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Town shocked by death of adopted rodeo star, Page 3

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## Moslem captors claim to have hanged Higgins



Lt. Col. William R. Higgins
Aussie wins bull riding for White Deer Rodeo


peech to the Norniong for a


## MS Bike-a-thon



Cavin Coleman, Tom Douts and Paul Helms (from left prepare to head to Miami after a lunch break at the Nation They all work together at IRI and have been MS Bike-a-thon


## Sides refuse to budge as Cambodia talks open

By ELaINE GANLEY
PARIS (AP) - Diplomats from nearly 20 countries have opened a month-long interna-
tional conference on Cambodia with calls for tional conference on Cambodia with calls for proposals to lift the nation from two decades
of conflict.
China and Vietnam, the two main power brokers in Cambodia. and the powerful Khmer Rouge guerrilla group were to address the conference today.
"We know the path to
reconciliation is likely to be bing and arduous," U.S. Secretary of State James A. Baker III said Sunday. "But today we take the first steps."
His words reflected the measured optimism expressed by all speakers at the huge rectangular table at the International Con-
ference Hall, a block from the Arc de Triomphe.
But the main rivals in the conflict, Cambo dia's Vietnamese-backed prime minister, Hun Sen, and resistance leader Prince Noro-
dom Sihanouk, failed on the first day to budge from their seemingly irreconcilable posi-

Sunday put forward a proposal to break the Sunday $p$
deadlock. Sihanouk insisted on the need for an interim government composed of the four parresistance coalition and Hun Sen. Hun Sen refused a role for the Beijing-
backed Khmer Rouge, saying any measure of power for the strongest of the resistance guerrilla groups would "open the door for
them to return to power or provoke a civi war no one could limit or control
During the Khmer Rouge's nearly fouryear rule in the 1970s, hundreds of thousands
of Cambodians were killed as it attempted to remold the country into an agrarian com-
mune. Khmer Rouge rule ended with the 1978 Vietnamese invasion.
Foreign Minister Roland Dumas of France indicated Sunday that the four factions would reopen nego.
Dumas suggested the ministers provide a
"political orientation" for working commis"political orientation" for working commis-
sions, then return in a month for the signing sions, then return in a month for the signing
of what is to be a treaty of peace and neutrality for Cambodia.

Among the items on the agenda is creating
an international mechanism to monitor the withdrawal of Vietnamese troops Srom Cam-
bodia and an end to foreign aid to the rival Hun Sen announced tha namese soldiers remained in his country and repeated that they would be gone by Sept. 27 Western analysts have estimated Hanoi's troop strength at $60,000-77,000$.
Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevard Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevard-
nadze called for a cease-fire "even before the withdrawal of Vietnamese ven before he Maen completed
Me, Shevardnadze with Hun Sen's reg place" for the Unite foresaw a "dignified toward peace. Hun Sen has rejected any role for the worl ment of Democratic Kampuchea holds Cam mentia's seat.
U.N. Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar, attending the conference, suggested start the process of setting up a monitoring mechanism for Vietnam's September
pullout. pullout.

## Daily Record

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Obituaries


Rodeo




## Officer faces life in prison for rape

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| ns today to determine punis | they did. |  |
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| a park, where she was raped, |  |  |
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| o was charged with rape and is |  |  |
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Weather focus Partly cloudy tonight with a
20 percent chance of thundershowers. Low in mid 60s. Part-
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low 90 , with southwesterly
winds winds $10-20 \mathrm{mph}$ and a 20 per-
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noon thundershowers. Sunday's high was 93; the overnight low was 65. Pampa re-
ceive 048 inch of moisture in ceived 0.48 inch of moisture in
the 24 -hour period ending at 6 a.m. today. REGIONAL FORECAST West Texas - Mostly sunny
Tuesday. Fair tonight Concho Valley. Elsewhere fair nights, sunny mornings. Partly
cloudy afternoons and isolated to scattered mainly late afternoon and evening thunder-
storms through Tuesday. Continued very warm to hot after-
noons. Highs Tuesday in the 90 except around 100 Concho
Valley and near 103 Big Bend Valley and near 103 Big Bend
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Panhandle and mon low 70s Concho Valley and Big
Bend valleys. Bend valleys.
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cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms eastern sections
tonight. Fair and tonight. Fair and warm else-
where. Mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms central and east Tuesday, more
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tions. Partly cloudy in the west. Highs today low 90s east
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elsewhere. Lows tonight low to elsewhere. Lows tonight low to
mid 70s. Highs Tuesday near mid 70s. Highs Tuesday near
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clouds in the coastal sections with scattered showers or
thunderstorms tonight cloudy elsms tonight. Partly cloudy Tuesday with scattered

showers or thunderstorms, sections, where in the coastal rainfall is possible. Lows
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Yos inland 80astal sections to 90 EXTENDED FORECAST Wednesday through Friday West Texas - Mainly fai Thursday and Friday with iso lated to widely scattered
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## Gay police officers say they have to keep a low profile

DALLAS (AP) - Many Texas law enforcement
agencies have no policies against hiring homosexagencies have no policies against hiring homosex-
uals, but many gay officers insist they must keep a low profile or face hardssment or firing. "You really, really have to go underground to
survive. Low profile, that's the word," says a lesbian officer in a Dallas suburb. The recent case of Mica M. England, whose application to the Dallas Police Department was re-
jected because she is a lesbian rekindled concern among homosexual advocates battling police departments that refuse to hire gays.
Ms. England took her complaint to the City CounMs. England took her complaint to the City Coun-
cil earlier this month and said she is considering suing the city.
Dallas police recruiters routinely ask applicants

ANDERSONVILLE, Ga. (AP)
A Texan will be among nine U.S. service men homored in a
ceremony at the Andersonvill ceremony at the Andersonville
National Historic Site next month to remember prisoners of war killed when the United States drop
ped a bomb on Hiroshima. Members of the Hiroshim sent a 125 -pound bronze plaque commemorating nine U.S. air Japanese city when the Amer ican B-29 "Enola Gay" droppe The ceremony, scheduled fo Aug. 5 at Andersonville's Nation al Prisoner of War Museum, will military officers, elected offi cials and some survivors of the
Hiroshima prisoners.
"I have always felt that people whould not be forgotten," said Michael J. Blair of Lowville N. Y., chairman of the Hiroshima
'I have always felt that people who make a sacrifice in wartime should not be forgotten.

Blair said the nine Americans were members of the crews of
two U.S. Army Air Corps B-24,
Liberator bombers, the "Taloa"
 The planes were shot down on the bomb was dropped.
July 28, 1945, while on bombing
aids raids against Japanese naval
targets in targets in Kure Harbor, a major
Japanese naval installation. Jhe prisoners have been identi-
ied as "Talo
 Charles O. Baumgartne of Serb
ing, Ohio, and "Lonesome Lady ing, Ohio, and "Lonesome Lady" crewmen Durden Looper of Pine
Bluff, Ark.; James M. Ryan of
Binghamton, N.Y. $;$ Hugh H Binghamton, N. Y.; Hugh H.
Atkinson of Seattle, Wash.; John Buford J. Ellison Castle, Pa.; Falls, Texas; and Ralph J. Neal
of Corbin, Ky. Blair said he learned of the
Hiroshima POWs from a magazine article. Working in his spare time, he spent the next 10 years
learning more about their fate.
The crewmen of the Navy plane
were Raymond $G$. Porter of But ler, Pa., and Norman Rolland
Brissett of Lowell Brissett of Lowell, Mass. They
ditched in the Japanese Inland ditched in the Japanese Inland
Sea and were taken to Hiroshima after capture.
The B-24s were hit by Japanese anti-aircraft battery in
Hiroshima after they swun north to avoid heavy fire over
Kure. Kure.
Blair said several of the airmen Blair said several of the airme
were either killed in the crashe wore either killed in the crashes
ory Jolicanese civilians or military police. Seven were captured
and confined in Hiroshima, along and confined in Hiroshima, al
with the two Navy airmen. One survived for two days and heat by jumping into a cesspool died of radiation sickness on Aug
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nearly 13,000 Union soldiers died in 1864 and 1865 , has been desig-
Six of the POWS were Six of the POWS were
either killed by the bomb or by angry Japanese civilians the day the bomb was
dropped. dropped.
nated as a national memorial to commemorate the suffering of The Hiroshima plaquars. wo B-29s, a face behind barbed
wire and the mushroom cloud of an atomic blast. The nine airmen "represen
the only Americans ever killed in nuclear warfare," Blair said That makes them significanteminder to the American people
that we should not let nuclear warfare take place again.'
DRUNK EME EA DRIVERS are hot survivors
whether they have engaged in "deviate sexual
activity," including homosexual behavior, since Houston police and the Dallas County Sheriff's Department have similar hiring policies based on state sodomy laws.
Dallas Police Chief Mack Vines has defended his department's anti-homosexual policy, saying that the force won
state laws. But many 1
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including the state Dorcement agencies in Texas, have no policy against hiring homoserbic Safety, although th

## Making a splash


U.S. bomb victims to be honored

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end that their sexual orientation has no ill effects "Weir public duty We do shoot straight," said Richard Nork people up. puty sheriff in San Francisco and trat Norton, a deGolden State Peace Officers' Association, one of officers. Few
Few gay peace officers are willing to grant inter-
views, Norton said. Texas has openly gay, officers, even in larger cities where pplicants' sexuality is not an issue. The experinel of several former officers illustrates why.
El Paso police officer Patricia Minton was fire
battle. In Houston, former policeman Mark Timmers said he endured taunts and threats after fellow "You'd sit down in the squad room and people "uld move, Timmers said week and have 'for work at least two, three days a week and have 'fag', written on my car, or the air Timmers resigned in 1987 after a series of interneft charges, in which he was acquitted Timeanor theft charges, in which he was acquitted. Timmers
said the charges were part of a smear campaign said the charges were part of a smear campaign.
Timmers is stilldooking for work in law enforce-
Quanah shocked by champion's death

champion should be. He wanted wanted and he wanted to do
things would get in the arena and help
you out. World champions don't you out. World champions do,
have to do that, but Lane did." Frost placed sixth in the
National Finals Rodeo National Finals Rodeo last year.
He was runner up for the 1983 Rookie of the Year. He was the
1987 Texas Prorodeo Circuit Champion and 1983 Prairie Crir-
cuit champion. He also was a runcuit champion. He also was a run-
ner up bull rider in the Winston
Tour in 1986, and the National ner up bull rider in the Winston
Tour in 1986, and the National
Finals Rodeo bull rider average winner in 1986.
His career earnings through
1988 totaled $\$ 461.644$
 Frost, who graduated from
Atoka High School in 1982, started participating in rodeos when he was about 12 years old, said
Dodie Wilson, a family friend wodie Uilson, a family friend
who lives in Atoka.
"Rodeo's lost someone who had "Rodeo's lost someone who had
the promise of being a great one and its tragic," Painter said.
Frost had competed in the Top o' Texas Rodeo last year, said Kathy Topper. Top o' Texas
Rodeo Association rodeo office Rodeo Association rodeo office
secretary She said he didn't win
the bull riding event

## Boy killed while children play with gun

 bexcrixab Axamad boy was killed when a rifle dis-charged while he and his two
younger brothers were playing with it, Bay City police said. Jamie Moreno and his two
bers brothers, ages 8 and 5 , were play-
ing in the living room of their du-
plex Friday when plex Friday when the shooting
occurred. A 2 -year-old brother occurred. A 2 -year-old
also was in the house.
The children's grandfather left them alone while he went next door for a visit, Bay City Police
Chief Mike Baker said. Chief Mike Baker said.
The children were playing with ter rifle and a . 22-caliber long
barrel pistol, Baker said. The younger brothers told
police that Jamie Moreno was unloading the pistol while passing
the riffe to his 8 -year-old brother. The rifle discharged, fatally wounding the boy in the upper
chest. Officials said the boy chest. Officials said the
apparently died instantly.
Justice of the Peace Ray
o'Connell pronounced the boy dead and ordered an autopsy.
officers said a rifle found in a
closet had one spent shell in the

The guns apparently belonged
to the boys' parents, who are separated, according to wolice areports. Their mother is living in
Houston and the father had left the children in their grandfather's care while he left for an ment, Baker told the Bay City
Tribune.

Police are treating the case as
an accident. No charges were filed. No charges were $\begin{aligned} & \text { Bay City is about } 60 \mathrm{miles} \\ & \text { southwest of Houston. }\end{aligned}$

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Manoging Editor

## Opinion

## Armed forces don't belong in drug war

## Our armed forces exist to defend us against attacks by the armed forces of hostile nations. They have no other purpose

 have no other purpose. They are not police forces oreven paramilitary forces. For that reason, until 1985 , even paramilitary forces. For that reason, until 1985,
U.S. law prohibited the use of military forces in civil But the restriction was repealed in 1985 as part of the federal "war", on drugs. Since then Navy and Ahipments headed for the U.S. coast. The efforts, part of a 300-percent increase in anti-drug expendi-
tures from 1980 to 1988, have flopped miserably tures from 1980 to 1988, have flopped miserably.
From 1980 to 1988, cocaine supplies in the United States increased more than 300 percent, even as prices dropped to 20 percent of the 1980 level. And
during the same period, coca cultivation in Peru during the same period, coca cultivation in Peru,
Bolivia and Colombia increased from 220,000 acres to 520,000 acres. It is clear that people use drugs be cause they want to, self-destructive as these appe-
tites might be, and little that the government does
can stop them .
Yet a new government plan would inject the mili Yet a new government plan would inject the milit-
ary even further into this no-win phony "war." The
National Security Council is finishing its last draft of a plan that would expand involvement to help train anti-drug forces in foreign countries, in particular
the three mentioned above. The plan doesn't call for the three mentioned above. The plan doesn't call for
using American troops directly, but such an expansion would be a logical development from the almost certain failure of the indigenous troops' own efforts. opposed even by those who favor keeping drugs illegal. Consider what could easily happen. Illegal
drug trafficking brings corruption. There's so much drug trafficking brings corruption. There's so much money involved that police officers making, say,
$\$ 40,000$ a year, sometimes find it hard to resist taking payoffs.
Consider an Consider an Army private, sergeant or officer
making much less money. Most are making much less money. Most are good, honest off a drug-bust operation. The Cubans recently
admitted, in their continuing series of purge trials, admitted, in their continuing series of purge trials,
that many of their top officials are involved in ille al drug trafficking. It would be easy for the Cuban DGII, or other foreign intelligence service, to use its
contacts with the drug underworld to find U.S. milit ary personnel involved in drug smuggling, and such ary personnel involved in drug smuggling, and sum
GIs could then be blackmailed into treason.
Such subversion of our military would then be Such subversion of our military would then be
-used on a wider scale, damaging the real mission used on a wider scale, damaging the real mission
our military protecting our liberties. For this
reason use of the military for civilian law enforcereason use of the military for civilian l.
ment should be ended, not expanded.

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"OKI OKI You are not responsible for what
you do. It's all SOCIETY'S FAULT.

## Ship provides expansive trip

SCRABBLE,Va. - Foreign travel, they say,
is a broadening experience and so it is. The traveler who takes a Scandinavian cruise re-
trene
urns to his veranda to find himself broader by turns to his veraand to find himself broader by 1
inch in the stern and 2 inches at the beam. This is consequence of the seagoing way of life. It is a life of almost unbearable hardships. On his particular ship, a Greek ship, the spartan
days began with coffee and whipped cream at dawn, and proceeded to a full breakfast buffet a
little after 7 ttle after 7 .
The buffet ordinarily offered six fruits, five
juices, eggs Benedict, eggs Rockefeller, eggs juices, eggs Benedict, eggs Rockefeller, eggs
scrambled, pancakes, waffles, bacon, sausage, corned beef hash and baby shrimp. Yes, shrimp. This was before one reached an assortof an unbelievable gooiness. One waiter carried the groaning tray, another hoisted the undernourished passenger. So each day commended.
This pitiful fare was followed by two hours of This pitiful fare was followed by two hours of
lunch, followed by high tea, followed by two hours of dinner, followed by a midnight snack. The Greek turpentine known as ouzo was con-
stantly available, but no one was compelled to stantry a
drink it.


James J. Kilpatrick
watched them as they lapped me, arms pump ing, heads thrust forward, sturdy legs poundin ery two minutes, not far off the time of Spend Buck at Churchill Downs.
Thinking of Thinking of age: Using our passports as a
data base, the cruise director swiftly compute our average age at 82 years and seven months. This was after the teeny-bopping grandchildren
had been disqualified. At 68 years and nine had been disqualified. At 68 years and nin
months, I finished in a five-way tie for youngest. It is an achievement to make a man quietly
proud. proud.
The oldest of the 1,055 passengers, who also
should have been disqualified, was a retired shouged from California. His first name was
judged
Stanley; Idid not catch Stanley; I did not catch the last name. He was
114.
The thing about Stanley was that he was dead The thing about Stanley was that he was dead
actually. The story told by our waiter, a truthfu young mad expired five years ago. His widow always a bit bedaddled, piled his body into their Rolls and headed for a funeral parlor. She mis
sed an exit on the San Diego freway and wound sup an a ext ox ondermist instead. There Stanley was stuffed like a sailfish, but
with such consummate artistry that his supple
limbs could be readily adapted to a wheelchair
His glass eyes His glass eyes gave off a lively twinkle; his
mouth was gently curved in the slightest sugThe two fomg smile
The two of them, the amiable corpse and the
dusty widow, then embarked upon a series of cruises. He regularly won not only the prize as The Oldest Passenger, but also the awards for ladies over 50, the Male Passenger I Would Most
Like to Share a Stateroom With. Like to Share a Stateroom With. Each of the wards carried a case of champagne, with the
result that Stannley's lady stayed bombed from result that Stanle
Gdansk to Oslo.
I always is more instructive to watch people hould be said about the ports of call. In Stockholm, Helsinki, Copenhagan and Oslo, we were hing is that they were all statues of the same Whether his name was Olaf, Gustavus, Hendrik or just plain Bill, he had the same impressve girth. The gent had stayed too long at the
breakfast buffet. The Viking ships and the North Sea oil rigs tied for first place as Most Interesting Sights We Saw
Flying home on British Airways, we rediscoacross the sea: Nable truth about our cousins across the sea: No one treats an honest piece of
beef more abominably than the British. It is remarkable.
Given an innocent, unoffending haunch from cowboy boot in no time at all. But perta an old reeks had spoiled us rotten it is nice to be spoiled, but you know what? It's nice to be Today in history By The Associated Press
Today is Monday, July 31, the days left in the year. Today's highlight in history:
On July 31, 1777, the Marquis de On July 31, 1777, the Marquis de
Lafayette, a 19 -year-old French nobleman, was made a majorgeneral in the Continental Army
after offering his help to the rebelling American colonies. Lafayette later played a role in
the British defeat at Yorktown the British defe
On this date:
In 1498, Christopher Columbus discovered the island of Trinidad. In 1556, St. Ignatius of Loyola,
the founder of the Society of Jesus, died in Rome. In 1875 , the 17th President of
the United States, Andrew Johnthe United States, Andrew John-
son, died in Carter Station, Tenn., son, died in Carter Sation,
at the age of 66 .
In 1953, Senator Robert A. Taft In 1953, Senator Robert A. Taft
of Ohio, known as "Mr. Republi-
can" for his conservative philosophy, died in New York at the age
of 63 . In 1964, the American space
probe Ranger 7 transmitted picprobes of the moon's surface. In 1982, 46 children and seven
adults were killed when two
tuses buses and several cars collided
on a highway near Beaune, ?

## 'Nothing too much' best law


#### Abstract

My mother always practiced and preached, "Nothing too much; moderation in all things." The idea was not original. on the Delphic oracle: Pon metrion ariston the middle ground. cept so important that it must have descended from heaven: Ne quid nimis - nothing in exross, nothing too much Men through all time have patterned their for their excesses. A little water you must have to live; too much and you drown. Auch and they take you to a hospital and slice you open. A little su A little sunshine is good; too much and you get A little love you must have or you die of de- solation; too much and a jealous husband shoots solation; too much and a jealous husband shoots yout,'s hard to know when to say when because It




Paul Harvey
trouble always starts out being fun.
The delicate balance - that is the irrefutable aw which punishes all who deny or ignore it.
Nature cannot get ing into trouble and man is a natural thing. If living gets too hard for us, we go insane; if it gets too soft, we atrophy.
So things have to get out
so ehings have to get out of whack once in a
while; justenough to keep us awake, to preserve our mental muscle tone
Nothing too much.
The middle way lies somewhere between faith
and fanaticism, between drudgery and frivo and fanaticism, between drudgery and
ity, between the brute and the jellyfish.
Nothing to much. Nothing too much.
Too much power corrupts. Too much author ity makes any individual want to force all other individuals to conform - or any organization or any government.
Totalitarianism democracy is too little much government Some government you must have or some-
hody steals your stra) body steals your strawberries. Too much - and the government steals your straw
In between is the golden mean.
We found it here in 1789 - a government that
was neither too much nor too little - a "Repubwas neither too much nor to l little - a "Repub-
lic." It was designed to protect each man's right lic." It was designed to protect each man's right
and to prevent him from trespassing on the rights of another.
Agovernment that was neither too hot nor too cold - but just right. Nothing too much.
Today I see statistics revealing that Today I see statistics revealing that Amer-
icans are turning away from marijuana-away icans are turning away from marijuana-away
from promiscous sex.
Nothing too much is a law that enforces itself.

## Liberals still defending Owen Lattimore




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it forever. He asserts that "the (Judi-
ciary) Committee's Democratic ma-
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Agency judge decides against doctor in patient-dumping case

| By PEGGY FIKAC <br> Associated Press Writer <br> AUSTIN (AP) - In the first case against a doctor under a federal law prohibiting "patient dumping," a $\$ 20,000$ fine was imposed against a Texas physician by a U.S. Health and Human Services administrative law judge. <br> Dr. Michael Burditt was prosecuted after his 1986 decision, as chief of the obstetrical department at DeTar Hospital in Victoria, to transfer a woman who was about to give birth to her sixth baby to John Sealy Hospitad in Galveston, 160 miles away. <br> The patient dumping law, included in the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1986, forbids hospitals to turn away patients needing emergency care or in active labor. <br> Details of the administrative law judge's order were disclosed over the weekend. <br> Rosa Rivera, who was poor and uninsured, showed up at DeTar Hospital late on the afternoon |
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appropriate behavior."
The fine was lowered from $\$ 25,000$ to $\$ 20,000$ be
cause Stratton found "some mitigating factors," Wilcox said.
Since the incident, Burditt has improved the
transfer network system available to physicians transfer network system available to physicians
practicing in Victoria, and has helped set up an indigent obstetric clinic that will make prenatal care more accessible for indigent patients, he said. Burditt wants to appeal the ruling, said Wilcox.
He said he will recommend to the TMA board that the association also continue to pursue the case, with the next step being an administrative A woman who identified herself as Burditt's wife said he would have no comment until he holds a press conference on Monday. She also said that he
was no longer the chief of the hospital's obstetrical department but still practices there. Wilcox said the administrative law judge "said if
a delivery might occur in a transfer then you can"t a delivery might occur in a transfer, then you can
transfer a patient. It would be illegal to transfer a patient," Wilcox said in a telephone interview. one risk factor and ignoring all the Yourhers." such at one risk factor and ignoring all the others," such as
the possibility that a newborn might need adv-
anced care, Wilcox said.

Based on such factors as Mrs. Rivera's previous
pregnancies, Burditt thought her sixth child would pregnancies, Burditt thought her sixth child would
need a h higher level of services than available at
DeTar Wilcox said need a higher level of services than available a
DeTar, Wilcox said. The doctor thought she would make it to Galveston before giving birth, he said
Dr. D. Clifford Burross of Wichita Falls, who Dr. D. Clifford Burross of Wichita Falls, wh
testified on Burditt's behalf at a testified on Burditt's behalf at a hearing in Victor-
ia, said he was frightened by the implications of the ruling.
Burro Burross said that as the doctor in charge of the family practice residence at Wichita General Hos
pital, he makes similar transfers. He said it is safer to transfer a baby who needs the services of
hospital with more sophisticated facilities. "Doctors are going to have to take a second look and say, 'Can I afford to take the risk of transfer ring her?'
ross said.
The association also thinks a peer-review pro-
cess should have been used, as is done in Medicare cases, Wilcox said Burross said such a review, in which a panel o
physicians examine the "whole record," is prohi physicians examine the "whole record," is prohi umping cases.
felt Dr. Burditt had not had proper due pro


Bratton displays his voodoo wares.
Doc can give boss ${ }^{\mathbf{6}}$ hotfoot'


## Public Notice

On July 17, 1989, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company
(SWBT) filed an application with the Public Utility Commission SWBT) filed an application with the Public Utility Commission (PUC) of called Customer Billing Reports (Toll Summaries). The tomers, calied Customer fining Reports (tions in Four reports will be offered to provide toll detail based upo information from the customer's long distance usage billed by
SWBT These reports, which are entitled Usage Summaries SWBT. These reports, which are entitled Usage Summaries,
Billing Number Summary, Number Called Summary and Inte tional Call Detail, will include both intraLATA usage provided by SWBT and interLATA usage provided by Interexchange Carrie (IC) and billed by SWBT. These reports will be provided to customers for a charge and customers may order these
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Customer Billing Reports (Toll Summaries) have been forecasted to generate an increase in first year annual revenue of approximately $\$ 282,983$.
Persons who wish to comment on this application should
notify the Commission by Septemter 1 , notify the Commission by September 1, 1989. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utity Commission of 78757 , or you may call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter
for the deaf.

Are cohabitants married? Texas law vague

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while, has been captured lately by such common-law marriage
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York against actor William Hurt Yyrk forme
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AH. Houston jury last month
voted to recongized a common v Caw marriage between New York
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er married to the woman.


## Patricia Hill, R-Dallas, said the changes are aimed at stopping $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { Ms. Hill said } \\ \text { She said sh }\end{gathered}$

changes are aimed at stopping
the potential spread of suits like $\begin{gathered}\text { She said she wants to see com- } \\ \text { mon-law marriage abolished in }\end{gathered}$ $\begin{array}{cl}\text { the one filed against winfield. } \\ \text { In early America. when minis- } & \text { Texas, and said her bill was "a } \\ \text { step in the right direction", }\end{array}$ ters and peace justices were in ters and peace justices were in
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In early America, when ministers and peace justices were in
short supply to pershort supply to per
form marriages, com mon law was accepted. interpereted, maybe all it would
take is for a neighbo to They were living together. So I
thought they were maried. thought they were married,'",
Hill told the Fort Worth Star-
Telegram. Also, because few people realize that a formal divorce is re-
quired from a common-law part-
ner before either can some may have commatry,
bigamy unintentionally, she said. In the case of the couple who
meet in the bar and advance to the motel. it's un andikely that either
party will haul the other to court riages, common law was
accepted so that couples could will haul the other to court
live together and have their
because there's no common proplive together and have their chil-
dren recognized as legitimate and entitled to an inheritance.
Many states Many states have abolished the
tradition; Texas is one of 12 that tradition; Texas is one of 12 that
retain it.
But in modern But in modern times, where
ministers and justices of the peace abound, common-law mar-
riages do more harm than good.

But Wright said that other cou-
ples who move in under the same pres who move in under the same
roof ought to be careful. Even
with the changes in the with the changes in the law, he
said, those who do not want a
common said, those who do not want a
common-law marriage would be
wise to make a written agreewise to make a wrirtten agree-
ment certifying they are not mar-

Taiwan's diplomatic offensive showing results By JOHN POMFRET
Associated Press Writer


Returning from the West, Lien
held quiet talks with Thailand,
which has close military ties with which has close military ties with
Beijing.
The foundation of the offensive is a new policy called "one China,
two governments," according to two governments," according to
Taiwanese and Western observers in Taipei, meaning that Taitan is willing to establish ties relations with Beijing. In the past, such a practice
would have been taboo. would have been taboo.
Indeed, two years ago, Taiwan refused the opportunity to be rec-
ognized by Suriname, which had
relations relations with Beijing, said Su Chi, a professor of diplomacy at
Chengchi University who has Close ties to the ruling Nationalist
Party
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## Pierce pushed disputed contracts during final days at HUD

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objections from HUD experts. everal hundred thousand dol fter the Jan. .00 changeld in hodmi
istrations ended Pi ear tenure at the Pierce's eight Housing and Urban Develop eaded by two prominent black ompany who the other to a ongstanding friendship with a
ormer Pierce deputy, HUD offihat they not be identified Pierce's role in these contracts
ame to the attention of HUD in e HUD sources said. HUD spokesman Jack Flynn artment - according to HUD

Dixon denies lobbying charge

By JOAN MOWER
Associated Press Wr

WASHINGTON (AP) - House ethics committee chairman Julian Dixon is disputing a law firm 1986 and 1987 to lobby for a company with which his The Washington law firm that represents Duty See Shoppers Group Ltd. told Justice sorice oreign Agents Registration that it talked with e course of its work for the client.
out the meetings, said the documents filed by the "At no time have I ever been 'lobtion. ver engaged in any discussion whatsoever concerning Duty Free Shoppers," the California Democrat's response said. "I have never helped Duty Free Shoppers 'with the Betty Dixon, Dixon's wife, has a lucrative stake
in a joint venture with Duty Free Shoppers, the majority partner in a group that operates stores the Los Angeles international Airport Dixon said the documents contain wrong in
ormation because he never talked about Dut ree Shoppers with Ronald Brown, the attorney pany. Brown, now the chairman of the Democratic National Committee, worked for Patton Boggs \& The law firm was paid at least $\$ 1.4$ milion ove
four years by Duty Free Shoppers to pursue the company's legislative goals.
Free Shoppers, Patton Boggs \& Blow has had con Free Shoppers, Patton Boggs \& Blow has had con
tacts with Congressman Dixon (and other mem
bers of Congress)", the firm said in a

Rob Lowe granted community service in video sex case
ATLANTA (AP) - Actor Rob
Lowe will be performing in a new venue in an attempt to avoid pro-
secution for allegedly videot secution for allegedly videotap-
ing a sex scene involving a 16-year-old girl, a prosecutor said.
Lowe has agreed to hours of community service to avoid criminal prosecution in the Case, District Attorney Lewis R. Slaton said Sunday
I owe is expected
20 Los Angeles-area schools during the next two years to make speeches on topics such as drug
abuse and the law. Slaton had been considering
charges against Lowe for allegedly videotaping Jan Par-
sons, then 16 , in a sex scene withwoman in an Atlanta hotel room
during the 1988 Democratic National Convention. to participate in Georgia's pret rial intervention program, which prosecution for young, nonviolent first offenders.
Lowe remains the subject of Lena Arlene Wilson, who claims Lowe seduced her daughter. Lowe starred in such movies as
About Last Night About Last Night..., St. Elmo's
Fire, Youngblood and Oxford

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 Tuesday marks the start
## Texas A\&M's president proud of his first year

With the se STATION (AP) - "A\&M is still a good university $\begin{array}{ll}\text { With the school's football scandal } \\ \text { mostly resolved, Texas A\&M } & \text { but we're still not that well known } \\ \text { outside the region," he said }\end{array}$ President William Mobley hopes "(Others) know of Texas A\&M but to spend this year developing a
different "(Others) know of Texas A\&M but
Brown did not return telephone calls, but Patton Boggs reaffirmed the information in the Justice The Dixons earned more than $\$ 150,000$ in di-
vidents in after investing between $\$ 5,000$ and $\$ 15,000$, according to Dixon's financial disclosure statements. In
addition, Mrs. Dixon's stake in the company her addition, Mrs. Dixon's stake in the company ha
grown in value to at least $\$ 100,000$ Patton Boggs reported to Justice that it con-
tacted Dixon three times in early 1986 - before acted Dixon three time the earpy 1986 - betor
Mrs. Dixon invested in the airport concession and once in 1987. Mrs. Dixon invested in the part
nership in July 1986, three months after the airpor board awarded the concession.
Here are the Dixon contacts listed in the do ments: a $\$ 187$ dinner tab for Dixon and Johnnie L. Cochran Jr., a member of the Los Angeles airport board.
Cochran was a consultant to the ethics committee at the time.
Dixon said the dinner bill for himself, Brown Cochran and a friend, Jay Preston Johnson, was
mistakenly paid by Duty Free Shat mistakenty pald by Duty Free Shoppers.
OOn Feb. 26, 1986, and the next day, Patton Boggs "had conferences (personal and telephonic) with The following oi. Julian Dixon," the reports said
Patton Bect of the contacts involved advice that Patton Boggs gave to Duty Free Shoppers "con
cerning its duty free stores" in several cities in cluding Los Angeles, the reports said "social function" at which his wife a Patton Boggs a brief conversation about Duty Free Sheppers "On Sept. 26, 1987, Patton Boggs contacted Dixo in connection with the regulation of duty free
shops by the Customs Service," the docul say. Dixon said he attended a Congressional Black

Last summer, when he becam
A\&M's 20th president, rising en rollment - expected, to hit an all-
time high of 39,500 this time high of 39,500 this fall - was
Mobley's first concern, he said But in September, the NCAA
found A\&M guilty of 25 violations and gave the school a two-year
probation, restricted football scholarships and limited re
cruiting That same month, Mobley hired a compliance officer to
monitor the athletic department set up new auditing requirements and revoked privileges of several
boosters. "I believe the NCAA conclusio was appropriate and just," Mob
ley said. 'I think we now have
that situation in perspective and that situation in perspective and
under control. The challenge now is to keep that perspective and
is Mobley's second year as the state's second-largest school. As he looks to the 1990s, Mobley budget - expected to be about academic year - are his main

## Britons see rocking UFO

lights in southern Englerious's
night sky Saturday were made by
searchlights and cloud refelec-
tions, not Unidentified Flying ob-
jects, a new spaper reported
today.
The Daily Star said rock musi-
cian Roger Taylor, drummer
with the Queen group, spent
\$16o,00 for the light display
above his house near Godaliming,
34 miles south of tondon. It was
Taylor's 40 th birthday party.
"The bright revolving circles.
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against the contract.
The other contract, to Missis-
sippi-based ProMark Inc., also sippi-based Pro-Mark Inc., also
was approved by Pierce in mid-
January January, according to sources
who said the proposal was exten-
sively who said the proposal was exten-
sively revised before the review committee approved it by a $5-3$
margin. margin. The presidents of both com-
panies defend their proposal,
both of which dealt with minority enterprise.
One America is headed by Elaine B. Jenkins, who once served on a White House small
business commission and her husband, Howard Jenkins, a former Labor Department official
and the first black to and the first black to serve on the
National Labor Relations Board. National Labor Relations Board.
Pro-Mark president Les Range
has close ties to Dubois Gilliam has close ties to Dubois Gilliam, a former Pierce associate who
approved earlier HUD contracts to the company before he left the
agency. Range said he agency. Range said he appealed to Pierce in the belief that critic-
isms of Pro-Mark's previous work may have been racially motivated. $\$ 421,000$ to develop a computerized listing of black entrep-
spite the committee's recom-
pany once shared an office and defended its work as essential aid $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { mendation to reject the unsoli- } \\ \text { cited proposal } \\ \text { HUD records indicate that One }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { telephone number with the Coun- } \\ \text { cil of } 100, \text { a blak Republican } \\ \text { group. At the time, Mrs. Jenkins }\end{array}\end{array}$ America, based in Silver Spring,
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group. At the group's chairwoman.
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## Lifestyles

United Way affiliates work together


Genesis House residents load clothes for the
Salvation Army's social service fund. The youth help $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Salvation Army bound for the Daltec Co. in } & \text { the Salvation Army on a volunteer basis. } \\ \text { Dallas. The items, which the Salvation } & \text { Both institutions are affiliated with United } \\ \text { Army was unable to sell in the local Thrift } & \text { Way and work together to help serve the }\end{array}$ Army was unable to sell in the local Thrift
Store, are being sold for rags. The money
raised from the sale supports the Salvation

Annual writers' conference scheduled for August 11-12

AMARILLO - Education, in-
formation, and opportunity will be the key words at the annual
Frontiers in Writing Conference, sponsored by Panhandle Professional Writers, the Hi-Plains
Chapter of the Poetry Society of Chapter of the Poetry Society of
Texas, and Amarillo College, August 11-12 at Amarillo College in "Even pubsished writers re-
quire continuing education, quire continuing education,"
says Doris Meredith, conference co-chairman and author of seven
published mysteries. "Unpub published mysteries. "Unpub-
lished writers need information and the opportunity to present
their work to agents and editors. This year's Frontiers in Writing Conference provides education in
career management as well as incareer management as well as in-
formation on submission of Manuscripts and the "nuts and
bolts" of writing fiction and nonbolts" of writing fiction and non-
fiction."
The conference opens Friday,
August 11 at $5: 30 \mathrm{p}$.m. with a reception and autograph party at
the Big Texan Steak Ranch. A "Meet the Speakers" buffet begins at 7 p.m.,. followed by the
address, "Language, Nonsense, and Poetry," given by keynote
and
speaker Howerd speaker Howard Nemerov.
Winner of a Pulitzer Prize and ov is the curret Poet Laureate of the United States and consultant
to the Library of Congress. Au to the Library of Congress. Au-
thor of 26 books, Nemerov is a thor of 26 books, Nemerov is a
professor of English at Washing-
ton University in St. Louis. cars into furnaces


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## 居 <br> Summer heat turns parked

"Howard Nemerov writes
$\begin{aligned} & \text { poetry that is inspiring, enjoy- } \\ & \text { able will feature Elmer Kel }\end{aligned}$ ton, western literature's most able, and understandable," says
Sharon Drain, conference co-
chairman and widely published chairman and widely published
free-lance writer. poetry back from the obscurity
where it has languished for most of this century. The sponsors of
Frontiers in Writing welcome the Frontiers in Writing welcome the
opportunity to host the Poet Lexas." Registration for workshops
Saturday, August 12, begins at 8 a.m. on the fourth floor of the
Technology Building at Amarillo College. a.m., and will feature Wallace
Exman, senior editor of Zebra Books, who will speak on "Writ-
ing for the Editor: Proposals and Query Letters;'; Alice Harron
Orr, partner in Kearns and Orr Associates, a literary agency, on "How to Stop Shooting Your Writing Career in the Foot:" Ben
Ezzell, newspaper publisher, on "Writing for the Regional News-
paper;" and Betsy Haynes juve paper;", and Betsy Haynes, juve-
nile writer, on "Writing Bestsel-
ilers nile writer, on "Writing Bestsel-
lers for Kids." At $9: 30$, Howard
Nemerov will "Poty," Nemerov will conduct a special
workshop on "Poetry," followed at $10: 30$ by a repeat of morning
study speakers. A panel discussion featuring all
speakers will follow an awards speakers will follow an awards
luncheon in the College Union
Building. At $2: 45$ on, western literature's mos
noted novelist, on "Creating
cook-Book-Length Fiction;"' Judith
Hennessee, journalist and author, on "Creating Book-Length
Nonfiction;", Dr. Jene Miller, Noniction;" Dr. Jene Miller,
pastoral counselor, on "How to
Handle the Stress, Loneliness Hadile the Stress, Loneliness \&
Rejection of Writing;" and MarRejection of Writing;" and Mar
garet Armen, screenwriter and garmer member of the Board of
firectors for the Writers Guild of Directors for the Writers Guild of
American, West, on "Writing for American, West, on "Writing for
the Big and Little Screen." Study
groups will be repeated at $3: 45$ groups will be repeated at $3: 45$.
The conference will close a The conference will close a
4:35 p.m. with a drawing for tw $4: 35 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. with a drawing for two
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Pre-registration for the conference is $\$ 55$ for members of
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Potry Soiety of Pand the Hi-Plains Chapter of the for non-members and includes the Friday night buffet. Pre
registration for the Saturday registration for the Saturday
workshop is only $\$ 40$ for member and $\$ 5$ for non-members. Pre
registration must be received by registration must be receeved by
August 5 . Registration at the door August 5 . Registration at the doo
for Saturday is $\$ 6 \theta$ for member and non-members.
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79114, or call co-chairman Dori Meredit ta at 8060635223389 ,
Sharon Drain at (806)352-1662.
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## Club News



## People, places \& things




## Sports

## Records fall as U.S. Olympic Festival concludes



Ken Davis of Lithonia, Ga., a student at the University of Nebraska, won a silver on the parallel bars.

By OWEN CANFIELD
AP Sports Writer
OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - The
U.S. Olympic Festival ended in
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was fitting It had sta record-setting fashion, which
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same way.
Hollis Conway of Southwestern
Louisiana set Louisiana set an American re-
cord in the high jump Sunday
when he cleared 7 feet, 10 inches when he cleared 7 feet, 10 inches.
betterint the mark of $7.9 \%$ he had
set in bettering the mark of 7 -9\% he had
set in the NCAA Championships
earlier this year setrine this year
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conway s.
performance came
doys atter the fest 10 days after the festival official-
ly began in front of a record open
 Sunday's closing ceremonies
drew 48,51, bringing the total dren and ate to
atin, 39 .
The closing cere The closing ceremonies fea-
tured country-western entertain-
ers ers Roy Clark and Crystal Gayle,
plus Ray Charles' rendition of
"A. Amicica" ". tor of olympic Festivals an
to Competition for the U.S. Olympic
Committee Committee
cIts provided a great start to
the new class of Olympians. People who follow this festival have
their work cut out." Walker their work cut out," "Walker said
"This is for and away the best
festival experience we have festival experience we have
had." Conway ended it with a flour-
ish, easily clearing 7 -10 atter having won the competition on fewer
misses at $6.6 / 2$. He then failed
three times.t. three umesh of
record height of
Conway's record jump came
fewer than 24 hours after Cuba's
Javier So fewer than 24 hours after Cuba'
Javier Sotomayor broke the 8.
foot barrier at San Juan, Puerto
Rico.
Conway,
22, will meet Soto-
Conway, 22, will meet Soto-
manor Saturday in the Jack-
in-the-Box Invitational at Los
in-the-Box Invitational at Los
Angeles.
Conway's leap overshadowed Conway's leap overshadowed
several other outstanding per-
formances on the final day of severances on
fompetition.
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Olpmpic gold medalist Sheila Ohympic gold medalist Sheila
Echols of Baton Rouge, La., was a double winner, capeturing the
long jum at 21 feet turche the long jump at 21 fetet. 4 inches and
the 100 meters in 11.20 seconds.
 nomen' 1 no-meter hurdies, wind
ning it . Was her second
festival gold. She also won the event in 1987 . The temperature three feet
above the surface of the John Jacobs track wase measured at
103 degrees early in Sunda, competition. Divers found relief from the
heat in the new $\$ 2.1$ million Oklahoma City Community College
Aquatic Center Scoggin of Aust, Therean and
Cokey Smithof An Arbar Cokey Smith of Ann Arbor, Mich.
won gold in the 10 -meter platiorm competition Sunday.
Bela Karolyi's Bela a arolyits symnasts hard
ly missed anything Sund ly missed anything Sunday, tak
inge eight of 12 medals. KimZmes ingeight of 12 medals. Kim Z Z mes
kal, 13 , of Houston, who won gold for the all-around and team com
petition on $F$ Friday yot a gold and petition on Friday, got a gold and
wo silvers this time. Amy Scherr, 14 , of Cincinnati,
won a gold on the vault and Erika Won a gold on he vaul and Erik beam. 12 year-old Shannon Mil ler, of nearby Edmond, broke u Karolyi's Gymnastics' domni
nance by winning the uneven
bars bars. Lance Ringnald of Albuquerque dom inated the men's con
petition, winning four golds and silver, including the all-aroun
title. In hockey, Chris Nelson scored
two goals Sunday night in leading two goals Sunday night in leading
the West to a $5-1$ gold medal victory over the South medal As usual the festival
from begining to end
Swimmer Swimmers Sarah Perroni of
Bristol. RI and Geff Cronin Sunnyvale, Calif. each won six medals. Perronit had tow onolds.
three silvers and a brone three silvers and a bronze, while
Cronin had three golds, one silver and two bronzes.
Fast pitch softball Fast pitch softball - a pitch
er's sport - was dominated er's sport - was dominated by
Peter Meredith of Elkhart, Ind and Kathy Arendsen of Holland Mich. Meredith threw a perfect
game, a one-hitter and five shut outs as the East won the gold Arendsen also had a perfect


Sheila Echols of Baton Rouge, La., who won gold mestival record with and of ele dash, set
Quanah cowboy dies at Cheyenne Rodeo By DONNA GORDON
Associated Press Writer
things like that,", said Quana
Mayor Butch Dickerson. cheyenne wo A Texas bull rider working toward a second world cham-
pionship died over the weekend when a charging bull
gored him after he had turned his back.
Lane Frost. 25, of Quanah Texas, died Sunday night a Frontier Days Rodeo. The bull's charge broke Frost's
ribs, which punctured a major ribs, which punctured a major
blood vessel, said Laramie County Coroner Roger Radomsky.
Spectator Spectators watched as Frost and collapsed.
Medical crews on the scene
reportedly used a defibrillator reportedly used a defibrillator
to attempt to revive him. But soon after officials announced Frost had died. "We in Cheyenne are all
deeply saddened at the loss of this fine young man...Lane
was not only one of the best young not ony one of the bes young men at his job, he was
one of the finest of people and he will be missed by every-
one," said Cheyenne Frontier One," said Cheyenne Frontier
Days Chairman Jerry Jesson Duanah residents, who had erected a billboard in the center of town boasting of Frost's
rodeo achievements, said they rodeo achievements, said they
were shocked and saddened by weres shock.
the news.
"He's kind of our town idol We're a smair town. We dwe
on things like this. We do have a lot of people who do big

Mayor Butch Dickerson.
The crowd was not aware of how seriously Frost had been
injured when he was awarded injured when he was awarded
an 83 score for his ride on a bull called, "K. Walsh.' Frost finished at second
place in bull riding in the finals and came in third in the ave age on three rides at the rodeo.
His Sunday paycheck totalled $\$ 4,700$ A native of Kim, Colo, Frost
was runner-up for the 1983
Rookie of the Ye Rookie of the Year. He was the
1987 Texas Prorodeo Circuit Champion Pard 1983 Prairie
Chate Circuit champion. He also was a runner up bull rider in the
Winston Tour in 1986, and the
Nen National Finals Rodeo bull rider average winner in 1986
His career earning thr His career earning through
1988 totaled $\$ 461,644$. had the promise of being a
great one and it's great one and it's tragic,"'s said
John Painter, Mesquite Cham John Painter, Mesquite Chan.
pionship Rodeo spokesman.

## Pampa Bambinos advance

 BROKEN BOW, Okla. - Fac-ing elimination, the Pampa All- $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { Martindale had two hits each } \\ & \text { Duane Nickleberry, Ivan Lang }\end{aligned}$ ing elimination, the Pampa All-
Stars held off Hugo, $6-5$, to advance in the loser's bracket of the Southwest Bambino Regionals Pampa plays the Eas Louisiana-South Arkansas loser at 1 p.m. today,
Hugo was trailing $6-5$ with a runner on in the seventh inning when Pampa second baseman Jeremy Stone made a diving
catch of a line drive for the final catch of a line drive
out.
Gerald Reyes was three Gerald Reyes was three for
three at the plate to lead Pampa's three at the plate to lead Pampand
hitting attack Danny Frye and hitting attack. Danny Frye and
Kyle Parnell belted home runs
for Pampa Frye also had a doufor Pampa. Frye also had a dou-
ble while Tracy Peet and Bryan
ey Nane Nickleberry, Ivan Lang
Dole Noble and Seth Heis kell, one hit each. Peet was the winning pitche
while Nickleberry picked up while Nickleberry picked up innings, giving up three runs on six hits while striking out one and pitched two innings, allowing two runs on three hits while striking out one and not walking a batter
Hugo was the Oklahoma State champions. Pampa lost to Sylvan Hills of
Arkansas 5 -1 in the of the tournament The winner advances to the Bambino World Series in Wilm
ington, North Carolina.

Harold Baines, acquired from the White Sox in a trade for Scott Fletcher, warms up on deck before his first at bat as a Ranger Saturday night.
 $\underset{\substack{\text { By HARRX ATKINS } \\ \text { AP Sports Writer }}}{\text { Hen }}$
GRAND BLANC, Mich. (AP) the Buick Open was for all those agined. The 42-year-old Thompson,
rumpled and wrinkled and proud of his good ol boy image, finished Warwick Hills to end a long dry
said Tike to have a good time," native who now calls Ponte Verknow what a Be. "I'm not sure I we have a lot in common." third round, Thompson looked range, topping local driving yards and knocking the next into the street and out of bounds. But
he showed a lot of fight, getting a par despite the first shot and set-
tling for double-bogey on the
other. "If couldn't be competitive, I'd quit," said Thompson, whose
third victory on the PGA Tour was his first in 12 years. Thompson got to 16 -under with
two holes remaining in the $\$ 1$ mi lion tournament, but had a three-
putt bogey on No. 17, a dinky little



Leonard Thompson, shown hitting out of the gallery on the seventh, captured a one-stroke victory Sunday.

## Kunkel gets the call

 as starting shortstop ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) --The Texas Rangers acquired designated hitter Harold Baines
from the Chice an eye on the future and the focus on the present. But what it means to Jeff Kunk-
el is less fun in the sun and more time in the fields. "Cut back on the golf; cut back
on the swimming; cut back on the on the swimming; cut back on the
sun," Kunkel said of his new role.
The five-player deal The five-player deal that sent
shortstop Scott Fletcher and two top prospects to Chicago for
Baines and reserve infielder Baines and reserve infielder
Fred Manrique leaves Kunkel as the Rangers' everyday shortstop.
'I know I'm going to be in there,", said Kunkel, who has
played six different played six different positions for
Texas this season. Manrique will replace Kunkel as the team's utility infielder.
Kunkel has played just Kunkel has played just 99
career major league games at career major league games at
shortstop. If he cannot handle the new role, the Rangers have a big-
lieve they have solved at desig-
nated hitter with Baines. "Jeff Kunkel has been more mature than he has been," "gener-
al manager Tom Grieve told The Dallas Morning News. "He ha
shown great range, excellent arm and an improved offensiv performance, too.
Rangers
Rangers manager Bobby
Valentine even went so far as to compare Kunkel favorably to
Fletcher. "Kunkel has Fletcher. "Kunkel has more
rahge and a better arm," Valen-
$\qquad$ This is Kunkel's second official
try at full-time shortstop. In 1984, try at full-time shortstop. In 1984, proclaimed Kunkel "the next proclaimed Yount,", and made him a
Robine
fixture in the lind fixture in the lineup.
Kunkel hit only. 204 and be came a victim of what Radar con-
cedes was mismanagement. The cedes was mismanagement. The year shuttle filled with injuries
and disappointments between the majors and Class AAA Oklahoma

## Sports

## Stewart wins everything except recognition



White Sox second baseman Scott Fletcher, playing in his first game for Chicago after Saturday's trade, puts ou

| By BEN WALKER AP Baseball Writer | AL |
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| Nolan Ryan wins more fans, | da |
| s a bigger | Fletcher to the White Sox, went |
| ens wins |  |
| re Cy Young | 1,500th major-league hit. Ruben |
| But no one in the American | Sierra homered and drove in |
| League wins more gamès than | three runs for the $\mathbf{R}$ |
| Dave Stewart. | Ryan, 12-6, gave up |
| Stewart again filled the stop- | and did not |
| cr's role, starting the Oakland | innings. |
| thletics over the Seattle | WHITE SOX |
| 5-3 Sunday | ANGELS |
| ading 15th victory. | Jerry Reuss and Bobby Thig- |
| Stewart, who has |  |
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| the Mariners for the 10th straight |  |
| time. He helped Oakland pull | Reuss, 8-5, gave up four hits in |
|  | en innings and won for the |
| the American League West. | first time since June 20. |
| "It's just a really good roll of | Scott Fletcher, acquired Satur- |
|  | day in a trade that sent Harold |
|  | Baines to Texas, hit a sacrifice |
| throwing against them when ${ }^{\text {r'm }}$ | fly in the eighth that put the Whi |
| pitching well, because they're a | Sox ahead 3-2. |
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| Stewart, 15-6, got closer to his |  |
|  | Danny Ta |
| , | single in the |
| ajors was Jim Palmer from |  |
| 1975-78 with Bat | loss in 11 g |
| RANGERS ........................ 9 | The Royals loaded the bases |
| REWERS $\qquad$ 3 | with one out in the eighth on walks and a single. George Br |
| ry and struck out 10 and Pete |  |
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| er runs as Texas won at home | Gregg Olson, 3-2 |
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| league this season. The Brewers |  |
|  | Steve Farr, 1-4, got the victory |

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Wayne Tolleson ended an 0-for 4 streak by singling home the inning inning in the bottom of the o beat Toronto. hrough six innings by Dave Stieb, scored four times in the
seventh, tied it in the eighth and seventh, tied it in the eighth and
won in the ninth New York is 4-41 in games in which it trails after
six innings.
In the Yankees' ninth, Randy
Velarde led off with a drive to
right that Tom Lawless dropped
When he ran into the wall
Telleson's ground single to right. RED SOX ..
INDIANS .
 Relievers Dennis Lamp and
Rob Murphy each pitched thre shutout innings and visiting Bos-
ton beat error-plagued Cleve-


Lamp, 1-1, took over after Mike
his right shoulder. Murphy got
his sixth save.
John Farrell, 6-10, gave up five
uns, two of them unearned on 10 hits in $41-3$ innings.
TWINS ............................... 14
TIGERS..................... 3
Jim Dwyer, Greg Gagne
Randy Bush each homered and
Minnesota got 16 hits to win at Tiger Stadium.
Dwyer hit a three-run homer
and Kent Hrbek had a two-run ingle as the Twins score
times in the first inning.

## Bird out again with

 broken bone in backRookie quarterback Steve Walsh, left, who recently signed a four-year package worth $\$ 4.1$ million,
warms up with the Dallas Cowboys' other millionaire rookie, Troy Aikman. Walsh, taken in the warms up with the Dallas Cowboys' other millionaire rookie, Troy Aikman. Walsh, taken in the supplemental draft, will earn a paycheck substantiany smaller than that of Aikman, who signed a
six-year contract worth $\$ 11$ million when he was taken as the Cowboys' No. 1 pick in the regular draft.
Astros move closer to NL West lead

By DICK BRINSTER
AP Sports Writer
The Houston Astros hit balls that fell where the San Francisco Giants
weren't. The Giants just didn't hit them anywhere. balls today that don't think you could have thrown dout there any better," San Francis-
co pitcher Mike LaCoss said Sundy co pitcher Mike LaCoss said Sunday
after the Astros beat the Giants 6-2 atter the Astros beat the Giants 6 -2
to move within a game of the lead in the National League West. Mike Scott beagame the first pitch r in the major leagues to win 17
games. Scott, 17-5, struck out nine Danny Darwin, who pitched the last wo innings, added five more. They
truck out the side in the first, seventh and ninth innings. SUVent
CUETS.
Mark Grace hit a two-run homer off relief ace Randy Myers with two outs in the ninth inning for surging
Cicago. New York lost for the sixtt Chicago. New York lost for the sixth
straight time, its worst slide since 1985. Chicago has won seven of Wight one out in the ninth, Jerome Walton beat out a bunt single and advanced on a wild pitch by reliever Los Angeles, 11th in the league in a single by Steve Jeltz and scored on

NFL's best at coming one of the backfield and catching passes as his more than 20
tions will attest.


Newsome endangered by Dallas' youth movement By DENNE H. FREE
AP Sports Writer

## THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) - Tim Newsome begins a decade

 in the NFL being counted outagain. "It's been the same old song for
nine years," Ne wsome says.
"They keep trying to get rid of old Fullback Newsome is being en-
Tangered by the Dallas Cowboys' dangered by the Dallas Cowboys'
youth movement under new
coach Jimmy In fact, the Cowboys cited the
fullback position as one of their fullback position as one of their
strongest needs and drafted Daryind round.
Johnston has drawn heavy
praise from Johnson in the Cow-
boys' worko
Newsome gained only 75 yards on 32 carries last year, scoring
three touchdowns. He did catch 30 passes for 236 yards and no
scores. "I don't worry about my odds," Newsome said "I just play football and aer been given a never been given a guarantee. It
think my talent will speak for itself."


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