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Patty Hearst free on $1.5 million bail

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — For the first time in nearly three years there was laughter of a happy family celebration in the Randolph Hearst household.

Patty had come home at last.

"Before no time, almost instantly, the house was filled with laughter," Miss Hearst's attorney, Al Johnson, said Saturday.

"The police officers who had guarded the house for a year said it was great to hear that laughter in a house where there hadn't been any for so long."

Johnson, who became the young heiress' close friend and confidant during her trial and imprisonment, spoke of the gathering of family and friends which followed Miss Hearst's release Friday on a total of $1.5 million bail.

He said her first request when she got home was for a mai tai, a rum drink, then she consumed a large plate of shrimp and later joined the family for a big roast beef dinner.

She stayed awake for some 24 hours and pitched in in the kitchen making guacamole for the guests.

The attorney said he personally drove Miss Hearst home and in the car "we were laughing and joking just about the fact we didn't believe this day was happening."

He said the 22-year-old Miss Hearst noted that she had been awake since 1 a.m. Friday when she left on her trip from the Metropolitan Correction Center at San Diego. "She said, 'I've been up since 1 o'clock in the morning on the road. But this is great,'" Johnson recalled.

She was taken to the Nob Hill apartment where her parents moved after her February 1974 kidnaping by members of the radical Symbionese Liberation Army. The apartment was a refuge they sought to escape the unhappy memories of Miss Hearst's childhood home at nearby Hillsborough.

"I pointed the apartment house out to her," Johnson said. "I said, 'Pat, there it is.' She looked up at the top of the building and said, 'Yes, Al, that's a beautiful smokestack.'"

As she walked into the apartment, past the platoons of armed security guards, Miss Hearst was greeted by her younger sister Anne.

"They embraced and hugged and kissed and giggled," Johnson said.

Then, he said, the newly released prisoner walked through every room of the apartment "picking up and touching a lot of things — touching the art objects that her mother had."

"I said, 'Pat, is it like I told you it was?'" Johnson said. "She said, 'Oh, it's much nicer.'"

Miss Hearst was freed Friday when U.S. District Court Judge William H. Orrick granted her release on $1 million bail pending appeal of her federal bank robbery conviction in San Francisco. He ordered her father, San Francisco Examiner President Randolph Hearst, to post $100,000 of the bail in cash.

The family had earlier posted $500,000 bond in Los Angeles to free Miss Hearst pending her scheduled January trial on state charges of robbery, assault and kidnaping in connection with a shooting incident at a sporting goods store there.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER — Catherine Hearst and her daughter, Patricia, are reunited in their California Street apartment home Saturday following release of Patty Friday. Bail was more than $1 million.

Promises to help smooth transition

Kissinger briefs Carter

PLAINS, Ga. (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger briefed President-elect Jimmy Carter on foreign affairs Saturday and promised to do all he can to smooth Carter's transition to the presidency.

Kissinger talked with Carter and Vice President-elect Walter F. Mondale in the book-lined study of Carter's ranch-style home on the edge of this tiny southwest Georgia town.

"I have always believed that foreign policy is a nonpartisan affair and all Americans should support the foreign policy of the United States," Kissinger said during a break in the meeting.

"For this reason we will do our utmost to share all information we possess, and to cooperate in a smooth transition so that the new administration can be successful for the peace and progress of all Americans," Kissinger said.

The secretary of state was a favorite target for Carter's barbs during the campaign but when they met reporters on the patio of Carter's home they were all smiles and compliments and courtesy.

Carter called the man he had accused of running an "amoral" foreign policy "my good friend".

"There is no incompatibility among us," on transition matters, Carter said at one point.

He did not refer to the suggestions of some Democrats that Kissinger be retained as a special envoy to continue efforts to negotiate peace in the Middle East.

But he did say he looks forward to "a long relationship" with the secretary.

Lillian Carter, the President-elect's mother, appeared on the patio to kiss her son and shake hands with the secretary of state and tell him, "I couldn't resist meeting you ... But it was between you and Mike Douglas."

Mike Douglas, a television show host, was filming a program on the green strip facing Plains' one-block-long main street.

Carter said that Kissinger gave him "a brief explanation of present circumstances in various parts of the world." He called it "very helpful".

Kissinger arrived in Plains aboard a large Army helicopter from Ft. Benning, Ga., one day after Carter's meeting with George Bush, director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

The Bush and Kissinger meetings were the first of a series of high-level contacts between Carter and the Ford aministration that will continue in Washington on Monday and Tuesday.

The President-elect has made it clear that foreign policy in a Carter administration will be considerably different than Kissinger's pursuit of what Carter called a "one-man policy of international adventure".

Carter has promised that morality in foreign policy decisions will find a place in the Carter agenda and that Congress will be consulted as much as possible.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

HELLO FROM MISS LILLIAN — Lillian Carter, left, mother of President-elect Jimmy Carter, right, greets Secretary of State Henry Kissinger as Vice President-elect Walter Mondale, second from left, looks on. Kissinger was at the Carter home in Plains, Ga. Saturday.

Some think it's better to take than to give

'Tis the season to beef up shotgun squads, foot patrols'

DALLAS (AP) — 'Tis the season to station shotgun squads, beef up foot patrols and increase security measures.

The holiday mood of giving is exceeded only by the holiday mood of illegally taking, according to the Dallas Metro Crime Council. Police are bracing for the annual increase in the number of robberies of department, convenience, liquor and grocery stores that accompanies the Thanksgiving through New Year holidays.

"You just never know what will happen," said Lt. Clifford Macsas of the police planning and research division. "All we have to go on are elements of past crimes...which will determine what we'll look for this time around."

Macsas said police try not to "turn stores into shooting galleries," but admitted that stakeout squads armed with shotguns have been effective.

"We've used the shotgun squads in the past and I'm sure it is one of the methods we'll use this year," said Capt. D.H. Milliken of the Crimes Against Persons Division. "There are other plans that we are considering, but I'm not at liberty to talk about those plans."

Officer B.J. Hamby also works in the research and planning department, and he attributes a lot of the holiday problem to more opportunity for the criminals.

"There are more people with money making more transactions and who are leaving more packages in their cars," Hamby said. "There are simply more targets for criminals."

Milliken said store clerks should leave law enforcement to the police.

"Clerks who don't know how to use guns can stand a chance of getting hurt (if they try to use one)," Milliken said.

Police estimate an increase in crime of more than 15 per cent by the middle of December, the height of the season.

Violent crimes are not the only thorn in the Yule thistle, either. Shoplifting has a huge impact on the economy.

Police spokesman Bob Shaw said Christmas pilferage accounts for a big part of the annual $20 million that Dallas merchants lose to shoplifters.

FBI national figures show that last year, for each shoplfter caught, 35 got away with an average booty of $35.

Hearts 'n flowers



Could you do it?

With Tommy Hart

Do you think you could fire the bullet the would end the life of Utah's convicted killer, Gary Gilmore?

At least a dozen people have volunteered to serve on Gilmore's firing squad, some of them motivated by the fact, no doubt, that the job would pay $175.

One psychologist explained their reasoning this way:

"I think there's an increasing emphasis on our society on trying anything. Many people just have not had the opportunity to kill another human being."

The psychologist, Paul Cameron, an associate professor at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Cal., also expressed concern with recent developments in society where killing is increasingly legitimized — including abortion on demand and California's new 'death with dignity' law and offered this rejoiner:

"All around us, the social system is changing to get rid of people. The acceptance of legal executions is only furthering the decline."

More and more people are getting out of the rat race earlier. Fourteen years ago, only 16.5 per cent of the retired people started collecting Social Security benefits before the age of 65. At the start of 1976, that percentage had risen to 56.5.

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Equal justice for all? In one section of your family newspaper recently was the account of a trial wherein a motorist who had run down and killed eight high school students got off with a $300 fine.

Another item in the same paper reported that a man who shot but didn't kill a neighbor's dog was sentenced to seek penance by doing a year in old Stoney Lonesome.

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The Roll Call, "the Newspaper of Capitol Hill" in Washington, refers to Big Spring's Jeff Talmadge as one of the Hill's best press aides.

Jeff is returning to the 21st District (of which Glasscock County is a part) to handle Cong. Bob Krueger's business from that end.

(See Hearts, p. 2A, col. 1)

Nuclear cloud path

SEATTLE (AP) — An air mass containing radioactive debris from a Chinese nuclear explosion drifted over the Pacific Northwest on Saturday, but federal officials said there was little reason for alarm.

Preliminary checks in the Seattle area indicated no increase in radiation levels, according to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

The air mass passed over the Northwest without incident, added Bob Jacobson, a spokesman at the Environmental Protection Agency's regional headquarters in Seattle.

An NOAA spokesman in Washington, D.C., said the air mass was moving southeasterly and was expected to be over the Atlantic Ocean by Sunday night. The projected path of the air mass would take it over the Midwest and the Southeast.

Federal officials said they anticipated no problems. But they said rain could wash some radioactive material out of the air mass. In case of rain, foodstuffs on the ground could be contaminated, but a normal washing would eliminate any danger, according to an EPA spokesman.

"The radioactive debris is expected to remain at high altitude level and have little effect on ground level, except for possibly two areas of the United States," an EPA spokesman in Washington said.

The two areas he listed:

—Four southeastern states: Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and North Carolina. A potential storm system could bring rain, which might pick up some radioactive material.

—Four Great Lakes states: Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois and Indiana. Predicted snow flurries have "some possibility of interacting with the radioactive material and bringing it to earth."

The Federal Aviation Administration, which would issue warnings to airlines if the cloud were considered too dangerous for airplanes to fly through, said no such warnings were needed.

However, two organizations of consumer advocate Ralph Nader urged the government to divert all civil aircraft away from the cloud.

Focalpoint

Action/reaction: Fiesta battle

Q. Who fights Wyoming in the Fiesta Bowl?

A. Last year's national football champions — the Oklahoma Sooners.

Offbeat: Crying in their beer?

DETROIT, Mich. (AP) — Regular imbibers may be crying in their beer, but the Michigan Liquor Commission's word is law.

The commission has ordered the police department in suburban Grosse Pointe to destroy 400 cases of Coors beer apparently smuggled into the state. It was seized more than a month ago at a vacant house.

A phoned tip had alerted police to the cache of beer.

The police, prompted by letters and calls from fans of the famed Colorado brew, had asked the liquor commission to determine whether its rules permitted the sale of the beer in licensed outlets.

But Roger Rosendale of the commission's enforcement division said Friday that the beer has to go down the drain, because "it's contraband and that's what the law says."

Calendar: Turkey shoot

TODAY

The GI Forum will sponsor another turkey shoot from 1 to 7 p.m. The Big Spring Police association and Spring City Breakers C.B. Club will also sponsor a shoot at the new pistol range on 11th, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Cost is $2 per target. Ammunition is provided.

TV's best: NBC's anniversary

Best Bet: NBC's Celebration NBC will review it's memorable moments of broadcasting, of the last 50 years in the fields of entertainment, news and sports. The "Big Event" starts at 6 p.m. If you caught the first half of "Sounder" it's worth tuning into the second at 6 p.m. on ABC.

Inside: Talent hunt pushed

CARTER'S TALENT scouts are expected to present him this week with their first recommendations of people to fill Cabinet posts and other key jobs in the new administration. See P. 8A.

HOUSTON DEFEATS Texas Tech in the "big game" as far as the Southwest Conference race goes. See P. 1B.

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Outside: Cloudy

The weather forecast calls for cloudy skies and cooler temperatures through tonight, with the high in the upper 50s. Monday will bring us clearer skies, and a high in the mid 50s. Winds will continue to blow from the east at 8 miles-an-hour.



WTU may build power plant near Lake Spence

Officials of the Colorado River Municipal Water District have met on several occasions over a period of the last three months with executives of West Texas Utilities Co., to investigate the possibility of CRMWD supplying water from Lake E.V. Spence. The water would be used by the utility company to generate electricity at a plant that would possibly be constructed adjacent to Lake Spence.

West Texas Utilities, based in Abilene, supplies power for a sizeable segment of West Texas.

Walter Meller, generation engineer with West Texas Utilities (WTU), has indicated that the plant his company has in mind would utlimately have a generation capacity of 2,000 megawatts, which is considerably larger than any existing plant in the area.

Meller also stated that the plant would be built in stages. The first stage would possibly be complete and 'on line' (generating power) by 1987. The second stage would be completed by 1990. Each of the stages would have a capacity of approximately 640 megawatts.

The plant would be coal-fired rather than by natural gas, the energy now used in the generation of power in many such plants. The energy crisis is causing more companies to switch to the use of coal, which remains in abundant supply.

The third unit, which would bring the total plant capacity up to 2,000 magawatts, would be constructed when the company's electrical demands dictate it.

The district would furnish water and increments up to 6,667 acre feet of water per unit.

The ultimate cost of the project to the utility will company exceed half a billion dollars.

This proposal has not proceeded beyond the negotiating stage, according to O. H. Ivie, general manager of CRMWD, who revealed that WTU has also been negotiating with the cities of Wichita Falls and Abilene, Tex., relative to a proposed site.

It's understood that once the site has been chosen, construction on the plant could start as early as midyear 1980.

Police beat

School vandals strike

Burglars wreaked havoc upon a classroom at Cedar Crest elementary school sometime early Friday morning.

According to reports, the hellions broke through a window on the west side of the building, into a classroom, and proceeded to overfeed the pet fish, ransack the teacher's desk, and slop ink all over everything.

As they were making good their escape, the yeggs lifted two audio visual tape recorders, a leather jacket, and numerous pens and pencils. Total value of the

The Safëway food market had a rough time of it Saturday.

According to reports, at about 8:45 a.m. a short change artist entered the store, bought an item, and started arguing with the teller about how much change he should receive. The man was not obliged to stop the discussion until he relieved the store of $9.84 of petty cash.

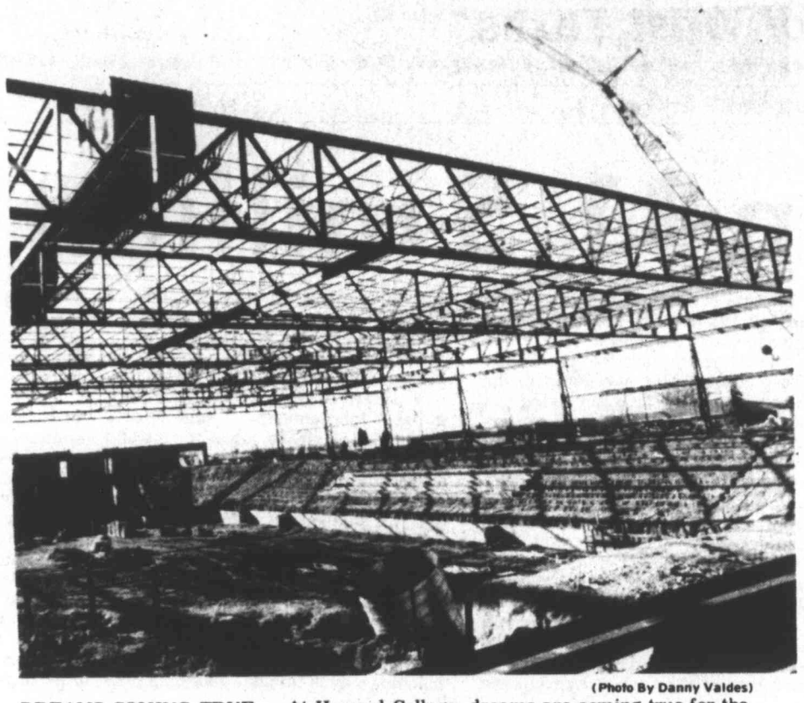
At about 6:15 p.m. the same day, the store detective caught two shoplifters with bulging purses containing hair coloring, a ham, and a bottle of medicine.

The value of the items was estimated at $7.17.

Bill C. Coleman, 1100 Lloyd, reported that while he was not there someone entered his home and stole almost all the money out of his wallet.

According to reports, the burglar took four $100 bills, $10 bill, one $20 bill and ten $2 bills. The thief showed some mercy however, because he left Coleman with $6.

Intruders ripped off two shotguns from a pickup belonging to Jimmy Low, 700 Birdwell.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

DREAMS COMING TRUE — At Howard College, dreams are coming true for the Hawks who will have a new coliseum and for the city of Big Spring as it will have a community building available for many types of activities.

Coliseum to lure top teams, tourist dollars

By MARJ CARPENTER

A steering committee will meet Tuesday to set up plans for operation and policies of the Howard College Coliseum.

The committee is beginning meetings well in advance of the opening of the facility, which is expected to be completed by September 1977, according to Daryle Hohertz, architect for the new building.

Already lined up for activities in the facility is the District Texas State Teachers Association meeting next fall. This has usually been held in Midland.

Also tentative plans have been made to host the national junior college basketball tournament in 1978, in event the college should be awarded the event.

The facility has long been a dream of Hawk Coach Harold Wilder and former Hawk Coach Harold Davis. But it also has been the dream of many other of the college officials and community leaders.

It was an item talked about for years in Chamber of Commerce board meetings and college board meetings.

The dream came true after a successful college bond issue and contributions by the Dora Roberts Foundation.

The ground-breaking came on the very day of the announcement of the possible closing of Webb Air Force Base. But Big Spring citizens that day and since have been aware of the need for the facility in the community.

Surrounding towns of Snyder, Odessa and Abilene all have coliseums.

The chances that it will improve the possibilities of basketball playoffs and tournaments is a cinch. But the committee will also study regulations for other possible uses of the coliseum.

Serving on the committee are Dr. Charles Warren, president of the Howard College board of trustees, and Harold Davis, who has been interested in the facility from the start.

The administrative members of the committee will include Dr. Charles Hays, college president and Mike Bruner, business manager.

The community's interests will be represented by the Chamber of Commerce manager and John Arrick, vice president of State National Bank, long a local sports enthusiast.

Mrs. Johnnie Lou Avery has obtained copies of rules and regulations of coliseums in surrounding communities which are operated by cities and counties and also has obtained information on college coliseums used by the communities at Stephen F. Austin, South Plains and other locations.

These will be used as guidelines to set up policies here. Weather has been good enough most of the time to keep construction of the facility on schedule and it is hoped that it will be completed prior to the beginning of the fall term at the college.

The addition of a club meeting room on the back of the Howard College cafeteria in the student union building coincides with the construction of the coliseum.

It will be a short distance away for additional small meetings in case the coliseum is used as a convention site.

Also, the college is in the midst of setting up a complete new landscaping plan of the campus in conjunction with landscaping at the coliseum. Donations to the landscaping project are being accepted and it may be done in phases with the initial phase to center around the front of the college and the entrance way.

Howard College has a new theme song about dreams coming true at Howard College for the students. It appears dreams are coming true for the community as well, with the college providing a community-type building available for many activities.

Hearts 'n flowers

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A headline in one newspaper read "Ford Is 'Adjusting' to Idea of Private Life."

That might come easy for you and me, too, if we were assured $96,000 annually in pension money.

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I wonder how many books on child psychology have been written by people who actually have children of their own.

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I know a man so mean he heats the knives so his kids won't use too much butter.

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You're eating out more than you probably realize. The National Restaurant says that for every $66 spent in grocery stores, $34 is being invested in restaurant fare.

Next year, Americans are expected to spend $51 billion sampling restaurant fare.

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California leaders are expecting the state to lose some defense contracts because the state didn't swing to the Jimmy Carter column in the last presidential election.

Those who know say Carter is more conservative than many people believe, that the Georgian will not be launching any wild economic policies.

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I spotted a stranger the other day who had given up smoking and was trying candy as a substitute. He never said a word but he was grinding the candy wrapper into the dust with his shoe.

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One of these days, you're going to be able to look out in any direction and see a McDonald's Restaurant.

The corporation plans on building 35,000 more in this country alone during the next decade, another 1,000 overseas.

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One of the nominees for Homecoming Queen at West Texas State in Canyon this fall was Clara Belle, who happened to be a 500-pound dairy cow. On her application, Clara Belle was listed as "fresh" rather than a freshman.

West Texas students took the news in stride. After all, the mascot of the athletic teams representing the school is a buffalo.

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Are Americans a tolerant people? You better believe it. What better proof do you need than the fact that the man who invented the juke box died a natural death?

Considering some of the music one hears today, however, he could have cashed in his chips with a guilt complex.

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If you take pride in "telling it like it is," you'd best remember what Henry Mencken had to say on the subject.

"No normal human being wants to hear the truth," Mencken once wrote. "It is the passion of a small and aberrant minority of men, most of them pathological. They are hated for telling it while they live, and when they die, they are swiftly forgotten.

". . .The average man avoids the truth as diligently as he avoids arson, regicide or piracy on the high seas, and for the same reason: Because he believes that it's dangerous, that no good can come of it, that it doesn't pay . . .

"The man who boasts that he habitually tells the truth is simply a man with no respect for it. It is not a small thing to be thrown about loosely like small change; it is something to be cherished and hoarded and disbursed when absolutely necessary."

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The local Chamber of Commerce is faring much better than in past years negotiating for playoff football games (one the past weekend, at least one next weekend). Credit much of the success to Jerry Phillips, livewire chairman of the Chamber's Sports and Recreation Committee. His preparation begins long before the regular season ends.

Revamping greenhouse

Boy Scout Troop 5, sponsored by the First Baptist Church, are revamping the greenhouse at Park View Manor, formerly the Big Spring Nursing Inn.

They are needing donations of plants, cuttings and slips for the greenhouse which will be available to all patients at the nursing home on Goliad.

Anyone who has a pot plant or cutting they can donate, call Alan Bristol at 263-1886 and they will be picked up.

The Etc. Shoppe ceremony

A ribbon-cutting ceremony at 1:30 p.m., today will formally open one of Big Spring's newest businesses, the Etc. Shoppe, located at 905½ Johnson Street.

Personnel employed by the concern, owned by Charles Wash, will greet the public until 5 p.m.

Free refreshments and door prizes will be available.

Those people seeking a flare of the unusual likely can find it at the Etc. Shoppe.

Among the items on display will be a unique gingerbread house village, made completely of edible parts. One of them will be given away during the afternoon.

Art by Natalie Rodin, dinnerware and brass originals will be among the many items on display.

It is entirely possible a family can do all its Christmas shopping at the Etc. Shoppe.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

STUDIES COUPLES — Dr. Nancy Moore Clatworthy, above, assistant professor of sociology at Ohio State University, concludes in a 1975 study of 100 couples that living together prior to marriage does not give you a happier, more successful or secure marriage. "Practice does not make perfect," she says.

Amy Hodges Chi bound

Among Texas' 42 delegates to the 55th National 4-H Congress scheduled to start in Chicago next Sunday will be Amy Hodges of Sterling County. In all, 1,600 4-H members from around the nation will attend the meeting.

The Congress will extend for five days and will be held at the Conrad Hilton Hotel.

Weather

Front triggers light showers

By the Associated Press

A weak cool front plodding through Texas Saturday triggered a few light rain showers as it worked its way from the Panhandle eastward.

North Central and Northeast Texas received about a half inch of rain.

The Beaumont-Port Arthur-Orange area received about 2½ inches from Friday through Saturday mornings.

Forecasts called for clear skies and temperatures in the 60s across the entire state Sunday.

FORECAST

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and colder most sections today and tonight. Fair Monday. Highs tonight and Monday mid 40s Panhandle to the mid 70s Big Bend. Lows tonight mid 20s to the mid 30s.

EXTENDED FORECAST

WEST TEXAS: Clear to partly cloudy Tuesday through Thursday with no significant threat of precipitation. Warmer days. Highs low 60s north to 70s south. Lows upper 20s Panhandle and mountains to 40s extreme south.

By The Associated Press

	Low	High	Pr
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Alpine	44	67	
Amarillo	28	55	
Austin	53	76	
Beaumont	53	68	.40
Brownsville	54	74	.09
Childress	38	61	
College Station	52	71	.07
Corpus Christi	54	73	
Cotulla	47	78	
Dalhart	30	60	
Dallas	54	69	
Del Rio	45	76	
El Paso	35	67	
Fort Worth	54	68	

Deaths

Mendenhall

Funeral services for Claud A. Mendenhall, 75, who died 11 a.m. Thursday in Llano, were at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

The Rev. Dan Sanford, pastor of Phillips Memorial Baptist Church, and the Rev. Dwight Reagon, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Kingsland, officiated.

Burial was at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born August 26, 1901, in Montague County, and was a rancher in Big Spring for fourteen years.

He was a member of Phillips Memorial Baptist Church, and is survived by his widow Maurine; two sons, F. E. (Toby) Mendenhall, Kingsland and J. H. Mendenhall, Albany, Ga.; two daughters, Ms. McDanial, and Mrs. Martha Whitener, Chickasha, Okla.; two step-daughters, Mrs. Iris Doss, Big Spring, Mrs. Rose Mickler, Stamford; two stepsons, Dr. Lowie Rice, Conroe, Jon Rice, Austin; nine grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; and ten step-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ysabel Luna, Philip Palmer, P. O. Russell, Ray Parker, Don McKinney and Charles W. Parks.

Gabriel Ramos

LAMESA — Services for Gabriel Ramos, 19, will be at 4 p.m. today in the La Trinidad Iglesia Metodista Unida here with the Rev. Ramon Navaro, pastor, officiating.

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

Ramos died Thursday about 2 p.m. Friday of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

He was born in Lamesa July 23, 1957, and was a student at Lamesa High School. He was employed by A.G. Waugh Co. in Lamesa.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Antonio Ramos of Lamesa; his paternal grandmother, Bertha Ramos of Mason; two sisters, Eva Ramos and Rosa Marie Ramos, both of the home; and eight brothers, Jesus, Henry, Juan, Rojelio, Julian, Rodolfo, Fernando and Felepe Ramos, all of the home.

Joe Williams

Joe D. Williams, 84, died at 5:45 p.m. Saturday in a local hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, at the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel, with the Rev. Claud M. Craven officiating.

Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born March 16, 1892, in Lebanon, Tenn. He came to Big Spring in 1929 during the oil boom and worked as a driller until he retired in 1964.

He was a member of the East Fourth Baptist Church, and a member of the Odd Fellows.

He is survived by his wife, Roma Helen Williams; Big Spring; a son, Floyd Williams, Big Spring; and a daughter, J. J. Willingham, also of Big Spring, six grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Hartin

Mrs. Rudi Mae Hartin, 78, died at 7 a.m. Saturday, in a local hospital.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Claude N. Craven, of Trinity Baptist Church, presiding. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She was born September 12, 1898 in Anson, and lived in Big Spring since 1930.

She was a member of the Baptist Church and is survived by three sons, Elton Hartin, El Paso; Delmar Hartin, and Viron Hartin, Big Spring; three daughters, Mrs. Violet Northcutt, Irving; Arlene Hartin, and Wanda Porter, Big Spring; one sister, Ida Frank, Hillsboro; one brother, Jack Farrell, Mt. Calm; and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Hartin was preceded in death by her husband, Elzie Emmet Hartin, who died April 18, 1950, and three sons, Weldon, and two infants.

Pallbearers will be Dee Arnold, George W. Hill, Lee Mumoy, L.P. Gamble, and Clyde Harrison.

Hartley selected

Weldon Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Hartley, 2302 Marcy Drive, was recently selected as the Rotary Club honoree from Howard College for the month of November

A sophomore at Howard College, he is majoring in law enforcement and minoring in history. His career objective is to become an officer with the Department of Public Safety after completing his work at the college this fall and transferring to the University of Texas of the Permian Basin where he plans to receive his degree.

While at HC, he has participated in a wide range of activities. He is a member of Lambda Alpha Epsilon, serving as secretary-treasurer. He was a representative of the Student Senate and served on the committee to oversee the recently organized Law Enforcement Explorer Scout Post.

He also has set an outstanding record of academic achievement, having made the Dean's List each semester and was chosen as the outstanding law enforcement student. He also holds down a part-time job with Southwestern A-1 Pest Control Co.

A graduate from Big Spring High School in 1968, his work experience goes back to his early high school days when he began working for the Southland Corporation. Since then he has worked for Chapman Construction Co. and is presently employed by Southwestern. His hobbies include hunting, hiking and camping.

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Great Puzzle Contest

Identify this photograph and: **WIN $100**

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

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

Puzzle number 6



Piece number 19

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OVER THE TOP — The outlook for the 1976 Howard County United Way campaign is looking better all the time, thanks to the efforts of people like Sid Smith and Vi Ballou (above) of Cosden Oil & Chemical Company's Personnel Department. Smith worked the cards assigned him and exceeded his objective by four per cent. The overall drive is now appraoching 80 per cent of its $134,000 goal.

Sonora landowners to fight 'plain robbery'

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Representatives of Sonora state landowners who lost almost a quarter of a million acres by government expropriation Friday, say they were robbed and will fight in the courts to get their land back.

"The farmers who were dispossessed of their legal property consider it plain robbery," said Francisco Borques, president of the Farmers Association of Southern Sonora, a state bordering Arizona in northwestern Mexico.

"It was an illegal act serving political purposes to exalt the image of Mexican President Luis Echeverria Alvarez," he said.

He added, "We will continue to fight for the return of our land through the judicial system."

Echeverria's agrarian reform secretary announced the seizure Friday, saying the 243,100 acres of rich Yaqui Valley grain and livestock land was illegally owned by 72 families under Mexico's small landholdings law. Echeverria said it would be distributed among 8,037 poor farmers—or "campesinos."

Borques and three other landowners' representatives held a news conference in Mexico City Friday night to protest the expropriation. Others participating were Pablo Castillon, manager of the Farmers Association; Hector Aguilar, president of the Sonora Conference of Farmers and Antonino Esquer, president of the Yaqui Valley Credit Union.

Sonora produces 60 per cent of Mexico's wheat, the landowners said, and a major part of its beef cattle. The farmers estimated the expropriated property grows 45 per cent of the country's wheat, or about 800,000 tons yearly.

"With these lands in the hands of campesionos, poorly trained and with only small plots, where will be a production crisis," Castillon said.

"We're not planting now and if nothing is changed, production will fall 100 per cent," he said.

The farm leaders said Echeverria had not mentioned compensation. They estimated the farmers had $32 million invested in machinery, which they expected also would be expropriated.

The agrarian reform secretariat first tried to take the land away in July when it initiated legal proceedings to seize the property.

The landowners filed an appeal in the courts after the secretariat's move in July and were granted a "provisional suspension" of the action against them.

Borques and others at the news conference Friday said Echeverria had illegally bypassed the courts in announcing his expropriation.

They also said they expected Sonora was just the first move by the government and the same thing could happen in Sinaloa, an adjoining state to the south which grows much of Mexico's produce, rice and chick peas (garbanzos).

Prayer vigil to mark assassination of JFK

DALLAS (AP) — A hastily organized prayer vigil will mark the anniversary Monday of the 1963 assassination of President John F. Kennedy in Dallas.

Mayor Robert Folsom had canceled the traditional commemoration, but Dallas County Democratic Chairman Ron Kessler said Saturday he received "about 500 phone calls" protesting the lack of a memorial service.

Kennedy was shot to death by Lee Harvey Oswald near Dealey Plaza in downtown Dallas Nov. 22, 1963.

The observance will be held at noon Monday at the Kennedy Memorial, not far from the assassination site, Kessler said. The services will consist of a short prayer and a moment of silence.

"There will be no speeches," Kessler said.

Dr. Paul A. Staufferr, executive director of the Greater Dallas Community of Churches, and The Rev. Zan Holmes, a former state legislator, will preside over the Monday service.

Folsom reportedly called for cancelation of the formal observation because of "declining public interest."

Waterworks bids on agenda

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City city council will accept bids of $400,000 waterworks and sewer system revenue bonds and consider an ordinance authorizing the sale of same when it meets here at 7 p.m., Tuesday.

The council will also consider the payment on Estimate No. 3 to Price Construction Co., Big spring and hear a report on water and sewer treatment studies.

Plan to name three members

LAMESA — The Dawson County commissioners will consider approval of a request for funds for senior citizens, appoint three members to the County Library Board and approve the Mental Health Unit report when they meet in the courthouse here Monday.

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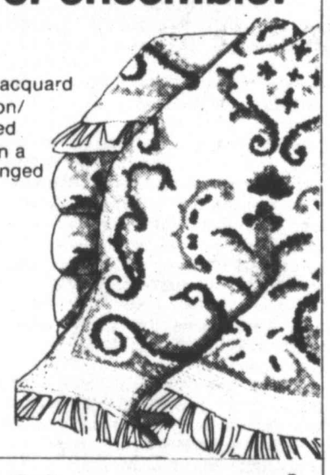


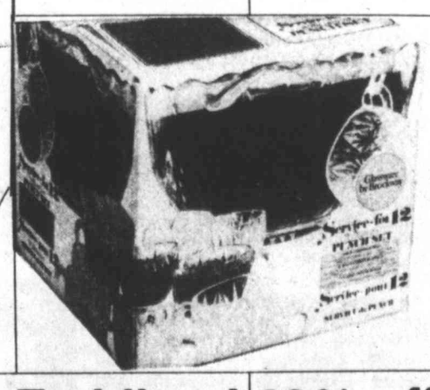
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Publisher's corner

Friction was bound to develop

One can only feel sadness that Thursday's purge of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce staff had to take place.

But with the friction that was being generated and with the difficult organizational structure of having two "equal" managers for different areas, it was inevitable that something would have to happen.

IF THE LINE OF responsibility is not clearly defined, there can develop friction which winds up with no one being responsible.

The chamber's Board of Directors felt that the organization must be such that one person is responsible for seeing that the chamber's goals and responsibilities are carried out.

The chamber board was right in making this organizational change. It had to be done. The sticky question, of course, then became who should be running the chamber.

The board decided, justly or unjustly, that the hard feelings which had been generated in the chamber membership precluded either of the two present staff persons at the chamber from taking the reins.

It apparently was the board's reasoning that for the sake of community harmony the chamber should start anew.

THOUGH NEITHER OF the two men will be with the chamber next year, the community owes both of them thanks.

Tom Roy, the industrial manager, had succeeded in getting Big Spring off high center in its industrial effort. The first new industry which had come to Big Spring in a number of years was announced a month ago to fill the vacant Intech building.

Terry Hanson, the chamber manager, had piloted the organization through some stormy times, and the chamber membership had continued to grow, especially during 1976.

BUT THIS COMMUNITY needs a unified effort in 1977 as it has never needed it before. We face the potential loss of 3,000 jobs directly if Webb Air Force Base should be closed.

Unless we have a chamber membership that pulls together as much as possible, we could see the scope of our town diminished in some ways that would hurt very badly.

There will always be honest differences between people on the goals and directions of their community.

At this moment in Big Spring's history, it is important that we minimize these differences, forget personality conflicts, and work together for the good of our town.

—J. TOM GRAHAM



Door search

Around the rim

Walt Finley

I wanted to use this front page headline on the election — but I chickened out:

Plains' Prize Peanut Plucks Presidency

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John Tower should visit the White House often while Gerald Ford is still around. After he leaves, Republican Senators will be searched at the door.

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ONE OF MY leaders, Joe Pickle, who celebrates his birthday Monday, reports the new efficiency expert at a factory in Dallas was asked by the firm's president "How many employes do we have approaching retirement age?"

The efficiency expert regarded the president thoughtfully and replied mildly:

"Well, we don't have any employes going the other way."

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Herald pages shooter, Ann Dietrich, reportedly in Austin today, reports

They sat on the sofa in her apartment and he said, "Oh, I'm just not myself tonight," and she replied:

"Swell. I get a kick out of blind dates!"

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Marsha Day, also known as the "Sand Springs chick" and in Austin with Ann and friends, asks:

"Did you hear about the teenaged girl who tried for a month to run away from home but every time she got as far as the front door, the telephone rang?"

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My drinking cousin, Bobby Harris, said Oklahoma sent five Democrats to Congress during the recent election but voted for the GOP candidate for president. "Okie voters were willing to stamp the rooster but not the Playboy bunny," Bob explains.

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MY NEIGHBOR and landlady, Mrs. A. G. Hall, points out:

"Earl Butz was fired for having a perverted sense of humor. I hope this doesn't start a trend. It could eliminate some of my favorite columnists."

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Capsuled Comments has some winners for "Winning at Meetings."

Never present your best idea first. The energy level is high at the beginning of a meeting, and people may pounce on your "brainchild."

Present an idea modestly, and avoid enthusiasm. This will disarm hostile forces. If you're courteous to the ideas of others, you're likely to get the same treatment. Personal loyalties are usually left at the door, so don't count too heavily on friends.

Wouldn't it be interesting if several groups of people read this and tried to put in use in meetings all over Big Spring, leading to heated arguments by groups wanting to argue the same points.

That's one reason why I seldom go to meetings, and if I'm caught in one I depart as soon as possible.



Toughest problem

Evans, Novak

BRUSSELS — The gradual shift of Soviet military forces from defensive to offensive, a growing source of worry for NATO military leaders, has now escalated to the point that some diplomatic and political leaders in Belgium and other Western European countries have become for the first time genuinely alarmed.

One such leader here told us that "NATO's strength is too close to the minimum today to be comfortable."

This reluctant conclusion is the handmaiden of another fear: that detente has now been found dangerously wanting as a political device to interlock East and West and thus crimp Moscow's fantastic progress toward what Gen. Alexander M. Haig, the NATO commander, calls an "imperial" phase.

INDEED, THERE are many leading indicators at NATO headquarters here that the Warsaw Pact is now at the threshold (some think well beyond it) of a military capability to make a lightning-like attack against Western Europe patterned after the World War II German Blitzkrieg. Yet, concern runs high that the political impact of advertising such a Soviet capability might damage the leaders of political parties in power in NATO countries. They might find themselves suddenly asked: how have you allowed this to happen?

Accordingly, the deepening concern among military leaders — and important segments of Europe's political leadership — about the transformation of Soviet conventional power in Central Europe from defensive to offensive is publicly voiced only by indirection. For example, no word has leaked out about the Soviet Union's astonishing new technology for throwing temporary bridges over rivers, scarcely an art in defensive warfare.

Behind the scenes, however, President Ford (regarded in Europe as its best friend and truest Atlanticist since Dwight Eisenhower) has empowered NATO Ambassador Robert Strausz-Hupe to brief both his colleagues here and throughout Europe on NATO's gloomy but realistic perceptions.

AS A longtime anti-Soviel hardliner, who has spent his diplomatic life promoting Atlantic unity, Strausz-Hupe needed little prodding. He has been pounding home his warning against lowered Western defenses and for new steps toward Atlantic unity not only to politicians but also to non-Communist left-wing youth groups of such parties as the ruling West German Social Democrats (SPD). He is being listened to.

Few if any NATO leaders here, either military or political, believe Moscow has any intention of using its immense superiority in forces and weapons to make a surprise attack (although most believe such an attack could have devastating effect under certain conditions).

The Soviet objective is seen differently. By continuing to allocate forces and weapons to its Western front in a display of frightening numerical superiority, Moscow is aiming at two things:

First, to bully Western Europe, which is in the midst of yet another batch of grave political and economic problems, into the colossal and fraudulent belief that since the future lies with Communism, the military defense of Western Europe is quite hopeless, and certainly futile.

Second, to concentrate the West's attention on Europe, permitting far more latitude to the Soviet Union for what Haig calls "peripheral" runs against the West: in Angola, for example.

REMEMBERING...

By BILL BROOKS

SUMMER CAMP

I never got to be a Boy Scout or anything because there wasn't a troop in our community when I grew up. But we could go to church camp when we reached a certain age. I wasn't old enough the year I went but they had plenty of room and asked me if I'd like to go since my big brother would be there to look after me. I was prematurely thrilled and could hardly wait for that week to come. How nice it would be to spend several nights out under the stars!

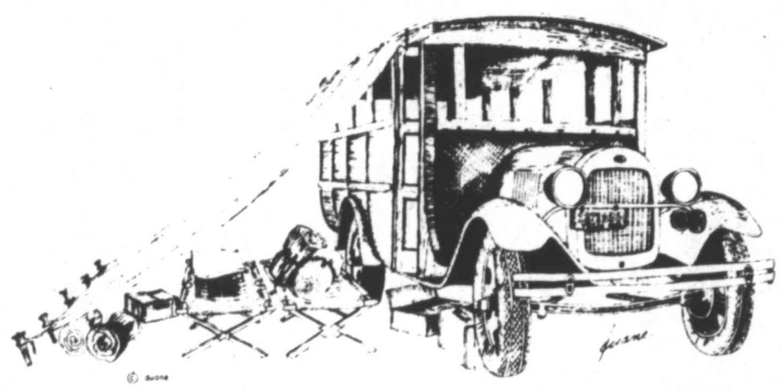
We arrived at camp after a hot, jolting 100-mile ride in a rickety old used-up school bus. We found our spot on an unlikely, rocky, hilly slope profusely landscaped with thorn bushes and stickers. A large tarp was stretched out and fastened to the bus on one side and we attempted to stake the other side down to the ground to make a sort of lean-to shelter. Have you ever tried to drive wooden pegs into solid rock?

We finally got our "quarters ship shape" as the counselor had ordered and the announcement was made that we would have preaching service in 10 minutes. What? Preaching? We thought we were going camping.

We set up our cots that night and discovered we had forgotten to bring sheets. "Don't matter, it'll be warm tonight so we won't need no cover." It was warm that night, in fact it was hot, but mosquitoes came to call and it was a choice between being eaten alive or suffocating between two scratchy, heavy, wool army blankets.

Somehow we survived the night only to be awakened by a bugle being enthusiastically tooted by someone musically uninclined at a time long before the sun woke up. "Mess in ten minutes!" came the call. I figured I was a mess already but I found out mess was food and if you weren't there in ten minutes you didn't get any. An hour of handicrafts came next. A fellow demonstrated his skill of plaiting several strands of bright plastic cord while he urged us to try our hand. It seemed easy watching him but no matter how hard I worked mine just didn't look like his. He finally said maybe I should go over where they were making little animals by gluing beans on a board. My rooster turned out O.K. but I would rather have had one of those plaited key chains to take home. I found out there was more preaching, in fact there were three sermons a day. I was finding out that summer camp just wasn't much fun and decided I wouldn't come back the next year.

The last night we were there we had what they called a camp fire service. Everyone assembled around a big fire and sang songs, and that was a lot more fun than listening to preaching. Some boys stood up and gave testimonies about what different things meant to them. Then a young man sorta preached a sermon but it was different from the others I had heard. He seemed more sincere somehow. He said some things that really made sense. I remember he said not to be discouraged whatever happens in your life and no matter what you are called upon to do, do it the best way you know how. He said a lot more but those things have stayed with me. I went to bed that night with a new feeling. I didn't even mind the mosquitoes.





Does retirement affect blood pressure?

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I retired this year. Could this have anything to do with blood pressure? Is there a standard for blood pressure according to age, and such? — Mr. A.N.

I can only generalize on your interesting question. I know of no specific studies on this.

Only an unusual person could move from one basic lifestyle to another (working to not working for example) without some slight change in his blood pressure — good or bad. Some folks might find pressures greater in retirement than those they had while working. If so, you might expect blood pressure to rise. With others just the opposite is true.

The chief variables in all of this are the type of job the person retired from and the type of retirement entered into.

The blood pressure "standards" you refer to are not really meaningful for any individual at any time in his or her life. They are averages based on the age, build, and sex of healthy individuals. Blood pressure does tend to rise slightly with age, as much as 10 or 20 points between the ages of 30 and 60.

The adage about good blood pressure being "the person's age plus 100 points" is not accurate.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have read in your column where low blood sugar can cause various symptoms, like weakness, dizziness, etc. I've never seen it explained why this happens. Can you? — Mrs. T.W.

I can't go into all the complexities here, but basically the reason for such symptoms is that the brain is nourished chiefly by glucose (blood sugar). Depriving it of this nourishment causes the symptoms you mention. This complicated matter of blood sugar is discussed in laymen's language in my booklet, "Help for Hypoglycemia — Low Blood Sugar." You can obtain a copy if you like by sending 35 cents to me in care of the Big Spring Herald. Also enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Your answer to Mrs. E.L. about iron supplements for her children covered all the bases, but what about us Golden Age Kids? Should we give up our iron supplements? — Mr. E.L.

Infancy and pregnancy are times when true iron deficiency can occur. This is why gynecologists and pediatricians stress iron levels and often prescribe supplements. The need is less in women who have stopped menstruating.

You Golden Age Kids can continue with your modest supplements, probably with no harm, since iron is poorly absorbed by the body. It's estimated that only 10 per cent of all iron taken in is absorbed. Problem is it is also poorly excreted (gotten rid of), and may accumulate if excessive amounts are used.

My suggestion is to have a blood test. If it shows blood iron levels to be satisfactory, discontinue the supplements and spend your money on orange juice. A lack of vitamin C is much more likely in Golden Agers (and in many less-than-Golden Agers) than is iron deficiency.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have what my doctor calls sprue. I don't understand much about this. How do you get it? Do you have to have surgery? — Mrs. L.H.

I presume you mean "non-tropical sprue." This is an intolerance to a certain protein (gluten) found in grains (except rice and corn). The intolerance causes a shriveling of the lining of the small intestine. Diarrhea, gaseousness, weight loss, weakness and anemia can result.

Surgery is not necessary except for a biopsy of the intestine membrane to confirm the diagnosis. If your physician is confident of the diagnosis and if you start on a gluten-free diet promptly, such a biopsy may not be needed.

The intestinal problem improves as the diet (which is quite restrictive) progresses. You should have the diet explained to you in detail. Later on you may be able to eat the restricted grain foods occasionally, but frequent use will cause a recurrence of the problem.

To find out what causes high blood pressure and what can be done to treat it, send for a copy of "Controlling Your Blood Pressure (Hypertension)" by Dr. Thosteson. Write to him in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents.

Dr. Thosteson 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.



My answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I was shocked by a newspaper article I read recently in which a man claimed that the Bible couldn't be the Word of God because there was so much violence and sex in the lives of some of the Old Testament characters. How would you refute this? — Mrs. S.C.

DEAR MRS. C.: Throughout the ages men have done everything they could to deny the fact that the Bible is God's Word. This article sounds like just another attack that does not honestly face the truth of God's Word.

One of the proofs to me of the Bible's accuracy is the way that it speaks so honestly about the lives of its characters. A man like David, for example, was a man after God's own heart, and yet he also committed immorality. Why does the Bible include these things?

First of all, it includes them because it is an accurate account of what happened. Secondly, God wants to warn us about the dangers that can befall us when we do not walk with Him. Sin has a way of creeping into our lives when we are not on our guard constantly. By reading about men who allowed sin to dominate them, we can be warned.

As Paul said, "Now in these events our ancestors stand as examples to us, warning us not to crave after evil things as they did . . . these things which happened to our ancestors are illustrations of the way in which God works, and they were written down to be a warning to us who are the heirs of the ages which have gone before us" (I Corinthians 10:6, 11, Phillips Translation).

Don't let the claims of unbelieving men keep you from God's Word. Learn to trust it and profit from it, for God has given it to us to guide us to Himself and His will.

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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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You all spoken here

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — I'm grateful to Roy Wilder Jr. and David Moffett of the "Gourd Hollow Press" in Raleigh, N.C., who sent me two little books titled "You All Spoken Here," devoted to how country people speak in the South.

Nobody knows how many people from the Deep South Jimmy Carter will bring with him, but the dictionaries will be invaluable to help us know what they're talking about.

FOR EXAMPLE, if the Carters are throwing a dinner party at the White House and there is a discussion of the guest list, one of Mr. Carter's aides might say, "He's too poor to paint, and too proud to whitewash." They would be discussing, of course, a member of the Southern aristocracy.

If a Southern member of the staff says to you, "Don't get cross-legged," he is telling you not to get angry, or your wires crossed, or your signals mixed, or upset without knowing the situation.

There will be occasions when someone in the Carter entourage gets mad at a congressman or a senator. He may then tell the press, "He's three pickles shy of a barrel." This means he doesn't have all his marbles or "he's three bricks shy of a load" or that "his traces ain't hooked up right."

If the same person says the congressman or senator is "Passin' gas faster'n he can cap it," it means the person in question is a windbag.

A Cabinet officer may be in trouble with the President. If someone says he "pulled through" it means his sins have been forgiven and "he's ready for deep dip baptism."

Despite a Carter Administration there will always be sex scandals in Washington. A man caught in one will be known as a person who is "wild as a boar in a peach orchard," which means he is unrestrained in his sexual passion.

IF THE President has not seen one of his appointees for a long time he might ask him, "Did you winter well?" which is what someone in the Deep South asks a person in the spring that he hasn't laid on eyes since Christmas.

Since Mr. Carter has never been to Washington he is not acquainted with too many members of the establishment. He might be asked, for example, if he knew Clark Clifford. The President could replay, "We've howdied but we ain't shook," which would mean that the President knows the name, but he was never introduced.

Some presidential appointments may get more power than others. In this case, the person in question will be referred to in the Administration as a "big dog in the meat house."

If you are invited to the White House for dinner you can tell your friends: "Last night I ate the President's salt." The worst thing is to "eat another man's salt" and then knock him in public. If word gets out that you did, it could make the President angry and his press secretary might say, "The President is as mad as a rooster in an empty henhouse."

IF YOU apologized publicly, that "would put spit on the apple" and end the argument.

Suppose the secretary of state is confused about a diplomatic problem. The White House aides might leak the fact that the secretary is "like a rubber-nosed woodpecker in a petrified forest."

When someone comes back from a trip overseas and brags about it he will be known as "journey proud."

If he lies to the President they will say of him, "His mouth ain't no prayer book."

If he failed to give the President the information he wanted, a White House aide might say, "He never said pea turkey" or "We got what the bear grabbed at," which means they got nothing out of the conversation.

How will you know if Mr. Carter is angry? If he ever says "That takes the rag of the bush," Brezhnev better watch out, because the lowest thing someone can do in the Deep South is steal someone's washrag that he left on a bush to dry.

We Hold These Truths...
A Chronicle of America

November-December, 1776:

With the British and Hessians under General Cornwallis in hot pursuit, General Washington flees with the main 4,000-man American army through New Jersey. On November 31, Washington departs Hackensack — burning the bridge over the Passaic River at Acquackanonk. From the 22nd to the 28th he headquarters at Newark. The next two days he camps at New Brunswick. On December 1, with the British approaching the Raritan River (Washington writes hastily to Congress, "The enemy are fast advancing, some of 'em in sight now"), he departs New Brunswick — reaching Trenton with an army of about 3,000 on December 3. On December 7-8, as Cornwallis enters Trenton, the American army crosses the Delaware River into Pennsylvania.



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Monthly rates may be sliced

Ma Bell unhappy?

By JIM DAVIS
Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Consumer advocates must be happy with the Texas Public Utilities Commission staff recommendation that Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. get far less additional revenue than the telephone giant is seeking.

While allowing some service increases such as a 20-cent pay call charge, the staff's recommendation would lower the monthly rates for most one-party residential and business customers.

The three commissioners don't have to adopt the staff proposal, of course, but they better have some strong and understandable reasons for giving Ma Bell much more of an increase or many politicians in Texas will be screaming for their heads.

This is the commission's first big case and an extremely important one. Even if Southwestern Bell doesn't serve your area you can bet that decisions made in this case eventually will affect your phone bill.

The utilities commission still has its first electrical rate case scheduled for Dec. 1 but the long-running Southwestern testimony probably will mean the commissioners were overly optimistic on that setting. This is the Central Power and Light Co. rural rate case involving southern and southwestern parts of the state. The hearing may start Dec. 1 and be recessed until later.

It seemed to be a stark contridiction.

Listed under the "Public Meeting Notices" section of a recent Legislative Clipping Service publication was a Nov. 19 meeting of the Legislative Council on Property Tax. "Invitation onlv." the notice said.

How can a public meeting be by invitation only? reporters asked.

Turns out they were inviting persons by invitation but the meeting is open to all.

Atty. Gen. John Hill has listed several criteria he believes should be considered in any settlement of lawsuits involving Coastal States companies and various cities and power companies.

The criteria include such things as details on what customers would be getting that they wouldn't get from bankruptcy of Coastal's Lo-Vaca Gathering Co. and what the long-term effects of a settlement would be on the state's gas supply.

Hill noted he may get involved if a settlement is presented to the Texas Railroad Commission or to Travis County's 200th District Court, which supervises the troubled Lo-Vaca firm.

The Railroad Commission sent a message to Washington last week. The state's oil allowable was cut from 100 per cent to 99 per cent, the first drop in several years. The message is: Texas is running out of oil.

Richard Slack of Pecos came out on top in the handing out of seniority for the House of Representatives last week. He nosed out the other 12-term legislator — DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi — in a drawing.

Among the newcomers, the drawing put Fred Collazo of Port Arthur at the bottom and Hugo Berlanga of Corpus Christi next to the bottom.

The setting of seniority involves such things as preference in getting office space and membership on some committees.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

COSDEN'S 25-YEAR CLUB GROWS — A dozen employes joined Cosden Oil & Chemical Company's 25-Year Club at the organization's annual dinner-dance held Friday night at the Big Spring Country Club. Among dignitaries at the party, from the left, were Mr. and Mrs. Ron Medley, Rene Brown, Cosden vice-president, and Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Patton. Patton is president of the club, which now boasts 275 members. Only employes with 25 or more years service with the company are eligible to be members.

Silver fraud five convicted

DALLAS (AP) — Five men were found guilty in federal court here Friday on 16 counts of fraud and conspiracy in connection with a silver mine fraud in which investors nationwide reportedly lost about $1 million.

The jury deliberated about four hours in returning a guilty verdict that said the defendants' claims to have a secret process to extract silver from ore in a Llano, Tex., mine were false.

Government prosecutors said each of the defendants faces up to 110 years in prison and $70,000 in fines.

U.S. District Court Judge Robert M. Hill set sentencing for Dec. 17.

Found guilty were James McCollum of Dallas; Kyle G. Bretz who listed a Dallas motel as his residence; Troy Becker of Sparks, Nev.; Theodore Dunkle of Long Beach, Calif.; and James L. Cockrell of Arizona.

The five were accused of cheating investors by selling refining contracts, silver options and obtaining advance money on loans for ficticious projects.

Several of the defendants testified they believed in the project and had no intent to defraud investors. The government said the ore from Central Texas was worthless.

Appeals will be filed, according to lawyers for four of the defendants.

Each defendant was found guilty on one count of conspiracy to commit fraud, five counts of mail fraud, five counts of wire fraud and five counts of interstate transportation of checks obtained by mail.

Spin-off jobs'

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—The Texas Industrial Commission said Friday that 25 industrial firms announced plans in October to build plants in Texas.

These will provide 1,586 jobs and generate another 1,081 "spin-off jobs," the commission said.

Death probably suicide, racially mixed jury rules

PALESTINE, Tex. (AP) — Black civil rights leader Frank Robinson's death was probably suicide, a six-member, racially mixed jury ruled Friday.

After deliberating an hour and 20 minutes, the jury returned its verdict to a silent group of spectators in an almost filled court room at the Anderson County courthouse here.

Robinson's body was found sprawled in his garage in this East Texas town Oct. 13. A shotgun was found on the body. Three expended shells lay nearby.

Dorothy Robinson, the victim's widow, told a newsman prior to the jury's verdict, that any comment from her would have to come through her attorney, regardless of the panel's decision.

Alexander Nemer II, who was the judge presiding over the inquest, polled the jury individually as to the verdict after it had been read.

Then, dismissing the jury and having it removed from the court room by the bailiff, Nemer told spectators that "to those who do not agree with the jury verdict, I can understand and sympathize with your feelings."

Nemer issued a plea to allow the finding of the jury to have the finality "which the evidence presented mandates it should."

Nemer, prior to handing the case over to the jury, read a post inquest order forbidding anyone from contacting any member of the jury after the inquest had ended.

He told newsmen that the jurors had requested some form of protection in that regard.

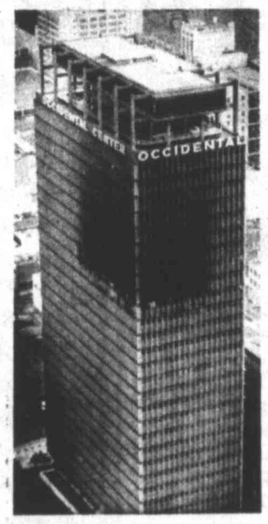
Mrs. Robinson and several prominent civil rights leaders had asked for a thorough investigation saying they felt Robinson had been murdered.

Attorneys, who had questioned witnesses, said a conscious effort was made to present the evidence to the jury as fairly as possible with no hint of bias or personal feelings.

The testimony concluded Thursday. Ralph Reaves, a polygraph examiner, testified that two key witnesses in the case were "deceptive" in their statements to police.

Reaves said Robinson's neighbor, Zella Watkins, apparently did not tell the truth when she said Robinson had never discussed suicide. Reaves also said the woman was deceptive when she claimed not to have heard any shots fired the day Robinson died of a shotgun wound in the head

Willie Sam Davis, a mechanic, failed his lie detector test when he said he did not see Robinson's body after he brought the victim's car back from a garage the night of the shooting, the polygraph examiner testified.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

DAMAGE — Aerial photo shows damaged floors of the Occidental Center in downtown Los Angeles Friday following a fire that began on the 20th floor and spread to others. Some 58 units of city firemen fought the blaze in the 32-story structure.

Senior citizens plan to build new water lines

HOPE, Idaho (AP) — Almost all the 94 residents in this northern Idaho town are 60 years old or older. But they need a new water line and money is short so they plan to do the work themselves.

The townspeople have formed a senior citizens' brigade to lay three-quarters of a mile of pipe from the town's spring, high on the side of 6,149-foot Roundtop Mountain.

The alternative is hiring someone, and the estimated $80,000 expense would empty the Hope treasury.

"That's why we're laying our own water line," said Mayor Al Williams, 60. "We don't want to go into debt to hire a contractor. It would have wiped out our city finances."

With the brigade providing the labor, the cut-rate price to replace the 70-year-old pipeline will be $11,000.

Few residents get much water from the pipe now. An engineering firm found 18 big leaks a few months ago. Williams says Hope was losing a third of its water as it ran from the mountain.

Few of the Hope residents, most of whom are retirees who came to northern Idaho to admire the scenery and escape high city taxes, resisted the call to muster a work force.

The pipeline crew includes Ella Dreisbach, an 80-year-old who is helping prepare the sections of pipe by swabbing out an oily residue left by pipe-cutting machines.



Defendant in bed every night by 7:30 p.m., wife testifies

HUNTSVILLE, Tex. (AP) — The trial of a man whose wife testified he "was served supper every night at 6 p.m. and was in bed by 7:30 p.m." winds toward an end Monday with final summations scheduled by the prosecution and the defense.

Adam S. Nacol is charged with containing and exercising control over property taken in the "country club" burglaries of Wichita Falls residents Donald Barhart and E.W. Moran Jr.

Nacol is a Wichita Falls jeweler.

His wife testified Friday, "As far as I know, this is the first scandal that has ever touched our lives for the 35 years we were married, and this is the first inkling of aything like this."

Another witness Friday was Jackie Swatzell, office manager and bookkeeper for Nacol's store. She testtified she remembered a silver chafing dish taken in the Barnhart burglary but that "there's no way" the Barnhart and Moran merchandise could have come to Nacol's store.

Judge Bates due 'justice'

HOUSTON (AP) — State District Court Judge Garth Bates, convicted of accepting a bribe, was scheduled to be sentenced next Wednesday.

Bates, 51, was convicted Nov. 11 of accepting a $59,000 bribe in exchange for a promise to keep a robbery case defendant from being sent to prison.

A jury returned the Nov. 11 verdict but visiting State District Court Judge John Barron of Bryan will determine the punishment. Barron presided over the 10-day trial.

Bates could receive up to 20 years in prison and a $10,000 fine.

St. Mary's Retirement homes planning discussed at meeting

The board of directors of St. Mary's Retirement Homes, Inc. met Thursday night to further plans for an apartment complex of approximately 120 units for the elderly.

These apartments will provide special services and facilities for a quality way of life for those of retirement age.

The majority of the unfurnished units will be efficiency and one bedroom apartments, with provision for a few two bedroom units. Other features include an inter-communication system, food services, laundry facilities and recreational space. Some apartments will be designed for those confined to a wheelchair. Bathrooms will be especially equipped for safety.

Some rental subsidies will be available through the cooperation of HUD. Included in the rental fee will be electricity, gas and maintenance services.

Those interested in additional information are urged to call 267-8201 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon, or Ann Boullioun at 263-2187.

No such pay is authorized

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—The state is not required to pay the families of deceased employes for the compensatory time off they had accumulated before they died, Atty. Gen. John Hill ruled Friday.

His opinion went to W. J. Estelle Jr., director of the Texas Department of Corrections.

"Since the legislature failed to provide for payment of unused compensatory time to the estate of a deceased employe, it is our opinion that no such payment is authorized," Hill said.

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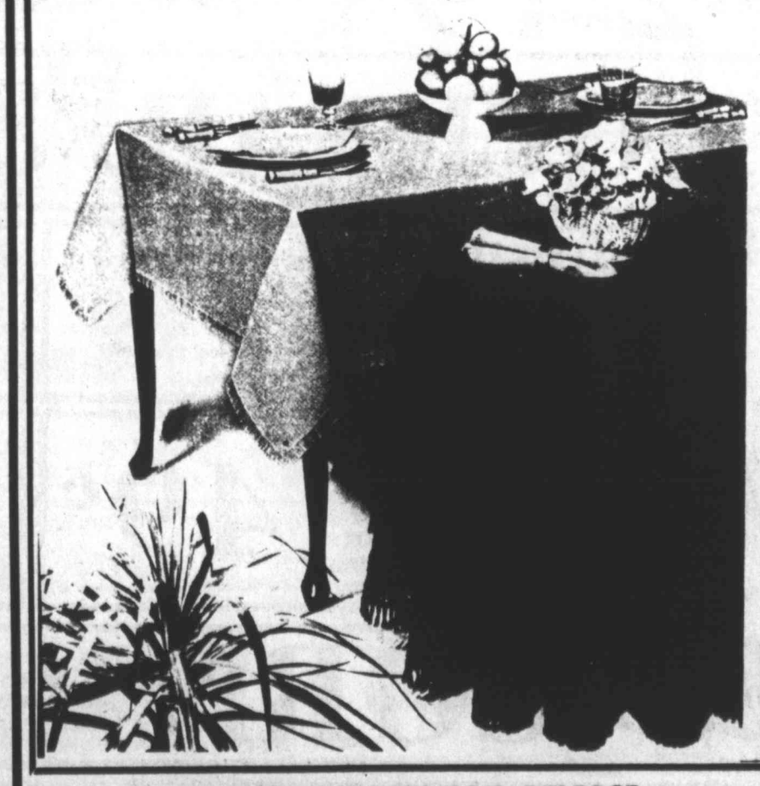
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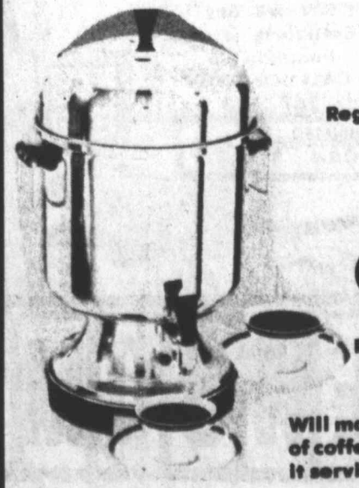
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Proposed new tax code polished by committee members

Texas taxpayers will get chance to have their say

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — A study committee of legislators and citizens put the final polish Saturday on a proposal that, if passed by the 1977 Legislature, would make sweeping revisions in the way Texas assesses and collects property taxes.

However, taxpayers throughout the state will get a chance to have their say before the proposed new tax code gets to the 65th Legislature.

Rep. Wayne Peveto, D-Orange, chairman of the committee, said the "tentative final draft" of the 193-page bill would be presented at a news briefing Dec. 3. It will be followed by a series of public hearings that begin Dec. 13 in Austin, followed by others at Arlington, Midland, San Antonio, Victoria, Amarillo, Corpus Christi, El Paso, Longview, Lubbock, Harlingen, Houston and Lufkin.

"The final vote by the committee will not come until after we have heard from the people," Peveto said Saturday.

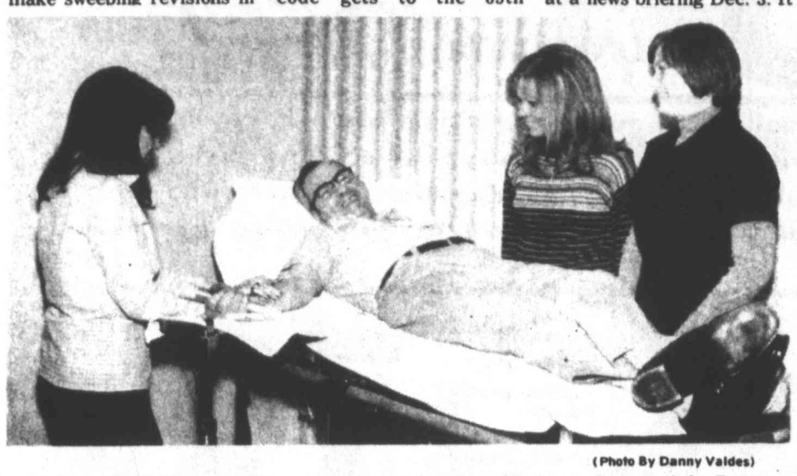
In a long session Saturday the committee, aided by a citizens advisory group, put its final approval on a plan that would set up a new statewide organization to guide and watch over all property tax assessing and collecting in Texas. It would be tied into local units not only on assessing and collecting but also on tax appeals.

The committee approved Saturday the creation of a new State Property Tax Board of six members appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Senate that would be responsible "for coordinating the appraisal activities of local appraisal offices and for assisting local property tax officials to ensure that the property tax system is administered efficiently and equitably."

There also would be established a Council of Appraiser Examiners of six members to oversee the registration of all property appraisers in the state. Present county-tax assessor-collectors would be exempt from the registration. The plan also would provide for certification of appraisers with specialized skills and professional ability.

A third new state body to be created would be a Property Tax Appeals Commission of three members to handle taxpayer appeals at the state level.

At the local level, if the legislature approves the committee's recommendations, the responsibility for appraising taxes and for assessment and collection would be divided.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

BLOOD DONORS NEEDED — Women from the Beta Omicron chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi are helping with the telephone list for obtaining needed blood each Wednesday for the West Texas blood bank. Here Cyndi Chiappone, lab technician from San Angelo is taking blood from W.C. Turner, local donor. Mrs. Becky Childers, service chairman and Mrs. Pam Carroll, president of the sorority chapter look on.

Dropping names in the hat

Carter's talent scouts busy

WASHINGTON (AP) — President-elect Jimmy Carter's talent scouts are expected to present him this week with their first recommendations of people to fill Cabinet posts and other key jobs in the Carter administration.

If he likes the selections he receives while in Washington, Carter could begin interviewing some of them as early as the end of the week or the beginning of the following week.

Matthew B. Coffey, director of the transition team's Talent Inventory Program, said in a recent interview that his staff will offer Carter about 15 potential candidates for each of the 32 top government jobs to be filled.

Carter and Vice President-elect Walter Mondale also have been soliciting suggestions on their own, and they may come up with some people the talent scouts haven't found.

But, Coffey said, "we hope we will have the widest-ranging, most checked-out list" of anyone dropping names in the hat.

On Carter's instructions, he said, "for every position there are going to be qualified women, blacks and other minorities recommended to him."

Coffey reports to former campaign manager Hamilton Jordan, whose political coordination team is working with the talent hunters to screen potential appointees.

As a result of preliminary work done during the campaign, Coffey said, Carter's staff is months ahead of the late President John F. Kennedy, whose transition work didn't begin until two days after the election. Kennedy nonetheless named his cabinet in eight days.

Before the election this year, Richard C. D. Fleming headed a team effort to identify the most important jobs Carter must fill and to describe in detail each job.

A 31-year-old city planner working for a community development firm in Atlanta, Fleming had been a volunteer member of the "peanut brigade" that flew into the primary states to campaign for Carter. In July, he joined the fledgling transition team and put together a 3½-inch briefing book outlining the qualifications needed for the 32 top jobs in government.

Those posts include the Cabinet secretaries, undersecretaries, independent agency heads at the National Security Agency, Central Intelligence Agency, the Office of Management and Budget and the regulatory commissions where vacancies will occur.

When Carter gets a list of names for a job, Coffey said, each person on the list will have been put through at least three "quality checks."

If Carter decides he's interested in one or more of the candidates after he has interviewed them, then — with the candidates' permission — the FBI will be asked to begin a full-field investigation.

The FBI probes serve two purposes. They determine whether a person can gain a top-secret security clearance, and they sometimes uncover derogatory information that might otherwise be discovered by the media or in Senate confirmation proceedings.

Italian news media taking 'left' turn

ROME (AP) — Leftists are playing a growing role in the Italian news media. Some say this is only a natural reflection of the change in the political winds here, especially since the Communists won more than a third of the votes in the elections last June 20.

But others view with alarm the fact that while leftists controlled reporters' unions for a long time, they now are moving into top management positions.

Those expressing concern also point to recent incidents in the publishing and television media here to reinforce their claim that Italy is in danger of creeping censorship by the left.

One was an important omission in a television interview with Jimmy Carter in the United States last July. Another involved the toning down of an anti-Communist headline in Italy's largest newspaper.

But the others contend that the upward movement of leftists into top media posts is healthy for Italy. They say it represents a loosening of the government's grasp over key information organs, such as radio and television.

"The most dangerous thing is that everyone seems to agree, there's no dissent anymore," asserted Raffaele Costa, a deputy of the Liberal party, a small conservative group, in Parliament.

Costa claimed that Enrico Berlinguer, leader of the Communist party, is treated as a figure above criticism. "You would think he were Garibaldi" — the 19th century Italian patriot.

The issue of who controls the news media came into sharp focus following the disclosures of cuts in the interview by Carter broadcast in July by the state-run RAI-TV. The deletion of two phrases made Carter appear less critical of the Italian Communist party than his full remarks showed him to be.

In the original interview, Carter said he did not regard as a "catastrophe" the fact that the Communist party may eventually play a crucial role in the Italian government. But RAI-TV dropped Carter's qualifier: "That would not be my preference."

The interview was broadcast over RAI-TV's Channel 2, controlled by the left under a reform enacted by parliament last year. The measure loosened the control of the long-ruling Christian Democrat party over the state's two television channels and three radio stations which had been accused through the years of ignoring such social issues as divorce, abortion and birth control as well as riots, strikes and antigovernment demonstrations.

The state radio and television now are divided into competing news divisions, one generally reflecting the Christian Democrat and government viewpoint, the other controlled by the Socialist party and reflecting a leftist view.

For this division of control to be the case in a democratic country may seem odd to those accustomed to TV news generally untainted by political prejudice. But the situation always has been basically the same here in newspapers and magazines — both of the right and the left — with rarely any clear-cut distinction between news and editorials.

In the Carter case, RAI-TV blamed the cuts on a "technical mishap" in reception of the original transmission from New York and rebroadcast the interview in its entirety after disclosure in the Milan newapaper Corriere della Sera, and protests in parliament by Costa and several other deputies.

In the newspaper field, guild locals are frequently leftist-controlled on the big papers and often play a role in deciding what is printed and who runs the newspaper.

Corriere della Sera, Italy's largest newspaper and generally moderate politically, was involved in a controversy last year. Remo Carnevali, the foreign editor, resigned to protest against changing of a headline in a story from Portugal on the blockade by Communists of the Socialist newspaper Republica. Carnevali had written a headline, printed in the first edition, sharply critical of the Portuguese Communists but this was changed in later editions under pressure from the guild local and another editor.

Three years ago reporters at Il Messaggero, Rome's biggest daily, successfully fought the proposed sale of the paper to a conservative magazine publisher and the appointment as executive editor of Luigi Barzini, author of the American bestseller "The Italians."

Under their contracts, newsmen's guilds can oppose the appointment of new editors but have no right of veto and the final word is still up to the publisher.

One big advance for the left was the appointment this year of Amerigo Tarenzi, member of the Central Committee of the Communist party, as vice president of the national news agency ANSA.

A major battle is now under way for representation on RAI's board of directors. The Christian Democrats and Socialists have controlled the board but the Communists are pushing for greater representation to reflect their electoral gains.

TIPRO hails commission

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—The Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association praised the Texas Railroad Commission Friday for dropping the oil production allowable to 99 per cent of market demand.

"This symbolic gesture by the commission points up the need for a crash drilling program to reverse the decline in our state's petroleum deliverability," said president John J. Christmann of Lubbock.

He said that the nation will be "helplessly dependent on foreign supplies in the very near future" unless Congress and the new administration establish an energy policy that encourages domestic oil exploration and development of alternate fuels.

Merger off for FNB

MIDLAND, Tex. (AP) — FNB Development Corp. of Midland announced Saturday that a proposed merger between FNB and Perry Gas Companies Inc., and Rockies Ltd. has been called off.

Arthur Donnely, executive vice president of FNB, said his firm's board rejected the proposed reorganization that called for Perry Gas shareholders and partners to own 81.1 per cent of the stock and FNB shareholders to receive 18.9 per cent.

Donnely said his board is authorized to continue negotiations. He added that a mutual agreement with Charles Perry, president of Perry Gas, concluded that further efforts to combine the entities should not be pursued.

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Probers of assassination subpoena police records

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas Police Department spokesman confirmed Friday that a House committee investigating the 1963 assassination in Dallas of President John F. Kennedy has subpoenaed all police records on the murder.

Bob Shaw said Chief Don Byrd received the subpoena, which calls for Byrd to appear before the committee Nov. 29 and produce the records.

The Dallas Times Herald said in its Saturday editions that Byrd was not expected to testify since he was not a ranking member of the department when Kennedy was assassinated. The paper said he would be asked to verify that the files are complete.

It was not clear whether the subpoena also called for records of the subsequent murder of presidential assassin Lee Harvey Oswald by nightclub owner Jack Ruby. "I expect they (the records being produced) would cover the Ruby case too," Shaw said.

Ruby shot Oswald to death in Dallas Nov. 24, 1963, two days after Kennedy was killed.

Shaw said the committee made initial contact with Dallas police several weeks ago and told the department that the request for records would be forthcoming. At that time, the department said it intended to cooperate fully.

The Select Committee on Assassinations is also looking into the assassination of The Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. in Memphis, Tenn.

Ben Barnes picked wrong peanut farmer

By SCOTT CARPENTER
Harte-Hanks Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Back in 1972 Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes was trying to make up his mind whether he wanted to be governor or a member of the U.S. Senate.

At the time, it appeared that Barnes could have any office he picked — that he would easily win the governor's race or that he would have no trouble unseating U.S. Sen. John Tower.

Those of us in the Capitol press corps were daily pressing to see if we could get Barnes to make up his mind.

"You know," he said in one private conversation in his Capitol office, "I really think that in the near future the Democratic party will be looking to the state houses for candidates instead of the Senate."

Barnes, from the peanut producing De Leon area of West Texas, reasoned that the powers that be would want a candidate who hadn't been forced to take stands on national issues — one who still had the flexibility needed to be the pick of the southern conservative and eastern liberal Democrats.

Barnes was never accused of being modest. He felt that he as a young southern governor would have the best shot. His figuring has proved to be right. He just picked the wrong southern young peanut farmer as the beneficiary.

One of those advising Barnes was former Gov. John Connally who really took the most recent election on the chin. Barnes supposedly had inherited both the Connally and Lyndon Johnson power banks in Texas.

The strength of Connally and Johnson had come from South Texas — the same place that really delivered votes to President-elect Jimmy Carter.

Barnes thought he had inherited that strength when he made his totally unsuccessful bid for governor in 1972. He was so confident that he made one bet — giving odds in excess of 100 to 1 — that he would carry every county south of San Antonio.

Of course, Barnes ran third, and in South Texas ran pourly behind both Gov. Dolph Briscoe and the liberal Sissy Farenthold.

Usually, the Sharpstown bank sandal which rocked state government that year is blamed for the defeat of Barnes.

But at least some of the blame by the Barnes' folk should be channeled to a 1966 helicopter trip Barnes took with Connally and then Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr. They flew to New Braunfels to meet a large group of farm workers who had marched 500 miles from the Rio Grande Valley to protest their treatment.

Being cut off in New Braunfels instead of being met on the State Capitol steps was taken as a personal insult by the marchers, and the South Texas vote getting ability of the three was never the same.

In fact, the only elections any of the three has won since then was Barnes for lieutenant governor in 1968 and 1970 with little opposition.

Gov. Briscoe's chief of appointments, George Lowrance, and Briscoe's top fund-raisers — Joe Kilgore and Charles Nash — are vacationing together in Red China.



TUTU MUCH — Shirley MacLaine, center in dark outfit, jokes with members of Les Ballets Trockadero de Monte Carlo in New York Friday during rehearsal for a CBS-TV special to be aired in January. The "Trocks" is an all-male classical ballet troupe that performs both male and female roles.

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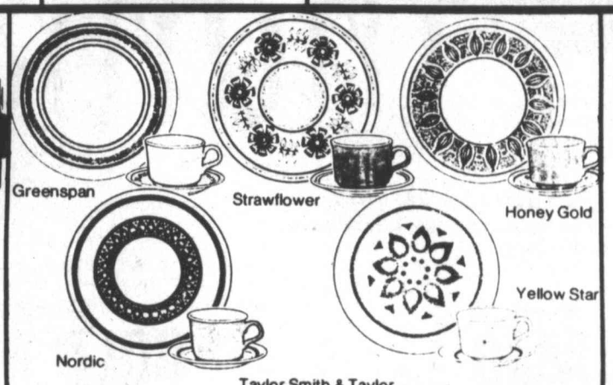
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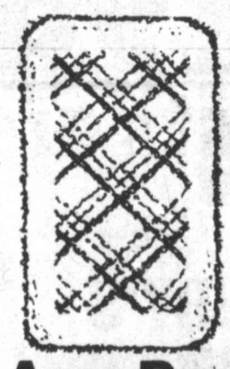
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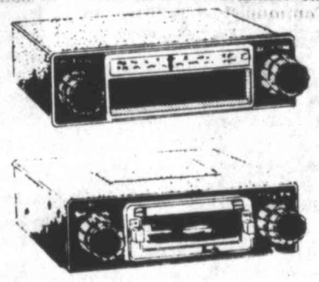
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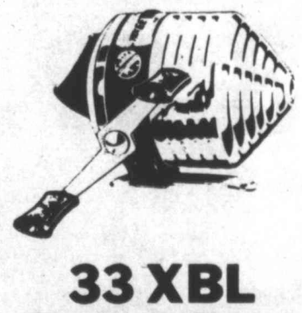
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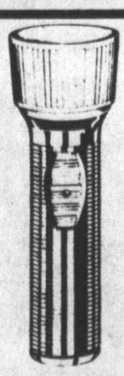


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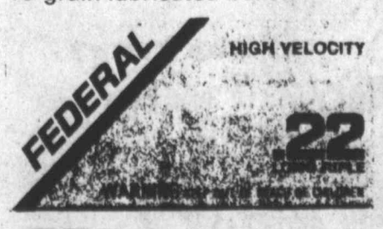


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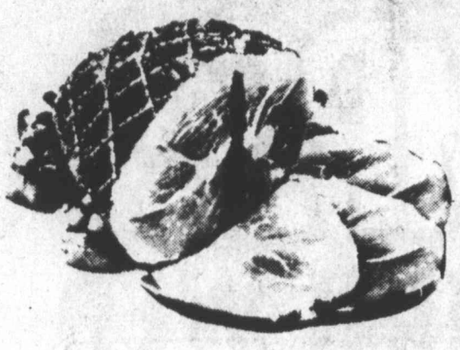
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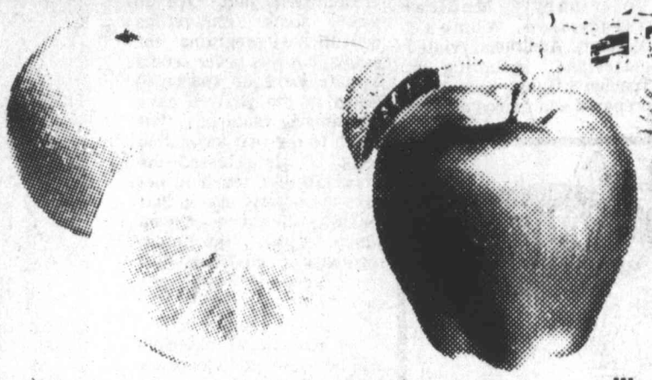
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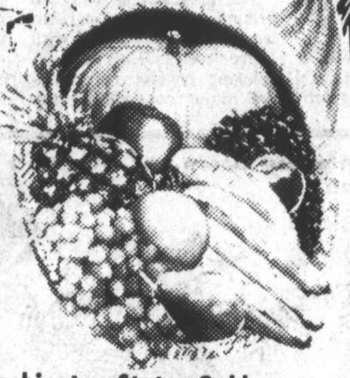
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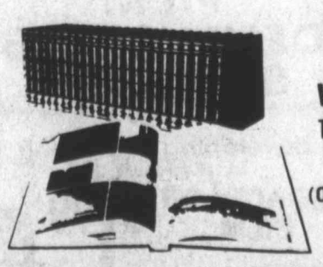
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If your children have a pet, or if you're thinking about getting a pet for your child, you'll be interested in a new program that has been developed by the Bureau of Veterinary Public Health of the Texas Department of Health Resources. The purpose of the program is to teach children how to care for their pets.

Dr. William Bilderback, director of the state's Zoonosis Control Program, explained that the pet care project is intended for children in the second grade. He said, "This is something we have never had the capability of doing, and it's something that most of us have dreamed about in the past, but now it's a reality."

The program is designed around a single classroom lesson, using a filmstrip with a pre-recorded narration. A coloring booklet reinforces the major concepts in the lesson, and each participating child receives a second booklet to take home.

The educational materials were developed by the Pet Food Institute, the trade association of pet food manufacturers, and by the Orange County (California) Veterinary Medical Association Women's Auxiliary. Additional printed materials, including a Teacher's Guide, have been prepared and reproduced by the Texas Dept. of Health Resources. A Spanish-language version of the filmstrip, phonograph record, and printed materials is being developed now and should be available next spring.

Bilderback said, "We do have some marvelous educational programs for adults, but this never seems to quite do the job, and we've failed in the past to have educational materials that reach to the real 'education point.' " He stressed the importance of teaching pet care at an early age so that children will have a base on which to build "the fundamentals of environmental responsibility and pet ownership."

The educational materials will be available to teachers through the twenty Regional Education Service Centers. In addition, the women's auxiliaries of the local veterinary medical associations in many communities will put on the program in the local schools. Also, a veterinarian in each of the ten Texas Public Health Regions will be available to present the program.

The content of the program stresses the importance of providing a suitable shelter for a pet, the pet's nutritional and grooming needs, and rudimentary pet training. The theme, "a pet is a very special friend," emphasizes the child's responsibility toward the pet.

Although most people regard pet care as a "common-sense matter," Bilderback pointed out that children don't know how to care for their pets unless they are taught. The problem is particularly acute in the cities, where pets can't fend for themselves and thus are entirely dependent on their owners for both physical and emotional needs. Veterinarians and public health officials see and hear about instances of pet abuse and mistreatment daily.

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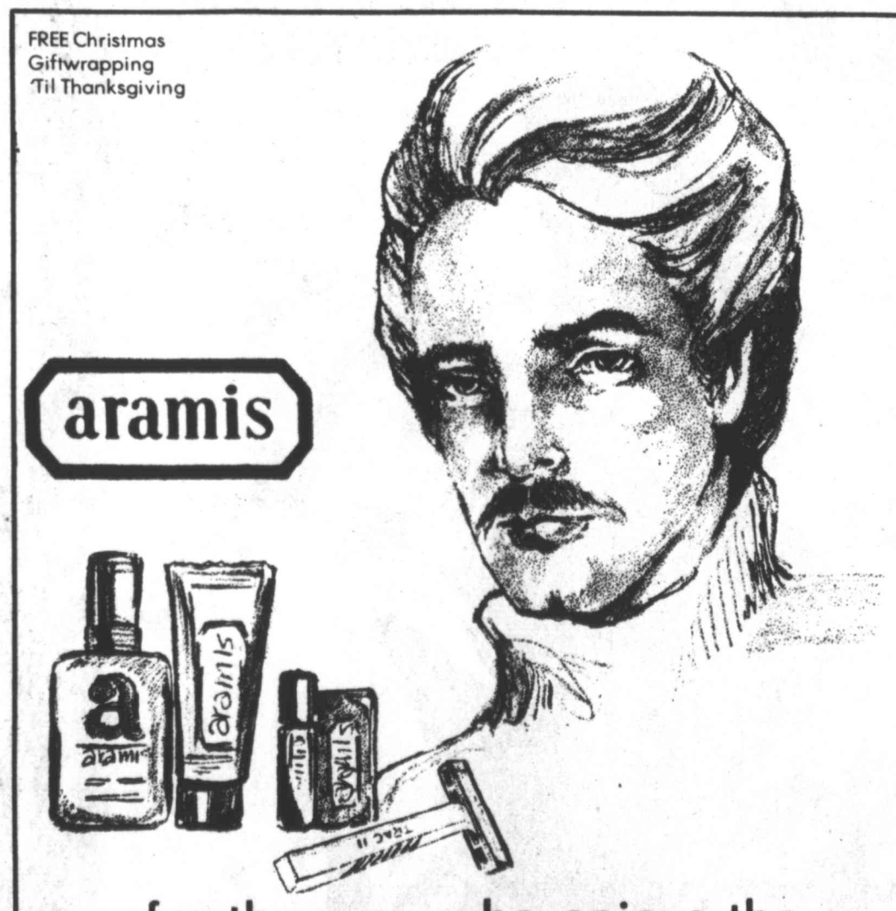
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2-5-1	Passes Comp., Attmp., Int.	3-17-2
1	Fumbles Lost	1
4-24.5	Punts, Avg.	7-30.4
8 for 80	Penalties, Yds.	3 for 35

By MARJ CARPENTER

The Forsan Buffaloes won the bi-district B-school championship here Friday night by handily shellacking the Balmorhea Bears 35-0.

The Buffs also had three touchdowns called back in the contest on a 92-yard scamper, a 50-yard jaunt and a 35-yard pass interception play.

Forsan now eyes a much tougher foe when they meet Groom, who wiped out Sundown 40-15 in a bi-district contest. The winner of that game will advance up the ladder to the state semi-finals and will play the winner of the Gorman-Italy game. Gorman defeated Rochester, and Italy beat Era in games Friday night. Those were the top four teams rated above Forsan.

The ratings this week may show Forsan third behind Gorman and Italy, if they follow the trend set up earlier in the season. Very early in the season, the rates failed to include Forsan at all, but Gorman, Rochester, Italy and Era have been up there since early in the year. Two of these teams have already been eliminated.

Officials from the Forsan schools were meeting Groom officials in Levelland Saturday to determine the site of the quarter-finals action.

Forsan, backed by a crowd of 3,000 fans that included a lot of Big Springers, never had any trouble in the ball game Friday night. Coach George White's charges dominated the game from the opening play.

They took the initial kickoff and six play later, John Medlin went 30 yards around end for a touchdown. Bobby Osburn kicked the extra point.

Most of the year, Forsan has run for two, but on Friday night, Osburn kicked two extra points and a 29-yard field goal.

The Buffs then kicked to the Bears who went seven yards on a run by Balti Dutchover, like they were really going somewhere. The next play, they went one yard, barely recovered a fumble on the third down and then saw Noberto Valerio desperately grab a bad snap from center to boot off a 21-yard punt.

Forsan took the ball on the 47 and methodically went down field on 14 carries, most of which were by Rusty Henderson, along with a couple by Ralph Miranda, quarterback. The Bears were busy watching Henderson and Miranda, and Gary Martin went in for the score from the two with 1:37 left before the first period was over. Osburn booted another one, making the lead 14-0.

Balmorhea kept the ball three downs and punted, this time to the 18. Nine plays later, Forsan had marched down the field on a 14-yard pass to Ron Roberson and eight plays on the ground and scord again, this time on an 11-yard keeper by Miranda. Osburn's kick went off to the left. The score at the half was 20-0 and the Bears had managed one first down.

A number of reserve backs went into the ballgame in the third period, highly unusual in a play-off game. Balmorhea was completely rattled by the front five on defense, with the quarterback probably still seeing A. J. Stanley in a nightmare as he bore down on him on almost every play.

Some of the Bears may be having nightmares about Tom Posey, Alan Hollandsworth, Hank Adams, Skip Koelzer and Don Roberson, as well. Darrin Crooks methodically centered the ball without mistake to Little-Brother-Angel as well as Ralph Miranda.

Calmly they put together another offense, this one ending with Henderson scoring from the 20. Randy Cregar tried for two and was cut off at the pass.

The Bears had the ball again and on the first play, Koelzer bounced the quarterback for a nine-yard loss. On the next play, Martin intercepted the football on the ten. The Bears held and Osburn went in and booted a 29-yard field goal to put the Buffs out front 29-0.

At this point, Forsan got snake bit. The three next touchdowns were called back. Henderson scampered 92 yards, kicking free from his last pursuer on the 22, and then got to walk back after an illegal procedure call.

Five plays later, Medlin intercepted a pass on the 50 and ran for a score, to see it called back on a roughness penalty. Seven plays later, Cregar went 35 yards for a score, called back on a clip.

Determined to get on the scoreboard in the final period, Big Hank Adams intercepted a pass eight plays later and went 70 yards for a touchdown.

His team was looking back for a flag and yelling, "No flag. No flag. Go." Hank had a score called back the previous week in the snowstorm at Snyder.

Osburn's kick was no good and the game ended with a 35-0 score. Reserves finished the ball game with ball carriers including Randy Reavis, Mouse Sewell and Angel Miranda.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

ON THEIR WAY UP — An extremely happy herd of victorious Forsan Buffaloes leave no doubt as to what their aspirations are . . . number one! The Buffs fed hungry Big Spring's Memorial Stadium with more partisan touchdowns than it's seen in years, demolishing the Balmorhea Bears 35-0 in the Class B bi-district play-off Friday night. Big Spring Chamber of Commerce representatives Jerry Phillips and John Arrick present Forsan Head Coach George White with a trophy commemorating the victory. Forsan meets Groom next week in the quarter-finals.

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SECTION B SECTION B



THROUGH the fieldglasses

By Danny Reagan

Shoot!

Looks like no cotton for the Red Raiders again this year. Houston's defense was just too much.

Darn!

Sure they accepted the bid to the Bluebonnet Bowl, but big deal, you can't even make a shirt out of bluebonnets. I don't think you can make anything out of bluebonnets.

Heck!

(Notice how I cleaned my act up, Lu?) The Raiders still have an outside chance of walking on cotton this year, but they would have to depend on Rice to help them by beating Houston.

But depending on Rice to beat Houston would be like depending on Marj Carpenter to not get the last word.

As I prophetically told Jimmy the Sneak Friday night after the heart-breaking Hawk loss, "I betcha Tech loses too . . . and probably the Cowboys as well." I doubt if Jimmy heard me above the chatter of the other passengers, but it didn't matter; an old nagging thought surfaced — whenever the Red Raiders beat UT, they become so thrilled they momentarily forget about the rest of the season, and if you recall, ever since they beat those nasty has-beens they haven't played worth a dip of snuff.

However, they still have the best season record in the conference, and I doubt if they will give up without a fight.

★★★

The All-District 5-4A volleyball team was announced Saturday after the Midland defeat to Arlington.

Big Spring's Rose Magers was one of the six unanimous selections to the pearl-studded team. And Becky Ragan and Eva Rich were also named to the elite 12.

Emily Boyd made Honorable Mention.

Big Spring and Midland dominated selections, with three members each on the squad.

★★★

The Forsan Buffaloes, breezing along in post-season play, will meet Groom at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Levelland.

Groom was runner-up to Big Sandy for state champ last year. Big Sandy is now in "A" class competition.

★★★

Through the sterling efforts of Big Spring CC's Jerry Phillips et al, Big Spring will be fortunate enough to have another play-off in Memorial Stadium.

The Class A regional contest between Seagraves and Hamlin will be held here Friday night at 7:30.

★★★

Quickly running down some area roundball action:

—In 7th grade girls action, Stanton defeated Coahoma 28-24 with Gayla Paige hitting 16 for CJH and B. Frances gathering 20 for SJH.

—8th grade girls, Coahoma 33, Stanton 19, with Karen Woolverton and Andrea Fowler scoring 18 and 12, respectively for Coahoma, while K. Pinkerton hit 12 for Stanton.

—8th grade boys, Stanton 57, Coahoma 24. L. Henry had 15 for SJH and Dennis Witte had 8 for CJH.

—The varsity boys game between Sands and Westbrook was called in the third quarter when Westbrook had only three players remaining. Sands won it 70-27 with Ronny Kennemer hitting 21 points to lead all scorers.

—Sands also won the varsity girls game 106-21, with Jill Floyd hitting 27, and Rene Roman scoring 24. Debbie Parker and Susan Martin each had 18 for Sands.

★★★

Dallas will play Atlanta at 1 o'clock, trying to keep their four-game winning streak alive, and also trying to disprove the Reagan "Longhorn reverse curse," (all my favorite teams losing at once).

★★★

Word has it that H. L. Eason, market manager for Safeway, has come up with the best deer of the season so far.

He took a fallow (solid white) 20 miles south of town with moose-like antlers longer than your arm.

★★★

Quote for the day: When Hawk reserve Eugene Williams came out wearing number 41 instead of his regular 44 jersey Friday night, Head Coach Harold Wilder asked him why.

"Because I couldn't find 44."

In Odessa Tournament

Hawks, Texans burn barn

By DANNY REAGAN
Sports Editor

ODESSA — The Howard College Hawks met the South Plains Texans in Friday night in the small oven that is the Odessa College gym. Both teams were undefeated and eager to meet the host team in the finals Saturday night.

The Hawks, clad in their new stark red uniforms, went into the second-round contest 5-0, and rated as toss-up contenders for the tourney crown with Odessa and the Texans.

For the second game in a row, the red and gray five had difficulty in starting at full speed. Paul Cathey and Lowell Walker paced the locals for the better part of the first half, with Cathey maintaining the precise position on both offensive and defensive boards, snatching the few Texan shots that bounded off the enemy rim, and tipping in errant teammate pot shots three consecutive times.

Walker, who failed to score a point in the opening round defeat of Temple, returned to his usual self, by helping Cathey out under the basket and pumping in the 15-foot jumpers. Walker wound up with 18 points and a dozen rebounds.

The cold snap caught up with the Hawks with seven minutes remaining in the first half, as they fell behind for the first time in the contest, 30-31.

But with the Hawk's domination of the boards, and the Texan's tendency to foul, that led to gratis buckets by Mike Little, Johnny James and Jim Ray, the Hawks led again 44-40 with just two minutes left before popcorn and cokes.

And then for some unknown reason, Hawk reserve Joe Cooper, (at 6'9", the tallest man in the tournament), went absolutely wild. After Mike Little tossed up a 30-footer that missed the mark, "Coop" went up for it, bounced off the ceiling and made a "Twilight Zone" tip in that brought everyone in the hothouse to their feet.



PAUL CATHEY
24 points



JOE COOPER
12 rebounds



MIKE LITTLE
8 steals

Cooper's bionic antics must have inspired teammate Little because the latter stole the ball and put up a deadly missle from 30 feet. Equally inspired, Paul Cathey then stole the ball again, passed it to Reggie Leffall who in turn fed it to Cooper who in turn stuffed the ball with two hands from the clouds with such force that the rim almost bent double.

Cathey then took a carom from the defensive boards and passed the length of the court to Cooper again who, not wanting to seem overly dramatic, merely layed the ball in the basket this time. After the smoke and bucket dust cleared, the Hawks had themselves a 52-42 half-time lead.

It took the Hawks 18 minutes to warm up, but once they let go with the after burners, they blew South Plains right into the locker room. Fouls also hurt the Texans. At intermission, they had 17, compared to the Hawks seven.

The Texans, obviously impressed with the Hawks wild-eyed riot just before the half, made some adjustments and came out the second going with a full court press.

Harold Wilder's bunch weren't too bothered with the change at first, but became a little nervous as the Texans adopted the Hawks' own brand of running and gunning.

And when the Preybirds hit a cold spell with four minutes gone in the half, the Texans pulled to within three at 62-59. But this only seemed to warm the blood of the Hawks as Cathey, Walker and Leffall pumped in bucket after bucket to make it 70-61 in just three more minutes.

Cathey, who finished with Hawk top honors and 24 points, hit six out of seven from the field in the early going of the second half to keep the Hawks healthy.

But the Hawks froze up again at the beginning of the fourth quarter, and coupled with the unerring accuracy of Texan Daniel Rucker (who finished with 32 points), and his teammates, the Hawks edge had dwindled to three again at 72-69.

South Plains continued to hit most of their shots, and even began to beat the Hawks on the boards for the first time. With 5:40 remaining, SP knotted the score, 83-83, and 29 seconds later they went ahead for the second time 83-85.

Free throws and running kept the Hawks close, coupled with the fact that the Texans never had benefit of the one and one during the second half. The Hawks fell behind even further at 87-91 with just 1:42 remaining. But Jim Ray and Paul Cathey hit free throws to tie the score again with 49 ticks remaining. SP hit again with :29 left to go ahead by two, and Mike Little raced down the court to throw up a 20-foot bell-ringer with 12 seconds left to tie the score again.

With time running out, the Texans called on their sharp-shooter Rucker, and between the time the scoreboard clock went from :01 to :00, he threw up a desperation duck from the corner. It fell in, and the Hawks had lost their first game of the season 95-97.

HOWARD COLLEGE HAWKS
Cathey — 11-2-24; Walker — 9-0-18; Little — 5-6-16; Leffall — 4-2-10; Williams — 4-2-10; Cooper — 3-2-8; Ray — 2-3-7; James — 0-2-2; TEAM — 38-19-95.

Ranger arrest Hawks 121-103

ODESSA — Inconsistency and a breakdown on defense spelled defeat for the Howard College Hawks Saturday night as they lost their second game of the season 121-103 to a fired-up Ranger Junior College squad.

Freshmen reserves Eugene Williams and Jim Ray performed well, according to Head Coach Harold Wilder, but superb hitting by Ranger had the Hawks in trouble early.

HC — Cathey 6-0-12; Walker 7-0-4; Leffall 9-0-18; Little 6-9-21; Meyers 2-0-4; Williams 9-4-22; Cooper 3-0-6; James 1-0-2; Ray 2-6-10; Crooks 1-2-4.

Plainview nips Steers 52-49

PLAINVIEW — The BSHS roundballers missed a shot with six seconds left and went down to defeat 52-49 in their contest with Plainview Saturday night.

Plainview had a 50-49 lead with just one second left when a foul added the extra two points for the Bulldogs.

Bubba Stripling and Casey Wilder led the locals with 12 and eight points respectively. The Steers, who beat Plainview three times last year, led twice in the contest, but couldn't overcome a sloppy first half.

The junior varsity lost their game in overtime 70-68, and the sophomores won theirs 55-41.

Red cotton boll picked

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP)— Brash sophomore quarterback Danny Davis ignited Houston with two second quarter touchdowns Saturday and the 9th-ranked Cougars ambushed previously undefeated and 5th-ranked Texas Tech, 27-19, to climb into a Southwest Conference tie with the Red Raiders.

Houston, picked to finish 6th in the SWC preseason polls, can storm into the Cotton Bowl as the host team against Maryland by defeating Rice next Saturday.

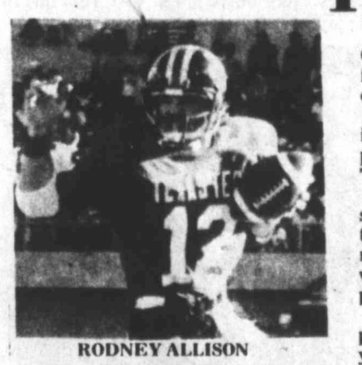
Both Tech and Houston are 5-1 in SWC play. The Cougars are 7-2 overall and Texas Tech is 8-1.

The Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl was on hand to extend an invitation to the losing Red Raiders to play in its New Year's eve classic.

The loss dealt a severe blow to the Red Raiders, enjoying their finest season since 1938.

The Red Raiders have yet to win an SWC title in 16 years of trying andstill must play Arkansas and Baylor and hope for help from lowly Rice.

Tech junior quarterback Rodney Allison led the Red Raiders on a pulsating fourth quarter come-from-behind attempt as he nailed Billy Taylor with a 16-yard touchdown pass. The final Red Raider gasp came with less than a minute to play when Allison whipped the Red Raiders to the Cougar 10-yard line where



RODNEY ALLISON
20 of 31 passes

defensive back Elvis Bradley made a game-saving interception.

Davis, son of a preacher, was the calmest player in Jones Stadium as the partisan 45,102 fans roared approval of an early safety when linebacker Mike Mock trapped Davis in the end zone.

But the strong-armed Davis drove the Cougars 81 yards in 12 plays in the regionally televised game climaxed by Dyral Thomas' one-yard touchdown run. A 26-yard pass from Davis to Don Bass was the big play in the drive.

Then Tech came unravelled with penalties, poor tackles and bad judgement as the Cougars went for the jugular in a 17-point second period explosion.

After Brian Hall kicked a 37-yard field goal to bring Tech to 7-5, Davis found Rickey Maddox behind cornerback Eric Fulton and delivered a 39-yard touchdown pass.

On the ensuing kickoff, Brian Nelson tried to run the ball deep from his end zone instead of downing it. The Cougars took advantage of the resulting field position for Leonard Coplin's 39-yard field goal.

A costly interference penalty put the Cougars in business at the Tech 7-yard line after a 23-yard punt by David Kuykendall. Davis flipped a 7-yard scoring pass to tight end Eddie Foster to make 24-5 at halftime.

The Red Raiders drove to the Cougar five-yard line and twice to the four-yard line in the second half, but could not get into the end zone.

Defensive end Richard Arledge intercepted a Davis pass with 6:37 to play and returned it seven yards for Tech's other touchdown.

Houston's defense held the high-scoring Red Raiders to only 50 yards total offense in the first half and a minus two yards in the second period when the Cougars put most of their points on the board.

The game Allison completed 20 of 31 passes fr 327 yards, including 284 yards in the second half.

	Houston	TexTech
First downs	20	22
Rushes-yards	58-227	42-74
Passing yards	159	327
Return yards	12	16
Passes	9-13-1	20-33-1
Punts	4-41	7-39
Fumbles-lost	4-3	2-1
Penalties-yards	4-43	4-41

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING—Houston, Blackwell 17-103, Housman 8-43; Tech, Allison 19-41, Isaac 10-21.

RECEIVING—Houston, Laverne 3-42, Bass 3-55; Tech, Isaac 6-59, S. Williams 4-78.

PASSING—Houston, Davis 9-13-1,159 yards; Tech, Allison 20-31-1, 327.

Tech to Bluebonnet

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — The Texas Tech Red Raiders voted Saturday to play in the Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl New Year's Eve if they do not go to the Cotton Bowl.

..The Red Raiders voted on an invitation from the Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl immediately after the 27-19 Southwest Conference loss to Houston which put the Cougars in the driver's seat for the Cotton Bowl.

..Houston can clinch a Cotton Bowl invitation by defeating Rice next Saturday while Tech still must play Arkansas and Baylor.

Title up for grabs

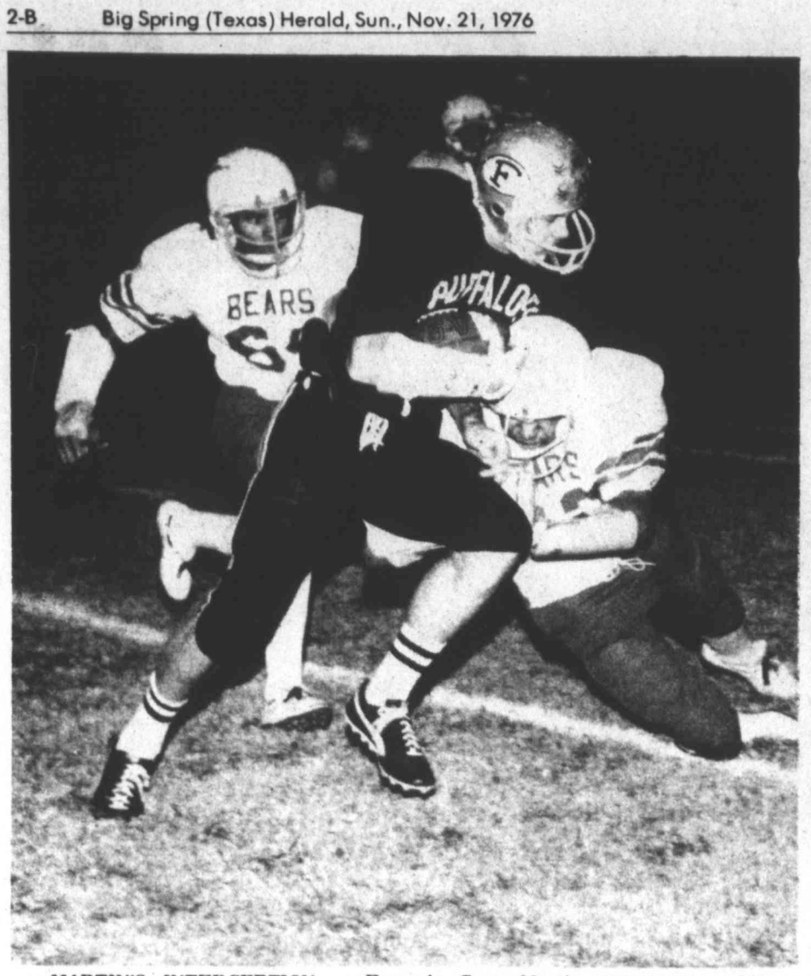
..LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — If the Houston Cougars beat Rice next Saturday and Texas Tech loses or ties one of its last two games, the Cougars will win the Southwest Conference football championship outright.

..Houston's 27-19 SWC victory over Tech Saturday puts the Cougars in the driver's seat to go to the Cotton Bowl.

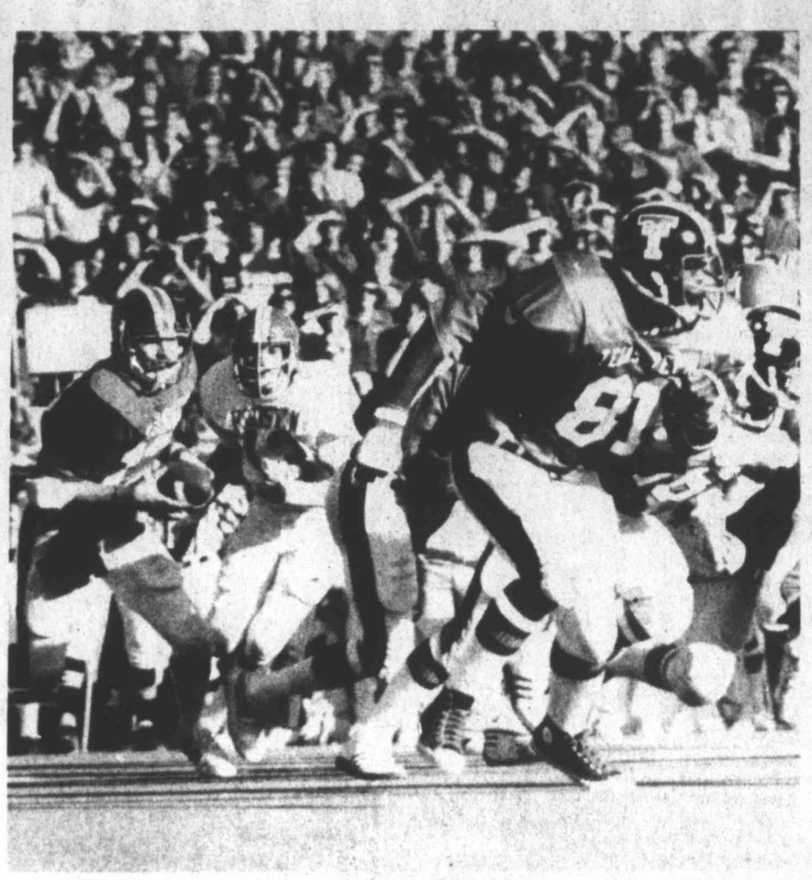
..Tech can still win the SWC title if it is victorious in its last two games and Rice beats Houston.

..Arkansas could still win the SWC title outright if it wins its last two games and Tech and Houston each lose one more.

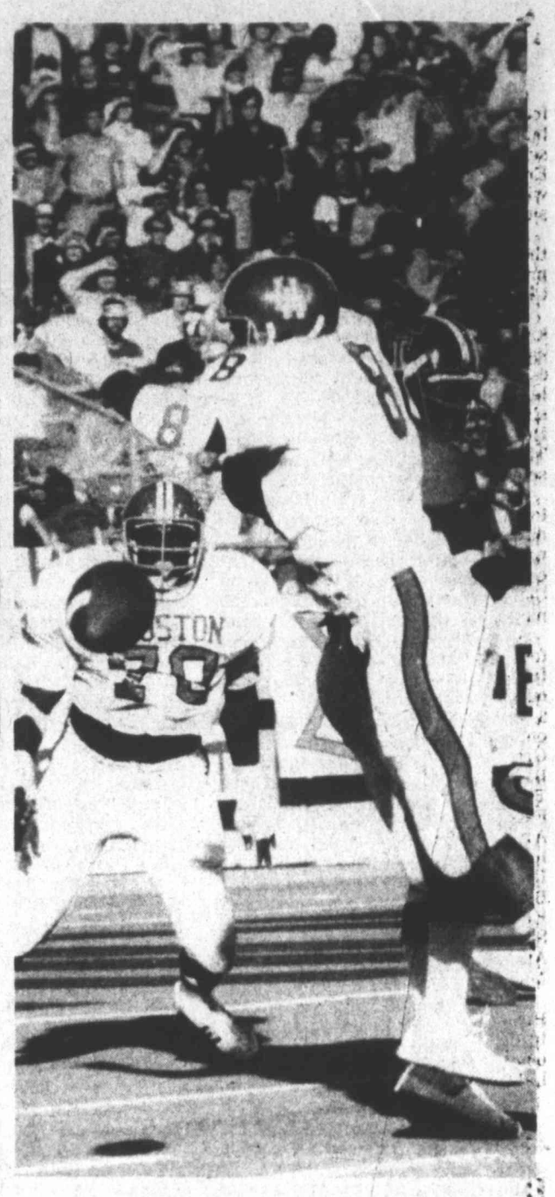
..Also, all three could wind up in ties. Texas A&M, which has two losses in SWC play, can be a co-champion, but cannot go to the Cotton Bowl.



MARTIN'S INTERCEPTION — Forsan's Gary Martin (21) is stopped by Balmorhea's Balti Dutchover (32) and Joe Mendoza (64) after he picked off a Bear aerial at the 10-yard line. The interception helped set up Forsan's second touchdown of the night in their 35-0 victory over the bi-district rivals.



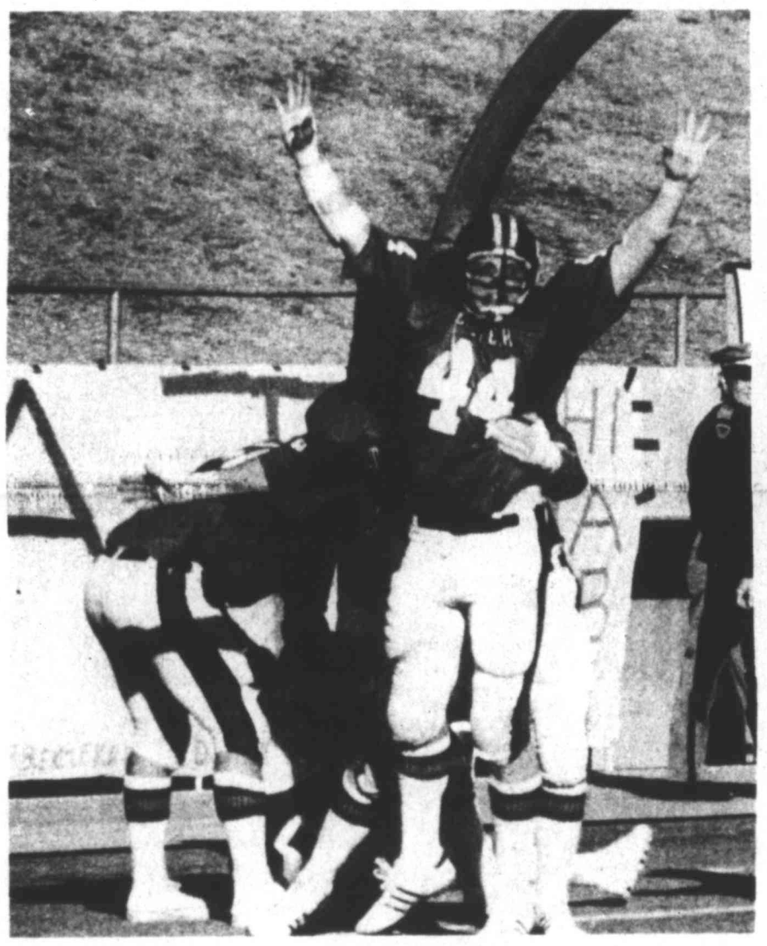
ALLISON DROPS BACK — Tech quarterback Rodney Allison, left with the ball, drops back for a second half pass with teammate Sylvester Brown (81) provides protection. Allison completed 20 of 31 passes for 327 yards, 284 of them in the second half, but was intercepted in the last minute of play on the Houston two-yard line to end a Tech tying scoring threat.



BLOCKED PASS — Houston defensive end Guy Brown (8) blocks a Rodney Allison pass in first half action of Saturday's SWC shoot-out. Teammate Bobby Orr (70) stands by unneeded. The Houston defense stymied Allison in the first half of Houston's 27-19 victory.

Valdes' football weekend

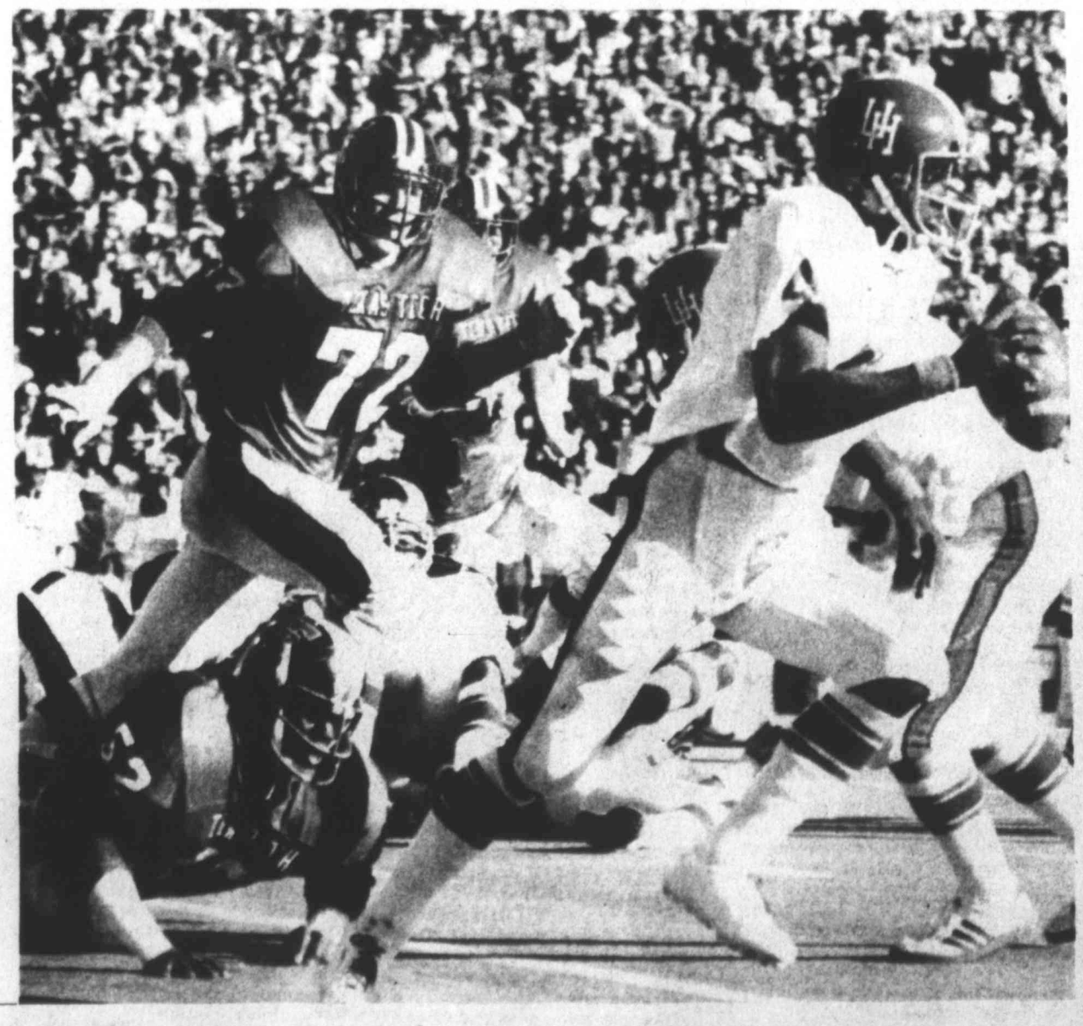
Photos by Danny Valdes



TECH SAFETY — On the second Houston possession of the game, razzle-dazzle Cougar quarterback Danny Davis dropped back into his own end-zone and was tackled by three Tech defensive players. Here, Mick Mock, (44), first one to Davis shows his elation about the two-point play.



MIRANDA CHA CHA'S — Forsan play-maker Ralph Miranda (12) skirts around right end, faking out Balmorhea's Albert Matta (12) in the process. Miranda picked up good yardage on the run, and led his undefeated team to a regional match-up against Groom.



DAVIS RAMBLES — Houston quarterback Danny Davis (4) runs for one of his many long gainers during first half action in the 27-19 victory over Texas Tech. Davis led his team to 17 second period points to provide the margin of defeat for the visitors, while the Cougar defense held the Red Raiders three consecutive times within the Houston 10 yard line without a score.

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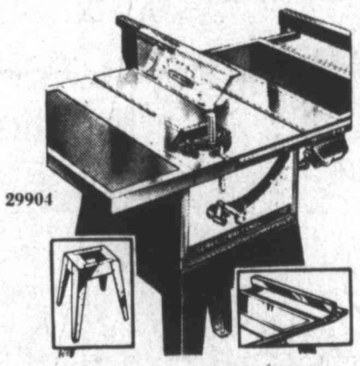


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Schoolboy kingpin action

By the Associated Press

All five top-ranked teams fought tough battles in the bidistrict round of the Texas schoolboy football playoffs Friday — and one of them will be watching from the sidelines next weekend.

Aledo, which has been atop the Class A poll since preseason, was upset 13-7 by Clifton.

Meanwhile, Class 4A kingpin Houston Kashmere squeezed past Houston Furr 6-3 and season-long Class 3A leader Beaumont Hebert slipped by Humble 15-13. Humble was rated fourth in The Associated Press' final schoolboy poll last week.

No. 1 played No. 2 in the top Class 2A and Class B bidistrict clashes, with first-rated Bowie of Class 2A edging Comanche 14-7 and Class B leader Gorman nipping Rochester 11-6.

A key Class 4A battle was fought in Texas Stadium as fifth-ranked Sherman outlasted No. 2 Longview 10-3. Third-ranked defending 4A champion Port Neches-Groves outscored No. 9 Baytown Lee 35-21, No. 4 Temple slugged Cypress-Fairbanks 21-7 and No. 8 San Antonio Churchill manhandled San Antonio Highlands 46-0. No. 7 Brazoswood and 10th-rated Euless Trinity played Saturday games against Austin Anderson and Midland Lee, respectively.

Besides the Hebert-Humble tussle in Class 3A, third-ranked Brownwood ousted No. 5 San Angelo Lake View 14-7, No. 2 Gainesville shut out Grapevine 14-0, unranked New Braunfels slapped No. 6 Dickinson 34-20, eighth-ranked Gregory-Portland branded Raymondville 20-2 and No. 9 Longview Pine Tree outscored Mount Pleasant 33-28. Seventh-ranked Perryton and No. 10 Monahans played Saturday night at Lubbock.

Class 2A bi-district games involving Top Ten teams saw No. 3 Childress nudge Stratford 16-14, No. 4 Ozona scale Alpine 24-7, No. 5 Rockdale edge Llano 10-9, No. 7 DeKalb crush No. 8 Commerce 21-6, Newton surprise No. 9 Anahuac 15-13 and 10th-ranked West mash Teague 35-0.

The second-ranked team in Class A, Groveton, joined No. 1 Aledo in first-round defeat — losing to Mart 17-8. Third-ranked Seagraves bushwacked No. 8 Rankin 36-8, No. 4 Barbers Hill tied Brookshire Royal 10-10 and advanced to the regional playoffs with a 4-2 advantage in penetrations, Shelbyville toppled No. 5 Tatum 12-7 and Overton smashed No. 6 Ore City 24-7.

While No. 1 Gorman edged No. 2 Rochester in Class B, third-ranked Italy was beating No. 4 Era 8-3. Fifth-ranked Forsan and No. 7 Ben Bolt had no trouble with Balmorhea and Runge, winning 35-0 and 40-0, respectively. But unranked Anna ousted eighth-ranked Union Hill 27-12.

Aggies ride off into the sunset

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — Burly George Woodard staked 11th-ranked Texas A&M to an early lead with three first half touchdowns as the Aggies romped over Texas Christian, 59-10 Saturday and then accepted a berth in the Sun Bowl Jan. 2 at El Paso.

Woodard, who became the second Aggie runner to surpass 1,000 yards rushing in a season, scored touchdowns on runs of 3, 13, and 1 yards as the Aggies rolled up a 35-3 halftime lead over the Frogs, who lost for the 30th time in 31 games.

Sun Bowl officials invited the Aggies moments after the game in the Aggie dressing room.

The Aggies, who won their fifth straight game and improved their record to 8-2, scored on five of their first six possessions and the second unit finished the first half.

Woodard, who finished the game with 102 yards rushing on 10 carries, got his first touchdown on a six-yard run with 10:32 left in the first quarter.

TCU's only points came moments later on Ruben Ray's 23-yard field goal. The kick was set up when TCU's Cameron Young lined up to punt andinstead threw a 33-yard pass to Ricky Wright to the A&M three.

Woodard then added two more touchdowns, freshman Curtis Dickey hit split end Mike Floyd with a 33-yard halfback pass for a touchdown and freshman David Brothers ran four yards for a score to put the game out of reach.

TCU	3	0	0	7—10
Tex A&M	14	21	10	14—59

A&M—Woodard 6 run (Franklin kick)
TCU—FG Ray 43
A&M—Woodard 13 run (Franklin kick)
A&M—Woodard 1 run (Franklin kick)
A&M—Floyd 30 pass from Dickey (Franklin kick)
A&M—rothers 4 run (Franklin kick)
A&M—FG Franklin 54
A&M—Smith 53 run (Franklin kick)
A&M—Armstrong 10 run (Franklin kick)
TCU—Bayuk 1 run (Ray kick)
A&M—Smith 90 run (Franklin kick)
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TCU	Tex	A&M
First downs	15	23
Rushes-yards	33-89	61-518
Passing yards	163	69
Return yards	0	28
Passes	17-43-3	5-10-0
Punts	10-43	5-34
Fumbles-lost	0-2	1-2
Penalties-yards	12-107	8-86

Air Force strafes Wyoming Cowboys

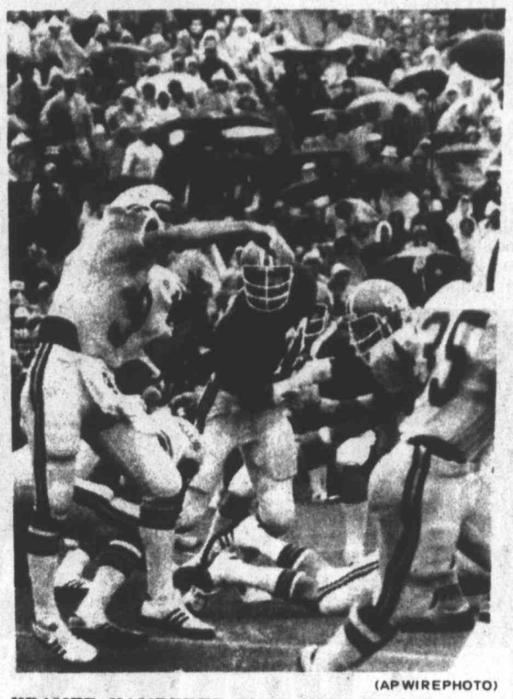
AIR FORCE ACADEMY, Colo. (AP) — Freshman quarterback Dave Ziebart, directing a wide open Air Force attack, threw for 339 yards and three touchdowns, and freshman fullback David Thomas ran for three more scores as the Falcons upset Fiesta Bowl-bound Wyoming 41-21 Saturday in a regular season colege football finale.

With Ziebart completing his first five passes for long gains, Air Force stung the Cowboys with scores on its first three possessions. One of the TDs came on a school record 89-yard aerial to split end Paul Williams.

After a second quarter Wyoming fumble at the Cowboys 34-yard line, Thomas pounded over for his third touchdown of the half and a 27-0 lead.

Wyoming couldn't recover from that onslaught, although the Cowboys managed to pull within 34-21 midway through the third quarter after fullback Robbie Wright had scored his third touchdown.

Ziebart completed the rout in the final period, driving the Falcons 76 yards in 18 plays and hitting tailback Ken Wood on a 6-yard scoring toss.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

KRAMER HAMPERED BY RAIN — Football fans huddle under umbrellas as they watch Rice quarterback, Tommy Kramer (9), unload a pass over the heads of Florida defenders. The almost constant rain spoiled Kramer's chances of his usual aerial display as Florida rolled over the Owls from Rice 50-22 here Saturday.

Hogs get nod for roundball bacon

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — With three starters back from last year, Arkansas looks to make it touch on repeaters in this winter's Southwest Conference basketball race, according to SWC sports writers.

Arkansas is a solid favorite for the SWC championship in the annual poll of sports writers as conducted by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

Arkansas was the No. 1 choice on 12 of 17 ballots and was listed below second on only one ballot.

On the basis of nine points for first, eight for second, and on through one for ninth, the Razorbacks polled 147 points, to 134 for Houston, 122 for Baylor, 106 for Texas Tech, 76 for SMU, 64 for Texas, 53 for Texas A&M, 42 for TCU and 21 for Rice.

Houston with three first-place votes and Baylor with two were the only other schools receiving title consideration.

Arkansas, which compiled a 19-9 record last year, returns three regulars, 6-4 Junior Ron Brewer, 6-4 Junior Marvin Delph, and 6-4 sophomore Sidney Moncrief, who led the league in percentage shooting at 68.7 per cent.

The poll of sports writers who regularly cover the SWC felt graduation had severely cut into the potential of the league's two "winners." A&M won the season championship but Tech won the post-season tournament, the first for the SWC.

A year ago, Tech was picked to win the conference but finished second.

Owls feed UF Gators 50-22

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Florida regained its potent offense Saturday under the sharp quarterbacking of Jimmy Fisher, who ran for two touchdowns, to thorougly whip the Rice Owls 50-22.

The Gators shook off the frustration of defeats the past two weeks that cost them the Southeastern Conference championship and ran their season record of 7-3 with hopes of a bowl invitation.

Fisher ran four yards for one touchdown and nine yards for another.

Bears smoke horns

WACO, Tex. (AP) — Quarterback Mark Jackson scored one touchdown and passed for another Saturday and the Baylor defense strangled once-proud Texas as the Bears claimed a 20-10 Southwest Confernce football victory.

Jackson escaped Texas defenders all afternoon to keep Baylor in control of the game. The once-fearsome Texas running game was rendered impotent by a swarming Baylor defense.

The Longhorns played without star fullback Earl Campbell, but Baylor was without their starting tailback Cleveland Franklin.

Texas moved the ball only through the air on long passes by freshman quarterback Mark McBath, but the drives fizzled for lack of any consistency.

Texas' only touchdown came on a 68-yard punt return by Raymond Clayborn with just over one minute left in the game.

Texas claimed an early 3-0 lead on Russell Erxleben's 24-yard field goal in the first quarter, but Baylor struck back quickly when tight end Ron Lee scored on a six-yard pass from Jackson to cap a 51-yard drive.

After Baylor recovered a Texas fumble at the Longhorn 15-yard line early in the third quarter, Jackson ran in standing up for a touchdown from the seven.

Lester Belrose added field goals of 23 and 20 yards in the fourth period to wind up the scoring.

The victory gave Baylor a 6-2-1 season record and a 3-2-1 conference mark. Texas fell to 4-4-1 overall and 3-3 in SWC play.

The Baylor defense sacked McBath several times as the freshman attempted to get off passes. Once, after Texas had moved to the Baylor six, mostly through the air, McBath was dropped for a nine-yard loss and then was intercepted in the end zone by Baylor to wipe out the scoring opportunity.

Texas	3	0	0	7—10
Baylor	0	7	7	6—20

Tex—FG Erxleben 24
Bay—Lee 6 pass from M. Jackson (Belrose kick)
Bay—M. Jackson 7 run (Belrose kick)
Bay—FG Belrose 23
Bay—FG Belrose 20
Tex—Clayborn 68 punt return (Erxleben kick)
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Texas		Baylor
First downs	7	18
Rushes-yards	37-14	63-198
Passing yards	138	94
Return yards	65	45
Passes	4-6-1	7-17-1
Punts	7-50	6-42
Fumbles-lost	4-2	2-1
Penalties-yards	5-45	10-90

Trojans see roses. . . .

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Safetyman Dennis Thurman raced 47 yards to score with a recovered fumble before his University of Southern California offense came to life Saturday as the Trojans won their way to the Rose Bowl by whipping UCLA 24-14.

The triumph over the slightly favored Bruins, who rallied for two late touchdowns, gave USC the Pac-8 football title plus the date with Big Ten champion Michigan at Pasadena on New Year's Day.

Powerful halfback Ricky Bell gained 167 yards on 36 carries as the third-ranked Trojans whipped the No. 2 and previously unbeaten Bruins. Pittsburgh, idle Saturday, is No. 1.

In the defensive struggle of the first half, it was the 170-pound Thurman, a junior from nearby Santa Monica, who spelled the difference.

When UCLA's Theotis Brown let the ball squirt away after a seven-yard run, Thurman grabbed it out of the air and raced for the score.

In the second half, the Trojan offense came alive with Bell showing the way. First Glen Walker booted a 42-yard field goal, then Bell scored from the one and quarterback Vince Evans raced 36 yards on a touchdown scramble when he couldn't find a pass receiver.

UCLA failed to mount a sustained drive and didn't get a first down in the second half until 6:16 remained in the game. The Bruins scored with 3:59 left on a nine-yard run by Brown and with 2:56 left on Jeff Dankworth's one-yard dive.

UCLA finished its regular season, the first under 32-yearold coach Terry Donahue, with a 9-1-1 record. USC, loser to Missouri in its opener, is 9-1 with a date next week against Notre Dame.

A full house of 90,519 plus a television audience that included most of the nation, watched Coach John Robinson win the title in his first season after succeeding John McKay for the Trojans.

Terps in the Cotton Bowl

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — Maryland's Terps — led on offense by freshman George Scott — cappped an unbeaten and untied football season with a 28-0 romp Saturday over over Virginia's Cavaliers, then accepted an invitation to play in the Cotton Bowl on New Year's Day.

The Terps, paired with Georgia for sixth place in the latest national rankings, will put a 15-game winning streak — including 11 this year — on the line against the Southwest Conference champion.

. . so do the Wolverines!

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Russell Davis knifed across for a pair of three-yard touchdown runs in the third period as fourth-ranked Michigan ended four years of frustration and won its way to the Rose Bowl with a 22-0 victory over archrival Ohio State Saturday.

The triumph lifted the Wolverines into a share of the Big Ten football championship with eighth-ranked Ohio State. Although both teams finished with 7-1 conference records, Michigan earned its first trip to Pasadena in five seasons by taking the showdown it had to win.

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DALLAS COWBOYS

COWBOYS FACT SHEET

THIS WEEK — The Dallas Cowboys (9-1) visit the Atlanta Falcons (3-7) Sunday at Atlanta Stadium.

COWBOYS-FALCONS SERIES — The Teams have met five times with the Cowboys winning them all. The last meeting was in 1974 in Atlanta with Dallas prevailing, 24-0.

KICKOFF — 1 p.m. (noon Dallas time) at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium. Crowd estimate: A sellout of the 58,850 seats was near late Monday.

THE COACHES — Tom Landry and the Cowboys enjoyed their first 9-1 mark ever after the 17-10 win over Buffalo. Landry is the sixth winningest coach in NFL history with a 135-91-6 log. In the past 11 years, since the Cowboys first had a winning season in 1966, Landry is 109-38-2.

Pat Peppler took the Falcon's helm Oct. 11 and is 2-3. The Falcons upset a tough San Francisco team this past Sunday, 21-16.

HOW IT SHAPES UP — The Cowboys offense will have a new look for the Falcons Sunday.

"I will go back to the guard shuttle (for sending in plays) and put Preston Pearson and Scott Laidlaw in as our starting backfield. They will stay in the ball game. We are trying to get something moving and this is not discrediting any of our backs who have been working in there. I just believe there comes a time when we have to put two backs out there and let them work together and spend their time on the field instead of moving in and out with the plays."

Landry lauded Doug Dennison as one of the team's most consistent backs but said that Pearson, who was the catalyst last season, "is coming back, running better and catching the ball. He's doing all the things he needs to do and I feel he should be back in the lineup.

"Of course Robert Newhouse is hurt (he and Golden Richards had a preliminary listing of "questionable" for the Atlanta game) and can't be in there strong anyway."

Landry said that rookie Butch Johnson would move to a back-up position behind split end Golden Richards as well as behind flanker Drew Pearson. Landry noted that Johnson was an experienced (in college) receiver while Beasley Reece was drafted as a defensive back and was converted to receiving as a pro.

"Johnson is a natural receiver and we want to see him play some. He will move in there for Golden assuming Golden isn't ready to play Sunday."

Burton Lawless and Herb Scott will shuttle at guard, carrying plays.

Landry pointed out that the one thing consistent last year was Newhouse, who came close to 1000 yards. But with Newhouse ailing since pre-season, the offense and the running game have suffered.

He said that four weeks ago everyone was concerned about the Dallas defense but now he feels it is equal to any in the league, close to what Pittsburgh is doing.

"I have confidence we will straighten out the offense," Landry said. "Our offense has the same ability to come along as the defense. They've been around too long not to be able to come out of this."

The coach said he felt his team was not flat against Buffalo as it was against New York the prior game. "Our defense and kicking game were good. We just didn't solve all that blitzing and those unusual defenses they threw at us the way we should have . . . offensively."

Landry said he hopes the Falcons' upset of San Francisco has alerted his Cowboys. "They still have some of those old hands who are great football players. The difference in a team with a good record and one with a bad record in this league is a step. If you don't take that step, then you are going to get beat."

NEXT WEEK — The third game in 11 days for the Cowboys may be by far the most important . . . or decisive . . . as they host the St. Louis Cardinals at Texas Stadium on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day.

Scorecard

Bowling

TUESDAY COUPLES

WEEKLY RESULTS — Shive's Gin Co. over Rob & Son's Sheet Metal 8-0; Graham's Office Machines over Hester's Supply 8-0; Fashion Cleaners over Academy of Hair Design 8-0; Dryer Music over Desert Sands 6-2; Standard Sales over Gibbs & Weeks 6-2; Budweiser over Leon's Pump Service 6-2; Fina No. 4 over Lame Brains 6-2; R & R Theatres postponed Johnson Contruction.

High scratch game (man) — Alton Fields 226; (Woman) — Inez Bearden 182; High scratch series (Man) 18 Travis Reid 623; (Woman) — Nita Moser 502; High handicap game (Man) — Alton Fields 259; (Woman — Vicki Booth 226; High handicap series (Man) — Travis Reid 680; (Woman) — Cathy Buchanan 593; High scratch team game — Standard Sales 715; (Handicap) — Standard Sales 891; High Scratch team series — Fashion Cleaners 2065; (Handicap) — Fashion Cleaners 2446.

STANDINGS

Leon's Pump Service (PP) 56 - 24; Johnson Construction (PP) 54 - 26; Fashion Cleaners 58 - 30; Shive's Gin Co. 55 - 33; Academy of Hair Design 49 - 39; Budweiser (PP) 42 - 38; Lame Brains 46 - 42; R & R Theatres (PP) 39 - 41; Graham's Office Machines 42-46; Standard Sales 40 - 48; Hester's Supply (PP(3½3½ + 1½½; Dryer Music 38 - 50; Gibbs & Weeks 35 - 53; Fina No. 4 32 - 56; Desert Sands (PP) 28 - 52; Rob & Son's Sheet Metal 30 - 58.

INDUSTRIAL

WEEKLY RESULTS — Texas Electric Service Co. over Phillips Tire Co. 8-0; Gibson's over Price Const. Co. 8-0; Pabst over Albert's Upholstery 6-2; F.O.W.s over Bob Brock Ford 6-2; State National Bank over Campbell Concrete 6-2; Coffman Roofing over gr.B.C. Const. 6-2; Coors over Bernie's Welding 6-2; Cabot tied Brown's Service Center 4-4.

High scratch game (Man) — Chester Coffman 234; High Scratch series (Man) — J. C. Self 624; High handicap game (Man — B. A. Brunson 261; High handicap series (Man — Fred Blaack 667; High scratch team game — State National Bank 952; (Handicap) — Coffman Roofing 1059; High scratch team series — State National Bank 2691; (Handicap) — Coffman Roofing 3008.

STANDINGS

State National Bank 67 - 29; Coors 64 - 32; Brown's Service Center 60 - 36; Coffman Roofing 60 - 36; Texas Electric Service Co. 60 - 36; Price Const. Co. 54 - 42; Campbell Concrete 53 - 43; Bernie's Welding 53 - 43; Cabot 44 - 52; R.B.C. Const. 42 - 54; Albert's Upholstery 41 - 55; Bob Brock Ford 40 - 56; F.O.W.s 40 - 56; Pabst 40 - 56; Gibson's 30 - 66; Phillips Tire Co. 20 - 76.

BOWLER OF THE WEEK

Bowl-A-Rama — Jim Gregg Jr., Handicap & Richard Szczawinski, Scratch.

Webb Lanes — No bowlers.

FUN POURSOME

WEEKLY RESULTS — The 4Hs over Team No. 8 8-0; Western Mattress over Harding Well Service 8-0; Coahoma Kitchen over Good Housekeeping 8-0; Lost Cause over Frank Hagen TV 8-0; Miller Beer over Dell's Cafe 6-2; Goodyear Service Store over The 4Gs 6-2; Jimmy Jones Conoco over Little Sooper Mkt. 6-2; Alberto's Chrystal Cafe over Team No. 15 6-2; Pollard Chevrolet over A & N Electric 6-2; Ried Bros. Oil Co. tied Coahoma Laundry 4-4.

High scratch game (Man) — Glen Thomas 222; (Woman) — Wanda Lockhart 212; High scratch series (Man) — Richard Szczawinski 577; (Woman) — Barbara Hipp 528; High handicap series (Man) — Randell Ried 716; (Woman) — Barbara Hipp 720; High scratch team game — Pollard Chevrolet 704; (Handicap) — Alberto's Chrystal Cafe 855; High scratch team series — Pollard Chevrolet 2067; (Handicap) — Western Mattress 2478.

STANDINGS

Western Mattress 62 - 26; Coahoma Kitchen 56 - 32; A & N Electric 54 - 34; The 4Gs 52 - 36; Coahoma Laundry 50 - 38; Miller Beer 48 - 40; Pollard Chevrolet 48 - 40; Lost Cause 48 - 40; Little Sooper Mkt. 48 - 40; Good Housekeeping 46 - 42; Harding Well Service 42 - 46; Alberto's Chrystal Cafe 40 - 46; Ried Bros. Oil Co. 40 - 48; Frank Hagen TV 40 - 48; The 4Hs 40 - 48; Team No. 8 38 - 50; Dell's Cafe 34 - 54; Jimmy Jones Conoco 32 - 56; Goodyear Service Store 30 - 58; Team No. 15 30 - 58.

PIN POPPERS

RESULTS — BPO Does over Loren's Field Serv. 4-0; Team No. 5 over Hagen TV Ser. 4-0; Ike's Fina Sta. over RBC Const. 4-0; Boatler Fina over Knott Sta. 4-0; Desert Sands Motel over House of Crafts 3-1; Sports Toggery over Cypert Butane 3-1; Team No. 13 over Skateland 3-1; Bob Brock Ford over Driver's Ins. 3-1; Faye's Beauty Shop over Wheeler Motor Co. 2½-1½; 1S 20 tied 2-2.

High scratch team game and series — Bob Brock Ford 656, 1S 20 — 1840; High handicap team game and series — Bob Brock Ford 858, and Boatler Fina 2442; High ind. game and series — Marie Pate 252 and 675.

STANDINGS

Faye's Beauty Shop 29 - 19; Desert Sands Motel 29 - 19; Team No. 5 28½ - 19½; 1S 20 Trailer Park 28 - 20; Ike's Fina Sta. 28 - 30; Wheeler Motor Co. 27 - 21; Team No. 13 26 - 22; Driver's Ins. 26 - 22; House of Crafts 25 - 23; Bob Brock Ford 24½ - 4; BPO Does 24½ - 23½; Cypert Butane 24½ - 23½; Boatler Fina 24 - 24; Hagen TV Ser. 23 - 25; RBC Const. 22 - 26; Skateland 22 - 26; Smallwood's 21 - 27; Sports Toggery 20 - 28; Loren's Field Ser. 15 - 33; Knott Sta. 13 - 35.

HS Playoffs

CLASS 4A BI-DISTRICT

Spring Branch Memorial ., Houston Madison 0

Midland Lee 17, Euless Trinity 0

El Paso Coronado 21, El Paso Eastwood 6.

Dallas White 17, Dallas South Oak Cliff 14.

Sherman 10, Longview 3.

Temple 21, Cypress-Fairbanks 7.

Houston Kashmere 6, Houston Furr 3.

Port Neches-Groves 35, Baytown Lee 21.

Corpus Christi Miller 7, Harlingen 7. Miller advances 7-2 on penetrations.

San Antonio Holmes 28, San Antonio McCollum 13.

San Antonio Churchill 46, San Antonio Highlands 0.

CLASS 3A BI-DISTRICT

Brownwood 14, San Angelo Lake View 7.

Gainesville 14, Grapevine 0.

Longview Pine Tree 33, Mount Pleasant 28.

Beaumont Hebert 15, Humble 13.

Waco Midway 34, Taylor 0.

New Braunfels 34, Dickinson 20.

Gregory-Portland 20, Raymondville 2.

CLASS 2A BI-DISTRICT

Childress 16, Spearman 14.

Floydada 29, Dimmitt 8.

Post 42, Stamford 14.

Ozona 24, Alpine 7.

Bowie 14, Comanche 7.

Wylie 33, Granbury 14.

DeKalb 21, Commerce 6.

Newton 15, Anahuac 13.

Bellville 7, Dayton 6.

Newton 15, Anahuac 13.

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West 35, Teagu3 0.

Rockdale 10, Llano 9.

Hallettsville 35, Needville 0.

Hays Consolidated 21, Pearsall 14.

Yoakum 20, Taft 3.

Port Isabel 33, Freer 7.

Class A Bi-District

Memphis 34, Stratford 15

Hart 14, Petersburg 7

Seagraves 36, Rankin 8

Hamlin 20, Baird 14

DeLeon 8, Mason 7

Clifton 13, Aledo 7

Muenster 30, Pottsboro 6

Frankston 32, Blooming Grove 24

Overton 24, Ore City 7

Shelbyville 12, Tatum 7

Mart 17, Groveton 8

Barbers Hill 10, Brookshire Royal 10 (Barbers Hill wins 4-2 on penetrations)

Granger 21, Somerville 6

Lytle 27, Stockdale 8

Poth 24, Orange Grove 8

Class B Bi-District

Groom 40, Sundown 15

Forsan 35, Balmorhea 0

Gorman 11, Rochester 6

Italy 8, Era 3

Anna 27, Union Hill 12

Corsicana Mildred 33, Chester 0

Ben Bolt 40, Runge 0

College scores

EAST

Boston Col. 35, Massachusetts 0
Seton Hall 7, Wagner 6
Towson 14, C. W. Post 10
Villanova 24, Temple 7
W. Virginia 34, Syracuse 28
Delaware 36, Maine 0
Holy Cross 41, Connecticut 40

SOUTH

Citadel 27, Davidson 0
Furman 56, Wofford 14
Kentucky 7, Tennessee 0
Maryland 28, Virginia 0
N. Carolina 39, Duke 38
Richmond 21, William & Mary 10
VMI 26, Indiana St. 14

MIDWEST

Michigan 22, Ohio St. 0
Ball St. 52, E. Michigan 3
Cincinnati 33, Vanderbilt 7
Indiana 20, Purdue 14
Iowa 30, Michigan St. 17
Kent St. 35, Toledo 19
Ohio 63, N. Illinois 0
Illinois 48, Northwestern 6
Notre Dame 40, Miami, Fla. 27
S. Illinois 44, Marshall 16
W. Michigan 42, Cent. Michigan 14
Wisconsin 26, Minnesota 17
Colorado 35, Kansas St. 28
Kearney St. 21, Wayne, Neb. 0

SOUTHWEST

Baylor 20, Texas 10
N. Texas St. 63, Drake 0
Texas A&M 59, TCU 10

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NCAA basketball preview

Graduation hit many powerhouses hard

By The Associated Press

"It'll be a tough season—at least in the first half before Bobby Knight gets everyone together," concedes one Indiana insider. "We'll probably lose a few games."

Few NCAA basketball winners in recent memory have lost as many top players as the Hoosiers have this year. Center Kent Benson is the only starter remaining from the team that beat Michigan for the national title last March. And while he may be considered a tall exclamation point, the rest of the Indiana team is merely a question mark.

Although Knight did recruit players during the off-season ("This was the greatest recruiting year of my career"), the Hoosiers will have to deal with a lot of factors in 1976-77, not the least of which will be Michigan's revenge motive.

The Wolverines are ready— and able—to take away not only the Big Ten title from Indiana but the national championship as well.

Guard Rickey Green, who turned down pro money to stay in college, and forward John Robinson won an Illinois prep school championship together and promised to win an NCAA title as teammates before leaving Michigan. This could be the year, with four starters returning from last year's NCAA runnersup.

In Lexington, Ky., Coach Joe Hall didn't have the recruiting year Knight had—but then he didn't have to. The Wildcats are fat cats with plenty of talent from last year's NIT champions. Rick Robey, injured most of last season, returns his muscle to an excellent front line that includes brawny Mike Phillips and sharpshooting Jack Givens.

The Wildcats, NCAA finalists two years ago, have visions of returning to that golden plateau this year but first must fight off the challenges of Tennessee and Alabama in the Southeastern Conference race.

UCLA, always a "four-letter word" in the Pacific-8 Conference, should have the rest of the teams there cursing again. Coach Gene Bartow went through a harrowing trial last year, facing obscene phone calls, internal unrest and the staggering shadow of John Wooden—and still managed to pull his team through to the final four in the NCAA tournament. Bartow got an early Christmas present when Marques Johnson opted to stay in college instead of turning pro.

In the Atlantic Coast Conference, North Carolina looks like the U.S. Olympic team. And why not? The U.S. Olympic team looked like North Carolina last July with four Tar Heel representatives, including dangerous Phil Ford.

Kansas State's Mike Evans is expected to reach stardom in the Big Eight, but the Missouri Tigers are expected to hit the finish line there first. Southern Illinois and Wichita State are the teams to beat in the Missouri Valley Conference, with the edge to the Illinoisans because of MVC player of the year Mike Glenn.

The Metro-Six Conference is now the Metro-Seven Conference with the prestigious addition of Florida State—but nothing has changed in that farflung league. It's still Louisville, Cincinnati and defending champion Memphis State in the driver's seat. Johnny Parker of St. Louis could be the league's top rookie.

Graduation hit the Southwest Conference hard, leaving Texas A&M and postseason tournament winner Texas Tech high and dry. Gone are six of the league's top scorers, but No. 1 point-maker Otis Birdsong of Houston does return for his senior year.

The Western Athletic Conference could provide a Top Twenty team and as much spectator appeal as can be found poundfor-pound in the country. Historically, the WAC is the stage for a breathless "Hollywood" finish with Arizona and Utah battling for the championship.

The West Coast Athletic Conference has been enriched with some of the youngest and most talented players in its history— and the University of San Francisco has most of them, including 6-11 Bill Cartwright.

At the other end of California, the Pacific Coast Athletic Association will feature a strong Long Beach State team, fresh off NCAA probation.

Based on the return of four starters, including Chuck Goodyear, Miami of Ohio ranks as the favorite in the Mid-American Conference. Princeton, one of the "smartest" teams in the country last year, will have to continue playing textbook basketball to hold off Penn in the Ivy League. The defending champions lost the heart of their starting lineup to graduation.

Owing to the widespread return of regulars and a spectacular recruiting season, the Ohio Valley Conference will feature one of its most hotly contested races in years. Virginia Military Institute lost only one starter and that qualifies the Keydets for a repeat performance as the Southern Conference champion.

The Big Sky is wide open with defending champion Boise State, Idaho State, Northern Arizona and Weber State all given a chance to win. The Middle Atlantic Conference is now the East Coast Conference, but the league by any name still looks like Hofstra's domain. John Irving, one of the country's top rebounders, leads the defending champions.

In the NAIA, defending national champion Coppin State faces a rebuilding year after big graduation losses.



Konny's Korner

By Konny Service

The striper fishing has picked up this week, along with the channel cat fishing. The stripers can be found near the mouth of the river anywhere from five to 20 feet deep. A good lure to use is the one ounce Shyster.

This seems to be having the best luck right now.

The channel cat can be found up the river, and the best baits again are minnows and cut shad.

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This week since most of the men will be out hunting, I thought that it would be a good time to slip in a recipe to the women of the household.

If you are like me, you expect to find a recipe for what you want to cook (in the way of game, that is), in a cookbook, whether it is fired rabbit or ground venison.

But most of the time, I'm sorry to say, you won't find the recipe you're after, unless it is in a special volume for game animals and birds.

So this year, I want to solve some of your problems by giving you a recipe for quail. In this recipe, quail breasts or the whole quail can be used.

Wrap each individual quail in strips of bacon. Place the wrapped quail in a slightly greased electric skillet. Pour small can of cream of chicken soup over the birds.

Add ½ can of water to the skillet, and heat to 300 degrees. Place a lid slightly ajar over the skillet to allow steam to escape. Allow 45 minutes to an hour to cook.

Another good recipe for quail is this:

Season each quail with salt and pepper. Roll in egg and condensed milk batter. Roll then in flour and fry until golden brown.

Hope these lead to happy cooking.

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Even though hunting season has once again started and has dominated the winter months, reports from Lake Spence say that the fishing is still pretty good, even though there aren't very many fishermen to take advantage of the situation.

YJ's Marina reports that even with the snow and the cold weather, the stripers, blacks and cats are biting. They also reported that the stripers and the catfish are being relatively elusive.

Well, the first day of deer, turkey and quail season sure got started off with a bang (if you'll excuse the pun). Many a young and old hunter alike left their warm homes to travel in the cold in search of their hunting target. Some brought home a trophy, but others came in empty-handed.

This more or less describes the scene as it was last Saturday when a four-inch snow fell in Robert Lee.

I have to admit that I admire those hunters who came down last weekend and didn't get a thing, because they were stuck in the snow at the gate of their hunting lease. That must have been very disappointing indeed.

But, they weren't all disappointed. The hunting itself was very good, and the many hunters who did manage to get past the gates did very well.

The game is plentiful this year, and for those of you interested, the old timers around the county say that the cold weather is here to stay for a while. So put on mud tires or chains, and good hunting.



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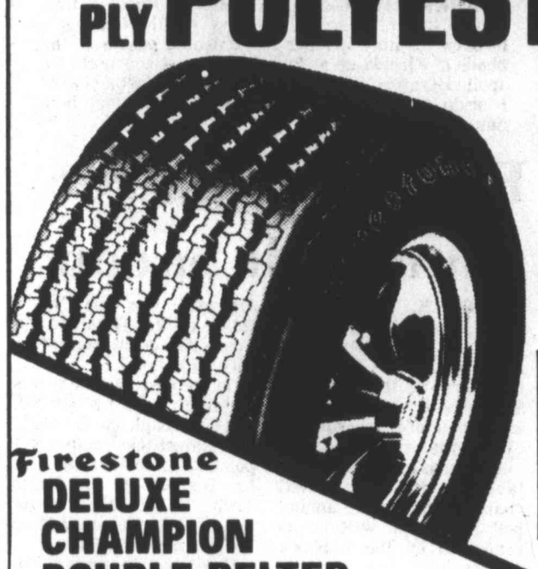
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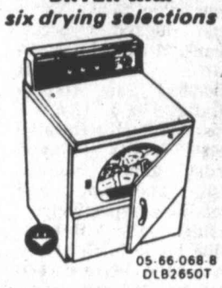
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HAWK SPIRIT BOOSTERS — Leading the cheers for the Howard College basketball teams this year are, left to right, Kim Crawley, Martha Trevino, Rosemarie Garcia, Nancy Peery, Yolanda Cortez and Toni Jo Jabor.

(Photo by George von Hassell III)

Big Spring High School

Powder Puff poppin' to take place Tuesday

By JERRI DAVEY

This Tuesday, November 23, the upperclass vs. underclass in the annual powder puff football game scheduled at 7:00 p.m. in Memorial Stadium. This is a school-wide activity to help raise funds for the March of Dimes, sponsored by the student council. Admission will be $1.00 for adults and 75 cents for students. The girls are going all out and are giving their best efforts towards the game. There will be a pep ralley on Tuesday afternoon to help boost the spirit of the girls.

The Future Homemakers of America elected Elroy Green, Mr. FHA; Beverly Beil, Miss FHA; and Sonya Renya, Jr. chapter president; congratulations to all of you. FHA members will have an all-day meeting November 23, in the auditorium. The guest speaker will give a talk on alcoholism.

The band will compete in UIL Marching, Monday at 4:15 in Odessa. The Optimist Club is honoring the band with a banquet for the end of marching season. The banquet will be held Tuesday evening 7:30 at the Howard College cafeteria.

The second quarter star's Monday. School pictures will also distributed on Monday.

The "Sound of Music" performed by the high school choir had a successful turnout.

Guest pianist will appear

LUBBOCK — The Lubbock Christian College Music Department will present guest pianist Wilbert C. Wasmus in concert at 8:15 p.m. Dec. 5 in the college's Moody Auditorium.

A native of Texas, Wasmus has been teaching and performing in the Washington, D.C. area for the past 10 years. In his LCC concert he will present Beethoven's Sonata in E Major, Opus 109, Liszt's Sonata in B Minor and selections from Bartok, Ravel and Debussy.

Prior to living and performing in and around the nation's capital, Wasmus taught at Southern Methodist University, Delta State College in Mississippi and St. Michael's College, Burlington, Vt. He has performed solo recitals in several major cities and has appeared as a soloist with the National Gallery Orchestra, Washington, D.C.

Wasmus' performance at LCC will mark the first time he has performed in the Lubbock area.

There is no charge for the concert. The public is invited to atter.d.

Nobel winner to lecture

CHICAGO (AP) — Saul Bellow, winner of this year's Nobel prize for literature, has been chosen to deliver the 1977 Jefferson lecture of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

His selection was announced Wednesday by the agency's chairman, Dr. Ronald S. Berman, at the University of Chicago. The lecture, which carries a $10,000 stipend, will be in two parts to be delivered in Washington and Chicago next March.

Bellow's theme will be the American writer and his material.



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART — Tracy Butts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Butts, was named football sweetheart Friday night at the final Coahoma football game. She was presented the traditional red roses. The senior girl is also sweetheart of the Future Farmers Association this year. Ken Kelso and Bobby Fryar, captains, made the presentation. Fryar was also named football hero.

Forsan

Band scheduled to march in Odessa

By STEVE COWLEY

The new semester has started very smoothly, and it started admist a very important week of activities for Forsan High School.

The Forsan Buffaloes slipped and slid by the Wilson Mustangs last week in Snyder. The snow might have dampened the game, but it didn't dampen the Buffaloes spirits. Surprisingly, there have been few cases of cold or flu (and that's nothing to sneeze at.) Forsan started out with a pretty good crowd, but the supporters dwindled in direct proportion to the amount of snowfall. The few hardy souls who stuck it out to the end deserve a lot of praise, and some Vick's Formula 44, and some Nyquil, and a plaque saying, "I froze for the Buffaloes." I heard one fan comment that, come next spring, you would be able to find the whole town of Forsan just thawing out in the stands. However, this catastrophe was averted and everyone got home safe. The Buffs faced the Balmorhea Bears Friday night for bi-district. The winner faces the winner of Groom-Sundown next week.

When six inches of snow proceeded to dump down last Friday, some official in Odessa suddenly thought, "Hey, I bet we're going to have to call Marching Contest off!" This was quickly arranged, and everybody got an extra week to polish up their contest routines. Forsan is now scheduled to march this coming Monday morning at 10:52 a.m. at Barrett Stadium in Odessa. The Buffalo Band will bemarching for their sixth consecutive first division.

I have been prevailed upon to reiterate some announcements made this week at school. The new gym is now closed at lunch. The old gym is now being used for lunch break. Please do not run around on the gym floor with dress shoes. This makes nasty little scuffs that even industrial strength Mr. Clean can't get up. Also, it has been reported that some students have been going into the construction areas. This is a definite no-no. Do you want to get kabonked by a two-by-four? Any students caught in these areas will be plastered into the new walls, and won't get out until they re-do the school in 2115.

Next week is Thanksgiving holiday time. School will dismiss early Wednesday, so everybody will have some time to get all fattened up on turkey, dressing, cranberries, hot rolls . . . Well, I'll have to end the column now, I got these sudden hunger pains . . .



COVERS FORSAN BEAT — Steve Cowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cowley of Forsan is the Megaphone reporter for Forsan High School for the '76 '77 school year. Steve, 16, is a Junior. He is vice president of his class. He is also vice president, librarian and section leader of the band. He will be participating in tennis and various UIL events later in the year. Steve is also a member of The National Honor Society.

Runnels

Choir librarians are chosen

The basketball team played their first game Thursday against Midland Christian and won 50-42. The players are: Johnny Abreo, Joe Lara, Charles Brown, Dickie Wrightsil, Ricci Millaway, Carbert Newton, Bobby Brasel, Curtis Williams, Tommy Rodriquez, Doug Horton, James Doss, Rudy Hilario, Ross Stone, Rusty Hayworth. The managers are Bill Brown, Duane Cadzow, and David Fernandez. The coach is Rudy Montes. The next basketball game will be Monday night against Snyder in Snyder.

The choir librarians were chosen this week by Mrs. Bowers, choir director. They are Cathy Miller and Laurie Daniels. Solos for the solo contest were beginning to be distributed this past week. The deadline to check off your solo will be January 4, 1977.

The Thanksgiving holidays will begin Thursday, November 25 and 26.

Debbie Irwin is nominated

ABILENE — Debbie Irwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Irwin of 407 Dallas St., Big Spring, is one of 34 students named to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges this fall at Hardin-Simmons University.

Miss Irwin, a senior biology major, was chosen on the basis of her academic achievements and extra-curricular activities on campus.

Nominations for Who's Who were made by a special committee composed of faculty, administrators and students at Hardin-Simmons.

Goliad

Gymnastics to begin

By HELEN HICKS

Boys and girls PE will be starting gymnastics Monday. Miss Jeanie Hester and Mrs. Ella Williams are the instructors for the girls, and Gary Bolen and Harlan Smith are instructors for the boys.

The second six weeks reporting period ended last Thursday. Report cards will be issued on Wednesday, November 24. These will show the quarter grade as well as the six weeks grade.

Wednesday school will be dismissed at 2:45 for the Thanksgiving holidays on Thursday and Friday. School will resume at the regular time on the following Monday.

The eighth grade basketball team will have its first game Monday. The boys will play Loraine in Loraine.

Due to bad weather, track tryouts will be postponed until after the Thanksgiving holidays.

This week Goliad welcomes Marcus Mendez and Victoria Mendez. Marcus is in the eighth grade and Victoria is in the seventh grade. Both are from Coahoma.

Garden City

Student Council to finish trash cans

By LINDA SCHWARTZ

The quarter final tests were held on Monday and Tuesday. Classes 1, 3 and 5 were on Monday and 2, 4 and 6 on Tuesday.

The A and B boys traveled to Westbrook for their game on Tuesday afternoon.

On Wednesday the Student Council set up a date to finish painting the trash cans. A dictionary stand was located and the student council will continue to look for one because of the cost. Ordering pins and charms for being in student council is going on. Any member who would like to purchase one, please contact the officers today. The FHA turned in the cookbook sales tod- also.

The Jr. High host the Forsan Buffaloes here at 5 p.m. The 8th grade girls played and the 7th and 8th grade boys followed.

There was no school on Friday. The teacher's had a workday to make out report cards and other plans for the six weeks to come. The A and B girls and the A boys had a game at Klondike on Friday.

ELEMENTARY NEWS

Due to High School tests the school has had an open campus on November 15th and 16th.

Coach McKinnon has been working very hard with the basketball team. The 6th grade would like to wish them luck throughout the basketball season.

Grady

Talent show to be held

By TIM TATE

Last Friday, grades K-12 had an assembly. A ventriloquist came with his puppets from International Lectures Inc. and entertained us.

Last Friday evening, Nov. 12, our Jr. Varsity boys basketball team beat Bordan Co. Our varsity girls lost and the varsity boys game was cancelled, due to the heavy snow.

We traveled to Ira Tuesday in basketball. The varsity boys brought home a victory, but the girls lost a tough game.

The student council is sponsoring a Talent Show, this Tuesday Nov. 23, at 7:00. The public is invited. No admission will be charged.

Have a happy Thanksgiving!

Westbrook

Bonfire date set

By DANA DORN

Monday was a holiday for the students at Westbrook since the teachers had work day. The girls had basketball work-out that morning followed by boys work-out that afternoon.

Monday night, the girls A and B teams played Colorado City. The Wildcats put up a good fight, but Colorado City won both games. The B team scores were 62-71 and the A team scores were 49-55.

A student council meeting was held Tuesday morning during second period. The date for the bonfire has been set for December 13. Tuesday night, the A team boys defeated Garden City 76-67, but the B team lost to Garden City with the scores of 52-34.

Junior high and high school twelve weeks grades were due in the office Wednesday morning and report cards were sent out

A one o'clock Wednesday, pictures of the junior high and high school basketball teams and cheerleaders were taken for the Colorado City Record.

Thursday evening from seven until nine, the Home Economics Department sponsored a Holiday Breads program.

The Wildcat teams left before school was out Friday in order to make it to Sands in time for the boys' B team which began at five. Following the B game, the A girls and boys played. Results of these games were not known in time to print in this week's news.

Megaphone

EDITED BY JERRI DAVEY

News from schools

Coahoma High School

FHA cookbooks will arrive in approximately 3 weeks

By COAHOMA JOURNALISM CLASS

The Jr. Farm Skill team of the Coahoma Chapter of FFA placed first in district competiion in Midland, November 8. The team was composed of Daron Moore, Mike Bradford, and David Smith. Other members of the chapter competed in the Chapter Conducting team and Quiz team. The Quiz team placed fourth and the Chapter Conducting team placed sixth in district. Following the contest, a banquet was served for participants and guests after which the awards were given to the first, second, and third place winners of the contests. After the awards, the Area Sweetheart Contest was conducted in which Tracy Butts represented the Coahoma Chapter. Tracy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butts competed with eight other contestants for the title of Area Sweetheart.

The Spirit Chain sponsored by the Student Council to raise money and boost spirit was a big success according to Jeanette Brooks, sponsor of the Student Council. The Junior Class was awarded $6.20 for buying more links than any other class. They had 104 links while the seniors were runners-up with 102. Laurie Snell won $10.00 when her link was picked at random. The Spirit Chain project netted the Student Council $62.00.

FHA cookbook sales ended Monday, November 18. The books will arrive in about three weeks, approximately 200 were sold. The highest three sellers were Lisa Furlong who will receive $16. Robbie Pope who will receive $10, and Tammie Procter who will be given $5.

FHA will hold their Christmas party December 13. The canned food scavenger hunt will take place then.



THEY'RE GUNG-HO FOR BIG RED'S CAUSE — Coahoma High School's football team usually is very much in command of the situation by the time the drum majorettes go into their halftime act. But, no matter how the team is faring, the girls are always full of spirit and offer a good show. From the left, the girls are Rhonda Griffin (feature twirler), a freshman; Darla Harrington, senior; Laurie Choate, senior; Laurie Snell (head twirler), senior; and Angela Dykes, sophomore.

Sands

Christmas program to be held December 16

By CATHY MAHANEY

Monday night was very exciting since the Sands Gym wwas used for the Bi-District Volleyball game between the Union Wildcats and the WaterValley Wildcats. Well, the Wildcats team won! (WaterValley)

The Sunday Dinner was rescheduled for today, and the Senior's need your support.

The FHA boys and girls are selling cookbooks if you need one contact any FHA member.

Final preparation is being made for the Golden Dreamers Christmas Program, which will be held Dec. 16.

Basketball is well undrway at Sands, both girls and boys. The girls team received a special invitation to the Snyder Clinic. They will play Eola Saturday night. Good luck girls. The boys team members are: Larry Feaster, Jessie Gomez, David Hall, David Long, Danny Peugh, Bill Wigington, and John Williams, Freshmen; Ricky Arismendez, Van Gaskins, Steve Parker, Summer Shaw, David Williams, and Nathan Zant — Sophomores; Stan Blagraves, Ronny Kennemer, Dean Mojica, and Martin Nichols — Juniors; Sammy Anderson, Stan Feaster, and Gary Webb — Seniors. Stan Pulliam is the boys' coach. Sam McDonald is the manager.

Thanksgiving is approaching fast, thank goodness, because we kids get another vacation beginning Wednesday at 2:00 until that next Monday. Although school work will end for these days, some of us will still be working in the field — weather permitting.

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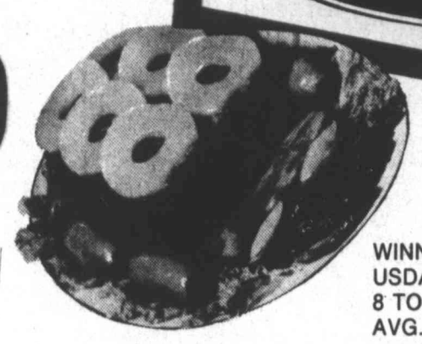
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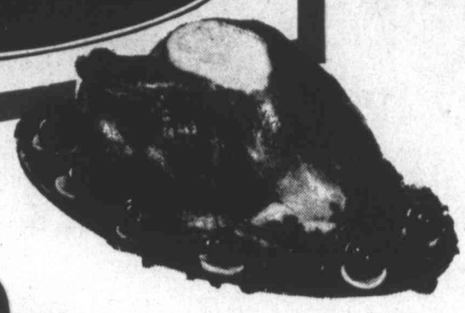
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Calm settles over Oven Fork

Mine blast killed 11

OVEN FORK, Ky. (AP) — For the first time in eight months, a kind of calm has settled over this hamlet. The 11 men who were killed in a mine explosion have been brought out from their tomb of coal, and their families prepared for a second, more gentle, burial.

"Right now it's time to finalize things and then each of us can set out to build a new life," said Harvey Sturgill, the son of one of the victims.

Sturgill had viewed his father's body Friday after the victims were brought out on mine cars under bright yellow plastic sheets. As he left, he carried some of his father's belongings in a hard hat.

Five of the bodies were taken to nearby funeral homes. The others were sent to Hazard for autopsies at the request of families planning to ask for survivors' black lung benefits.

Many families had not completed their funeral plans. But at least six funerals were scheduled for Sunday.

The federal Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration (MESA) and the state Department of Mines and Minerals planned to begin today an on-site investigation into the cause of the explosion at the Scotia Coal Co. mine. The investigation was expected to last several months.

The double-explosion disaster of last March, which killed 26 men, seemed to haunt all of Letcher County while the 11 bodies were sealed in the mine. After the bodies were brought out Friday, many of the residents who were not directly affected apparently tried to try to put the episode behind them.

At least a third of Whitesburg's 1,200 residents, for example, attended a high school football game.

The eight-month wait had ended at noon. Under a bright sun, about 100 friends and relatives waited quietly near the mouth of the mine. Suddenly, when the bodies came out, women screamed and men cried.

A small group of relatives was allowed into a machine shop to view the remains.

Rep. Carl Perkins, D-Ky., who had been with the relatives, said before he left that MESA was to blame for the deaths of the 11 men who died March 11 and the 15 who had died two days before.

He said the mine should have been shut down before the first explosion because of unsafe conditions, and he criticized federal safety officials for allowing methane gas to build up in the mine a second time and then sending men back down the shaft.

Muskie supporting HHH for Demo majority job

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edmund S. Muskie of Maine is out of the contest to become Senate Democratic majority leader and instead is backing Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey for the post.

Muskie's withdrawal Friday left three men in the running to succeed retiring Sen. Mike Mansfield of Montana. Besides Humphrey, they are Sens. Robert C. Byrd of West Virginia, the party whip or assistant leader, and Ernest F. Hollings of South Carolina.

Muskie said the best qualified man for the job was Humphrey, his former running mate when the Minnesota senator was the Democratic presidential candidate in 1968.

"Hubert has demonstrated the leadership qualities which I would like to see in the next majority leader ... the character and personality best calculated to pull together the diverse elements of the Senate and make us a more effective institution," said Muskie.

Although Muskie's withdrawal heads off a possible split in the Northern Democratic liberal vote, Byrd said through a spokesman he still feels he has enough commitments from his Democratic colleagues to win the leadership post.

Byrd is expected to get support from some Northerners as well as from the South and border states.

The 62 Democratic senators, including 10 newcomers, will meet shortly before the 95th Congress convenes in January to elect a successor to Mansfield by secret ballot.

On the Republican side, Sen. John G. Tower, R-Tex., took himself out of the race for GOP leader to succeed retiring Sen. Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania. Only Sen. Robert P. Griffin of Michigan has announced his candidacy for the leadership post, although Sen. Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee is expected to seek it as well.

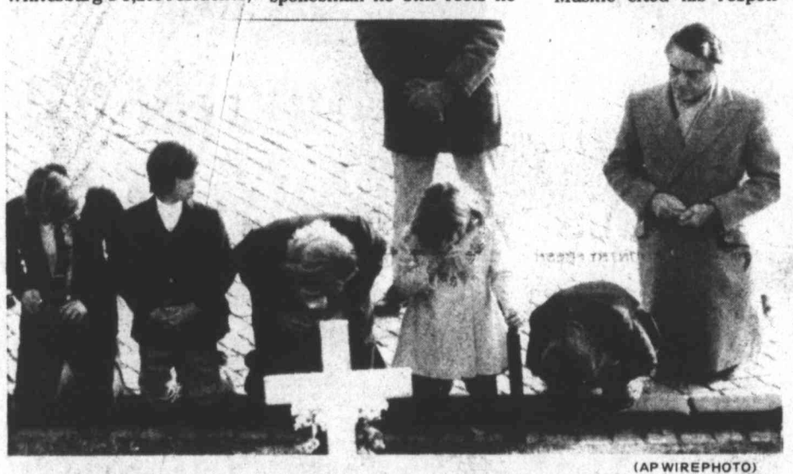
Byrd has been rated the Democratic favorite from the beginning. But Humphrey has been actively seeking support since his release from a hospital after removal of his cancerous bladder.

Muskie generally was regarded as having the least support in the contest for Mansfield's leadership post.

Muskie cited his responsibilities as chairman of the Senate Budget Committee in withdrawing from the leadership race.

He said he did not feel he could do justice to both jobs and said he was too committed to the committee's work to give it less than a full effort.

Humphrey was in New York for post-operative treatment when Muskie withdrew from the leadership race Friday. Hollings is in the People's Republic of China and is not due back until next week.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

NOT FEELING WELL — Ethel Kennedy turns towards Rory, 7, as brother Maxwell, 11, leans forward after becoming ill during ceremonies at the grave of his father, Robert F. Kennedy, in Arlington National Cemetery Saturday. Others are sons Christopher, 13, left, and Douglas. Brother-in-law Sargent Shriver is at right. Saturday was the 51st anniversary of RFK's birth.

Bus drivers will vote

HOUSTON (AP) — City bus drivers will vote Tuesday on a wage offer made by HouTran, the city-owned bus system.

A noon strike deadline was averted Friday when the company offered the driver a wage increase.

M.C. Hendrix, president of Transport Workers Local 260, said negotiations will continued with HouTran through Monday and the vote will be taken Tuesday.

Stnaley Gates, HouTran president, would not give details of the wage offer and would not say if it was in line with a 5 per cent increase the City Council granted all city employes Thursday.

Although Houston owns the bus system, the bus drivers and maintenance workers are considered employes of HouTran, operators of the system under a management contract with the city.

The drivers have been without a contract since Nov. 2 They presently earn from $4.70 to $5.60 an hour.

Tax workshop at Plainview

PLAINVIEW — A tax practitioner workshop, designed especially for practitioners working with farmers and ranchers, has been set for Nov. 30 and Dec. 1 in Plainview.

The two-day short course, consisting of lectures, discussions and questions, will emphasize new developments and problem areas for tax practitioners.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is cooperating with the Internal Revenue Service in offering the worksho, which is one of 23 tax practitioner workshops being held across the state, according to Marvin O. Sartin, Extension farm management economist.

Plea for food almost ignored

Mrs. Maureen Schrecongost, from Great Britain, wants to know where the "Spirit of 76" is this Thanksgiving.

She has been helping out local Girl Scout Troop 290 with their appeal for meat products and canned goods so that those less fortunate may have a happy Thanksgiving too.

Mrs. Schrecognost, has been to over a dozen area food stores and found only one supermarket that was willing to donate a substantial amount of Thanksgiving charity.

She asks that anyone willing to contribute any food should call Ms. Caroline Kirby, head of Girl Scout Troop 290, at 263-6354, or herself, at 263-0076.

Suit filed by ACLU

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—The American Civil Liberties Union said Friday it has filed suit to stop the Texas Municipal Retirement System from paying larger benefits to men than to women.

It said it filed the suit in U. S. District Court in Amarillo on behalf of Marguerite Strain, an employe of the city of Canyon.

The ACLU said the system justifies the larger benefits to males on the ground that they don't live as long as women.

The suit alleges that lower benefits for women, who contribute the same as men to the retirement system, violate the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Public records

COUNTY COURT FILINGS

Jeff C. Frososhee, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 76 miles per hour in a 55 m. .h. zone.

Guy Kuykendall, Rt. 1, Box 624, for assault.

Bruce Leonard Wood, 29 808 W. 8th South, carrying a handgun.

Victor Esparza, issuance of bad checks.

Billy Joe Henkel, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 75 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

Tommy Louis Meeks, appeal of a justice court citation for running a stop sign.

James B. Lambdin, appeal of a justice court citation for unsafe lane change.

James B. Lambdin, appeal of a justice court citation for improper use of a spotlight.

Jackie Lee Merrick, appeal of a justice court citation for unsafe speed-accident.

Larry Don Shaw, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 83 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

Garry Lindsay Smith, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 90 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

Joyce Hutchison Kreimeyer, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 71 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

Raymond Paul Tanis, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 72 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone.

Robert Lee Burns, appeal of a justice court citation for speeding 67 m.p.h. in a 50 m.p.h. zone.

Rocky Ross Schrecengost, appeal of a justice court sitation for unsafe start from a stopped position.

Garry Lindsay Smith, appeal of a justice court citation for invalid registration.

Dennis Raymond Knecht, appeal of a municipal court citation for excessive noise.

COUNTY COURT ORDERS

Billy Ray Squibb pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated fined $50 and thirty days, probated to six months.

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Donald Edward Van Dyken, 1318 Mobile, and Miss Julie Ann Jones, 22, 1004 W. 7th.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Steven J. Gasper et ux to John R. McCall et ux: Lot 26, blk. 4, Wasson Place Addition.

Alfred Ham et ux to George Carroll Hagle et ux: Lot 9, blk. 3, Monticello Addition.

Carla A. Hills to Garcin O. Sims et ux: Lot 5, blk. 6, Suburban Heights Addition.

H.C. Blackshear et ux to Gene Denton et ux: 1 acre out of S-2 of section 31-32-1-S, T&P.

B.A. Graham et ux to L.E. Hall: Lot 26, blk. 4, Highland Park Addition.

Bill Tune et ux to Mary Caton: a 3.98 acre tract out of section 40-32-1N, T&P.

Bill Tune et ux to Carl R. Caton: a 7.97 acre tract out of section 40-31-1-N, T&P.

Delma Tucker to H.C. Blackshear et ux: Lot 18, blk. 26, Monticello Addition.

Donald R. Bard et ux to John W. Lindsay et ux: Lot 7, blk. 5, College Park Estates.

Earl J. Richart to Bill Chrane: Lot 12, blk. 23. Boydstun's Second Addition.

L.C. Lawdermilk et ux to Dona Rae Davis: Lot 6, blk. 23, Cole and Strayhorn Addition.

George Johnson to Pete Valenzuela et ux: a tract out of section 5-32-1-S, T&P.

John Benjamin Harrison to Nickie T. Nickols et ux: Lot 19, blk. 1, Meadowbrook Addition.

Michelle M.J. Chabot to Rodney Keith Bell et ux: Lot 2, blk. 4, Ridgelea Terrace Addition.

Richard Keathley to Nalley-Pickle and River-Welch Funeral Homes: a part of Lot 3, blk. 4, original town.

M.B. McFall et al to Rozelle McKenney Dohoney: Lot 6 and 7, blk. 4, May Thixton Addition.

Robert Lee Taylor et ux to Buryl E. Williams et ux: Lot 3, blk. 17, Kentwood Addition.

Deward Walker et ux to Jerrold Walker: a tract out of the SE-4 of section 20-31-1-N, T&P.

Charles N. Butts et al to Bobby W. Baker et ux: a 4.33 acre tract out of NW-4 of section 1-32-1-S, T&P.

W.Y. Gray et ux to R.H. Weaver: the SE-4 and the E 60 acres of the SW-4 of section 15-33-1-N, T&P.

Charles M. Harwell et ux to Leonard E. McCutcheon et ux: W 74 ft. of Lot 12, blk. 18, original town.

Billy M. Hendrix et ux to D. Williams: Lots 20 and 21, blk. 13, Washington Place Addition.

Charles M. Harwell et ux to Leonard E. McCutcheon: a parcel out of Lots 8 and 9, blk. 1, Thorp subdivision.

Elnora Robison, to Bill A. Bloch et ux: Lot 1, Blk. D. Moore Heights Addition.

Raymond Hutchins to David C. Camantigue et ux: Lot 23, blk. 5, Kentwood Addition.

Linda J. McSwine to W.A. Allen et ux: Lot 6, blk. 2, Highland Park Addition.

David B. Klatt et ux to John M. Turner et ux: Lot 2, blk. 1, Kentwood Addition.

J.B. Lilly to W.K. Allen et ux: Lots 21, 22, 23, blk. 21, original town.

James H. Eastham et ux to Santos Lopez Lujan Sr., et ux: the middle third of Lot 2, blk. 94, original town.

Five guilty of manslaughter in 'exorcism' death of boy

YAKIMA, Wash. (AP) — Five religious cultists have been convicted in the exorcism death of 3-year-old David Weilbacher, whom they were accused of beating to death to rid him of the devil.

A jury of seven men and five women deliberated less than six hours Friday before returning the verdicts. No date was set for sentencing.

Leon Cunningham, 51, self-professed minister to the religious household; Debra Weilbacher, 20, the dead boy's mother, and Carolyn Cunningham, 27, Cunningham's step-daughter, were convicted of manslaughter and second-degree assault.

Velma Cunningham, 45, Cunningham's wife, and Lorraine Edwards, 20, were convicted of assault. Manslaughter charges against them were reduced to second degree by the jury.

The boy was found Sept. 19, an estimated two months after he died, in a sealed-off bedroom of the cult's Yakima house. Authorities had been tipped by Mrs. Cunningham, who said she had begun to doubt her husband's ministry.

The defendants maintained they spanked rather than beat the boy because they believed him possessed by the devil. Cunningham said they expected the boy to be resurrected.

The prosecution argued the boy was beaten daily with sticks.



Richard Townsend

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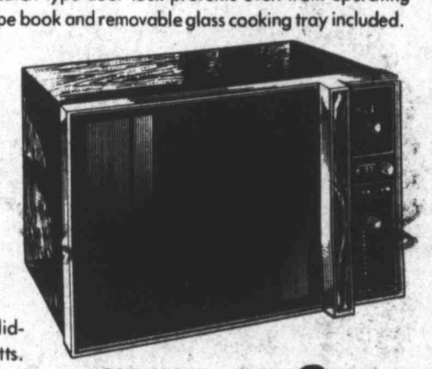
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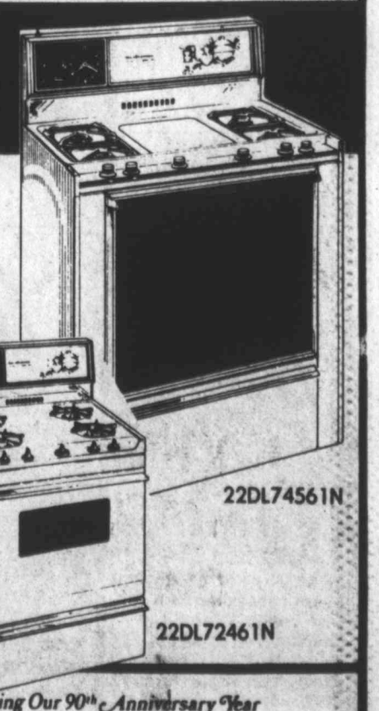
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KISS OF APPROVAL — Author Tennessee Williams kisses actress Natalie Wood as her husband, actor Robert Wagner watches in New York Friday. They were at a cast party for the TV production of Williams "Cat On a Hot Tin Roof," that stars Natalie Wood and Robert Wagner.

Business spending is picking up

Inflation rate cooling off

WASHINGTON (AP) — New government statistics show that the inflation rate is cooling off while business spending is picking up — factors that could make it harder for Jimmy Carter to decide whether a tax cut is needed to stimulate the economy.

At the same time, the Federal Reserve Board took a small step on its own Friday that may stimulate the economy. The Fed lowered the discount rate it charges member banks to 5.25 per cent from 5.5 per cent.

The Fed also announced a major revision in its estimate of the nation's manufacturing plant capacity. It said that new data showed plants operating at 80.9 per cent of capacity in the third quarter of this year, instead of the 73.6 per cent previously estimated.

As a result, there was less room for economic expansion without renewed inflationary pressures, board member Henry C. Wallich told the Senate Banking Committee.

The news on the inflation front was good: consumer prices rose only three-tenths of 1 per cent in October, the smallest advance in seven months, the Labor Department announced.

The Commerce Department reported that a surge in business spending in October was responsible for the first increase in four months in new orders for durable goods.

The latest news brightens the economic picture after several weeks in which most major economic indicators — industrial production, retail sales and over-all economic performance for the fall quarter — have shown little sign of any strong growth in the economy.

Carter has said a tax cut is a strong possibility if the economy remains stagnant when he takes office in January.

Federal Reserve Board Chairman Arthur Burns has cautioned the incoming Democrats against the dangers of inflation that might ensue if the economy were overstimulated.

The Labor Department said that real spendable earnings — the amount left after taxes and adjusted for inflation — grew five-tenths of 1 per cent in October. However, real earnings were down four-tenths per cent over the year because of higher taxes.

Consumer spending has slowed down over the last four months. The slowdown was apparently a key factor in what administration economists are calling a pause in the recovery from the recession.

The surge in business spending may help counteract that slowdown.

Durable goods include anything with a life expectancy of three years or more. October's increase was estimated at $1.4 billion, or three per cent, pushing new orders to a level of $48.04 billion.

Military

Canine joins police force

When the Webb AFB security police pick up a stray dog, chances are the dog's days are numbered.

But even a dog gets lucky now and then.

And probably the luckiest canine ever picked up on base is a young, shiny, black, 80-pound mixture of Great Dane and Larador Retriever that's joined the Webb security police force.

Usually about 10 to 20 mutts are collared every month by base policemen. The Security Police keep the stray around for a day or two and if nobody claims the dog, it's off to the Big Spring City pound.

Chances for survival at the pound are slim. According tc a recent story in the Big Spring Herald, "only about three out of every 20 dogs picked up ever get out of the animal shelter alive."

But the skinny, black dog fought the odds and found a home. As TSgt. Noe Gonzales put it, "He's one that made it."

And now the mutt is a bona fide member of the security police force — an hononary staff sergeant and mascot the SPs call "Sergeant Fuzz."

Sgt. Fuzz is already broken into his new role. He rides patrol in the back of the SP pickups and mans incoming calls from a comfortable couch behind the SP desk.

A1C Victor Boyd found Sgt. Fuzz roaming in the housing area and brought him in. "He was just a friendly dog the SPs took a liking to," said Airman Boyd. "Nobody wanted to ship him to the pound."

"We had to get the okay to keep him," said Sergeant Gonzales. "I took him in to see the boss (MSgt. Gary Martin, superintendent of SP operations). And, when the dog put his head in the boss lap, that was it. We got to keep him."

The SPs took up a collection to get Sergeant Fuzz his shots Tuesday and the cops feed the "new man on the force" with scraps donated by the base commissary.

"If somebody claims him, we'll have to give him up; but we're going to give the guy a ticket," joked Sergeant Gonzales.

Another SP added, "Tell the troops not to worry. We're not going to use Sgt. Fuzz as a marijuana sniffer."

Rhodesia blamed for bombs

GABORONE, Botswana (AP) — Rhodesia has been blamed for planting suitcase bombs that killed a child and injured four other people in the offices of exiled black nationalists opposed to its white-minority regime.

Friday's blasts also destroyed a truck, showered the street with glass and tore roofs from houses near the African National Council offices in Francistown, about 25 miles from the Rhodesian border.

A Francistown policeman said two vehicles were followed to the Rhodesian border after the blast. The Botswana government said the vehicles crossed back into Rhodesia near Matsiloje.

"These activities are obviously done with the knowledge and consent of" Prime Minister Ian Smith's regime in Rhodesia, a Botswana government statement said.

T-birds booked on TV show

The TV series "Six Million Dollar Man" will feature the Air Force Thunderbirds, Nov. 28, when the leading character, "Colonel Steve Austin," joins the team. The show is on the ABC network at 7 p.m. Sunday nights locally.

Club closes two nights

Based on recommendations of the Webb AFB Officers' Club Open Mess Advisory Committee, the officers' club management has begun closing Mondays and Tuesdays at 5 p.m. to help curb the financial loss in the dining room. The evening meal has had extremely low participation on these two days, according to Lt. Col. Robert Ziman of the base commander's office. The Bennett Dining Hall will be available to allied student pilots on those nights.

Earlier this month, the officers' club opened its noon meal to all ranks to help increase participation.

Dorm opening to be delayed

The grand opening of Sunrise Hall, the first of the two new enlisted dormitories to be completed will be delayed until at least Monday, Nov. 29.

The event was originally publicized for Monday, but the building will not be ready for occupation at that time.



LEANING SLOWER — A vertical column with a vase contrasts with the Leaning Tower of Pisa in this recent photograph. Experts in Italy say the famous tower's rate of leaning was slower for the third consecutive year, just over nine-hundredths of an inch or about half its traditional tip per year in recent decades.

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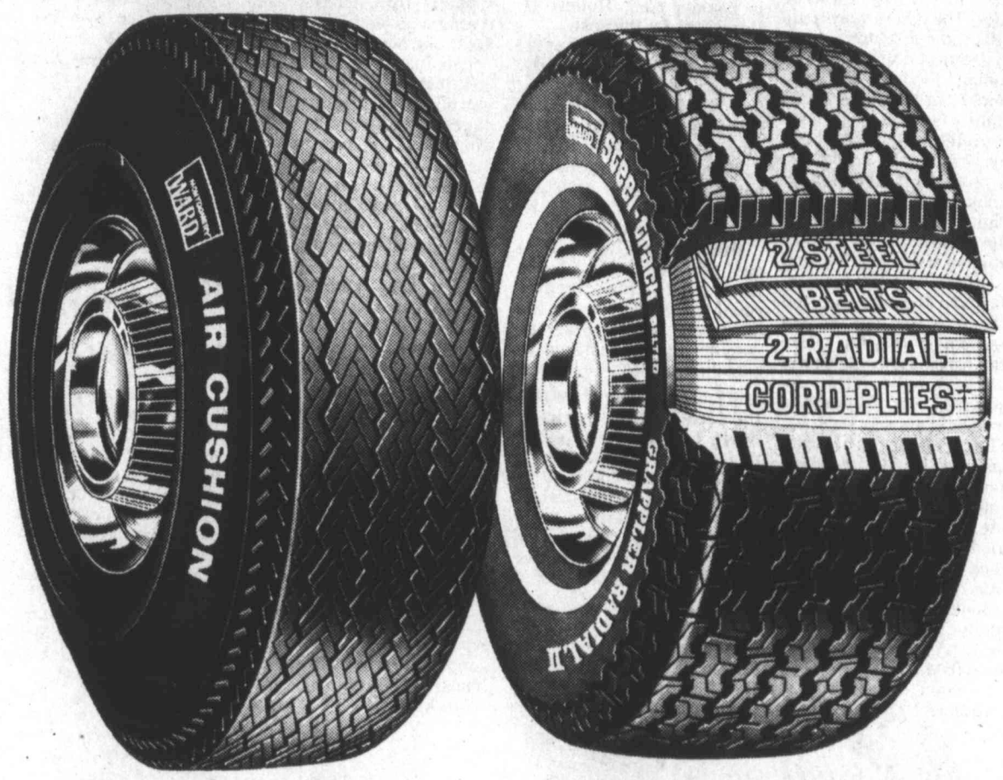
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Women and youth newest abusers of alcohol

By CANDY SMITH

One out of eight persons in the United States, who drink, are alcoholics. Only a minimal number of those have actually been diagnosed or treated as alcoholics. Many only know there is something wrong in their life.

Replacing myths of alcoholism with hard facts is only part of the job responsibilities faced by Robert Von Rosenberg and Evelyn Alsup, both employed by the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Center in the Big Spring State Hospital.

Von Rosenberg, director of the center, says neither he nor anyone out there, is against responsible drinking. Ms. Alsup, a counselor, says her first step in counseling is to establish a relationship with the patient.

Both were interviewed about the growing awareness of alcohol-related problems, especially among women and teens. Alcohol, the number one drug in our country, rates above marijuana and hard drugs even among youth.

"There are so many misconceptions about what it (alcoholism) is that the public really isn't informed. They go by some old definitions that they may have grown up with or which have been taught to them," said Ms. Alsup.

It is not a small problem. Nine million alcoholics tip the bottle in this country. "And that's a low estimate," said Von Rosenberg. From 25-33 per cent of those are women, added Ms. Alsup.

Social acceptance of drinking is a curtain hiding many who abuse it. "It's been a hidden disease. A disease people didn't talk about. Drinking is such a socially acceptable part of our culture. But anytime there is drunkenness, that is in fact, alcohol abuse," she stated.

It was posed that, according to that definition, half of Big Spring would be alcoholics at some point in their lives.

"Abusers but not alcoholics," Von Rosenberg answered. "An alcoholic is a person whose drinking creates serious life problems. Most of the time, this shows up in the family constellation first."

The woman alcoholic is not easily detected because she is home all day. Once her husband goes to work, she is isolated.

"Her company, the people to catch her, are used to her behavior and adapt to it, until it really gets severe. Many times, by the time we see the housewife, they're really sick. Really sick," said Von Rosenberg. "That's why television can play a big role, because that's often her company."

It is also more difficult for the woman to recover because of her tremendous guilt, they added.

"During a drinking bout, women don't get over these things as easily as men. It has to do with socio-cultural standards. The myths about wives, such as a lady doesn't get drunk, a good wife doesn't talk back to her husband, a good mother doesn't whip her kids and so on," said Ms. Alsup.

"By the time the kids and the husband see this, this has been a pattern that has begun to develop. It doesn't start out with a fifth of whiskey a day. It starts with a little drink here, a little drink there," said Von Rosenberg.

In the recovery process, the spouse should be included, since often they are as in need of help as the alcoholic. Recovery, said the counselors, is very slight unless the spouse is present.

"We have to look at the woman's whole being, her environment, her personality," said Von Rosenberg. "If it's alcoholism, it doesn't go away on its own," he added.

Von Rosenberg said he believes that there is more drinking in this country, more stree in life but it is especially the woman drinker that is on the rise, added Ms. Alsup. "Forty per cent of our funds from Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) go to the woman alcoholic. This is one reason we are clueing in on that problem at this time.

"Alcohol is the oldest drug known really. People find very early that this drug alcohol will reduce anxiety," Ms. Alsup noted.

But the alcohol-given ability to cope is a cruel illusion to the frustrated drunk.

"When you say alcohol reduces anxiety, it reduces the felt anxiety. In terms of research studies, heavy ingestion of alcohol increases anxiety," said Von Rosenberg.

Von Rosenberg further outlined degrees of drinking for the average person.

"You have the social drinker, where their desire to drink is always less than the amount they can tolerate. These people drink for a feeling of well-being or euphoria. They can control their drinking," he said.

"Then you have the social drinker who many have had some kind of illness where there was a break in tolerance due to the physical illness. He had to give up alcohol for the rest of his life, but it isn't a tremendous problem because he hasn't this dependency on it.

"And then we have the heavy social drinker who becomes alcoholic. This is where, in the beginning, desire to drink is lower than the amount the body can tolerate. He or she goes on that way for a period of maybe 10-15 years.



"Most of the time, in early alcoholism, it takes about that long for the disease or illness to manifest itself.

"Suddenly this person is experiencing blackouts, he's getting drunk when he didn't really intend to get drunk. Perhaps he's at a social occasion and all of a sudden his behavior is very bizarre. He can't remember what he did, he makes an ass of himself, he gets drunk. And he can't understand. He begins to wonder what's happened to him," he said.

"Sometimes I think it's a myth that alcoholics drink to escape reality. I think the truth is that they drink to face reality," said Ms. Alsup.

"But in the process they are not facing reality. That's where the two come together. Both are true statements. Their reason for drinking may be to face reality," Von Rosenberg explained.

Ms. Alsup drew a shadow outline of the alcoholic.

"If you could picture this person over a period of years, they become more and more withdrawn and isolated into a world of loneliness, moving into themselves and closing doors as they go.

"They may still be functioning as a housewife, as a reporter or as a president of a company, whatever, but they are kind of isolated and cut off from others. They don't relate to other people and themselves in an equal kind of way. It's either one up or one down," she said.

"As they close the door, they have all these walls of defenses. A prison of their own making. And it's lonely, isolated, with feelings of guilt and remorse. It's like a grenade in a garbage bag that they are carrying around."

Younger people often begin to drink along with friends and reason that since they all do it, it's OK. Even when the drinking gets to be irresponsible and excessive, the reasoning is that the whole group can't be alcoholics.

Another misconception, said Von Rosenberg, is that the alcoholic has to drink more 'than you and I.' People do not equate that it's the effect on that person and what it is doing to his life that is the real measurement.

"There's more awareness today but again, the problem is where do you draw the line. None of us who are in the treatment of alcohol are against drinking per se. And yet, there is a line there, between responsible drinking and irresponsible drinking.

"With young people, they are beginning to develop lifelong patterns at an early age. They begin to develop how they're going to cope. If their drinking is part of the group experience, I'm not sure how bad that is.

"If their drinking becomes a way of living, a way of relating, a way of escaping or facing reality, when they come to the point where they depend on alcohol to get them through the day, and this does happen, I see these people as having problems."

Von Rosenberg said he does not know how to go about preventing alcoholism. He does hope for early detection.

Industries, he said, are now asking supervisors to look for losses in production, people who are chronically late to work and they will identify the alcoholics in the process. "If he feels out along the way, get him some help. Don't excuse him. It's the only thing that is working."

Closer inspection of repeated DWIs might also help, he said. "I personally believe that if we can get to people early, we can teach them responsible drinking, drinking that is geared toward pleasure."

Hines family is bringing the gospel to the road

By CAROL HART

What makes the Gary Hines family different from any other family consisting of a father, mother, three kids and a German Shepard?

The difference is that the family lives in a 29-foot travel trailer that they pull with a van cross-country 52 weeks of the year.

The family has been in Big Spring to participate in services this past week at the Baptist Temple Church, 411 11th Place. The family brings evangelical messages through sermons, puppet shows and magic acts to Southern Baptist Churches across the country. Hines estimated that he and his family are present at about 35 revival meets a year.

Hines compared his family to the traveling circuit riders that carried the gospel by horseback in centuries past. Others have called the family everything from "The Traveling Salvation Show" to "Gypsies for Jesus."

The Hines' children, Jay, Jeff and Charise, are in grades four through six, and are completing their education through correspondence courses offered by the Calvert School in Baltimore, Md. Hines' wife, Cheryl, coordinates the lessons.

Mr. and Mrs. Hines agreed that the life they were leading had much to offer in an educational aspect for their children. Mrs. Hines says the family tries to visit points of interest in each town they stay in. She mentioned that the family recently toured the Washington, D.C. area. She also admitted the stop was exciting for her, as she had never seen the nation's capital. "I've always liked to travel," she added. "This is like being on vacation every week."

Hines said that the family has been in 19 states and Washington, D.C. in the last 15 months. He added that the upkeep on the family vehicles is tremendous, as the group put over 40,000 miles on the van and motor home last year. Hines does all of the driving.

Up until sixteen months ago, Hines left his family at home while he did evangelical work throughout the country. Home was in Garland, where the family still has a permanent mailing address at their family church, the Garland Hill Baptist Church.

"The church members forward everything to us," said Hines. "They keep track of phone calls and letters that we receive. They also have a record of where we should be everyday," he added.

The family spends approximately a week at every church they visit. The family came to Big Spring from Okmulgee, Okla., and will back track to Oklahoma City following their Big Spring stay. After a few days in Oklahoma City, the family will head for Miami, Fla.

"We tell the kids they will probably have Thanksgiving dinner at McDonald's," said Mrs. Hines. "We will be on the road at that time."

The family had never even been on a camping trip before they began their odyssey on the road, said Mrs. Hines. "The Lord has taken care of us," said Mrs. Hines. "We get along great. The Lord changed our needs."

Hines said home for the family sixteen months ago was a townhouse in the Dallas area consisting of three bedrooms, two and half baths and a fireplace. They traded it all for their trailer, van and a life on the road.

They say they have found security with a "strong family unit." "The kids have learned to play together," said Hines. He added that the children have an opportunity to "make many new friends," in the various churches they visit on the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Hines said that the family holds an open house one night a week in almost every parish they visit. "A lot of people don't see how we live like this," said Hines. He said that he believes the family finds it easy to live in this fashion because "we decided on this lifestyle," as opposed to having it thrust upon them. Hines said that the family has learned to "step around things," in the trailer. "The most we expect is a 31-foot trailer some day," said Hines. Mrs. Hines added that her long-range goals are to someday have a trailer large enough for a washer and dryer, and to purchase an ice maker.

The Hines say they encounter very few problems on the road. The family has to shop in different stores every week, with never enough time to memorize where certain items are located. "Washing is a big headache," said Hines. The family does the laundry in washaterias along the road.

"Finding a doctor is hard" because most physicians they call have no openings for new patients. Hines said that if a member of the family becomes ill, they depend on church members in towns they visit to find a doctor for them. The family has had very little illness while on the road, though. Hines said that there has not been any major sickness, but that the children have had occasional "sniffles."

The family has had relatively little trouble in the many miles that they have covered in this country. Hines remembered one time when a passing motorist honked and signaled at the motor home, so Hines pulled off the road. He found that one of the family bikes was missing from the back of the trailer. A man came riding along the interstate toward Hines on the bike shortly after Hines had stopped. The helpful motorist and the bike rider were married, and had teamed up to return the bike after having seen it fall off the trailer.

The Hines are presently expanding their living space, as they are converting the van into a bedroom for the boys, said Hines. He said the family agreed on buying the van-trailer combination so they could have something to drive around in when they stayed in towns. Now they drive around in the "boy's bedroom" said Hines.

The family will be at the Baptist Temple through tonight. Hines said that the group has no plans to stop their lives on the road at present. "We plan to keep it up forever," said Hines. "We love it."



PLOTTING THE ROUTE — Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hines, who along with their three children travel around the country participating in revivals at Baptist Churches 52 weeks a year, plan out the route they will take on the road out of Big Spring.

Harris, Herren wed Saturday evening

Miss Dorletha Gay Harris and Stephen Craig Herren were married Saturday evening in the Wesley United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jene Greer, officiating.

The couple was married in front of an arch covered with foliage, and flanked by sunburst arrngements of mums, gladiolas and carnations. The altar was accented with gold cathedral tapers and palms of jade foliage.

The bride wore a formal-length gown of white organza fashioned with a deep scoop neckline with scalloped Chantilly lace, and sheer bishop sleeves with a lace cuff. A double row of Chantilly lace extended down the front of the empire bodice and down the full A-line skirt. It extended around to the back. The detachable chapel-length train accented with a large Dior bow flowed from the back waistline. The headpiece was a matching lace edged chapel length veil of illusion.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white roses centered with white orchids.

Mrs. Mike Robertson served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Corky Harris, sister-in-law of the bride; Mrs. Bill Johnson, cousin of the bride; Mrs. Robert Herren, sister-in-law of the groom, and Mrs. David Whitten.

Miss Delynda Johnson, cousin of the groom, was also a bridesmaid.

Bestman was Alfred Herren, father of the groom. Groomsmen were Corky Harris, brother of the bride, Mark Massingill, Robert Herren, brother of the groom, Gary Thea, uncle of the groom, and Kevin Johnson, cousin of the groom.

Miss Jennifer Johnson, cousin of the bride was flower girl.

Ring bearer was Heith Stuteville.

The couple will reside in Big Spring following a wedding trip to San Angelo.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School, and attended Howard College and Texas Tech University. She graduated from the Commercial College of Lubbock. She is employed as a secretary at the Big Spring State Hospital.

The groom graduated from Sands High School and is employed at Harris Lumber and Hardware in Big Spring.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bertis M. Harris, Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Herren, Ackerly.

A reception was held following the ceremony. The table was covered with a white floor-length cloth overlayed with white Chantilly lace. Centered was the bride's cake with a splashing fountain incircled with fresh flowers. The appointments were silver and crystal. The groom's table was covered with a brown floor-length linen cloth centered with a brown candle arrangement. Appointments were china and brass.

The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner Nov. 19 in the Patio Room of the Holiday Inn.



MRS. STEVEN CRAIG HERREN

Clicks pass 50th year

Mr. and Mrs. K.L. Click will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house from 2-5 p.m. Sunday Nov. 21 in their home, 4213 Dakota, Odessa.

Mary Elizabeth Murphy and Kenneth Lee Click were married in the First Church of Christ in Colorado City Nov. 24, 1926. Rev. J.D. Harvey officiated at the double wedding ceremony for Mary Murphy, K.L. Click, the late J.E. Murphy and Johnnie Brasier.

Mary and K.L. Click have spent the 50 years in various parts of Texas doing everything from farming to washing dishes. For almost 25 years, Big Spring has been their home. Click was in the sand and gravel business while his wife operated the "Tot and Teens" store, then called the Mary Jo Dress Shop.

After their retirement, the Clicks ran the Coahoma Drug Store and Click's Cafe. They spent two years in Ruidoso, New Mexico, while Click worked for the city. Mrs. Click then operated the House of Shoes. They are now retired and living in Odessa.

The Clicks have one son, Menvil Lee Click, who finished high school in Big Spring and now lives in Hobbs, New Mexico, in the printing business.

They also have one great-grandson, one step-great-grandson, two grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.



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Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Puga celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church with a dinner and reception following the evening mass Saturday night.

The couple was married Nov. 20, 1926 at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Big Spring. The late Father Frances officiated. Parents of the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Puga Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Armendarez, all deceased.

Children and grandchildren of the couple hosted the affair. The couple has five children, nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Children hosting the event were Mrs. Elvira Arsiaga, Mrs. Eloise Mendez, Joe A. Puga, Mrs. Emma Brown and Mrs. Mary Helen Martinez.

Grandchildren hosting the event were Alponse Mendez Jr., El Paso; Mrs. Christine DeLeon, Joey Puga, Miss Clara Jean Brown, Jim Brown, Ricky Nunez, Miss Belinda Puga and Roy Puga.

Great-grandchildren of the couple are Dickie DeLeon Jr. and Michael Mendez.



MR. AND MRS. JESUS PUGA



MR. AND MRS. WALTER BELL

Creative homemakers hold social

The Creative Homemakers Home Demonstration club met Tuesday night in the Flame Room.

Mrs. Janice Rabenaldt, consumer information specialist for the Pioneer Natural Gas Co., serving Midland and Big Spring, presented the program on "Christmas Breads around the World."

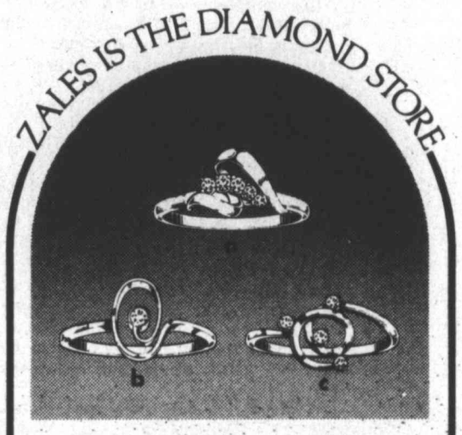
Following the program, the group held a business meeting. Dec. 1 was set as the deadline for the Handicrafts gifts for the State Hospital Bazaar to be completed. Miss Janet Sargent, county extension agent, announced plans for a South Plains Development of Family Living workshop to be held sometime in March in Lubbock. Topics to be included are inlaws, dating, discipling children and marriage.

The club welcomed Mrs. Ester Lopez and Mrs. Fabienne Bogle as new members. Mrs. Alicia Perez was welcomed as a guest. All members were reminded of the next meeting, which is Dec. 14 in the Reddy Room at Texas Electric Co. Microwave cooking will be discussed.

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Bells celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary Nov. 20th. They were married November 20, 1926 by Rev. W.J. Meads of Bryan, Texas.

They are both natives of Brazos County. Their one son, Henry Bell, lives in Big Spring. The Bell's moved from Bryan to San Angelo in 1945 then to Big Spring in 1961 where they have resided since. Mr. Bell is a retired carpenter.

Mr. Bell is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W.M. (Willie) Bell. Mrs. Bell is the daughter of Mrs. Wade H. (Granny) Jones. Bell has two brothers, and two sisters, Caluin Bell of Bryan, Elmo Bell of Calwell, Mrs. Ruby Cannon of Calwell and Mrs. S.T. Martin of San Marcos.

Mrs. Bell has three brothers and one sister, Mr. Harlie Pearson of Bryan, Mr. Taylor Willigham of College Station, Mr. Edgar Jones of Belton and Mrs. Fred Swan of Bryan.

The Bells will spend their anniversary with their son, Henry, and his wife Shirley.



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NCO Wives hold social

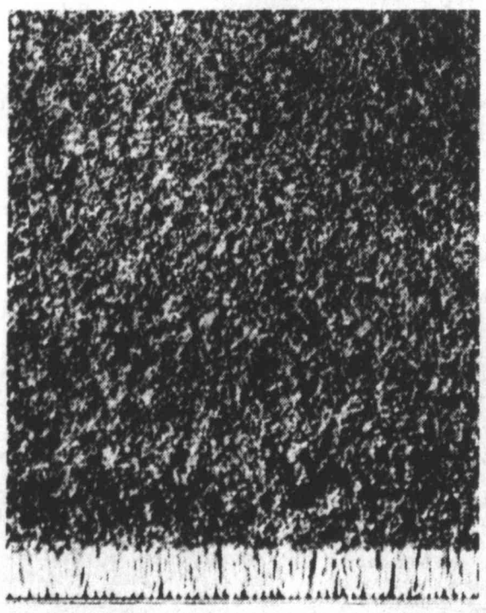
Members of the NCO Wives Club at Webb AFB voted to provide three turkeys to Thanksgiving baskets for needy families. The NCO Leadership School Class 77-B is gathering the food together as its community service project.

At their meeting recently, the wives club announced it has a Santa Claus suit available for rent. Donna Archer, at 263-1807, has more information.

A monthly social is scheduled by the group Nov. 27 in the NCO club. It is for all members of the NCO club and their wives. On the menu will be hamburgers, baked beans and potato salad.

Tickets for the social are $1 per person.

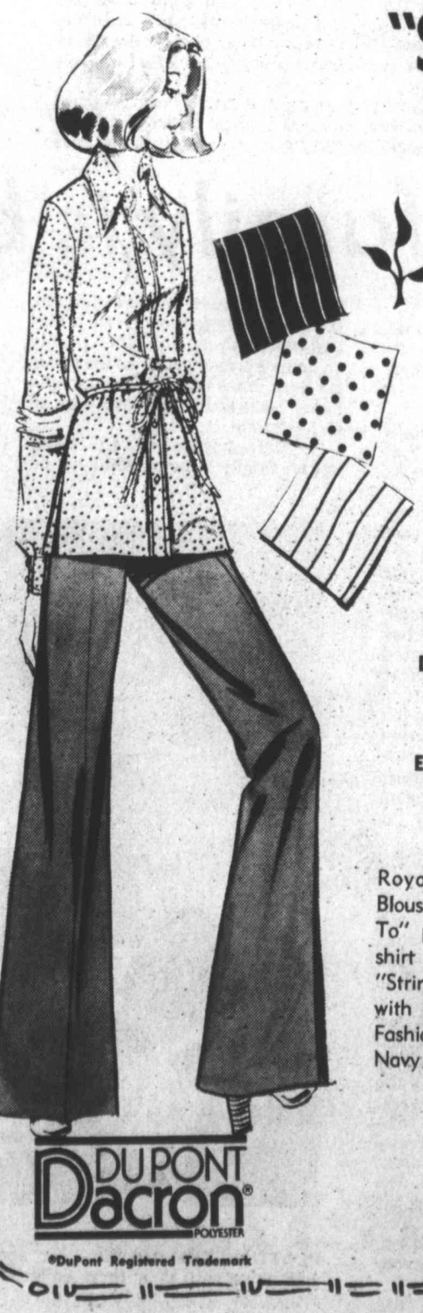
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Caton, Gill betrothed

Miss Ann Katherine Caton and Lt. Michael William Gill were united in marriage Nov. 20 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Big Spring. The Rev. Harland B. Birdwell officated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Judge and Mrs. Ralph W. Caton of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. William E. Gill of Marietta, Ohio.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of ivory organza fashioned with a bodice featuring a yoke of ivory peau d' ange lace, which also formed the wedding band neckline and adorned the long, fitted sleeves of sheer organza. Lace flowers enhanced the center, while a trim of peau d' ange created a panel effect on the front of the A-line skirt. The chapel-length train was scattered with appliques of lace flowers. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses, spider mums, baby's breath, and sprigs of fresh eucalyptus.

Miss Marguerite Gill of Marietta, sister of the bridegroom, was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Sue Garrett, Nancy Courington, and Mary Ellen Guess of Big Spring. Also Miss Lynn Nicosia of Houston and Miss Carolyn Roane of Gorman. All carried bouquets of white spider mums and feathered carnations, accented with jade and mint ribbons.

Best man was Lt. Barry Ketchie of Williams AFB, Phoenix, Arizona. Groomsmen were Lt. John Wissman, Lt. David Pratt, Lt. Bruce Fritzsche, Lt. William Thompson, and Lt. Thomas Peterson, all of Webb AFB, Big Spring. Ushers were Carl Caton, brother of the bride, and Kirk Mancill. Dale Brown served as Acolyte.

Nupital music was provided by Mrs. Don Newsom, soloist, and Miss Annabeth Deats, who also played piano selections for the reception held in the parish hall immediately following the ceremony. Guests were registered by Mrs. Jack Little.

Silver and crystal appointments decorated the bride's table, which was centered with a bouquet of roses and white spider mums, arranged in a cut glass pitcher, a wedding gift to the grandparents of the bride, Mrs. William O. Caton, and the late Mr. Caton of Waco, Texas. A brass coffee service highlighted the groom's table which was laid with a gold cloth and overlaid with a square of chocolate brown.

After a trip to Denver and Colorado Springs, the couple will reside briefly in Big Spring and Alamagordo, New Mexico, before making their home at MacDill AFB, Tampa, Florida, the bridegroom's future assignment.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School and a Summa Cum Laude graduate of Howard College.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Copley High School in Akron, Ohio. He earned a degree from the U.S. Air Force Academy. He graduated October 21, from pilot training at Webb AFB.

Members of the houseparty were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Acri, Miss Roni Acri, the Rev. and Mrs. Harland B. Birdwell, Messers and Mesdames Roger Brown, Wade Choate, John Cobean, John R. Coffee, Wesley Deats, Louis Dunnam, Bill Estes, John Fort Jr., Robert Fuller, Don Grantham, Clyde Hollingsworth, Joe Horton, James Lancaster, Jack Little, Jerry Mancill, Richard Richardson, Jerry Spence, Dealon Stanley, Jimmy Ray Smith, Bill M. Sheppard, Marvin Standefer, Jr., Mrs. Murphy Thorp, Mrs. Horace Garrett and Ms. Katie Weber.

The rehearsal dinner was held Friday evening at the Brandin' Iron Inn. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Williams E. Gill and Judge and Mrs. Ralph W. Caton.



MRS. MICHAEL W. GILL

Brunch for Gay Harris

Miss Gay Harris was honored Saturday morning with a brunch in the home of Mrs. Corky Harris, sister-in-law of the bride.

The brunch was served buffet style from a table covered with a gold linen cloth and centered with fresh fall flowers. Appointments were silver, china and crystal.

Guest were seated at tables covered in white and centered with fall arrangements.

Miss Harris and Steve Herren were married Saturday evening in the Wesley United Methodist Church.

Miss Taylor honored

A bridal coffee was held for Miss Cindy Taylor, bride-elect of Gerry" Bohnfalk, Saturday, Nov, 20 in the home of Mrs. Auriel LaFond.

Hostesses for the coffee were Mrs. Louise McAdams and Mrs. Ed Corson. The bride-elect was given a chafing dish with a permanant arrangement of fall flowers.

The coffee was served from a polished wood table using brass appointments. Special guests were Mrs. O. B. Cave of Stanton and Mrs. Lillian Stulting, grandmother of the bride.

Engagement is set

Mr. and Mrs. Roberto Torres of San Angelo announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Myrna Torres, to Jose Guadalup Arguello, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose G. Arguello, Sr. of Big Spring.

The bride-elect is a graduate of San Angelo Central High School. She has attended San Angelo University and is now a student at Lamar University in Beaumont.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Big Spring High School and a graduate of Texas A&M University.

The couple will be married Dec. 31 in the St. Mary's Catholic Church of San Angelo.



ENGAGED — Mrs. Hervert N. Overby of Stanton announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Mary, to Gary Henson, son of Dwain Henson of Stanton and Mrs. Ouida Roach of Midland. The wedding date is set for 7 p.m. Dec. 11 in the First United Methodist Church of Stanton. Miss Overby is a senior at Stanton High School this year, Henson is a 1974 graduate of SHS and is employed by the Martin County Country Club.

Bridge results

Winners in the Duplicate Bridge games at the Country Club Wednesday were Mrs. J. H. Fish and Mrs. E. O. Ellington, first, Mrs. Bert Allison and Mrs. Henry Bell, second; Mrs. George Thomas and Mrs. Mary Greenwood, third. Fourth were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parks and Mrs. Travis Reed and Mrs. Fern Durham and Mrs. Ward Hall were fifth.

In Friday's north south division, Mrs. J. H. Fish and Mrs. Adolph Swartz were first; Mrs. E. L. Powell and R. H. Weaver were second and Mrs. Leila Caldwell and Mrs. Ray Tollett were third.

In the east-west division, Mrs. Hays Stripling and Mrs. E. O. Ellington were first; Mrs. Joe Hayden and Mrs. D. A. Brazel were second; and Mrs. Glen Riley and Mrs. R. E. Dobbins, third.

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Miss Virginia Gail Hodges weds Edward R. Thomas

Miss Virginia Gail Hodges and Edward Roland Thomas were united in marriage at 7:30 Nov. 20, at the Highway 80 Church of Christ.

The ceremony was performed by Lloyd Morris under an archway accented with baby's breath and white and pink carnations.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. William B. Hodges of Gail Rt., Big Spring and Mr. Jess J. Gaddy of Shawnee, Oklahoma.

The bride wore a full-length satin gown designed by her mother. It featured lace trimmed bodice with a cathedral train also trimmed in lace. The sleeves were accented by lace cuffs and pearl buttons. The gown featured a lace trimmed, floor-length veil.

The bride carried white carnations and baby's breath.

Mrs. Sherry Waddell of Jacksonville, Ark., sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. The bridemaids were Miss Terri Gilliland, Miss Gayla Mullins, and Miss Cindy Stroud. Airman Neil Shostag served as best man. The groomsmen were Senior Airman Arther Watson, S.A.F.C. Tom Knowles and James Hodges, brother of the bride.

Music was provided by the Hwy. 80 Church of Christ choral group.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School and is presently employed by Airport Elementary School. The groom is a graduate of Bethal High School and Oklahoma Baptist University, and is a sergeant at Webb AFB.

A reception was held for the couple at the fellowship hall following the ceremony. Mrs. Lee Batson of Seminole and Mrs. Carolyn Sides and Mrs. Judy Mullins of Seagraves served at the bride's table.



MRS. EDWARD THOMAS

Miss Carol Duggan honored with shower

Miss Carol Duggan, bride-elect of Don Eggleston, was honored with a bridal shower Monday Nov. 15 in the home of Mrs. Felix Garrett.

Miss Duggan was attired in a brown velvet skirt and beige voile blouse. She was presented with a rust-colored camellia corsage. The bride's mother, Mrs. W. D. Duggan, and the groom's mother, Mrs. B. L. Eggleston, were both presented with yellow camellia corsages.

Refreshments were served from a table laid with a yellow pique cloth over a white linen skirt. Centering the table was a floral arrangement of yellow, orange and brown French astors in eucalyptus foliage.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Ed Shive, Mrs. Howard Stephens, Mrs. Russell Dorsey, Mrs. Willie McDaniel, Mrs. Walter Osborne, Mrs. Martin Staggs, Mrs. W. N. Norred, Mrs. Mabel Beene and Mrs. Frances Zant.

The couple will be married Saturday Nov. 27 in the First United Methodist Church.

Clubhouse

Brownies meet

Brownie Troop 290 met Tuesday, Nov. 16 in the home of Carolyn Kirby, co-leader, to make Thanksgiving turkey centerpieces and Christmas candy. Barbara White, also a co-leader, assisted the girls.

Canned goods were collected at a recent Halloween carnival to be made into a Thanksgiving basket for needy families. The troop is looking for merchants here who would like to donate either a turkey or ham for the basket.

Twelve members were present at the meeting.

Troop 113

The Brownie Troop 113, led by Susie Prater, were hostesses for their parents Monday Nov. 15 at their regular meeting. Special guest speaker was Nita Tarbet.

Mrs. Tarbet, who is deaf, entertained the troop with several anecdotes. She also taught the girls two songs in sign language used by the deaf. Doughnuts, coffee and punch were served by the girls. Also a guest was Sandy Sibilsky, district director of the Girl Scouts.

Knott 4-H Club

The Knott 4-H Club met for a regular session Monday Nov. 15 in the Knott Community Center. The opening pledge and motto were led by Stan and Stacy Parker.

Projects reports were given by Van Gaskins, David Hall and Cole Hunt, Lesli Guitar, secretary, read the past minutes.

The group announced that the Knott Co-op would pay the electricity bill for the Community Center.

A slide presentation on Maine-Anjou Cattle was given by David Hall, who related the origin and attributes of that breed of cattle.

Refreshments were served to 18 members and parents by Mrs. Lloyd Robinson and Mrs. Jerry Hall.

Retired teachers

The Big Spring-Howard County Retired Teachers Association met for a luncheon at the Western Sizzler. Invocation was given by Mr. Martin Landers. Mr. Bill Dawes introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Joe Pickle. Mr. Pickle discussed the recent presidential election. He said that we all must look ahead with hope for the good of our nation. Mrs. Ruth Ingram gave a report on the Texas State Teachers Association District meeting held in Midland. Three new members attended.

Mrs. Ruth Ingram resigned as treasurer of the Retired Teachers Association. The president will appoint one to replace her.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ruth Carter and Mrs. Onieta Hardy.

Next meeting will be Dec. 14.

Chili supper

A chili supper will be conducted at the Kentwood Older Adult Activity Center, 2805 Lynn, on Tuesday.

Those attending will be served chili, coffee, tea and pie for $1.50.

Clubhouse

Ghost stories are related

An old Scottish prayer "From ghoulies and ghosties and long-legged beasties and things that go bump in the night, Good Lord, deliver us!" set the tone for the program given by Mrs. Tom Rountree to members of the 1948 Hyperion Club when they met Nov. 18 at the Big Spring Country Club. Mrs. Z. M. Boykin and Mrs. Hayden Griffith served as hostesses for the affair.

Mrs. Rountree had no interest whatever in ghosts until, as a student at San Angelo College, she was assigned to do a term paper on the subject. As her research progressed she became so interested that she not only did the term paper but has continued her interest to the extent that she is now working on a book to be called "Shadows of the Unseen". She shared with the club many of the experiences to be included in the book.

Ghosts, or the "Unseen", most often appear at births, deaths, marriages or moves to a different home.

In Lubbock there is the 900-year-old Chinese ghost who communicates by means of a board, and can tell the exact location of a person even though he may be hundreds of miles from where he was expected to be. Then there is the story of the glowing rocking chair. And the woman who can move even the heaviest dining room table with her fingers.

One of the stories involved a photograph taken in Midland of three children with three chickens. At intervals other objects show up in the prints of this shot, until now 22 different objects can be identified by a trained eye. The Bermuda Triangle, where at least one ship or plane has reputedly disappeared each week since 1945, is not neglected. The vortex near Moss Creek, and six others in West Texas are mentioned.

The next meeting of the club will be on Dec. 18 in the home of Mrs. Robert Stripling.

Gold Star Mothers

The American Gold Star Mothers met Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. Edna Perkins.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served prior to the opening of the meeting.

Mrs. Huey Rogers, president, presided at the business meeting.

The hospital representative Mrs. T. D. Peacock, reported that 53 patients were served refreshments at the Veterans Hospital on Wednesday. She also reported that old jewelry was needed for the patients doing craft therapy.

The need for good used men's shoes, with leather soles was announced. Chapter Mothers will decorate a Christmas tree in the Recreation room on December 3. Gifts for patients in the Veterans Hospital will be distributed Dec. 20 7 p.m.

Guests for the meeting were Mrs. Vera Bumgarner and Mrs. Lena Blanton.

Mrs. Margaret Barnett, president of the Veterans of Foreign War Auxiliary presented the Chapter with a 50 Star Flag.

The next meeting will be at 9 a.m. Dec. 3 at the Veterans Hospital.

Segrests open house

An open house reception will be held today from 2-5 p.m. in the newly-built home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Segrest, Rocco Road, Sand Springs.

Members of the houseparty are Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Headrick.

Others in the houseparty are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Henry, Miss Becky Headrick and Miss Melanie Headrick.

Diet argued

— A new study shows that highfiber diets do nothing to reduce the high blood cholesterol levels that are thought to be a warning sign of heart disease, a group of researchers said today.

Proponents of the diets argue that a higher than normal intake of natural fibers found in grains and some fruits and vegetables helps to remove cholesterol from the body.

Dr. Malone speaks to group

The Cactus Chapter of the American Business Women's Association met Nov. 15 in Furr's Cafeteria.

Dr. P. W. Malone was introduced by Vonna Lee Cederberg. Malone said he came to Big Spring from the 'hills of Tennessee' in 1930 with $2.54 in his pocket and a great desire to practice medicine.

Malone spoke of the changes in medical practices over the past 46 years, from the 'mustard plaster' for pneumonia to the open heart surgery of today.

Nelda Colclazer spoke on her 11-year tenure with a full service institution. She is employed in the accounting department of the First National Bank. Mrs. Robert F. Penner was a visitor.

Lucille Brown gave a report on the ABWA convention held recently in New Orleans. Fifteen local members attended.

The Cactus Chapter sponsored a Harvest Sale on Saturday Nov. 20 in the Highland Mall. Handmade items and home-baked goods will be available for Christmas shoppers. Following the sale, a drawing for one-half side of beef was held at 6:15 p.m.

A memorial service for Jean Harris, who died Oct. 27, was conducted by Lucille Brown and Bea Bonner. Mrs. Harris has been a Cactus member since 1966. Benediction was given by Nelda Colclazer.

The way we were

The 1930 Hyperion Club held its November meeting in the home of Mrs. Elmo Wasson.

Following the year's theme, "America, the Way We Were," Mrs. M. R. Koger sketched the way of life, politics, and economics of the years 1870 to 1900.

Mrs. Marvin Miller took the centennial year 1876 and told of great fortunes and the rise of high society. Mrs. Robert Middleton presided over a short business meeting.

Xi Pi Epsilon

The Xi Pi Epsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the Big Spring Herald Wednesday evening. Tommy Hart conducted a tour of the building and explained the process of putting together and printing the newspaper.

The chapter then went to the American restaurant for dinner and meeting. The City-wide Pledge Ritual was discussed. It was decided to have a chapter Christmas social December 15th. Mrs. Beth Harry was a guest at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held December 8th in the home of Mrs. Jo Ogle. Mrs. Jennie Cunningham and Mrs. Donna McIntosh will celebrate their birthdays at this meeting. The program "Fine Arts: Literature" will be presented by Mrs. Melba Smith.

Talent fair is scheduled

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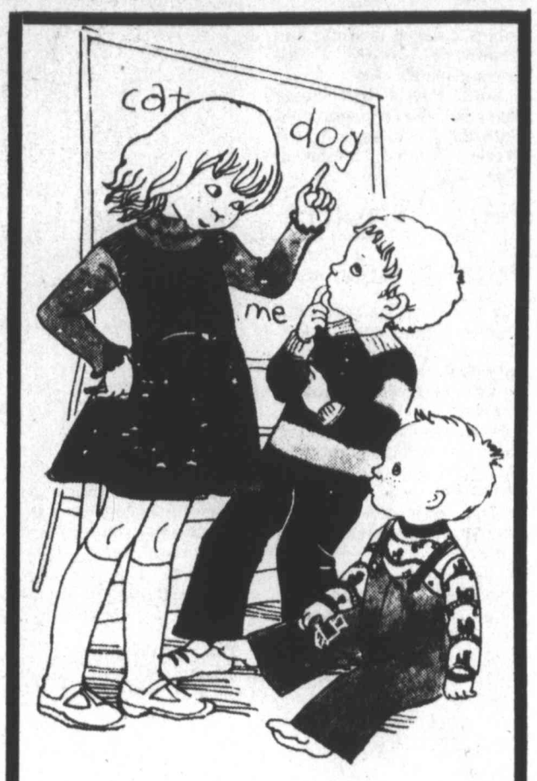
The annual Senior Citizens Talent Fair will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Saturday, December 4th in Highland Center Mall.

The fair, which features all types of articles made by local and area citizens has increased in size each year since its inception in 1971. The sale items include such things as woodwork, baked goods, crocheting, knitting, quilts, carvings, paintings, and all types of arts and crafts.

Senior citizens who wish to display their handicrafts at the fair should call the County Extension Office (home economics) at 267-8469 or the Senior Citizens Center, 263-4016.

Sale prices are set by the individual seller who keeps all of the profit. The fair is sponsored by the Howard County Council on Aging.

The Council was organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes. Its purpose is to study the special needs of older persons, to develop community resources to help meet special needs and to aid other individuals in similarly concerned organizations.



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YOUR BALL OR YOUR HAND — Lonnie Conn, a former resident of Big Spring now living in Lubbock, takes time out to play basketball with his dog, King Dutch Von Ebony, a registered Great Dane.

New secretary, donations announced by Newcomers

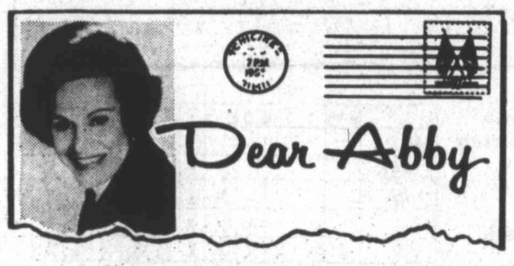
The Newcomers Handicraft Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Marilyn Gormley. Mrs. Estella De La Paz presided, thanking members for buying Christmas gifts to be given to the State Hospital.

Members also agreed to donate items for the Christmas bazaar sponsored by the hospital.

Mrs. Lisa Woodard was elected secretary upon the resignation of Carol Simmons. Mrs. Alicia Perez noted the meeting and instructed members on how to make Santa Claus boots out of felt.

The Christmas party was announced to be held at 8 p.m. Dec. 16 in the K.C. Steak House for members and their husbands. Gifts will be exchanged. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Linda Williams and Jean Murphy.

The next meeting will be Dec. 1 in the home of Mrs. Frances Brown, 48-A Chanute to make plaster of paris logs.



Neighbor closes door on friendless woman

DEAR ABBY: I am a recently retired woman who once enjoyed a successful and fulfilling business career. I've remained single by choice.

I live alone, but I'm far from lonely. I have all the friends I want. I like my privacy and have never encouraged visitors to drop in.

The high-rise in which I live has excellent security, and no one gets into the building without being screened.

One evening about 7:30, there was a knock on my door. I wasn't expecting anyone so I asked who was there. It was a widow who lives on my floor, and with whom I had had only a nodding acquaintance. She said she was "lonely," and didn't know what to do with herself, and asked if she could come in and visit for a while.

I told her politely but bluntly that I was busy, and didn't approve of visitors dropping in without phoning first. (I have an unlisted phone number, which I did not give her.) She apologized for bothering me and left.

Abby, I've always felt that people who intrude on others should be treated with the same lack of consideration they give those upon whom they intrude. I felt quite proud of myself for not getting trapped by a bore who would probably be difficult to get rid of.

The next evening a friend telephoned to ask if I knew the woman in my building who had committed suicide the night before.

If you have already guessed that she was the woman who knocked on my door, you are right.

HARD LESSON LEARNED

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

Art sale coming Nov. 27

The November meeting of the Big Spring Art Association featured a demonstration of "Enamel Painting" by Carolyn Walker of Colorado City.

About 25 members in attendance learned this technique of painting impressionistic type pictures. Mrs. Walker has a gallery and art studio and is well-known in West Texas art circles.

The annual pre-Christmas Art Sale sponsored by the Big Spring Association will be November 27 in Highland Mall. Prices will range from $3. up and the sale will represent the works of many local artists. The public is invited to come to this show and sale the Saturday after Thanksgiving.

Hostesses for the November meeting were Carol Strong, Mary Alexander, and Joyce Kennedy. "Tip Of The Brush" honors went to Martha Conway and Carol Strong whose paintings will be shown during the month of December at State National Bank.

Mrs. Conway recently won a second prize with a painting in the miniature division at a Seminole Art Show. All members of Big Spring Art Association are urged to bring their work and help give Big Spring residents the greatest art show and sale ever held here.

Christmas party

Plans were made for a Christmas party and a crafts meeting Thursday Nov. 18 during the annual Thanksgiving dinner of the Elbow Club in Furr's Cafeteria.

The dinner was a 'no hostess' affair with a fall flower arrangement on the table. Mrs. Joyce Soles gave the devotional. Mrs. R. W. Dolan won the door prize.

The Christmas party will be held Dec. 2 in the home of Mrs. Herman Fowler. White elephant gifts will be brought to exchange. A bead craft demonstration will be given by Mrs. Sybil Duffer.

After Five Garden Club

The After Five Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. E. C. Shive on Nov. 16. Mrs. Henry Dirks, president, presided.

The program was given by Mrs. Doris Crane of the D&M Garden Center. The topic was "Hanging Baskets." She discussed the types, growth, feeding and the different mixtures of plants that make an interesting and different hanging basket arrangement.

Mrs. Lavetta Lee, a guest, was introduced. Refreshments were served to all present.

The next meeting is 7 p.m. Dec. 21 in the home of Mrs. J. E. Smith. It will be the traditional Christmas meeting. A pot luck supper is planned.

Irish mixed marriage ends in violence

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Two gunmen burst into Gerald Masterson's Belfast home last May and shot him five times as he lay in bed with his wife.

Masterson, a 35-year-old Roman Catholic metal worker, died instantly.

"There seems little doubt that he was shot simply because he broke the rules and married a Protestant woman," a police source commented.

Masterson was slain in North Belfast, a notorious killing ground for rival Catholic and Protestant assassination squads. More than 50 persons have been murdered there this year alone.

It was the second time gunmen had attacked Masterson. He and his 33-year-old wife moved to North Belfast's Catholic quarter last year after an earlier abortive assassination bid.

The authorities do not know whether Masterson was slain by Protestants or Catholics. It doesn't really matter. Extremists on both sides in this British province, torn by sectarian warfare for more than seven years, disapprove of marriages across the religious divide.

Couples who defy the unwritten rules against mixed marriages normally are snubbed by families, friends and neighbors. That's the least they can expect.

"Couples have to be very sure of themselves to go through something like this," said a counsellor who works with the fledgling Northern Ireland Mixed Marriages Association (NIMMA), an organization of lay volunteers and clergymen who advise and comfort couples who love well but not wisely.

The attitudes to mixed marriages have long been set by the rival churches in Ireland. Both Protestant and Catholic churches frown on such marriages.

One of the major obstacles the Catholic church had put in the way of mixed marriages was to insist that the non-Catholic partner gives a formal undertaking to bring up any children in the Catholic faith.

The Vatican modified that ruling in 1966. Four years later Pope Paul decreed that non-Catholics no longer need make such a promise.

But the Irish bishops, including those in Northern Ireland where Catholics for centuries have considered their religion threatened by the Protestant majority, have shown a marked reluctance to follow that ruling.

A Protestant minister is as likely to refuse to marry a mixed couple as is a Catholic priest, said the NIMMA official, who declined to be identified.

Railway employees

The National Association of Retired and Veteran Railway Employes met at Kentwood Center at 6:00 p.m. Thursday for a turkey dinner and a business meeting. J.T. Gilmore, first vice president presided.

J.H. Eastham, president, resigned due to his health and doctor's orders.

J.T. Culpepper was elected second vice president.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Butler were welcomed as new members.

Mrs. Oliver Clark of Opeolusas, Louisiana was a visitor.

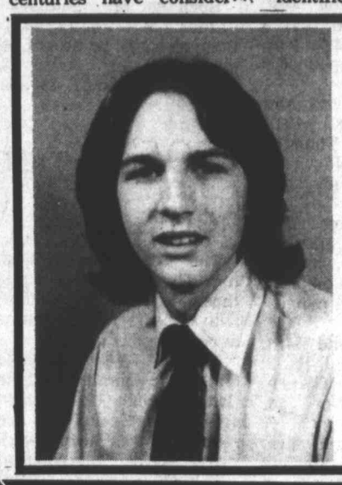
Music by Pete Jensin's Group followed the business meeting.

Hostesses were J. T. Anderson, W.H. McCanless, J.H. Parks, L.S. Bonner, Vera Sandlin, B.N. Boroughs, J.H. Eastham and C.G. Barnett.

Next meeting will be at the KOAC 7:00 p.m. Dec. 18.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Oliva, 803 N. Scurry, a boy, John Anthony, at 1 p.m. Nov. 16, weighing 6 pounds, 6½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Santos Martinez, Box 94, Garden City, a boy, Noe, at 4:56 a.m. Nov. 19, weighing 8 pounds, 1¼ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chavarria, 207 Galveston, a boy, Albert Jr., at 6:20 p.m. Nov. 17, weighing 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

HALL BENNETT

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Martinez Salgado, 203 Presidio, a boy, David, at 2:18 p.m. Nov. 14, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd William Duncan, 2504 Lynn, a girl, Heather Ann, at 1:14 a.m. Nov. 17, weighing 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

MEDICAL ARTS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joaquin Barraza, Rt. 1, Ackerly, a girl, Kelly Lynn, at 5:05 p.m. Nov. 12, weighing 10 pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Martinez, 406 S. Benton, a girl, Connie, at 9:55 a.m. Nov. 13, weighing 6 pounds, 2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Turner, 303 NE 11th, a boy, Antrone Aziz, at 3:10 a.m. Nov. 18, weighing 6 pounds, 6 ounces.

MALONE-HOGAN

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mason, 2200 41st St., Snyder, a girl, Mary Cathryn, at 3:46 p.m. Nov. 12, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, 176 B Fairchild, a boy, Kevin Ismael, at 11:55 p.m. Nov. 14, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Dale Langford, 611 Caylor, a girl, Shannon Michelle, at 5:35 p.m. Nov. 14, weighing 3 pounds, 14 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Leos, 1503 W. 2nd, a boy, Thomas, at 12:23 p.m. Nov. 13, weighing 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

Born to SSgt. and Mrs. Gecover Godwin, 124A Barksdale, a girl, Toinette, at 8:22 a.m. Nov. 15, weighing 6 pounds, 8½ ounces.

Born to Sgt. and Mrs. Byron Fleming, 4000 W. Hwy. 80, No. 110, a boy, Kenneth Elliot, at 8:48 a.m. Nov. 16, weighing 9 pounds, 3½ ounces.

Born to A1C and Mrs. Phelan R. Bjorklund, Rt. 2, Box 26N, a boy, Lloyd Aven, at 11:49 a.m. Nov. 16, weighing 9 pounds.

Born to Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Landreth, Sterling City Route, Box 135 B.G., a girl, Michelle Lea, at 2:57 p.m. Nov. 16, weighing 5 pounds, 14 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Key, Star Route, Box 76, Ira, a boy, Wesley Reagan, at 9:26 a.m. Nov. 17, weighing 8 pounds, 9½ ounces.

Born to TSgt. and Mrs. Larry E. Mack, 220 B. Langley, a boy, Gregory Lamont, at 1:02 p.m. Nov. 17, weighing 6 pounds, 11 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lynn McDaniel, 1319 Mulberry, a girl, Jo Nell, at 11:58 p.m. Nov. 17, weighing 4 pounds, 2¾ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, 3709 Connally, a girl, Jennifer Michelle, at 5:35 a.m. Nov. 18, weighing 7 pounds, 10½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James M. Young, 2714 Central, a girl, Kristina Lyn, at 8:22 a.m. Nov. 18, weighing 6 pounds, 13 ounces.

Forsan Report

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Barron have just returned from Covington where they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Cohorn, who have a new daughter.

Mrs. J.H. Cardwell has just returned from Dallas where she visited with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Camp have just returned from Skaitook Oklahoma where they had a delightful visit with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brunton, Patty and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Henry attended funeral services for Mr. Henry's uncle Mr. Walter Henry which was held at Rising Star, Texas, Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. V.E. Phillips were in Colorado City recently to help celebrate their great-grandson's 5th birthday. The grandson is Jonathon Whitehead. Mr. and Mrs. V.E. phillips and their daughter Mr.s Ervia Bridge visited in Post, Texas recently with Mrs. Bridge's mother-in-law and father-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Walter Josey.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Park this weekend were two of their sons and their families.

Mrs. V.E. Phillips has been asked to be a judge of the Martin County 4-H Food Show which is to be held at the Cap Rock Building in Stanton at 2:00 p.m. Saturday.

The Pioneer Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Henry Park Nov. 16 at 2 p.m. with 12 members present. The president read a letter from the State Hospital thanking the club members for the gifts for the hospital to be distributed to the Mountain View Lodge to be given to the patients at Christmas. The next meeting which is to be the Christmas party will be Friday Dec. 17 at 2:00 p.m. at the ranch home of Mrs. C.V. Wash.

The Dorcas Class of The Forsan Baptist Church met Nov. 9 at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J.H. Cardwell.

Mrs. J.W. Overton gave the devotion, Mrs. Painter brought the lesson which was taken from the Book of Hebrews and Mrs. H.C. Hassel worded the closing prayer. There were seven members present. Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned. The next meeting which is to be the Christmas party is to be at the ranch home of Mrs. J.W. Overton 2:00 p.m. Dec. 9.

Cafeteria menus

MONDAY — Steak and catsup; spinach; carrot and raisin salad; hot rolls; milk; syrup and butter.

TUESDAY — Western burgers; buttered corn; green beans; milk; peaches.

WEDNESDAY — Stuffed weiners; blackeyed peas; buttered potatoes; bread; milk; fruit cup.

Thursday, Nov. 25, Friday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving holidays.

FORSAN SCHOOL

MONDAY — Spaghetti and meat; blackeyed peas; salad; cinnamon crispies; fruit; milk.

TUESDAY — Pinto beans; corn dogs; spinach; corn bread; strawberry shortcake; milk.

WEDNESDAY — Turkey and dressing; mashed potatoes; sweet peas; fruit salad; bread; cranberry sauce; milk.

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WESTBROOK BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Rice Crispie bars; orange juice; milk.

TUESDAY — Sugar Frosted Flakes; orange juice; milk.

WEDNESDAY — Toast, jelly; rice; orange juice; milk.

Thursday, Nov. 25, Friday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving holidays.

WESTBROOK LUNCH

MONDAY — Corn dogs, mustard; corn bread; pork and beans, spinach; peanuts, milk.

TUESDAY — Turkey and dressing; sliced bread; giblet gravy, cranberry sauce; green beans; fruit cup; milk.

WEDNESDAY — Beef stew with vegetables; cheese or peanut butter sandwiches; carrot sticks; prune cake, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 25, Friday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving holidays.

BIG SPRING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

MONDAY — Italian spaghetti; cut green beans; chilled sliced peaches; hot rolls; ginger bread; milk.

TUESDAY — Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce; candided yams; early June peas; hot rolls; pumpkin pie, whipped topping; milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hamburger; French fries; pinto beans; brownies; milk.

Thursday, Nov. 25, Friday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving holidays.

RUNNELS, GOLIAD AND SENIOR HIGH

MONDAY — Italian spaghetti or bar b. q. weiners; buttered corn; cut green beans; chilled sliced peaches; hot rolls; ginger bread; milk.

TUESDAY — Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce or baked ham; candied yams; early June peas; celery sticks; hot rolls; pumpkin pie, whipped topping; milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hamburger mr tuna salad; French fries; pinto beans; lettuce and tomato salad; corn bread; brownies; milk.

Thursday, Nov. 25, Friday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving holidays.

COAHOMA SCHOOL

MONDAY — Roll your own sandwiches; French fries; lettuce, tomatoes, and pickles; pear cobbler; milk.

TUESDAY — Turkey and dressing; giblet gravy; early June Peas and new potatoes; cranberry sauce; hot rolls; fruit cup; butter; milk.

WEDNESDAY — Corn dogs; ranch style beans; turnip greens; light bread; milk; glazed applesauce cake.

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ELBOW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

1905 Hyperion club hears Mrs. W.T.Barber

The 1905 Hyperion Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. D. Elliott with Mrs. Garner McAdams as co-hostess.

Mrs. W. T. Barber spoke on "Crime, Criminal and the Courts: Hands Up." "Law, science, and religion," are required, Mrs. Barber said.

Mrs. Barber quoted from statistics compiled from reports of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reports of the President's Commission on Law, and other reliable sources.

"Today," she said the prevailing mood in the United States is one of bewilderment, and the question of concern is 'what can be done?' One difficulty, Mrs. Barber explained, is that as a whole crime cannot be analyzed and described since there are so many different kinds of crime; for example, she mentioned bribing public officials, fraud in food stamps, embezzlement, the public nuisance like the drunk lying in the ditch. She pointed out that a criminal justice cannot take action until the act becomes a crime. One underlying problem of crime is the pursuit of the dollar by any means. A trend most prominent according to FBI reports is an increasing number of young people who become juvenile delinquents because parental authority is almost non-existent any more in the home; although our country, she said, was founded upon and relied upon parental authority which aimed toward having the young people fit themselves into society, peacefully and usefully.

The emerging consensus included a closer look at laws with courts, sentences aiming toward fewer laws and better law enforcement; a revised bail system to increase fairness; more judges and judges to spend more time on the job; and other forward steps planned over a period of ten years.

Mrs. Rogers Hefley, vice-president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Hayes Stripling reported on the needs of girls at the Whiteface campus of Girlstown, especially clothes.

The club will meet on December 16 at the country club. Mrs. R. W. Currie and Mrs. Hefley will be co-hostesses. The program topic to be presented by Mrs. J. C. Pickle will be "A Christmas Dream of Reality."



QUEEN CONTESTANT — Miss Regina Nelle Arons, San Angelo, will represent 18 counties in this area at the Texas Farm Bureau Queen Contest Dec. 6 at the Tarrant County Convention Center in Ft. Worth. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley G. Arons. Regina will compete with 11 other district winners for the state crown. She is the reigning Tom Green County and District 6 Farm Bureau Queen.

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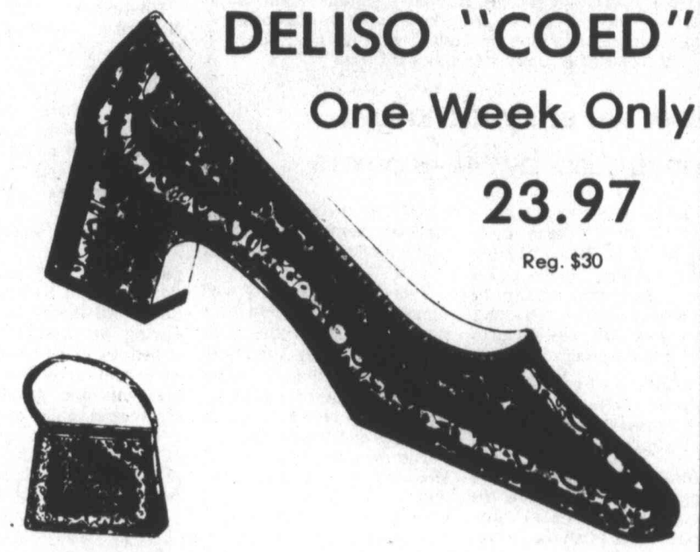
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Western Characters

with Marj Carpenter





The two stars that came in here this week pushing the movie "Pony Express" are both more than supporting actors.

They're both characters in their own right. The two people shown above with this fence rider are Stan Reid and Ace Reid. Stan is not one of the actors. He was traveling along with his dad, Ace, shown on the right, who happens to be an old friend of mine.

Ace Reid was reared as a cowboy and always says he got his education in 4,000 acres of old pasture in the school of drought and hard knocks.

After years of shocking wheat, breaking horses and yes — riding fences on his father's ranch at Electra, he decided it was easier to draw cowboys than to be one.

He was raised during the drought of the '50s and said he was grown before he ever saw a fat cow. This may account for the lean animals and the hungry look on the faces of Jake and Zeb, his favorite characters in his cartoon which is called 'Cowpokes.'

Reid and his wife, Madge and son, Stan, live on the Draggin S Ranch near Kerrville. Ace laughingly admits "I have to cartoon to afford it."

Stan has gone to school in Mexico, served a hitch in the Navy and lived for a while in Spain. He's an expert at Spanish. He and our Cuban photographer, Danny Valdes, had a conversation, in which they were the only two who knew what they were talking about.

You can tell that Ace is proud of Stan and Stan is proud of Ace. It's kind of nice. Ace plays a part of Bullfrog in the movie.

The other actor who was here that is in that movie is James Almanzar. We have already said in another article that he played bad guy parts in lots of Gunsmoke series as well as other television shows.

He said he was raised around Las Vegas, N.M. until he was 12 when his family moved to San Pedro, Calif.

"I was a trouble maker in high school," he recalls "and I took a course in drama my senior year to get out of English. The teacher tried to make a deal with me. He told me if I would sit on the back row and shut up that he would give me a 'C.' It made me mad, so I really started trying to act and found out I liked it."

Later, Almanzar went to the Pasadena Playhouse and really became seriously interested in drama. He's been acting ever since.

Last summer when Buck Taylor, who played Newlie in Gunsmoke was over in Midland, he was already talking about this picture show.

The show may be great and it may not. But the guys in it are sure a bunch of characters and as enthusiastic a group as I ever saw in my life.

The whole durn bunch has played cowboy half their lives in Gunsmoke, or Bonanza or some of those films. They have actually turned into a bunch of western characters. And they durn near all live on ranches from Montana to Texas.

Anyway, whether they've ridden real fences like Ace or are ridin' fences now in Montana like Buck, or whatever, they are a fun group. And I enjoy it every time I run across them — while out ridin' fence.

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Farm

Cotton harvest hits snag

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — The coldest weather of the season blanketed Texas during the past weekend and brought an abrupt halt to farming activities, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service said Saturday.

Before the cold snap, farmers in western areas and in the Plains had been busy harvesting, with the cotton harvest in full swing, said Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, director of the extension service.

Heavy snows provided valuable moisture for wheat and other small grains in western sections and the Plains, Pfannstiel said. The moisture was especially needed in the Panhandle.

Harvesting of some fall vegetables and citrus continued in the Rio Grande Valley and in the San Antonio-Winter Garden area. However, some operations were still hampered by wet fields.

Livestock are generally in good shape over the state, said Pfannstiel. Marketings have increased in eastern counties and in some other locations as stockmen are culling herds before the winter season set in. However, prices are under pressure. Some stocker cattle are moving onto wheat fields in western areas although grazing conditions are bleak in the Rolling Plains.

Reports from district Extension agents showed the following conditions.

PANHANDLE: The cotton harvest is near the halfway point with trailers stacking up at gin yards. Corn and sorghum harvesting is about complete, and the sugar beet harvest is past the halfway point. Carrots are ready to harvest in Deaf Smith County. Wheat is making some growth. Some stockers continue to move to what fields.

SOUTH PLAINS: The cotton harvest is about 25 per cent complete and harvesting of sunflowers is in the final stages. The sugar beet harvest is near the halfway mark, with yields and sugar content good. Wheat looks good, and the moisture from the snow should boost growth.

ROLLING PLAINS: The sorghum harvest is nearly complete but the cotton harvest has yet to really get into full swing. Early cotton yields have been better than expected. Mung beans in Wilbarger County are yielding 200 to 500 pounds per acre. Pecan yields are light. A considerable acreage of wheat remains to be planted.

NORTH CENTRAL: About 10 per cent of the cotton is still out, with 15 per cent of the peanut crop still in the field and the soybean harvest about 20 per cent complete. Pecans are being harvested but the crop is short. Planting of wheat and oats is nearing completion, with early fields making good growth.

NORTHEAST: Some sorghum is still being harvested; yields are average. The sweet potato harvest is complete; yields were generally good. A light pecan crop is being harvested. Wheat and oats are providing grazing; clover is making good growth. Livestock marketing is heavy; feeding of hay and supplement is under way.

FAR WEST: Freezing weather reduced production of bell peppers and tomatoes from 10 to 50 per cent and also hurt sorghum yields.

Commercial vegetable production declines

AUSTIN — According to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, commercial summer vegetable production throughout the U.S. declined three per cent during 1976, and overall, Texas vegetable production declined, too.

Agriculture Commissioner John C. White noted that increases in production were recorded for green peppers and tomatoes, while watermelons remained the same.

Declines in production occurred for cantaloupes, carrots and cucumbers.

Green pepper harvest on the High Plains began in early August and continued into October. Farmers reported having problems with Mosaic disease. Production increased from only 99,000 hundredweight (cwt.) in 1975 to 116,000 cwt. this year. Although yield per acre dropped slightly from last year, an increase in acreage from 1,500 in 1975 to 1,900 in 1976 helped increase production.

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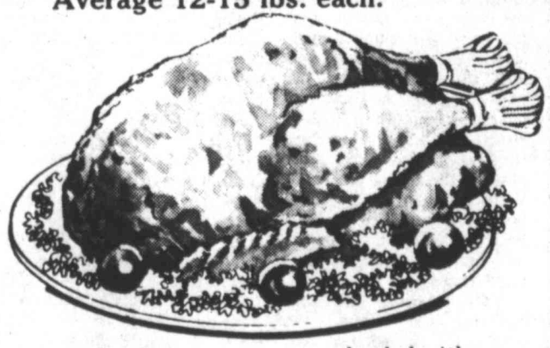
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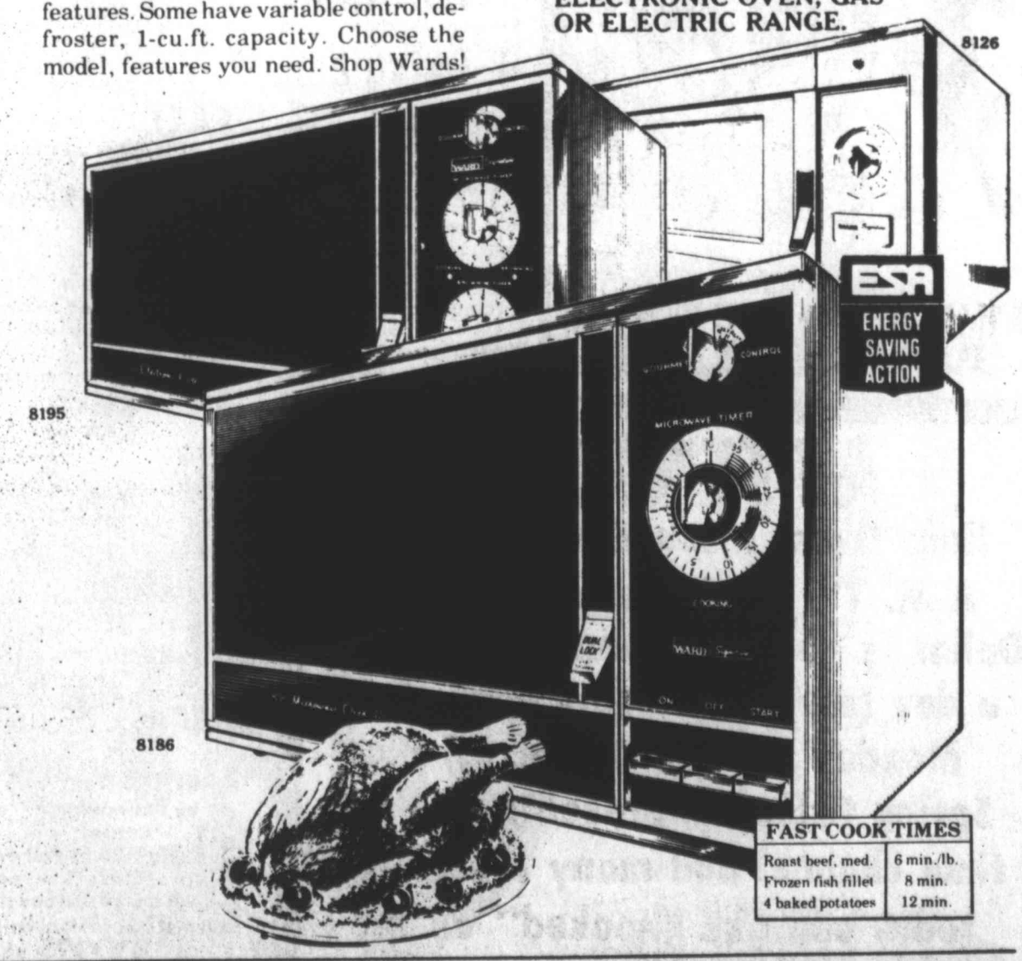
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No fan of Jules Verne can afford to miss the latest biography, written by his own grandson, Jean Jules-Verne. The elder Verne destroyed all his personal files in 1898, but his grandson used letters and contemporaries' memoirs to demonstrate how the great novelist's stories actually evolved. He also relates Vernes' work to world events of that era, such as the American Civil War.

If mystery is your cup of tea, investigate "Bloodhounds of Heaven" by Ian Ousby. The author reveals how the detectives portrayed in British fiction differed from their real-life counterparts, and how they slowly evolved from rogues to heroes. Read how Conan Doyle transformed his legendary Holmes through almost 30 years of development.

Would you like to know about the voracious "number-cruncher"? Digest "Computer Power and Human Reason" by Joseph Weizenbaum. It attempts to delineate not only what the computer can do, but what it cannot and should not be "asked" to do — for example, to solve complex problems in human psychology.

Turning to history, John Keegan's "The Face of Battle" looks at the lot of the common soldier in war, focusing on three landmark battles: Agincourt, Waterloo, and the Somme. A reviewer of the Sunday Times (London) called it "one of the half-dozen best books on warfare to appear . . . since the end of the Second World War."



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Walton family

John-Boy, grandma call it quits

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Television's "The Waltons," like a real life family, is having to cope with illness and change. "Ellen Corby, who plays grandma on the popular series, suffered a stroke recently and was reported in stable condition.

Richard Thomas, who stars on the CBS show as "John-Boy," announced the same day that he would not return next year. His five-year contract with Lorimar Productions expires in January.

Miss Corby, 63, a three-time Emmy winner for her role, will be written out of episodes filmed during her recuperation, said a spokesman for Lorimar.

"Those shows will reflect the fact that Grandma is in the hospital," said Ira Teller, a spokesman for the producers. Grandma was hospitalized earlier this season during one episode.

Fifteen shows for the current season have already been filmed and seven remain to be made.

As for Thomas, "His contract is up," said Teller. "Richard does want to leave 'The Waltons' and try his talent in other areas. That does not mean Richard might not come back as a special guest on special shows."

The final show for this season has John-Boy completing a novel and moving to New York to become a professional writer.

The series was created by Earl Hamner, who based it on his own experiences growing up in rural America during the Depression.

Teller said scripts now being developed for next season emphasize other members of the Walton family.

Jane Fonda will make film about fems

PARIS (AP) — "Movies in recent years have featured all kinds of close relationships between men. I think it's time for a film about two women."

Film maker Fred Zinnemann was talking about the project that has brought him back to production after a four-year absence; his last was "Day of the Jackal." His new subject is "Julia," based on a chapter of Lillian Hellman's book "Pentimento." Jane Fonda is playing the young Hellman, Vanessa Redgrave is Julia, her childhood friend who becomes enmeshed in the anti-Nazi movement in pre-war Germany.

After shooting the 20th Century-Fox film in England, Zinnemann had come to Paris for scenes around the city and at the Bologne studios, then planned to finish at Strasbourg.

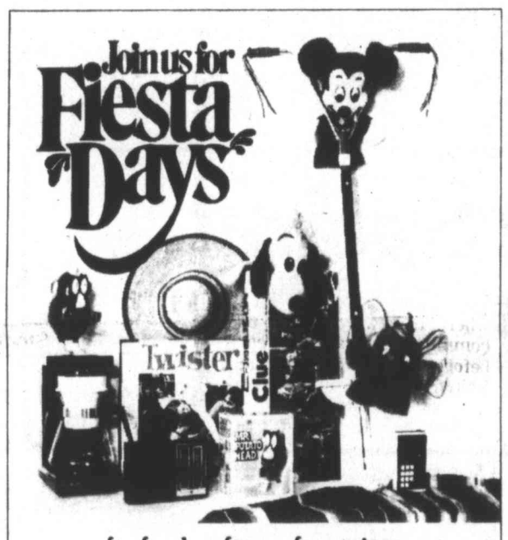
"I'm half-way through the picture and it feels good," said the double Oscar winner "From Here to Eternity," "A Man for All Seasons". A vigorous 69, he stood bare-headed in a misty chill, directing a scene near the Louvre in the Tuilleries with Maximilian Schell and Miss Fonda.

Zinnemann said that the project had come to him through producer Richard Roth, who had commissioned a first-draft screenplay by Alvin Sargant. The director described it as the story of "a frendship of two girls who are school chums and then drift apart; Julia becomes enmeshed in the intellectual ferment of Berlin, and Lillian brings money to provide escape for people in danger — not only Jews but liberals who oppose Hitler."

An important figure in "Julia" is Dashiell Hammett, with whom Miss Hellman lived for many yeras. "I'm portraying him as a father figure, since he was older than Lillian," said Zinnemann. Jason Robards is Hammett.

The relationship between Julia and Lillian?

"It is totally platonic," said the director. "Anyone who goes to the picture looking for kicks will be terribly disappointed."



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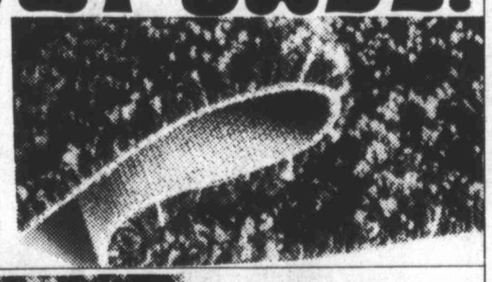
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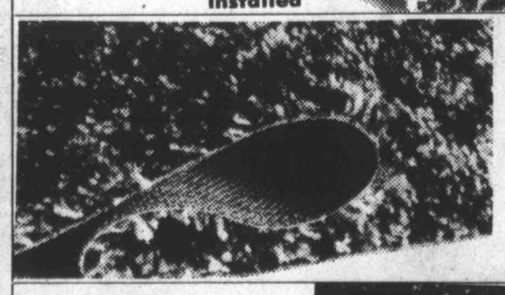


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Briscoe not planning any increases in public school finance bill

Teachers must look to local boards for raises

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Gov. Dolph Briscoe told school teachers Friday to look to their local boards—not the legislature—for any raises next year in excess of the 5 per cent that some will receive automatically.

He acknowledged that the automatic increases in the state minimum salary schedule will go only to teachers who have worked less than 10 years.

By pouring $850 million into school districts over the next two years, his public school finance recommendations will free that much in local funds that school boards may spend as they wish, Briscoe said.

"I have recommended a means by which pay raise determinations can be made by local districts," he said at a news conference.

Briscoe's stance is sure to touch off a legislative confrontation next year with the powerful Texas State Teachers Association.

Briscoe said, "The decision as to how to utilize the funds will be at the local school board. They are in the best position to know how to utilize the additional state funds they will receive."

Briscoe said he was not planning to make any increases in his public school finance bill, which would raise the state's share of the Foundation School Program from 75 to 90 per cent.

"I am very encouraged by the support we are receiving for the program from school administrators, board members, people interested in education and legislators," he said.

Briscoe said that he hopes to include in his budget a reserve fund that would be "as sizeable as possible." At one time he had hoped for a $1 billion cushion of unspent tax money but did not get that specific this time.

Asked if he thought his "no new taxes" philosophy could be maintained by the 1979 and 1981 legislatures, he called "no new taxes" "a good platform. I think it is a winner. I am convinced we can in the years ahead meet the financial needs of this state within the framework of the existing tax structure."

The Texas Research League has contended that Briscoe's proposed increases of $850 million in school spending and $825 million for highways would generate needs for additional taxes in the future.

On other subjects, Briscoe said:

—He has received no request for a stay of execution for Robert E. White, who says he wants to keep his date with the electric chair early in December. Any such request, Briscoe said, would receive "a complete and thorough review."

As for the death penalty, "I support it as a deterrent. . . In order for it to be a deterrent, the penalty will have to be carried out."

—He remains opposed to a request by Zavala County Economic Development Corp. for $1.5 million in federal funds to buy land for a cooperative farm and to set up savings and loan and import-export businesses.

The grant request now is being reviewed by his office— once by-passed by the federal government—for his final recommendation, he said.

Briscoe said the head of the corporation, which is tied to the La Raza Unida party, once called it a "commune" and "that is enough in my mind to make it suspect."

—He is considering whether to ask the legislature to repeal the state sales tax on utility bills and his staff is studying whether it would be feasible to grant the break only to residential consumers, not business and industry.

Plane crash kills Texan

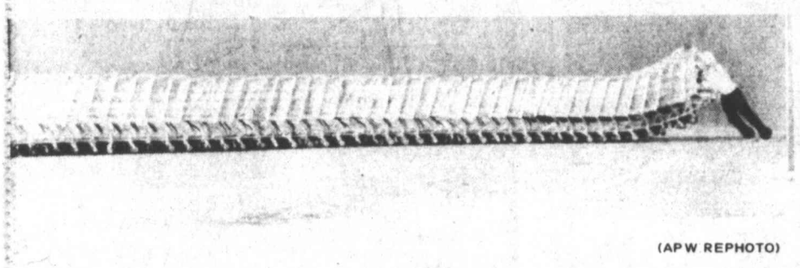
PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — Dr. Carl M. Cater, 50, of Bryan, Tex., was killed early Friday when his single-engine plane crashed after takeoff from Greater Peoria Airport and burst into flames.

Authorities said Cater had been attending a soybean conference in Peoria and was returning to Texas when the crash occurred at 5:30 a.m.

The cause of the crash was not determined.

Officials said the plane lifted from the runway, then plunged down inside the airport grounds.

Cater was an assistant professor in biochemistry at Texas A&M in Bryan. He also was director of the Oil Seed Processing Laboratory, Food and Protein Research Center.



(AP W REPHOTO)

IT REQUIRES PUSH, NOT PULL — It's like backing a double-trailer. To go right, you push left, explains Fred Davis, 17, an experienced cart jockey at a Long Beach, Calif., supermarket as he maneuvers a serpentine hookup toward the door. It's only 40-odd carts. Davis claims his own record is 65 at a time.

Life sentence given con for sexual assault

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A man once sentenced years ago to die in the Texas electric chair has been given a life sentence here for the aggravated sexual assault on an 11-year-old girl.

The sentence given here Thursday marks the third time A. J. Williams has been sent to prison since 1945. He was paroled on each of the two earlier sentences.

Williams was sentenced to death in 1945 after being convicted of beating and robbing a man who died of a fractured skull. But the sentence was commuted to life and he was paroled in 1960 after serving 15 years.

Williams went back to prison five years later after receiving a 30-year-sentence when found guilty of assault with intent to rape a 14-year-old girl.

He served eight of the 30 years and was paroled again in 1973, records show.

Williams was convicted in state district court this week of assaulting an 11-year-old girl Feb. 8 District Court Judge James Barlow sentenced him to a life term Thursday.

Williams was arrested in the latest crime in Abilene after the 11-year-old girl and her 12-year-old brother told police what happened to them and officers got a warrant for Williams' arrest.

According to evidence at Williams' trial, the children were abducted from their home and taken to a spot where they were forced to commit unnatural sex acts before the girl was raped at knifepoint.

After the man fled, the children ran to a telephone and called police.

Miss Ray plans round of bashes

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP) — Governor-elect Dixy Lee Ray has told her aides to plan for a statewide round of inauguration bashes.

The traditional Olympia area ball will be held Jan. 12. Tickets are $35 a couple or $17.50 apiece — as compared with $25 a couple four years ago.

Other parties will be held in Vancouver, Aberdeen, Port Angeles, Bellingham, Spokane, Seattle, Tacoma and southeastern Washington. In most cases, the tickets will be $25 a couple.



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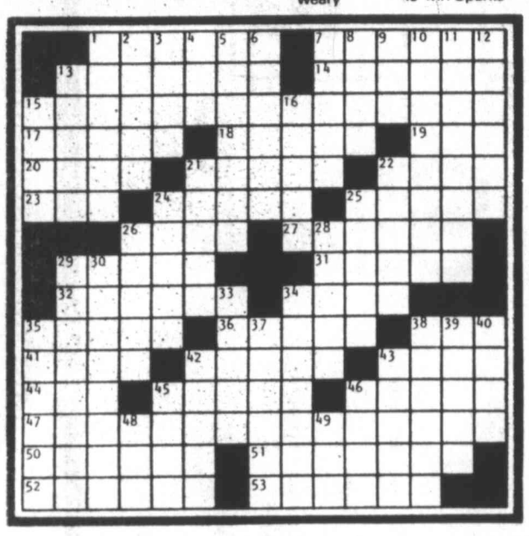
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22 Long time periods
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26 Having a certain flavor
28 Chemical compound
29 Hit-or-miss
30 Certain grievance
33 It's —! (too bad)
34 Industrialist
35 Mark with spots
37 Threads a nautical rope
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40 Turns right
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FORECAST FOR SUNDAY NOVEMBER 21, 1976

GENERAL TENDENCIES: You are excited and want to put into effect too quickly a plan of action that can bring you much advancement toward goals and ambitions that mean much to you. Consider carefully whatever new course of action you engage in and avoid a big mistake.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Get busy at those obligations that have different conditions attached to them and you can clear them up nicely now. Don't take on face value whatever is told you by a new contact.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Your hunches are good and should be heeded for more success in the future. Use good judgment as well. Be more aware of what a loved one desires instead of being so forceful.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Make sure you know what is expected of you by associates otherwise you could get into something dangerous. Get into a civic affair that will turn out well and to your benefit.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Try to be of more service to others and avoid possible trouble later. Show more affection and gentility in dealing with mate. Make evening a happy and romantic one.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Once you get important work done, get into the form of amusement you like and relieve tensions. Show more affection for close tie and get good results. Avoid a troublemaker.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Try a different method to make home conditions more harmonious and get good results. You are interested in some new venture that is unusual but can work out just fine. Study it further.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Get into the philosophical studies that can be helpful to you in the future. Take time to visit with friends and relatives later in the day. The evening is best spent at home with closest ties.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) If you think big today you can attract more of the finer things of life and be happier in the future. Look over property and see how to make it more valuable and attractive. Be clever.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Find new ways to gain your cherished aims, whether of a spiritual or a practical nature. Later be social and make big headway with friends. Avoid one who has an eye on your assets.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Ideal day to think about what is best course to follow to have a fuller and richer life. Spend time later with good friends and get to know them better. Take good care of your health.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Solve personal problems early and you have more time to work on projects that help you to advance. Be careful of strangers.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Handle outside affairs wisely and add to present prestige and prosperity. Become more successful in your career by making wise plans now.

FORECAST FOR MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1976

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Use your most articulate qualities to let close ties know of your interest in them. You will find that some untried situations arise to give you chance to display your talents. Be more outgoing.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Discuss your plans with those who are capable of helping you put them across. The evening can be an inspiring one.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Showing more affection for the one you love is wise at this time. Begin the week right by handling responsibilities well.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Taking part in civic affairs can yield fine benefits at this time. Make long range plans for the future.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Listen to what fellow workers have to suggest and come to a far better understanding. Take needed health treatments.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Consult business experts for financial advice. Come to a better understanding with mate. Strive for happiness.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) A new project can be helped through the suggestion of another, so listen carefully. Show more devotion to mate.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Take no chances with one who has a proverbial axe to grind. Obtain the data you need at proper sources. Express happiness.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Make plans that will bring you more success and security in the future. Consult a monetary expert for advice you need.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Know what others expect of you and do your best to please them. Attend a group activity and gain new acquaintances.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Take time to clear up any problematical affairs that are pressing. Use a direct approach. Relax at home tonight.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Visit as many persons as you can and express gregariousness to good advantage. Take no chances with a trickster.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Make plans to improve your position in life. Listen to what a trusted adviser has to suggest. Discuss the future with mate.

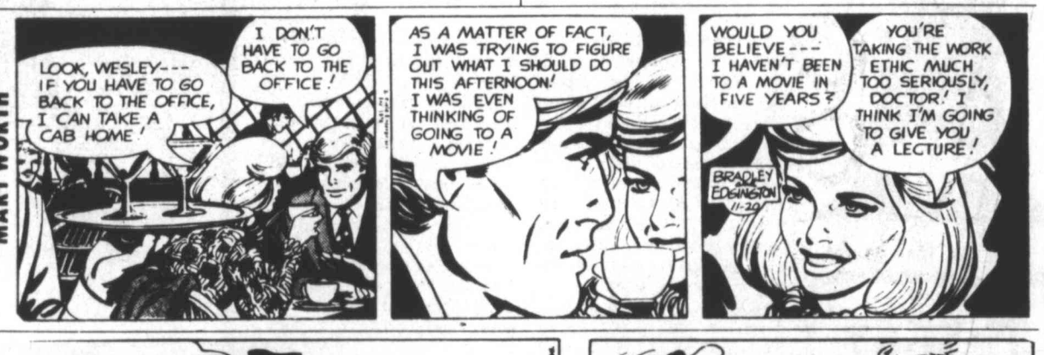
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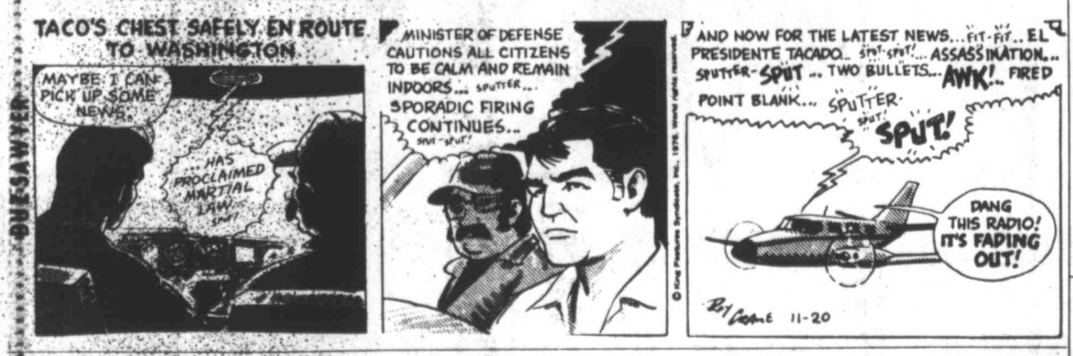
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RMY BRK & ACREAGE Peace, fresh air, good neighbors. Charming view. Home extra insulated, "heat by candle, cool by ice-cube," but this one is total elec. Nice crpt, draw-drapes in combined liv-den-din rm. Choice of Schs, Coahoma, B.S. Land is priceless, custom blt homes come hi. In $20's.

WE FOUND IT!!! extra well blt home to move, it's north of Stanton. Lrg cheerful rms. Pretty blt-in frpl, gas logs. 4-corner windows in lrg cheerful kit. Vent-pantry, ideal utly rm w-sink & many cabinets. Home is in exc-cond ... garage. 1550 sq. ft. of liv area. Wood floors, g-roof. Own a lvly home for only $8500.

EQUITY BUY BRK 3-bdrms, nice & rmy ... lrg kit, bar & din area. All crpted. Fncd yd. Pmts $144. Pri bal. about $12,500. Move in today.

100 FT. LOT + 6-rms, 2-tub bth. Home surrounded by attr. brk. Walk to Sr, Goliad Jr Hi SCHS. Lo easy dwn pmt, lo fees, 8½ per cent int. Re-decorate & dble your value. Extra 50 ft lot worth $2500. Total only $16,000.

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HOMES FOR THE HOLIDAYS

GOBBLE GOBBLE up this neat house in Douglass Addition. SOLD ppraisals for VA & ng. 3 bdr, 2 bth, sl. [illegible] double gar & workshop. Check it out.

PUMPKIN PIE will taste grea[illegible] den with frplc. Thi SOLD dr, 2 bths, lovely de[illegible] onal atmosphere. [illegible] sq. ft. in Western Hills. 40's.

ALL THE TRIMMINGS this great buy on Vicky has everything. Beautifully decorated and almost new. Compare this buy with the others and you will snatch it up. See today.

A LADEN TABLE will fit nicely in the large eating area of this 3 bdrm, 2 bth brk with nearly new crpt. Elegant wallpaper, extra large 2nd bath. Near school. $3,000 down.

FAMILY GATHERINGS will be great in enormous den with w-b fireplace and blt-in stereo. Snap up this 3 bdrm, 2 bth brk on Purdue. New self-cleaning oven. Mid 30's.

LOTS OF STUFFING can be consumed in this roomy 3 bdrm and den near shopping center. Almost new crpt throughout. Mid teens. Automatic outdoor lighting.

INDIAN CORN could be your crop on this fertile ½ acre with 3 bdrm, 2 bth Medallion mobile in Sand Springs. Skirted and tied, porch, double garage, storeroom, fruit trees. Low teens.

HIGHLAND HOLIDAYS will be enjoyable in this almost new brk w-formal dining rm & big den accented by massive frplce. Gourmet kit w-lrg pantry, big utility-work rm. Only $53,500.

ECLECTIC TASTE? The charm of the not-so-new? You'll love this Parkhill pretty w. W-B frplc & big pnled den. Glassed-in garden rm. 20's.

NEW LISTING — INSTANT APPEAL Cozy white frame on crnr lot w-huge pecan trees. 3 bdr w-shag crpt & extra lrg kit. Efficiency rental in back. Low 20's.

YOUR OWN HOME for the holidays! Pretty 3 bdr, 2 bth brk has been well-cared-for. Nice crpt & drps. Perfect location. Low 20's.

HOLIDAYS will be more fun in this extra nice 3 bdrm, 2 bth brk — den has shelves — pretty fenced yard.

COMFORTABLE — AFFORDABLE brk in Washington Place has it all! 3 bdr, 2 bth, sep den w. W-B frplce. Lots of strg. Mature pecan trees. Mid 30's.

GOING PLACES? Come home to Indian Hills! Brk beauty on crnr lot, perfect for the rising young executive. All new kit, 3 bdr, 2 bth, big den w. log-burning frplce. $49,500.

V.A. — NO DOWN Immaculate 3 bdr, 2 bth w-new shag crpt & sing. gar. Range included, lrg dining, covered patio. $16,500.

BARGAIN HUNTERS Snap up this rare find for only $15,000. Brk trim w-huge rooms. Many cupboards in big kit, cent heat.

HAVE A HOLIDAY in this fresh as a daisy home w-3 bdrm, 2 bths, new paint & wallpaper, nice yd, much strge. $20,000.

FOR YOUNG BUDGETS and the young at heart. A truly delightful home w-dream kit & all blt-ins, new shag crpt, sep den w-vaulted ceiling, plant rm. Low 20's.

SUPER BARGAIN This one won't last. 3 bdr, 1½ bth, new ref. air & central heat. Great location, lovely home, all yours for $14,500.00. Don't miss seeing it before it goes.

COUNTRY HOLIDAY in Sand Springs will delight your family. Big brk 3 bdrm, 2 bth, w-sep den. On ½ acre w-good water well. Good buy! Low 40's.

LOW ON CASH? Then check this roomy 3 bdr w-fresh paint nr elem. sch. for only $11,000.

WE GET EXCITED just thinking about this big 4 bdr, 2½ bth in Highland South. Family pleasure for all. Be sure to circle this one.

MACY'S PARADE should pass by this darling 3 bdr home. Spruced up inside — lrg crnr lot w-trees. Low teens.

SQUASH & CORN can be grown on this 2 acres with beautiful orchard & large mobile home.

STUFF YOURSELF in the dining area of this almost new house. 3 bdr, 1¾ bth brk, fireplace, built-ins, ref air. Low 30's.

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$8500 — MONTICELLO ADDITION Owners have completely redone the inside of this 2 bed home. Large kitchen-dining area. Living room and Garage. Spic n' Span. Equity Buy w-$74 mo payments.

$12,000 — 1406 NOLAN Real woodburning frpl in paneled 17½x26½ living area. Large kitchen — 2 bed. Nice carpet. Really unique.

$13,000 — SYCAMORE ST. Large 2 bed, Living rm, kitchen w-new carpet and paint. Ready to move into. Ref. unit plus ducted evap cooling. Lge workshop in back of carport. Stove & ref. stays.

$13,250 — 709 E. 14th 2 bedrm 2 bath home w-gas log frpl in living rm. of this Brick home. New carpet. Stove stays. Detached garage. VA appraised.

$13,780 — HOUSE TO MOVE A-Frame w-appliances. Utility rm., 2 bed upstairs. Large living area.

$14,000 — STADIUM ST. 2 bedrm cottage w-extra rm that could be used as 3rd bedrm or office. Beautiful yd w-many pecan trees.

$14,550 — MARCY SCHOOL FHA Appraised and waiting for new owner is this extra nice 3 bed 1 bath home. Nice carpet. Built-in oven-range.

$15,000 — 1108 MULBERRY Interior completely redecorated w-new carpet, paint & wallpaper. Breakfast bar in lovely kitchen. Free-standing frpl. in lge lvg area.

$16,000 — AUBURN ST. Extra nice 3 bed, den, kit & din area, liv. rm, almost new cpt throughout. 2 ref. cooling units. Nice yard w-stg bldg.

$16,000 — 1104 BARNES Very clean & neat 2 bedrm w-step down den. Lge lvg area w-lge kitchen. Nice carpet throughout.

$16,450 — NEAR COLLEGE HEIGHTS SCHOOL Large 3 bed mostly paneled home on corner of 18th & Goliad. Lge kitchen w. built-in oven-range, dishwasher.

$17,000 — 1006 BLUEBONNET Such a great buy! Two immaculate stucco homes on one lot in excellent neighborhood. Spacious!

$17,500 — ACKERLY REDUCED way below appraisal! Large 3 bedrm 1¾ bath home on corner ½ acre lot w-2 car detached garage w-apartment. Well & city water.

$20,000 — COLLEGE PARK Very nice 3 bedrm Brick w-new carpet throughout. Sep. living rm & dining rm. Lge kit w. built-in oven-range. Garage.

$20,500 — 801 W. 14th ST. Low price on this large 3 bed 1¾ bath w-den home in perfect location. Ref. Air. Corner lot w-2 car carport.

$22,500 — DOUGLAS ADDITION Large & comfortable Brick home on corner lot. 3 bed 2 bath w-den & gas log frpl. Lovely fenced yd w-patio.

$23,500 — COAHOMA Large well-arranged 3 bed 2 bath home on corner lot across from schools. Large den. Split bedrm arrgemnt. Excellent cond.

$24,000 — NEAR COLLEGE Completely redone inside & out is this lovely home on corner lot. Ref. Air. New carpet — new kitchen w-appliances.

$24,000 — COLLEGE PARK 3 bedrm, den w-ref. air, nice paneling & carpet, neat as a pin. New dishwasher & furnace.

$24,500 — NEAR MOSS ELEMENTARY on Baylor is this 3 bedrm 1¾ bath Brick home w-single car garage. Nice carpet, country size kitchen.

$25,000 — 1709 PURDUE A dream kitchen you won't be able to resist, new custom cabinet work. Roomy den, 3 bedrm, formal living. Utility rm.

$25,000 — WASSON ADDITION Owner wants offer on this neat 3 bedrm, 2 full baths home on Cheyenne. Kit. w. built-ins & den area. Sep. dining rm. Ref. air. Will go FHA or VA. Lovely yd w-tile fence.

$30,500 — KENTWOOD A dream come true on Larry. 3 bed 2 bath Brick in ship-shape. Pretty shag carpeted lvg rm w-vaulted ceiling. Double car garage & lvly landscaped yd.

$36,000 — KENTWOOD Drive by this beauty at 2502 Lynn & you'll want to see inside. 4 bed 2 bath. Formal lvg, dining comb kit-den. Nice back yd w-fruit trees.

$36,000 — WORTH PEELER ADDN. on Brent St. New listing w-over 1800 sq. ft. lvg area plus dbl car garage w-extra stg. Den w-nice shag cpt & wood burning frpl. Closet space everywhere. Cent heat & ref. air.

$46,500 — WESTERN HILLS Brand new home being built w-3 bed (split arrgmnt) 2 bath. Large formal dining rm, oversize family rm. Can still choose colors, appliances & Brick.

$16,500 — 4019 VICKY Owner has reduc[illegible] SOLD uick sale on this spacious near-new 3 bed 2 bath Brick. Ston[illegible] med ceiling in big den just off push-button kitchen. Sep. for[illegible] rm & dining rm. Immed. occupancy.

$17,700 — COLONIAL HILLS Custom built only 3 years ago & still like new. 3 bed, den w-inside wall frpl., formal lvg rm. Has been pampered.

$52,500 — HIGHLAND SOUTH The very best quality & workmanship makes this beautiful 3 bed 2 bath Brick home on Scott better than brand new. Dream kitchen with all new appliances, lovely new carpet throughout. Extra room for office or could be formal din. New roof. Electrical system upgraded. Lovely landscaped yard. Automatic garage door opener.

$58,500 — SILVER HEELS Beautiful spacious Brick home settled in 7 acres of scenic beauty. Approx. 2900 sq. ft. of comfortable living. Ref. air. Central gas heating. Two fireplaces, 3 huge bedrooms, 2 baths, Recreation Rm. New roof. Barn & corrals.

$59,500 — HIGHLAND SOUTH SPACIOUS FAMILY HOME — Over 3000 sq. ft. of loveliness selling $5500 below appraisal. Two-story overlooking city.

$80,000 — SAND SPRINGS Spacious two-story Brick home on 31 acres. Two-story barn, arena, horse walker, 1 acre stocked lake. Coahoma city water.

WAREHOUSE w-8100 sq. ft. on E. 2nd w-office space.

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PRETTY COUNTRY home. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, brick. Plenty of water, fruit trees, one acre in Coahoma school district. Will finance. Call 263-8284.

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A FAMILY HOME — Soooo livable! 3 br, 2 bth, brick, lge fam rm plus form liv rm. Fine loc nr schools, college, shopping, churches, park. Covered patio joins 1 br, 1 bth brick cottage for 4 br, 3 bth unit. Pretty fenced yd. Circular drive. $30's.

BUILT WHEN HOMES WERE to last forever. It's indeed charming, big spacious rms, form din rm, liv rm, fireplace, 2 bdrm (& rm for more in basement), breakfast rm. Lots of stg space, garage plus 1 br, 1 bth rear cottage. A fine older home that looks stout, comfortable & lasting. Good loc nr school. $16,000. Also a similar 2 br, 1 bth nr Wash. Blvd.

COAHOMA SCHOOL — Beginning $9,950 to over $40,000 2, 3 & 4 bdrm homes. Some with acreage, workshops. One beautiful brick, den, fireplace, over 2000 sq. ft. floor space. $30's. The best selection of Coahoma Sch. homes.

UNDER $140.00 monthly pmts. Pay low equity, assume loan on this extra neat 3 br, 1½ bth, nr school, park. A really nice home.

EXECUTIVE SPECIAL — An extremely special home — arranged — designed for living. 4 bdrms, 3 bth, den, fireplace. Start your mornings by breakfasting in glass-enclosed breakfast rm viewing into private, tree shaded yd — covered patio. Superb location. $40's.

$7,000 — Well located 2 bdrm nr Washington School. $1,750 down & assume loan that pays off in less than 8 yrs.

IT'S a modest priced 3 bdrm (kingsize bds welcome), 1 bth, den, garage. So handy for shopping. No down pmts VA or little down FHA. Loan available. $14,250.

$10,800. Mr. & Mrs. Clean are leaving town & some fortunate family will find their priced right home one of the best buys on market. Nr college — 2 bdrm (big ones), central heat, ducted air, carpet, fenced, fruit trees, garage

COMMERCIAL
1. $8,500 — Lot & building — East 4th. Great location.
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GATHER TOGETHER This Thanksgiving in your own spacious "country kitchen," adjoining family-size dining, den, w-frplc., split master suite. F.H.A. appraised. $1700 down plus closing.

WINTER CONTENTMENT Relax w-log burning frplc. in den, looking out to enc. sun rm. 4 br., 2 ba., lovely carpet & drapes, fncd. yd. Unbelievably priced at $25,000.

GET OUT Of the tension zone! Enjoy the feel of country living in this 3 br., 2 ba. home that is out of city limits on .61 of an acre. Forsan School.

THE HARD PART Is done — just move in and reap the joys of living in this newly carpeted 3 br., 2 ba. brk. home in Kentwood. F.H.A. appraised. $750 down plus closing.

FOR A NICER TOMORROW Make loan application today — on this adorable 3 br., 2 ba. brk. New carpet thru-out, lovely drapes, enc. gar., fncd. yd., corner lot. Only $21,000.

OWNER MUST SELL Will accept any reasonable offer. Must sacrifice on this 3 br., 1 ba. brk., corner lot, new paint inside, lge. liv. rm. & kit. Orig. priced $12,500.

MOUNTAIN VIEW From this lovely home in Highland South. King size kit. w-bar, formal dining, massive den w-beaut. frplc. Impressive master suite. Cool green carpet thruout, auto. gar. door, completely landscaped.

MIDWAY AREA Country charm in this lge. 4 or 5 br. home on Derrick Rd. Enter courtyard of this pretty brk. home and step into den w-frplc. Carpeted & draped, refrig. air — all on 7 acres w-good water well.

HAMILTON ST. V.A. appraised and ready to go for a Veteran. 3 br., 2 ba., fully carpeted. Large lot. Owner transferred and ready to sell. $14,500.

THE ULTIMATE IN LUXURY This classic Highland South home, on a landscaped corner lot, is now available for you. 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, an oversized den with lavish full wall fireplace; a true "Touch of Class."

FIREPLACE FOR SALE In this beautiful oak panelled den. A bonus of a 2 bdrm, brick home, separate liv. and din. room goes along. Single garage, in Edwards Heights. REDUCED.

PUMPKIN PIE Fresh from the oven in this beautiful 3 bdrm., brick home. Roomy kitchen for your holiday baking and large living space for entertaining. Only $19,500.

CORNER THE MARKET On this corner lot. 3 bdrms., 1 ba., large living room and eat-in kitchen. Large fenced yard, new paint and paper. Mid teens.

A HOME IS A savings account. Invest in this older home on a large lot in Western Hills. Some improvement will increase the value. 3 bdrm., 2 ba., den. See at $20,000.

WHERE THERE IS SMOKE There is a fireplace. Like new home, 3 bdrm., 2 ba., liv. rm., large den, beautiful kitchen and bay window in dining. Very nice. $39,000.

A GOOD BUY At $16,000. 3 bdrm., brick on corner lot, nice carpet throughout. It is in the Forsan School district. Affordable.

FHA APPROVED 3 bdrm. home, den, new oven cook top. Large kitchen, utility area, and workroom. Central heat and air. Only $14,550.

LOOKING FOR LARGE ROOMS? See this 3 bedroom home, country size kitchen, dining, new carpet, enclosed garage with game room space. Central location. $22,000.

LISTEN TO THE QUIET This 3 bedroom, 2 ba. home in the country is waiting. Large living room, separate den, big country kitchen, on 20 acres.

RAMBLING AND ROOMY This oversized four bedrm. home with 2 ba. has nearly 1900 sq. ft. Beautifully carpeted and lots of space to grow, large yd., 2 car garage. Must see.

A+ NEIGHBORHOOD College Park home with everything including swimming pool. Large den with white brick fireplace. New vinyl kitchen flr., 3 bdrm., 2 ba., lovely yd. 30's.

ADORABLE COTTAGE 2 bdrm., 1 ba., completely remodeled, new carpet, corner lot, attached garage, a first home or retirement home. Only $12,500.

NEIGHBORS DO COUNT Move into this 3 bdrm., 2 ba. brick in Kentwood, comb. dining, den, spacious kitchen, double garage, refrig. air, a gracious family home. $36,000.

NEAT CORNER LOT 3 bdrm., 1 ba., brick trim home, fully carpeted, built-in range-oven, encl. garage, cute appointments. Only $15,000.

LOW EQUITY By owner. Three bedroom, two bath, carpeted, refrigerated air, central heat, fenced yard. 263-6135.

BY OWNER: Immaculate three bedroom 1¾ bath, electric kitchen with built ins, lots of cabinets and serving bar, carpet, drapes, tile, fence, garage. 263-7276 for appointment.

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NEW LISTING — This home is very special. If you're looking for something with a warm, cheery decor, this immcite 2 bdrm is it! Fncd w-crprt. Reasonably priced.

FIX UP! PAINT UP! — & have nice spacious 2 bdrm, lrg ceramic bth, in good location. Drive by 1708 Johnson, priced right.

A REAL BARGAIN — Owner would consider financing this 3 bdrm, bth, garage in exclint condition, 3308 West 9th — total $8,000.

ROOM TO BREATHE — Just outside city, but close enough for convenience, 2 bdrm, nice bth w-vanity, pretty ktchn, lrg closets, crptd, carport, 1 acre, $14,900.

FAMILY LIVING — Plus many extras in this spacious 3 bdrm, 2 bth, brck at 21st & Jennings.

COLLEGE PARK BRICK — Plus extras in this 3 bdrm, bth, garage, nice neighborhood. Try V.A.-F.H.A.

A GOOD BUY — Fncd crnr lot, 3 bdrm, bth, lrg lvng-din rm, grg — $13,250.

MOVE RIGHT IN — This cozy brck 3 bdrm, 1 bth w-lvly crpt & blt-ins. $17,500.

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REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE — service station with living quarters, all on 2 acres, good location. Reduced to $16,000.

ON RUNNELS $7,500. Just the house for newlyweds or a retired couple, 2 lrge bdrms, 14x18 living room, hardwood floors, some crpt.

OVER LOOKING BIG SPRING, in this lovely 3 bdrm and 2 bths, brick 20x20 living room with wood burning fireplace, lrge picture window over looking a beautiful patio and water fountain. All on acreage.

GOOD BUSINESS FOR SALE, Beauty shop, gift shop in large building, two furnished apartments, and double garage, all rented. Total $25,000.

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IMMACULATE BRICK — 100' LOT 3 Bed, 1½ bath, large kitchen, R&O, Dishwasher, lots of cabinets, washer, dryer, fenced lovely landscaped yard, 10x12 extra storage.

GAIL ROAD BRICK 1 acre, approx. 1700', living room custom drapes, 3 bed, 2 bath. Convenient kitchen with bar, lots of cabinets. Double garage, work shop, fruit trees.

POPULAR PARKHILL 3 bed w-new carpet, drapes, bath w-unique decor, attached garage, fenced, $22,000.00. Established loan.

NEW LISTING 3 bed, 1¾ bath, brick, paneled & carpeted, cent. heat & air, garage & fence. Near Marcy School, $19,500.00.

NEAT AS A PIN 2 bed, formal living & dining room. Nice carpet, att. garage plus teen-age hide-a-way, $16,500.00.

WARM & COZY On Apache, over 1900 sq. ft. in lovely 3 bed, 2½ bath, lg. den-frpl, formal living room, B-I kitchen, utility, dbl. garage, $41,500.00.

$1200 MOVES YOU IN Three bedrooms, large corner lot, good location. Immed. occupancy.

NEAR SCHOOL $16,500 Newly redecorated, 2 bed, form. dining, carpet, garage, extra storage. BONUS! 15x18 hobby room.

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Brick home, 2 bedroom 2 baths, fireplace with building for commercial business.
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Houses For Sale A-2

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A BLAZING FIREPLACE in a warmly paneled den hi-lites this 3 Br 2½ B brick beauty. Features a lovely B-I Kit, large din and dble gar. A home of comfort & many extras.

CLOSE TO SCHOOL 3 Br 2 B brick with nice kit & dining. Lrg living room for relaxed living. Lrg trees & lovely yard.

MAKE US A DEAL on this ultra modern 3 Br 2 B brick with B-I Kit, fireplace & dble garage. It's total elect with ref air and waiting for you.

Oooh SO PRETTY It's close to school & has room to spare. Features 3 Br 2 B, with large liv & dining area. Kit has range & DW. Cent heat & air. Fenced.

WARM & COZY at a price you can afford. Yet it has 3 nice Br's, 2 b, cent heat & air, garage & fence. In top cond., fully carpeted & fresh paint.

EAST SIDE In quiet neighborhood. Lovely 3 Br 2 B brick with pretty kit & form din, cent heat & air, fence & gar.

ECONOMY PLUS lots of room in this 3 br home with extra large living area. Some carpet, large outside storage & workshop. $10,500.

SILVER HEELS One Acre with good water well & fence.

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SPACIOUS Brick 4 Bdrms, ready to move into at unbelieveable low price. Located in College Park. Call now.

KENTWOOD ESTATE Sale on Carol St., 1700 Sq. Ft., D. Gar., 3b, 2b, Expo Beam Den, lovely Yd., Tile Fen., Ref. A. Come see.

3 Bdrm on TUCSON w-Den, close to Col. Why pay rent, with a buy like this.

3 Bdrm, MORRISON ST., ready to move in. Corn lot. What potential this one has.

Approx 4 acres total off South Serv. Rd of IS 20 at Midway Water Av. $9500.

3b, 2b on State Prk Rd., Blt-in Kit. Beautiful F Yd, 6' Tile Price Right.

ALABAMA — 3b, 1b Den. Nice Yd. Must See.

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Lots For Sale A-3

FOR SALE 8 ACRE PLOT for $5,000. On North Birdwell Lane. Call 267-7729

Farms & Ranches A-5

HUNTING RANCH By owner: 29 acres near Leakey, Texas. Heavily wood liveoak and pinon pine. Plenty of deer and turkey. $300 down. Owner financed easy terms. Phone 512-257-5369.

Acreage For Sale A-6

1¼ ACRE EAST side East Robinson (Sand Springs). Good soil, good water available (well or city). Reasonable. 263-8761.

Resort Property A-9

LAKE BROWNWOOD: $100 Down, $21.25 monthly buys nice lot at Lake Brownwood. Pretty trees, level, owner finance. 915-646-7721.

Misc. Real Estate A-10

FOR SALE: Hydroponic tomato Greenhouse. Lake Thomas Dam site. Good condition, can be moved. Call Snyder, 915-573-0737, or write P.O. Box 67, Snyder.

Mobile Homes A-12

DOUBLE WIDE Mobile home. Three bedroom, 1¾ bath, unfurnished, fully carpeted, drapes. 263-8796 after 5:30.

NICE, THREE Bedroom mobile home for sale. Furnished, $4,500. Call 263-7486 for more information.

TWO BEDROOM: 12x60 Mobile Home. Carpet. See at Lot 4, Hillside Trailer Park. Call 263-8722.

MUST SELL: 1975 Chickasha Medallion 14x72. Three bedroom, air, double windows, Masonite siding, kitchen appliances. After 5:00, 263-1872.

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The family of Perry Walker wishes to express their appreciation to everyone for the many kindnesses shown at his death. Words cannot express how much the many, many flowers, cards, telephone calls, books donated to the Library, food, and all concern in our behalf, mean to us. We want to thank the Police Department, the Highway Patrol and those who did telephoning to try and locate members of the family who were on vacation at the time of our tragedy. We shall never forget your expressions of sympathy. May God bless each of you.

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TIA crew praised

DENVER (AP) — The chief federal safety investigator of a Texas International DC9 wreck here this week has praised the plane crew's performance, rejecting criticism by several passengers.

"We don't see anything but a professional performance," Rudolph Kapustin of the National Transportation Safety Board said Friday.

Twelve of the plane's 80 passengers were treated for minor injuries after the jet overran the runway and burned Tuesday at Stapleton International Airport.

Several passengers said a stewardess didn't know how to open a rear emergency exit, the five-member crew didn't assure the plane was evacuated, and passengers were allowed to linger near the blazing plane.

Kapustin said, however, investigators found the stewardess criticized had been knocked down twice by fleeing passengers in the rear. "She was even slightly injured," he said.

The pilot and copilot were the last to leave the burning jet, Kapustin added. The findings were based on interviews with crew members and passengers, he said.

"The proof of the pudding is that 80 passengers were evacuated from a burning plane with no one burned or exposed to smoke inhalation," Kapustin added.

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Intends to seek fourth Senate term

Tower shuns whip race

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., said Friday he would not run for either of the two top Republican leadership posts in the Senate.

Instead, Tower announced he would seek re-election as chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, a position he has held since 1972.

Tower also made clear, without formally announcing, that he intends to seek a fourth Senate term in 1978.

Tower told a news conference he had been urged by colleagues to run for GOP minority leader or whip but decided against it, partly because he did not want to give up his senior position on several Senate committees.

Tower currently is ranking Republican member of the Banking Committee and a senior member of the Armed Services Committee.

Tower also said that with the change in administrations from Republican to Democrat the GOP Policy Committee would assume a major role in establishing party positions. "We don't have the White House to speak for Republicans," Tower said.

Looking ahead to the 95th Congress, Tower said he expected fights over efforts by liberal Democrats to ease the cloture rule, repeal right-to-work laws, create a consumer protection agency, and enact a common situs picketing bill and national health insurance.

Tower predicted a fight over the debate-ending cloture rule would be one of the first in the new Congress and said that if the current rule "is liberalized any more, Republicans will be in serious trouble."

Presently 60 votes — threefifths of the Senate — are required to shut off a filibuster, but there has been talk of reducing that number to a simple majority of 51.

Tower said he saw "a ray of hope" in working with the new Democratic administration to deregulate natural gas, an action Jimmy Carter has at least partially endorsed. Tower also indicated he would support Democratic efforts to reorganize the executive branch as soon as he is convinced Carter intends to trim, not expand, the federal bureaucracy.

Tower insisted he was not pessimistic about the future of the Republican party in the wake of President Ford's loss. Tower predicted Republican gains in 1978.

"There will be no way to place the blame on the Republicans if the current anti-Washington mood continues," he said.

Tower attributed Ford's loss in Texas to a poor showing in rural areas and said organized labor had worked hard in turning out the Democratic vote. Tower said he did not think Ford lost in Texas because of a lack of support from supporters of Ronald Reagan.

Tower said he thinks Ford should now assume the role of the party's elder statesman.

As for fellow Texan John Connally, Tower said he would make "an excellent national chairman" but stopped short of calling for the resignation of current GOP Chairman Mary Louise Smith.

Snyder firm gets more time to stop seepage

AUSTIN — In lieu of closing down a Scurry County magnesium plant, the Texas Water Quality Control Board Thursday agreed to permit the board's executive director to grant the company more time to stop seepage which reportedly is contaminating nearby land.

TWQB Executive Director Hugh Yantis said he intends to extend for 90 days a temporary order which allows American Magnesium Co. to store process waste-water in holding ponds on company property prior to its disposal underground through an injection well.

Acting on information provided to the board at its July meeting, the TWQB staff conducted a "hydrogeological" investigation of the plant area to determine if a reported magnesium-contaminated seepage was coming from the plant.

TWQB staff geologist Bob Kent said his study indicted two ponds holding brine and plant wastes are leaking and leaching into the ground.

The magnesium-rich brine co-mingles with shallow groundwater, Kent said, and is discharged along the Ogallala aquifer strata or where groundwater intersects the ground surface.

In his report, Kent says there is a "significant amount of waste in storage in the permeable sediments and, even if the ponds are abandoned, seepage after periods of heavy rainfall will contain a significant amount of plant waste."

He said these seeps have contaminated surface waters in the area of the plant, but added that "no significant hazard" to groundwater quality is indicated.

The Ogallala aquifer in this area is shallow and, according to Kent, is apparently too think to have groundwater of usable quantities.

Kent recommended all ponds used for storage of incoming brine, or plant effluent be pumped dry and filled with soil.



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Home is safest place to be born

NEW YORK (AP) — The safest place for a baby to be born is at home, two doctors have told an obstetrical conference here.

Dr. Robert Mendelsohn of the University of Illinois was among those who contended Monday that a baby born in a hospital is more likely to suffer damage than one born at home.

Mendelsohn said doctors rely too much on drugs, anesthesia, analgesics and inducing birth.

Dr. Lewis Mehl of the University of Wisconsin's Infant Development Center told the conference of the American Foundation for Maternal and Child Health about a study of more than 2,000 women, nearly half of whom had their babies at home.

He said there were 30 birth injuries among the hospital-born babies and none among those born at home.

Link geography with recess

RACINE, Wis. (AP) — Students at an elementary school here combine geography with recess since officials painted a 50-by 20-foot map of the continental United States on their asphalt playground.

Dan Bentz, a social studies teacher at Wadewitz Elementary School, came up with the idea to help his sixth-graders learn about their country. He says it's proven even more effective than he had hoped.

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