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Crossroads weather

Forecast for the Big Spring area: It will be fair to partly cloudy in the Permian Basin through Thursday. The highs today will be in the middle 80s with gusty winds, decreasing tonight. The lows tonight will be in the middle 40s. It will be warmer Thursday with the highs in the upper 80s.



Spring board

How's That?

Wooden
Q. How old is John Wooden, former UCLA Bruin basketball coach?
A. He is 77 years of age, according to published reports.

Calendar

Film
TODAY
• A film on drug abuse, "Twice Pardoned," will be shown at the First Baptist Church, 705 W. Marcy, at 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY
• A Senior Citizen Dance in Building No. 489 in Air Park from 8-11 p.m. All seniors are invited.

• The Borden County Cancer Society will be having its annual Barn Dance beginning at 8:30 p.m. in Gail. The music will be provided by Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys. Admission will be by donation to the Cancer Society.

Preceding the dance will be a 7:30 p.m. Celebrity Auction in the County Barn. Several items from various celebrities have been received.

SATURDAY
• Dr. Joe Neff will be at the Coahoma Fire Department from 9 a.m. to noon, and 1-5 p.m. administering vaccines to dogs and cats. Rabies vaccines will be \$3, distemper and parvo will be \$7.

SUNDAY
• A film on drug abuse, "Twice Pardoned," will be shown at the First Baptist Church, 705 W. Marcy, at 6:30 p.m.
• The Potton House, 200 Gregg will be open from 1-4 p.m.

Tops on TV

Hooperman
Harry and Susan are shaken by an unexpected up-close encounter with the Baby Boom; a mysterious vigilante wreaks bizarre vengeance on abusive parents. — 8 p.m. Ch. 2.
• Aaron's Way — 7 p.m. Ch. 13.
• Equalizer — 9 p.m. Ch. 7.

911 board to visit metroplex

HERALD STAFF REPORT
Members of the Howard County 911 Emergency Telephone District Board will get a glimpse of a public safety answering point in operation Saturday when they travel to the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Board members will discuss the trip during a 5:15 p.m. meeting Thursday at Big Spring city hall.

While in Dallas-Fort Worth board members also are expected to view other Southwestern Bell Telephone Company operations.

Establishment of a schedule for compiling a set of addresses for rural telephone customers is also among business to be discussed during Thursday's meeting.

The emergency telephone district has until Aug. 1 to compile and present Southwestern Bell with an exact list of addresses for the county's 13,000 telephone customers.

Southwestern Bell officials need a complete set of rural and city addresses so they can begin building the 911 computer system data base.

A discussion of the district's contract with Southwestern Bell to provide 911 telephone service also is included on Thursday's meeting agenda.

Board members also will discuss selection of a bank account for 911 fee collections and hear a presentation from a General Telephone Company representative.

Detective says kidnapped girl is still living

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

The search for Christie Proctor, now in its third year, is centering its efforts in California, where several sightings have been reported in the past 18 months.

Determining the validity of those sightings, as well as handling the myriad other details of the search, is the responsibility of Steve Brown, an ex-FBI agent contracted by the Big Spring Rotary Club last year to aid in the hunt for the missing girl.

Brown told Rotarians Tuesday he is convinced that Christie is alive and probably in California.

"If she's not out there," he said, "there's someone named Christie who looks a lot like her that is."

Christie disappeared a few blocks from her north Dallas home on Feb. 15, 1966. She is the daughter of former resident Laura Proctor, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brooks, of Big Spring. Ralph is a member of the Rotary organization.

"(Christie) is almost like my daughter now," said Brown, who heads an investigation company in Midland. "There's not a day that goes by when Christie's name isn't spoken in the office, or something isn't done."

Brown, who reportedly directed the successful search for kidnap victim Patty Hearst, told the group that the circumstances surrounding the youngster's disappearance remain a mystery.

"We have interviewed everybody that lived in that area," he said. "Nobody saw anything. It's doubtful that she got into a car with somebody, because her mother trained her better than that."

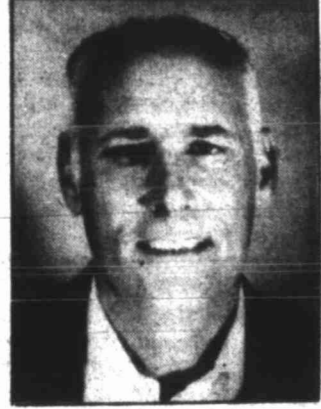
A person who Brown considers a "prime suspect" in the case is also one of the last people to see her the day she disappeared.

The man, the estranged husband of Laura's then-next-door neighbor, told police he had seen Christie between 6 and 6:20 p.m. and had offered her a ride, which she refused. He later changed his story to state he had merely waved at her as he drove past, Brown said.

"He has refused to take a polygraph test or to undergo hypnosis," Brown said. "I consider him a prime suspect."

The most positive lead to the girl's whereabouts, however, came a few months after her abduction, he

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STEVE BROWN



CHRISTIE PROCTOR

Biologist on snake's tail

By SARAH LUMAN
Staff Writer

STACY RESERVOIR — Biologist Okla. W. Thornton expects his second year of the Concho water snake study to be more of the same as he blazes a new trail in determining the animal's habitats.

Colorado River Municipal Water District officials consider that the study — and another independently contracted through Texas A&M biologist James Dixon, PhD. — could serve as groundwork for removing the snake from the endangered species list.

District president Owen Ivie said Tuesday that Thornton's forces will be duplicating and expanding their efforts, essentially the same as their work in 1987.

"During the summer of 1987 they actually captured 766 snakes, and they tagged 596," Ivie said. "Due to their work, the snakes were found in much larger numbers than originally thought to exist by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and in a much more widespread range."

Thornton said the study is the first of its magnitude ever done on a water snake. The Concho water snake is from among a family including all snakes except pit vipers — rattlers and cottonmouths — but it has unique characteristics among water snakes.

"It has the most limited range of any water snake," he said. "The Concho water snake shares its range with two other water snakes: the blotched water snake and the diamondback water snake."

"But those two other species occur from this part of Texas all the way to the east coast, while the Concho water snake occurs only on the Concho and the Colorado rivers," he said.

The Concho snake was discovered in the area during studies for an environmental impact survey for the proposed Stacy Dam, and is considered an endangered species. Originally thought to inhabit only parts of the proposed reservoir area and survive only in shallow water, the snakes have been found in the reservoirs of two lakes — E.V. Spence near Robert Lee and Lake Ballinger, near Ballinger — and in a wider area along the Concho and Colorado rivers than first believed.

"If the 1988 results equal or exceed those of the 1987 study, it is our opinion and the opinion of the district's people that we could have the snake taken off the endangered species list," Ivie said, adding that the district had contracted for an independent study with Dixon in an effort to show the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service that the snake is more numerous and widespread than originally thought.

Thornton plans to put his census-taking crews into the field by the end of this week, he said, to begin checking the size, numbers and movements of the snakes.

Much of the information obtained will come

CONCHO SNAKE page 2-A



STACY RESERVOIR — Biologist Okla. W. Thornton, top photo, demonstrates the technique for implanting PIT (passive integrated transponder) units into Concho water snakes with an ordinary veterinarian's syringe. Thornton's equipment, lower photo, includes a tape measure and a supply of the PIT chips as well as a data sheet on which snakes' information is logged and carried in a large plywood box on snakehunting forays.

Suspects returned; await arraignment

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Three Big Spring residents, who were arrested in connection with the shooting death of a long-time Big Spring radio personality, are in Howard County Sheriff's Department custody this morning.

Pamela Marie Newton, 21, and Patrick Newton, 17, both of Rt. 1, Box 397, and Michael Lee Hodnett, 23, 2609 E. 24th St., are being held without bond, pending an arraignment either today or tomorrow, Sheriff A.N. Standard said this morning.

The three arrived in Big Spring at 7 a.m. today from New Orleans, where they were arrested Friday in connection with the death of C. Vance Kimble, 61, a KBYG radio station disc jockey for the past 37 years.

Standard said that the search for a fourth suspect in the homicide is still in progress.

Kimble was found dead in his south Highway 87 home Friday morning, the victim of a gunshot wound to the upper chest, Justice of the Peace Bill Shankles ruled

earlier.

The suspects were arrested in New Orleans Saturday after Pamela Newton allegedly tried to use a credit card owned by Kimble, according to earlier reports.

Along with the suspects, sheriff's deputies also returned with a 1986 Chrysler and other items belonging to Kimble, Standard noted.

A final ruling in the death of a Big Spring man March 28 is still pending further investigation into

the matter.

Dr. Robert Rember's autopsy of Fred Morales Jr., 39, revealed that Morales died of a single gunshot wound to the chest. He had been found early March 28 on the 300 block of Trades St., according to police reports.

Justice of the Peace Bill Shankles said this morning he has not issued a final ruling on the man's death, pending further police investigation into the incident.

Hijackers ask doctor aboard jet

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Masked Arabs wielding grenades and pistols and demanding freedom for pro-Iranian terrorists in Kuwait today called a doctor aboard a hijacked jet to treat two women believed to be members of Kuwait's royal family.

The physician, identified only as Dr. Qassem, was quoted by Iran's Islamic Republic News Agency as describing the condition of one of the women as "not satisfactory." The hijackers reportedly said some passengers were "unwell."

Iran's official media reported the five or six Arabic-speaking hijackers said Tuesday that three members of Kuwait's royal Al-Sabah family on the jet would be in "imminent danger" unless Kuwait freed 17 convicted pro-Iranian extremists in 12 hours. Kuwait rejected the demand.

The deadline passed at 10 a.m. (2:30 a.m. EDT), according to Tehran radio. The hijackers then contacted the Mashhad Airport tower in northeastern Iran "to remind that the respite is nearing the end," IRNA said.

The doctor did not identify the women he treated or say what was wrong with them. He said he asked the hijackers to let the women leave the plane, but they refused, IRNA said.

According to a passenger list from the Kuwait Airways Boeing 747, they were the only women among the 87 hostages remaining after the release today of 24 female

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Skulls found

Man arrested on assault, sodomy charges

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — More than 200 photographs of bound, tortured men were found in the bedroom of a man whose house and yard yielded skulls and bone fragments after his arrest on assault and sodomy charges, police said.

Robert A. Bardella's \$500,000 bond was revoked Tuesday at a court hearing in which a police officer said one man, photographed bound and hanging from his ankles in Bardella's basement, appeared to be dead.

Bardella, 39, was arrested Saturday after a 22-year-old man wearing only a dog collar told police Saturday he had escaped from Bardella's home after four days of torture and

sexual assault.

Bardella was charged with seven counts of forcible sodomy and one count each of felonious restraint and first-degree assault.

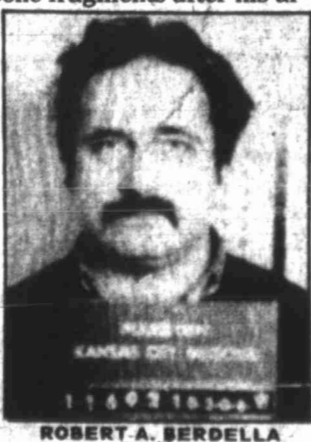
Authorities have searched Bardella's house and yard since his arrest, after the man apparently escaped from Bardella's three-story house by jumping from a second-story window and asked a neighbor to call police.

Michael Calderon, a neighbor, said Bardella told him about five years ago he was using his home as a halfway house for runaways and that young men often visited the house.

"I thought he was a father figure to those kids and I got adjusted to the fact that there were boys at his house," said Calderon.

Bardella also organized a neighborhood watch program after moving into the house on Charlotte Street, in a lower-middle class section of midtown Kansas City, about 16 years ago.

"He led us to believe he was a nice guy, a leader in the community," Calderon said. "He was very active and made us feel like second-class residents because we were not active."



ROBERT A. BERDELLA

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Vietnam will allow ex-prisoners to resettle

STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

The director of the Big Spring branch of the American Red Cross said Tuesday her organization will assist persons recently released by Vietnam.

The government of Vietnam will allow all prisoners freed from re-education camps to resettle in the United States, but only if they promise not to participate in future anti-communist activities, a senior official said.

"We are ready to let them go to the United States... but these people, when they go... they must refrain from doing anything against Vietnam," Nguyen Di Nien, a deputy foreign minister, told U.S. Sen. Larry Pressler.

In other news, U.S. military guards today reclaimed 27 remains believed to be those of Americans killed in the Vietnam War — the largest such repatriation since 1973.

The International Committee of the Red Cross has received a list from Vietnam containing the names of 975 prisoners released in February, said Marianne Brown, director of the Big Spring Red Cross chapter.

"If any families have questions, or wish confirmation of the person's identity, they should come by the Red Cross office to pick up the necessary forms," Brown said.

Once the forms are completed, they will be forwarded to the Red Cross Tracing Service, which will respond to the request, she added.

The Big Spring Red Cross office is located at 110 N.E. Eighth St.

Nien on Tuesday said there were no barriers in principle to the resettlement of the former prisoners but a U.S. official must come to Hanoi to negotiate the program. He said only technical details need to be worked out.

Nien did not specify how many Vietnamese might be involved in the resettlement program. Pressler, a South Dakota Republican, arrived Tuesday in Vietnam to discuss the fate of 1,767 Americans missing in action from the Vietnam War.

Communist North Vietnam defeated the U.S.-backed government in South Vietnam in April 1975.

U.S. Secretary of State George P. Shultz said in 1984 the United States would take all officials from the former Saigon government held in the political re-education camps established by the communists after they seized power.

Since then, Vietnam appears to have wavered somewhat on its offer.

The United States has been trying to resettle the former prisoners under its Orderly Departure Program.

Fraser responds to charge

Troy Fraser, Republican candidate for state representative in District 69, said that "Rep. Larry Don Shaw knows he is vulnerable, and that Shaw is running scared in his bid for re-election."

Fraser's comments were prompted by a Monday account of Shaw's charges — in an Associated Press report — that Fraser, among other legislative contenders, had broken an "unwritten rule" of Texas politics by employing former legislative aides on their campaign staff.

"Now it's a rule with me that when I hire staff, they can't work in legislative campaigns," Shaw said.

"It's obvious from his comments that Shaw is throwing up a smoke screen to keep from talking about his record," Fraser said. "I understand his feelings, because anyone who would vote for the largest state tax increase in United States history has good reason to be ashamed."

"Shaw's record shows he has abandoned West Texas by voting with the big city liberals. His tax and spend attitude is by far the greatest difference between us."

Fraser said that he hired a former legislative aide to work on his campaign, because "Who knows more about a member's voting record than someone who has watched him vote on a day-to-day basis?"

"The comment was made that nobody knows a member's record better than a legislative aide," Fraser said. "I believe this, and it is why I say that Shaw no longer can hide from us what he does in Austin."

"This is a tough enough business without House members providing a place for the gunslingers to roost between campaigns," Shaw added. "It's hard enough to get anything done in the Legislature without having little hit men scattered throughout the process."

Fraser said that because Shaw is falling back on some vague Austin rule, it shows that he does what he is told by the liberal leaders in the House.

"The liberal leaders in Austin know they are extremely vulnerable this year because of the tax bill," Fraser said. "That is why they tell members like Shaw to talk about anything, but stay away from their voting record."

"I will continue to talk about Shaw's record, because it's the best way to show the people of West Texas that he has abandoned us."



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Relaxation

Waiting for her bus to arrive, seven-year old Tina Hinojosa, daughter of Filiberto and Elsie Hinojosa, finds a window frame at Stanton Elementary School the perfect place to relax after a day of school Tuesday afternoon.

Hijackers

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passengers and flight attendants.

The Kuwaiti Cabinet called the hijackers' demands "blackmail," and it sent a team to Iran to negotiate with the hijackers after meeting in emergency session under Crown Prince Sheikh Saad al-Abdullah Al-Sabah.

The team, made up of an unspecified number of foreign ministry officials and some physi-

cians, arrived in Mashhad this afternoon, IRNA reported.

The U.S. State Department said it believed there were no Americans aboard the jet, which was commandeered Tuesday en route to Kuwait from Bangkok and forced to land in Iran. The hijackers have threatened to blow up the plane.

One man still aboard the plane

Detective

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said.

That was when a female truck driver claimed to have spotted Christie at an Ontario, Calif. truckstop in the company of a large woman, man and other children.

The female truck driver — who has undergone hypnosis twice — is "adamant" that it was Christie she spotted, Brown said, adding that his entire investigation is based on that sighting.

"We've had numerous leads about the fat lady," he said of the woman who Christie was spotted with. "I must've talked to every fat lady in the U.S."

The search for this mysterious "fat lady" has taken several false turns in the ensuing months since the Ontario sighting, Brown said.

A woman matching the truck driver's description — in the company of children — was spotted in Phoenix, Ariz., and tracked to Los Angeles. A search by police, however, failed to find any trace of the Proctor girl, Brown noted.

Another false lead pertained to another woman matching the description — this time an escaped Colorado mental patient with a history of child abduction.

"I don't know how many times I've been disappointed," Brown said of the false leads. "But one of these days, I'm going to uncover the right rock, and bring Christie home to her mother."

As serious as the investigation has been, it has had its lighter moments, he noted.

Brown recalled the time he was contacted by a man who claimed he could locate people by attaching their photograph to a divining rod. The man then told Brown that Christie could be located in San Antonio.

"I asked him how long he had been doing this," Brown said. "He said, 'This is the first time I've tried it.'"

"We get a lot of those kind of things," he continued. "The phone is constantly ringing about Christie."

The main thrust of the case now centers on a Satanic worship and pornography cult in California. Brown said three children have been rescued from the group to date. One of the children — a 16-year-old male — identified Christie among the captives of the group.

Brown stressed, however, that the young man's identification was dubious, since he was "strung out" on drugs at the time of his rescue.

The detective conceded that there are several unanswered questions to Christie's disappearance. While he believes the "fat lady" had nothing to do with the girl's abduction, he is unsure how she might have come in contact with Christie.

Another question that nags at him is why — over the course of two years — Christie has not made an attempt to contact her mother or grandparents, if she is still alive.

He noted, however, that her kidnappers could be using drugs or threats to maintain her silence.

But despite the unanswered questions — and the false leads and sightings — Brown maintains his belief that Christie is still alive.

"I feel like something is about to happen (in the case)," he said. "I am convinced that she is still alive."

Concho snake

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from records begun last year when Thornton and his crews began to "P-I-T" the snakes — that is, implant each snake they caught with a passive integrated transponder.

The PIT can then be read by passing the snake beneath a "wand reader," which detects the presence of the device. Because the devices are transponders, however, detection of the signals is not easy.

During a March 15 demonstration of the equipment, Thornton said the transponder must be brought directly beneath the wand at a proper angle and at a distance of no more than two to three inches for the wand to read its signal. The devices do not transmit a signal, he said.

Adult water snakes receive the implants — placed with an ordinary veterinarian's syringe and needle — in the tail section, while juveniles are implanted within the body cavity, Thornton said.

"You have to handle them differently because of

their size," he explained. Information about the snake is recorded at the time of implantation, and each PIT carries an alphanumeric code that can be read by the wand.

"It's like having a license plate for each individual snake," Thornton explained.

Once a snake has been implanted, its size, weight and location are recorded. Then, when it is subsequently captured and the PIT code read, the same information is recorded and comparisons made.

Thornton said the study, which has been funded for 10 years by the water district, breaks new ground because it is the first such study done on a water snake.

"What we're learning here, the information we're gathering, could be used years from now in the management of a species," the biologist said.

"What the water district is doing in funding this study is outstanding in that it is the first study of its kind — ever."

Oil/Markets

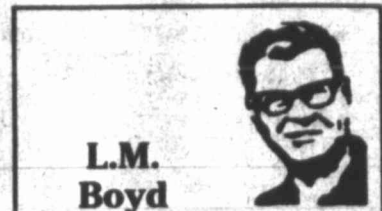
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Chevron	45 1/2	Exxon	41 1/2	- 1/4	U.S. Government guaranteed securities fund	13.90-14.65	
Chrysler	23 1/2	Texas Instruments	46 1/2	+ 1/2	Gold	449.50-450.00	
DuPont	15 1/2	Texas Utilities	26	nc	Silver	6.56-6.59	
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Reassuring news at roundup time

It's 300 times more likely you'll be murdered by a human than bitten by a poisonous snake.

Q. What does the traditional woman of India wear under her sari?

A. A sort of vest that doesn't cover the waist. And a long halfslip that ties with drawstrings. Remarkable costume, the sari. Takes 6,000 silkworms to make one.



Q. In a heavy sea, how deep would a diver have to go to get to calm water?
A. About 60 feet.

Jury finds for physician

HERALD STAFF REPORT

A Howard County jury determined Wednesday that Carroll Moore, MD, had not committed malpractice during a 1982 operation on Gwendolyn Fair in connection with a gunshot wound.

Fair had filed suit against Moore seeking \$100,000. The jury ruled that Fair was not entitled to remuneration.

A jury trial will begin at 1 p.m. today in the matter of the Elzie Jeannette Barnett estate.

In other court activity:

• The State of Texas filed two suits March 25 for seizure of contraband against Larry Glenn James in connection with the arrests of James and Bonnie Jean Covert.

The first suit alleges that on March 16 Big Spring police discovered contraband items during a search of a 1978 Chevrolet four-door sedan believed being used in the transportation and sale of controlled substances.

The contraband items consisted of 10 \$1 bills, two \$5 bills and two \$20 bills found inside separate coin purses along with what are believed to be controlled substances, specifically methamphetamine

and marijuana, inside a purse belonging to Covert.

The state's suit seeks confiscation of the items, which have been sent to a Department of Public Safety crime laboratory for analysis and to determine whether traces of substances on the bills are in fact methamphetamine and marijuana.

The second suit alleges that when James, of Route 2, Box 180, and Covert, of 3901 Connally, were arrested James was in possession of a 1978 Chevrolet four-door sedan, vehicle identification number 69U8W141170, Texas license QZL800, registered to Steve Mundell, SC Route A Box 11.

The suit seeks confiscation of the automobile.

• Texas Employers' Insurance Association filed suit March 23 against Vandelio Yanez Garcia of 511 N.E. 10th St. The insurance company seeks to have a Texas Industrial Accident Board ruling set aside.

The board ruled Feb. 19 that Garcia was disabled and entitled to more than \$500 in compensation. Texas Employers' suit seeks to have the ruling declared invalid and void.

Permain Basin educators praise Sen. John Montford

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

In solving the problems of Texas, "you always come back to a basic thing — public education," State Sen. John T. Montford, Lubbock, told an area crowd at Howard College Tuesday.

The affair was arranged by Howard College to honor the senator for his efforts on behalf of education — and particularly higher education through Odessa, South Plains and Howard Colleges.

"When you give youngsters a good education, you give them the most important thing — opportunity," he declared. Montford said an effective educational system is a viable alternative to costly prison reforms and facilities.

"Improve education and you won't have to build bigger prisons," he added.

Phil Steegle, president of Odessa College, spoke for educators in appreciation of Sen. Montford, noting

that a friend told him when the senator first ran that he was "stubborn and a fighter."

"I've found these to be mighty good qualities when they are on your side," he said. Montford, he said, came to the rescue of the three two-year colleges in his district.

Rep. Jim Rudd, Brownfield, chairman of the house appropriations committee, said that with defeat of one senator and retirement of another, Sen. Montford — as new chairman of the finance and ways and means committee — is now "the most powerful man in the senate. All major legislation must have his blessing in order to get through."

Bob Riley, president of Howard College, presided over the dinner affair that attracted residents from Big Spring, Odessa, and Levelland, including Dr. Marvin Baker, president of South Plains College.

Sheriff's log

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Russell Lee Brooks, 30, Dallas, pleaded guilty in County Court to driving while intoxicated. He was fined \$400 plus court costs, and was sentenced to six months in jail, probated for two years.

• Vaudelia Garcia, 26, 508 W. Eighth St., was arrested in County Court after he was found to be in

contempt of court. He paid a \$100 fine and was released.

• Aubrey Watson Clendennen, 54, Abilene, was arrested on a Department of Public Safety warrant from Comanche County. He was released on \$400 bond.

• Billie Franklin Clendennen, 56, Abilene, was arrested on a charge of resisting arrest, and was released on \$500 bond.

Police beat

Two thefts and an act of vandalism were reported to Big Spring police Tuesday.

• Pearl Armstrong, Ackerly, reported the theft of a license plate from her vehicle.

• Patricia Campos, 2505 Barksdale St., reported the theft of a bicycle valued at \$60.

• Nathan Poss, 704 Mathews St., told police someone damage an antenna and an emblem on his vehicle.

Deaths

Leon Greenhill

Leon W. Greenhill, 75, of Big Spring, died Tuesday, April 5, 1988 in a local hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

W.D. Wilkins

LUBBOCK — W.D. Wilkins, 86, a former resident of Big Spring, died 8:14 p.m. Monday, April 4, 1988 in Lubbock Methodist Hospital after an illness.

Services will be 11 a.m. Thursday Ford Memorial Chapel in the First Baptist Church in Lubbock, with Rev. John Ballard, assistant pastor, Rev. T. Bolding, retired Baptist minister, officiating, and Rev. David Wright, and Tom

Wilkins, assisting. Burial will be Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 9, 1901 in Bowie. He moved to Paducah as child with his parents in 1903. He established himself in business at the age 12 and had been in business ever since. He owned and operated several businesses in Lubbock and throughout the South Plains. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Lubbock.

He and his wife Lula Mae lived in Big Spring for many years and owned Wright's Pharmacy. He is survived by his wife, Lula Mae; two sons, Barry, and T.O.; two daughters, Mrs. W.C. Warren, all of Lubbock; and Mrs. Bruce Wright, Arlington; 14 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

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Hispanic leaders forge national platform

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hispanic leaders say they are setting aside their cultural and regional differences this presidential election year, hoping unity will help them leverage priority billing in the Democratic and Republican party platforms.

"We're willing to sit in a room and have all of the sub-ethnic groups in the Hispanic areas reach a consensus on issues that mutually affect us. At least we've got a dialogue and communication with each other," said Al Zapanta of Dallas, director of government affairs for ARCO Oil and Gas Co.

Former New Mexico Gov. Toney Anaya says Hispanics representing various countries of origin couldn't even agree 20 years ago on what to call themselves.

"We've moved beyond that," he said Tuesday at the National Hispanic Leadership Conference. "It's an evolving process."

The NHL, which meets during presidential election years and represents 21 national organizations, drew Hispanic leaders from across the country to Washington this week to draft a national agenda.

The gathering "dispels the myth that Hispanics are not unified," said Pablo Sedillo, NHL chairman.

"Cubans, Puerto Ricans, Mexican-Americans, Central and South Americans are participating, Democrats and Republicans, conservatives and liberals. We're proving we can come together and we are going to make a difference," Sedillo said.

More than 300 delegates attending the conference were scheduled to vote today on an agenda leaders hope will be included in the Democratic and GOP platforms.

"The issues that are going to be recognized and come out of this

conference will speak very clearly and concretely as to what a presidential candidate should be doing to represent the needs of Hispanics — education, employment, housing, civil rights, health," said Sedillo of Santa Fe, N.M.

"We are arriving at a consensus statement that will be very strong," Anaya said. "It supports all the Hispanics — regardless of their country of origin."

In its draft agenda, the NHL recommends education reforms to stem the high school dropout rate — only 50.9 percent of Hispanics complete high school compared with 77.7 percent of the general population; a Hispanic be appointed to the U.S. Supreme Court; massive government spending on employment and training; better opportunities for Hispanics to fill upper-echelon positions in education, government and business;

and enhanced access to health care and affordable housing.

The draft also seeks a one-year extension for undocumented aliens to apply for amnesty and for the president to immediately suspend the deportation of Salvadoran and Nicaraguan nationals from the United States.

"If I had to single out any one thing that would be it — to keep our youth in school," Zapanta said.

"We have to educate them so they can take their rightful position in society," he added. "We keep filling the bottom rung, but they're not moving up."

Employment, housing and health are also high on the agenda for many of the leaders, concerned about the poverty and living conditions of many Hispanics.

More than 3.5 million Hispanics are expected to vote in November's general election, according to the NHL.



Associated Press photo

SAN ANTONIO — Anthony C. Scott removes paint from a statue of Dr. Martin Luther King Monday night. The paint was thrown by a white man on the anniversary of his death. In Dallas three black leaders were threatened before a march in honor of King.

Black leaders threatened; vandals deface King statue

By The Associated Press

Police have stepped up security for three black Dallas leaders after a caller threatened to kill them on the 20th anniversary of the Rev. Martin Luther King's assassination, officials said.

And in San Antonio, a black minister Tuesday preached forgiveness for vandals who threw white paint on a statue of King.

In Dallas, a television news station received a call from a woman who threatened to kill Dallas County Commissioner John Wiley Price, Deputy Mayor Pro Tem Diane Ragsdale and City Council member Al Lipscomb.

Police warned the three elected officials to skip a march Monday night through south Dallas in memory of King.

But the three completed the march without incident amid tight security provided by the police and a Black Muslim mosque.

The three said that threatening calls and letters are fairly routine, but have intensified over the past few months as they have pushed for police reforms and complained of racial polarization.

The Monday night threat is "just indicative of the sickness that ex-

ists," said Ms. Ragsdale.

In San Antonio, the Rev. R.A. Callies said King's memory could best be served by forgiving those who defaced the statue on Monday.

"I thought about a lot of things. Here's a man, Dr. King, who believed in non-violence. He was willing to forgive his persecutors. I feel the same way. I wouldn't want to file charges," he said. "I'd rather be like Christ and Dr. King and forgive them, whether they be black or white, and maybe through that forgiveness, turn them around."

Three suspects, described by police as Anglo males, drove up to Martin Luther King plaza about 11:30 p.m. One got out and ran toward the statue with a bucket of paint, which he splashed across the statue's foot, part of its robe and the pedestal.

The man then fired a handgun into the air several times before dropping the bucket and jumping back into the car. No one was injured.

It cost the city less than \$100 to remove the paint Tuesday morning, said Don Maddox, assistant director of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Charges dropped for one

SAN DIEGO (AP) — A Duval County prosecutor says charges against one of 11 defendants in an alleged gang rape case will be dismissed because of a case of mistaken identity.

Charges against Adolfo Quintanilla Jr., 28, of San Diego, will be dismissed because the victim had confused Quintanilla with another man charged in the case and had misidentified him, Assistant District Attorney Rodolfo V. Gutierrez said Tuesday.

A Duval County grand jury to begin hearing evidence in the case next week, Gutierrez said.

Additional investigation into the case has also implicated a 14-year-old boy, the prosecutor said.

The 19-year-old woman and witnesses said as many as 20 men may have been involved during a four-hour ordeal in which she was abducted in town then driven to two ranches where she was repeatedly attacked.

Gutierrez said Quintanilla asked

his office to contact the news media so that his name could be cleared.

"We're writing a letter to his employer that there are no charges against Mr. Quintanilla," he said.

A spokeswoman for Justice of the Peace Amado Garcia Jr. said Garcia's office received a motion from Gutierrez's office to dismiss charges against Quintanilla late Tuesday afternoon. Garcia is expected to sign the motion Wednesday, she said.

The woman who was attacked and witnesses to the incident identified the 14-year-old boy as one of the attackers, Gutierrez said.

Although the victim and witnesses did implicate the 14-year-old boy, his case has been referred to the county attorney's office since he is a juvenile, the prosecutor said.

Prosecutors say they will attempt to determine if they can get the court to certify the juvenile to stand trial as an adult.

Would-be murderers tell of failed attempts

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Admitted accomplices in a botched contract murder allegedly initiated by a Soldier of Fortune magazine advertisement said they tried three times to kill a man, but were unsuccessful.

Testimony began this week in the trial of Richard Michael Savage, 39, of Knoxville, Tenn., accused of masterminding a bungled murder-for-hire scheme.

An October 1986 indictment states that in response to Savage's "Gun for Hire" advertisement, a woman named Alice V. Brado hired

him to kill Colorado businessman Dana Free, a man she said bilked her out of her \$300,000 life savings.

The indictment names four other people, including Ms. Brado who pleaded guilty to paying Savage \$20,000 to arrange Free's death. She later died in prison.

Tuesday, William Clayton Buckley, also named in the indictment, testified that Savage hired him to do the job, and said the first time he tried to kill Free with hand grenades attached to the bottom of a car, the bombs did not ex-

plode as expected when the ignition was turned on.

Buckley said Free drove around the Atlanta, Ga., area for a couple of days with grenades dangling underneath his vehicle, until Buckley rewired the bombs.

Michael Wayne Jackson, former police chief in Tatum, Texas, testified Tuesday he met Savage in Atlanta after Savage answered an advertisement the former police chief placed in Soldier of Fortune, offering bodyguard and surveillance work.

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Opinion

No panicking about asbestos

In a recent study mandated by Congress, the Environmental Protection Agency estimated that 20 percent of the nation's 3.6 million offices, apartment houses, stores and other public and commercial buildings contain some asbestos that may be deteriorating.

Once it breaks down and gets into the air, asbestos can cause cancer. But EPA officials insist that there's no reason to panic. And in this instance, restraint is probably the right course for the government to choose.

When previous studies revealed that roughly one-third of the public schools in America are in a similar condition, Congress put together a \$3 billion inspection and cleanup program to crack down on the problem.

Now some legislators as well as representatives of the Service Employees International Union, whose members in the building maintenance trades are probably most at risk of exposure to asbestos, are demanding the same sort of action for all of these other things.

The problem with those calls to action isn't just the cost, although extending the current efforts in the schools to cover the other structures in the EPA's latest survey could cost upward of \$51 billion.

The real reason for restraint is that it remains to be seen whether the school cleanup program can be run efficiently.

Experience so far has revealed lots of problems. There's a shortage of trained inspectors and a serious need to improve the training and certification procedures for workers employed to remove asbestos.

Just pulling the stuff out of a building often makes things worse because, if it isn't done properly, asbestos fibers may linger in the air, thereby increasing asbestos exposure.

EPA suggests it would be better to keep the focus on the schools for the time being, to upgrade the opportunities for training of inspectors and removal specialists, and to step up the enforcement of existing regulations.

There's no question that breathing asbestos poses a threat to public health. But at the present time, there's no way of determining how serious the dangers really are or the safest way of dealing with them. Further experience with the schools should begin to provide some of the answers.

Quotes

"Well, they don't like my politics, so we finished a political trial; it's as simple as that." — Evan Mecham, after becoming the first U.S. governor in 59 years to be impeached and stripped of his office.

Mailbag

Citizen action is being urged

To the editor: The television presentation "Pornography: An American Tragedy" showed how concerned citizens can be involved in seeing that existing pornography and obscenity laws are enforced.

Dr. D. James Kennedy wants at least 100,000 people to express themselves through a questionnaire to be sent to the president of the U.S. These questionnaires can be obtained by request to: Dr. James Kennedy, Box 1, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 3302.

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Bush: Balancing loyalty and selfhood

On the right



By WILLIAM F. BUCKLEY JR.
Those of us who, following the caucus vote in Iowa, declared it too early to count George Bush out are compelled to emphasize various points now that Mr. Bush has all but secured the Republican nomination. And the principal point to make is that George Bush is publicly seen as being awfully boring.

Along with practically everyone else, I have reflected on what happens to vice presidents, most acutely having lived through the public decomposition of Hubert Humphrey. In 1968, Humphrey was widely scorned by the left intelligentsia for the sin of having kept company with Lyndon Johnson, who said intelligentsia loathed above all living creatures and most dead creatures.

But others, too, lost faith in him. It seemed impossible that this political springhead, this gusher of liberal idealism, of spontaneity and effervescence, should have acquired so flat a dimension. Would Winston Churchill have become a wallflower if he had been an American vice president?

There are those who tell you that not only is there an appearance of blanching among those who serve as vice president — it actually happens to you.

I doubt it is true and have evidence of it. The story, worth careful attention for reasons staid and wonderful, is this. On a particular day in the winter of 1970 I found myself seated at lunch next to Sen. Stuart Sym-

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ington. I asked him whether he had tuned in the night before on Walter Cronkite's CBS interview with former President Lyndon Johnson.

Not only had he done so, said Mr. Symington, he had done so in the company of Hubert Humphrey.

Oh? What, I asked — who would not have asked? — had been Hubert Humphrey's reaction to what LBJ had said about why Humphrey had lost the election to Richard Nixon? Johnson had said to Cronkite that Humphrey lost because of the speech he delivered in Denver, in which he expressed reservations about the way in which we had committed ourselves in Vietnam.

How did he take it? Sen. Symington howled. "Hubert said to me after the broadcast: Stu, I

really wish I was president right now. Because if I was, I would order a division of U.S. Marines to lift Cleopatra's Needle from London, fly it to Texas, and stick it up the — of Lyndon Johnson."

George Bush faces two problems: the first internal, the second external. Already the kind of forces that advised Thomas E. Dewey in 1948 to be bland (the most memorable sentence of Dewey's campaign: "The future lies before us") are at work on Bush, encouraging whatever it is within him that seeks out the prudent alternative.

The day before Super Tuesday, reporter David Hoffman of *The Washington Post* was writing of complaints from the field of Bush's somnolent appearances.

Hoffman described Mr. Bush in Springfield, Mo., reviewing

the World's Fishing Fair. Bush's only comment: "I'll tell you something. If this country ever loses its interest in sports or ever loses its interest in fishing, we got real trouble, and I don't think that's going to ever happen."

I mean, a couple of months of fishing fairs, and the people would vote for Ralph Nader.

George Bush has to turn whatever switches only he can turn within himself to permit to come out of hiding the personality that his old friends and acquaintances (I have known him since 1948) are familiar with.

The second release can only be sprung by Ronald Reagan.

There are broad alternative avenues open to a president in the years ahead, and Mr. Bush should on his own, for his own account, advise us which appeal to him the most. The most important question to answer is: How are we going to guard against the decomposition of our alliance in Europe?

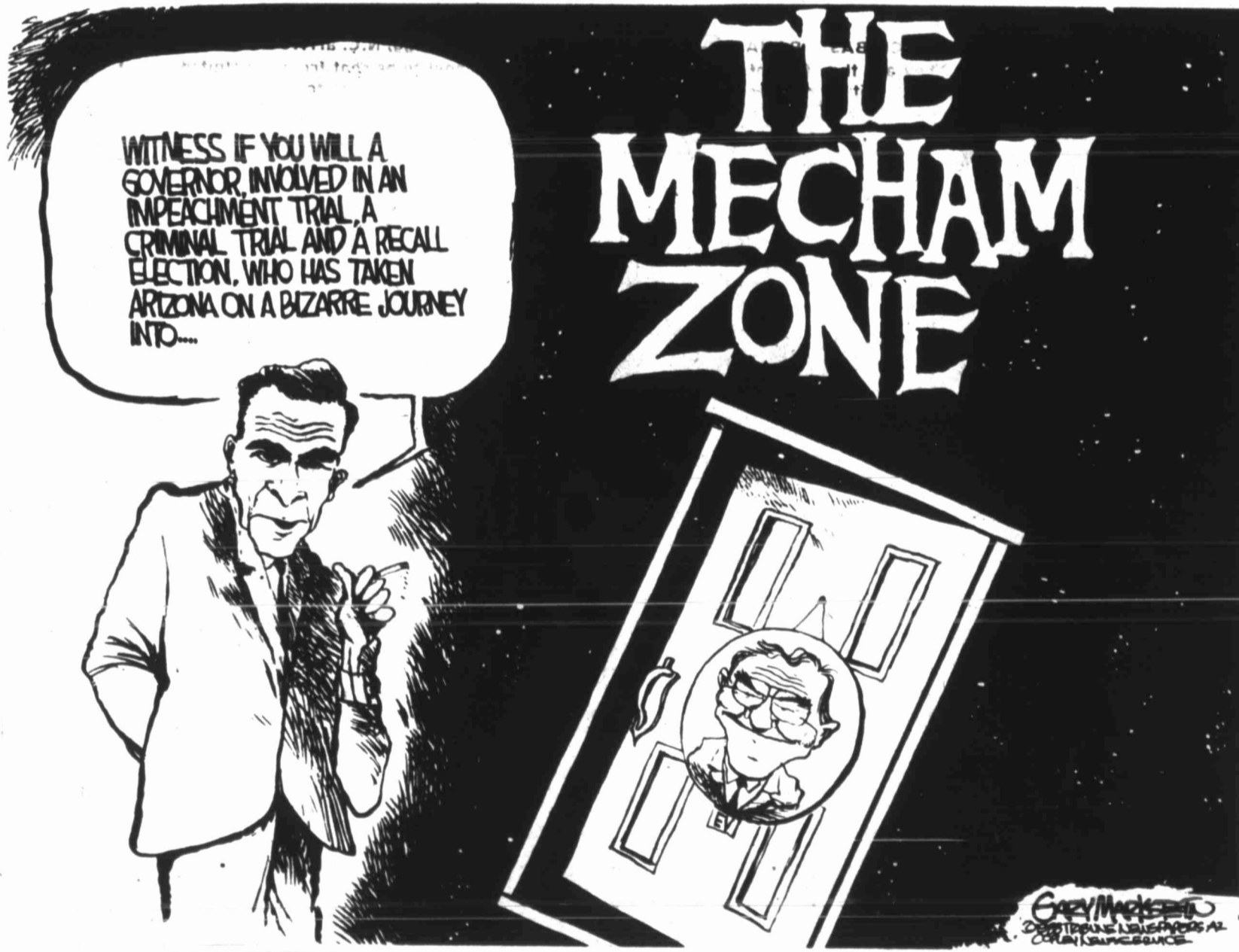
The second is: How are we going to cultivate the most valuable of all American resources, which is the latent vitality of conservative impulses to self-help, industry, patriotism, honor and the integrity of the family?

This is not to suggest that President Reagan will not be giving his own speeches, touching on these subjects. But Mr. Bush ought to be permitted to enunciate what distinctive policies he would pursue after his inauguration.

There should be a freshness of approach in these that attracts a following of its own and that energizes the enthusiasm of a somewhat reluctant conservative constituency.

Mr. Bush will never successfully compete with the Great Communicator. Accordingly, he should seek out a style of his own.

Witness if you will a governor involved in an impeachment trial, a criminal trial and a recall election. Who has taken Arizona on a bizarre journey into...



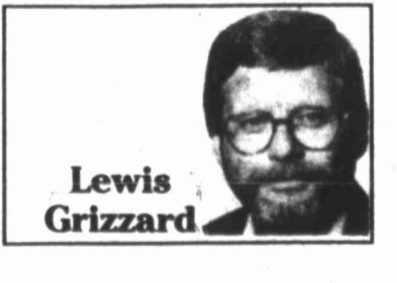
Suggested courses for today's youth

By LEWIS GRIZZARD
Education Secretary William Bennett decided a while back that high schools aren't tough enough academically and he has suggested that it might take some students five or six years to graduate, rather than the customary four.

Secretary Bennett suggests high school students take the following courses:
Four years of English; three years each of science, math and social studies, two years of a foreign language; two years of physical education; and one semester each of art history and music history.

The primary reason younger people don't trust older people is because older people sit around and try to figure out how to make life more difficult for younger people than it already is.

High school isn't tough enough? When you're 15 you're lucky just to be able to dress yourself each morning and locate the school.



Plus, there are all sorts of things to worry about as a teenager without some bureaucrat in Washington trying to put you through Harvard when you're barely housebroken.

You've got to worry about getting your driver's license, a date for the prom and tickets for the next heavy metal concert.

On top of that, your homeroom teacher has it in for you because your earring jingles during quiet period, your father is a narc and your face is covered with zits.

This is not to say there shouldn't be changes in our high schools. For

years I have called upon educators to revamp the curriculum to fit modern times and each student's particular interests and needs.

For instance they made me take algebra in high school.

"But I'm never going to use this," I pleaded.

"You never know," said my teacher.

I did know and I was right. I have been out of high school 24 years and not once has algebra come up.

Teaching kids to read and to write and to count a little is important, but high schools also should offer some practical courses that would help students as they join the adult world. I'd like to see a few of these courses taught:

• HOW TO GET UP IN THE MORNING WITHOUT YOUR MOTHER MAKING YOU. Self-motivation is something some people have to learn.

• DRESSING FOR SUCCESS. Law firms do not hire young men wearing earrings or young women

with orange hair.

• HOW TO SPEAK THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE. Like, you know, it's, like, important.

• HIGHWAY SANITY. Every time you get behind the wheel of a car, don't try to see how fast the car will go. The morgue is, like, a totally boring place.

• HOW TO DRINK SENSIBLY AND NOT THROW UP ON YOUR DATE. Very important if one is to improve socially.

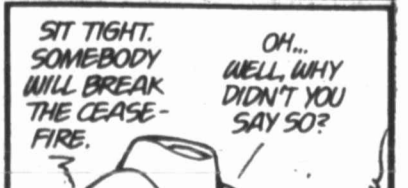
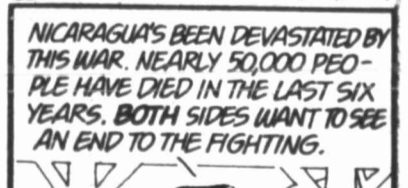
• ECONOMICS. Your parents are going to cut you off one of these days. Learn to cope with being in charge of your own survival.

• GETTING EVEN. Just hold on a few more years and you can get back at all the adults who made your life miserable by doing the same thing to your own kids.

Life isn't fair, my young friends, but it has its moments.

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BY GARRY TRUDEAU



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Meese to fill key post

WASHINGTON (AP) — Attorney General Edwin Meese III is trying to fill a key Justice Department post left vacant by a protest resignation, after settling for his second choice for the department's No. 2 post.

Meese announced Tuesday that he is recommending former American Bar Association president John C. Shepherd for the No. 2 job. He also said he has chosen Treasury Department enforcement chief Francis A. Keating for the department's No. 3 position, which had opened before six protest resignations rocked the department last week.

Still unfilled is the job of head of the department's criminal division.

The choices announced Tuesday drew support from the ranking Republican on the Senate Judiciary Committee, Sen. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina last week had conveyed congressional concern to Meese over problems at the Justice Department.

Mofford changes staff

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Democrat Rose Mofford, who began her government career 47 years ago as a secretary, was sworn in as Arizona's first female governor, saying she's proud of her new job but sad about how she got it.

Mrs. Mofford, 65, widely known as "Auntie Rose," commenced her term with wholesale housecleaning of the administration of Evan Mecham, the elected Republican governor convicted and removed from office Monday by a Senate court of impeachment.

She ordered Mecham's personal staff of about 20 off the payroll as of April 15, withdrew the names of 45 Mecham appointees from Senate consideration for now and said she would review agency chiefs to see who would stay.

Mrs. Mofford, who had been acting governor since Feb. 5, also promised to sign a tax increase, a policy opposed by the Mecham administration, but did not know how large it would be.

Woman kills family

LOS CHAVEZ, N.M. (AP) — A woman fatally shot her husband and three of their children, then waited a day before killing herself, because she feared financial problems would break up her family, police said.

"She asked that she be forgiven for her sins," said Valencia County Undersheriff Bill Roach, quoting from one of two notes left by Jacqueline Fuson.

The bodies of Mrs. Fuson, 38, her husband, Thomas A. Fuson, 45; Johnny R. Fuson, 18; Mamie Jolene Fuson, 12, and Amanda Fuson, 10, were discovered Tuesday at their home in this rural community 25 miles south of Albuquerque.

Capt. Ray Flores of the sheriff's department said a note to her son Charlie talked about the problems the family had endured. "She said the family was having a tremendous financial burden," Flores said. "She said the father required an operation and the family didn't have the money to pay for it."

Accidental death

Jumper forgets chute, dies

LOUISBURG, N.C. (AP) — A tired parachutist's fatigue and his preoccupation with videotaping other jumpers could have led him to leap from a plane without a chute, plummeting 10,500 feet to his death, an acquaintance says.

The death Saturday of Ivan Lester McGuire was accidental, although "a man who has jumped 800 times ought to remember his parachute," Franklin County Sheriff's Capt. Ralph Brown said Tuesday.

There are no indications of foul play or suicide, and blood tests indicating whether drugs or alcohol were present in his system should be available next week, Brown said.

McGuire, 35, was carrying a video camera mounted on his helmet and was filming an instructor and a student at Franklin County Sports Parachute Center. The videotape was mangled in the crash, but salvaged by investigators.

The videotape showed that McGuire jumped from the airplane and the jump was going smoothly until the parachutes worn by the instructor and the student deployed and McGuire hurtled below them.

"It kind of appears he reached for his parachute and didn't have one," Brown said. "You could only see the instructor and the student falling on the video. But the release for his parachute is on his right hip, and when that right hand goes down, the left hand comes forward and it comes into camera view."



Associated Press photo

Troops arrive

HOWARD AIR FORCE BASE, PANAMA — Military police from Fort Bragg, N.C. arrive from Pope AFB Tuesday. They are the first of 1,300 additional military personnel to be sent from the United States to enhance security for Americans in Panama. The arrivals will bring the total number of military personnel to 11,800. Panama is suffering from a month-long political and economic crisis, the worst in its history.

World

Police find cocaine

MONTERREY, Mexico (AP) — Federal judicial police arrested nine people and confiscated 805 pounds of cocaine in the northern border state of Nuevo Leon.

Regino Vargas Gonzalez, a local representative of the Federal Attorney General's Office, said on Tuesday that three of the arrests were made at a clandestine airstrip 70 miles east of this state capital.

"We have never confiscated so much cocaine in this state," he said of the action, which occurred last week but was not announced until Tuesday.

Vargas said the drug gang was planning to send the plane and its cargo to Houston. One of the nine arrested was a Colombian woman and a Colombian man still is being sought, he said.

He said that the rest of the arrests were made in Monterrey and in the town of Villa de Santiago, 60 miles south of the state capital.

Girl fatally injured

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party expressed sympathy for the family and friends of a 15-year-old girl in the border city of Ciudad Juarez who was fatally injured by a stone thrown at a motorcade for a rival presidential candidate.

"The Institutional Revolutionary Party believes it is necessary to reiterate that it has lamented deeply the death of the young girl during the carrying out of political activities last Sunday, March 20, in Ciudad Juarez ... and has expressed its condolences to her parents, siblings and friends," said the statement, which was released Tuesday.

It said the statement was being issued because of what it called "painful and irresponsible statements made" by Manuel Clouthier, candidate of the opposition National Action Party.

Clouthier shifted his campaign schedule and attended the funeral last week of Maria Teresa Ramirez Aguilar, who died March 27 of the injuries suffered the previous week.

Palestinians killed

JERUSALEM (AP) — Two Palestinians were shot and killed today in a clash with Israelis in the occupied West Bank, hospital officials said, and troops took over Arab homes for 10 days for use in army maneuvers.

The Palestinians, identified by hospital officials as Mousa Saleh Abu Shamsheh, 20, and Hatem Fayed Al Jabr, 22, died in a clash with Jewish settlers while working in their fields at Beita, Arab reports said.

Both were shot in the head during a clash at Beita, a village near Nablus, officials at Al Itihad Hospital said. They said two other Palestinians were seriously wounded. The circumstances of the clash were not immediately clear and the army said it was checking the report.

Before today, 138 Palestinians had been killed by Israelis in four months of unrest in the territories occupied by Israel in the 1967 Middle East War, according to U.N. figures. One Israeli soldier also was killed.



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Food

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Recipe ideas for all those Easter eggs



By LYNN HAYES
Staff Writer

Egg Salad Week began Monday and it couldn't have come at a better time of year. Dedicated to all the delicious uses for Easter eggs that have been cooked, colored, hidden and found, the occasion is meant to be fun for everyone.

And most of us wonder every year what to do with those leftover Easter eggs.

This week's Recipe Exchange features easy-to-prepare recipes using hard-boiled eggs.

ITALIANO RICOTTA DIP

The combination of low-fat ricotta cheese, Italian dressing and milk has fewer calories than comparable amounts of either sour cream or mayonnaise, especially if your use low-calorie dressing and low-fat milk. Surrounded by a colorful array of fresh vegetable dippers, this flavorful spread may help to keep your favorite couch potato from developing "sofa spread."

4 hard-cooked eggs, finely chopped
1/2 cup (4 oz.) low-fat ricotta cheese
3 tbs. bottled Italian dressing
3 tbs. minced green onions with tops
2 tbs. grated Parmesan cheese
2 tsp. milk
1/2 tsp. garlic salt
Fresh vegetable dippers
In medium bowl, stir together all ingredients, except vegetable dippers, until well blended. Cover and chill to blend flavors. Serve with fresh vegetable dippers.

CALIFORNIA EGG SALAD

Sometimes simplicity is the utmost in elegance. This easy-to-make salad is composed of just a few simple savory ingredients, yet is a delight to the eye as well as the palate. Treat yourself, family or friends with it tonight.

6 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
3/4 cup (6 oz.) low-fat cottage cheese
1/4 cup sliced drained pitted ripe olives (about 9 medium)
3/4 tsp. basil leaves, crushed
1/4 tsp. salt
6 tomatoes, cored
Romaine leaves, optional
Fresh basil leaves, optional
In medium bowl, lightly toss together all ingredients except tomatoes, romaine and fresh basil. Cover and chill to blend flavors. To serve, cut tomatoes into six sections almost to stem end. Place on serving plates lined with romaine leaves, if desired. Gently spread tomato sections apart. Fill each with about 3/4 cup of the egg salad. Garnish with basil leaves, if desired.

VEGGIE-GOOD EGG POCKETS

Need some nourishment before or after your workout? Jog on over to the nearest deli or supermarket salad bar for ready-cut carrots and spinach leaves. Add yogurt and other ingredients your probably have on hand, pop into pita halves, grab this on-the-go sandwich and head for the gym.

1/2 cup (4 oz.) plain low-fat yogurt
1 tbs. instant minced onion
1 tbs. lemon juice
1 tbs. prepared mustard
1/2 tsp. salt
6 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
4 cups chopped fresh spinach, or 1 package (10 oz.) chopped frozen spinach, thawed, drained, and pressed
1/2 cup finely chopped or shredded carrots
2 whole wheat pita breads, halved
In medium bowl, stir together yogurt, onion, lemon juice, mustard and salt. Stir in eggs, spinach and carrots until well com-

bined. Cover and chill to blend flavors. To serve, fill each pita half with about 1/2 cup of the egg salad.

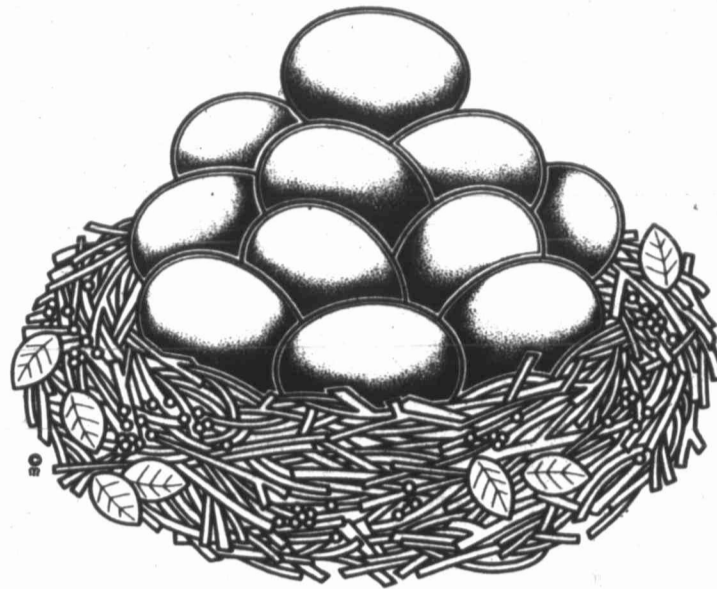
BROCCOLI SEASHELLS

For weekend cooking or any other time you want to serve something a bit more special than ordinary, it's a snap to add broccoli, shrimp, mushrooms and onions to your eggs. Lavished with a lemon and dill-spiked white sauce and served in pasta shells, this "egg salad" is gourmet the easy way.

6 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
1 package (10 oz.) frozen chopped broccoli, thawed, and drained, divided
1/2 cup (about 2 oz.) tiny frozen cooked shrimp, thawed and drained
1 can (2 oz.) sliced mushrooms, drained
1/4 cup minced green onions with tops
2 tbs. butter
2 tbs. flour
1 cup plus 2 tbs. milk, divided
1 1/2 tbs. lemon juice
2 tsp. dill weed
1/4 tsp. salt
8 large pasta shells, cooked and drained
Lemon and pepper seasoning, optional
Fresh dill sprigs, optional
In medium bowl, gently toss together eggs, 1/2 cup broccoli, shrimp, mushrooms and onions. Set aside. Spread remaining broccoli evenly across bottom of 11x7x1 1/2-inch baking dish or pan. In small saucepan over medium heat, melt butter. Blend in flour. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture is smooth and bubbly.

Stir in 1 cup of the milk, all at once. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture boils and is smooth and thickened. Remove from heat. Stir in lemon juice, dill weed and salt. Stir in 1/2 cup of the sauce into the egg mixture. Fill each pasta shell with a generous 1/2 cup of the egg salad. Nestle filled shells in broccoli.

Thin remaining sauce with remaining 2 tbs. milk. Drizzle over filled shells. Cover with aluminum foil. Bake in preheated 350 degree F. oven until heated through, 25 to 35 minutes. Remove foil. Sprinkle lightly with lemon and pepper



1 can (4 oz.) chopped green chiles
2 tsp. taco seasoning mix
1/4 tsp. salt
8 corn tortillas
1 cup (8 oz.) mild to medium taco sauce
Dairy sour cream, optional
In medium bowl, lightly toss all ingredients except tortillas, taco sauce and sour cream. Spoon 3/4 cup of the egg salad down center of each tortilla and roll up. Place seam-side down in 13x9x2-inch baking dish or pan. Drizzle with taco sauce. Bake in preheated 350 degree F. oven until heated through, about 15 minutes. Dollop with sour cream, if desired.

EGGS AND ASPARAGUS

2 1/2 pounds asparagus, or 2 packages (10 oz. each) frozen asparagus spears
6 hard-cooked eggs, sliced
2 tbs. butter or margarine
2 tbs. flour
1 1/2 cups half-and-half or milk
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. freshly ground black pepper
Pinch of cayenne
1/2 cup (2 oz.) grated sharp Cheddar
1/2 cup buttered fresh bread crumbs
2 tbs. freshly grated Parmesan
oven to 350 degrees F.
Gradually stir in the half-and-half and bring to a boil, stirring. Add salt, pepper, cayenne, and cheese. Stir until cheese melts. Pour over eggs and asparagus and sprinkle with the crumbs and

BEEF AND EGG SALAD WITH ONION DRESSING

For a more sophisticated salad, try this recipe. It provides colorful combination of ingredients with contrasting textures and tastes.
6 to 8 cooked beets, peeled and coarsely chopped
1 large onion, finely chopped
8 hard-boiled eggs, finely chopped
Mayonnaise
Tarragon
Greens
Chopped parsley
Combine the beets, onion and 3/4 of the egg. Bind with tarragon-flavored Mayonnaise (preferably homemade), and arrange in bowl bordered with greens. Decorate with chopped parsley and the remaining chopped egg.

EGGS AND MUSHROOMS IN TARRAGON CREAM

14 hard-cooked eggs
2 pounds mushrooms
10 tbs. butter
5 tbs. flour
1 1/2 cups chicken or mushroom broth
1 1/2 cups cream
3 egg yolks
1 to 2 tsp. dried tarragon or 1 1/2 tbs. finely chopped fresh tarragon
Slice the eggs. Sauté the mushrooms lightly in 6 tbs. butter, and keep warm while you make a cream sauce: Heat 4 tbs. butter in a saucepan, and add the flour. Cook over low heat for a minute, then add broth, stirring continuously, and the cream. Cook until sauce is slightly thickened, then add lightly beaten egg yolks, first beating a bit of the sauce to boil after the eggs have been added. Add the tarragon and salt and pepper, if necessary (the broth may provide enough seasoning). Place the eggs and mushrooms in the sauce, and serve in a chafing dish or tureen, garnish with chopped celery.

THE DEVIL'S EGG SALAD

In this recipe, the editors of Vegetarian Times Cookbook offer a spiced-up version of egg salad, which is prepared in a blender or food processor.
8 hard-cooked eggs, shelled and sliced
Salt to taste
5 tbs. mayonnaise
1 tsp. paprika
1 tbs. pickle relish
1 tsp. curry
1 tsp. ground black pepper
1/4 tsp. dry mustard powder
3 fresh parsley sprigs
In blender or food processor, blend eggs and seasonings until smooth. Keep refrigerated until ready to use. To serve, spread egg salad thickly on whole-grain bread, pita, or bagel. This can also be eaten as an open-faced sandwich. Garnish with tomato slices, sprouts, and lettuce. For the calorie conscious, omit the bread and serve on beds of lettuce with sprouts and tomato. Serves four.

Dusting of paprika
2 tbs. minced parsley and chives or other fresh herbs, optional
Chop the eggs into small dice. Stir them into the warm sauce and cook until very hot. Spoon over the toast and dust with paprika and/or fresh parsley and herbs.

Variations:
Carried Eggs — add 1 tbs. curry powder and, if you like, 1/2 cup peanuts to the egg sauce. Serve with chutney or raisins. Omit the paprika and parsley.

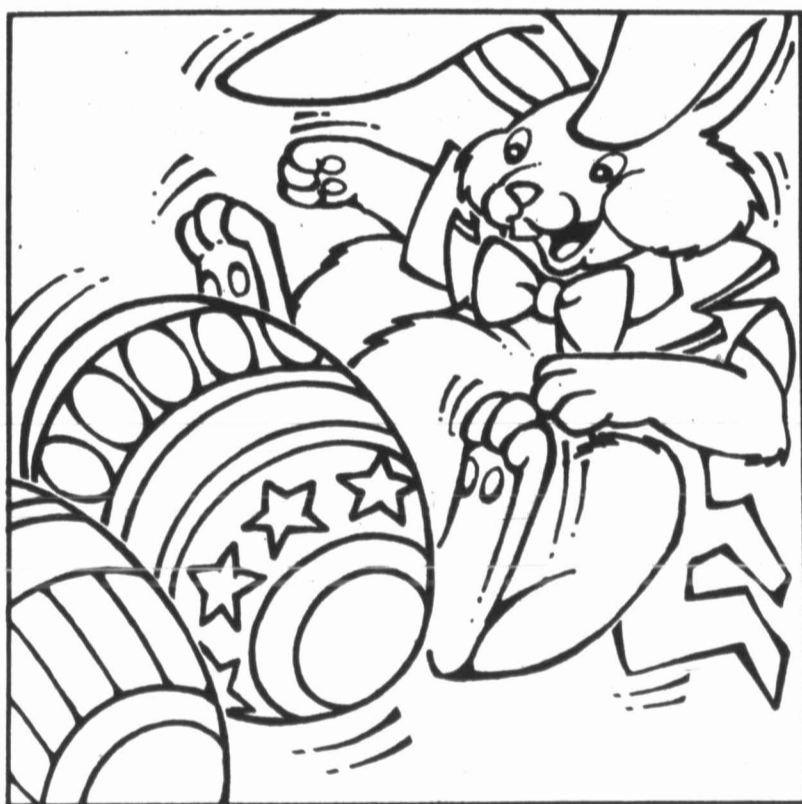
Goldenrod Eggs — sieve and set aside the egg yolks. Chop and add only the whites to the sauce. To serve, spoon the sauce over toast and garnish with sieved yolks. Omit paprika and use parsley and herbs if you wish.

CREAM SAUCE

2 tbs. butter
3 tbs. flour
1 cup milk, heated
Salt
Freshly ground pepper
Melt the butter in a heavy-bottomed saucepan. Stir in the flour and cook, stirring constantly, until the paste cooks and bubbles a bit, but don't let it brown — about 2 minutes. Add the hot milk, continuing to stir as the sauce thickens. Bring to a boil. Add salt and pepper to taste, lower the heat, and cook, stirring, for 2-3 minutes more. Remove from the heat. You may cool this sauce for later use; in that case, cover it with wax paper or pour a film of milk over it to prevent a skin from forming.

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seasoning and garnish with dill sprigs, if desired.

GOLDEN ENCHILADAS

Add a little or a lot of spice to your life. Vary the amount of taco seasoning and choose the intensity of taco sauce to suit your taste buds' tolerance for hotness. The mild version as written makes a nice dish for any hurried (or hurried) chef to serve the family — fast.

8 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
1 can (8 3/4 oz.) cream style corn
3/4 shredded Cheddar or Monterey Jack cheese

Break the asparagus stalks where the white part meets the green and wash well. Drain. Heat 2 to 3 inches salted water in the bottom of a double boiler. Set the stalks into the boiling water, tips up, and cover with the double boiler insert, or cook in a skillet. Boil until crisp-tender, about 5 minutes. Drain and rinse under cold water. Cook frozen asparagus according to package directions until crisp-tender.

Place spears in a greased shallow baking dish. Arrange egg slices on top. In a small saucepan melt the butter and blend in the flour. Cook 2 minutes. Preheat

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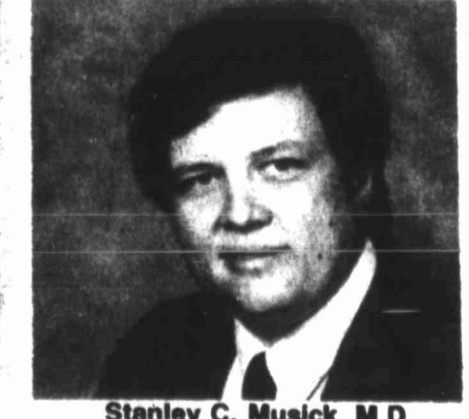
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This branch of medicine deals with the female reproductive organs, pregnancy, labor and delivery. Dr. Musick is certified in Laser Surgery. His special interest is infertility. Dr. Musick offers epidural deliveries and a wide variety of Gynecology surgeries.

Dr. Musick joined Malone and Hogan Clinic in February of 1988. His hobbies include flying and horses. Snyder is considered as his home town. Malone & Hogan Clinic is pleased to welcome Dr. Musick and his family to Big Spring.

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Student and teacher pair up to make rap cassette

FREEPORT, Texas (AP) — They are an unlikely pair — a red-haired, freckle-faced kid dressed in a plaid button-down and Topsiders, coupled with a full-fledged adult wearing hightops and a bright yellow Swatch. They have a common bond — they love to rap and they make beautiful music together.

Some may not think it's so beautiful, but the dynamic duo who call themselves Def Squad are confident that the music they make appeals to their peers at Brazosport High School. Sophomore Kenny Bomer and coach Norris Burse are so certain of their musical abilities that they joined forces to record a cassette tape of rap music aimed to please students, teachers and everyone else.

Burse, 31, a Freeport native who attended Brazosport High School and has coached there for seven years, says music is a big part of his life and everyone who knows him knows it. A disc jockey for Texas Southern University's campus radio station for three years, he moonlighted at local teen nightclubs and now spins discs at school dances.

Bomer, a junior varsity football player, loves to rap. He and two friends wanted to make an album and sought help from Burse. Impressed, Burse decided to team up with the 16-year-old to make a recording of their own.

The pair have been working in a Richwood recording studio for the



FREEPORT — High school coach Norris Burse, 31, left, and sophomore Kenny Bomer, 16, began cutting an album together as the group "Def Squad" when they discovered a common bond, rap music. Burse, a former college disc jockey, was impressed with a "white boy gettin' off hard," (rap slang for a young man who sings well). "Def" means "awfully, sinfully, good" in rap terms.

past a month and a half. Burse collaborates with Bomer to write lyrics to such songs as "Dog and the Ax," "Kingdom of Rhymes"

and "Hard Hitting." Burse mixes scratches and cuts in samples of other recordings while the pair raps to the beat of a

drum machine in the studio. The duo say they pattern their style after rap masters Run D.M.C. "It hasn't been out of intent to

copy them," Burse says, "we use them as a frame of reference."

"We listen to them for enthusiasm," Bomer says.

The trio's influence is apparent. Burse and Bomer agree that their recordings sound amazingly like Run D.M.C.

"I've heard our stuff and thought it was them," the coach says.

And Def Squad (def means "awfully, sinfully good" in rap lingo) believes they have a "def" chance of becoming a hit.

"I've heard worse stuff than we've done," Burse laughs as he tells how he's thrown bad tapes out of his car window.

"And it sells," Bomer adds in rhythm with his partner's speech.

Def Squad's tape is targeted at the high school crowd both students and teachers. Burse says he's had a lot of support from the coaching staff a group of guys who like music as much as himself.

"In the field house you can find music from the Fat Boys to Jerry Jeff Walker," Burse says as a student returns a large jam box to the coach. "We've played everything here."

And, although almost everyone at Brazosport High School knows about the pair's project, they say making the recording is something they do in their spare time for fun.

"I know other teachers in this school think it's a joke, but other people do other things for their pastimes," Burse says. "We try to make sure that what me and Kenny

are doing doesn't cross over into school time."

"Most of the kids know and they're waiting for it," Bomer says.

Def Squad says the recording will give the kids what they want something they can tap their feet to. Other than that, Bomer says for the most part the tunes basically are meaningless.

"It's just a sophisticated way to brag," Burse says.

"We're just talkin' about ourselves and how far we're gonna go," Bomer adds.

As for technique, Def Squad plays it by ear.

"As far as music on paper I don't know much about that," Burse admits, while Bomer says one cut, "We Rock Hard," sums up their style.

"That's what we do," he says.

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Class inventories waste in lunchroom

DEAR ABBY: I am a third-grader at Marion Street School in Lynbrook, N.Y. Our teacher, Mr. Freifeld, took the class down to the lunchroom to find out how many students threw out their lunches, because we talked about that letter in your column about how much they wasted in Arizona lunchrooms.

First we found out how many kinds ate in the lunchroom every day. There were 252. Then we looked in the garbage cans and counted the whole sandwiches that were thrown out. They were 39 untouched sandwiches, still in their wrappers. There were 30 half-sandwiches still wrapped. Peanut butter and jelly was thrown out the most!

We figured that almost one out of every four people threw away all or half their lunch. With people starving all over the world, that is a lot of food to waste. It was enough to make you sick.

We counted the drinks, too. We found 22 whole cartons of drink thrown out. Some were milk, but most were juice.

There was a whole pile of fruit — apples, oranges and bananas — that was thrown into the garbage. Good grapes, too.

Our class decided that maybe the parents should ask their kids what they want for lunch, then maybe the kids wouldn't throw out so much. Thank you.

CLAYTON COHN,
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DEAR CLAYTON: Thanks for reporting the results of your lunchroom investigation. And how lucky you are to have a teacher like Mr. Freifeld, who makes learning fun and memorable.

DEAR ABBY: I could have written the letter from the lady in Arizona who was appalled at the waste of food at the schools. My husband is also a custodian at an elementary school, and he sees good food thrown away every day. Once the food is served, if it's not eaten, it cannot be given away or

served again — it must be thrown into the garbage can. Untouched trays of lasagna, potato salad, fruit salad and jello molds are thrown away. Even unopened cartons of chocolate milk and orange juice that could be used the next day are thrown out.

By the way, it's the children who get free lunches who throw out most of the food, so it's our tax dollars that go into the garbage cans!

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I hope I don't sound terrible saying this, but we really don't want anyone to spend their money on some junky little gift that we can't use. We would rather have them put their money toward something important.

How should I word a message of this kind to send along in our wedding invitations?

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AIDS virus strengthens as progresses, says study

By PAUL RECER
AP Science Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A study at the University of California in San Francisco suggests that the AIDS virus gets tougher, meaner and faster-acting as patients with the immune deficiency disease get sicker, according to a report published today.

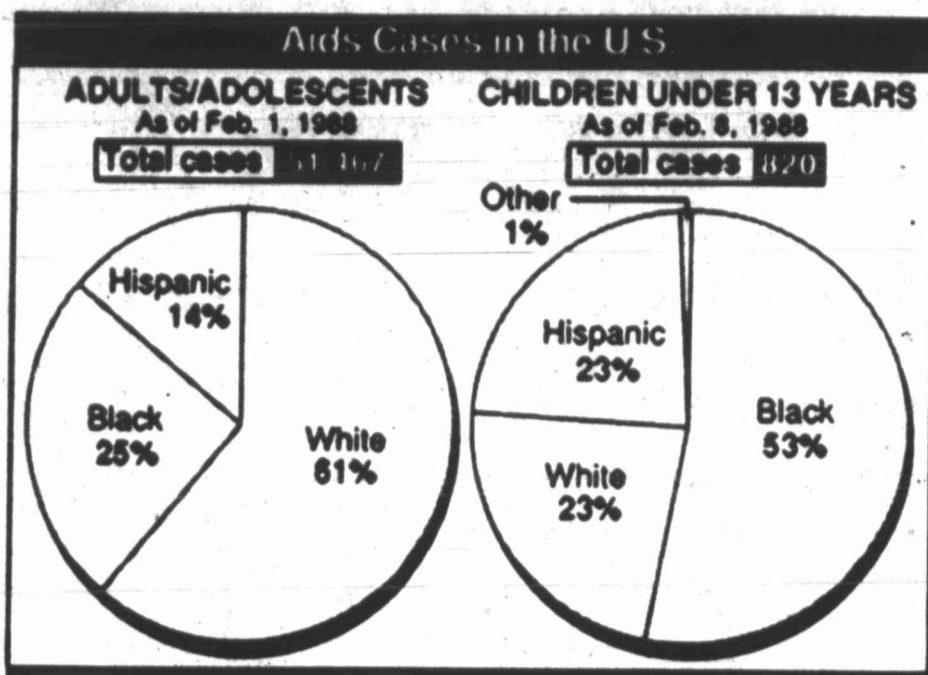
Dr. Jay A. Levy, professor of medicine at UCSF, said he and a group of researchers isolated the human immunodeficiency virus from four patients over a four-year period and discovered that the virus seems to go through an evolution that makes it stronger while the patient gets weaker.

"It's surprising," Levy said in an interview. "The virus doesn't just stay the same, but actually changes its biologic features. It looks like the same virus, but it's probably evolving within the individual."

Levy said the study used randomly selected patients who tested positive for the HIV virus associated with AIDS, but had not yet developed the disease. As the study progressed, three of the four subjects developed AIDS and two of these died. The fourth patient remains without AIDS symptoms.

In the three who developed AIDS, Levy said the HIV viruses isolated from their blood samples became more and more virulent as their symptoms intensified. Virulence was tested by exposing the isolated virus to cells in test tubes.

Levy said that when the subjects were experiencing the most severe AIDS symp-



toms, the HIV from their blood was able to multiply more readily, infect host cells more easily and would attack a greater variety of cells.

The virulence did not change, however, in the virus isolated periodically from the patient who remained free of AIDS symptoms, he said.

Levy said it is obvious that the virus must be able to reproduce, or replicate, in order to evolve this increasing virulence.

As a result, he said, if researchers can stop the virus from replicating, then it could be kept harmless, even though it continued to live within the patient.

"You wouldn't get rid of the virus... They are kept for the lifetime of the individual," said Levy. "They would just never become strong enough to cause disease."

The UCSF researchers now are searching for the HIV genes responsible for in-

creasing its virulence and its ability to replicate. If this gene can be isolated, said Levy, "then we can actually target some approach (such as a drug) of getting at the virus and arresting its replication."

Working with Levy in the research were Cecilia Cheng-Mayer, Deborah Seto and Dr. Masatoshi Tateno.

A report on the study was published today in Science, the journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

AIDS, or acquired immune deficiency syndrome, destroys lymphocytes, a key cell in the body's defenses against disease. Without this defense, patients develop infections or rare cancers that usually prove fatal.

The AIDS virus is spread through sexual contact or through the exchange of body fluids. It is most common among homosexual and bisexual men, and among drug users who have shared injection needles.

Since 1981, the Centers for Disease Control report a total of 57,575 AIDS cases in the United States. Of these, 32,190 have died. Nobody is known to have been cured of AIDS.

Other developments in AIDS research include:

- Researchers at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore report they have found that a protein essential for the replication of the HIV virus has a novel chemistry that may suggest a new approach to an AIDS drug.

Alan D. Frankel said he and his colleagues have discovered that molecules of an HIV protein called Tat are bound together by metal atoms. This, he said, opens the possibility of attacking the HIV virus by somehow blocking the binding of the metal atoms.

The research, which also is reported in Science, was conducted at Johns Hopkins by Frankel, David S. Bredt and Carl O. Pabo.

- The CDC, in a reversal of earlier recommendations, said Thursday that children infected with the AIDS virus should receive vaccinations against measles. Previously, the CDC had recommended against vaccination because the children's immune systems might be too weak to tolerate the live-virus measles vaccine.

Now, however, "It's felt that the benefit of getting the vaccine outweighs the risk," said Dr. Lauri Markowitz, a CDC measles specialist.

- In an effort to encourage voluntary AIDS testing, the Health Care Financing Administration is proposing changes in the record-keeping requirements of the nation's medical laboratories.

Under the proposed rules, published Thursday in the Federal Register, laboratories that come under federal jurisdiction would no longer be required to maintain the names of most people tested for AIDS.

Teflon After 50 years, still pretty slick

NEW YORK (AP) — It's been slipped into everything from frying pans to space suits to the nation's political vernacular, and now Teflon, still the slickest solid on Earth, is sliding into its second half-century.

Discovered accidentally April 6, 1938, by a young chemist named Roy J. Plunkett, the waxy white plastic turns 50 this week, still dominating dozens of scientific and consumer uses with no hint of a higher-tech replacement.

It keeps the eggs from sticking to frying pans, for sure. But it also coats electrical wires, chemical tanks, jogging suits and lightbulbs. It's used to patch human hearts. It keeps the Statue of Liberty from rusting.

"The applications, as far as I can tell, are no smaller than our imaginations," says Plunkett, now a septuagenarian retiree from the Du Pont chemical company. "I'm amazed at the impact. And there's more to go."

The reason for Teflon's endurance is simple: Nothing else is so slippery, so tough and such a good insulator, all at the same time. Even after five decades, "It is unique in these qualities," says professor Fred McGarry, a specialist in such materials at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

It's a discovery that almost slipped away. Plunkett, two years out of college, was working with refrigeration gases in a Du Pont lab in Deepwater, N.J., when

"There's nothing quite like it. It's pervasive in technical environments — all over the place, in a lot of really curious and diverse applications." — Lawrence English.

an assistant pulled a cylinder of Freon out of a dry ice storage bin, turned it on — and nothing came out.

Someone else might have assumed the cylinder had leaked and tossed it away. Plunkett didn't. He weighed the cylinder. He shook it. He cut it open.

"A white solid material was obtained, which was supposed to be a polymerized product" of the Freon compound, Plunkett recorded laconically in his lab notebook entry of 4-6-38.

Volla.
"People describe it as a lucky chance, a bit of serendipity or a flash of brilliance," says Plunkett, an inductee into the National Inventors Hall of Fame. "I like to think of it as a combination of all three."

The serendipity, he notes, extended beyond the discovery itself. It soon was found that the chance chemical reaction that produced Teflon can have unhappy consequences. "If there was any luck involved in the discovery," says Plunkett, "probably part of it was that we didn't get blown up."

Du Pont testers gradually established Teflon's extraordinary properties. It is "damn near inert," says McGarry; it won't react with chemicals or break down in the environment. It withstands temperatures from 400 degrees below zero to 500 degrees above.

Energy passes through it without heating it up. It holds together in a vacuum, meaning it's perfect for use in outer space.

Lawrence English, editor of Materials Engineering magazine, likens the impact of Teflon to that of the transistor. "There's nothing quite like it," he says. "It's pervasive in technical environments — all over the place, in a lot of really curious and diverse applications."

At the beginning, it was under wraps, restricted to government defense work from 1941, when Du Pont first was able to produce it, until 1948. It was used in the Manhattan Project for gaskets and vessel linings to contain a highly corrosive chemical needed in the production of the atom bomb.

It also coated wires in electronic devices, making them considerably fire resistant. Today, the greatest commercial use of Teflon is in wire coating, followed by gaskets and shaft seals and pipe and tank coatings.

Teflon didn't reach the public eye until May 1956, when a store in Nice, France, put the first Teflon-lined pan on its shelves. The idea stuck, and an estimated 500 million pots and pans coated with Teflon have been sold since.

It wasn't until 20 years later that Teflon moved from kitchen to clothes closet. Robert Gore, who was in the wire coating business, found that a piece of stretched Teflon has pores big enough to let water vapor out but too small to let water droplets in. He stuck it to fabric and called it Gore-Tex, the first waterproof-breathable clothing.

Teflon's next frontier was the language. That breakthrough came the morning of Aug. 2, 1983, as Pat Schroeder was cooking eggs for the kids. Schroeder happens to be a Democratic congresswoman, and as she slid the eggs out of a frying pan, she reflected on the way political accountability, in her view, slid off President Reagan.

"I said, 'He's just like this pan,'" she recalled last week. "Nothing sticks."

Members of Congress may start the day's session with one-minute speeches, and this is how Schroeder started hers that day: "Mr. Speaker, after carefully watching Ronald Reagan, he is attempting a great breakthrough in political technology — he has been perfecting the Teflon-coated presidency."

The phrase, picked up by the papers, caught on within weeks. "Americans love shorthand descriptions of things," reflects Schroeder. "The only problem was that it didn't work. Still nothing stuck to him."

Political efficacy aside, one outfit that didn't appreciate the publicity was Du Pont, which holds the Teflon trademark even though the patent on the formula has long expired.

"They were most unhappy. A guy came by my office from their corporate headquarters and kind of snarled and growled about it," even threatening a copyright infringement lawsuit if she kept using the phrase, Schroeder says.

But when it comes to Teflon, there hasn't been much else for Du Pont to snarl or growl about — a spokeswoman says the company has sold 2.4 billion pounds of Teflon.

Military

Pvt. Michael S. Burnett, son of Betty J. Kelly, and the nephew of Juanita L. Burnett, both of Colorado City, has completed the heavy-wheeled vehicle mechanic course at the U.S. Army Training Center, Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the course, students were instructed to perform maintenance and assist in the repair of heavy duty vehicles and associated equipment.

He is a 1987 graduate of McCauley High School.

Michael Doport, son of Jose A. and Mary H. Doport of 710 N.W. Seventh St., has been promoted in the U.S. Army to the rank of Specialist Four.

Doport is an infantryman at Fort Bragg, N.C., with the 325th Infantry Regiment.

He is a 1985 graduate of Big Spring High School.

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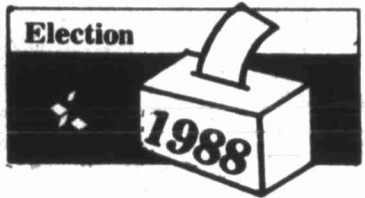
Dukakis wins Wisconsin; Simon all but out

The tally thus far

By The Associated Press
Here is the current breakdown of all the votes cast in the primaries so far. For each candidate the total is calculated by adding together the votes the candidate received in each of the primaries.

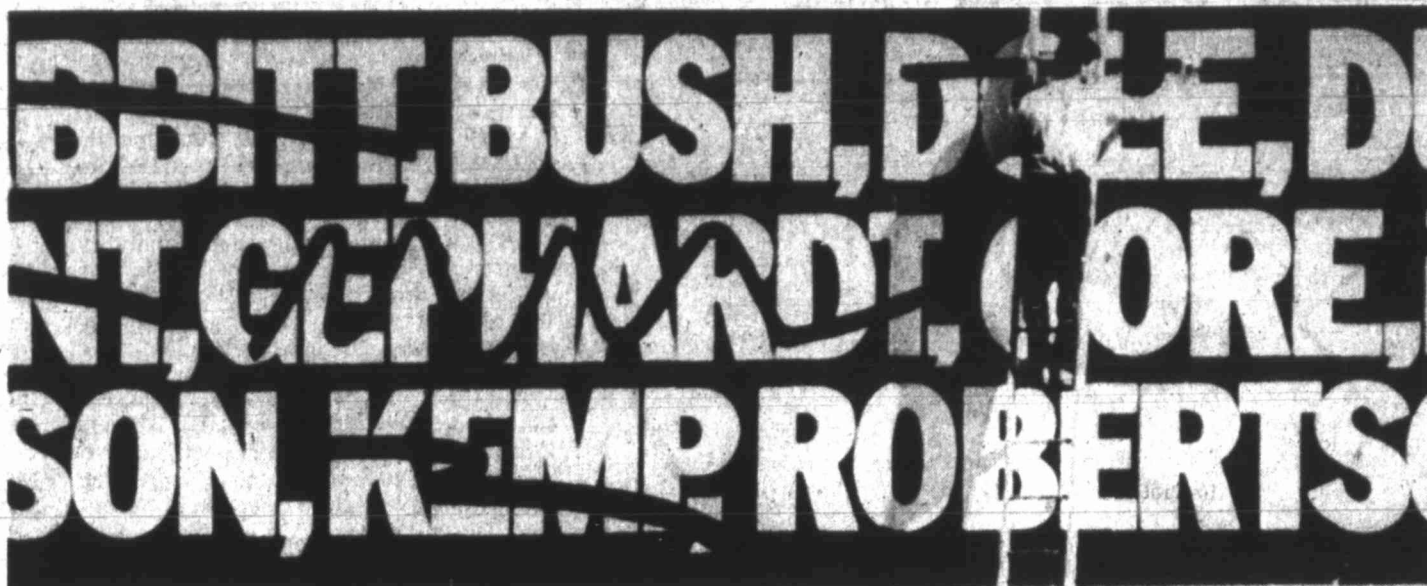
DEMOCRATIC
65,896 of 66,290 precincts reporting - 99.4 percent
Dukakis, 3,559,364 - 27.9 percent
Gore, 2,805,053 - 22.0 percent
Jackson, 3,487,843 - 27.3 percent
Gephardt, 1,269,376 - 9.9 percent
Simon, 951,410 - 7.5 percent
Babbitt, 74,364 - 0.6 percent
Hart, 319,080 - 2.5 percent
Uncommitted, 204,488 - 1.6 percent
Others, 99,464 - 0.8 percent

Total states with primaries so far - 24



REPUBLICAN
66,773 of 68,116 precincts reporting - 98.0 percent
Bush, 4,260,172 - 58.2 percent
Dole, 1,733,005 - 23 percent
Robertson, 858,136 - 11.7 percent
Kemp, 343,417 - 4.7 percent
du Pont, 51,335 - 0.7 percent
Haig, 25,578 - 0.3 percent
Uncommitted, 49,164 - 0.7 percent
Others, 3,820 - 0.1 percent

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Billboard painter John Peirine of Reading, Mass., is seen crossing out the name of Republican Robert Dole after he withdrew as a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination. The billboard, along the Southeast Expressway in Boston. The sign shows the last names of the original 13 presidential candidates with six remaining. Frank Knoson holds the ladder below the billboard, which is a promotion for the Boston Globe newspaper.

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Dukakis very, very happy with 'boost'

NEW YORK (AP) — Invigorated by victories in Wisconsin and Colorado, Democratic presidential contender Michael Dukakis today turned his attention to New York, with its delegate-heavy primary two weeks away.

Dukakis told reporters late Tuesday night that the results of the past two days "give us a very, very good boost" in New York's "very, very important primary."

The Massachusetts governor had campaign appearances today in New York and in Pennsylvania. The New York primary is April 19; Pennsylvania's is a week later.

Dukakis won comfortably in Wisconsin, and said the victory demonstrates his broad appeal.

"We have done well with people all over Wisconsin, in all income and age groups, in all parts of Wisconsin," he said.

Dukakis' key assets in New York appear to be money — he has the most to spend, possibly as much as \$3 million — and newfound momentum.

But the Massachusetts governor said he placed little stock in the latter: "I'm

not a great fan of the momentum theory of politics. I'm a great fan of the marathon theory."

Nor was he willing to say that New York, with 255 delegates at stake, offered him a chance to deliver "a knockout punch" to Jackson after his Wisconsin and Colorado wins this week.

"This is going to be a 15-round bout, and it will be a decision," he insisted. "There's no such thing as a knockout punch."

Dukakis, who declined to directly attack Jackson in Wisconsin, appeared unlikely to do so in New York, a state with a substantially larger black population.

"I'm not going to spend an awful lot of time criticizing other people. I think it's very important (that a) strong and positive message be the message that people associate with Mike Dukakis," he said.

Dukakis was asked about the endorsement of Gov. Mario Cuomo, reluctant to run for president himself but equally reluctant to anoint any other Democrat.

"I'd like to have it," Dukakis said. "He

knows that. But it's his decision to make, and I'll respect whatever decision he makes. It's up to him."

He denied a published report that Cuomo had made Dukakis' selection of Jackson as his running mate a condition of an endorsement.

Dukakis has a meeting set Monday with an Hasidic Jewish leader, Bobover Grand Rebbe Solomon Halberstam of Brooklyn. About a quarter of New York's voters are Jewish.

Dukakis' wife, Kitty, is Jewish, and she has noted in campaign visits here that she would be the first Jewish first lady. On Monday she made a telephone call to a Soviet Jew who is trying to emigrate to the United States, and later she talked to an audience on Long Island about her daughter's first Passover seder away from home and her own involvement in Jewish issues.

Various polls of New York Democrats have Dukakis leading, with support ranging from 37 percent to 45 percent. Jackson has been consistently second at just under 30 percent.

Exit polls show Jackson support is more diverse

NEW YORK (AP) — Jesse Jackson broadened his support in Wisconsin more than he deepened it, showing an ability to appeal to more diverse elements of his party even while his share of white votes still lagged, exit polls say.

While his second-place finish to Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis on Tuesday can only hamstring Jackson's chances in New York's April 19 primary, analysts said the Wisconsin results did indicate that he has continuing appeal to Democrats.

"His support was more evenly distributed among the demographic groups than it was in the past. He is doing better," said Doug Muzzio, an ABC News poll analyst. "The question is how much better he can do, and how fast."

Dukakis, meanwhile, had a broad victory, winning support across nearly all income, age, education and ideology groups. He won blue-collar workers, union household members and Catholic voters, all important constituencies in delegate-rich New York.

But the exit polls indicated a certain lack of enthusiasm in Dukakis' support, a factor that has the potential to be exploited by Jackson — if he finds a way to draw more white votes — or by Tennessee Sen. Albert Gore Jr.

ABC and CBS News-New York Times polls said Jackson won 23 percent of the white vote in Wisconsin, while an NBC News poll said he had 28 percent. His share of the black vote was over 90 percent, the surveys said.

While his white support was well over the 8 percent he got in Illinois on March 15, the ABC and CBS-Times figure was about even with Jackson's showing in Connecticut last week and less than his 32 percent in Vermont on March 1.

"We may be looking at his ceiling here. ... If the past is any guide he's going to be in that quarter of the white vote as the upper limit," Muzzio said. "There's something that he's bumping up against."

There were positive signs for Jackson even in his defeat. He was rated favorably by 55 percent of Democratic voters in the CBS-Times poll. Forty percent viewed him unfavorably.

"It isn't that Jackson isn't liked," said Kathleen A. Frankovic, a CBS News pollster. "It's just that Dukakis is liked better." Dukakis had a 74 percent favorable rating, 22 percent unfavorable.

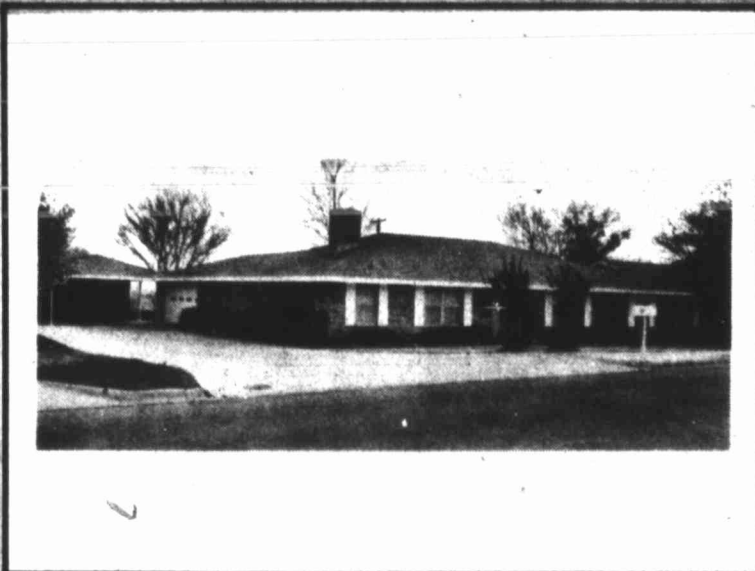
Jackson's supporters, if fewer in number, were more enthusiastic. The CBS-Times poll said 60 percent of his voters were strongly for him while 31 percent had some reservations. Gore's strong backers also led his weak ones by 2-1, while Dukakis supporters were split evenly, 45 percent strong, 44 percent with reservations.

"Dukakis' support is softer than either Gore's or Jackson's," said Pama Mitchell, another CBS poll analyst. Stronger supporters are more likely to go to the polls, an important factor when a race is close.

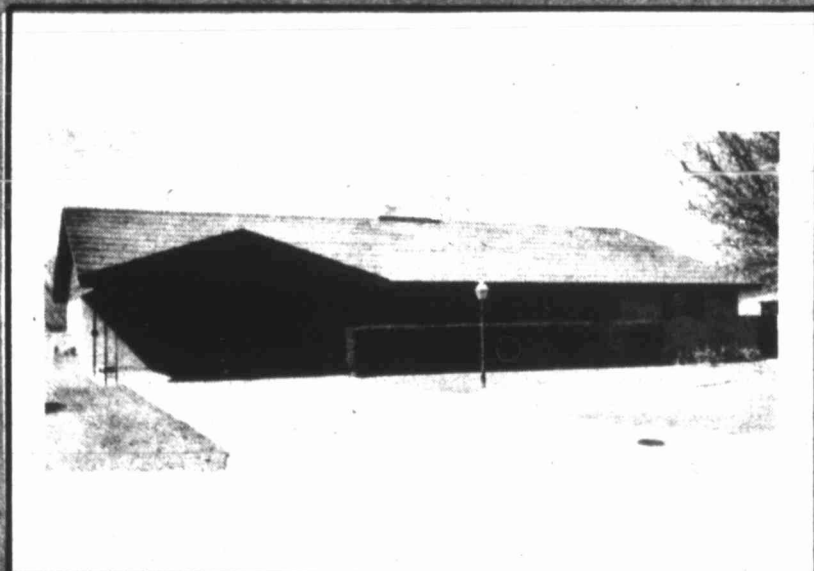
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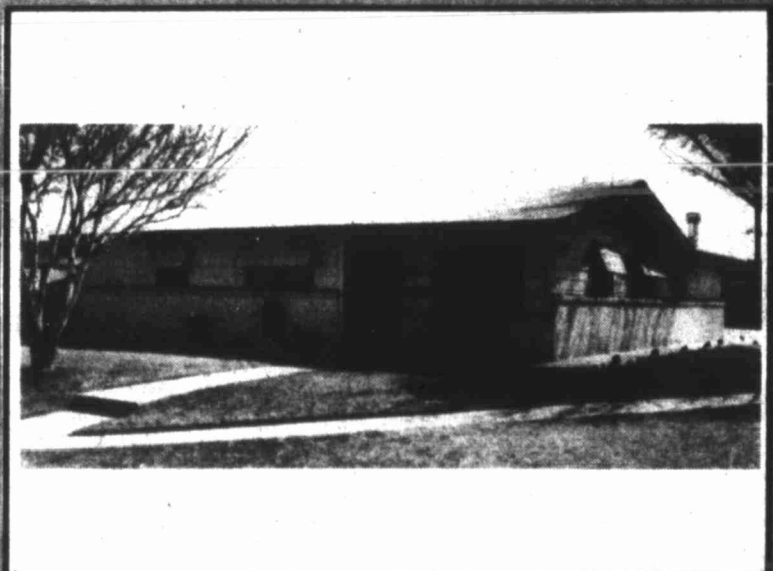
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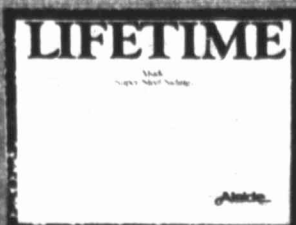
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Big Eight teams give us a truly good show

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

That old saying about it being hard to beat a team three times in a season certainly held true in Monday's NCAA Tournament title game.

Just ask the Oklahoma Sooners. Twice earlier this season the Sooners had defeated the Kansas Jayhawks. That's one of the reasons Oklahoma was an eight-point favorite to win Monday. But I don't think the odds makers had the slightest idea that coach Larry Brown's Jayhawks would have their best shooting night of the season against their Big Eight counterparts.

This game was much better than it was billed to be. After all, Big Eight basketball is no typical household sports topic. Besides, the runnin', gunnin' Sooners had already thrashed wounded Kansas twice. The game reminded me greatly of the 1985 championship game, another battle of conference teams, this time the Big East — Georgetown and Villanova.

Georgetown had beaten Villanova three times in five previous meetings, and were tabbed as big favorites. So what does Villanova do? Shoot 71 percent from the floor, and still only win by two points.

That was about the tune of Monday's game. The Jayhawks shot 64 percent from the floor.

Most of the time if you shoot 64 percent from the floor, you win by at least 10, especially if your opponenet only shoots 42 percent like the Sooners did.

I had a sinking feeling OU was in trouble when Kansas nailed 17 of its first 20 field goals. That comes to 85 percent for you stat junkies. I knew for sure OU was in trouble when the Jayhawks cooled off the remainder of the half, finishing with 71 percent from the floor.

Still the game was tied 50-50.

In the second half Brown's coaching prowess really came into the limelight. After his team battled back from a 65-60 deficit midway through the second half, he ordered them to slow the tempo of the contest.

The Jayhawks responded by showing their patience and allowing the 45-second clock to wind down before taking high percentage shots. Meanwhile, the Sooners forgot about their inside game of Stacey King and Harvey Grant, and began to bomb away from the outside.

Adding insult to injury, it wasn't OU gunner Dave Sieger who made six three-pointers in the first half.

— only Ricky wasn't so amazing on this particular night. Grace isn't known for his outside bombs, indicated by his four-of-14 shooting performance from the field.

0 Kansas forward Danny Manning proved why he was voted the country's top collegiate player. The big man did it all — 31 points, 18 rebounds and five steals. Plus, he took some of the pressure off his guards by bringing the ball down against the Oklahoma press.

As far as Oklahoma is concerned, it's another sad ending to a spectacular season. The good thing is the Sooners became the first team to play for a national title in the same year in both football and basketball. The sad part is OU lost both times, thanks to the Miami football team.

For Kansas it's a story book ending: A national championship, despite losing two starters during the season. I foresee Brown taking on the UCLA coaching job once again, and Ed Manning, Danny's father and assistant coach at Kansas, will become the Jayhawks next head coach.

That's what college basketball is all about. The cream rises to the top, the underdogs sometimes win, and new goals await the supporting cast.

I can't wait 'til next year.



Steve's stuff

Errors seal Steers doom

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

At times, it seemed that neither the Big Spring Steers or the Monahans Lobos wanted to win Tuesday's District 2-4A baseball game at Steer Field.

Though both teams tried their best, errors keep creeping into the game. When it was all over, it was the visiting Lobos that made the least errors, thus coming away with a 10-7 victory over the Steers.

The loss extended the Steers district losing skid to three games. Big Spring is now 2-3 in league play while Monahans remains on top with a 5-0 record. The Lobos now have a eight game winning streak, and a eight game district win streak, dating back to last year when the Lobos finished the season with three consecutive wins.

DISTRICT STANDINGS	
Monahans	5-0
Andrews	5-0
Pecos	3-2
Big Spring	2-3
Snyder	2-3
Fort Stockton	1-4
Lake View	1-4
Lamesa	1-4

TUESDAY	
Snyder 12, Fort Stockton 2; Monahans 10, Big Spring 7; Andrews 7, Pecos 2; Lamesa 11, Lake View 10.	

FRIDAY	
Snyder at Lamesa, 7 p.m.; Pecos at Monahans, 7 p.m.	

SATURDAY	
Andrews at Big Spring 1 p.m.; Lake View at Fort Stockton, 1 p.m.	

Both teams had their share of defensive blunders, Big Spring committed seven errors, accounting for five unearned runs, while the Lobos made five errors, leading to four Big Spring unearned runs.

The Steers didn't give starter Timmy Gutierrez much defensive help, as the junior curveballer lasted three innings, allowing nine hits and five earned runs. By the time reliever Aaron Allen came in, Big Spring trailed 9-5. Allen yielded a single to Michael Molina, which scored Ralph Sanchez, whom Gutierrez had walked.

Allen didn't have to rely on his defense much. The senior lefty allowed three hits and struck out eight in four innings work. At one time he had a string of six straight whiffs.

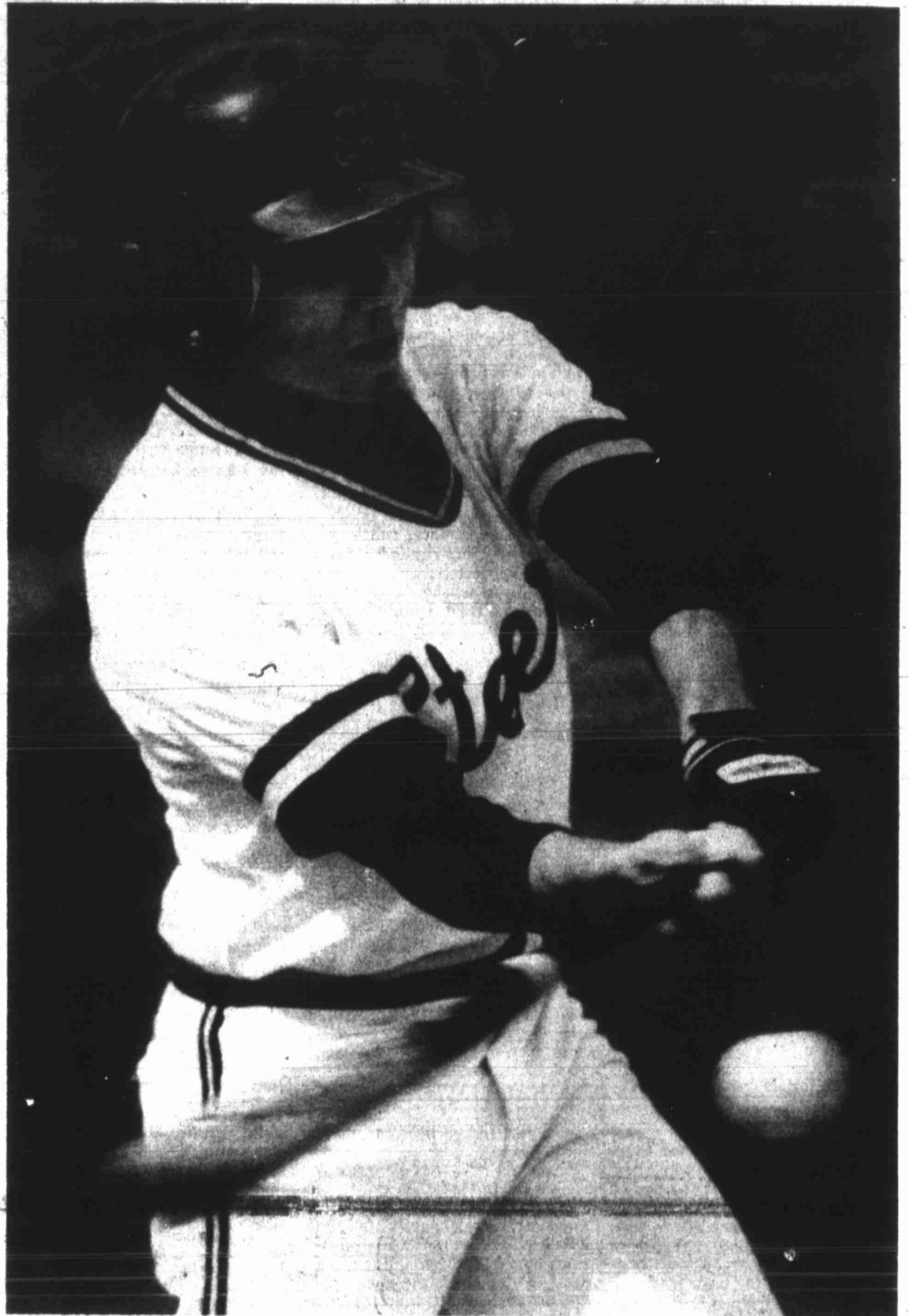
Monahans ace Tony Jimenez went the distance. He pitched a six-hitter and only allowed three earned runs.

"We gave it to them," said Steers coach John Velasquez after the game. "We had a chance to turn three double plays, and didn't turn a one. Timmy (Gutierrez) got in trouble and he did what I wanted, he threw double play balls. We just didn't turn 'em."

Big Spring was its own worst enemy on the offensive end also. A good example is the first inning when the first four Steers got hard hits. Big Spring did score three runs in the stanza, one unearned.

But the killing blow in the inning was the Steers had two men thrown out on the base paths, and another thrown out in the second inning, trying to steal third.

Monahans scored a run in its first at bat when Sanchez tripled, scoring Jimenez, who had singled.



Big Spring Steers center fielder Felix Rodriguez gets ready to hit a pitch from Monahans pitcher Tony Jimenez during first inning action at Steer Field Tuesday. Rodriguez singled on the pitch. Rodriguez singled again in the fifth inning. He was the only Steer to get two hits in the game.

Big Spring batters began the game with a single by leadoff man Felix Rodriguez. This was followed by a doubles by Michael Hilario and Allen, and a single by Matt Burrow.

Allen's double scored Rodriguez and Hilario, and Allen scored on a passed ball by the catcher.

Monahans squelched the rally when Burrow was caught in a rundown between first and second base. Next Brent Hartfield, who had walked, was thrown out trying to steal second on a pitchout by catcher Michael Molina.

Monahans took control of the game in the second inning, scoring

six runs on five hits and three Big Spring errors.

Michael Molina, Cince Prieto, Homer Subio and Michael Molina all singled in the inning, and Paul Hidalgo reached base on a bunt. Big Spring shortstop Brent Hartfield made two errors in the inning and first baseman Burrow missed a throw from second baseman Hilario.

Monahans added two more runs in the third on one hit and two more Big Spring errors. Gutierrez threw wild on a pickoff attempt at first base, and Burrow let a slow grounder get through his legs. The only Monahans hit was a single by

Hidalgo.

Trailing 9-5 in the third inning, Big Spring scored two unearned runs on no hits, thanks to three Monahans errors. Hilario reached base when the shortstop couldn't handle his hot line drive, Jason Phillips got on when the third baseman mishandled his hot smash, and Eric Kinman reached base via another error by the shortstop. Phillips' smash scored a pinch runner Robert Rodriguez and Burrow, who had walked.

Monahans added its final run in the fourth, and Big Spring scored its final two tallies in the bottom of

STEERS page 2-B

Texas gets new coach

AUSTIN (AP) — Tom Penders, for the past two seasons head basketball coach at the University of Rhode Island, today was named coach at the University of Texas.

UT Athletic Director DeLoss Dodds, who had interviewed several coaches since firing Bob Weltlich on March 14, told a news conference he was highly impressed with Penders, whose team made the Sweet 16 in this year's NCAA basketball tournament.

"The coach, in my mind, is one of the top coaches in the United States," Dodds told a news conference. "We talked to a lot of coaches ... There was great interest in this job. We got the best coach."

Penders said he was "really pleased" to have been coach at Rhode Island, but he said Texas presents an opportunity he couldn't resist.

"I feel that the University of Texas is one of the great universities of our country," Penders said.

Declining to make any predictions about the Longhorns' next season, Penders did promise that "basketball will be fun and exciting here."

Saying "the job finds you," the coach said he first was approached by Texas athletics officials over the weekend during the NCAA's Final Four tournament in Kansas City.

"I was (surprised)," he said. "I don't know if I'm a household name down here."

Penders said he had met with the Texas team and would meet with the coaching staff.

"We have a ways to go. We have a building situation," he said. "We will improve next year. We will play exciting ball, entertaining basketball. And, I think before too long, winning basketball."

Penders was hired in October 1986 as Rhode Island's head basketball coach and compiled a 40-17 record in two seasons, leading the team to the East regional semifinals in this year's NCAA

tournament. Rhode Island lost to Duke, the regional champion, by a 73-72 score, finishing the year with a 28-7 record. It was the first time in 10 years that URI has made the NCAA tourney.

The coach's success in turning around the Ram program — the team was 9-20 the year before he arrived — prompted talk that he would soon depart for bigger things. In addition to Texas, Penders had reportedly been talking to Rutgers about the head coaching job there.

Before going to Rhode Island, Penders was head coach for eight years at Fordham University in New York. His teams had a record of 125-114 and reached post-season play for a school-record five consecutive years.

Penders, a Connecticut native, starred at the University of Connecticut, leading the Huskies to two conference titles and a tie for a third before graduating in 1967.

Brenham pitcher going for national record

BRENHAM (AP) — Brenham High School pitcher Jon Peters has tied a national record for consecutive victories by a schoolboy baseball pitcher and will get a chance to break the record next week.

Peters won his 33rd game in a row Tuesday with a 12-0 victory over Tomball.

The victory allowed Peters to tie

the record set by Mike Pill of West Covina, Calif., in 1975-77.

The junior right-hander will get a chance to break the record before a home crowd next Tuesday against Oak Ridge.

"I'm usually not very nervous," Peters said, "but I had a case of the butterflies out there tonight. I'm sure they'll be back on Tuesday."

Peters, 17, improved his record

to 5-0 this season and has yet to lose a high school game. He went 28-0 the past two seasons while leading the Cubs to consecutive state Class 4A titles.

The Cubs, 17-3 overall and 2-0 in District 10-4A West, have been ranked No. 1 in the state all season.

Peters, who has an 0.50 ERA, allowed four hits while striking out 12 and walking three.

Denver guard outrebounds struggling Houston Rockets

By The Associated Press
Lafayette Lever continues to be as good as gold for the red-hot Denver Nuggets.

The 6-foot-3 guard had 22 points and a career-high 21 rebounds Tuesday night as the Nuggets beat Houston 110-97 for their ninth consecutive victory. Denver also pulled within four percentage points of first-place Dallas in its 27 points and Chuck Person had 21. Cleveland was led by Mike Sanders with 20 points.

NBA

Knicks 136, 76ers 119
New York established season highs in points for a quarter, half and game as Johnny Newman scored a career-high 29 points and Gerald Wilkins added 27 at Philadelphia.

Newman scored 21 points in the first half as the Knicks, who have lost 30 of 36 road games this year but have won their last two, matched their longest winning streak of the season with their third straight victory. New York had 45 points in the second quarter and 76 at halftime.

Charles Barkley had 13 of his 31 points in the first quarter for the 76ers, but New York's 27-7 run erased a 36-31 Philadelphia lead after the first period and opened a 62-45 advantage with 5:39 to go in the half. Mark Jackson had 21 points and 16 assists for New York.

Bullets 105, Bulls 94
Washington pulled into eighth place in the East as John Williams scored 23 points and Moses Malone 21 at Chicago. Washington's frontcourt players outscored the Bulls' front line 70-30.

Michael Jordan led all scorers with 29 points for Chicago, which clinched a playoff spot when New York beat Philadelphia. Sam Vincent added a career-high 23 points.

Trail Blazers 141, Clippers 119

Portland beat Los Angeles for the 12th consecutive time, a Trail Blazers record, as Clyde Drexler and Kevin Duckworth scored 25 points each.

A layup by Mike Woodson, who scored 11 of his 29 points in the third period, helped cut a 16-point deficit to 95-90 with 3:03 left in the quarter. But the Trail Blazers outscored the Clippers 12-2 in the closing minutes of the period, with Drexler scoring nine of those 12, and Portland led 110-92 going into the final 12 minutes.

Benoit Benjamin had 22 points and 11 rebounds for the Clippers.

Lakers 94, Sonics 90
James Worthy had 28 points and Byron Scott 27, while A.C. Green scored 11 of his 18 points in the fourth quarter for Los Angeles.

After Xavier McDaniel's jumper gave Seattle a 73-72 lead with 6:18 remaining, the Lakers outscored the Sonics 10-3 in the next 3:21 for an 82-76 lead. Seattle, which was led by Tom Chambers with 21 points, got no closer than two to the rest of the way.

Suns 111, Jazz 106
Phoenix kept pace with San Antonio, beating Utah as Armon Gilliam had 17 points and 12 rebounds and Walter Davis scored 10 of his 16 points in the third period.

Utah, down 62-49 at halftime, tied the score 81-81 with 2:03 left in the third period. But the Suns closed out the quarter with a 9-2 run as Kevin Johnson completed a three-point play and Davis scored on a jumper for a 90-83 lead.

Karl Malone and Thurl Bailey scored 25 points each for the Jazz.

Spurs 117, Warriors 104
Alvin Robertson scored 26 points and Frank

DENVER page 2-B

Cubbies win exciting 10-9 game over Braves

By The Associated Press
The Atlanta Braves and Chicago Cubs opened with a bang. The San Francisco Giants went out without a whimper in a bizarre day in the National League.

The Braves and Cubs combined for seven home runs to tie an opening day record Tuesday night before Chicago pulled out a wild 10-9 triumph in 13 innings.

The defending NL West champion Giants, meanwhile, were handled easily by Los Angeles right-hander Orel Hershiser in a 5-0 loss.

NL

In the only other NL action, it was Pittsburgh 5, Philadelphia 3, and Houston 6, San Diego 3.

Cubs 10, Braves 9

Manny Trillo's 13th-inning sacrifice fly lifted Chicago in a game that included a controversial interference call on the Braves along with the rash of homers.

Trillo's fly ball off reliever Jim Acker, 0-1, scored Vance Law, who had doubled and was sacrificed to third. Mike Bielecki gained the victory with two scoreless innings of relief.

The game included four home runs by the Braves and three by Chicago. The New York Mets and Montreal also combined for seven homers on Monday.

The Braves appeared to have won the game in the bottom of the ninth. Albert Hall bounced a two-out grounder behind second base with Gerald Perry at second. Perry, who was caught in a run-down between third and home,

scored when catcher Jody Davis' throw hit him on the helmet and bounced toward shortstop.

But home plate umpire Bruce Froemming ruled that Perry interfered with third baseman Law and called him out.

Dodgers 5, Giants 0

In Los Angeles, Hershiser outdueled San Francisco's Kelly Downs with a three-hitter and squeezed home a run in the sixth inning.

Hershiser, making his 1988 debut after consecutive 500 seasons, struck out six and walked two en route to his 12th career shutout. He retired 17 of the last 18 batters to secure his ninth career win over the Giants in 12 decisions.

Downs surrendered only two hits in seven innings, but still trailed 1-0 when he left the game.

Reliever Scott Garrelts came on in the eighth, and was responsible for four more Dodgers runs. Los Angeles scored on an RBI single by Mike Scioscia, a two-run single by Alfredo Griffin and an error.

Pirates 5, Phillies 3

Darnell Coles' three-run homer highlighted a four-run third inning that carried Pittsburgh.

The Pirates erased a 2-0 deficit in the third as Mike Schmidt's error at third base set up three unearned runs.

Prior to Coles' homer, Barry Bonds' homered with one out to cut the Phillies' lead to 2-1. Coles' homer gave the Pirates a 4-2 lead, and he tripled home a run in the eighth.

Mike Dunne, 13-6 in his rookie season last year, pitched 5 2-3 innings and earned his first victory with relief help from Jeff Robin-



ATLANTA — Chicago Cubs Jody Davis is congratulated by Vance Law (2) and Rafael Palmerio after his second-inning homer against the Atlanta Braves at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium Tuesday.

son. Robinson held on for the save, despite giving up a homer to Schmidt, his 531st that put him three behind eighth-place Jimmie Foxx on the all-time list.

Coles' performance was a continuation of a fine spring training performance. Coles said spring training was the best in his career "and that's a plus. I had a bad spring last year and started off bad."

Astros 6, Padres 3

Kevin Bass pinch-hit a two-run single and Billy Hatcher doubled in the winning run in the eighth inning, rallying Houston over San Diego.

Bass' hit off Lance McCullers, 0-1, tied the score at 3 before Hatcher's double knocked in the winning run.

The Astros added two more runs in the eighth, one scoring on an RBI single by Steve Henderson and another on a wild pitch by Mark Davis.

The Padres had taken a 3-1 lead on Keith Moreland's two-run double in the eighth off Mike Scott, 1-0.

Earlier this week, it was rumored Bass would be traded to the New York Yankees in a deal involving Dave Winfield. But Winfield reportedly nullified the trade as a 10-and-5 player.

Denver

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Brickowski added 25 as San Antonio handed the Warriors their sixth consecutive loss.

The Warriors trailed 80-61 with 6:35 remaining in the third

quarter, but closed to 92-82 by the end of the period as reserve guard Steve Harris contributed eight points.

Golden State made it 94-88 with 9:24 left in the game on

Ben McDonald's hook shot. But Robertson scored eight points and Brickowski six the rest of the way as the Spurs maintained their lead.

Mike Mitchell scored 22

points for San Antonio and Jon Sundvold contributed 14 points and a career-high 14 assists. Chris Mullin led the Warriors with 24 points despite an injury to his left foot.

Steers

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Craig Knocke walked and Felix Rodriguez reached base on an error by the shortstop. Knocke scored on a long sacrifice fly by Burrow, and Felix Rodriguez scored on a base hit by Kinman.

Burrows' fly, with the bases loaded, was held in the park by the in-blowing wind from left field. As

was a long drive by Allen in the sixth inning.

"We hit the ball like crazy, but most of the time it was right at them. I really thought Matt and Aaron had hit it out of the park," said Velasquez. "We didn't play defense though. Until we play defense, we won't win. I'll have

some bad dreams about this one. But with a 14 game district schedule, we're not out of this thing."

The Steers fall to 9-11 overall while Monahans raises its record to 10-5.

Big Spring will host Andrews Saturday at 1 p.m. at Steer Field.

Monahans 162 100 0-10 12 5
Big Spring 302 200 0-7 6 7
LOB — Monahans 5, Big Spring 7, DP — Big Spring 1; Errors — Monahans (Martinez 3, Jimenez 1, M. Molina 1); Big Spring (Hartfield 3, Burrow 2, F. Rodriguez, 1 Gutierrez 1); SB — Monahans (R. Molina 1, Jimenez 1, Sanchez 1); Big Spring (Lewis 1); 3B — Monahans (Sanchez); 2B — Big Spring (Hilario, Allen); WP — Jimenez (5-2); LP (Gutierrez 4-5); Time — 2:33.

Welch handles Mariners; Yankees whitewash Twins

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — If Bob Welch didn't have his best stuff in his Oakland Athletics' debut, as his manager said, then opposing American League batters are in for a grim year.

Welch scattered seven hits and pitched seven shutout innings Tuesday night, recording six strikeouts and never allowing a runner past second base as the A's blanked the Seattle Mariners 6-0.

In the only other American League game played, the New York Yankees beat the World Champion Minnesota Twins 8-0.

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Welch, a 31-year-old right-hander, flirted with danger several times, retiring the side in order only once and relying on outstanding defense behind him to keep Seattle from scoring. But it was more than satisfactory for a pitcher who was admittedly "quite nervous" making his first AL start and allowed two of the first three hitters to face him to reach base.

"I was able to stop them from getting the big hit," Welch said. "I was just trying to stay ahead of the hitters."

"Any time you go out there and come away with a win, it doesn't matter what kind of stuff you had. The win is all that counts."

The victory was Oakland's second straight over Seattle to begin the season after the A's went 0-5 at the start of 1987. The Mariners have scored only a single run, on a first-inning balk by Dave Stewart in the opener, and mustered 11 hits for the two games.

Oakland Manager Tony La Russa expects even greater things from Welch, who also started fast last season, winning eight of his first 10 decisions en route to a 15-9 record in his 10th season with the Los Angeles Dodgers.

"He made a lot of good pitches, especially with men on base, and threw a lot of good breaking balls," said La Russa, who said Welch was not as fast as he can be. "But I'm sure we'll see him out there when he's sharper. He was rushing at times."

Until the A's broke the game open with four runs in the eighth on Jose Canseco's two-run double, a run-scoring balk by Mike Jackson and Stan Javier's sacrifice fly, Welch was locked in a pitching duel with Seattle starter Mike Moore.

Moore, a 19-game loser last year, allowed only three hits over the first seven innings and retired 14 consecutive batters. But the A's bunched all three hits in the second

inning for the only support Welch needed. Mark McGwire's bloop single in front of Glenn Wilson in right and Javier's double over Mickey Brantley's glove in left set the stage for an RBI double by Mike Gallego and a sacrifice fly by Walt Weiss.

Seattle Manager Dick Williams said a team that isn't hitting can't afford defensive lapses, too.

"Our outfielders misjudged two fly balls that should have been caught," he said. "It should have been 0-0 in the eighth."

Meanwhile, Welch's fielders were doing their part. Gallego threw out Jim Pressley trying to advance from first to third on a single to short right in the fourth, and Canseco made a sprinting catch of Wilson's sinking liner in the with a man on in the sixth.

Tony Phillips, sent in after center fielder Dave Henderson strained a "groin muscle in the third, also made a fine running grab, and the A's turned in their second errorless performance and third double play in two nights.

"That probably was as good a defensive game as anybody has played behind me," said Welch, who played 10 seasons with the Los Angeles Dodgers, a team which had the National League's lowest fielding percentage last year.

Welch, who averaged just over seven innings a start last year, was relieved by Greg Cadaret to start the eighth. Dennis Eckersley came on one out later and picked up his second save, allowing one hit in 1 2-3 innings while preserving Welch's fifth straight victory dating back to last September.

If the former Dodger ace was less than overpowering, Seattle's Wilson didn't notice. He faced Welch for the past four seasons in the National League and found the scenario all too familiar.

Minnesota did not get off to an auspicious debut as World Series champions. But the road loss was in keeping with last year, when the Twins were 29-52 away from the Metrodome.

Rick Rhoden pitched a three-hitter, Mike Pagliarulo and Rickey Henderson homered and Billy Martin was a winner in his first game of his fifth term as Yankees manager.

A sellout crowd of 55,802 watched on a perfect day as the Yankees raked World Series MVP Frank Viola for six earned runs, more than he gave up in any game last season.

"It was very emotional and it felt great," Martin said. "Opening day can be overplayed, but it's important to get off to a good start."

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Draw a wombat



An Australian zoo tour that's 'in the bag'

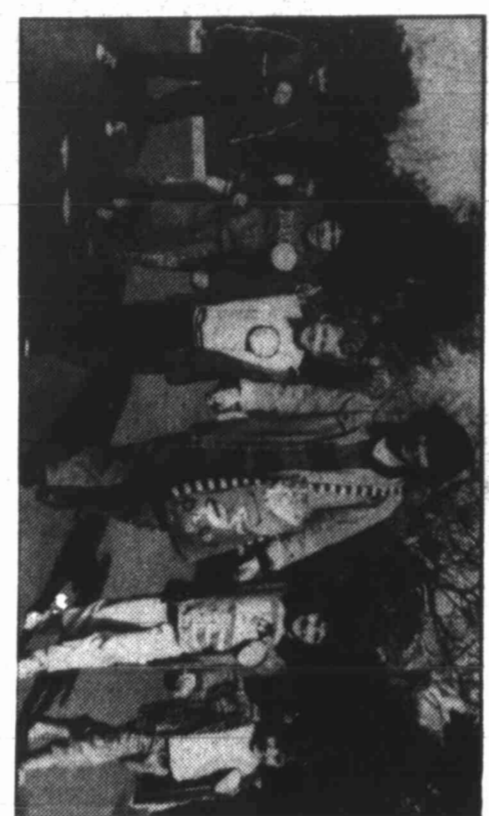
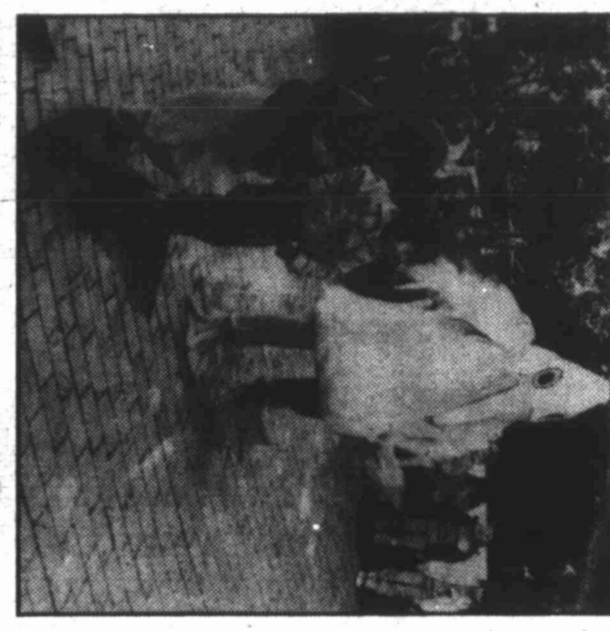
The Melbourne Zoo in Australia is one of the top zoos in the world and a popular tourist attraction.

So many teachers asked for zoo tours that there just were not enough guides to go around. So the zoo's education department came up with a good idea.

They prepared special bags for teachers on each grade level. In these bags they put:

- a map of the trail the class was to follow.
- a list of activities for the kids to do as they followed the map.
- a puppet and a musical instrument.

Now that the tours are "in the bag," many more kids and their teachers can enjoy their very own tours.



Above: an example of one of the activities the kids do as they follow the trail near the elephant exhibit.

Left: Before beginning their tour, the children are welcomed by a member of the zoo's staff dressed up like POP the Pelican. They put on flippers to see what it's like to have webbed feet.

A teacher guide, with her zoo guide in the bag, starts out with her group of kids on their tour. This program is called P.O.P., or Preps on Parade. Young students in Australia are called preps. Thanks to the new zoo bags, there are many of them parading through the Melbourne Zoo.

The Mini Page wishes to thank the Education Department of the Royal Melbourne Zoological Gardens for help with this story.

Mini Spy

Alpha Betty and her friends are visiting the Melbourne Zoo. See if you can find:

- kite
- lion's face
- letter L
- word MINI
- pipe
- squirrel
- swan
- lips
- heart
- sheep's head
- cup
- dog's face
- drum
- bird's head
- ice-cream cone



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THE NEWS'S Australian Animals TRY 'N FIND

Words that remind us of Australian animals are hidden in the block below. See if you can find: PYGMY POSSUM, PLATYPUS, SPOONBILL, DINGO, FAIRY PENGUIN, KANGAROO, JOEY, KOOKABURRA, WALLABY, EMU, ECHIDNA, KOALA, WOMBAT, SWAN, LIZARD.

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Gus Goodsport: Because the banana split.

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How to draw a filled lizard

How to draw a black swan

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NBA Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
y-Boston	52	21	.712	
Washington	33	39	.458	18 1/2
New York	33	40	.452	19
Philadelphia	33	40	.452	19 1/2
New Jersey	18	55	.247	34

WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
x-Dallas	46	25	.648	
x-Denver	47	26	.644	
x-Chicago	39	33	.542	7 1/2
x-Utah	40	32	.556	6 1/2
San Antonio	28	44	.389	18 1/2
Sacramento	20	52	.278	26 1/2

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Chicago	1	0	1.000	
New York	1	0	1.000	
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000	
Montreal	0	1	.000	1
Philadelphia	0	1	.000	1
St. Louis	0	1	.000	1

AL Standings				
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Detroit	1	0	1.000	
Milwaukee	1	0	1.000	
New York	1	0	1.000	
Toronto	1	0	1.000	

West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Oakland	2	0	1.000	
Chicago	1	0	1.000	1/2
Texas	1	0	1.000	1/2
California	0	1	.000	1 1/2
Kansas City	0	1	.000	1 1/2
Minnesota	0	1	.000	1 1/2
Seattle	0	2	.000	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Minnesota	0	0	.000	
New York	0	0	.000	
Viola	0	0	.000	
Nieto	0	0	.000	
W-Rhodens	0	0	.000	
Phoenix	0	0	.000	
Portland	0	0	.000	

NL Standings				
NATIONAL LEAGUE				
West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Cincinnati	1	0	1.000	
Houston	1	0	1.000	
Los Angeles	1	1	.500	1/2
San Francisco	1	1	.500	1/2
Atlanta	0	1	.000	1
San Diego	0	1	.000	1

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12-20 5-25, Waiters 0-0 0-0, Grant 4-6 3-3 11, Phipps 3-5 0-0-6, Paxon 1-7 0-0-2. Totals 36-79 49-58 94.

Washington 21-20 28-26-105
Chicago 21-21 26-26-94
3-Point goals—Oakley, Vincent. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Washington 55 (M. Malone 13), Chicago 43 (Oakley 9). Assists—Washington 26 (Bogues 12), Chicago 23 (Vincent 9). Total fouls—Washington 26, Chicago 22. Technical—Jordan, A.—17,773.

At Houston DENVER (116)
English 7-19 2-2 16, Schayes 4-9 8-9 16, Rasmussen 4-11 4-4 12, Adams 5-17 4-4 16, Lever 10-20 2-2 22, Hanzlik 2-3 4-5 8, Dunn 0-0 0-0 0, Vincent 8-17 2-4 18, Cooper 1-4 0-0 2. Totals 41-100 28-30 110.

HOUSTON (97)
Carroll 11-19 3-4 25, McCray 4-8 3-5 11, Olajuwon 7-15 5-5 19, Floyd 4-10 2-4 10, Reid 1-6 0-0 2, Petersen 1-3 0-0 2, Short 4-10 1-2 9, Leavelle 3-9 2-4 8, Free 3-8 3-3 9, Maxwell 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 39-89 19-27 97.

At Phoenix, Ariz. UTAH (106)
Iavaroni 0-2 2-2 2, Malone 10-21 5-7 25, Eaton 2-5 1-2 5, Hansen 10-15 0-0 21, Stockton 5-8 4-14 7, Bailey 9-15 7-8 25, Turpin 0-2 0-0 0, Tripucka 1-3 0-0 2, Hughes 2-5 2-4 8, Roth 3-4 2-6 6, Koford 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-90 23-36 106.

PHOENIX (111)
William 8-16 1-2 17, E. Johnson 4-10 3-4 11, West 3-8 3-4 9, Davis 6-12 4-4 16, K. Johnson 6-9 3-3 15, Corbin 5-11 2-11, Hodges 6-10 0-0 13, Adams 5-9 3-4 13, Hornacek 2-4 2-3 6. Totals 45-87 20-26 111.

At Portland, Ore. L.A. CLIPPERS (119)
Gregory 2-7 0-4 2, Norman 4-11 0-8 8, Benjamin 7-11 8-9 22, Valentine 7-12 4-4 18, Woodson 12-22 5-5 29, Kite 3-7 0-0 6, White 5-9 4-4 14, Drew 1-4 2-2 4, Burt 2-6 0-0 4, Curreton 2-5 0-2 4, Dailey 2-6 2-2 6. Totals 47-100 25-28 119.

At Oakland, Calif. SAN ANTONIO (117)
Brickowski 10-13 5-9 25, Mitchell 10-16 2-2 22, Anderson 6-10 0-0 12, Robertson 10-13 4-5 26, Sundvold 7-19 0-0 14, Nealy 1-2 1-4 3, Wilson 4-6 3-3 11, Nimphus 0-0 0-0 0, Berry 1-2 2-4 2, Zevenbergen 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 49-82 17-25 117.

GOLDEN STATE (104)
Frank 11-18 0-0 22, Mullin 10-18 3-4 24, Feit 2-7 0-4 4, Garland 6-11 1-1 13, O. Smith 4-13 0-0 8, Hoppen 3-10 0-0 6, Harris 6-12 5-6 17, McDonald 4-10 0-0 8, White 1-3 0-0 2, Whitehead 0-2 0-0 0, Wade 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 47-104 9-11 104.

At East Rutherford, N.J. DETROIT (107)
Salley 1-5 0-0 2, Dantley 9-14 9-9 27, Laimbeer 7-10 3-4 17, Dumars 5-11 1-2 11, Thomas 8-17 10-10 26, Johnson 3-10 0-0 6, Rodman 4-10 4-7 12, Edwards 3-3 0-1 6, Lewis 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-80 27-33 107.

NEW JERSEY (95)
Hinson 9-12 2-2 20, Williams 5-8 3-5 13, McCormick 5-12 0-0 10, Bagley 4-8 0-0 8, Hopson 4-12 4-13, Du Washington 1-4 1-3, Dw Washington 2-5 0-0 4, Comegys 5-6 1-1 11, Engler 1-3 1-1 3, Bradley 2-7 3-3 7, McKenna 1-3 0-0 3. Totals 39-80 15-20 95.

At Philadelphia NEW YORK (136)
Newman 12-17 4-20, Cartwright 3-7 2-8, Ewing 5-9 3-4 13, Jackson 9-17 2-2 21, Wilkins 12-17 1-2 27, S. Toney 1-2 0-0 2, Green 3-9 3-6 9, Tucker 5-7 1-1 13, Walker 6-7 2-2 14, Carlisle 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 56-92 18-25 136.

PHILADELPHIA (119)
Robinson 10-22 0-0 21, Barkley 11-15 9-13 31, Gminski 6-10 4-16, D. Henderson 2-4 4-6 8, G. Henderson 6-11 3-4 18, Wingate 2-4 1-4 6, King 3-7 0-0 6, Coleman 0-0 0-0 0, Thornton 6-7 1-2 13, Vranes 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 46-84 22-33 119.

At Atlanta MILWAUKEE (110)
Cummings 8-17 3-4 19, Sikma 1-6 4-4 6, Breuer 4-8 2-4 10, Moncrief 3-6 6-12 2, Pressey 4-6 1-1 9, Pierce 8-13 4-4 21, Krystkowiak 3-6 2-8, Reynolds 5-9 1-2 12, Lucas 4-6 0-0 11, Mokeski 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 43-80 27-35 110.

ATLANTA (121)
Wilkins 16-31 5-8 39, Willis 10-18 5-9 25, Rollins 1-2 1-3 3, Rivers 1-7 4-4 7, Wittman 8-14 2-18, Livingston 8-10 1-4 17, Carr 2-4 2-6, Webb 1-2 0-0 2, Hastings 0-0 0-0 0, Battle 2-6 0-0 4. Totals 49-94 20-30 121.

At Indianapolis CLEVELAND (105)
Nance 5-14 5-6 15, Sanders 7-11 6-6 20, Daugherty 8-16 2-3 18, Harper 5-11 5-17 15, Price 7-12 5-19, J. Williams 5-7 2-12, Ehlo 0-3 1-2 1, Curry 2-6 1-2 5, Dudley 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-80 27-35 105.

INDIANA (106)
Person 9-19 3-21, Tisdale 11-14 5-5 27, Stipanovich 4-7 5-5 13, Fleming 0-1 0-0 0, Long 5-14 0-0 10, Wheeler 1-3 0-0 2, H. Williams 7-12 2-4 16, Miller 2-3 3-3 8, Skiles 3-11 0-2 6, Gray 0-0 0-0 0, Anderson 1-1 1-1 3. Totals 43-85 19-24 106.

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Linescores

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Minnesota	0	0	.000	
New York	0	0	.000	
Viola	0	0	.000	
Nieto	0	0	.000	
W-Rhodens	0	0	.000	
Phoenix	0	0	.000	
Portland	0	0	.000	

Friday's Games
New Jersey at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana at Washington, 8 p.m.
New York at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Utah at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Denver at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Los Angeles Clippers at Los Angeles Lakers, 10:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
Portland at Seattle, 10:30 p.m.

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- Look through your local paper for pictures of animals. Which ones do you see and what are they doing?
- Find Australia on a world map or globe. What continent is its nearest neighbor? How big is it compared to the United States? Would you like to visit there?
- Find the following words: burrows, reptiles, prey, imported, marsupial, coarse, frill. Define and make up a new sentence for each one.
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OPENINGS AVAILABLE! Two years old thru Kindergarten. Call Jack and Jill School at 267-8411.

GOLDEN RULE Daycare - 1200 Runnels. Licensed - New Management - Lower rates. 6:45 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. 263-2976; 267-2970.

SUNSHINE DAYCARE now enrolling newborn age 5. Afterschool pickup available. Low prices. 263-1696, Vicki Parnell.

Farm Equipment 420

STEEL SEA Containers 8'x8-1/2'x4'. Water proof, varmint proof, dust proof. Requires no foundation. Excellent storage for any use. We deliver. (915)653-4400 San Angelo, Texas.

2 -WHEAT DRILLS, 8' -10'; 2 -five row listers; 4 row planter; box blade. 398-5406.

Farm Building 422

REPOSSESSED. Two steel buildings, 40' x40' and 50' x100'. Superior style. Never erected. Sell for balance due. Larry, 1-800-451-1082.

Grain Hay Feed 430

ALL C.R.P. Grasses, immediately available. Plains Bristle, Lehman Love and Ermelo Love grasses, in abundant supply at very Low Prices. Make your dollars count. Call Horizon Seeds, Inc. Over 50 years experience in Native Grasses. (806)258-7288.

Horses 445

STANDING PALOMINO stud. Circle K Stables. Call 915-263-8115.

PIED PIPER Feed arriving Wednesday!! Clearance. (5) Dusters, \$65.00 each. Double S Tack & Supply, 263-7440.

Antiques 503

ESTATE SALE: Abilene - North First and Merchant, April 8th 9th; Antiques, property. Dealers welcome. 1-672-9760.

Auctions 505

ALL TYPES of Auctions - Estate, farm, and liquidation. Call 267-1551 Eddie Mann TX-098-0088100 Judy Mann TX-098-008198.

CONSIGNMENT SALE every Thursday, 2000 West 4th! Spring City Auction - We do all types of auctions!! Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS 078 007759. 263-1831/ 263-0914.

Dogs, Pets, Etc 513

SAND SPRING Kennel: AKC Chihuahua, Chow, Poodles, Toy Pekingese, Pomeranians, Terms available. \$60. Hooser Road. 393-5259, 263-1231.

TWO, AKC Registered, male Shih-Tzu puppies. \$125. Days - 263-8497; Nights 263-4234.

STUD SERVICE: AKC registered red Chihuahua, under 3 lbs. Call for information 393-5640.

FOUND: 3 PUPPIES, 1500 block of Scurry. Owner please claim. 263-4874, no answer, keep trying.

Pet Grooming 515

IRIS' POODLE Parlor. Grooming, indoor kennels - heated and air, supplies, coats, etc. 2112 West 3rd, 263-2409 - 263-7900.

Lost - 3 PUPPIES, 1500 block of Scurry. Owner please claim. 263-4874, no answer, keep trying.

Portable Buildings 523

PORTABLE BUILDINGS for every need. Storage, offices, retail, oilfield. 1-20 East, Midway Exit 182.

Musical Instruments 529

PIANO FOR Sale. Good condition. \$100 Call after 5:00 394-4509.

Appliances 530

LARGE SELECTION: used refrigerators, stoves, freezers, washers and dryers. Branham Furniture, 1008 East 3rd, 263-3066.

SEVERAL SMALL Used office or shop refrigerators, starting at \$39.95. Clean wringer washer. Branham Furniture, 1008 East 3rd, 263-3066.

Household Goods 531

TWO KING size mattress, box springs with frames. \$150 per set. Call 263-4450.

BEAUTIFUL LIGHTED hutch: white GE refrigerator; Speed Queen washer /dryer. Dukes Furniture.

Lawn Mowers 532

LAWN MOWER for sale. 8 h.p. riding. 267-5190 2908 Cactus.

7 H.P. JOHN Deere riding lawn mower, runs good, new seat. \$400. Call 263-3437 after 6:00.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY 001

PLACE YOUR ad in City Bits, 3 lines. \$3.00. Appears daily on Page 3-A. Call Debbie for more details today!!

Ginger Bryant

FOR SALE: Twin bed, king size bed and dresser. \$60 263-8612 after 6:00.

MUST SELL! 1982 14x80 Brookwood II. Central heat and air. Three bedroom, two bath. 263-8140.

JUST REDUCED! 4 bedroom or 3 bedroom with 2 living areas, 1-1/2 bath. \$30's Call Loyce - ERA 267-8826, 263-1738.

1982 CAMARO. ADULT owned, low mileage, new paint, tires. \$5,000. Call 263-2616 after 6:00.

INSIDE SALE: 411 Lancaster, Wednesdays thru Friday. Clothes, appliances, shoes, fan, miscellaneous. 8:30 - 7.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY 001

FIRST TIME Garage Sale! 2922 Melrose (Coronado Addition), Friday - Saturday, 8:00 - 4:00. Stereo, Singer Sewing Machine, couch, recliner, deep freeze, cedar chest, shop table, refrigerator, glassware, miscellaneous.

LOOK at this charming 3-2, with large den and nicest kitchen with breakfast bar, built in dishwasher, oven range. Large master bedroom, very nice utility room and storage area. In 40's. Call ERA Reeder Realtors, ask for Carla, 267-8266 or home, 263-4667.

CASH PAID for cars and pickups. Kenneth Howell, 263-0747, 263-4345.

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Garage Sale 535

CANTIQUE, furniture, jewelry, guns, toys, bedding, appliances, musical instruments, real estate. Mel's, 110 East 3rd.

DISALE OF portable Necker sewing machine, Phaff domestic sewing machine, down draft air conditioner and miscellaneous, antiques. See at 700 Alford.

DRESSER, BUNK bed, bar stools, refrigerator, carpet, bicycles. Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday, 3417 West Hwy 80.

2605 CACTUS, Saturday 8:00-1:00 Five families, household items, books, tools, clothing, many miscellaneous items.

BIG SALE: Dolls, books, furniture, kids adult clothing, Avon bottles, 3 wheeler, miscellaneous. Thursday -Friday, 2407 Alabama.

DJ & J PENNY SAVER, 204 West 18th. Western paperbacks, cassette tapes, all size clothing, curtains, bedspreads, (special on short pants, valances, small ladies clothing).

QUEEN SIZE table and mattress, coffee tables, end tables, dresser, range, freezer. 2207 Scurry, Thursday-Sunday.

Miscellaneous 537

BOB SMITH says, "Get out of jail, ring my bell." A Bob Smith Bail Bonds, 267-5360.

CUSTOM BUILT meat smoker - over 100 pound capacity. Great for commercial or club. 263-4549, 267-3470.

WINDSHIELD REPAIR: Repair stone damage before it cracks. Call Jimmy Wallace for lowest prices! 267-7293.

LICENSED MASTER Plumber, \$15 hour. Call 267-5920.

HALF PRICE! Flashing arrow signs, \$2991 Lighted, non-arrow, \$2891 Unlighted \$2491 Free letters! See locally. Call today! Factory: 1-(800)423-0163 anytime.

THREE PROM dresses: (1) stereophonic music system. Call 263-6162.

FOR SALE: Apple IIC portable computer system. (1)-17 ft. canoe, (2)-10 speed bicycles. 263-8147.

RENT-TO-OWN: TV's, VCR's, Stereos, furniture and appliances. 90 days same as cash CIC Finance, 406 Runnels, 263-7338 (subject to approval).

WE BUY good used gas stoves and refrigerators. Call 267-5191.

C. RAMIREZ Boot & Shoe Repair 310 Northwest 3rd, 267-9803 Monday-Friday, 9:00-5:30 Saturday, 9:00-1:00.

FIREWOOD SPRING Special. Mesquite, Oak and Pecan. Call before 8:00 a.m. and after 7:00 p.m., (915) 453-2151, Robert Lee.

WASHER, DRYER, large chest freezer, 4 poster mahogany bedroom suite, small china, maple table leaf 4 chairs, large dresser, several chest of drawers, lawn mowers, swing set, refrigerated air conditioner, bar-b-que, many miscellaneous. L & L Trading Post, 2 miles Andrews Highway.

KING SIZE Water bed, \$200; evaporative air conditioner, \$175; stove, \$75. Call 263-5020 after 5:00.

COUCH, (2) CHAIRS, (2) lounge, (2) boxsprings and mattresses. Good condition. Call 267-5604.

GE CONSOLE STEREO with Porta-Fi, \$75 (includes 90+ records), Lazy Boy recliner, \$40, Casio cash register, \$100. All good condition. 263-2315.

TWIN SIZE canopy. Almost new! With 2 set of bedspreads, sheets and canopy cover. \$150. Call 267-3167 leave number.

FISHING WORMS, \$1.50 box. Call 263-4998.

Want To Buy 545

WE BUY good used refrigerators and stoves. Call 263-3066.

WANT TO BUY 1963-1970 Chevy van for parts. 267-6892.

Telephone Service 549

FOR BEST prices on telephone jacks, repair, sets and accessories Call Dillard at J'Dean, 267-5478.

FOR INSTALLS, moves, changes, additions, repairs, sales. Call Travis Crow, Corn Shop, 267-2423. Free Estimates.

Houses For Sale 601

LETS TALK - Affordable, 3-2, carpeted, large backyard. Owner financed. \$10,000. Call 267-9865.

FEELING HEMMED IN? Buy this spacious 3 bedroom home with lots of storage and large yard. Folsom schools, storm cellar. Price has just been reduced! Sellers are motivated. See today and make offer! Call Marjorie Dodson, South Mountain Agency, 263-8419 or home, 267-7760.

NEW ON MARKET - By owner - 4201 Bilger. 3-2-2 solid brick. Fireplace, covered patio, ceiling fans, mini-blinds, nice landscaping. \$67,000. Assumable loan. Call 263-2294 for appointment.

FHA APPRAISAL necessitates \$3,000 price reduction and owner is motivated! Almost 2,000 square feet, isolated den /MBR, hobby room, plant room. Call Ellen Phillips at South Mountain Agency, 263-8419 or home, 263-8507.

HORSE LOVERS delight on 1 acre north of town. Beautiful 2 bedroom home for you and stables, barns, corrals and training ring for horses! Call Ellen Phillips at South Mountain Agency, 263-8419 or home, 263-8507.

Unfurnished Apartments 655

FURNISHED 1-2 bedroom, water paid. HUD Approved. Call 263-0906 or 267-6561.

HOUSES APARTMENTS Duplexes. 1-2-3 and 4 bedroom. Furnished, unfurnished. Call Ventura Company, 267-2655.

NICE ONE - Bedroom apartment, \$245.00-150.00 deposit, also one, two bedroom mobile homes. \$195.00- \$225.00. No children or pets. 263-6944 or 263-2341.

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PONDEROSA APARTMENTS, 1425 East 6th. One and two bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished; two bedroom, two bath. Covered parking, swimming pool, laundry rooms. All utilities paid. 263-6319.

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2 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths
All electric kitchen, microwave, washer-dryer connections, attached carports, private patio. Courtyard, club room and pool. Serene & Secure. Comparable one bedroom available.
801 Marcy Manager #1
Phone 267-6500

BARCELONA APARTMENTS - a comfortable home at an affordable price. 538 Westover. 263-1252.

Houses For Sale 601

BY OWNER: 3-2 with fans, mini-blinds, Folsom schools, refrigerated air, carpeted. 2105 Carl, 267-8628.

FHA APPRAISAL is in and owners say sell! 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood shop, tile fence, new heat pump. Close to shopping, college. Call Ellen Phillips at South Mountain Agency, 263-8419 or home, 263-8507.

DON'T MISS this opportunity to own an immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home in Washington Place. A king-sized family room overlooks a pretty deck and sparkling, inviting swimming pool for summer fun. A living room with the warmth of a fireplace for winter. A super workshop/garage for the handy man or storage. Price has been reduced to \$57,000 and owner will help pay buyers closing costs. Call us to see this one! Sun Country, 267-3613, Janelle, 263-6892.

Jerry Jobe
CAN YOU believe under \$40,000 in Kentwood? 3 bedroom, 1-3/4 bath, new paint, new carpet being installed. Call Century 21, 263-8402.

HOUSE FOR sale on 1004 North Main. Call 267-7934.

Lots For Sale 602

SPRING SALE: Cedar Cove Development at Lake Spence 1/2 acre lots, \$4,000 and up. 15% discount for cash, 10% we finance. Phone for brochure (915)362-6344 or 366-8425.

Business Property 604

THREE DUPLEXES for sale. Great location, excellent condition. rent income is \$1,150 month. Only two vacancies since June 1987. 267-7873.

Acreage For Sale 605

ATTENTION SELLERS! From 100 acres to a section of farmland. Call ERA Reader Realtors, 267-8266 ask for Marva Dean Willis, home 267-8747.

Resort Property 608

PRICE REDUCED to \$10,000. 3 bedroom mobile home with screened porch and garage. Lake Colorado City, leased lot. 1-728-8909 or 267-2470.

Manufactured Housing For Sale 611

BILLS MOBILE home service. Complete moving and set-up. Legal in all states. 267-5685.

REDUCED 12 x70, 3 bedroom, 1-3/4 baths, new repairs. 263-4436.

1981 REDMAN 14 x84, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Heat and refrigerated air. \$10,000. Call 263-3795.

ATTENTION: 1st time home buyers! No credit needed. Low down payment. Low monthly payments. We deliver. 806-894-7212.

REPOS, REPOS, 2 & 3 bedrooms. No credit needed. Call 806-894-8187.

FOR SALE: 14x70, 3 bedroom mobile home. \$3,200 cash or \$1,000 down, \$150 month I carry papers. \$3,500 if pay out. Sitting on acre of land, \$50.00 monthly. Folsom District, 267-4994.

Mobile Home Spaces 613

NICE, PRIVATE mobile home space, storm cellar, carport, steps. Coahoma Schools. Call 263-4187.

Cemetery Lots For Sale 620

FOR SALE: Two Crypts (double) in Mausoleum, Trinity Memorial Park. For details call 267-6649.

SAVE \$100 ON 2 adjoining cemetery lots in Trinity Memorial Park. Call 267-2885.

Furnished Apartments 651

FREE RENT. One month. Low rates. Nice 1, 2, 3, bedroom apartments. Furnished, unfurnished. HUD Approved. 263-7811.

FOR RENT: Three room apartment. \$48 a week. All bills paid. 810 Andree.

NICELY DECORATED, 1 bedroom. Adults only. You pay bills. No pets. \$50 deposit, \$125 month. 505 Nolan, 267-8191.

PARTIALLY FURNISHED apartment. One person. \$150 month. Close to Veterans Hospital. \$100 month. Call 263-7556.

LOVELY NEIGHBORHOOD COMPLEX

Carports - Swimming Pool - Most utilities paid - Furnished or Unfurnished - Discount to Senior Citizens.

1-2 Bdrs & 1 or 2 Bths
Newly Remodeled
24 hour on premises Manager
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100% GOVERNMENT ASSISTED, all bills paid, rent based on income, relocated, stoves and refrigerators, family and children. Security Guards. Equal Opportunity Housing. Northcrest Village, 1002 N. Main, 267-5191.

ALL BILLS paid, carpet, stoves and refrigerators, large apartments. Near elementary school. Equal Housing Opportunity, Park Village Apartments, 1905 Wason Road, 267-6421.

Furnished Houses 657

ONE BEDROOM, new paneling. Employed couple or single gentleman. No children or pets. Call 267-6417 before 6:00 p.m.

FURNISHED NICE 1 bedroom, has washer. Couple or single. No children or pets. Call 263-4187.

ONE, TWO, three bedroom, fenced yards-maintained, water, paid, deposit. HUD approved. 267-5546 or 263-0746.

BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED 2 bedroom. Mature adults. No children. No pets. References required. \$300 month, plus utilities -deposit. 263-6944; 263-2341.

CLEAN TWO bedroom, nicely furnished, carpet, drapes, refrigerated air. 263-3250, 263-2622.

NEAR COLLEGE Heights, cute, secluded, 1 bedroom garage; 1 bedroom duplex, bills paid. 267-5740.

Unfurnished Houses 659

KENTWOOD 2210 LYNN 3 bedroom, 2 bath, garage, fenced backyard. \$450 month plus deposit. 263-6514 Owner-Broker.

FOR RENT: Nice big 2 bedroom, 1 bath. 1607 Sycamore. \$300 month, \$150 deposit. Call 267-1543 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR RENT: Two unfurnished, 3 bedroom houses. Call 263-8452 before 6:00 p.m.

UNFURNISHED, two bedroom house, 1408 Shepherd (between Main and Runnels). Call 263-8034 after 5:30 p.m.

TWO BEDROOM, paneled, carpet. No children or pets. References. Call 267-6417 before 6:00 p.m.

RENT TO BUY 2 bedroom house. 811 West 8th. Also bed and springs. Call 263-8284.

FOR SALE or rent - Oasis Addition, nice 3 bedroom on 3/4 acre, steel siding, mini blinds, water well, barn. For sale \$25,000 or for rent \$300. L & M Properties. 267-3648.

HOUSE FOR rent, Kentwood. 3 bedroom, washer /dryer, refrigerator. \$400 month. 263-1613; 263-1234.

THREE BEDROOM, carpet, washer-dryer connections. \$300. \$100 deposit. 2003 Morrison. 263-3920 after 5:00 p.m.

TWO BEDROOM homes. New carpet, refrigerator and range. Near V. A. Hospital. Call Sweetwater, 1-235-3435.

TWO BEDROOM with range and refrigerator. 1306 Wood. \$250 month. Call 267-7380.

Unfurnished Houses 659

FORMER DUPLEX, now 4 (possibly 5) bedrooms, 2 bath. Stove, refrigerator furnished. Nice carpet. 267-2112.

THREE BEDROOMS, two baths, double garage. Range, refrigerator, carpeting, draperies. Deposit. No pets. \$475. 267-2070.

CLEAN THREE bedroom, one bath, new carpet, new paint, fenced yard. \$250 \$100 deposit. 263-8202 after 4:00.

THREE BEDROOM, carpet, fresh paint, \$200 month, 1000 East 6th. Call 263-3175.

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TWO BEDROOM, one bath, new carpet and paint. Refrigerated air, attached garage. Call 267-5855.

CLEAN, FENCED, 2 bedroom Circle Drive; cozy 1 bedroom cottage near Post Office. 267-5740.

EXTRA CLEAN, 2 bedroom, carpet, fenced yard, carport. See at 700 Lorilla. Call 267-6703 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, carpeted, fenced yard. Good location. \$300 month, \$150 deposit. Call 267-1543 after 5:00 p.m.

FIVE ROOM House, large livingroom, washer /dryer room, carpeted, air conditioner. \$175 month. Call 267-7674.

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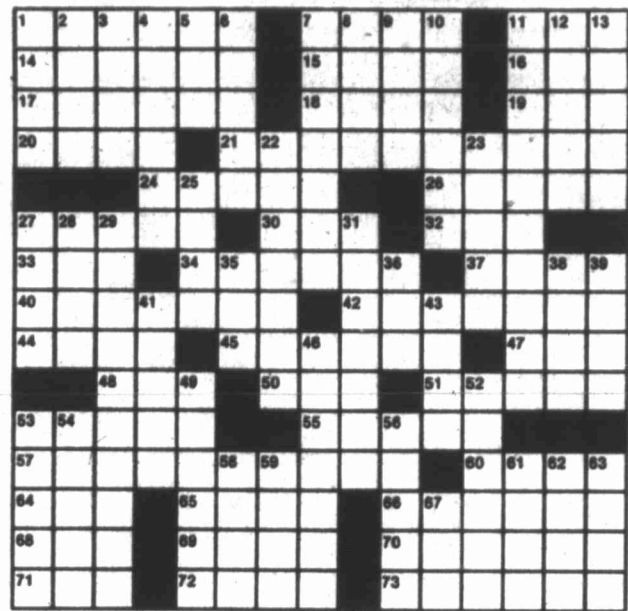
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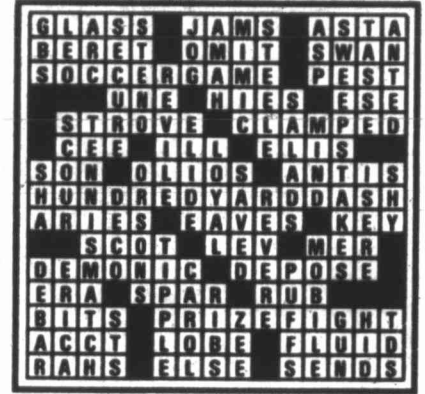
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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



JEANE DIXON'S Your Horoscope

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: The relentless struggles of the past bring new rewards your way. A study project prepares you to take a giant step forward. A job may not be all it was advertised, but it could lead to something quite terrific by late fall. Summer employment should be a must for a college-bound student. You get a chance to improve your money reserves. Forgive those who have hurt you and get on with your life. Romance beckons.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: director Francis Ford Coppola, TV host David Frost, actor James Garner, poet William Wordsworth, journalist Walter Winchell, running back Tony Dorsett, conductor Percy Faith, singer Billie Holiday, former California Gov. Jerry Brown.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Although financial progress is not as swift as you would like, you know how well off you are. A romantic relationship wavers between joy and uncertainty. Take a child on a trip.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your self-confidence returns and so does your good health. You need to make a decision about your weight. Concentrate on what is good for you medically. Double-check budget before incurring expenditures.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your friend: will be lucky for you now. Business has its ups and downs,

but will eventually settle down nicely. A family member may bring a problem to you. Be a good listener.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Success will come quicker when you learn to follow through. Attention to detail is the key to greater satisfaction and profits. Your plans to go back to school win an employer's approval.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Strengthen your friendships and business alliances. Love is a powerful force in your life. You are able to influence people who make important decisions. Your imagination tells you the right direction to take.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Do not expect too much from others today. Show that you understand a teen-ager's problems. A family member will bring you luck if you talk candidly. Recognize your strengths and weaknesses.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Pay closer attention to details. Be considerate of others and you will gain the influence you seek. A sticky situation can be resolved if you are not too pushy. Pull back.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A good sense of humor helps you through a crisis. Your desire to be noticed must be tempered. Put loved ones' needs first and your life will turn around.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A friend could be a source of inspiration. Enjoy the company of old friends. Work and community interests could vie for your atten-

tion. You have the energy to handle several things at one time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You make an excellent impression on an attractive member of the opposite sex. Travel could prove highly profitable. Make the most of an unusual opportunity to promote your interests. Buttonhole someone influential.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your friends are very helpful now. Problems could develop when you try to set up a new business or financial arrangement. Be more tolerant of other people's foibles. Let bygones be bygones.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Your career prospects improve when you enroll in night school. Extra earnings come from recycling old ideas. Use tact to avoid arguments. Curb a sudden impulse to splurge. Save for a rainy day.

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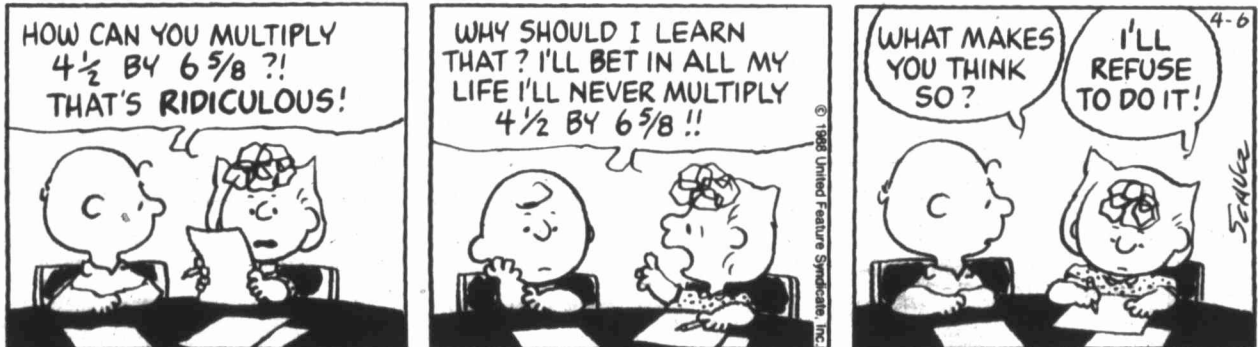


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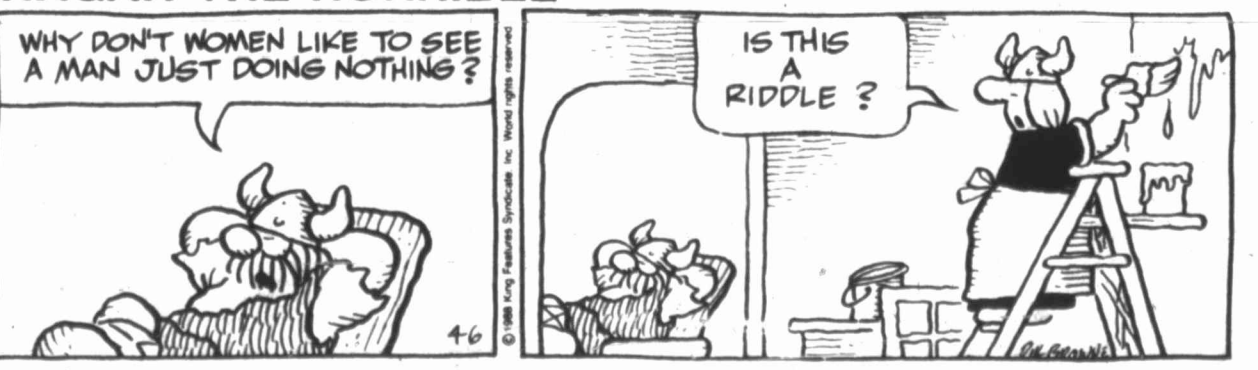
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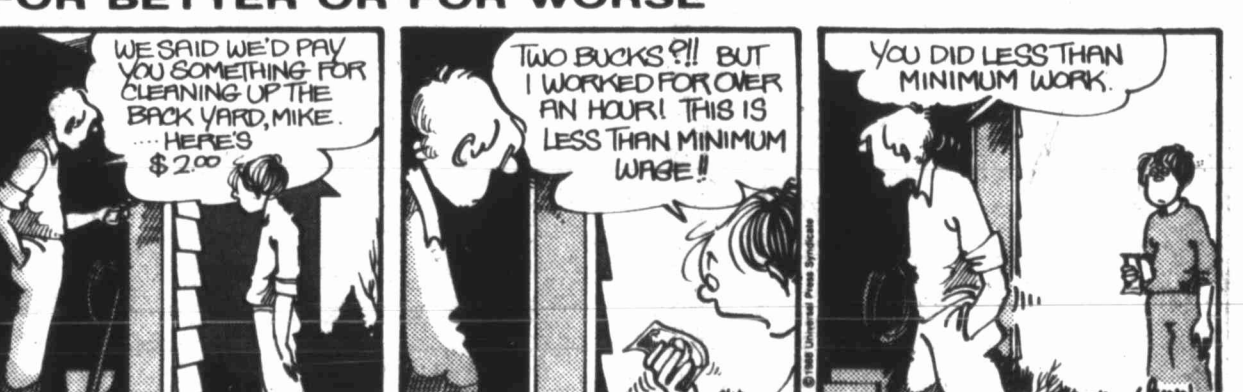
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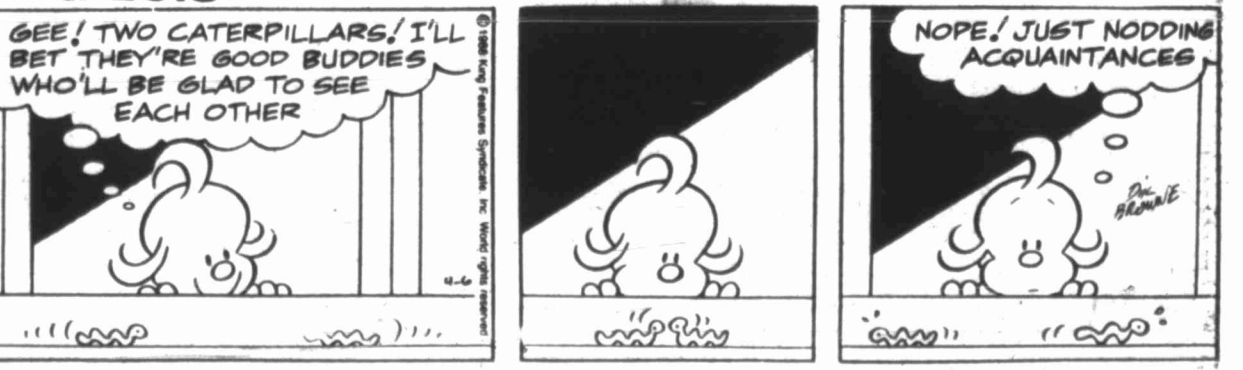
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Jody Nix: Some mighty big boots to fill

By PEGGY LUXTON
Member Information Advisor
Cap Rock Electric Co-Op

Jody Nix has some awfully big boots to fill. He is the son of the late Hoyle Nix, who was band master to generations of West Texas dancers.

Hoyle, who died on August 21, 1985, at the age of 67, played for decades with his band, the West Texas Cowboys, all over West Texas. The band was headquartered at the Stampede, located north of Big Spring, but adhered to a set schedule of dates in the near area.

A week's time would see the band performing in Brownfield, San Angelo, Sweetwater, Abilene and Big Spring. During the 60's, young people would brag about how many Saturday nights in a row they had spent at the Stampede. Unless the number was over 50, you were not considered a real Stampede fan.

Jody joined his father's band as drummer at the tender age of eight. He quickly became a dedicated performer, traveling with the band at night and attending school during the day.

Jody began playing the fiddle at age 11. He started singing with the band at age 14 and at the time of his father's death, he had performed alongside Hoyle for 25 years. When his father died, Jody took his place at the head of the band and hasn't looked back since.

Jody changed the name of the band slightly and they became the Texas Cowboys. They do not have a "circuit" as such, but play in various places throughout the state.

The band has played at the Sand Hills Rodeo in Odessa, Bob Wills Day in Turkey, the Cowboy Fiesta in San Angelo and various Cowboy

Christmas Balls. They have performed at rodeo dances in Big Spring, Coleman, Snyder, Lamesa, Paducah and Henrietta.

The band has traveled back and forth across the state under Jody's leadership and the crowds have continued to grow in number. In 1986, the band set a record at the Texas Cowboy Reunion in Stamford, when 1,953 people attended the Saturday night dance. In 1987, the band broke its own record by drawing 2,000 people. Their attendance record stands over the reunion's 50-year history. Other record crowds attended dances in Bandera and Henrietta's Clay County Pioneer Days.

The Texas Cowboys consist of Jody, who fronts the band, plays the fiddle, and performs vocals; Ricky Boen, fiddle and mandolin; Rick Johnson, steel guitar; Tommy Harvell, bass; and Neal Goates, drums. The musicians are a "people pleasing" band. Jody says they strive to give the people what they want. Their musical specialty is traditional country and western swing. Jody emulates his father when he allows no drugs or alcohol in his band.

Jody is married to the former Cindy Hataway of Snyder. He has one daughter, Brooke, age 6, and two stepsons, Royce, 16, and Ross, 12. He lives on the farm his grandfather bought about six miles north of Big Spring, just off the Gail Road.

Jody, as band leader, has put his own stamp on the band and on his music. In 1978, he recorded a single entitled "Two Empty Glasses." It was followed in 1980 by an album of the same name. In 1986, Jody cut a new album, a cassette called "New



LITTLE DRUMMER BOY — Jody at the age of 8, when he became drummer in the West Texas Cowboys, a Big Spring-based band headed by his late father, Hoyle Nix.

Road Under My Wheels." Jody says this album reflected the way his life is headed.

Jody's new road leads progressively farther and farther. He has carried his band and his music to the farthest points of the state. He is constantly striving to

lead his band into new territory. He would like to see his band's reputation spread as far as possible.

As a musician, he is constantly reaching for new peaks, new points to conquer. Jody Nix and his Texas Cowboys are known in many Texas points and beyond.



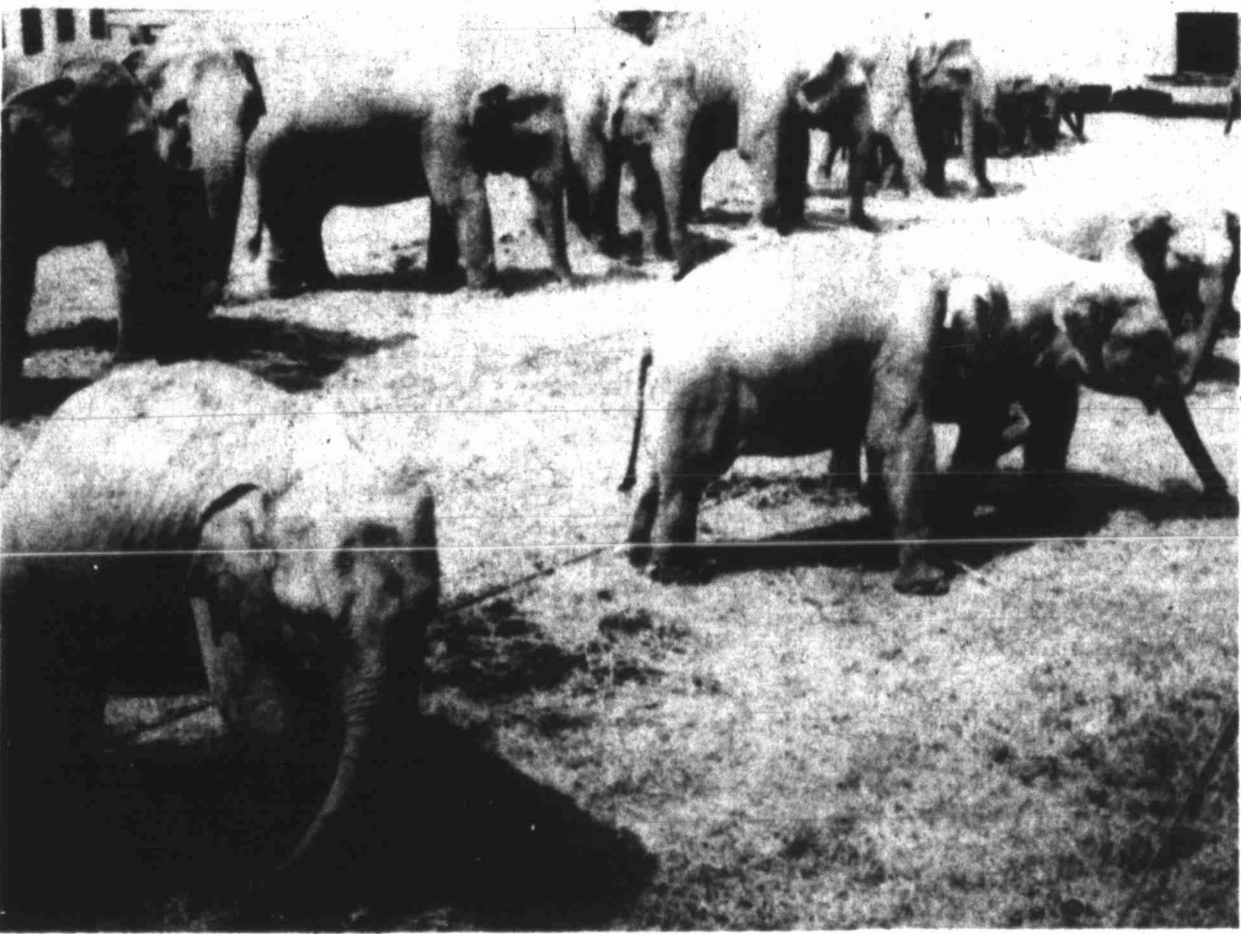
LEADER OF THE BAND — Jody Nix, who at the age of 35 fronts his own Texas swing band, has a heritage of music history behind him.

The boots Hoyle Nix left for his son to fill are fitting tighter every day. from his home town of Big Spring as the band's popularity continues to grow. But Jody's roots run deep.

Music is his life and he says he is happy with his life.

He is very family-oriented and enjoys calf and steer roping in his spare time and tries not to miss too many Dallas Cowboys games. He has gone from the eight-year-old whose feet didn't touch the floor behind his drums to a seasoned performer, band leader and Texas musician in his own right.

Biggest circus in years coming for one day only



REALLY BIG — Largest herd of elephants anywhere is carried by the Carson and Barnes Circus.

Recognized for years as "the Biggest Big Top on Earth" Carson & Barnes 5-Ring Circus reaches a new pinnacle with its "Raucous Roaring 20's" edition coming to Stanton Industrial Tract on Smith College for one day only, shows at 4:30 and 8 p.m. on April 11 sponsored by Martin County Chamber of Commerce.

Hailed as a "return to the good old days," Carson & Barnes Circus features 20 elephants, a million dollar zoo of wild, exotic, and domestic animals, and top-flight human performers from many nations.

Highlighted are numerous circus acts, each of which is described by the circus as "center ring calibre." Included are Patricia White's mixed group of Nubian lions and Siberian tigers and a trained liger; leading groups of flying trapeze artists featuring the Perez family; the Loyal-Repensky troupe of bareback riders from Western Europe; Israel, Portugal scaling the top of the tent on the high wire; the Kiss Troupe from Hungary with an incredible balancing display; the Poema family from Argentina presenting their award winning risley act; prize liberty horses and the largest herd of performing elephants anywhere.

History books come to life as Carson & Barnes uses some of its huge elephant herd for the morning chore of erecting its mammoth Big Top, stretching more than a city block long.

Area residents are invited to come to the showgrounds on circus morning to witness this age-old spectacle and to see the unloading, feeding and watering of the many animals. This is a show in itself — and free to everyone.

Carson & Barnes is the only big tented circus still making traditional one-day stands, turning vacant lots into midways of fantasy.

For persons coming to the big show, midway attractions, including the pony ride and snake show, open at least one hour before each performance.

Tickets will be on sale at the circus grounds on showday. You save a dollar per ticket if you buy your tickets before showday at Martin County Chamber of Commerce, M and M Meter Service, Stallings and Herm, P.C., CPA's, First National Bank, First Bankers Trust and Savings Association and Stanton National Bank.

Like the good old days, Carson & Barnes Circus still gets around in caravan style. The first of some 80 trucks and other vehicles will ar-

rive soon after dawn and they will continue to file in through much of the morning as the circus city sets up.

Elephants still help hoist the big top. More than 100 metal poles of varying length support the massive rain and flameproof polyvinyl tent and each pole is pulled into place by one of the lumbering elephants.

Other trucks carrying the more than 200 wild, exotic and domestic animals will arrive and empty their cargo.

Carson & Barnes has more species on exhibit than any other circus in the U.S. and the circus zoo includes a giraffe, rare white rhino, hippo and many others.

"We get a big thrill from having the public watch us set up," says D.R. Miller, circus owner. "I don't remember much about the first circus performance I ever saw, but still vivid in my memory are the sights and sounds of them erecting the big tent and unloading the animals."

All this is preliminary to the big show. Carson & Barnes says this is the biggest and most spectacular show in 50 years. While maintaining its international reputation for top-notch animal acts, it has added world-class human acts for this spectacular production.

Lenorah Grocery under new ownership

By PEGGY LUXTON
Member Information Advisor

The Lenorah Grocery Store has been a landmark in Lenorah almost as long as anyone can remember. A family named Foreman first built the store in the early 40's. The first building was across the highway from the location of the present one.

In 1947, the store was blown away by a tornado. When it was built back, it was built on the south side of the highway instead of the north. Again in 1957, the store was destroyed by a tornado. The present building was constructed at that time.

The Springer brothers, Grover and Denver, purchased the store about 1947. They operated it until about two months ago, when it was sold to Paladio and Tamra Garza.

The Garza family is certainly not new to Lenorah. Lupe, Sr. came to Lenorah in the late 30's, his wife followed him in 1941. Lupe was a farm laborer and had been working in South Texas for the weekly sum

of \$16. He came to Lenorah for the higher wages; he made \$21 a week there.

Paladio says that in the early sixties, his dad had achieved a weekly wage of \$25. At that time, he and his wife, Luisa, had nine children, all still living at home. In 1962, after a good crop for his boss, Charlie Cravens, Lupe bought a piece of land and built the family home.

Paladio is the owner of the Lenorah Works and Service, which he has operated for the past 20 years. Tamra manages this business as well as their new business, the Lenorah Grocery. She also looks after their two young sons, P.J., 5, and Justin, 2 1/2.

The original Lenorah Grocery was a combination of grocery store, hardware store and cafe. Paladio says they intend to install cafe fixtures in the near future and one room of the structure is already devoted to hardware. He says he and his wife hope to restore

the store as closely as possible to its original function.

The nine Garza children all attended either Grady or Klondike Schools. Other children of Lupe, Sr. and Luisa are: Lupe, Jr., who lives in Lenorah and works for TST.

Rolando, who lives in Lenorah and works for M.D. Mitchell. Sonny, who lives in Stanton and works for Cap Rock Electric Cooperative.

Frank, who lives in Lenorah and works for the Four-Way Gin.

Albert, who lives in Stnton and works for Standard Oil.

Marry, who is married to Raul Mendez, lives in Stanton and works for the Stanton ISD.

Olga, who is married to Leandro Gonzales, lives in Stanton and works for the Grady ISD.

Ricky, who works and lives in Midland.

Under Paladio and Tamra's ownership, the Lenorah Grocery is open seven days a week. Hours are 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sundays through Fridays and is open until midnight

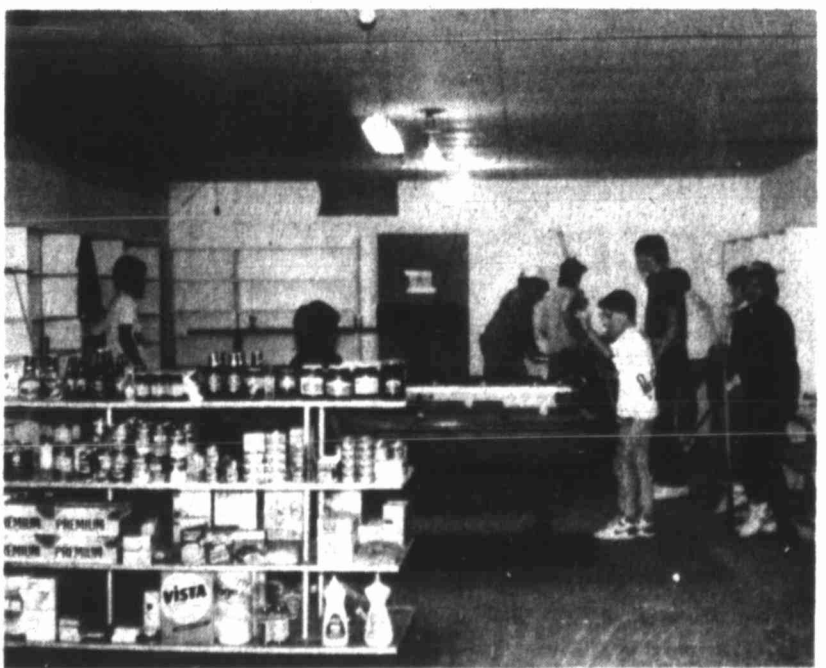
on Saturdays.

With such an extended family, the Garzas did not have to look far to find employees for the store. Letitia, Paladio's niece, and her husband, Daniel Ramos, both work in the store. Two other nieces, Sandra and Norma Garza, are also employees.

The store stocks many grocery items, from catsup to laundry soap. A variety of nuts, bolts and belts can be found in the hardware section. There is candy, cigarettes, soft drinks and ice cream.

But what has turned the present store into the most popular spot in town are the two pool tables and foosball machine Paladio has installed in the back. He says that after school and on weekends, the store is filled with kids. He keeps a jam box perched in back, equipped with a cassette player. The kids are invited to bring their own tapes. Paladio says as long as they keep the volume to a dull roar, he just leaves them alone.

(See Lenorah, page 2)



FROM GROCERIES TO POOL — The Lenorah Grocery Store is a popular gathering place for students. The store has two pool tables and a foosball machine.

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OH, HOW YOU LAUGH — Dudley the Clown cheered up residents at the Stanton Care Center Thursday. His jokes were appreciated.



WATCH THIS TRICK — "Advance Clown," often called Dudley, displays some of his magic for happy children in Stanton.

National Touring Clown shows up in Stanton

Dudley, the National Touring Clown of the 5-Ring Carson & Barnes Circus, was in Stanton Thursday. However, "The Biggest Big Top on Earth" won't be presenting performances here until 4:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., Monday, April 11.

Dudley is what is known in circus talk as an "advance clown". He goes ahead of the big show to stir up interest and attract customers to the performance. Dudley's real name is Bryan Dreyfus. He began his performing career as Bryan the Magician in 1971, appearing on telethons, television magazine programs, private and sponsored performance too numerous to mention, and performances aboard the Valley Queen II Riverboat as a guest star with a vaudeville show. In 1984 he starred in his own television special.

Bryan began clowning in 1980 as a sideline to his magic. He is self-taught in the art of clowning. His character "Dudley The Magic Clown" is a tramp clown in the tradition of Charlie Chaplin's "Little Tramp" and Emmett Kelly's "Weary Willie". Dudley, with his obvious money woes, is a magician who, despite adversities, manages to get by and also has fun doing it.

What about Carson & Barnes? Bryan and Dudley both say "Don't miss it. It is a complete tent circus in the tradition of the big shows that criss-crossed the nation in the 30's. Frankly it is what circus is all about."

Dudley performed at Stanton Care Center, Kiddie Korner, Martin County Hospital and Community Center.

Barnes, Newman seize second places at Llano

With most of the track team taking spring break, two SHS athletes competed in the Yellow Jacket Relays in Llano Thursday. A wide area of Central Texas was represented in the meet, with mostly 3A schools competing.

In the 100 meters Kody Newman ran a qualifying time of 12.65 and a 12.7 in the finals to take second place. With a light mist falling, Newman ran her season best in the 200 prelims in 26.29. Her time in the

finals of 26.31 was good for third place.

Kevin Barnes ran his season best in the 800 meters among a field of tough competitors. With the top five running under 2:04, Barnes had 2:01.80 for second place.

The last practice meet for both the boys and girls squads will be this Saturday, April 9, in Colorado City. District meet will be in Big Lake on April 15.



LENORAH LANDMARK — The Lenorah Grocery store, shown above, owned by the Springer brothers, Grover and Denver since 1947, has been purchased by Paladio and Tamra Garza.

Lenorah

(Continued from page 1)

So the old Lenorah Store has taken on a brand new function. You can still buy a box of crackers there, or purchase a can of Comet, or have an ice cream. But the store has also become something of a youth center, where kids can meet after school and on weekends for a game of pool or foosball and listen to a jukebox that doesn't run on quarters.

For kids who live this far from the nearest large town, the store serves as club, meeting place, hangout and social center, all in one. Plus, you can always pick up a loaf of bread for mom on the way home.

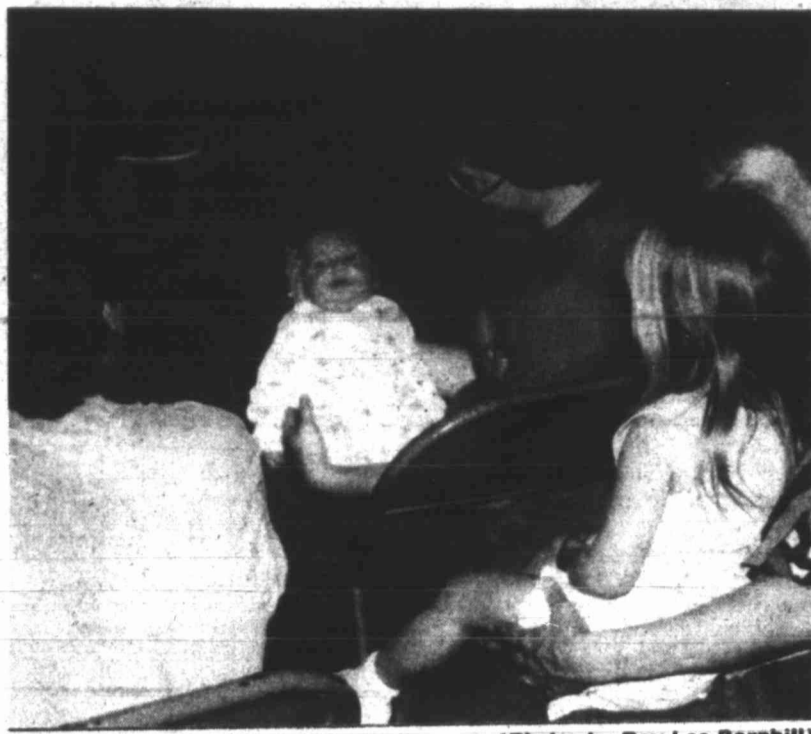


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Malone and Hogan Clinic is pleased to introduce our new Dermatologist, Abraham Lopez, M.D. Dr. Lopez comes to Big Spring from San Antonio, Texas.

A native Puerto Rican, Dr. Lopez received his medical degree from La Salle University in Mexico City. He has completed his internships at the Ponce District General Hospital in Ponce, Puerto Rico, and at the Boston University Medical Center affiliate in Framingham, Massachusetts. Dr. Lopez served with the United States Air Force, completed a residency in Dermatology and was honorably discharged in 1985. He speaks fluent Spanish.

Malone and Hogan Clinic is pleased to welcome Dr. Lopez and his family to Big Spring. Appointments are now available.



(Photos by Roy Lee Barnhill)

YOU ARE NEVER TOO YOUNG — A recently born baby found Dudley the Clown a novelty. Nancy Bradshaw seems to be just a little proud. Wonder why? The action happened at the community center Thursday.

Chamber Chatter

By GERRY YARDLEY
Just one more week - Monday and the Carson & Barnes Circus will be here in Stanton! It's really, really, the biggest wild animal show in the US.

The Circus folks have invited anyone to come watch them set-up if we'll stay out of their way and not get hurt.

And van-loads or groups of Senior citizens will get in for the price of children's tickets.

Some of Martin County's own people may be riding those big ole elephants -giddy-up, Dobbin! that may really be sumpin to see!

Dudley, the clown, was in town last Thursday. He had a fun show at the community center and hopes everyone can come enjoy the circus. Now I hear there will be a

clown-coloring contest among some of our elementary grades so keep your ears open. And remember to Buy Your Ticket Early. You'll save money!

Spring has really sprung - and school will be out for the summer in just a few more weeks. The chamber will be getting our "Yards" project off to a start soon. We all need to get our knees and backs in gear for yard work and maybe get that big pretty sign up in our yards.

Say, I miss that Heart 'O Texas bank already. Even though their building still stands on that corner it looks lonesome and I miss Amy being so near.

So long till next column - see you at the Circus next Monday!

SHS golfers putt at Rankin course

The SHS golf team utilized their spring break to get in extra practice sessions. The boys' team played the Rankin and McCamey courses on Monday. The Rankin course will be the site of the third round of district play for the boys on April 8.

The fourth and final round will be at McCamey on April 16. On Tuesday the squad played on the Comanche Trials course in Big Spring, which will be the site of the Region I Tournament on April 26 - 27.

The boy's squad is in second place in district competition, nine strokes behind Ozona with a 16 stroke lead over third place

McCamey. On Wednesday the team played the San Saba course and on Thursday played the Lions Municipal course in Austin. The Lions course is the site of the AA State meet.

Golf coach John Stiles feels the squad is improving and will contend for the district title.

Stuart Beckwith's girls team got in a practice round at Ozona and played in the Sundown tournament. The girls will be playing their home course this Friday and will be playing the final round in Ozona on April 16th. The girls team is currently in second place behind Ozona.

Farmers continue comeback in U.S.

Farmers are continuing to make a strong financial comeback from the pounding they endured in the early 1980s, according to a new Agriculture Department report. Cash income is still expected to

recede from last year's \$57 billion to between \$ 50 billion and \$ 55 billion in 1988, the department's Economic Research Service said last week.

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Easter program praised

The Stanton Community Choir under the direction of Jerry Lewis presented a special Easter program Sunday evening at the Stanton High School Auditorium.

Cindy Tofano served as narrator of the presentation of "The Day He Wore My Crown." Solos and special parts were given by Larry Adams, Penny Clevenger, Rena Harris, Mary Hildreth, Lance Hopper, Danny Koonce, Sharon Lewis and Dennis Tofano.

The performance by the 25 voice choir was well received. Lewis stated the choir had practiced every Sunday afternoon for the past two months.

Menu

- BREAKFAST**
WEDNESDAY — Pancakes; syrup; juice and milk.
THURSDAY — Sausage & gravy; biscuit; juice and milk.
FRIDAY — Cinnamon rolls; juice and milk.
MONDAY — Buttered oats; toast; juice and milk.
TUESDAY — Blueberry muffins; juice and milk.
- LUNCH**
WEDNESDAY — Corndogs w/mustard; whole kernel corn; English peas; peanut cluster and milk.
THURSDAY — Spaghetti w/meat sauce; blackeyed peas; vegetable salad; fruit jello; cornbread and milk.
FRIDAY — Sloppy joe on a bun; French fries; ranch style beans; peanut butter cookies and milk.
MONDAY — Ravioli casserole; candied sweet potatoes; vegetable salad; peach halves; hot rolls and milk.
TUESDAY — Shepherd pie; blackeyed peas; turnip greens; pink applesauce; cornbread and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Cowboy beans; oven fried potatoes; spinach; fruit gelatin; cornbread and milk.

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Cap Rock employees gain by losing

By PEGGY LUXTON
Member Information Advisor

In many insurance programs, there is a discount for wellness of the insured. Cap Rock Electric Cooperative also believes in helping its employees to stay healthy. With this goal in mind, Cap Rock recently instituted a program geared toward helping employees lose weight. The program utilized a contest in which employees and spouses of employees vied to lose the largest percentage of body weight in a given time period of ten weeks. Many employees at the Cooperative and many spouses of employees lost weight during the contest. Males competed against males and females competed against females. Winner in the men's division of the contest was Randy Doshier, a member of one of Cap Rock's construction crews, temporarily assigned to the SCADA project. Randy lost 29 pounds in the contest. Vicki Bryan was the winner in the women's division, losing 13 pounds

during the ten-week contest. Vicki is Service Representative in the Operations Department of the Cooperative. Both Vicki and Randy received a night's stay for two at the Barcelona Courts in Lubbock, plus a \$100 bonus. To continue the Wellness Project, Vicki is to begin teaching Callenetics, or low-impact aerobics, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, in the Cooperative auditorium. The classes will be open to employees and spouses of employees. For employees who wish to stop smoking, Cap Rock is presently looking into incentive programs for smokers who wish to stop. Health and safety programs for employees are important to Cap Rock management and Board of Directors. Field personnel receive regular safety training, as well as extensive first aid and CPR training. Rules and regulations concerning the use of safety equipment are part of the training received by new employees of the Co-Op.



(Photo by Peggy Luxton)
BONUS WINNERS — David Pruitt, center, Cap Rock general manager, hands out bonus checks to Randy Doshier and Vicki Bryan, winners in the Co-Op's Weight Loss Contest.

Stanton students perform at Midland music event

Midland Music Teachers Association sponsored a Sonatina contest, held in the Fine Arts Building at Midland College.

The contest is held each year to honor Mrs. Mary Knox of Midland, for her contribution and dedication to the field of music in the association. Over 350 students from all over the Permian Basin participated in the event.

Each grade level had over six selections written by famous composers to choose from.

Students being honored in each music selection were: Laura Herm

winning 3rd place for "Sonatina Opus 94" by Beihl; Ashley Miller playing "Sonatina Major" by Scarlatti winning 2nd place; Stephanie Wilson earning Honorable Mention for "In The Country," by Burgmuller; and also Karla Hull earning Honorable Mention for "The Merry Go Round" by Berlin.

Also participating were: Jaclyn Chandler, Jeremy Louder, Laci Chandler, Milanda Cannon, and Courtney Epley. All of these students are from the piano studio of Phyllis Mason.

Managing the extension homemaker team talked

By KATHRYN BURCH
County Extension Agent/H.E.

Three Martin County Extension Homemakers and County Extension Agent Kathryn Burch traveled to Odessa March 25 for leader training. The program was very cleverly centered around the theme of summer baseball. They had the draft, a double hitter, a 7th inning stretch and the World Series.

The objective of Extension Homemaker Club work were reviewed.

- To study homemaking, develop and put into practice the best method involved in successful homemaking.

- To offer homemakers an opportunity for self-improvement.

- To advance community interest and life.

Other items on the program included setting club goals, membership ideas, initiation ceremony, E.H. responsibilities, officer

responsibilities, and ways to communicate.

Those club members attending the training were Minnie Lee Wells, Joan Henley and Mary Kathryn Bristow.

If you are interested in joining an Extension Homemaker Club, please call the County Extension office (756-3316). Membership is open to anyone who is interested in improving homemaking skills, community service or self improvement.

Lunch 'n Learn E.H. Club meets at noon the second Wednesday of each month at Guy's Restaurant.

Grady E. H. Club meets the 2nd and fourth Thursday. Their president is Zella Graves (459-2265), Stanton.

E. H. Club meets the third Thursday at 2 p.m. Mary Kathryn Bristow is the president (756-2366).

Lakeview E.H. Club meets the first and third Thursday at 2:00 p.m. A contact person for this club is Claudine Madison (756-3838).

Preventing disease in your garden

By RICHARD MINZENMAYER
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Martin, Midland & Howard Counties

This winter's cool temperatures may have killed your garden plants but it did not kill the disease-causing organisms that overwinter in garden refuse. White powdery mildew, wilt, rust, and other leaf and stem disease organisms can produce spores or develop special overwintering structures. These can survive in plant debris and weeds. If debris is allowed to remain on the soil's surface, organisms have a good chance to live through the winter and into the next season. Which means if your garden had disease problems last year —

they'll probably be back again this year! Prevention is the key to the control of plant diseases. As early as possible, clean up garden refuse to prevent the infection of new spring plants. Diseases can also overwinter in nearby weeds and grasses, so as many of these possible should also be removed. Following certain cultural practices in your garden will also help prevent plant diseases. Always use well-drained soil. Add sand or peat moss, if necessary. Also, plant suitable crops for your soil and climate. Even by following all of these suggestions, some disease-causing

organisms, which are present in the soil, will not be controlled, so plant disease-resistant varieties and certified disease-free seeds whenever possible to help reduce the chance of plant disease. After clean-up and proper planting, a regular spray program is the best way to prevent or control plant diseases. Spray susceptible plants with a fungicide before there is evidence of damage. Repeat the treatment every week or 10 days. More frequent applications may be necessary during moist weather when plant diseases tend to be most severe. Once plant disease starts in your garden, you will not be able to save

affected areas. But you can stop its spread with a regular fungicide spray program. Fungicides are available as a dust or spray, including new formulations that control a wide variety of diseases. Sprays are usually preferable for prevention of plant disease in the home garden. Sprays stick to plant surfaces better than dusts. And they are most effective when applied with an easy to use compressed air sprayer. Ask your County Extension Agent or local lawn and garden center to diagnose your garden's particular disease and recommend the best fungicide for the problem.

Insect control for home gardens

By RICHARD MINZENMAYER
Extension Agent-Entomology (PM)
Martin, Midland, & Howard Counties

Home gardeners are preparing for the 1988 garden season. Home gardens are always subjected to the attack of different insect pests. The damage that insects cause to plants in the home garden may be reduced by cultural practices and/or chemical control. For best results, combine these two practices. Damage caused by insect pests may be reduced by the following cultural practices: Grow healthy plants, which are often better able to survive and compensate for pest damage. This involves selecting a suitable location, good soil and keeping the plants well fed, watered and cultivated. Select vegetable varieties which are best able to survive the insect pests usually encountered in your locality. Past local experience is a helpful guide. Plant crops late enough in the spring to avoid slow growth periods which favor injury from soil and seedling insect pests. Grow or buy plants for transplanting into your garden to avoid seedling pest damage and shorten the period in which other pests may cause injury before harvest. Isolate tomato plants within screened enclosures to delay their exposure to leafhoppers carrying the virus of curly top disease. Harvest crops as early as possible to reduce the period of exposure to insect pests. Practice garden sanitation, including weed control and the elimination of debris which may shelter pests. Promptly dispose of infested crop remnants which may harbor pests. The use of insecticides in the home garden should be considered when insect numbers and injury have become excessive and other methods of control are inadequate. Most vegetable insects, mites and other arthropods can be acceptably controlled in the home garden, when necessary, by one of the following legally registered pesticides. When used as directed on the container label: Carbaryl, sold under the proprietary name Sevin®, a insecticide for use primarily against chewing insects such as caterpillars, worms and beetles. For

mulated as a dust, a wettable powder or dilution with water, liquid solution or as a bait. Diazinon®, commonly sold in a formulation called "Spectracide", a good general purpose home garden insecticide when used as directed. It is effective against insects with either sucking or chewing mouthparts and spider mites. It is usually available as an emulsifiable concentrate, for dilution with water, as a dust or in granular formulations. Malathion is a general purpose insecticide when used as directed. It is usually purchased as a dust or an emulsifiable concentrate for dilution with water. Kelthane is a good miticide for control of spider mites on home garden plants. It is usually purchased as an emulsifiable concen-

trate for dilution with water. Bacillus thuringiensis a biocide commonly sold under the proprietary names, Dipel®, Thuricide HP®, is an effective material for control of worms feeding on plant foliage. It has no time limitations on date of application to harvest of vegetable crops. Formulated as a liquid solution. When buying an insecticide, first read the label to make sure it lists the insect pest you want to control and that the formulation is suitable for home garden use. The information given herein is for educational purposes only. Reference to commercial products or trade names is made with the understanding that no discrimination is intended and no endorsement by the Cooperative Extension Service is implied.

Martin County Hospital news

ADMISSIONS
2-1-88 through 2-29-88
Raymie Pechacek, Alta Henson, Catrina Smyrl, Jeannie Canales, James Drew, Jimmie White; Oscar Rodriguez, Joanna Garza, Lajuana Byrd, Jean Ethelredge, Lawana Anderson; Diane Hunt, Della Schafer, JoAnn Garza, Dorena Todd, Matilda Gutierrez, Lee Ann Tom; Joe Louis Salgado, Bernardo Gutierrez, Sherrill Winn, Nancy Bradshaw; Amelia Garza, Pina Pinones, Linda Rosas, Melissa Cantu, Woody Crow and Pascuala Garcia.

NEW ARRIVALS
2-1-88 — Leland Michael Pechacek born to Curtis and Raymie of Garden City, 7 lbs. 8 oz.

2-2-88 — Megan Lynn Smyrl to Catrina Smyrl of Big Spring, 7 lbs. 4 oz.
2-5-88 — Moses Cruz Canales born to Librado & Geneva of Big Spring, 8 lbs. 13 oz.
2-11-88 — Justin Ray Anderson born to Jay & Lawana of Big Spring, 8 lbs. 0 oz.
2-14-88 — Darrell Craig Hunt born to Darrell & Diane of Stanton, 4 lbs. 8 1/2 oz.
2-22-88 — Kimber Leigh Winn born to Allen & Sherrill of Big Spring, 8 lbs. 3 oz.
2-24-88 — Jarrett Lynn Bradshaw born to Darrell & Nancy of Stanton, 7 lbs. 2 oz.
2-25-88 — Matthew Aaron Ruiz born to Pina Pinones of Stanton, 7 lbs. 9 oz.

2-25-88 — Ashley Ann Rosas born to Jose & Linda of Big Spring, 7 lbs. 5 oz.
2-26-88 — Jasmine Nicole Hinojosa born to Melissa Cantu of Stanton, 6 lbs. 8 oz.
3-17-88 — Keagan La'Shae Fiscus born to Rustine Bennett of Coahoma, 5 lbs. 14 oz.
3-18-88 — Ruby Amesquita born to Graciela & Cosme of Midland, 6 lbs. 4 oz.
3-18-88 — Zachary Dustin Todd born to Dorena & Billy Todd of Midland, 6 lbs. 6 oz.
3-21-88 — Sarah Olivas born to Guerrero & Erlinda Olivas of Stanton, 7 lbs. 14 oz.
3-27-88 Michael Leon Ybarra born to David & Lisa Ybarra of Coahoma, 6 lbs. 1/4 oz.

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Weather axes
Grady track meet
Grady High School tracksters saw the weather wipe out their scheduled track meet in Wellman last Thursday. The late afternoon and night meet was cancelled due to severe thunderstorms and intense lightning.

Editorial/opinion



A Mickey Mouse Outfit

Joe Awtrey, backshop whiz, asked after the President's speech urging us to economize and cut down on consumption of energy: "Take that Presidential seal — how much does it cost to feed it?"

But we don't have all the problems. Japan has a severe shortage of toilet paper.

One of my leaders, Nathan Poss, noticed pinned to the door of a basketball coach: "I'm busy, but if you can see over the transom, come right in."

AND ANOTHER one of my leaders, Bob What's-his-name, reported "nothing is quite as annoying as to have someone go right on talking when you're interrupting." Or was it "the most valuable gift you can give another is a good example."

TV GUIDE reports Gary Cooper's "yup" is translated in France to "oui."

IN HIS first speech after being nominated by President Nixon, Gerald Ford said "We need a new beginning."

I don't know — some of those old beginnings were pretty good.

Wouldn't this be a good time to go back to that political maxim: Vice Presidents should be seen and not heard?

Ford was not a spellbinder by any means. And that may be good. Look how spellbinder Nixon turned out:

An 18-year-old gorilla in a Tokyo zoo has been cured of neurosis by watching TV in his cave. Now we know TV's place in society.

Overheard in a local discount store: "She's awful! She goes out with men her husband doesn't even know!"

A QUESTION for the proof readers: If a grammarian doesn't know where to put his "but" does she have conjunctivitis?

A Catholic priest and a Baptist preacher from the same city were returning from an ecumenical conference by plane when the stewardess came by for cocktail orders my celebrating cousin, Jimmy Ladd, reports.

The priest started to order a highball, but in deference to his companion he switched to beer.

When it arrived, he took a drink of it, noticed the disapproving look on the preacher's face, and said, beseechingly:

"Even the Lord drank wine." The Baptist replied, "I would have liked Him better if he hadn't."

FLORIDIANS hear Walt Disney World jams restaurants, fills accom-

modations and brings an influx of stranded travelers and juvenile runaways — News item.

What do you expect from a Mickey Mouse outfit?

From my fishing uncle, Russell Harris, a true story:

The other day I heard my wife talking and I asked her "what did you say?"

"I was talking to the dog," she replied.

"I thought she had used a rather pleasant tone of voice."

IN CASE YOU missed it, Miss Nude World says:

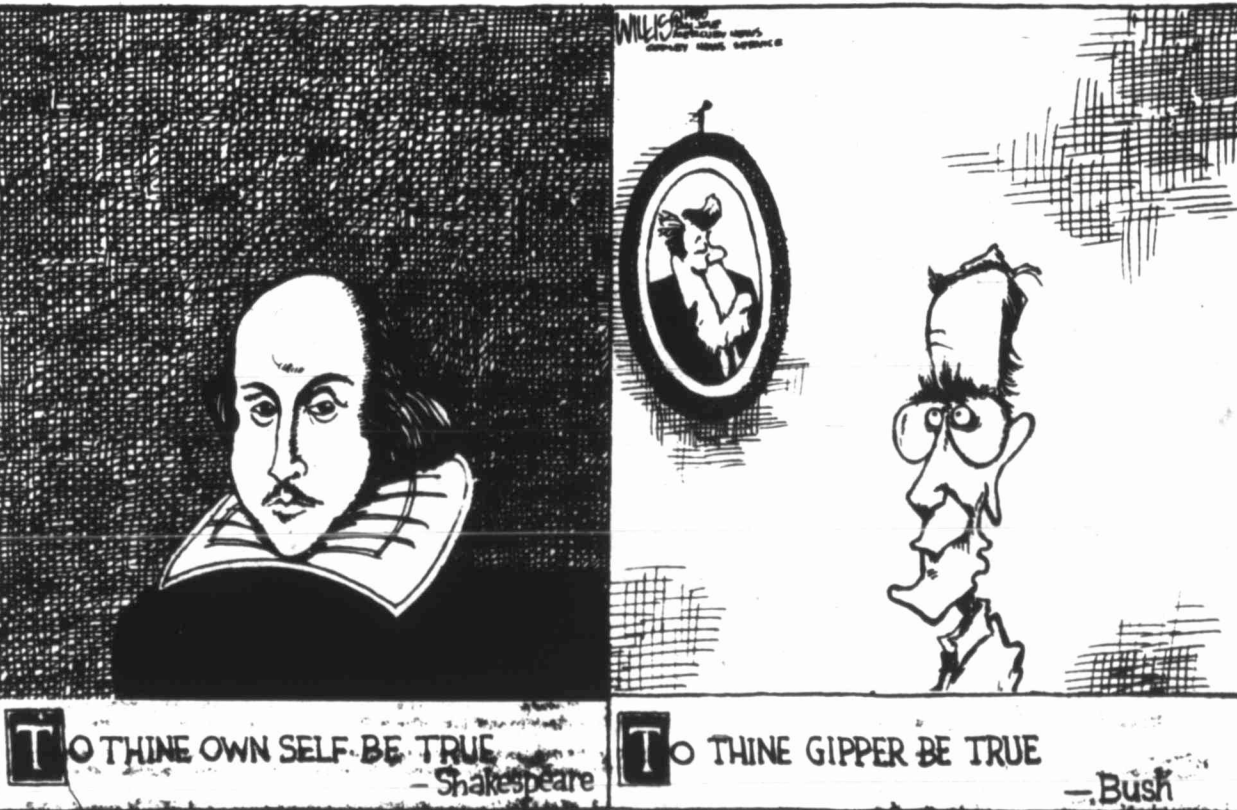
"After 5 minutes, nudity's no problem. There's nothing more to see after 4 minutes."

If that's true, why don't they televise the last 55 minutes of the contest?

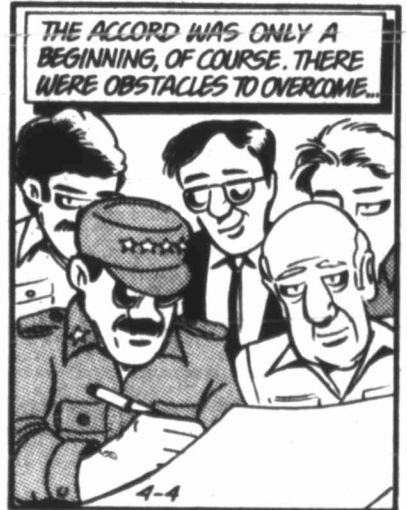
My son, Kim, says: "Man is the only animal



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that does not grow a fur coat but can be skinned off of one."
Mrs. Delma Hall, my neighbor, has a spring-like thought: "Even dandelions are beautiful when they come up in a yard full of crabgrass."



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Viewpoints

Issues may force us to wake up

Americans aren't much interested in geography in general. Most are little interested in Latin America in particular. And some resent it when troubles force it upon our consciousness.

You may recall the report that many Texas high school students could not name "our neighbor to the South." But most Americans know that it is Mexico.

Next down the narrow land bridge of Central America are Guatemala, then Honduras and El Salvador side by side, then Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Panama, before we come to Colombia at the top of South America.

There are big troubles now in several of these countries. Colombia ships illegal drugs. President Jimmy Carter and the Senate gave the American canal in Panama to Panama, and a vicious military ruler holds sway.

We have helped El Salvador stave off Communist revolutionaries and hold free elections, but the fight isn't over. In Nicaragua, Communist allies of the Soviet Union and Communist Cuba are warring against their own people.

And American troops are in Honduras as a "sign" to the Communists that we haven't surrendered.

We'd better pay attention to this Central American geography and the issues, lest we be forced to learn more about them — the hard way.
Chattanooga (Tenn.) News-Free Press

Honduras ploy sends the message

They're at it again in Madison: Protests and demonstrations designed to change American foreign policy.

Of course, it doesn't. American policy in Central America is achieving success in spite of the gainsayers.

American troops in Honduras are the latest chic target of protest. But those troops, and a mere handful of them at that, have achieved precisely what they were intended to do, and that is tell the Sandinistas that America is intent on helping her friends, whether Contras or Hondurans.

Daniel Ortega tested the resolve and found that despite the knuckling under of Congress under Speaker Jim Wright, the administration was not going to betray its friends.
The Oshkosh (Wis.) Northwestern

New stamps may mean efficiency

Now we behold the dawn of a new price — and possibly a new era. Stamps, beginning with the symbolic E Stamp, will cost a quarter.

Each subsequent ounce of an overweight letter will cost 20 cents, up from 17. Postcards are going up too, from 14 cents to 15. Other rates are being set at numbers divisible by 5.

None of the increases makes the customer, who already is facing cut-backs in postal services, happy, but there just may be a silver lining.

Once the Postal Service eliminates the fumbling for pennies and the chaotic pricing of letters and parcels of varying weights, those lines (at the postal window) may flow a little more smoothly. Packages and fat letters will be processed more swiftly. Making change will be a breeze.

How much time could the Postal Service save if it lopped a mere five seconds off each transaction?
Bangor (Maine) Daily News

Indictments evidence of justice

The indictments handed down ... in the Iran-Contra imbroglio prove that the American system of justice — although often obscured by noisy rhetoric — indeed works.

A federal grand jury returned ... indictments against John M. Poindexter, ... Oliver L. North and Albert Hakim.

Independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh has been laboring diligently ... for 14 months, trying to determine what, if any, laws were broken by whom in the Reagan administration's bizarre scheme to sell arms to Iran in a trade for hostages, then funnel the profits to the Nicaraguan Contras.

Regardless of the eventual outcome, the Walsh investigation shows that the American system works — and it demonstrates vividly the need for special prosecutors to police the executive branch of government.
The Hudson Dispatch, Union City, N.J.

Says Panamanians will thank U.S.

The U.S. Senate left no doubt in anyone's mind Friday (March 25) as to where it stands on Panama's military strongman Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega.

By a vote of '92-0 the Senate adopted a resolution urging President Reagan to increase economic, political and diplomatic pressures aimed at getting Noriega out of Central America.

The resolution also recommends substantial U.S. economic aid to any democratic government that succeeds Noriega's military dictatorship.

It is only a matter of time before the people of Panama oust Noriega and reinstate a democratic government.

Sometime in the not-too-distant future the people of Panama will thank the United States for helping to rid them of a corrupt military regime.
Farmington (N.M.) Daily Times

Costly to remove PLO from U.N.

The Justice Department effort to evict the Palestine Liberation Organization from New York is harmful to American national interests. It should be dropped.

That would be a diplomatic gesture of accommodation to the United Nations by the United States, not a legal retreat.

The Justice Department has sued in federal District Court in New York to evict PLO delegate Zehdi Labib Terzi and five colleagues from their townhouse in Manhattan under the terms of the Anti-Terrorism Act of last year.

The PLO has countersued to prevent this under the 1947 treaty establishing conditions for the U.N., one of which was that the United States would not use domestic law to prevent visitors invited by the U.N. from performing their duties.

The United States has lived up to its obligations as host to the U.N. This is no time to stop.

It is proper under the law to ban the PLO as a terrorist organization from any other presence on U.S. soil. But the cost to the U.S. of removing it from the United Nations is much greater than the cost of leaving it here.
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Shaw says state to delay lien on elderly estates

State Rep. Larry Don Shaw (D-Big Spring) announced that implementation of a controversial news law placing liens on the homes of citizens receiving nursing home care will be delayed for further study. The decision to delay the new rule was made after Shaw requested that the Board of the Department of Human Services delay action. Shaw made his request at a hearing held in Abilene.

In Shaw's testimony before the Board, he said he was infuriated by remarks made about the new law by Erwin Dabbs, a Regional Administrator of the Department of Human Services.

Dabbs had earlier said, "Whether Grandma left a deed or anything else, it doesn't matter. We're going to go for the property."

Shaw said "This type of remark is inexcusable and an apology is owed to the elderly citizens of this state. This Department is a Department of Human Services, not the IRS."

Shaw said "he was not convinced that this new provision was feasible and was hopeful that further study of the issue and the impact on the elderly will help to determine its feasibility in the days ahead."

The measure in question is a provision of SB2908. The measure would allow the Department of Human Services to place a lien on the estate of a nursing home resident upon their death. This would occur only if there is no surviving spouse, disabled dependent or child 21 years of age or under. The rule would apply only to those whose nursing home care was being paid by Medicaid.

Shaw said he was confident that in the weeks ahead fact can be sorted from fiction and a solution that is acceptable to our elderly citizens can be reached.

Stanton High scholars listed

Stanton High School honor roll for the second semester follows:

Grade 9: Gregg Avery, Jody Brandenberger, Shane Clay, Reginald Franklin, Kristi Franklin, Edward Hernandez, James Hopkins, Vickie Jeffcoat, Tonya Linscomb, Kody Newman, Raymond Straub, Jill Todd, Jacob Ulmer, Adam Villa, Freddie Villa, Julie Wheeler.

Grade 10: Kathryn Elmore, Randy Esparza, Cody Jones, John Ornelas, Darren Patrick.

Grade 11: Patricia Gonzales, Curtis Huff, William Swink.

Grade 12: Melissa Franklin, Monica Garcia, Lance Hall, Lori Pardue, Michelle Rios.

100TH BIRTHDAY

Betty Poe invites all her friends to help her celebrate her 100th birthday.

April 16, 1988 — 2 to 4 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

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of the plantar fascia. This is the band of connective tissue that stretches from the heel to the metatarsal bones under the long arch.

These are just a few of the conditions that cause weakness in the feet. These problems can become increasingly painful unless you receive the treatment needed. If you feel a weakness in your feet, for whatever reason, see your podiatrist for treatment.

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BRANDENBERGER HEIFER IS SAN ANTONIO CHAMPION — Jeff Brandenberger, Stanton, was a big winner in the junior Hereford breeding cattle segment of the San Antonio Livestock Exposition, San Antonio, as his winter heifer calf was named grand champion. Jeff, a Martin County 4-H member, won the trophy being presented to him by Texas Hereford Queen, Faye Mullino, Rochester, with a homebred entry sired by GK Encore 609R.

Martin County EMS need women volunteers

During March females in all walks of life were honored as part of Women's History Month. Emergency medical services is one field where women have played a key role in the early development of the profession — as field medics, as trainers, and as administrators.

"Martin County EMS service has 12 volunteers and 5 of those are women," says director Walt Haislip, EMS Director, "and of course they do the same jobs men do in our service." If you would like information on volunteering for Martin Co. EMS, contact Walt Haislip or call 756-3345.

Gene Weatherall, Chief of Texas

Department of Health's Bureau of Emergency Management, remembers the early years of EMS: "Twenty years ago when EMS was just becoming a profession on its own by breaking away from funeral homes, women were a very important part of its development because so many organizations depended on volunteers; and because it is a medical field. Women are a vital part of the modern EMS profession."

If you would like information on EMS careers or volunteering, contact Texas Department of Health, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin Texas 78756 or call (512) 465-2601.

Cap Rock Connection

By PEGGY LUXTON
Member Information Advisor
Cap Rock Electric Co-Op

Final competition in Cap Rock's Government in Action Youth Tour has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 12, 1988, at 7 p.m. in the Cap Rock Auditorium. The finals are the last step in determining the two students who will be awarded a two-week, all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. This year's tour has been scheduled for June 9-23. Cap Rock's winners will be joined in Washington by approximately 1,000 other students from all over the United States.

All high school students in schools in Cap Rock's service area are eligible, with the exception of sons and daughters of Cooperative employees and directors.

First stage of the competition is a written essay submitted by the students on the topic, "What Electricity Means to Me." The essays are submitted blind, with no identification of the writers. Their identification is learned only after the ten finalists have been chosen. The essays are judged by Member Services personnel at three rural electric cooperatives over the state. The ten top-graded essays, five written by boys and five written by girls, are then entered in the final competition.

The ten finalists will answer a series of questions posed by the final judging panel and will be asked to read their essays aloud. Judges will choose one female winner and one male winner, plus one alternate. Final judges are Ed Todd, staff writer for the Midland Reporter-Telegram, Gayle Hill, reporter for KMID-TV.

Finalists in the 1988 Youth Tour competition are:

Lori Roman, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lee Roman of Tarzan.

Betsabe Gonzalez, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Gonzalez

of Ackerly.

Rebecca King, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rocky King, Midkiff.

Patt Hogg, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Hogg of Lamesa.

Katherine Sutton, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daphna Sutton of Lamesa.

Edward Hernandez, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hernandez of Stanton.

Greg Avery, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Avery of Stanton.

Doug Braden, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Braden of Midkiff.

Reggie Franklin, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Franklin of Stanton.

Rusty White, 17, son of Mrs. Linda Spear of Stanton.

Cap Rock Electric Cooperative wishes to thank all schools in our service area who allowed Cap Rock personnel to visit students and encourage participation in the Youth Tour project.

Farmers info might save bond interest

State Comptroller Bob Bullock issued the state's first GAAP-basis financial report and said it could save Texas money in bond interest.

"The report improves our position to receive favorable credit ratings and interest rates for state general obligation bonds," Bullock said.

The report, prepared to conform to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), covers the state's 1987 fiscal year, which ended August 31, 1987.

The report format will provide bond analysts, government officials and taxpayers with more detail on the state's total resources, Bullock said.

Texas' current general obligation bond ratings are below the top triple A rating that Wall Street puts on the highest rated bonds.

Last year, Texas paid \$204 million on \$2.08 billion in outstanding general obligation bonds.

The new GAAP report paints a more complete picture of the state's financial status by including such items as regular payments to the state and assets owned by the state, such as real

estate, equipment, furniture and supplies.

"The report will enable Texas to show all of its wealth and not just its available cash," Bullock said.

He said the GAAP report would present the overall status of the state instead of just bits and pieces.

The Comptroller will continue to issue cash-basis reports but those reports will be balanced by GAAP reports, Bullock said.

Bullock said the GAAP report would allow the Legislature to better organize and plan for state expenditures.

Legislation passed last year directed the Comptroller's office to write accounting and reporting procedures for all state agencies to use when preparing financial reports to the state.

This information was used in producing the GAAP reports.

Volume One of the report contains financial highlights and general purpose financial statements. Volume Two of the report provides detailed financial information through schedules and tables.

FirePac endorses Rep. Shaw

Larry Don Shaw has gained the endorsement of FirePAC, the political action committee of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas, in the race for the Texas House of Representatives.

"Shaw's strong support of fire services issues indicates a broad-based concern for providing basic services to the people of Texas," says FirePAC Chairman Ray Williamson of Austin.

The State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association is the oldest and largest fire service organization in Texas, representing volunteer, paid and industrial firefighters. The SF-FMA counts more than 1,100 fire departments as members and represents more than 21,000 firefighters.

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Youth programs earn Ma Bell award

Four programs created by Southwestern Bell Telephone (SWBT) to address such community concerns as teenage pregnancy and the challenges facing minority youth have earned the company a national award for corporate citizenship, according to Darlene Gifford, area manager public relations.

SWBT's outreach programs received first place honors from the Society of Consumer Affairs Professionals (SOCAP) for excellence in the area of community service/public responsibility. The awards were presented at SOCAP's 11th Annual Awards

Competition held in Los Angeles, Calif. The SWBT programs honored include:

• "Making the Right Moves: Blacks in Corporate America," a documentary examining the upward mobility of Blacks in business;

• "Hispanic Dropouts: America's Time Bomb," a half-hour video on the Hispanic high school dropout rate;

• "Guess Who's Pregnant?" a play written by students to help youth manage peer pressure in dealing with teenage sex and its consequences; and

• "Phone Pal," an after-school phone contact program that pairs latchkey children with senior citizens.

The annual SOCAP competition recognizes and rewards companies whose actions enhance the relationship between consumers and business and promote effective communication among business, government and consumers.

These programs and the films are available in this area by calling Ms. Gifford, collect 915-684-1975.

Southwestern Bell is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Southwestern Bell Corporation and provides network exchange serviced to more than 6 million customers in Texas.

Martin County artists to sponsor area contest

on April 9

The Martin County artists will be sponsoring a county-wide art contest for the county's young artists. All Martin County students between grades K-12 are encouraged to enter the contest.

Students may enter one of any type of art work they wish (pencil, pen, and ink, oils, acrylics, pastels, watercolors, tempera paints).

Art work must be delivered to the art department of your school by Thursday, April 7, at 3:30 p.m., where it will be picked up and delivered to the Martin County Community Center. The art show will be open to the public from 10 a.m. till noon on Saturday April 9. Refreshments will be served during this time, and parents and friends are invited to attend.

there will be three levels of competition—elementary, junior high, and high school. Prizes, ribbons, and award certificates will be given in all three levels of competition.

Art work must be picked up by noon, or it will be returned to the school.

All work must be labeled with the student's name, grade, and school. If any questions, please call Corene Manning, 756-2108.

Burial flag VA benefits listed

In 1987 the Veterans Administration issued more than 350,000 American flags for burial or memorial purposes. The flags are used to drape the caskets of deceased veterans and are presented to the next of kin or close friend or associate of the deceased. Flags are issued at VA regional offices and most local post offices.

In recent years, many VA cemeteries and other VA Facilities have adopted an innovative way to honor the memory of those who served through the creation of an "Avenue of Flags" program.

Last year alone, over 4,000 flags which had been presented to

families or friends of deceased veterans, were donated to the VA. When a flag is donated, a Certificate of Appreciation is presented to the donor and the flag becomes the property of the VA.

On roadways or along walkways at VA facilities throughout the country, standard burial flags are flown from uniformly spaced staffs. VA facilities which participate in the "Avenue of Flags" program erect the display on Veterans Day and Memorial Day. They may also do so on other days of patriotic observance such as Flag Day and Independence Day.

If more flags are received than

needed to display, a rotation system is used to insure they all are eventually flown.

VA's Department of Memorial Affairs administers the National Cemetery System comprising 111 national cemeteries in 38 states and Puerto Rico. Burial in a national cemetery with available grave space is open to all veterans discharged under conditions other than dishonorable, as well as eligible dependents of veterans.

Information on burial flags and other benefits is available by contacting the nearest VA office listed in the phone directory under U.S. Government.

Scholarship

will be awarded

A challenger crew memorial scholarship is being sponsored for the third year by Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

The \$100 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior of Stanton High School or Grady High School.

Deadline for application is May 1. Anyone interested can contact a high school principal or counselor or Tere Garlington.

Winner of the scholarship will be announced May 15.



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Dr. Musick is an Obstetrician/Gynecologist. He graduated from Lubbock Christian College, 1979. He received his doctorate of medicine from Baylor College of Medicine in 1982, with a full residency in Obstetrics/Gynecology, 1986.

This branch of medicine deals with the female reproductive organs, pregnancy, labor and delivery. Dr. Musick is certified in Laser Surgery. His special interest is infertility. Dr. Musick offers epidural deliveries and a wide variety of Gynecology surgeries.

Dr. Musick joined Malone and Hogan Clinic in February of 1988. His hobbies include flying and horses. Snyder is considered as his home town.

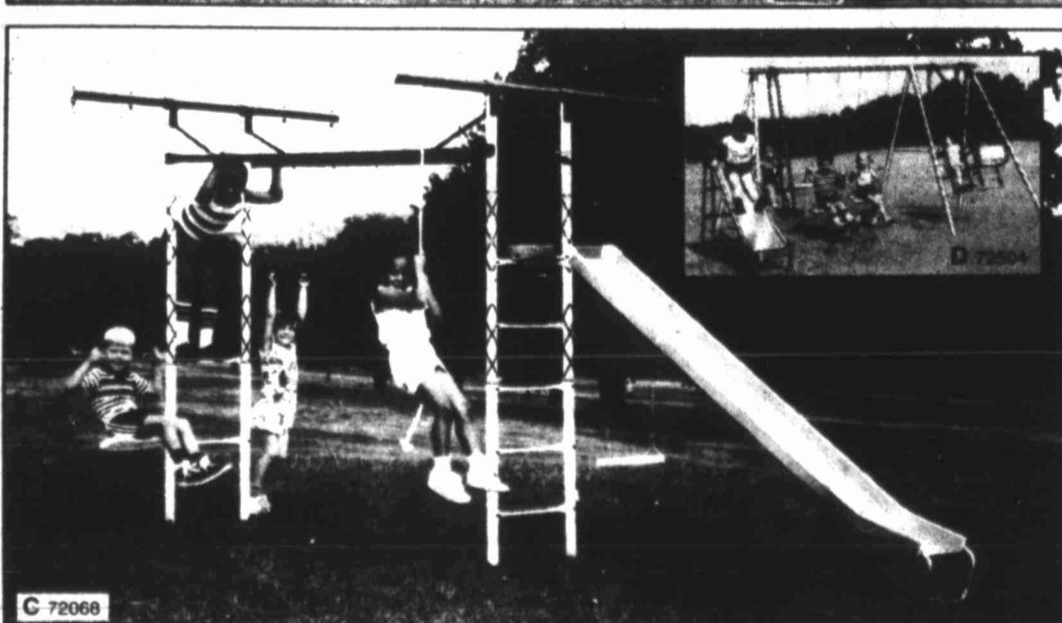
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NOTICE OF RIGHT TO NOMINATE BY PETITION

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHa) is accepting nominations for County Committee elections for Martin Area. This notice is issued to inform eligible voters of the right to nominate candidates by petition. Copies of the petition and instructions on its completion can be obtained from your local FmHa office.

Persons nominated should have an interest in a farm as an owner, tenant, or sharecropper within the county or area in which activities of the county or area committee are carried out. They must be citizens of the United States or aliens lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence, and be well qualified for committee work. Spouses of those persons who meet the eligibility criteria are also eligible for nominations for election to the county committee. Nominations must be received in Martin County Office no later than May 10, 1988. FmHA committee elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/or handicap.

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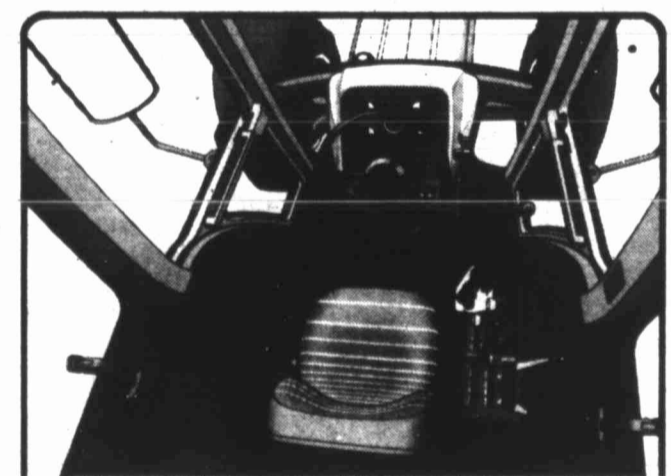
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 STATE OF TEXAS
 NO. 4225

To: GABRIEL GOMEZ FRANCO, and to all whom it may concern.

GREETINGS:
 "YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 118th Judicial District, Martin County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said county in Stanton, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of TERRY EUGENE HAGGARD AND RHONDA LYNN HAGGARD, Petitioners, filed in said Court on the 22nd day of March, 1988, against GABRIEL GOMEZ FRANCO, Respondent, and said suit being number 4225 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In the interest of ROSIE HERNANDEZ FRANCO, a child" the nature of which suit is a request to terminate the parent-child relationship. Said child was born the 1st day of March, 1981, in Midland, Texas.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity, and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption."

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Martin County, Texas, this the 22 day of March, 1988.

VIRGINIA JAMES,
 District Clerk, Martin County, Tx.
 4646 March 30, 1988

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Nettie P. Hale, Deceased, were issued on March 16, 1988, in Docket No. 1175, pending in the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to Doyle L. Hale, Hubert D. Hale and Charles H. Hale.

The residences of the Independent Co-Executors are in Martin County, Texas, and their post office addresses are:

- Mr. Doyle L. Hale
 Route 1, Box 87
 Stanton, TX. 79782
- Mr. Hubert D. Hale
 Route 1, Box 89
 Stanton, TX. 79782
- Mr. Charles H. Hale
 Route 1, Box 111
 Stanton, TX. 79782

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 17th day of March, 1988.

DOYLE L. HALE
 HUBERT D. HALE
 CHARLES H. HALE,
 Independent Co-Executors of the Estate of Nettie P. Hale, Deceased
 By Robert H. Dawson
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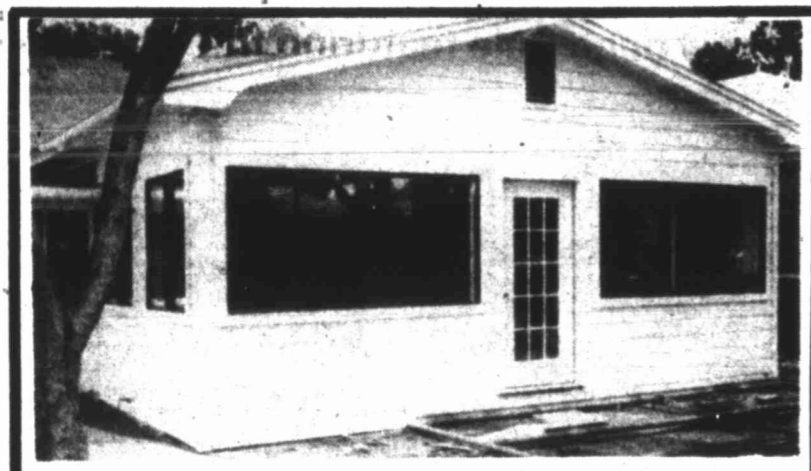
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Farmers Home Administration to elect new committee members

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) will begin accepting nominations April 5 for election of county committee members under county new rules that make it easier for farmers to qualify as candidates and to vote, Ronnal E. Bruton said today.

FmHA county committees perform a variety of duties for the U.S. Department of Agriculture's credit agency, including deciding whether an applicant is eligible for a farm loan.

"One important change broadens the definition of a farmer to any one who has an interest in a farm in the county as owner, tenant

or sharecropper," Bruton said. "The new definition also includes the spouse of an eligible farmer. An old requirement that more than half of the candidate's income must come from the farm operation has been dropped."

"The nominating period has been extended to 45 days from the previous 25 days, thus allowing more opportunity for people to run for the committee," Bruton said. "At least three eligible farmer voters including the nominee, must sign the petition."

Two of the three committee members are elected by farmers in

the county, and one is appointed by FmHA. One of the elected seats is to be filled for a three-year term at this year's election, which is scheduled for June 30.

"Another important change this year is that one member of the committee can be an active FmHA farm borrower, or be eligible for an FmHA farm loan," Bruton said. "Previously, this was not allowed."

Anyone interested in running for the committee can obtain a petition and other information from the FmHA county office at 103 E. Broadway, Stanton, Texas, Bruton said.

State funds to be depleted

By GREG JONES
County Extension Agent/Ag

State funds for brucellosis calfhood vaccinations are expected to be depleted sometime in May, points out Greg Jones, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

During the current fiscal year ending August 31, \$450,000 was appropriated by the Legislature for calfhood vaccinations. Commissioners of the Texas Animal Health Commission voted to pay \$1 per head for vaccinations of 211 of the

state's 254 counties, the agent explains.

It is anticipated that the \$1 payment fee will be reinstated at the beginning of the 1989 fiscal year on September 1, 1988, the agent notes.

In the meantime, federal funds will continue available in the 43 highest incidence counties of Texas. Counties continuing to receive federal funds include Anderson, Aransas, Austin, Bee, Brazoria, Brazos, Calhoun, Chambers, Colorado, DeWitt, Fayette, Fort Bend, Freestone,

Galveston, Goliad, Gonzales, Grimes, Hardin, Harris, Houston, Jackson, Jefferson, Karnes, Lavaca, Leon, Liberty, Limestone, Madison, Matagorda, Montgomery, Orange, Polk, Refugio, Robertson, San Jacinto, San Patricio, Trinity, Tyler, Victoria, Walker, Waller, Washington, and Wharton.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

Rural health care woes mulled

The results of a study to assess community level healthcare priorities and education activity in West Texas were released this week. The study was conducted by West Texas Rural Health Education Center in Odessa.

In brief, first the report reveals the majority of respondents are most concerned with ensuring all segments of the population have access to care and the cost related issues involved in providing that care from both consumer and provider perspectives.

Secondly, in assuming health prevention/promotion programs can effect the long term cost of care by addressing risk behaviors and lifestyle changes, the education system appears to remain the primary vehicle in most rural communities.

Community hospitals could serve

this role by providing wellness programs as a method of building consumer confidence.

There is a need to educate the general public to the long term cost benefits of this type of education program as well as a need to look at innovative approaches to involve parents in reinforcing healthcare preventative education programs.

Prepared as a contribution to the South Plains and Permian Basin task force on healthcare the results will be a part of the West Texas report at the statewide conference to be held in Austin this fall.

Distribution include school superintendents, county judges and hospital administrators throughout 80 counties largely representative of the South Plains and Permian Basin regions of

Texas and is equal to 35 percent of all Texas counties.

West Texas Rural Health Education Center, funded through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, is a cooperative program of Texas Tech University Health Science Center. The center serves a 34 county area in the Permian Basin and a 46 county area in the South Plains area.

Primary goal of the program is to effect the distribution and quality of healthcare professionals in rural and medically underserved urban areas by developing quality rural training programs during the education process.

Serving as a catalyst for partnership between the community, government agencies and academic medicine the center is among 38 nationwide.

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People's court Justices comment on the local version

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

A young man sues his parents to get custody of some paintings he had given a few years earlier.

A father sues his daughter so he can retrieve a picture of his dead wife.

A woman buys a puppy from another woman, discovers that it has health problems and sues to recover her money.

These aren't segments from "The People's Court." They are cases that have been tried in Small Claims Court, the Howard County version of the popular afternoon television program, before its local counterparts Justices of the Peace China Long and William Shankles. The comparison to the show is apt, Long said Tuesday.

"You could compare us to the People's Court," she said. "It's the common person's opportunity to get into court without going through the time and expense of getting a lawyer."

"It's designed as a sort of People's Court," Shankles said. "It's where they can come in, file suit and represent themselves."

Actually, Long and Shankles preside over two courts — Small Claims and Justice's. The former is for claims up to \$1,000, and the latter for claims between \$1,000 and \$2,500.

If the suit involves damages — lending institutions or tort law — it also is assigned to Justice's Court, Shankles said.

There is no minimum amount for which a person may file suit, but Long said she tries to discourage people from suing for less than \$50. "It doesn't make much sense to file for \$50, when the filing fee is \$32," she said.

Filing fees — \$32 for Small Claims and \$40 for Justice's courts — are set by the state legislature, Shankles noted.

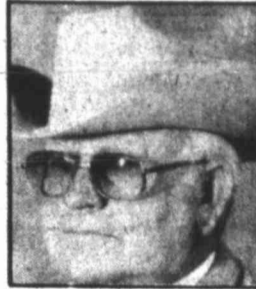
Along with dealing in smaller amounts, Small Claims also presents a more informal atmosphere for the litigants.

The first step for the plaintiff is a visit to either Long or Shankles. The person then briefly explains his complaint. Long was quick to point out that her office doesn't counsel the person as to whether they should file.

"We let anybody sue that wants to," she said. "We don't go into whether it's the right thing to do."

"There is no counseling involved," Shankles said. "All I try to determine is whether the suit will go to Small Claims or Justice's Court."

The JP's office takes the name and address of the defendant, plus the filing fee — paid in advance — and completes the necessary paper-



WILLIAM SHANKLES



CHINA LONG

work. The sheriff's office must serve the summons to the person being sued before any further action can be taken, Long noted.

The defendant then has 10 days to contact Long or Shankles with an answer to the suit. If the person agrees that he is at fault, the JP issues an agreed judgment, whereby the defendant agrees to repay monies owed to the plaintiff.

Under this agreement, the plaintiff can attach court costs to the judgment, Long added. "Most of the cases end in agreed judgments — or else they settle out of court," Shankles said.

If the defendant doesn't answer the suit within the 10 days allotted, the JP issues a default judgment, granting the plaintiff's request, plus court costs.

In instances where the defendant contests the suit, however, a trial date is set. If, on that date, the defendant doesn't appear, a default judgment is issued. If the plaintiff doesn't show, the case is dismissed, Shankles said.

He added that, like other courts of law, the parties have a right to an attorney or a trial by jury. If the parties wish to have a jury trial, an additional \$3 fee is charged.

Long said most agree to let the JP decide the case.

"I've had some jury trials," she said, estimating approximately six a year. "Most of the time, however, they'll just say, 'I'll let you decide.'"

"That makes it fun."

Each side then is allowed to tell their side of the story. Long said the informal atmosphere sometimes leads to noisy exchanges between parties.

"The whole idea is for them to question each other and, at times, people start getting heated with each other," Long said. "I get some raised voices every so often, but I've never really had a serious problem (in court)."

"You have to run your courtroom," Shankles said. "Occasionally they want to argue, but that's not a common occurrence. Of course, they wouldn't be in court if there wasn't a disagreement."

After completion of arguments — usually bet-

ween 30 minutes and two hours — the JPs enter their judgments. They either grant all or part of what the plaintiff requests, or they find for the defendant.

As with other courts, an avenue of appeal is available for the defendant who loses in Small Claims. The person may appeal to County Court, where the case will be tried de novo — as if for the first time.

If the defendant doesn't pay his debt after the judgment has been issued, two avenues of action remain for JPs to pursue, Long said.

First, the justices may file an abstract judgment, which costs the plaintiff \$8 and places a lien on the defendant's non-exempted real estate. The effect of this judgment is that the defendant can't get a clear title to his property until the debt is paid, she said.

A more drastic course of action occurs if the defendant hasn't made an attempt to settle within 30 days of judgment.

At that time, the JP can issue a writ of execution for a fee of \$40. It orders the sheriff to sell non-exempt property belonging to the defendant, in order to satisfy the court judgment, Shankles said.

Long noted that the writ is a seldom-used action.

"If it gets to that point — and the person can pay — they usually do," she said. "You can lose your property and it can affect your credit rating," she added, noting that the plaintiff can send a copy of the writ to the area credit bureau.

Not all cases heard by the JPs involve cash amounts, however.

If property is involved, the plaintiff can sue for the return of the property or a cash equivalent, Long noted.

Another type of case frequently heard by the JPs involves evictions.

If a landlord is having trouble evicting a non-paying tenant, and desires the court's help in the matter, he first must give the tenant written notice of a certain date they must be out of the house, Long said.

If the tenant is not gone by that date, the landlord — for a \$40 fee — can file suit with the JP's office. Sheriff's deputies then must serve notice to the tenant, who has 10 days to respond to the summons.

After a judgment favorable to the landlord has been rendered — and the tenant still doesn't vacate the property — the JP can then give the landlord authority to hire a mover to confiscate the tenant's property and place it in storage — at the tenant's expense.

"I feel sorry for the person who can't pay his rent," Long said. "But it's not the landlord's responsibility to furnish free housing."

Waste study samples sent to laboratory

By BILL FOSTER
Staff Writer

Samples taken in a probe of potential hazardous wastes at the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark are being analyzed by a Gainesville, Fla. engineering firm, and a report on the study's findings is expected by September.

Tests for hazardous wastes at the airpark were completed by Environmental Science and Engineering, Inc. Feb. 19, according to Project Manager J.W. Hunter.

Air and soil samples and other data collected by the firm have been sent to the company's Florida laboratory for analysis, Hunter said.

"A report, interpreting the results of the tests, will be issued by September," Hunter said.

The report also will include an assessment of the environment and health risks associated with any hazardous wastes that might be present at the airpark, he said.

The Florida firm is under a \$454,638 contract awarded by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Kansas City, Mo., office.

Earlier this year, tests were conducted at an oxidation pond, waste lagoon, underground fuel storage tanks and a fire training area at the airpark.

The airpark is the former site of Webb Air Force Base.

The city of Big Spring acquired the property in 1978 and converted it to a light industrial park and airpark.

The oxidation pond, located northwest of the city offices on the west side of the airpark, was used to treat domestic sewage when the Air Force base was in operation.

The waste lagoon, located on the east side of the north end of the main runway, was used as a repository of residue from paint shops and the engine build-up shop.

The fuel storage, located on the east side, was used to store airplane fuel.

The fire training area is located on the south side of the sites, east of the main runway, and contains pads for fire fighting training. One pit in the area may have been used to dump barrels containing hazardous waste.

The Florida firm's study is being conducted under a congressionally-directed Defense Environmental Restoration Program. The program was authorized to define the nature and extent of toxic waste contamination at the airpark and devise a plan for cleaning up the site.

Hunter stressed that the airpark investigation is still in the early stages and that no conclusions have been reached at this time.

Levels of toxic wastes at the airpark may pose no threats to human or animal health, according to Hunter. However, a chlorinated cleaning base, a contaminant, has been discovered during similar studies at other Air Force bases throughout the nation.

Leader class being offered

Howard College is offering a leadership skills course during its June 1-July 7 summer school session.

The course is designed to teach leadership skills and help students develop their full leadership potential. The curriculum will include on-the-job experiences with local business and civic leaders, with exposure to different styles of leadership.

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Sheriff's log

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Manuel Gonzales, Kyle, reported to sheriff's deputies that a purse containing \$486 in cash and \$200 in jewelry was taken from his vehicle while it was parked outside the Brass Nail, S. Highway 87.

• Danny Jackson, 34, Big Spring Federal Prison Camp, is being held on Alabama warrants charging burglary and theft of property.

Police beat

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Five burglaries, four acts of vandalism, two thefts and an aggravated robbery were reported to police over the weekend.

• Danny Wesley Lewis, 600 Elgin St., told police someone entered his home and removed several items. Neither description nor value of the items was listed.

• Joe Martinez, 1403 Mesa Ave., reported that someone entered his home and stole a video player, jewelry, food and clothing. The items were valued at \$1,080.

• Roger Terry, 1319 Sycamore St., told police that someone entered his home and stole a video player, 20 video tapes, two gold rings and a gold chain. The items were valued at \$1,680.

• Jessie Polk, 1501 Tucson St., told police that someone entered his home and stole a video player valued at \$700.

• Don Burleson, Oklahoma City, told police someone scratched the paint on his vehicle. An estimate of damage was not listed.

• David Rivera, 906 Scurry St., reported that someone broke out a window on his 1981 GMC pickup truck. An estimate of damage was not listed.

• Rosie Paxton, 508 State St., told police someone broke out a side window on her 1974 Buick. An estimate of damage was not listed.

• Elizabeth Norwood, 1001 Birdwell Lane, reported that someone broke out a window on her 1981 Mercury. An estimate of damage was not listed.

• Twelve pizzas, valued at \$131, were reported stolen from Domino's Pizza, 2202 S. Gregg St.

• Marquette Davis, 538 Westover Road, Bldg. 7, Apt. 210, reported the theft of two BMW emblems. Value of the emblems was not listed.

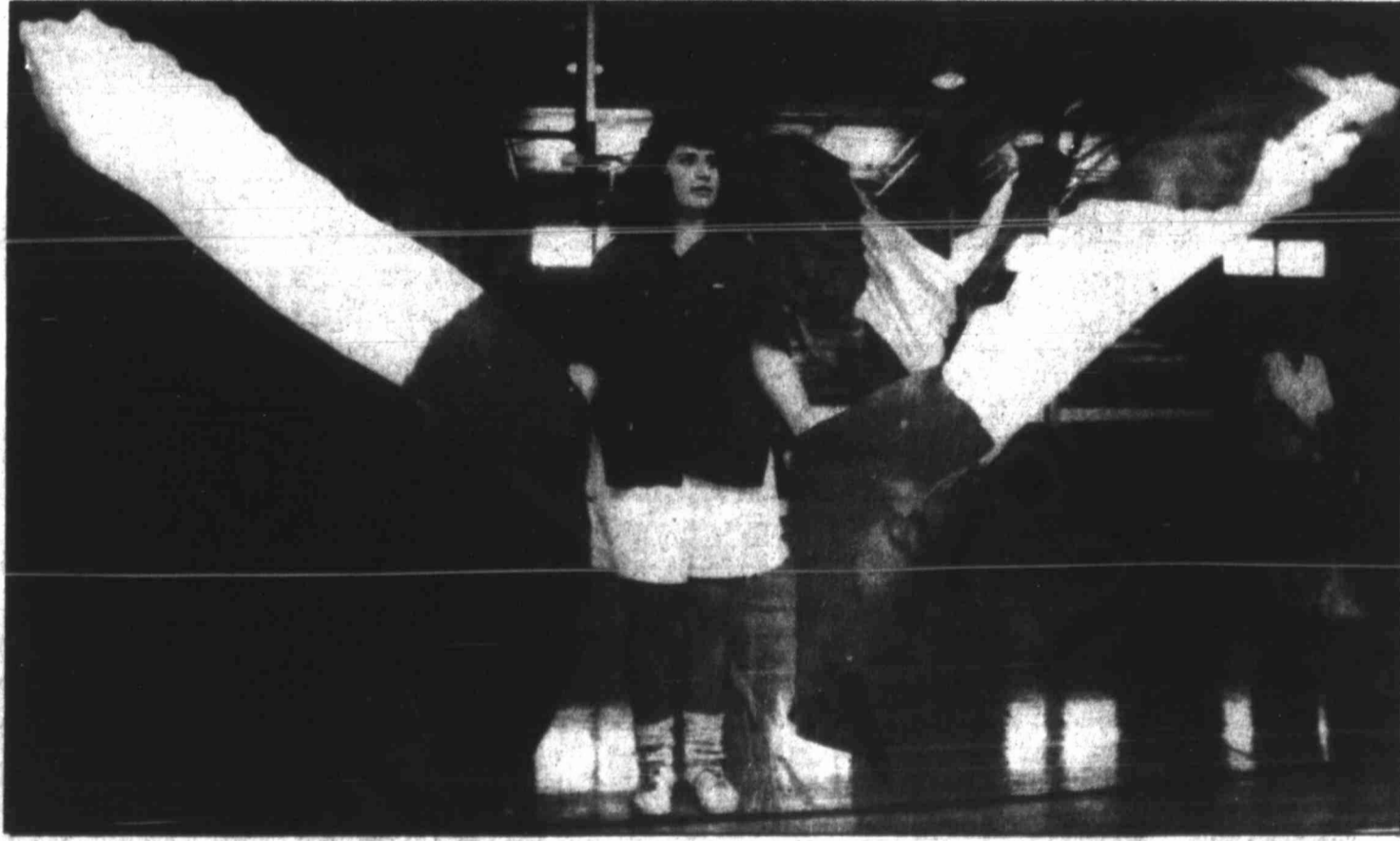
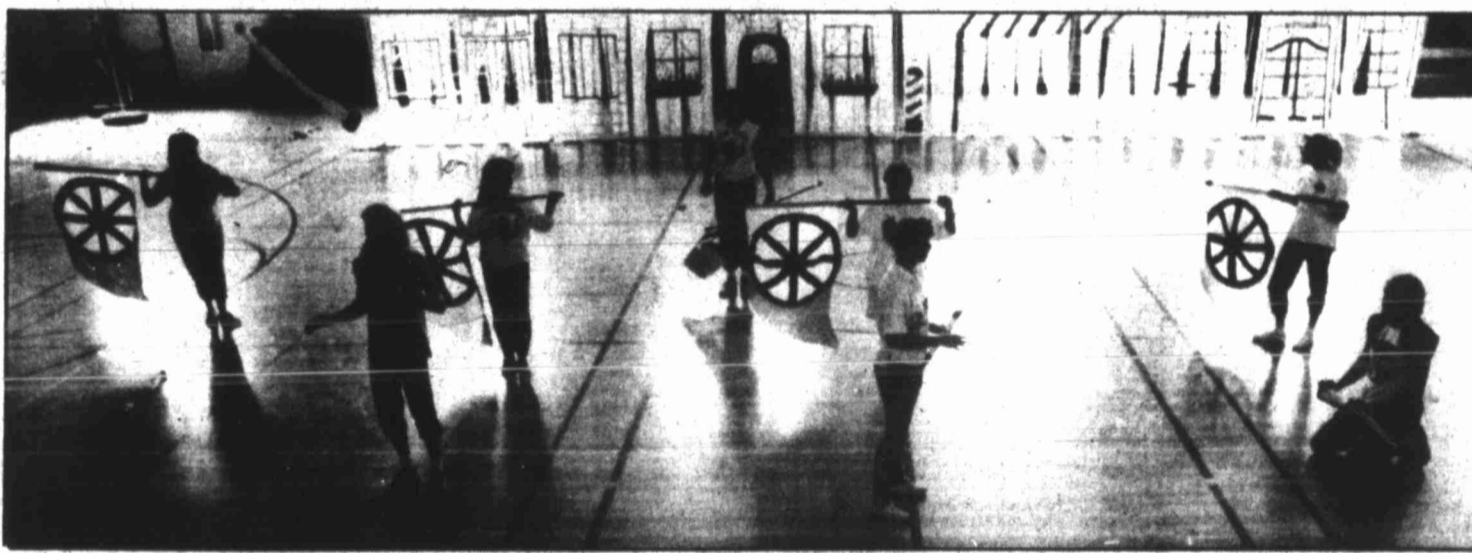
• Victor Howard, Big Spring, reported that two men forced him into a car and attempted to rob him at gunpoint. The incident occurred in the 800 block of Fifth Street, according to police reports.

Three people also were arrested over the weekend.

• Oscar Hernandez, 27, 1317 Sycamore St., was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated, driving with a suspended license, possession of marijuana under two ounces, making alcohol available to a minor and failure to maintain financial responsibility. Hernandez was transferred to the Howard County Jail and released on bonds totalling \$4,200.

• Joe Leonard Stanhope, 24, 1208 Mesquite St., was arrested on charges of driving with a suspended license and possession of marijuana under two ounces. Stanhope was transferred to the Howard County Jail and released on bonds totalling \$1,500.

• Walter Lamar Dugan, 28, 806 W. Sixth St., was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated, no driver's license, and failure to maintain financial responsibility. Dugan was transferred to the Howard County Jail and released on bonds totalling \$1,500.



Practice makes perfect

In the top photo, members of the Howard College Color Guard "Mariah" prepare for the national competition in Dayton, Ohio at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum Saturday. Above, Freshman Rachel Tedesco, daughter of Michael and Kathleen Tedesco, 302 W. 18th, swirls two flags as she practices her routine. The team leaves for Ohio Wednesday.

Stork Club

SCENIC MOUNTAIN MEDICAL CENTER

• Born to Rocky and Yvonne Hale, 2719 Central, a son, Brian Craig Hale, on March 25, 1988 at 11:48 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces, delivered by Dr. Musick. Grandparents are Jerdean Kinman, 1601 Thorp; and Louise Hale, 2719 Central. Brian is the baby brother of Courtney Nicole, 6, and Melissa Ann, 3.

• Born to Jesus and Maria Oyerides, a daughter, Eliza Adriana, on March 25, 1988 at 10:18 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 12 3/4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparent is Julio Gomez, Tarzan.

• Born to Larry and Pat Mendoza, 1700 Settles, a son, Lorenzo Mendoza Jr., on March 25, 1988 at 5:02 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 12 1/4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Musick. Grandparents are Raul and Sara Rubio, 111 N. Nolan; and Willie and Hope Mendoza, 406 N.W. 11th St. Lorenzo is the baby brother of Stephanie Mendoza, 10, and Lacey Mendoza, 4.

• Born to Scott and Stacey Griffin, a daughter, Erin Elizabeth Griffin, on March 30, 1988 at 6:03 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 15 ounces. Grandparents are Jimmie and Nancy Wood; and Bill and Mel Griffin, all of Big Spring. Great-grandparents are Jim and Odessa Wood, Big Spring; Allene Hamner, Colorado City; and Chesley and Lurlene LaGrone, Carthage. Erin is the baby sister of Richard Brett, 2.

• Born to Steve and Irene Alvarez, Sterling City Rt. Box 332, a son, Ruben, on March 29, 1988 at 7:41 p.m., weighing 6 pounds 2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Musick. Grandmother is Susana Moreneo, 1311 Elm St. Ruben is the baby brother of Steve, 6, Stephanie, 3, Isreal, 2, and Vanessa, 1.

• Born to Carl and Yvette Britton, a son, James Fred Britton, on March 28, 1988 at 4:30 p.m., weighing 8 pounds 4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Musick. Grandparents are Carl and Alta Britton, Colorado City; and Karl and Elizabeth Williams, Albuquerque, N.M. James is the baby brother of Elizabeth King, 3, and Ryan King, 2.

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• Born to Marcellino and Norma Chavez, HC 61 Box 162 A, a son, Trey Ransen, at Martin County Hospital, on March 31, 1988 at 8:15 a.m., weighing 8 pounds 4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Sue Fisher, and

Dr. Miller. Grandparents are Mrs. David Marquez, 507 N. Lancaster, and the late Juan Chavez; and Mr. and Mrs. Ysabel Luna, 1612 Cardinal. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Ramirez, Big Spring.

• Born to Lindy and Craig Knappe, San Angelo, a son, Zachary Wayne, at Angelo Community Hospital, on March 25, 1988 at 7:50 a.m., weighing 8 pounds 15 ounces, delivered by Dr. Sutliss. Grandparents are Wayne and Mary Bartlett, 804 Belvedere; and Joyce Knappe. Zachary is the baby brother of Christopher, 2 1/2.

• Born to Roger and Tammie Paige, a daughter, Tori Rachelle Paige, at Midland Memorial Hospital, on March 25, 1988 at 8:36 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 6 ounces, delivered by Dr. Young. Grandparents are Henry and Veria Paige, Rt. 1 Box 694. Tori is the baby sister of Tiffani Breann.

• Born to Daniel and Jean Porter, Garland, a son, Daniel Clifton Porter III, at St. Paul's Hospital, Dallas, on Feb. 16, 1988 at 9:35 p.m., weighing 9 pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Porter, 1016 Ridgeroad Dr.; and Mr. and Mrs. Branning, Muse, Okla. Daniel is the baby brother of Lacey, 5, and Lindsay, 2.

• Born to Rodney and Lea Kay Young, 2309 Allendale, a daughter, Morgan Brooke, at Midland Memorial Hospital, on March 23, 1988 at 2:42 a.m., weighing 7 pounds, delivered by Dr. Fry. Grandparents are Max and Kay Moore; and Bernard and Cleo Young, all of Big Spring. Morgan is the baby sister of Fallon Kaye, 3 1/2.

• Born to Charles and Debra Copeland, Midland, a son, Chance Kent, at Midland Memorial Hospital, on March 26, 1988 at 5:02 p.m., weighing 8 pounds 4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Debora Seisco. Maternal grandparents are Gary and Janet Wiggins, Big Spring. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Eva Wiggins, Big Spring. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Gooch, Big Spring.

• Born to Stewart and Becky Williams, Austin, a son, Brady Ragan Williams, at Seton Hospital, on March 22, 1988 at 7:10 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 8 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Robert and Charlene Ragan, Big Spring. Paternal grandparents are Cissy Williams, Beaumont, and the late Dr. Stewart Williams.

Lions choose queen

The Big Spring Downtown Lions Club recently chose Carey Duffy as Lion Queen.

The 17-year-old, Big Spring High School student, will represent the club at the district convention April 16 in Midland.

After completing studies in calculus, chemistry, physics, and four years of honors English, she will be an honors graduate in May, said Tom Arcand, president of Downtown Lions Club.

Carey's activities include membership in the National Honor Society, senior representative of the student council, member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, fashion editor of the school paper, member of the French Club, member of First United Methodist Church Handbells, member of the choir and youth group, and is a Symphony Debutante 1987-88.

She is a part-time employee of



CAREY DUFFY

The Cottage in Highland Mall, and teaches aerobics at The Dance Gallery.

Duffy will compete against Lion Queens from other districts, and the winner will be eligible to participate at the Lions International Convention in Denver, Colo. this summer

Divorce hard on family

By NAOMI HUNT*
Extension agent

On television and in the movies divorce is often portrayed as a "yellow brick road" to freedom, personal growth and happiness. Yet there is nothing easy or amusing about the process of breaking a relationship.

Divorce is more than an exit from marriage. The process requires emotional, physical, psychological, legal and financial adjustments. It will affect child rearing, sexual expression, relationships with family members and in-laws, and friendships. Job skills, self-concept, lifestyles and social status may also be impacted.

It's difficult to pinpoint the incident or "cause" of divorce. Research studies show that a personal state of mind is somewhat different from a persisting personality trait and yet is a factor which might weigh the balance in favor of divorce. When divorce is regarded as an aggressive weapon and one spouse feels like punishing

the other, divorce may be considered the handiest and most approved weapon.

Some of the more common reasons why marriages fall apart are: destructive or irritating habits, lack of interest in or concern for the partner, violence or abuse in the relationship or the family, lack of common interests, extramarital affairs, obstruction of needs and desires, conflict over roles and housework or unforeseen changes in the relationship, such as mental illness, disability, or a prison term.

For both spouses, the most stressful year — emotionally and financially — is the first year after a divorce. Divorce is second only to the death of a spouse in stressful life events. Anyone approaching divorce with calm and composure is probably not facing the situation realistically.

Inmate escapes prison area

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Officials with the U.S. Marshal's Service are looking for a Big Spring Federal Prison Camp inmate who walked away from the facility sometime Saturday evening.

Patricio Castillo Ojeda, 33, Dallas, was discovered missing from the camp during the 10 p.m. head count, and was last seen at about 5:30 p.m., according to Rudy Franco, assistant superintendent.

Ojeda was serving a 10-year sentence for possession and distribution of marijuana, and has a parole date of Jan. 6, 1991, Franco added.

"We have no reason to believe he is still in the Big Spring area," Franco said, noting that this area is probably "the last place" any escapee wants to remain.

The U.S. Marshal's Service, the designated investigation unit of the camp, is handling the search for Ojeda, but has no leads at this time, Franco noted.

For a successful garden

By DON RICHARDSON
Extension agent

Can you give me some suggestions for a more successful garden this year?

Mulching is a necessity in the spring and summer. Lay down a mulch such as compost, chopped leaves, hay or shredded hardwood bark right after planting. The mulch will retain soil moisture, keep roots cool and smoother weeds.

Plants are like people: They often wilt during the heat of the day. But it's usually a temporary wilt that happens when leaves lose water faster than the roots can replace it. If the plant doesn't recover by the morning, it's time to water.

Water deeply once or twice a week. Hand-watering is the least effective method. It's unlikely you'd have the patience to hold a hose long enough to give your garden a deep watering. For example, with a sprinkler it can take two hours or longer to effectively water a 25 foot by 25 foot plot. Drip irrigation devices, which control irrigation precisely, are even better than sprinklers. The water goes directly into the soil, so none is lost from evaporation. And drip irrigation is exact and uniform.

Ever wonder why your tomatoes develop cracks as the summer progresses? Cracks usually occur after having rains or irrigation follows a dry spell. Taking the water up greedily, the tissue inside the fruit ex-

pands faster than the skin. Tomatoes with cracks are more apt to rot on the vine. To prevent cracking, keep plants mulched and water plants at regular intervals.

Your peppers are very sensitive to temperature fluctuations. When temperatures fall below 60 degrees F. or rise about 75 degrees F., the buds will drop off before fruit sets. But don't worry, it's a temporary condition and fruit will form after the weather stabilizes.

Aphids are green or reddish insects that love the succulent tissue of buds and young leaves. They can mutilate your garden. You can control them with Safer's Insecticidal Soap. Spray carefully so that the solution actually comes in contact with the pesty bugs.

Tired of insect marauders? You need an insect friend — the praying mantis. Spread praying mantis egg cases throughout your garden. Once the mantises hatch, they'll be on a daily patrol for garden-gnawing insects.

Three operations that can get a lawn off to a good start — scalping, fertilizing and applying a weed killer.

Scalping a lawn in early spring serves to revitalize it and promote early spring green-up.

Begin the operation by lowering the blade of your lawn mower 1/2 to 1 inch below the normal setting. Then mow the lawn in two directions that are at right angles to each other. Remove the clippings after each mowing. They are excellent to add to a compost or to use as a mulch for garden and landscape plants.

Keep the lawn mower blade lowered until early summer.



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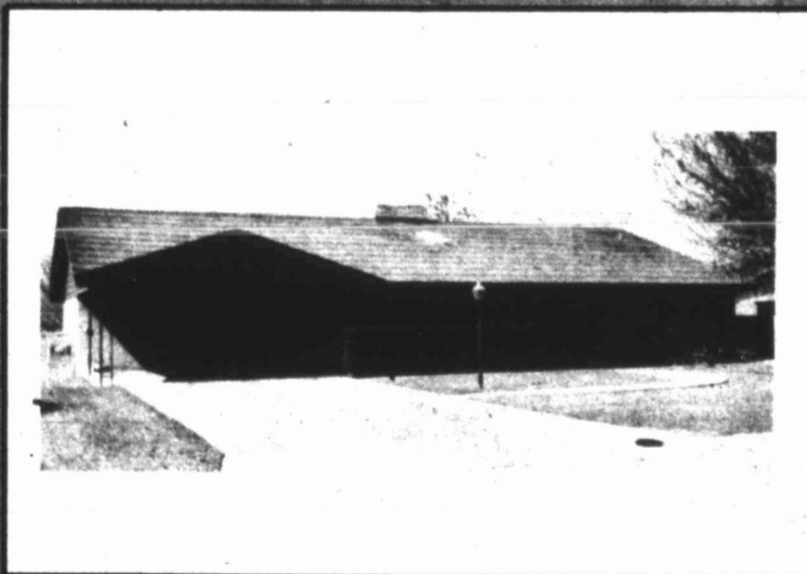
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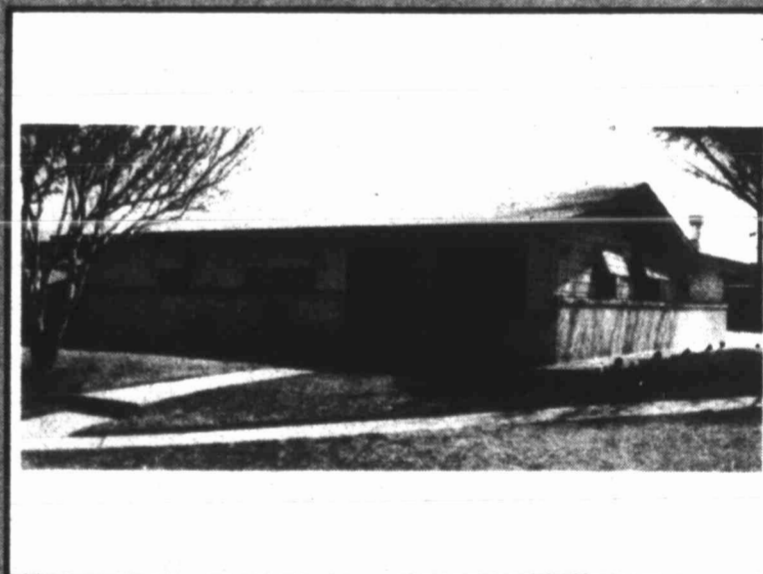
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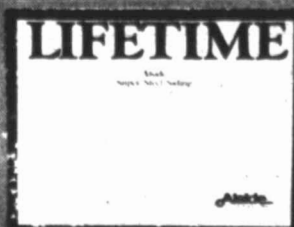
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Our day at the ranch



Fourth-graders from Coahoma Elementary School, on a field trip to the Paul Allen ranch southeast of Coahoma, take turns petting and feeding one of Allen's lambs in the above photo. Another group of students take a few moments to gaze at a quarter horse at right.

Besides visiting with the animals, the youngsters learned about soil conservation and other aspects of farming and ranching during the field trip, which was sponsored by the Texas CattleWomen.

Photos by Tim Appel
Edited by Steve Reagan

Editor's note: The combined fourth-grade classes of Coahoma Elementary School visited the Paul Allen ranch southeast of Coahoma on a field trip March 25.

The trip, sponsored by the Texas CattleWomen, was in observance of National Ag Week. Serving as the youngsters' guides were Allen, CattleWoman Theresa Sterling and representatives of the Howard County Agricultural Extension Office and the Agricultural Soil Conservation Service.

The next day, the children were asked to write about their experiences. Excerpts are printed below.

The fourth grade went on a wonderful field trip to Paul Allen's farm.

Chris Arguello

We went on a field trip Thursday, March 24. It was a fun trip.

Brooke Barber

They showed us this chart with beef it was meat. It was a great experience for me.

McKensie Ross

The fourth grade at Coahoma Elementary went to visit Paul Allen's farm. It was pretty fun.

Adrian De La Rosa

We went to see the cattle. Out of cow you can make all kinds of stuff. You can tell the lambs teeth by how old they are.

Tina Ruiz

My favorite animal was the quarter horse and the baby colts.

Audra Bingham

I enjoyed the baby lambs the most. The terraces were neat.

J. Edwards

My favorite thing was the pigs and the quarter horse and the crops, breed cows and the bull. Also I liked the cokes.

Jason N. Henry

There are many things made from cattle like medicine, marshmallows, gum, and milk.

Leslie Rodriguez

The mama cows will be taken to the sale, and then an auctioneer will start talking real fast. The person who gets the highest bid and nobody else bids higher, well then he gets her.

Nicci Ried

We got to feed baby lambs because there mother had triplets and didn't have enough food to feed them all so they had to feed them.

Deanna Coleman

It was nice of Mr. Allen to give everyone in the fourth grade a free coke. The cattle women

had a board of beef.

Kim Gray

Paul puts cotton burrs on his land to keep moisture in the soil and when Paul plants cotton there will be moisture in the soil it would grow cotton better.

James Best

Paul Allen was a good instructor and a good farmer. It seemed he was an auctioneer.

Namon Blevins

The pigs smelled the most.

Maranda Miliken

One of the lamb triplets was eating funny.

Becky Feaster

Many things are made from beef and even marshmallows are made from beef.

Jason Lloyd Henry

I liked the pigs best.

Jeremiah Best

We stopped in a field and it was filled with cotton burrs, he said they could hold seven times its weight with water.

Jeremiah Colgrove

Beef is healthy for you. Beef is leaner and it has less cholesterol than chicken with the skin.

Tammi Walling

We saw some pigs. One had a blue back. The main thing was we had fun.

Amanda Robey

We did not only learn we had fun.

Andrea Cevallos

We would all thank Paul Allen and he was one of the best speakers on the bus.

Ernesto Rodriguez

We went to see the lambs. We got to feed milk to them and they taught us to hold the nipple so the lamb won't suck it down its throat.

Krista Jeffcoat

Then we had to feed two baby lambs that didn't get enough milk from their mother, so we fed it. We also learned that from bigger sheep we not only get food we get wool for clothes too.

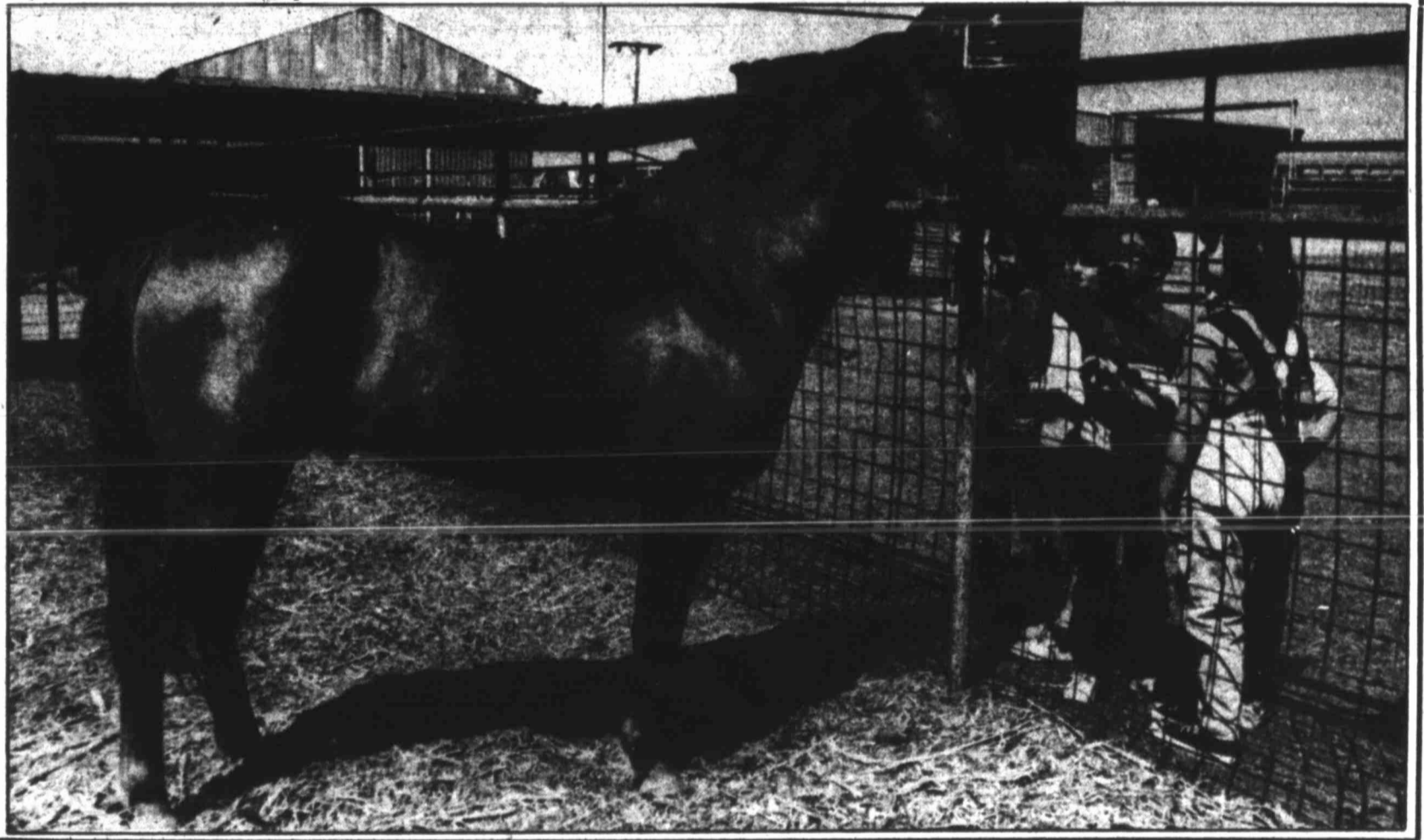
Diane Johnson

My favorite animal was the lambs. I got to feed one and if you called it he would come to you.

Craig Richardson

I hope I get to go back to the Allen's farm. You would like it too.

Jaime Urias



Newcomers

Joy Fortenberry and the Newcomer Greeting Service welcomed several new residents to Big Spring.

STANLEY and SARA MUSICK from Johnson City, Tenn. Stanley is an OB/GYN at Malone & Hogan Clinic. They are joined by their children, Sara, 15, and Alyson, 2½. Hobbies include horses, hunting and golf.

PAUL and CARLA KISTLER from Weather. Paul is employed by Cameo Energy Homes. They are joined by their daughter, Christina, 2. Hobbies include model cars, reading and sewing.

GREG and DONNA HOGUE from Lubbock. Greg is employed by the Big Spring Independent School District as a baseball coach and senior high school football coach. Donna is employed by Dr. Musick as a nurse. They are joined by their children, Jeff, 10, Tyler, 23 months, and Jessica, 8. Hobbies include football, baseball, golf, tennis, and water and snow skiing.

ANDY and DONNA DUNCAN from Longview. Andy is an operator for Hawker Siddeley Power Resource. Hobbies include

golf, water and snow skiing, handicrafts and camping.

JANE MIEHER from San Angelo is a truck driver. She is joined by her mother, Margaret Mieher. Hobbies include reading, collecting dolls and sewing.

MARSHA COX from Garden City is an elementary school teacher in Garden City. She is joined by her children, Ann Marie, 2, and T. Bird, 5. Hobbies include tennis and sports events.

LEONARD STYBER from LaMesa, Calif. is a machinist. He is joined by his mother, Ernestine Styber. Hobbies include crafts, quilting, skate surfing and swimming.

JERI WORKMAN from Sweetwater is manager of WHATABURGER. Hobbies include collecting antiques, needle crafts and embroidery.

PAMELA HEGE from Sweetwater does quilting and sewing for the public. Hobbies include bicycles, collecting antiques, swimming, horses and embroidery.

Tidbits

By LEA WHITEHEAD
Staff Writer

Actor David Trim, Los Angeles, former Big Spring resident, was the house guest of Keith and Cindy McGuire this week.



Tidbits

David, a 1977 graduate of Big Spring High School, has an impressive line-up of acting credits, including appearances on the daytime soap "All My Children," a bit on "Saturday Night Live," and a cameo role in the movie, "Crocodile Dundee" (he was in that memorable party scene).

You'll see him on TV's "Superior Court" later this month, and he's appearing in

several current TV commercials, including Sprite and Dodge Omni.

David is the son of former residents, Walter and Mary Trim, who have been living in Dallas. Walter was recently transferred by Missouri-Pacific Railroad to St. Louis; Mary, a teacher, will join him there when school is out in May.

Sam Woodward was back in town briefly this week. He said he has shuttered his antique shop in Austin which he opened about six months ago.

He's now busy "practicing on his cello again," he says, in preparation for several upcoming performances, one here later this month at the First United Methodist Church.

"Nothing ever surprised me in my whole life before," says Gail Earls. That was before the surprise birthday party that her daughter, Karen Bearden, put together to mark Gail's 50th

birthday.

Her birth date actually came and went without any fanfare, and so Gail just thought everybody forgot - or else didn't want to call attention to her half-century mark.

A few nights later, Glyn and Ruth Mitchell and Ken and Mae Mayhall said they would just pick up Gail and husband Floyd for a belated birthday dinner at the Brandin' Iron. What a surprise when Gail walked in! There was her mother, Idamae Luckens, and sisters Donna Kelly and Judy Baughn, all of whom had driven in from Oklahoma City; her grandson, Justin Earls, Big Lake; daughter and son-in-law Karen and Kenny Bearden and grandchildren Krysha and Kenny; and a score of friends.

Since he had closed his bakery, Gale Pittman whipped up the huge birthday cake in his home kitchen!

Graduates receive certificates

Certificates of Excellence were presented to 10 graduates of the Individual Development Program, who competed in a speak-off contest at Days Inn March 28.

Each participant presented a five-minute speech on a subject of their choice.

Contestants were: Ruth Oliver, Beverly Poe, Virginia Belew, Mary Louise Traczyk, Bertha Hamill, Joyce McBrayer, Dee Sevey, Aloma Hobby, Ivy Lee, and Rozelle Dohoney.

Judges were Gary Don Carey, Cecilia McKenzie, and Barbara Parks. Time keeper was Sandra Waggoner.

Joyce McBrayer was named top contestant.

The 10-week course, coordinated by Doris Meyer, president, was sponsored by the Big Spring Business & Professional Women's Club.

Musical hill

Pianist founds notable school

By TUMBLEWEED SMITH

What an unusual experience. Driving down a small picturesque road around Round Top you see what appears to be a giant European-looking structure surrounded by restored homes with gingerbread all over them.

The setting is inviting: huge trees, lush green grass and beautiful flowers everywhere. The sign reads Festival Hill. In the background, you hear classical music.

This is the project of James Dick, an internationally acclaimed concert pianist who came to Round Top to play a concert in 1970; he liked the place and decided to build a school so he could teach summers.

The 80-acre campus now houses the concert hall, rehearsal rooms, and living quarters for students and guests. Porches on the old houses (which look brand new) have been converted into stages where mini-concerts take place.

The city of Round Top got its name in the 1830's because of a big building that had a round top on it. The little village of 48 has a store that doubles as the community center. No visitor should miss having coffee there around 8:30 in the morning.

Colorful characters are telling colorful stories. The larger the crowd on hand, the better the stories — probably because the laughter is louder. That urges the story tellers to dig deeper into their bag of tales, selecting the proper windy fit.

The town is in one of the most historic areas of the state, located in the center of the triangle formed by Austin, San Antonio and Houston. In the 1960's some influential Texans discovered the area and its richness and set about restoring homes and promoting its heritage.

Ima Hogg was one of the people responsible for focusing the attention on Round Top. It was she who invited James Dick down to Texas to play.

Dick grew up in Kansas and came to the University of Texas to study piano. After graduating, he won a

Fulbright scholarship to Europe and several important international piano competitions. His career was launched.

He has long been a favorite of European audiences. Recent appearances have been at Queen Elizabeth Hall in London and at the Dutch resort city of Scheveningen. His recent U.S. appearances have been with symphony orchestras in Houston and Chicago.

The Today Show called Dick's Festival Hill at Round Top one of the cultural highlights of Texas. The Los Angeles Times calls it "a remarkable and stimulating phenomenon." It attracts more students and a larger audience every year. Carpenters at Festival Hill are developing into superb artisans and are asked to sign their works.

Students come from Europe, Mexico, Canada, Japan and elsewhere. Training is offered for every instrument in a symphony orchestra. All on scholarship, the students arrive in June for a three-to-seven week stay. Performances take place on weekends in June and July. During other months Festival Hill offers concerts, lectures or exhibits.

A highlight at Festival Hill is the David Guion Room, in which furniture and art collections of the native Texan composer may be viewed. Guion is remembered for "Turkey in the Straw," "Arkansas Traveller" and "Home on the Range."

Dick is the sole fundraiser for Festival Hill, which has around half a million dollars' worth of expenses every year. Funding comes from foundations, businesses and individuals. Another source of income is from classical music aficionados who come to Festival Hill for a weekend stay.

The prices are as follows. Concert tickets: \$7.50 each. Gourmet dinner: \$25 per person. Overnight accommodations: \$50 per person, which includes room, a complimentary concert ticket, a classic film and a continental breakfast. Reservations may be made by calling (409) 249-3129 or writing P.O. Box 89, Round Top, Texas 78954.

Dick knows he is building his legacy. And he's having fun doing it while providing entertainment for Texans as well as music education for youngsters from all over the world.

Linksters' luck lamentable

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Big Spring High School's golf team had tough jobs in league play Friday. The girls dropped from third to fourth place in Monahans, 19 strokes off the district lead.

Meanwhile, boys coach Don Cook

said of Friday's action, "It wasn't a very good day for the Steers. The greens were slow and we didn't have the right combination of players."

Jeff Rhodes, who remains atop the medalist competition in boys' golf, shot a 78.

Among the girls, Tammy Burnsted had the best score Friday with a 96, but coach Dwight Butler said a combination of high winds and bad shooting had hampered the golfers. For complete results of both boys' and girls' golf see Scoreboard page 5-B.

Netters capture tourney

MONAHANS — Big Spring High School boys' tennis team finished first overall Saturday after a two-day tournament here to win outright with a total of 55 points.

Rocky Tubb finished first in his third consecutive tournament in boys' singles. Boys' doubles duo Binky Tubb and Dan Ditto finished sixth, and Dan Whitehead finished third after his first outing in boys' singles.

Freshman doubles team Chris Ficke and Kevin

Nichols finished third in the consolation bracket.

Following the Steers were Monahans with 54 points and Snyder with 52. Other teams in the tournament were Pecos, Fort Stockton, Kermit, Odessa High and Carlsbad, N.M.

In girls' action Big Spring amassed 16 points led by senior Amber Logback, who had 10 points. Kenda Madry and Angie Wilson finished a disappointing 10th in girls doubles.

Fall Fest planned Sept. 30-Oct. 1

By THE BIG SPRING AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Steve Fraser, chairman of the Fall Fest committee for the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, has announced the weekend of Sept. 31-Oct. 1 for 1988 Fall Fest.

Fall Fest will take the place of Summerfest for 1988. Plans include a Friday evening dance and all-day Saturday activities.

A town hall meeting with Senator Lloyd Bentsen begins at 3 p.m. Monday in the Howard College Student Union Building Tumbleweed Room. It is open to the public; everyone is welcome to come meet the Senator and talk with him about the issues facing our community, Texas and the nation.

The next business after hours is scheduled for Thursday, April 21, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at Big Spring Skipper Travel at 612 S. Gregg Street. Business After Hours gatherings are catching on; more and more



Chamber of Commerce

people are attending. This is an opportunity to meet other chamber members, exchange business cards and make business contacts.

The new quarterly calendar of events for the chamber has been released. This calendar covers the events happening in the months of April, May and June 1988. You may obtain your copy of this new calendar at the chamber office.

Christmas in April, Inc., has announced Saturday, April 23 at the planned work-day for group's

home repair projects. Anyone wishing to help with a project, donate time and tools or just find out more about the program may call the chamber, 263-7641; Don Riley, 263-7661 or Bob Noyes, 267-5811.

The chamber's Cultural Affairs Council spring and summer season plans include assisting Howard College and SWCID with the joint musical production of "The Robber Bridegroom," to be performed April 29 & 30 in the amphitheater.

The committee is also working to sponsor a revived season of Starlight Specials for the summer months in the Comanche Trail Amphitheater. The opening production will be a June 4 performance from Theater Midland, "Mark Twain: The Trouble Begins," at 7 p.m. This is the first in the series of six planned summer Starlight Specials scheduled in the amphitheater.

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BUSINESS & INDUSTRY REVIEW

Edited by Lea Whitehead



Owner developed barbecue secrets

What makes one restaurant's barbecue better than another?

Larry Sparks, owner of Sparky's Barbecue on I-20 East, says it took him five years to develop his special formula. He cooks over mesquite in a pit on the premises — but he won't reveal anything more about his method. There's an original sauce, too, which he prepares fresh daily, but the ingredients and length of cooking are "carefully guarded secrets."

Sparky does all the cooking himself. Huge kettles of pinto beans are slow-simmered daily, and fresh potato salad is mixed every morning. The menu — informally hand-written on paper sacks — lists four kinds of barbecue sandwiches and four varieties of barbecue plates.

Sandwich prices begin at \$1.70 for chopped; sliced beef and sausage sandwiches are \$2.25; and combination beef and sausage is \$2.75.

Barbecue beef or sausage plates are \$3.98 each; the combination plate is \$4.75; and a barbecue sandwich plate is \$3.10 — with "all the trimmings."

They have just added burritos — beef or bean-beef combination — to the menu. They're \$1.00.

Beans, potato salad, and homemade peach or apple cobbler are also available in half pint, pint and

quart sizes.

"We do a big carry-out business," says Sparky. And the catering business is also brisk, adds his wife Debbie. The catered menu includes beef, sausage, beans, potato salad and cobbler.

Sparky developed his special way with barbecue over the last several years, testing and re-testing at barbecue cook-offs as a hobby. He has a lot of trophies to show for it.

The couple opened their own barbecue restaurant last September, and customers have been coming from Coahoma, Big Spring and Sand Springs.

The restaurant is open from 9:30 a.m. til 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday for the full menu, plus beer, wine and soft drinks. Sparky's is open from noon til 7 on Sundays, but serves beverages only — no food.

In addition to Larry and Debbie, Phyllis and Allen Sparks work parttime at Sparky's.

Customers can sit at red-checked cloth covered tables in a cheerful, sunny dining room. Service is quick and there's plenty of parking.

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