## Four die in two Panhandle accidents

Staff Writer

Three Groom residents and a Tex Roy Camp man lost their lives on Texas highways Monday in two separate accidents, and a 5 - year - old Groom boy is listed in critical condition in High

Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. The dead were listed as Catherine Britten, 86; her daughters, Bertha Aylward, 65, and Lucille Blackwell, 55, all from Groom; and David C. Cannon, 21, from Tex Roy Camp.

The 5 - year - old boy is identified as Robert Wayne Homer of Groom, according to Department of Public Safety reports.

The three women were killed when their 1977 Chevrolet broadsided a 1973 Ford truck about three miles north of Groom on Farm to Market Road 295

The driver of the truck, Kenneth Lee Fields, 58; also of Groom, was not injured in the accident.

A Texas Department of Public Safety officer said the truck was crossing eastbound onto FM 295, and the women were traveling southbound on FM 295. The women apparently broadsided the truck, striking it behind the gas tanks, bursting into flames.

The women were trapped inside their auto for about 30 minutes before they could be pulled from the flaming vehicle, the DPS officer said.

The two women were pronounced dead by Judge Max Wade of Groom. Mrs. Britten died at 5:40 a.m. today in Coronado Community Hospital.

The bodies were taken to Schooler Gorden Funeral Home in Amarillo.

Services for all three women will be

Immaculate Heart Catholic Church in Groom with Father Kevin Hand officiating.

Catherine Britten, 86, is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Britten of Groom and Mrs. Elizabeth Britten of Panhandle: 14 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. She will be buried in St. Mary's Cemetery in Groom.

Lucille Britten Blackwell, 55, of 700 Wilkerson St., Groom, was born in Groom. She is survived by her husband. O. Page Blackwell; two daughters. Mrs. Lynn King of Kerrville and Mrs. Don Conrad of Groom; one son, Dan Blackwell of Riverton, Wyo.; two sisters, Mrs. Don Runyon of Canyon and Mrs. Jack Gasway of El Paso; two

brothers, Bob Britten of Amarillo and Martin Britten of Groom and eight grandchildren. She will be buried in St. Mary's Cemetery in Groom

Bertha Avlward was born in Groom. She is survived by two daughters. Mrs. Dick Moise of Austin and Mrs. Joe Homer of Groom; two sisters, Mrs. Don Runyon of Canyon and Mrs. Jack Gasway of El Paso; two brothers, Bob Britten of Amarillo and Martin Britten of Groom; and six grandchildren. She will be buried in St. Mary's Cemetery in

David C. Cannon was killed in a one car accident Monday when the pickup truck he was driving left the road on Carolina Street in Borger and landed in a ravine throwing him out onto the

Monday and was pronounced dead at 7 a.m. today by Hutchinson County Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2, Nadine Spinks.

'No one saw the accident during the evening, and the pickup was thrown into a deep gulley that kept it hidden until daylight." Mrs. Spinks said.

"Carolina Street is right near the edge of town, and there is traffic on it. but no one could see the truck for about five hours," she said.

"He was driving a truck belonging to someone else, and he apparently didn't have any identification on him, so we had to work to make sure who it was.' she said

No autopsy was ordered by Mrs.

in Borger said tests show the accid may have happened about 2 Monday.

Cannon was born on Sept. 8, 196 Borger. He was employed in Borger the Kountry Kitchen Restaurant.

Services for Mr. Cannon will conducted at 4 p.m. Wednesday in Ed Brown and Sons Funeral Ho Chapel of the Fountains in Borger. Rev. Leo McMahan, of Seymore officiate. Burial will be in Highla

Park Cemetery Survivors include his parents. and Mrs. Willie Cannon of Skellyton two brothers, Jerry Cannon Skellytown and Cecil Cannon, station in England with the U.S. Air Force; a two sisters. Shuri Cantrell of Bor and Mervetta Lemon of Fritch.

## Yuletide snow blankets Northern Panhandle

Pampa for several nights turned into a yuletide mass of blowing snow early today

The snow was still falling at presstime today, and there was no estimate of the early morning accumulation.

The National Weather Service in Amarillo forecasted a possibility of two to three inches of snow for the northern

Panhandle with cold temperatures. Canadian weather as of 8 a.m. today was snowy with 11/2 inches of snow reported on the ground, with more falling, according to a Cable F.M. spokesman. The snow was sticking in places, and the roads were slippery.

Miami Feed and Grain spokesman Lauren Grantham said early today that the weather there was certainly different from the 70 degrees of Monday, At 8 a.m. in Miami, snow was just covering the ground. Light winds were reported by Grantham.

In Wheeler, Omega Grain spokesman Bryan Johnson said at 9 a.m. there was no snow yet, but there was a good deal of sleet coming down. Early morning temperatures were at 32 degees.

In White Deer, Wheeler Evans Grain spokesman said as of 11 a.m., it was hard to tell whether it was snowing or just blowing. The snow started about 9 a.m. and had covered the ground when the winds picked up and began redepositing it.

As of 8 a.m. today, Guymon reported three inches of snow on the ground. Stratford reported three to four inches of snow on the ground with two - foot drifts. Dumas reported moderate snow

Perryton reported two to three inches of snow on the ground, and traces of snow were reported in Borger early

Strong winds were blowing 30 to 40 mph today and are expected to last through the evening hours. The winds

will be decreasing for Wednesday to 10 to 15 mph

A special weather bulletin had been forecast today for travelers in the northern half of the Panhandle the NWS said. Travelers should expect low visibility, blowing snow and high winds and intermittent fog. Wind warnings are in effect for area lakes.

"The temperatures today should probably not reach above the 30 to 35

The forecast from the NWS for the upcoming weather includes partly cloudy and colder temperatures. The snow will end early today after accumulations of two to three inches in various Panhandle cities

It will be partly cloudy and cold through Christmas Eve. High

add any more snow to the area

degree mark," a NWS spokesman said.

temperatures will be in the mid 30s.

The probability of snow decreases to 20 percent today, and it appears there is not enough moisture in the clouds to

## City lets bids, takes first step to close street for land sale

Pampa City Commissioners met today at their last regularly scheduled meeting of 1981, in an effort to clean up city business before the end of the year.

The city commission read and unanimously passed an ordinance closing an unopened portion of Texas Street described as a parcel of land 60 feet by 140 feet next to and south of Lot 12. North Addition to the City of Pampa.

Prior to passage of the ordinance. City Manager Mack Wofford read a letter he had received from City Engineer David Pullham, advising that Texas Street remain closed. The letter said by opening the street, it would become a through street to Mary Ellen Street, which would create an

undesirable volume of traffic in that

Wofford said that after careful study. his staff recommended that Texas Street remain closed as stated in the public and safety reasons

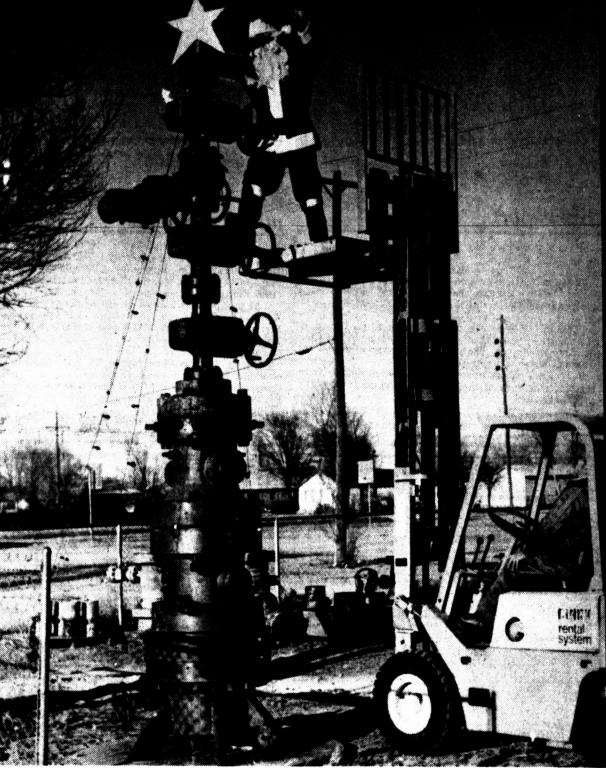
In the second phase of new business city commissioners discussed the proposed sealed bid sale of a lot at that location owned by the city, where the pump station was formerly located. The land will be appraised before sale. and the city will retain the right to reject all bids, if a suitable offer is not made. The bid day will be Jan. 19.

Packmore Manufacturing Company of San Antonio was awarded the bid for sanitation trucks with side loaders and refuse containers. Awarding of the bid had been deferred from the Dec. 8 commission meeting for further study since the bid from Packmore was just Emko Manufacturing of Plainview

The city currently uses equipment from Emko Manufacturing and the commissioners wanted to study if it would not be better to standardize by staving with the old company

According to Wofford and his staff, the old Emko equipment has been modified considerably over the past vears, so even the new Emko equipment would not be identical with the existing equipment.

Also awarded was the bid for the outright purchase of a sewer machine The low bid was received and accepted from Envirnmental Sales and Service of Hurst, Texas. There were two higher bids from out of state firms.



A REAL PANHANDLE CHRISTMAS TREE. Santa regulate the flow and pressure from a producing oil of places the finishing touch — a star — at the top of a real—gas well. Lights on the tree at night give the impression Panhandle Christmas tree, a series of valves used to the of a more traditional Christmas tree (Staff Photo by John Wolfe

## Three injured in accidents

Pampa firemen used the Hurst rescue tool to extricate Bobbie Jacobs. 19, 1002 E. Francis, from a two - vehicle accident which occurred at 10:30 a.m., Monday at Duncan and 23rd Streets.

Jacobs received lacerations on the forehead and was treated and released at Coronado Community Hospital. She was removed from her 1976

compact car, which came into collision with a 1967 pickup truck, driven by Jody Rogers, in about two minutes after the Pampa firemen arrived at the scene. Rogers was apparently not injured.

Both vehicles sustained from moderate to heavy damage.

Injuries occurred in two other unrelated accidents Monday, and the following persons were treated and released at Coronado Community Hospital

Robert Perez, 34, 1115 S. Nelson, was treated for back injuries sustained in a truck roll - over accident

Joshua Hulsey, 4, Rt. 2, Box 107. Pampa, was treated for injuries received when he hit his head on a car door in another incident

#### 3,000 miners holding out

By the Associated Press

Warsaw Radio reported today that nearly 3,000 Polish miners, rejecting pleas from their families and priests. remained on strike deep inside two coal

The radio also said workers at a Katowice steel mill still had their

barricades up and were holding out. The broadcast monitored in London claimed most industries were operating

throughout Poland. No further mention

was made of the situation in Gdansk

#### where the sprawling Lenin Shipyard has been closed until after the holidays. Railroad Commission denies reported Phillips, opponents motions

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - The Railroad Commission today denied motions by Phillips Petroleum Co. and opponents of Phillips' application to amend commission rules in Panhandle oil and gas fields.

Phillips asked the commission on Nov. 10 for a special order to put the proposed changes into effect pending a hearing on its application. The Panhandle Independent Producers Group asked that Phillips' application be dismissed.

Phillips asks that natural gas liquids recovered from casinghead gas - oil well gas — not be reported as crude oil production. The Producers Group argued that this change would result in the reclassification of many wells from oil to gas wells, forcing many

independent producers to shut in their wells because of existing spacing rules. Gas wells in the Panhandle Field are on 640-acre spacing, but an operator

can have one oil well per 10 acres. The next step in the case is expected to be a paper by commission hearings examiner Susan Kovar stating the

issues to be considered by the commission. After that, attorneys will discuss what information they will exchange. Then a public hearing will be The fields involved in the proposed

rule change are the Panhandle oil fields in Carson, Collingsworth, Gray, Hutchinson, Moore, Wheeler and Potter counties, and the Panhandle East. Panhandle East /Albany Dolomite. Lower) and Panhandle West gas fields.

Reagan said today the people of Poland probably are proud that their ambassador to the United States defected in protest of the military crackdown in his country.

Reagan met in the Oval Office with former Ambassador Romuald Spasowski and his wife, two days after it was announced that the diplomat and his family had been granted asylum

"I'm very proud that he's here in this office," Reagan said as he sat next to

## Second holiday armed robbery

Members of The Pampa Police Department are searching for a suspect in a robbery which occurred at 10 p.m. Monday at the Bell Gas Station, 1524 N.

A clerk at the gas station, Roxanna Hilton, was robbed of more than \$100 at/ gunpoint by a white male described as being in his late teens, height approximately 5'6" to 5'8"; thin build, approximately 130 pounds. He was wearing a brown and white pullover sweater, a tan jacket and ski mask.

The suspect fled on foot behind White's Home and Auto after the

Any persons having any information which might help in the arrest of the thief is urged to contact the Pampa Police Department.

Spasowski on a couch. "I think we're in the presence of a very courageous man and woman who have acted on the highest of principle.

I think the people of Poland are probably very proud of him also," the president added.

Asked if he gave Spasowski encouragement about actions the United States might take to end what Spasowski has called "a state of war" imposed on his homeland. Reagan said: "The ambassador is aware of the things that we have been talking about and trying to do.

Reagan's eyes filled with tears as he welcomed the Spasowskis. White House deputy press secretary Larry Speakes said later

"It was a very emotional meeting both for the president and the ambassador and his wife," Speakes said. "The greeting when they came into the Oval Office was almost electric, a real feeling there among the three. There were moments of silence when no words would come and none were necessary.

Spasowski, 61, and his wife both wept during the meeting, Speakes said. He said they talked about developments in Poland and Spasowski's personal feelings. "He had some recommendations to the president,' Speakes said. He did not elaborate.

After the 20-minute meeting, Reagan escorted the Spasowskis in a cold rain to a waiting car.

Reagan said Monday the United States is "going to do everything we can" to prevent the crackdown from dragging on. However, he said

Emotion marks Reagan, Spasowski meeting Spasowski's defection underscored the seriousness of developments.

Reagan was urged by a delegation of Polish-Americans leaders to impose economic sanctions against the Soviet Union in retaliation for the crackdown. They also called for an increase in the number of Polish refugees admitted to

the United States. "Options are being weighed." said spokesman Speakes. "There are no decisions we are ready to announce."

Reagan conferred with his national security advisers Monday and scheduled another meeting today.

During an Oval Office meeting Monday with the Polish-American delegation, Reagan spoke warmly of Spasowski, who announced Sunday that he had been granted asylum in the United States.

"First of all I admire him for his courage and his declaration of principle," Reagan said. "We're al grateful to him for it. Asked how long the situation i Poland could continue, Reagan said:

"You have me in a rather difficult spot with regard to that. We're holding meetings right now with regard to the situation. We don't want it to go on long. We're going to do everything we can to see that it doesn't.

Assistant Secretary of State Lawrence Eagleburger was in Brussels conferring with U.S. allies. "I think he is prepared to discuss a number of potential steps with the allies and will be seeking a consensus approach to the Polish situation," said Speakes.

Speakes told reporters that resistance in Poland "is more widespread than previously reported and is continuing." He said there is "some confirmation of increasing reports of brutality"

#### Widow needs help for merry Christmas

An elderly widow lives by herself in her own home. She receives a small Social Security check each month. After buying food and paying utilities, there is not much left over for other things. Christmas will be the same as any other day to this lady without your

If you would like to help this widow and others have something to celebrate on Christmas day, send your contributions to the Salvation Army, Box 1458, Pampa, Texas 79065.



## daily record

#### ervices tomorrow

McKNIGHT Peggy Louise - 2 p.m., Carmichael hatley Colonial Chapel

#### bituaries

PEGGY LOUISE MCKNIGHT

Services for Mrs. Peggy Louise McKnight, 42, of Fort apton. Colo. will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in armichael - Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Dr. lvin Hiltbrunner, of the Central Baptist Church, and Rev laude Cone, of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery

Mrs. McKnight died Sunday in Denver.

Survivors include her husband, her patents, one sister, and

CLIFFORD DALE READING

LUBBOCK - Mr. Clifford Dale Reading, 21, of Lubbock ied Monday of asphyxiation.

He was born Aug. 21. 1958 in Newport News, Va. He was a omputer programmer for an industrial firm in Lubbock. Services are pending in Lubbock.

Survivors include his parents. Mr. and Mrs. G.K. Reading Ir. of Lubbock: one sister. Jo Anna Reading of Austin: one prother. Steven Reading of Lubbock; and his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. F.G. Roper of New Home and Mrs. and Mrs. G.K. Reading, of Pampa.

#### senior citizens menu

WEDNESDAY

Baked turkey with dressing and giblet gravy, candied vams, green beans, cream corn, heavenly hash, cranberry ello, toss salad, pumpkin squares, mince meat pie, apple

THURSDAY Closed for Christmas holiday. Closed for Christmas holiday.

#### fire report

MONDAY

10:40 a.m. - Firemen were called to extracate an accident victim. Bobbye Jacobs, from her vehicle. The accident occured at the intersection of Duncan and 23rd Streets. TUESDAY

3:40 a.m. Firemen were called to an oil rig fire three miles north of White Deer. The fire was extinguished when the firemen arrived. There was no damage to the oil rig owned by Watson Drilling Company.

10:11 a.m. - A dumpster fire at 1044 S. Christy was reported. There was damage to the lid and the cause of the

#### stock market

| The following grain        | n quotations are   |
|----------------------------|--------------------|
| provided by Wheeler - E    | vans of Pampa      |
| Wheat                      | 3 47               |
| Milo                       | 4 00               |
| Corn                       | 4.40               |
| Sovbeans                   | 4 72               |
| The following quotation    | ons show the range |
| within which these sec     | urities could have |
| been traded at the time of | of compulation     |
| Ky. Cent Life              | 1334 - 14          |
|                            | 18 - 1812          |
| Serfco                     |                    |
| Southland Financial        | 2034 - 21          |
| The following 9 30         | am N Y stock       |
| market quotations          | are furnished by   |
| Schneider Bernet H         | lickman Inc of     |
| Amarillo                   |                    |
| Beatrice Foods             | 1814               |
| Cabot                      | 2714               |
| Celanese                   | 567                |
| Cities Service             |                    |

#### hospital notes

**CORONADO** COMMUNITY Admissions

L. A. Morrison, Pampa Ronald Wallace, Pampa Charles Chancellor

Artillo Nelson, Pampa Kate MacDonald, Pampa Roy Lewis, Pampa Carl Anderson, Pampa Larry Thompson, Pampa Shelly Powers, Pampa Gwendolyn Nolte Pampa

Lena Emmert Wellington

Caroline Burton, Pampa Novla Westmoreland.

Deborah Gage. Miama Mary Blevins, Pampa Faye Thomas, Pampa Teresa Tolleson, Pampa

Births

A baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Butler, Pampa A baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. David Cagle, Borger Dismissals

Rosa Batista, Pampa Darin Clark, Pampa Emmitt Collins. Pampa Eddie Daniels, Fritch Harvey Downs, Pampa Lafavet Dozier. Stinnett

Daniel Kraay, Pampa Donna Lamberson and baby girl, Pampa Hiram Lane. Pampa Floyd Lynch, Pampa Burnice Miller, Pampa

Arturo Pacheco, Pampa Clennie Redd. Pampa Sharon Ritter and baby boy. Groom

Evelyn Munoz, White

boy. Pampa Christopher Smith. Pampa James Smith, Pampa

Patricia Schulz and baby

Basil Trainer, Pampa SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions Gloria Mason, Lorenzo

Laura Hanson Shamrock Cleo Davis, Shamrock Meka Cunningham Wheeler

Frances Dupez Shamrock Jerry Mounce, Shamrock Tessie Clark. Wheeler Billie Douglas Shamrock

Glen Miller, Erick, Okla. Dismissals Lori Busch. Mobeetie Royce Johnston. Canoga Joli Morgan, Shamrock

#### city briefs

NEW SHIPMENT of

AIN'T SHE NIFTY! MARY Effanbee Dolls. Sands

## minor accidents

9:35 a.m. - A 1973 Ford driven by Lillinn Vinn Thomason. 337 Canadian, was in collision in the 700 block of Frederic with a 1974 Chevrolet driven by Laguanda Cochran Walker 1225 S. Finley. Thomason was cited for running a red light. - A 1979 Ford driven by Raymond Vincent Wilder, of Elk City, was in collision in the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway, with a 1976 Cadillac driven by Vickie Tollison Owens, of Skellytown. Wilder was cited for following

4:35 p.m. - Westley Glenn Marlar, 19, 1124 Osbourne, was driving a 1976 Pontiac and was in collision with a 1972 Chevrolet pickup driven by David Sherman Hulsey, 33. Rt. 2, Box 107. Pampa. Marlar was cited for failure to yield right of

4:41 - Monte Jim Hopkins, 18, Rt. 2, Box 193b, Pampa, was driving a 1977 Chevrolet and was in collision with a 1980 Ford driven by Robert Merle Long. 25, Rt. 2, Box 91, Pampa. Accident occurred at 1500 blck of N. Hobart. Hopkins was cited for following too closely.

9:23 p.m. - Noland Gerald Welborn, 30, 1128 Garland was driving a 1981 Ford and was in collision with a 1977 Ford driven by Roy Clark Milliron, 32, 105 E. 27th. Pampa. Accident occurred at the intersection of Cuyler and Kingsmill

#### police report

The Pampa Police Department responded to 28 calls during the 24 - hour period ending at 8 a.m. today 10 p.m. - A robbery was reported at the Bell gas station 1524 N. Hobart. No amount was listed



MORNING PATROL. A column of armored vehicles preceded by a vehicle with a flashing warning light moves through the dawn light on a Warsaw street Friday

as civilians, right, walk to work. This picture was made by a Dutch photographer and made available in (AP Laserphoto)

#### Mexico raises gasoline prices to curb use

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Motorists faced more than doubled prices for regular gasoline in Mexico today following a decision by the state petroleum monopoly Pemex, which said the increases were needed to reduce rising consumption.

The new prices, announced Monday night, became effective immediately.

Pemex said regular gasoline increased from 38 cents to 82 cents a gallon and the price of unleaded gas went up from 97 cents to \$1.36 a gallon. Diesel, which was selling for 14 cents a gallon, jumped to 34 cents

Gasoline in Mexico is sold by the liter, so the figures given are based on an approximate conversion to gallons and

on an exchange rate of 26 pesos to the

At news conference, Resources and Development Secretary Jose Andres

Oteyza said the price of premium gasoline was raised to about the same as in the United States, though it is still much lower than in Europe. He said regular gasoline and diesel prices will continue to be much lower in Mexico than in the United States

"We are going to close the breach,

but not totally." Oteyza said. Price differences between the United States and Mexico have in the past lured many U.S. border residents to Mexico when they needed to fill their

Pemex Director Julio Rodolfo Moctezuma Cid said Mexican gasoline consumption is increasing annually at about 14 percent. He said that in recent years consumption in border areas has been growing about 30 percent yearly.

He said that at the current rate. "we would have to build many refineries, we have to invest a lot of money in those kind of installations, and furthermore, given the rate of demand, we wouldn't even have enough time to build those installations.

A refinery, he said, "takes us about four years to build, to put into service. in such a way that the rate of demand would go much faster than the building



Police Department is distributing these composite drawings of the suspect in the robbery of a Pampa woman's purse at gunpoint in the parking lot behind the



Pampa Mall. The suspect is described as a white male. about 15 years of age, with brown hair. He was wearing blue jeans with a red plaid shirt when he fled the scene. The purse contained personal items and about \$10 in

## Border Patrol team sent to Puerto Rico to guard refugees

Patrol operations in the El Paso area will not be disrupted by the absence of 100 patrolmen sent to Puerto Rico to help guard Haitian refugees, officials

The officers, members of the Border Patrol's Special React Team, were flown out of the El Paso Sunday night in a chartered Texas International jet. They arrived Monday morning and relieved officers who had been on duty since rioting at Fort Allen Saturday

Blas Martinez, acting Border Patrol chief in El Paso, said the dispatch of the force, the only one of its kind in the nation, would not mean curtailment of

work overtime or whatever to pick up the slack, but we're not going to be cutting down any operations," he said. The Border Patrol still has about 400 agents in the area, he said.

The Haitians, apparently upset about spending Christmas in a fenced compound, stormed a fence and threw rocks at security officers Saturday night in two-hour melee. None of the Haitians escaped and only minor injuries were reported. Officials said five of the injured were police officers who had been hit by flying rocks.

Vern Jervis, public relations officer for the Immigration and Naturalization Sevice in Washington, said it was "very quiet" at Fort Allen on Monday

We really sent the Border Patrol

measure." Jervis said. "With the holiday and all, the Haitians are acting a bit restless.

Martinez said the officers were equipped with riot gear and that about half of them had undergone special riot control training.

He said he did not know how long the officers would be at Fort Allen, but said there were no complaints about traveling there only a few days before

"Our people are pretty well disciplined to this type of response." Martinez said. "It's kind of like being in the military. They know that at any moment they may be called to go

## Month's inflation rate ensures lowest rate in past three years

WASHINGTON (AP) — Easing food and housing costs held the nation's inflation rate to a moderate 6.2 percent annual pace in November, the government reported today.

The modest rise virtually guarantees that this year's inflation rate will be the lowest in three years

The November increase of 0.5 percent in the Consumer Price Index was the second slow advance in a row and analysts expect the recession will dampen consumer demands and help keep the rate down.

Through November, inflation — as measured by the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index - ran at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 9.2 percent, department officials said.

The new figures indicate that inflation for the year will almost certainly fall below double digits, compared with 12.4 percent for 1980. If so, inflation would be running at the slowest pace since the 9 percent of 1978. It was 13.3 percent in 1979.

If the November rise of 0.5 percent after seasonal adjustment held for 12 straight months, the increase would be a compounded 6.2 percent, the department said. The rate was a little above October's

0.4 percent gain and well below the 1.2 percent advance in September and 0.8 percent in August. The pickup in November was attributed to housing costs, which rose

0.4 percent after being unchanged in October and surging substantially in the previous five months, the new report said. Housing costs were boosted last

reflecting a 1.9 percent increase in mortgage interest rates, the report said. House prices fell 0.8 percent. Rental costs grew 0.7 percent last

month, about the same as in the previous two months, the department said. Fuel oil prices rose modestly, after declining in each of the previous 7 months, it said Food and beverage costs rose a small 0.2 percent in November, the same as in

October, the report said. Declines were

registered in prices for beef, pork,

poultry, fish and dairy products.

beverages gained 0.5 percent. Transportation costs increased 0.8 percent in November, compared with

Restaurant meals and alcoholic

the 1.2 percent advances of September and October. Gas prices were up 0.5 percent, compared with 1.2 percent in October. Used-car prices were up sharply, but new-car prices rose only

Medical care costs continued to rise substantially, advancing 1.0 percent in November, marking the 11th straight month of increases of 0.9 percent or ore. Hospital room charges jumped 2.5 percent, while fees for physicians' services were up 1.1 percent

The report said the unadjusted Consumer Price Index rose to 280.7 in November, which means that goods and services costing \$10 in 1967 would have cost \$28.07 last month.

October's 0.4 percent seasonally adjusted advance was the smallest since the summer of 1980, when the economy was in a recession. That small gain helped hold inflation for the first 10 months of 1981 to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 9.6 percent

## Brezhnev urges normal relations in rare interview with NBC

Union and the United States should abandon "the senseless arms race" and return to the path of normal relations." says Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev Responding to written questions from

NBC chief diplomatic correspondent Marvin Kalb, the Soviet leader said the current arms talks the two nations are holding in Geneva "will determine whether the danger of outbreak of nuclear war will increase or decrease.' Brezhnev. NBC said Mondav

expressed a concern that his country and the United States are sliding toward a confrontation. "The dangerous zeal in stepping up the arms race must be curbed," he said.

'Artificial obstacles" are preventing the improvement of U.S.-Soviet relations, said Brezhnev, adding that his country is ready to resume strategic arms control talks, according to NBC. He did not explain what the artificial

obstacles are Discussing the SALT negotiations, which have been stalled since 1979, Brezhnev said his country is "prepared to resume negotiations," adding, "It's now up to Washington.

Asked about Brezhnev's statements, the chief U.S. arms control negotiator, Eugene Rostow, said on NBC's "Today" show this morning: "He's trying to separate the United States from its allies and he's trying to head off the attempt to modernize and restore the balance of our forces, both nuclear and conventional, which

President Reagan has begun. "The Soviet interest in preventing Western rearmament, the restoration of the military balance between the

United States and the Soviet Union, is profound, and he misses no oportunity for making that point, as he did in these talks," Rostow added

Brezhnev, who recently visited West Germany, said he welcomes West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt's 'increasing role as an intermediary'' between Moscow and Washington and urges other NATO countries to follow West Germany's lead.

But Rostow disputed that point and dismissed the talk of a West German intermediary role as an attempt to split

the Western alliance Brezhnev's responses to the questions came before the crackdown by the Polish government against the Solidarity labor movement a week and a half ago. He did not mention Poland.

Brezhnev said he hopes there will be a summit meeting between himself and President Reagan, but, reflecting a view also held by Reagan, he added. "adequate preparation is necessary for-

## Bentsen warns against selective grain embargo

HOUSTON (AP) — A selective embargo against the Soviet Union or Poland would only penalize American farmers, U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said. The Texas Democrat, speaking at a

news conference Monday, said the only embargo which should be considered is a total embargo begun with the support of U.S. allies in Western Europe.

Pointing to the grain embargo imposed by former President Jimmy Carter in 1980 after the Soviet Union's invasion of Afghanistan, Bentsen said. "It simply hasn't worked in the past, and the farmers have had to pay for it.

Bentsen said the United States "does not have a strong hand," with which it can respond to the events in Poland other than political action and economic pressure, if the European allies join in the action

The senator-who is running for re-election-blamed the Soviets for the

current state of affairs in Poland but . added military intervention in the crisis is not "realistic.

Bentsen also attacked Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin's decision to. annex the Golan Heights captured from Syria in 1967

The annexation "violates the spirit of the Camp David accords," he said. Turning to politics, the senator said he is not surprised White House political director Edward Rollins did not list him among Democratic Senators he considered vulnerable in

"My polls show me that I am in the best shape I have ever been in in Texas," he said.

Two conservative Republicans -Dallas Congressman Jim Collins and Houston state Sen. Walter Mengden are the main contenders for the GOP nomination to face Bentsen.

po

govern

produc

today

fumiga

strong

fumiga

after tank finis chemi Wor compl Larry

Auth

lifted Todd spill v runni River

WHITE CHRISTMAS. As four inches of heavy, wet snow tell in Denver Monday night. Randy Brady reported he

was doing a brisk business at his Christmas tree lot near that city's downtown area.

#### (AP Laserphoto)

## Texas citrus officials worry about possible loss of California market

HARLINGEN, Texas (AP) — Texas citrus industry officials say they are trapped in a "Catch-22" situation between California and the federal government and that it could cost them a large wholesale market.

vearing

scene.

tionary

eacting

s were

at about

cial riot

long the

but said

's before

tv well

being in

at any

d to go

alcoholic

ased 0.8

red with

ptember

e up 0.5

ercent in

were up

ose only

d to rise

ercent in

straight

rcent or

jumped

ysicians'

adjusted

280.7 in

at goods

67 would

asonally

smallest

vhen the

nat small

e first 10

adjusted

ns

ot to split -

by the nst the

questions

veek and

nself and

ecting a

e added.

ssary for.

land but

he crisis

li Prime

cision to.

red fróm

spirit of

tor said e House

llins did

nocratic

rable in

m in the

en in in

cans -

ngden —

the GOP

lins and

aid.

Poland. e will be

sponse.

a bout

'Twenty percent of our citrus produce is sold to California," said Dave Hardison, who awaited word today on whether a squabble over fumigation practices would take Texas fruit out of the California market.

Under rules from the U.S. Agriculture Department, Texas has fumigated orange and grapefruit shipments to California to prevent spread of the Mexican fruit fly

The pest is a less destructive cousin of the more famous Mediterranean fruit fly.

However. California this fall enacted stronger worker safety restrictions on the chemical, ethylene dibromide (EDB), used by Texas shippers to fumigate fruit. Texas appealed to the USDA after most California buyers refused to handle Lone Star citrus instead of trying to comply with the tougher rules

The USDA lifted the fumigation

requirement but now is considering reimposing the rule Jan. 1.

"If we do have to go back to fumigation, it's going to be a bad situation." said Bill Weeks of the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Shippers and Growers Association.

Texas ranks third behind California and Florida in grapefruit and orange

In a six-week period ending Dec. 10, Texas growers shipped to California 425.000 cartons of fruit valued at \$2.1

Fumigation had been required to protect California, Arizona, Florida and some sections of Louisiana from possible spread of the Mexican fruit fly. Texas citrus bound for other states is not fumigated.

The USDA lifted the fumigation rules in November for 65 percent of the Texas crop, which was grown in an area covered by a sterile fly release

USDA officials from Washington met informally Thursday with Texas industry representatives about the

Texas shippers could meet the EDB

concentration requirements imposed by California but not other rules, said Les Whitlock of Texas Citrus Mutual.

"We can't overcome other trade regulations, such as monitoring the air (in receiving areas); receivers beingliable for any worker harm now and the next 20 years; and special, expensive equipment for workers, which we feel is not needed." said Whitlock.

Hardison said citrus, like everything in agriculture, is suffering this year, although the Texas crop production is up from last season

Predictions of a large crop in Florida. whose season parallels Texas, sent wholesale prices plummeting in November, Hardison said. The fumigation issue along with general economic problems have made for a frustrating season so far, he added.

A check of several commercial shippers showed a good season for gift fruit, a traditional favorite at

The USDA forecast for Texas grapefruit production this season is 440,000 tons, up 60 percent from last year: 162,000 tons of early oranges; and 102,000 tons of Valencia oranges.

## 'Samaritan' reports this year's Christmas is special to him

Houston two months ago

hoping to find work. But they

Christopher. 14. Shelly, 12.

and Michael. 11 - so the

youngsters stayed behind

with grandparents in

of the Hilts family on a

Franco heard of the plight

Ypsilanti.

lost at sea.

businessman who reunited a Ford Motor Co., came to Detroit-area family separated by economic hard times says the gesture did not have enough money to brought back the true bring their children meaning of Christmas for

"Christmas to me has meant very little in the last 10 years." said Victor Franco. 52. a modern-day Good Samaritan who spent \$2,000 helping a displaced family get settled in Houston Monday. "But this year it's going to be extra special.".

As Franco spoke, the beneficiaries of his good deed, Gregory and Barbara Hilts, hugged and kissed their three children in a tearful reunion near an arrival gate at Houston's Intercontinental Airport.

"It's going to be the best Christmas ever now," said Mrs. Hilts, wiping tears from

She and her husband, both

But they still had not raised the money to bring their family back together and

truck stop.

HOUSTON (AP) - A. laid off from their jobs at even if they could, they did not have a home big enough for the whole family.

Franco said that when he saw them on television, "It was a spontaneous thing ... I said, 'That's somebody I'd like to help."

Franco, who owns a used-car dealership, leased a home for the Hilts, paid their rent for three months and paid air fare for their

home in his car. "They've probably r my Christmas as much fu theirs is going to be." he s Franco, who comm weekly between his busi in Houston and a home i

Christmas is going t

fantastic this year." Fra

said as he watched the

in an emotional reunion

then took them to their



## Surprise your friends & love ones Fill them with joy & glee When they wake up Christmas morning With a HOT TUB under the tree. leading brands of hot tubs & saunas portables & built-insstarting as low as \$159500

### no-billed DALLAS (AP) - A Dallas

**Officers** 

County grand jury has declined to indict two Grand Prairie police officers accused of beating two handcuffed teen-agers they arrested at a car wash.

The grand jury's decision came Monday, after officers Jimmy L. Horrocks, 38, and Alan T. Patton, 27, were reinstated to the Dallas suburb's police department.

"I'm grateful and relieved," Patton said, "but I kind of thought this would happen. I think our getting our jobs back gave the grand jury something to think about

The officers were reinstated Friday. They had been dismissed from the force Nov. 23.

Horrocks, who had testified before the city's Civil Service Commission that he struck the 15-year-old Chris Gomez and 16-vear-old Ricky Diaz with sand-weighted gloves. will be allowed to return Dec. 23, after serving a 30-day suspension without pay.

## BAHA, HYDRO SPA, SPA KING, TALLMAN Evening By Appointment Loop 171 N.

## Highway clear after tanker righted, towed

TEXARKANA, Texas (AP) - No ecological damage towed to Henderson and resulted when a tanker containing a highly flammable chemical overturned and spilled part of its toxic cargo on a highway. site, he said. Texas Department of Public Safety officials say.

Authorities planned today to remove all soil Highway 59 that had been contaminated by the allylalcohol - or propenol after workers righted the tank truck Monday and finished cleaning the

chemicals from the highway. Workers used air packs to complete the task Monday afternoon, pumping the chemical into another tanker. according to DPS spokesman

Larry Todd in Austin. The tanker truck was lifted into upright position. Todd said. "The chemical spill was determined to be a minimal amount, and was contained in a ditch by dikes erected to keep it from running off into the Sulphur

Todd said the tanker was would be transported to Houston later. The contaminated soil will be taken to an approved dump

DPS troopers Monday afternoon reopened a two-mile stretch of U.S. closed between Texarkana and the Northeast Texas city of Atlanta since the accident early Sunday.

The road was closed and about 24 merchants evacuated along Lake Wright Patman after the truck skidded on an ice patch and collided with a pickup truck about 6:15 a.m. Sunday

Two occupants of the pickup truck remained

COMING SOON SKATE TOWN KEEP IN SHAPE-ROLLER SKATE!

hospitalized with serious chest injuries, a broken arm injuries, said a spokesman for Wadley Hospital in

The pickup's driver, Juan Castro Roque. 35, of Pasadena, Texas, suffered

and a broken leg and a collapsed lung, while a passenger in the pickup. 50-year-old Nelson Johnson of Houston, suffered chest injuries and a crushed leg.



Coronado Center 665-7726

Doors Open 7:00 p.m. All Shows 7:30



#### Do You Hear ust Don't Understand? lewly Developed Hearing Aid Separates Speech from Noise.

Completely Automatic Volume Control

Custom Made to Your Hearing Loss All-in-the-ear or Behind the Ear

Able to differentiate between noise and speech to enable the wearer to better understand speech

5. Free trial, Money Back Guarantee

Free Hearing Tests, in full cooperation with our doctor. **Batteries for all Hearing Aids** 

\$40, with Repair any make Hearing A -month warranty 

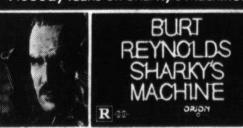
Master Hearing Aid Specialist FREE ELECTRONIC H ELECTRONIC HEARING TEST

**UP TO 3 YEAR WARRANTY** ON NEW HEARING AIDS FULL COOPERATION WITH YOUR DOCTOR

Any Hearing Aid Factory Repaired \$4000 With 6 Months Warranty ......

Mr. McGinnas Will Be in Pampa To Serve You EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. Pampa Senior Citizen Center, 500 W. Francis



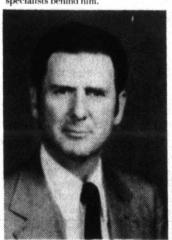


Showtime 7:30

## **Marsh & McLennan**

## A new name for an old friend.

Mr. Kay Fancher at The Panhandle Agency has been serving his client's asurance needs for 25 years. Now, with The Panhandle Agency becoming Marsh & McLennan, Kay will have 5,000 more specialists behind him.



Why change? Because business keeps changing. And as you've grown, we've grown.

We've joined forces with Marsh & McLennan, the world's leading insurance broker.

Now our account executives have access to the full national resources of Marsh & McLennan. Including specialists in every major industry. Hazard-control programs to help improve loss records—which can mean lower premiums. And the organization, experience, and nego-

tiating ability in the insurance marketplace to give you personalized business insurance coverage at favorable terms.

For the insurance and risk management services you've come to expect—plus the resources of the world's leading insurance broker—come see us at: 320 West Francis, Pampa, Texas 79065. Or call: 806/665-5737.

When it comes to insurance, come to the leader.

#### The Pampa News

EVER STRIVING FOR TOP O' TEXAS TO BE AN EVEN BETTER PLACE TO LIVE

Let Peace Begin With Me

his newspaper is dedicated to furnishing information to our readers so that can better promote and preserve their own freedom and encourage others e its blessing. For only when man understands freedom and is free to trol himself and all he possesses can he develop to his utmost capabilities.

Ve believe that all men are equally endowed by their Creator, and not by a ernment, with the right to take moral action to preserve their life and perty and secure more freedom and keep it for themselves and others.

o discharge this responsibility, free men, to the best of their ability, must derstand and apply to daily living the great moral guide expressed in the Syeting Commandment

Address all communications to The Pampa News, 403 W. Atchison, P.O. lawer 2198, Pampa, Texas 79065. Letters to the editor should be signed and mes will be withheld upon request.

Permission is hereby granted to reproduce in whole or in part any editorials ginated by The News and appearing in these columns, providing proper nedit is given.

Louise Fletcher Publisher

Lynn Hunter Managing Editor

## Congressional pay hikes

Members of Congress set a poor ample of austerity recently when ey quadrupled their taxes ductions for living in Washington d then provided themselves tomatic pay hikes with no quirement for recorded votes.

Heretofore, senators and presentives were permitted a aximum of \$3.000 in deductible penses for living in Washington. nat could not have covered the cost maintaining a home or apartment. it then that was one reason embers of Congress received i0.662 per year plus a lengthy list of inge benefits.

The spending bill recently passed ill provide senators and epresentatives an average annual ax deduction of \$13.500 to cover their ashington expense.

Poorly timed as this increase was. rates fewer Bronx cheers than the ttached rider granting automatic. ay raises for members of Congress henever a presidential commission oosts salaries for senior federal xecutives.

The congressional pay hikes would ake automatically unless the House nd Senate specifically rejected them - hardly a likely occurrence.

Four years ago. public outrage over unvoted pay raises prompted Congress to adopt legislation requiring roll call votes whenever senators and representatives thought they were entitled to more

Most members of Congress would prefer, for obvious reasons, to avoid the embarrassment of voting themselves higher salaries. We think they ought to be even more embarrassed to arrange for the automatic raises without the accountability afforded by roll - call

As if all this weren't enough, the recent spending bill also repealed the limit on outside income senators were permitted to earn each year. While this won't cost taxpayers directly, it does enhance prospects for the conflicts of interest the limit was intended to restrict.

It is a lead - pipe cinch that self aggrandizement on Capitol Hill won't sit well with the voters. Nor should it. especially when spending cuts are the order of the day almost everywhere else in the federal

## s whaling moratorium really still necessary?

Most humans are carnivorous, and only a minority adhere strictly to a vegetarian diet. Those who seek to protect all animal life may deplore the appetite for meat, but it is a fact.

The killing of wild creatures for food was followed by the breeding of domestic animals for slaughter, but hunting has continued as a sport and.

Fishing is a worldwide industry. without much protest so long as conservation is practiced and fishery stocks are protected. But hunting the whales, those enormous sea dwelling mammals, has become the subject of international controversy and the object of passionate protest. The anti-whalers call for a complete moratorium on whaling

But all of the whale species believed to have been overhunted blues. rights. grays. humpbacks. bowheads and most stocks of fins and seis - are not fully protected from commercial exploitation. Quota levels on other species are low enough that there is no real risk of depleting any whale populations. For instance, some scientists estimate the current population of sperm whales at almost 2 million animals. Others dispute the estimate, but the allowable catch is now less than 1.200

It is easy for Americans to give up whale - hunting, because we don't do any. We now have substitutes for most whale products. We have a surplus of meat and grain, and we don't eat whale meat. It is otherwise with the Japanese.

and, unfortunately, few realize that whale meat remains a prime source protein in populated, protein - short island nation, which is our best ally outside

There have been cuts in the whale meat consumption of the Japanese as a result of conservation practices in recent years. They used to eat three pounds a year per person. equal to the amount of canned tuna eaten by Americans. They now are down to one pound a year, equal to the amount of salmon eaten by Americans.

Dr. James Mead of the Smithsonian Institution was quoted by the National Geographic magazine in 1976 as saying. Frankly, I don't think a moratorium is necessary, at least from a management standpoint. He said no species of great whale was endangered by current whaling.

Mead called whales an incredibly efficient food resource and said: We may need them one day to feed an increasingly hungry world

## Pill industry scores one

We were delighted to learn that the Consumer Products Safety Commission would take another look at a 1970 law designed to keep small children from getting into containers whose contents could be hazardous.

Those tricky pill bottles, which a previous commission had decreed we all must put up with, were something of an enigma from the start. They presented a natural challenge to children who are attracted to puzzles. And just about any child old enough to lay hands on a properly stored pill bottle could open it without much trouble.

Adults. accustomed to simply unscrewing a cap or pulling a cork. had more of a problem. The combination caps stirred frustration and anger and it was not unusual for an adult to resort to a can opener or pliers to wreck the cap. Once open. man simply left the "childproof" cap off. That practice often served to destroy the usefulness of the pill or drug for the adult it was intended for. and made it more easily available for the smallest tyke who was to be. supposedly, protected.

The most bizarre tale we've heard about kidproof containers occurred on an airplane in a storm. A passenger terrorized by the weather and the antics of the plane went slightly beserk. Flight attendants. struggling to calm the individual. produced a container containing a

sedative. But in the excitement none could open it. A passenger finally solved the dilemma by crushing the bottle underfoot.

In any event, customer complaints inspired manufacturers to come up with a new type of dual - purpose container they thought would comply with the law. It comes with a child resistant top that can be reversed once you get it off the first time - to make it easy to open the next time.

The CPSC staff surmised correctly that many adults will recap the new vials in the manner that will make them easy to reopen and urged the commission to declare them illegal.

The commission, some of whom undoubtedly had suffered the same frustrations with kidproof containers as most of the rest of us have, ruled against the staff and, we believe, for the public.

So now — before long — you should be able to buy drugs and household chemicals in containers that you can open. And you may have a better understanding of the process that makes removal of silly federal

regulations slow and difficult. Incidentally, now that the Consumer Safety Product Commission has shown all this faith in our ability to manage our own pill bottles, it would be only prudent to make sure that the new containers. as well as the ones currently in use. are stored well out of the reach of small children.

## A monster of our making

By DON GRAFF

In most respects, the country makes an unlikely mover and shaker in world affairs.

It is huge, but most of its almost 700,000 square miles is barren desert. Most of the population of less than 3 million, until recently poor and backward even by the depressed standards of the region, is spread out along a Mediterranean coastal strip a few miles deep and a thousand miles

For most of the last thousand years, it has not been its own master. Long a backwater province of the Ottoman Empire, it was picked up by Italy on the eve of World War I and lost in the aftermath of World War II.

Set up by the victors as an independent limited monarchy, it was an artificial nation whose diverse tribes had little sense of nationhood and less of constitutional government. It continued to be dominated by outsiders. compliantly providing base sites for Western forces through two postwar

By ROBERT WALTERS

of this city don't enjoy any special

immunity to illness, disease or

accidents - but the amount of time

they spend in local hospitals is almost

40 perent lower than the national

Dramatic disparities in the cost and

utilization of medical services are

beginning to surface throughout the

country. It now costs twice as much, for

example, to have a baby in Boston than

In Minneapolis - St. Paul, the overall

rate of inflation has been consistently

higher than the national average

throughout the past five years - but the

increase in the cost of health care in the

Twin Cities during the same period has

been significantly lower than in other

Cost - conscious competition has

come to the once genteel health - care

field, supplanting the traditional

personal relationship between doctor

and patient with an unprecedented

array of institutional arrangements

and individual relationships.

average for urban areas.

metropolitan areas.

AUSTIN, Texas (NEA) - Residents

HULME N.E.A.

ETTA @1981 FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM

Yet, here Libya is, at center stage in a face - off with a nuclear superpower that is part farce and part deadly threat to both and, potentially, much more.

If Libya's rise to its present ominous prominence can be said to have begun at any time recently, Sept. 1, 1969, is the date. That was when a cabal of young army officers, in a delayed reaction to the revolution in neighboring Egypt. ousted the corrupt royal regime.

Out also went the Western military presence, but not Western oilmen. Drilling that began in the late '50s had within a decade transformed subsistence agricultural economy into a major oil exporter.

The revolution's leader, Col. Muammar Khadafy, proclaimed Libyans the beneficiaries of something called "Arab socialism." Whatever it was supposed to be in theory, in practice it has been indistinguishable from the strongman rule that prevails in most of the Third World. There is no question as to who is in charge:

In one respect, however, he does differ - at least in degree - from the run - of - the - mill strongman: He is

"I'll tell you what I'd like to see - Crop Failure Limitation Talks. Our

Cutting medical costs

Proponents of these new approaches

claim they offer a unique opportunity to

reduce the soaring cost of medical

services. Critics warn that the

innovations are leading to assembly

line medical practices, episodic health

care and corner - cutting in dealing with

Here in Texas' capital city, a

PruCare health maintenance

organization, established by the

Prudential Insurance Co. of America in

October 1980, today has more than

18.500 participants and continues to

The HMO concept, popularized many

years ago by the Kaiser Permanente

organization in California, offers

participants a complete range of

medical services in return for payment

The incentive to control costs is the

contractual arrangement that provides

the HMO with only the prepaid fee

regardless of how much health care a

Organized medicine, led by the

By ART BUCHWALD

American Medical Association.

of a fixed monthly fee.

participant requires.

crops should be required to be equal to American crops."

human health

more volatile, unpedictable and reckless and has more resources at his disposal than any other.

In little more than a decade of power. he has alternately embraced union with Egypt and Tunisia, then turned against and atacked both. He has aided ousted Ugandan dictator Idi Amin, invaded and sought to annex neighboring Chad and is pursuing a destabilization campaign against Sudan.

He has been the willing if erratic tool of Soviet policy in the Mideast, a fierce opponent of an Arab - Israeli accommodation, a supporter of the more extreme elements of the Palestine Liberation Organization and of non - Arab terrorist groups in Europe and elsewhere, and is bankrolling Pakistan's efforts to acquire nuclear weapons capability.

If there's any wonder to his performance, it is that he manages to find time for his current confrontations with the U.S. Sixth Fleet and

Khadafy is not without his problems. He is disliked and feared by most of the Arab world establishment, which privately would welcome a setback to

vigorously opposes the HMO concept on

the grounds that it is likely to reduce

But here in Austin, the Travis County

Medical Society has responsed to the

PruCare challenge by enrolling 300 of

the 500 physicians practicing in the

area in its own HMO, the Central Texas

In Minneapolis - St. Paul, the

Hennepin county Medical Society

organized its own HMO. Physicians

Health Plan. Even the Blue Corss - Blue

Shield organization, another outspoken

critic of the concept, has formed HMO

The Twin Cities area has no fewer

than seven HMOs, all vigorously

competing with each other and with

physicians engaged in the traditional

quantitative measure of HMO impact

on health costs is the number of hospital

days recorded per 1,000 population

annually - a figure that stands at 1.278

metropolitan area is 776; PruCare has

reduced it ever further, to about 400

among its members. Among HMO

participants in the Twin Cities, the rate

is 452. In contrast, St. Louis - a city

with virtually no medical competition

Square Surgical Center, believed to be

the country's largest and busiest

freestanding surgical center, where 40

to 60 routine operations are performed

That means that patients are sent

home within hours after their surgery is

completed rather than being confined

to an expensive hospital room for days

of recuperation, which many medical

experts believe to be an unneccessary

Elsewhere in Texas, cash - and -

How successful are these radical new

approaches to health care? The final

the initial evidence suggests that they

may be performing a valuable service

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Austin also is the home of the Bailey

In Austin, the rate for the entire

Probably the most reliable

fee - for - service practice.

the quality of health care.

Health Plan.

Minnesota.

nationally

— has a rate of 1.753.

extravagance.

daily on an outpatient basis.

Midwest and in Califronia

for millions of citizens.

his ambitions and even his ouster. Dissidents at home and in the large colonies of Libyan exiles abroad are growing in number and effectiveness. An OPEC hawk, he has made overpriced Libyan oil a glut on the world market and is faced with a sharp drop in revenues - estimated this year to be about a third of 1980's more than \$20 billion - that will force retrenchment in economic development, arms purchases and foreign adventures.

Although none of this for the moment seems to be giving Khadafy pause, it could be the prelude to his downfall. That might not necessarily be the good news, however.

What follows could be worse. Khadafy is at least unquestionably his own wildman. His successor or successors might very well be much more dependent upon the Soviet Union.

Politics and economics have made Khadafy's Libva the mover and shaker that it momentarily is. They are essentially the post war Mideast politics and the energy - dominated economics of the industrial West. In that sense, we have been the Frankenstein to the monstrosity that Khadafy appears to us to be today.

He is not the only such. (Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

#### Today in history

Today is Tuesday, Dec. 22, the 356th day of 1981. There are nine days left in the year

Today's highlight in history:

On Dec. 22, 1971, 10 years ago today. Kurt Waldheim was sworn in as U.N. secretary-general. On this date:

In 69 A.D., Roman Emperor Vitellus was assassinated

In 1894, Alfred Dreyfus was convicted of treason by a French court martial and ordered imprisoned on Devil's Island, in French Guyana.

In 1943. President Franklin Roosevelt, British Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Chinese leader Chiang Kai-Shek agreed at a Cairo. Egypt meeting on measures to defeat Japan in World War II.

And in 1963, the Greek liner Laconia caught fire and sank in the North Atlantic, taking 150 lives.

Five years ago: Attorney General-designate Griffin Bell said he would resign his membership in all private clubs, including two in Atlanta which had no black members.

One year ago: The State Department said it believed some of the 52 American hostages in Iran might have been in prisons while others were suffering inadequate medical attention.

Today's birthday: Lady Bird Johnson Thought for today: "While we are

postponing, life speeds by." Marcus Seneca, Roman scholar.

#### THE PAMPA NEWS

(USPS 781-540)

Pampa, Texas 79065 403 W. Atchison PO Box 2198

Circulation Certified by ABC Audit

SUPSCRIPTION RATES
Subscription rates in Pampa and RTZ by carrier and motor route are \$3.75 per month, \$11.25 per three months, \$22.50 per six months and \$45.00 per year. THE PAMPA NEWS is not responsible for advance payment of two or more months made to the carrier. Please pay directly to the NewS Office any payment that exceeds the current collection period.

Subscription rates by mail are: RTZ \$11.25 per three months, \$22.50 per six months and \$45.00 per year. Outside of RTZ, \$12.00 per three months; \$24.00 per six months and \$45 per year. Mail subscriptions must be paid in advance. No mail subscriptions are available within the city limits of Pampa. Servicemen and students by mail \$2.50 per month.

Single copies are 15 cents daily and 25 cents Sunday.

carry medical care is available at a chain of MedStop clinic, this state's version of the minor emergency clinics located in shopping centers or near busy intersections throughout the

Single copies are 15 cents daily and 25 cents Sunday.

The Pampa News is published daily except Saturdays and holidays by the Pampa News, 403 W. Atchison Street, Pampa, Texas 79065.

Second-class postage paid at Pampa, Texas POSTMASTER: Send address charges to the Pampa News, P.O. Drawer 2198, Pampa, Texas 79065. verdict hasn't been returned yet, but

Missing Your Daily News? Dial 669-2525 Before 7 p.m. Weekdays, 10 a.m. Sundays

## A compassionate gesture

By ART BUCHWALD As a compassionate gesture,

President Reagan has reversed his hard - line policy towards the air traffic controllers who went out on strike. They can apply for jobs with the government, but they will not be permitted to practice their trade.

This gesture, coming at a time when the government agencies have been ordered to lay off everyone they possibly can, has caused some skepticism among unemployed air controllers, who think Reagan's announcement was a bad joke.

But my friend Ted Britt, an air controller, who never gave up believing in Santa Claus, went down to the nearest U.S. employment office the morning after the President's magnanimous pardon.

'I'm an air controller who went out on strike and I would like a government

Wait a minute, Benedict Arnold: Président Reagan didn't promise you a job. He just promised you could apply for one providing it has nothing to do with your specialty, which is guiding airplanes.

"Okay, I'd like to sign up for a position as a scientist at the National Institute of Health.

'What are your qualifications?''

"I have none. I don't even know how to use a microscope. But since President Reagan doesn't want us to practice our trade. I figure being a scientist would be a lot of fun. "Do you realize that we've had to lay

off qualified scientists at NIH because of budget cuts?" "Well, Reagan could always make

them air controllers." "I'm sorry, but there are no openings

at NIH. Is there any other position in the government you would like to apply "How about being an atomic weapons

inspector? I could check out warheads to see if they were armed or not." "That's very specialized work. One mistake and you could wipe out

"I'm sure I could get the hang of it. Let me practice on a few loaded B - 52s and I'll get the drift of it."

"The President has issued orders that a striking air controller may not go within a mile of an airplane. When you people went out, you should have realized that. "We didn't think it out. If Mr. Reagan

is going to let us go to work for the government again, why doesn't he let us do what we were trained to do? After all, you would think he would want to get the aviation industry back to full capacity. "Drew Lewis, his Transportation

secretary, promised the people now working in the towers that they would never have to work beside a striking air controller again. He has to think of the morale of the people manning the towers now. "But a lot of them are supervisors

who would be delighted to go back to their old jobs. The ones I've talked to are sick and tired of having no one to supervise." Britt said.

"Lewis maintains the supervisors now working in the towers are happier than they've ever been before. The pilots are thrilled with the new system and safety has never been higher. Even the airlines, who are losing their shirts because of flight cutbacks, are overjoyed that you people can't return to your old jobs. You controllers don't have a wing and a prayer of working at your specialty ever again. Reagan may forgive - but he doesn't forget.

"Okay, if he feels that strongly about it. I'd like to apply to be a federal "I don't see anything in the

regulations against that. Fill out this application and we'll process it.' What are my chances of getting the

"I would say very good as long as you eliminate yourself from any air controller cases.'

"That's no problem," Britt siad. "Maybe it's time I took up a new profession. At least as a federal judge you don't have to stand on your feet all

(c) 1981. Los Angeles Times

## Berry's World



money on software for our home computer."

Islami ( two Sovie center, a

SOVIET

**EDITO** Afghan arrange journalis weekend base ins intervie prisoner dispatch group's re By BAI Assoc ALI Afghanis teen-age prisone

Afghan

expect t

their Mo

captors

useful

purposes

shown to

Yuri

\*Povarnit of West Iranian fortified overrun about 1 Pakist Afghai Province Asked to him v Afghan H Party) found propagan soldier

through

course

throats

Pvt. Va

Didenko. Base Zaffarude the Sovi prisoners serve as ! militar Afghani they wor Islamic probably they con

said.

Povarn

ouster the large road are ctiveness s made t on the h a sharp this year nore than 1 force onomic ises and

moment pause, it downfall the good

worse nably his ssor or be much t Union. re made d shaker hey are Mideast minated West. In en the sity that ay.

he 356th ys left in

sn.)

o today as U.N. Vitellus

onvicted

martial

Devil's anklin Minister eleader Cairo.

o defeat Laconia e North torney

said he in all Atlanta artment the 52 ht have

Johnson Marcus

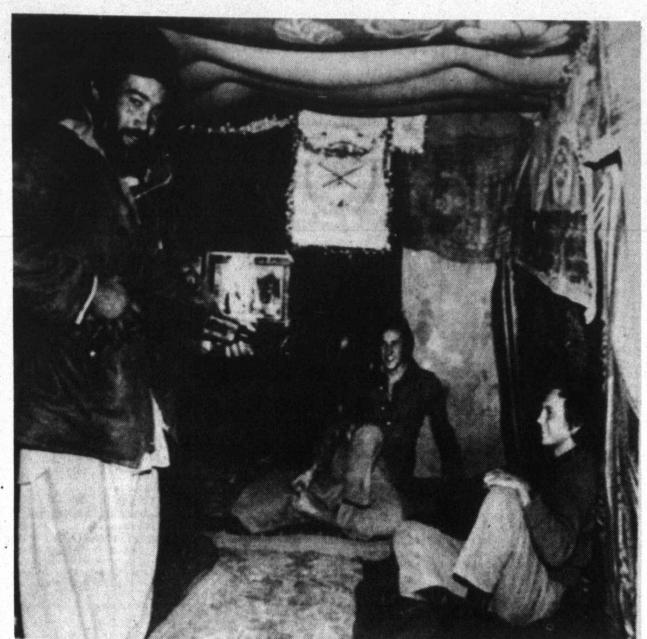
s were

tention

VS

Z by car-ith, \$11.25 and \$45.00 sponsible e months tly to the s the cur-

\$11.25 per \$45.00 per months; Mail sub-mail sub-limits of nail \$2.50 25 cents ly except News, 403 is 79065. i, Texas es to the Da, Texas



SOVIET PRISONERS. A member of the Afghan Hezibi Islami (Islamic Party) Gulbiddin faction, left, guards two Soviet prisoners, Sgt. Yuri Grigorivitch Povarnitsyn, center, and Pvt. Valeri Anmatolievich Didenko in their

cell at Allah Jirga, an Afghan guerilla base in eastern Afghanistan. Both prisoners feel they will be executed. after their captors no longer find them useful for

(AP Laserphoto)

## Soviet prisoners expect execution

EDITOR'S NOTE - An Afghan insurgent group arranged for a group of journalists to travel over the weekend to a guerrilla-held base inside Afghanistan to interview three Soviet prisoners. The following dispatch was filed on the group's return to Pakistan. By BARRY SHLACHTER

**Associated Press Writer** ALLAH JIRGA. Afghanistan (AP) - Two teen-age Soviet soldiers held prisoner for months by Afghan rebels said they expect to be executed once their Moslem fundamentalist

captors no longer find them useful for propaganda We are kept alive to be shown to journalists," Sgt. Yuri Grigorivitch \*Povarnitsyn, 19, told a group of Western. Chinese and

Iranian reporters at a fortified resistance base, an overrun Afghan army post about 12 miles from the Pakistan border in Afghanistan's Zabul Asked what would happen . to him when his captors, the

Afghan Hezbi Islami (Islamic Party) Gulbiddin faction. found him valueless for propaganda, the lanky Soviet soldier replied quickly through an interpreter, "Of course, they will slit our throats." Another prisoner. Pvt. Valeri Anatolievich Didenko, said he agreed.

Base commander Zaffaruddin Khan. 26, said the Soviets would "remain" prisoners as long as they can serve as symbols of the Soviet military presence in Afghanistan." Afterward, they would be tried under Islamic law and most probably executed unless they converted to Islam, he

Povarnitsyn and Didenko

said they have no intention of becoming Moslems. However, the third prisoner, Mohammed

Yazkulyev Kuli, who was born of Moslem parents in Uzbekistan, Soviet central Asia, might be spared because he is studying the Koran, the Islamic holy book. said Khan. Kuli declined to speak about his possible fate. Unlike the other rebel

groups, which have offered to exchange Soviet prisoners for 50 Afghans detained by the Soviet-backed regime in Kabul. Gulbiddin faction officials said a swap is out of the question.

Didenko, 18, of Palogi, Soviet Ukraine, roughly 186 miles east of Kiev, said he

was a tank maintenance technician at the time of his capture four months ago in the northern Afghan province of Baghlan.

"Before arriving in Afghanistan last June, I was told our purpose was to defend (the Afghan) revolution ... At the request of President Daoud," he said, mistaking the name of the late Afghan leader. Mohammad Daoud who was killed during the 1978 Marxist coup, for his pro-Moscow

The Soviet Union intervened with about 85,000 troops in December 1979 to back the Marxist government of Babrak Karmal against

Didenko, like his two fellow prisoners, made no attempt during the hour-long interview to curry favor with his captors by criticizing the Soviet intervention or by praising his treatment here.

In the presence of Hezbi officials and armed guards, Povarnitsyn said, "We were sent for the sake of friendship and because it is useful for the Soviet Union because there is a revolution in Afghanistan and a new socialist country will be

Kuli and Povarnitsyn, both 19-year-old farmboys drafted early this year, said they were captured separately in June near Charikar

## HOME SUPPLY **CARPETS Our Prices Will** Floor You

1415 N. Banks

665-5861

Holiday Catering and Goodies

PASTRIES, COFFEE CAKES, PIES, SPECIAL BREADS, DECORATED CAKES, COOKIES

AND...HORS D'OEUVRES

For your next party, treat your guests

to something special from

The Bakery

## Reagan says Roosevelt saw New Deal reforms as crisis remedies

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Reagan says many New Dealers in the administration of Franklin D. Roosevelt espoused fascism.

But he says Roosevelt, unlike those around him, saw the reforms of the New Deal as crisis remedies for the Depression that he would have tried to roll back after World War II.

Reagan makes those points in an interview on the Public Broadcasting Service program, "Ben Wattenberg at Large," that will be broadcast Friday night. Wattenberg conducted the interview last week. A transcript was made available to The Associated

Arthur M. Schlesinger Jr., a Roosevelt biographer who was questioned about Reagan's assertions in a telephone interview Monday, disputed the president's view of Roosevelt on both counts.

Schlesinger said "it is a gross

distortion of history" to say that Roosevelt's appointees advocated fascism or that FDR made only a temporary commitment to help those who needed help.

In the interview, Reagan said "the Roosevelt that I voted for had promised to cut federal spending by 25 percent" but, once in office. saw a crisis and advocated temporary aid "in the nature of medicine for a sick patient."

analysis is that people attracted to government and to government positions in those years, in many instances, did not view the medicine as temporary," the president said.

"But, in the meantime, my own

Schlesinger, winner of Pulitzer prizes. for history and biography, said fascism 'was the last thing in the mind of Roosevelt or anyone around him."

A dictionary defines fascism as "a system of government characterized by rigid one-party dictatorship, forcible

suppression of opposition, priv economic enterprise under centrali governmental control. belliger nationalism, racism and militarism.

Said Schlesinger? "There was no h at any point during the Roosev presidency of any desire to establish one-party state — and that's wh fascism was all about, the suppressi of all political opposition.

As for Roosevelt being a conservati at heart. Schlesinger said the be statement of his post-war views is t 1944 State of the Union addre advocating an economic bill of righ and job, housing and education programs.

In the same interview. Reaga aroused the ire of some disarmame leaders with a statement that this fall mass peace marches in Wester Europe were all communist-backed.

#### Banks could absorb Polish loans if defaulted

NEW YORK (AP) - Analysts doubt Poland will default on billions of dollars in loans due the West but say even if the worst were to happen, the banks could absorb the writeoffs with little pain.

Poland owes an estimated \$25 billion to Western banks and governments. The country will be in default, at least technically, if it does not pay by Dec. 28 about \$500 million in interest on \$2.4 billion originally due this year.

However, the banks are unlikely to immediately declare Poland in default, analysts said Monday. Among 460 Western banks that are owed about \$15 billion are 63 U.S. banks which have loaned Poland about \$1.4 billion. An additional \$10 billion is owed Western

A group of Poland's lenders gathered in a closed meeting in Zurich. Switzerland on Monday to discuss the debt to the West as the Polish military continued to crack down on the free labor movement, Solidarity,

While no statement was issued after the meeting, presumably among the topics discussed was Poland's request last week for another loan of \$350 million to help it pay the interest it

Irving Geszel. a bank analyst with the investment firm of Bear, Stearns Inc., said even if Poland made no payment by Dec. 28 it would not formally be in default unless declared so by the banks. He said banks had options to declaring default, including "sitting it out" in hopes Poland could pay portion of the interest or that the Sovie Union, a frequent and well-regarde borrower in the West, would ai Poland.

Paul Kelly, managing director of Merrill Lynch White Weld Capita Markets Group, agreed, saying: matter what happens politically ( Poland), you have to turn the econom v.

He suggested the Soviet Union would intervene economically if need be t maintain the credit credibility of the Eastern European nations of the Sovie

He also predicted banks would wai well into mid-1982 before deciding they had to write off the loans, if not paid.





HE CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST, held Thursday at ampa High School saw faculty members, from left. aul Payne. Ramona Hite. Nancy Coffee and Ann canelly serving other faculty members. Faculty

members donated their time, money and imagination to sponsor the first such breakfast that ended with gag gifts

(Staff Photo by Mary Ann Woosley)

## Poll shows majortity of Americans now believe war is inevitable

Americans favor nuclear disarmament - if the Soviet Union agrees to disarm as well, the latest Associated Press-NBC News poll says

But only about one-third of the 1.602 respondents telephoned Dec. 14-15 in a nationwide scientific random sampling said they favor a freeze on the production of nuclear weapons in this country.

The poll also said three of four Americans think the United States will become involved in a war during the next few years, though a majority said they are not worried that President Reagan will get the country into war.

Public opinion was almost evenly divided, however, over whether Reagan and his administration are talking too much about the possibility of using nuclear weapons, and whether such talk increases the danger of nuclear war

Fifty-one percent said the United States should move toward nuclear disarmament only if the Soviet Union agrees to disarm as well. Twelve percent said the United States should

Christmas 'tis the season to

be jolly - and also to be very

careful, at home and on the

Perhaps more than ever.

state agencies and

associations are telling

the dangers of the holiday

There is, however, one

surprising statistic Despite

published reports of festive

holiday periods often

bringing on acute depression.

December was the low month

for suicides in Texas last year

by the chimney with care -

and so should a lot of other

things at Christmas to avoid a

holiday tragedy." says the

Danger, it appears, lurks

for humans and household

pets in Christmas trees.

holiday snack food, colored

lights and balls.

gift-wrapping paper, tinsel. string, electric wires.

fireworks. poisonous plants such as mistletoe and

poinsettia, as well in holly

berries and — of course — on

'In homes with fireplaces.

don't hang decorations of

tinsel. Christmas cards or

tree branches from the

mantel where they could

become ignited. says Harold

Ray, director of the health

Division

the streets and highways.

State Health Department

Stockings should be hung

season

with 124

United States should not disarm and 10 percent were unsure.

But on whether the United States should stop producing nuclear weapons. 49 percent said no. 34 percent said yes and the rest said either they were not sure or only if the Soviet Union stops producing nuclear arms, too.

Seventy-six percent said it is either very or somewhat likely the United States will become involved in a war during the next few years, an increase from 68 percent in the September and October AP-NBC News polls and 57 percent in the August poll.

Yet a majority does not think a war will be Reagan's fault: 59 percent said they are not worried that Reagan will get the country involved in a war.

At the same time, respondents split 48-44 in saying Reagan and his administration are talking too much about the possibility of using nuclear weapons, and 48-46 in saying such talk increases the danger of nuclear war.

Respondents split 52-38 in favor of reinstatement of the draft for the armed forces, marking a continuing decline in support for the draft. Reinstatment was favored by 59 percent in the July AP-NBC News poll and 65 percent in the January poll.

There was no significant change however, on three other questions:

Forty-three percent said Reagan is doing a good or excellent job in handling foreign affairs.

Sixty-six percent said he has set the right tone in his dealings with the Soviets.

And 38 percent said the United States and Soviet Union are equal in military strength, while 39 percent said the Soviet Union is stronger, 13 percent said the United States is stronger and 10 percent were not sure

As with all sample surveys, the results of AP-NBC News polls can vary from the opinions of all Americans because of chance variations in the

## Simonis sentenced to 18 life terms, 2,046 years in prison

Simonis, who confessed to crimes attributed to a "ski mask rapist," has been sentenced to 18 life terms plus 2.046 years in prison for sexual attacks. robberies and other crimes in

He still faces charges in Texas and other parts of Louisiana, and authorities in 10 other states have made inquiries about him to Louisiana state police. Simonis, who has been linked to 80 crimes, has admitted to rapes in which the attacker wore a ski mask to

Two judges in Baton Rouge accepted Simonis' guilty pleas Monday and imposed sentences adding up to 15 life terms plus 1.389 years on 39 counts of armed robbery, aggravated rape, aggravated crime against nature and aggravated burglary.

Those sentences were added on to

three life terms and 657 years imposed after Simonis pleaded guilty to related crimes earlier at Jena and Gonzales.

A 26-year-old Lake Charles man accused of being an accomplice, John G. Dickinson III. pleaded innocent Monday to rape, armed robbery, crime against nature and attempted rape in an attack that oecurred on June 7 and 8 of this year.

Dickinson's trial was scheduled for May 3, the same date that an associate. Frederick A. Boerman Jr., 27, of Lake Charles, stands trial for armed robbery and burglary.

Like the sentences at Jena, those imposed Monday on Simonis ruled out any chance of early release through probation, pardon or parole. They involved seven attacks dating back to March 8, 1979.

When asked by Louisiana district judges in separate courtrooms if he

committed the crimes he was accused of, Simonis politely responded. "Yes sir, your honor

Th

By the Edite

Small ste

players wit

ble devices

ten to musi

go. A host o

turers offer

models pl

cassettes.

some have

FM radio-

tape player

You can

\$250 on one

- but yo Most of t

Consumer

retail for

they are o

at discount

you buy a

headphone

SYNOP

Oonik ha

the reaso

making

everyone

a plan to

first need

Santa's

not want f

they wan

themselves

So, when

loose they

behind a s

had starte

followed,

distance, a

Keotuk

Santa's sl

bear star

broken. T

had turne

of them.

him loyall

fine hunte

had traine

very begin

reindeers'

and son

King, "Do

"Certainly

from sea

summert

there has

have salt

Oonik

King gav

the steps

clapped

were hidi

They w

through

District Judge Leo Higginbotham sentenced Simonis to 10 life terms and 858 years for 24 crimes and District Judge Doug Moreau added five life sentences plus 531 years for 15 other

Simonis, 30, also has been indicted at Woodville. Texas, and still faces charges in DeRidder and in his hometown of Lake Charles

State police said inquiries about Simonis have been received from California, Florida, Georgia, Indiana Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ohio. Oklahoma and Wisconsin.

Troopers said most of the inquiries involved cases in which a masked intruder broke into a home, forced a husband or boyfriend to watch one or more sexual attacks, took valuables and fled in his victim's car.

## Houston police chief stepping down

HOUSTON (AP) - Police Chief B.K. Johnson decided himself to step down from his position and return to the rank of assistant chief, according to Mayor-elect Kathy Whitmire.

Mrs. Whitmire in a telephone news conference from New York, said Monday that when Johnson informed her of his decision, she had not yet decided whether to keep him on as chief or to appoint someone else

She said Johnson told her Friday that he had discussed the matter with his family and decided "it as not in his best interests to continue" as chief. She said he did not elaborate.

Johnson. 49, receives an annual salary of \$74.984 as chief. Assistant chiefs make \$57.808 a year.

Mrs. Whitmire, who was out of town to deliver city bonds and appear on a national television news show Monday. has chosen Assistant Chief John Bales to be acting chief.

#### Railroad workers are laid off

BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) - At least a tenth of this area's Kansas City Southern Lines railroad workers won't have a very merry Christmas.

Company officials say a sluggish economy has forced the indefinite lavoff of about 20 of KCS 200 railroad workers. The layoffs begin today and continue through Monday, according to Larry Fields, the railroad's superintendent of terminals.

probably would last three to six months.

offices in Kansas City. Mo.. said the workers were informed of the layoffs last

president for personnel, said the national housing market slump, the lessened demand from the Detroit automobile industry and the reductions in services to the local petrochemical, rubber and paper board plants

Deadline

Bales. 42. a 19-year veteran of the force and head of the Investigation Command, said he had two meetings with Mrs. Whitmire last week.

The decison was made Friday that I would be appointed acting chief right after the first of the year." Bales said.

Stepping down from the chief's job was one of Johnson's options according to police policy. He could also have retired or retained the job subject to Mrs. Whitmire's approval. Mrs. Whitmire said she would

consider appointing a task force to nominate candidates for the vacant post and that she would consider nominees from inside and outside the Houston force Bales said he has expressed an

interest in the chief's job and Mrs. Whitmire's office said he will be considered for the post. Bales acknowledged mixed emotions about accepting the post, saying he was concerned about the short-lived careers of many Houston police chiefs. Johnson's resignation ended weeks of

speculation, but he refused comment on the action. His future with the department has been the subject of conjecture since Mrs. Whitmire beat Harris County Sheriff Jack Heard in the Nov. 17 run-off election for mayor. Johnson was appointed by the present. lame-duck mayor, Jim McConn.

The mayor-elect's office said Mrs Whitmire "expressed appreciation for Johnson's cooperation providing her with substantive suggestions based on his knowledge of police department rocedures.

Bob Thomas, president of the Houston Police Patrolmen's Union. lauded the announcement. He said his organization and Johnson ended. communications in June, when the union complained that Johnson had stopped answering their letters

#### Wear it with pride... This blousonijacket features contrast knit cuffs & waistband Contrast cording

accents the western yoke and slash pockets Front zip closure. water repellent CanyonCloth shell, Down insulation. & acrylic pile collar provide protection from the weather. Machine wash & dry





looks you'll be proud to own. features cord trim in contrasting poplin, contrast poplin pocket trim, kidney protector back cut, stand up collar, snap front closure. Shell is antron nylon with Down insulation.



D



Rawhide Vest - 5282

We will close at 4:00 p.m. Christmas Eve and be closed Saturday, December 26. Open at 9:00 a.m. Monday!

1538 N Hobart Pampa, Tx 806 665-2925



Rugged good Western style vest



Tis the season to be extra careful contain lead and sometimes chromium, copper and zinc. These materials can cause loxic fumes if burned in the

> Fires in homes and other almost two-thirds of all fires and a significant number of these occur during the Christmas season. said State Fire Marshal Ernest

extremely hot and can cause soot deposits in the chimney to ignite, resulting in a dangerous chimney fire. Emerson says.

Association of Texas says, Holiday times, with attention-getting ornanients. decorations and parents distracted by dozens of activities, is a particularly dangerous time for curious toddlers who instinctively grab for objects and put them in their mouths.

department's Product Safety that can come loose

"And once those presents under the tree are opened. gather up all the wrappings and remove them from the home." says Ray. "Many

fireplace and can be harmful to children if they chew on

Emerson

Emerson's safety tips include never installing electric lights on metal trees. because the trees can become charged with electricity if the lights are faulty; using no more than two sets of lights per extension cord; and using special wiring on outdoor

Wrapping materials burn

The American Lung

Keep tiny ornaments. as well as food such as peanuts and popcorn, up high, where preschoolers can't reach them, the association says, and avoid presents that have button eyes or tiny wheels

Dr. Ben Johnston of the

colored gift wrapping papers SHARING

Texas Veterinary Medical walls. Association warns, too, that also harmful because they "inquisitive, frisky pets may can ball up in the intestine decide to munch, crunch, and cause blockage. Chewing attack or swallow decorative on the wires of colored lights tree items such as glass balls. can cause electric shock and electric light wires, tinsel and has proved fatal to many

Dogs and cats find ornaments and tinsel attractive, and they chew them and swallow them as if they were a bone," says Johnston, a Houston to midnight Sunday, Dec. 27. veterinarian. "Glass Sixty-four people died in ornaments splinter on contact and cause perforation of the

Day of insertion

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY ADS-

CLASSIFIED LINE ADS-

DISPLAY ADS-

Safety predicts 51 people will die on Texas streets and highways from 6 p.m. Thursday — Christmas eve motor vehicle accidents during the Christmas

ATTENTION ADVERTISERS

In order for our employees to spend

this holiday season with their friends

and loved ones. The Pampa News will

observe the following

EARLY DEADLINES

Sunday (12-27-81 or 1-3-82) ..... Wednesday (12-23 or 12-30) 10:00 a.m.

Monday (12-28-81 or 1-4-82) . . . . . . . Wednesday (12-23 or 12-30) 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday (12-29-81 or 1-5-82) ......Thursday (12-24 or 12-4) 11:00 a.m.

Sunday (12-27-81 or 1-3-82) ......Wednesday (12-23 or 12-30) 2:00 p.m.

Monday (12-28-81 or 1-4-82) ..........Thursday (12-24 or 12-31) Noon

Thursday (12-24-81 or 12-31-81) ... Wednesday (12-23 or 12-30) 10:00 a.m.

Sunday (12-27-81 or 1-3-82) ......Wednesday (12-23 or 12-30) 2:00 p.m. Monday (12-28-81 or 1-4-82) ......Thursday (12-24 or 12-31) 10:00 a.m.

Friday (1-1-82) ......Thursday (12-31) 10:00 a.m. Sunday (12-27-81 or 1-3-82) .....Thursday (12-24 or 12-31) Noon

THE PAMPA NEWS WILL NOT BE PUBLISHED

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, CHRISTMAS DAY.

All other advertising deadlines will remain at their usual day and time. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

The Pampa News

He said the layoffs

A spokesman in KCS' home

J.L. Deveney contributed to the layoffs.

up, one b them wit

R

King,"yo

#### The march of small tape players

By the Editors

as accused

ided. 'Yes

ginbotham

terms and

nd District

d five life

or 15 other

indicted at

still faces

ind in his

ries about

ived from

a. Indiana

h Carolina.

e inquiries

a masked

e. forced a

atch one or

valuables

vn

ed careers

d weeks of mment on

with the

subject of

mire beat

eard in the

or mayor

ne present.

said Mrs

ciation for

viding her

s based on

epartment

it of the

a's Union

He said his

on ended.

when the

hnson had

ir letters

自岛自

8

BASABASBASABAS

nn

Small stereo tape-cassette players with a set of headones are practical, portable devices that let you listen to music wherever you go. A host of audio manufacturers offers them - some models play and record cassettes, some play through a built-in loudspeaker as well as through headphones, and some have a combination FM radio-tape player or tape player-recorder.

You can spend as much as \$250 on one of these devices but you don't have to. Most of the tape players Consumer Reports tested retail for about \$100 and they are often sold for less at discount. For that money you buy a basic model that plays cassette tapes through headphones.

More money buys more

capabilities: recorder-play-er combinations that might be of special interest to students who want to tape lectures during the day and listen to music at night without bothering anyone

Despite their small size, all the models Consumer Reports tested reproduced fidelity in laboratory tests. Connected to a stereo component system of good quality, all the players repro-duced the music spectrum as accurately as did highquality component tape decks CR has tested in the

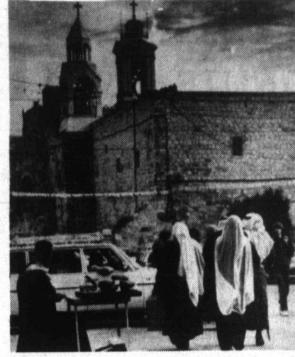
The small and comfortable headphones delivered sound with no deep bass and unevenness in the treble. Still, the sound was judged impressive. With high quality headphones (the you'd normally use with a component system) the accuracy was improved.

Of course, you wouldn't want to jog or walk around

outdoors wearing large headphones. Nor, probably, would you want to pay almost as much for the ones as for the player itself. Still, since such good sound is possible, you might want to invest in a set of use with the player at home. In fact, you may already have them, in which case al you need to buy is an adapter (\$3 or \$4) to connect the

The models tested varied more in convenience than in their sound. Weight, for example, ranged from 14 to 26 ounces — a significant amount of extra weight to be carrying around.

In CR's judgment, the best of the walkaround tape players are the essentially similar Sanyo M4440, Sears Cat. No. 170 and Sony Walk-



CHRISTMAS SOON. An Arab bread vendor sits outside the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem on Manger Square waiting for a customer. Soon the Christmas ceremonies will start in this occupied west bank town. (AP Laserphoto)

## Santa and the ICE KING by Lucrece Beale

SYNOPSIS: Santa and Oonik have discovered that the reason the Ice King is making life miserable for everyone is that he believes nobody loves him. Santa has a plan to find him a wife but first needs the reindeer he set loose back in Santa Land.

CHAPTER THIRTEEN

THE SUN DAUGHTER

Santa's eight reindeer did not want freedom. Neither did they want to find food for themselves if it meant leaving Santa Claus.

So, when Santa turned them loose they had merely hidden behind a snow ridge. When he had started out on his journey with Oonik the reindeer had followed, always from a

distance, always out of sight. They were very jealous of Keotuk because he pulled Santa's sled. When the polar bear started pulling the sled the reindeers' hearts were broken. They thought Santa had turned them free to get rid of them. But still they trailed

him lovally.

It was true that Oonik had a fine hunter's eye and his father had trained him well. From the very beginning he had seen the reindeers' antlers far behind and sometimes heard the clatter of their hooves.

So now he said to the Ice King, "Do you have some salt?" The Ice King replied, "Certainly. I have taken salt from sea ice and I use it to keep my ice from summertime. But this year there has been no melting and I have salt to spare.'

Oonik took the salt the Ice King gave him and spread it on the steps of the castle. Then he clapped his hands and waived

his coat and shouted. By and by the reindeer, who were hiding behind a hill, came up, one by one, and gratefully licked the salt from the steps Then Santa came out and greeted them and embraced them with tears in his eyes.

"Now," said Santa to the Ice King,"you must come and woo

"Get out! Get out!" screamed the shocked Sun Daughter.

The Ice King trembled with eagerness. He took a comb of

"Do I look all right?" he asked nervously.
"Irresistible," said Santa.

He harnessed the reindeer to the sled and he and Oonik and the Ice King and Keotuk and even the polar bear, who did not want to be left behind, got on the sled. The eight reindeer, overjoyed to be working for Santa again, did not mind the into the sky and away they

sped. In no time at all they arrived in a land far to the East where the Sun Daughter dwelled.

Now this maiden was the favorite daughter of the Sun. She dwelled in the East so that her father could see her face the very first thing in the morning when he came over the horizon at dawn.

Though she was very beautiful she had never from the house. married because she was very finicky and hard to please. Still she realized she was getting older every year and she often longed for a husband to spoil her when her father was not

So she was overjoyed when Santa Claus suddenly appeared icicles from his pocket and at her bright little cottage and carefully combed his silken announced he had brought her

"Show him in!" she cried eagerly and she rushed to her little bedroom to change into a yellow frock and arrange her lovely yellow hair.

When she came back there was the Ice King standing there, overcome with admiration, the icicles trembling from his whiskers heavy load. They lifted the sled and the hoar-frost gleaming in

> "Oh Beautiful One," he murmured tenderly and moved to take her hand.

But the Sun Daughter stepped back in horror. She snatched up a blanket and threw it around her shoulders.

"Get out! Get out!" she screamed. "I can't bear the cold!" And she went in her bedroom and slammed the Furious, the Ice King stalked

shouted angrily at Santa Claus. "Everyone hates me. Take me home! I shall go back to my castle and make a winter that will last a thousand



#### Industrialist gets note from Brezhnev

WASHINGTON (AP) - A prominent American industrialist who has had close contacts with Soviet officials for decades said today Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev gave him a note expressing the hope that relations between the two superpowers will improve.

Armand Hammer, president of Occidental Petroleum Corp., said in an interview from Burbank, Calif. on NBC-TV's "Today" show that Brezhnev handed him a three-page message Thursday during their meeting in Moscow.

'The tone of it is that relations between Russia and the United States had reached a very low level, and he was. however, hopeful that the beginning of the talks in Geneva between Mr. Gromyko and Secretary Haig were a good beginning and he hoped this would lead to improved relations between our two countries," Hammer said.

Hammer was referring to the meetings planned for Jan. 26-27 between Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr. and Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. Resumption of strategic arms limitation talks is one of the topics. Hammer, who has maintained ties with Kremlin officials

since the 1920s, said Breznnev made no mention of the crackdown on the Solidarity labor movement in Poland during the conversation. Hammer opposed suggestions that the United States impose

a trade embargo on the Soviets for their alleged involvement in the Polish situation because "I don't think boycotts work very well unless everybody joins in them. "And the trouble that the last boycott that President Carter

imposed (on U.S. grain shipments after the Soviet occupation of Afghanistan) was that we were the only ones that got hurt

## Suicide ruled in death of accused Nazi war criminal

CHICAGO (AP) — A 61-year-old Ukrainian immigrant who had just been accused of Nazi war crimes committed suicide by placing himself in the path of a moving train at a railroad yard where he worked, the Cook County medical examiner said.

Dr. Robert Stein, who classified the death a suicide, ruled Saturday after an autopsy that Albert Deutscher of Brookfield died of internal and external injuries caused when he was struck by a train Friday afternoon.

The Justice Department had filed suit Friday to revoke Deutscher's United States citizenship, alleging he had murdered "many hundreds of unarmed Jewish civilians, including women and children" in Europe during World War II.

The suit, filed in U.S. District Court Chicago, charged that Deutscher had been member of a Nazi paramilitary group that he lied about his participation executions when he applied for entry to United States in 1952 and citizenship in 1957

Witnesses said Deutscher failed to get of the way of an oncoming train in Burlington Northern railroad's Clyde Stat in suburban Cicero, where he had worked I 28 years as a railroad car repairman.

Authorities said Deutscher ask permission to leave work early Frid because he felt sick. Railroad officials sa the train's engineer noticed Deutsch running extremely close to the tracks wh the train was about a quarter mile away

## JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS **Remote Control COLOR TV**

● 16 Button Infra-**Red Remote Control** Color-Rite II **Auto Picture** Control System SYSTEM Computer **Comand Tuning** 

PHILCO COLOR RITE II

**SAVE \$9000** 



2008 N. Hobart

669-3701

●105 Channel

• Efficiency

Cable-Ready

**State Chassis** 

in Line Picture

19" Diagonal

300 Solid

Black Matrix

Wednesday at Safeway you will receive twice the savings offered on any manufacturer's coupon when you purchase the product at Safeway. Does not include Safeway or other retailer coupons.

Your Safeway store is offering a Double Coupon Value savings to you. Bring in your manufacturer's cents-off coupons and Safeway will add 100% to their value on Wednesday, when you buy the item and other terms of coupon are met. One Coupon per item and one item per coupon unless specified otherwise. Not to include Safeway, other "retailer" or "free" coupons. Double value of coupon cannot exceed the value of the item. Offer Effective on Wednesday in Pampa only. Sales in retail quantities only. We reserve the right to limit quantities.

OOCEXAMPLE OOO OOO One Coupon Per Item and One Item Coupon Unless Specified Otherwise <mark>ଦ୍ରତ୍ରତ୍ର CEXAMPLE</mark>) ବ୍ୟବ୍ତ ବ୍ୟବ୍ତ ବ୍ୟବ୍ତ

OF THE VALUE FOR TOTAL OF.

ADDITIONAL

TOWN HOUSE KETCHUP **TRULY FINE** FACIAL

## MONTGOMERY (MAR)

# MINUTE Gift Ideas



Save

Snuggle up in our quilted body wrap.

Q88 small medium Regularly 24.99

Surrounds your body in comforting warmth. Assorted colors & patterns. Small-Medium.



Save

Wards king-size vinyl bean bag chair.

Double-stitched seams for extra durability. Polystyrene fill. 8 colors.

997 Regularly 29.99 Save \$10 Soft

Our king-size acrylic "fur" bean bag.

Settle down in comfort! Polystyrene bead filled. Assorted popular colors.



Fashion's newest rich-knit sweaters.

Airy, crochet-look stitch with ribbed V-neck or cuddly cowl. Acrylic in white, pastels. Misses' S,M,L. Sportswear Department

Regularly \$16



Relax on plush, button-tufted bedrest.

Sturdy polyester, cotton and rayon fill. Pick from assorted prints, solids.

497 Regularly 7.97



Save \$80

Swivel recliner has 3 positions.

Regularly 299.99

Reclines inches from wall. Orlon\* acrylic cover. Overstuffed look over hardwood frame. No-sag springs.



Decorative four-piece set for the bath.

Plastic soapdish, tumbler, wastebasket, toothbrush holder. Choice of colors.

Reg. 7.97



Save 25%

Smoothly woven dress shirt buys.

> Of regular price. All mens dress shirts in

Regular 5.99 to 14.00



Colorful jumbo bedrest—firm support.

Cotton corduroy cover, kapok/cotton fill. Handy pockets, carrying handle.

997 Regularly 17.99



Save \$50

Relax in easy-care 2-way recliner.

Regularly 149.99

Durable, comfortable ecliner has smooth asy-to-clean vinyl upholstery and soft button-tufted back.



Sectional sleeper has a queen-size bed.

Button-tufted, luxurious Acrilan® acrylic cover. Plush polyurethane foam.

Regularly 999.99



Men's warm flannel shirts. Cotton, cotton/polyester; long

sleeves, tails. Full cut in S-XL.



17% off.

Electric blanket offers 5-year warranty.

Thermostatic controls for even heat; lighted dial. Nylon bound poly/acrylic. Larger sizes sale priced. Reg. 33.99



Save \$50

Relax in stylish 2-way recliner.

Regularly 199.99

Enjoy this beautiful olefin tweed covered recliner. Complete with magazine pouch, heat and vibration.



7-piece dinette has warm pecan finish.

42x42-60" table, 6 tan vinyl chairs. Plastic laminated top on wood prods.

Regularly 429.99



Save \$5

9-cup automatic drip coffeemaker.

22<sup>99</sup> Regularly 27.99

Brews 4-9 delicious cups of coffee quickly. Stainless warming plate. Signal light, permanent filter.



Save \$210

23-cu.ft. refrigerator has water/ice thru door.

Dispenser in door cuts cold loss. Adjustable-temp meatkeeper, produce crispers, dairy compartments. Adj glass shelves. 4 pick-off egg trays. Rollers. All-frostless. Colors optional, extra.

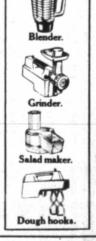


Save \$80

3-position recliner provides comfort.

Regularly 279.99

Sit back and relax in spacious button-tufted back chair. 100% nylon velvet cover for easy care. Shepard\* casters.





Compare. 5-in-1 Oster® kitchen

center does it all.

149<sup>97</sup>

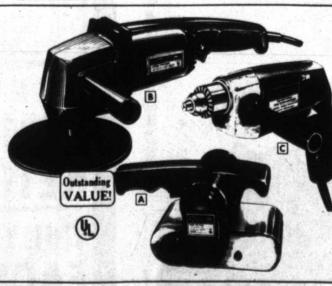
Mix, blend, grind, knead heavy

yeast doughs and prepare salad ingredients with one powerful unit and space-saving attachments.



Handsome room-to-room color portable. Matrix picture tube with

Special buy.



\$20-\$25 off.

Versatile Powr-Kraft® tools for tough jobs.

Reg. 64.99-69.99 each.

A 3" belt sander: 2/3-max hp motor for the power to strip areas clean. 1 7", 2-spd sander/polisher: ideal for refinishing, buffing your auto. C 1/2" variable-speed reversing drill.







**CHARGE IT** THREE WAYS AT

in-line gun for accurate

color. 100% solid-state.

Coronado Center 669-7401 Shop 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Till Christmas



next June and Officials a that the annua \$ BILLION 210-200 190

By DON K AP Farn WASHINGT

Government w say the winter in mostly good time of year. major areas Plains where among the commodities.

The Ag

Department.

1982 crop fore issue a report more light of wheat harvest Scheduled fo

22. the report

acreage seed

wheat this fal production e

farmers harv

THE ADMI U.S military arms imbal Soviets. Bu

## Winter wheat crop reported in good shape

By DON KENDALL AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) Government weather reports say the winter wheat crop is in mostly good shape for this time of year, including the major areas of the Great Plains where it ranks high among the region's commodities.

The Agriculture Department, in its first big 1982 crop forecast, plans to issue a report that will put more light on next year's wheat harvest prospects.

Scheduled for release Dec. 22. the report will include the acreage seeded to winter wheat this fall and the total production expected when farmers harvest their crop next June and July.

Officials always caution that the annual winter wheat

report is based on surveys made Dec. 1 and that the situation can change drastically during the winter. The next winter wheat production estimate will not be ready until May.

But the Dec. 22 report will provide some idea - as it looks now - of 1982 wheat production and enable farmers, industry and government analysts to firm up their ideas for the coming

A year ago, the December report forecast 1981 winter wheat production at 1.98 billion bushels, up 5 percent from the record 1980 output.

The 1981 harvest actually produced about 2.06 billion bushels of winter wheat, up 9 percent from the year before. according to current USDA

reported at record ,63.9 million acres. 11 percent more than farmers sowed for the 1980 crop. The previous record was 61.2 million acres planted to winter wheat in the

In an effort to stem a rise in U.S. grain stockpiles, the administration has announced an acreage reduction plan for 1982 wheat. requiring farmers to cut back by 15 percent to qualify for price support benefits next

Winter wheat makes up about three-fourths of the total U.S. wheat production. This year, for example, total wheat output was a record 2.75 billion bushels, with winter varities accounting for

Department experts say the total wheat stockpile next June 1 — the beginning of the next wheat marketing year will be around 908 million bushels, down from 988 million last June 1.

The June 1 carryover is what is left after domestic and export needs are deducted from the total supply. In the current 1981-82 year, the harvest and the carryover last June 1 added up to a supply of about 3.74 billion bushels.

Of that, the experts project that exports will require Catfish farmers watch out.

1981-82. Domestic food requirements, seed and livestock feed will take an additional 932 million bushels

Department grain economists are not optimistic that wheat prices soon will improve significantly. Their current forecast is for wheat prices at the farm to average \$3.70 to \$2.85 per bushel over the entire marketing year. compared to \$3.96 in 1980-81.

WASHINGTON (AP) -

Clarinette® -90 by Realistic

Record From Radio, 3-Speed Changer — Even

 Cassette With Auto-Stop, Auto-Level and Pause Matching 18"-High Walnut Vinyl Veneer Speakers

All the features a music lover needs—at a great low price! Edge-lighted dial, FM-AFC, FM stereo indicator, tone control, stereo headphone jack

Two Hi-Fi Bookshelf Speakers For the Regular Price of One!

Nova®-5 by Realistic

"Live" With Optional Mikes

Dust cover included. #13-1199

moving in. The Agriculture

Department says crawfish crawdads or crayfish, some call 'em - suggest fishbait. not gourmet dining to most Americans.

'But it's on the plate, not on the hook, where the small lobster-like crustacean is earning a reputation as a cash crop for some southern farmers," says a report by the department's Economic Research Service.

Crawfish are a delicacy in France and Scandinavia, and catching on in Mississippi and

Radio Shaek)

Compact Stereo System With AM/FM, Phono, Cassette

the United States, the report

"Lousianans have always savored crawfish bisque or stew, but now New York, Chicago and Cleveland have become big markets for processed crawfish tails." It

The catch of wild crawfish has not been large enough to meet the demand, so "several hundred farmers in Louisiana and Texas raise crawfish in cultured ponds and rice fields." The idea also is South Carolina, the repor

Michael Stellmacher economist in the agency, sa Louisiana farmers harveste upwards of 30 million pound of crawfish last season earning them between \$3 million and \$29 million. Texa produced between 3 millio and 4 million pounds - wort around \$5.5 million

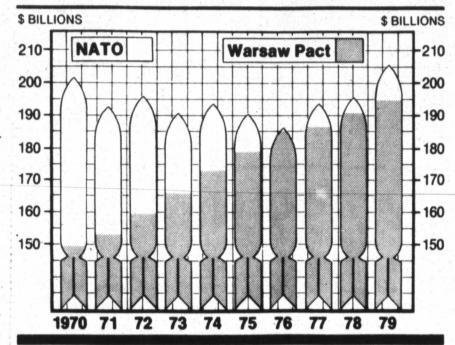
The future for U chicken exports to Japan loo strong through the nex

**Most Stores** 

**Open Late Nights Til Christmas** 

## ARMS SPENDING

NATO vs Warsaw Pact



THE ADMINISTRATION is increasing spending by both superpowers and their U.S. military expendit gures to correct gan allies suggest that the Western alliance as arms imbalance believed to favor the a whole has been outspeinding the Soviets. But figures on total arms opposition



Up to 125 gallons Stands and equipment

Birds:

**Parakeets** Canaries Cockatiels

Love Birds

Amazons Conures Cockatoos Macaws

Cat:

Litter boxes

Scratching Post

**Sweaters** 

Dog:

Houses

Science Diet Food

Fish:

Rabbits:

Fresh water Salt water

Dutch

**Brackish** water Hamsters:

Reptiles:

Golden Fancy Teddy Bear

Caiman Alligator Burmese Python

Lizards:

Squirrels:

African Monitor Curly Tail Green Iguanas

OPEN Christmas Eve 10:00 - 6:00 Closed December 25-28

Games in One!

12 Great extra

By Tandy

Play baseball, casino roulette,

Eight track and field-type events.

Four skill levels with action sound. Batteries extra

sink enemy ships with torpedos lots more! #60-2159

AM/FM LED Digital Clock Radio 🚄 Chronomatic®-222 by Realistic

Radio and buzzer alarms, extra-large 0.9" display with PM/Wake indicators, snooze and 59-minute sleep controls. AFC-FM, lighted slide-rule dial, earphone jack. #12-1529.

Easy-Carry AM/FM Portable Radio



By Realistic®

Memory

Smart-looking, great sounding! Built-in handle, slide-rule dial, tone control, 3" speaker, AFC-FM. AC/battery operation. #12-712

LCD Calculator With 4-Key

Batteries extra



Fun for 1 to

8 Players!

• 8" Woofer • 2" Tweeter **Genuine Walnut Veneer** 

seen on TV

> Stereo Cassette Recorder CR-3 by Realistic

AM/FM

The hefty woofer, ported enclosure and wide-

dispersion tweeter deliver a 60-20,000 Hz response.

Decorator lattice-work molded grille. 19x103/4x71/2".

Surprise someone with a pair and save \$40 apiece!

Records from radio or "live" with the twin built-in mikes. Normal/CrO2 tape selector, Auto-Search. AC/battery operation. Batteries extra

Electronic Sports Stadium By Tandy

**Electronic Computerized Arcade** 

 Auto-Redial seen • "Hangs Up" on Any Flat Surface on TV Only 7" long! Tone ringer with silent/low/

One-Piece "Mini"

**Electronic Phone** 

ET-100 by Radio Shack

high switch, mute button, Universal Dial System. White, #43-284. Brown, #43-285 Not for coin, party, or multi-line use

32% Off seen on TV

EC-273 by Radio Shack

Features 8-digit display. Performs square root, percent and sign-change functions.

TRS-80 Pocket Computer — Lowest Price Ever!

With batteries. #65-683

By Radio Shack Save \$60

Programs in BASIC or

With Our Own Software 24-Character Display

Solve business, engineering or scientific problems; teach, even entertain! Includes case, batteries, manual #26-3501

Cassette Interface. Load 49.00 and save programs on cassettes. #26-3503 Batteries extra

Check Your Phone Book for the Radio Shack Store or Dealer Nearest You

15 10 5 0 -5 -10 -15 -20 -25 -30 -35 -40 -45 21 16-9 2 2-9 15-22 27 31 34 45 .18 26 -33 -41 -49 -56 -63 -70 -78 -87 -94 -101 -109 -117 · 4 · 13 - 20 · 27 · 35 · 43 · 52 · 60 · 67 · 72. -15 - 22 - 29 - 36 - 45 - 54 - 62 - 69 - 76 - 87 - 94 - 101 - 107 - 116 - 128

## John Artis to be freed after nearly 15 years in prison

Associated Press Writer

NEWARK. N.J. (AP) - John Artis hopes his number - 45473 - will be retired when he leaves the New Jersey state prison system Tuesday after serving nearly 15 years for a triple murder he says he didn't commit.

"I would like the guys to paint my number on the wall, like the Celtics or something, and say this number will be retired for all time. said Artis, a former high school sports star who is an inmated at Rahway State Prison

The 35-year-old Artis is known primarily to the public as a co-defendant of former middleweight boxing contender Rubin "Hurricane" Carter.

The two men were convicted twice of killing three people in a Paterson bar in 1966. It was Carter, because of his status as a boxing star, who drew the press and the fund-raising support of such celebrities as singer Bob Dylan, boxer Muhammad Ali and actress Ellen Burstyn.

"We're very close; we were brought together in a struggle for our lives. But he had his group of friends and I had mine. Artis said in an interview. "I'll continue to fight this and I still hope some evidence will show up that will clear us."e Carter has a minimum of 15 more years to serve on two consecutive and one concurrent life sentences. Artis, sentenced to three concurrent life terms, will return to the world he left on his last day as a teen-ager.

And although he was released on bail for several months pending his retrial, it will be Artis' first Christmas outside of prison in 15

"The first thing I want to do is take one more look at Rahway State Prison. I just want to take one long look and shed that skin." he said.

The trim, soft-soften Artis spoke at St. Michael's Medical Center, where he was being treated for Burger's disease, a rare circulatory ailment that has forced the amputation of several of his toes and an operation on a finger

He said it was the discipline he learned in

imprisonment

Born in Portsmouth. Va.. Artis was the only child of strict Baptist parents. He went to church regularly, was a Boy Scout, an above-average student. He competed in football, basketball and track at Paterson

In 1964, his mother died. "She was my biggest fan. my best friend." he said. "The trauma of my mom dying took all my

He says he turned down several athletic scholarships and "just started hanging around." It was then that he met Carter.

Shortly thereafter, they were arrested for the murders of a white bartender and two white patrons during a period of racial tension in the heavily industrial city of Paterson. They were convicted in 1967.

Authorities say the slayings at the Lafayette Bar and Grill were motivated by revenge for the murder of a black bartender by a white man elsewhere in Paterson on the same night.

A key witnesses indicated before the retrial that he had been coerced by authorities into saying at the first thial that, on the night of the killings, he saw Carter and Artis leaving the bar. He said he would change his testimony, possibly clearing the defendants, but instead, he reaffirmed his identification and the two were found guilty a second time.

At the retrial. Artis said. "I've always known I've just been a pawn on the board. There's no way to go around me, over me or under me, so they drag me along. They want Rubin Carter and they need two people. They don't care who it is.

During the years he spent at the Leesburg prison farm. Artis earned an associate's degree in business administration from Glassboro State College. While at Rahway, he became a member of the Lifers Group. long-term convicts who attempt to deter youthful offenders from further crimes by telling them about the horrors of prison life. Three years ago. he was elected a member of the prisoners representative committee



# DECEMBER SALE

25% to 50% Savings

Now 9.99

Orig. 20.00

Junior Wool **Plaid Skirt** 

Now 6.99 Orig. 17.00

**Junior Blouses** 

Now 7.99 Orig. 16.00

Long sleeve, solid

Junior Corduroy **Jeans** 

Now 19.99 Now 47.99

to 32.79

Orig. 40.00 to 66.00

Corduroy Firenza **Blazers** 

to 75.99 Orig. 69.00 to 109.00

**Entire Line of Wool Coats**  Now 6.99 to 20.00 Orig. 13.00 to 32.00

33

Sp

Ta

"Hearts of Flowers" Coordinate, robe, long and short dorm shirt

Orig. 6.00 **Pullover** 

Sweaters
Assorted styles. S, M, L

Now 2.99 Now 14.99

Orig. 22.99

**Junior Leather** Vest

Now 9.99 Orig. 12.00 to 17.00

> **Sweaters** Assorted Styles

For a limited time: bonuses of \$1,400 to \$2,600 on John Deere row-crop tractors . . . \$3,200 to \$4,000 on 40 Series 4-WD . . . plus waiver of finance



Now through January 30, 1982, buy a new 2- or 4-WD tractor listed here and earn a bonus in John Deere money. After the dealer makes delivery, the bonus money will be mailed to you money you can spend for goods or service in this store.

There's more. Use the new variablerate John Deere finance plan and no finance charges will accrue on these new tractors and on new or used implements bought with them until June 1, 1982\*. One distinct advantage of variable-rate financing is that you can finance the tractor and implements you need now and automatically benefit from any future reduction in interest rates.

**40 SERIES ROW-CROP AND 4-WHEEL-DRIVE TRACTORS** 

| TRACTOR<br>MODELS |             | HN DEERE<br>THROUGH<br>RY 30, 1982 |
|-------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| 4040 2-WD,        | 90 PTO hp   | \$1,400                            |
| 4240 2-WD,        | 110 PTO hp  | \$1,600                            |
| 4440 2-WD,        | 130 PTO hp  | \$1,800                            |
| 4640 2-WD,        | 155 PTO hp  | \$2,200                            |
| 4840 2-WD,        | 180 PTO hp  | \$2,600                            |
| 8440 4-WD,        | 215 eng. hp | \$3,200                            |
| 8640 4-WD,        | 275 eng. hp | \$4,000                            |

This finance offer may be withdrawn at any time



"WE SERVICE WHAT WE SELL"

CROSSMAN IMPLEMENT

Hwy. 60 East

ACROSS FROM RODEO GROUNDS

Now 6.99 Now 14.99

Orig. 11.00 Football Dorm

Shirts And Novelty Dorm Shirts

Orig. 22.00

Long and Short Robes

In Pastel Colors

Orig. 14.00

Now 9.99

Cowl Neck **Sweater** 

Longsleeve in pastel colors

Orig. 13.00 to 17.00

Vinyl Gloves

Now 9.99 to 16.99

Orig. 19.00 to 35.00 Assorted Styles of Dresses

Now 6.99 to 27.99

Orig. 10.00 to 43.00 All Girls and Boys Nylon Winter **Jackets** 

Now 18.99 Now 4.99

Orig. 28.00

**Junior Jumpsuit** 

Poly/cotton with tie at waist and ankle

to 6.99 Orig. 9.00 to 11.00 All Boys Corduroy

> Jeans Navy, Beige only

Now 9.99

Orig. 16.00

Junior Trousers Poly/cotton in pastels

se you can charge it

Retail - 665-3745 Catalog - 665-6516 **JCPenney** 

Pampa Mall Monday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

For Hayes, the real meaning of Chris

A 50-year Wichita Falls resident. Haye

is loving one another and helping peopl

retired from two jobs. He worked i

manufacturing department of Continent

Co. for 27 years. Then he joined the Wi

County Sheriff's Department, wher

worked as a bailiff to district court f

Hayes said he regrets having to disap

many of the youth groups for whom h

And he said he would miss seeing t

"I used to ask them if they had one

Nine-tenths of them would say. 'If I

only go home for Christmas I would I happiest person in the world." Hayes

was the Santa who for 17 years gr children is they came visiting the home

late Mrs. L.T. Burns to see the displ

The Burns display was the forerunn

what is now the MSU-Burns Fanta

Lights" at Midwestern State University

awards from clubs and organizations

said one of the highlights of his life was

he received a letter of commedation

Out Christmas, said Hayes, "is not

used to be. It's just another day to a

Hayes has an armful of citations

giant toys and Christmas scenes.

folks at the hospitals and nursing homes

played Santa Claus for many years.

what would it be?" Hayes recalled.

# SUPER WATCH OUR ADS ALL MONTH. THE VALUES WILL KEEP COMING.

## DECEMBER SALE

33% to 50% off.

Semi-annual men's clothing sale.

33% off fashion sweaters

Now 15.99

9

Oy

9

ers"

9

Orig. 23.00 on this acrylic ski sweater. Choice of color. Full jacquard patterns.

Now 10.99

Orig. 18.00 to 19.00 on our for knit shirts. A rainbow of colors to choose from.

Sportcoat/Slack Sale

Now 53.99

Orig. 80.00 Versatile wool blend sportcoat tailored with casual elegence. Regulars, Longs

Now 79.99

Orig. 119.00 Wool Harris Tweed sportcoats. Tailored for great looks and great fit.

Now 16.99

Oria. 25.00 Dress slacks in long wearing polyester/rayon blend, Tailored for good looks

Save on dress shirts

Now 4.99

Orig. 10.00 Ultressa Dress shirts for easy care. Solid, long sleeve.

Now 9.99 Orig. 14.00 Lustre silk dress shirts. Easy care in white and fashion colors.

Now 8.99

Orig. 12.00 Men's short sleeve luster silk dress

Save on sport shirts

Now 10.99

Oria. 14.50 J.C. Penny comfoty Bic Mac flannel shirts. Sizes S, M, L, X., 100% cotton in yarn dyed plaids.

Now 5.99

Orig. 7.99 to 8.99 Men's short or long sleeve sport shirts. Double pockets in Our poly/cotton

Special 6.99

Golf shirt of comfortable Fortrel polyester Knit. Pocket front.

Special 6.99

100% acrylic fleece sweatshirts. Long sleeve with V-Neck

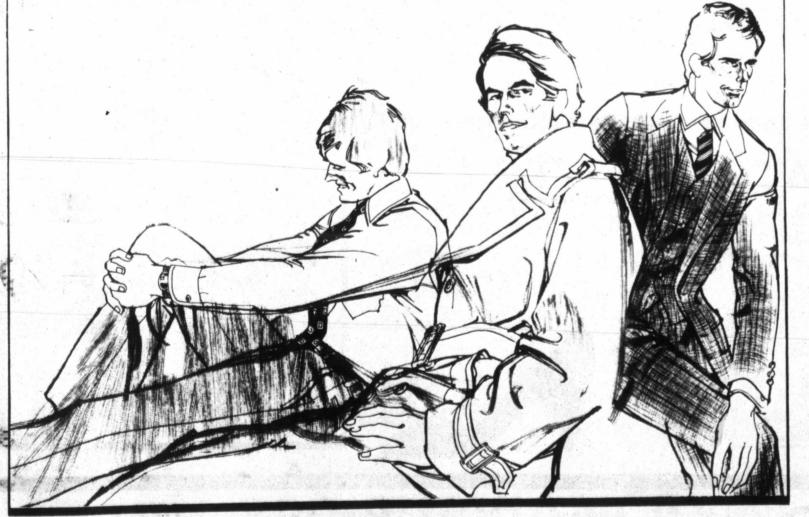
Special 2.99

Men's vinyl ski gloves.

Save on suits

Now 99.99

Orig. 130.00 classicly tailored 3 piece vested Quad suits. Reg. and longs. Limited quanities.





Catalogue 665-6516

**JCPenney** 

Pampa Mall 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. 665-3745

#### Santa wants work to continue

need help.

By LOIS LUECKE Wichita Falls Record News

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) - Santa Claus is hanging up his coat - but he's not putting love away.

Frank Hayes, 70, who has played Jolly Saint Nick in Wichita Falls for 53 years, says he is retiring from the role.

"I hope and pray that this kind of work will contnke," said Hayes, who has kept Christmas magic alive for hundreds of thousands of children over more than a half

Still smiling hale and hearty as you would expect Santa to look, Hayes, nevertheless,

believes it is time for him to step down. "You see, my reindeer are still galloping along, but Santa's feet are giving out." he said with astwinkle in his eye.

Hayes figured e has traveled about 3.000 miles and has seen up to 3,000 children each year during the Christmas holidays. He has appeared annually at vuletide programs in more than 57 churches.

'And I have always visited the hospitals and rest homes during Christmas." he added "I am going to miss all this. It's something you can't jar loose from." he said. "I'll try my best not to get moody over it. But I realize

I'm just not as young as I used to be. Hayes was reared an orphan. He got the idea of playing Santa Claus when he was a high school senior at a state orphan's home in Corsicana. jhe played the role for the first time whef the home asked him to dress up as Santa Claus fothe younge children.

When I left there I kept on playing Santa Claus. My main thing in life was to help people. I didn't get any pay for worlds of work that I did. In fact, I went the whole way playing Santa Claus and helping people are concerned," said Hayes.

people now. They don't have that Chris feeling they use to have. I remember everybody was congenial.

President Lyndon B. Johnson.

Back 50 years ago, it used to thrill p to death even to see Santa Claus. Of co the small children still are thrilled.

#### Amazon has survived onslaught

By PETER EISNER Associated Press Writer-

MANAUS. Brazil (AP) - The Amazon, the tropical jungle of mystery and monumental natural beauty, has so far survived the onslaught of progress.

But that's changing. Scientists and government environmental officials are fighting to establish guidelines for developing the 1.3 million-square-mile Amazon River Basin before deforestation, mining and giant industrial projects destroy its wealth of natural resources forever.

Rural peasants travel by river boat to this Amazon jungle capital to sell fish, shop for supplies or seek subsistence work. But the city of 400.000 also has become a modern Brazilian business center - a duty-free port that attracts tourism and multinational industry

At Alter do Chao (Altar of the Earth), a small village four days downstream from Manaus, a young man welcomes guests to the hut where he makes baskets and other handicrafts. Television and radio permit him to discuss politics in a world he has never seen. "Big tourist ships pass here every six months." he said. "So I've met lots of foreigners.

As in other pats of Brazil and the rest of South America, the richer classes live alongside the poor. Scattered development in the Amazon has driven rural subsistence dwellers to the few major cities where too often they remain trapped in a cycle of urban

While scientists and researchers camp for measures to prevent hapha development - which often intens poverty - they also are engaged in effor fill in sizable gaps in their knowledg plants and animals here - before it's too

Officials in the eight countries that s portions of the jungle met last year ir river city of Belem, 1.060 miles down from here, for the first high-level ionfer of the newly formed Amazon Pact. pledged that "the development of Amazon Region and the preservation environment cannot be conside separately

They have created 50.000 squaremile national parks and protected jungle area the last five years. That is an area la than the state of Pennsylvania.

Conservationists say the step may be a that the nations may begin to slap tig controls on plans to alter the ju environment. They say the jungle presently being stripped of foliage at a ra about 400 square miles per year.

Official estimates say one percent o Amazon has been chopped down so fa about 15.000 square miles. But no one kr what percentage would be critical be serious environmental consequences possible climatic changes result.

While we do not wish to encou unfounded optimism about the status of the tropical forests, we believe that recognition for recent achievehents ma further than persistent denunciations.

# did you know?



For more efficient cooking, match the pan size to the size of the range's surface units. Flat-bottom cooking utensils with tightfitting lids give the best cooking results and can help conserve energy as well, since foods in covered pans begin boiling or steaming more rapidly than those in uncovered containers.

Joy Parnell, Home Service Advisor, Lubbock

Christmas lights can be dangerous if not used properly. Use only those lights that have an Underwriters Laboratories label on the package and be sure to buy the right kind of lights for indoor or outdoor use. Check lights for loose or broken sockets or cords with bare wire showing BEFORE putting them on the tree and always unplug them before leaving the house or going to bed. Electrical safety tips like these can help insure a happy and safer Christmas for your family.

Johnny Bourland, Consumer Services Representative, Roswell



SPS sells the byproducts created by burning coal for fuel. Of the ash products generated at coal-fired Harrington Station, the majority are fly ash, a powder-like substance. Fly ash has been used for cementing oil wells, as a water and abrasion-resistant ingredient in concrete, and can be used around dam areas

to prevent water from eroding away surrounding soil. By marketing fly ash and other coal byproducts, SPS is using our natural resources as efficiently as possible and helping keep down the costs of generating the electricity we all

Sherry Kunka, Environmental Analyst, Amarillo

Knowing what electricity is worth is worth knowing. For answers to your questions, call or write your SPS manager.



SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

## Gospel music moves into big time

HOLLYWOOD (NEA) lap your hands, stomp your et and sing out the praises the Lord!

We are in what music peole feel is the beginning of a irge of gospel music that ill. in short order, take ver the music business in a ig way. Knowledgeable eople predict that gospel nusic - already big and rowing fast - will become he most important thing in nusic within four or five ears, and they see gospel nusic series on television nd gospel music coming in

According to Peter rosslight and Marshall Resnick of Regency Artists one of the biggest talent igencies with a strong gos-Resnick — the current urge of gospel music began imultaneously with the curent born-again Christian novement.

hi: "The two go hand in lenand," says Resnick. Ti Of course, gospel music trisn't as new as the born-

again push. But a new type f gospel music has emerged, so that today there sare two distinct kinds of sagospel music flourishing.

There is the traditional sort, pioneered mostly by holack artists such as the late mMahalia Jackson, and still kung widely today. But the newer, younger artists kiwhite as well as black — are Itsinging contemporary gospel music. This is more rock flavored, but with the gospel

"The traditionalists won't listen to us," says heva Rambo, who, with her husband-partner, Dony McGuire, is a leader in the field of contemporary gos-pel music. "We're too modern for them, too new. We don't only sing about blood and the cross, like the tradi-

tional gospel singers do."
In fact, sometimes it is hard to pin a gospel label on a song that is contemporary gospel, because it often seems to be just another love song. (Traditionalists claim that that is deliberate deception, and thus contemporary gospel isn't gospel at

Songs like Andre Crouch's "Here Comes the Son" (it could just as easily be "Sun" as "Son") and Reba and Dony's "I Won't Last a Day Without Your Love" are technically gospel, yet appeal to a wide audience who doesn't even recognize

its religious message. Reba and Dony say they feel gospel should be interpreted from its dictionary definition - "glad tidings" - and Reba says, therefore, "any song that is positive and upbeat can be consid-

ered to be gospel music."

Whatever the distinction, the field is booming. The only variety show on TV

Mandrell's, on NBC — has a gospel segment every week

When Reba and Dony appeared in person recently at Knott's Berry Farm, near Los Angeles, they drew a crowd estimated at better

than 18,000 people.

And many of the old-line recording stars are turning to gospel. Bob Dylan has a gospel album. B.J. Thomas is totally gospel today, even going so far as to stop his inperson performances in the middle to give his own. middle to give his own Christian testimony. Dion (of Dion and the Belmonts) is a recent born-again convert to the music, as are Maria Muldaur, and Don Peck (of the rock group

"More and more radio stations," says Resnick, "are now exclusively gospel. Record sales of gospel are growing, although they are still behind pop artists — in gospel, a quarter of a million album sales is big, whereas Kenny Rogers will sell 2 million."

Resnick says the gospel message is moving into other areas of entertainment, besides music. He says that Christian comics are becoming important and

he singles out one, Mike Warnke, as an up and coming talent.

Reba Rambo and Dony

McGuire both come from gospel backgrounds. The Rambos, Reba's parents, are big in gospel music, and she began singing in their act when she was 18 months old. She went on her own four years ago. Dony is from an Oklahoma singing family and, early on, he wanted to play football; an accident, however, when he was 9 years old, cost him one of his legs. He turned to music when, he says, his mother told him a one-legged man had a choice - digging ditches or music

Reba and Dony live in Southern California now, because they are both ambi-tious to broaden their careers. They want to cross over into secular music, in addition to gospel, and even-tually they would like to move into television and/or

But they would never abandon gospel totally. Not now, when it is moving into the fast lane on the entertainment highway.

## SHOP PAMPA

A Gift Of Vision This Holiday Season From

## TEXAS STATE PTICAL

Pampa Mall 669-2333 2545 Perryton Parkway



As our way of saying "Thank You for Your Patronage" we are offering you these holiday savings now through Dec. 30, 1981. All discount offers valid only with this ad.

ALL CONTACT LENSES

**GLASSES** 

SOFT CONTACT

LENSES

(Prices Do Not Include Care Kit)

Regular Soft Lenses ... Toric Soft Lenses .....

Bifocal Soft Lenses .... Care Kit .....

#### HARD CONTACT LENSES

(Prices Include Care Kit)

Semi-Soft ... \$100

Hard

LARGE GROUP

LADIES'

Naturalizer

Sebicca

**SHOES** 

ALL CURRENT STYLES

NAME BRANDS

## Browns CHRISTMAS BARGAIN BONANZA

Shoemakers to America





**SELECT GROUP** MEN'S SHOES

**PRICED FROM** 

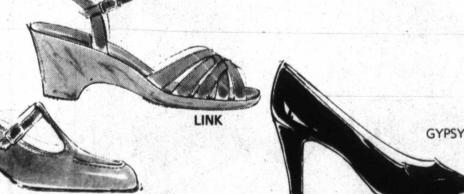
ALL BRAND NAMES YOU KNOW & TRUST











SELECT GROUP LADIES' PURSES



S-N-M-W 5-11

NATURALIZER.

BOUNCE Black Navy White

**British Tan** 





Men's



Children's

\$16<sup>95</sup>

SHOES FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

Skouws Shoe Fit Co.

216 N. Cuyler

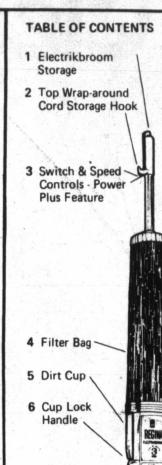
**Downtown Pampa** 

665-5691

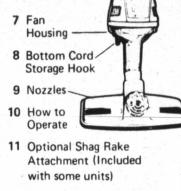
**OPEN** MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Now til Dec. 23 Sat. 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

## CHRISTMAS SAVINGS

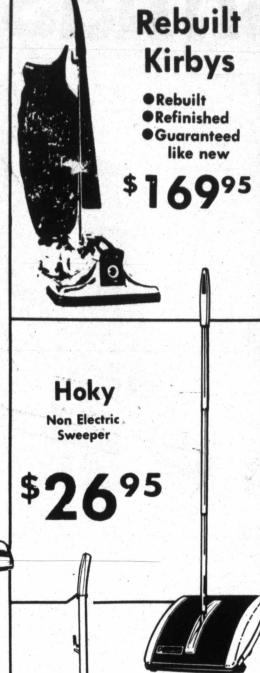








Reg. 49.95



**Hoover**. Self-propelled CONCEPT ONE **Cleaning System** 

Quadraflex<sup>TM</sup> agitator

deep cleans with double the brushing & grooming action of previous models.

**Edge cleaning** plus...

edge brusher deep cleans close to the wall. **Automatic** 

carpet

adjustment adapts cleaner to most carpet. Special plush & shag settings!

16 qt. bag capacity more cleaning per bag! You'll like the Quick &

Clean bag changer. Twin lamp headlight Broad, bright beam of

Reg. \$299.95





Compact w/Power Nozzle

Reg. \$599.95

en's

DAY

**EUREKA Feature Packed** Upright Exclusive 4-way



\$**69**<sup>95</sup>



CANISTER VAC • 1.7 peak h.p. (.79 VCMA Rating) 10 quart bag capacity Rides on a cushion of air for effortless mobility Full-Time edge-cleaning All around furniture \$49<sup>95</sup>

**RAINBOW** \$1109!



**HANDIVAC** to use Handivac for those quick pickups. Optional attachments available for above the floor



\$5995 Reg. \$79.95

**Panasonic** Commercial \$17495 Reg. \$299.95

AMERICAN VACUUM CO. 669-9282 **420 PURVIANCE** 

**Next to Taco Villa on North Hobart** 

# Bealls

# Pre-Christmas Clearance



Girls & Boys Coats



SAVE 20% to 50% Junior & Misses Co-Ordinates Dresses Blazers Skirts • Blouses

**Co-Ordinates** 

by: Act III Aileen Devon Pant Her White Stag • Russ Bobbie Brooks • Red Eye reg. 20.00 to 90.00

Dresses by: Jerell • Milfred Lady Carol • Ms Sugar John Roberts • Damon reg. 40.00 to 178.00

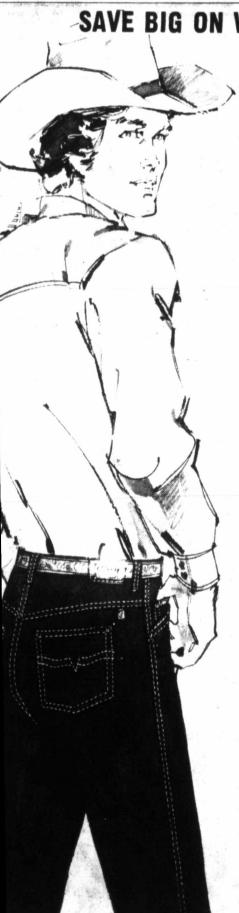
> Velveteen & **Corduroy Blazers**

reg. 60.00 now 49.88

**Plaid Skirts** reg. 23.00 to 30.00 1488 to 1988

Blouses reg. 30.00 to 32.00 1488 to 1988

SAVE BIG ON WESTERN WEAR



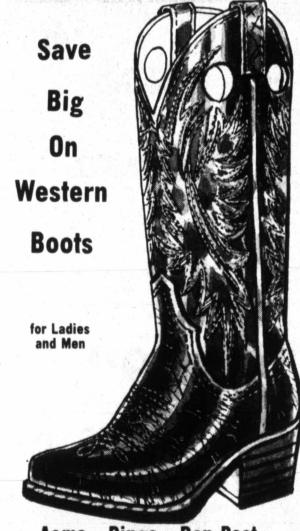
Mens Hats

**Mens Western** Shirts reg. 18.00 to 30.00 1288 to 1988

Wrangler
14% Oz. Denim Jeans **Regular and Slim Boot Cut and Cowboy Cut** 1488

**LEVI'S** Saddleman Boot **Jeans** in Denim & Knit 1688

**Boy Jeans** by Levi and Wrangler reg. 13.00 to 15.00 Size 4-14 reg. & slim



Acme—Dingo—Dan Post **Mens Styles Ladies Styles** 

**Bull Hide** reg. 69.00 **49**00 reg. 165.00 12900 Antelope reg. 198.00 139<sup>00</sup> reg. 85.00 5900 Eel reg. 230.00 169<sup>00</sup> reg. 106.00 7900

Lizard reg. 110.00 7900 reg. 312.00 229<sup>00</sup>

Bealls

Save 20% to 50%

**Famous Name Brand Junior Sportswear** 

**Co-Ordinates** 

by Bobbie Brooks-Red Eye reg. 26.00 to 68.00 17<sup>33</sup> <sub>10</sub> 45<sup>33</sup>

**Blouses & Tops** reg. 12.00 to 28.00

600 , 2240

Zeka Ski Vest And Jackets reg. 24.00 to 42.00 15<sup>88</sup> , 27<sup>88</sup>

**Cliff Hanger Pants** reg. 25.00 to 30.00 12<sup>50</sup> , 15<sup>00</sup>

**Fashion Designer Jeans** 

by Gloria Vanderbilt—HIS Jordache-Levi Junior & Misses Sizes

OPEN TIL 10 P.M. THRU DEC. 23rd Pampa Mall

By Tom Tiede

WASHINGTO is popular at this year to commercializ Christmas. The we are told, h salesman of their priority they've put ma

Well, perhaps But there wa in the America when it could commercializat salvation of th when the nation

one merchant motive becar known as the saved Christma

million service

on the Americ

MIDDLET Three Mile Is plant here i within three March 28, 19 will take at leas

years to compl from a technic one large q looms: Who wi for the job?

some 600,000 highly contami ing of Unit II. Re radioactive wa first task of Corp., which ha contract to So far, about

lons have been r run through designed filtra 99 percent of the The radioactive being stored in nally designed t shipped to a still location for

Whitn backg

HOUSTON overwhelming business backg Mrs. Whitmi during a trip improvement with represent financial rating "I didn't find in the election.

The mayortried to build a to practice fis "I have trie have taken t different from philosophical i

said. She said our tax dollar city." Mrs. Whitm public transp

"I am a fis

NUI

## Saluting the man who saved Christmas

By Tom Tiede

WASHINGTON (NEA) - It is popular at this juncture of the year to deplore the commercialization of Christmas. The merchants, we are told, have made a salesman of Santa Claus; their priority is profit they've put marketing in the manger, and the spirit of the season is measurably dimin-

Well, perhaps.

But there was a moment in the American experience when it could be said that commercialization was the bration. That was in 1918, when the nation was locked in its first world war, and

one merchant with a profit motive became quietly saved Christmas

The year was a dark one to be sure. The United States had committed almost 5

million servicemen to the cause against the Kaiser, and 320,000 of them would become casualties. Here in Washington, officials called on the American people to make every sacrifice to Those sacrifices were

spelled out by a special panel of authorities called the Council of National Defense

The council was comprised

of six members from Woodrow Wilson's cabinet, and it was charged with procur-ing, husbanding and allocating the materials and

resources needed in combat

It fixed prices in the marketplace, for example to prevent hoarding and panic. It prohibited the use of metals for anything save critical manufacturing and armaments. It rationed

foodstuffs, limited newsprint, reduced the sale of civilian clothing and cut down the consumption of

Then sometime in the spring of the year, the coun-

cil suggested that it might go a step further. Members said they were considering a ban on Christmas shopping. It would be in the name of patriotism, they explained:



the materials used for toys and gifts would make a lot of guns and bullets.
Quiet naturally, the

nation was rocked. In effect, a ban on Christmas shopping meant a ban on Christmas itself. Few could deny the dark truths that moved the council toward its considerations, but a year without Christmas, in a year fraught with war, would be a compounded exacerbation

So a consensus formed that the council should be

Jersey. New Jersey is included because power gen-

erated by the plant was intended to go into a grid

serving that state as well as

disuaded. And not surprisingly the effort was championed by the nation's merchants. For instance, the National Retail Dry Goods Association mobilized hundreds of worried businessmen who in turn took the case to the Congress and beyond.
The retailers argued facts

and figures. They said a ban on shopping would be useless, because most critical materials had already been reserved for military

because of the widespread

health hazard posed by the

radiation at Three Mile

use. Besides, they added, the economic and marketing strength of the nation was as vitally important as the

prosecution of the war.
Still, the Council on
National Defense remained rigid. That is, until a merchant from New Haven, Conn., joined his voice to the protest. He was Alfred Carleton Gilbert, a one-time Olympian, a part-time commercial magician and a genius who would become one of the world's largest toy

Gilbert made educational toys. He sold chemistry sets and carpentry kits, steam engines and paddlewheelers. He was eventually to put American Flyer trains on millions of American carpets, and he became internationally renowned and wealthy for inventing a metal building game called

"Erector." Thus A.C. Gilbert had a definite stake in Christmas sales. But he also had a passionate sentiment for the well-being of children. He believed toys were the building blocks of character, "the greatest influences" in the lives of boys and girls,

and he insisted the bond should never be broken. So he organized a small

reluctant to commit any-

where near what Thorn-

burgh has penciled in as the

federal government's share.

ssembled a box of illustrative toys. And he came to Washington to save Christ-mas. He was told that the council was far too busy to spend much time with a toy maker, but he was given a 15-minute audience toward

the end of a hectic day. Gilbert told the council he understood the need to conserve materials. But he begged that it not be done at the expense of kids. He said toys on Christmases past, their tin soldiers and air rifles, they might not now be winning the great war in Europe

Then the toy maker pened his box of opened merchandise. And his argument was sealed. The council members who had been

so busy, so bowed with the

gravities of the time, got

down on the floor, each one,

and began to roll the wheels

and toot the horns of items they thought nonessential.

Gilbert had done it council voted to allow ping to take place customary, and the se was saved. Indeed, the day of 1918 was even t than usual. The war end November, so the Chris that this fine merc saved turned out to be o the merriest in history. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE A

# Only STEREOS OFF With Purchase You Get

90 Minute Sony Blank **Cassette Tape** 

## PIONEER'

Personal Stereo Cassette Recorders

Pioneer Personal Stereo: the portable radio cassette recorder designed for your life-on the-go! Lightweight, packed with features like loaded deck and direct source selection, song finder/music search, Dolby and automatic repeat.

Stereo FM/AM Radio Cassette

SK-650

Reg. \$299.95

Less 10%

With Purchase Your Get FREE 90 Minute Sony Blank Tape

-Metal Tape Capability

—Digital Tape Counter -Direct Source Selection

-Manual and ALC Record -Music Search

-3 Way Power Usage -Two 43/4" (12 cm) Dual Cone

Speakers

FM Stereo/AM Radio Cassette

-One Button Record

SK-21

Reg. \$219.95

Less 10%

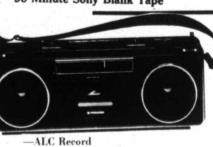
Only ..... With Purchase You Get FREE 90 Minute Sony Blank Tape

—Two (10 CM) Speakers

-3-Way Power Usage

-Digital Tape Counter





Less 10%-

Only With Purchase Get FREE

Sony 90 Minute Blank Tape

Stereo FM/AM

Radio/Cassette SK-200

Reg. \$199.95

The One And Only STEREO WALKMAN CASSETTE PLAYER



WM-1 Portable Stereo Cassette Player Reg. \$99.95

Pay Only With Purchase Get FREE 90 Minute Sony Blank Tape -MDR-1L1 Stereo Headphone -AC/DC/Batteries (6V) 4XAH —2 Head Phone Jacks —Built-In Belt Clip

WM-2 Compact Portable Stereo Cassette Player

Reg. \$179.95

Less 10%

Pay Only .....

With Purchase Get FREE 90 Minute Sony Blank Tape -Hi-Fi Sound Quality Soft Touch Tape

Open Till 9

Till Christmas 700 W. Foster 665-4241

#### Who will pay for Three Mile Island? Pennsylvania and New government was included administration has been

By Robert J. Wagman

MIDDLETOWN. Pa (NEA) - The cleanup of the Three Mile Island nuclear plant here is continuing more or less on schedule. The process that began within three days of the March 28, 1979, accident will take at least another six years to complete.

Although the cleanup is progressing "normally" from a technical standpoint, one large question still looms: Who will pick up the estimated \$1.1 billion tab

for the job? The accident released some 600,000 gallons of highly contaminated water into the containment building of Unit II. Removing this radioactive water is the first task of the Bechtel Corp., which has the prime contract to restore the

So far, about 200,000 gallons have been removed and run through a specially designed filtration system that eliminates more than 99 percent of the radiation The radioactive residue is being stored in a pool origi-nally designed to hold spent nuclear fuel and will be shipped to a still undisclosed location for permanent

While the engineers have come up with a system to restore the plant to use, the politicans are having a harder time deciding who

will pay the bill. It was clear from the start that General Public Utilities, the plant's owner, could not afford the massive cost of restoring the plant or even the lesser cost of removing the accumulated radioactivity. Because the company owns power plants

in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, its demise would have caused serious prob-

lems to the entire region. Therefore, the need for a cost-sharing plan was apparent from the start. Pennsylvania Gov. Dick Thornburgh came up with a proposal that most parties thought was likely to work. The problem now is to get all of those parties to pay what Thornburgh thinks is

their fair share About \$760 million of the \$1.1 billion cleanup cost will remain to be met at the end of 1981. Thornburgh pro-poses that half of that amount come from what he calls "national sources" and the other half from "area sources," including GPU, its insurers and the states of

## Whitmire cites her background for victory

HOUSTON (AP) - Mayor-elect Kathy Whitmire's overwhelming election victory in November was based on her business background, not her sex, she said Monday Mrs. Whitmire appeared on NBC televison's "Today" show

during a trip to New York to deliver \$50 million in public improvement bonds and to discuss the future of city bonds with representatives of Moody's and Standard and Poor's financial rating services. 'I didn't find that the fact I am a women really played a part

in the election," she said.

The mayor-elect, who takes office on Jan. 2. said she has tried to build a coalition of citizen's groups that will allow her to practice fiscal conservatism while improving vital city "I have tried to bring together all the various groups and I

have taken the approach that local government is very different from national government when it comes to philosophical issues," she said. "I am a fiscal conservative." the 35-year-old mayor-elect said. She said her fiscal philosophy will make "better use of

Mrs. Whitmire also said she is looking to improve the city's public transportation system to alleviate the snail's-pace traffic on Houston freeways

our tax dollars. That will be a benefit to every group in the

## NUMB ARMS, LEGS

There may be misalignment of vertebras in the spine causing pressure on nerves, yet the patient experiences no pain in the back. Instead, a variety of sensations may be felt in other parts of the body. These include tingling, tightness, hot spots, cold spots, crawling sensations, elec tric shock sensations, stinging, burning, and others. Here are nine critical symptoms involving back pain or strange sensations which are usually the forerunners of more serious conditions. Any one of these usually spells

(1) Paresthesias (see above) (2) Headaches (3) Painful joints (4) Numbness in the arms or hands (5) Loss of sleep (6) Stiffness in the neck (7) Pain between the shoulders (8) Stiffness of pain in lower back (9) Numbness or pain

These signals indicate that your body is being robbed of normal nerve function. Until this function is restored, you will, in some degree, be incapacited. The longer you wait to seek help, the worse the condition will become. Don't wait! Should you experience any of these danger signals...call for in Depth consultation in Layman's

#### Haydon Chiropractic Office

103 East 29th & Perryton Parkway 806-665-7261 Pampa, Texas





## "At least our serious money is keeping pace with inflation!"

"Thanks to Edward D. 15 3/4%
Jones & Co., we receive . .

#### ... by investing in Corporate Bonds."

Prices are going up everywhere! And, it's only right for your savings investments to receive a higher return to help you keep pace with inflation. At Edward D. Jones & Co., we offer individuals the opportunity to invest in some of America's best corporations, and receive a return consistent with higher costs.

Never locked in - fully negotiable!

Hours Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. 317 N. Ballard Pampa, Texas Home 806-665-7333 806-665-1737



nbers New York Stock Exchange, Inc.



NG TOGETHER in a new family atmosphere are dons. Michael. 8. and sister Shelli. 14. enjoy the

relaxing water of a spa with their parents Richard and (Staff Photo by John Wolfe)

## Hot Tubs -- a family experience

bed of family ainment, as more are discovering one put the daily stresses i life behind them and newfound source of

pulled apart, some daily routines to re with other family s - if only for a few

oman and Japenese. lown for centuries the relaxation value of the inal bath. Now it is e to Americans, for interaction is often

igs and children are tting home from after activities. Speedy wave appliances offer order meals that are y followed by silent spent before the

some people need a n their family life to reish common bonds. The bubbling sensations entle massaging action hot tub provide a focus mily pleasure. It offers ame close, intimate type vironment that was once d only at the traditional

re in the swirling and ing of water, barriers way. No one has time to or worry when their ies are being so lerfully nurtured

benefits of hot tubs - the easing of muscular tension and stimulation of circulatory

This new family recreation center is also now within the price range of most families, who find they can afford a hot

upholster the living - room Not suprisingly, retailers

are finding this a valuable selling point for the middle income customer. No longer do hot tubs need be sold as luxury items for the very rich or for jet - setting singles.

recreational products, are realizing that tubbing together is a euphoric way to let the cares of the world drift away so they can enjoy the closeness of a family circle.

#### LIFESTYLES

Lewis Supply, Inc. 669-2558 Open Monday-Saturday 7:30-5:30

Kennedy TOOL BOX With One Lift-Outy Tray



**POCKET KNIFE** No. 1 Reg. \$18.50

Merry Christmas

Plumb All American **AXES** No. 11607

Reg. \$24.20

2 Cell **FLASHLIGHTS** 





No. 04170 Reg. \$7.85

## There's Something New For You At Pampa Mall

WINNERS OF THE "GUESS HOW MANY CONTEST"

> Actual Number of Paper Towels In the Boat-463

Tappan Microwave ........Russell Shufelburgh Striker Clock from J.C. Penny ...... Diana Yates

16 Pound Turkeys-

Open Till

10:00 p.m.

Thru Dec. 23

Martin Hart Walton Barnett Susan Jarvmello **Sharon King** Robert Beggs

Freida Walker **Bobby Folson** Timmy Free Bennie Reid Grey Boyd

Box of Candy from Scotty's Wine And Cheese Shoppe-

Lori Stephens Dorothy Wilson Kay Foshee **Chrstel Speer** Betty Mackie

Joe Murray Richie Wanger Mrs. Harvey Fichte Sandy Wood Thula McCarrell



Highway Seventy North at Twentyfifth Street

Open Till 10:00 p.m. Thru Dec. 23

## "OUR ANNUAL WHITE WINTER SALE"

(Winterize Your Feet With These "HOT" Sale Shoe Prices) **OUR ENTIRE STOCK ON SALE** 

FREE-FLEX SHOES for men

DOWNTOWN STORE ONLY

**New Inventory of Sizes** 

**Entire** 

Shoe Stores OUR ENTIRE STOCK IS ON SALE NOW

"DEXTER"

**Women's Casuals Our Largest Selection Ever** THE ENTIRE STOCK

PAMPA MALL STORE ONLY

Regular

**Shoe Stores** 

"BASS" LADIES CASUALS (Entire Stock)

LADIES GRASSHOPPER

DOWNTOWN STORE ONLY

Pairs for the Price of

Buy one at regular price and **Get another FREE** No Refunds-No Exchange

Shoe Stores OUR ENTIRE STOCK IS ON SALE NOW

Large Group of Women's

**Both Sotres** 

Pairs for the Price of

**Large Group of Selected High Fashion Shoes** 

PLEASE ALL SALES FINAI **NO REFUNDS AND NO EXCHANGES** 

LADIES

DANIEL

GREEN

**HOUSESHOES** 

(Entire Stock)

klepto you'll

Dea Li

ca

I'm get

my rig

DEA high-cla setting tissue, contam leaning from th Abby for that protect I ha appear

> rock mu much o

nation with so many d Come with th

DEA the rig Getti church

Ten had a d Garb spindle experie would In

terrific hasn't new st grandn over t backya sun to work is even husban

of hour worki other study d it cirul of"Bur that weaken

housewe and u somethi - no or it in the I app relation the prob "Swe talking to give House numbe

They're what I'r of the f concept "How asked. 'List

#### Dear Abby

## Light-fingered girl carries heavy load

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I'm 15 and an only child. My family is upper middle-class and I guess you could call me a straightlaced conservative teen-ager. For the last six months I have been on a shoplifting binge. It's not peer pressure. I'm always alone when I do it. I never go into a store intending to steal, but I immediately look for floor walkers and mirrors. I usually have enough money to buy whatever I need, so I can't understand why I take things. (I will buy a pair of panties and steal a pair.) I've even taken stuff I have

If I tell my parents, they'll never trust me to go anywhere. Please don't suggest that I talk to a priest. I just couldn't. I'm getting scared, Abby. I hate to leave the house for fear I'll go into a store and steal something. You may print this if you think it might help somebody else, but please don't use my right name or town.

LIGHT-FINGERED IN IOWA

DEAR LIGHT-FINGERED: You could be a victim of kleptomania - a persistent neurotic compulsion to steal without economic motive. Kleptomania can be cured with treatment.

The fact that your conscience bothered you enough to write to me proves that you are not a common thief. If you absolutely can't tell your parents, please talk to your school counselor. If you're to be helped, you'll have to reach out for it.

DEAR ABBY: I recently ordered a birthday cake from a high-class, well-known bakery. It is famous for its beautifully decorated cakes. When I went to pick up my cake, it was setting on the display counter, uncovered - no cellophane, tissue, or anything at all to protect it from the possibility of contamination. The bakery was crowded, and people were leaning over the cake as they were being waited on.

One child, about eye-level with my cake, had a bad cough, and she was coughing and blowing her nose not six inches from the icing on my cake!

Abby, I am not a fanatic about germs, but I do think this is a very unsanitary practice. I immediately lost my appetite for that cake, and when it was served that evening I couldn't take even one bite.

If bakeries want to display their work, shouldn't they

I haven't mentioned this to anyone else for fear of appearing foolish. Also, should I let the bakery know how I

SQUEAMISH IN BALTIMORE

DEAR SQUEAMISH: You would be doing the bakery a favor by mentioning it to them. I agree, bakery goods should be covered. And your complaint together with this item should cover it.

DEAR ABBY: Someone wrote in to say that the blare of rock music and the noise of small children in public were as much of a public nuisance as smoking, and you answered, 'Don't tolerate it. Go to the source and complain!"

Abby, how could you? What has happened to make us a nation of complainers? Why should we complain every time someone offends our ears or noses? That's what's wrong with society today. No one is willing to tolerate anything that is even slightly annoying. No wonder there are so many divorces and so many unhappy people nowadays. Come on, Abby, let us all be more tolerant. What's wrong

with the old adage, "Live and let live"? TIRED OF COMPLAINERS

DEAR TIRED: I'm all for living and letting live, but the right to swing one's arms ends where the other person's nose begins.

Getting married? Whether you want a formal church wedding or a simple, "do-your-own-thing" Abby's new booklet. Send \$1 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped (37 cents) envelope to: Abby's Wedding Booklet, 12060 Hawthorne Blvd., Suite 5000, Hawthorne, Calif. 90250.



Dr. Lamb

Johnny is SMARTER than you think

## egal drug abuse in the schools

"The kid fidgets? Moves around too much? Distrubs the

class? He must by hyperactive. Put him on pills!" All too often, tragically, this is the casual way the public schools handle the cases of children who, for a great variety of

No one knows, even approximately, how many school children today are on amphetamines as a treatment for hyperactivity. We've seen educators' guesstimates ranging from "only" 600,000 to up to 5 million. The drug companies do not give out figures. They probably wish to keep a low profile on drugs for kids.

Whatever the actual number, it's too many because for those children who have been misdiagnosed drugs won't cure the behavior problem (whatever it is) but only cover it up.

- drugs are addictive, as all mind - altering drugs are

- Drugs offer a crutch the child shouldn't have - the ch learns to depend on the drugs instead of self controling action

- given to the wrong children, or given the wrong dosa

drug can have minor, and sometimes major, side effects. - No drug ever taught a child anything. It isn't the use of amphetamines which has so many peor

worried, it's the abuse.

Two points must be emphasized:

 First, the schools can only recommend amphetamines; children: the actual prescription must come from a doctor. Second, the drugs can be helpful in treating the problet

of some children, but they should not be prescribed or tak Unfortunately, doctors have often prescribe amphetamines for children merely on the suggestion of t

But a growing number of doctors are having second though

about this practice. The best known of the amphetamines prescribed for t

symptoms of hyperactivity in children is Rital (methylphenidate hydrochloride)

The Physician's Desk Reference(PDR), a drug resource book used virtually by all doctors and hospitals, indicates th not enough is, as yet, known about the safety and effectivene of long - term use of Ritalin by children. It warns that suc long - term use might lead to stunted growth, and that advers reactions include nervousness, insomnia, hypersensitivit (including skin rash), fever, nausea, dizziness, palpitation headaches, drowsiness, and loss of appetite. Overdosage, PD said in its 1981 edition, may result in vomiting, agitation tremors, muscle twitching, and have futher, even mor dangerous results.

PDR also noted that when used. Ritalin should only be par of the total treatment for hyperactive children and that the fu program should include educational, psychological and socia measures.

When Ritalin or other amphetamines are properl prescribed, only the parents or a school nurse should be give the responsibility for dispensing them. Under n circumstances should a child have unlimited access to the pills. The dangers of an overdosage are too great.

Shop Sunset Hub each night till 9. Pampa and Clovis Hubs Thursdays till 8.

Amarillo, Polk at Sixth • 376-8268

Sunset Center • 355-7481

## Facial hair isn't whole story

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB - I am a 19-year-old male and I think I have a delayed puberty. I have gone through the first stages all right. When I was about 15 my voice changed and I grew slightly and developed pubic and some axillary hairs. Not much has happened to me since and that was four years ago. I'm now 5 feet 9 and weigh 135 pounds. I don't have facial hair yet and still don't have a full growth of axillary hair. I look underdeveloped and don't have much muscle mass. I was wondering if hormone treatments would be beneficial in aiding my problem. I have heard that this can produce undesirable side effects. This problem has depressed me and hampered my social life. I need your advice.

DEAR READER - There are a few more important anatomical changes associated with becoming a mature male than how much hair you grow on your face. To give you an illustration, American Indians and most Oriental ethnic groups tend to have sparse facial hair growth compared to the Anglo-Saxon male, and they are just as virile.

The important questions are your sexual development and your bone growth. The latter has to be studied by X-rays to see if your bones have stopped growing or not. Most boys go through puberty between ages 11 and 17 but there are a handful who are slower. That doesn't mean they are abnormal. It could mean their life spans

will be longer.
I am sending you The Health Letter number 17-4, Male Reproductive Functions, to answer some of the many questions you probably have. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, selfaddressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

a doctor and perhaps have a test to see if your hormone

production is normal. When he is able to talk to you and examine you, he may be able to tell that you are perfectly normal. Your weight is all right for your height. If you want to develop more mus-DEAR READER - There cles perhaps you would ben-efit from a strength-training

reasons, are problems in the classroom.

program.

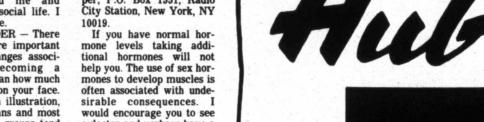
DEAR DR. LAMB — I have heard so many different opinions about the value of vitamin C in combating and preventing the common cold that I am confused and would appreciate your views. Does a normal bal-anced diet usually provide the body with its daily requirement of vitamin C?

Do excessive amounts of vitamin C tablets aid the body's resistance or is the excess simply eliminated?

appear to be no sound studies that demonstrate that vitamin C in any amount prevents colds, regardless of when the large dose is taken. Most reputable authorities

would agree with this state-

A few studies suggest that large amounts of vitamin C may diminish or shorten some symptoms of the common cold but the reports are conflicting.



## Parmesan Puff

Parmesan Puff with French Tomato Sauce Asparagus

PARMESAN PUFF It's like a souffle without the 1 tablespoon butter, soft

5 large eggs, separated with the butter; Makes 6 servings.

yolk mixture; with the spatula, squares, with a creamy

By CECILY BROWNSTONE **Associated Press Food Editor** MEATLESS SUPPER

**Baked Potatoes** Fruit

cooked base.

Grated Parmesan cheese 34 cup all-purpose flour 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper 1½ cups commercial sour

sprinkle with 1 tablespoon Parmesan. In a medium bowl with a rubber spatula stir together the flour, salt and pepper; with the spatula, gradually stir in the sour cream, keeping smooth. Add the egg yolks; with a beater, beat until ivory color; stir in ½ cup Parmesan. In a large bowl, with the clean beater, beat the whites until they are so stiff they do not slip when the bowl is tilted: add the fold in. Pour into the prepared baking dish. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven until browned and puffy - 30 minutes. Serve at once, cut in baking dish (1134 by 71/2 by 134 tomato sauce (Sauce Aurore).

**高行法 国际法 国际法 国际** 

#### At Wit's End By Erma Bombeck

BY ERMA BOMBECK Ten years ago, American had a dream

Garbage was to be unisex. Replacing toilet tissue spindles was to be a "sharing experience.

Laundry was to become an equal opportunity employer. Babies in damp diapers would not discriminate against fathers.

In theory, it sounded terrific. In reality, it just hasn't happened. Every day a new study confirms what my grandmother used to chant over the washboard in the backyard: Man works from sun to sun . . . but woman's work is never done!

One survey showed that even the sympathetic husband only puts in a couple of hours a day to help his "working wife." (Is there any other kind?) And another study didn't help a thing when it cirulated staistics saying that housework head the list of "Burnout" ." a syndrome that leaves it victims weakend, unenthusiatic about life and unable to make decisions

The frighting fact is housework has a bad name and unless we can do something about it - and fast - no one is going to be doing it in the near future.

I approached a friend of mine who is in public relations and told him about the problem.

"Sweetie," he said, "you're talking self - image. I'm going to give you the bottom line. Housewives need a PR number done on them. They're beige, do you know what I'm saying? They're out of the fast lane. They need a

"How do we do that?" I

"Listen up." he said

What are we looking at? We want housework to be a sensuous experience, lusted after like silky hair. We want babies crying for it and men begging to have their own food processor. First, we put out eight million bumper stickers saying. 'Honk if you love flushing!' Then we do ads in the trades showing a sexy housewife saying. 'Reach out and dust someone.' Then we get together spots on all TV stations of a housewife sitting in a wicker chair and toying

with her food saying, 'I will throw away no leftover before its time.' Don't you love it?

We'll get billboards 'that say, 'The family that cleans together is sexier.' We'll schedule housewives on talk shows who will talk about their last low sudser experience and finally we'll have a recruiting spot 'for a few good homemakers' that shows a woman with the American flag flying behind her that says 'The few. The proud. The housewives. Llove it.

**OPEN EVENINGS** Until Christmas See Our Unique Gifts Lights and Sights 107 N. Cuyler 665-8341 の日本の日本の日本



Have It Your Way.

#### MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

- Full or Part Time
- Day or Night Shifts Available
- Excellent Promotion Opportunities Available Within Crew.
- **Paid Vacation**

APPLY IN PERSON: **Monday Through Friday** 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. 220 N. Hobart





count, Visa, Master Card or Am

One gift that can say

a thousand presents!

Exquisitely struck gift

coins from the Hub.

redeemable in

merchandise!

(abbr.)

Shakespear

ean sprite

However

6 Marries

metal

8 Belgrade

9 Spoken exam

gree (abbr.) va's forte

eltered

dventure

40 Praiser

family

possession

25 Advanced in 44 Job years 45 Indian trophy 27 Kimono sash 46 Exclamation (pl.) of horror (2 28 Angers wds.) 29 Boy (Sp.) 47 Assistant 30 Food 48 Relinquish 32 Longtime 49 Osiris' wife

51 No one

THE WIZARD OF ID 10 LIKE 150 FLAVORS 50 Bravos (Sp.) 53 Price label

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE** 

MARMADUKE

12-22

STEVE CANYON

NOW I KNOW LEIGHTON OLSON IS A CAPTIVE OF THAT

CAMEL-TRAIL VILLAIN!

THE VANILLA HOW ABOUT IS SPOILED CABBAGE?

EEK & MEEK

DID YOU EVER THINK OF

TAKING IN A MANAGER TO RUN THE PLACE, JOHN?



NO...WHY DO YOU ASK?

By Milton Caniff

STILL, I DEMAND MY TURN TO PREVENT THE PRISONER FROM CRYING OUT!



I PROMISED MY WELFARE

ADVISER I'D LOOK FOR WORKTODAY

By Howie Schneider

## ayday signal 11 Falls behind 22 28 29 30 40 43

### Astro-Graph by bernice bede osol

This coming year you should be able to bring to fruition ventures or projects which thus far have seemed to be unproductive. Don't give up on your dreams. Changes are in the offing which will make this possi-

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Focus your efforts on secret ambitions you've been hoping to fulfill. Conditions are starting to shift in your favor. Predictions of what's in store for you in each season following your birth date and where your luck and opportunities lie are in your new Astro-Graph. Mail \$1 each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) 10019. Be sure to specify birth

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You're the type who has the ability to make friends easily. Your splendid qualities will be even more accentuated today PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Concentrate your efforts in this period on goals which are truly important. You are now in a cycle which holds the promise of major successes.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) your decision-making ability today, even if you have to make snap judgments under pressure. You have the faculty to size up situations quickly

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Normally you do not like to have your routines disrupted, but today you may welcome change because you'll use it to your advantage. Be flexible. GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Dan Cupid tends to favor you today in matters of the heart. You should be lucky in love as well as fortunate in other areas CANCER (June 21-July 22) This should be a very produc-tive day, because the busier you are the happier you'll be. Take pride in each of your

tasks and you'll be amazed at what you can accomplish.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You're the one others are likely to turn to today to get things orga-nized properly. You'll thrive on complicated situations and

You're in a promising cycle which could offer you opportunity for personal gain. Act promptly on what develops. It could be of a fleeting nature. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Seek outlets and activities today which permit you to express your imagination and resource You might even surprise yourself with your

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Conditions are rather unusual at this time in that you could derive personal benefits from situations where you appear to be on the outside looking in, instead of controlling matters. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. which include intimate friends should work out extremely well for all concerned. In your case the buddy system will produce



By Brad Anderson

IT HURTS ME TO THINK HOW THEY MUST BE TORTUR-ING HIM!



WHAT DID YOU GIVE WHAT SHOULD I HER LAST YEAR? GIVE THE FAT BROAD THIS YEAR? PETERS 12.22 PRISCILLA'S POP









MY PARENTS ARE ALREADY TRYING TO FIND A SLIMMER CAMP TO SEND ME TO.





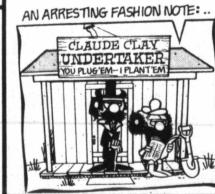
ALLEY OOP



I WAS TOLD TO TELL YOU NOT T'PULL YOUR PUNCHES DURIN' ANOTHER STAND-IN BY TOWN OF COFFINALL ...

"I know we dropped in on the Winslows the

other night, but YOU don't owe us a visit!"





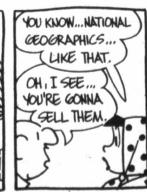


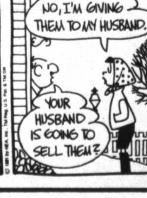
FRANK AND ERNEST

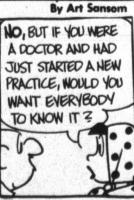
**TUMBLEWEEDS** 

By Bob Thaves

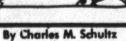








By Dave Grave





PEANUTS





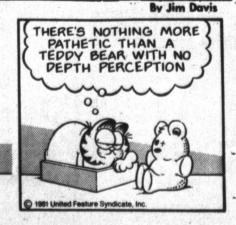




OH, THAT'S A MEETING OF THE LOCAL ST. PAUL, ST. LOUIS, ST. AUGUSTINE .... © 1981 by NEA, Inc., TM Reg. U.S. Pet. & TM OR THAVES 12-12

GARFIELD





## Elders are turning increasingly to crime often idled, isolated and

By Tom Tiede

MIAMI (NEA) shopkeeper says it was the strangest thing that ever happened to him. And he recounts the story only on assurances of anonymity He runs a small haberdash ery here, and he says the incident occurred one a.m. when a man wobbled in under the influence of alco-

"Well, he just started stuffing things under his shirt. In plain sight. He took a belt, a sweater and some socks, and started walking out the door without paying I couldn't believe it. I said 'Wait a minute,' and he turned around and took a swing at me. He knocked me right on my rear end."

The shopkeeper groans at

the telling.
"Turned out he was 68 years old. Sixty-eight! I thought people that age spent their time playing shufflebord."

Actually, a good many people that age do play shuf-fleboard. But as the haberdasher found out here, and as other victims are finding out elsewhere, some senior citizens do other things as well: like rob, thieve, shoplift, prey, burgle, rape, mug, snatch cars, torch buildings and murder.

Not to put too fine a point on it, delinquency among older people is on the increase in Miami, and in other parts of Florida, and it may also be growing in other areas of the nation where the seniors are grouped in significant numbers. There is even a name for the trend: Some cops call it "elder crime."

ny Hart

NG HO

DICK

.K. Ryan

INTO

ONS.

115,

im Davis

ORE

NO

The activity is not yet widely reported, and as a rule the crimes committed against the elderly continue to dwarf those committed by them. But last year the FBI reported that 200,000 people over the age of 60 were arrested for illegalities; that's twice as many as

were nabbed a decade ago. Many of those arrests were for petty crimes, to be certain. But many others were not. The FBI says 525 seniors were arrested in 1980 for murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, 275 picked up for rapes, 4,700 elders were collared for assault, and fully 23,000 were booked for burglary.

The FBI says oldsters are arrested for indecent exposure, for wife beating, for husband beating and for more than 175 counts of arson a year. One 70-yearold has been jailed in Chicago for vandalizing graves, and an 81-year-old woman n New York was caught breaking into automobiles.

Then there is the case of Luther and Audrey Beaver of Columbus, Ohio. He is 74 and she is 63. Police say the otherwise kindly old couple were caught peddling nar-cotics to children. Last month a head-shaking judge sentenced them to serve one to 10 years apiece in the prison system.

But Chicago, New York and Columbus apart, Miami is the present capital of Elder Crime. Twenty percent of the population here, or twice the national average, is over the age of 60. and one state attorney has been moved to contend that the crime rate among these oldsters is "almost an

ney. They speculate that increased arrest figures are as much a result of better reporting techniques as they are criminal trends. And in any case they say the elders generally commit minor crimes with a minimal societal impact.

Yet the police concede that Miami seniors can go at it pretty good. One 76-yearold was arrested last year for soliciting for prostitution on Biscayne Boulevard, and a husband and wife in their 60s became so successful at ripping off department stores that they were nicknamed Bonnie and Clyde.

Police say the oldsters now rival teen-agers for shoplifting skills, and they can be physical if they wish One study of arrested seniors suggests that 51 per-cent are nabbed for larceny, 15 percent for disorderly intoxication, and one in every 10 is charged with various kinds of assault.

One kind of assault is that committed by the inebriated gentlemen who struck the haberdasher. He was caught by passersby in the street and later told the store-keeper that he took the merchandise because he didn't have any money to purchase it. That is to say, he blamed the economy.

And many other elderly crooks also blame the econ-When Luther and Audrey Beaver were arrested in Columbus, they told police that they hawked drugs to supplement their income. They received \$381 a month Social Security, and \$21 in food stamps, and they said they couldn't make it on

Max Serchuk says the Beavers may be telling the truth. He is president of a Miami senior citizens group, and he thinks most older crooks here are merely trying to keep wolves from "They steal apples and oranges," he says. "They aren't trying to get rich, they are trying to

ALVIN MALLEY, director of the Advocate for Seniors program in Miami, helping a senior citizen in court matter: "They steal apples and oranges. They arn't trying to get rich, they are trying to survive.

one of them is drugs. He

says old people who are hooked are like young peo-ple who are hooked: "They

have to have money to sup-

port their habits, so they

steal things and sell them,

than pills. Serchuk says old

people smoke pot, drop acid

and snort cocaine when they

can afford it. "It's a way out

of reality," he says. "When you get older, you may think you are worthless. But if you

get stoned, or drunk, you think you're like everybody

Serchuk says old people want desperately to be like

everyone else. And he believes that feeling may be

another factor in elder

crime. He says Miami is a

town of oldsters who are

And increasingly it's more

and buy their pills."

Serchuk says the problem of survival is particularly acute in South Florida. Thirty percent of the elderly here are near poverty, which is twice the national figure, and merchants tell

dark stories of old people who rummage through dumpsters and garbage cans to get enough to eat. Serchuk says the privation is so bad "I don't even like to visit the hot meal kitchens anymore. On Fridays they serve chicken to the Jews, and all you see are the people gathering around the trash bins. They pick out

make soup. But Serchuk says there are other reasons too for the increase in elder crime. And

From the largest of the line

To the Smallest

Liberal Discounts on 1981 Models

KICK 'n GO

WE OFFER IT

all the bones they can find

and take them home to

something to relieve the boredom. He's saying, 'Hey, look at me, I'm still a pistol." On the other hand, the guy in the Cadillac who steals an

item is not always showing off. He may just as frequent ly be sick. A fair number of elderly people who commit crimes in Miami are senile, or suffer from other functional disorders, and are not therefore responsible for their actions.

afraid, therefore some of

them may turn to crime

simply to prove they are

"It happens. An old guy

drives up to a store in a Cadillac, and buys \$50 or

\$60 worth of things. Then he

shoplifts an item worth less

than a buck. Why? Because

it's a bit of excitement. It's

still capable.

For example, a department store clerk tells of an octogenarian who comes in often to shop. "She's a good customer, but she has a bad memory. She tries things on, and forgets to take them off. So what we do is frisk her before she leaves. No one wants to see the old gal get into trouble.

Indeed, few want to see the aged get in trouble. And that goes for police, pro-secutors and judges too. The trauma of the judicial system can be hazardous to an older person's health, and the jails of America are not equipped to accommodate people who are in their 70s, 80s or sometimes 90s.

Besides, says Mike Miller, a prosecutor in Columbus, "Most older folks we catch are first-time offenders. They get drunk, or they shoplift, but they are not hardened criminals. It's not fair to put them in jail, so we do everything we can to

settle these cases in alternative ways.

One alternative in Miami is the Advocate for Seniors program. It was created by Max Serchuk and is now directed by gerontologist Alvin Malley. Malley says the advocate idea is designed to get senior delin-quents out of the judicial process and into counseling

and rehabilitative activity: "In other words, we know that jail won't do any good for people that late in life. We also know that many of them can't afford to pay heavy fines. So we ask the courts to turn them over to us. And we try to help them. We try to find out what the problem is, and get them to

Malley claims the major problem may be loneliness and alienation. He thinks they are the twin curses of the aged. He says he once surveyed the seniors going through the advocate program and found that seven in 10 of them complained that they were either totally or mostly without compan-

Thus they may commit crimes of frustration. Like the 78-year-old former federal agent who came to the program after being arrest-ed for shooting at children. He told Malley that the kids were harassing him, that he had no one to turn to, thus he went for his revolver as a last resort.

Malley says the gunman

the same and the same and

was put in counseling, wh he learned that others similar anxieties, and came to understand emotions. He was urged

join a bowling league, wh he met people he co no suggestion that he ever commit anoth

This isn't to say that all Malley's clients find enlig enment and the error their ways. Some of the o sters who come to the adv cate program are menta

incapable of rehabilitation and others are gray-hair jailbait who seem to genetically convinced th are above the law.



For Family Christmas Giving-

#### IN-SINK-ERATOR

The Original Garbage Disposer

- Model 77
- ½ Horse Power Motor
- Stainless Steel Automatic Reversing
- Self Service Wrench
- Electric Reset Switch Newly Designed Shredders

FREE Christmas Wrap and In-Town Delivery

Builders Plumbing Supply Co. 535 S. Cuyler Pampa 665-3711

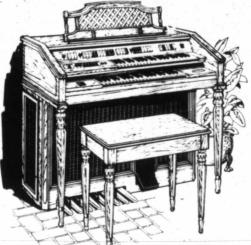
the contraction of the contracti

Before Christmas

Give the Too-Big-To-Wrap and Too-Great-To-Wait Family Gift from Wurlitzer

Give A Wurlitzer Organ

Give A Wurlitzer Piano . . .



Your Choice Piano or Organ

From

ROUNDBACKS

Have you noticed how many people are using Ovation guitars lately? These performers need the best acoustic guitars they can get for concert and recording work. So come down to our store and try a roundback.



**THE** PLAYER PIANO **IS BACK** 

\$399500

**FINANCING Student Models** From \$6900 **AVAILABLE** FSLIC FIRST NATIONAL BANK in PAMPA **OPEN EVENINGS** TILL 8:00 P.M. 117 N. Cuyler SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION 665-1251 MEMBER F.D.I.C. W. Francis at Gray

FSTIC

**\$15**95 Good Selection of Snowmobile suits, Jackets and Vests Now in Stock. See the new line of Honda and

VITIZENS BANK

300 W. Kingsmill 665-2341

Member F.D.I.C.

& TRUST COMPANY

Police here aren't quite so alarmed as that state attor-

ARILLO: 7th & Tyler 373-6611, Wofflin & Georgia/355-9927 45th & Ball/359-9446 CANYON: 1901 4th Avenue 655-7166 PAMPA: Hobort & Cook/669-8868

**Savings Association** 

We have ways to beat the 80's. Formerly Centennial Savings



We will CLOSE, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24 at 12 noon and remain closed December 25 so that our employees may celebrate the holidays with their families and friends.



## Pampa high swimmers qualify at Dallas meet

LLAS-Pampa High mers qualified for the disca Championships weekend in Dallas with oys placing ninth with points and the boys ng 15th with 51 points.

irty-eight high school s from the Dallas-Fort ch and Austin areas veipated in the two-day

our swimmers looked !" Pampa coach Jackie hens said. They either

bettered their liftime bests or came close.

"For this point in the season, this is a very encouraging sign. With two months left in our season, we can look forward to some terrific things to happen at our regional meet in

Cindy Raymond and Amy Raymond each placed in four events to pace the Pampa

Clay Douglass also placed

in four events to lead the Pampa boys.

"This meet was a good experience for our swimmers." Stephens added. "They swam against many swimmers who will be at the state meet in Austin this March.

Pampa placings at the Pre-Tisca meet are as follows

Girls' Division Cindy Raymond, fourth, 400 individual medley, 4:53.5;

fifth, 100 breaststroke, 1:14.1; first, 200 individual medley, 2:15.8: ninth, Cindy Raymond, 100 freestyle, 57.3.

Amy Raymond, third, 200 backstroke, 2:22.5: 16th, 200 freestyle, 2:10.9; 10th, 100 backstroke, 1:07.2; fifth, 200 breaststroke, 2:38.2.

400 freestyle relay, 13th, 4:08.3 (Amy Raymond, Julie Turner, Briana Marsh and Cindy Raymond)

**Boys' Division** Douglass, 10th, 400

certainly have a runner like

Earl who can take advantage

While Campbell is

adjusting to his expanded

Ken Stabler may have to get

accustomed to a backup role.

Biles said Monday tht Gifford

Nielsen, who engineered the

victory over Pittsburgh, had

earned the No. 1

quarterbacking tag going into

"Gifford's performance

was good, bordering on

outstanding." Biles said of

Nielsen's three-touchdown

training camp.

of those weakensses."

individual medley, 4:36.2; 11th. 200 individual medley. 2:07.1: 14th. 500 freestyle. 5:13.9; 13th, 100 butterfly,

Reid Steger, 13th, 200 backstroke, 2:19.1. Richie Hill, 13th, 200 breaststroke, 2:28.4.

David Fatheree, eighth. one-meter diving. 400 freestyle relay, 15th, 3:38.4 (Reid Steger, Richie Hill, Clay Douglass and Cody Pampa bows to Carlsbad

National Football League standings

CLOVIS (N.M.)-Carlsbad pulled steadily ahead in the fourth quarter to post a 70-63 victory Monday night in interstate basketball

It was Pampa third setback compared to eight wins. Carlsbad is now 7-1 for the season. Pampa led at halftime after the two clubs had exchanged leads nine times in the first half. Pampa also stayed on top for the first four minutes of the third quarter, but after

Harvesters never claimed the lead again. The Harvesters tied the score twice, once on Coyle Winborn's short jumper and again on Mike Nelson's goal, but Carlsbad went

King's basket put Clovis on top, 51-49, the

ahead to stay on Millendez' basket early in the fourth quarter.

Carlsbad outscored Pampa, 8-2, in a

three-minute span, taking its biggest lead of the night so far at six, 59-53. King and Dick Hughes paced the Cavemens' scoring attack with 23 and 22

points respectively. Terry Faggins was Pampa's high scorer

with 19 points. Charles Nelson and Mike Nelson added 16 and

15 points respectively. Also scoring for the Harvesters were Coyle Winborn with six points, Meryl Dowdy, three: Terry Ferguson and Randy Skaggs. two points apiece.

hicago 35, Denver 24
lew York Jets 28, Green Bay
tansas City 10, Minnesota 6
hiladelphia 38, St.Louis 0
ampa Bay 20, Detroit 17
laltimore 23, New England 21
an Francisco 21, New Orleans
incinnati 30, Atlanta 28
eattle 42, Claysland 21

TUCKE

Raiders

Quarte

Charg consecu with a 2 Oakland night. The v Raider Football the Chal

**Broncos** 

Cashir

in 15 ga 1974.

Fouts,

on 14 of him 4,80

mark of

title-clin Benir

arrive

et and

*leomar* 

## Campbell's use poses problems for Bile

DUSTON (AP) - Houston Coach Eddie Biles has rited the same dilemma confronted former ston Coach Bum Phillips He had only 24 yards on 13 what to do with Earl

hillips built his offense and Campbell, and then er Rose ran to three aight National Football gue titles. But Phillips s accused of overusing mpbell in an ersimplified offensive gnment. Oakland's Lester yes said it was "high

Biles came along and nounced plans to diversify Oiler offense with mpbell running less and ining just as many yards as

By WILL GRIMSLEY

**AP Special Correspondent** 

Is parity a synonym for

ediocrity in the National

'Ridiculous.'' snaps

liami's Coach Don Shula. "I

on't know where that kind of

alk comes from. It's

ootball League?

It didn't work out. Campbell finished the season with 1,374 vards, the lowest total of his four-year career

Campbell was unhappy and would be traded, all denied by

stay and Biles wants him, but following Campbell's sub-par performance Sunday, his 10th

praising Campbell's

"I think what people need to realize about Campbell is that he is becoming a complete football player, Biles said Monday. "He had the best blocking day of his career yesterday.

"The way the rules have changed, a running back has to be able to block and pick up the blitzes. Earl has also improved as a receiver and he'll be better next year.'

Biles said the plan for next season will be to exploit a team's weaknesses rather than have Campbell pound monotonously at the opposing

"We've been accused of running up against a brick

performance against the wall," Biles said. "We want Steelers. to be able to put the ball in the "We will go to training

air against teams with weak camp next summer with pass defense without huring Gifford as the No. 1 anyone's feelings. "And if we play a team that quarterback. is weak against the run, we "That doesn't mean the

preseason games can't change things around. But as of now there is no doubt who will be No. 1 at the start." Biles said Stabler, who will be expected to live here in the duties, veteran quarterback

off-season and keep closer ties with the Oilers, was aware of his decision and understood the situation.

"Kenny still wants to play football and he realizes this is a competitive situation." Biles said. "He also knows that I am not hard-headed about this decision and my mind can be changed at

#### Small in size . . . Big on performance NE-5730

· 6 variable power levels with Defrost and Flash Defrost settings

 COOK-A-ROUND Magnetic Turntable continuously rotates foods as they cook, automatically!

Compact exterior; roomy interior

 2-speed, 30-minute rotary timer with automatic shutoff and bell signal



#### **5 YEAR LIMITED** WARRANTY

Compare the Panasonic warranty with others

Panasonic gives you a limited warranty which covers all parts (except lamps, glass, plastic items, temperature probe, and oven interior or exterior finishes) and related labor for five years in the event of a manufacturing defect. The warranty includes replacement of the magnetron tube. Carry-in service is free. In-home service is also available, but the consumer is responsible for any service call charge.

PPLIANCE

"WE AT MEAKER APPLIANCE ARE AU-THORIZED TO SERVICE ANY PANASONIC MICROWAVE OVEN WE SELL!"

just slightly ahead of our time

2008 N. Hobart 669-3701

carries in Sunday's finale, a 21-20 victory over Pittsburgh. There have been

season-long rumors that

Biles and Oiler owner Bud Adams. "Earl Campbell is stuck in Houston whether he wants to be or not." Adams

Campbell says he wants to

NFL has quality, not parity

than ever before "Parity - that is, a higher grade of competitiveness - is due to factors such as these. not deterioration of the super

upsetting to me. Scheduling is

better, coaching is better and

there are more good players

the print and electronic media, who decry the fact that the pro football season wound down in the final two weeks with 20 teams still in the playoff hunt and without an awesome power such as Shula's Miami Dolphins, who swept through 17 straight victories to the Super Bowl crown in 1973 or the Pittsburgh Steelers, who won four Super Bowls between

"A sport is a lot more interesting when there is a dominant team to shoot at. such as baseball's New York Yankees in the 1920s and said one TV commentator. "Parity may be another name for lack of greatness.

Some columnists have suggested that what we have celebrated as wholesome balance is really nothing more than absence of exceptional talent.

merchandise to the guys behind the scenes — from Commissioner Pete Rozelle's tower down to his former aide, Jim Kensil, president of the resurgent New York Jets: Dan Rooney, boss of the once all-powerful Steelers: Shula, whose winning percentage over 19 years is the highest of all active NFL coaches, and, most importantly, the fans.

"I think it's a question of quality rather than parity. insisted Kensil. "To hear people talk, you would think this was a synthetic arrangement, self-created Some people forget that we are playing for the fans, not some esthetic individual.

Kensil's observations were never better illustrated than in New York over the weekend when the Giants on Saturday beat the Dallas Cowboys and the Jets followed on Sunday with a 28-3 victory over Green Bay

their first playoff berth in 18 years. The Jets hadn't qualified since the halcyon days of 1969 and Joe Namath. Blase, caloused New York

and its 7 million went deliriously mad. The city hadn't enjoyed such an ego-inflating experience in football since a brash Namath called his shot and beat a heavily favored Baltimore 16-7 a dozen years ago in Super Bowl III.

But New York didn't have a lien on such exhileration. The same wild enthusiasm was evidenced in San Francisco where the 49ers, a cellar team two years ago, rallied to the best record of all 28 NFL teams (13-3); Cincinnati and Tampa Bay, which turned losing 1980 seasons into divisional championships. and Miami, where Shula, missing the playoffs in a rebuilding 1980 campaign. again topped the AFC's Eastern race.

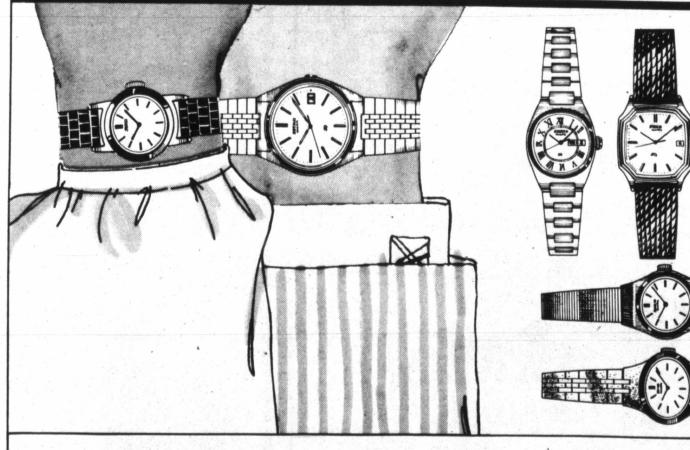
# The Christmas Place



210 - the Bearcat programmable scan-ner that started it all. 18 channels, 6 bands, nearly twice the scanning capacity as before.

Open Daily 9-9





20% off any Seiko watch

Sale 71.20 to 220.00

Reg. 89.00 to 275.00. Purchase now for Christmas and save. All our Seiko Watches are 20% off Thursday through Saturday only. Choose from our complete in-stock selection of Seiko styles for

Pampa Mall Monday - Saturday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. 665-3745



TUCKED AWAY. Receiver Charlie Joiner of the San Diego Chargers heads downfield for a big gain after catching a pass in front defender Lester Hayes of the Oakland Raiders. The Chargers won, 23-10, Monday

night in San Diego Joiner led the Chargers with six catches for 94 yards and one touchdown as the team won their third straight AFC West title.

#### Chargers claim last playoff spot

SAN DIEGO (AP) -Quarterback Dan Fouts broke his National Football League record for passing vardage in a season and Rolf Benirschke kicked three field goals to lead the San Diego Chargers to a third consecutive AFC West title with a 23-10 victory over the Oakland Raiders Monday

d

t early in

8-2. in a est lead of aced the

23 and 22

gh scorer

ded 16 and

ere Coyle

Dowdy.

y Skaggs.

ONIC

The victory cut into the taiders' Monday Night tootball dominance and gave the Chargers the last playoff

The Chargers, on the brink of elimination Sunday until Chicago upended AFC West leader Denver 35-24, finished in a tie for first with the Broncos at 10-6, and won the title by virtue of a better intra-divisional mark.

Cashing in on two Oakland turnovers. San Diego built a 17-3 halftime lead against the Injury riddled defending Super Bowl champions, who had not lost on Monday night in 15 games dating back to

Fouts, passed for 222 yards on 14 of 27 attempts, giving him 4.802 yards, bettering the mark of 4,417 yards he set last ear. He passed for one buchdown in the

Barry Switzer's Oklahoma

Sooners were scheduled to

arrive in El Paso today to

begin preparations for the

47th Sun Bowl game against

The Cougars arrived

Monday night by chartered

et and went to the Sun Bowl

or a loosening-up workout

mmediately after checking

nto their hotel. Coach Bill

Yeoman said his team was

eady to give an all-out effort

n the Saturday match.

utes of the playoffs.

he action reduced San Antonio's roster to 11 men in an

We just couldn't put it off any longer," said Spurs general

Houston

Oakland, now 18-2-1 in Monday night appearances. finished 7-9 for the season, the Raiders' first losing season since 1964. It was the first sweep in the tradition-rich rivalry since 1965.

The Chargers, who won four of their last five games to cap the comeback, meet the AFC East champion Miami Dolphins, 11-4-1, on Saturday. Jan. 2

Fouts' record-breaking performance a few days after the NFL Players Association lifted a suspension threat against the veteran quarterback for his refusal to pay union dues. Rookie running back James

Brooks sent San Diego ahead 7-0 with an electrifying. tackle-busting 28-yard run midway through the first quarter. The touchdown came three plays after veteran Chargers safety Glen Edwards recovered a fumble at San Diego's 32. After Oakland got a 34-yard

field goal from Chris Bahr early in the second quarter. goals of 24, 27 and 39 yards to help give the final playoff berth.

a 10-play. 77-yard drive, climaxed by Benirschke's first field goal, a line drive satisfying victories. from 24 yards out.

Sun Bowl late Monday for a

"It's just a normal Monday

workout." Yeoman said,

stressing that the team's

preparations are much like they would be for regular season game. "We want them

to get familiar with the

stadium and run around a

little bit and get some fresh

practice again at 10 a.m.

Tuesday. The Cougars were

slated to work out again

Yeoman's team was to

air in their lungs.

brief workout without pads.

Cougars get jump on OU

EL PASO. Texas (AP) - hotel, the Cougars went to the

in Sun Bowl workouts

Leading 10-3 with less than two minutes remaining in the first half, veteran cornerback Willie Buchanon's interception set up San Diego's second touchdown. Two plays later. Fouts lobbed a 29-yard strike to wide receiver Charlie Joiner for a touchdown.

Oakland had a chance to cut the margin in the closing seconds of the first half, but two Marc Wilson passes fell incomplete, the last as time ran out. That thwarted an opportunity to get Bahr on the field for a field goal try.

half with a 15-play. 71-yard drive to narrow the margin to 17-10 on a one-yard run by Mark van Eeghen

Oakland opened the second

Again, the Chargers answered, this time with an 11-play. 56-yard drive that set up Benirschke's second field goal, a 27-yard shot.

Benirschke added his third field, a 39-yarder, with 3:46

several luncheons and other

events planned for both

Some of the Houston

players began the festivities

at the airport Monday night

by dancing with women in traditional Mexican dress as

a mariachi band played

teams.

#### Cincinnati downs Bradley in seven overtimes to set new college record By KEN RAPPOPORT

AP Sports Writer It was one of those games that you could play and play

In fact, that's what the Cincinnati Bearcats and the Bradley Braves did Monday

When it was over. Cincinnati had beaten Bradley 75-73 in seven nerve-racking overtimes to set a Division I college basketball record

"We just couldn't get a break." said Bradley Coach Dick Versace after watching Doug Schloemer's 15-foot shot drop in for Cincinnati with one second left in the seventh overtime. "They got lucky we didn't. Our guys played so hard, that you can't really

Neither team had scored in the final overtime frame prior to Schloemer's winning basket. Bradley's center Kerry Cooks launched an 18-footer after a long inbounds pass but the shot bounced off the back of the rim. ending the three hour and 15-minute marathon.

"I knew I had a 50 percent chance of taking the last shot." said Schloemer. "Most of our shots are from the wing - and I thought it would be either me or Bobby Austin.

Regulation play ended with the teams tied at 61 after the Bearcats ovehcame Bradley's 61-57 edge with 45 seconds to play. Jump shots by Kevin Geffney and Austin tied the contest to send the game into the first extra

Both teams played keep-away throughout the overtime periods and only once, in the fifth overtime. did either team manage more than a two-point lead.

The old Division I record of six overtimes was held by two games, one in 1955 when Minnesota beat Purdue, 59-56, and the other in 1953 when

Niagara beat Siena, 88-81. In games involving the nation's ranked teams, No. 4 Virginia routed Brigham Young-Hawaii 118-84; Kansas State upset No. 5 Minnesota 62-52: No. 9 Missouri walloped Youngstown State 97-60 and No. 12 Alabama trimmed Biscayne 94-63.

All-America center Ralph Sampson put in 30 points and snared 16 rebounds to pace Virginia over BYU-Hawaii. Othell Wilson added 19 points for the Cavaliers, as

Ed Nealy scored 22 points and grabbed 10 rebounds to lead Kansas State over Minnesota.

the game against the NAIA

Kansas State Coach Jack Hartman credited junior center Les Craft with playing a pivotal role, even though he didn't score any points. Craft held the Gophers' 7-foot-3 center Randy Breuer to 12 points. 11 under his average.

'Les did a great job on Breuer." Hartman said. 'And the rest did an equally good job of supporting him. The only way to stop Breuer is not to let him get the ball."

Ricky Frazier scored 16 points and grabbed four rebounds to lead Missouri over Youngstown State. The victory was Missouri's 24th consecutive victory at home. a school record.

Eddie Phillips had 22 points and 11 other Alabama players broke into the scoring column as the Crimson Tide defeated Biscayne College. Alabama. 7-0, went into the dressing

#### NFL playoff preview NEW YORK (AP) - The

San Diego Chargers are the final team to qualify for the National Football League playoffs. Thanks to Monday night's

23-10 victory over the Oakland Raiders, the Chargers locked up the American Conference West title and earned a berth in the playoffs against the Miami Dolphins on Jan. 2. The Chargers will face the

AFC East champions in Miami at 5 p.m., EST. following a game between Dallas, the National Conference East champion. and Tampa Bay, winner of the NFC Central.

The Cowboy-Buccaneer game in Dallas will start at 1 Commissioner Pete Rozelle announced Monday.

The other conference semifinal games will be played on Jan. 3.

In the opener at 1 p.m., the winner of next Sunday's AFC wild-card game between the Buffalo Bills and New York Jets will be at Cincinnati winner of the AFC Central Division. The second game. at 5 p.m., will have the winner of the Dec. 27 NFC wild-card game, either the New York Giants or Philadelphia Eagles, at San Francisco.

champion of the NFC West. The semifinal winners will meet for the conference championship Jan. 10, with the times and the sites to be determined. Then, the AFC and NFC champions will play in Super Bowl XVI at the Silverdome in Pontiac, Mich. Jan. 24 at 4 p.m.

## happy holiday

Catalina Club

WILL BE OPEN CHRISTMAS EVE and CHRISTMAS DAY Now Accepting Reservations-Call 669-9171

What's in a name? Just the smooth golden taste of premium Kentucky bourbon. Aged to perfection



room at halftime with a 48-28 lead, and the game was never close after that.

Biscayne Coach Ken Stibler said he was extremely impressed with the Alabama team. "They wore us down physically by their depth and their domination on the boards. Alabama is definitely a Top Ten team barring injuries," he said.

Elsewhere, Jacques Tuz scored 14 points and grabbed eight rebounds, leading Colorado to a 58-52 victory over Idaho State in a first-round game of the Rebel Roundup tournament. Larry Anderson scored 20 points to pace Nevada-Las Vegas to a 66-59 victory over Stetson in the other first-round game.

Coach Terry Holland substituted freely throughout Greg Palm scored 21 points and pulled down 15 rebounds. leading Nevada-Reno to a 93-85 victory over Loyola Marymount in the first round of the Wolf Pack Classic. St. Mary's held off a last-ditch rally by North Texas State and Franklin Rhodes hit two

free throws to wrap up an 88-86 Gaels' victory in the

other opening-round game. Elsewhere. Howard Carter scored 23 points as Louisiana State coasted past Texas-El Paso 71-59: Mark Jones had a career-high 27 points and Eric Stover added 21 to lead Bonaventure to a 93-68

victorv Maryland-Eastern Shore: Brad Seller scored 15 points as Wisconsin defeated Northern Iowa 65-53: Guy Morgan scored a career-high 27 points and pulled down 11 rebounds to pace Wake Forest to a 98-72 victory over North Carolina-Wilmington and Marcus Newbern and David Jenkins teamed for 34 points as Bowling Green routed Wisconsin-Superior 88-44

Also. Mike Phillips scored a career-high 25 points to lead Niagara to an 85-73 victory over Western Michigan: Dwayne Wallace and Darrell Gissendanner scored 12 points apiece as Pittsburgh

defeated Utica College 64-47 Shelton Gibbs scored career-high 32 points to lead St. Peter's (N.J.) to a 109-8 victory over St. Franci (Pa.): Darrell Lockhart led six Auburn players in double figures with 17 points as the Tigers routed Cal State-Chico 104-61 and Dwight Gibson tossed in two free throws with less than a minute left to lift Penn State to a 60-58 victory over Nebraska.

Matt Clark contributed 16 points and all 12 other Oklahoma State players scored as the Cowboys thrashed Cleveland State 92-66: Jeff Taylor scored 24 points, leading Texas Tech to an 83-71 over Long Beach State: Jerry Beck scored 11 points - seven of them in overtime - to lead Middle Tennessee State to a 67-63 win over Samford and New Mexico State's Jaime Pena hit two free throws with three seconds left to preserve a rugged 59-56 win over New





of steel in the low priced Firestone Trax 12. Buy a set today!

| Size        | Also fits | White   | F.E.T. |
|-------------|-----------|---------|--------|
| P165 80R13  | 165R-13   | \$51    | \$1.68 |
| P185, 80R13 | CR78-13   | 971     | 1.95   |
| P195 75R14  | ER78-14   | \$63    | 2.23   |
| P205_75R14  | FR78-14   | 307     | 2.34   |
| P215 75R14  | GR78-14   | \$67    | 2.49   |
| P215, 75R15 | GR78-15   | 701     | 2.62   |
| P225 75R15  | HR78-15   | \$73    | 2.79   |
| P235_75R15  | LR78-15   | .915    | 2.95   |
| Al          | prices pl | us tax. |        |

Other sizes comparably priced



every 4,000 to 7,000 miles for most vehicles. Included are up to five quarts of oil, a new Firestone oil filter and professional chassis



FRONT END ALIGNMENT 5-YEAR-50.000 YOUR 5-YEAR—50,000 CHOICE MILE ALIGNMENT

Othe cost of our Inew radials! **DLC-78** radial retreads White Walls '32 firesions.

Firestone 36 Battery Firestene **\$49** 36 Firestone 48 Battery Firestone \$**59** 48 its Any Passenger Car **Excluding Exports** COMPLETE

CHOICE

4-WHEEL

DRUM-TYPE

Semi-Metallic pr Hybrid Linings/Disc Pads Extra



All Locations Open 7 A.M. Mon.—Fri. 8—5 Sat.\*

120 N. Gray

665-8419

#### Wednesday and Thursday "They're looking forward and then rest on Christmas Day before meeting the o it." he said. "I think they'll olay hard. I want them to Sooners on Saturday. have some fun. But it's not The coach said six much fun if you don't play workouts during the past week had helped get the team ready for the game, including One player who will miss giving the players a look at he fun is starting fullback the wishbone offense that the David Barnett. Yeoman said Sooners run. he 6-foot. 200-pound senior Yeoman said facing the rom Corpus Christi dropped wishbone had been "a little class during the season that bit of an additional burden on eft him with too few credits be eligible to play. our defensive staff and defensive players" because Houston has not played Yeoman said Allen Polk, a against the offense all season. 00-pound senior, would The Sun Bowl players won't eplace Barnett in the lineup and added "we're going to be spending all of their time in El Paso in the stadium. The un a whole bunch of them. After checking into their Sun Bowl Committee has Kestani put on waivers SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) - The San Antonio Spurs have ived 7-year veteran forward Kevin Restani, the 12th man on roster who had received negligible playing time this Restani was informed of the move Monday night, two days fore his 30th birthday and three days before a Dec. 24 dline after which they would have to guarantee his \$100,000 lary for the remainder of the season. Restani, a native of San Francisco, Calif., played fewer nutes than any other Spur and was averaging just 1.6 points game. He had participated in just three of the last nine Restani, who came to San Antonio from Milwaukee in 1979. fered burns and broken ribs in an automobile accident last uary that sidelined him for 16 games. He played just 11

# hampio



HELMUT SCHMIDT

Dr. Stanley Jacob, an

advocate of DMSO who had a

financial interest in a

company that tested it, was

**JOHN WILLIAMS** 

#### ames in the news

ars' composer John lliams, who succeeded thur Fiedler as conductor the Boston Pops, says he s signed a new two-year ntract with the orchestra. 'My first two seasons with e Boston Pops have been riods of great musical atisfaction for me, illiams, who took over after iedler's death two years go, said Monday. "With the ill sense of the history of this nique institution, one works ith the feeling that we are uilding toward a future hich will be as bright as that lorious past has been.

He is the 19th conductor of he Boston Pops, which is part of the Boston Symphony Orhcestra. The Pops became vorld famous under the irection of Fiedler, who was conductor for 50 years

SEATTLE (AP) - Morris II. the successor to that quintessentially finicky star

SHED REALTY, INC.

24 HOUR SERVICE

SHARPEST

Two Bedroom home you'll ever find! Paneled, carpeted, dining

room, large closets, garage with electric opener, fenced yard, near woodrow wilson school. MLS 937

LEFORS-LOTS AND

LEFORS-LOTS AND
More Lots! Here's the perfect
place for your mobile home.
Four, neat clean, lots, all fenced
with new chain link fence,
plumbed for two Mobile Homes.
Metal storage building, City
limits of Lefors, MLS \$51L.

Can be yours in this roomy 14 story, 4 bedroom, brick home in well established neighborhood

Large kitchen, roomy cabinet

fireplace, lots of storage, Double garage with 3 room apartment Lots of extras. Call Sandy. MLS

LOOKING FOR A

Commercial location, you'll b happy you invested in this Corne location on busy incoming

location on busy incoming high way. 46' x 49' Commercial build-ing, plus 2 rent houses for addi-tion income. Large Double gar-age with lots of storage. Perfect

CALL US ..... WE REALLY CARE

**Audrey Alexander** 

**Milly Sanders** 

adie Durning

Doris Robbins

Dale Robbins

andra McBride

anie Shed GRI

tenry Dale Garrett

Walter Shed Broker

your new business. Call Eva

..883-6122

669-2671

848-2547

.665-3291

.665-2207

665-3291

.835-2777

665-2039

ARE ON!

.665-2039

Pampa Mall will be

open every night

for your Christmas

shopping convenience

till 10:00 p.m.

Broker

**OUR LIGHTS** 

1002 N. Hobart

of cat food commercials, boasts the same feisty personality and humble origins as his predecessor, his

trainer says. Morris, who whirls through supermarket promotions and cocktail parties for cat food buyers on his business trips with trainer Bob Martwick. was in Seattle this week to promote a new line of cat

The cat responded good-naturedly to pats from reporters and editors at a Seattle newspaper. But he

drew the line at tricks. Placed at a video terminal keyboard, the big orange cat eyed a newspaper photographer balefully and refused to perform.

"I do train animals but nobody trains a cat," Martwick said.

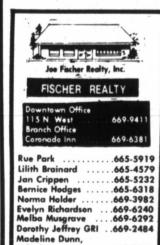
Morris has the run of the house at Martwick's Chicago estate, eats once a day and sleeps "anywhere he wants." the trainer said.

The second Morris was discovered in a New England animal shelter two years after the original Morris died in July 1978 at the age of 17. Obituaries in newspapers across the country reported the passing of the aloof feline.

LONDON (AP) - West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt has made his debut as a recording artist.

Schmidt recorded Mozart's "Concerto For Two Pianos" with the London Philharmonic Orchestra for charity Monday and told a British Broadcasting Corp. interviewer that he found the experience "thrilling."

But perhaps not too thrilling for the orchestra.' Schmidt added.



loe Fischer, Broker ...669-9564

Pampa Mal

Highway Seventy North at Twenty Fifth Street

.665-3940

#### Court. Pani, who approved DMSO's use on humans for medical treatment in 1978. will be arraigned on related charges Wednesday.

Rosenberg set Jacob's trial to

begin Feb. 22 in federal

Dimethyl sulfoxide, an industrial solvent widely used on horses and dogs, gained national attention when Jacob used it to treat former Alabama Gov. George Wallace for muscle paralysis.

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) - A new jury will be selected to sentence the man convicted of murdering journalist Sarai Ribicoff.

The jury that convicted Frederick Jerome Thomas of first-degree murder was dismissed Monday after it was unable to decide whether he should receive death or life in prison. Judge Laurence Rittenband declared a mistrial for the sentencing and said selection of a new jury would begin Jan. 13. The mistrial does not affect Thomas' Dec. 10 conviction.

Ms. Ribicoff, a writer for the Los Angeles Herald Examiner and niece of former U.S. Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, was gunned down Nov. 12, 1980 during a holdup outside a restaurant.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn (AP) - Cells that convert sunlight to electricity will be installed for a test in four Chattanooga homes by spring, a Department of Energy official says.

Officials hope production of photovoltaics will become cheap enough to compete with utility-generated electricity. Mort Prince said Monday

Photovoltaics cells, already in limited commercial use. are made of silicon crystals that transform sunlight to

#### AREA MUSEUMS

WHITE DEER LAND MUSEUM: Pampa. Tuesday through Sunday 1:30-4 p.m., special tours by ap-PANHANDLE PLAINS HISTORI-

PANHANDLE PLAINS HISTORI-CAL MUSEUM: Canyon. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. week-days and 2-6 p.m. Sundays at Lake Meredith Aquarium & WILDLIFE MUSEUM: Fritch. Hours 2-5 p.m. Tuesday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday. Lost and Found LOST BLACK chihuahua with red collar answers to Tippy. Vacinity of High School. Reward. 665-3490. LOST: APRICOT, toy male poodle, needs cut, white collar, N. Hobart area. Reward. 669-2207. iosed Monday UARE HOUSE MUSEUM: nhandle, Regular museum hours a.m. to 5:30 p.m. weekdays and :30 p.m. Sunday JTCHINSON COUNTY REWARD - LOST in South West Pampa, Tri-colored Bassett Hound. Call 669-9455 or 669-9541.

HUTCHINSON COUNTY
MUSEUM: Borger Regular hours
11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays except
Tuesday, 2-5 p.m. Sunday.
PIONEER WEST MUSEUM: rock. Regular museum hours a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, Saturday and Sunday.
ALANREED-MCLEAN AREA HIS-TORICAL MUSEUM: McLean.
Regular museum hours 11 a.m. to 4

Regular museum hours 11 a.m., to 4 p.m. Monday througt Saturday. Closed Sunday. OLD MOBEETIE JAIL MUSEUM: Old Mobeetie Hours 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily. Closed Tuesday. ROBERTS COUNTY MUSEUM: Miami, Hours 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Closed Wednesday.



| 1  | Carl Kennedy669-300        |
|----|----------------------------|
| 1  | O.G. Trimble GRI669-322    |
| 1  | Mike Ward                  |
| 1  | Mary Clyburn669-795        |
| -1 | Mona O'Neal669-706         |
|    | Nina Spoonmore665-252      |
|    | Judy Taylor                |
|    | Verl Hagaman GRI665-219    |
|    | Dena Whisler669-783:       |
|    | Bonnie Schaub GRI 665-1369 |
|    | Mary Howard665-518         |
| 1  | Pam Deeds665-694           |

Open

till

10:00

#### **BUSINESS SERVICE**

B AND C Construction. Panelli ofing, painting, remodeling and eneral repair. 376-4442 or 381-2502.

BOOKKEEPING & TAX SERVICE Computor System - Pickup and De-livery. Call 665-4095.

#### APPL. REPAIR

direct current. Prince said. A

converter changes it to the

alternating current home

WASHINGTON (AP) - A

private analyst's recent study

concluding that Chase

Manhattan Bank paid no

federal income tax in 1980

"In fact, Chase Manhattan

paid \$9.2 million in federal

income tax, \$16 million in

state and local taxes and \$117

million in foreign taxes."

MARY KAY Cosmetics, free facials. Supplies and deliveries. Call Dorothy Vaughn, 665-5117.

MARY KAY Cosmetics, free facials, supplies and deliveries. Mildred Lamb, 616 Lefors, 665-1754.

MARY KAY Cosmetics, free facials, supplies and deliveries. Tammy Easterly, 665-6983.

MARY KAY Cosmetics, free facials. For supplies and deliveries call Theda Wallin 665-8336.

A.A. Tuesday, Saturday, 8 p.m. 717 W. Browning

OPEN DOOR A.A. Wednesday, Friday, 8 p.m.; 2nd Saturday, 7 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m., 208 W. Browning, 665-5355, 665-7416.

FASHION TWO-TWENTY Cosmetics - Free facials. Will deliver. Call 665-4866 after 5:30 p.m.

AAA PAWN Shop, 512 S. Cuyler. Loans, buy, sell and trade.

TOP O' Texas No. 1381, AF AM, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Practice, Bob Eubanks, W.M., J.L. Reddell, Sec-

PAMPA LODGE No. 966 A.F.&A.M. Thursday 7:30 p.m. Stated Business Meeting. Walter Fletcher W.M. Paul Appleton, secretary.

PAMPA POLICE Officers Associa-tion to sponsor Ozark Country Jubilee from Branson, Missouri, January 28, M.K. Brown Au-ditorium. For ticket information,

SIGNATURE LOANS - \$5,000 \$20,000. Call Mrs. Smith, 806 779-2515.

PACKAGE STORE Operator! Have a fine liquor store, well located, building, stock, established many years, good clientele. Milly Sanders, 665-2671, Associate Shed Realty, 665-3761 OE.

MOVING THIS Week! Must sell small growing business in downtown Pampa. New lower price. Husband is being transferred. Call 806-665-4761. After 6 p.m. call 665-6208.

**BUSINESS SERVICE** 

Gymnastics of Pampa ew location, Loop 171 North 669-2941 or 665-2773

Snelling & Snelling The Placement People Suite 103 Hughes Bldg. 665-6528

BRICK WORK OF ALL TYPES

Bill Cox Masonry 665-3667 or 665-7336

BOOKKEEPING & TAX SERVICE Ronnie Johnson 102½ E. Foster 665-7701

Fugate Printing & Office Supply Pampa's other office Supply 210 N. Ward 665-1871

Lone Star Construction Custom Homes and Remodeling Un-limited. Call 665-7854 or 665-6776

**AUTO INSURANCE** 

**PROBLEMS** 

derage, overage, rejected drivers cause of driving record. Also dis-count for preferred risks. SERVICE INSURANCE

GENCY, 1330 N. BANKS

David Hutto 665-7271

BUSINESS OPP.

LOANS

**SPECIAL NOTICES** 

was wrong, says the bank.

appliances use

**PERSONAL** 

WASHERS, DRYERS, dishwashers and range repair. Call Gary Stevens, 669-7956.

APPLIANCE REPAID on Frigidare and all brands. Call Appliance Service Center, 665-7429.

#### CARPENTRY

RALPH BAXTER
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER
Custom Homes or Remodeling
665-8248

Lance Builders
Building-Remodeling
669-3940 Ardell Lance

ADDITIONS, REMODELING, roof ing custom cabinets, counter acoustical ceiling spraying. Free es timates Gene Bresee. 665-5377.

GUARANTEE BUILDERS SUPPLY U. S. Steel Siding. Mastic vinyl sid-ing, roofing, painting. 718 S. Cuyler, 669-2012.

J & K CONTRACTORS 669-2648 669-9747 Additions, Remodeling, Concrete-Painting-Repairs

SCULPTRESS BRAS and Nutri - Metics skin care also Vivian Woodard Cosmetics. Call Zella Mae Gray, MUNS CONSTRUCTION - Additions, panelling, painting, patios, remodeling and repairs insured. Free estimates. 665-3456.

Nicholas Home Improvement Co. US Steel Siding, Mastic vinyl siding, storm windows, roofing, carpentry

DO YOU Have a loved one with a drinking problem? Call Al-Anon, 669-7969 or 665-1388. ELIJAH SLATE - Building, Additions and Remodeling. Call 868-2461,

BILL FOREMAN Custom cabinet and woodwork shop. We specialize in home remodeling and construction. 200 E. Brown, 665-5463 or 665-4665. SPECIALTY HEALTH Foods - 1008 Alcock. 665-6002. FOR YOUR Stanley Products - Call Loreta Waters, 669-2965.

JD CARPENTER WORK Complete Remodeling Additions-Painting
Also concrete work. Any kind of re
pair. Free estimates. Call 669-3761.

REMODELING, INSIDE out. Home repair, paneling, ceiling tile. Scott Smiles, 665-7676.

#### CARPET SERVICE

T'S CARPETS Full line of carpeting, ceiling fans. 1429 N. Hobart 665-6772 Terry Allen-Owner

CARPET SALE Completely Installed Free Estimates **JOHNSON HOME FURNISHINGS** 406 S. Cuyler 665-3361 Covalt's Home Supply Quality Carpet; "Our Prices Will Floor You" 1415 N. Banks 665-5861

#### DITCHING

DITCHES: WATER and gas. Machine fits through 38 inch gate.

#### DITCHING, 4 inch to 10 inch wide Harold Baston, 665-5892 or 665-7793.

**GENERAL SERVICE FOUNDATION LEVELING and** S. Cayler, 669-2012.

SUNSHINE SERVICES - 665-1412. Business - residential building maintenance, heating, air conditioning, carpet cleaning, apartment move-outs.

SERVICE ON all Electric Razors, Typewriters and Adding Machines. Specialty Sales and Services, 1008 Alcock, 665-6002.

Tree Trimming and Removal Any size, reasonable, spraying, clean up, hauling, mowing, you name it! Lots of references. 665-8005. CALL DR. Fixit, T L C for all your fixit problems. Building repair, remodeling, decorating. 665-1976.

Grass Seeding-Tractor Work Pipeline right-of-ways seeded. Loader, box scraper, dump truck. Debris hauled. Snow removal. Ken-neth Banks, 669-6119.

COX CONSTRUCTION MINI STORAGE You keep the key. 10x10 and 10x20 stalls. Call 669-2929 or 669-9561. AND FENCE COMPANY Backhoe work, ditching, fencing barbed wire, chain link, wood 669-7769.

#### INSULATION

Frontier Insulation mercial Buildings, Trailer Houses and Homes 665-5224

GUARANTEE BUILDERS SUPPLY Do it yourself. We furnish blower. 718 3. Cuyler. 669-2012.

TOP OF TEXAS INSULATORS INC. Rock wool, Batts and Blown. Free Estimates, 665-5574 from 9 a.m. to 7 SELF STORAGE units now available, 10x20, 10x10, and 10x5. Call 669-2900.

#### **PAINTING**

DAVID HUNTER
PAINTING AND DECORATING
ROOF SPRAYING, 665-2903 INTERIOR, EXTERIOR painting, Spray Acoustical Ceiling, 665-8148. Paul Stewart.

PAINTING INSIDE or out. Mud, tape, blow acoustical ceilings. Gene Calder, 665-4840 or 669-2215.

## TASCO

TASCO IS SEEKING MACHINISTS ABLE TO USE HAND TOOLS OF THE TRADE: KNOWLEDGE OF MECHANICAL SET UP ON ENGINE LATHES: MILLING MACHINES: I.D. AND O.D. GRIND-ING, AND THE ABILITY TO WORK FROM BLUEPRINTS, HAND SKETCHES, AND ORAL INSTRUCTIONS.

YOU WILL RECEIVE IN EXCHANGE FOR YOUR PROFESSIONAL ABILITY, AND 50 HOUR WEEK, YOU'LL RECEIVE PAID VACA-TION, HOLIDAYS AND COMPREHENSIVE INSURANCE.

EXPLORE THIS FINE CAREER OPPORTUNITY BY CALLING COL-LECT, JAMES MCGOWEN, 806-335-2301, AMARILLO, TX. 7-5:30 P.M. MONDAY THRU FRIDAY.

**EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER** 

#### PEST CONTROL

BLDG. SUPPLIES

TINNEY LUMBER COMPANY

Complete Line of Building Materials. Price Road 669-3209

STUBBS, INC.

PVC pipe and fittings - ½ inch thru 10 includes 3 and 4 foot sewer. ½ inch

COLT 38 Caliber Diamond Back, 6 inch Barrell, \$299.95. Call D.B. Firearms 669-7850 after 5:30 p.o.

Jess Graham Furniture 1415 N. Hobart 665-2232

CHARLIE'S

Furniture & Carpet

The Company To Have In Your

Home 1304 N. Banks 665-6506

RENT!! YES, RENT!!

Appliances, Microwave Ovens, Vacuum Cleaners.

**JOHNSON** 

HOME FURNISHINGS

406 S. Cuyler 665-3361

2ND TIME Around, 1240 S. Barnes, Furniture, appliances, tools, baby equipment, etc. Buy, sell, or trade, also bid on estate and moving sales. Call 665-5139. Owner Boydine Bos-

Dalton's Furniture Mart Used Furniture - Carpet - Applian 413 W. Foster 665-1173

Furniture, 1215 Hiway, 665-3551.

WE BUY good used furniture. Willis Furniture, 1215 W. Wilks, Amarillo

GETTING NEW furniture, appliances, etc., for Christmas and are wondering what to do with the old? Please call us at 65-5139, 2nd Time Around, 1240 S. Barnes.

Pampa Used Furniture and Antiques Buy, Sale or Trade 513 S. Cuyler, 665-8843.

FOR SALE: Solid Oak bedroom suite. King size bed with head board, 8 drawer dresser with doors, 6

FOR SALE - Frigidaire washer and gas dryer. \$150 pair. 2238 Duncan.

ANTIK-I-DEN We Are Open 669-2441

COUNTRY ANTIQUES & Collecta-

bles: Bells, Brass, Fenton, limited editions, depression glass, antique Epperson. ½ mile east of Loop 171. Highway 152-60, 665-6258.

MR. COFFEE Makers repaired. No warranty work done. Call Bob

Chimney Cleaning Service Queen's Sweep John Haesle 669-3759

GAY'S CAKE and Candy Decor Open 10 to 5 Monday thru Saturday 615 N. Hobart 669-7153.

TRAMPOLINES

ORDER YOUR customers Christmas now! Billfolds, calendars, pens, caps, food, knives, decals, gift certificates, etc. Call Dale 665-2245.

Plants by Jannie Commercial Plant Leasing, total maintenance and care. Jannie Lewis, 806-665-3458.

POOLS & HOT TUBS
PAMPA POOL and Spa We build in
ground pools, sell hot tubs, spas,
saunas and chemicals. Also service
on these items. Call 665-4218 for more

KIRBY COMPANY of Pampa - Sales and Service, 317 N. Starkweather, 665-6478. Check our prices first.

FOR SALE - Set of four Bob White Quail, mounted on drift wood, \$165. Wanda Hood, 806 - 537-3986.

BOB MARS saddle. \$300.00. 669-6307.

GARAGE SALES LIST with The Classified Ads Must be paid in advance 669-2525

LOWREY MUSIC CENTER
Lowrey Organs and Pianos
lagnavox Color TV's and Stere
Coronado Center 669-3121

PIANOS-ORGANS Trade Ins on new Wurlitzers

**GARAGE SALES** 

MUSICAL INST.

information.

**MISCELLANEOUS** 

Call 665-3818 or 665-7492, \$750

**ANTIQUES** 

and ¾ inch CPVC pipe. 1239 S. Barnes 669-6301

Good To Eat

HOUSEHOLD

GUNS

GUARANTEE PEST CONTROL Free termite inspection. 718 Cuyler. 669-2012.

#### **Plumbing & Heating**

SEPTIC TANK AND DRAIN PIPES BUILDER'S PLUMBING SUPPLY CO. 535 S. Cuyler 665-3711

WEBB'S PLUMBING Service

#### Plowing, Yard Work

YARD AND alley clean-up, tree and shrub trimming. Yard fence repair. Some handyman work. Kenneth Banks, 669-6119.

#### RADIO AND TEL.

DON'S T.V. Service We service all brands. 304 W. Foster 669-6481

RENT A TV-color-Black and white or Stereo. By week or month. Purch-ase plan available. 665-1201.

**CURTIS MATHES COLOR T.V's** Sales-Rentals 4-Year Warranty JOHNSON HOME FURNISHINGS 406 S. Cuyler 665-3361

> Zenith and Magnavox Sales and Service LOWREY MUSIC CENTER Coronado Center 669-3121

#### ROOFING

STOP ALL Leaks, Minimum cost All type roofs. Conklin Rapid Roof Free Estimates. 669-9586. **BEAUTY SHOPS** 

BRENDA LAMB is now associated with Modern Beauty Salon. For appointment, 669-7131

#### SITUATIONS

RETIRED MAN will do odd jobs Call 665-3496 or 665-2844.

TIRED OF The high cost of nurseries? For dependable babysitting call 669-6046.

ferences, TLC, week day or hour.
Drop ins welcome. Make your new years reservations now! Call 665-1704.

#### **HELP WANTED**

RELIABLE CARRIERS needed for neighborhood routes. Call the neighborhood routes. Pampa News, 669-2525.

ROUTE DRIVERS needed. Apply 840 E. Foster. **DRIVE-IN RESTAURANT** 

Mature responsible adult for full time employment. See Shirley, Harvie's Burgers and Shakes, 318 E.

## LOCAL DENTIST needs receptionist assistant and chair side assistant. Your duties will be interesting and difficult, satisfying and trying. We need a person whose attitude toward life, living and dentistry will be friendly and enthusastic. Send refriendly and enthusastic. Send re-sume to P.O. Box 817, Pampa, TX.

DO YOU PAY VISA WITH Sell Avon. Set your own hours. Call

NEED PEOPLE experienced in the erection of metal buildings. Contact Artie Brewer, Hallmark Builders, 3 miles east and 1 mile north of Pampa.

HELP WANTED: Part time nursery worker for the First Methodist Church. Call 669-7411 for appoint-

HELP WANTED: Inside sales, contact Celeste Coastal Plains, Inc. NEED: DELIVERY and warehouse

control man. Excellent opportunity for ambitious individual. Johnsons Home Furnishings, 406 S. Cuyler. Apply in person only. BABYSITTER NEEDED. Horace Mann area. Ages 4 and 7. Monday Friday, 7:30 to 5:30. 665-3701, exten-

SEMI-RETIRED Couple, desiring nice place to live, to manage apartment complex in Pampa, Texas. Light maintenance work required. Contact D & D Enterprises, 3008-A W. Division, Arlington, Texas 76012.

sion 592 or 665-7349 after 6.

#### COMPLETE SERVICE Center for

all makes of sewing machines and vacuum cleaners. Singer Sales and Service, 214 N. Cuyler. 665-2383.

**SEWING MACHINES** 

#### LANDSCAPING

DAVIS TREE SERVICE: Pruning, trimming and removal. Feeding an spraying. Free estimates. J.R. Davis, 665-5659.

#### Shrubbery, rees, Plants

ALL TYPES tree work, topping trimming, removing. Call Richard 669-3469.

#### **BLDG. SUPPLIES**

Houston Lumber Co. 420 W. Foster 669-6881

White House Lumber Co 101 E. Ballard 669-3291

Pampa Lumber Co. 1301 S. Hobart 665-5781

PLASTIC PIPE & FITTINGS

BUILDER'S PLUMBING

## SUPPLY CO. 535 S. Cuyler 665-3711 Your Plastic Pipe Headquarters

**QUIQUID LAWN & TREE FERTILIZER** 

**CLAWN OVER SEEDING OSTERLIZING OPLUG AERATION** 

**LEAF VACUUMING** 

## Upright Piano - \$288 Hammond 96 Chord Organ - \$388 Baldwin Spinet Organ - \$488 Knabe Console Piano - \$988

TARPLEY MUSIC COMPANY 117 N. Cuyler 665-1251 Feeds and Seeds

#### CUSTOM HAY hauling. Call Wink

EXCELLENT HEGARI Hay - \$2.25 a bale in the field. Delivery available. Alanreed, Texas. Call 779-3174 or 779-3122.

**OTHATCHING WEED CONTROL** 

#### PAMPA LAWN MAGIC P.O. Box 1232 Pampa, Tx. 665-1004

#### Feeds and Seeds

PRAIRIE HAY for sale

#### LIVESTOCK

PROMPT DEAD stock removal seven days a week. Call your local used cow dealer, 669-7016 or toll free 1-800-692-4043.

#### **PETS & SUPPLIES**

PROFESSIONAL POODLE and Schnauzer grooming. Toy stud service available. Platinum silver, red apricot, and black. Susie Reed, 665-4184. C BAR L meat processing. Let Karen and Wink fill your freezer with great tasting meat. 665-4692.

POODLE GROOMING: Annie Aufill. 1146 S. Finley. 669-6905. PROFESSIONAL GROOMING. All

small or medium size breeds. Julia Glenn, 665-4066. FISH AND CRITTERS. 1404 N. Banks, 669-9543. Full-line of pet supplies and fish. Grooming by ap-

LET ME bathe and groom your pooch. Grooming for all breeds for dogs. For appointment. Call Anna Spence 669-9585 or 669-9808.

K-9 ACRES, 1000 Farley, professional grooming-boarding, all breeds of dogs. 669-7352.

NEW LOCATION, 320 S. Cuyler. Low prices, friendly service B & J Tropi-cal Fish, 320 S. Cuyler, 665-2231. FOR SALE: AKC Yorkshire Terrier puppies, also poodle puppies.

FREE PUPPIES: German Shepherd, Border Collie mix. 5 to pick from. Ready December 23. 844

BLACK PEEK-A-POO Puppies for sale, have been wormed, have Parvo shots, 2 males, and 1 female. See at 534 S. Reid.

FREE KITTENS Just in time for Christmas. See at Coronado West Trailer Park, Lot 6, after 6 p.m.

#### OFFICE STORE EQ.

NEW AND Used office furniture, cash registers, copiers, typewriters and all other office machines. Also copy service available PAMPA OFFICE SUPPLY 215 N. Cuyler 669-3353

#### BUYING GOLD rings, or other gold Rheams Diamond Shop. 665-2831.

WANTED TO BUY

WE PAY Cash for Guns, Jewelry, Coins etc. AAA Pawn Shop 512 S. Cuyler.

BUYING RERUN Buttom Bits. Call 405-338-6824. WANTED TO RENT

#### MATURE RESPONSIBLE couple needs house to rent by January Call 665-7164 or 665-2433 after 5. **FURNISHED APTS.**

APARTMENTS AND houses. Furnished and unfurnished. Call 669-2900.

**FURN. HOUSES** 

#### TWO HOUSES or Apartment for rent. Call 669-9707 New Jogging and large trampolines. Choice of mat colors, 1 year war-ranty. For best quality and price call 665-4767.

**UNFURN. HOUSES** 

#### \$250 month plus \$100 deposit. No pets. 665-5630. **BUS. RENTAL PROP.**

CORONADO CENTER
Retail office space available in the following sizes: 900 square feet, 2,000 square feet, 2,000 square feet, 2,600 square feet, 3,600 square feet. Call Ralph G. Davis Inc., Realtor, 806-353-9851. 3714 Olsen Blvd. Amarillo, Texas 79109

Amarillo, Texas 79109. PRIME LOCATION, excellent parking, facilities for doctors, lawyer, etc. Will remodel to suit your needs. Shed Realty, 665-3761.

#### FIREWOOD - FULLY cured Oak and Locust. Split, stacked and deli-vered. \$115 per cord. 665-2720 after 5 HYDRAULIC DUMP beds for pick-ups, ½ ton and up, easy quick instal-lation. Call 669-2648 or 669-9747. **HOMES FOR SALE**

W.M. Lane Realty 717 W. Foster Phone 669-3641 or 669-9504

PRICE T. SMITH

MALCOM DENSON REALTOR
Member of "MLS"
James Braxton-665-2150
Jack W. Nichols-669-6112
Malcom Denson-669-6443 Will buy Houses, apartments or duplexes that would make suitable rental units.

2540 CHRISTINE - Custom Built, 3 bedroom quality home. Only 10 years old. Call 665-2910 after 5 p.m.

3-BEDROOM house, all carpeted, one bath, garage, 1115 S. Finley. 665-7446.

Happy Holiday Season Neva Weeks Realty 669-9904 TWO BEDROOM house, out of city, on 4 lots. With shop and apartment, \$40,000. 669-3611.

FOR SALE - 3 Bedroom, 134 bath, paneled den, formal living room, central heat and air. Small Assuma-ble loan. Call 665-4918, for appoint-

3 BEDROOMS, den, dining room, corner lot in Lefors. Has apartment and shed. Call 835-2391.

1300 GARLAND, non escalating loan, 3 bedroom, 1% baths, living-dining, kitchen with built-ins, sunken den, corner lot, central heat and air. Plus 2 bedroom furnished apartment. Mike Ward, Norma Ward Realty, 669-3346 or 669-6413 after 5.

3 BEDROOM, new roof, new carpet, new paint, covered enclosed patio, storage rooms, fenced yard. Will take smaller or older house as down payment. Owner carry balance. Call 665-4842.

DOMESTIC WATER WELL WAYNE HOOD

CC RE

LARC 1981 8

TR

MC

TR

AU

C

Threbarg bean burn kitch wind 869. carp

Nom Bro

## ieeds

stock removal Call your local -7016 or toll free

PLIES

POODLE and t. Toy stud ser-num silver, red t. Susie Reed,

NG: Annie Au-69-6905. ROOMING. All

ERS. 1404 N. l line of pet sup-ooming by ap-

nd groom your r all breeds for nent. Call Anna 69-9808.

Farley, profes-boarding, all 7352.

0S. Cuyler. Low ice B & J Tropi-er, 665-2231.

orkshire Terrier odle puppies. S: German Collie mix. 5 to ecember 23. 844 German

OO Puppies for med, have Parvo 1 female. See at

lust in time for Coronado West after 6 p.m.

RE EQ.

office furniture, CE SUPPLY

**Buttom Bits. Call** 

NSIBLE couple t by January 1st. -2433 after 5.

\$3 up, \$10 week W. Foster, Clean,

ND houses. Fur-urnished. Call

Apartment for

HOUSES

furnished house, 0 deposit, No pets.

AL PROP.

o CENTER
e available in the square feet, 2,000
square feet, 3,600
square feet. Call
i Inc., Realtor,
14 Olsen Blvd. ~

N, excellent park-doctors, lawyer, o suit your needs. 761.

R SALE

Foster 11 or 669-9504

ISON REALTOR of ''MLS'' xton-665-2150 :hols-669-6112 nson-669-6443

ts or duplexes that able rental units.

- Custom Built, 3 ome. Only 10 years after 5 p.m.

use, all carpeted, e, 1115 S. Finley.

house, out of city, op and apartment,

Bedroom, 1% bath, rmal living room, air. Small Assuma 5-4918, for appoint-

iday Season eks Realty 9904

SMITH

ders

O RENT

D APTS.

**JSES** 

669-3353 O BUY

CULBERSON-STOWERS gs, or other gold. Shop. 665-2831. 805 N. Hobart 665-1665 Guns, Jewelry, awn Shop 512 S.

HERITAGE FORD UNCOLN-MERCURY, INC. 701 W. Brown 665-8404

SAFEWAY BUILDING, 900 Duncan, 15,175 square feet, owner will carry, 806-353-5148 or 373-0149.

LARGEST STOCK OF PARTS AND

ACCESSORIES IN THIS AREA. SUPERIOR SALES Recreational Vehicle Center, 1019 Alcock...We Want to Serve You!!

1981 8x35, 1 bedroom, patio-door, air, carpeted, awning, in good condition, Cactus Motel and trailer court, space 9, Borger.

NEW TRAILER Park - Spaces for rent in Skellytown. Call 848-2466.

FOR SALE: 12x58, Furnished

mobile home witt appliances includ-ing washer and dryer, and air con-ditioned. Set up on nice fenced lot, and skirted. \$9,000. Call 669-6691.

FOR SALE: 1980, 14x60, 2 bedroom trailer. Call 665-7453, 730 Roberta.

FOR RENT: Car hauling trailer. Call Gene Gates, home 669-3148; business 669-7711.

JONAS AUTO SALES BUY-SELL-TRADE 201 Alcock 665-5901

**AUTOS FOR SALE** 

**MOBILE HOMES** 

TRAILERS

TRAILER PARKS

**REC. VEHICLES** 

BILL ALLISON AUTO SALES Late Model Used Cars 500 W. Foster 665-3992

PANHANDLE MOTOR CO. 865 W. Foster 669-9961 TOM ROSE MOTORS

CADILLAC - OLDSMOBILE BILL M. DERR



**BUY FROM US FOR SATISFACTION** 

DO ONE BIG PUSH-UP
From renting to OWNER of this frame, siding, 18' x 33' den with woodburner & bookcases, beamed ceiling, 3 bedrooms, kitchen & dining, single garage Below \$50,000. MLS 910.

COUNTDOWN!
Three bedrooms, 2 bath, brick, pargain of a home. Den with beamed ceiling, new fan, wood-burner, patio doors, beautiful kitchen & dining area with bay windows, double garage. MLS

DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR You can't beat this neat 3 bed-room frame with new paneling & carpet in living room. Single gar-age. MLS 900

Guy Clement ......665-8237 GRI ..665-864

Broker, CRS, GRI Al Shackelford GRI ..665-4345

COMMERCIAL PROP. AUTOS FOR SALE

Pontiac, Buick, GMC & Toyota 833 W. Foster 669-2571

DOUG BOYD MOTOR CO.

MARCUM II USED CARS 623 W. Foster 665-7125

FARMER AUTO CO. 609 W. Foster 3665-2131

SAVE MONEY on your auto insurance. Call Duncan Insurance Agency for a FREE Quote. 665-5757.

FOR SALE: 1969 Renault, good mileage, runs good. Call after 5:30, 669-6294.

FOR SALE - 1974 Toyota Celica, 2 door, 4 speed. Call 665-7495.

TRAILER SPACE for rent. Call NEW 1982 Jeep Wagoneer Limited, JIM McBROOM MOTORS
Pampa's Low Profit Dealer
807 W. Foster 665-2338 IN PAMPA, trailer space available. Reasonable rates. 1111 E. Frederic St. (Hi-Way 60 East). Inquire at L-Ranch Motel office, 665-1620.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
1979 CADILLAC De Elegance
Brougham, all Cadillac options, including factory built in CB, all new
tires, garaged every night. This car
is showroom new. Has 19,000 actual
miles \$9975. 

miles, Michelin tires, new Monroe shocks \$1495 1977 PLYMOUTH Station wagon, excellent body, interior and motor uses no oil, 52,000 actual miles, new Monroe shocks \$1595 1976 IMPALA Station wagon - 3 seater. runs out real god, 350 motor \$1395 1976 FORD ½ ton 6 cylinder pickup, automatic. Long wide bed, 20,000 guaranteed miles, \$1695. Talk with us about financing. Mary and Malcolm McDaniel.

PANHANDLE MOTOR CO.



Office: 420 W. Francis

| Claudine Balch GRI665-8075                          |
|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Dick Taylor                                         |
| Joe Hunter669-7885                                  |
| Velma Lewter669-9865                                |
| Joyce Williams GRI 669-6766                         |
| Marie Eastham665-4180                               |
| Karen Hunter669-7885                                |
| Mildred Scott 669-7801                              |
| Berdena Neef669-6100                                |
| Geneva Michael GRI .669-6231                        |
| Elmer Balch GRI 665-8075                            |
| David Hunter 665-2903<br>Mardelle Hunter GRI Broker |
|                                                     |

ngs easier for our Clients



**AUTOS FOR SALE** 

TRUCKS FOR SALE

SAVE MONEY on your track insurance. Call Duncan Insurance Agency for a FREE quote. 665-5757.

WATSON MOTORS 01 W. Foster 665-6233

MEERS CYCLES 1300 Alcock 665-1241

1980 YAMAHA XS1100 Special. Low mileage. \$2600. 665-3287.

1979 YAMAHA 750 Special. 3450 miles. Like New. 669-6975.

MERICA'S NUMBER 1

TOP SELLER

**CENTURY 21** 

CORRAL REAL ESTATE

125 W. Francis

665-6596

Twila Fisher

"SELLING PAMPA SINCE 1952"

**VILLIAMS** 

agy-Edwards, inc

5.6 ACRES
Great location for retail stores, multi-family, or apartments. Located on the corner of Somerville & N. Wells behind the Coronado Center. Owner Might Carry Loan. \$85,000 MLS 782.

BRICK HOUSE PLUS APARTMENT
Corner lot on N. Faulkner. 2 bedroom home with living room, dining room, kitchen & utility room. Half of double garage is used as a workshop. Some remodeling has been done. New water & gas lines. 3 room furnished apartment. \$36,000 MLS 963.

Cute & neat 2 bedroom home. Living room, dining room & kitchen has a cook-top & oven, dishwasher & disposal. Central heat & air. Single garage. \$28,000 MLS 964.

Neat & clean 2 bedroom home. Excellent windows. Single

Neat & clean 2 bedroom home. Excellent owindows. Single garage. \$33,000 MLS 912.

Helen War ner .....665-1427

Broker .........665-3687

Spectacular

.669-2859

.665-3560 .665-4636 .665-7545 .665-2021

..665-4553

Marilyn Keagy GRI, CRS

**MOTORCYCLES** 

DRINKING AND CHRISTMAS DON'T GO TOGETHER,



SALESMAN WANTED

SALES EXPERIENCE NECESSARY SOME MUSICAL ABILITY HELPFUL CALL 665-1251 FOR APPOINTMENT

PIANO - ORGAN - GUITAR - BAND INSTRUMENTS

TARPLEY MUSIC CO. 117 N. CUYLER PAMPA TEXAS

#### TIRES AND ACC.

1972 CHEVROLET Caprice, 2 door, hard top. 444 Pitts, 665-4308. OGDEN & SON ert Electronic wheel balancing 501 W. Foster 665-8444 FOR SALE 1975 Mercury Montego. Inquire at 613 N. Christy.

OGDEN & SON 501 W. Foster 665-

**BOATS AND ACC.** 

YEAR END close out on all boats FIRESTONE STORES 120 N. Gray 665-8419

HANT AUS DU IT ALL'S RENT-TRADE

Also all skiis and accessories which make nice Christmas gifts. Down-town Marine, 301 S. Cuyler.

#### PARTS AND ACC.

1977 FORD Bronco Ranger. Power steering, brakes, automatic. Nice. Downtown Motor. 301 S. Cuyler. NATIONAL AUTO Salvage, 1½ miles west of Pampa, Highway 60. We now have rebuilt alternators and starters at low prices. We appreciate your business. Phone 665-3222 or 666-3962. EXTRA NICE and clean 1979 Chevrolet pickup, ½ ton, 4 by 4, short bed, loaded, \$7295.
SHARP 1978 Blazer, 2 wheel drive, loaded, \$5495.

#### **SCRAP METAL**

BEST PRICES FOR SCRAP w and Used Hub Caps; C.C. Mathen Tire Salvage 818 W. Foster 665-8251

#### BILL M. DERR - RANDY L. DERR

WE HAVE A LOT FULL OF 1982, 1981, 1980, 1979, 1978 AND 1977 MODEL CARS AND TRUCKS.

SOME NEW UNITS SOME LEASE CARS, ONE OWNER CARS AND PRE-OWNED UNITS, ALL READY FOR WINTER. 30 DAY 100% POWER TRAIN WARRANTY. SOME FACTORY WARRANTY UNITS, SOME NEVER BEEN REGISTERED.

> TAX REDUCTION **WE LOSE YOU SAVE**

**WE'D RATHER PASS** THIS TAX MONEY ON TO THE CUSTOMER THAN GIVE IT TO THE TAX COLLECTOR—SO COME ON IN AND SAVE!

NO OBLIGATION, YOU'LL FIND YOUR CAR FROM A DEALER WHO CARES, WE DO APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS. COME IN AND SEE THE DIFFERENCE PRIDE MAKES-SAVE NOW

B&B

665-5374 18 YEARS OF SELLING TO SELL AGAIN

## AKE PADS Toyota quality. Made of fade-resisting semi-metallic compound. Now at your Toyota dealer, your

Toyota is cheaper to keep than before. We've lowered prices on many of the parts and services you need most. Keep your disc brakes in top shape for sure stops with genuine Toyota brake pads. Right now your Toyota dealer will install new brake pads and inspect the calipers and rotors on both front disc brakes-all for one low price. For Toyota trained technicians and Genuine Toyota Parts, plus new everyday low prices, bring your Toyota to the people who know Toyotas best.

Marcum Motor PONTIAC-BUICK-GMC-TOYOTA

service & parts

## EACE ON EARTH, GOOD WILL TO ALL MEN AS THE SERENITY OF THIS NOEL ENRICHES OUR SOULS. Many thanks to our loyal PATRONS WHO HAVE BEEN SO VERY KIND!

**WE WILL CLOSE AT NOON CHRISTMAS EVE AND ALL DAY FRIDAY AND** SATURDAY SO OUR EMPLOYEES CAN SPEND THE HOLIDAYS WITH THEIR FAMILIES.

HERITAGE FORD, LINCOLN-MERCURY, INC.

**MARCUM PONTIAC BUICK, GMC & TOYOTA** 

**CULBERSON-STOWERS** CHEVROLET, INC.

TRI-PLAINS INTERNATIONAL **TOM ROSE MOTORS** 

PAMPA NEW CAR DEALERS ASSOCIATION

# TO RED REPARABLE BAD A DERA 464641446668 Holiday

.665-6295

LOW MILEAGE—ONE OWNER

| 1980 - Chevrolet Monte Carlo Cpe - 4,400 M    | iles\$7500.00 |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1980 - Cadillac Sedan de Ville (Diesel) 21,20 |               |
| 1979 - Cadillac Seville (Diesel) 12,600 Miles | \$12,500.00   |
| 1979 - Cadillac Sedan de Ville 24,900 Miles   | \$9,500.00    |
| 1976 - Chevrolet Impala Sedan 32,350 Miles    | \$2,400.00    |
| 1973 - Cadillac Sedan de Ville 58,000 Miles   |               |

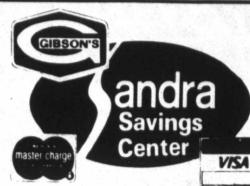
(3-1981 Cadillac Demos)

SEE AT

TOM ROSE MOTORS

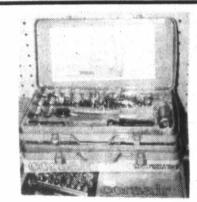
121 N. BALLARD 网络电路检查检查总是企员电路负债的企业公司自己

LING E HOOD



2211 Perryton Pkwy. Pampa's ONLY HOME OWNED **Full Line DISCOUNT CENTER** ...Serving the Area Since 1963!

- Shop Monday-Saturday 9:30-8
- Midway Post Office Open at Gibson's



40 Piece Metric and inch RACHET

SOCKET SET

No. SCS40 1/4" to 3 /8" Drive Reg. \$16.69 .....

Frost King **FIBERGLASS** PIPE WRAP CONAIR **Insulation Kit** 



3" x 25 ft.

**LEBO TAPE** CARRYING CASE



Lest Minute Giffing **ETRACTABLE** 

REEL LIGHT

AII

Black

And Decker

**ACCESSORIES** 

**OFF** 

Gibson's Discount

Price

5%

Conair Curl Dazzler

Reg. \$27.99

REEL LIGHT

20 Foot 18/2 Cord **OSHA Approved** 



**Entire Remaining Stock** 

- Dolls Games
- Models Hot Wheels



Continental

HOT BRUSH Reg. \$8.49

CURLING IRON Reg. \$8.49

Your Choice

**Adventurer** TACKLE BOX Model 2093 3 Trays Reg. \$29.69

RAY-O-VAC

Model LM85 WEATHER PROOF

\_ANTERI

Reg. \$11.49



Children's Laced

INSULATED **RUBBER BOOTS** 

Green **Gibson's Discount Price** 



Reg. \$19.99



**MARTEX** 

**TOWELS** 

Junior Girl's

**OVERALLS** 

**Professional** 1200 Watts Mid Size Reg. \$18.99

**Vidal Sassoon** 



Thermal-Dress-Casual

MEN'S **SOCKS** 

| Reg. 99°    | 69°   |
|-------------|-------|
|             | 99°   |
| Reg. \$1.39 | 99° \ |
| Reg. \$1.69 | \$119 |
| Reg. \$1.99 | \$149 |

**Entire Stock** 

Chimere

COLOGNE

**SETS** 

\$899

**COOKING BAGS** 1/4 OFF

New Shipment

**Filled and Solid** 

**CHRISTMAS** 

CANDIES

69°

PEPPERMINT CANDY **STICKS** 

1 Lb. Reg. \$1.49 .99C

Chocolate caramel candy

6 oz. Reg. \$1.69 ....

12 oz. Reg. \$3.19 .... \$269

Wrangler **BOYS' PLAID** FLANNEL SHIRTS Sizes 12-14-16 \$599

Old Spice, Brut, English Leather

2 Piece Flannel

CHILDREN'S **PAJAMAS** 

with feet, Sizes 9-18 months Assorted comic charter Designs



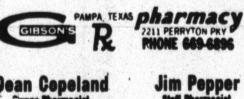
Dixie Bathroom CUP **DISPENSER** 

Dixie Kitchen CUP

FREE **Bugs Bunny** \$2.63 **60 TABLETS** EE® MUG Bugs Bunny

\$337 100 TABLETS

**DEPENDABLE SERVICE** Since 1963—And Still Dependable!



**Dean Copeland** 

Computerized Family Records Approved Charge Accounts Welcome
 We Fill Medicaid Prescriptions **OP.C.S.** and Paid Cardholder Welcome

ONursing Home Patient Service ●Visa and Mastercharge Accounts

-NOW-

is the time for you to put in your request for year-end tax and insurance information for your prescriptions. Just some by the store or call fin and

**MYLANTA** 

**Effective** Antacid/ Anti-Gas



great taste fast action/low sodium

**TABLETS** LIQUID \$233 / 100 \$239 / 12 oz.





DISPENSER Reg. \$1.59 ...

