

Shaw explains Texas taxes status

By KERRY HAGLUND
Staff Writer

Texans will be paying about \$63 more in taxes this year as a result of the \$5.7 billion tax package passed by the Legislature, but most area residents agree the taxes were necessary, Rep. Larry Don Shaw said Thursday.

Shaw completed a two-week town hall meeting tour Thursday in Big Spring, where he spoke to about 45 people at the Howard County Courthouse.

Shaw said legislators made a valid attempt to cut the budget, adding that he didn't think it was an excessive bill.

"Our failure is we didn't go in

and reorganize (the tax system)," he said.

Had the Legislature reorganized taxes or passed a tax bill earlier in the year, it could have lowered new taxes by more than a half billion dollars, Shaw said.

The tax package moves Texas from 49 to 46 among states in the percentage of income spent on state taxes, and from 48 to 43 in per capita taxes, Shaw said.

The \$38.3 billion, two-year budget will increase state spending about 4 percent, he said, noting that the increase is moderate considering population is expected to grow at 4.2 percent and inflation at 9.2 percent.

He compared the budget session to 1983 and '85 sessions, noting that both resulted in 14 percent spending increases.

When asked by Big Spring accountant Max Green how Shaw could justify the tax increase, Shaw replied, "A government can't cut its way to prosperity."

Texas needs to look at methods Northeastern states used to rebuild their economies, Shaw said.

"The key to economic development rests very much in education," he said as he emphasized the need to finance new investments.

He said Texas operates like a Third World country by shipping raw materials to other states and

countries who benefit from jobs created to manufacture products from the materials.

Shaw noted the state must invest in education and research and development so that in-state businesses are developed to process those products and raw materials now shipped elsewhere.

During Thursday's meeting, spectators watched a 40-minute video depicting Shaw in floor debate on issues including low level nuclear waste, the superconducting supercollider, the budget and hazing on college campuses.

After the video, Shaw answered questions.

Several people thanked him for

his support of various projects including a Saragosa relief effort that resulted in 60 cars donated to victims and \$23,000 in a capital relief fund.

Howard County Commissioner O.L. "Louie" Brown thanked Shaw for both the Saragosa efforts and the representative's help in getting state funds for road improvements in the Knott area.

Howard College President Bob Riley thanked Shaw for his support of the college, but added that Gov. Clements' recent veto of \$45 million in appropriations to pay for junior college hospitalization insurance



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How's That? Address

Q. What is the address of Jesse Trevino, whose column appears in the *Herald* each Sunday?

A. Jesse Trevino's address is 1605 Sunny Vale, Austin, Texas 78741.

Calendar Show

- TODAY**
- Howard County Association for Retarded Citizens will sponsor "Pinocchio's Magical Wish" show at 7 p.m. in the Big Spring High School auditorium. Tickets are \$3 for children and \$4 for adults.
 - Water will be off from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at McEwen Street from Fourth to Sixth streets, Sixth Street from McEwen to Holbert Street, Holbert from Sixth Street to Hill Street, and Hill Street from Holbert to McEwen. Contractors will be trying in new lines.
 - The Veterans of Foreign Wars, Department of Texas, Mobile Information Service Center will be at the Texas Employment Commission building, 310 Owens, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- SATURDAY**
- Highland Mall will host a "Back-to-School" party with live rock-n-roll bands from noon until 5 p.m. Food, games, music, and free prizes will be available.
 - An armwrestling benefit will be conducted at the Big Spring High School auditorium at 2 p.m. And the Spring City bodybuilding benefit will be at 7 p.m.

Council meetings give couple perspective

By EDDIE CURRAN
Staff Writer

Certain people can always be expected to be in attendance at a City Council meeting. For instance, the mayor, council members, administration heads, and usually a reporter or two.

In Big Spring, you must add two more to the list: Charles and Betty Condray, 4016 Vicky St.

Their attendance record during the past two years has been impressive.

The couple missed one meeting during that period because of a vacation, and Betty missed another because of an illness. That's all.

"They don't have an ax to grind, they just want to be informed. It's their way of participating in government — of asserting their belief in democracy."

The Condrays, both of whom are unit administrators at the Big Spring State Hospital, came to Big Spring in 1961. It was in August of 1985 — two years ago — that they became regulars at council meetings.

"It was a period of time with a lot of conflict and factions in the city," says Charles. "There was a lot of public opposition to the budget and some people were calling for the resignations of some city administrators."

"There was a lack of accountability, or at least a perceived lack of accountability, within the city."

"And we decided to go find out for ourselves," added Betty.

She describes the public attendance at

that time as pitiful.

"There were times when we would be the only people in there and we'd say, 'What's going on?'"

One reason for poor attendance, the Condrays say, was the council's cool reception to the public.

"We didn't feel exactly welcome," she says. "Some of them would look at us as if 'What are you here for? What is your game?'"

"They were very, very cool, very suspicious. They felt like 'Why are you here?' and we felt 'Why not be here?'" she explains.

That's no longer the case, the Condrays say.

"It's a complete turn-around," Betty says. "It's a very free, open type of atmosphere. In fact, sometimes it's standing room only at council meetings."

"There's not an adversarial relationship," Charles added. "They'll even solicit opinions from the crowd. The mayor (Cotton Mize) will ask if anyone has any questions."

A change in attitude and a change in council members are the reasons, Charles says. He also thinks this council places more emphasis on accountability, something the Condrays know about.

Both manage budgets of approximately \$1 million in their jobs at the state hospital.

"Our boss sits on our heads," Betty says. "We're accountable to him, and it's not like private business — it's different. And I see a



Charles and Betty Condray began attending City Council meetings two years ago, and only vacation and sickness have kept them away since. The Condrays both say the council is more receptive to public opinion than it was two years ago.
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Value declines prompting Coahoma tax jump

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

COAHOMA — School board members decreased the district's budget by \$400,000 but — because of lower valuations — raised the tax rate by 16.6 percent Thursday evening.

The new rate of \$1.54 per \$100 property valuation is an increase of 22 cents over the 1986-87 rate, Superintendent Gary Rotan said. An owner of a \$50,000 home in Coahoma will now pay \$770 in school taxes, \$110 more than last

year.

Rotan said the actual rate is 12 cents below the effective rate of \$1.66, the rate that would raise the same amount of revenue as the current budget year.

Rotan said the major reason for the increase is the loss of \$88 million in district property valuations the last two years. Contributing to the increase was Gov. Bill Clements' \$52 million line-item veto earlier this month that cost the district about \$180,000, he added.

Without the veto, the superintendent estimates the district could have lowered the tax rate by about nine cents.

The new budget is \$4.24 million, a decrease of \$400,000 from 1986-87. Rotan said. It also has a projected surplus of \$300,000 for the coming year, an issue raised by Tom Clifton, a spokesman for Amoco Oil Company.

Though applauding the board for the job it has done in a difficult situation, Clifton wondered if — in the face of the tax increase — the

timing was right to have such a surplus.

Rotan explained the surplus is needed to help finance the district if a shortfall of revenue develops.

Even with the budgeted surplus, the district will probably have to borrow money in October to stay in operation, Rotan said, because tax revenues will not begin arriving until December.

Rotan said after the meeting that if valuations stabilize, he expects taxes to decrease next year. If the loss continues, however, taxes will

probably continue to rise, he added.

He noted that \$1.18 of the new rate will pay for maintenance and operation costs, and 36 cents will finance debt service and sinking interest.

● In other business, the board: Selected Blue Cross as the insurance carrier for district employees.

Rotan told board members the current insurance provider, CRC Marketing, Austin, is increasing its COAHOMA page 2A

Midland sting

Officials questioning sheriff's catch

DALLAS — Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter believes he nabbed an international arms merchant seeking missile parts for Iran. However, virtually every federal agency that investigates illicit arms trafficking is rushing to distance itself from the West Texas lawman's undercover operation, with officials saying Thursday they have seen no evidence that Painter's catch is the real thing.

As an ABC Television network crew filmed the action, Painter and his deputies Wednesday morning arrested Victor Manuel Fonseca, a 47-year-old Portuguese, when he showed up at the Midland Air Terminal to inspect what he had been told was a shipment of 60 guidance systems for Hawk surface-to-air missiles.

Fonseca, arrested on a state charge of engaging in organized criminal activity, allegedly was fronting for the Iranian government, which was willing to pay \$2 million for the parts, Painter said. The arrest followed a 6-month undercover investigation, the sheriff said, conducted mainly by two private security consultants from Austin working as special deputies for his office.

While Painter spent much of Thursday holding press conferences and fielding calls from across the country, federal officials were expressing skep-

ticism of the sheriff's claims that Fonseca was part of a weapons ring selling arms to Iran or anyone else.

"This guy (Painter) is not known for his investigative prowess," said one federal investigator who asked not to be named.

Officials of the U.S. Customs Service, which is normally involved in arms trafficking cases, went so far as to announce that the agency will conduct an investigation to determine whether Fonseca, Painter or his deputies broke any laws.

"We are going to determine if there have been any violations of law by the entire cadre of persons involved," said Charles Conroy, a Customs Service spokesman in Houston.

The Customs Service was the only federal agency Painter contacted about his probe while it was underway, Conroy said, and the agency decided not to become involved because it was "purely hypothetical" and no laws appeared to have been broken.

Richard Kamp, chief of the U.S. Attorney's Office criminal division in San Antonio which has jurisdiction over the case, said his office would talk to the sheriff and see if any federal laws had been violated by Fonseca. Kamp said so far he has seen no evidence to support federal charges.

"This is pretty much the sheriff's

operation," Kamp said. "If we had had some contact and been brought into the case, the guy would not have been arrested on national television."

However, one of the security consultants involved in the probe defended its outcome, and said federal officials are downplaying the case because he and his partner have a lawsuit pending against the government.

"Since we've got a lawsuit on them they're not very hot on us," said Ron Tucker, who along with business partner Gary Howard first tipped Painter that a buyer was seeking missile parts in Texas for Iran.

Tucker told the Dallas Times Herald he and Howard were contacted in March by a man in London trying to arrange a parts shipment to Iran. They contacted Painter about the scheme, he said, because they knew him to be honest and in "something like this you have to have someone you can trust."

In the ensuing months, Tucker said, he and Howard negotiated with the man from London and a contact representing Iran, both travelling abroad to arrange the deal.

Finally, he said, it was arranged for Fonseca to come inspect the shipment at the Midland airport. If it was satisfactory, Tucker said, a non-descript plane with an Iranian crew would fly to Midland and pick up the parts.



GARY PAINTER

Electricity use increasing with heat, populace

Herald staff report

High temperatures and population gains contributed to two electricity consumption records set this month for most of Texas, including Big Spring, a TU Electric official said.

The peak usage this year occurred at 5 p.m. Aug. 6, when TU customers — about 33 percent of Texans — used 16,680,000 kwh, said George Hedrick, manager of public communications.

That figure is an increase of 0.2 percent over the previous record of 16,537,000 kwh July 30, 1986.

In addition, the 24-hour usage record was broken Aug. 17, when customers used 317,657,000 kwh during the 24-hour period, he said. The previous record was 316,746,000 Aug. 6. Previous figures were unavailable, he said.

Hedrick said usage has consistently been over 300 million kwh this month.

The figures are for the TU Electric service area, which includes more than 2,800,000 customers in an area bordered by New Mexico on the west, Louisiana on the east, the Red River on the north, and near Austin on the south, he said.

Hedrick cited high temperatures of over 100 degrees and lows in the upper 70s throughout the month, and a population increase of about 50,000 this past year as reasons for the high usage.

TU Electric is well able to meet the demand, with a capacity of 19.5 million kwh, he said.

Fuels used to generate electricity include lignite coal, natural gas, hydroelectric power and energy from seven cogeneration plants — including the plant in Big Spring, which produces 150,000 kwh, Hedrick said.

Job losses

Three Texas towns in top five of U.S.

DALLAS (AP) — The oil recession helped rob Houston of more jobs than any other major U.S. city last year, and a resulting slowdown in regional commerce is partly to blame for making Dallas No. 2 in the number of job losses, a research company reports.

M-PF Research Inc. of Dallas said Houston lost 75,400 jobs between March 1986 and March 1987 for a 5.2 decline in total employment, while 31,500 jobs in Dallas disappeared for an employment loss of 2.3 percent during the same period.

Rounding out the top five were Oklahoma City, which lost 19,100 or 4.6 percent of total employment; New Orleans, 17,700 or 3.3 percent; and Odessa, 5,700 or 11.6 percent, according to the report released Wednesday.

The West and Northeast led the nation in employment growth, while the South had the lowest overall job gain owing to losses in Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma,

Top Markets for U.S. Job Gain and Loss				
		TOTAL INCREASES	% CHANGE	
Greatest job gain:	1. Los Angeles	97,100	2.5%	
	2. Washington, D.C.	74,800	3.8	
	3. Atlanta, Ga.	73,600	5.7	
	4. Philadelphia	62,200	3.0	
	5. New York	61,600	1.5	
TOTAL DECLINES % CHANGE				
Greatest job loss:	1. Houston	-75,400	-5.2%	
	2. Dallas	-31,500	-2.3	
	3. Oklahoma City	-19,100	-4.6	
	4. New Orleans	-17,700	-3.3	
	5. Odessa	-5,700	-11.6	

the M-PF Research report said. "While the results of the oil recession have been obvious in Houston, Oklahoma City, Tulsa and New Orleans for several years, the slowdown in regional commerce has begun to hurt the

economies of Dallas-Fort Worth, San Antonio and Austin," the report said.

Los Angeles, with 97,100 new jobs; Washington, D.C., with 74,800; and Atlanta, with 73,600, were the top U.S. job growth

markets, according to M-PF. The Dallas job losses through the first quarter were primarily because of consolidations in construction-related industries, analysts said.

In an analysis of development and investment opportunities in the cities it surveys, M-PF Research consistently rated Houston, Dallas and Denver among the worst places for new real estate activity.

A separate report by real estate consultant Kenneth Leventhal & Co. forecasts that Houston's overbuilt office market won't be back to low vacancy levels for at least seven years, with Dallas reaching an acceptable 90 percent occupancy rate two years earlier.

"Houston office occupancy will improve gradually and surpass 90 percent by 1994," Leventhal projects.

Austin, which has a 34 percent office vacancy, isn't expected to recover to 10 percent vacancy levels until 1995, the company said.

Weekly Weather Data Summary USDA-ARS, Big Spring Field Station							
Month: August							
Day	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Temperatures							
Highest	103	104	105	105	103	103	103
Year	1934	1917	1950	1936	1922	1962	1982
Lowest	61	56	53	58	52	54	59
Year	1953	1961	1961	1926	1926	1962	1970
Average High	93	92	93	92	91	92	92
Average Low	69	68	66	67	67	67	67
Last Year's							
High	93	91	84	83	85	88	82
Low	70	65	64	62	65	66	62
Precipitation							
Maximum	1.10	2.13	1.68	3.88	1.87	2.27	1.39
Year	1920	1916	1934	1942	1933	1933	1968
Last Year's	0.00	0.07	0.00	0.89	0.16	0.05	0.68
Accumulated rainfall through August 20 15.97 inches							
Normal rainfall through August 20 11.77 inches							
For additional information, call 263-0293, or after working hours call, 393-5517, 263-6022, or 267-8197.							

Statements clarify mall damage suit

An article in Tuesday's *Herald* about a lawsuit involving Joy's Hallmark shop against Strathnaver Properties Inc. referred to Strathnaver as the Highland Mall's leasing company.

Strathnaver no longer represents the mall since it went into foreclosure in April 1987. Vista Savings and Loan of Odessa is the present owner, according to mall Manager Sherry Rose.

Joy Boyd said her Hallmark store's damage claim was satisfied by the store's insurance company shortly after the 1986 storm. She explained the lawsuit against Strathnaver was brought by the insurance company in her and her husband's names. It was not filed by the Boyds who are the policy holders, she said.

Police beat

Herald staff report
Police arrested a youth with a knife at the Rainbow Project, 2906 W. 13th St., at 10:15 p.m. Thursday as a child in need of supervision, police reports said.

Detective Sgt. Pam Jordan said the 14-year-old male, whose identity was not released because of his age, was from Sweetwater.

Thieves stole a \$2,000 1978 Oldsmobile Toronado from 101 S. Gregg St. between 2 and 8 p.m. Wednesday, Steven Bradley Coates, 812 W. 18th St., told police.

A \$100 citizens band radio owned by the City of Big Spring was taken from the Comanche Trail Park maintenance building between 8:30 a.m. Friday and 8:30 a.m. Monday, Terrence Moore told police Thursday morning.

Vandals caused \$120 damage to the window of a car owned by James C. Powell, 2403 Carleton St., between 8 p.m. Wednesday and 7 a.m. Thursday, police reports said.

David Chavez, 17, Sterling City Route Box 113A, and Jerry Lee Sutton, 17, P.O. Box 1270, were arrested at Wonder World department store Thursday afternoon on suspicion of theft under \$20, according to police reports.

Michael Daniel Deanda, 17, 4103 Muir St., was arrested at Town & Country convenience store, 3104 Parkway St., Thursday night on suspicion of theft under \$20, police reports said.

CRMWD directors OK contract

Looking ahead to completion of the Stacy reservoir project in early 1990, Colorado Municipal Water District directors took a first step toward intakes and pump stations Thursday.

The board authorized a contract concerning intakes, pump stations and pipelines with Freese and Nichols Inc. of Fort Worth for design and engineering.

The contract is subject to cancellation with a 30-day notice. The intake or sub-structure must be in place prior to closure of the dam in early 1990, according to CRMWD Secretary/Treasurer Joe Pickle.

In other business: Directors also authorized CRMWD participation in a landing strip for aircraft near the Stacy dam site.

General Manager Owen Ivie noted that the landing strip is needed during construction because of the remoteness of the site. After completion, however, it will serve those coming to the reservoir for recreation and other purposes, Pickle said.

- The District is in the process of opening a road to a point on the south side of the Colorado River in proximity of the dam as a public observation point.
- Archaeologists are developing a research design and doing limited explorations, and biologists are hunting the Concho water snake near the Stacy site.
- Some snakes have been found in Lake E.V. Spence and in Lake Ballinger, Ivie told the board.
- Ivie also said good progress is being made on Stacy dam. Pending land deals may mean more than two-thirds of the land will have been acquired.
- The board agreed to transfer

169,000 gallons of water a day from the SACROC secondary recovery unit in Scurry County to Chevron-ARCO in east Howard County.

An appropriation not to exceed \$60,000 for coating of two steel reservoirs in Ward County was approved. Approval was given for the general manager to invest funds with the Texas Independent Banks, provided they are secured by pledges in accordance with bond resolutions.

Provision was made for expenditures up to \$100,000 from the Contingency and Improvement fund for acquiring either a new heavy-duty maintainer or three used maintainers with limited warranties, Pickle said.

Having three would avoid transportation expenses of moving one unit from one end of the system to the other, a distance of over 200 miles in some instances.



Lilliam Valdes, second grade bilingual education teacher at College Heights elementary, organizes materials for the coming school year in her classroom. Children will soon be occupying the seats of classrooms across the nation beginning next week.

Coahoma

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rates 42.4 percent for employee-only coverage and 95.3 percent for family coverage, a raise he termed unacceptable.

The Blue Cross offer, he noted, will cost district employees \$17,000 less than CRC's offer. In light of the recent 5 percent pay decrease the employees suffered, Rotan said the district owed them the fairest coverage possible.

"If we can show the school employees some consideration, it'll be well worth it," board President

Jim Wright said in agreement. Approved seven teacher appointments — Gary Kirkland, sixth-grade; Lisa Merkle, Chapter I; Marcella Vaughn, Junior High reading; Mary Ann Atkinson, Junior High English; Dorothy Deece, High School math; Virginia Howe, librarian; and Harvey Welch, Junior High earth science.

The district is fully staffed with the appointments, Rotan said. Awarded Rainbo Bakery the bread contract and Gandy's Dairy the milk contract, on the basis of

lowest bids. Heard that the district has completed tax collections which reflect 97.4 percent of taxes levied.

Rotan said the district collected \$3.21 million as of July 31. Of that figure, \$83,331 was delinquent collections. He commended the efforts of Myrtle Burns, the district's tax collector.

Tabled until its September meeting further action on bids for roofing, metal trim and water damage repairs.

Shaw

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has severely hampered the college. State law, however, requires that the college provide the insurance.

Riley noted that Howard College would lose about \$175,000 and the SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf would lose about \$65,000

as a result of the veto. Shaw agreed the veto shifts the tax burden to property owners.

"I don't like taxes, but philosophically I'd rather pay sales tax than property tax," Shaw said. Concerning SWCID, Shaw said it was "the only institution of higher education that received an increase in funds this past year."

SWCID's been able to get needed funds because it never asks for more than the bottom line, Shaw said.

Robert von Rosenberg, the new superintendent at Big Spring State Hospital, also thanked Shaw for his efforts on behalf of the hospital.

Von Rosenberg briefly noted the problems the hospital has faced in past years, including hiring about 100 new staff to comply with federal mandates, while only receiving a slight increase in funds.

Under the new budget, mental health and mental retardation funds were increased to reach com-

Condrys

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real movement (among the council) toward that, and I think we have a real good council."

The Condrys began noticing the change in the council after the flooding last year — and the subsequent flood of angry citizens into council meetings.

"We were impressed with how they kept their cool and treated the people with respect," she says.

"They were really empathetic to the plight of the victims," Charles added.

The Condrys agree that this council has continued to show a caring attitude and encourage participation from the crowd.

"People who have issues feel like they can come to the council and not be rebuffed," she says.

The Condrys cited Mayor Mize, Council Member Russ McEwen and City Attorney Hardy Wilkerson as three who have improved the city operations. They appreciate the way Mize often refers to those in the crowd by their first name, and noted Wilkerson's preparations for the meetings.

They also like the way this council works together. "A healthy sign of good government is when it's open and well attended," says Charles. "And when you see some council members not in agreement with everything, it's healthy, because it's natural that not everyone's going to agree."

"They disagree, but they disagree as friends," he says. McEwen, for one, appreciates the Condry's attendance.

"It is so much easier — whether

they agree or disagree with what we're doing — if they have the knowledge; at least then they can make some intelligent decisions based on fact."

"Disagree with me, but disagree with me based on what you've heard, not what someone's told you. The Condrys, if they criticized me, it would carry a lot more weight because they know what I've said and what I've done and what I've voted on," McEwen said.

The Condrys think that now — with the council working on the budget — it's particularly important for citizens to attend the meetings.

"They're either going to have to raise taxes or cut services, and it's important for the representatives to know how the people feel about these things," Charles says. Charles has doubts concerning the change of council meetings from 6:30 to 5 p.m., a change made to reschedule the work sessions previously conducted on Mondays prior to the meetings.

He expects that council members will discover it is too early for most citizens. "I hope they do," he said. He and Betty will continue to attend, even when there's nothing particularly exciting on the agenda. They find the process interesting, and they enjoy being informed.

"It's like reading a book," he says. "Certain things start at a meeting and are finally resolved at subsequent meetings."

"It's certainly given us a different perspective on things," she added.

Area home damaged by fire

Fire destroyed the roof of a Sand Springs house about nine miles east of Big Spring at 11:42 a.m. Thursday, according to fire department reports.

Big Spring firefighters arrived at the Merrick Road house, Route 1 Box 397, at 11:53 a.m. to find smoke billowing from the roof and eaves, reports said.

The house is owned by Mack Newton, the reports said, and no one was listed injured in the fire. Damage was estimated at \$40,000. While Big Spring firefighters at-

tacked the blaze through the bathroom ceiling, firefighters from the Sand Springs Volunteer Fire Department battled flames on the roof, the report said.

The Coahoma Volunteer Fire Department arrived to overhaul the damaged house and stand by in case extra help was needed.

Big Spring Fire Department Capt. Alex Calvio said the fire's cause is unknown. Firefighters used about 2,000 gallons of water, reports said.

Sheriff's log

Herald staff report
Steve Reid, Coahoma, reported Monday the theft of a Yamaha car stereo including two amplifiers, two 6- by 9-inch speakers, two 4-inch speakers, two 1½-inch speakers and two large wood speakers. Total value was estimated at \$2,000.

Clyde Franklin, May, reported damage to a rental house located 10 miles east of Highway 669 and

several stolen items. According to sheriff's reports, the criminal mischief took place between Aug. 17 and Aug. 19. Damage and stolen items were valued at \$795.

Don Lloyd Brooks, 21, 1200 Mobile St., was arrested by the Department of Public Safety Thursday on charges of driving while license suspended. He was released on a \$500 bond.

Deaths

Kenneth Carmichael

Kenneth Carmichael, 46, Brownsville, formerly of Ackery and son of a local woman, died Wednesday, Aug. 19, 1987.

Graveside services will be 4 p.m. Saturday at the Acton Cemetery. He was born Oct. 16, 1940 in Ackery.

He had been a commercial pilot.

He is survived by his wife, Beatriz Carmichael of Ackery; three sons, Jim of Euleus, Jarod of Ackery and Jason of Jacksonville, Fla.; one daughter, Kendra Famiglio of Euleus; one brother, Don Carmichael of Point; two sisters, Martha Stone of Ackery and Geniece Roberts of San Angelo; his mother, Imogene Hammond of Big Spring; one granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his father, H. Doris Carmichael.

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UT will offer Bible classes until transferred to school

AUSTIN (AP) — After ruling such courses are unconstitutional, Attorney General Jim Mattox has indicated that Bible courses can be reinstated at the University of Texas for one semester while an arrangement is worked out to offer the courses at another school.

Officials said Thursday continuation of the courses at UT during the fall semester has the approval of Mattox, whose opinion on the constitutionality of the courses resulted in their cancellation by UT in July.

UT President William Cunningham said a decision to continue the courses was made this week after talks with officials at Austin Community College, which may offer the courses after they are phased out at UT, and after meetings between UT officials and the Biblical Studies Association, an off-campus group that has sponsored the courses at UT.



JIM MATTOX

annex our biblical studies program as it has been at UT," said Charles Cox, chairman of the association. "We would offer the same courses with the same instructors but would become part of the course offerings at ACC in the spring."

Exalton Delco, ACC vice president of academic affairs, said details remain to be worked out, but there "appears to be a good possibility" that ACC will offer the courses, beginning next spring.

"What we plan to do is provide these services for the University of Texas in accordance with the guidelines on constitutionality from the attorney general," he said.

Mattox said in May that Bible courses at state schools are constitutional if they follow certain guidelines to avoid "excessive entanglement" with religion.

A school could offer courses taught by its faculty or could grant transfer credit for courses taught by a religious organization but could no longer grant credit directly for courses in which the instructors were paid by a religious group, Mattox said.

The Bible courses at UT had been coordinated by the Biblical Studies Association and had been taught by instructors paid through endowed chairs set up by religious denominations.

Delco said "strategies are still being devised" for how ACC can offer the courses within Mattox's guidelines. ACC will probably consider an arrangement through which the college would pay the Bible instructors at least part of their salary, he said.

"The attorney general has indicated that as part of a phase-out program, we can continue the courses for a semester," Cunningham said. "The courses are a legitimate area of study for a university, and we are very pleased to have them taught another semester. We are genuinely concerned about inconveniencing students."

"No details have been worked out, but the plan is that ACC would



Special visit

Texas Gov. Bill Clements, left, visits with nine-year-old Chris Hilliard Jr. Thursday in Austin at the State Capitol. Hilliard underwent a heart transplant operation in Houston this summer, after the Governor called on Texas hospitals to assist in locating a donor heart.

Associated Press photo

Grand jury refuses to indict sheriff

GEORGETOWN — A Williamson County grand jury has decided not to indict Sheriff Jim Boutwell in the Aug. 7 shooting death of a Liberty Hill man.

Boutwell killed Tony Pina, 25, about an hour after a man fitting his description held up a Cedar Park convenience store and fled through brush.

Boutwell said he fired the fatal

shots when Pina ignored commands to give up and appeared to be pulling a gun. The gun, described by robbery victims as a .357-caliber Magnum, turned out to be plastic.

The grand jury said Thursday in reviewing the evidence it found no unlawful conduct on the part of the sheriff.

Briefs

Intoxicated driver hits, kills woman

Dallas Times Herald Bureau MESQUITE — A 27-year-old woman who was hitchhiking with her husband was killed in a hit-and-run accident Wednesday night, and a Dallas man who police said had been drinking was jailed on an involuntary manslaughter charge.

Mary Denise Gunstanson of Kemp and her husband were walking on the south shoulder of U.S. 80 about 8:40 p.m., when a pickup hit her, Mesquite traffic investigator Dennis Wehland said. The couple appeared to be hitchhiking to Kemp, where they live, Wehland said.

Wilbur McKinney of Tyler, who witnessed the accident, said he followed the pickup, which had sped off, and obtained the license

plate number before the truck crashed into a ditch.

Fernando Rosas Negrete, 36, of Dallas, was arrested and charged with involuntary manslaughter, failing to stop and render aid and driving with a suspended license. Negrete, who police said was intoxicated at the time of the accident, also was wanted on a bond forfeiture for driving with license suspended. He was being held Thursday at the Mesquite City Jail in lieu of a \$8,100 bail.

All the way home to Tyler, McKinney could not erase the bleak memory: the loud thud and the girl flying through the air. "God, it was awful, just awful," said the 44-year-old man.

Legionnaires gather in San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO — Legionnaires wearing their characteristic blue overseas caps adorned with pins, merit ribbons and convention memorabilia will be seen all over town this week as more than 18,000 people are expected to attend the 69th American Legion convention beginning today.

Scheduled to address the group are Vice President George Bush, Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole

of Kansas and his wife, U.S. Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole, who will receive the American Legion Auxiliary's Woman of the Year Award Tuesday.

The meeting, which runs through Thursday, will feature a downtown parade Sunday, a San Antonio-style fiesta in La Villita, and a color guard and drill team competition Saturday.

Mattox turns in airplane, complains

AUSTIN — Attorney General Jim Mattox said Thursday his agency is turning in its 1968 Beechcraft King Air airplane because of Gov. Bill Clements' veto of the funds needed to fly the plane.

"This loss of more than \$400,000 forces us to grapple with a new, inadequate travel budget," Mattox said in a letter to Clements.

The plane will be given to the state's Aircraft Pooling Board, which leases aircraft to state

agencies.

"The problem is that your veto of our aircraft operations removes the money that we will need to lease aircraft from the pooling board or spend otherwise for travel," Mattox told Clements.

The attorney general told reporters the airplane was needed to get state lawyers to areas of Texas not served by commercial air service.

Tests may free death row inmate

CONROE — Tests on autopsy results from a teen-ager killed six years ago will be conducted to try to determine if a death row inmate convicted of the crime really killed the girl, attorneys say.

during the autopsy could contain semen samples.

The 35-year-old former Conroe High School janitor was convicted in the Aug. 23, 1980, strangulation-rape of Cheryl Dee Ferguson, 16. Miss Ferguson was found dead in an auditorium loft at the high school, which she was visiting for a volleyball tournament.

Clarence Lee Brandley's attorneys requested the special testing saying the samples taken

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Opinion

Checkoff system OK for Olympics

Most Americans approve of the idea of designating contributions on their federal income tax forms for the U.S. Olympic Committee.

So found a poll of 5,101 persons taken at Epcot Center in the Walt Disney World Resort in Florida.

Sixty-six percent of those polled said they had never contributed to the U.S. Olympic Committee, 20 percent said they had at some time and 3 percent said they had in the past and intended to do so in 1988.

Sixty-four percent said they thought some combination of government, corporations, private citizens and individual athletes should provide the primary funds for the U.S. athletes.

Primary financing by the federal government was favored by 22 percent from the Northeast but only 13 percent from the West, reflecting a familiar difference in regional attitudes.

Westerners also were strongest in supporting the team. Twenty percent said they had given before and intended to give again, and 16 percent said they had not given before but would give in 1988.

Fifty-nine percent agreed that individual contributions should be tax deductible by way of a voluntary checkoff on their tax form.

Six disagreed somewhat, and 17 disagreed strongly with that idea.

Maybe they are among the many people who think that the less government is involved in amateur sports, the better.

Many people have believed for a long time that U.S. Olympic athletes who must rely on themselves and volunteers for financial support are at an unfair disadvantage in competing with athletes from the Soviet Union and other communist countries whose athletes are subsidized by their governments to a degree that makes them professional in all but name.

In one sense that should make U.S. athletes' victories all the sweeter. They must cross the extra obstacle of paying their way while the competition gets a free ride.

All the same, the unfairness is there.

A tax form checkbox would seem painless. As more than one down-to-earth economist has observed, government loves the withholding system because it seems painless.

It enables government to keep raising taxes far above the level people would be willing to pay if they had to dig into their savings or borrow a big lump sum every year at tax time.

But there is little doubt a checkoff system would make things much easier for U.S. Olympic athletes.

Children learn tax lesson early

Children who had been taught a negative lesson about government in their one-sided battles with the Internal Revenue Service now have learned a positive one as well: An embarrassed government agency often responds to public pressure.

Pressure on the IRS came from well-publicized cases where small savings accounts on children were seized to satisfy tax judgments against their parents.

In one example, \$10.35 saved by Gary D. Keffer of Chesapeake, Va., age 12, was confiscated because his parents had fallen behind on their taxes. The tax collectors found the money because his mother's Social Security number was on the boy's account.

Additional embarrassment to the IRS came because the Keffers had mailed a check for the balance of their taxes about the same time their son's account was seized.

After writing to President Reagan to complain of what he called "his financial devastation" and to warn that "there is once again trouble in the colonies" over taxes, young Mr. Keffer won a promise from the IRS to get his money back.

To avoid future defeats at the hands of determined minors, the IRS has voted to change its ways. Formerly, it simply seized accounts bearing the name or Social Security number of a delinquent taxpayer.

Now, it will not take money from accounts of less than \$100; for larger accounts, it will ask banks to freeze the funds involved, rather than having them seized, then take 21 days to determine the true owner.

Those changes should stop the harassment of enterprising children who have managed to sock away some savings. They will learn to dread April 15 soon enough.

Mailbag

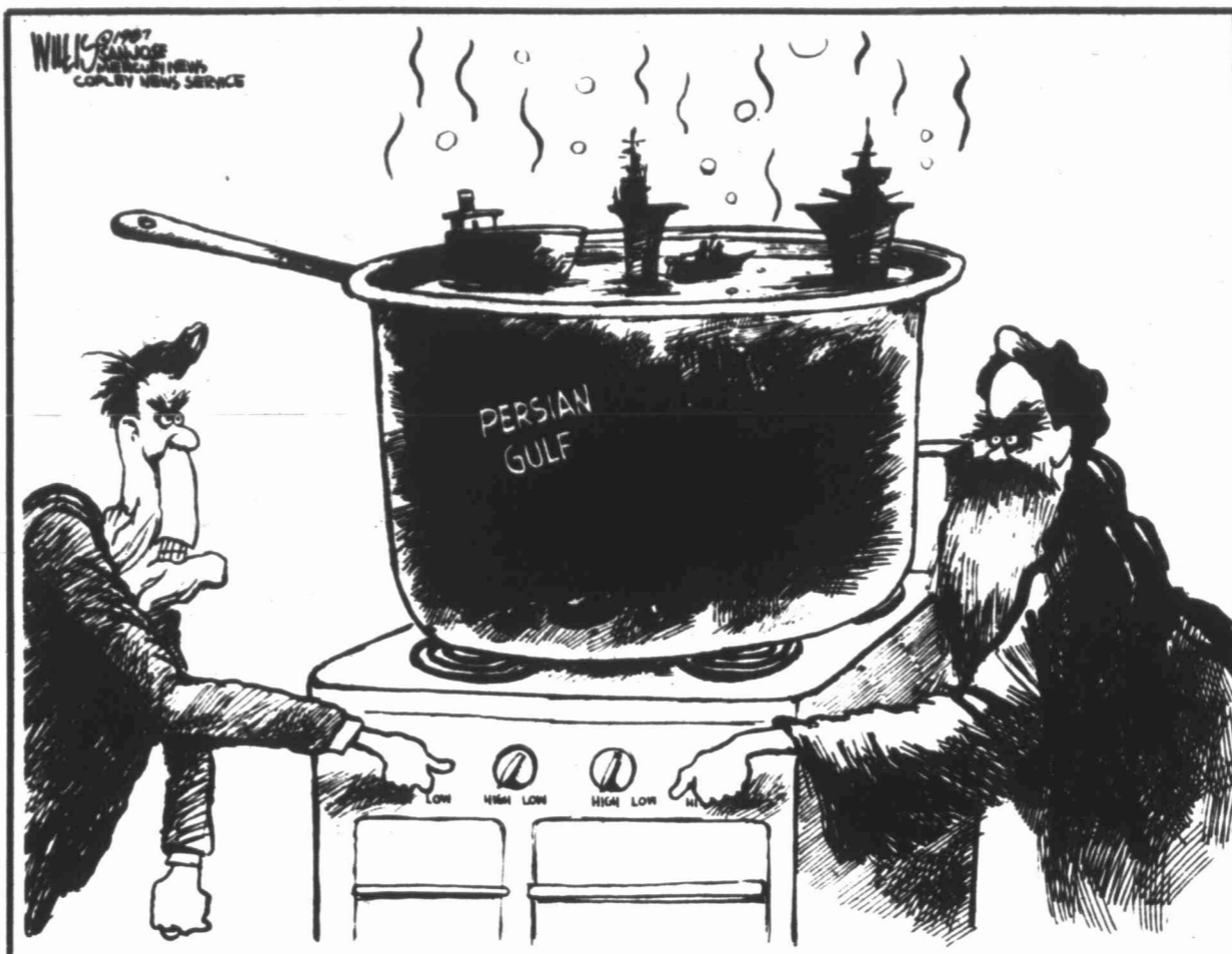
Reader urges viewing of La Bamba

To the editor:

For those who have decided against seeing the movie La Bamba because they think it's too ethnic, they should think again. It's one of the best movies of 1987.

For anyone who cares at all about people, families or music, La Bamba will entertain and move them. All they need to do is read the reviews. It shouldn't be missed.

LINDA WARD
1710 Alabama St.



CIA report didn't prompt discovery of Toshiba sale

By JACK ANDERSON and DALE VAN ATTA

WASHINGTON — The U.S. intelligence community took far too long to discover the illegal sale of submarine propeller-making machinery to the Soviets by C. Itoh and Toshiba — especially since major clues on such diversions from Japan were available as early as 1984.

We can say this with some authority because we were reporting that year on the Soviets' legal and illegal acquisition of high technology from Japan. Dale Van Atta flew to Tokyo to investigate the situation, while our associate Michael Binstein developed Washington sources.

The result was columns in April and May 1984 that offered solid evidence that "the KGB has found Japan a rich source of high-technology products that can be turned to military advantage by the Kremlin."

We reported that the CIA had uncovered "about three dozens documented cases of high-tech diversion by the Soviets through Japan since 1968." More than half of these, we noted, had been approved by the Japanese government, which "put short-term profits ahead of the West's long-term security needs."

We even pinpointed the areas of Soviet interest, reporting that "the KGB has gone after micro-electronic equipment, machine tools, computers, telecommunications, automation devices and specialty steel." The Itoh/Toshiba sale was in the machine-tool category, and enabled the Soviets to develop quieter submarines that are much more difficult to detect.

Even if the CIA brass wasn't reading our columns, they might at least have paid some heed to a highly sensitive report completed in 1984 by their own analysts. Still classified "Secret," the report not only described the kind of tricks that Itoh and Toshiba later used to disguise their illegal sale, but actually identified Itoh as one of five Japanese companies to watch for illegal trade with the Soviets. The others were Mitsubishi, Mitsui, Marubeni and a small trading company, Tairiki.



Jack Anderson

"If there is a truth in illegal trade it is that no two cases involving illegal shipments of goods to proscribed destinations are ever the same," the secret report stated. But it cited as a "typical example" the following scenario:

"First the Soviets, through a foreign trade organization, would indicate to one of the 'friendly' Japanese companies that it is interested in obtaining a certain piece of ... restricted technology.

"The friendly company ... contacts a local wholesaler who would place an order with a major trading firm to import the equipment that contains the restricted technology from the United States... The wholesaler arranges to resell the item to either the friendly company or to a 'cutout' firm.

"Ultimately, the friendly firm takes possession of the article and extracts the restricted portion of the equipment. The extracted portion is then installed inside a low-grade piece of machinery that is sent to an exporter for shipment to the Soviets.

"The exporter and wholesaler are often unwitting of the illegal nature of the transaction, and the

cursory check by Japanese customs officials is not sufficient to determine the exact nature of the machinery's internal components."

In the Itoh/Toshiba case, this scenario was followed almost exactly. The Soviet foreign trade organization, Tekmashimport, contacted a "friendly" Japanese company, Wako Koeki, which then found a company that would supply the desired technology (in this case made in Japan). The company was Toshiba Machinery, a subsidiary of Toshiba Corp.

Toshiba Machinery then asked its regular export broker, Itoh, to be the "cut-out" firm that actually handled the sale.

(W)MAN BITES DOG: When a federal worker wins back pay and a promotion that was denied to her because she blew the whistle on illegal behavior, that's news.

It happened recently to Anastasia Miragias, a secretary in the Boston office of the Housing and Urban Development Department. During an internal investigation of a HUD grant to the city of Manchester, N.H., Miragias told an inspector general's interviewer that her boss had several phone calls about the grant with a former HUD official employed by Manchester — a violation of federal conflict-of-interest laws.

Her boss, John C. Mongan, thereupon refused to approve promotions for Miragias, even though other supervisors supported her.

Miragias filed a formal complaint, and an administrative law judge decided in her favor. The judge was unimpressed with Mongan's explanation that he didn't think Miragias could be trusted with confidential information.

Miragias was awarded a retroactive promotion with back pay — her boss was ordered suspended without pay for 60 days.



Lewis Grizzard

Getting out of the soup with peas

By LEWIS GRIZZARD

The nightmare began a week ago.

I get on a flight in Atlanta en route to Toronto to make a speech. I'm a little nervous, not only because I'm flying Delta to New York, but also because when I speak to audiences in foreign countries like Canada and New Jersey, they tend to just sit there with one of those "What-did-he-say Ethel?" looks on their faces.

The Delta flight is late into LaGuardia and English peas are served with my dinner. I'm used to flights being late. I'll never get used to English peas.

I miss my American connection to Toronto and a guy sends me 11 miles over to Air Canada, which has just decided to cancel its flight to Toronto, explaining:

"A man on the flight into here got upset because we served him English peas and started spitting them at the flight attendants. It'll be tomorrow before we get the mess cleaned."

I wind up in a hotel at LaGuardia for the night and the only movie I can find on the television is "Heartburn" with Jack Nicholson and Meryl Streep. What an awful movie.

I get a flight into Toronto Saturday morning. Lunch is a stale sandwich. They don't dare serve English peas.

I check into my hotel in a rotten mood. I call home and quit my job. You may have read something about that.

Then, something good finally happens. The audience in Toronto turns out to be a bunch of people in the chicken business from Arkansas. I never did quite figure out what they were doing in Toronto.

After the speech, I got to the hotel bar and some guy keeps sending over B-52 shooters to my table. How the fight got started, I'll never know.

Sunday, I fly from Toronto to Memphis for another speech. My bags fly from Toronto to Ypsilanti, Mich.

I don't have any clean underwear, a toothbrush or a job. "Rocky IV" is on the television in my hotel room. I pull for the Russian.

Monday morning. Still in Memphis. Everybody and his brother starts calling at 7 a.m. to tell me not to quit my job.

"Remember how long it took you to get this one," they say.

Oprah Winfrey is on television. Doesn't this woman ever hush?

I call the airline about my bags. "What bags?"

I call room service and order six B-52 shooters.

I get to thinking about the part about me quitting my job.

All I really wanted was for somebody to listen to what I had to say. Lord, a newspaper is precious to a city, and a city is precious to a newspaper. And the reader, God bless the reader, must always be a newspaper's No. 1 priority.

I get on the phone and I get somebody to listen. If I didn't accomplish anything else, at least I accomplished that.

My bags got to the hotel shortly after noon.

My most fervent hope at this point is the rest of this story also has a happy ending for everyone involved, for my friend Ron Hudspeith and others who have gone on, those of us who remain, and, most of all, for the most important group of all.

You.

Letters

Letters to the editor on issues of general interest always are welcomed by the Big Spring Herald.

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They are subject to editing, but the essence of the writer's message will not be altered.

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Please write your name and address on the letter and include a daytime phone number for verification. Letters submitted without signatures won't be published.

Address letters "To the editor," Big Spring Herald, Box 1431, Big Spring, Tex. 79720.

Diet just one meal after another

By ALISHA GOLDMAN
Copy Editor

Believe it or not, the pizza remains in my freezer.

Three weeks after beginning a new diet, I'm happy to report it's still there.

Don't take this to mean that the past few weeks haven't provided their share of temptations.

The first week, test driving my newest used car upon delivery to my care was of utmost importance and I couldn't resist heading for a restaurant. And I'm afraid I didn't stick to the salad bar.

I didn't even stick to fish or broiled chicken breast. Nope, I went all the way and had greasy tacos with guacamole.

I got back on my diet the next day, though. I plugged along with two ounces of tuna fish and five wheat crackers for lunch.

And it's done the job — eight pounds were gone as of Tuesday.

The second week had its own set of challenges. The church I attend had an anniversary luncheon celebration. My offer to help was gladly accepted — I was assigned to bring a dessert.



Around the rim

Of course I'd be asked to bring a dessert when I am on a diet.

I pride myself on my cooking, so I couldn't just run to the store and buy a prepared dessert. No, I made myself go through the whole gory event of selecting a recipe (strawberry cream pie), buying the ingredients (whipped topping, strawberries, sour cream), and preparing it.

After all that, I did allow myself the luxury of licking the spoon.

I arrived for the luncheon and, being a good girl, said, "Can I

help?"

What do you suppose?

They assigned me to the dessert table — cutting and serving the pies, cakes, brownies, and cookies.

For an hour, I was forced to touch, smell, and feast my eyes (only) on hundreds of homemade desserts.

I asked heaven why I had been given this ordeal.

Doesn't the Bible say we shall not be given any temptation to bear that is beyond us, and be given a way out?

No escape appeared anywhere. I tried to recruit someone else, change places, find an excuse to be anywhere else. But I was stuck and managed to survive the ordeal.

And be a better person for it, perhaps.

Then, there was the day at the office when someone had a birthday and cake was shared by everyone.

Except me, of course. No one wanted to contribute to my downfall, so I was graciously passed by while the cake was cut.

I've learned one thing from that. Don't write about your diet in a column!

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ROMULUS, Northwest Flight investigators the proper position recorders investigators say.

The co-pilot awaiting takeoff flaps were down Transportation Thursday.

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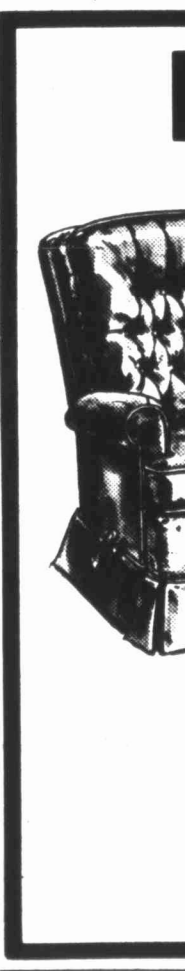
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By Associated Press

Pilot discounts theory

ROMULUS, Mich. — A pilot who watched Northwest Flight 255 take off has told investigators the ill-fated jet's flaps were in the proper position, even though cockpit data recorders indicate they were not, investigators say.

The co-pilot of another Northwest plane awaiting takeoff "was very positive" that the flaps were down, John Lauber, a National Transportation Safety Board member, said Thursday.

The NTSB has said that preliminary information from the "black box" aboard Flight 255 indicated that the flaps and slats, which increase the wing surface area and provide crucial lift, were not in position when the plane crashed Sunday, killing up to 158 people.

Contra support fading

LOS ANGELES — The big boost in public support for aid to the Nicaraguan Contras that followed testimony last month from Lt. Col. Oliver North has faded dramatically, according to a poll released today by the Los Angeles Times.

The poll also found that President Reagan has been unable to regain the popularity or credibility he enjoyed before the Iran-Contra scandal broke last November, although a majority of people still approve of his overall performance.

Dixon says Hart to run

MADISON, Wis. — Gary Hart may re-enter the race for the presidency, said his former campaign manager, and the Colorado Democrat refused today to confirm or deny that he is considering renewing his bid for the White House.



GARY HART
station WORT-FM here.

Hart, who was vacationing in Ireland, told Irish Radio today he was cutting his holiday short and flying home because of the reports, the network said.

"I will not confirm or deny the claim," Hart said.

Four dead in apartment

NEW YORK — Four people, including a teen-age girl, were handcuffed and shot to death and two others were critically wounded in an apartment early this morning in shootings that may have been drug-related, police said.

Two women and a man were found dead in the Bronx building, said police Sgt. Yvonne Atilano.



Friends of massacre victim policeman Roger Breerton pray at the Church of St. Lawrence, Hungerford, west of London, Thursday, the day after he and 13 other people were killed by lone gunman Michael Ryan. Shown from left are John Reynolds, with his children, Benjamin, 15 months, John, 8, Leigh, 8, and Claire, 3.

Mass killing

Town faces recovery of event

HUNGERFORD, England (AP) — Townspeople consoled each other today as the death toll in a horrifying shooting spree rose to 15 and more information emerged about the gunman who cheerfully took target practice a day before his rampage.

Myrtle Gibbs, a 63-year-old woman shot while she sat in her wheelchair enjoying the sun, died late Thursday of multiple gunshot wounds, said a statement from Princess Margaret's Hospital in nearby Swindon. She died without knowing that her husband, Victor, was killed trying to save her.

Fourteen others wounded in Wednesday's massacre were hospitalized today.

Local residents started a fund to help the bereaved, and phone calls from people offering contributions poured into radio stations.

National banks set up accounts in branches around the country. Millionaire Peter de Savary, whose nearby estate employs townspeople, donated 10,000 pounds (\$16,000).

A wreath was placed on the steps of the town hall bearing the inscription: "To all those who fell on August 19, 1987."

In this close-knit community of 5,000 people, 60 miles west of London, most people knew at least one of the victims of 27-year-old Michael Ryan's indiscriminate rampage, which ended when he shot himself in the head in an empty school.

More information was emerging about the gun-

loving man whom neighbors described as a loner with a doting mother. She was one of his victims.

Ryan's aunt, Connie Ryan, recalled in an interview with Independent Television News today that Ryan once told her he had gone hunting rabbits and pulled a gun on a man he encountered in a field.

"This man was 'much bigger than himself,'" she said, "so Michael took a gun out of his pocket and held it at him and the chap ran away, he said, which just goes to prove the power of the gun."

Andrew White, a staff member at the Tunnel Shooting Club where Ryan was a member, said the gunman spent an hour practicing shooting there Tuesday afternoon, then called out cheerfully as he left the range. "See you about, cheerio!"

In a television interview Thursday with the British Broadcasting Corp., White described Ryan as an "average shot" and very safety-conscious on the range.

Thames Valley police were still at a loss to explain the reason for the shooting.

Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher visited the wounded in nearby Princess Margaret Hospital on Thursday and visited families of the victims.

"It just came out of a summer's day like this. Dawn came like any other dawn and by evening it just didn't seem the same day. It was just another world," she said.

World

By Associated Press

Family orders autopsy

WUNSIEDEL, West Germany — The son of Rudolf Hess said today a second autopsy would be performed on his father's body because the family doubts the former Nazi leader committed suicide.

A British doctor ruled on behalf of the Allies that Hess died Monday of asphyxiation after strangling himself with an electrical cord in West Berlin's Spandau prison. He was 93. British officials also said a suicide note was found in Hess' pocket. The contents of the note have not been revealed.

"A second autopsy will be carried out on my initiative," Wolf-Ruediger Hess told The Associated Press in a telephone interview.

The mass-circulation Bild newspaper quoted him today as saying of his father: "We haven't found any trace of strangulation marks on his neck."

Aquino death observed

MANILA, Philippines — President Corason Aquino led 2,000 people today in services marking the fourth anniversary of the assassination of her husband, without whom she said her country would be "sitting in darkness."

Mrs. Aquino joined Cardinal Jaime L. Sin, the archbishop of Manila, and other dignitaries for memorial services in Santo Domingo Church, where Sen. Benigno Aquino Jr. lay in state after his assassination Aug. 21, 1983, at Manila International Airport.

Aquino's murder, moments after returning to the Philippines from three years exile in the United States, unleashed a wave of public outrage that most commentators believe paved the way for the ouster of President Ferdinand Marcos in February 1986.

Poisoning suspected

TOKYO — More than 150 guests at a plush Tokyo hotel became ill today with suspected cases of food poisoning, and 71 were taken to hospitals.

The 71 guests were taken by ambulance from the Akasaka Prince Hotel to 29 local hospitals, said Kensaku Terai of the Tokyo Fire Department.

In all, 152 guests, all saleswomen attending a company seminar at the hotel, became ill with nausea and stomach aches, he said.

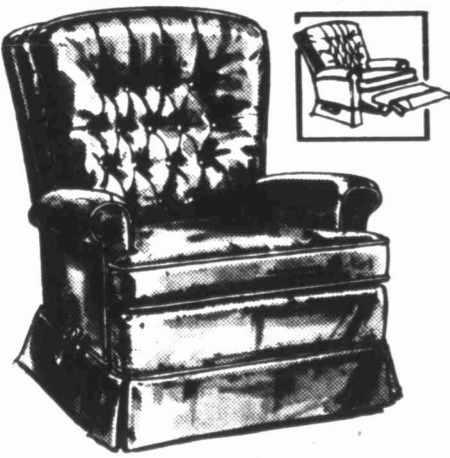
Miner killed in clash

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — Security officers fired on striking black gold miners, killing one striker in the first reported death of the 12-day walkout, the miner's union said today.

The union said at least 30 strikers were injured in the clash.

Also today, a bus carrying black mineworkers crashed into the face of a cliff, killing 20 people and injuring 49, the South African Broadcasting Corp. said.

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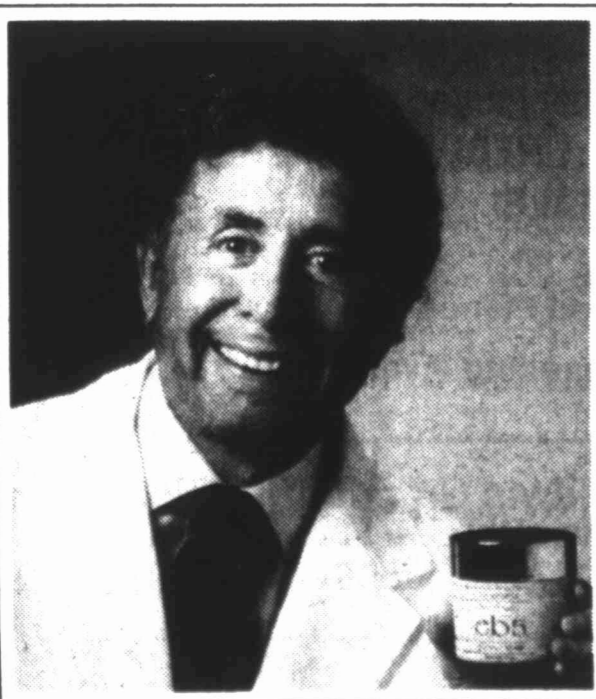
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Lifestyle



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Reminiscing

The last time the Farrar family was together was on Oct. 11, 1958 — the 50th anniversary of their parents, the late Alvie and Laura Farrar. (Bottom photo) From left are Paul Farrar, Troy Farrar, Flovella Thomas, Christine Birkhead, Worth Farrar and the late Laura and Alvie Farrar. After a 23-year search for long-lost brother, Paul, the family reunited Saturday at Furr's Cafeteria. (Top photo) From left are Paul Farrar, Worth Farrar, Christine Birkhead, Flovella Thomas and Troy Farrar. In a letter he wrote to his sister Flovella, he indicated that he had always felt like the black sheep of the family because of the divorce from his first wife. He was located in Imperial Beach, Calif. where he and his third wife and child live in a camper so they can travel. He had lived in Mexico from 1964 to 1979 where he raised six children.



Outstanding Senior 4-H Boy named

Lance Robinson, 17, was named Outstanding Senior 4-H Boy of the Far West Extension District in Texas for 1987, by the District Volunteer Adult Leader's Association.

This area includes more than 20 Texas counties ranging from Howard County to the east to El Paso to the west.

Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robinson of Knott Community, was cited for his achievements in 4-H agricultural programs in beef cattle, field crops, sheep and gardening, work in community service and leadership development.

He has exhibited livestock at every major livestock show in Texas and was the recipient of a 4-H beef cattle heifer award from the Houston livestock show and rodeo last spring.

Robinson farms and is involved in livestock operations with his family. He has held many offices in his local Knott Community 4-H Council and has been a junior leader and a participant at many county events



LANCE ROBINSON

last year. His award was achieved at the recent district 4-H record book contest in Fort Stockton and will be presented to him at the District 4-H Adult Leader's Association Sept. 12 in Fort Stockton.

State Hospital gives safety award

The first safety award for the Intermediate Care Unit of Big Spring State Hospital was given to Bertie Pinkard, a 12-year employee.

The presentation was made Tuesday by Chuck Condray, director of Intermediate and Extended Care Units of the hospital, at a reception hosted in Pinkard's honor.

Darlene Cook, safety coordinator

for the unit, developed the award to encourage the unit staff to be more safety conscious. According to Cook, Pinkard is conscientious and sees and corrects possible hazards before they become safety problems.

She is also quick to repair daily situations as they occur, Cook said, and she is dedicated to the safety of the clients and staff of the unit.

Several attend Friday game night

About 35 attended the Friday night games at Kentwood Older Adult Center.

The participants played forty-two, dominoes, bridge and double nines.

Homemade ice cream, cake and sandwiches were served for refreshments.

Games are conducted each Friday night at 5:30.

Mother frowns on groom short of height and funds

DEAR ABBY: The man I love has asked me to marry him and I accepted because I love him with all my heart and want to spend the rest of my life with him. I am 22 and "Sammy" is 24.

My problem is my mother. She hates him for three reasons: He's short, he's poor and he's Jewish. My mother said she would rather see me stay an old maid all my life than married to Sammy. All know it's only natural for a mother to think that no man is good enough for her daughter, but I think she's being unreasonable. I am an only child and all my mother has. My father, who was short and poor, but not Jewish, left her when I was a child.

Abby, Sammy is a good person, but his family is dirt poor. He is working two jobs and putting himself through trade school. I have a good job and know we can make it together. What should I do?

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DEAR ABBY: Two months ago I was in an automobile accident and spent six days in the hospital. I suffered a broken jaw and everything I ate had to be liquified, so I lost 18 pounds. I was also in a lot of pain.

My greatest pain, however, was the mental anguish caused by the failure of my two dearest friends (husband and wife) to respond in any way. They never came to see me in the hospital — or at home —



Dear Abby

never sent flowers, a card, not even a phone call. I am deeply hurt. We've been close friends for 12 years and I always considered them "family." He was the only one in my wedding party who wasn't a blood relative.

I want to write to them and tell them how hurt and disappointed in them I am. My wife says I will lose two friends if I do. But if I don't, I'm afraid I will always secretly carry a grudge.

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DEAR DEBATING: Write a long letter, expressing your feelings of anger, disappointment and hurt — and don't pull any punches. Then, tear it up. The relief of getting it out of your system will do wonders for you. And the next time you see these friends, at the appropriate time, calmly tell them that following your accident you kept wondering why you hadn't heard from them. Then, sit back and listen.

Bride-to-be honored at tea

Deborah Vaye Cowan, bride-elect of Scott Lidji, was honored Saturday with a bridal tea and shower at the home of Mrs. Charles Beil of Big Spring.

Guests were greeted by the bride's mother, Mrs. James W. Cowan, the bride-elect and Mrs. Beil.

The refreshment table was adorned with a white Irish linen and lace cut-work cloth. A silver bowl filled with blossoms of rumbur lilies, deep pink carnations, purple asters and baby's breath centered the table.

Hostesses presented the bride-to-be, her mother and her grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Gaye Harbin

of Dublin, with corsages of pink carnations and violet daisies.

The vegetable bowl of formal china, a gift to the bride-elect from the hostesses, was displayed with other gifts in the poolside room.

Hostesses were Mrs. Charles Beil, Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mrs. Ben Bancroft, Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mrs. Dwayne Fraser, Mrs. L.K. Gladden, Mrs. Wayne Henry, Mrs. Jack Little, Mrs. W.A. Moore, Mrs. Hervey Perry, Mrs. Paul Shaffer, Mrs. Hayes Stripling Jr. and Mrs. Charles Warren.

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Edmond still rocks in wake of postal massacre

EDMOND, Okla. — A publisher of this city's daily newspaper once said that Edmond "will be what its citizens will it to be." But that credo, now the motto of *The Edmond Evening Sun*, is becoming more difficult than ever to live up to.

This week this northern suburb of Oklahoma City marks the first anniversary of one of the nation's most numbing tragedies. On Aug. 20, 1986, part-time postal carrier Patrick Henry Sherrill walked into the post office and methodically gunned down 20 co-workers. Fourteen were killed and six others were injured before he turned one of the handguns on himself.

During the past year, residents say a community once known for cohesion and quiet has lost some of its sense of control. One postal worker says emotions in the town have been "rubbed raw" by a well-publicized dispute between the victims and the U.S. Postal Service and disagreement over a site to memorialize the dead.

Some residents and workers still feel uncomfortable in the post office; one businesswoman likens it to a mausoleum.

At the center of the difficulty are the community's dual yet inconsistent desires: Edmond wants to properly remember, but wishes it could forget.

"We have, I think, poured out our souls in an effort to help in an emotional way," says Ed Livermore Jr., publisher of *The Edmond Evening Sun*. "How many times do you want to hear the same sad story? I guess after a while life has got to go on."

Such sentiment brings a stinging response from postal workers and their survivors. Many of them regularly visit counselors and still feel emotionally isolated from the community.

"I'm sorry that some of these people are ashamed of what happened or can't quite grasp the situation," says Ron Blackwell, a letter carrier and postal union leader who escaped Sherrill's rampage without physical injury.

The attack that shattered Edmond last August was the third worst single-day mass killing in the nation's history, eclipsed in bloodshed only by the 1966 tower shootings at the University of Texas at Austin and the 1984 massacre in a McDonald's in San Ysidro, Calif.

Sherrill, a 44-year-old marksman who had been chastised by managers and co-workers for poor job performance, carried three handguns into work that morning and locked several doors before opening fire. Authorities, fearing Sherrill was holding hostages, waited 90 minutes after the first shot was fired to enter the post office and find the gunman dead.

Edmond's response was quick and almost universally applauded. Medical teams cared for the wounded; crisis counseling volunteers were summoned to the city of 35,000 people; and postal officials offered assurances that the government would attend to survivors both emotionally and financially. Postal officials also initiated

an exhaustive investigation to determine what pulled the trigger in Sherrill's mind.

But as soon as a few days after the shootings, the seeds of discontent and division were planted for what some Edmond residents say one year later is a fully flowering sense of ill ease.

Postal workers complain that supervisors expected them back to work and at full capacity almost immediately and say that psychological counseling, while offered, has been subtly discouraged.

Reading of sympathy cards during work hours was prohibited. A chaplain available to postal workers in the office during work hours was asked to leave after three weeks. Later, families of the dead grew incensed at a mountain of indecipherable paper work and sluggish bureaucracy they encountered in attempting to collect death benefits.

The postal inspector's investigative report, as thick as several telephone books, failed to explain why the tragedy occurred. And when it was released earlier this year, it was in abridged form with so many censored portions that it raised more questions about what happened than it answered.

Surviving victims and the families of the dead say they felt cheated, lost or forgotten.

"I have been pulled out of my little world to conquer a magic empire all by myself," says Dorothy Pyle, whose husband of nine years, Jerry Ralph Pyle, was gunned down by Sherrill in the post office's parking lot.

Postal carrier Tracy Sanchez, who was five months pregnant when she waited out Sherrill's shooting spree by hiding in a janitor's closet, says she was harassed into coming back to work a few days after the shootings.

Suggestions were made that those who could not work were



Postman Kenneth Lobdell is comforted following a shooting spree Aug. 20, 1986, at the Edmond, Okla., Post Office. A year after the massacre when 14 employees were killed by a fellow worker the city of Edmond and the survivors are trying to cope.

pregnancy, she says. "I couldn't think. I couldn't concentrate. I had real bad headaches," says Sanchez, who is still an Edmond carrier. "They just accused me of using the shooting to sham. They were just so insulting to everybody."

Counselors said victims of the shootings could be expected to feel tremendous anger, even in the most caring environment. But Mickey Potts, an Edmond counselor who led the effort to establish a counseling program for the postal victims, says: "We weren't getting the kind of sensitive reaction to this that we should have. There was some, at best, benign neglect."

Postal officials defend their response to the tragedy. They say counselors are still available to survivors and their families at government expense. Larry Flener, a spokesman for the Postal Service's division office in Oklahoma City, says mistakes were made but will not elaborate.

"We are all human and we make mistakes. Nobody could know how to handle such a tragic circumstance," Flener says. "(But) to assert that the Postal Service pursued a course of action inconsistent with the needs of the employees is just not true."

The backwash of the tragedy was far ranging. Postal union officials pressed for and were granted a congressional hearing in Washington, D.C., to voice concerns about the way postal officials handled the situation.

Relatives of the dead filed a \$45.5 million claim against the city of Edmond and its police department, contending that public employees did not react properly to the developing crisis. They also challenged the National Guard,

"weak," and managers attributed her health problems to her

As the backwash became deeper, support for the survivors seemed to wane among this city's residents.

Livermore, the newspaper publisher, dismisses the claim against the city as "absolute trash," and one businessman says sympathy for the victims has been somewhat tempered by a feeling that "some people think a little bit of opportunism is going on there."

Talk of a memorial to the dead degenerated into angry debate when someone suggested it be placed in a popular lakefront park. Now the plan is to place it on the post office lawn.

For the survivors, the debates hinder the healing process. Counselor Jim Orsi, who moderates a weekly session for surviving spouses of six victims, describes their reaction as part of a "second-injury" syndrome.

"A lot of people just really don't want to talk. It's as though we had a contagious disease. It's as though what we have might rub off on them," Pyle says. "They're afraid of us. There's very few people who come to see us anymore, or call on us."

"We're the wealthy widows," she says sarcastically.

Blackwell, the postal carrier, says he believes the community feels cheated of its right to celebrate its happy side — the naming of an Edmond girl as the 1986 Miss Teen U.S.A. and the success of several local golfers on the professional tour.

"Bake sales and other things happened within the first week after the shootings happened. But quickly, I think, people felt there was something wrong with trying to raise money or even the association with this event," Blackwell says. "It just became an easy thing to want to forget."

For those who lost family members or close friends in what all of Edmond refers to as the "postal massacre," however, it is impossible to forget. Most are still mired in what psychologists say will be a lengthy process of feeling and overcoming grief.

"It helps to talk about it. It helps to cry. I don't cry all the time but I do a lot. It gets awfully lonely around here," Pyle says. "They say tears wash away grief, but how many tears does it take? Because I think I have cried a river."

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Yellow marks anniversary for workers

EDMOND, Okla. (AP) — Two floral arrangements flanked the flagpole out front and a black and white police car guarded the rear entrance to the Edmond Post Office today, one year after a part-time postal worker killed 14 of his fellow workers there.

Customers by ones and twos came into the modern brick building as postal clerks — the women wearing yellow corsages and the men yellow ribbons — tried their best to carry on their normal activities.

Here and there, though, a bright yellow ribbon decorated mail boxes and a large yellow ribbon was tied around the Post Office flagpole.

"We stopped and observed a moment of silence at 6:17 a.m.," Hunt said. "It was very heart-warming. It just made shivers go up and down your spine."

"They really wanted to be together," he said. "The employees pretty well stay together in a group. They were very supportive of each other. There was conversation. The normal things that go on in the work place were all here today."

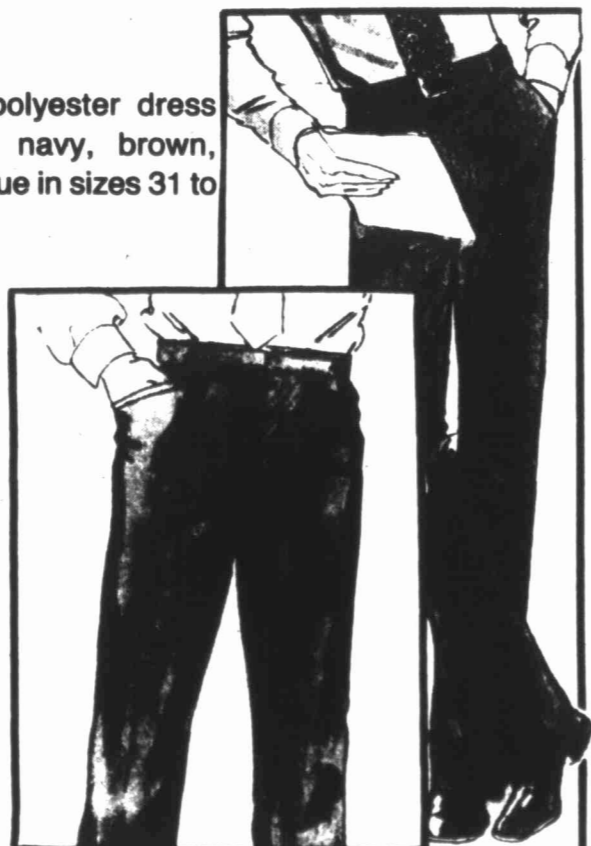
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Income tax proposed for state

AUSTIN (AP) — A citizen-legislator panel should consider personal and corporate income tax and their implications for Texas because of growing sentiments for them, the group was told.

There should be no sacred cows, including an income tax, as the Select Committee on Tax Equity prepares its report for the 1989 Legislature, Carolyn Barta, editor of Viewpoints for the Dallas Morning News, said Thursday.

Committee executive director Billy Hamilton said the panel would consider a personal income tax and its implications for the state at its June meeting.

Fort Worth Mayor Bob Bolen, meanwhile, said federal aid as a source of revenue for cities totaled 19.8 percent in 1979, but now pro-

vides only about 6 percent to 7 percent of all municipal revenue.

Bolen, president of the Texas Municipal League, said the league believes the importance of the property tax will decline or remain stagnant over the short term, sales tax collections will rebound and user fees will climb.

Since 1965, Bolen said, the total of state and local tax collections in Texas as a percentage of personal income has not changed much, and was 9.8 percent in 1986.

"It seems to me that 10-11 percent of personal income is our 'fiscal elbow room' in Texas," he said.

Hamilton, noting a recent special legislative session had enacted a \$5.7 billion tax package, said as much as \$1.7 billion was

wrapped up in one-time measures that won't contribute to the revenue stream after the 1988-89 fiscal period.

He said evidence suggests that the Texas tax system up to now has been neither proportional nor progressive, and in recent years has been marked by a significant instability.

Also, Hamilton said, the U.S. Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations ranked Texas 41st among the 50 states in overall balance between state and local taxes.

"A primary cause for Texas' relative imbalance — until recently at least — is the use of severance taxes, as opposed to income taxes, to carry a large share of the tax load," Hamilton said.

Ms. Barta said the committee's work should be done without regard to political risks.



Billy Hamilton from the Comptrollers office listens to discussions about taxes Thursday in Austin.

UT corrects records on first black graduate

AUSTIN (AP) — University of Texas officials, who named a building for a man they thought was the first black to earn a UT bachelor's degree, now say a Denver woman was the first.

Edna Humphries Rhambo, now a teacher in Denver, enrolled at UT in 1956 as a transfer student from Huston-Tillotson College in Austin. She received a bachelor of science degree in education in August 1958.

John Hargis, who had been recognized as the first black to earn a bachelor's degree at UT, graduated in January 1959, according to school records.

"That was the best information we had at the time," said Lewis Wright, assistant vice president for administration. "The university is pleased to make this correction and welcome Mrs. Rhambo back."

Integration of UT began with graduate and professional schools in June 1950 after the Supreme Court ruled a separate state law school for blacks was not equal to the one at UT. But integration of UT's undergraduate student body did not begin until several years later.

Mrs. Rhambo told UT about the mistake after reading a newspaper report that said the first black undergraduate school graduate was Hargis.

UT officials arranged a Wednesday reunion for Mrs. Rhambo and two of her teachers from the 1950s.

"My teachers gave me insight and self-confidence. If I had not had these people, I could not have done what I have," Mrs. Rhambo said of Clark Gill, a retired professor of education, and Lorrin Kennamer, a geography and education professor who will step down as dean of the College of Education this month.

Hargis, who died last November, was an assistant to UT President William Cunningham.

UT had checked Hargis' recollection about being the first black graduate as much as possible, but researching the early days of integration at UT is complicated by the fact that racial designations were not part of student records in the 1950s, Wright said.

Hargis, who enrolled in 1955, is still believed to have been the first black undergraduate officially registered at UT.

Because student records from the time didn't include race, UT officials said the possibility remains that another black alumnus could come forward to announce that he or she graduated before Mrs. Rhambo.

Mrs. Rhambo said she and her family and friends were aware in 1958 that her degree represented a first.

"We were all aware of it, but it was a matter of 'so what?'" she said. "It was not important back then. It's not that important today either. The only reason it is important is that the historical record be accurate. If I were not a historian, I would probably have let it slip by."

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Despite fumbles, Steers look good

Eudy pleased with running, blocking on offense, hitting on defense

By EDDIE CURRAN
Staff Writer

In preseason scrimmages, with coaches on the field, the kicking game nowhere to be found, and the second team playing almost as much as the first, it's not that important which team scores the most touchdowns.

The important question after Thursday night's scrimmage with Lubbock Dunbar wasn't "Who won?"; but "Was the coach happy?"

Coach Eudy?

"Our offense, when we held on to the ball, moved the football. Our offensive line came off the ball well, and our backs ran hard. I thought the offense, for the first time against someone new, played well.

"I can't name anyone in particular, but what I liked about the defense as a whole is that they ran to the football well and hit extremely well.

"I'm pleased with the progress, broad statement that that is. In the next scrimmage we'll probably throw the ball a lot more," the Steers' coach said.

For those who still want to know who won, the answer is, the Steers. In the first scrimmage, each team ran 20 offensive plays, and then each team's second team ran 20 offensive plays. That's 80 plays, give or take a few.

Dunbar got the ball first, and the Steers' first team defense looked good. Robert Rodriguez made a perfect form tackle on the second play for a two-yard loss, and the Steers didn't give up much territory.

Byron McElreath made an interception during the series, as did Kenneth Banks, though his was called back on an interference call. Banks had several big hits to his credit, and Dunbar did not score in their first 20.

They did score, however, on the



Big Spring Steers' senior quarterback Craig Knocke hands the ball off to fullback Chris Cole during Thursday night's scrimmage against Lubbock Dunbar at Memorial Stadium. Charles White (22) sweeps left on the play.

As shown here, the offensive line moved the Dunbar defenders well, but the Steers had trouble holding on to the ball. Coach Quinn Eudy said that's a common problem during first of the year work-outs.

Steers' possession. The Dunbar defense intercepted a Shawn Shellman pass and ran it in. Despite that, the offense looked good.

The line looked strong, and Charles White ran well, as did a host of Steer backs. With Craig Knocke at quarterback, the Steers

drove the ball to the 13, and White scored around the left end on a great run in which he needed all his speed, strength and balance to get in the end zone.

The Dunbar second team offense then battled the Steers' second team defense, and scored on a 25-yard run.

The Steers' second team offense drove the ball consistently, though they had a hard time holding onto the ball. Steven Gill led one good drive, but it ended in a fumble.

Shellman took the helm, and with sophomore Chris Cole ripping up yardage in 20 and 10 yard chunks, the Steers moved to the 19-yard

line. From there, senior Bruce Jones made maybe the run of the night. Jones started off left tackle, but twirled around outside, dodged three Dunbar defenders and scored. After 80 plays, each team had two touchdowns.

The teams took a break, and

resumed to play a quarter — but instead of punting, the teams had three plays to make a first. If they didn't, the other team took over.

Knocke quarterbacked and the Steers ran the ball. Cole and White both looked good on the drive. Senior safety Byron McElreath, perhaps the fastest Steer, showed he can play on the offensive side as well. McElreath burst around the right end and went 11-yards untouched for the only score of the "quarter."

Banks and Steve Raines both had good hits on defense, and David Kilgore had an interception.

As a whole, the Steers' biggest problem appeared to be fumbles and fumbled snaps. That can be attributed to the early stage of the season.

"That's just what I'm putting it down to," Eudy said. "We normally have that and we normally correct that."

As for the quarterback question, neither Knocke, Shellman or Gill appeared to leave the others behind.

"I thought all three of them did some good things. We may go with one, two or three quarterbacks," Eudy said.

The Steers' lack of a tested quarterback and their abundance of good running backs explained the new look on offense — more often than not, the Steers had three running backs behind the quarterback.

"Chris Cole did some good things. He ran hard and through some good blocks, and has a chance to start.

"I have a lot of confidence in all our backs. There's not a back here I don't have confidence in, and that's part of the reason we went to a three back set," Eudy said.

Lady Steers win home opener

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

The Big Spring Lady Steers began their home season on the right note, defeating the Abilene High Eagles 10-15, 15-10, 15-11 to win their home opener at Steer Gym Thursday afternoon.

Coach Elaine Stone's team battled back after losing the first game to hand the Eagles a loss in their season opener. Big Spring, now 1-1 for the season, played inconsistently at times, but when it counted the Lady Steers got the points.

Big Spring jumped to early leads in all three games, and the Eagles, fielding a squad of 15 players, battled back to make the games close.

In the first game, Big Spring jumped out to a 6-0 lead behind five service points by Tracey Schaffner and one by Melissa Martinez.

Big Spring dominated the early net play behind the performance of Michelle LeGrande. LeGrande had three kill shots in Big Spring's first three points.

But thanks to some Big Spring mishits and faulty serves, Abilene battled back to take a 10-8 lead. Big Spring tied the game at 10-10, but the Eagles rallied to score the next five points and win the game.

LeGrande downed five of nine spike attempts in the first game and Cary Brooks connected of three of five attempts.

In the second game Big Spring took a 8-0 lead. Schaffner led off with three service points and Martinez followed with two and LeGrande responded with three more service points.

But behind the net play of Didi Doss and Sherron Webster, the Eagles narrowed the lead to 10-8.

Then Big Spring's Brooks took control at the net, getting a couple of blocks and spikes, and Big Spring won the second game 15-10.

As in the first two games, Big Spring jumped out to an early lead in the third game.

Again Schaffner led the way, serving the first five points. Martinez served an ace, giving the Lady Steers a 6-0 lead. Behind the net play of Doss, Abilene rallied to take a 10-8 advantage.

Big Spring tied the game at 10-10 and then made its surge to victory.

Melanie Payne served three points,



Big Spring Lady Steers volleyball player Angie Dees gets in the ready position during the Lady Steers home opener Thursday against Abilene High. The Lady Steers won the match, and are now 1-1 on the season.

putting Big Spring two points away from match victory. AHS came back with a point, but Angie Dees and Brooks served the final two points, giving Big Spring its first win of the season.

LeGrande was top spiker for Big Spring, downing 10 of 19 attempts to go along with four blocks. Brooks had seven of 11 kills and five blocks.

As a team Big Spring converted 21 of 48 kill attempts. AHS downed 19 of 49 attempts.

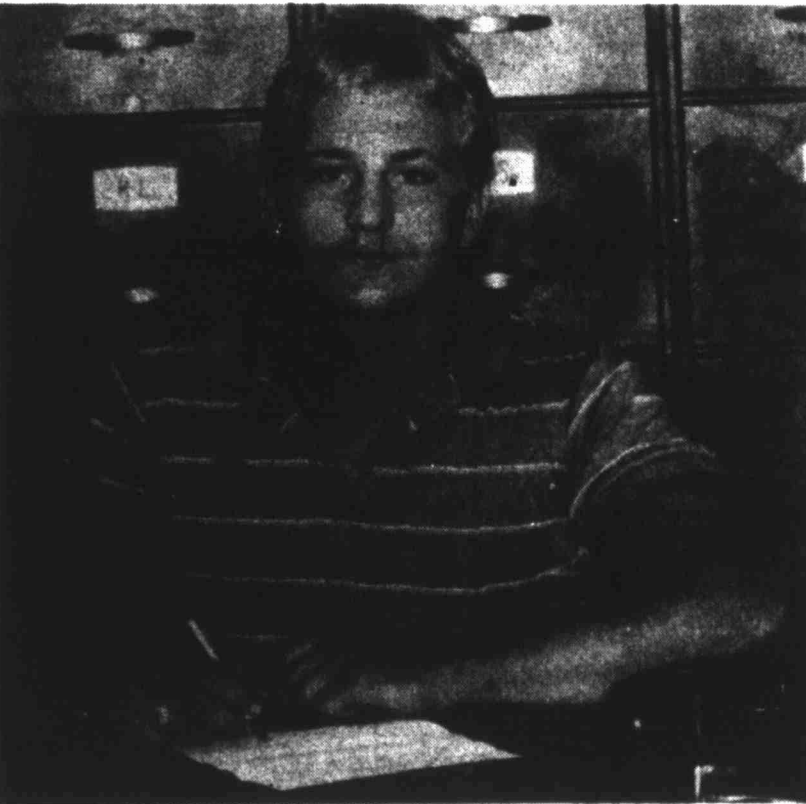
Coach Stone praised the net play of LeGrande and back row play of Martinez.

"The first game we started jelling, getting it together," said

Stone. "Our serves hurt us — we missed six in the first game. We did better after that — we only missed one the second game and three the third game. We worked on defensive slides after the Water Valley game and it showed today."

In sub-varsity action, the Lady Steers freshmen downed AHS 15-2, 15-12. It was their first game of the season. The JV's were defeated by AHS 15-6, 15-6, dropping their record to 1-1 for the season.

The Lady Steers varsity will be in action this weekend at the Monahans tournament. The Lady Steers will play their first game Friday morning at 9 versus Snyder.



Herald photo by Steve Belvin

Illinois bound

Todd Coker signs a letter-of-intent to attend Greenville College in Greenville, Illinois. Coker, a 1987 graduate of Big Spring High, was an all-district selection last year at nose-guard for the Steers. Coker left for Greenville Thursday night. This is that school's first year to have a football team.

Flexers, arm-wrestlers compete here tomorrow

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

History will be made in Big Spring Saturday when the Spring City Bodybuilding Championships are conducted at the Big Spring High School Auditorium.

It will be the first-ever competition of its kind held in Big Spring. In conjunction with the contest, the Texas Armwrestling will sponsor the Spring City ProAm Armwrestling Championship.

The events are being promoted by locals Doug and Vicky Beams. The proceeds from both events will go to the Rape Crisis/Victims Services and the United Way.

The Bodybuilding competition is level II. According to the promoters, contestants will be coming



from Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Lubbock, El Paso, Amarillo and Lubbock. At least 20 bodybuilders are scheduled to enter.

To qualify for the contest, a FLEXERS page 2B

McMahon misses practices, Ditka stomps, so what

By The Associated Press

The Chicago Bears are rounding into midseason form — off the field, that is — considerably earlier than anticipated with Coach Mike Ditka and quarterback Jim McMahon at odds.

Ditka, who has clashed with McMahon in the past, plans to fine his outspoken quarterback for missing practice Thursday. How much he wouldn't say.

"He didn't come out today," Ditka said after practice at Platteville, Wis. "He must have had a bad night."

Ditka said he had no idea where McMahon

was at practice time.

"I didn't check his room, the bathroom or the closet," he said. "I don't intend to. I checked the field and he wasn't there."

McMahon was seen walking across the field in sweat clothes shortly before practice started. Later in the day, he said he had been getting treatment for a sore muscle in his throwing arm.

"If he (Ditka) wants to fine us all, he can go ahead," McMahon said.

Around the Camps

Ohio State wide receiver Cris Carter won't be taken by Tampa Bay even if the Bucs get

the first pick in the Aug. 28 supplemental draft.

"We're not in a position from a team standpoint to spend a No. 1 draft choice on a wide receiver," Coach Ray Perkins said. "We have more pressing needs... unless he was an absolute great one."

A weighted draft will be held to determine the rights to Carter and other players who have lost their college eligibility. A team that takes a player forfeits that round's pick in the next regular draft.

Tampa Bay, because its had the worst record in the NFL last year, will have the

most chances to get the first pick in the supplemental draft.

Wide receiver Jerry Rice is the latest addition to the San Francisco 49ers ever-expanding injured list.

Rice suffered a hairline fracture in his right ring finger during Thursday's practice and won't play in Saturday night's exhibition game against Dallas.

Coach Bill Walsh said Rice, who injured the finger while making a block in practice, would play if it were a regular-season game.

Mora praises Oilers, Moon

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — New Orleans Saints Coach Jim Mora will be seeing Houston Oilers quarterback Warren Moon from a different perspective Saturday night.

The Oilers and Saints meet in a preseason game in the Superdome, and Moon is expected to start at quarterback for Houston.

"I've known Warren for a long time," Mora said. "He played at the University of Washington when I was coaching there. In fact, I helped recruit him. My wife sold him his first house in Seattle."

These days, he said, Moon is quarterbacking a pretty good football team.

"I think they're much better than their record (5-11 last year) indicates," he said. "I think they're on the verge of being pretty competitive in the AFC Central."

Moon played only about two series in the preseason opener, a 32-20 loss to Kansas City. He hit eight of 12 passing attempts for 105 yards and two touchdowns.

Second-round draft choice Cody Carlson had a good pro debut at quarterback in a short relief appearance, going 6-8-0 passing for 50 yards. He also ran three times for 27 yards.

The Saints' quarterback picture was a bit cloudy. Starter Dave Wilson had a sore back during the week and couldn't throw in practices, but Mora said he'll play against the Oilers if he recovers by game time.

The New Orleans fans want Bobby Hebert, the Cajun cannon who won the starting job last preseason, but lost it to Wilson when he broke his foot in the third game.

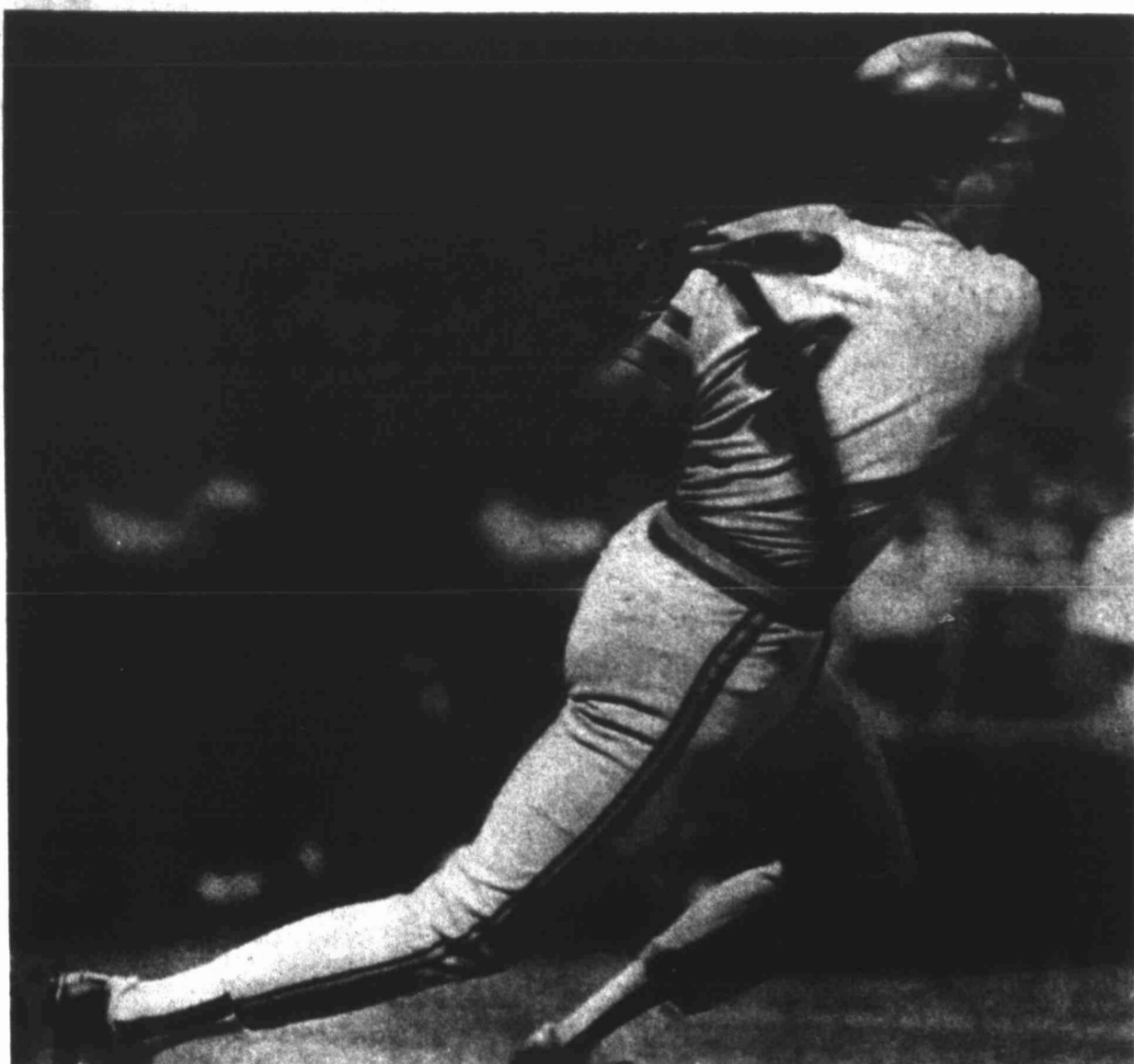
Wilson was booed for his first incompletion in the 23-17 victory over Minnesota on Saturday, and the boos got louder when his second pass failed to connect. He finished his two quarters of work 7-16-0 for 69 yards, and the Saints trailed 17-3 at halftime.

Hebert played the second half with the Saints reserves against Minnesota's reserves and led a three-touchdown rally with a 6-7-0, 78-yard passing performance.

Both teams go into Saturday's game without first-round draft choices — two of 10 first-round picks unsigned across the league.

New Orleans is offering about \$225,000 less than the \$1.65 million that defensive lineman Shawn Knight has asked for a four-year contract. Houston is about \$1 million shy of the \$3 million that fullback Alonzo Highsmith is asking, General Manager Ladd Herzog said.

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The Milwaukee Brewers' Paul Molitor keeps his hitting streak alive at 35 with this hit against the Cleveland Indians Thursday night. Molitor finished the game with three hits and a walk.

Molitor's streak at 35

By The Associated Press
If Paul Molitor breaks Joe DiMaggio's record 56-game hitting streak, he will have to credit teammate Rob Deer for a helping hand.

Molitor extended his hitting streak to 35 games Thursday night with two doubles and a single, tying Ty Cobb for the sixth-longest streak in modern major-league history, as the Brewers routed Cleveland 14-2.

After lining out hard to center field to start the game against Ken Schrom, 5-10, Molitor doubled to left with the bases loaded to drive in two runs in the second inning.

"At the All-Star break, I told Rob (Deer) I had noticed (St. Louis') Jack Clark and Ozzie Smith had originated a 'high-10' and so we started doing this on my first day back (off the disabled list)," Molitor said.

"We've been doing this little handshake. I don't talk to anyone about it and I'm surprised Paul told you guys," Deer said. "He knows we've got to do it and I know we've got to do it."

"It was funny in Chicago (Aug. 7). It was quarter after one and I'm dressing. The game's at 1:30. By the time I'm out there, he's on deck and I couldn't shake his hand. His first at-bat, he almost sprains his ankle. Then, they make a couple nice plays on him and before you know it he's 0-for-4. I'm thinking about this and he's kind of mad. I said, 'Paulie, let's shake.' We did it, and he doubled."

After his second-inning double Thursday night, Molitor doubled in another run with a shot to the gap in right-center during the Brewers' five-run third, and he singled and scored to start the six-run sixth. In the ninth, Molitor grounded out to third.

He finished the game 3-for-5 and is 63-for-149 (.423) during the streak with seven homers and 32 RBI. For the season, Molitor's batting .372.

Deer capped the Brewers' sixth with his second grand slam in two nights. He was the first major leaguer with grand slams on consecutive nights since Greg Luzinski did it for the Chicago White Sox in June 1984.

Molitor's streak is the longest in the majors since Pete Rose had hits in 44 straight games for Cincinnati in 1978. It's the longest in the AL since DiMaggio's 56-game streak for the New York Yankees in 1941.

Tigers 8, Twins 0
Doyle Alexander pitched a five-hitter over eight innings and Chet Lemon's two-run double highlighted a four-run fourth inning, leading host Detroit over Minnesota and a sweep of the three-game series.

It was Alexander's first victory since coming to the Tigers from Atlanta last week in a trade for a minor-league pitcher. Mike Hennehan allowed one hit in the final inning.

The Tigers' 71-47 record is the best in baseball after shaking off an 11-19 start. Detroit has won five consecutive games and 23 of 33 since the All-Star break.

Blue Jays 7, Athletics 6
Juan Beniquez drove in his third run of the game with a fielder's choice grounder in Toronto's two-run ninth inning, lifting the visiting Blue Jays over Oakland.

Rangers 5, White Sox 1
Jose Guzman pitched a three-hitter and Texas took advantage of Chicago's sloppy defense to beat the White Sox at Arlington.

Guzman, 10-11, walked two and struck out five. He took a two-hit shutout into the eighth, when Greg Walker drew a walk leading off, moved to third on Steve Lyons' single, and scored on Fred Manrique's sacrifice fly.

The Rangers scored three unearned runs in the third against starter Richard Dotson, 10-9.

Orioles 4, Angels 2
Ron Washington's two-run double with one out in the 12th inning lifted Baltimore over host California, completing a three-game sweep of the Angels.

Mariners 4, Yankees 3
Harold Reynolds' bases-loaded sacrifice fly in the 12th inning gave Seattle its victory over New York at the Kingdom, snapping the Mariners' six-game losing streak.

Mike Pagliarulo hit his 27th and 28th homers for the Yankees.

Toliver gets goodbye win; Astros sweep

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer
For Fred Toliver, it was a last chance, at least until September. For Gary Roenicke, it was a rare chance.

Both made the most of their opportunities.
After being told Philadelphia was demoting him to Maine of the AAA International League, Toliver posted his first major league victory Thursday night as the Phillies defeated the San Diego Padres 10-2.

"I understand," Toliver said of the roster move. "I'll just go down and keep my same approach, try to get better. I'll keep learning, do the best I can."

"I'll come back Sept. 1 and try to help some more."

Roenicke is a part-time player for the Atlanta Braves, having appeared in only 48 of Atlanta's 121 games this season. But he has made his appearances count.

On Thursday, he two home runs and drove in five runs to lead the Braves over the Chicago Cubs 13-4.

"I knew what my job was when I came to Atlanta," Roenicke said. "You just have to hope the hot streaks stay with you longer than the cold streaks."

Astros 5, Cardinals 4
Glenn Davis' sacrifice fly and an error by St. Louis third baseman Jose Oquendo helped Houston score two runs in the bottom of the seventh inning as the Astros rallied to sweep their three-game series with the Cardinals.

The victory extended Houston's winning streak to seven games. The Astros have won their last 11 home games.

The Cardinals had taken a 4-3 lead in the top of the seventh on pinch-hitter Terry Pendleton's two-run triple and Jack Clark's 33rd homer.

Phillies 10, Padres 2
Toliver's wife left Philadelphia, heading for Maine with their personal belongings, before the pitcher even took the mound. He was being sent down to make room for Mike Jackson, who comes off the



Houston Astros' manager and third base coach Hal Lanier congratulates Bill Doran after Doran hit a three-run homer in the fifth inning Thursday against the Cardinals. The Astros won 5-4 to sweep the three game series.

disabled list today.
Phillies Manager Lee Elia promised the rookie he would be back Sept. 1 when the major-league rosters are expanded.

"I congratulated him, told him I was glad to see him win his first major league game," Elia said. "He thanked me and said he hoped to get more when he comes back Sept. 1."

Chris James hit a solo home run and Juan Samuel drove in three runs with two doubles as the Phillies moved within seven games of NL East-leading St. Louis. It was the ninth victory in the last 11 games for Philadelphia.

Braves 13, Cubs 4
Roenicke hit a two-run homer in the first inning, capped a five-run sixth with a three-run homer and walked and scored the tiebreaking

run when he Dale Murphy followed with his 33rd homer in the fifth.
In the sixth, with the Cubs at bat, Roenicke sat down in left field and did some stretching exercises while umpire crew chief Dick Stello twice checked reliever Jim Aker's glove. Both times, Chicago Manager Gene Michael had complained that Aker was rubbing the ball in his glove, and the Cubs lodged a protest.

Stello said he told Michael that "pitchers have been doing that since the game was invented. They all do that."

"I'm protesting that they allowed him to go ahead and rub the ball," Michael said. "He says he's not doing it, but he is."

Reds 5, Pirates 3
Dave Parker hit a home run into the upper deck of Riverfront

Stadium, snapping a tie and leading Cincinnati. The victory moved the Reds back into a tie for the NL West lead with San Francisco.

Dodgers 7, Expos 2
Although he walked seven, Fernando Valenzuela pitched four-hit ball for seven innings to break a personal three-game losing streak for Los Angeles. Ken Landreaux hit a two-run homer in the ninth for the Dodgers.

Mets 7, Giants 4
Barry Lyons hit his first major league grand slam in the sixth inning as New York rallied to down San Francisco. Kevin McReynolds hit a solo home run in the fourth as the Mets set a team record with 149 homers for the season, bettering the old mark of 148 last year.

Dykes could teach Sherrill lessons in charm

Dallas Times Herald Bureau
LUBBOCK — If he ever fails as the Texas Tech coach, former Big Spring Steer coach Spike Dykes can always work in stand-up comedy or write one-liners for Jackie Sherrill.

Dykes, starting his rookie season with the Red Raiders, greeted the Southwest Conference's annual press tour Thursday with a warm mixture of wit, charm and candor that's rarely displayed in the league these days.

He offered the usual coaching cliches — "He gives 110 percent" — with humor, and often resembled an old storyteller from the Deep South.

While coaching at Alice High School in 1971, Dykes received a phone call from former Texas coach Darrell Royal, who asked him on the spot if he wanted to become an assistant with the Longhorns. They didn't bother talking money.

"(If money was important), why not drive an 18-wheeler from New York to Los Angeles. You'd make a heck of a lot more money than coaching."

Dykes took the job.
He is a superstitious man. He thinks cornerback Jim Vasquez is crazy for wearing jersey No. 13. He said he recently "almost threw my

wife through the windshield" swerving his car out of the path of a black cat.

Wonder how he will feel when Texas Tech plays Texas on Halloween this season.

But instead of talking about himself, Dykes saved his best lines for his players. He says middle-linebacker Tony Durden is "as tough as the back end of a shooting gallery."

Dykes calls Dal Watson, a junior linebacker from Odessa Permian, "Einstein." "He's never lost but two games in his life (before coming to play at Tech). But we got him adjusted."

Dykes also compared head coaching to punting: "It's a lonesome life. You walk into a room and everybody shuts up ... or walks out of the room."

Some of Dykes' observations on his players:
Says quarterback Billy Joe Tolliver "completed too many passes — a lot to us and a lot to them." He threw 13 interceptions.

More on Tolliver: "The worst thing you can do is mold someone's personality into something you want. Billy Joe Tolliver is Billy Joe Tolliver. But it doesn't hurt to be a smarter Billy Joe Tolliver."

On flanker Tyrone Thurman, col-

lege football's smallest player: "He's too little to play. He's not 5-3. That's a misprint. He's 5-2."

On the dependability of Ricky Boysaw: "If you're hanging over Niagara Falls, and all you got is one dime left, call Ricky Boysaw. He'll be there."

On Tech's running backs: "They're good runners but not great runners. Before the day is over, they get bored. They just run north and south."

On defensive end James Mosley, who spent three years in the Air Force working as an armament systems specialist defusing nuclear bombs carried by rockets and aircraft: "He used to disarm bombs. I'm going to keep him happy. That's why we have him No. 1. He's really No. 2."

Dykes expects Tolliver to be much improved this season. Tolliver was inconsistent last season, Dykes said. Last year he would play brilliantly one game and miserably the next.

Dykes said Tolliver thought he had to "win every game by himself." Many of Tolliver's 13 interceptions came on forced passes.

But all that's different now, according to Dykes. He said Tolliver is much more laid back. "He's grown up," Dykes said.

Sports Briefs

X-rays prove Met, Giant innocent

NEW YORK (AP) — X-rays of the bats of Howard Johnson of the Mets and Candy Maldonado of the San Francisco Giants showed neither had tampered with, the National League said.

The bats were confiscated by the umpires during Wednesday night's game and were x-rayed at a medical facility this morning.

U.S. hoopsters struggle but win

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The U.S. men's basketball team, hardly tested, struggled to beat stubborn Puerto Rico, while the U.S. women had an easy time winning golds in softball and gymnastics at the Pan American Games.

The basketball team advanced to the gold-medal round with an 80-75 victory over Puerto Rico, which has given the United States fits before. The U.S. team will play Brazil Sunday for the Pan American gold. Brazil beat Mexico 137-116 as Oscar Schmidt scored 53 points.

The U.S. women's softball team allowed a run after eight consecutive shutout victories but still won the gold with a 4-1 win over Puerto Rico. The Canadian men beat the Americans 2-1 for the gold. Sabrina Mar led the American women to the gymnastics team title, despite several mistakes by her teammates.

Two U.S. boxers were eliminated by Cubans, while two other American fighters advanced to the finals.

Golfers may need snorkles

OAK BROOK, Ill. (AP) — A decision will be made Friday morning on when, where and if the first round of the flood-delayed Western Open golf tournament will be played.

The tournament's scheduled start was put off for a day because parts of the Butler National Golf Club course were flooded by heavy rains last week. Some of the water was five feet deep.

The start was re-scheduled for 7:30 a.m., CDT, Friday, but some doubt remained about that because of the soggy condition of the course. A decision will be made 30 minutes beforehand.

Flexers

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bodybuilder has to place first, second or third in a Level I contest.

The winners from the men and women's divisions will advance to state competition.

The crowd will also be entertained by guest poser Russ Testo of Troy, N.Y. Billed as the 'Physique Artist Extraordinaire', Testo is considered the best poser in the world.

Special appearances will be made by Kevin Wagner, 1986 Middleweight U.S.A. Champion; Kelly Wagner, champion female bodybuilder; Lori Kline, a 12-year-old bodybuilder from San Angelo; and Torrin Caffrey, 1987 Houston Cup heavyweight winner.

The armwrestling competition should be just as entertaining. World renowned armwrestler and Armenders founder Gary L. Ray from Houston will be in town.

There will be five classes for men: 154-pounds and under; 155-175; 176-195; 196-238 and 239 and over. The classes for women are 135 pounds and under and 136 and over.

Guest stars for the armwrestling competition will be Reggie Bennett, pro wrestler and billed as the 'World's Strongest Women' and her husband Magic Swartz.

Ray and Swartz both appeared in the movie "Over the Top".
The schedule for Saturday's event begins with pre-judging in the bodybuilding contest at 9:30 a.m., which include armwrestling open seating. The armwrestling competition begins at 2 p.m. The finals of the bodybuilding starts at 7 p.m. Tickets for the finals are \$5, \$7, \$9 and \$11.

In order to get prices off the night show, a spectator can get a \$1 off for their tickets for being a senior citizen, a student, bringing a can of food, or having a fitness buck. Fitness bucks will be passed out on cars today and Saturday.

Post-competition activities include a challengers competition Saturday night at the Pin Deck Lounge. Swartz and Bennett will take on all-comers in armwrestling.
On Sunday at noon the public is invited to Highland Lanes to bowl with the bodybuilders. Sunday night at 9:30 and 11:30, Testo and Caffrey will perform dancing exhibitions at the Pin Deck.

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GARAGE SALE: Atari computer, school clothes - sizes 8, 10 and 12, tents and camping gear, exercise bicycle, and miscellaneous. 10:00 to 6:00, Friday and Saturday, 601 North 1st, Coahoma.

FOUR FAMILY Garage Sale: 5th house on South Moss Lake Road. Good school clothes, women's nice blouses. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 8:00-11:00?

SATURDAY ONLY: Oriental rug, \$40.00, velvet couch, \$85.00, organ bench, antique ice cream chairs, end table, lamps, glassware. 805 Scurry.

BACKYARD SALE: Lots of clothes and odds and ends. Thursday, Friday, 8:30-5:00 4218 Dixon.

GARAGE SALE: 2607 Larry. Saturday Only! 8:00-2:00 Clothes, miscellaneous.

MOVING SALE: 2510 Rebecca. Friday and Saturday 8:00 a.m.

GARAGE SALE: Little bit of everything, school clothes, fishing equipment and miscellaneous. 2501 East 23rd. (Kenwood Area) 263-3658 Saturday, 9:00-6:00 Sunday, 1:00-6:00.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 22nd, 9:00-4:30 Furniture, clothes, fishing equipment and miscellaneous. 2501 East 23rd. (Kenwood Area) 263-3658 Saturday, 9:00-6:00 Sunday, 1:00-6:00.

GARAGE SALE: 1318 Stadium, Friday-Saturday, 8:00 a.m. Unfinished ash bookcases, typewriters, formal dresses, baby carseat, baby strollers, 1976 Ford 990 motor, steel pickup grill, TV, riding mower.

PATIO SALE: 1305 College. Friday 9:00-1:00 Saturday 9:00-2:00 Leftovers from last week, priced reduced.

MOVING SALE: 1973 Jeep pickup, 1966 Honda, 1980 Kawasaki, boat, clothes, household items. Follow Birdwell Lane, north to Oasis Road. Saturday, Sunday.

TWO FAMILY Carport sale at 2100 Johnson Street. Lots of pretty and very nice ladies clothes sizes 5-6 and 12-14; also mens clothes, western style, and suits, shirts, shoes, like new, different sizes; bowling balls and shoes, tires, and lots of other things. Don't miss this sale. Starts Saturday, 8:00-5:00; Sunday, 9:00-3:00.

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TWO FAMILY Porch Sale: 1103 Mesa. Friday, Saturday. Clothes, jeans, lots of miscellaneous.

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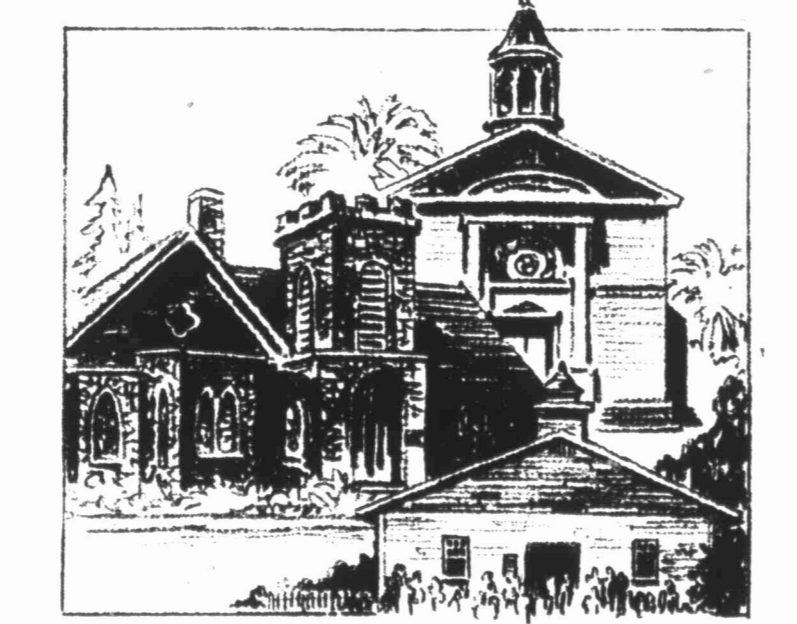
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Childhood pipe cleaner fishing lure start of grownup business

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — The first fishing lure Bob Folder invented was just a pipe cleaner wound around a hook. He caught fish on it.

"When I was a kid," he says, "I used to fish Lake Springfield every day. I was fishing once on the Sixth Street Bridge, and I saw a school of bluegill in the water. They wouldn't bite on anything. I wrapped a piece of pipe chenille around a hook and dropped it in there just to try it. I started catching bluegills."

Things aren't so simple now that Folder has turned his childhood hobby into a very grownup business. His hottest current lure features streamers made of tinsel, but he couldn't just pull some from his Christmas tree. Folder developed a special alloy — just how is a secret — and manufactures it himself.

This isn't nickel-dime, worm, safety pin and string fishing. There is big money involved. Nick Creme Sr., the inventor of the plastic worm lure, was worth \$58 million when he died.

Bob Folder Lures, on Hazlett Lane in Springfield, isn't in that league, and Folder says he doesn't intend to get that big.

"We just don't want to make a big thing out of it," he says. "If I get too big, I'd get so tied down I couldn't do anything else."

He has developed about 600 models of lures. Among them are the Water Bug, the Bass Retriever and the Mud Crawler.


Folder and a staff of eight part-timers who work in their homes do the fly tying and lure assembly. They can turn out 2,000 flies a week if demand is heavy.

"I like to find someone who doesn't have any experience tying flies," Folder says. "That way, they learn to do it my way."

"Maybe it's because I had too much fish to eat when I was a kid," he says. "We had fish all the time."

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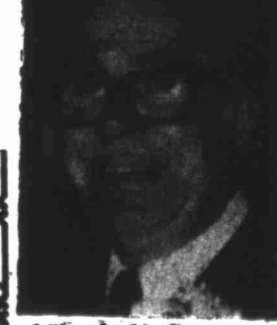
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Sisters describe priestless parishes

NEW YORK (AP) — Summoned to the bishop's office, the nun was told she was needed in a parish as a "pastoral administrator."

"What is that?" she asked. "It means you'll be pastor in everything except the sacraments," the bishop said. "The church needs you for it."

"I'll try," she said. That, in essence, began five years running Queen of Peace parish in Ewing, Mo., which Sister Carol Kopff left this month in an emotional farewell liturgy and hugs and kisses from the 125 families she had served.

"We had lived together, worked together and grown together, both spiritually and socially," she says.

Sister Kopff, now starting advanced studies at the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley, Calif., is among a vanguard of nuns, deacons or theologically trained lay people put in charge of priestless parishes.

The scattered yet growing deployment of these non-clerical "resident ministers," with about 125 now serving around the country, has resulted mainly from shortages in priests.

That trend is expected to intensify, further expanding the new kind of parish leadership.

"It's pioneering work, and it can be tough at the start," Sister Kopff says, recalling that when she first arrived, the rural, vacant church building was locked, the key left with a Baptist neighbor living nearby.

"But so many people came back



SISTER MARLA LANG

to church," she says and tells of their increasing parish involvement and activities, taking on new duties and roles in worship, the formation of a parish council to review decisions.

Member evaluations of her leadership, and that of another nun, Sister Carol Lang, who leads two rural parishes in northern Wisconsin, have been overwhelmingly favorable.

"It's working," a parishioner concluded in a survey about Sister Lang's performance after five years of her leadership. Another said, "Sister is truly a minister to us in every sense of the word."

Other comments: "The parish is being rejuvenated."

"I've never felt closer bonds in a parish before."

Sister Lang, whose two Wisconsin parishes are St. Augustine at Harrison and St. John the Baptist at Bloomville, 17 miles apart, says the new role was hard at first, but she has gained the "trust and acceptance of the community."

"Quietly, unassumingly, people get use to having a woman minister," says Sister Kopff, replaced at Ewing in August by Sister Margaret Buscher. "They open up to us because sisters aren't seen in the same stereotypes as priests."

"We're used to mixing with people."

She tells of initiating the first joint Catholic-Protestant activities in the rural, mainly Protestant area, including running a food pantry for the needy, and a shared sunrise service.

Although the women ministers lead worship services of prayers, sermons and Scriptures, they can't consecrate the bread and wine for Holy Communion — a role confined to the priesthood.

Thus for Communion, either the consecrated elements must be reserved for distribution to the congregation, or a visiting priest must be present on weekends to celebrate the service.

Considering those limitations, what do the two sisters experienced in running parishes think of the simmering, much argued issue of admitting women to the Catholic priesthood?

"It will take time to evolve," says Sister Lang, but it's coming

eventually because of sound reasons and practical needs for it. "There's not any good reasons that the church has come up with not to do it."

Although Pope John Paul II has firmly rejected women's ordination and ordered no more talk of it, Sister Lang says that consequently "people talk about it all the more."

"People are getting used to the idea. More and more women and men are working together in leadership, and Rome will come around to it. A lot of beautiful things are happening."

Sister Kopff, although not interested in being ordained herself, says some women are called to that function. She adds, "It's the Spirit that calls a variety of people, and sex doesn't make any difference."

As for the pope's instructions for nuns to wear habits, which few do anymore, Sister Lang says, "Most women religious don't even talk about clothes any more."

"What's meaningful is to live out our calls. That's where our energies are going. It's hard to go into these deeper issues if we get caught up with clothes."

Noting that the Second Vatican Council of 1962-65 advised getting in touch with religious roots instead of being bound to later accretions, she says many sisterhoods in origin wore the common dress of the people.

Sisters "today have gone back to their roots, to the core of religious life, instead of hanging on to leftovers from the medieval period," she says, including those medieval habits.

Religion roundup

By the Associated Press
PITTSBURGH — A ranking nun told heads of Roman Catholic men's orders that "sexism in the systemic life of the church is sin — moral evil — which does violence to both men and women."

Speaking to about 300 Major Superiors of Men at their annual meeting, Sister Patricia McAnn, vice president of the Sisters of Mercy of Pittsburgh, noted she had taught for years at all-male seminary.

It was a "closed world ... a clerical, patriarchal" system, she said, adding that continuation of it in the church prevents "real collaboration between men and women working together in the church."

The meeting re-elected the Rev. Stephen Tuta of Cupertino, Calif., as president and adopted several resolutions, including one endorsing the Central American peace process and opposing any outside military aid there.

CRAIGSVILLE, W.Va. — A retired businessman who devotes his time to erecting Christian crosses in public view on roadsides and hilltops, says he is expanding the project in this country and overseas.

Bernard L. Coffindaffer, whose crews have planted 875 clusters of three crosses each in 15 states, says the work moves next into other states of the South, Midwest and New England and also into Zambia and the Philippines.

He says he also is visiting landholders around 10 West German cities in August to see if they want "Crosses of Mercy" raised. He pays the costs through donations, and agrees to maintain the crosses.

NEW YORK — New York Rabbi Gilbert Klaperman of Judaism's Orthodox wing, has been elected president of the Synagogue Council of America, which also includes the other two Jewish branches, Conservative and Reform.

SAN ANTONIO — U.S. District Judge William S. Sessions, nominated to head the FBI, has a highly religious upbringing and is described by associates as a devout Christian with an abiding interest in theology.

His pastor, the Rev. Jack Hooper of Alamo Heights United Methodist Church where Sessions regularly worships, says selection of him is "the best thing that President

Reagan will ever do." Sessions is the son of a Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) minister and a graduate of Baptist-related Baylor University and its law school in Waco, Texas. He and his wife, Alice, became United Methodists in the mid-1950's.

ORLANDO, Fla. — Spurning demands of the Southern Baptist Convention, a Baptist weekly says it will continue referring to the denomination's opposing factions as "fundamental-conservatives" and "moderate conservatives."

A halt to use of those terms was asked by the fundamentalist dominated convention in June to try muffle the controversy, although the terms earlier had been approved by the denomination's press department as correct.

In deciding to continue to use them, directors of the Florida Baptist Witness said it was impossible to continue reporting news of the conflict without using descriptive terms.

WASHINGTON — Legislation is being proposed to tighten regulations and impose stricter public-disclosure requirements on political and lobbying activities by tax-exempt religious and other organizations.

Besides empowering the Internal Revenue Service to revoke immediately the tax-exempt status of any organization violating the limitations, the bill would add imposition of a 5 percent excise tax on such organizations.

NEW ORLEANS — Contingents from about 30 denominations were among the 35,000 charismatic Christians participating in the recent North American Conference on the Holy Spirit, about half of them Roman Catholics.

At times, their singing-in-tongues filled the Louisiana Superdome with a multitude of unrehearsed, different melodies.

The Rev. Vinson Synan, a Pentecostal leader of Oklahoma City, predicted "the Pentecostal and charismatic form of Christianity will become the predominant form of Christianity by the end of this century."

The movement claims to be the fastest growing Christian force, now numbering 277 million Protestant and Roman Catholic adherents worldwide, its ecumenical aspect based on shared experience of "gifts of the Spirit" rather than on dissecting doctrine.

Harmonic Convergence called 'successful'

By CARLEEN EVERETT-HALEY
Lifestyle Editor
The Harmonic Convergence was a "success," says Jerry Simonek of Big Spring.

Simonek participated in the Enchanted Rock activities in Austin when the two-day event took place Sunday and Monday.

"Even if it didn't change the world, it changed me. I met a lot of people who feel like I do — who want peace. It made my world better."

He said that the gathering at Enchanted Rock has been noted as having the largest at-

tendance of all the sacred sites for the Harmonic Convergence in the United States.

"The turnout was beautiful. There were 3,100 on Sunday and 3,200 on Monday. I think the New Mexico site had about 1,200."

At the Enchanted Rock site, the group took part in American Indian rituals.

"We called on the north, south, east and west by using an Indian medicine wheel. A person represented the spirits and spoke for them. We called on the spirits to move humanity towards consciousness."

The ceremony of the east

was to call the young warrior with a vision; the south ceremony was to call the grandmother to nurture us on our journey; the west ceremony called forth the sister of mystery to bring light into darkness to help see through things we don't understand; and the north ceremony was to call the grandfather and all the wisdom, Simonek explained.

"There was something magical that happened there. There was so much giving and love."

Nancy Patrick says her experience at the mountain was

also successful.

"I felt a very peaceful feeling. I prayed for Big Spring and concentrated on peace," she said.

She was joined by three other Big Springers who believe in the quest for peace.

Believers say that for the first time in 23,412 years, the alignment of the planets will produce a cleansing energy focus. If humanity does not seize that focus, then harmonic convergence will fail and a period of catastrophe awaits us, according to an Associated Press article.

Baptist Association annual picnic Saturday

Several hundred are expected to attend the Brotherhood and W.M.U. (Women's Missionary Union) annual picnic for the area Baptist Association Saturday at Comanche Trail Park Old Settler's Pavilion at 4 p.m.

"Last year we had about 300 to 400 people," said Jon Hope, Brotherhood director.

Baptist church members from Garden City, Sand Springs, Coahoma, Knott, Luther, Elbow, Forsan and Big Spring are invited, he added.

A volleyball and horseshoe tournament and washer pitching are among the many games planned for the day. Children's games will

also be conducted. A barbecue brisket, potato salad, beans and homemade ice cream will be served at 6:30 p.m.

After the meal, the members will participate in a talent show where they will sing with their choirs, perform skits or comedies or do anything for fun.

"It doesn't have to have to be strictly Biblical," Hope said.

The entire family is invited to the picnic — "and you don't have to be a member of the Baptist church to come," Hope said.

For more information about the talent show, call Brother Jerry Lewis at 756-2831.

Teachers will be appreciated

Teacher Appreciation Day will be conducted at the First Church of God, 2009 Main St., Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

Sunday school teachers who will be appreciated for their efforts during the year are Wesley Hutchings, Betty Reagan, June Strickland, Darrel Regan, Virginia Chappel, Renae Loy, Perry Simmons, Donna Lee and JoAnn Dickson.

Promotion Sunday for the new Sunday school year will be Sept. 6. Children will advance to the next level for Bible classes.

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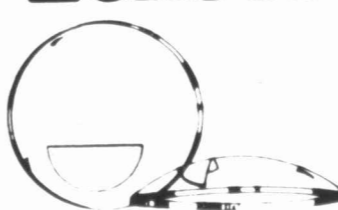
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THE Daily Crossword by Elizabeth Arthur

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- Tilting
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- Cambridge school letters
- Melanges
- Arrest
- Onasels
- Viewpoints
- Holy
- Break fast
- "Beowulf" e.g.
- River to the North Sea
- Botanist Gray
- Sub - bulwark
- Nolay frolics
- Island near it
- "I made my song -"
- (Yeats)
- Group for GIs
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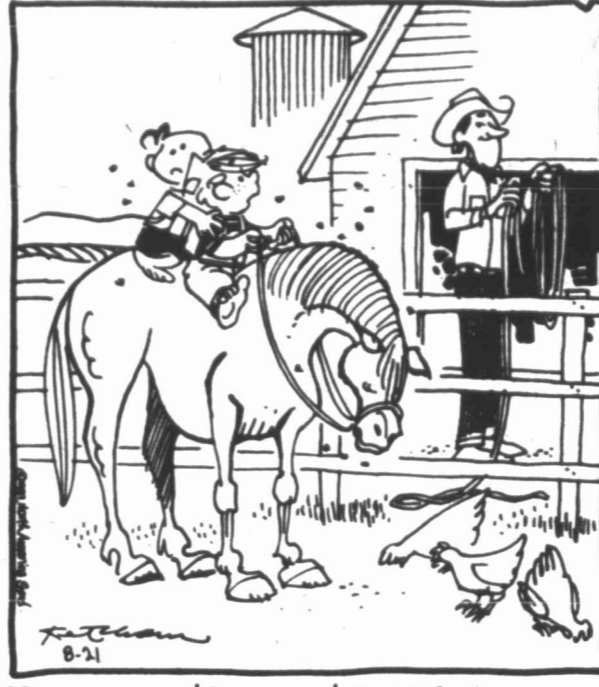
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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I KEEP SAYING 'GIDDY-UP!' BUT I THINK SHE'S STUCK ON 'WHOA!'"

PEANUTS

SOMETIMES IT'S NICE TO DRESS UP..

MAYBE EVEN INVITE A FRIEND..

EVEN IF YOU HAVE NO PLACE TO GO...

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YOUR DAILY Horoscope from the Carroll Righter Institute

FORECAST FOR SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 1987

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Early morning confusion gives way to a remarkable insight into just what can be done to improve your situation. Focus your attention on the cultural side of life.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You can enjoy an amusement this evening which you had little hope would materialize earlier today.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) You may be at a loss as to how a family situation should be handled, but later you see clearly what the best course is.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Get in touch with those individuals who you've been wanting to get to know better. Be sure to budget your time.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Try to follow the methods which have proven effective for those who are very successful in business.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Concentrate on improving your contacts in the business world today, and a lot of headway can be made. Be positive.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Do not abandon a relationship which means much to you over a trivial matter. Try to repair it instead.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Get an early start on handling matters which have been put off for too long. Any further delays could mean trouble.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Your income can increase considerably if you simply follow orders to the letter at work. Opportunities abound.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Study your present situation carefully before making any desired changes in your lifestyle.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Try not to take on too many projects at one time and concentrate on one at a time, with one angle on each.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Don't try to force yourself to behave in an ultra-modern fashion. Sometimes older methods work better.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Consider what changes at home would make your environment more efficient and comfortable. Be cautious today.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she may need some specialized training early in life, but will develop quickly, reason very well and do very well in academics. Your son or daughter will respond best to encouragement, praise and other rewards when something especially fine is accomplished.

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

DAD, CAN YOU GET MY BALL OUT OF THE GUTTER AGAIN?

THIS IS THE THIRD TIME THIS AFTERNOON! I THOUGHT I TOLD YOU TO PLAY OUT BACK!

RELAX, DAD. IT'S JUST A BALL IN THE GUTTER. IT'S NOT AS IF I'VE BEEN EMBEZZLING MONEY OR KILLING PEOPLE, RIGHT? AREN'T YOU GLAD I'M NOT STEALING AND MURDERING?

I ALWAYS HAVE TO HELP DAD ESTABLISH THE PROPER CONTEXT.

ANDY CAPP

HOW ABOUT SOME SUPPER?

STICK TO YOUR DIET, GIRLS. IT'S NO USE HAVING COME-TO-BED EYES IF YOU HAVE A STAY-IN-THE-KITCHEN FIGURE.

GEECH

DO YOU MIND IF I ASK YOU A REAL PERSONAL QUESTION?

OF COURSE I DO!

BOY, THAT'S A RELIEF...

B.C.

CAN YOU PATENT SOMETHING BY THE SOUND IT MAKES?

NOT UNDER EXISTING LAWS.

TOUGH LUCK ON THE PING-PONG BALL, KID.

FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE

THERE! YOU HAVE PIES, ROLLS, 3 KINDS OF COOKIES, 2 CAKES...

I'VE MADE ENOUGH THINGS FOR YOU TO ENJOY LONG AFTER I'VE GONE BACK HOME!

THIS IS GREAT, MOM. WE WANT YOU TO KNOW HOW MUCH WE APPRECIATE THIS!

RIGHT EVERY TIME WE LOOK AT THE FREEZER... WE'LL THINK OF YOU.

BETLE BAILEY

COOKIE, COULD I HAVE THESE LEFTOVER MEATBALLS?

SURE. ARE YOU GOING TO TAKE THEM BACK TO THE BARRACKS TO EAT?

NO.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

"Grandmas are good at hugging because they've had years and years of practice."

THE FAR SIDE

Eddie Nordquist and his "Death Kite."

WIZARD OF ID

WHAT ARE YOU WORKING ON?

DECAFFEINATED TURNIPS.

THERE'S NO CAFFEINE IN TURNIPS!

...THEN HOW COME THEY KEEP ME AWAKE ALL NIGHT?

HI & LOIS

IS THERE ANY SPECIAL REASON YOU DON'T WANT ME TO SHOW YOUR HOUSE TODAY, MRS. DIXON?

YES, IT'S A LITTLE TOO WINDY!

BLONDIE

DARN, I SHOULDN'T HAVE DOZED OFF.

I MISSED THAT NEW SIT-COM.

YOU DIDN'T MISS MUCH, IT WAS PRETTY BAD.

HOW BAD WAS IT?

THE LAUGH TRACK WAS ONLY CHUCKLING.

SNUFFY SMITH

ELVINE-- I SEEN ME A MIRACLE LAST NIGHT.

WE HAD JUST SET DOWN TO TH' SUPPER TABLE WHEN

LO AN' BEHOLD!! TH' PARSON PECKED ON TH' DOOR.

WHAT'S SO MIRACLE ABOUT THAT?

HE HAD ALREADY ET

Zon

By SPI...
Zoning for a flea and outdoor parking space proposed by Public Works I...
A public hearing will be conducted by the Planning Commission at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, August 21, at the Community Center.

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How's Address

Q. What is the address of the United States Department of...
A. The address is...
Washington, D.C. 20540...
County Library...
Calend Potton

• The Post Office is located at 4 p.m. on Gregg St., will be closed on August 21.

• The Coal Association is located at 394-4316. Activities for homecoming details, phone 394-4316.

• Traffic south of FM 7 to the west on Goliad Street lanes of traffic for works on about four weeks.

• Water will be turned off at 4 p.m. on Street from 1st to 3rd streets, on Mulberry to 1st on Ridgeroad. Steakley's McEwen from Ridgeroad street will be tying.

Tops o Movie

"Staying Alive" by John Travolta and Olivia Newton-John. A dancer lands in town, then joins the police force with 8 p.m. on Channel 3.

Moto accid kills

Herald... An 87-year-old woman died struck by a car on Refugia Tr 3208 W. Ninth ed dead at 9:20 p.m. Peace William Cecil Wax Route 3 Box as she was block of West 9:19 p.m. Friday indicate. Bynum w Highway 80 not see Mor street, accident spokesman. No citation Bynum re and scrapes and did not care, accident spokesman. Funeral will be at 1 Sacred Heart with Rev. J pastor, offic Interment Olive Memorial Born Jun Palomas, C she married 1914 in Eagle her in death had lived in 1927. A complete on page 2-A.