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Volunteer Blood Donor Month

At the request of the American Blood Commission on behalf of the nation's voluntary blood providers, President Ronald Reagan on October 30 signed a proclamation setting January 1983 as National Volunteer Blood Donor Month.

"I welcome this opportunity to continue the tradition of designating January as National Volunteer Blood Donor Month," Reagan wrote.

"I commend those Americans who have donated blood that others might live and encourage every American to join in this expression of concern by offering the gift of blood.

"There is no alternate source for most blood products," Reagan continued. "When the ill and injured require transfusion, only another human being can provide this unique medicine. The millions of Americans who donate blood each year are responding to a continuous and vital need for adequate blood supplies in communities throughout the nation.

"I urge every healthy person to participate in their local volunteer blood program and to experience the rich satisfaction of giving selflessly for the well-being of others."

City Council Accepts Bid

Members of the Haskell City Council faced a short agenda during their regular meeting Tuesday night.

The only action of the meeting came when council members accepted the low bid of \$11,840.40 submitted by Blair Brothers of Haskell for the construction of a new pit at the Haskell landfill.

Bids ranged from the low to a high of over \$30,000.00.

A report on sales tax received was given and council members also discussed enforcement of a fireworks ordinance.

With the rapid approach of 1983, thoughts turn to a new year and hopes of the return of peace and prosperity.

Yes 1982 saw much turmoil around the world and Haskell County certainly had its share.

Fighting in the Middle East, turmoil in Poland, record high unemployment in the U.S., record high interest rates and the worst crop prices in recent history of U.S. farming all combined to taint our views of 1982.

Record rainfall during the spring and early summer in Haskell County almost destroyed our entire cotton crop and after re-planting several times, many farmers simply gave up on a cotton crop and planted milo.

The closing of the Herman-Marcus sewing factory left about 50 Haskell residents jobless and many are still searching for employment.

Yet, looking back on 1982 there were several bright spots for Haskell residents.

Sales tax receipts for the year were the highest ever. Receipts for the period ending December 7 indicate that Haskell's totals were up 13.44% over the same period last year. That figure leads all area cities of comparable size and compares to a statewide average of 8.83%.

The finances of our City, County, School and Hospital are all sound and although several have had to cut programs or alter services they are each striving to make the best possible use of available funds.

Unemployment in Haskell County in July stood at 1.1% as

compared to a statewide rate of 7.3% and a national rate of 9.8%.

1982 marked the centennial of the City of Haskell and several events highlight the year.

Both the HHS band and football team earned honors, the Haskell Chamber of Commerce has shown record growth, plans for a Civic Center in Haskell have taken a giant stride forward and the year climaxed with an unforgettable Christmas parade viewed by an estimated 7,000 people.

With the approach of 1983 let us dedicate ourselves to making the new year better than the one before.

Let us support Haskell businesses to insure their continued success and with their success, the continuation of the growth of our City, County and Schools.

Let us always look on the good side of whatever happens and attempt to always make the best of any situation.

And let each of us unite in prayer for peace in the world, the return of prosperity and health and happiness for our friends and neighbors around the world.

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WINNER

Coleman Baker, left, manager of Modern Way Food Store is shown presenting Creed L. Flanary with a \$1,000.00 check. Flanary was a winner in the Cowboy Fever contest sponsored by Affiliated Foods. Final date for redeeming winning tickets is Jan. 1, 1983.

Fatalities Up During Winter

The Texas Department of Public Safety reminds motorists that the winter season is upon us, and it is time once again to get both the driver and the vehicle in the best possible condition for this most grueling driving season.

The DPS reported 1,262 fatal accidents that caused 1,469 deaths during the winter months of 1981 and 94 of these fatal accidents were attributed to snow or ice covered roadways, according to Major Vernon Cawthon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

He said, "Winter driving on wet, foggy, or ice covered roads is different and requires more patience."

He advised the motorist to start early, to allow time for traffic delays, and for rest periods on long trips, to adjust their speed for road and traffic conditions, and to avoid sudden driving maneuvers.

Cawthon said, "Winter driving requires more concentration and effort on the part of the driver, and extra care must be taken to clean windows and headlights of mud and ice. The ability to see or be seen is lowered in bad weather and this requires more driver alertness."

He noted, batteries, tires, windshield wiper blades, and anti-freeze are items that need to be checked. Weak batteries should be

replaced, tires should have good deep treads, and good wiper blades are vital in winter when visibility is poor.

"Remember the speed limits posted on our highways are limits for good conditions, and winter driving may require us to lower our

speed to adjust for poor conditions," he said.

He emphasized that impatience will not get you to your destination any faster. Patience will not get you there any faster either, but he said, "It will sure make the trip more pleasant and safe."

Sales Tax Received

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Tuesday sent \$42.1 million to 973 Texas cities as their share of the one-percent city sales tax for December.

The 1982 statewide total is up 8.8 percent over the 1981 year-end total. This payment reflects taxable sales made in October and reported to the state by the end of November.

Houston received \$8.4 million. Houston's payments for 1982 are up 9.5 percent over 1981.

Dallas got \$4.9 million, up 9.2 percent for the year.

San Antonio got \$2.3 million, up 8.8 percent for 1982.

Fort Worth received \$1.6 million, bringing the total for 1982 to \$25 million, up 4.2 percent for the year.

Austin received \$1.5 million, up 14.4 percent for the year.

El Paso received \$1 million up 3.6 percent for 1982.

Bullock also sent December rebates to the state's two Metropolitan Transit Authorities. The Houston MTA received \$9.6 million, bringing the total received this year to \$166.7 million, up 8.5 percent over last year. The San Antonio MTA got a check for \$1.5 million, bringing the 1982 total to \$20.8 million, up 4.9 percent for the year.

The city and MTA sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller.

City	Payment This Period	Payment Prior Year	1982 Payments	1981 Payments	% Change
Haskell	5,267.95	8,401.11	155,491.86	137,066.01	13.44
O'Brien	0.00	0.00	1,359.55	1,023.97	32.77
Rochester	984.58	1,430.36	12,516.90	10,967.43	14.13
Rule	845.09	1,334.42	21,032.79	23,060.56	-8.79
Weinert	0.00	0.00	1,746.18	1,393.14	25.34
Anson	2,388.65	3,620.85	74,010.47	69,112.58	7.09
Hamlin	7,500.79	5,918.66	101,198.63	101,250.89	-0.05
Hawley	752.83	789.18	13,303.96	14,628.19	-9.05
Lueders	0.00	0.00	4,840.34	2,670.79	81.23
Stamford	9,447.37	8,372.64	161,654.72	143,513.14	12.64
Benjamin	0.00	0.00	2,653.54	2,952.35	-10.12
Goree	0.00	0.00	4,359.98	3,364.73	29.58
Knox City	2,837.24	3,254.46	69,411.98	64,980.11	6.82
Munday	1,972.47	2,200.32	47,439.00	46,835.28	1.29

Fireworks Not Allowed In City

Haskell Chief of Police Tom Paul Barnett reminds all Haskell residents that it is unlawful to shoot fireworks within the Haskell city limits.

Chief Barnett asks local residents to use extreme caution with fireworks.

According to the Chief, persons caught shooting fireworks inside the city limits will be fined.

Outside the city limits, persons are asked to seek a cleared area well away from cotton modules and pastures.

Court House To Close

All offices in the Haskell County Court House will be closed Friday, December 31 for the New Year Holiday.

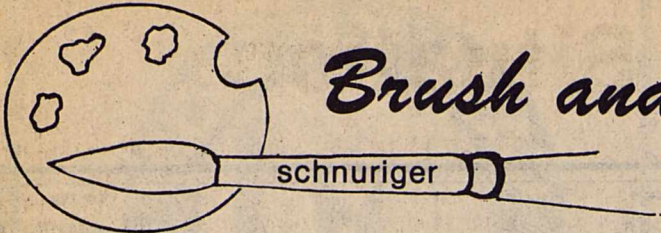
52 Boxes Delivered By Goodfellows

A total of 52 boxes of food and toys were delivered Christmas Eve by members of the Haskell Lions Club, Haskell Volunteer Firemen and City Employees.

The boxes were given to needy families in Haskell and were made possible by donations from area residents. The project is sponsored annually by the Haskell Lions Club. Donations received this week to

the Goodfellow Fund include:
Mr. & Mrs. Lynn Pace III... 25.00
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Mr. & Mrs. Delma Williams... 25.00
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Total this Week... 100.00
Previous Total... 1711.00
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Brush and Palette

A special "Thank you" for adding to our holidays. May the Blessings of Peace be fully realized for all people in the New Year.

The artist is a user of ancient instruments. Most of his favorite tools have not changed in any essential way for centuries. Even today, in the midst of seething technological innovation, which has refined and improved some of his materials, his brushes, charcoal, crayons, pencils, and pens would not seem strange to a Renaissance artist miraculously stepping into the twentieth century. It is not hard to become infatuated with 'tricky techniques'. The trouble is that we may confuse 'tricks' for content and forget that the

basic strength of our work comes from the interesting arrangements of design elements and the sense of unity and balance that results.

Q. For pen and ink drawings, what is the most commonly used tools of the trade?

A. Most artists today use the steel point, although occasionally gold, aluminum or other metal is used. Some still use the quill or reed, and others the new nylon or felt tips. The principle and purpose are the same, the permit a flow of ink from a tip across a suitable drawing surface.

Q. What is the best ink to use for pen and ink drawings?

A. Some that I have used are Higgins, Pelican and Sanford's. All of the ink

should be waterproof.

Q. What are the basic "word" tools of the craft - the nuts and bolts of the design?

A. Line, value, color, shape, size, direction, pattern and texture.

They interact with each other like an orchestra coordinates to entertain with their interpretation of a musical. When you are aware of these elements, then you have the key for making your work more interesting. In one of Edgar Whitney's workshops that I attended, he reminded us many times "Don't bore me, entertain me." Then Robert E. Wool says, "Keep it simple, stupid!" B. Miller said, "Don't allow yourself to become infatuated with detail!" I often ask my students "What makes a good picture?" What does it take to make it a better one?"

HINT: The least stroke of the pen has a permanent look.

Write your questions and hints to me, Faye Schnuriger, P.O. Box 134, Haskell, Texas, 79521. I will not use your name but do want you to sign your letters.

Hospital Notes

Visiting hours at Haskell Memorial Hospital are 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 8:30 in the evening. No visiting hours in the morning. No children under 14.

ADMISSIONS

MEDICAL: Alva LeFevre, Sagerton; Zina Bills, Rule; Raymond Lusk, Haskell; Loufana Eubank, Munday; Clarence Hitt, Rochester; Haskell Stone, Haskell; Thomas Bird, Haskell; Marvis Lowrey, Knox City; Alice Larned, Haskell; Dugan Starr, Haskell; Charlie Campbell, Haskell; Allen Hester, Knox City.

SURGICAL: Wesley Tibbets, Rochester.

DISMISSALS

Mary Hunter, Ira Townsend, Beatrice Free, Robert Walker, Vicki Henshaw, Jacque Nemir, Joe Davis, Jerry Thurman, Chrystal Hacker, Jerry Camp, Darla Peters, Lois Smith, Dale Potter, Charlene Cook, O.F. Harvey, Josie Griffin, Joe Hunt, Lucy Adkins, G.B. Miller, Allen Lowrey.

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Around Town

The E.L. Hilliard's had their children visiting them during the Christmas holidays, they were Patricia Shaw, Dawn, Karen, Laren and Marshall of Bryan, Ronald and Edith Hilliard, Jarred and Jason of Odessa, Kenneth and Cinda Hilliard, Nicole and Chessa of Brownfield, Larry and Linda Short and Mary Jane of Rochester. Also Ellen Hilliard and Jean Ballard of Abilene. Elmer and Bernice Hilliard spent Sunday night in Odessa

with Ronald and Edith Hilliard, Jarred and Jason.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Howard were holiday visitors Friday through Monday at Wylie in the Kenneth Howard home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Address of Sand Springs, Okla. and grandson Brad Medford of Kellyville, Okla. visited with Alice Address and were also visitors in the Kenneth Howard home at

Wylie.

Mr. H.L. Allmon was a holiday visitor at his son's and family's home, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Allmon and Jennifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Wayne Howard, Holli and Chris spent the holidays with her family, the Chief Escobedo's and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Howard spent Christmas night at Carrollton visiting with their daughter and son-in-law the Elliot Wolders and Sol.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES R. HANNSZ of Haskell announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kristie Diane, to Dennis Lee Stegemoeller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stegemoeller of Rochester. Miss Hannsz is a 1982 graduate of Haskell High School and American Commercial College of Abilene, as an Executive Secretary. The prospective bridegroom is a 1981 graduate of Rochester High School and received a degree in Refrigeration Technology from TSTI of Sweetwater. He is self-employed. The couple plans a February 12th wedding at the First Baptist Church of Haskell.

Internship Program Sponsored By Congressman Stenholm

Students and teachers interested in participating in the fourth internship program sponsored by Congressman Charles W. Stenholm can request applications from the Congressman's Abilene District Office in the Federal Building.

Applications for the program, which will include two Omar Burleson Congressional Interns and two Lyndon Baines Johnson Congressional Interns, must be postmarked by midnight, February 17, and mailed to the Abilene office.

The interns selected will receive full Congressional experience in Stenholm's Washington office this summer, with one intern from each program to serve during June or July, 1983.

"We have been extremely pleased with the quality of applicants for internships ever since we began this program," Stenholm said, adding that since entrants were judged on a competitive basis, "anyone interested should get their applications in as soon as possible."

Selection for the internships is made by a District-wide

selection committee, chaired by former Congressman Burleson.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age when he or she is in Washington, allowing high school seniors who have enrolled in an institute of higher learning to be eligible. Others eligible include any student or graduate student who was enrolled during the preceding academic year at any of the District colleges, universities or technical institutes, or any other school, if the person's home of record is within the 17th Congressional District. Teachers, counselors or administrators are also eligible.

Graduate Course Offered By WTC

The University of Texas of the Permian Basin will offer one graduate course on the campus of Western Texas College during the 1983 spring semester.

The course is PED 675, Classroom Management. Classes will meet from 5-8 p.m. on Thursdays from Jan. 20-May 11. Registration and the first class meeting will be held on Jan. 20 in 2B-110.

Cost of the course will be \$75.50 plus the price of the textbook. A minimum of 15 students will be required to form the class, and students must have a minimum of a bachelor's degree.

Dr. Robert Rothstein, teacher for the PED 675 class on the UTPB campus, will be the instructor.

Persons wishing further information may contact the office of Dr. Don Newbury, WTC president, at 915/573-8511.



Births

Mr. and Mrs. Leocadio Torres of Knox City announce the arrival of their daughter, Michelle Torres, born December 22, 1982 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 5 lbs. 6 1/2 oz.

Ultrasound Devices Studied For Harmful Pregnancy Effects

Medical researchers at two American universities and one in Britain have launched a three-year study to determine if ultrasound devices widely used in pregnancy diagnosis and on muscle injuries have any harmful side effects.

Dr. David Gross, a Texas A&M University veterinary scientist, emphasized that no evidence exists of any ill effects from ultrasound scans used on pregnant women, or on patients who have their injuries treated with the devices.

In pregnancy diagnosis, ultrasound operates on the same principle as World War II sonar to produce a "picture" from inside the womb by measuring sound waves which are transmitted and bounced back.

The study is being funded by a \$347,936 grant from the National Institutes of Health.

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WTC Names Dr. Krenek Dean Of Instruction

Dr. Harry Krenek, professor of history and sociology at Western Texas College, has been named Dean of Instruction at the college. The appointment becomes effective Jan. 3, 1983.

The new dean will head both academic and occupational-technical areas, serving as director of the curricula and faculty.

Krenek has been a member of the WTC faculty since 1972 and served as president of the Faculty Association twice. He began his teaching career at Aransas County High School

after receiving the bachelor of science degree from Howard Payne University in 1963. He received the master of arts degree from Southwest Texas State University in 1967 and the Ph.D. from Texas Tech University in 1979. He has done additional graduate study at the University of Oklahoma and the University of Nebraska.

Krenek taught at Sul Ross State University from 1966-69 and was a part-time teacher at Texas Tech from 1969-71 while a graduate student there.

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Little Time Left To Manage 1982 Income Tax Situation

Cash basis taxpayers on a calendar year have little time left to manage their 1982 income tax situations.

They need to consider changes brought about by the Economic Recovery Tax Act of 1981 and this year's Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act in their tax planning.

"Under the new tax rules, taxpayers should still complete estimates of taxable income for 1982 and 1983," says Dr. Ashley Lovell of Stephenville, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

If an income tax estimate suggests that "continuing business as usual" for the remainder of the year is unacceptable, then a tax management strategy must be selected and implemented by Dec. 31.

Recognizing that tax rules have changed, Lovell offers a word to the wise: "Immediately consult your tax advisor." Your tax advisor will size up your situation and counsel you as to the appropriate tax

strategy, says the economist. Otherwise, you may regret tax decisions based upon general recommendations which appear in the media this time of year.

Lovell gives this illustration. Assume that the general

advice is that you should delay receipt of income until 1983 or later and pay expenses before 1983. This strategy reflects the expected lower income tax rates effective in July, 1983, and that taxable income in 1983 may be less than in 1982.

Business firms may decide to purchase certain depreciable business assets which qualify for investment tax credit in 1982 rather than waiting until 1983. Those assets which are purchased after 1982 must have the tax basis reduced by 50 percent of the investment and energy credits taken on the assets. Additionally, the provision for expensing up to \$5,000 of the qualifying property is available in 1982 and 1983. In the currently depressed agricultural sector, farm machinery and equipment may be a good enough buy to make 1982 purchases a sound after-tax business decision.

Taxpayers in the higher income tax brackets may wish to implement several options before the end of 1982:

—With the scheduled 10 percent reduction in personal taxes in July 1983, charitable contributions may have a higher after-tax cost after 1982.

—The maximum capital gains tax rate decreased from 28 percent to 20 percent on net capital gains resulting from sales or exchanges occurring after June 9, 1981. Taxpayers with less than a 20 percent effective tax on net capital gains may justify postponing capital gains income until 1983 to benefit from the lower individual tax rates.

—As a result of the Installment Sales Act of 1980, installment sales contracts should be considered for delaying ordinary income as well as capital gains income into 1983. Such strategy may

be especially suitable for taxpayers expecting lower taxable incomes in 1983.

—Contributions to Keogh plans and IRAs can be made anytime until the date the tax return is due. With the higher dollar limits and new eligibility requirements, many taxpayers should consider using these alternatives for fine-tuning 1982 tax liabilities prior to filing in 1983.

—With the Accelerated Cost Recovery System effective beginning in 1981, end-of-year purchases of recovery property are eligible for a full year's depreciation deduction. Whatever your income prospects for 1983 relative to 1982, you should quantify expectations through practice runs by completing the appropriate income tax returns, advises Lovell.

After comparing estimated taxable incomes for 1982 and 1983, you must decide

whether to increase or decrease 1982 taxable income or to leave it unchanged. If the decision is to change 1982 taxable income, then you need to estimate the impact of various alternatives for achieving the desired results, notes the economist.

So, now is the time to review your 1982 income tax situation and to initiate any tax management strategies. After Dec. 31 will be too late.

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The Consumer Alert

by Mark White
Attorney General



AUSTIN—Many Texas consumers overspent their budgets during the recent holiday season. If, like so many others, you are now staring at a tall stack of bills and a short stack of dollars, it's time to re-examine your individual or family fiscal policies.

Our Consumer Protection Division attorneys frequently see the results of improper consumer planning for holiday buying—problems with stores over bills, difficulties with debt collectors, unsuccessful attempts to return merchandise that should not have been bought in the first place. They find that on occasion consumers who consistently live beyond their means need protection, not from others, but from themselves and their own spending habits.

In order to avoid the post-Christmas letdown a pile of unpaid debts can bring, not only to you but to your creditors, start revamping. Our attorneys suggest that you resolve to do the following in the New Year.

- Keep a one-week record of all expenses to learn where your money really goes.
- Organize shopping and buying only from a prepared list, avoiding impulse buying.
- Purchase first for necessities, then for luxuries.
- Plan ahead for big items you'll need, then save up for them and avoid paying interest and carrying charges.
- Decide what you can afford to spend on a major item in advance and refuse to exceed your limit.
- Comparison shop for prices, quality, warranty, and finance charges.

-Study advertising carefully before responding to it.

-Look for a catch if an offer sounds too good to be true and resist all high-pressure or deceptive sales tactics, including "last chance" deals and bait-and-switch selling.

-Examine merchandise carefully before buying, to be sure it's what you need and want and that it's in good condition.

-Follow manufacturer's instructions and care labels, to get the best service or wear from each product, so you can use it longer with greater satisfaction.

-Don't waste your money dealing with itinerants for goods or services because you may not get what you pay for. Deal instead with established firms or individuals who stand behind their offers.

-Never pay money based on oral promises—always "get it in writing."

-Never sign a contract if you haven't read and understood each word and filled in all blanks.

-Turn down all chances to invest in speculative deals unless you have checked them out with reliable, knowledgeable persons, and never commit money you cannot afford to lose to such investments.

-Plan as a family or as an individual to practice ways to cut your energy consumption.

-Plan food purchases to avoid buying expensive, unneeded "filler" foods which supply little nutrition.

-Try to settle any consumer problems you have with the firm or person involved. If that doesn't work, contact the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division nearest you.

Cawthon Receives DPS Promotion

Colonel Jim Adams, DPS Director, has announced a high-ranking appointment within the Department's Traffic Law Enforcement Division. Highway Patrol Captain Vernon J. Cawthon, 51, of Tyler has been promoted to Major and will be assigned as DPS Regional Commander at Lubbock effective January 1, 1983. Cawthon will succeed Major Charles W. Bell, 58, who will be returning from DPS Service.

Cawthon, a 24-year veteran of the Department, will serve as one of six Regional Commanders who supervise DPS Traffic Law Enforcement duties. The Traffic Law Enforcement Division consists of the Highway Patrol, License and Weight, Motor Vehicle Inspection, Safety Education, Driver License Service, Communications and Motor Carrier Lease. Cawthon will command personnel in DPS Region 5, a 60-county area which includes the Texas Panhandle.

Colonel Adams said, "Captain Cawthon has a very impressive record which includes 15 years of outstanding supervisory service in the Department and his dedication to public service as a professional law enforcement officer is well-known."

Born in 1931 in Childress, Cawthon graduated from Childress High School. He attended Pan American University in Edinburg; Texas Southmost College in Brownsville and is a graduate of the Southern Police Institute at the University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky.

After graduating from the DPS Law Enforcement Academy in 1958, Cawthon was assigned to the Highway Patrol and stationed at Perryton in the Panhandle. He rose through the ranks to Captain and has supervised Highway Patrol activities in the Tyler area since September, 1980.

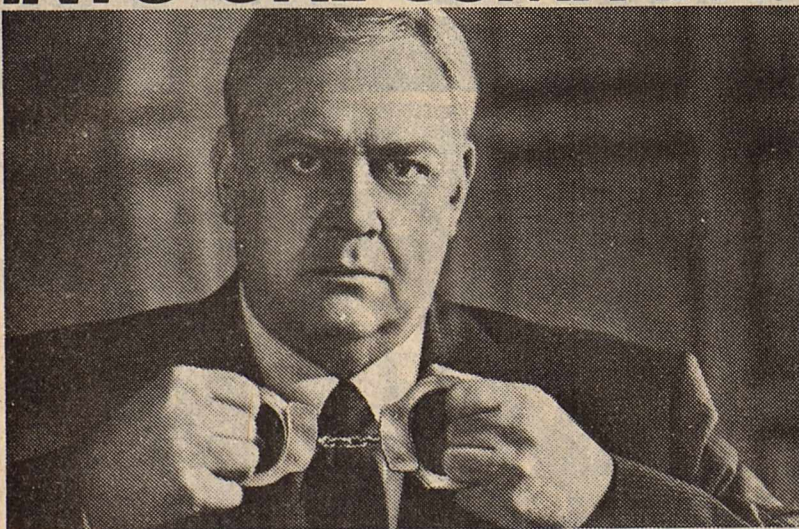
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Obituaries

Angie Ross

Angie Beatrice Ross, 89, of Kingsland, formerly of Haskell, died Saturday night at Llano Memorial Hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Four Square Pentecostal Church.

The Rev. Roy Herricks officiated. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell and Waldrope Funeral Home of Kingsland.

Born Nov. 26, 1893, in Leesville, she was a homemaker. She lived in Haskell and Aspermont before moving to Kingsland. She married

Willie Oscar Ross. He died Dec. 31, 1965. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include three sons, Cecil Mings and Kalton Mings, both of Kingsland, and Monroe Mings of Eunice, N.M.; a stepson, Bill Ross of Peacock; a daughter, Mrs. Peggy McCorkle of Corpus Christi; two brothers, W.J. Williams and Thurman Williams, both of Azle; 19 grandchildren; and many great- and great-great-grandchildren.

John Villa

Rosary for Encarnacion (John) Villa, 88, of Haskell was read at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Dec. 27 in St. George Catholic Church with the Rev. Tom Jordan, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Mr. Villa died at his residence Dec. 25 at 11:30 a.m.

Born January 15, 1894 in Ruidoso, N.M., he married Francisca Garcia in 1918 in Corsicana. She preceded him in death February 3, 1979. He had lived in O'Brien from 1951 to 1957 when he moved to Haskell. He was a member of St. George Catholic Church.

Survivors include seven daughters: Nina Gutierrez of O'Brien; Frances Wang of Mineral Wells; Julia Ramirez of Seymour; Davis Pedroza of Knox City; Irene Garcia and Bessie Villa, both of Haskell; and Anita Acosta of Abilene; three sons, John of Vernon and Marcus and Victor of Haskell; one sister, Manuela Palomino of Loving, N.M.; one brother, Debrosa Villa of Fresno, Calif.; 100 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Haskell Nursing Center

It is often said that it is better to give than to receive—but have you ever stopped to think—how often does this happen. I seldom ever give a gift, whether it be a bought present, something homemade, or merely a smile but that I get something bigger in return. This in itself makes a mockery of the saying it is better to give than to receive. For this feeling of satisfaction we get from making someone truly happy is the greatest of gifts indeed.

For the Family Council and all the merchants who had a part in making the residents of The Haskell Nursing Center smile with the smile of true happiness this Christmas we indeed say a big Thank You! You have given the best of gifts and received in return the greatest thanks—you have helped to make the elderly of our community very happy. With all the smiles going

around on Tuesday before Christmas when the residents and Santa and their Christmas Tree it wasn't hard to believe that they were happy.

To call names would be to leave out some of the people and the merchants who helped in such a big way with making this the best of Christmases ever—or so say the administration and nurses at the home. So THANK YOU merchants and friends who gave so generously of your time, your gifts, and your love to help in this way to assure a good Christmas for all at Haskell Nursing Center.

Many groups and individuals came to the home to give devotionals, sing songs, play music and share in general ways the love of our blessed Lord. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for everything—We love you and we know God loves you too for doing this loving thing.

March of Dimes Enters 25th Year In Fight to Prevent Birth Defects

by Charles L. Massey
President
March of Dimes
Birth Defects Foundation

Most silver anniversaries are occasions for celebration. For the March of Dimes, which in 1983 observes 25 years in its mission to prevent birth defects, the silver anniversary is a time for reflection and hope.

The continuing need to learn about the causes of, and ways to prevent, birth defects is certainly not something to celebrate. But we can observe with pride the great strides that have been achieved in a relatively short time.

Founded in 1938 as the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, with a fund-raising campaign called the March of Dimes, the organization became within 20 years the only voluntary health agency to achieve victory over the disease it had targeted.

By 1955, the Salk polio vaccine was proved safe, effective and potent. Within a short time, it was clear that polio could be eradicated. Further assurance was provided by the Sabin oral vaccine, then in development. Research on both vaccines was totally funded by public contributions to the March of Dimes.

Even before the vaccines, however, March of Dimes-funded research had touched on genetics, the study of heredity. This led to increasing awareness that "congenital anomalies"—disorders originating before birth—comprised a major child health problem. But little about them was known or was being studied.

It was also an area uniquely suited to the successful partnership of volunteers and scientists united under the March of Dimes banner. Coining the more easily understood term "birth defects," the organization now known as the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation an-

nounced its new mission.

Successes against hundreds of different birth defects must be measured in many separate steps, rather than in the kind of total conquest achieved over polio. But there have been substantial achievements resulting from March of Dimes support of research, medical services, and education programs, with gratifying reductions in the incidence of certain birth defects.

For example, development of a vaccine against rubella (German measles) was made possible by earlier Nobel Prize-winning virus studies supported by the March of Dimes. Women who have rubella early in pregnancy are very likely to have babies with birth defects. Indeed, during rubella epidemic years, tens of thousands of damaged babies were born. Thousands more died.

Vaccination has halted the cycle of epidemics. Today, the number of families spared the tragedy of dead or damaged babies due to rubella is incalculable.

Today, most babies in the U.S. get a simple blood test soon after birth. It was developed by a March of Dimes grantee to diagnose a severe disorder of body chemistry called PKU, which affects about 400 babies a year. Early diagnosis permits treatment to prevent devastating mental retardation. At least three other metabolic disorders can now be detected from the same drop of blood in time to prevent irreversible damage or death.

The March of Dimes has also played a leading role in organizing medical care for complicated pregnancies and critically ill newborns; in providing equipment and training to put centers for such care into operation; and in setting up communication and transportation links to make the system work. This has dramatically reduced infant deaths and prevented brain damage or other lifelong handicaps.

In the early 1970s, this coun-

try had fewer than ten centers providing comprehensive genetic services. Today, there are more than 200, with some 275 satellites, most of them established with seed money from the March of Dimes. Services include prenatal diagnostic tests, as well as trained counselors to translate the findings for parents concerned about inherited birth defects. In most cases, parents are reassured about their pregnancies, and can experience the joys of childbearing without the anxiety that led them to seek genetic counseling.

March of Dimes-funded researchers have pioneered in prenatal treatment for birth defects. In 1973, one group made medical history by successfully treating an unborn baby girl with a potentially fatal genetic disorder of body chemistry. By giving her mother massive doses of a needed vitamin, the doctors treated the baby's disorder, and she was born without complications.

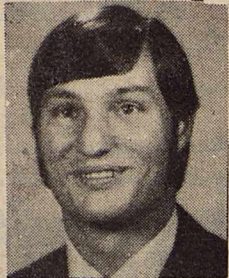
More recently, March of Dimes grantees have performed successful surgery on babies still in the womb to relieve pressure of fluids blocked in their kidneys or brain, blockages which might have been fatal.

Prevention of birth defects is not always as obvious or dramatic as operating on an unborn baby or developing a vaccine. It also involves education about the importance of early and regular prenatal care, promoting good nutrition during pregnancy, warning about the dangers of smoking, alcohol, and unprescribed drugs during pregnancy, and alerting youth to the hazards of adolescent pregnancy. March of Dimes volunteers have raised the consciousness of millions about individual responsibility for the health of babies today and tomorrow.

That kind of birth defects prevention can't be measured statistically. But it is deeply gratifying to every family, every March of Dimes volunteer, beneficiary, or contributor, whenever they see a healthy child.

TAX PLANNING

Written by
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ELECTION TO WRITE OFF EQUIPMENT

The 1981 Tax Act included a provision allowing certain amounts of capital expenditures to be currently expensed rather than capitalized and depreciated. For 1982 and 1983, the amount that can be expensed is \$5,000; it increases in 1984 and 1985 to \$7,500, and goes to \$10,000 a year for 1986 and thereafter.

The quality for expensing, the property must be "personal property" acquired for business use and eligible for the investment credit. However, no investment credit is allowed for the expensed portion of any asset purchased. Also the "trade-in" portion of any equipment purchased will not qualify for expensing.

Expensing sounds great - an immediate write-off of \$5,000 of cost that would otherwise have to be written off over several years. You may even be planning to buy equipment before year end in order to get the \$5,000 write-off. But some comparisons are in order. You may find that expensing is less beneficial than taking regular depreciation (now called ACRS) and investment credit. Taking the time value of money into account, the present value of the tax dollars saved shows there's little difference tax-wise between expensing or using ACRS.

Expensing an asset makes recordkeeping simpler, but the simplification may be costly. When the asset that has been expensed is later disposed of, any gain up to the amount expensed is ordinary income. Further, if the asset is sold on the installment method, the gain up to the amount expensed cannot be reported in installments. For example, a \$5,000 expensed item that is sold a few years later for \$4,000 creates \$4,000 of ordinary income. Even if the \$4,000 is to be paid in four annual payments, the tax on the gain must be paid in the year of sale. A 50% bracket taxpayer would have \$2,000 of taxes in the year of sale and only \$1,000 of proceeds from the sale to apply to those taxes.

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Hettie Underwood

Funeral services for Mrs. Frank (Hettie) Underwood, 86, of Haskell were held at 2 p.m. Dec. 27 in First United Methodist Church in Paint Creek with Rev. Mike Struve, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Underwood died in Haskell Memorial Hospital at 12:45 p.m. December 25.

Born August 19, 1896 in Comanche, she was a long time resident of Haskell County. She married Frank Underwood Dec. 19, 1915 in Paint Creek. He preceded her in death Nov. 4, 1970. She was a member of Paint Creek Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Nevada Hammer of Haskell; one son, Medford Underwood of Atoka, Okla.; two brothers, Harvey Medford of Munday and Guinn Medford of Haskell; 4 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren; and 4 great great grandchildren.

Palbearers were Robbie Peiser, Dude Mercer, Pete Mullins, Homer Josselet, Robert Weaver and Walter Buerger.

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Bullock Says State Tax Revenue Is Down

State Comptroller Bob Bullock, warning that state tax revenue is running below earlier projections, Wednesday cautioned other state officials and administrators against trying to play Santa Claus with the state budget.

"The final figures aren't in, but revenue is definitely down from what we previously anticipated," Bullock said. "This should be no surprise to anyone who lives in, works in or is unemployed in our economy."

Bullock said that the so-called cash surplus expected in the current budget "is still intact, but the projected growth of new revenue is not coming in."

He said it will be sometime in January "before we know the bottom line."

"In the meantime, all state officials should think twice before making any new commitments, and should think real hard about ways to pay for the commitments they've already made, campaign or otherwise," Bullock said.

"In the past," Bullock said, "lawmakers and others have been quick and easy with promises, thinking that we in the Comptroller's office would find the money somewhere, somehow."

"Ain't so this session," Bullock said.

Bullock said that state agency administrators also "should take a long hard look at their appropriations requests, remembering all the time that there isn't really a state Santa Claus."

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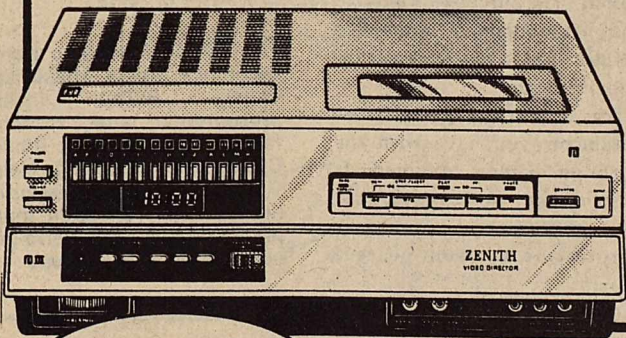
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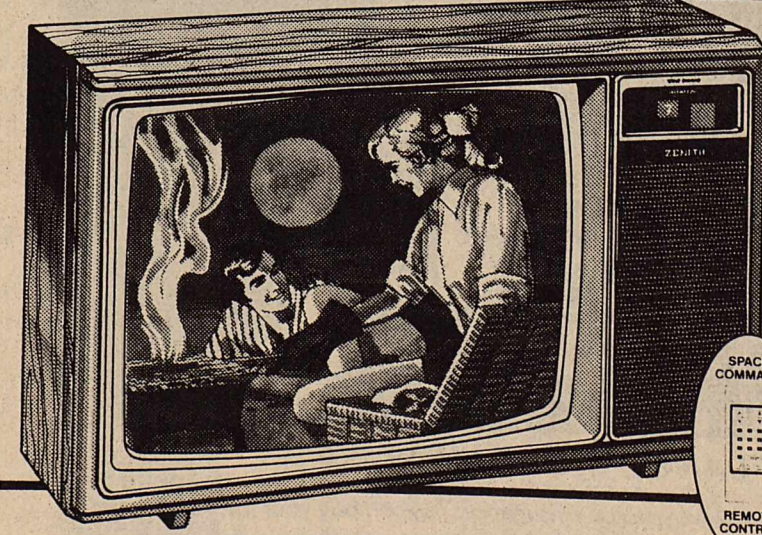
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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bredthauer visited in the home of Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cook, Jennifer and Jimmy of Three Rivers, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Tommy Nierdieck, Mickey and Shelia of Abilene visited in the home of Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer and Harold Bredthauer visited in the home of Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck Thursday night.

Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Greenwood of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cook, Jimmy and Jennifer of Three Rivers, went to have lunch in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Nierdieck of Abilene on Friday. Then on Saturday they all had Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck.

Wednesday night there was a Christmas program in the Faith Lutheran Church with a large crowd attending.

Harold Bredthauer of Wagner, Oklahoma, Holly Bredthauer of Houston and Tony Carter of Rule, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer Friday and Saturday.

Those who were visiting in

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse and Dwayne, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Smith and children of Rule, Marla Lehrmann of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mrazek and Bubba of Aspermont, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mrazek and son of Houston, Mrs. Donny Barbee, Mitzi and Eric of Rule, Ted Monse, Fred Monse of Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howell, Jill and Jeff of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Vahlenkamp, Charles and John of Denton. All enjoyed a Christmas get together.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Raphael of Ozona and Mrs. Emma Raphael of Stamford visited in the home of Mrs. Lena Schaae.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jennings, Todd and Jill of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Letz, Pamela and Steven of Abilene spent Christmas Eve with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer. Mrs. Hilda Barber of Sears Retirement Center in Abilene was also a guest. The Tredemeyer's son was unable to attend on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer attended the Lehrmann Christmas dinner in the Arthur Lehrmann home in Roscoe on Saturday. This was the 37th gathering on

Christmas for the Lehrmann brothers and sisters. Arthur is Mrs. Tredemeyer's brother.

Mrs. Becky Hill, Pat and Mike of Aspermont visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade during the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Milton Christian of Haskell also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade. The Quade's two sons always have been visiting with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer visited in San Antonio with their son Winton and family during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce LaPota, granddaughter of Mrs. M.Y. Benton, just came by to see her on their way to see Mrs. LaPota's sister, Mrs. Shawn

Hess in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Marr, brother of Mrs. Benton, came by to see Mrs. Benton on Tuesday on their way to Big Spring to see another brother. They also visited a brother Bill Marr of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rankin, granddaughter of Mrs. M.Y. Benton, came to see Mrs. Benton for Christmas then went to Lubbock to see Mrs. Rankin's mother, Mrs. Eldon Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark had one of their sons home for Christmas which was Bob and Tommie Jo, grandchildren Evangelyn, Kyle and Judson of Abilene, Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. M.Y. Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark

attended a Christmas party in Haskell for employees of A.S.C.S. Reece was presented a desk set with his name engraved for his nine years of service. Health permitting, that is as long as each committee man can serve each time.

A Christmas party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Hix, Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Sonnomaker and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Caddell of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kieke, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark and the host and hostess.

Christmas Eve night Mrs. Cliff LeFevre enjoyed being with most of her family in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark. Those present were Mozell Manske, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Manske, Ernie, Debbie, Betty and Tony of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Manske, Philip, Michael and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny and Jace, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bailey, Rob, Rus, Brian and Brad of Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre, Larressa and Shane of Rule, Jill LeFevre of Abilene and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark. Gifts were exchanged and goodies enjoyed by all.

On Christmas day the two grandchildren, that were unable to be with her on

Christmas Eve, visited Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Kent LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bryan, Clark and Kay Terrell.

Visitors in the Reece Clark home for Christmas dinner were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bryan of Odessa and grandchildren Kay Terrell of Odessa, Clark Terrell of Galveston, Kay also had a friend with her, Mrs. John Clark of Haskell and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Kent LeFevre stopped by for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre had all their children home for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre, Larressa and Shane, Mr. and Mrs. Kent LeFevre of Tuscola, Jill of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bailey of Terrell, Rob, Russ, Brad, Brian and Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller. Then

they all went to Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller's home for supper.

Mrs. Mike Bailey and Jill LeFevre visited in the home of Mrs. Billy Balzer during the holidays.

Lillian Neinst went to her sister's, Mrs. Ted Connally and Laverne Stanhope, homes for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Toney went to West Columbia for the Christmas holidays. Also their children Renee, Bruce, Erna and Walter Schaae of Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling have been staying in West Columbia since Mrs. Knipling had eye surgery. Mrs. Knipling had to stay a few days longer to check with her doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer went to Abilene Monday morning for Alvin to get treatment for a pinched nerve.

Fat Stock Show Set

Invitations have been mailed to 335 different individuals and groups to participate in the 1983 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Western Heritage Parade, scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday, January 28, through downtown Fort Worth.

Parade Chairman Chuck Shytles said 156 area riding clubs, 124 sponsors of horse-drawn vehicles, and 55 bands and marching units received the initial invitation which was mailed last week.

Shytles said additional entry blanks are available from the Special Events Department at the Stock Show Office, P.O. Box 150, Fort Worth, Tx. 76101. Entries must be returned by January 15.

"Everyone is invited to be in the parade," Shytles said. "However, motorized vehicles are not allowed to participate. In keeping with our Western Heritage theme, only marching units, riding clubs and horse-drawn vehicles are permitted in the line-up."

Riding Clubs and Horse-Drawn vehicles will assemble in the north portion of the

Tandy Center parking lot. Bands and other marching units will line up on West First Street, between Henderson and Burnett Streets.

Plaques will be awarded the two outstanding Riding Clubs and two best floats along with the Western Heritage Award, most colorful entry, and the entry traveling the greatest distance to participate.

"In recent years," Shytles said, "we have found a growing interest among trail ride groups to be part of our parade." These groups have come from Farmersville, Crockett, Huntsville, Commerce, Georgetown and other communities. Some have spent as much as a week on the trail, arriving here in time for the annual parade.

The Stock Show Parade will be held in conjunction with the 87th annual Stock Show which is scheduled at the Will Rogers Complex from January 26 through February 6. The Stock Show is the oldest continuously held annual show of its kind in the U.S.

Special entertainers for all 22 rodeo performances will be

Jerry Clower, a member of the Grand Ole Opry and nine times Country Comedian of the Year. He is a teller of stories "that happened or almost happened."

Also featured during each rodeo performance will be Jerry Olson and his trained buffalo, Chief, and World Champion Trick Roper Gene McLaughlin, who will present incredible rope feats while skating on boot skates.

The Stock Show Rodeo ticket office is open in the lobby of Will Rogers Coliseum from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday during December. After the first of the year, the box office

will operate seven days a week. Tickets are priced at \$8 for all night and weekend rodeo performances and \$6 for matinees January 31 through February 4. As many as four sales windows will operate for the convenience of rodeo ticket purchasers.

For those who cannot make ticket selections in person, mail orders are being accepted at the Stock Show Office, P.O. Box 150, Fort Worth, Tx. 76101. These orders should include \$1 extra for return postage and handling. Watt urged rodeo fans to get their tickets early for a better selection.

Aces Defeat KVRP Team

The KVRP basketball team journeyed to Avoca Thursday, Dec. 23 to meet the Aces. The KVRP team had a bad night losing to the Aces 99-24.

Shawn Lane was high point player with 11 for KVRP.

High pointer for the Aces was Joe Rodriguez with 22.

Joel Rister with 16 and Quint Lindsey with 14.

The half time score was 50-20, leaving KVRP with 4 points scored during the entire second half.

The Aces now stand 6-0 for the season and KVRP stands at 0-2.

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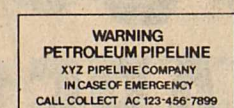
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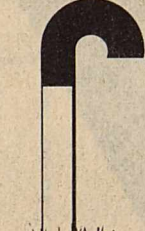
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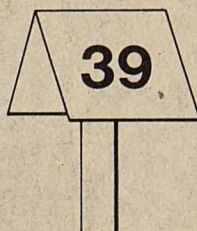
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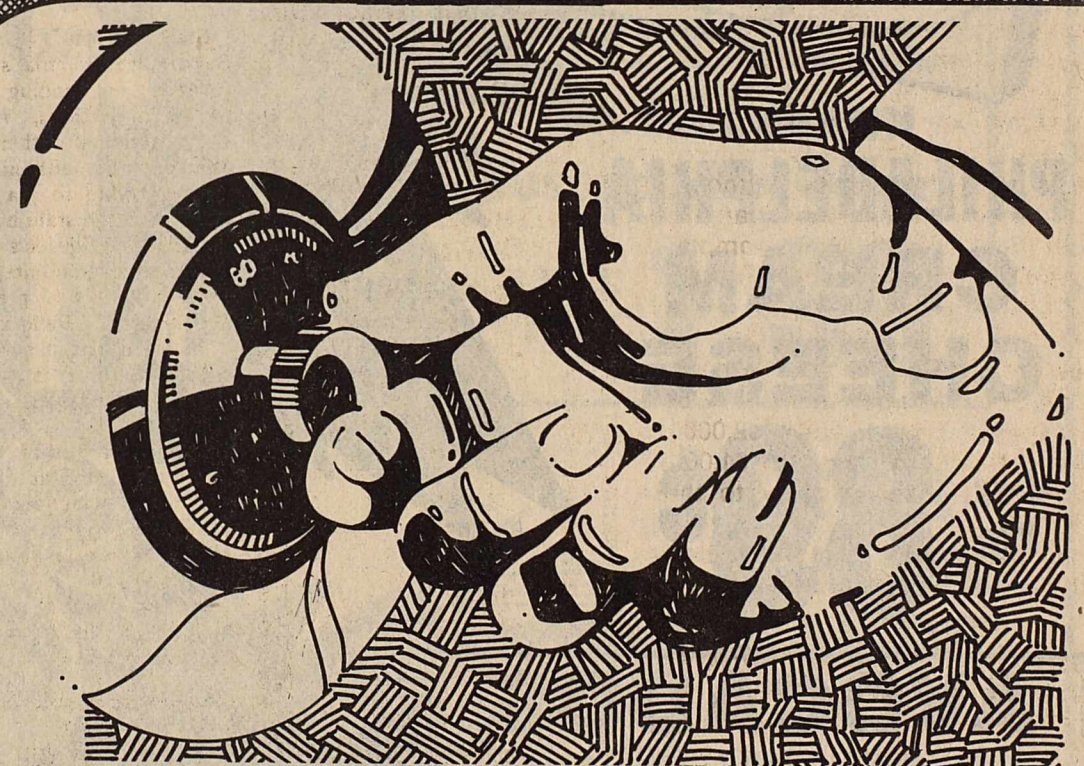
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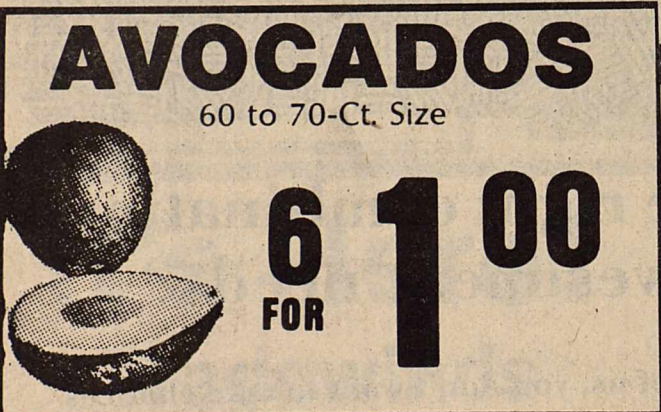
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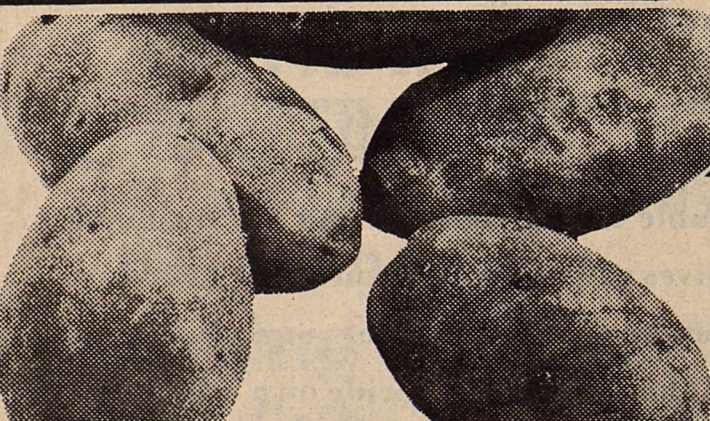
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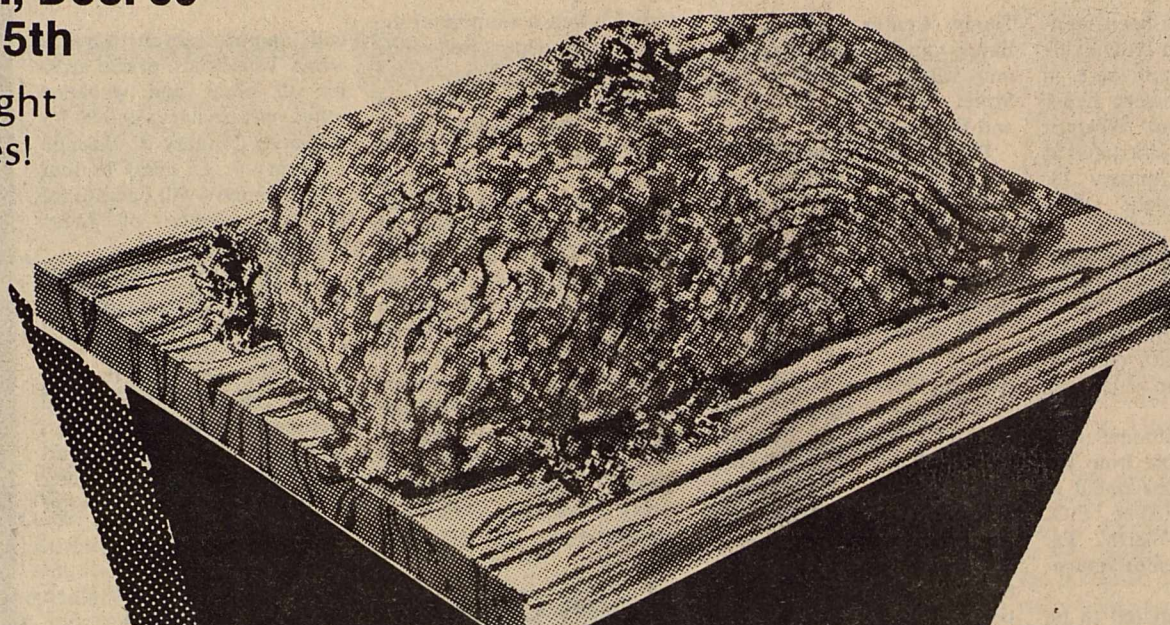
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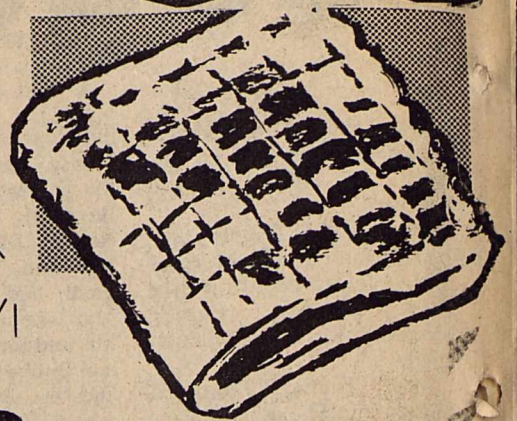
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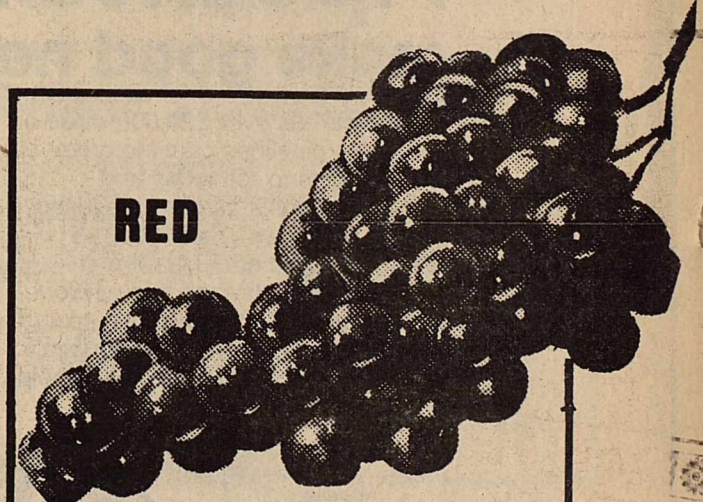
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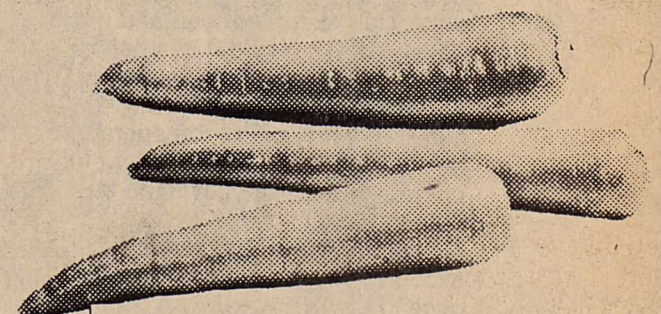
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Tribute To Pete Prater

Pete was always supportive of the Alliance program. He gave input and expressed opinions, but could do it in such a way that one was left free to accept, reject or modify his suggestions. He was a tremendous asset as we turned the dream of a community prayer breakfast

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Plan Now For 1983

Government Farm Program

Basic concepts of the '83 farm program currently include a target price and loan program, a farmer-owned grain reserve and acreage reduction (20 percent for cotton, wheat, corn and grain sorghum plus an additional 5 percent option for cotton). As in the past, only farmers who participate in the voluntary program will qualify for the benefits.

farmers from enjoying such benefits as the loan program and deficiency payments that go into effect when market prices drop below a certain level," says Anderson.

Moeller Urges Caution On New Farm Plan

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Pecan Damage Is Easily Identified

Pecan damage by pecan weevils, hickory shuckworms and stink bugs can be easily identified.

Pecan weevil larvae develop inside pecans feeding on the kernel. Often the entire kernel is consumed and there may be more than one weevil larva in a pecan. The hole that the larva leaves when emerging is most distinctive. It is about 1/8" in diameter, just large enough for the larva's head capsule to fit through. The pecan weevil larvae begin to emerge from pecans in late

October and by mid December most have emerged. Larvae are often found inside pecans early in the harvest season.

There are as many as five generations of hickory shuckworms each year, but it is the last generation that causes most of the characteristic damage. Nuts fed upon before the shell hardens fall from the tree. The last generation larvae feed in the shuck. This reduces nut quality. The shuck often sticks to the pecans and are packed with the droppings of the shuckworm larvae.

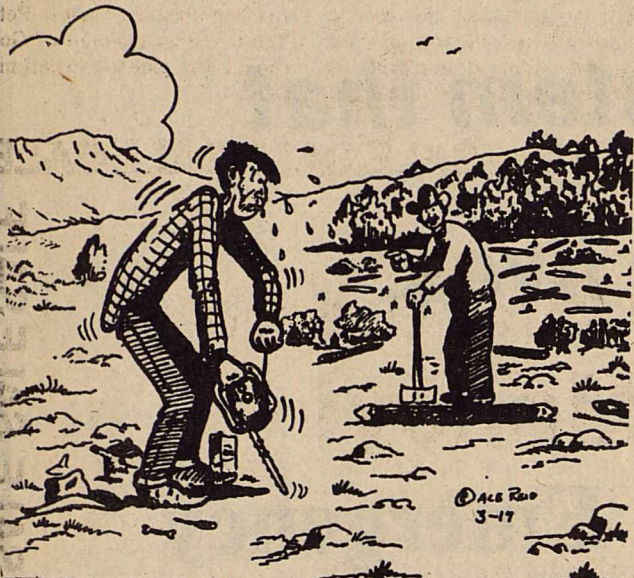
Often when the damaged shucks are removed from the pecans the mines made by the larvae in this shuck are evident on the outer pecan shell. The larvae, which are creamy white with light brown heads and 3/8" long, are often found overwintering in the pecan shucks.

The damage from stink bugs is not evident on the outside of pecans and those fed upon before the dough stage, fall from the tree. Later feeding causes a dark brown spot on the kernel. Just the spot or the entire kernel is bitter.

Additional published information on these pests and control measures is available at your county Extension office. To produce pecans free of insect damage pest management is required throughout the year.

COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Senor, if your saw is such a time saver, how come I've cut 47 trees while you were tryin' to get started?"

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VRJC Continuing Education, Munday will be offering these classes beginning January:

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Aviation Ground School- January 3 to February 21 7 to 10 p.m. also Tuesdays or Thursdays.

Aerobic Dance- January 5 to February 9 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Pre-registration for these classes is necessary. For information on class hours, fees, location or registration, contact Paula Schur, Box 10, Munday, Tx. 422-4631.

Sons Of Hermann To Hold Dance

Sons of Herman will have a New Year's Eve dance, Friday Dec. 31 8:30 to 12:30. It's a casual or formal affair, your choice. Members and guests welcome.



The hospital building at Fort McKavett State Historic Site was the last structure built when the Fort was still active. Established on the banks of the San Saba River in 1852, the Fort served as a deterrent to Indian Raids, and provided protection to settlers traveling across West Texas. The Fort was active from 1852-1859 and 1869-1883. TTDA Photo by Michael Murphy.



January

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Year-Round Tours — Gladys Porter Zoo, Brownsville. Opening to the public in 1971 as one of the premier zoos of the world, Gladys Porter has become a unique haven for rare and endangered species. The 31-acre preserve has over 1800 mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates. Dedicated to education, conservation, research and recreation, the Zoo is open every day of the year from 10 a.m. till one hour before dusk. Admission \$3 adults, \$2 students, \$1 under 12. Tour train on Sunday from 1:30 to 3:30, 50¢ per passenger. For free brochure: Gladys Porter Zoo, 500T Ringgold Street, Brownsville 78520 (512/546-2177).

Year-Round Flea Marketing (begins Friday before the first Monday of each month) — First Monday Trades Day, Canton. During the late 19th and early 20th centuries, trades day became an important means of communication for rural folks as they waited until "First Monday" to visit relatives and friends, exchange news and deal in business matters. Without any planning, the trading area grew along the streets, and despite city ordinances prohibiting their gathering, the crowds prevailed. In 1965, the City of Canton purchased land, provided rental spaces, and the market filled to overflowing. And filled to overflowing it continues, with commodities for sale or swap that range from precious china to one-hoss plows and livestock of every variety. The "World's Largest Flea Market" is set on 60 acres with 4,000 lots, 10 miles of street and acres of parking space. For more information: First Monday Trades Day, City of Canton, Box 245T, Canton 75103 (214/567-4300).

Jan. 1 — 26th Annual Cotton Bowl Festival Parade and Football Classic, Dallas. Originating at 9 a.m. near Convention Center, the parade moves east on Commerce from Houston to Harwood and then south to the Scottish Rite Temple. At 1 p.m. it's Southern Methodist University vs. Pittsburgh University at Fair Park. No admission for parade; for football tickets call 214/634-7353. For information on other Dallas events, contact Convention and Visitors Bureau, 1507T Pacific Avenue, Dallas 75201 (214/651-1020).

Jan. 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16 — Roping Contests, Abilene. Competition on Jan. 1 and 2 features the L&S Ranch;

on Jan. 8 and 9, Parks & Beck; and on Jan. 15 and 16, the National Ole Timers. All free to the public. For details contact: Convention and Visitors Council, Box 2281T, Abilene 79604 (915/676-8254).

Jan. 6 — Victor Borge conducting the Houston Symphony Orchestra. Borge on piano (and often off his piano bench) is surely one of the most unique and hilarious acts to combine classical music with comedy. One can only imagine that in his debut as conductor he will embellish on the theme and provide an evening of frivolity and fine music. Tickets for the performance at 8 p.m. by "The Clown Prince of Denmark" are \$20, \$17, \$14, \$8 and \$5 and are on sale at Houston Ticket Center, Jones Hall, 615T Louisiana Street, Houston 77002 and at all Ticketron locations. To charge by phone call 713/227-ARTS.

Jan. 11-30 — 46th Annual Texas Citrus Fiesta, Mission. "Carnivals

in Citrus" will offer a variety of entertainment to include the Parade of Oranges (with floats decorated in citrus and 56 varieties of vegetables); Coronation of Queen Citrus; and King Citrus; C&W dance and the Product Costume Show (featuring fashions created from Valley-grown products). For complete listing contact Linda Zahnow, Texas Citrus Fiesta, Box 407T, Mission 78752 (512/585-9724).

Jan. 22 — Moments from Opera, Kerrville, Winter Music Festival. A full evening recital with Houston Grand Opera soprano Carmen Balthrop and bass-baritone Dorcel Duckens (recent co-stars in Scott Joplin's opera "Treemonisha," performed in Houston, Washington, D.C. and on Broadway). Performance at 8 p.m.; tickets \$5 advance, \$6 at door, youth (under 19) half-price. For tickets and season program: Kerrville Music Foundation, Box 1466T, Kerrville 78028 (512/896-3800).

Rodeos
1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Mansfield
1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Simonton
6-8 Victoria

Tower To Speak At Commissioning Of Submarine

U.S. Senator John Tower (R-Texas) will be the principal speaker at the commissioning of the nuclear-powered attack submarine U.S.S. CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI (SSN 705.)

The Saturday, January 8, 1983, ceremony at the U.S. Naval Submarine Base New London, located in Groton, Connecticut will mark the acceptance of the U.S.S. CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI as a unit of the operating forces of the United States Navy. Senator Tower was also the principal speaker at the launching of the submarine in April, 1981.

The 360-foot, 6,900-ton LOS ANGELES Class submarine is named after the Texas Gulf Coast seaport. Corpus Christi,

Texas has close ties with the U.S. Navy, and is home to the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station, headquarters for the Naval Air Training Command, Tower noted. The station also is the home of the Army's main helicopter repair facility, the Corpus Christi Army Depot. Senator Tower began his World War II naval service at the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station in 1943.

"The U.S.S. CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI will have as its mission the protection of the sea lanes that are so vital to our national security and a strong economy," Tower said.

Upon completion of its sea trials, the submarine will make a port call at Senator Tower's request to Corpus Christi, although a date is not yet set for the visit.

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Comptroller To Check Fireworks Stands

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has a list he's checking twice to make sure every fireworks dealer in Texas is paying state sales tax.

"We have a list of all licensed fireworks stands from the State Fire Marshal and we will be visiting each and every one of them between now and New Year's Day," Bullock said of the Comptroller's second annual fireworks stand canvass.

Last year's survey revealed 13 percent of the stands didn't have the sales tax permits necessary to legally sell taxable merchandise in Texas.

"We don't expect as many duds this year," Bullock said.

The Comptroller explained the annual canvass serves a double purpose.

"First, we are making sure these stands are competing on an equal footing, with nobody taking a competitive advantage by collecting but failing to pay their state taxes.

"Second, we are making sure the people of Texas benefit from each and every taxable sale at these businesses."

The holiday canvass of the stands coincides with the short season such businesses are allowed to operate—around the July 4th Independence Day Holiday and between December 20 and January 1.

CAPITOL UPDATE

John Tower

U.S. SENATOR for TEXAS

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Congress is beginning to study the President's decision that "closed spaced basing" -- sometimes called "Dense-pack" -- is the best way to deploy the new MX missile. I would like to take just a moment to discuss this decision and what it means to our national security.

Our current land-based nuclear systems are vulnerable to a surprise Soviet attack. In fact, it would take only 25 percent of the Soviet Union's land-based missiles to destroy 90 percent of ours. We must act now to correct this situation.

After all, the reason that we have a strategic weapons program is to deter aggression from the Soviet Union. In other words, unless the Soviets believe that an attack on the U.S. would result in certain retaliation that would inflict unacceptably high losses on their nation, they could come to think they might be able to "win" a nuclear war. We must ensure that they never reach such a conclusion, and the only way to do that is to remain strong enough to counter their forces.

Furthermore, we are involved in arms limitations negotiations with the Soviet Union. Our goal in these negotiations is to achieve sharp reductions in the number of nuclear weapons held by both the U.S.S.R. and ourselves. However, the Soviet Union has demonstrated over and over again that it is not prepared to agree to such reductions -- even though they could lessen the danger of nuclear war -- unless we provide them with an incentive to do so by maintaining our own nuclear strength. Thus, failure to proceed with plans to modernize our forces would make it much more difficult, if not impossible, to achieve the arms reductions we so earnestly seek.

For these reasons, I have long supported the development of the MX missile. The question of how best to deploy the missile -- so that it is least vulnerable to attack -- is one which has been under study for some time.

The President's recommendation for the Closely Spaced Basing mode is a courageous and timely response to a mandate from Congress that a decision be made. I am cautiously hopeful that this basing mode will give the MX the survivable means of basing we have long sought.

But, before we in Congress decide on the wisdom of the system, we have an obligation to study it intensively. The Senate Armed Services Committee will begin soon a comprehensive review of these issues. We will listen to all viewpoints, and all shades of opinion. It is my hope that early next year we will be able to compile a comprehensive record to present to our colleagues in the Congress, a record upon which a prudent, responsible decision can be made.

I am keeping an open mind until we have thoroughly studied all of the technical questions involved. It is my hope that my colleagues, and you whom we represent, will do likewise. Rushing to an ill-informed or hasty judgment based on information made public thus far may be tempting, but it certainly is not in our national interest.

The considerations involved are sufficiently complex, and the consequences of a wrong decision sufficiently grave, that it would be a tragedy if we failed to give sufficient time and deliberation to the issue.



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Paint Creek Basketball News

The Paint Creek girls won the Paint Creek Junior High Tournament with scores as follows: Paint Creek 24, Moran 2; Paint Creek 46, Throckmorton 17; Paint Creek 41, Haskell 26.

The Paint Creek boys finished third in the tourney with scores as follows: Paint Creek 26, Moran 23; Paint Creek 17, Throckmorton 28; Paint Creek 30, Goree 17.

The Paint Creek High School Girls record now stands

at 10-2. They defeated Old Glory 43-38. Scoring were Julie Coleman 19, Becky Medford 13, Luann Cockerell 4, and Jetton Bivins 2.

Paint Creek was defeated by Knox City 54-51. Scoring were Julie Coleman 33, Becky Medford 4, Luann Cockerell 11 and Mary Gonzales 3.

Paint Creek returns after the holidays to face Aspermont on January 4 at 7 p.m. in Aspermont.

Livengood Completes

Basic Training

Pfc. Celeste D. Livengood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy E. Livengood of 919 Success St., Gilmer, has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

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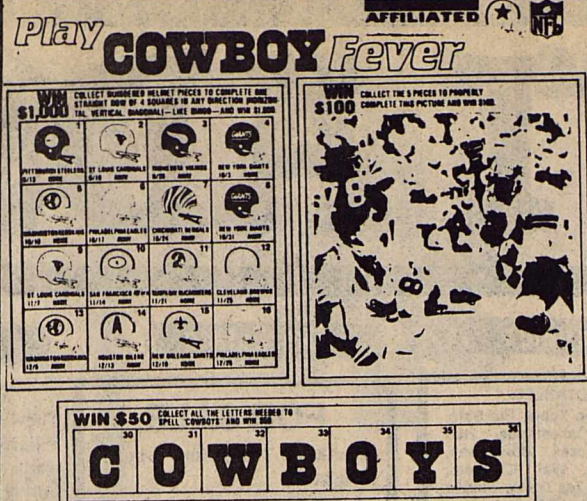
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