGELO — San Angelo Central announced that Jimmie Keeling has been hired as the new head football coach and athletic director.

Keeling moves to the San Angelo post from Lamar Consolidated, a suburb of Houston. He won the District 25-AAAA championship there last year before losing to San Antonio Churchill in the state quarterfinals.

Keeling is a native of Tom Green County. He graduated from high school at Evant and attended Howard Payne University, where he lettered in football and track.

Keeling has also coached at Andrews and Lubbock Estacado. He directed Estacado to the state championship in 1967.

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BSHS hosts Valentine Tourney

The Big Spring Steer Tennis team lost a 10-8 decision to the Odessa Permian Panthers in District 5-AAAA action, 10-8.

Susan McMurray and Nick Williams won both their singles and doubles matches to lead the Steer charge. McMurray teamed with Laura Mexia while Williams teamed with Barry Fish in the number one men's doubles.

This weekend, the Steers will be hosting the Big Spring Valentine Tournament. The tournament runs today and tomorrow at the Tennis Center. Other teams in the tournament include Odessa, Midland Lee, Fort Stockton, Odessa Ector, Seminole and Snyder.

Big Spring is considered as the favorites in the two day tournament. The event will have an A and B division with an eight player draw in both singles and doubles competition. The tournament will also feature a mixed doubles draw. Dawn Estes and Dale Brown will play on the BSHS varsity, while Cavan McMahon and Laura Moore will be inaction for the junior varsity.

Boys Singles — Steve Ashley (P) def. Barry Fish (BS) 6-3, 6-4; Nick Williams (BS) d. Kasey Porter (P) 7-5, 7-6; Kelly Porter (P) d. Craig McMahor (BS) 6-3, 4-6, 7-5; Lantz Mills (P) d. Bill Little (BS) 7-5, 6-2; Brent Pearce (BS) d. Kevin Andrews (P) 6-3, 4-6, 6-3; Kip McLaughlin (BS) d. Ross Nelle (P) 6-1, 6-1.

BOYS DOUBLES

Fish-Williams (BS) d. Franks-Hudson (P) 3-6, 6-4, 6-4; Mills-Porter (P) d McMahon-McLaughlin 1-6, 6-3, 2-6; Moore-Porter (P) d Little-Pearce (BS) 6-3, 7-6.

GIRLS SINGLES

Mary Catherine Mathews (BS) d. Karen Byrd (P) 6-2, 4-6, 6-4; Kendall Martin (P) d Alyssa Burns (BS) 6-1, 5-7, 6-1; Sandra Bruce (P) d Toni Cline (BS) 6-1, 6-2; Lisa Goar (P) d Laura Mexia (BS) 6-3, 6-1; Susan McMurray (BS) d Janet Russel (P) 6-3, 6-2; Joni Cline (BS) d. Jane Ellen Reese (P) 6-4, 6-3.

GIRLS DOUBLES

Lewis-Bruce (P) d. Mathews-Burns (BS) 6-1, 6-2; Willion-Nowaski (P) d Cline-Cline (BS) 6-0, 6-0; Mexia-McMurray (BS) d. Rushing-McNeel (P) 4-6, 6-0, 6-2.

Boys score 4-5 Girls score 4-5 total 8-10.

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C78-14	25.77	1.87
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HR78-14	47.14	2.95
FR78-15	45.49	2.55
GR78-15	47.36	2.73
HR78-15	47.85	2.96
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LR78-15	49.91	3.30

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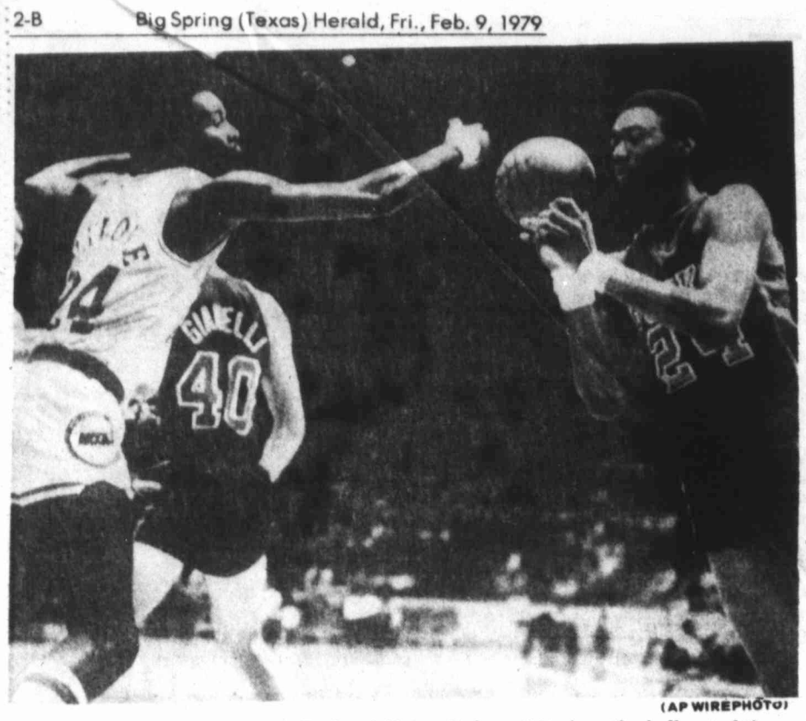

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BALL SLAPPER — Houston Rockets' Moses Malone (24) slaps the ball out of the hands of Milwaukee Bucks' George Johnson (24) during first period play in the NBA game at Houston Thursday night. Houston took control of the loose ball.

Malone keys Rocket win over Bucks

HOUSTON (AP) — Although all five Rocket starters scored at least 20 points apiece, Houston forward Rick Barry says it was defense that gave his team its latest victory.

"I think our team defense was good overall," said Barry, who scored 22 points in the Rockets' 134-129 win over the Milwaukee Bucks Thursday night in a National Basketball Association contest.

"We went for steals and made them put the ball on the floor," Barry said. "We stopped their inside game, but they were still able to shoot 56 percent from the field, and most of those were from 20 feet out. That's a super percentage."

The Rockets rang up a club record 77 points in the first half, with Moses Malone contributing 24 of them, as Houston built a ten-point lead at the half.

The Rockets increased the lead to 91-78 midway through the third quarter, but the Bucks scored the game's next 11 points to narrow the margin to 91-89.

Houston led 107-106 with 8:55 to play, then scored 12 of the game's next 16 points to put the contest out of reach and send Milwaukee down to its sixth straight defeat.

The triumph moved the Rockets to within 1½ games of first-place San Antonio in the NBA Central Division.

"Normally, if you choke up the middle, you can force a team to shoot from the outside," said Houston Coach Tom Nissalke. "That's pretty much what we did tonight.

Malone finished the game with 32 points and pulled down 19 rebounds for the Rockets. Calvin Murphy added 22 points, Rudy Tomjanovich hit 26 points and Mike Dunleavy got 20.

Scorecard

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
CALIFORNIA ANGELS— Signed Rod Carew, first baseman, to a five-year contract.
SEATTLE MARINERS— Placed Jim Todd, pitcher, on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Signed Rod Gilbreath, infielder, and Rick Camp, pitcher, to oneyear contracts.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
DETROIT RED WINGS—Settled the contract of Dennis Hextall, center, so he may negotiate with other NHL clubs. Signed Bill Hogaboam, center.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Placed Dave Twardzik, guard, on the injured reserve list. Signed Willie Smith, guard, to a 10-day contract.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS— Named Dale Putnam offensive line coach.
OAKLAND RAIDERS— Named Tom Flores head coach.
SOCCER
North American Soccer League
CHICAGO STING—Signed Peter Notaro, forward; Stefan Szefer, defender; and Bill Drozd.
COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO—Named Dick Moseley to its football coaching staff.
WICHITA STATE—Named Sam Goodwin and Ron Corradini to its football coaching staff.

College

EAST
Boston U. 75, Rhode Island 69
Bucknell 59, Delaware 54
Cheyney St. 80, E. Stroudsburg 70
Colgate 84, Clarkson 70
Connecticut 93, Fordham 80
Rutgers 87, Drexel 61
St. Francis, N.Y. 92, Manhattan 90
West Chester 74, Lehigh 67
SOUTH
Alabama 83, Mississippi 73
Frostburg St. 77, George Mason 72
Georgetown, Ky. 92, Cinch Valley 68
Louisiana St. 52, Mississippi St. 48
Louisville 77, Tulane 66
Mars Hill 72, USC-Spartanburg 70
New Orleans 75, S.Florida 73, 4OT
N.C. Charlotte 75, N.C. Wilmington 57
NE Louisiana 116, Ga. Southern 74
S. Alabama 71, Alabama-Birmingham 69
Virginia Union 92, Virginia St. 91
VMI 76, Georgia St. 72
W. Carolina 62, Presbyterian 58
William & Mary 68, Davidson 62, 2 OT
MIDWEST
Briar Cliff 97, Westmar 65
DePaul 77, Loyola, Ill. 73
Indiana 82, Northwestern 57
Michigan St. 60, Iowa 57
Ohio St. 63, Michigan 60
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SOUTHWEST
Arkansas Coll. 76, Arkansas Tech 71
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New Mexico St. 93, Wichita St. 75
NM Highlands 89, Western St. 77
N. Texas St. 104, Texas-Arlington 89
S. Arkansas 71, Henderson St. 69
Southern Methodist 96, Texas Christian 77
FAR WEST
Adams St. 83, S. Colorado 72
Fresno St. 74, Long Beach St. 66
Idaho St. 98, Boise St. 87
Jackson St. 48, Wis.-Milwaukee 46
Oregon 70, Arizona St. 63
Oregon St. 93, Arizona 79
Pacific 71, UC Santa Barbara 65
San Diego St. 90, Colorado St. 83
San Jose St. 75, Fullerton St. 72
S. Oregon 124, BYU-Hawaii 98
UC Irvine 56, Utah St. 54
Washington 71, California 56
EXHIBITIONS
Athletes in Action 92, E. Tennessee St. 81

NBA

Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Washington	37	15	.712	—
Philadelphia	30	19	.612	5½
New Jersey	25	26	.490	11½
New York	25	31	.446	14
Boston	20	32	.385	17
Central Division				
San Antonio	32	23	.582	—
Houston	29	23	.558	1½
Atlanta	29	26	.527	3
Cleveland	21	32	.396	10
Detroit	19	36	.345	13
New Orleans	18	36	.333	13½
Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
Kansas City	32	20	.615	—
Denver	29	26	.527	4½
Indiana	21	32	.396	11½
Milwaukee	22	34	.393	12
Chicago	20	33	.377	12½
Pacific Division				
Seattle	34	18	.654	—
Los Angeles	34	20	.630	1
Phoenix	32	21	.604	2½
Portland	25	25	.500	8
San Diego	27	28	.491	8½
Golden State	25	30	.455	10½

Thursday's Games
New Jersey 106, Detroit 105
Houston 134, Milwaukee 129

Friday's Games
Indiana at Boston
San Diego at Philadelphia
Kansas City at Chicago
Houston at New Orleans
Seattle at Milwaukee
Atlanta at Phoenix
Denver at Golden State
Cleveland at Los Angeles
San Antonio at Portland

Saturday's Games
New Orleans at Detroit
Boston at New York
Seattle at Houston

Sunday's Games
New York at Boston
Chicago at Indiana
Denver at Milwaukee
San Diego at New Jersey
Washington at Philadelphia
Cleveland at Phoenix
San Antonio at Golden State
Los Angeles at Kansas City
Atlanta at Portland

SWC

Conference	W	L	Pct.	All Games	W	L	Pct.
Texas	10	2	.833	17	5		.773
Texas A&M	9	3	.750	20	5		.800
Arkansas	8	3	.727	16	4		.800
Texas Tech	8	4	.667	16	6		.727
Baylor	6	5	.545	12	9		.571
Houston	3	9	.250	11	13		.458
SMU	4	7	.363	10	13		.431
Rice	3	9	.250	6	16		.273
TCU	1	10	.090	6	15		.285

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS
TUESDAY — Texas 95, Rice 52; Texas Tech 66, SMU 60; Arkansas 60, Texas A&M 56; Baylor 80, Houston 77.
THURSDAY — SMU 96, TCU 77.
THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE
SATURDAY — TCU at Arkansas, 2:30 p.m., TV; Baylor at SMU, 7:30 p.m.; Rice at Houston, 8 p.m.; Texas A&M at Texas Tech, 7:30 p.m.

Caulkins wins Sullivan Award

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Swimmer Tracy Caulkins, a 16-year old looking forward to having braces removed from her teeth, became the youngest winner of the Sullivan Award Thursday as the nation's top amateur athlete.

The youngest of three children of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Caulkins, Nashville, Tenn., received the U.S. Amateur Athletic Association award for 1978 at the first annual Sullivan Award dinner with eight of the other nine finalists also attending.

The award, given in honor of the AAU's founder, James E. Sullivan, previously was announced at a news conference in the winner's hometown.

John Naber, 1977 winner, announced Caulkins' name, and she sat almost stunned, holding her head for a few moments.

Fighting tears, the 5-foot-8, 111-pound Caulkins called her selection, "The biggest thrill of my life. I'm a little overwhelmed.".

Caulkins, a 'B' student in her sophomore year at Harpeth Hall Academy in Nashville, received 2,236 points from the 2,460 voters, including AAU officials and members of the news media. Points were awarded on the basis of 5-3-1 for a first, second or third place vote.

Marathon runner Bill Rodgers, Melrose, Mass., was second with 1,747 and gymnast Kurt Thomas, Terre Haute, Ind., was third with 1,262 points. Point totals of the other seven finalists, which included hurdler Edwin Moses, last year's runnerup, were not announced.

Caulkins broke or tied 27 world and American swimming records in 1978. She was one of 13 American swimmers suspended by the AAU two months ago for violations at a meet last April in Austin, Texas. The suspensions run through March 31.

She is the fifth woman to win the Sullivan award in its 49-year history. The last was swimmer Debbie Meyer in 1968. Meyer, at 16½, was the youngest to receive the honor until Thursday.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

AWARD TEARS — The Sullivan Award winner for 1978, Tracy Caulkins, 16, wipes away a tear after the 1977 winner, John Nabor, (right) announced that she was the Amateur Athletic Union's top athlete in Indianapolis Thursday night. Miss Caulkins, holder of three world and 13 American records in swimming is the youngest winner in the 49-year history of the award.

Flores named Oakland boss

OAKLAND (AP) — Tom Flores has stepped up to a coaching job that, as John Madden learned over 10 football seasons, can put a lot of pressure on a man.

"It's a tough, demanding job. But it's what I want, what I love," said Flores, named as the new head coach of the Oakland Raiders after serving seven years as an assistant to Madden.

Madden retired Jan. 4 with one of the best coaching records in National Football League history, 103-32-7 in regular season games. The Raiders' 9-7 record last season was their worst under Madden and they missed the playoffs for only the second time in 10 years.

In his retirement announcement, Madden cited an ulcer problem and said he was burned out as a coach at age 42.

Flores will be 42 on March 21, but he said Thursday, "I have a different character than John."

Flores showed Thursday that he has something in common with Madden — a good sense of humor.

When asked to comment about recent speculation that the Raiders might be interested in moving to Los Angeles, the new coach said he wasn't worried because, "Al promised me if we move to Los Angeles, he'll buy me a home in Beverly Hills."

Flores said he understood that Davis narrowed the list of candidates down to just Flores and Bud Carson, now an assistant with the Los Angeles Rams, before making his choice.

SMU trounces TCU

DALLAS (AP) — The Southern Methodist University Mustangs basketball team is well again. If you don't believe it, just ask the Texas Christian Horned Frogs.

The Mustangs trounced TCU Thursday night, 96-77, in a game matching two of this season's SWC have-nots. The Mustangs now have a 4-7 SWC record and the Frogs are 1-10.

The game, the only one for SWC teams Thursday night, was added to the schedule to replace a game scheduled for Jan. 6 and postponed because of icy road conditions.

The other SWC teams return to action Saturday with a full slate of games. TCU will meet Arkansas in the weekly regionally televised game Saturday afternoon. In night games, Baylor will be at SMU, Rice goes across town for a game with Houston, Texas A&M is at Texas Tech. The Texas Longhorns are idle.

The offensive punch of the Mustangs had been slowed in recent games by the illness of Billy Allen, the freshman guard and son of SMU coach Sonny Allen. Young Allen had missed several games because of illness.

Allen returned, showing his old passing form, including some behind-the-back passes and scored 12 points.

"Boy, it felt good to get back out there again," Allen said.

Actually, Allen's point production is not nearly as important as his ball handling. He scored 12 points and had 13 assists in only 27 minutes of playing time.

The scoring punch for the Mustangs came from Reggie Franklin with 24 points and 20 rebounds. Brad Branson had 22 points and 11 rebounds for the Mustangs.

Franklin credited Allen for much of the offensive drive. "Billy was really getting the ball into us (Franklin and Branson) tonight. That was the key in this game," he said.

John Mansbury was the top TCU scorer with 26 points.

Trio share Hawaiian Open

HONOLULU, Hawaii (AP) — Andy Bean had just fired a 6-under-par 66 — spectacular in most cases — and casually shrugged it off.

"Just trying to keep my two cents-worth in," he said.

In the incredible scoring that was produced in Thursday's first round of the $300,000 Hawaiian Open, that's all he did. Got his two cents worth in.

It wasn't good enough to lead.

That spot went to a trio of 65s posted by Lanny Wadkins, Jay Haas and rookie Lindy Miller. While their scores were the same, they arrived at the lead by different routes over the beautifully conditioned, 7,234-yard Waialae Country Club course.

Miller one-putted the perfect greens 11 times. Haas — who now has led or shared the first round lead in three of five events on the Tour this year — didn't make a bogey, missed only one green and chipped in for birdie that time. And Wadkins hit two drivers to the green on the 566-yard 18th and holed a 20-foot putt for a finishing eagle.

A bulky group of 11 shared the next position at 66. Tied with Bean were Charles Coody, J.C. Snead, Fuzzy Zoeller, Gil Morgan, Wally Armstrong, Larry Nelson, Kermit Zarley, Mark Lye, Wayne Levi and Bob Gilder.

Hale Irwin and rookie Tom Chain, who was playing his first round in his first tour event, headed another large group at 67.

NHL All-Stars skate by Soviets

NEW YORK (AP) — The National Hockey League's allstars overcame the obstacle of just three days' preparation, then they overcame the opening night jitters ... and then, with surprising ease, they overcame the Soviet National team in the opener of the Challenge Cup.

"There's a mystique about the Russians that they can do all these things," said Philadelphia Flyers center Bobby Clarke. "But I don't think there's anything they can do that we can't, as far as things like passing and stick-handling are concerned.

Clarke proved that Thursday night, setting up Guy Lafleur's goal after just 16 seconds of play in the NHL's 4-2 triumph. Steve Shutt worked the puck free at the Soviet blue line and found Clarke, who drew a Soviet defenseman to him before finding Lafleur — shockingly alone — sprinting down right wing for a sharply angled 10-foot shot.

The crowd of 17,438, which paid as much as $25 to see this event, was as astonished as the Soviets ... and, perhaps, Clarke.

"On the first shift, the idea is to put pressure on them, keep the puck in their end, but not necessarily to score," said Clarke, captain of the NHL stars. "You don't expect your first shot to go in, but that's how it worked out tonight."

It worked because the NHL, which first practiced as a team on Monday, used determination to compensate for the lack of familiarity.

"The guys on this team are all in on this thing for the same reason," said Clark Gillies of the New York Islanders, a 6-foot-3, 220-pound left wing who scored the all-stars' fourth goal and threw his weight around at every opportunity. "The cohesion is there if everyone wants to win."

"We have to show them (the Russians) we're better," said Lafleur, who set up Mike Bossy's power play tally in the three-goal NHL first period that left the Soviets totally disorganized. "The Russians have nothing to lose in this series. We have to stay No. 1."

"I'm sure they weren't expecting us to hit too much," said Gillies. "People thought we might spend most of the night chasing them around."

It was the reverse. It was the NHL stars who made the perfect plays. It was the NHL which had the Soviets laboring to catch up.

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CAPTAIN CRUNCH — Gil Perreault of the NHL All-stars muscles Soviet Nationals Valeri Vasilyev into the boards during the third period of the opening game of the Challenge Cup series in New York Thursday night. All-stars won 4-2.

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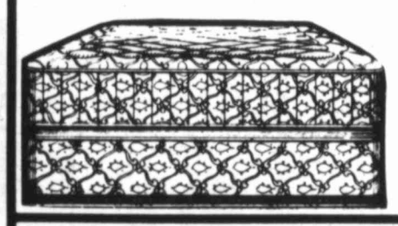

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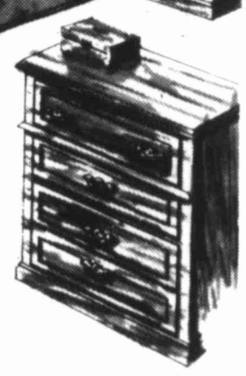

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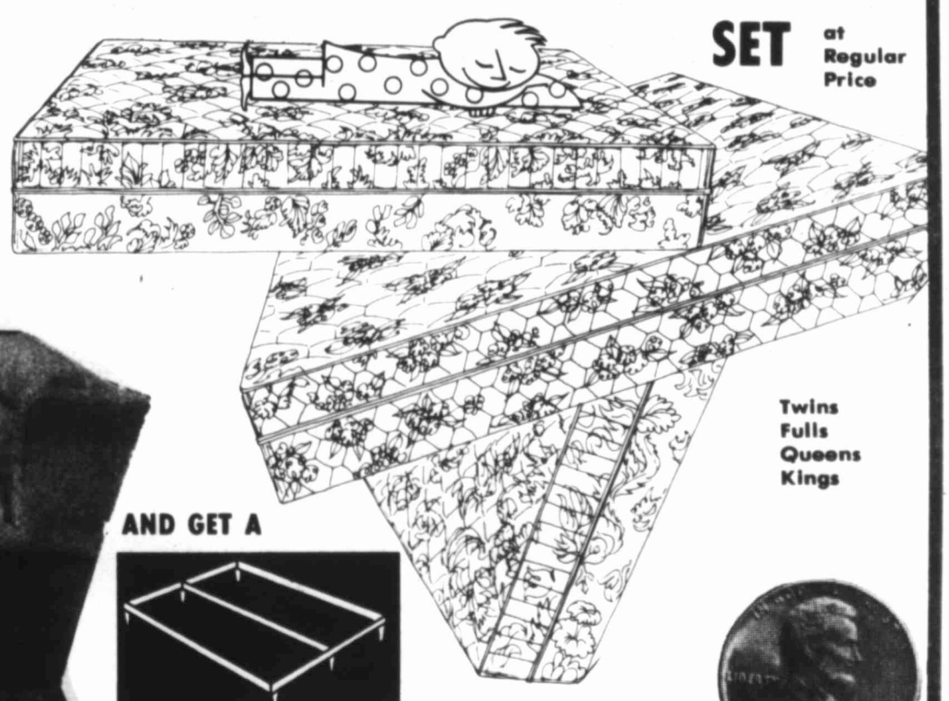

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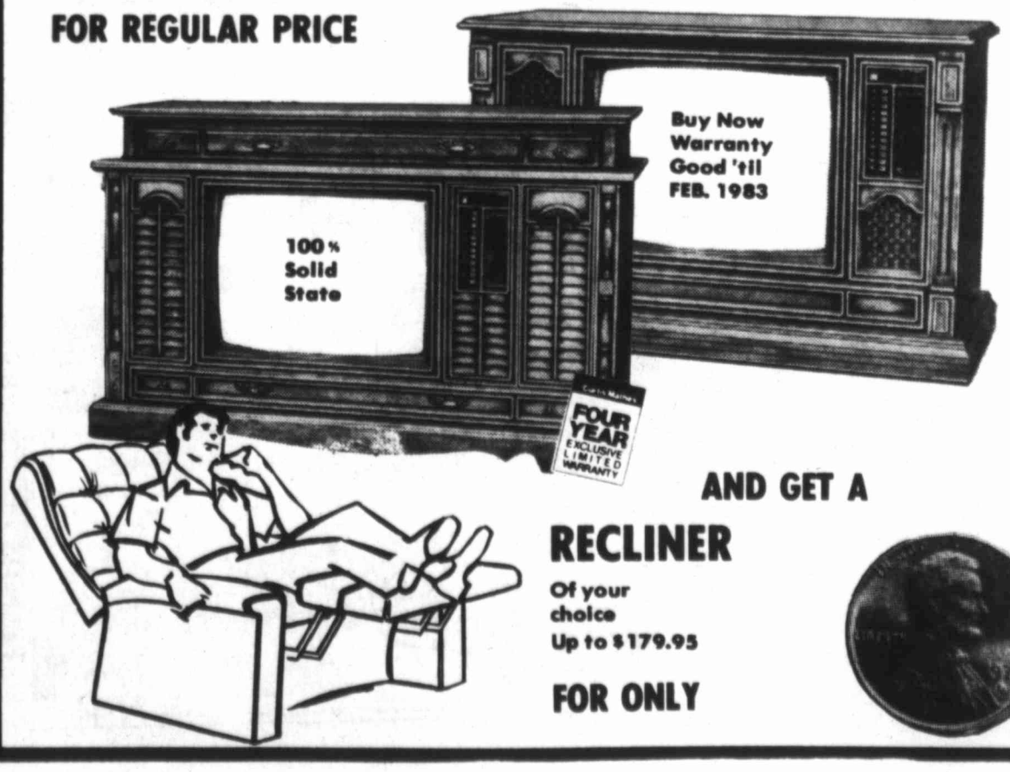

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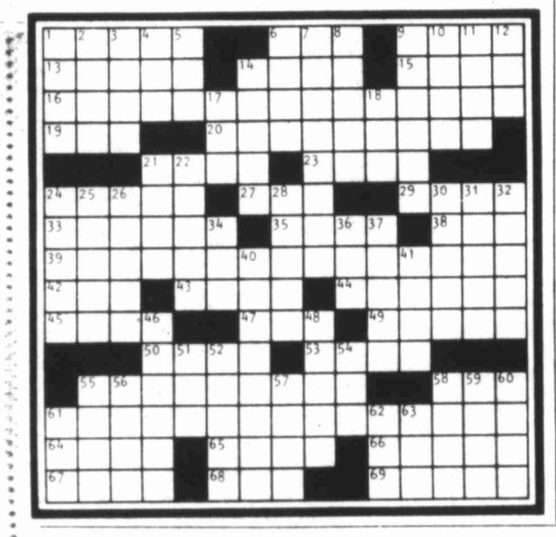

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FORECAST FOR SATURDAY, FEB. 10, 1979

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Start the day early and put into motion whatever new and important plans that you have. Gain backing and support from important persons who are endowed with considerable vision, precepts.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Put those fine new creative ideas to work immediately and get good results. Take time out for entertainment and relieve pressures. Think along more constructive lines.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Make home improvements where necessary. Good day for entertaining good friends who could help you in a project you are considering. Shop early.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Get together with allies and plan wisely for the future so that you have greater success. Forget about going off on some tangent that could mean trouble.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Think about ways and means to add to your abundance. Listen to what a very successful person has to suggest for your advancement. Be clever with friends.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Know what it is you most want and how to go after it, since your judgment and hunches are both good. Consulting with powerful individuals you know is good also.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Plan what you want to do in the future and take initial steps that lead to greater success. Get into community work that brings more prestige and profit.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Express new ideas in right circles now and get good results. Your vision is fine, so carry through in a positive fashion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Good day to show your finest talents to a bigwig and gain support for them. Become a more influential person. Avoid one who likes to downgrade you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) As a Sagittarian you like to travel, be adventurous, so plan trips as you most please. Make the acquaintance of interesting personalities.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Plan how best to please mate, loved one, and have more accord in the future. Find better ways of handling routine work.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Get together with an associate and discuss mutual activities and come to a better understanding for the future. Plan community work that will improve your standing.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Get busy and make your surroundings more livable. Get family members to cooperate with you. Take time in the evening for recreation. Be cheerful.

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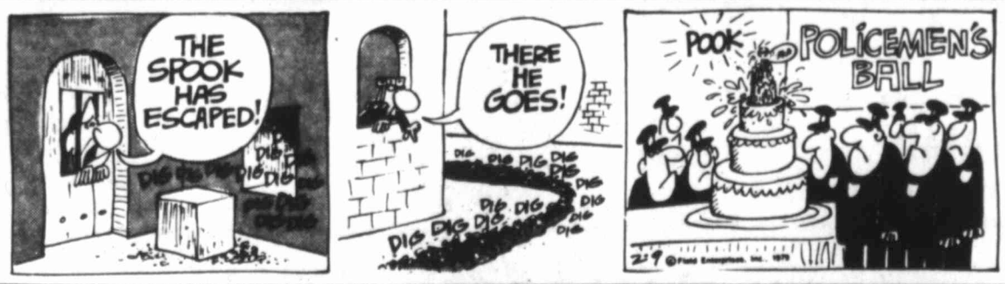

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SILVER HEELS — Beautiful brick family home on 1 acre. Huge one family living area. Country size kitchen. 3 big bedrooms with 2 baths, walk-in closets. All built-ins, custom decorated. Low 60's.
HIGHLAND SOUTH — Executive is leaving, wants to sell this lovely 4 bedroom home. Quality prevails throughout this charmer. Ideal for a large family. Upper 60's.
ALABAMA STREET — Tender loving care shows in this nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Garage converted to family room. Owner ready at $35,000.

NEW CONSTRUCTION

ANN STREET — See this brand new home with nice paneled family room. Cheery kitchen and breakfast area. Large bedrooms, 2 baths. Cedar trim. Good location in Kentwood. 50's.
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SPECIALS OF THE WEEK

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CARLETON STREET — Guaranteed to charm you. Located on a quiet street, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Absolutely spotless for $27,000.
AYLFORD — A small little home with a lot of character. Den off of kitchen includes bookcases, bar in kitchen. $21,500.
EAST 17th — Back to basics, 2 bedroom with a nice family area. Kitchen has breakfast room. Nice lot with storage room.
LAMAR STREET — For those precious years when your family is young. This one is immaculate with new plumbing and new bath.
STATE STREET — A February Find — A Lot of home for the money. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick. Also has a rent house in rear. For $23,000.

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MED-PRICE RANGE

EAST 17th — This very affordable home with a lot of extras. Must see this one for $27,500.
NEAR JR. HIGH OR HIGH SCHOOL — In central part of city; excellent price for furnished home. $10,500.
WEST CITY — Can buy this 3 bedroom on F.H.A. loan.
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KENTUCKY WAY — Nice 2 bedroom in central location. Ready for occupancy. $17,000.
LARRY STREET — Kentwood, popular location for this 3 bedroom with a garage conversion den. Excellent price at $25,000.
PARKHILL — Large master suite emphasizes this lovely Parkhill home. Beautifully decorated. $29,000.
HAMILTON STREET — Near churches and school in West Big Spring. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, ready to move in. $21,000.
NOLAN STREET — Brick home. 2 bedroom. With nice living area. Priced at $19,000.
MULBERRY STREET — Very neat and clean home. Hurry to see this home near high school and shopping area. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. $15,000.
JOHNSON STREET — Older home. Needs work, but is a large brick with lots of potential. $29,500.
EAST 4th — Tremendous value in this home with rental property. One additional house plus a duplex. Refrigerated air in main house. $29,900.
COAHOMA — Brick, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, family room, nice kitchen. Big lot with trees. $37,500.
EAST BIG SPRING — Near college and shopping center. Must see to appreciate this 2 bedroom, 1 bath. $14,500.
EAST 14th — Two houses, one for rental. All furniture in one house, some furniture in the other. $13,000.
RUNNELS — This house to be sold furnished, built in china cabinets, storm windows and doors. $15,000.
WEST 17th — Older home with tremendous charm. In Parkhill, 2 bedroom, den, dining, 2 baths. $28,000.

COMMERCIAL

MAIN STREET — For sale downtown Big Spring. Call our commercial man.
LOTS — We have several commercial lots for sale in prime location.
WEST 19th — Commercial property with 2 houses. $25,000.

NEW HOUSES

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HIGHLAND SOUTH — 3 BR 2 B huge liv, din, oversized kit many amenities beautiful landscaped yard luxurious carpet custom drapes.
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LOW ASSUMPTION — Brick 3 BR 1 B well landscaped covered patio fenced gas grill large den carpet.
WEST 18TH — Lovely 2 BR corner lot det gar carpet new range lovely yard with lots trees.
EAST 15TH — Large 4 BR 2 B det, gar util rm corner lot high ceilings great for large family low assumption.
NORTH OF TOWN — 4 acres 2 gd wells brick 3 BR 2 B large liv din kit util guest cottage 2 BR carport lots of fruit trees fenced barns corrals.
OWNER LEAVING — Must sell this 3 BR den carpet attractive kit din fenced low assumption.
SEE TO APPRECIATE — 2 BR large liv kit den w-fireplace swim pool fenced landscaped.
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NEW LISTINGS

YOU'LL ADORE our new listing with lg. rooms in a well arranged hm. on corner lot, dbl carport on side, 3 bd, 2 bth w. new pretty rust carpet throughout — huge liv, cozy den, new cent heat-ref air. Forties.
BIG BR hm on 5 acs, barn, 3 bd, 2 ba, wbfpl.
PARKHILL BR 3 bd, 2 ba, blt-in kit., lge liv and den.
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YOUR HEART'S DESIRE — immaculate 3-2, sep den, on acreage. Pool and game room enclosed. Lots of extras, reduced.

COAHOMA CUPID — Beautiful gold carpet in this 3-bedrm with sep. den. Garage, storm cellar — Only $17,000.

SWEETHEART OF A BUY — 3-1 plus den, fresh paint, corner lot, garage — carpet. Near shopping. Low 20's.

SWEET AND LOW — down pay... SOLD ... 2-1-den with w-b fire... ...et, drapes. Marked down to $13,500.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT — Executive cream puff in Hi-So. 3-2 with huge entertainment area, vaulted ceiling, w-b fireplace, dbl garage — ref. air-blt. in kit, custom drapes. Super shape.

CUDDLE UP — in this cozy cottage, 2-1 with carpet. Near college. Low, low teens.

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3. **PERFECT SETTING** — for this spacious like-new home on 8.6 acres. Custom blt Brick with lovely interior. Val Verde $70,000.
4. **LOVE NEST** on 13.2 acres. Roomy Spanish style home. Prop. adjoins base complex. Will sell house & 1 acre.
5. **EXCITINGLY DIFFERENT!** Lovely two story. Blt of native stone at turn of century. Scurry.
6. **LUCKY YOU!** This lovely stucco home has been reduced. Spacious w-sunken den & frpl. New heating & ref. 3-2 w-study. Corner lot. W. 16th.
7. **DELIGHTFUL** — home in Kentwood. Brick & stone exterior. 3-2-2 — $42,400. Carol St.
8. **EXTRA SPECIAL** home on Carl St. in Forsan Sch. Dist. Rental apt. in back. Reduced to $31,000.
9. **LOVEABILITY** — Enjoy frpl in 16x24 lvg area. Older spacious stucco w-form dining. Washington Pl.
10. **PRETTY** view of canyon from this 3 bdrm 1½ bath in super location. Immed. occupancy.
11. **APPEALING** home on Dallas St. Two-story charm. Brick. Already appraised. Mid 30's.
12. **HEART STEALER** on Andrews Hwy. Very special 3 bdrm-den. 2 carports. ref. air. patio on .64 acre. Low 30's.
13. **UNIQUE** — half finished home on N. Moss Creek Rd. Liveable Basement. Owner will carry note.
14. **UNUSUAL** is the word for this lge frame Brk trim home w-2 kitchens. Could be duplex. ref. air or 4 bdrm home Mid 20's.
15. **FRESH & PRETTY** — Just listed this special 3 bdrm 2 bth home on Pennsylvania. Pretty cpt throughout. So liveable!
16. **OLDER BUT BETTER!** Choice corner lot w-nice stone home 2 lots. 1103 E. 4th.
17. **CHARMING** older home. Two-story w-rental in rear. Plus furn. apt. Mid 20's.
18. **HAPPINESS** is owning your own home. See this 3 bdrm Brick on Morrison. Carport. Fenced. $22,500.
19. **SPECTACULAR** equity buy! Very clean & in great. cond. 2 bdrm w-sunken den. stove & ref. stay. Lge kit & din. area. Great starter home.
20. **SPECIAL** Buy! Lge 3 bdrm 1¾ bth — 4 lots — in Forsan. Appraised $19,500 listed at $16,000. Offers considered.
21. **YOUNG AT HEART** — Extra nice 2 bdrm w-den & din., almost new cpt. utility rm., garden & fruit trees. $17,900 Main St.
22. **ALMOST NEW!** 2 bdrm w-blt in range, ref. & dryer. Ref. air & cent. heat w-thermstat in each rm. Extra insul. mid teens.
23. **NEEDS WORK!** Stucco house on ½ acre. Off Snyder Hwy. $6500.

COMMERCIAL — Royal Beauty Center — 4 wet stations, 2 dry stations. $6000. Owner will carry note.
ACREAGE — off San Angelo Hwy — 5.76 acres $10,500. FM 700 — 10.79 acres $10,000.

La Casa REALTY

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263-1166, 263-8497

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OUR FINEST 3 br 3 bath brick with central ref. air nd heat. Huge Master br covers entire upstairs. Lg family area w-big fireplace. Forsan schools. Sits on 20 acres of beautiful country landscape.
COUNTRY HOME setting on ½ acre of well groomed grass and trees. Formal living and generous sized den with fireplace. Cent heat and air, dble carport. Lovely kit has B I oven and range. A very nice home.
SILVER HEELS 3 br brick with outstanding view. Texas sized br's, large kit, plus den w-picture window. Three car carport.
WESTOVER Darling 3 br home with huge yard and garage. Cozy kit has B I oven & Range. Lg living area makes this the home of your dreams.
ONE OF THE LARGEST Dens in town with two fireplaces, earth tone carpet and beam ceiling. 3 br's, nice kit and formal living. $24,500.
CUTE AS CAN BE 3 Br 1½ baths. Modern brick with 750 sq. ft. dble gar w-workshop. Beautiful backyard.
NICELY LANDSCAPED two br plus huge den w-beamed ceiling. Paneling and carpeted. Well for yard, city water for inside. Nice neighborhood.
BRICK HOME with rent house in rear. Newly redecorated and new carpet. Has 1¾ baths, range, and carport. East side of town.
$18,000.00 Buys this 3 Br home w-Central heat and air, carport and fenced yard. Lovely paneling Sep dining, B I oven and range.
TUBBS ADDITION means the nicest in country living and Forsan schools. 20 acres of rolling land W 3 Br 2 B mobile home. Water well and lots of privacy.
FM 700 — corner of W. 4th. 3.36 Acres. owner will carry.
TEN ACRES — for development on south edge of city.
20 ACRES — N. Birdwell Lane. — Reduced.
WEST 4th — Large lot with office, cyclone fence.
FM 700 — 2.26 Acres — excellent location for variety of business.
BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY Motel w-nice living quarters, Lounge and a chance for you to be your own boss. All operational and waiting for you.

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On E. 14th — you must see this lovely white house ... shutters, 2 bedr... SOLD ... completely redone... ...d out, new carpet, all new plumbing and wiring.

Off Midway Rd. — 2 bedrooms, nice and clean, carport, water well, fenced on ¾ acres.

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EXCELLENT DESIGN — for a big family & perfect for entertaining. Den with fp adjacent to liv. & formal rms. Split game rm. with fp and ½ bath. Big kit. & bkft. area overlooking rolling hills & Cosden. Covered sun deck — Many extras you'll enjoy in this custom blt. home.

OWNER LEAVING TOWN — on this lovely trailer with huge double gar. utly rms, stg. rms & 4 priv. fenced yds, in concrete curbs. All in exc. condition 120'x130' lot $11,000. Priced right!

BE NIMBLE — Be quick! Just a jump off Andrews Hwy. 30 acres in cultivation. Well and city water, lights, gas and paved rd. Just the spot for a comfortable home. $45,000.00.

LARGE ROOMY — Home on ½ acre with a Beautiful view. 8 large rooms, carpeted and draped. Unique knotted pine cabinets galore!!! $29,900.00.

JUST LISTED — 5 acres, irr. well + a pretty total elec. home. 6 rms brand new carpt. Lovely unique kit. that will sell you!!! $38,000.00.

SMALL COMPOUND — We have it! 2 comfortable houses. Close to downtown & shopping areas. Each under $10,000.00 Low dwn to good credit.

TWO IN ONE — Attr; 7 rm rock home, nice bth. 140 Ft on E. 4th commercial lot. Many extras. Terms to good cr. All for $15,500.

CHOICE SPOT — 2½ Acres on FM 700, Beautifully rollings hills, little or no dirt work...Your success is 99½ % of your location. AGREE???

WE HAVE A UNIQUE — BRK, 40 ft liv & den...Bdrms ½ as lge...custom bilder believed in the least maintenance...Brk goes to roof line. (insulating & no painting) 2-patios, 1's fncd. Coahoma & well water. Home is a solid shade in Spring & summer time. Kido's were not forgotten here; spot for horses & FHA work.

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2906 CACTUS ST, pri... ...st lowered to $41,500, below appraisal price, FP, den, 4 BR, 2 bth, LR, ... UC ... Tile Storage Bldg.
LOVELY 2 BR in Coahoma, 1 bth, CP, fenced, new paint inside and out, just lowered to $19,900.
SAND SPRINGS AREA, Lovely 2 BR, Brk all crpt, gd water well, fenced, $5590 equity.
GOOD EQUITY BUY on a 3 BR, 2 bth, den, dbl CP, corner lot, gd location
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NEED A REASON ... UC ... PRICE HOME CLOSE IN? See this 3 BR, basement-workshop ... ...aised at $12,000.
1905 NOLAN, 3 ... UC ... 2 Bth, Brk. $41,500.
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NEW LISTING neat 2 bd, lr, kit, bth, for only $5,850. 107 Algerita.

EXCELLENT COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITIES
LOVELY RESTAURANT with latest and best equipment, 15 trailer spaces & hook-ups. Beautifully furnished. A going business in Coahoma, $150,000.
LARGE WAREHOUSE on I-20 (formerly Coors) includes cold storage area, offices, plus a total elec 2 BR house, pecan trees, Call us to see this.
COMMERCIAL BLD... SOLD ...liv qtrs, wtr well, 1½ ac land, off I-20.
COMMERCIAL LAND across from Malone-Hogan Hosp, owner will build to suit tenants or sell land, great spot for Medical Offices.

EXCELLENT INVESTMENTS ON ACREAGE.
NEAR COUNTRY CLUB, Lovely Campestre Estates, owner will finance to qualified buyers with a low down payment (3 to 6 ac tracts).
LIKE THE SILVER HEELS AREA? We have 10 ac with water well, beautiful bldg site.
BUILDING SITES, first st east of Val Verde of Midway Rd, utilities in; We have almost 45 ac left in 4.7 ac tracts. 3 beautiful homes being blt on this st. Financing available to qualified buyers, in Coahoma Schl Dist.

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MLS — 2000 Birdwell — 263-8251

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2 BDRM — Duplex, Gd Loc & Owner consider carrying note.
GOOD LOC — on FM 700, 1¼ Acre, with 1800 Sq. Ft. Bldg.
RENTAL — 2 BR Duplex, Equity Buy, $87 Mo, Gd net, $13,500.
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REAL ESTATE A

Houses For Sale A-2

FOR SALE by owner. Wasson addition. 3 bedroom, one and ¾ baths. Carpet, dishwasher, total electric. $30,000. Call 263-1517.

TWO BEDROOM in Park Hill. Central heat, paneled and carpeted. Nice interior, some exterior work. $17,500. 263-7676 or 263-8106.

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom 1 bath, garage. Near college, $3500 equity or $12,800. After 4 call 267-5386 · 353-4486 · 1202 Stanford.

SAND SPRINGS Country. 2 bedroom cottage with garage and large workshop on ¾ acre. Call La Casa Realty. 263-8497.

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom 1 bath, brick, LR, den, spacious kitchen and dining area, covered patio, storage building, large fenced backyard. Low 30's. Ph. 263-0825.

For Sale By Owner on Coronado Ave.
3-2-2 with free standing fireplace. Fantastic controlled view. Low sixties. By appt. only! Phone 263-2891.

Houses For Sale A-2

BY BUILDER
3 Br-2 Bth, brick. Large lot, Forsan School. Refrigerated air conditioning, fireplace. High 40's.
267-7983 267-6669.

Acreage For Sale A-6

54 ACRES ½ mile from city limits. Well fenced, good water well and barn, plenty of grass. Priced to sell with good terms. South Plains Real Estate Company. (806) 872-5272.

20 ACRES NORTH of Big Spring on pavement. $1500 acre. Will sell in 5 acre tracts. 267-3480.

Acreage For Sale A-6

24 Acres-Near Leakey, Texas, Heavily wooded-Partially fenced-Good Hunt-$300.00 Down Owner Financed-Easy Terms Phone 512-257-5369 After 7:00 P.M.

Resort Property A-9

FOR SALE: 2 cabins. 1 on Colorado City Lake, 1 on Brownwood Lake. Call 263-1539 or 267-2723.

263-7331

Mobile Homes A-12

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NEW, USED, REPO HOMES
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Furnished Apts B-3

FOR RENT: small house. 1 bedroom and kitchenette. Furnished. One person only. Bills paid. No pets. 267-7180.

TWO — FIVE room apartments, nicely furnished. One garage apartment, nicely furnished. Washer-dryer in each. 267-8908.

UTILITIES PAID. Clean, nicely furnished. Shower. Bachelor or working lady. No pets. Inquire 404 West 6th.

ONE BEDROOM — near shopping areas (Gibsons). Plenty of off street parking. 267-6219.

LARGE APARTMENT with garage. Adults only. Water, gas paid. No pets. No pets. Apply 1501 Scurry.

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ONE BEDROOM Furnished apartments and one and two bedroom mobile homes on private lots. For mature adults only, no children, no pets. $145 to $175. 263-6944 and 263-2341.

NICE CLEAN: Two bedroom apartment, well furnished. Two bills paid $125. Deposit and lease required. 263-7811.

ONE BEDROOM furnished apartments. All bills paid. Shag carpet, electrical appliances, refrigerated air 263-0008, if no answer 263-2262, 263-4804.

Unfurnished Apts B-4

UNFURNISHED 2 bedroom duplex. Nice couple preferred. Small deposit. For more information. Call 267-8155 after 3 p.m.

Furnished Houses B-5

FURNISHED TWO bedroom. Nice. $225. One bedroom, furnished. $150. Call 263-2591 or 263-6400.

2 & 3 BEDROOM MOBILE HOMES HOUSES & APARTMENTS
Washer, and dryer in some, air conditioning, heating, carpet, shade trees and fenced yard. All bills except electricity paid on some.
FROM $110.00
267-5546

Unfurnished Houses B-6

THREE BEDROOM, carpeted, stove, refrigerator, $200. Two bedrooms and den, carpeted, extra storage. $200. 263-2591 263-6400.

TWO BEDROOM Carpeted, washer dryer connection, fenced backyard, deposit required. Call 263-6559 after 6 p.m.

THREE BEDROOM house for lease in Douglas Addition. Newly redone, carpeted and draped. Deposit required. 267-8949.

TWO BEDROOM unfurnished house on Miller A Road. Inquire at 3rd house on east Side.

Misc. For Rent B-7

LARGE WAREHOUSES for rent or sale. Fireproof construction. Offices and restrooms. Convenient locations. Call 267-7741 or 263-7473.

Wanted To Rent B-8

WANT TO rent Unfurnished 1 or 2 bedroom house in Edwards Addition. Phone 263-4932.

Mobile Homes B-10

FOR RENT: Furnished 2 bedroom Mobile Home. Bills paid except electricity. No children or pets. 267-7180.

FURNSIHED MOBILE Home for rent. 2 bedroom, washer-dryer, no pets, 1 child, fenced yard. For more information call 267-6610.

Lots For Rent B-11

LARGE FENCED trailer spaces for rent. Hook-ups and TV cable available. Located in the Midway-Sand Springs area. Call 267-6036 or 267-5169.

For Lease B-12

BRICK HOME FOR LEASE
4 bedroom, 2½ bath, carpeted, draped, utility room, central heat, fenced yard. Nice area. Cook & Talbot, 267-2529, 267-8754.

Office Space B-14

NEW OFFICE BUILDING
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5 offices available
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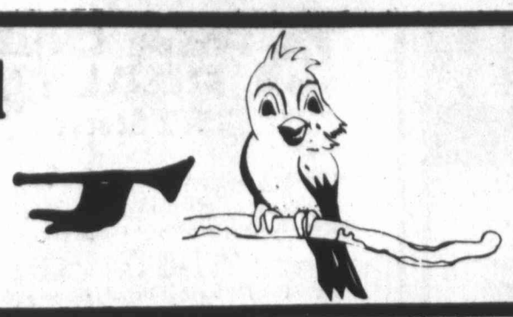

The shortest distance between buyer and seller is a line in the Want Ads.

For CLASSIFIED Call 263-7331

ANNOUNCEMENTS C

Lodges C-1

STATED MEETING Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 A.F. & A.M. every 2nd & 4th Thursday 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. 3rd & Main.
Willard Wise, W.M.
T.R. Morris, Sec.

CALLED MEETING Big Spring Lodge No. 1340 AF & AM Work in FC Degree 7:30 February 12th, 1979.
Fred Simpson, W.M.

Special Notices C-2

BILLY HENKEL has made application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Wine Only Package Store Permit & Beer Retailer's Off Premise License for the location of 1610 S. Gregg, Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, to be operated under the trade name of Billy's Super Save.
Billy Henkel
T-59 Sterling City Rt.
Big Spring, Texas
79720
Tena Henkel
T-59 Sterling City Rt.
Big Spring, Texas
79720
Betty Chadwell
Pats Rd., Sterling City Rt.
Big Spring, Texas
79720

Lost & Found C-4

LOST FEMALE Brindle Pit Bulldog puppy in vicinity of Ponderosa Apts. Answers to name "Porky." Reward! If found, call Johnny at 267-1641.

Personal C-5

FOR ARTHRITIS Sufferers, go by Fox Pawn Shop, for further information.

GOT PROBLEMS? In a crisis? Troubled? Talk it over with Bill at 263-8016 or 263-0562.

BORROW $100 on your signature (Subject to approval). C.I.C. FINANCE. 406 Runnels. 263-7338.

ELVIS FANS!! Personal photo of Elvis backstage Louisiana hayride, 1955. $5.00, check or money order S.A.S.E. to B&A Enterprises, P.O. Box 252.

FOR HELP WITH AN UNWED PREGNANCY CALL EDNA GLADNEY HOME FORT WORTH, TEXAS 1-800-792-1104

Private Investigation C-8

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Fixtures $3300 — plus inventory

Education D-1

FINISH HIGH School at home. Diploma awarded. For free brochure call American School, toll free, 1-800-621-8318.

EMPLOYMENT F

Help Wanted F-1

EXPERIENCED FARM hand. Good house and pay. References needed. Call noon or night. 806-649-7534.

HELP WANTED 3 to 11 p.m. or rotating shift. Ave's Lounge 1-20 East South Service Rd. Apply between 10:30 and 3:00.

TAKING APPLICATIONS for LVN's. 7-3 shift. Good salary, excellent fringe benefits. Pleasant working conditions. Contact Mrs. Charles Root, Root valley Fair Lodge, 1541 Chestnut, Colorado City. 728-2634.

ROUTE DRIVER needed. Commercial license required. Apply in person. 8 a.m. Big Spring Rendering Company. Equal Opportunity Employer.

HOUSEPARENTS NEEDED: Girlstown, U.S.A., Whiteface, TX. Salary plus room and board. Couples preferred. Call (806) 229-5821.

SECRETARY — RECEPTIONIST. Starting salary $550 — higher with legal experience. Typing and bookkeeping skills necessary. Call 263-8395 for appointment.

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WE HAVE grown from 1 million to 225 million (1956-1978). To reach 400 million we need sales reps who have the potential to earn in excess of $30,000. For personal interview, write Lowell Price, Certified Southern Division, P.O. Box 2137, Irving, TX 75061. An Equal Opportunity Employer M/F.

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Sell Avon to help melt them down to size. Good earnings, flexible hours. For details, call Dorothy Christensen, Mgr. 263-3230.

Help Wanted F-1

BIG SPRING EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
Coronado Plaza
267-2535

SECRETARY-Shorthand and typing. Previous secretarial experience. Large local company. Benefits ..... $600+
BOOKKEEPER — Full charge experience. Local firm ..... to $900
DICTAPHONE SECRETARY — Experience. Good typing speed. Excellent position ..... $575+
BOOKKEEPER — Heavy expercence necessary. Local firm ..... EXC
LEGAL SECRETARY — Previous legal background. Local. Benefits ..... OPEN
SALES REP. — Experience in sales. Local company ..... $900+
SALES — Previous sales experience. Local company ..... Salary is OPEN
COLLECTOR — Collection experience necessary ..... Salary +

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Immediate openings for Ambulance Attendants with EMT rating. Full or part-time employment. Phone 263-0993. 403 Lancaster
SHAFFER AMBULANCE SERVICE

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Transporter of petroleum products needs drivers with a minimum 2 years diesel experience. Good driving record necessary. Excellent benefits include: Paid insurance, 1 week vacation every 6 months, pension plan, safety bonus, 8 paid holidays, etc. Must relocate. Excellent wages and good working conditions. PRIDE REFINING INC. Transportation Div., Anson Hwy., Abilene, Tx. 915-673-4756. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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A small aggressive West Texas based oil and gas exploration and production company is seeking a talented, experienced professional to assist in well drilling, logging, completion and productions operations in Texas and New Mexico. The successful candidate should have at least 5 years experience. A degree in Petroleum engineering would be an asset. The qualifying applicant should be willing to relocate. We offer salary commensurate with experience and ability, plus company car and other liberal benefits.
Send replies c-o Big Spring Herald Box 964B.

Position Wanted F-2

WILL DO Experienced typing. Phone 263-2584 after 5:00.

WOMAN COLUMN J

Child Care J-3

CHILD CARE in my home. Registered, good care, reasonable rates. Opening for 2 babies. Call 263-7958.

WILL DO babysitting in my home. Part time or full time. For more information call 263-3846.

Miscellaneous J-7

HOME IN Sand Springs wants to take care of 3 ladies on Social Security or self paying. 393-5779.

Sewing Machines J-9

WE SERVICE all makes of sewing machines. Singer Dealer. Highland South Center. 267-5545.

Free pickup and delivery on all sewing machines and sewing machine service in the home.
CENTRAL SEWING MACHINE SERVICE
624 Ridgeroad Drive
263-3172
If no answer 394-4226
Repair On All Makes. Complete Sewing Machine Service $10
We carry a complete line of needles and accessories.

FARMER'S COLUMN K

Livestock K-3

WANTED TO Buy: Horses of any kind. Call 263-4132 before 5:00 p.m.

BABY CALVES for sale. 267-7840 or 267-5869.

MISCELLANEOUS L

Dogs, Pets, Etc. L-3

SIBERIAN HUSKY puppies for sale. 7 weeks old. Male and female. Cutest ever. Phone 263-1150.

AKC GOLDEN RETRIEVER Pups. $150 males. $125 females. Excellent hunting dog. Great with kids. Must go to good home. 915-573-4204, Snyder.

FOR SALE. Doberman Pinscher, 1½ years old. Excellent with children. Call after 6:00 263-6386.

AKC REGISTERED Doberman Pinscher puppies. Reds, blues, and blacks. Phone 267-3436 anytime.

Not at home on your range? See Classified Section L-4

Pet Grooming L-3A

COMPLETE POODLE Grooming. Call Mrs. Dorothy Blount Grizzard 263-2889 for appointment.

SMART & SASSY SHOPPE. 622 Ridgeroad Drive. All breed pet grooming. Pet accessories. 267-1371.

IRIS'S POODLE Parlor and Boarding Kennels. Grooming and supplies. Call 263-2409. 2112 West 3rd.

Household Goods L-4

TWIN BEDS, matresses, springs and chest, $60. Phone 267-6009 after 5 p.m.

GAS STOVE — cook top with storage space. Good condition — selling because of moving. $60. 394-4849.

(1) 25" ZENITH COLOR TV. Repossessed. Beautiful Cabinet, works like new. Take up payments.
(1) 19" ZENITH CONSOLE TV $300 Works good.
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New and Used gas and electric heaters in stock.
BAR STOOLS .... $6.95 and up
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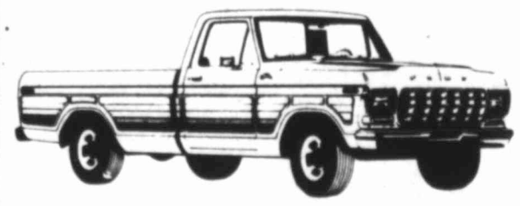

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Exhibits slated Sunday

A day for invention

WASHINGTON (AP) — Superman's x-ray vision, flying ability and other powers may eliminate his need for most modern inventions, but he at least owes a debt to the work of Thomas Watson.

You remember Watson. He was made famous by Alexander Graham Bell's remark: "Mr. Watson, come here, I want you."

Bell, of course, invented the telephone, landing him in the National Inventors Hall of Fame, where Inventors Day is being marked Sunday.

Watson may seem less famous, but his work involved more than just taking calls from Bell. He invented the phone booth.

Not everyone uses a phone booth to change into a caped crusader outfit, but most are still benefitted by the work of inventors.

The Inventors Day exhibits include a robot lawn mower, stop smoking ashtrays, heat convection devices, luminescent writing paper, solar energy devices and a host of other items.

More than 100,000 applications are made to the U.S. Patent Office yearly, and in 1977 — the last year for which a tally is completed — 72,832 patents were granted for new inventions. The number of patents varies each year, said the patent office's Oscar Masden, ranging from 86,000 in 1972 to 70,000 in 1970.

Patents are granted only for applied technology, not scientific principles. For example, Albert Einstein did his most famous work in theoretical physics. His patents, however, are on a self-adjusting camera and a refrigeration system.

The intent of a patent is to give the inventor some protection for his work. It allows the patent holder exclusive use of the invention for 17 years. He can license others to use it during that time.

This provides inventors with income and incentive to do research, while getting their work on the public record.

A patent must include enough information to allow a skilled person to duplicate the invention, and this allows others a wider base of information for future inventions.

From 1790 until World War II this seems to have worked just fine, with most inventors working privately or for business, and receiving patent protection. But recently more research money has from government, leading to conflict over the resulting patents.

Howard W. Bremer of the University of Wisconsin reports that various government agencies and departments have some 22 different patent policies ranging from the "title" to the "license" policy.

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INVENTORS HONORED — President Carter has proclamed this Sunday Inventors Day, noting that it is the 100th anniversary of the invention of the electric light by Thomas A. Edison, top left. Edison was the first inventor honored in the National Inventor's Hall of Fame at the U.S. patent office. Others are, Alexander Graham Bell, top right, Prof. Jay W. Forrester, bottom left, and Dr. Robert H. Goddard, bottom right.

Farm

Incorporation may pose tax woes for farmers

LUBBOCK — Farmers, ranchers or others planning to incorporate in order to borrow enough money to conduct 1979 operations should "make the most of the corporate format and plan to maximize corporate benefits," according to a Texas Tech University law professor.

"There are pitfalls but offsetting benefits if incorporation is properly handled," Prof. Robert E. Wood Jr. said.

Farmers, ranchers and others engaged in related industries are faced this season with a dilemma in doing business in Texas because law prohibits interest rates above 10 percent on individual loans while the Federal Reserve prime rate stands at 11.75 per cent.

Because banks don't lend money at lower interest rates than they pay, many farmers and ranchers are considering incorporation because a corporation can pay the higher interest rate on loans.

"Ironically, compelling incorporation to avoid usury on loans in excess of 10 per cent appears to be putting the fox in charge of the chicken coop," Wood said. "However, appearance isn't everything."

"The courts generally hold that if the lender believes the loan to be legitimate — to a valid corporation — the fact that the borrower may not share such a belief or have such intentions does not itself render the loan usurious."

Wood suggested that persons who want to incorporate family-operated businesses would do well to first find a lawyer with an in-depth understanding of the Texas Close Corporation Statute.

"The act addresses and attempts to alleviate the major deficiencies of incorporation of the closely held busines," he explained.

First, excessive formalities in centralized management are reduced. While these are desirable for the mammoth corporation, they tend to make the corporate form less attractive for the small business."

The close corporation statute permits management by shareholders as opposed to directors and treatment of the business and corporation affairs "as if it were more like a partnership."

Secondly, the statute places restriction on transfer of corporation stock, a disadvantage to a large corporation but an advantage to the small corporation.

The statute also is written to help shareholders avoid two of the stickiest problems of closely held corporations — deadlock and an inability to compel dissolution, Wood said.

The corporation can name a provisional director to resolve a deadlock. Dissolution is permitted at will or upon the occurrence of any specified event or contingency.

The act of incorporation may pose tax problems which can offset advantages, Wood said, and he cautioned those who plan incorporation that both liability and tax problems should be investigated throughly before the incorporation papers are drawn.

SBA office site changed

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) office which handles applications for farm disaster loans in the Abilene area has been moved to a new location, it has been announced.

The new office is at the U.S. Post Office Building, 300 Pine Street, Suite 2211, Abilene 79602. An SBA representative is available to meet with interested producers from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

SBA's Physical Disaster Loan Program is open to eligible farmers and ranchers who suffered financial hardship in the 125 Texas counties which were declared a disaster area due to extreme drought conditions. These low-interest loans are available for losses not already covered by insurance or ASCS disaster or deficiency payments.

Interested persons can visit SBA at this new location or call 915-677-8537 for more information. Deadline for filing SBA disaster loan applications is March 6, 1979.

Chili supper in Seminole

SEMINOLE — Ron Butler, secretary-treasurer of the Texas Farmers Union, will be the featured speaker at the Gaines County Farmers Union chili supper, scheduled to get underway in the Gaines County Civic Center at 6:30 p.m., tonight.

BE PREPARED
For any weather. Check the weather forecast in the Big Spring Herald.

Put Your Tools Away! Need help on your yardwork or gardening? Check the Who's Who for Service Directory in the Big Spring Herald Classified Section.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

RESCUED — Allan Dunn (R) is helped ashore by an unidentified man after he was rescued from sea off a Nassau beach Thursday. He was diving with Ramona Herman, 26 from West Chicago, Ill. when the two became lost Tuesday. Dunn, who is the road manager for the Rolling Stones and a personal friend of Mick Jagger, was found by a private yacht after he and Ms. Herman had spent their two days at sea in a small rubber dingy. They were in good health when found, according to the U.S. Coast Guard, except for minor sun exposure.

From asphalt to nature trails

Boy Scout handbook shifts

NORTH BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP) — The new Boy Scout handbook is shifting back from asphalt basketball courts to nature trails because that's where the "romance" is, says the author. Besides, he says, some city kids "can't take it" in the wild.

"You take the inner city boys away from the neon lights, the noise and the asphalt and a number of them can take it out in the country, but a lot of them can't," William Hillcourt, 78, said Thursday as the 576-manual was released.

It was the 69th birthday of the Boy Scouts of America, which has its national headquarters here.

The last scout manual, published in 1972, was designed for relevance to city youths, scout spokesman Thomas Dew said, although it did not dispense with the outdoors expertise required of scouts.

It pictured scouts in such urban settings as outdoor basketball courts. In a picture of hikers, skyscrapers could be seen in the background.

But the idea "kind of fizzled out" said Dew, and Hillcourt, alarmed by plummeting membership, volunteered to write a "return-to-the fundamentals" manual emphasizing knots, maps, nature trials and wilderness survival techniques.

"Boys lose the romance of scouting by hanging out in cities — they've got to get out in the country," Hillcourt said.

In the last six years, total U.S. scouting membership — including boy scouts, cub scouts, explorers and adult leaders — dropped about 2 million to 4.5 million, said publications editor Judd Compton.

The new handbook is filled with Norman Rockwell illustrations. And it takes a firm stand on the side of chivalry.

"The knights of old were pledged to protect women. It was their duty to keep them from harm. The scout of today treats them with the same high regard," the manual says.

Both included the scout motto — Be Prepared — and the tenets of loyalty and good works.

Hillcourt says he "volunteered a year of my life" to help return scouting to its basics.

Since 1932, he has written the "Green Bar Bill" column for Boys Life Magazine.

AP-NBC News poll shows

Carter's rating lower

NEW YORK (AP) — Americans think less of Jimmy Carter's work than at any time since before the Camp David summit, an Associated Press-NBC News poll shows.

Concern over Iran and Carter's handling of the turmoil there were large factors in the decline, while the continued failure to achieve a peace agreement in the Middle East was also a factor.

In December, 36 percent of the public gave Carter good or excellent marks. Interviews with 1,600 adults Monday and Tuesday found only 28 percent gave Carter such favorable marks, an eight-point drop in seven weeks.

This latest rating is close to the lowest point ever found for Carter, reached in August last year, when 26 per cent gave him good or excellent marks. His current standing is not significantly different from that low point.

Fifty-three percent judged Carter's work "only fair" this month.

And 17 percent rated his work poor, up from 12 percent in the last poll.

Two percent of the adults nationwide questioned by telephone said they were not sure.

A substantial portion of this drop can be traced to public perceptions of Carter's handling of the turmoil in Iran.

Only 19 percent of the public gave the president good or excellent marks for his work in relation to the changes in the government in that oil-rich nation on the Soviet border.

Forty-six percent gave him only fair marks, while 27 percent rated his work poor. Eight percent were not sure.

Americans say Iran is important to this country. Sixty-two percent said a stable, friendly government there is very important, 31 percent said it is somewhat important and 4 percent said it was not important at all. Three percent were uncertain.

The results showed those who said they followed events in Iran closely gave Carter a lower foreign policy rating and lower overall job rating than those who did not pay attention to such developments.

The poll found the public paying more attention to the Iranian turmoil than to the new relationships with China and Taiwan.

Americans' judgment of Carter's work in foreign policy and energy and his trust rating have also suffered as a result of the problems in Iran.

In foreign policy — where Carter scored a triumph with the Camp David summit in 1978 — his rating has plunged, now standing at only 35 percent good or excellent, down from 45 percent in December and from the 56 percent found right after he worked out a "framework for peace" in the Middle East with Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat.

And his rating on handling energy policy slipped four points to 19 percent good or excellent — its lowest point ever — after months of relative stability.

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