## Bexar criminals get unwarranted break

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SAN ANTONIO — If another ounty or state needs a wanted cri-

ninal arrested in Bexar County, they nay have to wait a long time, a news-

aper reported Tuesday.
The San Antonio Light said in an acclusive story that felony warrants or serious crimes are being filed way and not actively worked under new policy put into effect at the first f the year by Sheriff Rudy Garza. "Also filed are misdemeanor, traf-

fic and parole and probation violation warrants from other jurisdictions,"

the newspaper said.
"Only chance works against the wanted person now. For example, if a city policeman or sheriff's deputy stops a person for a routine traffic violation and runs a computer check, an outstanding warrant would be dis-

covered. Then an arrest is made. The sheriff's office said it had three working in 1975 and at the same time serving out-of-county warrants.

cent from 1975 to 1980.

The number of out-of-county war rants tripled during the same period Garza said, with about 35 felony and 115 misdemeanor warrants from other counties received each month.

"It's not fair to the people of Bexar County to have wanted criminals running around the street," said an anonymous source which tipped the fewer warrant officers than were newspaper to the discontinuation of

## New system earns Texas more money

United Press International AUSTIN — Comptroller Bob Bul-pek said Tuesday a program to move ax revenue through his office and into banks faster will significantly inrease the interest the state earns on

ts deposits.

Bullock said the new tax procesing system deposits tax money ough a single-step operation about 72 hours faster than the previous ystem. In a six-day period in late

March, he said the new system produced an additional \$47,700 interest potential on that kind of cash flow," on state deposits.

The quicker tax dollars move through our department, the quicker they end up in a bank earning taxpayers extra interest," he said.

Bullock said records in his department show the new system made deposits of \$235,873,835 between March 13 and March 31.

'You don't have to be secretary of interest earlier

Bullock said the new program utilizes a computer to handle tax receipts, taxpayer accounts and fund allocation all in a single step, rather than in three separate steps pre-viously used. It means multiple deposits may be made each day and allows the deposits to begin earning

## Overtime pay delay hits census workers

United Press International LUBBOCK — Things aren't adding up at the census office.

As a result, some 500 temporary mployees have been working heavy overtime schedules, but their paychecks do not reflect the extra ours they put in.

Mitzi Jordan, a district manager for the census bureau, Tuesday said er West Texas office has submitted overtime reports to Dallas, but there

ve been no results. The problem, she said, apparently surfaced when the Dallas payroll office changed its computerized ayroll system format in midstream. The Lubbock office, like others, was otified to resubmit overtime reorts on a different form.

out and resubmitted, but when the checks finally arrived, there was no overtime pay

"It is not just Lubbock," she said. adding that 37 or so regional payroll centers across the United States are apparently having similar problems.

I'm concerned, of course, but I would be alarmed if it was just us,

Paychecks for a routine 40-hour work week apparently were not affected by the computer problem,

Meanwhile, employees have been notified their overtime payments will be delayed, but they will eventually be compensated for their extra

"They will get it. The federal gov-ernment will not beat them out of it," Jordon said.

But because of the problems, some employees said they are considering working elsewhere



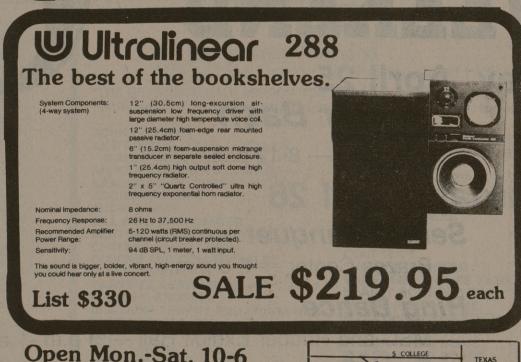


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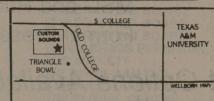
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