



ROBERT VON ROSENBERG

Von Rosenberg to head hospital

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

Robert von Rosenberg, Big Spring State Hospital acting superintendent since December, has been named superintendent.

The appointment — effective immediately — was announced by the Texas Board of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Wednesday. It climaxes a seven-month search for a successor to A.K. Smith, who retired in December 1986.

The new superintendent will receive an annual base salary of \$61,068, according to Dennis Warrington, director of personnel.

"I'm extremely pleased and honored to head such a fine institution," von Rosenberg said. "I'm very pleased and appreciative of

the support I've received from the community and from the employees of the hospital."

The appointment highlights a 23-year career at the hospital for the Austin native. After receiving his master's degree in psychology from the University of Texas in 1963, he came to Big Spring as a rehabilitation counselor for what is now the Texas Rehabilitation Commission — a position he held for three years.

In 1967, he returned to Austin in the rehabilitation commission's central office. Eight months later, it was back to Big Spring as the state hospital's director of hospital improvements program, he said.

Von Rosenberg was appointed administrator of the facility's drug and alcohol

and substance abuse program in 1971. For the next 10 years, he held this and other positions at the hospital, he said.

For two years, he was hospital administrative officer, and served as administrator of the psychiatric admissions unit for eight months. He also served as acting superintendent before Smith was appointed, von Rosenberg said.

He was appointed assistant superintendent in 1981, and served in that capacity until Smith's retirement in January of this year, when he became acting superintendent.

"At this point in time, I am very excited, and I have great expectations for the hospital," the new superintendent said of his

goals for the facility.

Superintendents were also named Wednesday at three other state mental health facilities, the Associated Press reported.

Other new superintendents are Dr. John White, Vernon State Hospital; Steven Schnee, San Antonio State Hospital; and Richard Smith Jr., Travis State School.

White has been superintendent of Rusk State Hospital since January 1984.

Smith has been assistant deputy commissioner of MHMR since March 1983.

Since 1974, Schnee has served as executive director of Central Counties Center for Mental Health and Mental Retardation Services, formerly Bell County MHMR Center.

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Spring board

How's That? Airpark fence

Q. The city plans to spend \$120,000 to erect a fence at the Airpark. Didn't the city remove such a fence when it took over the Airpark from the Air Force about 10 years ago?

A. When the city took over the property the fence was around the entire air base, said Nancy Brownfield, assistant to Airpark Manager Hal Boyd. Most of it still stands, but less than a mile of the fence was removed from the Highway 80 border because it was an eyesore, she said.

The fence to be constructed will surround only the airfield, and will have an electronic gate that can be opened with keys hangar users will have, she said. It's purpose is to keep drivers off the runway area, she said.

Calendar Concert

TODAY
A western music concert will be presented at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Older Adult Center.

Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees will conduct a public meeting to ratify the budget for the ensuing school year at 5:15 p.m. in the School Board Room at Big Spring High School.

Goliad Street will be closed from 11th to 12th Streets until late Friday afternoon for street repairs.

FRIDAY
Storytime at the Howard County Library has been cancelled because of painting at the facility.

Items for the Spring board calendar should be community-wide events to be included and will be listed no more than one week in advance. Send such notices to: Spring board, Big Spring Herald, Box 1431, Big Spring.

Police seek suspect in bomb threat

A warrant has been issued charging a Big Spring man with the terroristic threat of Wondor World department store, immediately after the store received a bomb threat, said County Attorney Tim Yents.

The County Attorney's office issued a warrant for the arrest of Stephen A. Gregory, 38, 2012 Correll St., Yents said.

Gregory is accused of driving by the store, shouting that he intended to "burn the place down," Yents said.

The misdemeanor carries a penalty of up to \$2,000 fine, up to a year in jail, or both, he said.

Yents said Gregory also is suspected of shooting the store with a bomb threat the night of Aug. 5. Police Lt. Troy Hogue said no bomb was found.

Private schools Expect increased enrollment

By CARLEEN EVERETT-HALEY
Lifestyle Editor

Private school officials in this area are predicting an increase in enrollment for the 1987-88 school year.

Three private schools are operating in Big Spring and a fourth is in Colorado City.

Another private school — New Life Christian Academy in Big Spring — has closed.

St. Mary's Episcopal School, 118 Cedar Road, begins Aug. 31 when 90 to 95 students are expected. The school enrolled 84 students last year, according to Bebe McCasland, school administrator.

St. Mary's, in its 28th year, conducts classes for pre-kindergarten through third grade.

For first through third graders the charge is \$1,495 per year, while the fee for pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students is \$1,140 per year.

Hillcrest Christian School, 2000 W. FM 700, expects 150 students to enroll in its kindergarten through 12th grade program. The school had 115 students last year, said Belinda Davis, school secretary.

Orientation at Hillcrest will be Aug. 27 and school begins on Aug.

31. Dr. Thomas Linares from Las Cruces, N.M., is the new principal. The registration fee is \$100 per child for both members and non-members of the church.

Members of the church pay a reduced price to send their children to the school. For kindergarteners, the price is \$1,000 a year. The fee for students in grades one through 12 is \$1,200 for the first child, \$1,100 for the second child, and \$1,000 for each of three or more children in the same family.

For non-members, the cost is \$100 more per year per student.

Jack and Jill School, 1708 S. Nolan St., will have about 20 students in its kindergarten program this year, compared to 14 last year, says Principal Natalie Permenter.

Classes begin Sept. 1.

Costs to enroll are: \$25 per family, \$8 insurance fee, \$20 supply fee per semester, plus \$3.25 annual Weekly Reader fee.

Care fees, including meals, are based on length of time at the facility. They are: \$8 for a full day, which includes breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack; \$5.50 for a half day, including breakfast and

lunch; and \$5 for a half day, including breakfast.

Christian Fellowship Academy, Rt. 2 Box 328-T, Colorado City, begins this year as a result of a merger of Roscoe Christian School and students from Christian Fellowship Church.

The church is building the school facility, which is expected to be finished in time for school to begin Sept. 1.

"If it isn't completed, we'll begin a week later," said Janice Inman, supervisor.

The school will conduct classes for first through 12th grades and approximately 27 students are expected — the same number as last year, Inman said.

The new building will accommodate about 55 students, she noted.

Cost to attend New Life Christian Academy is \$65 tuition per month per child and an average of \$25 per month for books.

Mrs. Ray (Bobbie) Pearce, formerly principal at Roscoe, will serve as the academy's principal.

No private schools are operating in the Stanton, Borden County or Garden City areas, officials in those districts said.

Scholarship funds among goals of Diez y Seis fiesta

By KERRY HAGLUND
Staff Writer

Plans are progressing for the Sixth Annual Diez y Seis fiesta to be celebrated Sept. 12-13 at the Howard County Park — also known as the Boxing Club — on Northwest Fourth Street.

The League of United Latin American Citizens is sponsoring

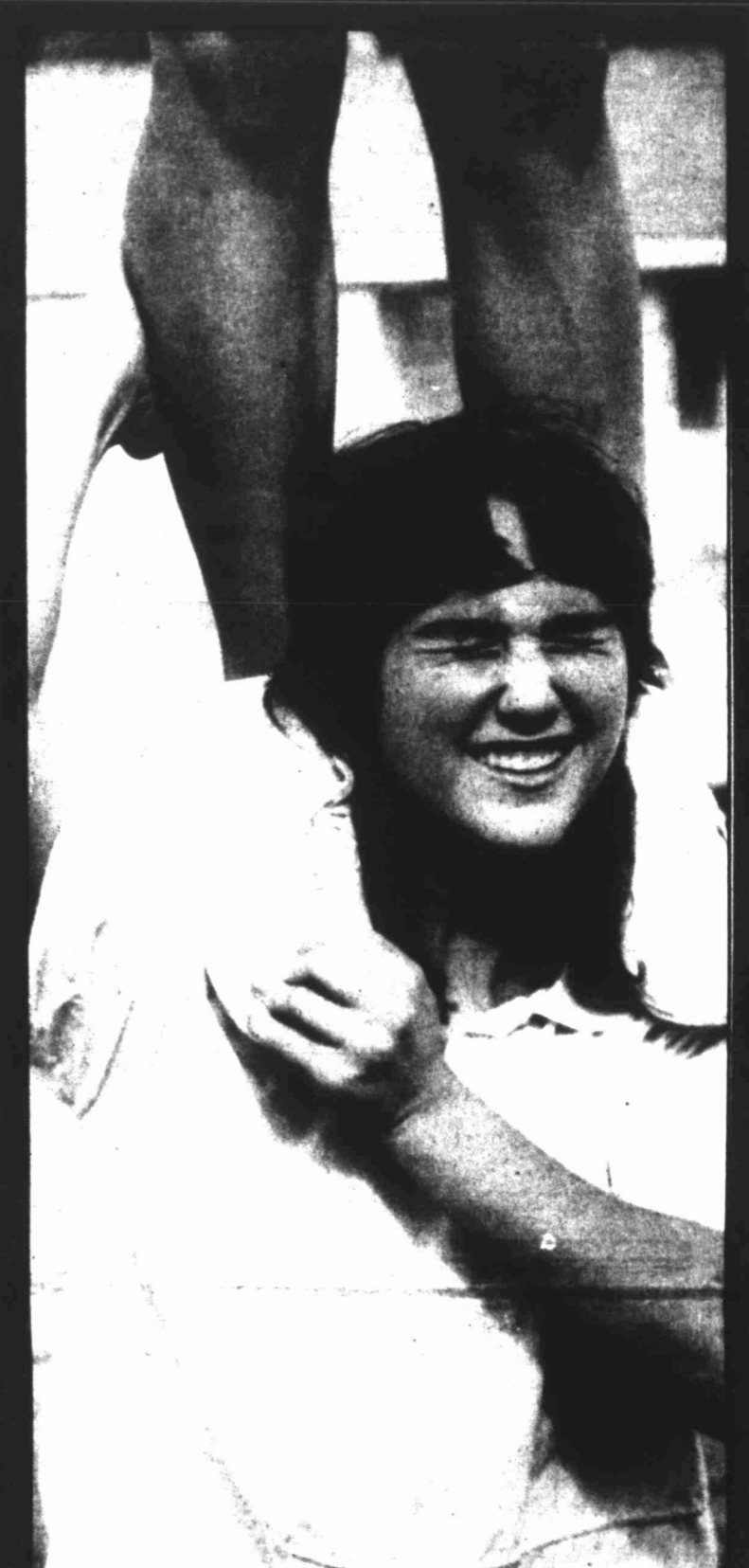
the event and asking merchants and organizations to sponsor a queen candidate, have a booth or make a tax-deductible contribution.

Parade committee member and City Councilwoman Pat DeAnda said today three queen candidates have registered. They are Armandina Olivarado, Garden City,

Michelle Sanchez and Maria Ontiveros, both of Big Spring.

A queen will be selected according to how much money each raises to be used toward LULAC scholarships, DeAnda said.

LULAC awarded scholarships for the first time this year, when Three high school seniors were each provided \$1,000.



Strong shoulders
Garden City High School junior Kristi Jones, daughter of Wendell and Linda Jones, strains to hold her partner as the Bearkat cheerleaders were practicing shoulder stands Wednesday evening in Garden City.

Council members deny Parks Board accusation

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

At least two City Council members Wednesday denied accusations that they ignore recommendations from the Parks and Recreation Board. If there is a breakdown in communications, it exists between the board and city staffers, they said.

Parks Board members claimed a lack of communication from council in a Herald article Tuesday.

"If there's a lack of communication, it's between the board and city staff personnel, not the council," said Councilman Gary Don Carey.

He added that he can't remember an instance when council didn't act on board recommendations — when they were brought to council's attention.

"I can't remember one instance when they made a recommendation and we ignored them," he said.

Fellow council member Pat

DeAnda echoed Carey's sentiments, saying the failure is not with council.

She further said she didn't recall any board recommendations being presented to council — other than a few reports from board member Mamie Lee Dodds.

She did say she might have forgotten the recommendations, because she had been working on other matters.

City Manager Mack Wofford said recommendations from the board go through an informal channel that includes Parks Superintendent David McGhgy and City Public Works Director Tom Decell.

Wofford added he hasn't received any indication that board members were upset or angry.

Decell cited "an apparent perception (of poor communication) that is both unfortunate and regrettable." He added he would take steps to ensure a positive flow of information between the two.



Welcome aboard
Jo Ann and Harold Burnine, left, listen to Conrad Alexander, director of the Big Spring Veterans Administration Hospital, during a reception for the Burnines at the facility Wednesday afternoon. Harold Burnine was recently named the new associate director of the VA hospital, coming from Houston to assume the newly-created position.

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Sales tax checks near \$100 million

AUSTIN — Texas cities that levy the one percent city tax received checks this week totalling \$99.7 million in local sales tax payments, State Comptroller Bob Bullock reported.

Howard County's three taxing communities each showed increases from June sales, while Martin County was down and two of three Mitchell County communities showed increases.

The city of Big Spring received \$187,438.24 compared to \$167,199.33 received last year for June sales, an increase of \$202,239. This brought the total payments for the year to \$985,360.65, a 5.52 percent decrease for the year.

Coahoma received \$3,102.67, a \$110.59 increase over last year's total of \$2,992.08.

However, Coahoma's receipts for the year total \$15,988.74, a decline of 18.13 percent for the year.

Forsan received \$2,527.01 for June sales, an increase of \$1,788.71 compared to last year's check of \$738.30. Year-to-date receipts for Forsan are \$10,350, compared to \$9,685 a year ago, the only increase among Howard County communities.

In Martin County the city of Stanton received \$6,553.03 in sales tax payments, a decrease from last year's check of \$7,762.35. For the year Stanton has received \$32,731, a 23.92 percent decline from the same time a year ago.

In Mitchell County, Colorado City received

payment of \$29,403.11, an increase of \$289.28 over last year's June payment of \$29,113.83. Colorado city is down 7.47 percent for the year-to-date, having received \$165,475.

Loraine received \$1,519.74, an increase of \$547.24 over last year's amount of \$962.50, although year-to-date receipts total \$4,491, down 5.87 percent.

The city of Westbrook received payment of \$868.11, a decrease of \$148.91 from last year's June receipts of \$1,017.02. For the year, Westbrook's receipts are \$4,999, down 42 percent.

Bullock said the state's monthly payments were down 7.4 percent in June receipts, compared to the 1986 June figures.

Sheriff's log

Assailant given probation

Herald staff report

Thomas A. Bonilla, 25, San Antonio, pleaded guilty in 118th District Court Wednesday to sexual assault. He was sentenced to 10 years deferred adjudication probation.

Clifton Blain Clinton, 30, Sterling City Route Box 157-FA, pleaded guilty in county court Wednesday to revocation of probation on a driving while intoxicated charge. He was fined \$431 and 90 days in jail to run concurrently with a three year sentence in the Texas Department of Corrections for a previous conviction of delivery of marijuana.

Glenn Eugene Taylor, 46, Lincoln Gardens, Key West, Fla., was released to the Monroe County Sheriff's Office in Key West on a charge of violation of probation on possession with intent to sell marijuana. Taylor was arrested Aug. 5 at the Big Spring Federal Prison Camp.

Andrew Juarez, 28, 1505 Sycamore St., was transferred from the police department after a Wednesday arrest on suspicion of possession of marijuana under 2

ounces. He was released on a \$500 bond.

The owner of a stolen butane tank mounted on a trailer is offering a \$100 reward for information to its whereabouts, according to the Howard County Sheriff's Office.

The tank was stolen recently from a roadway in the Luther area, eleven miles north and two miles east of Big Spring, Sheriff A.N. Standard said.

The tank is described as a 500-gallon silver butane tank converted to a diesel tank. On top of the tank is a red electric pump, a hole to fill the tank and a red iron rod to hold onto.

A red tool box is mounted on one end of the trailer and opens on both sides.

There is a 12-inch flat iron railing at the other end of the trailer and the tongue extending is not painted.

Standard said Crime Stoppers will offer up to a \$1,000 reward for information about the tank.

Anyone with information should call the Howard County Sheriff's Office at 263-7654 or mail to P.O. Box 1208, Big Spring, TX 79720.

Bible Fund begins 41st year

The Bible Fund begins its 41st year this year with a goal of \$15,000, and members of the Howard County Minister's Fellowship are seeking donations.

The goal is the same as last year; however, funds raised in 1986 totaled \$2,500 less than that amount, according to the Rev. Kenneth Patrick, campaign chairman.

Money raised through the campaign has supported Bible classes in Big Spring High School since 1946. Forsan High School also has had classes the past two years and will again this year, Patrick said in a letter.

Letters were mailed Wednesday to about 700 community people, said Helen Priddy, Patrick's secretary.

The course is a survey of the

Old and New Testaments, and elective credit is given.

The Rev. Keith Gibbons, pastor of College Heights Christian Church, is to teach the class in Big Spring, and Dr. Ed Thibodeaux will teach in Forsan, Priddy said.

Last year's teachers were Patrick and the Rev. Randy Dirkes, pastor of Crossroads Bible Church.

Because no state money can be used to finance classes on the Bible, local ministers and people in the community each year mount the drive to pay the costs.

Donations for the fund may be taken or mailed to the First Baptist Church, 705 W. Marcy Drive, Big Spring 79720.

Donations also will be taken at the Big Spring Herald at P.O. Box 1431. Checks should be addressed to the Bible Fund.



Associated Press photo

Batter up

Three-year-old Taylor Closs anticipates a pitch from his father as his brother, T.J., 6, eagerly awaits his turn at bat. The family was playing baseball in their backyard in Lake Jackson.

Man hurt in car accident

A local man underwent surgery this morning as the result of a Wednesday night car accident.

Oscar Ovalle, 44, whose address is listed as the old Gail Highway, underwent surgery at 9:30 a.m. today and is listed in stable condition, according to a Scenic Mountain Medical Center spokeswoman.

The accident occurred at 10 p.m. Wednesday north of Big Spring on the old Gail Highway, according to a Department of Public Safety spokeswoman.

The department has received conflicting stories about the accident and how it occurred and the case is under investigation, according to the spokeswoman.

County tax certificate cost to rise

Herald staff report

Beginning Sept. 1, the cost of obtaining a Howard County tax certificate will more than double.

Howard County commissioners approved raising the price of the certificates from \$4 to \$10 during Monday's meeting of the Commissioners' Court.

Tax Assessor/Collector Dorothy Moore said Wednesday \$4,400 was raised from the issuance of 1,100 certificates from June 1986 to July 1987.

Not all the money raised goes to Howard County, she said, explaining that it is divided on a pro-rated basis between the entities for whom taxes are collected.

Moore said abstract companies involved in the sale of property generally ask for a tax certificate to prove that no back taxes are owed.

"There's a lot of research that goes into that tax certificate," she said.

A change in the state law governing tax certificates allowed commissioners to increase the cost to a maximum of \$10, she said.

Hazardous waste committee named

Herald staff report

Howard County Judge Milton Kirby announced Wednesday that members have been named to a city/county emergency planning committee.

County commissioners learned Monday that a committee consisting of elected state and local officials and industry representatives must be named by Aug. 17 to comply with Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.

The Act establishes federal, state and local government and industry requirements regarding emergency planning and the reporting of hazardous and toxic chemicals.

The following people have been appointed to the required 16 positions on the committee:

- Howard County Judge Milton Kirby — committee leader
- Hal Boyd, Big Spring/Howard County emergency management coordinator — chairperson, and civil defense/emergency management representative
- Rep. Larry Don Shaw — state official
- Mayor Cotton Mize — local official
- Police Chief Joe Cook — law enforcement

representative

- Fire Chief Carl Dorton — fire fighting representative
- Mary Ann Brown of the American Red Cross — first aid representative
- City/County Health Unit Sanitarian James Luck — health representative
- Fina Oil & Chemical Co. Safety Supervisor Jimmie Wood — local environmental representative
- Larry Ward, Scenic Mountain Medical Center maintenance director — hospital representative
- Gary Richardson, director of transportation and safety for the Big Spring Independent School District — transportation representative
- KBST News Director Denise Crenwelge — broadcast media representative
- Big Spring Herald Publisher John Brown — print media representative
- C. Roy Wright, Sand Springs volunteer fire department chief — community group representative
- Fiberflex Safety Director Mike Flanagan — facility owner/operator

Oil prices drift lower after see-saw

NEW YORK (AP) — Oil futures prices drifted lower in early trading today after a see-saw session on the New York Mercantile Exchange Wednesday that saw prices end about where they began.

Contracts for September delivery of West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark U.S. crude oil, were off 3 cents to \$20.96

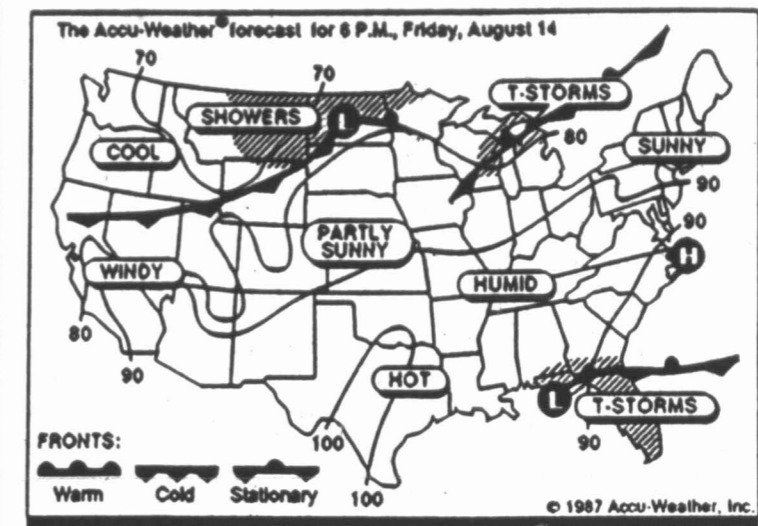
per 42-gallon barrel at 11 a.m. EDT. Prices closed unchanged at \$20.99 a barrel Wednesday.

Prices for refined oil products also declined. The September contract for wholesale unleaded gasoline was down 0.07 cent to 54.40 cents a gallon this morning after falling 0.08 cent to 54.47 cents a gallon in the previous session. The

near-month contract for wholesale No. 2 heating oil was down 0.08 cent to 54.50 cents a gallon after rising 0.03 cent to 54.58 cents a gallon on Wednesday.

Analysts said prices briefly pierced the \$21-a-barrel level Wednesday on a rumor of a coup in Iran that officials later denied.

Weather



Forecast

West Texas - Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms this evening mainly in the mountains eastward, otherwise partly cloudy through Friday. Warmer in the north on Friday. Lows tonight will be 66 in the Panhandle and mountains to 73 in the south. Highs Friday will be in the 90s except near 105 in the Big Bend.

State

Widely scattered thunderstorms were forecast through tonight for North Texas, the Hill Country, Edwards Plateau and extreme West Texas.

Hospital releases oil worker

Herald staff report

A man who fell 16 feet from an oil tank at a Chevron oil field east of Big Spring Tuesday has been released from Scenic Mountain Medical Center, a hospital spokeswoman said today.

Don Kariainen, of Snyder, a contract employee with Chevron, was admitted Tuesday afternoon with back injuries.

Chevron Production Manager L.J. Abshire said Wednesday Kariainen apparently was overcome by gas fumes and toppled off

the tank.

Acting Division Manager David Berlin said an investigation into the accident revealed Kariainen was sealing a hatch on top of the tank and he opened the vent hatch and was gassed.

Kariainen lost consciousness and fell off the tank, he said.

No similar accident has ever occurred at the I-10 east Howard oil field, Berlin said, but added that similar accidents are common in the oil business.

Police beat

Thieves rob local church

Thieves stole from the First Methodist Church a \$1,699 camcorder, a \$419 videocassette recorder, and a \$429 color television between 4 p.m. July 31 and 3 p.m. Wednesday, according to police reports.

A red 1977 Mercury Cougar was broken into between 5 p.m. Monday and 1 p.m. Wednesday at Big Spring Motors, 1505 E. Fourth St., salesman Randy Johnson told police. Thieves stole a \$100 car

stereo from the vehicle.

Joe Hernandez, 1300 Mobile St., reported Wednesday afternoon that someone he knows entered his house without permission at 1:45 a.m. Wednesday, stole a \$100 portrait painting and damaged a photograph.

Larry Viera, 18, 710 Goliad St., was arrested at 300 S. Gregg St. at 8:01 p.m. Wednesday on charges of driving while intoxicated and without a driver's license, police reports said.

Deaths

Matt Allen

Matt Allen Sr., 72, Ballinger, died 4:02 p.m. Monday, Aug. 10, 1987, at Ballinger Memorial Hospital after a short illness.

Services will be 10 a.m. Friday, Aug. 14, at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, with Rev. John J. Lewis, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Ballinger, under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

He was born Aug. 20, 1914, in Ledbetter. He married Dominga Nieto in 1964 in Ballinger. He was a retired laborer, and a member of the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Dominga, Ballinger; two daughters, Dominga Manley and Amelia Allen, both of Ballinger; two sons, Matt Allen Jr. and Pablo Nieto, both of Ballinger; four sisters, Mayme Robinson and Myrtle Young, both of Artesia, N.M.; Katie Allen, Monahans; Eola Curry, McCombs; one brother, Ed Allen, Phoenix, Ariz.; six grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews of Big Spring.

M.A. Webb

M.A. Webb, 84, Longview, died Wednesday, Aug. 12, 1987 in a Longview nursing home.

Services will be 10 a.m. Friday at the Ford Chapel at the First Baptist Church in Longview.

Rev. Dewayne Beatty will officiate. Burial will be at Grace Hill cemetery in Longview.

Webb was a Longview resident since 1972. He was a resident of Big Spring from 1963 to 1972.

He was in the newspaper business for 40 years and was a former Big Spring Herald editor. He was a member of the Mesonic

Lucile Moran

Lucile Moran, 73, 911 W. Third St., died Monday, August 10, 1987 at her home after a sudden illness.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel, with Royce Clay, minister of 14th & Main Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park.

She was born May 14, 1914 in Joplin, Mo. She married Roy Moran on Sept. 8, 1936 in Arkansas. He preceded her in death on June 2, 1968.

Moran and her husband moved to Big Spring in 1961 from Las Vegas, Nev. She and her husband owned and operated Moran Radiator Shop in Big Spring.

She was a member of Birdwell Lane Church of Christ. She is survived by several nieces and nephews.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch

Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

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Lucile Moran, 73, died Monday. Services will be Friday at 11:00 A.M. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

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Toxic gas pollutes town

WINTERS — About 1,300 Lone Star Gas Co. customers were back in their homes Wednesday after an evacuation that was prompted when toxic hydrogen sulfide contaminated natural gas lines, officials say.

After the contamination was discovered Wednesday morning, gas company employees began bleeding the line, or allowing gas to escape, said Breck Harris, Lone Star spokesman in Fort Worth. He said no injuries were reported in the town of about 3,000.

Residents of the community sixty miles south of Abilene were allowed to return to their homes about 9 p.m., but were asked to open windows overnight, Harris said.

Hydrogen sulfide is a colorless, flammable gas that smells like rotten eggs. Low concentrations can cause irritation of the mucous membranes, bronchitis and the formation of fluid in the lungs. Larger concentrations can kill.

About 30 Lone Star employees from the area were called in to clean the lines, Harris said.

Between 30 and 50 people gathered at the community center, and the rest stayed out on their lawns or visited others who had all-electric houses, said police dispatcher LaMoyné Moore.

Saragosa benefit planned

AUSTIN — When singer-songwriter Tony Joe White saw news reports and photos of the tornado that destroyed Saragosa, he decided to get a flat-bed trailer and race west for a small benefit concert.

But first, he called his friend, Waylon Jennings. "Waylon said, 'Well, I'll go with you,'" White recalled. The results are a benefit concert scheduled for Sunday at Manor Downs, east of Austin, with a lineup White says will include himself, Jennings, Johnny Cash, Neil Young, Jessi Colter, Johnny Rodriguez, John Anderson and Steve Earle.

"I told Waylon, this is a long ways from a flat-bed trailer. This thing kind of snowballed. Waylon just got on the phone and it got a lot bigger," White said.

White, whose songs have included "Polk Salad Annie" and his latest album, "Dangerous," lived in Corpus Christi for several years.

Five killed in collision

DALHART — Five people were killed and three

were injured when two cars collided on U.S. 87 in Dallam County in the Texas Panhandle, the Texas Department of Public Safety says.

DPS spokesman David Wells said two cars carrying eight members of two Texas families collided seven miles north of Dalhart Wednesday evening.

A car driven by Cruz Chacon Morales, 36 of Dalhart, collided with a car driven by Gary Elmer Essman, 41, of Amarillo, Wells said.

Killed in addition to the two drivers were Julio Morales, 12, and Mary Morales, seven months old, and Judy Yarbrough Essman, 41, of Amarillo.

The injured were identified as Mary Belle Morales, 8, and Imelda Morales, 11, both of Dalhart, and Chris Essman, about 14, of Amarillo.

Officials find 40 in truck

HOUSTON — Forty illegal aliens found squeezed inside a sweltering rental truck probably wouldn't have lived long enough to see the Pennsylvania farms they sought to till, authorities say.

"The ones that are cooperating are saying they were going to pay \$400 to get to Pennsylvania, which is pretty cheap," said Charles Griggs, head of the anti-smuggling unit of the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service.

All of the aliens were apparently headed for a mushroom farm in Pennsylvania, but Nacogdoches County Constable Darrell Lunsford said he doubts they would have made it there alive because it has been so hot.

"They were packed in there," he said Wednesday. "Had they been in there much longer, it would have been a disaster."

City to pay victim's family

DALLAS — Dallas City Council members have agreed to pay \$225,000 to the estate of a 70-year-old woman who was fatally shot by a Dallas police officer last year.

Gregory and Terron Collins had been seeking \$1 million from the city in connection with the death of their grandmother, Etta Collins, who died last Oct. 26 at her South Dallas home.

"There's no admission of liability in this," Assistant City Attorney David J. LaBrec, who helped negotiate the settlement, said.

Collins, who reportedly had a hearing problem and failing eyesight, had called police in the early morning hours to report a burglar in the duplex next door to her home.



Associated Press photo

Campus deaths

Angela Ingram, 22, whose sister Syrena was shot Wednesday at Tarrant County Junior College South Campus in Fort Worth, is comforted by police officers after learning of her sister's death.

The man who shot Syrena Ingram died after a gun battle with a TCJC security officer, who was slightly injured, according to police.

Vernon D. "Darrell" Krakue, a native of Liberia, apparently shot the woman with a .25-caliber semiautomatic handgun as she was driving by on routine patrol, police said. "He was the one who was crazy about my sister," Angela said. "She liked him possibly as a friend."

Body found inside barrel on lake

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — A body was discovered packed in cement within a padlocked barrel floating at the edge of Amon G. Carter Lake, authorities say.

Montague County Sheriff Glen Whately said he believes the body to be that of an adult male and that a preliminary autopsy report should be complete Thursday.

The 55-gallon barrel, marked "flammable, dangerous when wet"

and sealed with a combination lock, was found by a fisherman Tuesday morning in a slough near the bank in a new part of the lake.

Authorities sealed off the area because they believed the barrel to contain calcium carbide, a highly explosive chemical if in direct contact with water.

The chemical's manufacturer, Airco Carbide of Louisville, Ky., advised authorities not to remove

the barrel until a company representative arrived to confirm the contents of the barrel and supervise disposal.

Further investigation showed the barrel contained only water, black plastic, cement and the body.

The body was removed from the barrel and sent to a Dallas forensics lab for an autopsy. Complete results from the autopsy are not expected until Monday, Whately said.

SMU bishops to tell Mattox they won't give records

DALLAS (AP) — A committee of bishops that investigated Southern Methodist University's athletic scandal will notify Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox this week that he may not have access to the panel's records, a committee spokesman says.

The Rev. Spurgeon Dunnam III, the spokesman, said Wednesday the panel will tell Mattox by letter that the bishops' committee is separate from the university and

members intend to honor a pledge to witnesses to keep testimony secret.

The bishops will wage a legal battle, if necessary, to prevent records of their inquiry from being released to Mattox, Dunnam said.

Committee Chairman Bishop Louis Schowengerdt of Albuquerque, N.M., read Dunnam a draft of the letter to Mattox during a telephone conversation Wednesday, Dunnam said.

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Opinion

Views of papers across the U.S.

Here is a sampling of editorial opinion from around the nation:

Lauds nuclear arms accord attempt

Arms control is quickly moving from a meaningless phrase to a concrete agreement. One roadblock is the 72 warheads that the United States has placed on West German Pershing I-A missiles. The Soviet negotiators insist that they be eliminated. U.S. negotiators and the West German government insist on keeping them. The other sticking points — the destruction of all removed warheads, the schedule for dismantling and the verification procedures — appear easier to resolve. We urge both sides to keep up their efforts to work out an accord this summer. If (President) Reagan and (Soviet leader Mikhail) Gorbachev sign an agreement sometime this fall — and if the U.S. Senate ratifies it promptly, as it should — they will have delivered a welcomed Christmas present: The world's first nuclear arms reduction treaty. *Alamogordo (N.M.) Daily News*

Says Presley merits observance

Candles in the hands of mourners will light the way to Graceland this week. Thousands will gather in the streets surrounding the mansion in the Whitehaven section of Memphis to observe the 10th anniversary of Elvis Presley's death. While adults criticized Presley's on-stage gyrations, teen-agers adored his sideburns and rushed to stores to buy his records. The rock 'n' roll craze was under way. Presley's concerts were sellouts. His records went gold. His movies, although lacking critical acclaim, were box office successes. Presley was a performer of legendary proportion. He gave more than 1,100 concerts ... and never played to an empty seat. Presley is remembered most for his influence on popular music. His enduring popularity is testimony to the spell he cast over a generation. *Sioux Falls (S.D.) Argus Leader*

Criticizes delay of Bork nomination

Does Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Joseph Biden, D-Del., have any precedent for the delaying tactics he is using against Supreme Court nominee Robert Bork? Not really. At the request of Sen. Gordon Humphrey, R-N.H., the Library of Congress analyzed all 17 nominations to the high court since 1962. It found that the average interval between a president's announcement of his choice and the start of Senate confirmation hearings was 31 days. The longest was 46 days. Biden has scheduled hearings on Bork to begin on Sept. 15 — a full 70 days after President Reagan's announcement. Humphrey and others who believe in fair play have a right to be upset. *The Knoxville (Tenn.) News-Sentinel*

Gulf stance seen as unsatisfactory

It's not surprising that Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger refuses to accept the U.S. commitment in the Persian Gulf as "opened." After all, the term carries the nasty implication that we still have not carefully thought out, long-term strategy there. Iran's posturing and saber rattling combine with poor planning and plain bungling on our part ... to enhance the image of a muscle-bound superpower at the mercy of a weak country. (The) gravy train appears racing down an endless track with no firm hand on the throttle. *Macon (Ga.) Telegraph and News*

Japanese claim lacks credibility

With so many Americans looking for excuses to bash Japan, one would expect that the Japanese would keep their commitment to the International Whaling Commission to phase out commercial whaling. But instead, Tokyo recently announced plans to send its whaling fleet back into Antarctic waters in December. The fleet expects to bring home 875 whales — nearly half as many as last year's catch. The Japanese claim that the purpose of the expedition is "scientific research." Sure. *The Pittsburgh Press*

Calls for truck driving restrictions

Driver fatigue is one of the great hobgoblins of highway travel. Truck drivers, straining to meet a tight schedule or boost profits, often put in long hours at the wheel. Under such circumstances a driver's reactions tend to slow down, at peril to himself and others. He may begin seeing things that aren't there in the tunnel of light ahead — or not seeing things that are there, until it's too late. He may doze off at the wheel of his speeding behemoth. The accident records around the country show that more needs to be done. A truck barreling down the highway with a sleepy driver at the wheel is an invitation to disaster. *The Westerly (R.I.) Sun*

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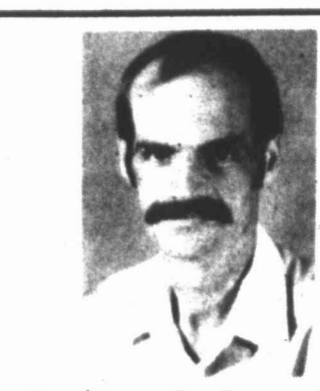
Pork barrel projects spotted in recent transportation bill

By JACK ANDERSON and JOSEPH SPEAR
 WASHINGTON — Congress has its own version of the old quack-and-walk definition of a duck: If it looks like pork and smells like pork, it's actually an essential public-works project. In our usual suspicious way, we spotted several notably porcine projects in the Transportation Department appropriations bill that recently cleared the House. The projects are not necessarily useless. But classic pork barrel tactics were used to fund them. When Appropriations Committee members failed to persuade the Public Works Committee and its powerful chairman, Rep. James Howard, D-N.J., to authorize the funds, money was taken from the general fund. That means the expenditures will further swell the federal deficit. Our associate Stewart Harris called the sponsoring members and asked if, perchance, they didn't think the way the projects were lobbied and horse-traded into the bill did not smack of the old pork barrel process. We should have known better. While most members of Congress would willingly define a pork-barrel project as the useless expenditure of public funds for purely political purposes, none would admit that their own construction items were cooked up just to please the folks in the home district. Here are some typical exchanges: • The \$5 million down payment for improvements on a state road and bridge to Blount Island near Jacksonville doesn't fit the pork profile at all, according to a spokesman for Rep. Bill Chappell Jr., D-Fla. The project, which may cost an additional \$10 million to complete, will give the Marine Corps better access to the island so it can be used for bigger things, like a berthing facility. But some port inspectors we contacted were skeptical of the alleged urgency of the project. They pointed out that if the Marines had considered the access improvement vital, they would have paid for it out of their own budget. The critics also noted that the money will add to the deficit because it is coming from general funds — unlike most highway projects, which are authorized by the Public Works Committee and paid for out of the gasoline tax trust fund. • Two million dollars for a lane-widening project on U.S. 101 near Prunedale, sponsored by Rep. Leon Panetta, D-Calif., doesn't classify as pork either, according to a Panetta aide. As proof, he pointed out that the California transportation department considers the widening so crucial that it will finance 20 percent of it. The project will cost an estimated \$58 million to complete — and the money will also add to budget deficits because it will come from the general fund. • The closest to an admission of political consideration came from the office of Rep. Chris Perkins, D-Ky., who sponsored a \$2.5 million road widening between Prestonsburg and Paintsville in the "family district" represented by Perkins and his late father, Carl, since 1949. A Perkins aide was proud that his boss — a second-term congressman — had garnered the project for the home folks, and suggested that the Transportation Department also plays politics in the way it doles out the gasoline-tax money. Perkin's project is expected to cost \$78 million more to complete, and will also come out of the general fund. • Appropriations Committee member Norman Dicks, D-Wash., used his clout to get \$2.6 million for a new bridge in the district of Rep. Al Swift, D-Wash. According to a Dicks spokesman, the congressman asked around among the state delegation to see if anyone had a project in mind, and Swift mentioned a condemned bridge on U.S. 101 over the Queets River. Dicks's aide said the bridge project wasn't pork, but an emergency, and noted that U.S. 101 is the only north-south highway on the Olympic Peninsula's Pacific coast. The money will come from general funds. SAINT JO ANN? The Republican Right has a heroine on domestic goals to match Ollie North on foreign policy. She is Jo Ann Gasper, R-N.Y., is her white knight. When she was fired from her high-level position for insubordination by Health and Human Services Secretary Otis Bowen, Kemp and other conservatives in Congress protested her dismissal. Thanks to their efforts, Gasper was then hired by Education Secretary William Bennett. Gasper's quarrel with her bosses at HHS was a long one, and Kemp was her champion all the way. Gasper tried to enforce departmental rules against funding organizations that advocate abortion, taking a harder anti-abortion line than the department. When she insisted on following her own views, she was fired. Kemp, a staunch anti-abortionist, has tried for years to get legislation passed that would prohibit federal funds for any organizations that even inform women that abortion is an option, and tell them where they can get the operation. The "martyrdom" of Gasper may galvanize the anti-abortion faithful.



Jack Anderson

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Around the rim

Lefties have their day in right world

By STEVE REAGAN
 Staff Writer
 Today, faithful readers, is a very special day. Why? It's National Left-hander's Day, of course. On this day, members of the most misunderstood of all minorities get a justly-deserved moment in the sun. For 24 hours, lefties must not be treated as oddities or side-show freaks. We have arrived. As a southpaw myself, I say it's about time. For too long, I have silently endured gawks, stares and verbal slings of the oh-so-smug righties, or "northpaws" as I call them. "How the heck do you write like that?" I've been asked. And, "Doesn't it hurt your arm?" Then, there's that all-time knee-slapper, "I've always wanted to know what it's like to write upside-down." Har-dee-har-har. As if that isn't bad enough, the world — designed for right-handers — is an absolute jungle for us lefties. Scissors are a particular torment. I don't know exactly what it is about the infernal devices, but they refuse to work properly for me. One time, I was butchering an item I was trying to cut from the paper. A right-handed friend saw my plight, performed the task quite easily, and handed the scissors back with a pitying look, as if to say, "You poor, miserable fool." Doors are designed with right-handers in mind. So are cars, telephones, and almost every kitchen appliance known to man. When's the last time you ever saw anyone shake with his left hand? If you did, you'd probably think the misguided creature was either crippled or mentally impaired. Another thing, I think that the person who first coined the phrase "left-handed compliment" ought to be shot — several times — slowly. There are further examples of how the insidious bias against left-handers has crept into the language. You never hear, for example, of an indispensable aide referred to as "my left-hand man," do you? Indeed, if I'm ever described as a "left-hand man," I will definitely consider it a left-handed compliment (See, now even I'm doing it). Left-handed quarterbacks are a rarity in football. I once asked a friend why this is so. He explained that passes from left-handers were more difficult to catch because of the reverse spin on the ball, weird to receivers. To me, this is more of a cop-out than an explanation. If I was cashing a \$200,000 paycheck as an NFL receiver, something as trivial as the ball's spin wouldn't keep me from catching the darn thing. No, the whole thing is just another example of the prejudice against having left-handers in positions of power. Weird spin, my foot. Speaking of feet, you don't see many left-footed kickers in football, either. The reason is very simple. If a good south-podded kicker ever comes along, his teammates will screw themselves into the ground trying to adjust. There is one sport where being left-handed is a desired trait — baseball. There's something about the way a good southpaw pitcher throws that makes him superior to his right-handed counterparts. When I was younger, I desired to emulate these pitchers in Little League, but my desire proved greater than my talent. In other words, my pitching stunk. Today, however, my existence is justified. Today I am special. So in closing, allow me to leave you with this little tidbit from the annals of science. It has been proven that right-handers are controlled by the left half of their brains, and left-handers are controlled by the right half of theirs. Which obviously means left-handers are the only ones in their right mind. Take that, you bigots.

Facing reality can be a shock

By ART BUCHWALD
 (While on vacation Art Buchwald received limited immunity, and the special prosecutor has allowed him to reprint some of his favorite columns.)
 We are all going through a period of adjustment in our thinking in this country. The things we grew up believing in do not necessarily hold true anymore, and the sooner we face up to reality, the healthier this nation will be. Here are some of the truisms that no longer are valid. Congress is an equal branch of government. All the Europeans want from us is our American dollars. Teach a man a trade and he can get a job. If you live in the country, you don't have to lock your doors. A woman's place is in the home. What every town needs is lots of industry. The best school is the one nearest you. Everyone in the United States has to pay taxes. An American President cannot get us into a war without the approval of Congress.



Art Buchwald

If you treat children like grown-ups, they'll behave like grown-ups. Most doctors make house calls. You can have a happy marriage if you take Geritol. Only perverts go to X-rated movies. You can have a good day if you eat a healthy breakfast. If you go to college, you'll make something of yourself. Your children will support you in your old age. Social Security is enough to live on when you reach 65. All policemen are honest.

Baseball is the national sport. Oil is the best form of heating. You can't live in a world where half the people are enslaved. The First Amendment protects the press. The way to a man's heart is through his stomach. The best things in life are free. The law of the land is the law of the land. The public has a right to know. If you go outside, you'll get a breath of fresh air. The Attorney General of the United States represents all the people. America has the best postal service in the world. Teachers never strike. If you work hard, your fellow union workers will admire you. What's good for General Motors is good for the country. Women who enjoy sex are sick. If you save the Defense Department money, you are automatically promoted. The United States plans to escort Kuwaiti tankers only in time of war. The President knows what is going on in the White House.

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Nation

By Associated Press

Officials find bombs

MACON, Ga. — Every pay phone in Bibb County is being checked for explosives after an anonymous caller tipped police about three bombs that were found on public telephones and disarmed, police said.

Macon Police warned residents Wednesday to avoid using the pay phones, and Chief Jim Brooks said officers and volunteers would check more than 1,050 public phones throughout the county by this morning.

Macon police and the Bibb County Sheriff's Office received anonymous calls to say bombs were hooked to the pay phones.

A bomb expert disarmed explosive devices from public phones at a dry cleaners shop, a store and the Georgia Farm Bureau, all in Macon. There were no injuries.

Getaway backfires

BERLIN BOROUGH, N.J. — Three bank robbers just couldn't get it in gear.

After getting \$1,410 in a holdup Wednesday, the three hopped into a getaway car only to find the transmission stuck in first gear, police said.

After a relatively low-speed chase, they gave up on the car and tried fleeing on foot. They couldn't outrun police, either.

They were captured in a parking lot in nearby Gibbsboro minutes after the robbery, police said.

During the robbery, two of the holdup men, dressed in business suits, drew handguns and ordered seven employees and six customers to lie on floor, said Detective David Smith. No shots were fired and no one was hurt.

Boulder victim dies

DENVER — A Canadian tourist has become the eighth victim of a bus accident that occurred when a state employee working alone unearthed a huge boulder that rolled down a hill and struck the vehicle.

Douglas MacKenzie, 67, of Ontario, Canada, died Wednesday from injuries he suffered when the massive boulder rolled off a ledge, plunged hundreds of feet down the mountain-side and tumbled off the right side of the Gray Lines bus carrying 28 passengers.

Fifteen other passengers, including MacKenzie's wife who is in fair condition, were injured in the accident Monday.

Meanwhile, a panel investigating the crash has determined that a state employee working alone moved the boulder that fell into Berthoud Pass.

Lightning strikes twice

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga. — Lightning struck Charles Osborne's house twice in the same night, and he says if it happens again he may have to think about moving out.

Osborne called the fire department after a bolt of lightning struck his house about 9:30 p.m. Tuesday night, knocking out his television, videotape recorder and stereo.

The bolt also burned a streak across his carpet, and filled his home with smoke.

Firefighters arrived but could not find a fire.

While Osborne, a former Milledgeville police chief and now the city's building inspector, stood in the kitchen with the firefighters, lightning struck again.

This time, a hole burned in the carpet and the home intercom system was damaged.

There were no injuries either time, but Osborne isn't taking any chances.

Iran-Contra

President accepts the blame

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, saying he regrets the "lies, leaks, divisions and mistakes" of the Iran-Contra affair, is leaving on a 25-day vacation with a promise to return to an energetic agenda in the autumn of his presidency.

Before departing, he gave the nation a long-promised accounting that suggested his former national security adviser, John M. Poindexter, had usurped presidential power by making decisions that rightfully belonged to Reagan alone.

Leaders from both parties agreed with Reagan that the nation cannot allow itself to become bogged down in the administration's foreign policy debacle, but the Democrats said they want evidence that lessons have been learned.

In the speech broadcast live to the American people, Reagan couched a message of contrition on Iran-Contra with a hopeful-sounding enunciation of goals he wants to pursue during his last 17 months in office. These include nuclear arms reduction, budget-balancing and winning Robert H. Bork's confirmation to the Supreme Court.

"The fact of the matter is that there's nothing I can say that will make the situation right," he said of the arms-to-Iran furor that has bedeviled his presidency over the last nine months. "I was stubborn in my pursuit of a policy that went astray."

Reagan repeated that he had wanted to use whatever means possible to win the freedom of Americans held hostage by pro-Iranian elements in Lebanon, but confessed that "I let my preoccupation with the hostages intrude into areas where it didn't belong."

The president went further than ever before, in two previous nationwide addresses, in accepting blame for the Iran-Contra mistakes. But at the same time, Reagan broke very little new ground.

He did corroborate Poindexter's congressional

testimony that Poindexter — not Reagan — made the decision to use a portion of Iranian arms sales proceeds to benefit the Nicaraguan rebels known as Contras.

Reagan declined to say whether he would have approved the diversion if given a say, but he castigated Poindexter's behavior.

He said "the buck does not stop with Admiral Poindexter, as he stated in his testimony. It stops with me."

Reagan said, "I am the one who is ultimately accountable to the American people. ... I had the right, the obligation, to make my own decision."

Reaction from Capitol Hill was mixed. Sen. George Mitchell of Maine, a member of the joint congressional Iran-Contra investigative committee and a former federal judge, said in the Democratic Party response that Reagan was right to acknowledge "that the buck stops with him."

But Mitchell said that cannot erase the consequences of Reagan-approved weapons sales to Iran, which have left American servicemen in the Persian Gulf facing "the terrible possibility of attack by a nation we've helped to arm."

Looking ahead, Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., said, "Congress welcomes the president's offer of cooperation" during the remainder of his term.

But Reagan was criticized by conservatives including Rep. Jack Kemp of New York, a Republican presidential hopeful, who said he was "gravely disappointed" that the president did not express stronger support for the Contras.

In the speech, Reagan said he winces at suggestions that he coolly accepted being ill-informed and at times misled by his top aides, saying, "At times, I've been mad as a hornet."



Bus accident

An injured farmworker is aided by members of the Metro Fire Rescue Dept. in Miami early Wednesday. A bus carrying 50 migrant workers plowed into a toll plaza after it swerved to avoid collision with another vehicle. Between 20 and 30 of the workers were injured, although none were listed in critical condition.

World

By Associated Press

Labor strikes begin

SEOUL, South Korea — Labor and political protests, sometimes overlapping, triggered violent clashes in several South Korean cities today and dozens of new strikes began in a drive for higher wages and freer unions.

Hundreds of small companies closed their doors as the effects of strikes at major industries trickled down. The Labor Ministry said strikes were underway at about 240 workplaces.

At Seoul National University, about 300 students hurled firebombs today at police who fired tear gas to prevent them from marching off campus. Witnesses said the protest was prompted by the arrest Wednesday of student association president Lee Nam-ju.

About 140 high school girls and relatives started a sit-in today in Seoul to press demands that the government dismiss teachers who allegedly beat students.

Titanic's safe found

PARIS — Treasure hunters have found the Titanic's legendary safe and plan to open it during a live television broadcast, an expedition spokesman said today.

The safe was found Wednesday on the ocean floor 2½ miles below the surface at the Titanic site, 350 miles southwest of Newfoundland, spokesman Daniel Puget said.

He said the safe is locked and refused to speculate on its contents.

Legend and rumor have surrounded the treasure that may have gone down with the 1,513 passengers and crew who drowned when the luxury liner hit an iceberg and sank April 15, 1912.

Experts say most of the treasure was taken out of the safe in the hours before the ship sank.

Sixth mine discovered

MANAMA, Bahrain — Officials today closed part of an offshore tanker anchorage in the Gulf of Oman following the discovery of a sixth mine in the area, shipping sources said.

The five mines found earlier off the United Arab Emirates port of Fujairah were destroyed or defused in a search operation begun after an American-operated super-tanker hit a mine Monday and was damaged.

A source said Fujairah officials decided to bar ships from an area extending up to 35 square miles offshore. The port itself remained open, said shipping sources who spoke on condition of anonymity. Ships presumably could still enter port by going around the danger zone.

Blind sailor faces storm

HAMILTON, Bermuda — A blind yachtsman trying to be the first sightless sailor to cross the Atlantic alone will ride out a tropical storm on the high seas, a Bermudian official said today.

Jim Dickson, 41, had hoped to reach the safety of a Bermuda harbor before tropical storm Arlene arrived at the island.

But, tired from his efforts, Dickson did not make enough progress overnight, said Richard Parks, spokesman for Bermuda's Rescue Coordination Center.

Parks said Dickson decided he would be safer staying away from the island's treacherous reefs.

"Jim has decided he's going to heave to and batten down and catch up on some rest and get a meal," Parks said.

Iran investigation bill likely to reach \$4 million

WASHINGTON (AP) — The bill for the congressional Iran-Contra investigation has topped \$2 million, and the meter is still running.

The figure is likely to double by the time the House and Senate investigating committees wrap up work in October, spokesmen for both panels said Wednesday.

The House committee expects to spend its budget of \$1.95 million

and the Senate panel estimates final costs at \$2 million. However, those figures do not include other significant expenses such as police overtime, construction in the Senate hearing room and the cost of producing transcripts.

Spending summaries show that the chief counsels to both committees are earning salaries that are high by congressional standards,

but low for top lawyers of their caliber.

The services of House chief counsel John W. Nields Jr. through July cost \$51,000, although the money was paid to his Washington law firm of Howrey and Simon, according to House panel spokesman Robert Havel. The House is billed at a \$100 hourly rate.

The Senate is paying chief

counsel Arthur L. Liman, one of the best known criminal defense lawyers in New York City, at an annual rate of more than \$72,000.

The House committee counts the pages run through its copy machine, and the total stood at 1,605,000 as of Wednesday. Most were for news media copies of documents introduced as hearing exhibits.

The House committee has 45 staffers and the Senate panel has 52, although a number of them are leaving now that hearings have ended.

The Capitol Police declined to release overtime figures, saying no information is released on security matters.

Elliott Carroll, executive assistant to the Capitol architect, said

the cost of construction materials for draperies, carpeting, and plywood did not exceed \$10,000.

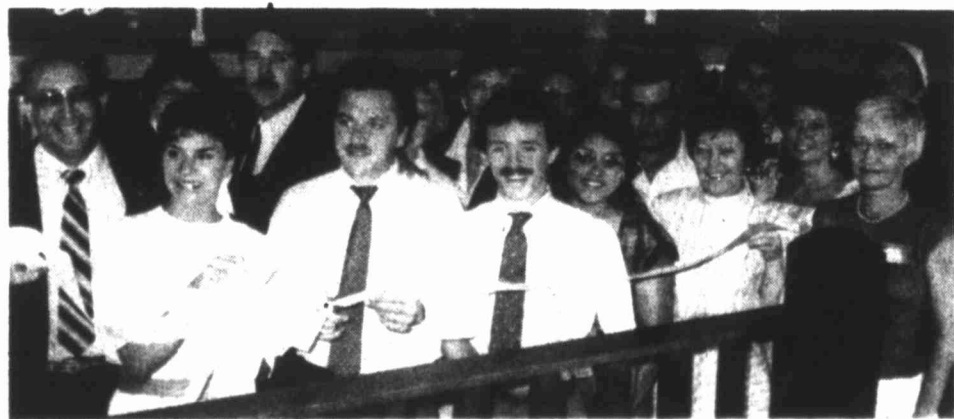
The wood was the same used for a temporary fence that once surrounded an Alexander Calder sculpture as it was being installed in the atrium of the Senate Hart Office Building several years ago.

The total includes \$59,808 monthly to lease a Washington office building.

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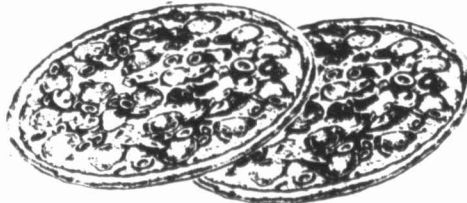
The Golden Corral recently remodeled and expanded its salad bar. Blue Blazers and Ambassadors were on hand for the official ribbon cutting. Golden Corral's staff is shown on the front row (left to right): Gigi Folsom, Bill Folsom, Ralph Johnson, Sandy Rios, Larry Ward and Joyce Ward.

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Entertainment

Texas talker Bridges is a good one

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — For a fellow who was Los Angeles-born and raised amid the hurly and the burly of Hollywood, Jeff Bridges has had an amazing career of playing down-home, good ol' boys on the screen.

It all started with his role as the small-town Texas tough in "The Last Picture Show." That earned him a 1971 Academy nomination as best supporting actor (Ben Johnson won the Oscar for the same film) as well as other clod-kicker roles: "Lolly Madonna," "Bad Company," "Hearts of the West," "Rancho Deluxe" and "Heaven's Gate."

Now he's once more in the heart of Texas with Tri-Star's "Nadine." He plays Vernon Hightower, owner of a failed bar, the Bluebonnet Lounge, and estranged husband of the erratic beautician Nadine, who is played by Kim Basinger. They get thrown back together after she witnesses a murder and is menaced by the bad guys, headed by Rip Torn.

"Nadine," which was filmed in Austin and San Antonio, also marks a return to Texas for the Waxahachie-born Robert Benton. The writer-director immortalized his home in "Places in the Heart." Benton, who had directed Bridges in "Bad Company," wrote "Nadine" with the actor in mind.

"I guess it all started with 'The Last Picture Show,'" the 37-year-old Bridges said, reflecting about the southwest direction of his career. "After that, the other parts started coming."

"The accent? It came easy. During 'The Last Picture Show,' I got a friendship going with one of the young locals in Wichita Falls, a fellow named Lloyd Catlett, who is now my stand-in. He's still got his accent, and he's around a lot. So

when I hear him, it keeps me going in the right direction."

Bridges hasn't been limited in his career. He has also portrayed an adventurer ("King Kong"), a pro-footballer ("Against All Odds") and an extra-terrestrial ("Star Man"). He received an Oscar nomination for best actor for his portrayal of the alien in "Star Man."

With the exception of Michael Caine, he is probably Hollywood's busiest star.

"I've been away from my family 10 months out of the past year," he said. "That's not good. I've got to figure out some way to take them along on location — or else find pictures to make in Hollywood."

Bridges knows what it's like to grow up in a family with a traveling father. His, Lloyd Bridges, was busy with a far-flung career that included the TV series "Sea Hunt" when sons Beau and Jeff were young.

"But the good thing about our work," Jeff said, "is that we can also have two or three months to devote entirely to our wife and children."

Bridges' rugged good looks and take-charge manner have made him much sought-after by filmmakers.

"I'll still fight for roles when I'm attracted to something," he said. "Funny thing — most of the ones I audition for I lose. I sure liked a script I read, 'Desert Bloom.' Jon Voight got the part and I've heard good things about the movie."

"I don't get too upset when I lose a part. I kind of look at the interviews as sort of an end to themselves. I go in there and give a performance, then I go on to other



Jeff Bridges, shown here in a scene from his latest film, "Nadine," has made an amazing career of playing down-home good old boys. He has proved that being born in Los Angeles hasn't left him with a citified look.

things. If I get the part, that's the cherry on the cake. The interviews are just an opportunity to get up there and give it a good shot."

Bridges just finished what may be his best role so far — the

automobile innovator in Francis Coppola's "Tucker."

"I didn't audition for that one at all," the actor said. "I got a call on a Friday to report for work on Monday."

Hard to find videos available

Some videos you just can't get at your local video store. For instance, European hits such as "Letter to Brezhnev," "Pauline at the Beach," or "Ran..."

To see these and other obscure movies, you have to go to a big city, and even then it's hard. Or, you can become a member of Facets Video, a mail-order company out of Chicago that rents and sells videos

of the world's greatest films.

A \$20 membership gives you two free rentals, and subsequent rentals are automatically charged to the member's credit card at \$10 per tape. A 112-page catalog describes all the videos. For more information, call Facets at 1-800-331-6197; or write: Facets Video; 1517 West Fullerton Ave.; Chicago, Illinois 60614.

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Around town

NIGHTCLUBS

● Stallone Night Club, 205 Runnels St., offers country & western, disco, rock 'n' roll, and Spanish music for dancing. The club is open from 8 p.m. to midnight Friday and 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday.

● The Heart of Texas Band performs at 9 p.m. on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights at The Brass Nail, south of Big Spring on Highway 87. The Brass Nail is open to the public, for a \$2 cover charge.

MOVIES

● "La Bamba," the much acclaimed movie about the life and death of Hispanic pop star Richie Valens, opens Friday at The Ritz. The movie is rated PG-13, and includes the music of Los Lobos. Showtimes are 2, 7 and 9:05 p.m.

Continuing for another week at The Ritz is "Robocop," a science fiction-action-comedy about a robot that's part man. It's rated R. Showtimes are 2, 7:10 and 9:10 p.m.

The Kiddie Show, Wednesday at 11 p.m., will be "Gobots."

Continuing for its second week at College Park Cinema is "Masters of the Universe," a sci-fi adventure starring Dolph Lundgren. Showtimes are 2, 7:10 and 9:10 p.m.

Opening Friday at the Cinema is "Monster Squad," a comedy-action movie with a cast primarily of children. The movie is rated PG-13. Showtimes are 2, 7:10 and 9:10.

PLAYS

● Tickets are on sale for the Aug. 21 production of "Pinocchio's Magical Wish." The Howard Coun-

ty Association of Retarded Citizens is sponsoring the production by the national touring company "World of Fantasy Players."

Tickets are \$3 for children and \$4 for adults. For more information, call Mike Cowley or Carol Green at 267-9834, 267-7073, or 267-8504.

DANCES

● The Merry Mixers Square Dance Club will have its "Anniversary Dance" Friday at 8 p.m. at the Squares Corral. James Moore will call. The public is invited.

Getaway

LUBBOCK

● Tickets for the Willie Nelson concert Sept. 8 at Jones Stadium in Lubbock go on sale Saturday at the Texas Tech Ticket Office, located on the north end of the stadium. The ticket office will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and on weekdays.

Tickets are \$10 and \$12 for reserved seating. The proceeds from the concert will go to the Texas Tech athletic scholarship fund. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed. For more information, call (806) 742-2770.

ODESSA

● The Presidential Museum on 622 N. Lee St. is hosting the exhibit "Archeology of Texas," through Sept. 5. It is a traveling exhibition produced by the University of Texas Institute of Texas Cultures in San Antonio.

For more information, call the museum at 332-7123.

● An exhibit entitled "Word & Image in American Folk Art," will open at the Art Institute for the Permian Basin in Odessa Saturday and will run through Sept. 2.

The Art Institute is located at

4909 East University. For more information, call (915) 368-7222.

MIDLAND

● Ballet Midland will culminate its month long workshop with a performance Friday night at 7:30 p.m. at the Allison Fine Arts Auditorium at Midland College.

Dances to be performed include: "Jazz Suite"; a new work by Brian Taylor to the music of Eric Satie's "Trois Gnosiennes"; Pas de Deux from "La Fille Mal Gardee"; and "Horsin' Around," a fun, folksy piece choreographed by James Cramer to the music of the Red

Clay Ramblers.

The performances, which include the Ballet Midland Company and Apprentices I and II, is free and open to the public.

COLORADO CITY

● Rehearsals are underway for the Colorado City Playhouse's production of "My Fair Lady" to be presented at the Colorado City Opera House September 1-5 and September 8-12.

Carl Beery Moore is director of the play which is adapted from Bernard Shaw's "Pygmalion." Music is by Frederick Loewe. Performances will be at 8 p.m. nightly. Tickets are \$7.50 each.

Top Records

By The Associated Press

The following are the top record hits and leading popular compact disks as they appear in next week's issue of Billboard magazine. Copyright 1987, Billboard Publications, Inc. Reprinted with permission.

HOT SINGLES

1. "Who's That Girl" Madonna (Warner Bros.)
2. "La Bamba" Los Lobos (Warner Bros.)
3. "Luka" Suzanne Vega (A&M)
4. "Don't Mean Nothing" Richard Marx (Manhattan)
5. "I Want Your Sex" (From "Beverly Hills Cop II") George Michael (Columbia)
6. "I Still Haven't Found What I'm Looking For" U2 (Island-Atlantic)
7. "Only In My Dreams" Debbie Gibson (Atlantic)
8. "Rock Steady" The Whispers (Solar)
9. "Heart and Soul" T'Pau (Virgin)
10. "I Just Can't Stop Loving You" Michael Jackson (Epic)
11. "It's Not Over (Til' It's Over)" Starship (Grunt)
12. "Can't We Try" Dan Hill (Duet with Vonda Shephard) (Columbia)
13. "Love" Dionne Warwick & Jeffrey

- Osborne (Arista)
14. "Cross My Broken Heart" (From "Beverly Hills Cop II") The Jets (MCA)
15. "Back In The High Life Again" Steve

- Winwood (Island-Warner Bros.)
16. "Didn't We Almost Have It All" Whitney Houston (Arista)
17. "Living In A Box" Living In A Box

- (Chrysalis)
18. "When Smokey Sings" ABC (Mercury-Polygram)
19. "Doing It All For My Baby" Huey

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Lifestyle

Mom thinks daughter's pal writes to her from the pen

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Sign me,

CONCERNED PARENT
DEAR CONCERNED: Your daughter is a minor, so I think it is entirely appropriate for you to look into this matter. Ask her directly if she is corresponding with a man who is in prison. Also, ask her if she knows why he is there and for how long.

If you can't get this information from your daughter, you are within your parental rights to write to the warden, explaining your interest in this inmate, and asking for information about him.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding surprise visits by pastors and other people: I resent such visits.

One time, my gums were killing me and I had my dentures out. I looked horrible. Another time, I had a migraine headache and was still in my nightgown at 10:30 a.m. My hair had not even been combed when my pastor made a social call.

On another occasion it didn't bother this same pastor that he interrupted my three-table bridge club. He came in, sat down and made himself right at home.

Some visits are an invasion of privacy. Thanks, Abby, for letting me blow off steam.

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DEAR LITTLE G: The meek shall inherit a lot of drop-in company. It isn't wrong, nor is it rude, to politely tell an unexpected visitor that you're unable to invite him or her in because you're not feeling well.

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The day your story about the wife of 40 years who had found \$10,000 and three ears of corn locked in the



Dear Abby

trunk of her husband's car appeared in the San Francisco Chronicle, I had lunch, as usual, at a large seafood restaurant patronized almost exclusively by men. One sees many of the same faces there — "macho" men who stop in at lunchtime for a drink or two, who discuss football, women and swap a few stories.

This day I started to tell your story about the "ears of corn" when the bartender interrupted, saying, "Yes, I read that in 'Dear Abby', but the paper came early this morning, and I had more time than usual."

Then the customer to my right, a young fellow about my age (77), said he seldom reads "Dear Abby," but he had also read it that morning.

The gentleman to my left, a much younger man, then volunteered that he had already repeated that story twice that morning!

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Mark Harmon seeks custody of sister's child

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Mark Harmon and his wife, Pam Dawber of television's "My Sister Sam," are suing for custody of Harmon's nephew, a son of the late rock star Rick Nelson.

Harmon alleges that Kristin Nelson, Harmon's sister and Nelson's former wife, is unable to take care of 13-year-old Sam Nelson.

Mrs. Nelson's attorney, Carl Osborne, said his client has completed a hospital program to end an addiction to prescription drugs.

The custody trial was scheduled to begin today in Los Angeles Superior Court.

Sam is the youngest of four children born to Kristin during her marriage to Nelson. The other

children are daughter Tracy, 23, and twins Matthew and Gunnar, 19.

Mrs. Nelson, 42, was divorced from Rick Nelson in 1982. In 1985, he was killed with six others in a New Year's Eve plane crash in Texas.

Osborne said the twins, who live with Mrs. Nelson, will testify for their mother.

Harriet Nelson, the mother in the long-running "Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" TV series that also starred Rick Nelson and brother David, is on the side of her former daughter-in-law but will probably not testify, Osborne said. Harmon, 35, who gained fame as a plastic surgeon on television's "St. Elsewhere," stars in the hit movie "Summer School."

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Traveling with pets difficult

By COUNTRY LIVING
A Hearst Magazine

Traveling with pets can be fun — but it is never simple.

Pet owners can take their dogs on camping trips and cross country drives and their cats on holiday visits and ski weekends but, according to Country Living, the cardinal rule is to plan ahead.

First, find out if your four-footed friend will be welcome at overnight stops. Many hotels accept pets, but campgrounds and parks are becoming more restrictive. Those that allow pets invariably require leashes — for cats as well as dogs.

They also may demand health certificates and proof of a rabies vaccination.

Once you are sure your destination is one you and your pet can enjoy together, the next problem is getting there.

Some airlines will allow you to keep your pet with you, for a fee, if housed in a carrying case that fits under the seat.

Carrying cases, available from pet shops and some airlines, should be big enough to let the animal stand, turn and lie down.

The American Veterinarian Medical Association says the case should be sturdy enough to stand up under heavy weights or a sharp blow. The inside must be smooth

and without protruding edges; the bottom leak-proof and padded with absorbent material.

The case should have ventilation openings on opposite sides, with rims or knobs on the outside to keep them from being blocked.

Be sure to label the case "Live Animal" with arrows showing its upright position. An identification tag should list phone numbers for your destination as well as your home.

A carrying case also can be useful in confining rambunctious pets when you travel by car. Harness-type seat belts are available to restrain large dogs.

Give your pet a chance to explore the case before using it. Leave it around the house and open for a few days before your trip. If your cat or dog won't go inside, try putting food or a favorite toy in the case. Leave the toy or a favorite small blanket in the box during the trip.

If you're just looking for an easy alternative to a pet sitter or kennel, forget it.

Traveling with pets is never a simple business. It takes both extra planning and extra flexibility, but the rewards may make the effort worthwhile for both you and your pet.

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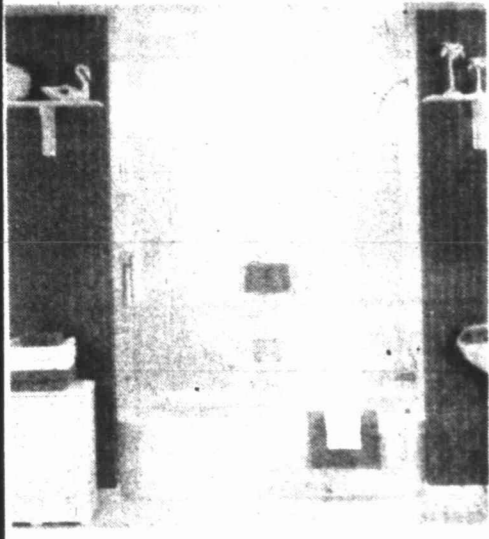
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Thursday Notes

By Steve Belvin



Coahoma youth wins awards

Coahoma eighth-grader La Tisha Anderson made a good impression on the instructors recently at the All-American Basketball Camp in Big Lake.

Anderson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson, received the Outstanding Player Award in the senior division.

She also won awards as MVP, best ball-handler, and one-on-one champion. She was also a member of the winning all-star team.

Young ladies from Coahoma, Borger, Garden City and Reagan County attended the camp. Instructing the camp was Tracy Tatum, former Wayland Baptist Flying Queen All-American.

The 5th Annual Lamesa Merchants Women's Slow-Pitch Softball Tournament will be this Saturday in Lamesa.

Entry fee is \$85 per team, if turned in by today. A \$100 entry fee is due by the first game of the tournament.

The first four teams will receive team trophies while the top three teams will also receive individual trophies. There will also be awards for big stick and golden glove.

For more information, call Marcy or Diane Luna at (806) 872-5757, (806) 872-2434 or (806) 872-8311.

The Hobbs Open Class Men's Slow-Pitch Softball Tournament will be August 21-23 in Hobbs, N.M.

Entry fee is \$125 per team and entry deadline is Aug. 19 at 6 p.m.

The first six teams will receive team trophies and the first three teams will also receive T-shirts and prize money. The first place team will receive \$500; second, \$250 and third, \$125.

For more information, call (505) 392-7145 or (505) 392-2458.

Leon Hobbs was the big winner in bowling action at Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama last weekend.

Hobbs rolled a 763 handicap to win the Fun Bowling Tournament. He won \$400 for his effort.

There will be powerboat races at Lake Brownwood this Saturday and Sunday.

Driver registration and inspections get underway at 11 a.m. Saturday. At noon all the action begins. On Sunday, registration and inspections begin at 8 a.m. Racing action follows at 9 a.m.

The Petroplex Tennis Championships, for all ages, will be August 21-23 at the Odessa College Tennis Center.

Entry fee is \$8 per person, per event. Deadline to enter is August 18.

For more information, call 362-5648.

Georgia Newsom and Ruby Honea combined to win in Comanche Trail Ladies Golf Association playday action Monday. Second place went to Tammy Newsom and Patti Woodall.

Thursday's couples play was won by Jimmy and Georgia Newsom and Sherrill and Jane Farmer.

This Saturday the Comanche Trail Ladies Golf Association is hosting a playday for the Big Spring Ladies Golf Association at Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Play begins at 9 a.m. Coffee and doughnuts will be served before play and a dutch treat luncheon will follow play.

Two local semi-pro baseball teams are chasing league championships.

The Big Spring Red Sox, winner the West Division of the Texas League, will battle the Sonora 45's this weekend in semi-final action.

The first game of the two-of-three-series will be Saturday in Sonora at 2 p.m. The next game will be Sunday in Big Spring at Roy Anderson Complex at 1 p.m. A third game will follow if necessary.

The Big Spring Cardinals advanced to the Texas-New Mexico League championship series against the Andrews Rangers.

The two-of-three-game series will begin with one game Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in Andrews. Then the two teams will square off again Sunday at Big Spring's Roy Anderson Complex at 1:30 p.m. If needed, the deciding game will follow.

Any high school boy or girl who is interested in working as a student trainer can call Big Spring Independent School District Athletic Trainer Everett Blackburn at 263-8833, ext. 183, or 267-1132.

Reservations can be made for a chartered bus to the Big Spring-El Paso Riverside football game September 4. Deadline to sign-up is Monday, August 17.

Cost is \$35 per person. The bus will leave at 12:30 p.m. and return after the game in El Paso.

For more information, call Judy Everette at 263-7824.

The Big Spring Little Football League will have a meeting this Saturday at 4 p.m. at the football field across from the American League baseball park.

All coaches and managers are urged to attend. For more information, call Earl Sherrill at 263-0613.

Registration for the Big Spring Soccer Association's youth soccer season is going on at the Big Spring YMCA until September 14.

Team selections will be made Sept. 14, and the first games will be played Sept. 19. Players age four (must be four by Dec. 31) and up are eligible. Registration fee is \$15 per player.

Brazil spikes Americans

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — On the softball and baseball fields and the basketball courts, U.S. teams romped at the Pan American Games.

On the volleyball court, it was another story Wednesday as Brazil stunned the defending world and Olympic champion American squad 3-2, dealing the U.S. its first team loss of any kind at the games. "Brazil just beat us," U.S. volleyball Coach Marv Dunphy said. "We were both tired and it was an emotional match that could have gone either way."

The loss took a bit of the luster off an otherwise marvelous day for U.S. teams, who cruised to big victories in men's and women's basketball, men's and women's softball and baseball.

"You don't want to lose a ballgame," said U.S. baseball Coach Ron Fraser, whose team crushed Nicaragua 18-0. "You can't let up. When you're up by 12, you can't take it easy."

The women's softball team got its second no-hitter in three games as Ella Vilche struck out 15 in beating Venezuela 6-0. Steve Padilla pitched a one-hitter as the men downed Cuba 4-0.

Basketball was just as one-sided, with the U.S. women opening play with a 110-41 rout of Peru and the men topping Mexico 105-73.

In track, Judi Brown-King, whose uncle won a gold medal in the first Pan Am Games, smashed the U.S. and meet records in the women's 400-meter intermediate hurdles with a 54.23, beating the record of 54.38 she set at Rome in 1985.

Cuban weightlifters finished their total domination, with Omar Semanat sweeping the middle heavyweight class to give his country a record 25 golds. Cuba won all the gold medals in each of the seven weight classes it entered.

The U.S. continued to hold a big lead in medals. At the end of Wednesday's competition, Americans had won 158 medals, including 64 golds and 48 silvers. Cuba was second with 88 medals, including 45 golds and 25 silvers. Canada held third place at 73



Ramona Pagel of San Diego, concentrates on her delivery Wednesday as she prepares for her second throw in the shot put. Pagel, a three-time national champion, became the first American woman to win a Pan Am Games weight event in 16 years. Her winning toss was 60-10.

medals, 10 gold and 24 silver.

VOLLEYBALL

Brazil, which lost to the United States in the 1984 Olympic gold medal game and almost every rematch since, scored some revenge in a 3-2 win. The U.S. team blew an early lead in the third game of the match, which both coaches said was critical.

For most of the match, the

Americans played without their top player, Karch Kiraly, who broke a bone in his left hand last month and made only three brief appearances. Dunphy, however, said that wasn't a factor.

TRACK AND FIELD

Brazil's Joaquim Cruz, the 1984 Olympic 800-meter champion, outkicked Jim Spivey of the United States and won the men's

1,500-meters in 3 minutes 47.34 seconds, the slowest winning time in the Pan Am Games since 1959.

The day was not without controversy. It came in the women's 10-kilometer race, which was won by the daughter of one of the judges after the first-place finisher was disqualified for not keeping both her feet on the ground.

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Nicklaus has good opening round

CASTLE ROCK, Colo. (AP) — He stands a feeble 106th on the money list, but the Golden Bear was starting to make ominous noises along the tree-lined fairways he designed at Castle Pines Golf Club.

Jack Nicklaus emerged from a season of hibernation to shoot "probably my best round of the year" Wednesday and advance through first-round play in the International golf tournament.

Nicklaus had 12 points under the modified Stableford scoring system being used in this unique event.

Under the format, an eagle is worth five points, a birdie two points, par zero, bogey minus-1 and double bogey or worse minus-three.

"I haven't had many good rounds this year," Nicklaus said. "It's nice to have one. I don't know if it was my best round score-wise, but it was the way I played."

It was his best score-wise, too — a 5-under-par 67. He ran off five birdies on the back nine and easily made it to Friday's second round.

Half of the field of 162 teed off Wednesday, and the other half was scheduled to start play today. The top 39 players from both days will move on to Friday.

Nicklaus, architect of the deman-



Jack Nicklaus blasts from a sandtrap on the first hole during Wednesday's opening round of the International Golf Tournament.

ding Castle Pines layout, insisted it is no advantage to play on a course he designed. "It's probably a negative," he said. "I know too much. I know where everything is. I put some things in that I'll be

thinking about and shouldn't be. Other guys probably don't even notice them."

"My courses don't favor me. I try to have a blend of holes going both directions, not just left-to-

right, which is the way I tend to hit the ball."

Also advancing to the second round were Greg Norman, Tom Watson, Craig Stadler, Peter Jacobsen, defending champion Ken Green and U.S. Open champion Scott Simpson. Norman, facing elimination, birdied five of his last six holes and finished with seven points.

Chip Beck led Wednesday's players with 13 points on a medal score of 66. He won \$10,000 in "day money."

Nicklaus and Dick Mast, who tied at 12 points, earned \$6,250 apiece, and Tim Simpson collected \$2,500 for 11 points.

Tournament officials installed daily payoffs to avoid a repetition of last year, when Raymond Floyd, who had safely qualified, skipped his last hole and took the mandatory double bogey.

Seven players were on the bubble Wednesday. They all had four points and went into a playoff for the final spot among the 39 qualifiers. Mark O'Meara prevailed, sinking an 18-foot birdie putt on the first playoff hole.

Among players scheduled to tee off today were 1987 leading money-winner Paul Azinger, Floyd, Fuzzy Zoeller, Ben Crenshaw and Corey Pavin.

Rams back in America

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — The Los Angeles Rams, a smash in London, will be playing back in America tonight, and Coach John Robinson says a long trip and a short practice schedule won't be factors when his club faces the Seattle Seahawks.

"We won't acknowledge that we're tired," Robinson said as the Rams prepared for the 10:30 p.m. EDT preseason contest at Anaheim Stadium.

"It's stupid to accept the premise that you're not ready to play. I don't believe jet lag will be a problem. I feel great and I think most of our players will be rested and ready."

The Rams beat the Denver Broncos 28-7 in America Bowl '87 before a packed house at London's Wembley Stadium last Sunday, then flew all night and arrived back in Southern California on Monday morning.

They'll only have had two days' practice to prepare for the game against the Seahawks, who'll be playing their first exhibition game of 1987.

While Robinson said the Rams will be ready, some of the Seahawks won't.

Among the absentees will be Curt Warner, the Seattle runner who led the AFC in rushing last year. He's back home in West Virginia to be with his ailing grandfather.

Also out of the game are defensive end Jeff Bryant, suffering from a foot injury; center Blair Bush, slowly coming back from off-season knee surgery; kicker Norm Johnson, who has a groin injury, and linebacker Tony Woods, the first-round pick out of Pittsburgh who has an ankle injury.

Linebacker Freddie Young, who finally agreed to terms on Wednesday, also won't be available, nor will rookie linebacker Brian Bosworth, who's a holdout.

The Seahawks finished the season with a 10-6 record, but failed to make the playoffs. The Rams also went 10-6, but earned a wild-card berth to make the playoffs for the fourth year in a row.

The exhibition game will be a homecoming of sorts for Seattle Coach Chuck Knox and for quarterback Jeff Kemp.

Knox, who began his pro head coaching career with Los Angeles, guided the Rams to five consecutive NFC West titles before moving on.

Oilers begin exhibition

HOUSTON (AP) — Kansas City, which is trying to improve its running game, and Houston, trying to become more effective at passing, meet tonight in an NFL exhibition game in the Astrodome.

Despite last week's 20-7 loss to San Francisco, the Chiefs gained 142 yards on 27 carries against the 49ers for a 5.3 per-carry average. The Chiefs averaged 3.4 yards per carry last season.

Chiefs Coach Frank Gansz has been pleased with his young running backs, including first- and second-round picks Paul Palmer and Christian Okoye and James Evans and Michael Clemens.

Clemens, a 5-foot-5, 166-pounder, returned four punts for 83 yards against the 49ers.

The Oilers have placed heavy emphasis on pass-blocking during training camp under the tutelage of new Coach Kim Helton. Houston has three first-round draft choices on the starting line, but Helton says he's more interested in results.

It will be the exhibition opener for the Oilers, 5-11 last season. Houston's offensive line has struggled despite heavy investment in first-round draft choices.

Jay Pennison, who has replaced

Jim Romano as the starting center, is the only starter along the offensive line who hasn't required surgery since last season.

Romano and reserve Jim Kelley walked out of camp briefly in the first week of drills, and starting tackle Bruce Matthews is a contract holdout.

"We won't win if we're not pressing the issue," Helton said.

The Oiler offensive line has received criticism for the team's lack of punch, but Helton says there's enough blame to go around.

"There are 11 players out, and when the ball doesn't move, there's enough blame for everyone — and that includes four offensive coaches and the head coach."

The Oilers closed last season with four straight home victories and an expanded passing attack.

Houston will have one of its two first-round draft picks in uniform for the opener. Miami running back Alonzo Highsmith, the third player chosen in the draft, remains unsigned, but wide receiver Haywood Jeffries will play his first pro game.

Former Oiler running back Earl Campbell will be honored at halftime.

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Stieb and Blue Jays rip Red Sox, 10-4

By The Associated Press
Having Dave Stieb on the mound brings out the best in the Toronto Blue Jays' batters.

Every starter had at least one hit Wednesday night and the Blue Jays finished with 17 in a 10-4 victory over Boston that kept them 1 1/2 games in front of Detroit in the American League East.

It was another case of overkill for Stieb, 12-5, who won his sixth straight decision with seven innings of six-hit pitching. The Blue Jays have scored a total of 36 runs in his last three wins and they have 114 runs in his 12 victories, an average of 9.5 per game.

Toronto scored four runs in the first inning and two more in the fourth before Jesse Barfield hit a three-run homer over the screen in left-center field at Fenway Park in the fifth, giving the Blue Jays a 9-2 lead.

George Bell and McGriff had RBI singles and Mulliniks hit a two-run double in the first. The Blue Jays jumped on Boston starter Jeff Sellers, 4-5, for 10 hits before he was replaced in the fifth by Steve Crawford, who was greeted by Barfield's 25th homer.

The Blue Jays added another run on an RBI single by Mulliniks in the seventh, and Dwight Evans hit his 26th homer for Boston in the eighth.

Tigers 8, White Sox 7
Detroit, which rallied from a 5-0

deficit, stayed closed to Toronto as Matt Nokes singled home the game-winning run in the top of the ninth inning.

Tom Brookens and Pat Sheridan led off the ninth with singles against Bob Thigpen, 3-4. After Tim Tolman struck out attempting to bunt, Nokes lined a single to center to score pinch-runner Jim Walewander with the go-ahead run.

Willie Hernandez, 2-2, the fourth Detroit pitcher, pitched a hitless 1 2-3 innings for the victory.

Angels 8, Twins 2
California snapped Minnesota's five-game winning streak and seven-game home winning streak as Kirk McCaskill pitched a four-hitter for 7 1-3 innings for his first victory since April 15.

Royals 2, Yankees 1
Steve Balboni hit his 16th homer with two outs in the eighth inning, then Kansas City preserved its victory over New York when Wayne Tolleson was thrown out at home plate for the final out.

With the Royals leading 2-1 in the ninth, Charlie Leibrandt walked Juan Bonilla, then fanned Bobby Meacham for the second out.

Roberto Kelly doubled to left-center and Tolleson, running for Bonilla, was thrown out at the plate to end the game. Left fielder Lonnie Smith relayed to shortstop Ross Jones, who threw to catcher Jamie

Quirk for the final out.

Indians 8, Orioles 6
Cleveland hit five solo homers, including two each by Cory Snyder and Joe Carter, to subdue Baltimore.

Brett Butler hit the other homer, making a winner of starter Darrell Akerfelds, 1-3, who won his first major-league game with relief help from Doug Jones, who pitched two innings for his third save.

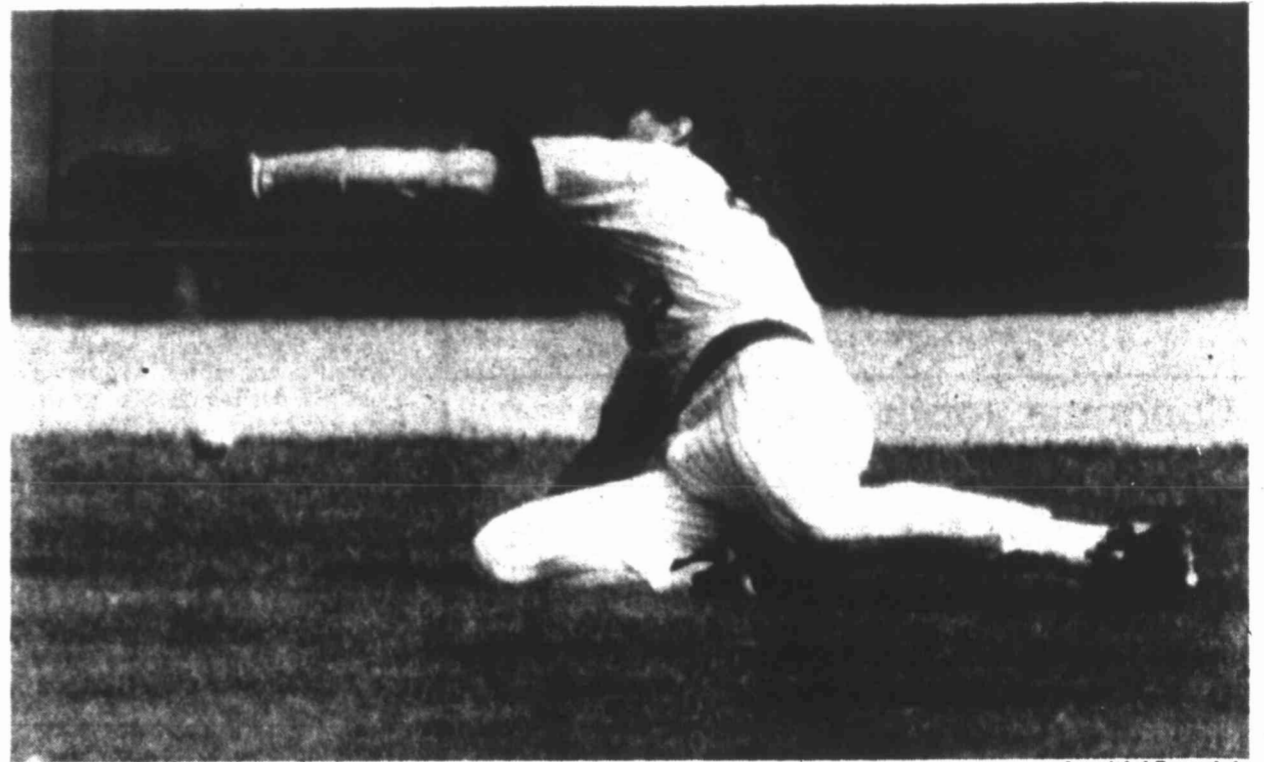
Mariners 4, Athletics 3
Ken Phelps hit his 18th home run and Mickey Brantley hit a two-run, inside-the-park homer, leading Seattle over Oakland.

Mark Langston, 13-9, gave up three runs on seven hits in 6 1-3 innings, and Bill Wilkinson pitched the final 2 2-3 for his sixth save. Langston struck out six, giving him a major league-leading total of 188.

Rangers 12, Brewers 3
Texas, which lost nine of its first 10 to Milwaukee this season, won its second straight against the Brewers as Pete Incaviglia drove in three runs, and Darrell Porter and Pete O'Brien added two RBI apiece.

Porter had three hits, including his fifth homer, to pace the Rangers' 16-hit attack. They had two runs in the first and two in the third before scoring six times in the sixth for a 10-0 lead.

Paul Kilgus, 2-4, went 6 2-3 innings for the victory. He struck out



Milwaukee's Rob Deer slides across the left field grass trying to catch a drive off the bat of Texas' Tom O'Malley during Wednesday's game at Milwaukee County Stadium. Deer was unable to make the catch and O'Malley got a double.

seven and allowed nine hits, including three by Milwaukee's Paul Molitor, who extended his hitting

streak to 27 games — longest in the majors this season. Incaviglia singled in a run in the

first, drove in another with a sacrifice fly in the third and had an RBI double in the sixth.

Giants, Reds tied for lead

By The Associated Press
The National League West is getting more tangled because the Cincinnati Reds kept getting strangled on the West Coast.

Tim Leary and a pair of relievers teamed on a five-hitter Wednesday night and the Los Angeles Dodgers beat the Reds 1-0.

Cincinnati slipped into a first-place tie with San Francisco, which defeated Houston 8-1. The

National League

Reds had been all alone in first place since June 12, when they shared it with San Francisco.

The Reds, who had been among the most offensive teams in baseball, have been in a hitting drought. They were swept in four games in San Francisco and have lost two of three in Los Angeles, scoring just 13 runs in those seven games.

Houston is only three games behind the co-leaders while Los Angeles is seven back, Atlanta trails by eight and San Diego — which began the season 14-42 — is just 12 1/2 behind.

Leary, 3-7, had been a starter for almost his entire career before the Dodgers acquired him in an off-season trade with Milwaukee. He has made only nine starts for Los Angeles and been used more in relief.

Leary took a four-hitter into the eighth against Cincinnati but left after a leadoff walk to Nick Esasky and Kurt Stillwell's single.

Giants 8, Astros 1
Bob Brenly hit a grand slam that capped a six-run seventh inning as San Francisco routed Mike Scott and beat Houston.

Scott, 12-9, was tagged for eight runs on 12 hits in 6 2-3 innings during one of his worst outings of the season. His earned run average rose from 2.68 to 2.99.

Candy Maldonado hit his 14th homer in the second off Scott. The host Giants, who have won six of seven games, broke it open in the seventh. Jeffrey Leonard hit an RBI single. Maldonado had a sacrifice fly and Brenly hit his 13th homer and second career slam. Astros pitchers have allowed eight grand slams this year, tying an NL record and one behind the major league mark.

Atlee Hammaker, 8-8, gave up

two hits in six innings before leaving with tightness in his left bicep. Don Robinson finished with one-hit relief for his 14th save.

Pirates 11, Cardinals 0
Pittsburgh's Bob Walk pitched a four-hitter and gave St. Louis its first shutout of the season in 113 games. The Cardinals had been the only team in the majors not to be shut out.

Braves 2, Padres 1
Zane Smith pitched a six-hitter and Gerald Perry hit a solo home run as Atlanta won in San Diego and ended the Padres' seven-game winning streak.

Mets 4, Expos 2
Ron Darling won his fifth straight decision and New York scored two runs in the fourth inning on a pair of Montreal misplays.

Phillies 13, Cubs 7
Juan Samuel's grand slam broke a 7-7 tie in the seventh inning and sent Philadelphia over Chicago.

Samuel, who also tripled, drove in five runs. He became the first player ever to reach double figures in doubles, triples, home runs and stolen bases in each of his first four seasons.

UIL reprimands North Garland coach

AUSTIN (AP) — The University Interscholastic League has ordered punishment for one Dallas-area high school football coach, but held up possible action on another because he is appealing his firing.

The UIL state executive committee voted 11-0 Wednesday to publicly reprimand Coach Joe Allen of North Garland High School and put him on probation for one year for violating rules against organized summer workouts.

The committee also instructed Allen to sit out North Garland's first home football game this season.

North Garland will have to forfeit one district football game in 1987, and the school district will receive a public reprimand, which means the violation will be published in the UIL newspaper.

Meanwhile, the executive committee voted 6-4 to affirm a district decision publicly reprimanding the Rockwall football program and placing it on probation for one year for violating an off-season workout rule. But it decided against additional penalties.

It agreed to defer action against former coach Ronnie Thompson, who was fired after only 10 weeks on the job, pending completion of any litigation. Thompson has appealed his dismissal to the state education commissioner.

The committee also agreed with its staff that it had no jurisdiction to review a district committee deci-

sion requiring Port Isabel High School to forfeit two district football games in 1987 for holding 11-on-11 workouts for three weeks during the spring. The UIL has a five-man restriction.

The district committee also placed Port Isabel on probation for two years and publicly reprimanded the school, and the UIL state committee said it had no jurisdiction to hold such penalties by district committees are excessive.

But a public reprimand of football coach Crisanto Cavazos, with two years probation, was held to be inappropriate and the state committee said that issue should be transferred to the district committee.

In other action, the state committee:

— Voted 10-1 to seek additional information on a district committee request that baseball coach Bill Norwood of Queen City be publicly reprimanded and placed on probation for one year. The complaint alleged Norwood drove from his home in Texarkana to Queen City on Sundays to unlock the baseball field and equipment room so players could practice on their own.

— Voted 8-4 to privately reprimand Rusk, Buna, Diboll, Sweeny and Crockett high schools for allowing tennis players to practice on Sunday at Brenham before 1987 regional tournaments started the next day. A vote for no penalty failed 5-7.

Brazil

Continued from page 1B
In a major surprise, Ramona Pagel, the three-time U.S. champion, won the women's shot put at 60 feet, 10 1/2 inches, thwarting the bid of Cuba's Maria Sarria to become the first four-time gold medalist in the same track event in Pan Am history. Sarria finished second at 59-5 1/2.

BASKETBALL
The U.S. women, eager to get off to a good start, ripped Peru with Teresa Edwards of Georgia, Alisa Scott of Mississippi, Clarissa Davis of Texas and Cynthia Cooper of Southern Cal scoring 14 points each.

The men's team is 3-0 after the win over Mexico. Rex Chapman of Kentucky scored 18 points, leading five players in double figures for the U.S. team, which trailed 26-24 in the first half.

BASEBALL
Nicaragua was no match for the U.S. team, despite the presence of Nicaraguan native Bianca Jagger, who cheered on her countrymen.

The U.S. team, 3-0, scored 10 runs in the first inning and never looked back.

Cuba also moved to 3-0 in the

seven-game round-robin by trouncing Aruba 13-2.

SOFTBALL
In three games, the U.S. women's team has allowed only one hit and a walk and no runs.

Vilche, of Fresno, Calif., allowed one baserunner, who reached first on an error.

Canada's Tracy Hucklak also pitched a perfect game for her team, leading the Canadians to a 6-0 win over Peru.

In men's play, the Americans raised their record to 4-0 as Padilla, of Modesto, Calif., was in complete control.

BOXING
American Kelcie Banks, the world champion at 125 pounds, fights tonight as the 10-day boxing competition begins. Banks, of Chicago, and light heavyweight Andrew Maynard of Fort Carson, Colo., both meet Argentine fighters in first round action.

WEIGHTLIFTING
The Cubans got their 25 golds because they won four extra golds when two of their lifters tied in all three disciplines in 60 kilograms and in the clean-and-jerk at 67.5 kilograms.

Tony Calandro of Baton Rouge, La., won three bronze medals in the middle heavyweight division.

Canadian Denis Garon set two Pan Am records in the 100-kilogram class, in which the Cubans were not entered.

CYCLING
The heavily favored U.S. men's team, which won six gold medals at the 1983 Pan Am Games, was without a first-place finish after two of seven cycling events.

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Back to School
SPECIAL SECTION AUG. 20
Here's the first reading assignment of the new school year: the Herald's annual back-to-school section. It's a reference source folks will study now, and save all year long. It traces the bus routes, rounds up supply lists and reports new teacher assignments. It even includes a year's calendar of area school events for Big Spring, Coahoma, Forsan and Sands high schools, as well as Howard College. For complete information on the 1987-88 school year, this section passes the test!
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SCOREBOARD

NL Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	69	44	.611	—
New York	65	49	.570	4½
Philadelphia	62	51	.549	7
Chicago	58	57	.500	12½
Pittsburgh	51	63	.447	18½

West Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	59	56	.513	—
San Francisco	59	56	.513	—
Houston	55	58	.487	3
Los Angeles	51	62	.451	7
Atlanta	50	63	.442	8
San Diego	46	68	.404	12½

Wednesday's Games				
New York 4, Montreal 2				
Philadelphia 13, Chicago 7				
San Francisco 8, Houston 1				
Pittsburgh 11, St. Louis 0				
Atlanta 2, San Diego 1				
Los Angeles 1, Cincinnati 0				

Thursday's Games				
New York at Chicago				
Cincinnati at Los Angeles				
Atlanta at San Diego				
Houston at San Francisco				
Pittsburgh at Montreal, (n)				
Philadelphia at St. Louis, (n)				

Friday's Games				
New York (Mitchell 3-4) at Chicago (Sanderson 5-6)				
Pittsburgh (Dunne 7-4) at Montreal (Heaton 12-4), (n)				
Cincinnati (Power 8-7 and Hoffman 8-7) at San Diego (Show 6-13 and Jones 5-4), 2 (n)				
Atlanta (Puleo 5-4) at Houston (Knepper 4-13), (n)				
Philadelphia (Ruffin 9-8) at St. Louis (Mathews 7-8), (n)				
Los Angeles (Hillegas 1-0) at San Francisco (Downs 9-6), (n)				

Saturday's Games				
New York at Chicago				
Los Angeles at San Francisco				
Philadelphia at Montreal, (n)				
Atlanta at Houston, (n)				
Only games scheduled				

Sunday's Games				
Pittsburgh at Montreal				
Philadelphia at St. Louis				

AL Standings

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East Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	68	46	.596	—
Detroit	65	46	.586	1½
New York	66	49	.574	2½
Milwaukee	59	54	.522	8½
Boston	53	60	.469	14½
Baltimore	51	63	.447	17
Cleveland	43	71	.377	25

West Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	62	53	.539	—
California	58	56	.509	3½
Kansas City	57	56	.504	4
Oakland	57	57	.500	4½
Seattle	56	58	.491	5½
Texas	54	58	.482	6½
Chicago	45	67	.402	15½

Wednesday's Games				
Texas 12, Milwaukee 3				
Detroit 8, Chicago 7				
Seattle 4, Oakland 3				
Cleveland 8, Baltimore 6				
Toronto 10, Boston 4				
California 8, Minnesota 2				
Kansas City 2, New York 1				

Thursday's Games				
California at Minnesota, 1:15 p.m.				
Milwaukee at Baltimore, 7:35 p.m.				
Chicago at Toronto, 7:35 p.m.				
Detroit at Kansas City, 8:35 p.m.				
Only games scheduled				

Friday's Games				
Texas (Witt 6-5 and Hough 11-8) at Boston (Hurst 13-6 and Nipper 7-9), 2, 5:05 p.m.				
Cleveland (Candiotti 5-11) at New York (John 11-4), 7:30 p.m.				
Chicago (DeLeon 5-10) at Toronto (Cerutti 8-2), 7:35 p.m.				
Milwaukee (Nieves 8-6) at Baltimore (Bell 9-8), 8:05 p.m.				
Seattle (Morgan 10-11) at Minnesota (Blyleven 11-9), 8:05 p.m.				
Detroit (Petty 7-5) at Kansas City (Black 4-6), 8:35 p.m.				
Oakland (Young 10-6) at California (Sut-ton 8-9), 10:35 p.m.				

Saturday's Games

Chicago at Toronto, 1:35 p.m.
 Texas at Boston, 2:30 p.m.
 Cleveland at New York, 7:30 p.m.
 Milwaukee at Baltimore, 7:35 p.m.
 Detroit at Kansas City, 8:05 p.m.
 Seattle at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.
 Oakland at California, 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Texas at Boston, 1:05 p.m.
 Cleveland at New York, 1:30 p.m.
 Chicago at Toronto, 1:35 p.m.
 Seattle at Minnesota, 2:15 p.m.
 Detroit at Kansas City, 2:35 p.m.
 Milwaukee at Baltimore, 3:05 p.m.
 Oakland at California, 4:05 p.m.

Transactions

Wednesday's Sports Transactions

BASEBALL
 American League
BOSTON RED SOX—Announced that Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd, pitcher, will miss the rest of the season because of a torn ligament in his right shoulder. Activated Al Nipper, pitcher, from the 15-day disabled list. Sent Rob Woodward, pitcher, to Pawtucket of the International League.
DETROIT TIGERS—Acquired Doyle Alexander, pitcher, from the Atlanta Braves, for John Smoltz, pitcher.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Optioned Donell Nixon, outfielder, to Calgary of the Pacific Coast League.
 National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Recalled Tom Glavine, pitcher, from Richmond of the International League.
PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Recalled Rafael Belliard, shortstop, from Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League.
FOOTBALL
 National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Released Harry Holt, tight end.
DENVER BRONCOS—Named Carroll Hardy special assistant to the general manager; Lide Huggins player personnel director and Cornell Green scout.
LOS ANGELES RAIDERS—Signed Don Mosebar, offensive lineman, to a four-year contract. Signed Shelby Jordan, offensive lineman.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Steve Bird, wide receiver, to a one-year contract. Waived Tom Strauthers, defen-

sive end, and Scott Leggett, offensive lineman.
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed Freddie Young, linebacker, to a series of one-year contracts.
BASKETBALL
 National Basketball Association
INDIANA PACERS—Announced the retirement of Clark Kellogg, forward.
HOCKEY
 National Hockey League
LOS ANGELES KINGS—Signed Wayne McBean, defenseman, to a multiyear contract.
NEW YORK RANGERS—Announced that Barry Beck, defenseman, has agreed to contract terms. Signed Peter Laviolette, defenseman.
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Signed Dan Frawley, right wing, and Randy Hillier, defenseman, to multiyear contracts.
COLLEGE
ECAC METRO—Named George Drozin assistant commissioner.
BENTLEY—Promoted Bob DeFelicce, baseball coach, to assistant athletic director.
IDAHO STATE—Announced the resignation of June Thomas, women's athletic trainer.
ILLINOIS—Named Augie Garrido baseball coach.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Glascow County Independent School District will have their 1987-88 budget hearing at 7:00 p.m., Monday, August 17, 1987, in the school administration office. All interested persons are invited.
 4319 August 13, 1987

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 Grady Independent School District will take fuel bids for the 1987-88 school year. Bids will be received until 7:30 P.M., August 24, 1987, in the administrative office of Grady Independent School District. Interested bidders may request specifications from the administrative office at 459-2444.
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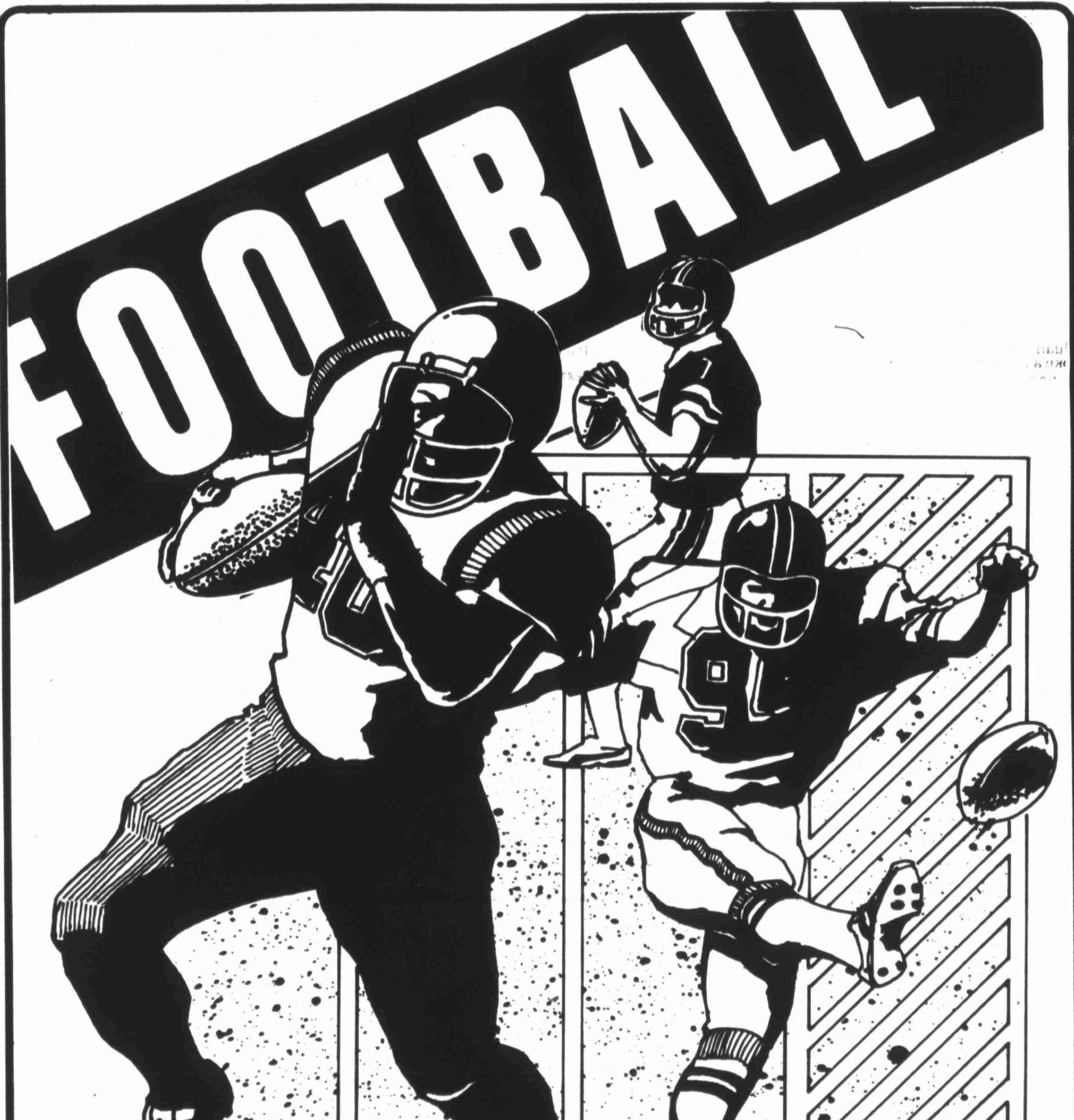
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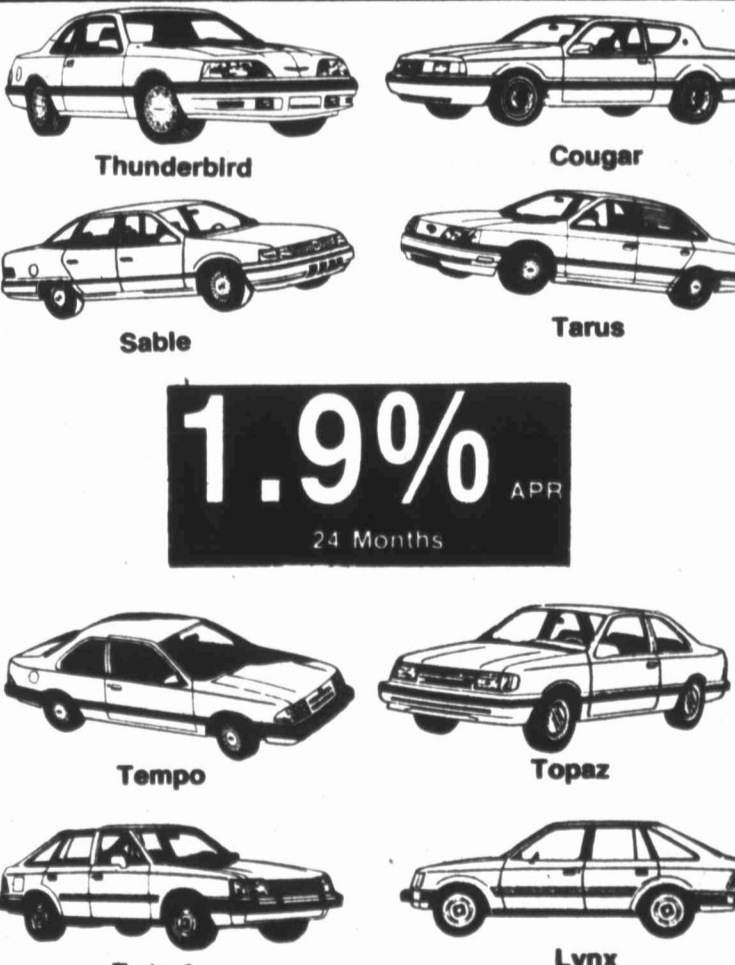
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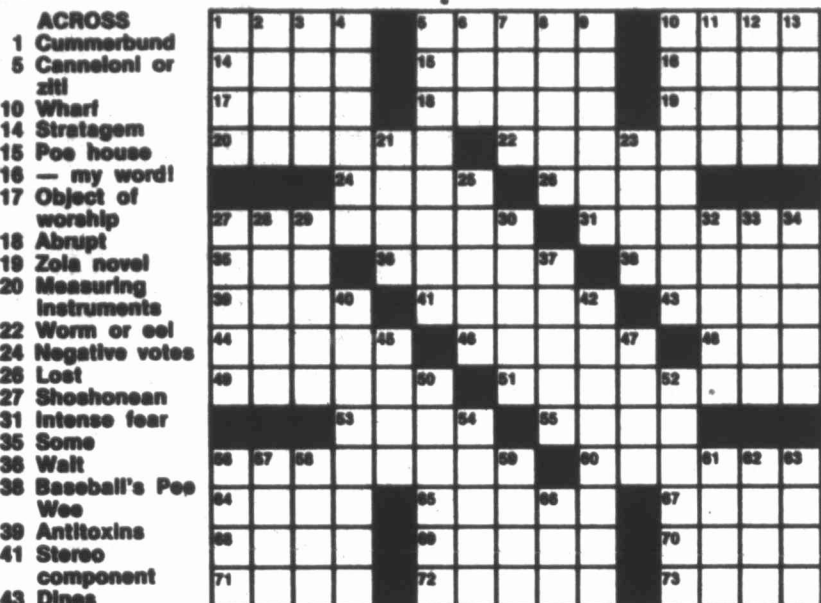
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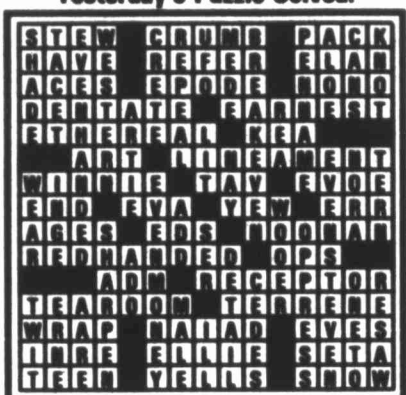


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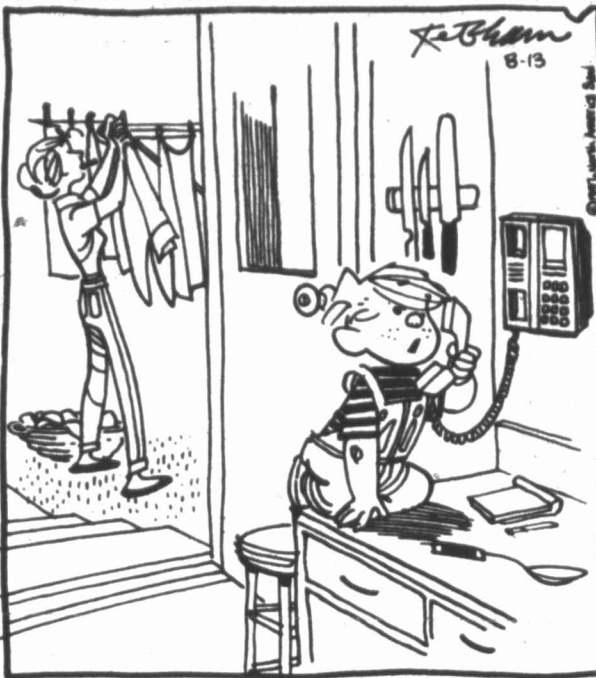
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FORECAST FOR FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 1987

GENERAL TENDENCIES: You will have some very good ideas this morning which deserve serious consideration. Immediately after noon, you will find you can realize these ideas with definite action.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Sheer effort will be required to attain some personal progress. Don't be extravagant this evening.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Advancement can be quick if you take the advice given to you by someone with a proven track record.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) If you confide your desires in a friend, you can get the assistance you need. Be sure to show your gratitude.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Show enthusiasm in your work, even though you aren't very enthused, and get some great results.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Be alert for changes in your routine which could be beneficial. Someone who's attitude opposes yours has a great idea.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Be sure to please your mate before going out with a friend. Thoughtfulness will help maintain domestic harmony.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Don't start making decisions on a pending project before contacting everyone involved. Don't let work pile up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Work on finding a way to make your work more profitable and efficient. A kind demeanor will gain you much cooperation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) This is the beginning of an upswing in the business, personal and financial aspects of your life.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Striving to improve the situation at home will lighten the load in all aspects of your life. Be understanding.

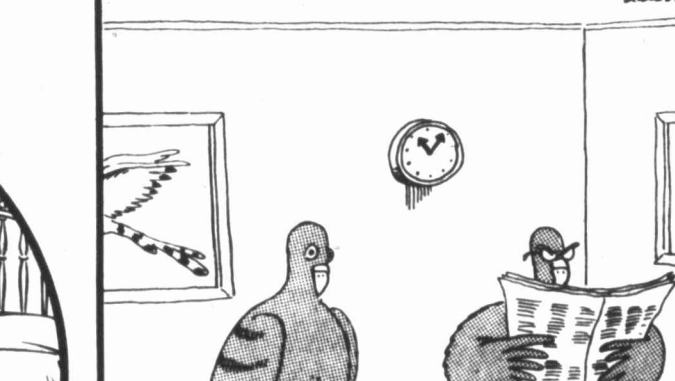
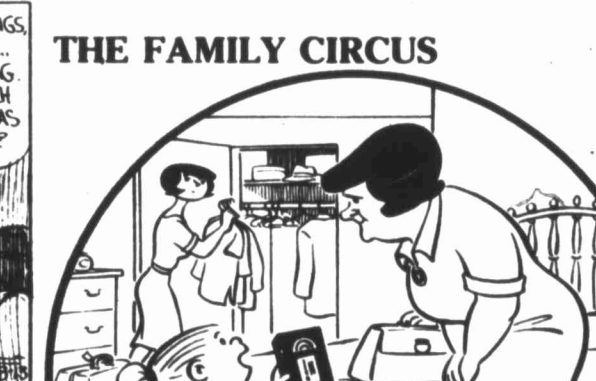
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Invite some guests into your home who your family enjoy. This will improve the mood there considerably.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20) Use modern technology to help you resolve those property and financial problems. Follow only reliable advice.

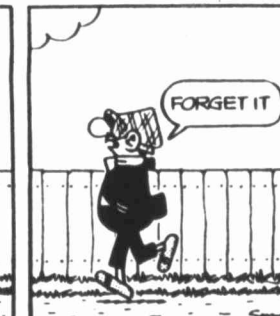
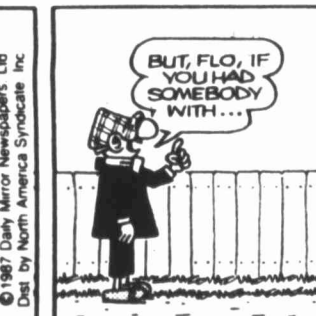
IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be full of impulsive ideas and should be permitted to express them. Your son or daughter may tend to rush into things too quickly, so teach him or her to consider all possibilities before acting. Teach your enviable progeny not to be prejudiced.

"The Stars impel; they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!
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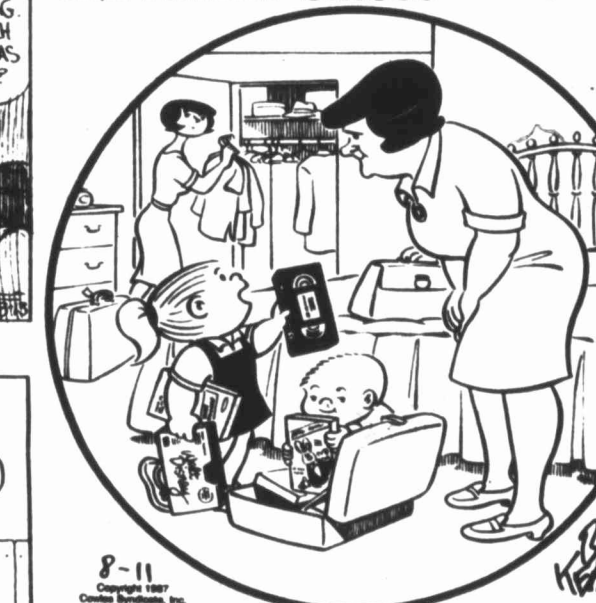
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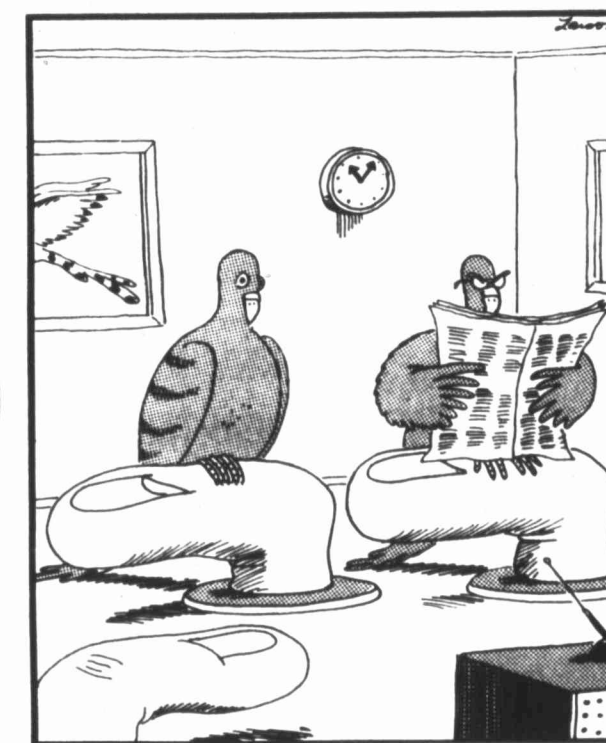


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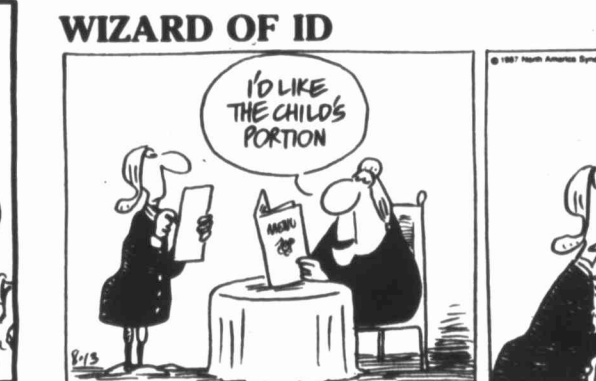
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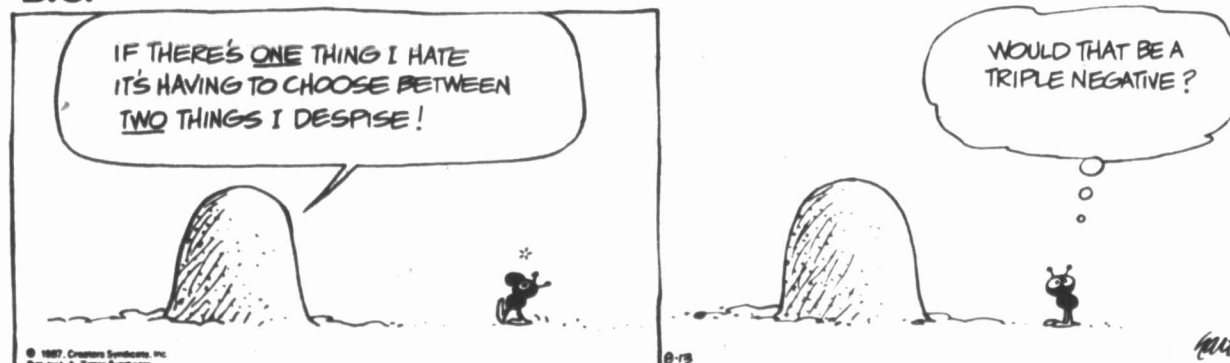


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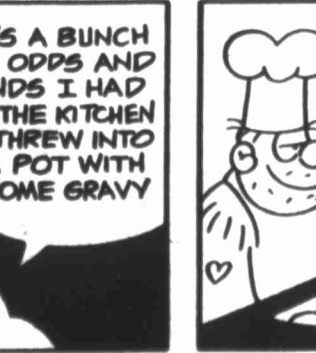
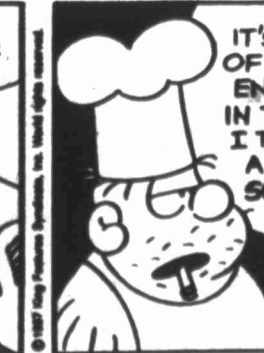
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