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The Crossroads of West Texas

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### Home at last

The last American soldier held prisoner in Cuba after the 1961 Bay of Pigs invasion has returned home. See Story, Page 3A.

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## Spring board

### How's that?

#### State planes

Q. How many planes does the state of Texas own or lease? How many full- or part-time pilots does it employ?  
A. Texas owns 43 planes, ranging in size from the Governor's jet to small, single engine planes, said Bob Dulaney, executive director of the State Aircraft Pooling Board.  
Many of these are leased to various state agencies, who hire their own pilots, he said.  
The state employs 57 pilots, including Department of Public Safety helicopter pilots and those hired by individual agencies.

### Calendar

#### Art shows

##### TODAY

- The Big Spring Arts & Crafts Festival will be at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum from 1-6 p.m. Admission is free.
- The Crossroads Fine Arts Association continues its fall art show through Sunday at Big Spring Mall.
- Port Authority, the U.S. Navy jazz band, will give a concert at 2 p.m. in the Municipal Auditorium. Free tickets are available at the *Herald* and the Chamber of Commerce.

##### TUESDAY

- A public meeting to discuss the proposed Sunstar Raceway will be at 7 p.m. at the Park Inn.
- Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, 306 W. Third St., will have an open house.

##### THURSDAY

- State Rep. Larry Don Shaw will sponsor a chili cook-off at 6:30 p.m. at the Howard County Fair Barns. The entry fee is \$15. For more information, call 263-7383.
- A public meeting to discuss the proposed Sunstar Raceway will be at 7 p.m. at the Park Inn.

##### FRIDAY

- The Forsan Study Club will have a smorgasbord 6-7:45 p.m. at the high school auditorium, preceding the Forsan-Stanton football game. The fee is \$4 for adults, \$3 for students, and \$2 for children under age 12.

##### SATURDAY

- Marcy Elementary School will have its fall carnival. The rooms will be open from 6-9 p.m., and the kitchen from 5-8 p.m. A chili supper will be served. Advance tickets will be sold at 8:30 a.m. Thursday and Friday. Tickets are 30 cents each or four for \$1.

### Tops on TV

#### Of Pure Blood

Returning to her German birthplace to investigate her son's violent death, a woman learns that his demise could be connected to events in both of their pasts in "Of Pure Blood." The movie, starring Lee Remick and Patrick McGowan, airs at 8 p.m. on Channel 7.

### Outside

#### Partly Cloudy

Skies today are partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain, a high in the mid 70s and south winds at 10 to 15 miles per hour. Tonight and Monday will be partly cloudy with a low in the lower 50s and a high Monday in the mid 70s.

## Prison growth proposed

By SCOTT FITZGERALD  
Staff Writer

Congressman Charles Stenholm talked to Federal Prison System Director Norman Carlson about a week ago about a proposal to expand Big Spring Federal Camp to house female prisoners, said Bill Longley, a Stenholm aide.  
Longley said he understood there also have been talks between Southcentral Regional Bureau Director J.D. Williams and Big Spring Federal Camp Superintendent Anthony Belaski.  
So far no action has surfaced from the Stenholm meeting, Longley said. But Assistant Superintendent Lloyd McMillan of the Big Spring Federal Camp said efforts would be made to show and discuss the proposed expansion site with Williams Thursday.  
Williams will be in Big Spring to take part in a dedication ceremony honoring the camp's new greenhouse and landscape technology complex.

The proposal to purchase property from the city and renovate existing buildings to house approximately 300 to 350 female offenders, is working its way through a hierarchy of federal prison wardens, Longley said.

"Our district staff has been working to get it through," he added.

According to Belaski's announcement last month, the proposal calls for lease or purchase of about 60 acres from the city and the remodeling of three existing buildings in Big Spring Airpark on property adjoining the south end of the prison camp.

Webb Bowling Alley would become a dining hall and kitchen.

He said last month the proposal may create between 60 to 80 new jobs here.



### Stepping high

Members of the Big Spring High School marching band, sporting new uniforms, march down Main Street during the Homecoming parade Friday afternoon. The band consists of 160 students. The band gave a performance at the Steers vs. Ft. Stockton game Friday night as well. For additional Homecoming photos, see section B, page three.

## Water funds

### Congress allots \$724.5 million to Texas

WASHINGTON (AP) — A major water resources bill passed by Congress in its waning moments provides Texas with \$724.5 million to build eight new water projects and expand or study five other projects.  
Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, ranking member of the Senate Environment and Public Works Committee, said the projects will give

Texas \$724.5 million to build vital flood control, navigational and recreational projects.

"This is the first major water projects legislation in a decade," said Bentsen, who was a member of the House-Senate conference that came up with the compromise bill.

Bentsen's office released the following new Texas projects

authorized in the bill:

- Brazos Island Harbor, a \$31.8 million deep draft navigation and recreation project in the Port of Brownsville.
- Texas City Channel, a \$199.7 million navigation project in Galveston Bay.
- Boggy Creek, Colorado River and tributaries, \$23.9 million for a flood control and recreation project in the Austin area.

- Lake Wichita-Holiday Creek, \$29 million for urban flood control in Wichita Falls.
- Lower Rio Grande Basin, \$195.7 million for a joint Corps of Engineers-Soil Conservation Service flood control project in Hidalgo, Willacy and Cameron counties.

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## Reagan signs new budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan signed on Saturday a \$576 billion spending bill for the fiscal year that began Oct. 1, after complaining repeatedly that Congress was too slow in enacting it.  
Reagan made no public comment in signing the measure, but had been prodding the lawmakers over the past two weeks to send it to his desk.  
"I want a budget, which I haven't had since I've been here," the president told reporters on Oct. 8.

The spending bill approved by Congress contains funds for virtually all federal agencies. The funds are supposed to be provided in 13 appropriations bills, but in recent years lawmakers frequently have failed to pass all of these bills. This year they had not passed any when they approved the over-all spending measure late Friday.  
The delay in action left the government without spending authority Friday and resulted in 500,000 federal workers being sent home early.

Reagan signed the bill at Camp David, the presidential retreat in Maryland's Catoctin Mountains, where he was spending the weekend.

The bills provides for about a 1 percent increase in spending over the fiscal year that ended Sept. 30, which was up 4.5 percent over the previous year.

Overall spending authority is about \$700 million less than Reagan's request.

Military spending accounts for about \$290 million less than Reagan's request.  
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House Minority Leader Robert Michel, R-Ill., left, shares a light moment with House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. in the speaker's Capitol Hill office Friday night. O'Neill bade an emotional farewell to the House of Representatives as he stepped down after 10 years, the longest consecutive term ever for a speaker of the house.

## Speaker of House Tip O'Neill retires

WASHINGTON (AP) — Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill Jr., whose white mane and stout build became symbolic of the Democratic Party, said farewell to the House of Representatives where he was ending his 10-year tenure as speaker.

"I leave with just love and affection for this great body," O'Neill, D-Mass., said Friday night during an alternately hushed and uproarious interlude as the 99th Congress drew to a close. "I'll always be a man of the House of Representatives."  
Congress was scheduled to finish its work and adjourn for the year today.

O'Neill was given several long and cheering standing ovations as he held the gavel for one of the last times.

In a quiet and sometimes emotion-tinged voice that contrasted with the booming tones usually heard during contentious

debate, he reminisced about his 50-year career as a legislator and restated the Democratic philosophy that has guided him.

"Fifty years ago, every community had a poorhouse or an alms house," he recalled before the nearly full chamber. "Your father worked six days a week. What was life all about? Life is all about the family, a roof over your head, food and sustenance, your children to have a better education than you have."  
"... And in 50 years I've seen a change. And I've seen a change because the American people wanted a change... The great laws, Social Security, Medicare, the Civil Rights Bill ... in 50 years I've seen so much."

O'Neill was first elected to Congress from his Boston district in 1952, and rose through the ranks to become chairman of the Rules

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## Center to host open house

The Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, Third and Lancaster Streets, a United Way agency, will have an open house Tuesday.

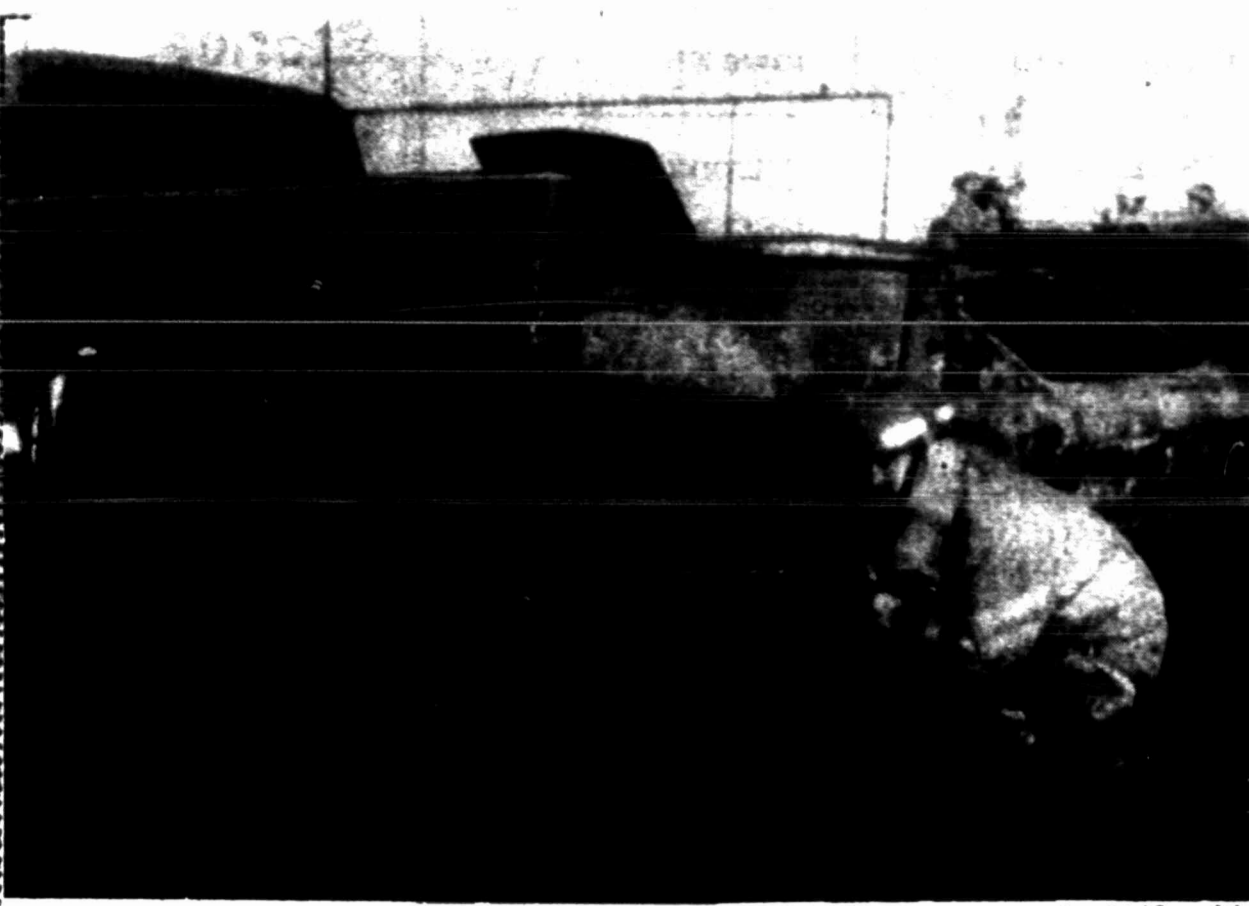
The center's purpose is to provide services to handicapped adults and children that will improve their health, welfare, education, rehabilitation, employment and opportunities.

Severe, long-term disabilities such as cerebral palsy, stroke, rheumatoid arthritis, apatonia, and multiple sclerosis are treated, as well as short-term problems, such as strains, sprains, bursitis, tendonitis, post fractures, low back syndromes and others.

Patients are treated regardless of race, color, creed, national origin or ability to pay, but they must have a medical referral.

Most of the patients are from Howard County and nearby. Therapists visit nursing homes and the Veterans Administration Medical Center twice weekly, and are on-call to Root Memorial Nursing Home in Colton.

About 95 percent of the treatment is performed at the center where equipment is available. Physical, occupational and speech therapy and audiology are offered.



Associated Press photo

### Campaign fire

A firefighter extinguishes a fire that destroyed two cars and damaged six others during a barbecue for Republicans Bill Clements and Roy Barrera Jr. in Corpus Christi Friday. No one was hurt by the fire. Smoke trailed for miles from El Indio Danceland where Amigos De Clements Y Barrera held their fund-raising barbecue. Fire officials believe the fire, which started under a Chevrolet Chevette and then spread, was ignited by a hot tail pipe, a catalytic converter or a discarded cigarette. One vehicle owner said he believed the fire may have been politically motivated since he had a Jim Mattox sticker on his rear bumper.

### Police beat

## Thieves steal over \$1,000 cash

Thieves got away with cash in three burglaries Friday night and early Saturday. \$1,346 cash was stolen from the residence of Jim Zack, 1603 Indian Hills, early Saturday morning.

Faye's Flowers, 1013 S. Gregg St., reported the theft of \$100, plus \$480 damage to gladiolas flowers, \$10 damage to a metal cash box, and \$10 damage to a padlock. Police reports said the lock, on a rear door, had been cut.

John David Fritter, 1410 Johnson St., reported the theft of \$30 from his house.

A 1977 brown Dodge Aspen stationwagon was stolen from Jo Ellen Canales, 911 Willa, early

Saturday morning. The car was valued at \$2,000.

- An unknown amount of silver and a pair of black shoes were stolen from Ana Bell Barton, 311 N.W. Ninth St., Monday morning. The theft was reported Friday afternoon.
- Michelle Green, 28, 109 E. 13th, charge of theft, dismissed.
- Keith Randall Pherigo, 32, of Coahoma was arrested for driving with a suspended license at 11th Place and FM 700 Saturday morning. He was transferred to the county jail and released on \$500 bond.
- Robert Lee Taylor, 48, of Ackerly was arrested at 800 S.

Gregg St. early Saturday morning on suspicion of driving while intoxicated. He was transferred to the county jail and released on \$1,000 bond.

- Raymond Gonzales, 50, 1011 Johnson St., was arrested at 700 E. Second St. Friday evening for driving without a license.
- Louis Silva, 22, 1307 Lindbergh, was arrested at 300 W. 14th St. Friday night on Department of Public Safety traffic warrants.
- Rafael Esteban Deanda, 18, 4103 Muir, and John Anthony Deanda, 19, 3700 Parkway, were arrested for disorderly conduct at Memorial Stadium Friday night.

## Young pedestrian unhurt after hit by car

A Big Spring two-year-old suffered minor injuries when she was struck by a car at 2300 Lynn Drive at 10:38 a.m. Saturday.

Becky Ann Zubiate, 1500 Kentucky Way, was treated and released

from Scenic Mountain Medical Center, a hospital spokeswoman said.

The child crawled out the window of a car parked on the street, then darted in front of an on-coming

vehicle, according to police reports.

A white Chevrolet van, driven by Charles Clark Franklin, 1810 E. 24th St., struck Zubiate slightly, causing her to fall to the pavement, Franklin and a witness told police.

### Sheriff's log

## 13 Ackerly cows missing

Stan Smith of Ackerly reported 13 cows missing. The animals were last seen eight miles southeast of Ackerly. They have a squared SD brand on their left shoulders.

Sheriff's department reports describe the cows as: six black, two black bald faced, two solid red, two red with mottled faces, and one brindie, bald faced, horned cow.

If located, contact Smith at 353-4510.

- Jose Munoz III, 21, 3000 Old Highway 80, was transferred from city custody Friday afternoon after his arrest on three Department of Public Safety traffic warrants. He was released after paying a \$252 fine.

## Parents welcome at center

Parents and other interested adults may view films and other audio-visual materials available to public schools through the Region 18 Education Service Center.

A one-day reviewing session is set for Oct. 23 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the center, located on LaForce Boulevard, Midland Regional Air Terminal.

Those requesting preview of par-

ticular films should notify the center at least five days in advance so the staff will have time to check on availability of the films and set up preview rooms. If a film isn't available on the date requested, another viewing time may be arranged.

Anyone interested can call Shirley Higgins, media manager of the center, at 563-2380.

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## Tip O'Neill

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Committee, Democratic whip and majority leader and speaker after Carl Albert retired in 1976.

Speaking to a reporter, Thomas Philip O'Neill Jr. remembers the night in Boston, decades ago, when he stumbled through a dull speech, returned to his seat, and the Honorable James Michael Curley, mayor and governor before he went to jail, whispered two words in his ear.

"You stank."

Now, in the twilight of his political life, the reviews are rosier for Tip O'Neill, for 34 years the congressman from the 8th District of Massachusetts, and, for the last decade — a tenure unmatched — the speaker of the House.

He's going home now, to a modest house two doors up from the one in which he was born, though many folks in the 8th, those in the barbershops and the shoeshine parlors and the veterans' halls, would argue that, at heart, he never really left.

## New correspondent assigned to C-City

Ray Mayo, 38, of Colorado City has been named the Herald's Colorado City correspondent, Managing Editor Darrell Berkheimer announced today.

Mayo, a 1966 graduate of Colorado High School, has been in the news business for about 16 years and now is editor of the Colorado City Record, a position he's filled since 1984.

His earlier positions included a year as news editor at the Huntsville Morning News and two years as managing editor at the Corsicana Daily Sun, where he spent five years as regional editor and news editor. He also was managing editor at the Suburban News in Farmers Branch.

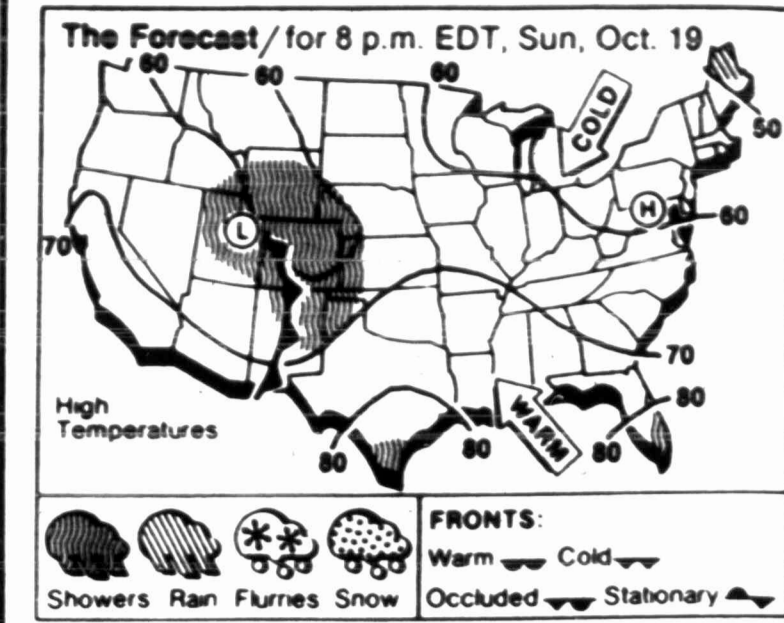
Mayo has six years experience as a reporter at the Mexia Daily News and McKinney Courier-Gazette.



RAY MAYO  
... new correspondent

Colorado City news items may be addressed to Mayo at P.O. Box 29, 79512.

## Weather



### Forecast

West Texas — Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms north and far west Sunday and over much of area Sunday night and Monday. Highs Sunday 66 Panhandle to 82 Big Bend. Lows Monday night 42 mountains to 46 Panhandle to 59 Concho Valley. Highs Monday 61 Panhandle to 78 Big Bend.

### State

A high-pressure cell that was settled across the northeastern United States continued to produce clear skies over most of Texas Saturday.

Some clouds formed over South and Southeast Texas because of Gulf moisture that wind currents carried over heated land surfaces, according to the National Weather Service.

## Reagan

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billion, an increase of less than 2 percent, which is the smallest in the six years of Reagan's defense buildup. This is \$30 billion less than the president requested.

The measure also calls for a ban on anti-satellite weapons tests in space and urges U.S. compliance with the unratified SALT II treaty. This was a compromise worked out as a result of Reagan's efforts to eliminate from the bill restrictions that he said would tie his hands at his Iceland summit meeting with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev.

The bill provides \$3.5 billion for the administration's Strategic Defense Initiative, or "Star Wars," compared with an administration request of \$5.2 billion.

It calls for \$100 million in aid, \$70 million of it military, to the Contra rebels fighting against the Sandinista government in Nicaragua.

Foreign aid accounts for \$13.4 billion, 10 per cent less than last year, the largest cut of any category of federal spending.

The bill provides \$19.8 billion for the Commodity Credit Corporation, the Agriculture Department agency that pays for farm price- and income-support programs.

The measure terminates general revenue sharing for local governments and creates a \$1.7 billion program to combat illegal drugs.

## Water

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- Sims Bayou, \$126 million for flood control and recreation within the city limits of Houston, South Houston and Missouri City.
- Buffalo Bayou and tributaries, \$92 million flood control project providing protection to suburban Houston.
- Cooper Lake and channels, \$14.8 million for mitigation of anticipated habitat losses from construction of the Cooper Lake project near Commerce.

Preconstruction planning on two additional projects is authorized in the measure, with actual construction predicated on future action by Congress. Those are a flood control project on five Mile Creek near Dallas and a one-mile extension of the Sabine River Channel/Sabine Neches Waterway.

The Omnibus Water Resources legislation also includes the following modifications to existing facilities in Texas:

- The Denison Dam at Lake Texoma is authorized to increase allocation of storage in the reservoir for water supply and include recreation as an additional purpose.
- The Red River Chloride project to clean up naturally occurring chloride, a \$126 million project, will receive full federal funding, conditioned on a favorable finding of the effectiveness of a portion of the project already completed.
- At the mouth of the Colorado River, construction of the diversion channel component is directed at full federal expense.
- The bill also includes authorization for a demonstration project for the removal of silt and aquatic growth from Lake Worth at an estimated cost of \$1.7 million.

## Student referred for award

Kevin Hamlin of Big Spring has been nominated for the American Farmer degree, the highest degree awarded by the National Future Farmers of America organization.

The award is based on outstanding agricultural production, processing and service records, and demonstrated leadership. Hamlin will be one of 735 members receiving the award at the national convention in Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 13-15.

Only one in 600 of the 430,000 FFA members have advanced through Chapter and State Farmer degrees to earn this national award.

Hamlin is the son of Esco and Joyce Hamlin and attends Howard College. He was a member of the Sands FFA chapter.

Each winner receives a gold American Farmer key and an expense-paid trip to the national convention.

## Deaths

**Caribel J. Grimes**

Services for Mrs. George (Caribel J.) Grimes, 88, 1108 Douglas, will be 10 a.m. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home with the Rev. Keith Wiseman, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park Mausoleum.

She died Friday morning, Oct. 17, 1986, in her home after a long illness. She was born in Clarksville, Ga. May 4, 1898, and came to Big Spring in 1952 from Dallas.

She was an interior decorator with her son at Good Housekeeping in Big Spring for many years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Social Order of the Beauceant.

She is survived by her husband, George of Big Spring; a son, Jack Watkins of Big Spring; a daughter, Susan Young of Elmwood, N.J.; two stepsons, Richard Grimes of Port Arthur and Clarence Ray Grimes of Longview; a stepdaughter, Helen Gilmore of Dallas; a sister, Mrs. Phillip Lane of Dallas; seven grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be E.W. Richardson, Knox Chadd, Bud Pickett, Charles Sweeney, Alton Underwood, Robert Strippling and honorary pallbearer Champ Rainwater.

**Nalley-Pickle & Welch**  
Funeral Home  
and Rosewood Chapel

Mrs. George (Caribel J.) Grimes, 88, died Friday. Services will be Monday at 10:00 A.M. at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel. Entombment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

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## Nation

### By Associated Press NAACP get new HQ

BALTIMORE — Officials of the nation's largest black organization gathered here Saturday to dedicate the new headquarters of the NAACP, which its director says is struggling to implement civil rights laws already passed.

"We're not going to get any more sweeping court judgments," said Dr. Benjamin Hooks, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. "The battle is now implementation."

Hooks joined about 20 members of the NAACP's national board to dedicate the office building and grounds of the new headquarters of the 400,000-member organization, which was founded in 1909 in New York.

### Doctor found guilty

ROCHESTER, N.Y. — A pediatrician was found guilty of criminally negligent homicide for dropping his infant son and then keeping the accident a secret because he was ashamed and because the baby seemed fine.

Philip Campolo showed no reaction when the verdict was announced Friday night. He could receive up to four years in prison at his sentencing Dec. 1.

His 6-week-old son, Christopher, died four days after the incident last October, and an autopsy revealed the cause of death to be a brain hemorrhage resulting from three small skull fractures, according to testimony.

### Widow sues LaRouche

WASHINGTON — An elderly widow who says she was defrauded of more than \$60,000 by followers of Lyndon LaRouche won a federal court order seizing the money of two groups tied to the political extremist, including the campaign for a controversial AIDS measure on the California ballot.

An order signed by U.S. District Judge Thelton E. Henderson in San Francisco directed the attachment of up to \$63,958 in the bank accounts of the Prevent AIDS Now Initiative Committee, or "PANIC," and Caucus Distributors Inc. Both are part of LaRouche's network of organizations.

The move has the effect of freezing money in a Los Angeles bank account held by PANIC.

### Missile pact predicted

Superpowers will agree to European missile withdrawal medium-range missiles from Europe, the Pentagon's chief arms control negotiator predicted Saturday.

But the Soviets would first be required to accept onsite inspection as a precaution against cheating on the pact, Assistant Defense Secretary Richard Perle, a member of President Reagan's back-up team at the Iceland summit, said in an interview on Cable News Network.

Perle said the Soviets are bound by a pledge, "repeated in every capital in Europe," to come to quick agreement with the United States to limit the numbers of medium-range missiles in Europe.



Romon Conte Hernandez, 57, hugs his wife, Hilda, as they meet at Miami's International Airport Saturday after he flew into Miami from Cuba. Hernandez is the last Bay of Pigs soldier to be released by the Cuban government. He is the last of nearly 1,200 soldiers captured in the botched 1961 invasion to be freed.

## Home free

### Last Bay of Pigs prisoner released

MIAMI (AP) — The last of the 1,200 men imprisoned in Cuba for the abortive Bay of Pigs invasion a quarter-century ago arrived in Miami on Saturday, saying he would "continue to be a soldier of freedom."

Ramon Conte Hernandez, 56, hugged his wife, Hilda, and other family members who greeted him at Miami International Airport on a flight from Havana. He was accompanied on the flight from Cuba by his 82-year-old mother, Maria Hernandez Ojeda.

"I'm very grateful to be in the land of freedom," Conte said through an interpreter. "I thank the Americans for all they've done, and I'll continue to be a soldier of freedom here and everywhere."

Conte, who fled Castro's revolution in 1959, was one of 1,200 Cuban exiles captured in the CIA-backed invasion of April 17, 1961.

All but nine of the exiles were freed and returned to the United States in exchange for \$53 million in food and medical supplies 20 months later. Seven of the nine eventually were released and one died in prison. Cuban President Fidel Castro never explained why he kept Conte in prison for so long or why he was being released now.

Conte, who had escaped custody in 1969 but was recaptured two years later, said he was released Friday afternoon and spent Friday night in a Havana hotel.

At a news conference, Conte said he received "exceedingly better treatment" in the last few weeks before his release. "In this final period, my treatment changed totally," he said, without elaborating.

Despite his lengthy imprisonment, Conte said he was prepared to continue fighting Communism.

"The cause is not dead," he said. "Just because I was taken out of prison doesn't mean the cause is over. Cuba is still not free. ... I've been fighting Communism since I was 16 years old. None of that has changed."

"I thank the Americans for all they've done, and I'll continue to be a soldier of freedom here and everywhere."

Another member of Brigade 2506, Raul Masvidal, called Conte's release "the last page of a chapter. It's a sad chapter. But we brigade members hope the book has a happy ending ... the eventual return of democracy in Cuba."

## World

### By Associated Press Lebanon wants swap

DAMASCUS, Syria — Lebanon's justice minister, militia chief Nabih Berri, said Saturday he would seek to swap a captured Israeli airman for Lebanese and Palestinians held in Israel.

Berri, head of the Shiite Muslim Amal militia, refused to confirm while on a visit to Damascus, however, that the airman is in the hands of his fighters.

In Tel Aviv, an Israeli army official declined to comment on Berri's statement.

### Postponement denied

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — The Sandinista government has turned down a U.S. request to postpone for two weeks the trial of Eugene Hasenfus, the American captured this month after a rebel supply plane was shot down.

The Foreign Ministry said Friday that proceedings against Hasenfus would begin Monday, as planned.

"This decision corresponds to the firm determination of the government of Nicaragua to provide full carrying out of the guarantees of due process," the ministry said in a message to the U.S. Embassy in Managua.

"In that way, it has been arranged for the prisoner Hasenfus to go to judicial proceedings in the quickest time possible," it said.

### Iraq appeals to UN

BAGHDAD, Iraq — Iraq has appealed to the United Nations to intervene with Iran to stop firing long-range missiles at the Iraqi capital, state-run radio reported Saturday.

The appeal was contained in a letter sent Friday to U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar by Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz, the radio said. It quoted the letter as saying Iraq hopes the United Nations "takes up its responsibilities toward ending the repeated Iranian aggression."

The letter was sent a day after an Iranian missile struck a residential neighborhood of Baghdad, killing six people and injuring 64.

### U.S. image 'disfigured'

BOGOTA, Colombia — The newspaper El Tiempo said Saturday that U.S. immigration officials "disfigured" the image of the United States as a democratic nation by canceling the visa of Colombian journalist Patricia Lara and deporting her.

Her deportation was not explained and Ms. Lara has said she is suing the U.S. government. U.S. immigration officials have said only that her name appeared on a list of people that can be kept out of the country because of suspected subversive or terrorist activity.

Ms. Lara, who gave a news conference here after her return Friday night, said she has "never been a member of the Communist Party or belonged to any subversive group." She said she was a member of the governing Liberal Party.

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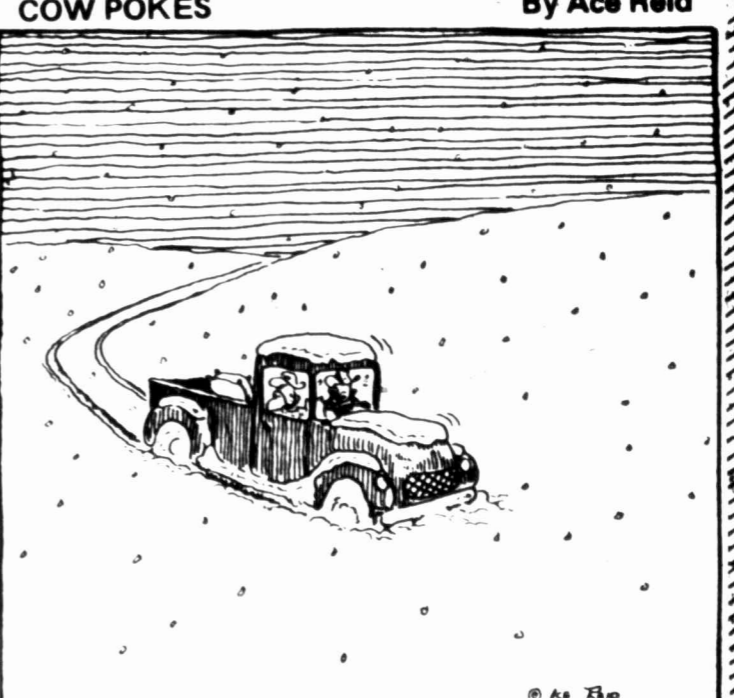
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# Opinion

## Time for city to use sense

We, along with the rest of the citizens of Big Spring, have waited patiently to see what City Council would do about the exorbitantly high water bills charged for July and August. That wait has lasted more than seven weeks as some of the speculative statements by city officials during that time almost seemed designed to insult the intelligence of most 10-year-olds.

Some actions and statements by city officials simply have failed to show common sense and indicated wishful thinking on their part that the issue would go away as time passes. Those statements also have been tantamount to calling more than 400 complaining water customers dishonest and stupid as sheep.

Let's examine the facts in the issue. During the two to three months in question, four situations occurred — all of which would have the effect of reducing water consumption.

First, flooding at the pump house disrupted water delivery throughout the city — as long as a week to some customers. Next, a stuck water gate valve restricted the city's ability to supply water, prompting calls for water conservation during a two- to three-week period.

Third, extremely heavy rains pelted the community throughout much of the period, substantially reducing the demand for outdoor water consumption.

And finally, many citizens were out of town for one and two weeks or more because it was the vacation season.

It does not take a mental giant to realize that citizens whose normal water consumption is 6,000 to 10,000 gallons per month should not climb to 20,000 and 30,000 gallons in that set of circumstances.

Nor does it take a mental giant to realize that a 30 percent increase in rates, enacted last fall, can't possibly account for a 200 to 300 percent increase in consumption and water bills. Those facts simply do not compute. Big Spring's citizens know it, and it's time for city officials to admit it as well.

It's also time for city officials to stop hinting that more than 400 customers are dishonest and trying to cheat the city. We admit that perhaps a few customers — a small minority — may be trying to escape paying high bills for water that they used. But we refuse to believe that it would be any more than a few who would cheat, or that more than 400 customers are liars.

After considering those to be the facts, we think it's time for the city to admit that the complaining customers did not cause the problem and therefore should be granted some relief from the incorrect high bills — even if only a token 5 to 10 percent discount.

We further think it's time for the city to apologize to the complaining citizens for doubting their honesty and hinting that they caused the problem.

What actually caused the situation now is merely a side issue — important only for purposes of trying to use that knowledge to prevent a recurrence.

What's really important is the principle of the situation and the city's poor attitude that customers don't know or don't understand what's happened.

It's a pocketbook issue that the customers understand quite well. Simply put, they know they didn't use that much water and they know they shouldn't be billed for it.

It's also a credibility issue and one that the city now needs to resolve. And unless it's resolved very soon, all of those officials associated with it will carry a credibility doubt with them for some time.

## Mailbag

### Water bills spawn plea for help

To the editor:  
I have these comments regarding Harold Hall's remarks. Being handicapped in Big Spring, you feel like the Jews did in Germany in September, 1935. You cannot get into City Council meetings, or talk to anyone who can do anything about our water problems. Mayor Mize is the only person who has tried to help my wife and I. I was in Fort Worth from May to the first of July — taking radiation treatments. The Water Department said we used 1,000 gallons of water per day during that time. We were told there's a deposit of \$25 for a new water meter, and all we

can find out to do is shut our month. The large water bills are still over our head. I can only ask the citizens of Big Spring to find someone who can set up an escrow account to hold our water bill money until our city fathers do something. As I understand, they plan to wait until the people of Big Spring forget this matter. We are on a fixed income and find ourselves at the mercy of our Water Department — unable to drink the water or pay our high water bills. We can only ask the citizens of Big Spring to help us.  
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## Legal issues cause delays in case drawing questions

**By DARRELL BERKHEIMER**  
Members of Big Spring's Hispanic community apparently are disturbed over trial delays in a slaying case now nearly a year old. The case involves the shooting death of 19-year-old Jimmy Yanez, 1009 W. Eighth St., last Nov. 19. It was the subject of a letter to the editor published Friday on this page.

Hispanic community members apparently are questioning the reasons and motives behind the delays, according to Yanez family members and friends plus a spokesman for the Big Spring Chapter of the League of United Latin American Citizens.

Questions have been raised about possible racial prejudice because Yanez was Hispanic and the man charged with his slaying, 34-year-old Preston Crawford, is Caucasian.

Questions also are being raised because two murders that occurred earlier this year already have been settled in court.

Much of the concern, however, appears to stem from a lack of understanding of the laws involved — laws that govern the actions of the court and District Attorney Rick Hamby.

Hamby, in outlining some of the steps in the case, reported he took it before a grand jury Jan. 29, when the grand jury declined to act on it until more information was received.

He said the case again went before a grand jury April 17 when Crawford was indicted on a charge of voluntary manslaughter.

That was disturbing to the Hispanic community because the case has been considered to be a murder.

That's not unusual because the term murder often is used



**Berky's babblings**

generically to refer to any slaying. In its legal sense, however, it has a much more narrow definition.

But many of us, particularly if the victim was our friend or a relative, would consider the case a murder.

Hamby explained that generally the term murder only can be applied if the slaying was planned or premeditated, or if it was committed in connection with another crime that was planned.

In the Yanez case, apparently there is no proof or good reason to believe that the killing was planned or premeditated.

So why hasn't the case gone to trial since the April grand jury action? Hamby gave several good reasons.

First, he said murder cases must be tried before other crimes such as manslaughter or lesser charges. In addition, he reported that defendants who are in jail must be tried before those who are out on bond.

In the Yanez case, Crawford has been free on bond since shortly after his arrest.

Hamby also reported that many criminal cases come under the speedy trial act that require going to trial within 90 to 120 days after the indictment — unless the defendant signs a waiver to the speedy trial requirement.

That's exactly what Crawford has done, which is one of the reasons why numerous other cases are being handled before his.

So Hamby now anticipates that the Yanez-Crawford case will go to trial in January.

The speedy trial act was enacted for the protection of defendants' rights. It was passed so that no one — particularly someone who might be innocent — will languish away in prison while awaiting for his or her trial. It's a good law.

There are no laws, however, to require a speedy trial on behalf of the victim or the victim's survivors. Perhaps we need one.

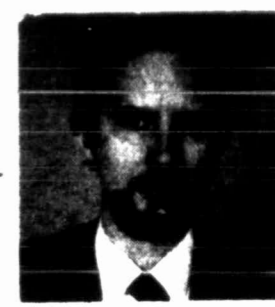
Hamby obviously has failed to tactfully explain these legal issues to the Yanez family.

Although he reported that he failed, I'm not surprised that he failed. His gruff mannerisms might easily come across to some people as arrogance, even though he may not intend it to be that way.

We're dealing in perceptions that must be considered even though they may be wrong. And elected officials should be the first to recognize that perceptions, regardless of their accuracy, can make a great deal of difference in people's actions and votes.

I know this explanation does nothing to relieve the grief of the Yanez family and friends, but perhaps it will provide a better understanding of the delays and how our legal system works.

*Berkheimer is managing editor of the Herald.*



**Jim Davis**

## Governor's race awaits 'bug' result

**By JIM DAVIS**  
Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Call it "Bug-gate," "Needlepointgate," "Elephant-gate" or any other play on Watergate that suits your fancy. Or if you're the serious sort, just call it gutter politics.

Whatever the "bugging" of a Republican political consultant's office is called, it's a ticking timebomb in these last few weeks before the Nov. 4 general election. The key questions are: When will it go off, and who will it hurt?

The small transmitter was found two weeks ago behind a red-white-and-blue needlepoint illustration of an elephant near the desk of Karl Rove, a key strategist in the campaigns of gubernatorial hopeful Bill Clements and several other Republican candidates.

At first, it seemed the incident would stir a lot of heat in the race between Clements and incumbent Democrat Mark White.

Rove and Clements campaign manager George Bayoud quickly called a news conference — not to accuse anyone, of course, but to note that the White campaign would benefit most from the bugging of Rove's office.

Democrats reacted with equal speed and vigor to deny any complicity in the incident and to hint that the Clements camp planted the bug. Democrats noted that the bug's discovery by a Fort Worth security firm came just 24 hours prior to the only televised debate between White and Clements.

The hoopla over the bugging, however, has all but disappeared. Probably the reason is the uncertainty of who might be tainted by the discovery of who planted it.

Uncertainty in the Clements camp increased after one of the security agents who discovered the bug refused to take a lie detector test.

The other principal parties in the case seem not only willing but eager to take such tests to prove their innocence in the incident. The security agent, Gary Morphew, cited personal reasons for his refusal.

That's his right. After years of covering criminal trials in which lie detector tests were used (and misused), I'd be reluctant to place my future in the hands of some stranger reading the swings of the needles.

But the agent's refusal has given the White campaign ammunition to throw suspicion back to the other side.

In addition, post-bugging intelligence about the Clements campaign has been leaked to reporters to show that it's hard to keep a secret in a big political organization. The point of the leaks is that White supporters didn't need to risk bugging to learn what their opponents were doing.

All this would be humorous if not for the seriousness of the incident. It would be a shame for our next governor to be elected as a result of a stupid act by a supporter of his opponent.

Another election oddity occurred a few days ago when the Clements camp leaked to reporters that the next day a prominent Texas Democrat would defect to support Clements.

Reporters salivated at the prospect of a "big" story, many speculating that former Gov. Dolph Briscoe would be the surprise.

Instead, it was Dolph's second cousin, Andrew Briscoe, who jumped to the Clements camp.

Andrew, you may recall, captured about 22 percent of the vote in the multi-candidate field of Democrats who challenged White in the May primary, almost forcing White into a runoff.

Then the White camp had its own blockbuster.

Dwayne Holman, White's campaign manager, is offering to take a lie detector test to prove that Briscoe first offered his support to White and then withdrew it when the governor refused to help pay Briscoe's primary campaign debts and pay a salary for his campaign help.

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# Megaphone

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## Coahoma

*Bulldog sunglasses being sold*

The Coahoma Spanish Club is selling Bulldog sunglasses. The glasses come in black, red, or white and read 'Bulldogs' on the left lens. They sell for \$5 a pair.

The Big Red Band went to a marching contest in Abilene on Sat., Oct. 11. They rated Division II.

The Office Education Association members are having their annual candy sale. The candy sells for .50 a bar.

The Coahoma Bulldogs will play the Brady Bulldogs in Coahoma, on Fri. Oct. 24. Kickoff time is 8:00 p.m.

## Sands

*Homecoming is big success*

This week was homecoming week. Everyone showed their spirit by dressing up each day. Monday was Western Day; Tuesday was Hippy Day; Wednesday was Hat and Sunglasses Day; Thursday was Nerd Day; and Friday was Brown and White Day.

During halftime of the Sands vs. Klondike game, the '86-'87 Round-up Queen was crowned and the Football Hero and Sweetheart were announced. The nominees for Round-up Queen were: seniors Sharla Rhodes, escorted by Jerry Long; juniors Dana Lawdermilk, escorted by Chad Nichols; sophomores Shelley Peacock, escorted by Freddy Covarrubius; and freshmen Haether Schuelke, escorted by Jay Johnston. The winners will be announced in next

weeks Megaphone.

The FHA and FFA sponsored a barbeque before the game. Thank you to everyone involved; it was great.

After the game, the Student Council sponsored a dance to which all past and present Mustang students were invited. We would like to thank the Student Council for holding the dance and the Booster Club for providing the refreshments.

The FHA had a freshman 'Kidnap and Breakfast' Saturday morning at 4:00 a.m. Everyone participated in many fun and unusual games. We would like to thank all the FHA members, Mrs. Cohorn, and especially the Freshmen girls for making this a great success.

## Runnels

by Naquai Horn

*Students begin fund drive*

The yearly fund raiser started Thursday of last week and will end on Tuesday of next week. Many students will receive prizes and money for their efforts. Please help support the students in this project.

The Student Council gave a great performance during the homecoming parade. Their theme this year was 'Mousercise'.

The band also did a fantastic job at the Homecoming Spaghetti Supper.

The volleyball teams played Snyder last Monday. The A team played well but lost. The B team also lost. The girls also had a tournament in Snyder yesterday.

The football teams played at Ft. Stockton on Saturday. They will play a home game Thursday against Snyder.

This week has been a hectic one, but the students and faculty of Runnels made it. Report cards were handed out last Wednesday and parent conferences will begin tomorrow.

## Stanton

*Student elections begin year*

Student Council began the '86-'87 school year with the election of officers during the second week of school. Results were as follows: senior JoAnn Almagar, president; sophomore Reggie Franklin, vice president; and senior Carol Wilson, secretary/treasurer.

Other council members include: seniors Ector Barbosa, Kerry Laing, Derek Sorley, Pam Tom, Steve Villa, and Stan Young; juniors Kristi Fryar, and Robert Schoolcraft; sophomores Kelli Glaspie and Eddie Jordan; and freshmen Ray Portillo and Jackie Quaid.

One of their functions of the Student Council is to act as a sounding board for the student body. Already brought to the council's attention by fellow students is a need to make sure all students know that street drugs can kill you. Student Council strongly urges, first of all, do not start on any drug not prescribed by your family doctor. (This includes marijuana, coke, crack, speed, etc.)

The Stanton High School twirlers for '86 are: head twirler senior Carol Wilson, senior Kara Havens, and junior Sheri Williams.

The '86 marching band flag corp consists of senior Robie Phillips, senior Lisa Hernandez, senior Lori Webb, senior Paula Edwards, junior Jill Todd, junior Julie Vann, junior Ernestina Martinez, and freshman Jackie Quaid.

During the marching band performances, the flags and twirlers are featured in "Tennessee Waltz", "Don't Cry for Me Argentina", and "Kumbayah Ya". When the percussion feature of "Yes, We Have No Bananas" is played, the flags display their marching precision and the twirlers play the bells to perfection.

The S.H.S. cheerleaders include senior Pam Tom; juniors Kristi Fryar and haed cheerleader Kody Newman; and sophomores Kelli Glaspie and Kaki Elmore. These girls were elected last spring and have been working long hours ever since.

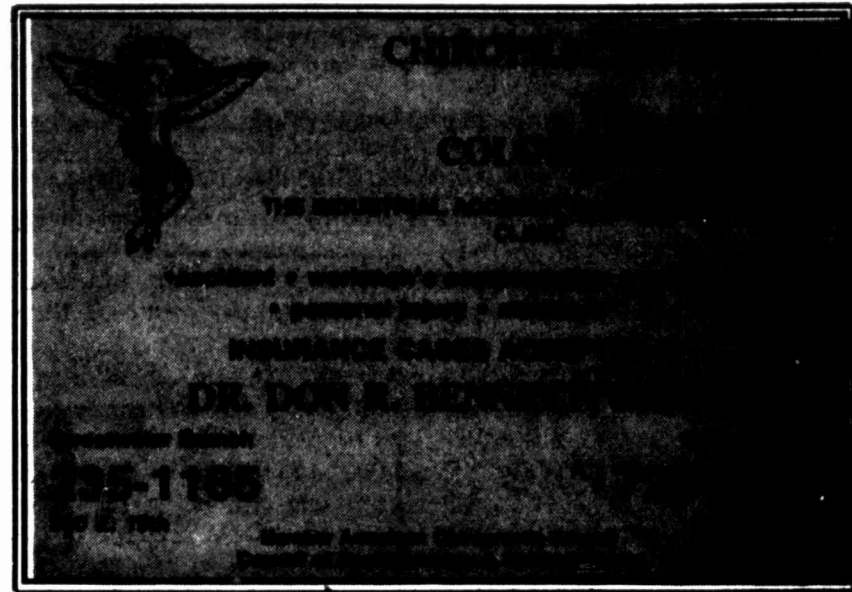
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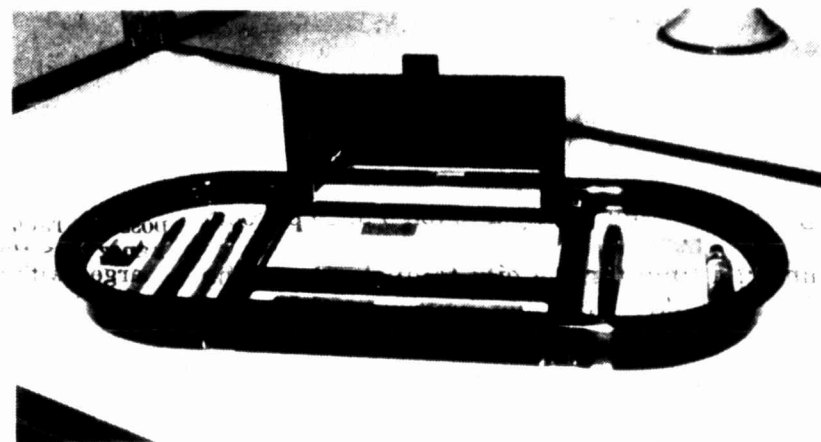
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## State

### Mayor pays on Astro bet

HOUSTON — After the playoffs come the payoffs. Houston Mayor Kathy Whitmire acknowledged that by reluctantly hoisting a large New York Mets flag and installing in her office a fabricated picture of her hugging Mets outfielder Mookie Wilson.

The mayor and her staff tried to devise the most painless way of paying off her two bets on the Astros-Mets National League Championship series, won by the Mets Wednesday.

To settle a wager with New York Mayor Ed Koch, Ms. Whitmire flew a large flag emblazoned with, "I (love) NY Mets," and "Don't Tread On Me," in different downtown locations on Friday only, instead of the requested one-week period.

The red, white and blue flag adorned with an apple and two crossed baseball bats was matched by a much larger Astros flag and guarded by a pair of police officers.

### Royalty, stars visit Texas

DALLAS — Prince Rainier of Monaco dropped by a western store for a few pairs of boots before visiting the rodeo in suburban Mesquite.

Western Warehouse owner David Seim says it took the prince about an hour to buy a pair of black ostrich boots, two pairs of roper boots in elephant skin and brown elk, two shirts, a Resistol hat and eight belts.

The prince and his daughter, Princess Stephanie, were here for the weekend benefit for the Princess Grace Foundation-USA, an arts-support organization.

They were joined Friday night by singer Frank Sinatra who brought a plane-load of celebrities, including Gregory Peck, Robert Wagner, Stephanie Powers and Jill St. John.

At a party honoring the prince, Nancy Hunt, wife of businessman Herbert Hunt, said she made it a point to meet Wagner.

"I know it is awfully gauche to tell someone how much you like them, but he is the main person I wanted to meet here."

### 42 percent on honor roll

CHILDRESS — Almost 42 percent of the high school students in this Panhandle town made the honor roll after the first six weeks grading period, the high school principal said.

"We have 293 students enrolled in Childress High School, and to have 122 of them earning the honor roll is high for schools our size," said principal Bill Clifton.

"Likewise, the fact that only 35 failed one or more courses is low," he said Friday.

Less than 12 percent failed one or more subjects, Clifton said, and only five of those had to give up extracurricular activities under the state's no pass, no play rules.

### Oil engineers to teach

HOUSTON — Laid-off engineers and geologists are being invited to try their hand at teaching math and science under a new program being pushed by Chevron Corp. and the University of Houston.

Education officials are hoping the program not only will provide new jobs but will help meet a critical shortage of math and science instructors.

The program will be open to about 3,500 current and former Chevron workers in the Houston area, university spokeswoman Michelle Raymond said.

A special 18-month course in teaching methods and laboratory procedures, plus a stint of student teaching, will lead to a state teaching certificate, she said.

## Megaphone continued

### Garden City

by LeAnn Seidenberger

#### Students to take PSAT test

On Oct. 21, juniors and seniors will take the PSAT test in the library.

The junior high football team will host the Water Valley Wildcats for a 6: p.m. game, with the Junior Varsity playing at 7:30 p.m.

The Varsity Bearcats will travel to Water Valley on Friday. Kickoff will be at 8:00 p.m.

The high school twirlers will compete in District SoloEnsemble competition on Saturday at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa.

Student council officers for the year are: Dana Hoelscher-president; Suzie Halfman- vice president; and Wendi Hillger-secretary.

### Goliad

by Christopher Park

#### Spinal screening begins

The Big Spring Independent School District is having spinal screening this school year for sixth and ninth grades. The purpose of this screening is to detect signs of abnormal curves of the spine so that the need for treatment can be determined.

The first six weeks of the school year ended Oct. 10th. Report cards were handed out last Thursday.

The Goliad football A team's record went to six wins and no losses. The B team tied again to bring their record to two wins, no losses, and four ties.

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### Teen survey: one-third drink, drive

DALLAS — More than a third of the seniors who took part in a survey of Dallas public school students say they drink and drive.

Just as many acknowledge drinking five or more drinks in a row within the last two weeks, the study showed.

"We consider it a major problem, but I'm not sure Dallas is any worse than any other metropolitan area. It's a nationwide problem," said Dallas school board member Mary Rutledge.

She said the results of the survey, presented to board members Friday, were not that surprising based on similar studies in other school districts.

The survey questioned a total of 2,993 Dallas Independent School District students, including those in the eighth and 10th grades, as well as seniors. That is about 10 percent of the students in those grades.

David Sugg, drug abuse program coordinator for the school district, said the survey was made to identify local drug use problems.

Questions about drugs also were included.

Seventy-three percent of secondary school teachers said they think marijuana is a major problem at their schools.

Sugg said the survey shows drug and alcohol abuse in Dallas schools is slightly below the national average.

Specifically, the Dallas survey showed 35 percent of the seniors said they drove after drinking, and 36 percent said they had drunk five or more alcoholic drinks in a row during the past two weeks.

Seventy-seven percent of all students surveyed said they wished their schools offered more opportunities to talk about drugs. And 97 percent of the parents who were surveyed along with the students said they had talked to their youngsters about drug and alcohol abuse more than once.

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New York Mets shortstop Rafael Santana leaps to avoid a sliding Marty Barrett of the Boston Red Sox in first inning action during the opening of the World Series at Shea Stadium in New York.

## Hurst outduels Darling; Red Sox win opener, 1-0

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Bruce Hurst won a duel of different styles with Ron Darling, and the Boston Red Sox capitalized on Tim Teufel's error to beat the New York Mets 1-0 Saturday night in the opening game of the 1986 World Series.

Darling had a three-hit shutout going into the seventh inning, but the Red Sox scored without a hit when Teufel, who platoons at second base with Wally Backman, let a ground ball go through his legs.

Jim Rice walked for the second time to open the seventh and went to second on Darling's second wild pitch of the game.

After a ground out, Rich Gedman's grounder went through Teufel, and Rice raced home.

The Red Sox's victory set up a meeting of the aces of the two staffs in Sunday night's Game 2 when Boston's Roger Clemens, 24-4, will face the Mets' Dwight Gooden, 17-6.

Hurst allowed only four hits — all singles — before leaving for a pinch hitter in the ninth. He struck out eight and walked four as he kept the Mets' bats as cool as the weather, continuing their weak postseason hitting. New York hit .189 against Houston in the playoffs.

Former Met Calvin Schiraldi came on to pitch the ninth inning and got the save.

Three times in the game, Hurst allowed a walk and a hit in the same inning, but he was not punished for his wildness. After dominating the Red Sox with a combination of power and precision, Darling paid dearly for his wild spell.

In the seventh, Darling went to a 3-2 count on Rice, and for the second time, he walked him. With Evans at bat, Darling threw a wild pitch that bounced in the dirt in front of home plate, and by the time catcher Gary Carter chased it down, Rice was at second base.

Evans grounded out back to mound as Darling

looked Rice back to second, and then Gedman came up. Gedman hit a routine grounder right at Teufel. Teufel backpedaled a step, stopped, then let the ball skip under his glove and between his legs. Rice scored easily ahead of right fielder Darryl Strawberry's throw, while Darling, backing up home plate, collided with on-deck batter Dave Henderson.

Darling rolled in the dirt, shaken up, but he was uninjured. Henderson fled out, and after Spike Owen was intentionally walked, Darling struck out Hurst to end the inning. But first blood had been drawn.

Darling came out in the bottom half of the inning for a pinch hitter. He gave up three hits and an unearned run while striking out eight.

Teufel led off the Mets seventh with a single to shortstop, and Backman came in to run. Rafael Santana sacrificed Backman to second, but Kevin Mitchell, hitting for Darling, struck out looking and Mookie Wilson grounded out to third with Wade Boggs making a diving stop to his left.

The Red Sox had another chance in the ninth. Rice singled to open the inning and Evans walked. But Gedman's bunt was fielded by reliever Roger McDowell, whose throw to third forced Rice. Henderson followed with a single to left, but Kevin Mitchell threw out Evans at home. Owen was intentionally walked, and pinch-hitter Mike Greenwell filed to right.

Darling allowed a first-inning infield single to Marty Barrett, the Red Sox's playoff MVP, but faced the minimum number of hitters through three innings when Barrett was erased in a double play. Darling struck out four straight batters beginning with the final two outs of the third inning and had a string of 16 straight pitches for strikes during the stretch.

When Bill Buckner singled with two out in the Boston fourth, Darling had retired nine in a row.

## Arkansas holds off Texas

**By The Associated Press**

Sophomore halfback Joe Johnson scored two touchdowns and fullback Marshall Foreman added another Saturday night as No. 14 Arkansas defeated Texas 21-14 for the first time here in 20 years.

Three key penalties in the first half allowed Arkansas to score one touchdown and stalled two Texas drives inside the Arkansas 25-yard line as the Longhorns fell to 2-3 on the season and 1-1 in the Southwest Conference.

Arkansas, losers last week to Texas Tech, rebounded to 5-1 and 2-1.

A fourth penalty against Texas erased a pass completion to the Arkansas 25 in the fourth quarter.

Foreman ripped through the middle for 10 yards and a 7-0 Arkansas lead with 12:03 left in the first period.

Texas tied it on tailback Eric Metcalf's 7-yard cutback run. But Arkansas, after missing a 30-yard field goal, took the lead again on a 2-yard run by Johnson after Texas was penalized on the missed kick for having 12 players on the field.

Texas' Edwin Simmons, returning from a two-game disciplinary suspension, scored from the Arkansas 2 with 11 seconds remaining in the half to make the score 14-14.

Johnson, a 200-pounder from Longview, Texas, scored Arkansas' winning touchdown on a 9-yard run with 8:09 remaining in the third quarter.

Texas, playing with two starting linebackers out with injuries, lost

two more linebackers to injuries against Arkansas. Simmons also injured an ankle, leaving Texas with Metcalf as its only healthy tailback.

**No. 11 Texas A&M 31, No. 20 Baylor 30**

Texas A&M quarterback Kevin Murray passed for three touchdowns, including the game-winner with 3:48 to play, and ran for another score to rally the Aggies over Baylor.

Sophomore Tony Thompson's juggling catch of Murray's 5-yard, third-down pass put away the scrappy Bears, who had jumped to a 17-0 lead. It was the first touchdown catch of Thompson's career and gave A&M the lead for the first time in the game.

**No. 17 Clemson 35, Duke 3**

Cornerback Delton Hall returned an interception 67 yards for a touchdown to key a determined Clemson defensive effort.

Hall's interception of a Steve Slayden pass gave Clemson a 21-3 lead with 2:00 left in the first half. The Tigers had 15 tackles for losses, tying a school record set in 1979 against Maryland.

The Tigers all but sealed their fifth consecutive victory when Terrence Flagler scored on a 3-yard run with 9:24 left in the third period to make the score 28-3.

**N. Carolina St. 35, No. 18 N. Carolina 34**

Eric Kramer found Nachrallah Worthen on a 37-yard touchdown pass with 1:01 left and North Carolina State held on. Kramer's

game-winning touchdown pass capped a 98-yard drive, but it didn't put the game away.

North Carolina took the ensuing kickoff from its 32 and Mark Maye completed five straight passes, including a 13-yard scoring pass to Quint Smith with eight seconds left to bring the score to 35-34. But tight end Dave Truitt had to go to his knees to catch the two-point conversion attempt and was ruled down.

The subsequent onside kick failed and N.C. State celebrated its first victory in the series after seven straight losses.

**No. 19 UCLA 36, California 10**

Matt Stevens connected with Willie Anderson on a 68-yard touchdown pass early in the game, sending UCLA to a runaway victory over California. The play broke a 3-3 tie midway in the first period. Stevens hit Anderson, his split end, for another TD with an 18-yard pass in the fourth quarter.

The defending Rose Bowl champions beat Cal for the 15th consecutive year.

**No. 20 SMU 10, Houston 3**

Southern Methodist, bottled up for most of three quarters by a stingy Houston defense, rallied behind the passing of Bobby Walters and running of Jeff Atkins for a tough victory over the Cougars.

Houston dominated the first half, holding the Mustangs to 17 yards and no first downs in the second quarter, and led 3-0 on Chip Brown's 32-yard field goal. But late in the third quarter Atkins

scored from the two for SMU, and he later contributed a 12-yard run to a drive that set up Brandy Brownlee's 19-yard field goal in the fourth quarter.

**No. 4 Michigan 20, Iowa 17**

Mike Gillette kicked a 34-yard field goal as time expired to give Michigan its pulsating victory over Iowa. Sore-shouldered quarterback Mark Vlasic, who missed Iowa's last two games, had come off the bench late in the third quarter to throw a game-tying, 15-yard pass to Robert Smith with 11:15 remaining.

And when Michigan's Pat Moon missed a 27-yard field goal attempt with 6:10 to go, it appeared the game would end in a tie. But Richard Bass, who scored Iowa's first touchdown on a 1-yard run early in the game, bobbed a pitch-out to set the stage for the Wolverines' winning drive.

"We were going to go with Gillette when the drive started," Michigan Coach Bo Schembechler said. "We thought it (the field goal) would be a long one, and he had the strongest leg. You're not going to fluster him. He is the cockiest guy that ever lived."

Michigan called its last timeout with five seconds remaining, and Iowa, trying to unsettle Gillette, also called one. But Gillette's game-winning kick split the uprights.

"I thought about hitting it like an extra point — all I had to do was hit the ball and it would go straight,"

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Baylor running back Randy Rutledge (45) is wrapped up for a loss by Texas A&M's Johnny Holland (11) and Jay Muller (82), during the second quarter of their game Saturday in College Station.

## Philadelphia may be without starting QB

**PHILADELPHIA (AP)** — Herschel Walker, who insists he's still learning the offense, tops his team in rushing, pass receiving and scoring as he leads the Dallas Cowboys Sunday against the up-and-down Philadelphia Eagles, who may play without regular quarterback Ron Jaworski.

The Eagles on Friday downgraded Jaworski's status to "questionable" for the game because of numbness in the last two fingers of his throwing hand, a result of a bruised right elbow suffered in last week's 35-3 loss to the Giants.

If the feeling doesn't return to his fingers, Matt Cavanaugh will start.

Running back Charles Crawford, promoted to starter ahead of Keith Byars by Coach Buddy Ryan, sprained his ankle Thursday and was also listed as questionable, the team said.

Those are the Eagles' offensive worries. Defensively, they have to deal with Walker, who has become an all-around threat.

Walker has run 69 times for 330 yards and a 4.8 yards per-carry average, caught 28 passes for 316 yards and scored 42 points.

He has been the big-play guy as the Cowboys posted a 4-2 record, just one game behind the leading Washington Redskins and New York Giants in the NFL's National Conference East.

Walker said he's studying extra hard this week for his first crack at Ryan's 46 defense.

"I've seen a little bit of film ...

and from what I've seen the Eagles are coached by probably the best defensive coach in football," he said. "His defense is tough. You have to concentrate... We can't just concentrate on the practice field. We have to go home and study."

"The down linemen are where the linebackers should be and the linebackers are where the down linemen used to be. It's tougher on me than anyone because I've never faced a defense like that. The other guys have seen it before, playing Chicago."

Dallas Coach Tom Landry also said Ryan's defense presented a unique challenge.

"It's so different. Our blocking schemes and what we usually work against is a three-man front," Landry said. "Buddy goes with a four-man front. You have to really change your blocking patterns."

"The pressure of that defense is what makes it so good. They aren't as good as the Bears were with it last year. But from what I've seen they're improving with it every week. Eventually they're going to be exceptionally good."

Landry called Walker "a very unusual player. I never realized how strong he was... He's got a lot of power. He reminds me a lot of (the Bears' Walter) Payton in the way he runs through tackles. This makes him very difficult to bring down."

Ryan is hoping his Eagles improve their offense.

## High School Roundup

### Swimmers finish second

**MONAHANS** — The Big Spring boys and girls swim teams fared well in their first meet of the season in Monahans Saturday.

Both teams finished second in the triangular meet. The boys scored 84 points, six behind first place Pecos. Monahans was third with 75 points.

Monahans won the girls competition with 103 points. Big Spring followed with 79 and Pecos was third with 47 points.

"I was real happy with our performance," said Big Spring coach Harlan Smith. "I was especially pleased with our younger kids. They really came through."

The boys had three first place winners. Cade Loftin his specialty, the 100 yard butterfly and Mark Richardson finished first in the 500 freestyle. The other blue ribbon winner was Scott Ferguson, who won the 200 intermediate.

Big Spring's next competition will be Saturday in a dual meet against Andrews at Big Spring YMCA pool.

**Boys**  
200 Medley Relay — 4. Scott Ferguson, Mark Lynch, Cade Loftin, Mark Richardson 2:06.48.  
200 Freestyle — 2. Richardson 2:27.94.  
3. Johnny Webb 2:29.27.  
200 Intermediate — 1. Ferguson 2:31.03.  
4. Dean Payne 3:14.24.

50 Freestyle — 2. Loftin 23.88.  
6. Lance McCune 29.06.  
Diving — 3. Sherman Power.  
100 Butterfly — 1. Loftin 57.27.  
4. Doug Logan 1:30.14.  
100 Freestyle — 4. Lynch 1:03.94.  
McCune 1:07.47.  
500 Freestyle — 1. Richardson 6:58.67.  
Logan 7:25.95.  
100 Backstroke — 2. Ferguson 1:11.55.  
3. Lynch 1:22.64.  
4. Johnny Webb 1:23.18.  
100 Breaststroke — 3. Lynch 22.64.  
4. Webb 1:23.18.  
400 Freestyle Relay — 2. (Payne, Logan, McCune, Webb) 4:33.74.  
Team Totals — 1. Pecos 90, 2. Big Spring 84, 3. Monahans 75.

**Girls**  
200 Medley Relay — 2. (Victoria Logan, Geneva Waight, Leslie Musgrove, Angela Sinclair) 2:27.65.  
200 Freestyle — 5. Erica Clarkson 3:25.78.  
6. Kristie Geanopoulos 5:25.60.  
200 Intermediate — 2. Logan 3:12.08.  
3. Annalisa Szabo 3:46.94.  
50 Freestyle — 3. Musgrove 33.28.  
6. Kim Blake 37.12.  
100 Butterfly — 4. Sinclair 1:41.34.  
100 Freestyle — 3. Musgrove 1:15.09.  
Amber Thompson 1:46.74.  
500 Freestyle — 2. Erica Clarkson 9:46.00.  
3. Geanopoulos 11:45.89.  
100 Backstroke — 2. Logan 1:21.96.  
4. Blake 1:53.82.  
100 Breaststroke — 3. Waight 1:32.03.  
400 Freestyle Relay — 2. (Sinclair, Szabo, Waight, Blake) 5:34.46.  
3. (Thompson, Geanopoulos, Clarkson, Huff) 6:59.08.  
Team Totals — 1. Monahans 103, 2. Big Spring 79, 3. Pecos 47.

### JV Steers drop first game

**FT. STOCKTON** — The junior varsity Steers gridders lost their

first game of the season, a 27-24 decision to the Ft. Stockton Panthers Saturday afternoon.

Abner Shellman scored two TD's on one-yard dives. Wide receiver Dewayne Woodal caught TD passes of 45 and 15 yards from quarterback Craig Knocke. Wide receiver Paul Chavez caught four passes for 100 yards in the game.

JV coach John Velasquez credited running back Bruce Jones and tight end Thomas Asley with having good games. The Steers are now 5-1 for the season.

### Harriers place 2nd in Abilene meet

**ABILENE** — The Big Spring varsity cross country boys finished in fourth place at a meet in Abilene Saturday morning. Midland High won and San Angelo central finished second. Abilene High won the girls division. Big Spring fems did not compete as a team, only as individuals.

Mario Gonzales paced the varsity boys by finishing fourth in the three mile run. His time of 16:42 was a new personnel record. In the junior varsity division, James McMillian ran an 18:18 to finish 11th. It was also a new freshman record.

Carolyn Mills was top finisher for the varsity girls. He two mile

time of 16:04 was good for 40th place. Christy Fuqua ran a 16:40 to pace the junior varsity girls.

**Varsity Boys** — 4. Mario Gonzales 16:42, 18. Albert Garza 17:49, 24. Steve Gonzales 18:37, 34. Shawn Ulery 19:37, 36. Mike Valli 19:44.  
**Team Results** — 1. Midland High; 2. San Angelo Central; 3. Abilene High; 4. Big Spring; 5. Sweetwater; 6. Abilene Cooper.

**JV Boys** — 11. James McMillian 18:18, 24. Calvin Harrison 20:21, 47. Paul Sunkavalli; 50. Mohan Sunkavalli.

**Varsity Girls** — 40. Carolyn Mills 16:04; 41. Raquel Alivar, 16:17; 46. Heiga Lysaght 16:33; 51. Kaya MacMillan 17:41.  
JV Girls — Christie Fuqua 16:40; Carme Chavarria 17:25; Toni Dominguez 19:19.

### Frosh gridders romp over Sweetwater

The Big Spring freshmen football team evened their record to 3-3 with a 44-15 romping over the Sweetwater Mustangs Thursday night at Memorial Stadium.

Coach Terry Benner called it a "great defensive effort" as Big Spring recovered five fumbles and intercepted four passes.

Perry Sanders scored on runs of five and 30 yards while Junior Lopez scored from 30 yards out and kicked a 30-yard field goal and three extra points. Lopez

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# Undefeated Bears still not happy

By The Associated Press  
Despite a 6-0 record, the Chicago Bears still are not happy with their season so far. Sunday's game against the Minnesota Vikings could change their perspective.

"Right now, we are struggling a little," Chicago middle linebacker Mike Singletary said. "There's a lot of potential to get better. We're just trying to get better from week to week. But there's going to be a time when we really get going."

"Of course, the Vikings hope the Bears don't get any better than their last meeting two weeks ago — a convincing 23-0 victory for Chicago."

"We just played awfully hard against them," Bears Coach Mike Ditka said. "I think that was the best opposition we've played against by far."

Ditka, though, was not as happy with his team's 20-7 victory last Sunday over Houston, one of the NFL's weaker clubs. It caused him to chastise his defending Super Bowl champions.

"In their blitz of the Vikings two weeks ago, the Bears sacked Minnesota quarterback Tommy Kramer seven times and held the Vikings to

159 yards. It was an impressive showing against a team that was supposed to give the Bears their stiffest competition in the NFC's Central Division. The Vikings are 4-2.

"They have a very fine defense," Minnesota offensive tackle Gary Zimmerman said of the Bears. "It's going to be a challenge just to keep them off Tommy. When you get behind the Bears, the defense can control you and not let you breathe."

With a 5-1 record, the Falcons are one of the league's most surprising teams. They already have won more games than they did last year, when they were 4-12.

The Falcons have beaten Dallas and the Rams in their best start in history. After knocking the Rams from a tie for first in the NFC West last Sunday, the Falcons are turning their attention to the other division power, the 49ers. San Francisco fell a game behind the Falcons when it was upset by Minnesota in overtime last Sunday.

"I think we have shown we can compete with anybody, but we must compete with everybody," Atlanta Coach Dan Henning said.

For the Falcons, the 49ers could be their biggest test of the season.

"The 49ers are explosive on offense and present the best balance we have seen," Henning said.

The 49ers, by the way, are one of the league's best road teams, with 30 victories in their last 37 games away from Candlestick Park.

The Miami-Raiders game features a matchup of the AFC's top-ranked offense (the Dolphins) against the top-ranked defense (Los Angeles). But despite their high statistical ranking in that department, the Dolphins are struggling with a 2-4 record.

The last time a Dolphins' team started 2-4 was 1976, and Miami eventually suffered its only losing season under Don Shula with a 6-8 record.

Against Los Angeles, the Dolphins face an improving team. The Raiders have won three straight since losing their first three, while Miami broke a three-game slide last Sunday.

"They're one of the toughest teams that you ever line up against," said Shula, whose teams have a 3-8 record against the Raiders.

## Arkansas

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Gillette said.

No. 2 Alabama 56, Tennessee 28  
Bobby Humphrey scored three touchdowns and ran for 217 yards, third best in Alabama history, as the second-ranked Crimson Tide crushed Tennessee.

Mike Shula also accounted for three touchdowns as the Tide scored on six of their first seven possessions, twice following Tennessee fumbles, to stretch their winning streak to 10 games and end a four-game losing streak in this storied Deep South rivalry.

Alabama had a 21-0 lead before the game was 10 minutes old, but the Vols fought back to cut the lead to seven before the Tide put the game out of reach with scoring drives of 74, 62 and 48 yards in the second quarter.

Humphrey scored on runs of 27, one and seven yards in the Tide's greatest outburst ever in the series, bettering their 51-0 victory in 1906. It was the most points given up by the Vols since a 60-0 loss to North Carolina in 1893.

No. 3 Nebraska 48, Missouri 17  
Tyreese Knox ran 92 yards for a touchdown and Dana Brinson chalked up a 63-yard score, leading Nebraska to an easy victory.

Knox dashed through a gaping hole off tackle for the longest run ever against Missouri and the longest by a Nebraska player since 1981. Knox also scored on a 2-yard

run and finished with 127 yards in eight carries.

Brinson raced down the right sideline to score on a reverse with the aid of a good block by I-back Keith Jones. Brinson finished with 83 yards in four carries. Jones, who scored on runs of one and 10 yards, gained 73 yards in 15 tries.

No. 5 Oklahoma 19, Oklahoma St. 0  
Tim Lashar tied a school record by kicking four field goals, and linebacker Dante Jones returned an interception 55 yards for a score as Oklahoma defeated pesky Oklahoma State.

Lashar had field goals of 38, 32, 20 and 32 yards as he tied a record he also achieved in the Orange Bowl last season. Mike Vachon also kicked four, against Texas in 1966.

Jones intercepted a Ronnie Williams pass by stepping in front of intended receiver Thurman Thomas in the flat. Jones skirted down the sideline with 4:32 remaining, assuring the Sooners of their fifth victory in six games.

No. 6 Penn State 42, Syracuse 3  
Blair Thomas, Tim Manoa and D.J. Dozier combined for 317 yards rushing and four touchdowns as Penn State routed Syracuse. Manoa scored 11- and 3-yard touchdowns and Dozier dove in from the 1 to give Penn State a 21-0 third-period lead. Thomas raced 33 yards as the unbeaten North Carolina Lions posted their sixth triumph.

The Pittman Lions rushed for 431

yards as they posted their 17th consecutive regular season victory and warmed up for next week's inter-sectional confrontation with second-ranked Alabama at Tuscaloosa. Syracuse dropped to 1-5 in losing to Penn State for the 16th straight year of this longtime Eastern rivalry.

No. 7 Auburn 31, Georgia Tech 10  
Jeff Burger passed for two touchdowns and Brent Fullwood ran for 183 yards and another score as Auburn defeated Georgia Tech in a battle of traditional Deep South college football rivals.

Burger, a junior giving the Tigers a passing attack they have lacked in recent years, guided Auburn to scores on its first four possessions to build up a 24-3 halftime lead. For the day, Burger completed 12 of 21 passes for 165 yards and two scores.

The victory gave Auburn its eighth straight over Georgia Tech and a 46-39-4 lead in the series.

No. 9 Washington 48, Bowling Green 0  
Rick Fenney rushed for Washington's first two touchdowns and Andre Riley scored on a 66-yard punt return as the Huskies took a break from the Pacific-10 Conference race.

Tony Zackery intercepted two Rich Dackin passes and the Huskies' defense held Bowling Green to 100 yards. The Falcons

finished the game with third-string quarterback Jeff Sandru after Dackin and his backup, Eric Smith, were knocked out of the game.

No. 10 Arizona State 29, No. 15 Southern Cal 20  
Jeff Van Raaphorst's second touchdown pass of the day, midway through the final quarter, put Arizona State in control as the unbeaten Sun Devils downed Southern Cal in a Pacific-10 game. Van Raaphorst, who finished with 13-for-22 for 184 yards, also threw a 34-yard TD pass to Aaron Cox as Arizona State defeated Southern Cal for the third straight game.

## Roundup

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also threw a 30-yard scoring pass to Kenny Everette and Ray Bavin caught a 15 yard TD pass from Mike Hilario. Clay Atkinson also scored on a five yard run.

**Spikers topple Fort Stockton**  
FT. STOCKTON — The Big Spring Lady Steers came away with-

a win over the Ft. Stockton Panthers in volleyball action Saturday afternoon.

After losing the first match 13-15, the Lady Steers rallied for a 16-14, 15-12 win. "We were very sluggish in the first game," said coach Elaine Stone. "We weren't moving our feet at all. But we got it together the next two matches. Before the game, I told the girls the only reason we lost to them (Ft. Stockton) the first time is because we beat

ourselves.

"We played really well against Snyder in our game on Tuesday and I think it carried over to this game." Stone said that Katrina Thompson, Sherri Myrick and Lisa Hale all had outstanding games.

The Lady Steers are now 3-9 in district play and 7-15 overall.

Ft. Stockton won the junior varsity game 15-8, 10-15, 15-13. The loss drops Big Spring to 9-11 overall and 5-7 in district play.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

A Public Hearing on School Dropout Prevention sponsored by the Private Industry Council and Region 18 Education Service Center is scheduled for Wednesday, October 22, 1986, 1:00 p.m. at the Region 18 Education Service Center, Midland Air Terminal in Conference Room D.

Participants should be prepared to provide input on the following: 1) Operational definition of "Dropout"; 2) Characteristics of early behaviors indicative of potential dropouts; 3) Actions recommended for effective early intervention; 4) Actions recommended to establish an effective information network and a referral system for alternative dropout services; 5) Actions recommended at the State level to facilitate local alternative programs.

For more information call Donna Harrison, 915/683-1981.  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The City of Coahoma is now accepting bids on the construction of a concrete dip for Echols Drive of the Foster Addition. Specifications are available from City Hall, P.O. Box L, 76011. Bids are to be submitted by November 14, 1986 at 5:00 P.M.

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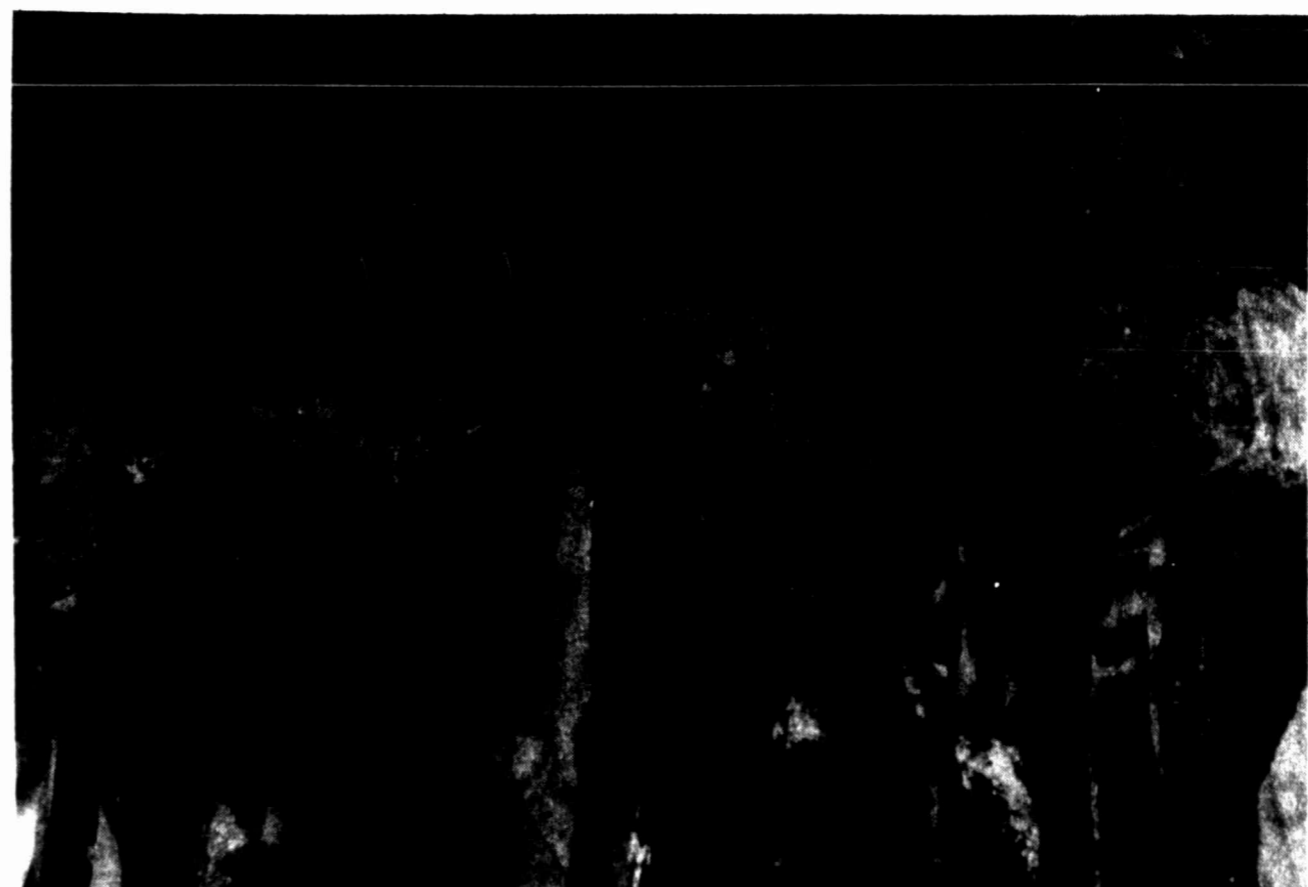
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Victoria Ortega sports her Homecoming mum as she watches the parade go by on Main Street Friday afternoon.



Some members of the Big Spring High School class of 1936 enjoy themselves as they ride on one of the Homecoming floats during the parade Friday afternoon.



The Homecoming Queen candidates take some time before the halftime festivities for an impromptu photo session with the crowd. Tessa Underwood, far right, won the 1986 crown.

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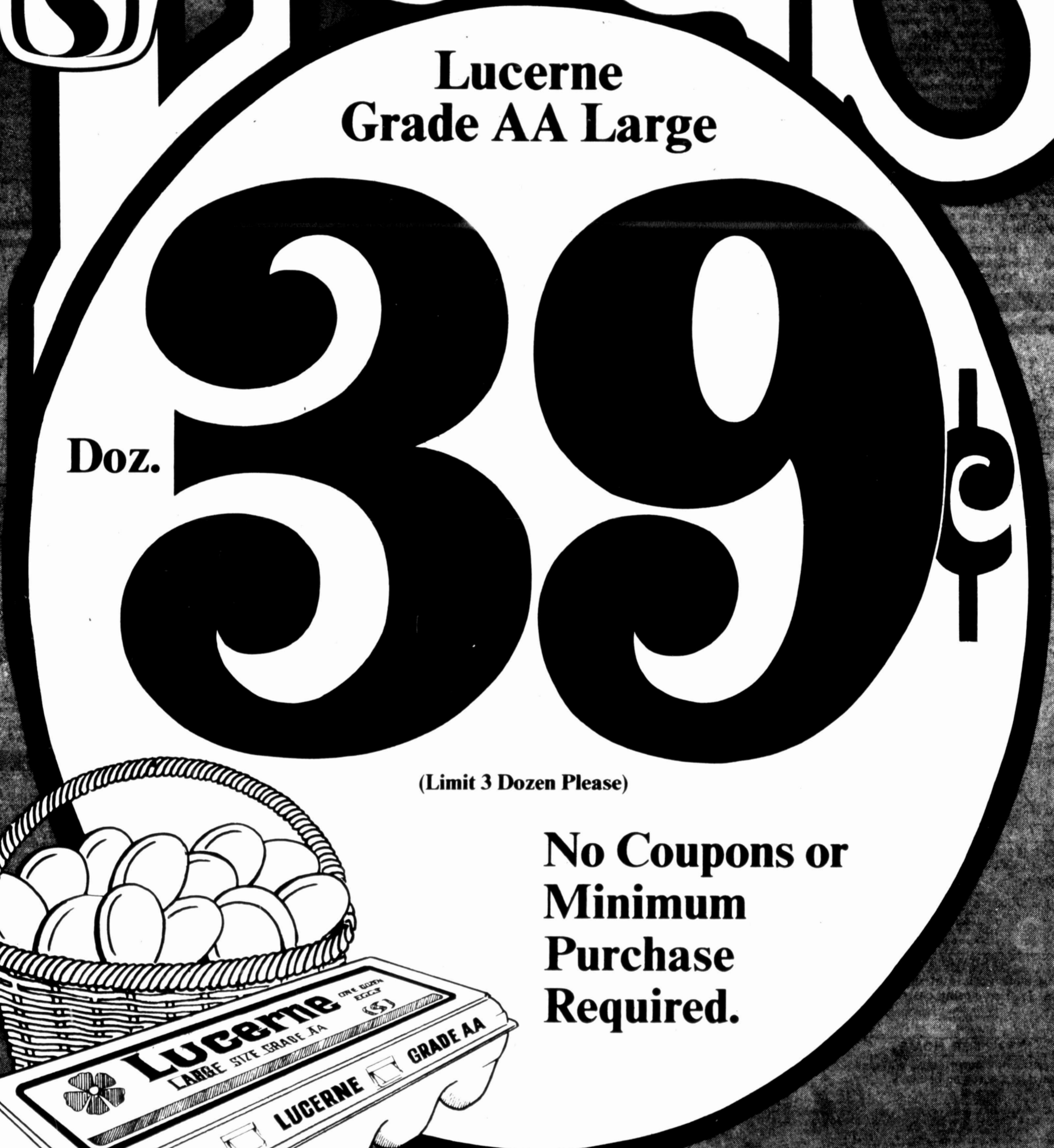




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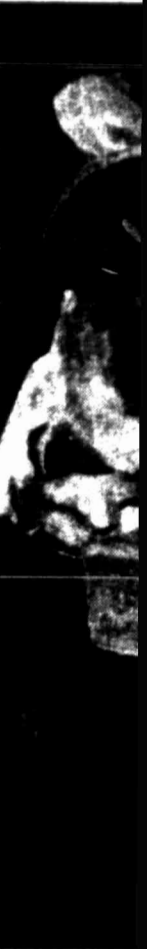
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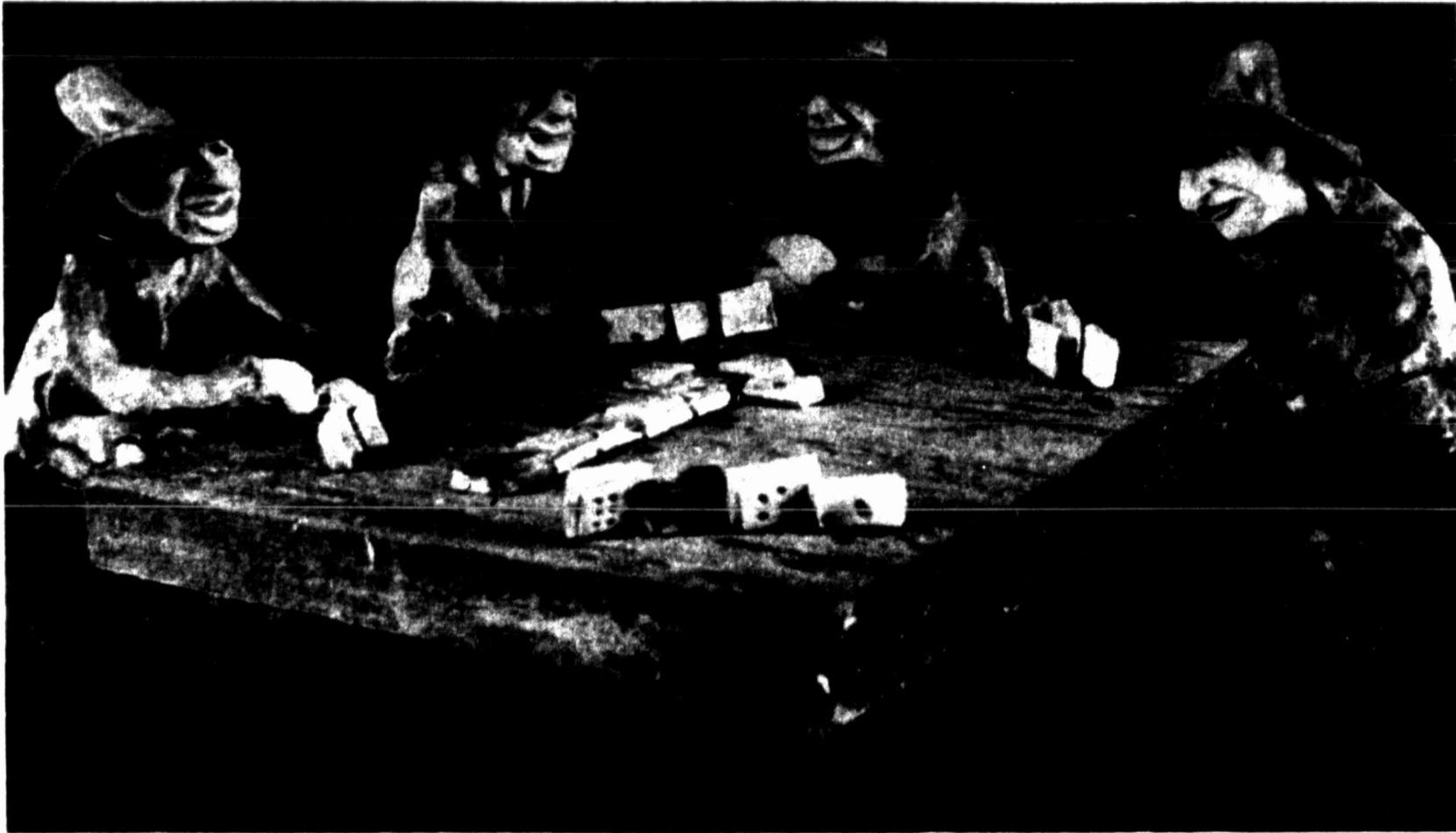
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## Arts and Crafts Festival to continue



Roland Rose of Andrews exhibits his unique clay sculpture during the Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival. This particular piece, above, is entitled "The Domino Players." It was commissioned by the officials

The Tenth Annual Big Spring Arts and Crafts Festival will continue today from 1-6 p.m. at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The festival has set a new record and has established itself as one of the largest of its kind in the state.

According to festival officials, the previous record of 206 booths set in 1985 has been broken and this year's local festival features 212 booths.

"But the booth count really isn't a true picture of the total number of exhibitors," said Mel Prather, founder and chairman of the festival.

"Since the show was sold out several months in advance, more people are sharing booths," Prather reported.

Fifty booths are being shared by 82 local exhibitors, he explained. And more than 300 exhibitors will be sharing the 212 booths.

"Having more than 300 exhibitors makes the Big Spring Festival easily one of the largest in Texas," Prather said.

When asked why he thought the local festival had grown so much over the years while others were having a hard time leasing their spaces, Prather said "it's because of the people in Big Spring and the surround-

ing area. We have exhibitors that have an off year from time to time, but the friendly people make up for their slow sales."

Marianne Caroselli, a popular artist from San Marcos, said "even though I don't make much money, I just love the people...it's like family." She added that the local festival treated the exhibitors the best of any show she participated in during the year.

Prather said that the sales for most exhibitors is good each year.

"After all why would anyone continue going through all the trouble of traveling to Big Spring, setting up and taking down their booth when they knew they were going to lose money?"

Because of the size and quality of the Big Spring Festival, the show attracts a lot of customers from surrounding towns.

"Many of our top named exhibitors have mailing lists of customers in this area who have bought their works in the past. Just before they come to the show, they send out a special invitation to those individuals encouraging them to come to the Big Spring Festival and see their most recent works."

The largest percentage of the exhibitors are from Texas,

of the National "Texas Style" Domino Tournament hosted in Big Spring each July.

Prather said. "Colorado has edged out New Mexico with the second largest number of out-of-state exhibitors, with New Mexico coming in third and followed by Arizona."

Of those from Texas, 50 exhibitors from Big Spring have booths. Other exhibitors are from Abilene, San Angelo, Austin, Midland, Brady, Odessa, Lubbock, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Marshall, Fluvanna, Raymondville, Ballinger, Sudan, Gardendale, Fort Stockton, Coahoma, Granbury and Canon City, Col.

Most of the booths feature fine arts. In the past, ceramics has made up the second largest category, but this year it makes up the third largest category. Woodwork is the second, Prather said.

Woodwork, which was helped with a number of new handmade furniture entries, is featured in 25 booths, he added.

Country items, pottery, stained glass, Christmas decorations and clocks are also featured at the show.

Silk flowers and dolls, iva booths, china painting, bronzes, handmade baskets, chimes, photography, handmade frames, jewelry, quilts, metal

art, porcelain, sea shell crafts, wall plaques and mirrors are also featured at the show.

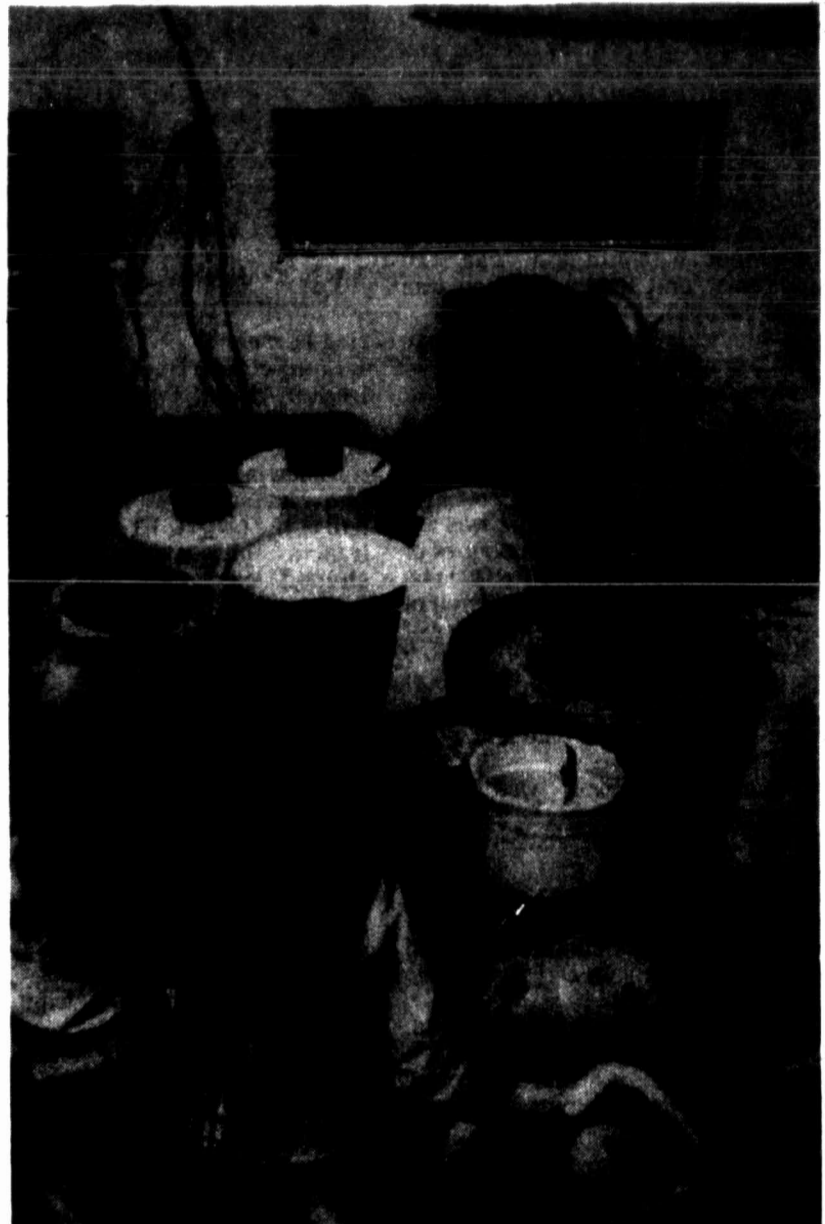
Prather added that since several booths are being shared by more than one exhibitor they may have listed several items on their entry form and not highlighted one thing in particular.

If entries for the 1987 festival continue to come in at the pace they are currently being received, that festival should be sold out shortly following the 1986 show next weekend, Prather said.

The Big Spring Festival has been featured in numerous national publications since the first festival in 1977, the same month Webb Air Force Base was closed.

George Boutwell, a well-known artist from Austin, is often asked by national publications to tell a little about each show he participates in during the year.

"I've always given the Big Spring Festival a good review. It's one of the best shows I do each year and it's one of the most organized. I've been exhibiting at this festival since the first show and will be passing the ten-year milestone with the 1986 show."



Arthur Koon, a potter from Fort Worth, enjoys being able to work on his craft while two future buyers look on. Since the festival has a relaxed atmosphere, many of the artists and craftspersons feel comfortable enough to demonstrate their work during the event. The demonstrations create additional interest for the public.



The Dorothy Garrett Coliseum is full of activity during the two day festival. Above, shoppers mull around looking for their favorite art types or best buys.

## Tall tale teller spins Texan yarns on videotape

By PAUL F. POWER JR.  
Odessa American

CRANE — A video camera is capturing tales of a Western storyteller so future generations can relive the history.

The stories of Crane resident Paul Patterson, 77, have culminated in several books, but his longtime buddy, Doug Chrane, 64, now is capturing the folklore on videotape for the first time.

"I worked with him since 1945," Chrane says, recalling their teaching days at Crane High School. "We used to go to football games together, and he would keep us in stitches."

"So, now we're going into the backyard — we have cactus out there and a wagon — and we've been getting him to relax and tell us about the early days."

Patterson's tales are not the usual on-the-way-to-the-game small talk. He has written "Texas Tales" (1967), "Sam McGoo and Texas Too" (1947), articles for the Texas Folklife Society yearbook and a 1977 play detailing Crane's history.

For the last 10 years he has been entertaining each summer at the annual Folklife Festival in San Antonio, billing himself as the "Tall Tale Teller." He has spun yarns at folk festivals in Jonesboro, Tenn., and has flown to Australia to get story material.

Where fact ends and fiction begins with Patterson sometimes is difficult to tell; his voice shifts in the finest storytelling tradition. His punch lines are delivered with experience.

"I got my first ranching job when I was 17," Patterson says, a cowboy hat atop his head. "I got thrown off my horse every day for 30 days. But then I started to learn."

Then he pauses like Bob Newhart.

"After a while, I was good



Paul Patterson, 77, of Crane, spins a yarn on his porch swing, recently. Patterson, whose tales have culminated in several books, now are being captured on videotape by his longtime buddy Doug Chrane so future generations can relive the history captured in Patterson's tales.

enough that I could land on my feet."

Patterson was born on a ranch near Seminole. He graduated from Sul Ross State University in 1935, supporting himself by cooking in a boarding house and earning money in a pool hall.

He started teaching in Marfa in the 1930s and went on to log more than 40 years teaching school in Sanderson, Sierra Blanca and Upland, a town east of Crane that

no longer exists, and in Crane, about 35 miles south of Odessa.

He married Marjorie Nixon, a fellow teacher, in 1939. They had to keep the marriage a secret because the school in Sanderson did not allow teachers to be married to each other.

After marrying, he served 3½ years in Africa and Italy during World War II with the U.S. Air Force.

The Patterson family arrived in

West Texas after Patterson's grandfather, Billy Patterson, drove a wagon to Texas from Macon, Ga., in 1886 after the Civil War. After 90 days, the elder Patterson arrived in the Dallas area and was offered 20 acres for his wagon team. He turned the deal down and pressed on to West Texas.

"There were a lot of nesters who came out this way," Patterson says. "They came out here to

dryland farm and couldn't do it. They went broke."

The Patterson family stayed, though. Patterson's father, J.D. Patterson, was a county jailer in Upton County and was a county judge from 1921 to 1928.

How lonesome did it get on the range? Patterson says he can recall cowboys who managed livestock and sometimes were stationed by themselves at the edge of a ranch and saw no one for eight months straight. The human contact was limited to the delivery of chuck, but sometimes, supplies would arrive when the cowboy was out on the range.

Lack of human contact "leaves its mark on you," he says.

"They still have a law on the books in Wyoming that says that it is against the law for a shepherd to stay by himself," Patterson says, balancing between fact and fancy. "They ought to have a law that says it's against the law to spend any time with a shepherd."

"In the early 1900s," he says, "it was still a simple thing to be country people. My brother and I walked seven and a half or eight miles to Rankin once to get what we thought was an ice cream comb, spelled C-O-M-B."

"We didn't know what that was, but we bought (the ice cream) at Bill Nix's combination store."

"When we were through, we threw the cones away. We didn't know we were supposed to eat them."

Following his 1977 retirement, he spent two summers in Australia "just to see how lonesome they are there."

He has written a number of unpublished manuscripts, including a piece called "The Texan That Think Small," a five-page story based on his experiences in Australia.

"It all started when I went Down

Under ... under the pretext of gathering cowboy data. In truth, I was down there to brag on me and Texas and laugh and scorn them piddlin' properties them Aussies try to palm off as ranches."

Patterson had been prepared to boast that he had helped move 500 head of horses 250 miles and had tended to as many as 22,000 sheep on a 230-square-mile ranch in Upton and Crockett counties. He learned from a tour guide, however, that some Australian ranches encompass 2,000 square miles.

"As unobtrusively as possible," Patterson recalls, "I tiptoed back to my seat, laid my pearl-gray Stetson up in the rack, eased my pants down over my two-tone Texas boots and passed the word around that I was just puttin' the chap on."

Instead of boasting about Texas' size, he told them he was from Rhode Island.

Patterson also has 160 cassette tapes he has gathered from interviewing Texans about their past. The interviewing process is a natural, since one of the subjects he taught at Crane High School before he retired was journalism.

So far, he has found no company willing to publish the oral history — he says the companies "want just complete history, not the pieces" — but he says he does not object to rejection slips.

Patterson also lectures and tells stories at community colleges. At times, he blows a lonesome-sounding harmonica to add atmosphere to his ranch-life stories.

He also enjoys telling children's stories, including one called, "Moose vs. Mother Goose," in which he weaves a wonderful bedtime limerick enlivened with 700 grasshoppers, a moose, Mother Goose and snuff juice.

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# Weddings

## Morris-Holman

RICHARDSON — Linda Kay Morris of Dallas became the bride of Jimmie Wayne Holman of Plano at an afternoon ceremony on Oct. 18 at the Calvary Chapel Assembly of God in Richardson with Rev. Homer Rich, officiating.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Morris, 1108 Pennsylvania. Bridgroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Holman of Mesquite.

The couple stood before an altar decorated with greenery and a seven-tiered candelabra.

Deborah Youngkin was the organist and Bobby Johnson was the vocalist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white satin, beaded pearls and cut sequins. The lace bodice, featured with buttons down the back was, enhanced with long, fitted sleeves that tapered to points over the hands. The long, full skirt was accented with scattered appliques of lace on the front and ruffled lace on the chapel-length train. Her veil of white illusion fell from a cluster of seed pearls.

She carried a bouquet of miniature assorted silk flowers on top of a Bible, with blue and white satin streamers.

Matron of honor was Nelda Reagan and Judy Davis was bridesmaid, both sisters of the bride.

Best man and usher was Thomas Holman, brother of the bridegroom. Groomsman and usher was Delwyn Davis, brother-in-law of the bride.

Flower girl was Laura Davis, niece of the bride, and Brian Reagan, nephew of the bride, was



MRS. JIMMIE WAYNE HOLMAN Formerly Linda Kay Morris

ring bearer. Candlelighters were Andrea Decker, niece of the bridegroom, and Amanda Reagan, niece of the bride.

Following the wedding, a reception was hosted at the fellowship hall of the church. The bride's cake was a three-tiered and heart-shaped cake, decorated with yellow roses and bluebonnets and topped with lovebirds.

The bridegroom's cake was a family German chocolate recipe baked by the bridegroom's mother.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring High School and attended Howard College and Angelo State University. She is employed by Texas Instruments in Dallas.

The bridegroom holds bachelor and master degrees in mechanical engineering and a masters of business administration from Southern Methodist University. He is employed at Texas Instruments in Dallas.

The couple will make their home in Plano.

## Mathews-West

Karen Mathews of Dallas and Samuel West of Denton exchanged wedding vows Oct. 18 at the Valley View Christian Church in Farmers Branch with Mike Peters, minister of Prestoncrest Church of Christ, and Weldon Gilmore, minister of Valley View Christian, officiating.

Parents of the bride are Dean and Mildred Mathews of Dallas. Bridgroom's parents are Bob and Helen West of Dallas.

The couple stood before an altar decorated with brass candelabras, white kneeling benches, a unity candle set and fernstand carnations in brass stands.

Organist was Bonnie Braem and Lou Ann Summers was the vocalist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown shimmered in white satin featuring an off-the-shoulder beaded lace bodice, Venice lace covered the entire bodice to a flattering natural waistline. The sleeves of the gown were puffed. The full-skirt gradually flowed into a cathedral-length train trimmed in European cut-out lace. Delicate appliques of lace were scattered over the entire skirt. A matching finger-tip length veil on a silk flower wreath with tiny seed pearls completed the bride's ensemble.

She carried a cascade of stephanotis, roses, freesia, carnations, ivy and baby's breath.

Maids of honor were Beth Sanders of Mont Belvieu and Dee Ann Holt of Carlsbad, Calif. Bridesmaids were Suzanne Wagner of Katy and Courtney West, sister of the bridegroom, of Dallas. Flower girl was Jana

Grisswald.

Best men were Kevin Key of Denton and Todd West, brother of the bridegroom, of Dallas. Groomsman were Beryl West, uncle of the bridegroom, of Tennessee and Marty Harrison of Dallas.

Ushers and candlelighters were David Mathews and Matt Mathews.

Following the wedding, a reception was hosted at the Valley View Christian Church's hall. The bride's table featured a four-tiered white cake with pink frosting flowers with a ceramic silhouette of the bride and groom on the top tier.

The bride is a graduate of Hillcrest High School in Dallas and Texas A&M University College.

The bridegroom is a graduate of J.J. Pearce High School in Richardson and North Texas State University.

After a wedding trip to Galveston, the couple will make their home in Denton.



MRS. SAMUEL WEST Formerly Karen Mathews

## Vitelli-Shaw

HOUSTON — Corrine May Vitelli and Joey Edward Shaw were united in marriage on Oct. 11 at the Memorial Drive United Methodist Church in Houston with Doug Meyer, officiating.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vitelli of Youngstown, Ohio. Bridgroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James W. Shaw of Big Spring.

Instrumentalist was Bobbie Swaim.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a medieval gown of schiffie embroidery. The lace bodice was embellished with pearls and featured Juliet sleeves. The satin, flounced hemline flowed to a chapel-length train. Her fingertip veil and blusher was connected to a floral wreath of silk flowers and pearls.

She carried a cascading bouquet of mixed flowers in shades of pink, rose and white.

Matron of honor was Frances Eastin of Houston. Bridesmaids were Sue Rein and Ada Vitelli, sisters of the bride, and Terra

Verde, all of Houston. Flower girl was Kelly Eastin and Sean Vitelli, nephew of the bride, was the ringbearer.

Best man was Robert McEntire of Garland. Groomsman were James Shaw, brother of the bridegroom and Mark Taylor of Austin. Ushers were Jack Borghrevink of Houston and Bobby Vitelli of Youngstown, Ohio.

Following the wedding, a reception was hosted at the church. The bride's table, draped with a white embroidered linen cloth, was centered with a white three-tiered cake featured with mauve roses with a traditional bride and bridegroom topping the cake.

The bride is a graduate of McKinley High School in Niles, Ohio. She is a non-food manager at Randall's in Houston.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Big Spring High School and Texas A&M University. He is employed as a senior account manager for Southwestern Bell-Telecom.

Following a wedding trip to New Orleans, La., the couple will make their home in Houston.

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MRS. D. BRUCE ST. Formerly Deanne F.

## Lifestyle guideline

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# Wedding



**MRS. DANIEL BRUCE STUDDARD**  
Formerly Tiffany Deanne Robertson

## Robertson-Studdard

COLUMBUS, MISS. — Tiffany Deanne Robertson and Daniel Bruce Studdard, both of Caledonia, Miss. exchanged wedding vows on July 24 at the Columbus Air Force Base Chapel in Columbus, Miss. with Dr. Claude Craven, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring and grandfather of the bride, officiating.

Parents of the bride are Mrs. Patricia Hasting of Caledonia, Miss. and William Dale Robertson of Wildwood, Ga. Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Studdard of Caledonia, Miss.

Maid of honor was Tina Hasting, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Tonda Mood and Toni Moody, cousins of the bride.

Best man was Dana Studdard, brother of the bridegroom, of

Caledonia. Groomsmen were Craig Studdard, cousin of the bridegroom, and Jerry Allen, both of Caledonia. Usher was Richy Morgan of Caledonia.

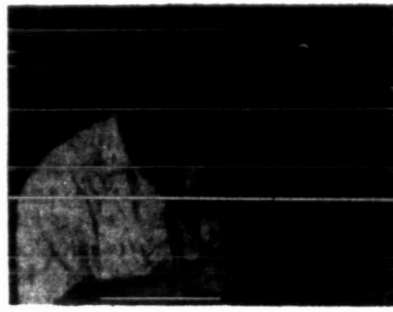
Following the wedding a reception was hosted at the community hall of the Columbus Air Force Base Chapel.

The bride attended Big Spring High School during her freshman, sophomore and part of her junior year. She is a graduate of Caledonia High School and is employed by Dr. J.S. Rawson of Columbus, Miss.

The bridegroom attended Caledonia High School and is employed by Sullivan Electric Co. of Caledonia.

The couple has made their home in Caledonia.

# Engagements



**COUPLE TO EXCHANGE VOWS** — Mr. Jess Eider of Seagraves announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Kay Fern, to Raymond Dale Pittman of Denver City, formerly of Big Spring. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Dearl Pittman of Big Spring. The couple will exchange wedding vows on Dec. 6 at the First Baptist Church of Seagraves.



**COUPLE TO WED** — Francisco and Herlinda Lopez, 4216 Calvin St., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Silvia, to Hector Cansino. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Ponciano and Maria Cansino, Sterling City. The couple will exchange vows Nov. 8 at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

# Association sponsors fashion show

The American Business Women's Association "Scenic Chapter" sponsored a style show and luncheon October 11 at the La Posada restaurant, 206 N.W. Fourth St. The fashions were furnished by Connie's and the models were from Nutri-System of Big Spring. The funds raised will go toward scholarships given by the chapter.

The next project for the Scenic Chapter of ABWA is an Arts and Crafts Show November 14-15. Booths can be reserved by contacting Pearlle Nason at 267-7689.

## Lifestyle guidelines

We will be pleased to announce the news of your engagement, wedding, silver or golden anniversary in the Lifestyle section of the Big Spring Herald. We try to use the story on the date you request, but sometimes space does not permit this. The information must be submitted to us on a form available at the Herald no later than Wednesday noon before the Sunday it is to be published. The form must include a name and telephone number of a person whom we can reach during the day for more information.

We will use a picture of the couple in the announcement. Or in the case of engagement announcements where a picture of the couple is not available, we will use one of the bride-elect. The picture must be a professional quality studio photograph. We prefer a 5 x 7 glossy black and white print. We ask for this kind of photograph so that it will reproduce well in the newspaper. Following the picture's publication, it may be picked up at the Lifestyle department.

The information for the story may be brought to the Lifestyle department of the Herald, which is located at 710 Scurry. Or it may be mailed to Lifestyle Department, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79720. Call us at (815) 263-7331 if we can help with more information or clarification of our policies.

**ENGAGEMENTS**  
Information of engagement announcements must be submitted to Lifestyle department of the Herald anytime after the engagement is a reality until at least three weeks prior to the wedding. Anything closer than three weeks will not be published. The engagement form must be submitted no later than Wednesday noon prior to the Sunday it is to be published.

If the bride-elect, prospective bridegroom or their parents do not live or have never lived in our area, we need to know why you are submitting your engagement to the Herald. If only grandparents live in our area, please give their names and addresses.

**WEDDINGS**  
If a wedding writup is submitted to the Herald after the wedding has occurred, the space allotted to it will diminish according to the length of time that has passed since the wedding.

**BIRTHS**  
Local hospitals supply information for Storkclub. If a child is born elsewhere in the newspaper's circulation area, or is born to out-of-town parents with local or area grandparents, please contact the Herald Lifestyle Department with Storkclub information.

Information needed for Storkclub is: newborn's name, sex, time and date of birth, weight, place of birth, parents' name and address. If the baby is born outside the circulation area but has local grandparents, please include their name and address. The local grandparents serve as the area connection for the information.

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# 2602 SOUTH GREGG

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# Reader shares adoption poem Newcomers

DEAR ABBY: I am writing not to tell my story, but to share this beautiful poem. If you consider it worth printing, it may inspire others. Thank you.  
ANONYMOUS, PLEASE



Dear Abby

DEAR ANONYMOUS: I do. LEGACY OF AN ADOPTED CHILD  
Once there were two women  
Who never knew each other  
One you do not remember  
The other you call mother.  
Two different lives  
Shaped to make yours one.  
One became your guiding star  
The other became your sun.  
The first gave you life  
And the second taught you to live  
in it  
The first gave you a need for love  
And the second was there to give  
it.  
One gave you a nationality  
The other gave you a name  
One gave you the seed of talent  
The other gave you an aim.

Which are you the product of?  
Neither, my darling — neither  
Just two different kinds of love.  
AUTHOR UNKNOWN  
\*\*\*

I have been wanting to say this for a long time: My wife and I adopted a child years ago, and since then I've become fed up with the so-called "rights" of biological parents and the so-called "rights" of adopted children. What about the rights of parents who adopted that child?

One gave you emotions  
The other calmed your fears  
One saw your first sweet smile  
The other dried your tears.  
One gave you up —  
It was all that she could do.  
The other prayed for a child.  
And God led her straight to you.  
And now you ask me  
Through your tears,  
The age-old questions  
Through the years;  
Hereditarily or environment —

In recent years I have seen numerous TV shows, articles and letters in your column pushing for the "rights" of everyone involved in an adoption — except the adoptive parents.

Remember us? We're the ones who sent our pictures and letters stating our qualifications for parenthood to over 100 doctors, lawyers, adoption agencies and hospitals begging for a child. We're the ones who waited seven years

for one of those contacts to pay off. And when it finally did, we're the ones who loved this child with all our hearts. This child is ours!

Abby, I am not one of those jerks who believe that most children are given up for selfish reasons. I know that they were given up because their birth parents wanted what was best for their child. Nevertheless, when they gave up that child, they also gave up their right to contact that child.

Finally, Abby, I'm not going to prevent my child from finding her biological parents, if that's what she wants to do when she's of legal age. On the contrary, I've kept records in my safe-deposit box that will help her locate the birth parents. But in the meantime, if anyone tries to interfere with my family and our lives, he will need a lot more than a handful of so-called "rights"?

DETERMINED IN L.A.  
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(For Abby's booklet, "What Every Teen-Ager Ought to Know," send a check or money order for \$2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

Joy Fortenberry and the Newcomer Greeting Service welcomed eight new families to Big Spring this week.

RONNIE STEWART from Bakersfield, Calif. is the new pastor at the College Park Church of God. He is joined by his wife, Colleen, and sons, Tony, 13; Justin, 9; and Ronnie, 7. Hobbies include the piano, singing and reading.

SAM WATTS from Plano works at Fina Oil and Chemical. He is joined by his wife, Susan, and sons, Derrick, 17, and Max, 15. Hobbies include genealogy, fishing and hunting.

LORI GRAHAM from Tucula is an x-ray technician at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Hobbies include arts and crafts, reading and sewing.

RUSSELL SMITH from Frankfurt, Germany is retired from the Seargent First Class from the U.S. Army. He is joined by his wife, Muriel, and children, Todd, 19; Ray, 17; Dawn, 15½; and Tammi, 13. Hobbies include cake decorating, sewing and photographs.

DOULE CLAWSON from Cross

Cut is self-employed in farming and ranching. He is joined by his wife, Cookie, and children, Lance, 18; Paige, 16; and Eric, 6. Hobbies include archery, arts and crafts and school.

NORMAN CORBELL from Fort Worth is an electronic technician at the V.A. Medical Center. Hobbies include reading, swimming and sports.

JAMES TREADWAY from Buffalo Gap is an oil field worker. He is joined by his wife, Wanda, and sons, James, 4 and Brandy, 7. Hobbies include motorcycles, macrame and hunting.

BRENDA RIFFEY from Lubbock is the administration secretary at Malone-Hogan Clinic. She is joined by her sons, James, 15 and Nathan, 11. Hobbies include tennis and sports.

RUDY FRANCO from Rochester, Minn. is a case management coordinator at the Big Spring Federal Prison Camp. He is joined by his wife, Beatrice, and children, David, 11, and Crissy, 8. Hobbies include motorcycles, fishing and reading.

## Pecans maturing early this season

By DON RICHARDSON  
County Extension Agent  
We have had a lot of calls this week on a variety of subjects. Typical ones about pecans was the visit we had with Lee Freeze. Lee is a member of our County Horticultural Program Area Committee and is an pecan grower. He has a problem that apparently many growers are having this year, based on the number of calls we have received. Pecans are sprouting in the shucks of his pecans. This is a problem we normally don't see in West Texas. The very mild winter we had last year and early spring enabled our pecans to mature about a month early. This fact plus the very unusual heavy amount of rainfall and high humidity we have had caused this problem to occur. Nothing can be done to prevent this. If your pecans are experiencing splitting of the shuck they are mature enough to be harvested. Go ahead and do so. Cure your pecans out in an airy dry place and you should have an excellent quality product. We had a nice visit with Rick Campbell this week. He is developing an excellent young pecan grove near Big Spring and is wanting to control weeds in his grove. Our result demonstra-



For your garden

tion utilizing fall applications of pre-emergent herbicides was highly successful last year on the Roy Hester farm just north of Big Spring. These products perform well but need to be applied on a clean prepared soil bed. Call the Extension office for more details on this. Our pecan show is already being prepared for so all growers are encouraged to participate, the show will be December 2, at the Highland Mall. A new state rule will be in effect this year. All pecans entered in a county pecan show must be grown by a county resident from county-grown pecans or from a neighboring county, provided no county show is of-

ferred that grower. Local grower, Bennie McChristian, informed us that he is experiencing an excellent crop this year with quality being exceptional.

We visited with Bob Nichols this week, a local cotton producer and insurance company adjuster, and he informed us that he has been inspecting many insured fields lately that he estimated to have only 6-8 lbs. of cotton per acre yields. This spells disaster for many area farmers.

Cotton farmers are reminded that they have until October 25th to contact local SCS and ASCS officials to voice concerns about the new Sodbuster Farm Bill. This bill has far-reaching long term effects on the future of cotton production in Howard County and other West Texas counties classified with highly-erodeable land conditions.

These are samples of our calls this week. Perhaps you are having similar ones and hope these answers and discussions can be of help to you as well. We hope you are enjoying our new format for our news article in an attempt to reach more clientele.

The information given herein is for educational purposes only.



Sunday, Oct. 19

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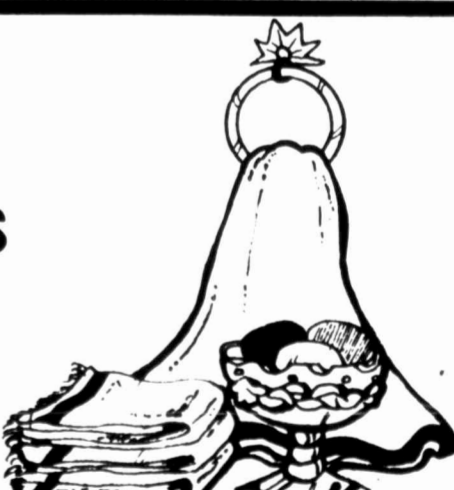
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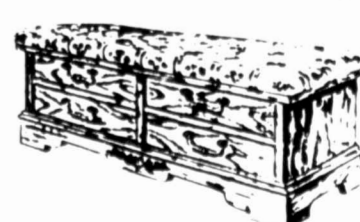


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# Asian fiber duplicates linen

It looks like linen, feels like linen, but isn't linen. What is it? It's ramie.

Ramie is a natural fiber that has been around for hundreds of years but has only recently found a place in fashion apparel and home furnishings. Its first recorded use was for cloth to wrap Egyptian mummies. Also called China Grass, ramie is obtained from nettle plants and is a relative of the flax nettle from which linen is obtained. Nettle plants grow well in China, Taiwan, and the Philippines.

**CHARACTERISTICS**  
Because ramie and flax are closely related, the two fibers have many similar characteristics. Ramie is a white to off-white fiber that is absorbent, lustrous, and strong. Like other plant fibers, ramie absorbs dyes readily but also tends to release them when washed. Ramie wrinkles easily unless given a durable press finish and is brittle, making it subject to splitting if creased sharply.

Ramie can be used to construct a variety of fabrics from soft sweater knits to heavier woven upholstery fabrics. Often, it is blended with cotton, linen or other natural fibers to add strength and luster to the fabric. Because ramie is a relatively coarse fiber, fabrics containing ramie tend to have a nubby "homespun" look that ap-



Focus on family

peals to many people. Ramie is comfortable to wear because it is very absorbent and, like cotton and linen, is used extensively for warm weather wear. Ramie/silk blends and ramie/wool blends have durability and comfort characteristics that allow them to be worn year around. Ramie is also used as a substitute for linen when an inexpensive fiber is desired. Ramie can be harvested three times a year, making it less expensive than flax, which must be pulled up when harvested. Ramie has had to overcome a bad reputation because of a pilling or abrasion problem in the past. The cause of the problem was discovered to be the process used for dyeing the fiber. The dyeing systems used today have

eliminated the pilling problem and ramie is gaining popularity quickly because of its comfort characteristics.

**CARE**

The care requirements for ramie depend on a number of factors. Read labels for specific information. Ramie is strong and can withstand washing, drying, and ironing with high temperatures if not treated with dyes or finishes which change its natural characteristics. Ramie is not harmed by most cleaning agents but, again, the dyes and finishes may be. Ramie is resistant to mildew, rot, and insects, but can be damaged by strong bleaches and by rubbing or scrubbing.

When ramie is blended with other fibers the care procedures required are often those needed to prevent damage to the other fiber. For example, ramie/wool fabrics must not be exposed to high temperatures in order to avoid damaging the wool in the fabric.

How the fabric is used also determines the care requirements. Garments that contain interfacing and linings often require dry cleaning no matter what the fiber content. Dry-clean-only articles may show water spots if they become wet from spills or from attempts to remove stains.

# Storkclub

Craig and Julie Bailey, 3611 Dixon, a daughter, Brennan Margaret, at 5:03 p.m. October 4, 1986, at Midland Memorial Hospital, weighing seven pounds, six ounces, and 19 1/2 inches long. Paternal grandparents are the Allen Baileys of Big Spring.  
Born to Warren and Leola Mc-Crea, 707 E. Second, a daughter, Jamie Lynn, at 2:08 p.m. September 29 at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, weighing four pounds, five 1/4 ounces.  
Born to Debbie Ornelas, 610 E. 14th, a son, Jerry Doportto Jr. at

11:56 a.m. October 9, 1986 at Scenic Mountain Medical Center weighing 8 pounds and 5 3/4 inches.  
Born to Teodoro and Alicia Duran of Odessa, a son, Jorge G. Duran at 12:13 a.m. on October 10 weighing 7 pounds, 7 ounces.  
Born to Eddie and Candace Arnold, S.C. Rt. A, a son, James Robert II, at 1:42 a.m. October 13 weighing 9 pounds, 15 ounces.  
Born to Robert and Elizabeth Rios, 107 N. Nolan, a daughter, Felicia, at 11:11 a.m. October 12 weighing 8 pounds, 2 3/4 ounces.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fidencio

Rodríguez, S.C. Rt. Box 331, a son, Tommy, at 12:30 p.m. on October 14, weighing 5 pounds, 4 ounces.  
Born to Denise Hughes and Timothy Williams, 2622 Hunter, a daughter, Lauren Elizabeth Williams, at 10:03 p.m. October 14 weighing 5 pounds, 13 ounces.  
Born to Linda Chavarria, 302 Jones, a daughter, Patricia Kay, at 12:30 p.m. on October 15 weighing 6 pounds, 3 ounces.  
Born to Toby and Peggy Bryant, S.C. Rt. Box 315, a son, Toby Reid Jr., at 4:10 a.m. October 17 weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

# Next week is business women's week

The week of October 20-26 has been declared the 1986 National Business Women's Week by the President, the Governor of Texas, and Mayor Cotton Mize. All working women are invited to join the local Federation of Business and Professional Womens' Club buffet breakfast in observation of the week. The buffet

breakfast will be dutch treat at Park Inn Patio Room, October 25, at 8:30 a.m. Cost is \$9 per person, said Edith Gay, the group's reporter.

Sue Corson will entertain the group with an interesting slide show and narration of "Birds in Howard County."

The week is designed to focus attention on the 56 million women of the nation's workforce, according to a release. National Business Week was begun in 1928 by the NFBPWC to dramatize women's contributions to the economic, social and political life of the nation. All business women are included in observing this week.

# Anniversary



**COUPLE CELEBRATE FIFTIETH** — Bishop and Mrs. Aisie Carleton celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception given by their children at the Bishop's Lodge, Santa Fe, N.M., October 13. Over 200 guests attended the reception which recreated their wedding of 50 years ago, including the flowers and cake. The couple lived in Big Spring in the late 40's and early 50's when he served as Bishop of the local Methodist church.

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Dr. Heichman is a Diplomate of the American Board of Surgery and a Certificant of the Royal College of Surgeons of Canada. Dr. Heichman received his B.A. from the University of Saskatchewan, Canada and his M.D. from the University of Manitoba, Canada. He was Chief Resident in Surgery at Wayne County General Hospital in Eloise, Michigan.

Dr. Heichman has been in private practice for the past 14 years; most recently in Cleveland, Texas.

We welcome Dr. Heichman and his wife, Sharon, to MALONE and HOGAN CLINIC and to our community.

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# Cafeteria menus

**BIG SPRING ELEMENTARY BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Froot Loops, banana, milk  
 TUESDAY - Waffle, honey & butter, apple juice, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Blueberry muffin, fruit punch, milk  
 THURSDAY - Donut, applesauce, milk  
 FRIDAY - Honey bun, orange juice, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Corn dog, mustard, cut green beans, pink applesauce, hot rolls, coconut pudding, milk  
 TUESDAY - Chicken fried steak, gravy, whipped potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, brownie, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Turkey & noodles, buttered corn, spinach, hot rolls, peach cobbler, milk  
 THURSDAY - Fried chicken, escalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas, hot rolls, lemon pie with whipped topping, milk  
 FRIDAY - Fish fillet, French fries, catsup, pinto beans, corn bread, chocolate peanut cluster, milk

**WESTBROOK BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Hot pockets, orange juice, milk  
 TUESDAY - Cheese toast, orange juice, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Hash browns, toast, jelly, orange juice, milk  
 THURSDAY - Biscuits, butter, bacon, orange juice, milk  
 FRIDAY - Cereal, orange juice, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Salmon patties, macaroni and cheese, English peas, butter bread, applesauce, milk  
 TUESDAY - Meat loaf, catsup, new potatoes, green beans, sliced bread, fruit bar, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Fried chicken, gravy, creamed potatoes, mixed vegetables, biscuits, butter, syrup, honey, milk  
 THURSDAY - Green enchiladas, Mexican salad, corn, apricot cobbler, milk  
 FRIDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickles, French fries, jello, milk

**COABOMA BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Cinnamon toast crunch, peaches, milk  
 TUESDAY - Sausage & eggs, hot biscuit, butter, honey, later tots, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Pancakes, syrup, butter, pineapple juice, milk  
 THURSDAY - Cinnamon rolls, applesauce, milk  
 FRIDAY - Doughnuts, fruit & juice, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Canned dog with chili, potato salad, sliced pickles, banana pudding, milk  
 TUESDAY - Beef tacos, lettuce & tomato salad, baked beans, red velvet cake, corn bread, butter, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Bar-B-Que on bun, French fries, macaroni & cheese, peach cobbler, milk  
 THURSDAY - Fried chicken, gravy, creamed potatoes, honey glazed carrots, oatmeal & peanut cookie, hot rolls, butter, milk  
 FRIDAY - Tuna & macaroni casserole, French fries, vegetable salad, chocolate covered doughnuts, milk, tortilla chips

**STANTON BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Muffins, fruit, milk  
 TUESDAY - Hash browns, toast, jelly, juice, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Honey biscuits, butter, juice, milk  
 THURSDAY - Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk  
 FRIDAY - Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Hot dogs w/chili, hot potato salad, celery stuffed with pimento cheese, pineapple upside down cake, milk  
 TUESDAY - Ground beef & spaghetti, blackeyed peas, vegetable salad, jello, corn bread, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Cowboy beans, oven fried potatoes, buttered spinach, fruit cobbler, corn bread, milk  
 THURSDAY - Beef & cheese pizza, buttered corn, English peas, chocolate brownies, milk  
 FRIDAY - Chicken & dumplings, vegetable salad, green beans, peach halves, sliced bread, milk

**BIG SPRING SECONDARY BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Froot Loops, banana, milk  
 TUESDAY - Waffle, honey & butter, apple juice, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Blueberry muffin, fruit punch, milk  
 THURSDAY - Honey bun, orange juice, milk  
 FRIDAY - Donut, apple sauce, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Corn dog, mustard or Salisbury steak, buttered steamed rice, cut green beans, pink applesauce, hot rolls, coconut pudding, milk  
 TUESDAY - Chicken fried steak, gravy or stew, whipped potatoes, English peas, gelatin salad, hot rolls, brownie, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Turkey & noodles or char-broiled meat balls & gravy, buttered corn, spinach, carrot sticks, hot rolls, peach cobbler, milk

**FORSAN-ELBOW BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Pancakes, syrup, sausage, juice, milk  
 TUESDAY - Honey buns, juice, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Texas toast, peanut butter, juice, milk  
 THURSDAY - Eggs, bacon, juice, milk  
 FRIDAY - Cereal, fruit, juice, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Chicken patties, green beans, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, fruit, milk  
 TUESDAY - Corn dogs, pinto beans, chopped spinach, corn bread, jello with whipped topping, milk

**SANDS BREAKFAST**  
 MONDAY - Fruit danish, juice, milk  
 TUESDAY - Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Scrambled eggs & sausage patties, toast, juice, milk  
 THURSDAY - Cereal, juice, milk  
 FRIDAY - Donuts, juice, milk

**LUNCH**  
 MONDAY - Chili burgers, cheese, French fries, pork & beans, cake, milk  
 TUESDAY - Beef w/brown gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, peaches, milk

**BIG SPRING SENIOR CITIZENS**  
 MONDAY - Grilled steak patty, mushroom sauce, green lima beans, zucchini & tomato, plum cobbler, plain bread, margarine, milk  
 TUESDAY - Meat loaf, dried blackeyed peas, glazed carrots, sliced tomato, banana pudding, yeast roll, margarine, milk  
 WEDNESDAY - Enchiladas, broccoli, pinto beans, Mexican salad, peach half, milk  
 THURSDAY - Porcupine meat balls, spinach, creole tomatoes, macaroni salad, cherry cobbler, yeast rolls, margarine, milk  
 FRIDAY - Beef pot pie, fried squash, sliced tomato, lettuce, spiced apple slices, plain bread, cheese sticks, milk



Making plans for the GFWC-TFWC Forsan Study Club October 24 smorgasbord are Donna Parker and Sue V. Holguin. Proceeds will go toward the club's scholarship fund.

## Forsan club planning meal

The GFWC-TFWC Forsan Study Club will have a smorgasbord October 24 from 6-7:45 p.m. at the Forsan high school auditorium preceding the Forsan/Stanton game. The public is invited. Admission costs are \$4 for adults, \$3 for students, and \$2 for children under 12.

Recipes of the foods to be served at the event will be published in Wednesday's Lifestyle section of the Herald.

The majority of the money raised by the group is used towards an academic scholarship presented to one Forsan senior upon graduation each year, according to Donna Parker, president.

This year the club also will sponsor a sophomore student to the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Conference later this year.

## Videoprinting planned

Parents in Big Spring will have the opportunity to have their children videoprinted during National Video's third annual international community service campaign - Operation Safe Child.

On Oct. 21, 22 and 23 from 5-8 p.m. the National Video store located at the College Park Shopping Center will videoprint any child free of charge.

The videoprinting involves a two-minute video taped interview with the child. The child is asked simple questions and walks around a designated taping area.

The National Video store is one of over 710 National Video stores across the U.S. and Canada to offer this unique child safety program.

"The purpose of a videoprint," said local store manager Scott Coleman, "is to convey a sense of the whole child including movements and mannerisms which makes him or her unique. If it ever becomes necessary, parents will have an accurate identification record of their child which can immediately be aired on television to alert anyone who may have seen the child. Videoprinting a child each year also provides lasting memories of the child's growing years which every parent will treasure."

To have a child videoprinted, parents can bring in a 1/2-inch VHS blank tape or purchase one at the store. Royalties paid on blank tape sales by the store owners to National Video Inc. will be donated to the Starlight Foundation, a national non-profit organization which grants the wishes of critically ill children.

In addition to videoprinting, National Video is offering the free overnight rental of Walt Disney Home Video program called "Too Smart for Strangers," hosted by Winnie the Pooh and his friends.

The characters talk directly to children in an honest, straightforward, entertaining manner so the children will remember the lessons without being frightened. By signing up for the videotaping during the three-day event, parents can view the video with their children at no charge.

National Video has also compiled a brochure filled with safety tips on fire and poison prevention as well as lessons for parents and children to learn about dealing with strangers and potentially dangerous situations. These brochures will be distributed free of charge to every parent during Operation Safe Child.

The first Operation Safe Child program was in January 1985. It generated both local and national media recognition. Mila Mulrone, wife of Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulroney, sent National Video a letter of support.



MELISSA McMAHLEN ... Miss Texas Perfect Teen

## McMahan competes for national title

Melissa Michelle McMahan, granddaughter of Ray McMahan of Big Spring and daughter of Jerry and Sandra McMahan, was selected as Miss Texas Perfect Teen at the state finals in San Antonio recently. She is competing for the National Miss Perfect Teen title this week in Myrtle Beach South Carolina. The 19-year-old beauty is a junior pre-law student at the University of Texas at San Antonio.

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