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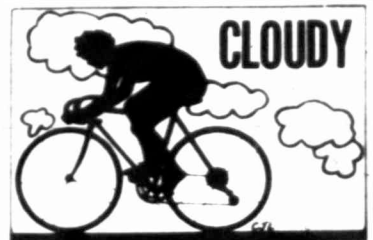
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Crossroads weather

Forecast for the Big Spring area: Partly cloudy through Thursday with isolated to widely scattered mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Highs through Thursday low to mid 90s. Lows tonight from mid 60s to lower 70s. Tuesday's high was 95 and the low was 68.



Aboutface: City decides not to boost taxes or rate

By MICHAEL DUFFY
Staff Writer

A Big Spring City Council consensus apparently has decided to scrap a proposed ad valorem tax increase and sanitation rate hike.

At Tuesday night's budget work session council members also stated their intent to give 240 city employees a much-discussed \$50 per month pay raise.

No action was taken — or can be — until Tuesday's regular city council meeting when the first reading of the 1988-89 budget will be held.

Despite the council's apparent decision, a public hearing on a tax increase will be held Friday beginning at 5 p.m. in the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark conference room. As an alternative to the tax and

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sanitation rate increases, the council tentatively plans to pay off \$670,000 in bond indebtedness by using one of five options suggested by the city's financial adviser, Joe Smith, a representative of the First Southwest Company in Abilene.

The plan calls for the council to approve a resolution authorizing an escrow agreement with the North Carolina National Bank in Dallas whereby government

obligations would be purchased at an interest rate sufficient to provide funds in the escrow account to make the principal and interest payments as they become due until final maturity in 1990.

The monies in the reserve fund would be placed in an escrow account and any surplus funds would be returned to the city.

An undetermined amount of agent fees would have to be paid to the Dallas bank, along with bond

council fees, for drawing up the escrow agreements. The process would free up approximately \$201,000, making a tax hike unnecessary for the upcoming year.

Council members instructed Tom Ferguson, city finance director, and Acting City Manager Hal Boyd to find out how much in agent fees the city will be required to pay.

Boyd told the council he would attempt to have that information available by Tuesday's council meeting.

Mayor A.C. "Cotton" Mize expressed reservations about not implementing a tax increase.

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WILLIAM DUPREE

Dupree charges dropped

By SARAH LUMAN
Staff Writer

After more than a year in the courts, charges of driving while intoxicated against Assistant District Attorney William Dale Dupree were dismissed Aug. 9, according to 118th District Court records.

The dismissal came despite a special prosecutor's effort to have a trial date set.

Tom Green County Attorney William Moore, appointed special prosecutor in the case after then-Howard County Attorney Tim Yeats withdrew, had written the presiding judge requesting that a motion to quash the information against Dupree be denied and a trial date set "to avoid a travesty of justice."

However, 32nd District Judge Weldon Kirk, who took over the case after 118th District Judge James Gregg withdrew, ordered the charges dismissed Aug. 9 by granting the motion to quash the information.

The motion to quash, filed by Robert Miller, a local attorney representing Dupree, said that because no specific intoxicant was identified, the information did not give Dupree sufficient notice to prepare his defense.

Judge Kirk had written Moore on May 25 indicating that he and current Howard County Attorney Harvey Hooser had agreed that "the motion to quash is good," and that unless Moore objected, he would dismiss the case.

Moore's letter to Kirk, dated Aug. 4, indicates objections to dismissing the case: "Many improprieties have occurred during the one and a quarter years since this alleged offense occurred — defendant with counsel filing his own motions, and motions being filed without copies to the State.

"The State prays the Court to deny the motion upon amendment by the Howard County, County Attorney (although still not requested by the defendant 'in a timely manner'), and set a trial date for this matter so as to avoid a travesty of justice."

Moore's letter also says, "I would certainly suggest to Mr. Hooser (SIC) that this complaint and information be amended to satisfy the defendant that he is being adequately apprised of the charges against him and that the case proceed to DUPREE page 3-A

Republicans now have their ticket 'Hi, the name is Quayle'

By EILEEN PUTMAN
Associated Press Writer

NEW ORLEANS — Sen. Dan Quayle, the conservative baby boomer who will be George Bush's running mate, introduces himself today to a party stunned by the choice of an unknown quantity but hopeful his youth will electrify the ticket.

Bush aides already are inviting comparisons between the handsome, vigorous Indiana senator and John F. Kennedy, who galvanized young voters nearly three decades ago. Bush himself called Quayle "a man of the future."

The two men made a joint appearance at a news conference today and Quayle presumably will be working on his acceptance speech for Thursday night.

The choice of Quayle, 41, a telegenic politician whose career rise has been meteoric, brought stunned silence and then applause from supporters who watched Bush make the announcement Tuesday after days of suspense. Conservatives said they were pleased by the choice.

Quayle bounced up and down on his toes at the riverfront area where Bush's tour boat had cruised to greet supporters, and could hardly contain his enthusiasm. "Let's go get 'em!" he shouted.

Sheila Tate, Bush's press secretary, said Quayle was Bush's "first choice, his only choice" for the ticket's No. 2 spot. He was picked over about a dozen

QUAYLE page 3-A



NEW ORLEANS — Delegates from Indiana respond with enthusiasm Tuesday upon the announcement of their senator, Dan Quayle, bottom inset, as running mate for George Bush on the Republican presidential ticket.

Bush's attention now: Acceptance

By RITA BEAMISH
Associated Press Writer

NEW ORLEANS — George Bush is focusing his attention on the acceptance speech he hopes will galvanize Republican convention delegates and television viewers around the nation behind his newly minted presidential ticket.

Bush this morning was to tour the podium at the Louisiana Superdome where he will deliver his speech Thursday night. Tonight the delegates are to vote to deliver the GOP presidential nomination to him without opposition.

Bush also planned to meet reporters today in a news conference with the man he named as his vice presidential choice on Tuesday, Sen. Dan Quayle of Indiana.

The vice president said the goal of his convention speech will be "to show ... how I want to lead this country, what my qualifications for leading the country are." He said the speech would include "some specifics, some competence matters, but I also think ideology counts."

"I feel comfortable with what we've got now," he said of the speech he has prepared, and added that his wife, Barbara, did not fall asleep when he tried it out on her.

Democratic nominee Michael Dukakis had confessed that his wife, Kitty, dozed off while reading an advance copy of his acceptance speech in Atlanta last month.

Bush's morning visit to the

Superdome was to familiarize himself with the podium and TelePrompTer system. He told reporters he believes he can deliver a speech better with a prompting device than without one.

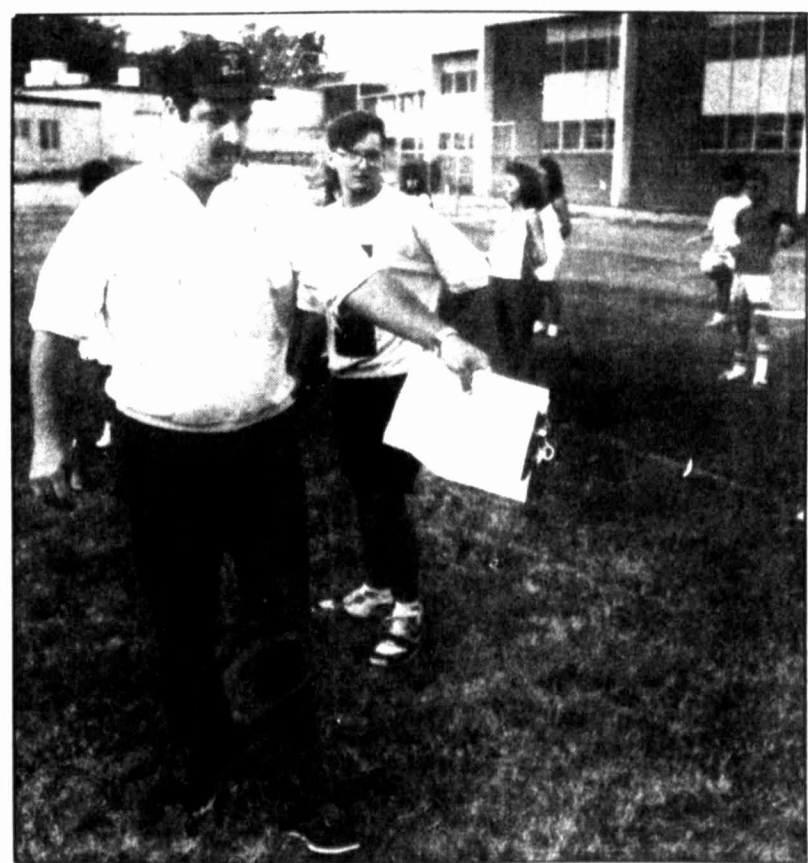
Meanwhile, the convention was buzzing about the selection of Quayle. Many called it a surprising choice, because Quayle lacks the congressional track record and high profile of some of the more prominent people Bush had considered.

But Bush had held his counsel closely. Even on the riverboat, filled with more than 300 supporters and campaign contributors, Bush's own son, George Jr., held up a sign reading, "Dad, you can tell me."

Before crossing the river, Bush had a brief encounter with President Reagan at the Belle Chasse Naval Air Station as the president left New Orleans and Bush arrived.

When the two were about to go their separate ways, Bush whispered into the president's ear. Aides later said he was confiding that the choice was Quayle, and that Reagan was the first person the vice president told. The second person he told was Mrs. Bush, said campaign press secretary Sheila Tate.

Asked why the news was not held until Wednesday or Thursday as had been planned to keep more suspense in the convention, Baker said Bush "did not think it would be appropriate, having made his decision this morning, to extend that any further."



Polishing their steps

Sherman Powers, foreground, Mike Yarbrough, second, and other trumpet players of the Big Spring High School marching band stand at attention as the band practices its formations, while band director Ricky Mitchell points to proper location of his students at left. Mitchell says this year's show will have a rock 'n' roll



theme. "It will be a fun show — full of energy — which is our trademark," he said. The 1988-89 Steer Band will debut at halftime of the Big Spring-Lubbock Estacado game here Sept. 9.

Herald photos by Tim Appel

Bishop College closes

DALLAS (AP) — Black colleges in Texas responded to the closing of Bishop College by saying they will try to preserve the institution's tradition by helping place its students and faculty in their own schools.

"Any time we lose any institution in this country that's providing education, it's unfortunate," Warren Morgan, president of Paul Quinn College in Waco, said Tuesday.

On Monday, Bishop officials told a federal bankruptcy judge the school could not raise the \$1.85 million needed to continue operations.

The school, founded by freed slaves in 1881 and at one time the largest black college west of the Mississippi River, must now sell its 21 buildings and 400 acres in Dallas to pay creditors.

Morgan said he and presidents of other historically black colleges in Texas have mapped out a plan to try and re-admit Bishop's 300 students and 30 faculty members who were left in the lurch when the school failed.

Morgan said the fate of 108-year-old Bishop is indicative of problems facing other private, black colleges.



Associated Press photo

Hanging tough

ODESSA — Bruce Navarro, 9, swings on two ropes that are part of a new obstacle course located on the football field at Odessa High School. Navarro and his pals often play on the equipment during summer vacation.

Briefs

Arrests of illegal aliens down

MCCALLEN (AP) — Fewer undocumented workers from Mexico and other countries are trying to cross illegally into Texas because of employer sanctions that have made U.S. jobs harder for aliens to come by, officials say.

Fifty illegal aliens were apprehended at Kingsville Sunday aboard a Houston-bound train, but such arrests have been rare in 1988, Border Patrol officials noted.

Only 5,756 arrests were made along the Rio Grande Valley area in July, compared with 6,994 in July 1987 and 12,253 in July 1986, said

agent Fred Rangel of the McAllen sector of the Border Patrol.

"This is with similar methods and manpower all along the border," Border Patrol Assistant Chief Larry Jackson of the McAllen sector told the *Houston Chronicle*.

"It's affected the job market here. We've given out 20 notices of intent to sanction businesses. The biggest fine has been \$8,000 against a saloon-type bar. So they (illegals) bypass us en route to the bigger cities where they can get lost in the populace," Jackson said.

House explosion kills one

IOWA PARK (AP) — A slow natural gas leak under a house might be responsible for an accidental explosion that left a woman dead and a man burned, officials said.

But investigators could not confirm the cause of Tuesday's blast until the remains of the house have cooled, probably today, said Alan Sheffield, police chief of the Wichita Falls suburb.

"The walls of the house were blown away," Sheffield said. "The roof was down on the ground. Parts

of the house were found up to a block away."

Phares Lamond, 68, was in serious condition Tuesday with second- and third-degree burns over 10 percent of his body, said Jan Reynolds, spokeswoman for Bethania Regional Health Care Center in Wichita Falls.

The dead woman was believed to be Lamond's wife. But the victim's body was badly burned, making identification difficult, Sheffield said.

Accident due to heart failure

TWIN FALLS, Idaho (AP) — A Texas truck driver whose semi tractor-trailer collapsed an overpass on Interstate 84 east of Burley may have been dead of a heart attack before impact, according to the forensic results of a July autopsy.

Harliss Coleman, 56, San Antonio, suffered sudden ischemic heart failure, said Todd Goodsell,

Minidoka County coroner. It is a rapid fibrillation of the heart which causes the organ to die almost immediately, he said.

Coleman, driving a moving van for Texas-based Sherwood Van Lines Inc., crashed July 14 into the supporting columns of the overpass. Two of the bridge's spans, weighing 110 tons each, collapsed on top of Coleman's rig.

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Man charged in killing

BELLEVILLE, Ill. (AP) — A California man was charged with murder Tuesday in the death of a Texas newspaper intern whose body was found June 26 in a dry creek bed behind a Belleville school.

Rodney Woidtke, 27, of Bakersfield, Calif., was charged in the death of Audrey Cardenas, police said. Woidtke had been in custody since the day the young woman's body was found, charged with obstructing a peace officer when he tried to cross a police barricade at the scene.

Woidtke was charged with a second misdemeanor on June 30 after allegedly trying to escape from the St. Clair County jail by prying out a window. He was being held Tuesday without bail.

The body of Miss Cardenas, 21, of College Station, Texas, was found behind Belleville Township High School-East. Police say Woidtke hit Miss Cardenas with a pipe.

Miss Cardenas was reported missing June 30 after she failed to show up for work.

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Boulter lampoons Bentsen in campaign advertising

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer

NEW ORLEANS — Republican Senate hopeful Beau Boulter has unveiled his first major television ad campaign, previewing a spot that will lampoon Sen. Lloyd Bentsen for running two races at once. Using humorous clips from several old movies, the commercial, shown Tuesday, shows actors trying to ride two horses at the same time, holding up a saddle with no horse under it and falling

off a horse into a hole. "We all wish we had two chances to win. But any real Texan will tell you can get hurt riding more than one horse at a time," the narrator says. Bentsen was chosen last month as vice presidential running mate by Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis. Under Texas' 1959 "Lyndon Law," passed for then-Sen. Lyndon Johnson, Bentsen's name is allowed to appear on the Texas ballot in both that race and his bid

for a fourth Senate term. Bentsen began airing his first round of Senate election commercials last week. Boulter and his campaign manager, Greg Graves, complained that the Bentsen's Senate and vice presidential campaigns overlap. "The message that I get from his television commercials... is the people of Texas should elect him to the U.S. Senate and then he will resign," said Boulter, who is attend-

ing the GOP National Convention this week. "Our commercial says that Lloyd Bentsen simply does not want to be the U.S. senator for Texas and that Beau Boulter does," the Amarillo congressman said. The commercial narrator's voice, in a Western twang, also seeks to call attention to the differences between Texas and Democrat Dukakis' home state: "Lloyd Bentsen says he's run-

ing in two races — riding a cow pony to impress us back in Texas and riding sidesaddle for his new Massachusetts friends. Ol' Lloyd is really hedging his bets," it says. The ad closes with the tag line: "Congressman Beau Boulter — the one candidate for U.S. Senate who really wants to be your senator." Graves said the ad campaign will begin airing Thursday in seven Texas television markets: Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston, Waco, Midland, Amarillo, Lubbock and

Tyler-Longview. He said the campaign plans to spend about \$220,000 on the 10-day run for the two-horse commercial and a second ad, which will tout Boulter's record on cutting federal spending, favoring the death penalty for drug pushers and criticizing the two races Bentsen is running. The ad campaign isn't being aired in several other major markets, including San Antonio, Austin and the Rio Grande Valley.

Spring board

How's That? Statehood

Q. When did Texas enter the Union?
A. Texas became a state on December 29, 1845. It was the 28th state.

Calendar Meeting

- THURSDAY**
- The electrical board of the city of Big Spring will hold a regular meeting at 6 p.m. in building 1106, Airpark Dr., Big Spring McMahon-Wrinkle Airport.
 - The West Texas Epilepsy Association will have a representative at the Permian Building, 113 W. 2, second floor conference room from noon to 3 p.m.
- FRIDAY**
- The water will be turned off from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Thorpe St. area to install a valve. The streets affected will be from Clanton to Wasson.
 - The Howard County Junior College District Board of Trustees will conduct a public hearing on the proposed annual operating budget of the district for 1988. The board will meet at 12:30 p.m. in the board room of the Dora Roberts Student Union Building.
 - Spring City Theatre as part of the Starlight Specials, will present a melodrama, "Tribulations on the Tiber," at 8:30 p.m. at the Comanche Trail Park Amphitheatre. Proceeds will benefit the Big Spring Humane Society.
 - There will be a senior citizens' dance at the Airpark in building 487 beginning at 8 p.m.
- SATURDAY**
- Howard County Youth Horseman Club will have an open all breed horse show, halter and performance 9 a.m. at the Howard County Youth Horseman Arena on the Garden City highway. Barbecue brisket dinner will be served. Call 263-6458 for more information.
 - Spring City Theatre as part of the Starlight Specials, will present a melodrama, "Tribulations on the Tiber," at 8:30 p.m. at the Comanche Trail Park Amphitheatre. Proceeds will benefit the Big Spring Humane Society.
 - The 8th Annual ALSA Benefit Washer Tournament at Roosevelt Brown Park, 1000, N.W. Sgt. Paredez St. It will benefit the Big Spring Boys Club. There is a \$40 entry for teams. For more information call Larry Lars at 263-6594.
 - Back-to-School Bash at Big Spring Mall beginning at 2 p.m.

Tops on TV

- Gigi**
- Maurice Chevalier, Leslie Caron. A captivating Paris tomboy is groomed by her sophisticated grandmother and great aunt to be a successful courtesan, but she falls for a young man. — 7 p.m. Ch. 5.
 - Growing Pains — Carol's furious when Maggie shares information that was given in strictest confidence with Jason, who must prove that secrets can't always be kept. — 7 p.m. Ch. 2.
 - Golden Link: Great Olympians — Al Oerter and Wyomia Tyus — 7 p.m. Ch. 3.

Forsan ISD adopts budget

HERALD STAFF REPORT

FORSAN — During a regular meeting Monday night, Forsan Independent School District trustees had a public hearing on the district's budget, adopted that budget and set a tax rate for 1989. The trustees also set a called meeting to amend the current budget, contracted for ambulance service during the home games for the high school football teams and adopted two policy updates. Board members also approved hiring a new elementary teacher, Esther Hernandez, according to superintendent J.F. Poynor. Poynor said early today that the board also discussed an administrative practice regarding resigned employees' coverage under a district health insurance plan and changed the benefit package contracted under its current insurer, Blue Cross/Blue Shield. "They hit us with a 32.4 percent increase in rates this year," he said, noting that the board determined to go out on bid for next year's coverage. The board tabled the matter of resigned employees for further discussion, Poynor said, and adopted a slightly different plan that did not make large changes in the benefits offered employees but did reduce the premium from \$101.70 per employee per month to \$99.01. Trustees opened the hearing on the budget, made no major changes to the proposed budget and adopted the budget. No members of the public attended the open hearing. The Forsan budget for the current year is \$3,421,972. The budget for the coming year — \$3,610,760 —

contains an increase of \$188,788. A three-percent across-the-board pay raise for district employees accounts for approximately \$80,000 of that amount, Poynor said. Three new positions account for another \$75,000, he noted, and the remaining \$35,000 will be spent to cover increases in various expenses in the budget. Voting to budget a deficit in the face of the uncertainty in the state's economic picture, the trustees determined to set the tax rate at 95 cents again. "That's below the effective rate," Poynor said. "We'll raise less money this year than we did last year." He said the rationale for the budget deficit, which is estimated at \$248,599, stems from a lawsuit currently in court alleging that Texas' method of funding its various districts is unconstitutional. A decision on the suit, which could cause all school tax monies to be funneled to Austin for equal distribution statewide, is expected before the district's next budget is drawn, he said. The trustees also contracted with a Big Spring ambulance service to provide service for home games and set the date for a called meeting to amend the current budget at Aug. 29. Transfer requests had prompted the district to prohibit students from attending school if they were not living with their parents in the district unless the parents gave up custody of the children, Poynor said. The board determined Monday to modify that policy to one that is somewhat less restrictive, he said.

Aboutface

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Councilman D.W. Overman said he understood the point the mayor was making, but the council "needed to get a handle on the budget." Mize eventually did side with the alternative plan, but said "I don't want to encumber the next council with our decisions." Mize also said Big Spring is one of the last cities to feel a response from the recession "and we'll recover." "Things just aren't that bad," he said. Councilwoman Gail Earls said she supported a tax increase. "You haven't raised taxes in six years. We need new roads, police stuff and everything," she said. Councilman Sidney Clark — who throughout the 3½ hour session questioned city officials thoroughly about the budget — said progress on expenditures will come next year. "We will find whatever we need next year, but we've got to get a handle on expenses," he advised. Clark also said he had serious concerns about a pending class action lawsuit filed by firefighters more than two years ago. City attorney Jean Shotts advised council members the case will probably not be heard during the October docket and possibly not for a year. "It could go that long. It could be three months," he said. Boyd said he recommended the one-time pay raise for city employees because it has been more than two years since the last one. Although there were only a few Big Spring residents who bothered to attend the work session, Larry Schaefer made it clear he was unhappy about the present condition of the city and opposed a tax increase. Reading from a prepared script, the 15-year resident of Big Spring told the council: "I've always tried to have a positive outlook on life, but Big Spring is preventing me from having that." Schaefer said residents should "demand" a higher and cleaner standard of living. "Why should we have to pay

more for a town that's going downhill?" he asked. Schaefer suggested he has witnessed numerous cases of city employee inefficiency. "I've seen so many cases of four men doing what two men can do," he said. Maxwell Green, who along with Jack Watkins has attended practically every budget work session this summer, told the council he favored a merit raise system. "I am still opposed to a blanket raise for city employees. I don't think a blanket raise is justified," he said. Green also said he was "terribly upset" by the lack of information provided to council members by city officials. Councilman Chuck Condray — who said he was in favor of the pay raise — advised he also believes in a merit raise system for "department heads who do a good job." Boyd said that as funds become available "we plan to go back to a merit raise system." Earls said she favored the pay raise and that the additional money city employees receive will be spent in Big Spring. Responding to criticism that the work performed by city employees is subpar, Shotts suggested cutbacks in the number of employees is partly responsible. Police Chief Joe Cook said members of his department believe the pay raise will eventually be eliminated from this year's budget. "Nothing that happens here is going to surprise the police department," he said. Cook also advised the council that in "one or two years" he will be asking them for more patrol cars. At a June 27 work session, the council agreed to purchase 5 refurbished patrol units at a cost of \$9,500 each, although Cook had asked for several new cars. He said the city is losing good police officers because of low pay. One Big Spring policeman will leave shortly to join the Midland Police Department — earning twice what he is paid now in an entry level position, Cook said. Mize invoked a 5-minute time limit for all speakers at the meeting.

Farm labor law seminar offered

The Texas Farm Bureau will host a seminar Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Civic Center Holiday Inn in Lubbock. All farmers and ranchers are invited to attend. The purpose of the seminar is to inform Texas Farm Bureau members of current labor laws and regulations that affect them. The

course will last approximately five hours, with a coffee and meal break. The seminar will be taught by members of the Public Affairs staff. The Lubbock seminar is the second in a series of five across the state.

Quayle

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hopefuls, who Bush personally notified from Belle Chasse Naval Air Station before phoning Quayle at his hotel at 2:06 p.m., aides said. Bush and Quayle enjoy a warm relationship and talk often by telephone or in Bush's office in the Old Executive Office Building. Sen. Mitch McConnell, R-Ky, who polled Senate Republicans at Bush's request two weeks ago, said Quayle was not among those they recommended for the spot. But when McConnell gave Bush the recommendations, Bush asked, "What about Dan Quayle?" Quayle is relatively unknown on the national stage, but he quickly seized the moment at Tuesday's riverfront festivities, his right hand chopping the air in a gesture reminiscent of Kennedy. "George Bush's America believes and has the commitment to the American family that is so important to all of us," he said, his voice rising to a shout. "George Bush's America understands the problems that confront us and can lead us to the future and the 21st century." Quayle is married to the former Marilyn Tucker, a lawyer, and they have three children, the oldest 14. He comes from a prominent Indiana newspaper family and is the grandson of the late Eugene C. Pulliam, a multimillionaire publisher.

Republican National Convention



It is not clear how much, if any, of the family fortune Quayle himself has. He says his principal source of income is his Senate salary. He lists more than \$250,000 in stock in a family-controlled newspaper group as his only substantial asset, but the figure may be understated because congressional financial disclosure forms require that holdings be reported only in broad ranges. Quayle made no major marks in two terms in the House before his Senate bid, defeating incumbent Democrat Birch Bayh in 1980 and winning re-election handily in 1986. In the Senate, Quayle has not attained the stature of his senior Indiana colleague, Richard Lugar.

But in choosing Quayle, Bush opted for someone with whom he felt comfortable rather than someone with instant name recognition. James A. Baker III, Bush's new campaign chairman, said the choice was "a bold stroke across generations" and predicted that those Republicans who don't now back Quayle "will be enthusiastic supporters of his" once they "look at his record and see him perform." Robert Teeter, Bush's pollster, said Quayle should strengthen the ticket in the Midwest, where Bush ran poorly in the primaries, and also help bridge the celebrated gender gap problem Bush has with women voters. "He is someone of the younger generation. He has a very attractive family, a wife that has been a professional woman, and I think he will be someone who will help the ticket with all the voters and particularly women voters of that generation," Teeter said. Teeter also called Quayle a "strong conservative." The senator has supported President Reagan's Star Wars missile defense system and defense spending measures. He was a chief Senate opponent of the legislation, which Reagan also initially opposed, that required companies to give employees advance notice of plant closings.

Sheriff's log

- Howard County Sheriff's Department officers are investigating two thefts:
- J-Mar Construction in Forsan reported the theft of a portable Honda generator valued at \$800 between Sunday and Tuesday.
 - Larry Caldwell reported the theft of two weed cutters valued at \$50 each from his residence on Dogwood St. near Wasson Road between Aug. 8 and Sunday.
 - Paul Davis was sentenced to three years probation plus restitution and released Tuesday. Davis, 26, 307 N.W. Eighth St., pleaded guilty to theft by check in 118th District Court.
 - James Lyndon Rhodes, 21, No. 10 Highland Heather, is being held without bond in Howard County jail after sheriff's officers arrested him on charges of possession of marijuana less than two ounces.
 - Richard Walkup, 36, no address given, pleaded guilty in 118th District Court to felony theft charges. He was sentenced to six years probation plus restitution and fined court costs and attorneys' fees.
 - Rosendo Sanchez Jr., 24, Garden City, was arrested on a warrant for revocation of probation on a charge of driving while intoxicated and is being held without bond on sentence of 60 days in county jail.
 - Kirk Stanley Battreal, 27, 2911 W. U.S. 80, was arrested by city police on a Harris County warrant for theft by receiving. Bond had not been set early today.
 - Cecil Douglas Hoard, 34, 1205 S. Johnson St., was released on \$2,000 bond after being arrested on a warrant for revocation of probation.
 - Michael David Reese, 18, 538 Westover, No. 232, was released on \$1,000 bond. He had been arrested by city police on charges of DWI.
 - Jimmy Carrillo, 26, 1014 Bluebonnet St., was sentenced to three years probation and fined \$602.50 after pleading guilty in district court to DWI.
 - Casey Chance Harrison, 19, Odessa, was sentenced to five years' deferred adjudication and fined \$414 after pleading guilty in district court to burglary of a building.
 - Pete Campos, 43, 108 Carey St., was released on \$1,000 bond. He had been arrested by Texas Highway Patrol officers on a charge of DWI.

Dupree

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Local attorney Bob Miller, to whom Dupree referred all questions concerning the case except to say the charges had been dismissed and that the dismissal "is no surprise," was also not available for comment early today. The 118th District Court record contains a letter from Kirk, stamped "Filed/Aug. 20/11:56 a.m.," indicating that the charges against Dupree had been dismissed in conjunction with his granting the motion to quash the indictment. August 20 is three days away. A lawsuit against the Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Highway Patrol Trooper Weldon Jones and DPS Sgt. James Woodall has been filed as a result of the May 6, 1987 arrest. Dupree said today he would have no comment on the suit and referred questions to his attorney, Bob Garcia in Odessa.

Deaths

- L. Frances Kelly**
L. Frances Kelly, 75, Big Spring, died Sunday, Aug. 14, 1988 at her home. Services will be 10 a.m. Thursday in Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Keith Wiseman, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Graveside services will be 10 a.m. Saturday in West Hill Cemetery in Sherman. She was born Oct. 31, 1912 in Longview. She was a Methodist and was a Charter member of the Genealogical Society and held several offices in that organization. She was a graduate of the University of Texas in Austin. She moved to Big Spring in 1972 from Austin and worked in the Coahoma and Big Spring school districts as a librarian. She is survived by one brother and sister-in-law, Guy and Ruth Kelly, Cedar Creek Lake; one sister, Dorris Byrd, Dallas; and several nieces and nephews.
- Lloyd Jones**
Lloyd J. Jones, 84, Dallas, died Tuesday, Aug. 16, 1988 in a Dallas hospital. Graveside services will be 4 p.m. Thursday in Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Keith Wiseman, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Lamar & Smith Funeral Home.
- MYERS & SMITH**
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267-8288
301 E. 24th St., Big Spring

Irene Polk

Irene Polk, 74, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Aug. 17, 1988 in a local hospital. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel
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L. Frances Kelly, 75, died Sunday. Services will be 10:00 A.M. Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Graveside services will be 10:00 A.M. Saturday in West Hill Cemetery at Sherman, Texas. Irene Polk, 74, died Wednesday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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Opinion

Testing bill rates support

A two-year congressional investigation into the quality of nuts, bolts, screws and other fasteners imported into the United States has uncovered a nightmare situation of widespread greed, deceit, and corruption.

The House Energy and Commerce Committee's subcommittee on oversight and investigations warns in a startling report that the country has been flooded with tens of millions of substandard, counterfeit fasteners. They have been used on our most sensitive defense equipment, on space shuttles, in nuclear power stations and in commercial aircraft.

They have caused 61 aviation accidents in three years, resulting in several deaths, and it may be just a matter of time before they cause a major catastrophe. "We fear there are still some very unpleasant surprises waiting in the shadows," says the committee's 152-page report in a classic understatement.

More than 7 billion bolts and large screws are used every year in the United States, of which about 1.5 billion are required to be of especially high quality for use in critical applications.

The fact is that many fasteners carrying top-quality markings are cheap, foreign-made imitations incapable of performing to specification. Most of them come from Japan, Mexico, Spain, Korea, Taiwan and Poland, where unscrupulous manufacturers have deliberately substituted inferior-quality fasteners while charging top-of-the-line prices.

Some companies have gone so far as to supply fake laboratory reports to American suppliers who have questioned the quality of their products.

The panel's investigators discovered faulty, counterfeit fasteners in Air Force missiles, nuclear submarines and Army tanks. More than 30 million bogus fasteners were found in the inventory of the Defense Industrial Supply Center.

In addition, nuclear power plants have been using defective fasteners since 1982, according to the investigators' report.

As a result of the subcommittee's disturbing findings, 51 members of the House of Representatives have introduced a bill that requires laboratory testing of all fastening devices destined for use in critical situations.

The bill demands unanimous support and fast action. No more lives and strategic equipment should be placed at risk because of fraudulent and deceitful nut-and-bolt merchants overseas.

Letters

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

They should be 350 words or less, typewritten if possible, and double-spaced. If not, the handwriting must be legible to reduce chances for mistakes.

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

They must be signed, free of libelous statements and in good taste. Political endorsements won't be accepted during a campaign.

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

Williams' life a series of trials

By LEWIS GRIZZARD

Any history of the civil rights movement should have pages upon pages devoted to Hosea Williams, the old warrior who has marched to hell and back and talked his head off in behalf of the movement.

Selma, Ala. He was there. Forsyth County, Ga., 25 years later. He was there, too.

At some point, however, Williams, now an Atlanta city councilman, apparently lost a few of his screws.

I submit you can't do and say some of the things Hosea Williams has done and said and still have your mental fast ball.

You name it as a traffic violation, and Hosea has been convicted of it. We're talking speeding, improper turning and driving on the wrong side of the road.



Lewis Grizzard

There also was a driving while under the influence conviction in 1970, a nolo contendere plea to another in 1979; and, in 1981, Councilman Williams was convicted of leaving the scene of an accident. For that, he served 180 days in the cooler.

But we're just getting started here. Hosea later was declared a habitual violator of the rules of the road and was ordered not to drive.

He ignored that, and got arrested again for operating a motor

vehicle without a license. That was a felony charge.

His most recent involvement with the law was being arrested for having a gun in his briefcase as he went through a security checkpoint at an airport.

Hosea said he put the gun, for which he had no license, in his briefcase and forgot it was there.

But why did you need a gun in the first place, Councilman Williams?

"You better have a gun in the world today," he said. Where did he get that bit of wisdom from — Carl Rowan?

Of course, Hosea has said a lot of strange things over the years.

After being arrested for a DUI one New Year's Eve, he said, "I had three little glasses of champagne. If I had not been a public official, I would have had four."

I was at charity roast a few months ago where Hosea was master of ceremonies.

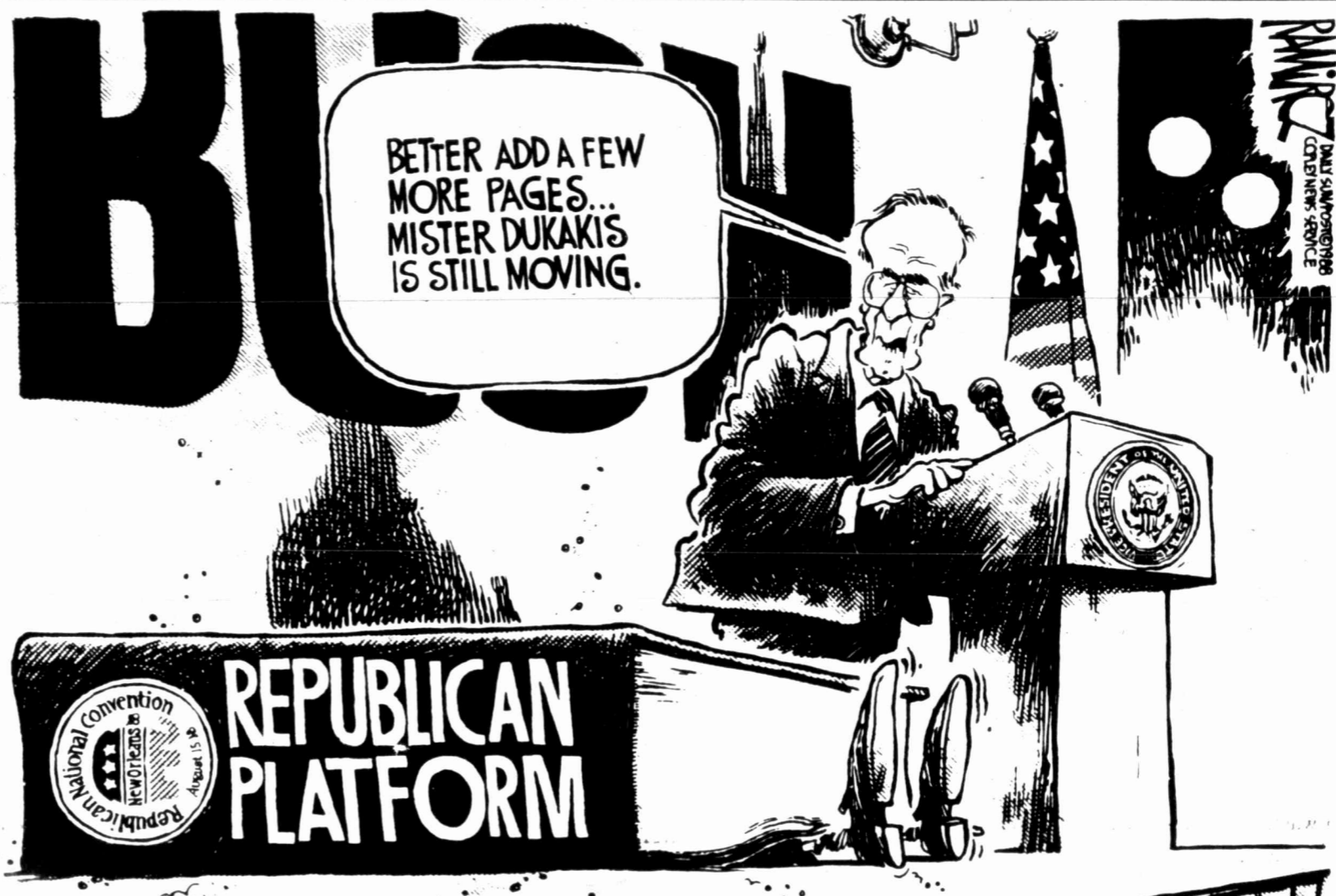
After introducing a roaster, Hosea would go to sleep at the head table and have to be awakened again to carry on his part of the program.

He was alert enough to tell this story though:

"On the way over here, I was stopped by a policeman, who asked for my driver's license. I said, 'Son, don't you know who I am? I'm Hosea Williams. I haven't had any driver's license in 15 years.'"

I still don't know if Hosea was indeed driving that night, or was making a joke. I didn't wait to find out.

When the roast was over I sprinted to my car and sped away, so as to avoid sharing a road with him.



Vehicle makers fighting to stop legislation

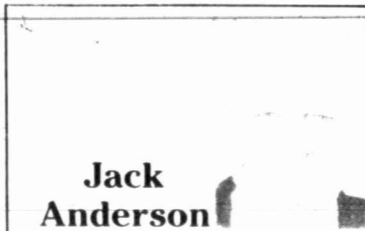
By JACK ANDERSON and JOSEPH SPEAR

WASHINGTON — The makers of all-terrain vehicles — the three wheelers that kill an average of 20 people each month — are lobbying desperately to stop legislation that would force the dealers to buy back the buggies.

Congressmen are used to being blitzed with mass mailings from lobbyists and constituents. But the big-four ATV manufacturers — Honda, Suzuki, Yamaha and Kawasaki — have taken the tactic one step further.

The Japan-based foursome bankrolled a recent flood of 8,000 angry letters to members of Congress. The letters were alleged to have come from individual dealerships. But the catch is that some of the dealers say they never read or heard about the letters which bear their names.

Rep. Joe Barton, R-Texas, sponsor of legislation to require customer refunds for ATVs, got a rash of negative feedback from his constituents last month. When he answered the letters, he found that most of his pen pals didn't know



Jack Anderson

what letters he was talking about. Typical is the unsigned mailgram that began: "I operate Hudson Honda, 607 Main St., and I am very angry and concerned about the anti-ATV legislation in the House Energy and Commerce Committee. Sincerely, Ferrellyn Hudson."

We called Hudson at her shop in Cleburne. She didn't send the mailgram and said she was not asked if her name could be used in a lobbying effort. "I don't appreciate someone using my name without asking me," Hudson told our associate, Jim Lynch.

The four ATV manufacturers hired the public relations firm of Burson and Marsteller, which handled the mass mailing. A company spokesman told us it was unusual to arrange such a large

mailing. But one of the companies that did had approval from everyone whose name was used.

The lobbying onslaught reflects the industry-wide panic. Just three months ago, ATV manufacturers reached an agreement with the Justice Department to no longer peddle their balloon-tired buggies in the United States.

Barton introduced a law last November which, if passed, will require ATV dealers to give refunds for vehicles already purchased, but ATV owners can keep their vehicles if they want.

Barton's legislation has been mired in congressional red tape for nine months. His rationale for the law is that blocking the sale of ATVs doesn't take care of the more than 2.5 million ATVs already bushwacking around the nation's backroads, swamps and dunes.

Their proven instability and unpredictable roll-overs have contributed to more than 330,000 injuries and 1,000 deaths since 1982. Barton doesn't buy the manufacturers' claims that the high-accident rate reflects driver error.

His legislation has the support of the U.S. Public Interest Research Group founded by Ralph Nader.

"Without a refund, owners of the 2.5 million ATVs in circulation will continue to ride their dangerous vehicles or sell them to unsuspecting customers," said the group's staff attorney, Pamela Gilbert.

The law doesn't have the backing of Consumer Product Safety Commission Chairman, Terrance Scanlon, who thinks the refunds are unnecessary. If the legislation passes, Scanlon's commission will determine the refund procedure.

The industry's lobbying efforts have affected more than just Congress. Last month, the Michigan State Medical Society pulled a series of radio public service announcements off the air.

The spots were critical of ATVs and the Michigan Motorcycle Dealers' Association told a radio station it would complain to the Federal Communications Commission.

PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE — The Reagan administration would dearly love to oust Manuel Noriega from Panama before the

November election. Military force is frowned on, and an economic squeeze didn't work.

Our sources say the next tactic will be a psychological campaign — a war of nerves to outsmart him. The only problem is, if Noriega leaves, he could be replaced by a military junta called the "Gang of Eight" which controls the troops and runs Panama today.

They are just as corrupt and ruthless as Noriega, and like Noriega, they work for the Medellin drug ring.

MINI-EDITORIAL — If you've been following the Rhode Island case of The Bods vs. The Birds, you know that a federal judge recently ruled that the Fish and Wildlife Service can legally prohibit nudists from sunning themselves in the nesting area of two endangered species of birds.

We wholeheartedly concur. We have nothing against naked people, but when it comes to looking at flocks of things, we prefer the birds.

Quotes

"We thought we'd be hopping, but business is terrible. Normally we do three shows a night. Last night, we barely made two." — Kerri Rock, employee at the Can-Can Cabaret on New Orleans' Bourbon Street, bemoaning the lack of business from Republican conventioners.

"We must not let the situation change the normal course of our lives. That's just what the Arabs want." — Shimshon Kahilker, a 21-year-old seminary student, expressing the determination of fellow Jewish settlers to stay in Gaza in the face of resurgent Palestinian violence.

"I have said before that I didn't expect to be selected. Neither I nor Bob was running for vice president." — Elizabeth Dole, after the former transportation secretary learned that she and her husband, Sen. Bob Dole, had been passed over as George Bush's choice to run on the Republican ticket.

Sen. Quayle topped the list that counted — Bush's

By WALTER R. MEARS AP Special Correspondent

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Dan Quayle's is not a household name, but it soon will be, because George Bush decided to make it one.

Reaching across the generation gap for a vice presidential nominee, Bush took charge with a stroke that symbolized the change in Republican command.

Tonight, the Republican National Convention formally installs Bush as its nominee to succeed President Reagan.

In choosing his running mate, Bush bypassed more familiar names, defeated rivals, Republicans with power bases of their own. Quayle's constituents are back home in Indiana. He has a national constituency of one: George Bush.

Within hours after he arrived in New Orleans on Tuesday, Bush dramatized the passage of GOP power. He bid farewell to Reagan, then began telephoning about a dozen Republican leaders and officeholders to tell them he would not be asking them to join the



Capitol report

ticket. "I think we were all focusing on Kemp, Dole and Dorniceni, and the vice president pulled a fast one," said Rep. Henry Hyde of Illinois.

Quayle's name had been on the vice presidential prospect lists, but not at the top — except on the only list that counted.

Bush called Quayle shortly after 2 p.m. to say he was the choice. Then, at a riverfront welcoming rally, Reagan's vice president introduced his own choice for vice president.

Quayle, 41, is two years into his second term in the Senate, after serving two terms in the House. He's trim, athletic, Hollywood handsome and a skilled television campaigner. His congressional

record is staunchly conservative, and he is a specialist in national defense.

"Dan Quayle's a man of the future," said Bush, "a young man, born in the middle of this century, and from the middle of America."

"This is the first baby boomer on any national ticket," said James A. Baker III, the departing treasury secretary who is about to take charge of the Bush campaign. "I think the vice president saw this as a bold reach across generations."

Bush is 64, Reagan 77. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas, the Democratic nominee for vice president, is 67.

Quayle is the first child of the post-World War II baby boom to be nominated for national office. That doesn't necessarily mean he'll pull the votes of his generation; the Nov. 8 election will tell. But he does give the ticket a youthful cast that should help with the baby boom-yuppie generation.

GOP strength has grown among younger voters, and party strategists see that trend as the avenue to eventual majority or at least parity with the Democrats.

A Gallup poll conducted Aug. 5-7

showed Bush leading by 54 percent to Michael Dukakis' 40 percent among voters under 30 years of age, while Dukakis led 53-37 among those over 50.

The Quayle candidacy certainly will draw a contrast with Democrat Bentsen, 26 years his senior. While Republicans said a head-to-head vice presidential debate should be to their advantage, Dukakis argued the other side of the youth issue, praising his running mate as "a mature, thoughtful man with real stature."

Bentsen said he looked forward to a debate comparing his accomplishments with Quayle's.

But Quayle is no rookie, not after a dozen years in Congress. He is not the kind of unknown quantity Richard Nixon chose in 1968 in picking Spiro T. Agnew from the governorship of Maryland.

His Midwestern base is one of the likely battlegrounds in the campaign ahead. That territory is crucial to Republican prospects. The farm belt and the industrial Midwest are prime targets for the Democrats. Bush fared poorly there in the presidential primaries

and lags in regional public opinion polls now.

So Quayle's assignment is sure to include heavy campaign duty in his home territory.

Some Republicans think Quayle also could help Bush narrow the gender gap by gaining the votes of women. He won landslide Senate re-election in 1986 over a female Democrat, showing about equal strength among male and female voters.

"I can't believe a guy that handsome wouldn't be attractive in some respect," said Sen. John McCain of Arizona.

Well, maybe. But that appeal doesn't work with the activist women who are most critical of the Republican candidate. "A pretty face won't help George Bush with women," said Molly Yard, who heads the National Organization for Women.

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Nation

Record highs scorch several states

Air-conditioned government buildings were opened for the elderly in two states, state fair exhibitors packed livestock in ice and band members sweated in a scorching stadium as record heat recorded much of the nation. Record highs fell Tuesday from the eastern Plains to the Ohio Valley, but the Northeast got a break. "It's great," 25-year-old New York City sanitation worker Frank Nahodyl said while sweeping a street. "We've been sweating like hell the last few weeks. I start at 6 in the morning. I'd be dripping wet by 7 and dying by 10. But now there's a breeze."

Technicians set to seal gas leak

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Technicians moved into Discovery's cargo bay to begin plugging a tiny gas leak that threatens to delay the first post-Challenger shuttle launch. With the shuttle poised on the launch pad, the technicians today were to drill into the cargo bay wall and an engine compartment to repair the tiny leak discovered a month ago. The leak in a steering engine compartment must be stopped before Discovery can be launched in late September or early October. The plan was to use a routing tool to cut two holes in the rear bulkhead of the 60-foot-long cargo bay and two more in the adjoining aluminum hull of the steering engine compartment.

Construction climbed 2.4 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Housing construction climbed 2.4 percent in July, but building permits for future construction fell at the sharpest rate since January, the government reported today. The Commerce Department said new homes and apartments were being built at an annual rate of 1.49 million units in July. It was the second consecutive monthly increase following a 4.4 percent rise in June. However, building permits dropped 5.4 percent last month, the biggest decline since a 9 percent fall in January. Since building permits are considered a good barometer of future activity, analysts said the report was signaling that housing activity, after a brief rebound in June and July, was headed lower.

Hostages freed after 16 hours

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo. (AP) — A man facing sexual assault charges and his wife took three people hostage at gunpoint in a courthouse, but they released the last of them unharmed early today after nearly 16 hours. Joyce Bailey walked out of the judge's chambers where she had been held since 10 a.m. Tuesday after Kevin Patrick Firth apparently defused explosives police believe he had wired to the door. Firth, who had been in jail five months awaiting trial, and his wife, Helen, remained barricaded in the two-story Mesa County Courthouse. Tuesday's ordeal began as Firth's handcuffs were taken off prior to a pre-trial hearing. Mrs. Firth pushed a jailer and handed her husband a semi-automatic pistol, keeping a second for herself.

Man sentenced for biting off nose

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — A 20-year-old man has been sentenced to three years in prison and ordered to pay restitution to a man whose nose he bit off during a fight. Aaron Witherspoon's prison term was three times that called for by state sentencing guidelines, but Ramsey County District Judge Gordon Shumaker said it was justified by the "particular cruelty" of the attack. The medical expenses of Gary Holter, 41, have exceeded \$10,000 and will increase.

Soviets gather at U.S. nuclear site

PAHUTE MESA, Nev. (AP) — A nuclear test explosion conducted in the presence of Soviet scientists will mark a milestone in super-power relations and could ease the way for a nuclear test ban between Moscow and Washington, officials say. The blast scheduled for today would be the first ever monitored by Soviet scientists at the supersecret Nevada Test Site. Diplomats who reached the agreement late last year planned to gather today at a remote control point 30 miles from ground zero, joining scientists who direct the nuclear weapons programs for the United States and Soviet Union. The nuclear explosive, with a blast nearly 12 times more powerful than the one that devastated Hiroshima, was buried 2,020 feet into the belly of a secluded, picturesque mesa 130 miles northwest of Las Vegas. The weapon set for detonation was encased in a steel canister, painted red, white and blue by workers who planted the device three weeks ago. The test was designed to measure the ability of each country to monitor the size of the other's nuclear tests, a requisite in preventing cheating on treaties signed in 1974 and 1976 limiting the size of nuclear tests to 150 kilotons. Both sides have accused each other of exceeding the limits. President Reagan first suggested such a verification test during a United Nations speech four years ago. The test, code named Kearsarge, would be the ninth at the site this year and the 684th announced blast at the Nevada site since testing began here in 1951. Forty-five Soviet nuclear scientists, engineers and diplomats were on hand to witness today's blast. A like number of American scientists will witness a test at the Soviet site at Semipalatinsk next month. Some of the Soviet scientists were in the nearby town of Mercury when six of the previous U.S. tests were conducted this year, but today's test was the first one in which they were present. One possible hitch was eliminated Monday when a patrolling Department of Energy helicopter picked up two anti-nuclear protesters in a remote desert canyon.

World

Zia, ambassador die in crash

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — President Mohammad Zia ul-Haq and U.S. Ambassador Arnold L. Raphel were killed today when their Pakistani military plane exploded in the eastern part of the country, official radio said. The Pakistan air force C-130 transport plane had just taken off from Bahawalpur, 330 miles southwest of Islamabad, when it exploded, the report said. The government statement read over radio at 8 p.m. (11 a.m. EDT) said that none of 37 people aboard was believed to have survived. In addition to Zia and Raphel, the passengers included several senior Pakistani army generals, the radio said. An earlier report said the plane crashed after taking off from an airport in Lahore.

Israeli settlers digging in heels

NEVE DEKALIM, Occupied Gaza Strip (AP) — Jewish settlers are digging in their heels, determined to stay in this seaside strip even in the face of resurgent Palestinian violence that led the army to clamp an indefinite curfew. They say they are drawn by an improved quality of life in their tiny, close-knit communities and a pioneering spirit. But heightened violence in the Israeli-occupied territory has taken its toll. Six Israelis leaving Neve Dekalim after a visit this week were injured in a firebomb attack. From the settlement, Israelis can often see tires burning and hear gunfire in the nearby Khan Yunis refugee camp. Jewish settlers here, however, say they will not be frightened away.

Anti-government rally in Rangoon

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — About 3,000 people staged an anti-government rally today in Rangoon, an Asian diplomat said. It was the largest such protest reported in the Burmese capital since last week's bloody riots. The diplomat said protesters rallied in front of Rangoon General Hospital, a gathering spot for demonstrators after security forces allegedly shot doctors and nurses there during last week's unrest. The diplomat, speaking on condition of anonymity, had no details on the rally. He said the city was otherwise quiet.

Global arms sales on the decline

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — Global arms sales are on the decline and the superpowers are losing an important source of political leverage as nations that once relied on them for weapons turn elsewhere, a report said today. In its 1988 yearbook, the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute said international arms trading reached \$35 billion last year. It said \$24.7 billion worth of weapons, about 70 percent, were delivered to Third World countries. India was the world's largest buyer with \$5.2 billion. The United States, Soviet Union, France, Britain and China supplied 80 percent of the international market, the report said.

Soviet passenger train derails

MOSCOW (AP) — A train derailed and caught fire, killing an undetermined number of people and injuring 95, Tass and a Soviet official reported today. The official news agency said the Aurora passenger train was traveling from Leningrad to Moscow when it left the tracks between the Berezaika and Poplavnets stations north of Moscow at 6:34 p.m. on Tuesday. Anatoly N. Sobin, director of the Leningrad railway station in Moscow, told The Associated Press the train was carrying 760 passengers when it crashed about 220 miles north of the capital. Sobin said in a telephone interview that 95 passengers were hospitalized in two nearby towns. He said he did not know the number killed. First Deputy Railroad Minister Vladimir Ginko told Tass an exact count had not been made.

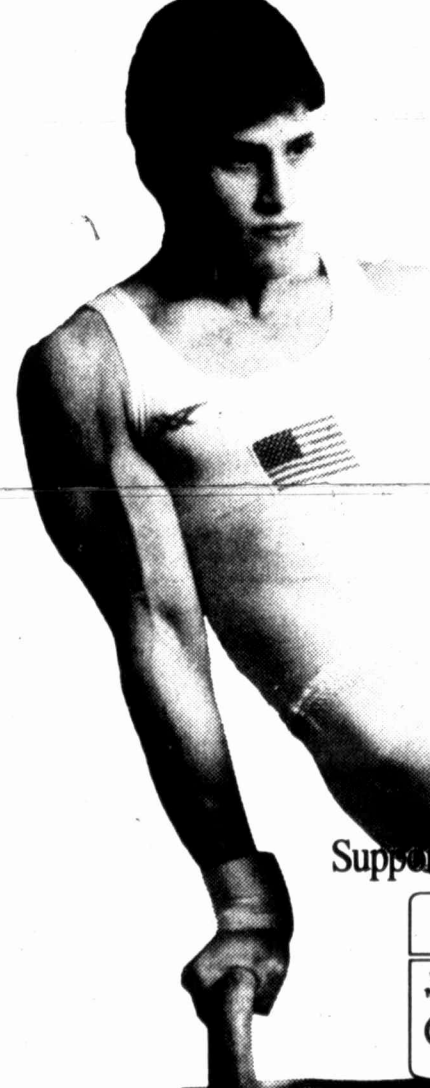


Young Republican?
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Lifestyle



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Cher's fragrance

NEW YORK — Actress/singer Cher holds a bottle of the perfume "Cher — Uninhibited," by Parfums Stern, recently at a press conference at New York's Plaza Hotel. Michael Stern, president of Parfums Stern, said the fragrance will be available in stores around Nov. 1.

Area briefs

High school to host reunion

Forsan High School class of 1972 will host its reunion Saturday. Activities include: Dinner at the Brandin' Iron Inn at 6 p.m., and a dance at the Big Spring Country Club at 8 p.m. Teachers and students are welcome to attend. Pictures will be taken at the dance. For more information, call R.C. Reed at 267-2005.

Former students to reunite

Sands High School, Ackerly, will conduct its homecoming and reunion Sept. 7, for all classes from 1927-1987. The homecoming committee would like to locate former classmates, if you have information, please contact Richard Pitts, P.O. Box 56, Ackerly, Texas 79713, or call 915-267-4031, or 915-353-4401, or 915-267-1449. To make reservations for the barbecue dinner, please call before Sept. 5.

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Grandma's vacation is no picnic

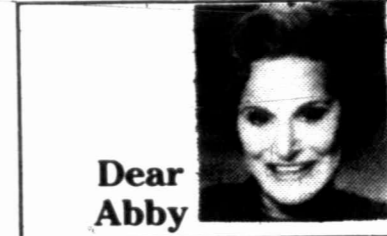
DEAR ABBY: Can you please tell me what makes some parents think that leaving their children with "Grandma" is a joy to Grandma?

My mother is 65 years old and has been a widow for the last five years. She still works, and is allowed two weeks' vacation a year. I feel that those two weeks should be hers to do with as she pleases. My sisters have a different idea. They think it's a good time for their children to visit Grandma!

Abby, my mother loves her grandchildren, but being in charge of a houseful of kids (whose ages range from 9 to 16) for two weeks is too much for her to handle. I try to help her out by making meals and having them all to my house for supper or a sleep-over, but I have four kids of my own and cannot help her as much as I'd like to.

Poor Mom just can't say no. I'm sure she'd enjoy her grandchildren more if their visits were shorter, or if their parents were around to help with the cleanup, meals and supervision. Mom feels uncomfortable disciplining her grandchildren, so they wall all over her.

Abby, please print this. All my



Dear Abby

sisters read your column. Maybe it will wake them up.

UPSET IN PENNSYLVANIA DEAR UPSET: Your sisters are wide-awake. Your mother is sleeping. If she cannot — or will not — tell her daughters that her idea of a vacation is not looking after their children for two weeks, I doubt if a letter in my column will do the trick. Perhaps you could be more emphatic in convincing your sisters that having all the children for two weeks is an imposition. If that fails, urge your mother to gather the gumption to speak for herself. Otherwise, the meek shall inherit a two-week headache.

DEAR ABBY: You recently printed the poem "The Man in the Glass" with "Author Unknown."

Abby, that poem has been on display in our real estate office for 15 years, and the author is Dale Wimbrow.

Jim Picci of Novato, Calif., who taught a real estate course in Clearwater, Fla., gave everyone in his class a copy of that poem, and at graduation time he recited it from memory. It was an inspiration to all.

RAY ESTES DEAR RAY: Thanks for enabling me to give credit where credit is due.

DEAR ABBY: This concerns the poem "The Man in the Glass." The actual title is "The Guy in the Glass." It was written by Dale Wimbrow and copyrighted in 1934. It was sent to me by Sallydale Wimbrow, the author's daughter. Dale Wimbrow died in Sebastian, Fla., in 1954. I hope this sets the record straight.

PHYLLIS CLARKE, NEWPORT NEWS, VA. DEAR PHYLLIS CLARKE: The record is indeed set straight, but I have a neat pile of letters on my desk from many people — all claiming authorship.

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Aloha

Celebrate Hawaii's 29th anniversary at your own luau

By LYNN HAYES
Staff Writer

On Sunday, Hawaii will celebrate its 29th anniversary as a state.

The Hawaiian islands were formally annexed as a territory to the United States Aug. 12, 1898, and officially entered the union as this country's 50th state Aug. 21, 1959.

What better way to celebrate than with a Hawaiian luau, which has a highly honored place in Hawaiian tradition. The core of the luau is "Kalua" otherwise known as a roasted pig, this main dish is cooked in an underground oven known as an "Imu," and all the rest of the wonderful food takes second place to steaming chunks of tender pork.

To help you celebrate Hawaii's 29th anniversary, I've included recipes to help you prepare your own Hawaiian luau.

ROAST SUCKLING PIG

Marinate 3 pounds suckling pig overnight in the following:

- 1/2 cup Mohala Mango Liqueur
- 1 1/2 cups vegetable stock
- 1/2 cup raisins



- 1/2 cup pitted prunes
- 1/4 tsp. ground clove
- 1/4 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1/4 cup vegetable oil or melted butter

Wash the pig in cold water. Sprinkle the pig inside and out with salt. Fill the cavity loosely with the stuffing and close the opening with string. Stuff the mouth with a piece of aluminum foil to keep it open during cooking. Brush pig with oil

or butter, place on a rack in a large shallow roasting pan. Cover pig with foil and roast in a 325 F. degree oven for 1 1/2 hours, basting 2 or 3 times. Remove the foil and cook for 30 minutes longer, basting frequently. To test for readiness, prick the pig with a fork. The juices will run clear if the pig is done. Transfer the pig to a platter. Remove foil from mouth and replace it with a mango.

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FRUIT SALAD

- 1/4 lb. pineapples
- 1/4 lb. oranges
- 1/4 lb. grapes
- 1/4 lb. cherries (in season)
- 1/4 lb. apples
- 1/4 lb. plums
- 1/4 lb. pears
- 1/4 lb. bananas

Dice fruit into small pieces. Toss fruit wedges together. Then add 1/4 cup mango mayonnaise salad dressing. Place fruit salad on a bed of lettuce. Feel free to add more of your favorite fruit.

MANGO MAYONNAISE

- 3/4 lbs. mango
- 1/4 cup honey
- 1 tsp. sugar
- 1/4 tsp. ground white pepper
- 1/4 cup dijon mustard
- Pinch of salt
- 1/4 cup white wine vinegar
- 1/4 cup frozen lemon juice
- 2/3 cup corn oil
- 1/3 cup Mohala

Puree the first six ingredients

with a food processor. Fruit should be very ripe. Add corn oil to fruit mixture. Then add vinegar and lemon juice. Pour in the Mohala and taste. Serves 6 to 8. When serving, freshen the dressing by pouring

ing a tablespoon of Mohala over it.
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Berniece's home cooking is an art

CHARLIE, (AP) — On first acquaintance, it's easy to think that you've met Berniece Burnham before. The response is understandable — she looks like she stepped out of a Norman Rockwell painting.

The table she sets is the stuff of childhood memories — baked pork chops, new potatoes, creamed peas, sliced tomatoes, hot rolls (her mother's recipe) and peach cobbler. Although this lunch menu was planned with company in mind, Mrs. Burnham is usually ready to feed guests at a moment's notice.

"I never know who Cecil is going to bring home for lunch," she said of her husband, beaming as she buttered the bread. Cecil owns and operates J.C. Burnham's Garage, only 20 paces from their back door, and also is mayor of this Clay County town.

"Now, of course, there are a few who manage to drop by around noon, and I usually just hand them a plate and say, 'Come on and sit down.'"

Watching her work you'd think Berniece was born cooking. She chats about the weather, her grandchildren's accomplishments and how many quarts of tomatoes she's already put up — all the while seeing that her apricot preserves are coming along and watching to make sure the pork chops don't get

too done. "I just enjoy cooking," she explained. "It's one of the great pleasures in my life. When I was 8 years old, I began helping my mother (Mrs. Elizabeth C. Barger) with meals when my younger sister, Wanda, was born. Ma'ma was such a wonderful cook, and so was my Grandmother Barger."

Heredity may be a factor in Mrs. Burnham's artistry. After her grandfather, W.D. Barger, came to Texas in the late 1800s, he eventually found work as a cook for Burk Burnett, the legendary Texas oil wildcatter who discovered the great Burkburnett oil field in Wichita County in 1919.

"They say that no one could make better sourdough biscuits," she said of her grandfather.

Mrs. Burnham's three daughters are "within reach." Carolyn Sue Spurlock lives in the Panhandle, Barbara Mayo in Petrolia and Betty Fields in Dallas. She has passed enough of the family tradition to them that some of the Burnham's seven grandchildren are becoming interested in cooking, too.

"Brock, who is at Tech now, called the other day asking for some recipes," she said, chuckling warmly.

"Sometimes when you get homesick, it's the food you miss as much as anything else."

One of Berniece's most re-

quested recipes is for her peach cobbler. It's the only one you'll ever want to make:

BERNIECE BURNHAM'S PEACH COBBLER

- Crust:**
2 cups flour
1 tsp. salt
3/4 cup shortening (Crisco)
5 tbs. cold water

Cut shortening into flour and salt. When well blended add water and mix until dough forms a ball. Roll half of dough very thin and cut in 2-inch strips. Line bottom of 9-x-13-inch pan with strips.

- Filling:**
1 quart peaches, peeled and sliced
2 cups sugar (sweeter peaches may require less sugar)
1 stick butter or margarine, cut into pats
Dash cinnamon

Pour peaches into saucepan; add water to fill pan bottom to one inch. Add sugar and cook peaches until tender and syrup forms. Remove from heat and add butter; stir until melted. Add cinnamon. Fill pastry-lined pan with fruit and syrup. (Do not fill to top of pan, or cobbler will boil over.) Roll out remaining pastry and cut into 2-inch strips. Cover fruit with pastry strips, seal upper and lower crusts. Sprinkle lightly with sugar. Bake in 400-degree oven for 30-40 minutes.



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Cool watermelon

ROME — Andrea, a 4-year-old boy from Rome, bites a slice of watermelon as a suggestion to fight this mid-August hot period.

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Hot weather exercising requires care

By PAUL RAE BURN
AP Science Editor

NEW YORK — Vigorous exercise such as running, bicycling or even hiking uphill in intense heat can lead to heat stroke and possibly a heart attack with few warning signs, researchers say.

The danger becomes even greater when the air contains high levels of carbon monoxide and ozone, both of which put additional stress on the heart and lungs, one of the researchers said in an interview Tuesday.

The researchers were interviewed following the recent disclosure that two men had died after competing in races in New York's Central Park during this summer's intense heat wave.

The two men reportedly were not runners and were not accustomed to exercising in the heat, which

meant that they faced a special risk of injury or death.

"I don't think it's generally recognized that even in these short races, when you're exercising very intensely and you're not trained or acclimated, you can very quickly produce and store enough heat to kill you," said Edward Coyle, director of the Human Performance Laboratory at the University of Texas in Austin.

"They were untrained, unacclimated and they were running very intensely for their level of ability," he said.

According to the American College of Sports Medicine, the amount of heat produced in muscles that are exercising hard is 15 to 20 times that produced in muscles at rest.

Even short races can raise body temperature from its normal 98.6

degrees to 104 degrees, which is the point where serious injury can occur, the college says.

This problem is not limited to runners, but can occur with any type of exercise that involves expending a lot of energy, including brisk walking and hiking, especially uphill, Coyle said.

Coyle, an expert on fluid loss and replacement during exercise, said that dehydration is one of the prime causes of heat stroke.

Exercisers who are seriously dehydrated will feel chilled and stop sweating, Coyle said. Their skin turns white and they will feel tingling sensations — the hair on the back of the neck stands up.

"At that point you know you're in trouble. Stop exercising and seek some help to try to cool yourself down. Usually at that point you're not thinking very clearly, so it's

important to try to get some help," Coyle said.

Researchers had these tips for people who want to exercise on warm days:

— Drink at least a quart of water per hour of exercise. Avoid drinks high in sugar and other carbohydrates because they stay in the stomach too long.

— Take a week to gradually increase your exercise program so that you become acclimated to the heat and pollution. The body adapts to cool itself faster. The more acclimated you are, however, the more water you need.

— Exercise before 8 a.m. or after 7 p.m.

— Watch children carefully, because they can become overheated more easily than adults.

U.S. research ship explores Soviet sea

SAN DIEGO (AP) — A U.S. research vessel is operating in Soviet-controlled waters for the first time in 10 years as part of a joint expedition made possible by a treaty signed last year.

The Thomas Madison, operated by Scripps Institution of Oceanography of La Jolla, on Monday entered the Soviet Union's exclusive economic zone east of Kamchatka in the northern Pacific, the expedition's chief scientist, Peter Lonsdale, said in a telephone interview.

The group is exploring a 100-million-year-old plateau region in the Bering Sea, south of the Komandorskie Islands, that is

believed to be the oldest part of the Hawaii Emperor Seamount chain.

The 33-day expedition was made possible by a U.S.-Soviet treaty on ocean research that was signed along with the Intermediate Nuclear Forces treaty in Moscow last December.

Aboard the vessel are scientists and technicians from Scripps and Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution in Massachusetts and two Soviet scientists, Lonsdale said.

Over the next month, they will map and take core samples of the plateau, which is about 2,000 meters below sea level.



Face off

NEW ORLEANS — Dan Martino of Tennessee is confronted by a protestor, left, during a demonstration in a New Orleans park recently. The protestor disagreed with the sentiment ex-

pressed on a poster carried by Martino, which proclaims: "Bush will win because God is a Republican."

Associated Press photo

Insurance halts needle program

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Distribution of free hypodermic needles to drug abusers, aimed at reducing the spread of AIDS, will begin no sooner than October because a clinic has not been able to obtain liability insurance.

Kathy Oliver, executive director of the Outside In clinic, said Monday that negotiations with the clinic's insurance company, St. Paul Fire and Marine of St. Paul, Minn., had failed.

"What became clear was that we needed to find another (insurance) carrier," she said.

The program, which officials had said would be the first of its kind in the United States, already had been delayed twice because the clinic was unable to negotiate a policy with St. Paul Fire and Marine.

It was originally scheduled to start in July. The distribution program is intended to study whether providing needles can help reduce the spread of acquired immune deficiency syndrome among intravenous drug abusers. A similar program is scheduled to start in New York in a few weeks.

Oliver said several other insurance companies have been contacted and the only thing that needed to be negotiated was the price. She declined to name the other companies.

The needle program is being financed by a \$67,000 grant from the American Foundation for AIDS Research.

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Palestinians fight 'tax war'

By MASHA HAMILTON
Associated Press Writer

RAMALLAH, Occupied West Bank — More than 75 Israeli troops broke into Yakub Zeitoon's home one recent morning, stayed about a half hour and took two cars, two television sets, a stereo, a vacuum cleaner and an electric drill.

Zeitoon was the target of a "tax sweep," the latest method used by Israel's military government in the occupied territories to crack down on Palestinians who refuse to pay taxes.

The eight-month-old Palestinian rebellion has largely moved from daily violent protests to a determined battle of wits and wills, with Arabs striving for independence and Israel seeking to maintain its administrative hold on the territories.

That struggle for control is epitomized in the tax war.

For the moment, the Palestinians appear to be winning.

Israeli roundups of cars and electronics have had limited success in convincing Palestinians to pay personal or sales taxes. Israeli officials acknowledge about a 50 percent drop in tax collection in the West Bank and Gaza Strip. Zeitoon himself still refuses to pay.

In addition, the Association for Civil Rights in Israel has filed a complaint with the army, arguing

that some methods used to try to convince Palestinians to pay taxes, such as confiscating identity cards, are illegal.

Army officials deny the charges of illegality and say the Palestinians will suffer in the long run for their protest.

"We are going to have to cut services" to the occupied lands, Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin told Parliament this month.

For their part, Palestinians contend that in 20 years of Israeli occupation, they have never gotten back in services as much as they paid in cash to Israel.

"For 20 years we lived like chickens, laying eggs that the Israelis took," Zeitoon said in an interview. "We're tired of being treated like animals. Now we want our pride."

The Palestinians' contention is supported by Israeli researcher Meron Benvenisti, who publishes annual studies of the occupied territories funded by the Ford and Rockefeller Foundations.

Israel collected \$80 million in direct and indirect taxes from the West Bank and Gaza in 1987 and returned \$30 million to the occupied lands and southern Lebanon, keeping \$50 million for Israeli coffers, Benvenisti told The Associated Press.

The tax war has intensified since

King Hussein of Jordan began cutting ties with the West Bank, which he lost to Israel in the 1967 Middle East war.

Hussein stopped salaries for 21,000 Palestinians and abandoned a five-year, \$1.3 billion development plan, leaving an administrative void.

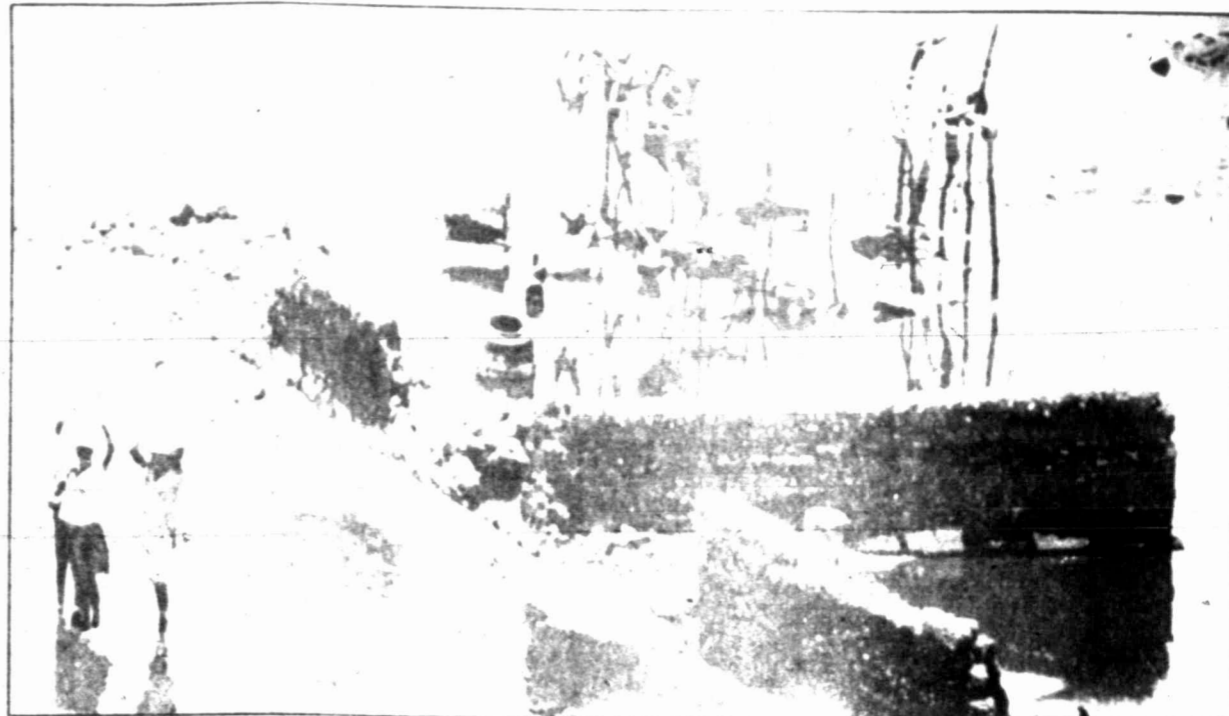
But even as early as January, underground leaders of the Palestinian uprising called on Arabs to stop paying taxes to Israel, and many complied.

Palestinians who paid taxes often were identified by graffiti scrawled on neighborhood walls or on Arab radio broadcasts, and their shops or homes were sometimes set afire or vandalized.

In Ramallah, about 70 percent of the 2,000 to 2,500 merchants have stopped paying taxes, according to Zeitoon, even though many have lost more in confiscations by the Israelis than they would have had to pay in taxes.

Zeitoon said he owes the Israeli military government about \$20,000, but the goods confiscated from him were worth about \$75,000.

Ahmed Abu Rawan, who owned a stone-cutting factory before the uprising began in December, said he stopped paying business-related taxes in January and owes the Israeli military administration about \$750.



Sudan floods

KHARTOUM, Sudan — A flimsy frame is all that remains of this Sudanese family's house after floods last week in one of the hardest hit areas in

Northern Khartoum. More than 1.5 million people were left homeless across the country.

Associated Press photo

Korean activists criticized

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Radical students staging anti-government protests have been criticized, heckled and even attacked in recent days by furious citizens demanding an end to violent clashes in their communities.

Such public anger toward the radicals, who represent about 10 percent of South Korea's students, is rarely seen in a nation that has been generally tolerant of student activism. It has shocked the students, who see themselves as fighting on behalf of the very people criticizing them.

The rising resentment appears to reflect both anger over the radicals' violent tactics and concern for the Olympics, which start in Seoul on Sept. 17.

South Koreans' life without that violent protests at the moment when world attention is focused on Seoul could ruin the nation's image. Most people see the Games as a coming of age, and they want to impress the world with a major success.

Hundreds of South Koreans took part in counterdemonstrations against the students this past week, calling for an end to violent confrontations. Newspapers have joined in the criticism.

In the most unusual development, a few people hurled stones at students, and some were seen helping riot police fighting the radicals.

Kim Young-won, a political scientist, said he was amazed to see onlookers cheering on riot police in a street battle against students. He said it was remarkable that riot police should suddenly be seen as heroes after years of being despised for enforcing authoritarian rule.

Students played key roles in battling past authoritarian regimes and many people took to the streets with them in June 1987 to force President Chun Doo-hwan to agree to democratic reforms.

British bank laws to combat IRA rackets

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's government plans new laws to stop banks from handling funds of the IRA. Protestant paramilitaries and other guerrilla groups in Northern Ireland.

The government also intends to set up a special force to combat guerrilla racketeering in the strife-torn British province.

The plans were outlined in a letter Mrs. Thatcher sent to the Rev. Martin Smyth, a legislator from the province's largest Protestant party, the Official Unionists. Her 10 Downing St. office made the contents of the letter available to reporters on Monday.

Mrs. Thatcher said in the letter

that planned statutes will prohibit banks, other financial institutions, accountants and financial advisers from handling the funds of guerrilla groups and empower the government to seize the assets of convicted guerrillas.

The letter says the government also plans to set up a special force to combat extortion and fund-raising rackets by the mainly Roman Catholic Irish Republican Army and rival Protestant organizations. It described the planned new force as a "purpose-designed, administrative, anti-racketeering body."

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Aides: Quayle cleared

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Aides to George Bush believe the soon-to-be Republican nominee's running mate, Sen. Dan Quayle, has effectively been cleared of wrongdoing in the Paula Parkinson scandal.

Quayle's name was raised in the sex-and-influence scandal when he was a member of the House in 1981, although he denied having an affair with Mrs. Parkinson, the lobbyist involved.

The Justice Department's criminal division conducted an inquiry but brought no charges in the case.

Bush's new campaign chief, James A. Baker III, said Tuesday, "That's been looked into, and there's absolutely nothing to it."

Charles Black, another Bush adviser, echoed. "In this case, to my knowledge, the allegation's already been shot down."

Quayle, now the junior senator from Indiana, was one of three House members who shared a cottage with Mrs. Parkinson during a golfing vacation in Florida in January 1980.

Mrs. Parkinson, who appeared nude in Playboy magazine that same year, said she was going to tell Justice Department investigators that she had love affairs with "fewer than a dozen" Republican House members.

And she told *The Washington Post* in March 1981 that she had videotaped one of her sexual encounters with a congressman. Neither the tape nor the name of the congressman — if there was such a congressman — was made public.

Mrs. Parkinson also told the *Post* that she had accepted \$500 in cash from a member of Congress to pay for the abortion of their unborn child. The name of that legislator also has not surfaced.

She was a registered lobbyist for an insurance industry group opposed to proposed legislation to set up a national crop insurance program. The bill passed by a 235-150 margin in September 1980, and Quayle voted against it.

Justice Department attorneys questioned her and looked into the matter, but in August 1981, officials dropped the case without filing criminal charges.

"She gave us some salacious accounts of purported activities with congressmen, but there was no evidence of federal violation," sources said at the time.

The two congressmen besides Quayle who shared the Florida cottage with Parkinson were then-Reps. Tom Railsback, R-Ill., and Thomas B. Evans, R-Del.



NEW ORLEANS — A station wagon — complete with an elephant trunk and George Bush face — makes its way along Loyola Ave. in New Orleans Tuesday. The streets are filled with evidence that the GOP convention is in town.

Texans embrace Quayle

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — George Bush found just what he needed — youth — to offset the Lloyd Bentsen factor on the Democratic ticket, Texas Republicans say.

As the GOP's vice presidential candidate, Indiana Sen. Dan Quayle, 41, can carry a message to "baby boom" voters that the 67-year-old Bentsen can't, the Texans said Tuesday.

"There's a startling contrast between our vice presidential selection and theirs. He's young, attractive, vigorous, conservative," said former San Antonio judge Roy Barrera Jr.

"I was hoping his choice would be young. I was hoping that his choice would be a person who brings vitality, that sort of magic, to the ticket," Barrera added.

Since Bush calls Houston home, many Republicans publicly had discounted the choice of Texan Bentsen by Michael Dukakis. They argued that having a Texan as president was better than having a Texan in the No. 2 job.

But privately, some also acknowledged that Bentsen's powerful campaign machine and well-funded get-out-the-vote effort would make it tougher to win the state.

Quayle now offers a new dimension, said Karl Rove, an Austin

political consultant and Bush delegate to the GOP National Convention.

"A very substantial part of the Republican 'win coalition' today are voters under 35. And this gives us a very important lever to keep those people cemented in," Rove said.

"In states where we've got to run well among those kinds of Republican-oriented youthful voters, this will be a big step," Rove added.

Gov. Bill Clements saluted Bush's choice and said, "This will help Texas Republicans carry college campuses across the state."

John Weaver, executive director of Bush's Victory '88 campaign effort in Texas, said Quayle's youth and conservatism should prove a popular combination.

"The choice of a young U.S. senator signifies the change going on in the Republican Party. That's unlike the other party and his counterpart, Lloyd Bentsen," Weaver said.

Former Sen. John Tower called Quayle "a very aggressive, intelligent campaigner," while former GOP national committeewoman Fran Chiles of Dallas said, "I'm delighted that he picked somebody who will add a fresh and refreshing approach to our ticket."

'Little brown ones' remark from Bush draws criticism

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — George Bush's description of his three Mexican-American grandchildren as "the little brown ones" drew a mixed reaction among some Hispanic Americans. One Hispanic labor leader said the remark showed the vice president is insensitive.

Bush greeted President Reagan on Tuesday at Belle Chasse Naval Air Station, and the vice president told the president he wanted him to meet his grandchildren who had flown with him on Air Force Two from Washington.

"These are Jebby's kids from Florida, the little brown ones," the vice president said.

The three youngsters — Jeb Jr., Noelle, and George P. — are the children of Bush's son, Jeb, and his Mexican-born wife, Columba.

Roy Barrera Jr., a Hispanic delegate to the Republican National Convention from San Antonio, said Bush's comment was a "remark of sincere affection" that shouldn't be taken out of context.

"All my discussions with the Bushes has led me to believe that George Bush cherishes the uniqueness of his family, has an overwhelming love and affection for his

grandchildren, Jeb's children," said Barrera, who accompanied the Bush family on their riverboat ride on Tuesday.

The former district judge said there is "nothing at all vulgar or insidious or disrespectful about being brown or being black. It is simply just a description."

In Los Angeles, Al Belmontez, vice president of one of the local labor chapters of the Mexican-American Political Association, said Bush's remark reflected insensitivity.

"Just saying that means he knows they're different. He didn't say 'those are my grandchildren.' He didn't just refer to the kids by their names," Belmontez said in a telephone interview.

Belmontez said it was unlikely the remark would affect Bush's standing with members of his own party.

"Republicans will support him no matter what," Belmontez said.

Treasury Secretary James A. Baker III, Bush's campaign chairman, told reporters, "The vice president is extremely proud of the fact that his grandchildren are 50 percent Hispanic."

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Don't count on state baseball World Series

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

With the baseball season three-fourths of the way finished, it's time to start thinking about pennants and World Series.

In the northern part of the West Coast, where miracles happen as often as rainbows, this summer's baseball fantasy is a Bay Bridge World Series between the Oakland Athletics and my favorite, the San Francisco Giants.

Back east in The City, there's talk of a Subway Series between the New York Mets and Yankees, although the players and most fans would skip the subway and commute between the boroughs via car.

It's not unusual for Californians and New Yorkers to think the world revolves around them and to dismiss the rest of the nation as so much space between the oceans.

In this baseball season, though, a little hysteria on the part of San Francisco Bay area and New York fans may be justified. They really do have decent chances of keeping the World Series at home, and all four teams have strong MVP candidates — Jose Canseco of the Athletics, Will (The Natural) Clark of the Giants, Darryl Strawberry of the Mets and Dave Winfield of the Yankees.

The greater likelihood, however, is a cross-country series between two of the teams — but it's just as likely that none of the four will even reach the World Series.

Detroit, Boston, Minnesota, Montreal, Pittsburgh, Los Angeles, Houston and Cincinnati all might have something to say about how the season ends, and there are more than a few other MVP candidates.

The first step is the division pennant races, where the biggest lead in either league is owned by the Athletics. Such is the karma of the A's this year that even when they lose they don't lose. They dropped one to the California Angels, 6-4, Sunday but stayed 8 games ahead of Minnesota, which fell 9-6 to the Yankees.

San Francisco moved within 3 games of the suddenly vulnerable Los Angeles Dodgers in the National League West with a 20-hit, 15-4 ego-booster for Giants fans. Houston sits between the Giants and Dodgers, 2 games out.

In the NL East, the Mets stretched their lead to five games over Pittsburgh and 6 over Montreal with a doubleheader sweep of the Expos.

Although the A's and Mets have the best records in their leagues, no one on either team is ready to chill the champagne or warm up the presses for playoff tickets.

However, it would take one of the great collapses of our time — approaching Boston's 14-game slide in 1978, and the 13-game drop by the Dodgers in 1951 — to derail the Athletics. Don't count on it.

Right now, Oakland is 32 games over .500, best in the majors. If the A's finish 40 over, Minnesota would have to win 37 of its remaining 46 games to beat them. La Russa wouldn't mind taking his chances with that.

Many A's fans think their team is invincible. New York fans are pretty cocky also when it comes to their team.

Giants fans, however, consider the Dodgers mere pretenders to the NL West crown their club won last year, and keep predicting the Dodgers' demise. That might be true, especially with Fernando hurting. But what about the Astros? If they hit consistently, a pennant might find its way to the Lone Star State.

But it's easy to see why many Giant fanatics don't give the Dodgers much credit.

Many San Franciscans think everyone in Los Angeles is phony, and logic may get clouded in the heat of a pennant race.

Let's go Giants!

Sports Briefs

Lady Steers begin season

The Big Spring Lady Steers will officially begin volleyball season Thursday when they host the Abilene High School Lady Eagles in Steer Gym.

Action gets underway at 1 p.m. with freshmen play. The junior varsity will follow at 2 and varsity play begins at 3.

Men's bowling league meeting

There will be a men's major bowling league meeting Thursday at Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama at 7

p.m. New and old league bowlers are urged to attend.

Cowboys injuries continue

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — Dallas Cowboys rookie linebacker Ken Norton returned to Dallas for surgery on his right thumb, which he broke in Saturday's exhibition game against the Los Angeles Raiders.

Norton, the Cowboys' second-round draft choice in April, is scheduled to undergo surgery on Wednesday and is expected to be out for six weeks.

Norton was being tried at outside linebacker after playing inside linebacker in college.

Norton is the sixth Cowboys linebacker to be lost for an extended period of time since the start of camp.

The others include:

— Jesse Penn, a former second-round pick who was entering his fourth pro season, failed the club's physical because of a spinal condi-

tion. He has been advised to retire.

— Jeff Rohrer, a seventh-year pro and the starting right linebacker, was lost for the season after undergoing back surgery.

— Mike Hegman, the starter at left linebacker who was beginning his 13th year, is out for four to six more weeks after undergoing knee surgery.

— Jeff Hurd, a standout on the replacement season who was being given another opportunity to make the squad as an outside linebacker, is out for the year after undergoing knee surgery.

— Free agent rookie Kenny Blacknell is also on the injured list with a shoulder injury.

Fifth-year veteran middle linebacker Eugene Lockhart has also spent time in the training room. Lockhart broke a bone in his left hand.

Trading Places



LOS ANGELES — Los Angeles Dodgers manager Tommy Lasorda (left) and former Dodger Pedro Guerrero embrace in the Dodger Stadium clubhouse as Guerrero paid a farewell visit Tuesday afternoon. It was announced that Guerrero was traded to St. Louis for pitcher John Tudor.

Dodgers, Cardinals make blockbuster transaction

ST. LOUIS (AP) — John Tudor says Pedro Guerrero will have a chance to earn the \$6.2 million the beleaguered St. Louis Cardinals will pay him the next three years.

"He's a big power hitter, and that's what we need right now — the Cardinals need right now," Tudor said Tuesday after St. Louis his pitching arm to the Los Angeles Dodgers for Guerrero's bat. "I knew it could happen. We were struggling to score runs, and they needed to do something."

Guerrero, who reportedly had been seeking a three-year contract worth \$5.5 million to succeed one paying him \$1.72 million for 1988, fared better than that.

"It's a bit low," St. Louis general

manager Dal Maxvill said of that sum compared with what Guerrero agreed to. "He was earning \$1.72 (annually). You're not going to pay yesterday's prices."

Guerrero, 32, will be paid \$1.7 million by the Cardinals in 1989, followed by \$1.95 million in 1990 and \$2.15 million in 1991. In addition, he will receive a \$400,000 bonus.

"Basically, it's a premier pitcher for a premier hitter," St. Louis manager Whitey Herzog said of an exchange the Cardinals hope will revive an offense averaging only 3.5 runs a game.

Herzog said he is not worried about Guerrero's health despite the 59 games the slugger has missed

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Getting an earful

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Texas Rangers players keep themselves occupied during Tuesday's night game against the Kansas City Royals. The players are (left to right) Jeff Russell, Bobby Witt, Paul Kilgus

and Pete Incaviglia. The Rangers were able to continue their easygoing behavior as they won 5-4.

Johnson, Lewis ready for showdown

ZURICH, Switzerland (AP) —

For nearly a year, Ben Johnson and Carl Lewis have been reduced to dueling with words, not flying feet.

But tonight, the two fastest sprinters in the world are due to have their first 100-meter showdown since Johnson set a world record in beating his American rival in the title race of the 1987 World Track and Field Championships.

It is expected to be the meeting between the rivals until the Seoul Olympics, in which they hope to peak in five weeks' time.

Johnson is "at or near peak form" after recovering from a hamstring injury in February, manager Larry Heidebrecht said on the eve of the Weltklasse meet, one of the stops on the Grand Prix

circuit. "He always enjoys racing Carl and he's looking forward to it," Heidebrecht said.

Last week, Johnson said he feels "100 percent ready for an Olympic title and for a new world record" that would better the 9.83-second mark he set in winning his last race against Lewis.

In that test, Lewis, the 1984 Olympic champion at 100 meters and in three other events, equaled the old record of 9.93.

Since then, the two have avoided each other, running different events on those occasions when they showed up at the same meet.

Could Johnson, the 26-year-old Canadian powerhouse known for his lightning start, make history again on the record-prone Letzigrund track?

"You can never predict these things," Heidebrecht said. "It's a fast track, but the last three years there's always been a headwind."

Lewis, 27, has run the fastest 100 this year, 9.96 in the U.S. Olympic trials over a very fast track at Indianapolis. Johnson pushed himself to 9.98 last Thursday at a high-altitude meet at Sestriere, Italy, where Lewis ran the 200.

Two weeks ago, the world champion showed he was revving up, posting a wind-aided 9.90 in the Canadian track championships.

And Johnson has a streak to defend. He has beaten Lewis in their last six meetings, dating back to 1985. Lewis holds an overall 10-8 edge.

A bevy of Olympic medal hopefuls could set sparks flying in other events, too.

The men's 400 meters features the three fastest runners in the U.S. Olympic trials, Butch Reynolds, Danny Everett and Steve Lewis.

Other American heavyweights include long jumper Larry Myricks, hurdler Roger Kingdom and a resurgent Mary Decker Slaney, who faces a strong field in the women's 3,000.

In the women's 100, competition for former world record holder Evelyn Ashford includes fast Jamaican Grace Jackson.

Middle- and long-distance ace Said Aouita of Morocco will run the mile with an extra clocking at 1,500 meters.

Shot put world champion Werner Gunthoer of Switzerland, seeking his first season heave above 72 feet, will be cheered by at least 20,000 home fans.

Son following in father's footsteps

AUSTIN (AP) — After a distinguished intramural football career at a small Boston college, Don Meredith's son is trying to catch on as a wide receiver at the University of Texas.

Michael Meredith, a 20-year-old sophomore, said his father wanted him to go to Southern Methodist University, the alma mater of the former Dallas Cowboy quarterback.

But the younger Meredith, influenced by the fact that SMU does not have a football team this year as a result of NCAA sanctions, opted for the Longhorns.

"He tried to talk me into going to SMU and spending a year to get in

shape. He's always been gung ho about SMU," Michael Meredith said.

The 6-foot-2-inch, 168-pound sophomore last played football at Emerson College in Boston, where he was named most valuable player in the school's intramural league. He also averaged 15 points a game for Emerson's Division III basketball team.

Texas assistant coach Jack Kiser said Meredith is not the most talented Longhorn, but has a good attitude.

"When Michael asked to try out he never once pulled, 'Do you know who my dad is?' He struck me as a real mature kid. I don't think he's

got a lot of ability, but I admire him for going through all this."

As the son of a football hero and TV announcer, Meredith has lived an unusual life. His parents were divorced when he was 4, and he has lived with each at times.

His mother, now an art teacher in Mexico, showed him the world. They lived in India, Spain and Italy. His father showed him the football world.

"I never went to school on a Monday," he said. "I did my homework on the plane. I bet I've seen every NFL stadium."

He was often at his dad's side when the elder Meredith was an announcer on Monday Night Football.

"I wish instead of going back and forth (between parents) I could have settled down," said Meredith, who was the subject of several child custody suits. "It was a big mess. It definitely put a damper on my career. I feel like I'm a little behind."

Meredith played high school football in Provo, Utah. He was a broadcasting major at Emerson, but is studying finance at Texas.

"I really don't think I'd want to make broadcasting a career. I don't know if I'd want to devote my whole life to announcing ball games and doing the news," he said.

Old Man Moses going to Atlanta

ATLANTA (AP) — The Atlanta Hawks finally landed the center they had been seeking by signing free-agent Moses Malone to a three-year contract that is fueling dreams of an NBA championship.

Despite his age — 33 — Malone made the All-Star squad for the 11th consecutive year last season, averaging 20.3 points and 11.2 rebounds.

The Hawks declined to release details of the agreement during a news conference Tuesday, but the 6-foot-10 Malone reportedly signed a deal worth a minimum of \$4.67 million over the three years.

"People look at my age. But I feel like I'm 18," Malone said as he unveiled a Hawks jersey with his name and the No. 2 on the back. "I work hard and prepare myself to be in shape. People don't understand."

"But I think the Lord is taking care of me. ... My name is Moses, isn't it?"

"I may be in my 30s, but I still will get my 20 points and 10 rebounds a game. People just don't realize I can still do it," he said, after 14 years of professional basketball. In 12 NBA seasons, he has been selected Most Valuable Player three times.

"My goal is to win, to bring a championship to Atlanta," Malone said. "I'm not a superstar. I'm just a player, but I'm a better player with a good team and the Hawks are a good team. Now that I'm here, they (other teams) will have to pay attention to me and the other players. It will create problems for other teams."



MOSES MALONE

"He's a winner. Moses is a guy that burns to win games. All he's talked about since getting here is about winning a championship in Atlanta," said Hawks president Stan Kasten, who negotiated the deal with Malone's agent, Lee Fentress.

"It will be a difficult job for the coaches because we've got a lot of talent and egos to mesh," he said. "But every great team has had that problem. We're taking a gamble with talent. Without talent, you have no

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East front-runners lose; Rangers edge Royals, 5-4

By The Associated Press
The beat goes on in the American League East. Detroit, Boston and New York each lost a game and a chance to improve its position atop the division.

"I can't explain why we're suddenly beating Detroit," Kirby Puckett said after Minnesota again tripped the Tigers 4-1 Tuesday night. The Twins, who defeated the Tigers in five games in last year's playoffs, are 7-1 against them this season.

Detroit managed to hold its three-game lead over Boston and 3 1/2-game edge over New York as both contenders were routed.

Seattle trounced the Red Sox 7-0 and California crushed the Yankees 15-6.

Bert Blyleven pitched six shutout innings at Tiger Stadium and ended his five-game losing streak. He gave up four hits in his first start since July 29, when he sprained his right thumb and went on the disabled list.

Jack Morris, 10-12, saw his three-

game winning streak stopped. He has lost four consecutive decisions to Minnesota starting with Game 2 of the playoffs.

Kent Hrbek hit his 22nd home run, all of them against AL East opponents, to lead off the second inning. A wild pitch by Morris enabled another run to score in the third.

Puckett, who earlier threw out Lou Whitaker at the plate from center field, hit a two-run single in the fifth. Whitaker homered in the ninth and Jeff Reardon relieved for his 31st save.

Mariners 7, Red Sox 0
Scott Bankhead scattered nine hits for his first major league shutout as Seattle won at Boston.

The Red Sox lost their second straight game at Fenway Park since setting an AL record with 24 consecutive victories at home.

Angels 15, Yankees 6
Wally Joyner homered and drove in five runs and California took an 11-0 lead in the third inning and coasted at Yankee Stadium.

The Angels scored their most

runs ever against New York and tied a season high with 19 hits. Brian Downing hit a two-run homer, Chili Davis singled twice during a seven-run third and Mark McLemore doubled twice and drove in two runs.

Athletics 6, Orioles 3
Storm Davis, starting for the first time against his former team, won his seventh straight decision as Oakland won at Baltimore.

Davis, 12-4, helped the Athletics win for the sixth time in seven games. Dennis Eckersley got his 34th save.

Mark McGwire had three hits and drove in two runs. Dave Henderson hit his 18th home run off Jay Tibbs, 4-10.

Eddie Murray hit a three-run homer, his 23rd, for the Orioles. He has homered 19 times since June 7, most in the majors during that stretch.

White Sox 5, Blue Jays 4
Carlton Fisk hit a two-run homer and an RBI single that led Chicago past visiting Toronto.



KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Texas Rangers catcher Geno Petralli reaches for the loose ball that Kansas City Royals Kurt Stillwell struck out on in Tuesday night's game. Petralli threw Stillwell out at first base.

Mets rout Giants, 13-6

By The Associated Press
In the heat of the East, the Mets' bats have been weak. But in the chill of Candlestick Park, New York heated up.

The Mets scored nine runs in the first inning against San Francisco on Tuesday night and beat the Giants 13-6. The Mets remained 5 1/2 games ahead of Pittsburgh in the National League East.

It was 60 degrees in windy Candlestick, a marked change from the 90- and 100-degree days in the East of late.

Dwight Gooden, who won for the first time in four starts, waited 35 minutes after the start of the game to face his first batter.

Gooden, 14-6, allowed six hits and two runs in seven innings, striking out five. He said he felt "a little pain" as well as tightness early in the game.

Kevin McReynolds and Darryl Strawberry hit two-run homers in the Mets' 15-hit attack. It was the 19th home run

for McReynolds, the 30th for Strawberry.

Atlee Hammaker, 6-5, gave up seven runs and six of New York's eight first-inning hits.

Joe Price relieved, felt an arm problem and left with an inflamed shoulder that will put him on the 15-day disabled list. Veteran right-hander Larry Sorensen will be brought up from the minors today.

Dodgers 7, Phillies 5
Kirk Gibson triggered a five-run fifth inning with his 23rd homer and Rick Dempsey drove in two runs with a double and sacrifice fly as Los Angeles increased its lead to 3 1/2 games over Houston.

Tim Leary, 13-8, won for the sixth time in eight starts, allowing five runs and nine hits in 6 2/3 innings. Jay Howell allowed one hit in two innings for his 15th save.

Don Carman, 9-7, lost his second straight game after five consecutive victories.

Pirates 4, Braves 2
Barry Bonds hit a tie-breaking two-run single in the fifth inning and Doug Drabek won his sixth consecutive decision since June 21.

Drabek, 12-5, struck out six and walked none. Jim Gott got three outs for his 21st save. Pete Smith, 5-12, allowed six hits and five runs in six innings.

R.J. Reynolds hit his sixth home run of the season in the second and singled to start Pittsburgh's two-run fifth.

Reds 6, Cubs 4
Eric Davis hit a two-run homer in the seventh inning off reliever Les Lancaster to snap a 4-4 tie as Cincinnati rallied from a 3-0 deficit.

Frank Williams, 3-1, got one out for the victory before John Franco, the Reds' fourth pitcher, threw one inning for his 26th save, his 103rd as a Red, surpassing Clay Carroll's club record.

Cardinals 3, Astros 0
Vince Coleman got two singles, stole three bases and scored two runs in the Cardinals' third shutout in their last six games.

Scott Terry, 3-3, allowed five hits in 6 2/3 innings. Ken Dayley, the third St. Louis pitcher, threw two innings for his fourth save.

Jim Deshaies, 4-10, allowed six hits and all three runs in six innings.

Poor start doesn't faze QB

By The Associated Press
Phoenix Cardinals quarterback Neil Lomax, an eight-year veteran and two-time Pro Bowl player, is not overly concerned with his slow start this preseason.

Lomax has completed just two of 10 passes for 20 yards in a 21-7 loss Aug. 4 at Seattle in the Cardinals' exhibition opener. Last Friday night in Tempe, Lomax got off to a slow start before hitting eight of 16 passes for 110 yards in his half of work.

Cliff Stoudt came on in the second half to complete 11 of 17 passes for 129 yards and two touchdowns, but the New Orleans Saints still beat Phoenix 33-28.

"Yeah, I think that's our game plan. I go out there and throw four or five incompletions, then Cliff brings us back," Lomax said. "I'm working for the (regular-season) opener (Sept. 4 at Cincinnati). But still, when I'm out there, I have to perform."

Lomax severely has looked nothing like the quarterback

who completed 275 of 463 attempts for 3,387 yards and 24 touchdowns last season.

HOLDING OUT
The Seattle Seahawks have tried to trade holdout defensive end Jeff Bryant, but haven't been successful because of Bryant's salary demands, president Mike McCormack said.

"I've tried trading him, but other teams won't pay him what I've already offered," McCormack said.

Bryant, a six-year veteran from Clemson who was Seattle's first-round draft choice in 1982, reportedly is seeking \$750,000 a year. The Seahawks reportedly have offered him about \$500,000 a year. He made a reported \$450,000 last season.

SIGNING UP
Linebacker Duane Bickett has signed a contract extension with the Indianapolis Colts that will put him in the "upper echelon of defensive players in the league," General Manager Jim Irsay said.

A veteran punter for three National Football League teams, Jeff Gossett, was obtained by the Los Angeles Raiders, who also released veteran offensive lineman Brad Budde.

The Raiders said they obtained Gossett from the Houston

Oilers in exchange for previous considerations.

Gossett, 31, joined the Oilers at midseason last year as a free agent after being cut by the Cleveland Browns. He finished up the 1987 season with an average punt of 40.4 yards and a longest punt of 55 yards.

Budde was the Kansas City Chiefs' first-round draft choice in 1980 from Southern California. He played on offensive guard for seven seasons with the Chiefs before being signed as a free agent by the Raiders in the offseason.

Defensive lineman Shawn Miller ended a 26-day holdout and reported to the Los Angeles Rams' training camp in time for a light evening practice.

AROUND THE CAMPS
Hot or not, the Minnesota Vikings are back home.

And despite the 102-degree temperatures and the humidity Tuesday, most Vikings are glad they're back from their journey to Sweden.

Veteran quarterback Steve Fuller has left the San Diego Chargers training camp to consider whether he wants to stay with the team or seek employment elsewhere, Coach Al Saunders said.

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from the 90- and 100-degree days in the East of late.

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this season with a pinched nerve in his neck.

"Pedro's the kind of guy that can carry a ballclub," Herzog said of Guerrero, who has a .298 batting average with only five home runs and 35 runs-batted-in. "He's had some injuries this year, but his history hasn't been that way."

Los Angeles, likewise, expressed hope that Tudor will be able to take up the slack left in its pitching staff by an injury that has disabled Fernando Valenzuela.

"This is something that we need," Dodgers manager Tommy Lasorda said. "He's a big, big addition to our staff. I love Pete (Guerrero), but we needed a left-handed pitcher. You have to give up something to get something."

Tudor, 34, has a 6-5 record this season but leads the National League with a 2.29 earned-run average.

Off-season arthroscopic surgery and the flu slowed his start. Last year, he suffered a broken leg in an April dugout collision but returned in time to post a 10-2 record. His 50-22 overall record for St. Louis featured a 21-8 mark in 1985 followed by a 13-7 ledger in 1986.

"A lot of days John went out there when he wasn't really 100 percent," Herzog said of Tudor's grit. "He always took the baseball. It really was a pleasure to manage him."

Herzog said Guerrero would be in the Cardinals' lineup tonight at first base in a game at Busch Stadium against the Houston Astros as Tudor was making his first start in Dodger Stadium for Los Angeles.

"We've got to hope Guerrero not only complements the other players in the lineup (but) that he just sparks the whole team offensively," Herzog said. "He's going to hit third or fourth, but I've got to mull that over a little bit to see which is the way I'm going to go. But wherever he's at in the lineup you know he's going to do the job for us."

"I think the two things that really come back to me are two World Series championships blown. I'm just the type of guy that can't accept negative things as opposed to positive things," Tudor said of his 3 1/2 years with the Cardinals.

"I remember the times that hurt more than the times that felt good. It's been a lot of fun here, but the times I remember most were having two chances to win World Series and just not doing it."

Tudor, who said last month that 1989 might be his final in the major leagues, said Tuesday that he has not changed his mind.

"It's not written in stone, but it's pretty set right now," said Tudor, whose pay is \$1.1 million this year and will be the same next summer under the final year of his contract.

"I'm just going to go day to day, like I did here," he said of what he envisions with the Dodgers, leaders by 3 1/2 games in the NL West. "I don't relish the idea of being the guy that goes over there to try to pick it up for them."

Guerrero's top seasons for Los Angeles were 1982, when he totaled 100 RBI, and 1983, when he had 103. He hit a career-high 33 home runs in 1985 and last year rebounded from knee surgery.

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chance. We think we have that talent now."

Coach Mike Fratello said the addition of Malone and an earlier deal that brought high-scoring guard Reggie Theus to the Hawks makes his club a legitimate title threat.

"Los Angeles and Detroit, the two teams that met in the NBA finals, have to be considered the favorites," Fratello said. "But we like to look at it that we have two new starting pieces and hopefully we'll be stronger."

"I know that one player guarantees nothing and that to win a championship you need a lot of luck and everything has to

mesh," team owner Ted Turner said. "This was the piece of the puzzle we all felt we needed to give us our best chance at a championship."

Atlanta has never won a championship since the franchise moved from St. Louis in 1968. The Hawks last won a title in 1958.

The Hawks have won at least 50 games the last three seasons, but each year were eliminated in the second round of the playoffs.

"This is a great situation for me," said Malone, who played the last two seasons at Washington.

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TOP SOIL fill dirt, caliche, septic systems, level lots driveways. Call after 5:00 p.m. (915) 263 4619 Sam Froman, Dirt Contractor.

Fences 731

REDWOOD, CEDAR, Spruce, Chain Link. Compare quality: priced before building. Brown Fence Service, 263-6517 anytime.

PLACE YOUR ad in City Bits, 3 lines, \$3.75. Appears daily on Page 2-A. Call Elizabeth for more details today!!

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C & O Carpentry. General handyman repairs of all types. No job is too small. Reasonable rates, quality work. 263 0703.
BOB'S CUSTOM Woodwork, 267 5811. Kitchen /bathroom remodeling, additions, cabinets, entry /garage doors, fireplaces. Serving Big Spring since 1971.

BEST IN THE West! Complete remodeling, acoustic, stucco, painting, and roofing. 263 7459 or 263 5037.
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Lawn/Garden 742

CITY DELIVERY Move furniture or appliances. One item or complete household. Call Tommy Coates, 263 2225 or 267 9717.

Moving 746

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Painting-Papering 749

S & P PAINTING Contracting. Commercial, Residential. Free estimates. 20 years experience. Guaranteed. Reasonable. (915) 263 7016.
HOUSE PAINTING and repairs. Interior and exterior, tape bedding. Joe Gomez, 267 7587, 267 7831.

Plumbing 755

FOR FAST dependable service. Call "The Master Plumber". Call 263 8552.

Rentals 761

RENT "N" OWN: Furniture, major appliances, TV's, stereos, dinettes. 502 Gregg, call 263 8636.

Roofing 767

ROOFING— SHINGLES, Hot tar, gravel, all types of repairs. Work guaranteed. Free estimates. 267 1110, 267 4289.

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COMPETITIVE RATES
Call us on your next GM problem. Shroyer Motor Co. 424 E. 3rd 263 7625

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Help Wanted 270

HELPER FOR upholstery, shop cleaning, repair 17 or older, female preferred. Week end. 2205 Scurry.
NEED LADY to live in thaters on Social Security to stay with elderly lady 263 3700

Jobs Wanted 299

QUALITY CONCRETE Work. Driveways, sidewalks, patios, etc. Reasonable rates if years experience. Free estimates. 267 7659
STAN'S LAWN Service. Mow, edge, trim, haul trash. Free estimate. Also serving surrounding areas. 267 5091

Loans 325

BACK TO School Perm sale at the Bobber Shop, Salem Road South. August 23rd August 26th. 393 5757
CHILD CARE 375
SUNSHINE DAYCARE now enrolling for fall classes. Newborn age 12. Trans portation. 263 1696

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20% OFF FRAMED print in our window each week! Lay Away for Christmas. Lusk Paint and Frame Center, 1601 Scurry
Auctions 505
CONSIGNMENT SALE every Thursday, 2000 West 4th! Spring City Auction. We do all types of auctions!! Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS 079 007759. 263 1831/ 263 0914

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ALL TYPES of Auctions. Estate, farm, and liquidation. Call 267 1551 Eddie Mann TX 098 0088100 Judy Mann TX 098 008198
WANTED: ACTION Auction will begin making auctions twice monthly (1st and 3rd Tuesday each month). We will buy 1 piece or a complete garage, shed or houseful. If you have something to sell call us we may be able to help. Address: North Lamesa Highway across from State Hospital, Eddie Mann, TXS 098 008188 Judy Mann, TXS 098 008189. 267 1551 267 8436

Dogs, Pets, Etc 513

SAND SPRING Kennel: AKC Chihuahuas, Chows, Poodles, Toy Pekingese, Pomeranians, Miniature Dachshund, Beagles. Terms available. 560 Hooser Road, 393 5259, 263 1231.
AKC SIBERIAN Husky 12 weeks old, black/white female. Good pet. Phone 263 1150.
BOSTON SCREWTAIL Bulldog Male, 9 months old. Call 1 756 3445.
FOR SALE: AKC Registered Miniature Doberman, \$150. Call after 6:00. 1-457 2334.
FOR SALE: Australian Shepherd puppies, 7 weeks old. \$75. 267 5708.
FOR SALE: rabbits in cages and feeders. Call 354 2202.

Pet Grooming 515

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

Appliances 530

OVER 75 USED appliances to choose from. Refrigerator, stoves, washers, dryers, and wringer washers. Branham Furniture, 1008 East 3rd, 263 3066.
THREE NEW hot water heaters: 1-40 gallon, gas, \$150; 1-30 gallon, gas, \$125; 1-40 gallon, electric, \$140. 1 only brass and white daybed, complete with mattress, \$165. 4 drawer chest, \$39.95. A-1 Furniture, 2611 West Hwy 80, 263 1831.

Lawn Mowers 532

FOR SALE: Good used lawn mowers. \$35. each. 1606 West 3rd.

Garage Sale 535

SMALL REFRIGERATOR, small deep freeze, 30" range, table leaf 6 chairs server and china, bedroom suite, washer and dryer, large pressure cooker, mowers, edger, many miscellaneous. L&L Trading Post, 2 miles Andrews Highway.
BACK TO School days thru August at J & J Penny Saver, 204 West 18th. Drawings each day for free school clothing plus unadvertized specials daily.
REFRIGERATOR, FREEZER, dinette, couch, dresser, bed, cooler, tools, miscellaneous. All week! 3417 West Highway 80.
GARAGE SALE Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 8:00 5:00, 1104 Lloyd. Lots boys school clothes, furniture, miscellaneous.

Garage Sale 535

BIG GARAGE Sale All Week! 1400 Benton. New and used clothing. Lots of large sizes, new Wranglers, jeans, all sizes.
GARAGE SALE: 2205 Warren Tuesday, 12:00 6:00 Wednesday, 9:00 8:00 Bicycles parts, swimming pool, bathroom fixtures, 3 wheelers.
GARAGE SALE: 802 Edwards Blvd. Friday and Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
VILLAGE ROAD Unit N Electric stove, baby bed, twin beds, tables Tuesday and Wednesday.
CARPORT SALE: Left hand men's golf clubs, miscellaneous items. 2527 Langley Drive. Saturday, 9:00 8:00.
JONES SWAP Shop, Open 402 State.
BABY BED, baby swing, stroller, half bed, dresser, clothing, odds n ends. 2207 Scurry, Thursday thru Sunday.
GARAGE SALE: 114 North East 11th. Thursday-Friday. Clothes, puzzles, TV, golf balls, fannies, miscellaneous.
YARD SALE: Tiny Toy Poodle, male; jeep, water bed, etc. Tuesday-Sunday, East end, Waller Road. For directions call 267 6547.

Produce 536

PERMIAN BASIN Farmer's Market. Wednesday, Highland Mall parking lot. Also locations in Midland and Odessa.
WOULD LIKE to combine blackeye peas on halves. Call 398 5523.

Miscellaneous 537

WINDSHIELD REPAIR: Repair stone damage windshield before it cracks out. Lowest prices. Free estimate. 267 7293.
WE BUY used refrigerators. Call 267 6421.
USED FULL size mattress and boxspring sets, \$19.95. Cash and Carry. State Approved Sterilization. 012694. Branham Furniture, 1008 East 3rd, 263 3066.
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WE BUY Furniture and working and non-working appliances. Branham Furniture, 1008 East 3rd, 263 3066.
DOWNDRAFT or window evaporative cooler, \$95. BTU 12000 refrigeration unit, \$195. Call 267 3259 before 5:00.
WE BUY good used tires! Big Spring Tire, 801 Gregg.
PURE CO. complete sales and service on all water softeners and reverse osmosis drinking water systems. Call 267 7660.
14 x 20 CARPETED PORTABLE building with bathroom and jacuzzi. \$2,800. 8 x 12 Screened porch (can be moved). \$850. Call 267 2988 or 267 3918.
COUCH: CHOCOLATE brown, L shape pit, queen size bed inside, good condition. \$200. King size headboard, 9 drawer dresser, 5 drawer chest, 2 mirrors, nightstand, \$150. 263 8031.
FENDER JAGUAR guitar (old classic). Large safe, weight, one ton. Call 267 6801 267 6457.
FOR SALE: Beige Pit Group. Call 393 5585.

Want To Buy 545

WANTED: RATTLER Snakes, \$3 50. \$4 50/b at Fine Cafe, 120 West 11. 45 12:15 p.m. each Saturday Starting August 20th. Reptile Unlimited, 817-725 7350.
TELEPHONES, JACKS, wire, loud ringers. Installation and repair. Business/residential. J'Dean/Com Shop. 267 5478. 267 2423.

Houses For Sale 601

BY OWNER: two bedroom house, Lorrilla Street, fenced yard, carport, storeroom. \$12,000. Call 267 4281, 263 6542.
PARKHILL: BY owner, 2 or 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double carport, store rooms, remodeled. Call 263 3514 or 263 8513.
OWNER FINANCE: four bedroom, two bath, offices, zoned commercial, \$39,500. 7 stall garage, \$19,500. 267 2222.
THREE DUPLEXES, great location, excellent condition, 16th and Scurry. All or separate. (915)697 8166.
NAME YOUR terms! Will trade anything of value or own financial. 2 bedrooms, storm windows / doors, aluminum siding, garage, storage on Southeast. 263 8229 or 263 6128.
SINGLE DEWELLING, 2524 Albrook. Assume 9 1/2%, \$27,000. 3 4 bedroom, 1-1/2 bath, fenced, ceiling fans, 1,550 square feet. Call 263 8076.

Manufactured Housing For Sale 601

GREATLY REDUCED, large 3/2, den, garage. Half acre fenced yard, vaulted ceilings, ceiling fans, brand new carpet, very nice. \$14,900. 263 3676.
PRICED REDUCED \$3,000 on lovely home on Jeffery Road. Enjoy 1 acre of land in Jefferson School District. 2 large bedrooms, 2 full baths, decks, lots of storage. Up to date and like new! You have to see this one to appreciate it. Possible owner finance. \$32,000. Call Darlene Carroll, South Mountain Agency, 263 8419 or home, 263 2329.
FOUR BEDROOM house priced in the 40's! Add fireplace, central refrigerated air, gas grill, beautiful carpet and you have a winner! Call Darlene Carroll at South Mountain Agency 263 8419 or home, 263 2329.
ONE OWNER home on the market for first time! This 3 1/1 home is immaculate and complete with lovely furniture and appliances. New central refrigerated air, large double doors, fenced backyard, huge pecan trees. Quiet block. \$33's. Call Marjorie Dodson, 267 7760 or South Mountain, 263 8419.
CONSIDER THIS custom executive in old Big Spring! Two living areas, sunroom and sewing room allow space for work and play, and gracious oak trees shade the private yard for outdoor living. Knotty pine in den and a detached glassed patio are just two of this home's highlights. \$70's. Call Marjorie Dodson, South Mountain Agency, 263 8419, or home, 267 7760.
FOR SALE: Desperate owner has to sell 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat and air. Beautiful carpet, mini blinds, ceiling fan. \$22,000. Will look at all offers. 4110 Muir. Home Realtors, 263 1284.
STEAL - STEAL - steal. A country steal. Abruptly transferring owner with absolutely no time to wait will look at your offers. Pleasant School. Enjoy 1 acre of 6 miles south of Big Spring, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, cathedral ceiling, skylights, ceiling fans, built in kitchen, water well, big and spacious over 1600 feet. Fifties or any acceptable offer. Sue Bradbury, 263 7537, McDonald Realty, 263 7615.
NO QUALIFYING assumption, low 9 1/2% loan, quick possession, low investment, are just some of the beginning pleasant surprises here. Comfortable, spacious rambler with secluded 2 story master bedroom suite, sauna, 2 covered patios, beautiful privacy yard, fireplace, central air conditioning, must see. \$50's. Sue Bradbury, 263 7537, McDonald Realty, 263 7615.
GET LESS and spend more a likely situation unless you check out this 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, Highland South home priced in the \$50's. It's big and spacious with excellent curb appeal. Vicki Walker, 263 0602, McDonald Realty, 263 7615.
ZERO DOWN payment is possible with new FHA Loan. Don't give up a thing, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, garage, excellent neighborhood. \$20's. Everything you want in a home. Vicki Walker, 263 0602, McDonald Realty, 263 7615.
BUILDER HAS put his own custom built home on the market! Beautiful home on 5 acres with panoramic view from wrap around deck, many energy saving features in this one of a kind home. Built with comfort and beauty in mind. Step out onto the patio and enjoy outdoor living with natural landscaping, hot tub, private pool and gazebo! Call Marjorie Dodson, 267 7760 or South Mountain, 263 8419.
PERFECT KIDS home - walk to Kentwood Elementary and then enjoy climbing trees in pretty yard after school. Inside the house the whole family can spread out in two living areas, huge kitchen, big utility room and 3 bedrooms. Anxious owner will consider paying buyers closing costs. Call today to see this home. Office in the 940's. Call Marjorie Dodson, South Mountain Agency, 263 8419, or home, 267 7760.
JUST LISTED in Scurry County. 3 2 2 on 120 acres, woodburning fireplace and 12 x 36 concrete patio, 4 x 4 cedar fence, 2 water wells, 60 acres in cultivation, 20 x 20 concrete tank with red wood deck and sand filter so you can swim. Very unique. Call ERA Reeder, Realtors at 267 8266 or Carla Bennett at 263 4667.

Lots For Sale 602

FOR SALE: 2 lots, South Haven Addition. Call 267 4931.

Acres For Sale 605

THREE ACRE tracts, corner of Elbow Road and Garden City Highway, low down, \$90, monthly. 1 512 994 1080.
160 ACRE FARM North East 7/4. Section 39 -Bk 33 part of Ulmer Estate. Located 20 miles North West of Big Spring or 4 miles South West of Velmore. Call F. A. Ulmer, 817 997 2577.
SEVEN SCENIC acres on East 24th Street. Great for a home, ok for horses and cows. Suitable for Texas Veterans Loan in town, but outside city limits. Plus a good water guarantee. All utilities available. Call Boosie Weaver, Owner /Agent after 6:00 p.m., 267 8840.

Resort Property 608

DARLING ROCK cottage on Sweetwater Lake. Good waterfront. \$36,000. Call 915 694 3929.

Manufactured Housing For Sale 611

14 x 70 MOBILE HOME 2 bedroom, 1 bath, on 3/4 acre, \$15,500. new loan 267 2196.
12 x 68 MOBILE HOME. Good condition, \$6,500. Call 393 5464.

Houses For Sale 601

1984 14x80 UNFURNISHED mobile home. Masonite siding, pitched roof, vaulted ceilings, ceiling fans, brand new carpet, very nice. \$14,900. 263 3676.
FOR SALE: 1979 mobile, 14 x86, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, \$2,000 equity and take-up payments. 263 1927 after 5:00 p.m.
\$166 PER MONTH on this 1984 model 2 bedroom home like new! New carpet throughout, new paint, 8 1/2 years at 8 1/2% A.P.R. Free setup. Phone 583 0543.
NEW DOUBLEWIDE 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Only \$233 per month, 480 months at 12.75% A.P.R. \$1,999 down. Includes appliances and air conditioning. Call 699 5186.
\$500 DOWN on this 1985 3 bedroom, 2 bath in excellent condition. \$232 per month for 8 years, 8 5/8% A.P.R. Setup included. Call 563 5044.
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HOUSES APARTMENTS Duplexes, 1-2-3 and 4 bedroom. Furnished, unfurnished. Call Ventura Company, 267 2655.
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
Kentwood Apartments
1904 East 25th
267-5444 267-1666
LARGE, ONE bedroom. Ducked refrigerator and heat, carpet, built in stove and oven. Clean and attractive. 1104 East 11th Place, \$250 plus deposit. No bills paid. Call 267 7628.
NICELY REMODELED, spacious 1 bedroom. Refrigerated air, walk in closets, washer/dryer connections. \$200. Couple or single. No pets please. McDonald, 267 7653.
UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS 655
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.
100% GOVERNMENT ASSISTED, all bills paid, rent based on income, redecorated, stoves and refrigerators, family and children. Security Guards. Equal Opportunity Housing. Northcrest Village, 1002 N. Main, 267 5191.
PARKHILL TERRACE nice apartments. Affordable rates, fenced in patios, covered parking, beautiful grounds. FM-700 at Westover 263 6091.

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Business Buildings 678

FOR LEASE: nice building with 6,400 square feet. Divided into 3,200 square foot office space, 3,200 warehouse with loading dock. Paved, fenced area, electronic security door. Only \$1,200 month. Call 1-695-0570.

FOR LEASE: car lot, 706 East 4th. \$125 month plus deposit. Call 263-5000.

OVER 17,000 SQUARE FOOT BUILDING at 1900 Gregg Street. Perfect for retail in one of the busiest parts of town. Call Jerry Worthing, 267-1122.

TWO SEPARATE office buildings for lease. 618 Gregg. Each with receptionist area and separate offices, breakroom, library. Lease negotiable. 267-7449.

Office Space 680

EXCELLENT LOCATION for office in square, medical, etc. 105 West 16th. 363-3514 or 263-6513.

Manufactured Housing 682

FOR RENT: Forsan Schools, 2 bedroom mobile home. \$200. Call 267-9598 or 363-4261.

TWO BEDROOM furnished mobile home. Water furnished. No pets. 1-1/2 miles south U.S. 87 267-1009.

Lodges 686

CALLING MEETING, Staked Plains Lodge #598, Aug. 19th, Fri. day, 7:30 p.m. Work in F.C. Degree, 119 Main, Gene Smith, W.M., T.R. Morris, Sec.

STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge No. 1340, A.F. & A.M. 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., 2102 Lan- caster, Carl Condroy, W.M., Richard Knopus, Sec.

263-1151

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U.S. coach speaks his piece

By The Associated Press

It's not easy to hide when you are the biggest person in the room. John Thompson doesn't want to hide anyway.

The U.S. men's Olympic basketball coach is taller than all but one of his players, and his voice commands attention not only from them but from anyone within range.

John Thompson is in charge. The 6-foot-10 Thompson will direct the team trying to defend the gold medal won in Los Angeles under Bob Knight, a coach in the national spotlight even more than Thompson but for different reasons.

Thompson has never publicly struck a player, he has not had a book written about him that exposed his every flaw, and he has never led a team off the court when things turned against him.

He has, however, been accused of having an "us vs. them" attitude, of being a racist and of facing controversies with the same principle: His team comes first.

In May 1986, the Olympic team became his team and it will stay that way through the final day of the Seoul Games. He has taken on the National Basketball Association, one of the nation's best known broadcasters and even the U.S.

government in defense of his team.

Thompson let the public know he was upset when the Atlanta Hawks invited a group of Soviet players here to train and then toured the Soviet Union to play their national team. He was even more upset when the Soviet Union's best player, 7-foot-2 Arvydas Sabonis, was brought to the United States by the Portland Trail Blazers, who drafted Sabonis, for treatment of a ruptured Achilles tendon.

"Realistically, I see Sabonis as being a fulfillment of Lenin's prophecy: The capitalists are selling the communists the rope they can hang us with," Thompson said. "I personally feel we are being used. We are in direct competition with them, and to prepare Sabonis to play against us just isn't right."

NBA commissioner David Stern said Thompson is "a great coach, but I'm glad he's not our secretary of state."

"I understand Portland's trying to protect its investment and I understand it's a business," Thompson said. "I'm a capitalist, but I feel there is someplace we have to draw the line. As the U.S. basketball coach, I honestly feel we're selling them the rope to hang us with."

"I have always been accused of having an 'us against them' men-

tality at Georgetown. I'm proud of that in this case because it is us against them."

Thompson, who is black, has had few white players while compiling a 370-130 mark at Georgetown with three Final Four appearances and one national championship.

When CBS commentator Brent Musburger said the public would worry about white players making the Olympic team, Thompson was quick to call the comments "ignorant and dangerous."

"That was a very tactful way of trying to get a quota on the number of blacks on the Olympic team. I'd be willing to bet you that nobody ever asked Bobby Knight that question... I'd be willing to bet you my life is far more integrated than Brent Musburger's."

Thompson has two whites — one a woman — among his three Olympic assistants, and his support staff is racially mixed. The issue of race doesn't seem to concern him as much as cooperation from the government.

He had trouble getting permission from the Army to use a base near Seoul as a backup practice facility, and he wasn't shy about complaining.

"It appears to me that I have to get an act from the president in order to use a United States facility

and I kind of resent that," Thompson said. "I always get a kick out of people telling me this is our team, America's team. It is until you want to use some facilities."

Why would Thompson, who was an assistant to Dean Smith in the 1976 Olympics, take on these extra problems when he already has enough trying to run a successful program?

"The one thing that I've asked of the players is to do the best that they can every day in practice," he said. "You volunteered to make this commitment, nobody made you do this. This is something that is important and I want you to work as hard as you can."

"There's pressure to get up two times a day for practice. There's pressure on the staff and on the players. I think that's the world we live in and the world we enjoy. If there wasn't a certain amount of pressure, if there weren't a certain amount of challenge, if there weren't a certain amount of responsibility, I don't think any of us would be here doing this because it's too hard, the work is too time consuming. We accept that challenge and all I can ask is for them to make that kind of commitment."

SCOREBOARD

Rodeo Results

Here are the Results from the Big Spring Police Rodeo Sunday.

Wild Horse Race — 1. Billy Powell; Randy Brainard, Paul Keough, Dallas; 2. Keith Grisham, Sammy Knapp, Tracy Carson, Plano; 3. Steve Fleeckstein, Billy Arnold, Terry Chamness, Big Spring.

Team Roping — 1. Bruce Koger, Dutch Lewis, Houston; 2. Otis Wiley, J.T. Hatcher, Taylor County.

Goat Tying — 1. LeAnn Bartlett, TSCRA; 2. Sandi Peck, Irving; 3. Roxanne Myers, Irving.

Bull Riding — 1. Mark Jenkins, Dallas; 2. Freddy Garcia, Ft. Worth; 3. Dean Cunningham, Ft. Worth.

Barrel Race — 1. Billy Jarrott, Bryan; 2. Darryl Crow, Dallas.

Call Roping — 1. Wesley Myers, Palmer; 2. Al Peck, Irving; 3. Otis Wiley, Taylor County.

Chute Dogging — 1. Bruce Koger, Houston; 2. B.J. Joseph, Galveston; 3. Joe Cook, Big Spring.

Ribbon Roping — 1. Otis Wiley-J.T. Hatcher, Taylor County; 2. B.J. Joseph, Sheri Parson Galveston-Forth Worth; 3. Tommy Tipton-Mickey Leech, Texas City.

Barrels — 1. Roxanne Myers, Irving; 2. Mary Hurd, Ft. Worth; 3. Lisa Claussen, Two Man Cliff, Tex.

Time Man Cliff Tex — 1. Al Peck, Irving.

New York at San Francisco, 4:05 p.m.
Chicago at Cincinnati, 7:35 p.m.
Houston at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled.

AL Standings

East Division		W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	69	49	585	—	
Boston	66	52	559	3	
New York	64	51	557	3 1/2	
Milwaukee	61	60	504	9 1/2	
Toronto	60	60	500	10	
Cleveland	56	63	471	13 1/2	
Baltimore	39	78	333	29 1/2	
West Division		W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	76	44	633	—	
Minnesota	67	51	568	8	
Kansas City	61	58	513	14 1/2	
California	60	59	504	15 1/2	
Chicago	53	66	445	22 1/2	
Texas	52	65	444	22 1/2	
Seattle	46	73	387	29 1/2	

NFL Standings

Minnesota 4, Detroit 1
Oakland 6, Baltimore 3
California 15, New York 6
Seattle 7, Boston 0
Cleveland 6, Milwaukee 5, 10 innings
Chicago 5, Toronto 4
Texas 5, Kansas City 4

Wednesday's Games

Minnesota (Anderson 10-7) at Detroit (Alexander 11-7)
California (Clark 5-1) at New York (Eiland 0-1), (n)
Oakland (Young 6-7) at Baltimore (Peraza 5-5), (n)
Seattle (Swift 6-9) at Boston (Hurst 13-4), (n)
Milwaukee (Birkbeck 8-5) at Cleveland (Farrell 12-7), (n)
Toronto (Clancy 6-12) at Chicago (Reuss 8-7), (n)
Texas (Guzzman 10-9) at Kansas City (Bannister 9-10), (n)

Thursday's Games

California at New York, (n)
Oakland at Baltimore, (n)
Seattle at Boston, (n)
Milwaukee at Cleveland, (n)
Chicago at Detroit, (n)
Texas at Minnesota, (n)
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PHOENIX CARDINALS—Signed Mike Prindle, placekicker.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Released Brian Cobb, wide receiver, and John Bruno, punter.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANERS—Signed Harper LeBel, tight end.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Acquired Bobby Micho, running back, tight end, from the Denver Broncos for undisclosed draft pick. Signed Ted Wilson, wide receiver.

HOCKEY

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

BUFFALO SABRES—Signed Ken Pressley, center, and Mikael Andersson, Mike Hartman and Kevin Maguire, wings.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Signed Paul Broten, forward.

COLLEGE

COLUMBIA—Named Gary Raikie coordinator of strength and conditioning for all athletes and Kirk Saunly assistant men's basketball coach.

MARIST—Announced the resignation of Pam White, assistant women's basketball coach, in order to become the assistant women's basketball coach at Army, effective Sept. 1.

MARYLAND—Named Steve Garber assistant women's basketball coach.

MISSOURI BAPTIST—Named John Crans athletic director and track and cross-country coach.

MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE—Announced the resignation of Charley Wade head football coach. Named Bill Cooke interim head coach.

TULANE—Named Tom Peters associate director of athletics.

U.S. AIR FORCE ACADEMY—Named Silver Dominguez assistant men's basketball coach.

VILLANOVA—Announced the resignation of Skip Probst hockey coach.

WISCONSIN-STEVENS POINT—Named Al Kuphal athletic director.

XAVIER, OHIO—Announced the resignation of Marlin Weisenberger, women's head volleyball coach.

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New York	71	48	597	—	
Pittsburgh	66	54	550	5 1/2	
Montreal	63	58	534	7 1/2	
Chicago	57	59	491	12 1/2	
St. Louis	52	66	441	18 1/2	
Philadelphia	51	67	432	19 1/2	
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Houston	64	55	538	3 1/2	
San Francisco	62	57	521	5	
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San Diego	56	63	471	11 1/2	
Atlanta	41	78	345	26 1/2	

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New York (Cone 12-2) at San Francisco (Reuschel 15-6), 10:35 p.m.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING (353 at bats)—Boggs, Boston, .359; Puckett, Minnesota, .357; Greenwell, Boston, .336; Trammell, Detroit, .329.

RHENDERSON, NEW YORK—328.

RUNS—Canseco, Oakland, 91; Boggs, Boston, 86; RHenderson, New York, 84; Molitor, Milwaukee, 81; McGriff, Toronto, 77; Puckett, Minnesota, 77.

RBI—Canseco, Oakland, 92; Greenwell, Boston, 92; Puckett, Minnesota, 88; Brett, Kansas City, 86; DwEvans, Boston, 82.

HITS—Puckett, Minnesota, 171; Boggs, Boston, 156; Franco, Cleveland, 146; Greenwell, Boston, 143; Brett, Kansas City, 142; Molitor, Milwaukee, 142.

DOUBLES—Brett, Kansas City, 35; Boggs, Boston, 33; Greenwell, Boston, 31; Gladden, Minnesota, 30; Puckett, Minnesota, 30.

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JEANE DIXON'S Your Horoscope

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Pursue educational activities with enthusiasm, and the other parts of your life will fall into place. Travel will be fun so long as you do not run up huge credit card bills. Budget what you spend on pleasure as carefully as you budget money in the workplace. Widen your network of business contacts. Better job opportunities lie ahead. Self-reliance is the key to lasting success.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: Rosalynn Carter, actor Robert Redford, former Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger, explorer Meriwether Lewis, actor Malcolm-Jamal Warner, second baseman Ryne Sandberg, director

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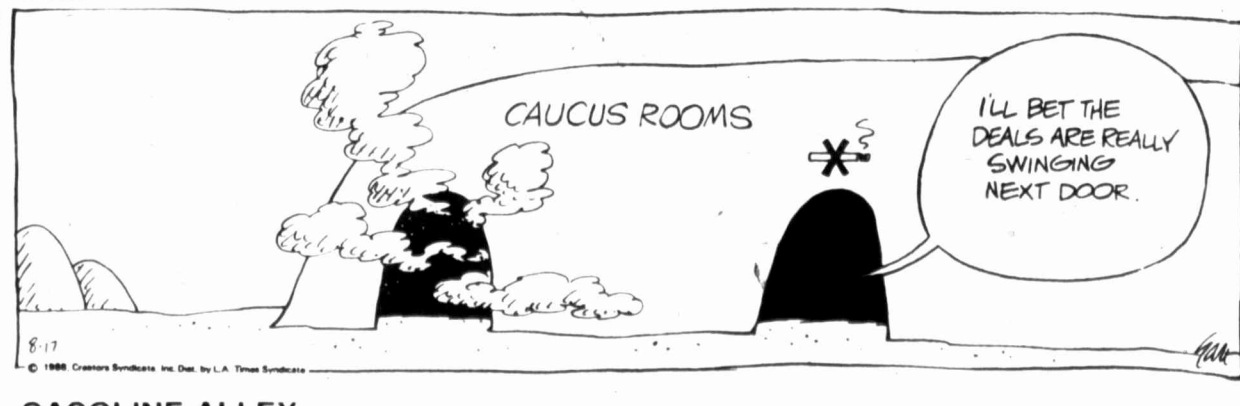
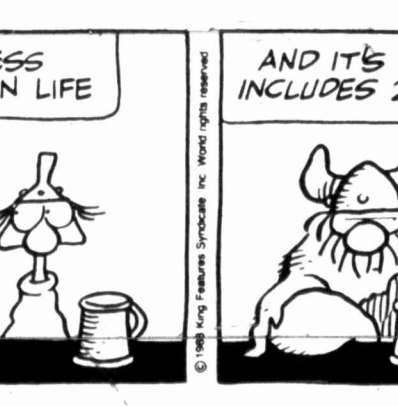
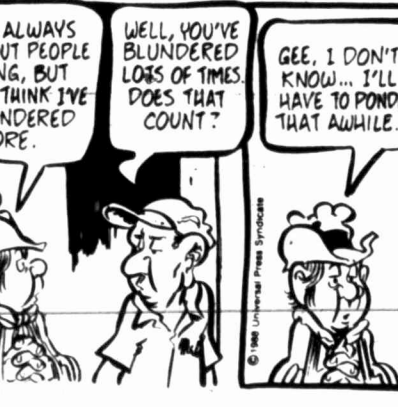
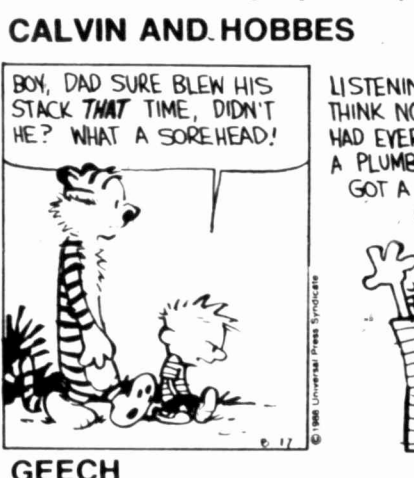
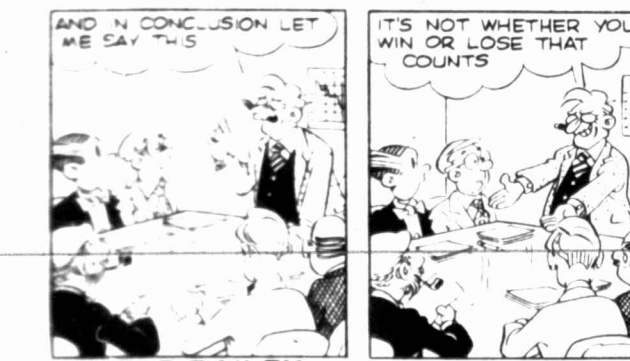
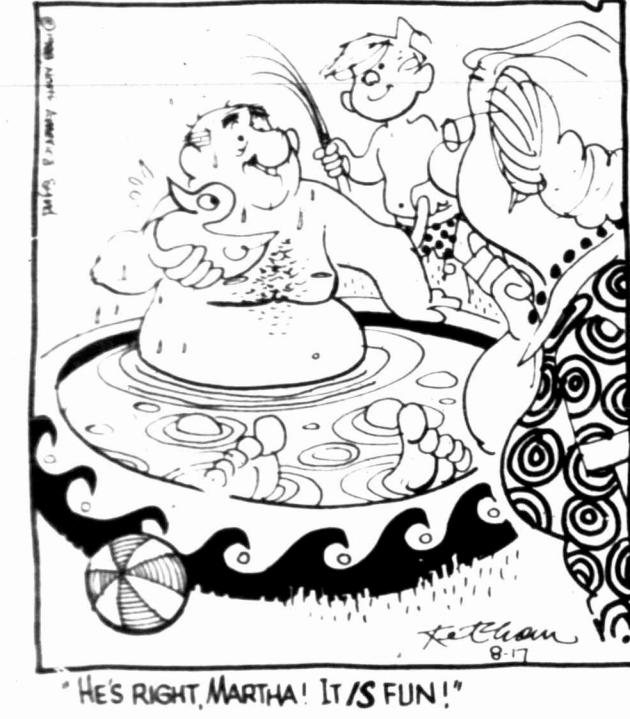
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Seek more room in which to maneuver. You are unlikely to find it in the office. A business lunch could prove highly productive. A family get-together should be enjoyable. Emphasize mutual aims.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Someone who thinks you are very special lets you know it. An invitation to a glittery affair will really make your day. Choose your date carefully. It should be a memorable night.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A fortunate gamble will pay off for you. You make steady progress on the work front but find that a close relationship requires more effort. Make peace with partner. Plan a fun event.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Your image is important to your work. Shape up! Plunge into overdue chores. Additional power and prestige will be yours if you work harder to cultivate new friendships. Seek introductions to influential people.

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STACY TOLLISON
 First junior runner-up



(Photos by Roy Lee Barnhill)
 DAWN WOODWARD
 Second runner-up

Stacy Long named Miss Martin County

By PEGGY LUXTON
 Cap Rock Electric Cooperative

A brown-eyed brunette wore the crown home in Saturday night's Miss Martin County Pageant held in the Stanton High School Auditorium. She is Stacy Long, daughter of Lonnie and Carlene Long of Stanton.

Stacy is 16 years old and is a junior student at Stanton High School. She is 5'4" tall and weighs 127 pounds. She is a feature twirler of SHS Band and is a member of the State 4-H Share the Fun Team. She has performed with the band in the State Marching Contest.

Other high school activities for Stacy include basketball, track, cross-country, F.C.A. and F.T.A. Outside of school, Stacy is interested in swimming, cooking, baby sitting and church activities.

Stacy plans to attend college, but has not yet made a decision concerning her college career. Her ultimate goal in life is to have a happy Christian home for her future husband and children.

In addition to walking away with the Miss Martin County crown, Stacy was a preliminary winner in both the evening gown and swimsuit competitions. She won first in evening gown competition in a gown designed in stark black and white, with the fitted bodice of black and a ruffled white skirt. She won the swimsuit competition in a black swimsuit with a low scoop back.

The first runner-up to the Miss Martin County title was Cherlyn Stewart, 17-year-old daughter of Teddy and Clara Stewart of Stanton. Cherlyn is a green-eyed blonde who will be a senior student at Stanton High School this year. She has

served as second vice-president of F.H.A., as well as the secretary of that organization, has received the Outstanding Homemaking Student Award and qualified for regional and state golf.

In addition to being named first runner-up, Cherlyn also won the talent category. She sang "Fat Baby" for the pageant crowd. It is a gospel song made popular by Amy Grant. Cherlyn has been singing for a long time, but began performing in public only about two years ago.

Second runner-up in the pageant was Sheri Williams, a 17-year-old brunette with blue-green eyes. She is the daughter of Don and Elizabeth Williams and will be a freshman at Texas Tech University next year. She was head twirler for Stanton High School, a member of the State 4-H Share the Fun Team for 3 years, performed 2 years in the State Marching Contest, participated in the State 4-H Food Show and the State Twirling Contest.

Miss Congeniality is a title bestowed on one of the contestants by popular ballot of all contestants. This year, the title was shared because of a tie vote. The sharing contestants were Sheri Williams and Nora Keele, daughter of Roy and Delma Keele of Stanton.

A Junior Miss Martin County Division of the pageant was held for girls too young yet to enter the Miss Martin County Pageant. These girls compete against each other in all categories except talent and swimsuit competition.

Winner in the junior division was Angela Hagins, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Hagins of Stanton. First runner-up was Stacy Tollison, 12-year-old daughter of Donald and Robby Rollison of Stanton. Second runner-up was Dawn

Woodward, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Woodward of Tarzan.

The title of Miss Congeniality in the junior division was also a shared title. Receiving tying votes for this title were Laurie Romine, daughter of Gary and Pat Romine of Stanton, and Cindy Wells, daughter of Willie and Jackie Wells of Stanton.

Judges for this year's pageant were Linda and Tony Fry of Midland and Ann Weaver of Big Spring. The Frys are officials of the Miss West Texas Pageant. Emcee for this year's event was Jeffrey J. Capasso, a DJ for KBST radio in Big Spring.

Stacy Long, the 1988 Miss Martin County, collected her accolades and her spoils following her crowning at the end of Saturday night's festivities.

Her winnings include a \$500 scholarship to Howard College, a modeling course from PS Images of Midland, a make-over by Salon Unique of Midland, an 11" x 14" photograph by Linda Froch of Midland, a unit outfit from Patsy Odom of Stanton, a \$100 cash award from the Martin County Fair Board Association, a \$500 wardrobe to be used in the Miss Texas Pageant should she choose to enter, and other cash and merchandise awards from local merchants.

The first runner-up received a \$250 scholarship from Howard College and the winner in the junior division also received prizes.

The crowning of Miss Martin County culminates several weeks of hard work by many Martin County citizens and others. There are many who contribute their time and talent. But what other activity can begin with a group of young, shaky, nervous and scared girls and present to the public such a bevy of poised, confident and beautiful young women?

Pageant is result of teamwork

By PEGGY LUXTON
 Cap Rock Electric Cooperative

Beauty, charm, talent in spotlight

One of the year's biggest sources of local entertainment is the Miss Martin County Pageant. For many years now, this event has been an opportunity to showcase the beauty, charm and talent of the young women residing in this county.

It has many times been written and said that the most beautiful women in this country are those who come from Texas. One has only to attend a Miss Martin County Pageant to realize that our county has its share of Texas beauties.

Over 300 persons were entertained Saturday night in the Stanton High School Auditorium as the 1988 edition of the pageant was unfolded. This year's pageant featured eight girls in the Senior Division. Prior pageants have had 7 to 10 contestants, so this was an average year. In addition, there was a Junior Division of eight con-

testants. The Junior Miss Martin County Division was devised to give younger girls a chance to appear and compete in public, so that when they reach the age to be eligible for the Miss Martin County Pageant, their initial stage fright and nervousness will be behind them.

Gwen Sawyer is spearhead for the county pageant. As producer, she must start from scratch each year. She secures sponsors for the contestants and prizes for the winners. She selects an emcee and judges. She decides on a theme for each pageant. She delegates duties to the volunteers. She oversees every facet of preparation, practice and execution.

Pam Tollison is the pageant director. She is in charge of collecting data on each contestant. She must make sure the judges have tally sheets for the marking of scores for each contestant.

Leslie Wood of the State National Bank is the pageant auditor. He is

the only one who sees the judges' tally sheets until the final judging is done.

Faye Nell Waggner is secretary for the group. She does all the typing and correspondence.

Clara Stewart and Julia Jones are choreographers. They must come up with an original dance number for the pageant's opening act. They also help contestants with preparation of their individual talent entries. As background training for these responsibilities, Julia Jones takes college dance courses and has taught classes in ballet, jazz and gymnastics. Clara Stewart has had 7 years of dance training and has taught local dance classes.

Georgeann Walton does the set decorations. Theatrical masks and helium-filled balloons decorated the stage for the 1988 pageant.

Shelby Barley served as sound man, while Todd Smith manned the spotlights. Steve Garlington worked the curtains and Rusty Haggard

and Derek Sorley were light men. Sorley also worked with the backstage directions. Morgan Cox headed up the back-and front-stage coordination. Gaye Hull was in charge of make-up and Amoda and Company from Midland's Salon Unique were in charge of hairdressing.

Beginning about 10 days before the pageant, many of these people, along with the contestants, are in a frenzy of activity.

Clara Stewart, one of the show's choreographers, had double the work and double the worry. Not only did she hold down the responsibilities of choreographer, but her daughter, Cherlyn, was also a contestant.

As soon as Cherlyn decided which song she was to sing in the talent category, a tape of that song had to be taken to Odessa, where the main vocals were erased, leaving only the music and vocal

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(Photos by Roy Lee Barnhill)

PAGEANT PRODUCERS — Gwen Sawyer, left top photo, who has worked as Miss Martin County Pageant producer the past nine years, and Derek Sorley, light man, ham it up. In lower photo, left to right, Todd Smith, spotlight pro, Morgan Cox, stage coordinator, Steve Garlington, worked curtains and Sorley. Where was Shelly Barley, sound man?



(See Stanton, page 2)

Stanton classes begin Sept. 1

All classes for Stanton I.S.D. will begin at 8:10 a.m. on Sept. 1.

Kindergarten through 3rd grade will dismiss at 2:30 p.m., 4th through 8th grade will dismiss at 3:15 p.m. Grades 9-12 will dismiss at 3:45 p.m.

There will be no holiday this year for Labor Day, but school will end in May before the Memorial Day Holiday.

This year Stanton Elementary will be made up of grades K-5. The fifth grade has been moved back to the elementary from junior high. Jim White is the elementary school principal. This will be his second year in the Stanton school system.

Stanton Elementary would like to extend a hearty welcome to its new faculty members.

Mrs. Linda Denton comes to Stanton from Coahoma. She will teach our pre-kindergarten class. Mrs. Jo Coggin is moving to the position of first grade teacher from the pre-kindergarten program.

Mrs. Rita Powell will be a new kindergarten teacher. She comes to Stanton from Greenwood.

Ms. Stacie Jackson will be a new fourth grade teacher this year. She moved to Stanton from Crowley.

In the fifth grade, Mrs. Sandy Smith moves to Stanton Elementary form the high school home economics department. Ms. Bell Henson moves to the elementary school from the coaching and teaching ranks of Stanton Jr. High. Ms. Patty Johnson will be a first year teacher fresh out of Texas A&M.

Mrs. Pam Tollison will handle the elementary special education job. She is moving from Stanton Jr. High.

The entire staff at Stanton Elementary is very excited about the beginning of the 88-89 school year and is looking forward to making it one of the best ever.

This year the sixth, seventh and eighth grades will compose Stanton

Middle School. The new Middle School principal is Johnny McGregor. McGregor is a graduate of Texas A&M University, and he has 14 years of experience in education. Mr. McGregor stresses involvement: "Only through communication and cooperation between students, parents and school personnel will our school system reach goals of which we are proud."

Stanton Middle School also welcomes several new faculty members. Kay Melville moves from the elementary school to teach special education. Susan Hartzell comes from Grand Falls to teach social studies and to take over the girls' coaching duties.

Blake Hightower moves from Midland to teach English and coach. Kirke McKenzie comes to Stanton by way of Kermit to teach band. Melinda Priddy leaves Greenwood to teach reading.

Stacy Waldrop comes from Perin, to teach art and English. Wan-

da Yates will teach math, and Kathy Kohls will take over the English as a second language program.

The entire Middle School faculty and staff looks forward to an exciting and very positive school year.

Bill Young, Stanton High School Principal, is looking forward to a new school year with some new faces in the faculty.

Two teachers are moving to High School this year from other campuses. Mrs. Pat Woodfin is moving from elementary to teach the English IV classes, and she will also be the Year Book sponsor. Mrs. Mona Elmore is moving from the Middle School to teach mathematics in the High School. Karen Rawlings will replace Mrs. Sandy Smith in the Home Economics Department, who moved to the elementary school. Mrs. Rawlings comes to Stanton from San Angelo Central High School.

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background. Then Cheryl played the tape, supplying her own vocal rendition in place of the original. Costumes had to be selected. Then Cheryl and her mother buckled down to the real work.

A contestant entering the pageant has first to fill out a data sheet, listing not only her physical description, but school honors, activities, names of parents, future plans and ultimate goals. They are then matched with a sponsor.

Beginning on Friday night, nine days before the pageant, the practice begins. They practice that Friday night. They practice Saturday afternoon. They practice Sunday afternoon. During the week of the pageant, the girls are required to meet for practice sessions every night.

Each girl must learn her part in the opening dance number. They must dance for hour after hour. They are also taught how to walk, how to pose, and how to execute turns. They are taught to smile, smile, smile. Their talent selections are performed on stage in practice at least two or three times a night.

On the Thursday night before the

pageant, there is a dress rehearsal. On Friday night, there is preliminary judging in swimsuit competition. The girls also have individual interviews with the judges. This preliminary judging is performed ahead of time to cut down on the amount of time the pageant audience must wait for judging to be completed. So, in effect, after the dress rehearsal on Thursday night, the contestants participate in two nights of judging. During the pageant itself, judging is done in categories of evening wear, poise and personality, and talent.

Some girls prior to the pageant are very nervous. Others, especially if they have been contestants in prior pageants, are less nervous.

The girls competing for the title become very close during the hours they spend together prior to the pageant. They may share dresses or evening gowns. They share a lot of shoes. They help each other in working on their talent presentations. They cheer each other on and each is genuinely happy for the girl who wins the title. A pageant official said of the contestants, "I think they win and lose very gracefully."

The girls appearing in the Junior

Division are not required to compete in swimsuits. This competition is the most dreaded category by the girls. They show real courage and confidence in their participation in this category. The Junior Division contestants are already making plans for next year's pageant. By the time they are ready to enter in the Senior Division competition, they will have many hours' stage practice already under their belts.

The 325 members of the pageant audience marveled at the professionalism of this year's production. The opening number featured all the girls, in perfect step with the number and with each other. The girls walked onstage with confidence and a great show of poise and grace. The stage was lit with those gorgeous West Texas smiles.

The Miss Martin County Pageant is a show of pride in one of our most precious assets, the young women who are a part of our towns and communities. We have reason to feel pride in them, their parents, and the growing number of workers who put such a vast amount of time and talent into this production.

Summer Festival booked Aug. 19-20

Summer Festival will be held Aug. 19-20 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Stanton. The annual event will feature games, food and music.

A coronation dance was held Friday, Aug. 12 from 9 p.m. until 2 a.m. Saturday at the Crown Royal in Midland to honor queen candidates.

Delma Marquez was crowned queen, Gracie Cazares was selected princess, Sandra Padron, duchess, Cindy Lerma, fourth runner-up and Theresa Saldivar, fifth runner-up.

Comments from queen contestants:

Queen contestants included:

DELMA MARQUEZ
Delma Marquez is the 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Marquez of Stanton.

Delma who is one of the queen candidates for St. Joseph Catholic Church where she attends Mass and is active in church activities will be a Sophomore at Stanton High School.

She enjoys spending time with her friends, going to softball games, dances and volleyball games.

Delma plans to graduate from Stanton High School and go to college to become a teacher in Elementary Education with studies toward abuse children.

It has been an honor for Delma to represent St. Joseph Catholic Church, along with the other candidates. She would like to thank her family, friends, and her sponsors; the Knights of Columbus for supporting her. She would like to give a special thank you to her Mom and Dad for all their support.

THERESA SALDIVAR
Theresa Saldivar is the 16-year-old daughter of Audon and Mary Saldivar. Her hobbies are arts and crafts, music, sewing, baking and cooking. Theresa's future plans are to become a homemaker and maybe pursue a career in Radiology. Theresa would like to thank the St. Joseph's Alter Society for sponsoring her.

CINDY LERMA

Cindy Lerma is the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Manuel Villa. Her hobbies are playing baseball, volleyball and basketball. Favorite colors are green and red. Favorite music are Rap and Heavy Metal. Favorite three words are "I love you." Favorite T.V. show are "Who's the Boss" and "Growing Pains." Favorite comedians are Paul Rodriguez and Howie Randell. Cindy's future plans are being successful. Her goals are finishing school and going to college. Cindy also thanks the St. Joseph's Reparation Society of the Immaculate Heart of Mary for sponsoring her.



DELMA MARQUEZ
Queen

SANDRA PADRON
Sandra Padron is the 14-year-old daughter of Mary and Martin Rodriguez. She is a freshman at Stanton High School.

Sandra thanks the St. Vincente De Paul Society for sponsoring her. Sandra participates in almost all school sports. She enjoys helping others. She is a member of C.C.D. and the Youth Prayer Meeting. Sandra is the oldest of the four in her family which include Stephen, Sarah, and Timothy. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Santos Barrera from Stanton.

"I would like to thank everyone who helped and supported me," says Sandra. "I would especially like to thank my mother, dad, and Martin Rodriguez," says Sandra.

GRACIE CAZARES
Gracie Cazares is the 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abundio Cazares.

She enjoys being with her family and friends. Her hobbies are fishing, playing baseball and sewing.

Her favorite food is fried chicken with mashed potatoes on the side and a Dr. Pepper to go with it.

I have really enjoyed running for Queen of St. Joseph Catholic Church. I want to thank all my family first of all, and everybody who has helped me through out these days.



GRACIE CAZARES
Princess

Stanton

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Rob Young is the new head girls basketball coach and will be assistant football coach. He will coach golf in the spring. Coach Young will be teaching biology and health.

Young is looking forward to a successful year, both academically and in extra-curricular activities.

Diane Myers will be joining the high school faculty as an English teacher.

Elementary
Jim White - Principal
Zoila Hernandez - Secretary
Jo Yater - Special Programs
Debbie Weaver - Nurse
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Kindergarten
Patricia Bennett,
Ritta Powell,
Betty Wright.

Leatrice Brown - Bilingual.

First Grade,
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Jancie Newman,
Elaine Riddle,
Leslie Welch,
Lydia Rodriguez - Bilingual.

Second Grade
Dolly Bryant,
Mary Holcomb,
Doralene Robnett,
Nancy Pittman.

Third Grade
Gwen Brown,
Sandra Louder,
Patricia Ruth,
Anita Vest,
Doyla Haislip - 34 Science.

Fourth Grade
Stacie Jackson,
Evelyn Lankford,
Gracelyn Snell,
Norman Wright.

Fifth Grade
Bell Henson,
Patty Johnson,
Sandra Smith,
Marilyn Wheeler.
Pam Tollison - Special Education
Katherine Kohls - ESL 2nd-7th
Rachel Etheredge - Music
Scheila-Schlup - Ch. 1 Reading

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THERESA SALDIVAR
Fifth runner-up

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Stan is manager of a local TU Electric office. It's his job to hear the facts and then make decisions on everything from accounting and operations to emergency repairs. What's amazing is he still finds time to put his shoulder to the wheel for several local causes. Including a group that seeks new industry for the community. And the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center that helps provide food, as well as housing, for the mentally retarded. To Stan, working to help others is more than an eight-to-five job. And that's what makes A Commitment To Service more than a slogan.

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Beauty, talent displayed at MC Pageant



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Views of other Texas papers

Aviator's flight more than prank

We suspect Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev would secretly like to give Mathias Rust a medal for that precocious deed of landing his small plane in Red Square last year.

Instead, he arranged for the 20-year-old West German to be released from a prison in Moscow after serving one year of a four-year term for having caused the world to giggle at Russia's defense system. But in reality, the incident has at least two major impacts.

It gave Gorbachev an excuse to fire the defense minister and a lot of other military types he wanted out of the Soviet system. And in a few months, when he visits West Germany, Gorbachev will be greeted as a benefactor, humanitarian and a friend of that country.

Indeed, young Mathias achieved much more than fulfillment of a prank. He may have changed the world.

El Paso Times

Baker can help Bush campaign

James Baker is resigning as treasury secretary... to take the reins of George Bush's presidential campaign... It probably isn't a moment too soon for Mr. Bush, whose recent standing in the polls is 17 points behind Michael Dukakis.

Probably no one outside his immediate family knows George Bush better than his longtime friend from Houston. And no one is better able to bring forward Mr. Bush's positive qualities.

Mr. Baker has been an able

public servant, growing into a respected global statesman.

Mr. Baker acknowledges that the vice president must become more outspoken about where he will lead this country and define more sharply his differences with Massachusetts Gov. Dukakis. While the arrival of Jim Baker in no way guarantees a Bush victory, he can only help the vice president accomplish those goals.

The Dallas Morning News

Peace depends on cooperation

One year ago, a Central American Peace Plan, fathered by President Oscar Arias of Costa Rica, brought hope for peace in that war-torn region.

Ironically, one year later the guns in Nicaragua are mostly silent, not because of the fruition of the Arias plan, but rather because of a cutoff of military aid by the United States to the Contras.

This nation has a legitimate interest in what happens in Central

and South America, as well as Mexico.

That interest will best be served, however, by working with its neighbors for a mutual solution to problems, rather than by attempting to dictate policy to the region.

We hope the next administration, whoever it may include, will deal more constructively with issues involving Central America.

San Antonio Light

Mexico needs U.S. assistance

There are times when it seems there is no end to the trials that the astonishingly patient, long-suffering people of Mexico must endure: Now, just as the nation is struggling along on the strength of a year-old — but still precarious — recovery, comes word from private-sector analysts that the economy is in for a programmed, deliberately initiated recession... to fend off a revival of inflation.

Coming months, in other words, will bring yet another test of Mexico's stability. It is very much in the United States' in-

terest that Mexico come through with its institutions intact.

It is both right and expedient for Washington to extend to the Mexico City government whatever it can in the way of assistance, particularly as regards the terms for the repayment of Mexico's massive foreign debt.

This is a time for the Colossus of the North to be treading very lightly indeed when it comes to the affairs — and the problems — of its closest neighbor to the south.

Corpus Christi Caller-Times

Wonderdrug works, politics

Nothing is quite so annoying as someone who goes on talking when you are interrupting.

Stanton Herald's Missy Barnes dropped 50 cents into a pop machine in our "coffee bar" before she noticed my typewritten message: "Beware! This machine is coinverous."



WALT FINLEY

MEDICAL SCIENCE is upset about cigarette smoking — which one British doctor calls "the commonest self-inflicted injury in the world."

I was a heavy smoker for a good many years, and along with other addicts wished I could quit. And I did, with the assistance of "coffee nips" and a wonderdrug which is in the mind:

Self-denial.

And now ladies and gentlemen, a commentary on politics:

Campaign Keynote — Dough.

Campaign Manager — The fellow who has the combination to the safe.

Congress — Bingo with billions.

Demagogue — A politician who talks himself red, white and blue in the face.

Economy — A reduction in the other's fellow's salary.

Expediency — Foul the leader.

Fog — Defining an issue.

Graft — Dip in the heart of Taxes.

Independent ticket — The one that is laughed off the field.

Machine politics — A matter of passing the buck.

Candidate — A fellow who shakes your hand before the election and your acquaintance afterwards.

Orator — A stumper gifted in throwing the bull.

Political triumph — The successful blending of guesswork and gaswork.

Political war — A battle in which all participants shoot from the lip.

Politician — A fellow who works up his guns at election time and gums up all the works afterwards.

Politics — The most Promising of all careers.

Rubber stamp — A politician with a mind of his own.

Spellbinder — A fellow who says nothing but says it with conviction.

Ward Boss — A little bigshot who has the courage of his connections.

Cemetery — One place where a politician is on the dead level.

I have a friend from a small Okie town that was so depressed the rainbows appeared in black and white.

Ex-Duncan Banner and big Spring Herald flash now farming in Aztec, N.M., Joe Awtry, says, "Shady ladies don't need no

parasols."

My calculatin' cousin, Jim Ladd, has made a discovery:

"I just learned that Thomas Crapper invented the flush toilet, and here all these years I thought his first name was John."

"What did you people do in the summer before air-conditioning?" a whippersnapper in the newsroom asked.

"Sweat," I replied.

"Don't you mean 'perspire'?"

"No, perspiration hadn't been invented yet, so we sweated."

I think it was my publisher, Richard What's-His-Name, who came up with "Cooperation is doing with a smile what you have to do anyway."

PHILNEWS REPORTS on the first day of school the teacher told her first graders if they needed to go to the bathroom, they should hold up two fingers.

One little boy, sitting in the front row, looked puzzled and said, "I don't know what good that will do."

My bright cousin, Dr. George Ladd, says his Uncle Oscar had two boys always fighting, apparently just for the fun of it. After Oscar watched the boys go at it tooth and toenail for 15 minutes, Aunt Hanna came to the kitchen door and shouted:

"I declare, Oscar! You're as crazy as them kids. It's time you did something about them. Speak to them boys, Oscar! Speak to them!"

Uncle Oscar got up, tipped his old

straw hat and said:

"Good morning, boys. Good morning."

A country club held a golf tournament for all members who had never won before.

In accepting the trophy, the winner said:

"I think this is a wonderful idea to give this award for players who have never won. And to celebrate my victory in a fitting way, I want to buy drinks at the bar for everybody who never had a drink before."

The Southeastern Oil Review had this one:

Mom: Do you like the new governess, sonny?

Sonny: No, mommy I hate her. I'd like to grab her and bite her neck like daddy does."

MY BASHFUL AUNT, Marie Chastain, is ready to release parts of her Homemade Dictionary.

Ready?

Tard: How you feel after arning all day.

Arning: What you do to wrinkled close.

Rinkled close: What you wear when you don't arn.

Hardware: What Bill's overalls get after arning.

Papel: There are bad papel and there are good papel.

The bad papel are your enemies. The good papel are your friends who come over sometimes and help you arn when you're tard.

Isn't it great in these times to find a story with a happy ending?"



The race is on for Rep. Shaw's vacated House job

Johnnie Lou Avery, Big Spring public relations expert, is the front runner for the House seat vacated by Rep. Larry Don Shaw, formerly of Big Spring.

Mayor A. C. "Cotton" Mize of Big Spring is taking a look at the state job.

Former Big Spring Postmaster Frank Hardesty, who chaired Howard County delegates at the State Democratic Convention in Houston, picked up early support.

"I promised my wife I wouldn't run for any public office," Hardesty said. "So I'm not a candidate for the position. I'm too old to find another wife."

Former Big Spring Herald Editor Joe Pickle, now serving as Colorado River Municipal Water District secretary-treasurer, was urged to run. He said thanks, but no thanks. Pickle's brother, Jake of Austin, is a congressman.

Shaw has stepped down to become special assistant for appropriations in the House Speaker's office.

He becomes the fifth West Texas legislator who will not return to Austin in the same job when the Legislature convenes in January,



LARRY DON SHAW

either by choice or voter mandate.

"The \$600-per-month salary as representative simply cannot meet my financial needs, and it is with great sadness that I am no longer able to continue as a member of the Legislature," the Democrat said in a statement.

"I have worked for months to

continue my legislative serviced despite economic difficulties and I seriously regret leaving the Legislature," Shaw said.

Shaw's announcement also touched off a squabble between Democratic and Republican party officials over how or if he can be replaced on the ballot for the fall general election. Shaw said that since he is moving from Big Spring to Austin, Democrats will be able to replace him.

Ed Martin, executive director of the Democratic Party of Texas, said that upon receiving documentation of Shaw's move, party chairman Bob Slagle would find him ineligible to hold office or be on the ticket.

That law is "very clear" that if a candidate has established residence outside of his district, he is ineligible to serve and a replacement nominee can be chosen, Martin said.

The 13 Democratic county chairmen in the 69th District then would meet and choose a replacement nominee. They would have a Sept. 9 deadline, he said.

But Troy Fraser, the Republican nominee for Shaw's seat, question-

ed whether the incumbent is ineligible and a replacement can be appointed.

"My biggest concern about this entire event is that the powers in Austin feel that they have become so powerful that they can totally manipulate the election process, and that any time a candidate in an election gets so far behind that he can't win, the powers can remove him from the ballot," Fraser said.

Randy Erben, assistant secretary of state, said the office is researching the matter. The secretary of state's office, which certifies the ballot, would have to decide whether there is a vacancy and, if so, whether a replacement nominee can be named, he said.

Shaw notified the speaker's office Thursday that he has changed his residency from his district to Travis County, said Tim Conger, spokesman for House Speaker Gib Lewis.

Shaw, 35, a cotton farmer, was first elected to the Legislature in 1980, defeating incumbent legislator Mike Ezzell of Snyder to represent the 63rd District. Through redistricting, Howard County, his home county, was mov-

ed to the 69th District in 1982 and he won re-election in a race that pitted two incumbents against each other.

He has served as a member of the House Appropriations Committee. His new position will be effective Sept. 1.

Upon winning the Democratic primary in March, Shaw said that with the number of West Texas legislators leaving their positions or losing to challengers, "we in West Texas could be at a grave disadvantage because we lack senior members in key members in key positions."

He said in March that many lawmakers are leaving their seats in Austin because the once part-time positions have become full-time, low-paying jobs. He went on to say that his ranking as a senior member in Austin was the central issue in the race for the House seat because it allowed him to protect West Texas interests threatened by urban politicians in the Legislature.

In his statement announcing his resignation, Shaw said his new position "would actually strengthen the representation for

West Texas."

"In these hard economic times when state decisions about fiscal matters are crucial, I believe I can continue to directly and emphatically help the people of my district by devoting my full time working with the speaker on budget matters," he said.

House Speaker Gib Lewis said, Rep. Shaw's experience as a member of the House Appropriations Committee during the 70th session will provide my office, as well as other legislators, with additional insight into the critical budget-writing process for the 71st session."

Here are the other Big Country lawmakers who are making job changes:

State Sen. Grant Jones of Temple was defeated during the March primary; Sen. Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls resigned to take a job with the University of Texas; Rep. Dick Burnett of San Angelo is retiring, and Rep. Steve Carraker of Roby is trying to replace Farabee in the Senate.

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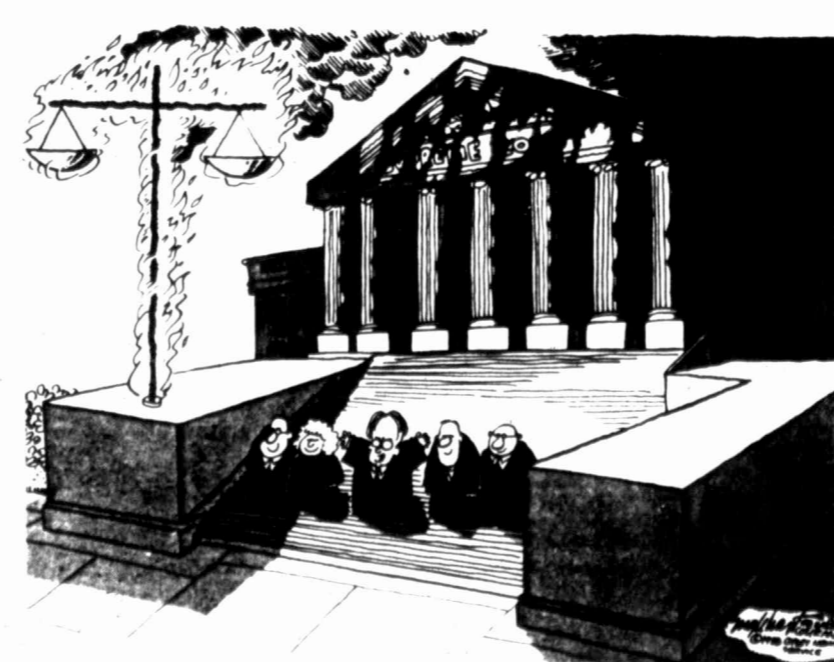
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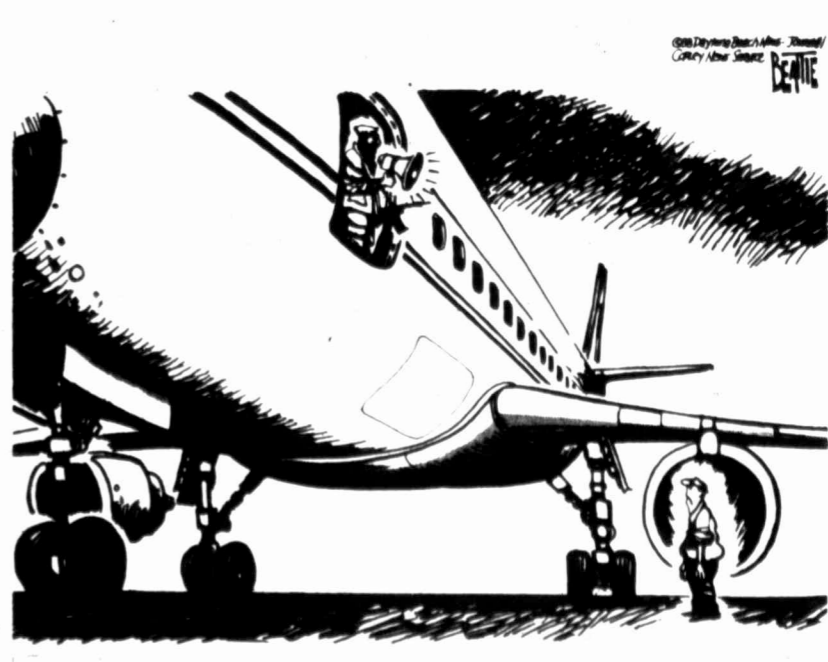
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 12 #2 pencils
 1 large Elmer's glue
 1 large box kleenex
 Large towel for naptime
 1 drinking cup
- School Supply List for First Grade**
 2 Packages construction paper (assorted colors)
 scissors
 1 box of 8 crayons
 1 box of supplies
 3 folders with inside pockets glue
 2 boxes kleenex
 2 pencils
 2 packages - 200 count wide - ruled notebook paper
Second Grade Supply List
 12 #2 pencils
 2 Packages wide ruled notebook

- paper (200 count)
 No Notebook
 Pointed scissors
 Crayons - 24 count
 1 Big box kleenex
 water colors
 1 box for supplies
3rd Grade supplies
 Notebook and paper
 1 eraser 2 pencils
 pointed scissors
 Elmer's glue
 1 large box kleenex
 1 box or zipper bag for supplies
 construction paper (assorted colors)
 crayons
 2 folders for science.
4th Grade Supply List
 Notebook and paper
 2 pencils
 1 eraser
 pointed scissors
 paste in jar (plastic)
 1 stenographer's notebook
 1 package construction paper (assorted colors)
 plastic bag (zippered)

- 2 folders
 map colors and crayons
 1 large box kleenex
 2 folders for science
5th Grade Supply List
 8 folders
 Notebook paper
 Notebook
 2 pencils
 2 bic (black) pens
 Crayolas - scissors - markers - glue - (if you can get these for art)
 1 large kleenex

Chamber Notes

The Yard-of-the-Week belongs to Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Johnson, 700 North St. Paul. This well-kept yard, along with others in town, gives the community a favorable appearance.

As the girls came in to eat after their interviews, they told some hilarious tales of their spontaneous answers to some of the questions put to them by the judges. These young ladies were all winners.

 Congratulations to Stacy Long, who was crowned the 1988 Miss Martin County last Saturday, and to Angela Hagins, who won the Junior Miss Martin County contest.

Now that the school year is getting close, there are many families taking vacations. Likewise, there are many visitors to Stanton. The Old Jail and the Historical Museum continue to have many out-of-town visitors from places like Riverside, California, Monterrey, Mexico, West Blocton, Alabama, and many Texas towns.

The Chamber of Commerce fed the contestants, judges and officials Friday night before the individual preliminary judging, which was held in the Old Jail. The girls were excited, and the Junior Miss contestants gained a lot of experience.

We would like for you to bring your visitors and show them a part of our Martin County history.

H&R Block's 1988 Course Teaches Newest Texas Laws

The only sure thing about tax laws is that they seemingly change from year to year. That's why so many people annually enroll in the H&R Block Tax Course. This year's classes will introduce participants to the latest tax laws. Students include homemakers preparing for new careers, retirees preparing for second careers, and people just interested in learning more about tax return preparation. Many professional tax practitioners were first introduced to their profession through the H&R Block Tax Course. H&R Block has been teaching Americans how to prepare individual tax returns for 22 years. Its highly respected course pro-

vides successful graduates with Certificates of Achievement and 7.5 units of continuing education credit. Qualified graduates may be offered job interviews for positions with Block. Block is, however, under no obligation to offer employment, nor are graduates under any obligation to accept employment with Block. This year's 13-week course starts on September 7. One low fee includes materials, supplies, and textbooks. Students may choose from morning, or evening classes. Additional information and registration forms are available from the H&R Block office at 1512 Gregg St. The telephone number is 263-1931.

Striped bass move back

Fishing in area lakes experienced the summer dip last weekend, but results were rewarding nevertheless.

Striped bass, mostly in the intermediate range, moved back to the forefront at Lake E.V. Spence, while catfishing was tops at Lake J.B. Thomas.

Martin County Hospital News

Total admissions reached 58 from May 25 thru July 20.
ADMISSIONS
 John Stroud, Carolyn Cessna, Amelia Rodriguez, Winnie Simmons, L.C. Slape,
 Monica Matthews, Hermelinda Montez, Karen Kendrick, Shannon

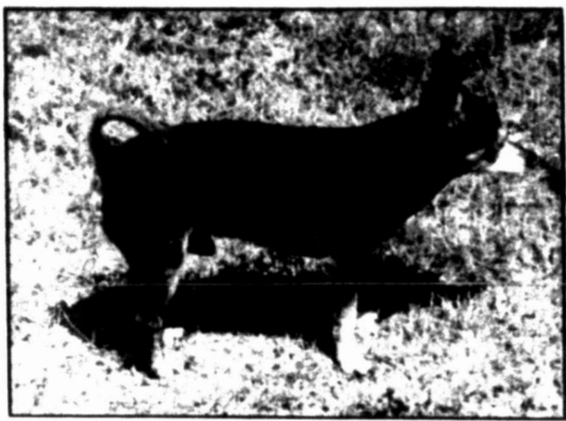
Wallace, Rawsie Orsak;
 Bernarda Valencia, Homer Howard, Kenneth Robinson, Jose Rangel, Betty Stone;
 Bertha Ramirez, Irma Garcia, Leonor Salcido, Gina Saunders, Martha Diaz, Bertie Dodson;
 James E. Roberts, Anita Garcia, Gina Saunders, Bernardo Gutierrez, Ellen Morgan, Pamela Palmer and Cecil Turner.

NEW ARRIVALS
 June 1 - Akacia Rodriguez born to Rudy and Amelia of Big Spring, 8 lbs. 4 oz.
 June 2 - Dustin Matthews born to Gary and Dominica of Midland, 8 lbs. 15 oz.
 June 5 - Sara Montez born to Ruben and Hermelinda of Stanton, 6 lbs. 12 oz.
 June 6 - Rachel Kendrick born to Robert and Karen of Midland, 7 lbs. 2 oz.
 June 7 - Ayla Nicole Wallace born to Charlynn and Shannon of Midland, 5 lbs. 4 oz.
 June 8 - William Gamel born to Charlie and Rawsie of Big Spring, 9 lbs. 3 oz.
 June 25 - Roxanna Ramirez born to Javier and Bertha of Midland, 8 lbs. 2 oz.
 June 27 - Jessica Salcido born to Rene and Leonor of Midland, 6 lbs. 14 oz.
 June 28 - Anthony Diaz born to Carlos and Martha of Stanton, 6 lbs. 3 oz.
 July 7 - Antonio Garcia Jr. born to Antonio and Anita of Big Spring, 7 lbs. 5 oz.

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 Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.
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School details free lunch rules for local students

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Stanton ISD Superintendent Wayne Mitchell released the following information.

FOOD STAMP / AFDC HOUSEHOLDS: If you currently receive Food Stamps or "Aid to Families with Dependent Children" for your child, you only have to list your child's name and food stamp or AFDC case number, print your name, and sign the application. Since you have already given income information to the welfare office, the school can confirm your eligibility.

ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS: If

your household income is at or below the level of the published scale, your child is eligible for either free or reduced-price meals.

To apply for meal benefits, you must provide the following information and sign the application: (1) list the names of everyone who lives in your household. Include parents, grandparents, all children, other relatives and unrelated people who live in your household, (2) list social security number of each adult age-21 or older.

If an adult does not have a social security number print "None", (3) list total monthly income and amount of income (BEFORE deductions for taxes, social security, etc.) each person received last month and where it is from, such as wages, retirement, or welfare. If

you have a household member for whom last month's income was higher or lower than usual, list the person's expected average monthly income.

VERIFICATION: The information on the application may be checked by school officials at any time during the school year.

REPORTING CHANGES: If you list income information and your child is approved for meal benefits, you must tell the school when your household income increases by \$50 or more per month (\$600 per year) or when your household size decreases. If you list a food stamp case number or AFDC number, you must tell the school when you no longer receive food stamps or AFDC for your child.

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	Free	Reduced-Price	Free			
1	\$7,501	\$10,675	\$626	\$890	\$145	206
2	10,049	14,301	838	1,192	194	276
3	12,597	17,927	1,050	1,494	243	345
4	15,145	21,553	1,263	1,797	292	415
5	17,693	25,179	1,475	2,099	341	485
6	20,241	28,805	1,687	2,401	390	554
7	22,789	32,431	1,900	2,703	439	624
8	25,337	36,057	2,112	3,005	488	694
Each Additional Family Member:	\$2,548	\$3,626	\$213	\$303	\$49	\$70

child may be eligible for meal benefits. If you wish to apply for meal benefits for a foster child, contact the school for help with the application.

NONDISCRIMINATION: Children who receive free or reduced-price meal benefits are treated the same as children who pay for meals. In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age or handicap. If you believe you have been discriminated against, write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

FAIR HEARING: If you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the result of verification, you may wish to discuss it with the school. You also have the right to a fair hearing. This can be done by calling or writing to Wayne Mitchell, Superintendent, P.O. Box 730,

telephone 756-2244.

CONFIDENTIALITY: The information you provide will be treated confidentially and will be used only for eligibility determinations and verification of data.

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Another bonus: the store is owned and operated by Jan and Bob Noyes, whose years of experience can provide you with a lot of good advice on your projects.

The store handles a full line of electrical and plumbing supplies, nuts, bolts, screws, specialty hardware, bits (for drills and screwdrivers), specialty tools for laminates or veneers, and a full line of adhesive and caulks.

The store has the best selection of decorative entry locks and plates in this area.

Because of its association with Bob's Custom Woodwork, the store provides furniture and woodwork refinishing, cabinet lumber not available anywhere else in the vicinity, and special trims for cabinets and paneling.

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Industrial Park Hardware now stocks Amarr residential steel overhead garage doors, entry doors and electric operators.

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Capital murder trial scheduled Oct. 31

A pre-trial and trial date have been set for another of the eight Howard County residents charged with capital murder in October after the discovery of three burned bodies.

Assistant 118th Judicial District Attorney William Dale Dupree today said a pretrial date for Frankie Hernandez has been set for Sept. 20 and 21, and trial is set for Oct. 31 in the case.

A deputy district clerk confirmed that the pretrial date has been entered on the court calendar for the 20th and 21st of September, but said no date has been entered for the trial.

Hernandez is charged with capital murder in the April 1987 slaying of Noe Perez, 39, Grand Prairie. Perez's burned and headless body was recovered from a shallow grave in Martin County in October.

Authorities believe he was beaten and strangled in a Big Spring motel room in April 1987, then his body moved to Martin County, burned and buried.

The eight defendants in the two capital murder cases are Frankie

Hernandez and his brother Joe Hernandez, their sister, Jeanne Hernandez Fonseca, and five others. Frankie, 27, and Joe, 20, gave an address of 606 11th Place when arrested in October.

Arthur Islas Jr., Enrique Sabedra Jr., Orlando Aguirre, Antonio Aguirre and Pete Salazar Jr. also are charged with capital murder in the cases. Sabedra and Islas are free on bond; Fonseca has been transferred to the Texas Department of Corrections, and the Hernandez brothers, Aguirre, Aguirre and Salazar are in custody in the Howard County jail.

Hernandez was indicted in the slaying in January. A Howard County grand jury indicted him for causing Perez's death by "hitting and kicking him with the said Frankie Hernandez's hands and feet and pulling on his neck with a rope."

Bond for Hernandez was set at \$125,000 when he was arrested in October. A bond reduction was denied for both Hernandez brothers. The Hernandez brothers have appealed the denials.

Bond reductions for Salazar,

Aguirre and Aguirre were also denied.

Dupree said this morning that trials of the other defendants in the cases would follow Hernandez's trial.

Hernandez's motions in the case include one seeking a separate trial, which says the state would have virtually no case against him without the statements of Salazar and Islas, and that the three codefendants have a tremendous conflict with each other.

The motion, granted by District Court Judge James Gregg, claims that Hernandez should be tried alone by reason of the possibility that the jury would be influenced against Hernandez if the jurors were exposed to testimony and evidence against the other defendants, or to the prior convictions of other defendants, particularly Fonseca, in the case.

Fonseca pleaded guilty on July 7 to a charge of murder in the death of Miguel Villareal Calixto, a Mexican national whose burned body was found amid the debris of a farmhouse near Luther. Another Mexican national, Norberto Gurolo Hernandez, was found in the same burned house Oct. 11.

Autopsy results showed both men had been shot in the head. Authorities believe they were shot and robbed and the house was intentionally set afire.

Fonseca, the only one of the eight defendants in the slayings to face charges in all three, received a life sentence in 118th District Court. She pleaded guilty to an information charge that she had caused Calixto's death by burning him with fire.

Three counts of capital murder and an unrelated robbery charge against Fonseca, who had been in custody in the county jail since October and gave birth to a daughter during that time, were dismissed in a plea bargain.

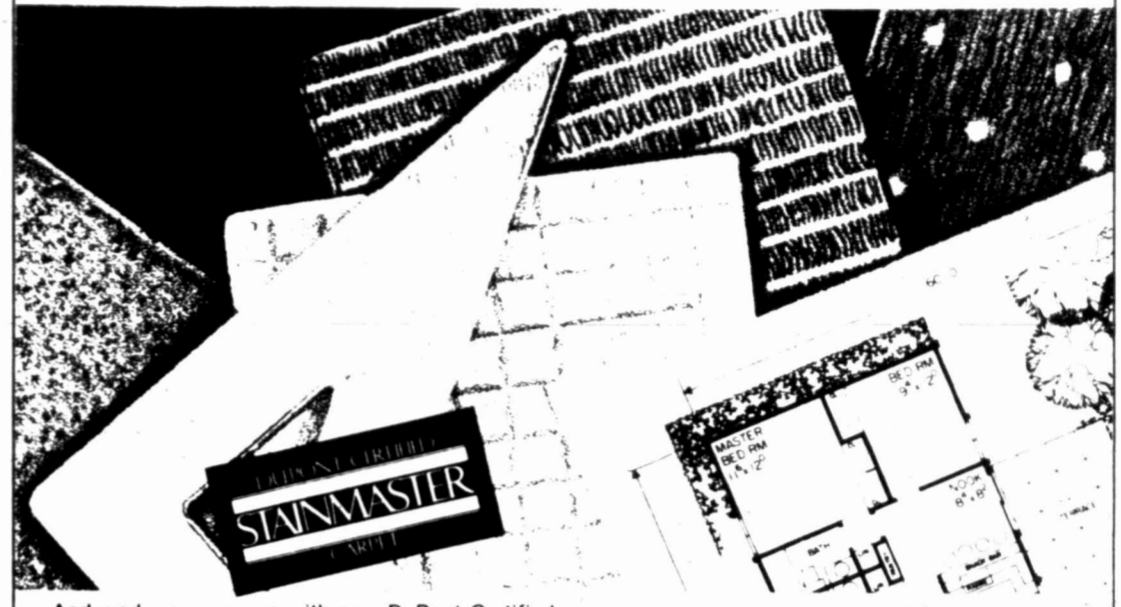
Also charged in the Calixto and Hernandez slayings are Antonio Aguirre and Enrique Sabedra Jr. Sabedra is free on \$100,000 total bond after two \$125,000 bonds against him were reduced in 118th

District Court in June. Aguirre remains in the Howard County jail in lieu of bonds totaling

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dition to two counts of capital murder. He ran away from a work detail July 21.

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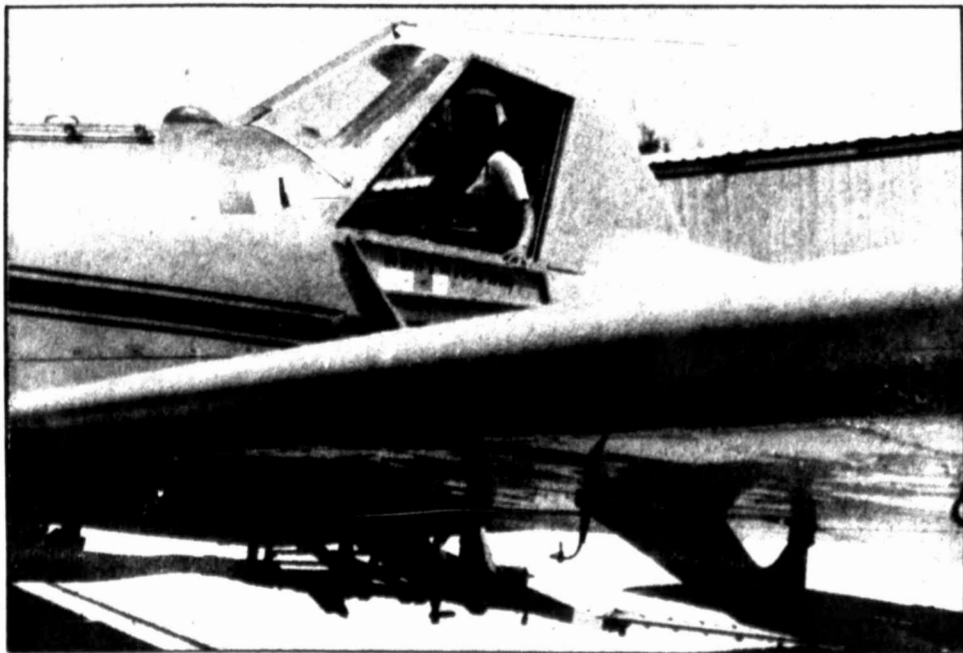
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JUNIOR GOLF CHAMPS — Winners of the Martin County Country Club Junior Golf Tournament were presented with their trophies by John Stiles last week. Trophy winners pictured above (top row, left to right) are Allen Carby, boys 13-15, first place; Jeremy Stallings, boys 13-15, 2nd place; Ashley Graves, girls 13-15, first place; (bottom row, left to right) Erik Henson, boys nine and under, first place; Kyle Herm, boys nine and under, second place; Brian Heidleberg, boys 10-12, first place; David Carby, boys 10-12, second place; Laura Herm, girls 10-12, first place; Traci Moore, girls 10-12, second place. Not pictured are Chris Carder who won the boys 16-17, and Darren Doritch runner-up in the boys 16-17. Kyle Kendall of Stanton Drug supplied trophies for the event.

Area resident finalist for highway beautification award

Louis E. Phelps does not give up on highway beautification just because Mother Nature is unkind to West Texas at times.

The highway department maintenance supervisor for Martin County is persistent in his efforts to maintain beautiful roadsides despite sandy soils, flat terrains, and inclement weather. Phelps was chosen as one of six finalists for the 1988 Lady Bird Johnson Award for Highway Beautification.

Each year, the former first lady presents a plaque and \$1,000 to the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation maintenance supervisor judged to have done the best job of beautifying roadsides under his care. A runner-up also will be chosen and will receive a certificate and a \$500 cash award. Winners will be announced during ceremonies Sept. 27 at the Lyndon B. Johnson State

Park.

Phelps, a 20-year department veteran, this year directed his beautification efforts on the east and west interchanges of Interstate 20 and US 80 near Stanton. Weeds on the slopes were killed with herbicide and removed with a controlled burn to eliminate reseeding. Topsoil was replaced with sod containing native grasses and seed. Areas for wildflowers and native grasses were prepared, and seeds were broadcast throughout the interchanges and along the roadsides.

Mother Nature was not kind to Phelps' landscape project, as a light snow, an ice storm, and lack of rain affected the results. Phelps hauled a 4,000-gallon tank truck to the site for watering, however, achieving in some areas growth of native grass, Mexican hats, and yellow flowers common to West

Texas.

Award finalists and their spouses will be Mrs. Johnson's guests at ceremonies and a luncheon at the Lyndon B. Johnson State Park at Stonewall on Sept. 27. The other finalists are: Crescenciano "Chano" Falcon Jr. of Corpus Christi District; Steven L. Ferguson of the Lubbock District; Donald J. Rejsek of the Houston District; James L. Souther of the Paris District; and Charles Spence of the Atlanta District.

An award also will be given to the highway district judged to have done the best job of enhancing the natural beauty along its highways. Another award to be presented will recognize success in preserving and propagating colorful fall foliage.

For more information contact: Richard Phillips, Public Affairs Officer, Odessa 9153320501

Beginners band meeting is scheduled

Parents and students interested in the Stanton Junior High Beginners Band program for the coming year are encouraged to attend a meeting scheduled for 7 p.m., Tuesday, August 23 at the Stanton Junior High Band Hall located on the east side of the school next to the gymnasium.

This meeting will serve several purposes: (1) to give every in-

terested student in the 6th, 7th and 8th grade an opportunity to qualify for and choose a band instrument (2) to provide parents with information about instrument rental, purchase, or school loan (3) to discuss anything of importance regarding the upcoming beginners band program.

Rick Lee and Kirke McKenzie, directors, encourage interested 7th and 8th grade students, and

parents who are new or who just missed out to attend this meeting. The beginners band is open to older qualified junior high students who meet simple requirements such as sincere desire to be in the band. For one reason or another some students with tremendous potential are missed each year. The directors wish to open the door to older junior high students to join the band.

Cap Rock files comments against TUEC

"This is like a gnat spitting on a gorilla!"

So remarked David Pruitt, general manager of Cap Rock Electric Cooperative of Stanton.

He was referring to Cap Rock's comments filed with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission charging Texas Utilities Electric Co. with violating conditions of its license for Comanche Peak nuclear plant.

"TUEC is preventing us from doing some things they agreed to do in 1982," Pruitt said of the comments filed late last Wednesday in Washington, D.C.

A spokesman in TU's Big Spring office declined comment on Cap Rock's claims.

Specifically, the charges contend that TU is preventing Cap Rock from buying economy

"We're kind of a small company, and our members are entitled to the cheapest energy we can provide them." — David Pruitt Cap Rock Electric.

energy from Houston Lighting and Power Co. by refusing to agree to transmit the power through its system from HL&P to Cap Rock.

Economy energy, Cap Rock officials said, is energy generated by a utility that exceeds the company's customer consumption. The company usually sells this excess energy to other utilities at a discounted rate — usually at the price of fuel used in generating the energy.

This kind of agreement — where utilities sell their excess energy to

other utilities at low rates is "done daily," Pruitt said, "and with the commitments TU made to the NRC, we feel we're entitled to our share (of the agreement)."

TU agreed to provide the excess energy to Cap Rock in its 1982 application with the NRC, Pruitt said.

"We're an itty-bitty small company, and they're a Fortune 500 company," Pruitt said. "It's kind of a David and Goliath thing. We feel we should get what is proper — what they agreed to."

By not abiding by their agreement and providing the low-cost energy, TU is preventing Cap Rock from passing the savings on to its customers, Pruitt said.

"If they would cooperate in the transaction as described, we could reduce our company bill by as much as \$100,000 — and our members' bills by as much as 2 percent," he said.

"This would not cost TU any more money," Pruitt said, "but there's a difference in the fuel costs. We want to pass on the savings to our members."

"We're kind of a small company, and our members are entitled to the cheapest energy we can

provide them," Pruitt said.

"We've bought all our energy from TU in the past," he said. "We felt it was a good relationship."

Cap Rock also claims in its comments to the NRC that TU engages in anti-competitive practices on rates for wholesale power sales to Cap Rock while competing for retail customers in Cap Rock's service area.

More than half of Cap Rock's service area is dually-certified by the Texas Public Utility Commission for retail service by both Cap Rock and TU, meaning that customers in that area can choose which utility they want to provide them electricity.

"Although Cap Rock currently

receives all-requirement power service from TU, we must seek alternative energy sources to provide the most economical service to our customers. This cannot be done under the current wholesale rates that we are required to pay TU," Pruitt stated in a release.

Another assertion in Cap Rock's comments to the NRC states that TU has been obstructing Cap Rock's recently-announced plans to buy power from cogeneration plant.

An NRC investigation into TU activities could be launched if the agency finds reasonable cause in Cap Rock's claims and — if proven correct — TU could be ordered to provide the services

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First Baptist plans 90th anniversary

First Baptist Church of Stanton will observe its 90th anniversary Sunday.

All former members and staff members are encouraged to attend the celebration when activities will include renewing acquaintances, food, fun and fellowship.

Dr. Lee Butler, former chaplain of the Big Spring State Hospital, will preach.

The church began in August 1898, and was pastored by Rev. G.H.M.

Wilson. The original auditorium was built in 1948; the north wing was installed in 1956, and the west wing and offices were built in 1961.

Twenty-six men have headed the church during the past 90 years, including Rev. Dennis R. Tofano, Stanton, who has been pastor for the past 2½ years.

CRMWD sales plunge

The Colorado River Municipal Water District got a refresher in July on what showers can do to water demand. For the first time this year, deliveries fell below the previous month, also for the same month a year ago.

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Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Martin County, Stanton, Texas, will receive bids until 5:00 p.m. October 7, 1988 for the purchase of one new automobile, with trade-in, for the Sheriff's office. Bids will be opened at 9:00 a.m. on October 10, 1988. Detailed specifications and bid forms will be available at the office of the County Treasurer. The commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive all technicalities. By order of the Commissioners Court, Martin County, Texas. BOB DEAVENPORT, County Judge, Martin County, August 17 & 31, 1988.

Survey will help mold future of Martin County

The City of Stanton is involved in a program jointly sponsored by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service, and Southwestern Bell Telephone, which is designed to evaluate 20 categories of community facilities, services and functions. The program includes two phases: completion of community analysis forms and a community opinion survey.

The Extension Community Development Committee headed up by Chairman Gib Wheeler is in the process of completing the first section. Jimmy Mathis, city manager, has been instrumental in providing base stats and data about the city. Lester Baker and Gib Wheeler met

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Obituary

Mary Crittenden

Mary Crittenden, 97, Lamesa, died at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1988 at Lamesa Nursing Center.

Graveside services were 3 p.m. Thursday at Capital Parks Memorial Hill Cemetery in Austin with Charles Jackson, Cameron Road Church of Christ, officiating. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Branon Funeral Home, Lamesa.

She was born in Frankston on Dec. 5, 1890. She married Clarence Crittenden in 1946 in Dallas. He preceded her in death in 1967 and a son, William Troy Langston, also preceded her in death. She was a member of the Church of Christ. She moved to Lamesa from Stanton nine years ago.

She is survived by two sons: O.G. Langston, Lamesa; and James Charlie Langston, Big Spring; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Wives of Noon Lions invited

Boss Lion James McGilvray presided during meeting of Noon Lions Club Aug. 9. He called for introduction of several guests who were present. Wayne Mitchell led the chapter in singing "This Land is Your Land".

John Montgomery, program chairman for August, outlined the programs for the remainder of the month. It was decided to invite the wives for next week, since the program will be about yards and flowers.

4-year-old program info

Stanton Elementary School will offer a 4-year-old program again this year.

To qualify, families need to fall in the low income bracket and/or be English deficient. The children must be 4 years old before Sept. 1, 1988.

To register we need shot records, birth certificate and social security number. Students in this program will attend school for three hours.

56th Reunion held by Hulls

Hulls held their 56th Reunion Sunday, Aug. 7 at the Community Center in Stanton.

S.L. and Augusta Hull settled in Howard County in 1906 where they raised 11 children, two are still living Floyd Hull of Coahoma and Earl Hull of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Hull have 252 descendants. Elmer Hull, a son, and Mrs. Edna Davidson, a daughter moved to Martin County in 1922.

A total of 62 family members enjoyed barbeque, lunch and afternoon visiting. The family will meet again next year the first Sunday in August.

Arbor Foundation offers free trees

The National Arbor Day Foundation will give each person joining the Foundation during August 10 free white flowering dogwood trees. The trees are part of the Foundation's efforts to encourage tree planting throughout America.

To become a member of the Foundation, send \$10 membership contribution to TEN DOGWOODS, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, Neb., 68410, by Aug. 31. The trees will be shipped post paid at the right time for planting, between Oct. 15-Dec. 10, with enclosed planting instructions. The six- to twelve-inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

The National Arbor Day Foundation is nonprofit educational organization dedicated to tree planting and conservation.

Smiths proud parents of boy

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith Jr., Midland, announce the birth of a new baby boy, Stephen Alan Smith. Born July 5 at 5:06 p.m. and weighing 9 lbs. 8 ozs. with length of 20 1/2 inches.

The proud maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnhill of Stanton. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith of Beaumont.

The Martin County Convent Foundation needs your gifts and memorials. Box 1435, Stanton, TX 79782 or call 756-2838 or 756-2574.

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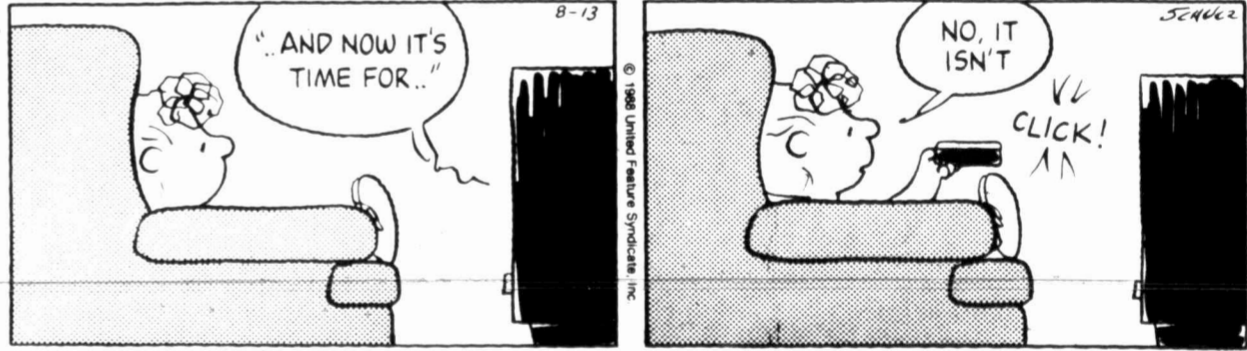
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Skunks Agent discusses local problem

By DON RICHARDSON
County Extension Agent
How can I get rid of skunks under my house?



Ask the agent

This has become a frequent question called to our office lately. Skunks are nocturnal, preferring to hunt at night for grubs, insects, small rodents, carion, fruit, berries, unripened corn, mushrooms and other food items. Skunks like poultry and eggs, and when circumstances permit, raid chicken houses and poultry yards.

In urban areas, they feed on pet food, garbage, fruit that has fallen from trees and garden vegetables. Skunks use any sheltered place as a den including abandoned armadillo burrows, predator dens, under houses, unused buildings, barns and even attics of buildings.

Skunks are a primary source of rabies in Texas. The Texas Department of Health reports that skunks, in recent years, have accounted for more than 68 percent of all known rabid animals. Human and domestic pet contact with skunks should be avoided. If it is necessary to handle a skunk, wear impermeable rubber or plastic gloves.

Skunks become a problem when their feeding and burrowing activities conflict with man's interests. In urban areas, skunks damage gardens and lawns as well as exposes humans and pets to several transmittable diseases, especially rabies. In rural areas, skunks can cause losses to poultry operations, expose livestock to disease and occasionally cause damage to crops.

Skunks can be a nuisance because of their odor. All skunks have the ability to discharge a nauseating musk from their anal glands. They are capable of discharging their musk several

water bowls at night and keep lids on trash cans to aid in discouraging skunks.

Shooting and live trapping, including the use of live traps and steel leg hold traps, are some methods that can be used in rural areas. In urban areas, live trapping with a baited box or live traps is the most desirable method. Skunks rarely release their scent in darkened areas such as completely

enclosed live traps that have been carefully covered with burlap. Leave an opening to identify the occupant before the trap is removed. The trap can then be carried away, placed in a natural surrounding and the door opened or removed. The skunk will leave the trap shortly. Destroy skunks showing signs of illness and have them tested for rabies if humans or pets were exposed.

A skunk's odor on pets, clothing, under buildings, etc., may be neutralized by the liberal use of a commercial deodorizer, vinegar, tomato juice or a weak solution of household ammonia is suggested for removing the odor from clothing. Use lime to deodorize the soil. A few drops of oil of wintergreen on pieces of corrugated cardboard or cotton balls also give favorable results.

Texas state law considers skunks as fur-bearing animals. They may be hunted or killed in any number at any time for sport during the open fur season. They may also be taken at any time when depredating upon livestock, poultry or personal property. Skunks may not be retained or possessed by anyone at anytime unless they are a licensed, fur-bearing animal propagator. Skunks pelts may be retained only by licensed trappers, retail fur buyers, wholesale fur dealers or fur-bearing animal propagators during the lawful open fur season.

times with accuracy to about 10 feet. Confrontation with pets often results with the pet being victimized by the skunk's spray. When skunks take shelter under buildings, their presence is not easily tolerated by occupants of the building.

Because skunks can cause damage and are an important vector of rabies, it is often necessary to control individual members of a population when they are in conflict with man's health and economic interests. Any type of control should include both environmental and mechanical control measures.

When skunks are living or rearing young under buildings, attempts to destroy them may result in the release of their scent. Before attempting removal, sprinkle a liberal amount of flour or a similar substance in and around the entrance. After dark, check for tracks which indicate whether the animals have left to forage for food, which openings they used as exits and number of skunks involved. When the animals have left, close all possible entrances with sheet metal or hardware cloth to avoid re-entry.

Fencing usually keeps skunks out of the yard; however, they will sometimes dig under. To prevent burrowing beneath a fence, bury a 30-inch piece of hardware cloth so it extends 12 inches below the surface and 18 inches outward at that depth.

Remove unused pet food and

Newcomers

Joy Fortenberry and the Newcomer Greeting Service welcomed several new residents to Big Spring.

LEO and LORRAINE OCKER from Carnegie, Okla. Leo is employed by the Veterans Administration Medical Center. They are joined by their children, Aaron, 7, and Christina, 4. Hobbies include bowling, boxing and reading.

ROBERT AND MARGARET UNDERWOOD from Holcomb, Kan. Robert is employed by Ace Home Center. Hobbies include sports.

ELIZABETH COMEFORD from Muskogee, Okla. is employed by the Veterans Administration Medical Center. Hobbies include golf, racquetball and snow skiing.

PRESTON and THERESA MCADAMS from Plainview. Preston is employed by Pool Well Service. They are joined by their children, Amber, 5, Tamara, 3, and Joshua, 1. Hobbies include bowling, hiking, croquet and reading.

DARRELL and LINDA STEPHENS from Arlington. Darrell is a truck driver. Linda is employed by Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital. They are joined by their daughters, Tiffany, 7, and Dena, 12. Hobbies include hunting, fishing and reading.

GLADYS PEACH from Parris is retired. She is joined by her grandson, Matthew Fountain, 20. Hobbies include reading and hunting.

New law begins Sept. 1

By NAOMI HUNT
County Extension Agent

Have you ever deposited a check and then discovered that the bank put a "hold" on it so you couldn't write checks against your deposit? On Sept. 1, a federal law goes into effect which establishes how quickly banks and thrifts must make funds from checks available to depositors.

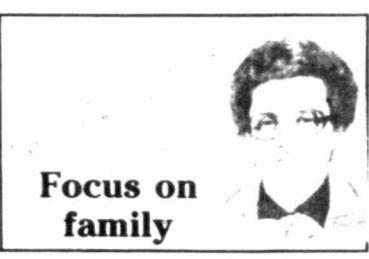
Once you deposit a U.S. Government check, a certified check or a teller's check into your account, you'll be able to write checks against it the next day.

If you deposit a check from another account at the same financial institution you'll be able to draw against it on the same day. Also, you can write checks against the first \$100 of any checks you deposited that day.

For wire transfers of funds from another bank to your bank, you'll be able to write checks on the amount the next day.

For other local checks, which are defined as those written on institutions in the same Federal Reserve Region, you can draw on the money after no more than two business days from the date of deposit.

For checks from banks in far away states the waiting period can be no more than six business days.



Focus on family

The new law means that most funds will be available between three to ten days after deposit.

To protect the financial institutions from consumers who deposit and then draw on a check that bounces, the law has its limits. The same schedules will not apply for the first 30 days of new accounts to deposits of checks more than \$5000 or to accounts that have been repeatedly overdrawn, checks that the bank believes to be uncollectable or deposits made during emergency conditions.

The financial institutions will also be required to disclose the terms and conditions for holding deposited checks to people who open new accounts. They must also inform all depositors on pre-printed deposit slips, on notices at teller's stations and automated machines and upon request.

Your own financial institution may have even less of a waiting period than the schedule set up by this new law.

Stork Club

SCENIC MOUNTAIN MEDICAL CENTER

Born to Tonya Baker and Gilbert Rodriguez, Coahoma, a daughter, Gina Diane Rodriguez, on Aug. 1, 1988 at 5:25 a.m., weighing 5 pounds 13 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Charles and Hazel Baker, Coahoma; and Earnert and Mary Gonzales, Big Spring.

Born to Christi Parker, 1310 Baylor, a daughter, Hayley Jean Parker, on Aug. 11, 1988 at 4:15 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 5 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Ricky Parker. Hayley is the baby sister of Ashley, 15 months.

Born to Ruby Nell Smith and Dennis Ausbie, a son, Dajuan Edward Ausbie, on Aug. 11, 1988 at 11:25 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 5 ounces, delivered by Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Irma Jackson, 214 Johnson St., and Ruby Scott.

Born to George and Vera Yielding, a daughter, Hailey Marian Yielding, on Aug. 7, 1988 at 6:22 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bingham, Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Yielding, Snyder.

Born to Curtis and Dena Hawkins, 1805 Grafa, a daughter, Christen DeLaine Hawkins, on Aug. 9, 1988 at 5:14 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 10 ounces, delivered by Dr. Musick. Grandparents are Wonda and Clarence Hawkins, 2304 Alabama; and Kay and Dean Rawls, 500 Aylsford.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gonzales, Ackerly, a son Roy Gonzales II, on Aug. 9, 1988 at 10:56 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 1 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Cox. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vidales, Ackerly; and Mr. and Mrs. Fidencio Gonzales, Ackerly.

Born to Mikical and Karen McCormick, HC 76 Box 82, a daughter, Megan Kay McCormick, on Aug. 8, 1988 at 3:41 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 3/4 ounce, delivered by Dr.

Cox. Grandparents are Irland nad Juledean McCormick, San Angelo, formerly of Big Spring; and Moe and Kay Arellano, Glendive, Montana. Great-grandmother is Beulah Thompson, Big Spring. Megan is the baby sister of Aaron, 11, and Traci, 8.

Born to Patrick and Maria Garcia, 604 East 14th St., a daughter, Jennifer, on Aug. 5, 1988 at 12:50 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 6 3/4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Santiago and Maria Bugarin, Sweetwater; and Ruben and Sinfa Garcia, Roscoe.

Born to Michael and Anita Chesworth, a daughter, Krista Lynn Chesworth, on Aug. 5, 1988 at 12:25 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces, delivered by Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Shirley Bell, 2507 Cheyenne; and Jim and Sylvia Chesworth, Mira Loma, Calif. Krista is the baby sister of Brian, 9, and Nicole, 4.

Born to Lucy Rocha and Vicente Bustamante Jr., HC 61 Box 128, a son, Joe Anthony Bustamante, on Aug. 5, 1988 10:09 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 13 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Musick. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rocha Sr., HC 61 Box 128; Mary Ann Bustamante, 301 N.E. Ninth St.; and Vicente Bustamante Sr., 1003 N.W. First St.

Born to Mike and Pat Canatella, 1500 11th Place, a daughter, Alyssa Nicole Canatella, on Aug. 4, 1988 at 5:31 p.m., weighing 6 pounds 9 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLe, College Station; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Canatella, College Station.

Born to Olga Olague, 912 W. Sixth St., a daughter, Eugina LaToya Olague, on Aug. 4, 1988 at 6:33 p.m., weighing 8 pounds 4 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Manuel and Rosa Olague, 912 W. Sixth St. Eugina is the baby sister of Janell, 8.

ELSEWHERE

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Solomon, San Angelo, a daughter, Nicole Elizabeth, on July 26, 1988, weighing 7 pounds 15 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCollum, Big Spring; and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Solomon, San Angelo.

Born to Jamie Armstrong, Big Spring, a daughter, Courtney Leigh Armstrong, at Memorial Medical Center, Port Lavaca, on Aug. 2, 1988 at 5:40 p.m., weighing 8 pounds 13 ounces. Grandmother is Mrs. B.J. Armstrong, Port Lavaca.

Born to Don and Miki Foster, Reno, Nev., a daughter, Kate Lynn Foster, at Saint Mary's Regional Medical Center, Reno, Nev., on Aug. 4, 1988 at 10:20 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 1 ounce, delivered by Dr. Mahoney. Grandparents are Mrs. Lee Reed, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Foster, Sanford, Maine; and the late Dr. Ray Reed.

Born to Capt. and Mrs. Kevin Crenwelge, Abilene, a son, Eric Matthew, at Hendricks Hospital, Abilene, on Aug. 9, 1988 at 9:48 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 13 ounces. Grandparents are Joe and Elizabeth Crenwelge, Big Spring; and Frank and Helen Stranzl, Rohnert Park, Calif. Eric is the baby brother of Ryan, 14 months.

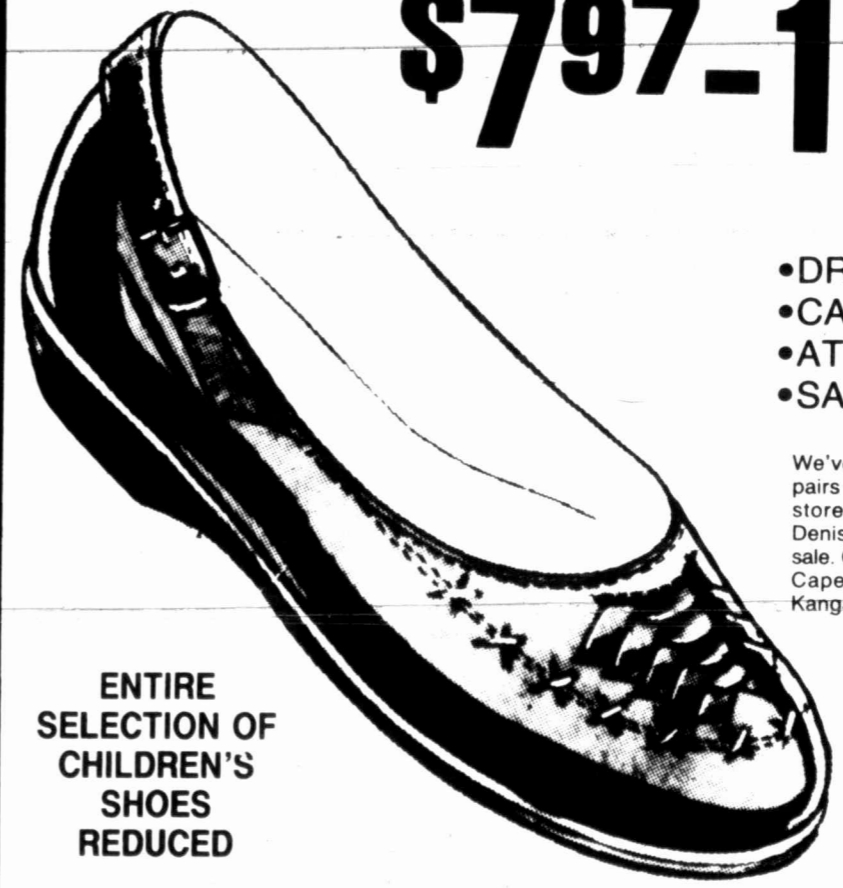
Born to Alan and Kathy Hill, St. Louis, Mo., a daughter, Kaitlin Ashley, on Aug. 4, 1988 at 11:11 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 7 ounces. Grandparents are Bobby and Margie Hill.

Born to Allen and Vicky McDowell, a daughter, Victoria Nicole, at South Park Medical Center, Lubbock, on Aug. 7, 1988 at 4:44 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces, delivered by Dr. Ramzi Botros. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lorin McDowell III, Glasscock County; and Mrs. and Mrs. Derrell Baggett, Big Spring. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Rosemary McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Welch, and Mrs. Mary Waits.

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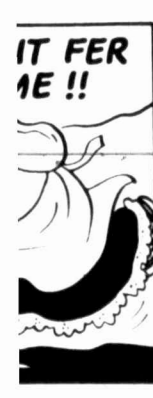
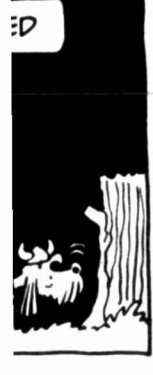
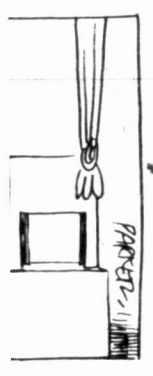
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Advice from the experts: Check that gas cap before it's time for your next vacation

One of the most often taken-for-granted automotive items is the gas tank cap. The little metal or plastic top you probably handle once a week if you fill up at the local quick-stop self-serve pumps.

That little plastic top, according to Saab Scania of America, importer of Swedish-built Saabs, is a very important item, believe it or not.

There are two problems a bad gas cap can cause a motorist, says Saab.

First, a bad cap allows moisture into your car's fuel system, which could add water to your gas tank.

The other problem a bad cap allows is evaporation of gasoline, which costs you money, and those evaporating hydrocarbons, the chemical term for gasoline, pollute the atmosphere.

How do you know if your tank's cap is okay?

The answer is simple, all you have to do is look at the O-ring, that little rubber seal inside the cap. Tiny cracks in the rubber are normal, but if the ring is split, or otherwise in some deteriorated condition, replace it with a new cap.

Replacement caps are generally available from a manufacturer's authorized dealer. Quite often, these caps also have a lock which not only will prevent someone from siphoning your gas but may prevent vandals from disabling your car by pouring sand or some other material into your gas tank.

Saabs, as well as many other cars today, are equipped with a ratchet-type cap. This type of cap makes a clicking

sound once it is turned to maximum hand-tightening pressure. This cap's advantage is that it eliminates the usual cause for a bad O-ring—over-tightening.

Along with your check of the gas cap, check the remainder of the fuel system, including hose connections and the gas tank as well, if you can.

This, however, may require the services of a qualified technician, as well as a hydraulic lift. But, since springtime is a good time for that post-winter tuneup, ask your service advisor at your local auto dealer to include this in the instructions given to the technician who tunes your engine. Saab and other manufacturers provide for this in their scheduled maintenance.

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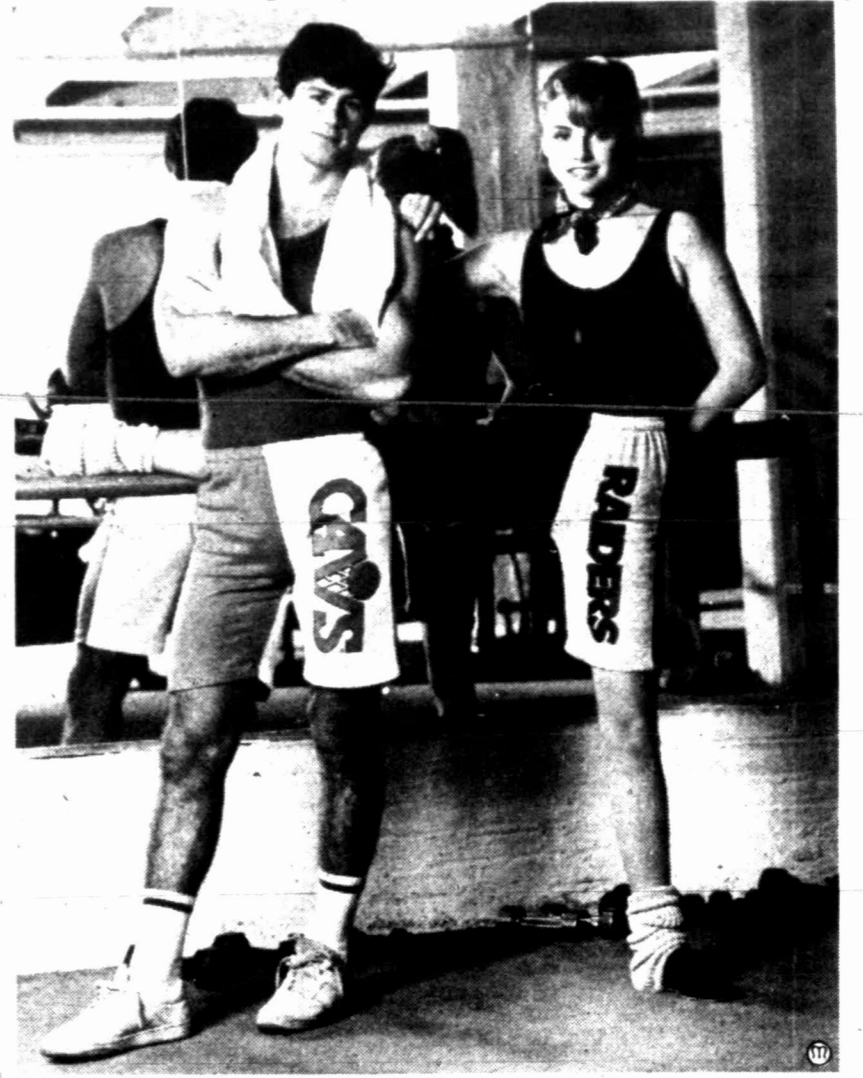
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Helpful hints for smooth traveling with the children

School's out! Pack the suitcases, get the children ready—the vacation is about to begin!

Family travel is a wonderful time for children to expand their horizons—to see new places and new faces. To help make the most of your vacation, be sure to get organized before you depart.

Here are some helpful hints to keep in mind when getting ready for your next family vacation.

• Involve your children in the selection of a vacation spot. Give them a choice of several potential destinations, and have them "research" each one by checking travel books out of the library and writing to tourist bureaus to receive information.

• Let the children help with the trip preparations. Give them Ziploc® brand storage bags (Trademark of Dow Consumer Products Inc.), and encourage them to fill them with some of their favorite books, cards, toys, coloring books and crayons. These selections should keep them busy on long car trips.

• Encourage your children to keep diaries of their trip adventures. Also have them keep "visual" notes by taking photographs of special spots along the way.

• After the trip, when the pictures are developed, let the children create an album for a complete collection of trip memories.

Weddings

Arnold-Dalton

Diane Arnold, 1400 Wood St., and Brian Dalton, Garden City, were united in marriage Aug. 13, 1988 at a 2 p.m. ceremony at Hillcrest Baptist Church, with Bro. Bob Bradberry, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Little, 1400 Wood St.

Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Dalton, Garden City.

The couple stood before an archway decorated with orchid bows, two spiral candelabras, and a unity candle.

Pianist was Kelly Killion.

Vocalist was Jamie Killion.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white lace with a fitted bodice and a sweetheart neckline, accented with embroidered lace, pearls and iridescent sequins. Lace sleeves tapered toward the wrists. Lace tiers flowed from the back into a chapel-length train. Her cap headpiece was trimmed with pearls and iridescent sequins, and was bordered with lace.

She carried a bouquet of silk, white roses with orchid and baby's breath.

Matron of honor was Sherri Samuels, San Francisco, Calif.

Bridesmaids were Darla Witte, San Angelo; and Leann Habiger, Coleman.

Flower girl was Brandi Johnston, Ackerly.

Best man was Greg Stringer, Garden City.

Groomsmen were Jimmy Dalton, bridegroom's brother, Garden City; and Kenny Bennett, Forsan.

Ushers were Juan Salazar, Garden City; and Lynn Shirey, San Angelo.

Candlelighter was Tommy Dalton, bridegroom's brother, Garden City.

Ringbearer was Rodie Johnston, Ackerly.



MRS. BRIAN DALTON
Formerly Diane Arnold

After the wedding, a reception was hosted at the church. The bride's table, draped with a white eyelet, floor-length cloth, featured a three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a traditional bride and bridegroom. The table was decorated with the bride's bouquet and silver appointments. The bridegroom's table, draped with an ecru lace cloth, featured a chocolate cake. The table was decorated with gold appointments. Cake and coffee were served.

Servers were Cindy Kenyon and Wendy Hillger, both of Garden City; and Michelle Pechacek and Jacques Jost, St. Lawrence.

The bride is a 1985 graduate of Big Spring High School, and a graduate of Howard College. She attends Angelo State University and is employed by Winn-Dixie.

The bridegroom is a 1987 graduate of Garden City High School, and attended Howard College. He attends Angelo State University and is employed by Albertson's.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will make their home in San Angelo.

Woodrum-Long

Tabby Woodrum, Lamesa, and Jerry Long, Knott, exchanged wedding vows Aug. 12, 1988 at a 7:30 p.m. ceremony at Knott Church of Christ, with Joe Woodrum, minister and bride's father, officiating, and Bob Woodrum, bride's grandfather, assisted.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Woodrum, Lamesa.

Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Long, Knott.

The couple stood before a brass archway decorated with greenery, stephanotis, white roses, carnations, gladiolas, lilies, and accented with white satin bows. Rainbow and white spiral candelabra decorated either side. Pews were marked with mauve bows.

Vocalists were Roger and Marilyn Williams; Judy Hightower; Lucille Riggan; Tanya Slaughter; Sondra Schreiber; Keith McCormick; Frankie McKinney; Gene Heald and Wendell Burnside.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a designer gown of white silk organza with embroidered schiffli. The bodice featured a deep "V" yoke with wired ruffle and iridescent sequins and pearls. The skirt was decorated with continuous babydoll ruffles that extended into a cathedral-length train. An apron of embroidered organza and schiffli fell into a deep "V" in the back. She wore a hat of schiffli, lace, organza and pearls. Tiny ruffles bordered the brim.

She carried a cascading bouquet of white bridal roses with touches of white lace and mauve ribbon, seed pearls and English ivy.

Maid of honor was Kace Gillespie, Lamesa.

Bridesmaids were Traci Taylor, Lamesa; Aimee Hill, Lamesa; and Jacque Long, bridegroom's sister, Knott.

Flower girl was Laci Webb, bridegroom's cousin, Odessa.

Best man was Steve Parker, bridegroom's cousin, Knott.

Groomsmen were Mark Woodrum, bride's brother, Knott; Chad Nichols, bridegroom's cousin, Knott; and Keith Ware, bridegroom's cousin, Knott.



MRS. JERRY LONG
Formerly Tabby Woodrum

Ushers were Clay Parker, bridegroom's cousin, Knott; and Kyle Ware, bridegroom's cousin, Knott.

Candlelighters were Jana Long, bridegroom's sister, Knott; and Mandy Cowart, bride's cousin, Andrews.

Ringbearer was Josh Long, bridegroom's brother.

After the wedding, a reception was hosted at the church. The bride's table, draped with a white, lace-trimmed cloth, featured a three-tiered wedding cake with three heart-shaped side cakes decorated with swans and flowers. The cake top was decorated with a personalized bride and bridegroom. The table also was decorated with a silver candelabra, bridal roses, candles and baby's breath. The bridegroom's table, draped with a cloth to complement the bride's table, was decorated with candles and greenery. Assorted fruit and cheese were served.

The bride is a 1988 graduate of Lamesa High School. She will attend Lubbock Christian University in the fall.

The bridegroom is a 1987 graduate of Sands High School. He is employed by Texas Tech University, and will attend classes there in the fall.

After a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., the couple will make their home in Lubbock.

Phinney-Henry

Lori Phinney, Rt. 1, and Greg Henry, 2508 Allendale, were united in marriage Aug. 13, 1988 at a 2 p.m. ceremony at First Baptist Church, with Dr. Larry Ashlock, pastor of Liberty Hill Baptist Church, Plano, and bridegroom's brother-in-law, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Phinney, Rt. 1.

Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. Wayne Henry, 2508 Allendale.

The couple stood before an altar decorated with tall black pedestals with green silk bird's nest fern on each side, and a black pedestal with an arrangement of silk bird's nest and calla lilies in the center. Two smaller, lighted pedestals were grouped with each of the three arrangements. Behind each grouping was a bouffant ceiling-to-floor drape of white satin.

Pianist was Larry Wheat.

Vocalist was Jay Phinney, bride's brother.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore her own original design gown, tailored by Esta Wrightsil. The bodice and long sleeves were fashioned of white over-embroidered lace. The gown featured a V-shaped, drop waistline with a V-shaped tulle peplum, which was gathered and layered. The straight, floor-length, skirt was made of white satin. The gathered tulle-trimmed sleeves tapered to a V onto her hand. Her bouffant headpiece was made of white layered tulle, falling to train-length.

Maid of honor was Sherri Blalack, Dallas.

Flower girl was Lauren Ashlock, bridegroom's niece.

Best man was Wayne Henry, bridegroom's father.

Ringbearer was Zachary Phinney, bride's nephew.

Ushers were Mike Rupard, Louisiana; and Kurt Henry, bridegroom's brother, Big Spring.

After the wedding, a reception was hosted at the church. The bride's table, draped with a white, cut-out, embroidered cloth, featured a white, three-tiered wedding cake, trimmed with white icing roses. A bride and bridegroom



MRS. GREG HENRY
Formerly Lori Phinney

figurine stood between the bottom and middle tiers. The table was decorated with the bride's bouquet and a silver punch bowl. The bridegroom's table, draped with a red-trimmed, black satin over white satin cloth, featured a rectangle-shaped chocolate cake with white icing and was decorated to match the couple's wedding invitations. The table was decorated with a black vase with a red silk flower arrangement, and a silver coffee service. An hors d'oeuvres table, draped with a black satin over white satin, floor-length cloth, featured silver appointments and a black vase with a red silk flower arrangement.

The bride is a 1981 graduate of Coahoma High School, a 1983 graduate of Howard College, and graduated in 1985 with a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Texas at Austin.

The bridegroom is a 1979 graduate of Big Spring High School, and will complete his bachelor's degree at Southwest Texas State in San Marcos. He was employed by Howard College as student activities director and assistant baseball coach.

The couple will make their home in Austin.

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Maser-Sweeney

Wincie M. Maser and Richard Marc Sweeney, both of Reseda, Calif., exchanged wedding vows July 25, 1988 at a 4 p.m. ceremony at Chapel of the Roses, Union Plaza Hotel, Las Vegas, Nev., with Maurice Norris, minister, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Maser, Grand Prairie.

Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sweeney, 6 Highland Heather.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore an ivory white, lace ballerina-length gown with puffed sleeves and a V-cut back, designed by Jessica McClintock.

She carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds, white orchids, pink carnations and baby's breath.

Maid of honor was V. Penny Browder, Tulsa, Okla.

Best man was Wesley J. Norris,

Dallas.

After the wedding, a reception was hosted at the hotel. A two-tiered wedding cake was decorated with ivory flowers and bells, and was topped with pink rosebuds, and decorated with white orchids and baby's breath.

The bride is a 1978 graduate of South Grand Prairie High School. She is employed by Simon/McGarry Public Relations Inc., Brentwood, Calif., as administrative assistant to the senior vice president.

The bridegroom is a 1973 graduate of Big Spring High School, and attended the University of Texas at Arlington. He is employed by Charley Brown's, Marina Del Rey, Calif., as an executive chef.

After a wedding trip to Las Vegas, the couple will make their home in Reseda, Calif.

Buff-Prather

Ann Marie Buff and Paul Leighton Prather, both of Athens, Ga., exchanged wedding vows June 25, 1988 at a 2 p.m. ceremony at University Botanical Gardens, South Carolina, with Rev. Carson Mosely, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Buff, Asheville, N.C.

The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McCasland, Big Spring. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Stamps, 1018 Bluebonnet.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Matron of honor was Diane Metcalf, Asheville.

Bridesmaids were Donna Buff, bride's sister, Asheville, N.C.; Cindy Buff, bride's sister, Lincolnton, N.C.; Lacreacia Buff, bride's sister-in-law, Asheville, N.C.; and Myra Matthews, Candler.

Junior attendants were Holly Buff, Anslee Craig, Michael Buff and Chace Craig.

Best man was Mark Prather, bridegroom's brother, Denton.

Ushers were Gerald McCasland, bridegroom's stepfather, Big Spring; David Watson, Watagua; Dean Buff Jr., bride's brother, Asheville; and Dale Buff, bride's brother, Santa Barbara, Calif.

After the wedding a reception was hosted.

The bride received a bachelor's degree in psychology and mathematics from the University of North Carolina at Asheville in



MR. AND MRS.
PAUL PRATHER
Exchanged vows June 25

1983, and a master's degree and certificate of advanced studies in school psychology from Appalachian State University in 1985. She is a doctoral candidate in school psychology at the University of Georgia at Athens.

The bridegroom, who received a bachelor's degree in pharmacy from Southwestern Oklahoma State University in 1981, is a doctoral candidate in pharmacology at the University of Georgia at Athens. He is a teaching assistant at UGA and a pharmacist with Revco Drugs in Athens.

Maxwell Thomas



MRS. JACKIE THOMAS
Formerly Kathleen Maxwell

Kathleen S. Maxwell, Hot Springs, Ark., and Jackie L. Thomas, Richardson, formerly of Big Spring, were united in marriage July 16 at the Trinity Church, with Rev. Jim Atkins, officiating.

The bride is an interior decorator and model in Hot Springs.

The bridegroom is employed by American Petrofina of Dallas.

The couple will make their home in Richardson.

ROMANCE IS IN THE AIR

AHHHHH! Is it time to get away from it all to someplace quiet and beautiful, with someone very, very special?

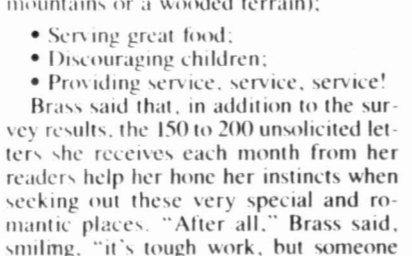
According to Barbara Brass, the editor and publisher of *Romantic Hideaways*, an exclusive monthly newsletter reviewing those special, seldom advertised and hard-to-find vacation spots around the world, romance is on the rise.

Overwhelmingly, the respondents said that the demands of a two-career relationship prompted them to take more and more vacations, often of shorter duration, to quiet, private little places where they could "re-ful" and become "re-quantified."

Her readers defined a "romantic hide-away" as:

- Providing privacy;
- Having unique and special decor (canopied beds were a favorite, with fireplaces coming in a close second);
- Offering opportunities for quiet times with someone special (strolls on a deserted beach outranked walks in the mountains or a wooded terrain);
- Serving great food;
- Discouraging children;
- Providing service, service, service!

Brass said that, in addition to the survey results, the 150 to 200 unsolicited letters she receives each month from her readers help her hone her instincts when seeking out these very special and romantic places. "After all," Brass said, smiling, "it's tough work, but someone has to do it!"



I would like to thank my family and friends who attended my farewell party. I will be in the National Guard in Oklahoma beginning the 10th of August. I would like to say that I'll miss all my friends & family while I'm gone.

Sincerely,
Joe Alvarado
Garden City

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The only sure thing about tax laws is that they seemingly change from year to year. That's why so many people annually enroll in the H&R Block Tax Course.

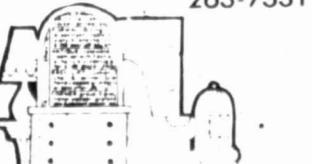
This year's classes will introduce participants to the latest tax laws. Students include homemakers preparing for new careers, retirees preparing for second careers, and people just interested in learning more about tax return preparation. Many professional tax practitioners were first introduced to their profession through the H&R Block Tax Course. H&R Block has been teaching Americans how to prepare individual tax returns for 22 years. Its highly respected course pro-

vides successful graduates with Certificates of Achievement and 7.5 units of continuing education credit. Qualified graduates may be offered job interviews for positions with Block. Block is, however, under no obligation to offer employment, nor are graduates under any obligation to accept employment with Block.

This year's 13-week course starts on September 7. One low fee includes materials, supplies, and textbooks. Students may choose from morning, or evening classes. Additional information and registration forms are available from the H&R Block office at 1512 Gregg St. The telephone number is 263-1931.

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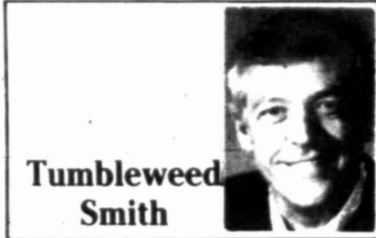
Dogs did their share in WW II

By TUMBLEWEED SMITH
Jim Tom House says it was easy for dog owners to enlist their animals in the K-9 corps during World War II.

"You just got in touch with one of the war dog reception and training centers and they would send you a crate. You'd send in your dogs and they'd be kept in isolation for a couple of weeks, then they'd be tested for gun shyness and that type thing. Only about 25 per cent of the dogs sent to the Army panned out."

Jim Tom House of Brenham was in the Army's K-9 corps during World War II. "We'd start out with four dogs. We'd work them only ten or fifteen minutes a day. First, they went through what is called K-9 basic. That's about four weeks. You taught them to heel, sit, down, stay, come, crawl. Then they'd go through about two weeks of what's called agitation where you made them strictly one-man dogs. Then you went into what is called scout dog training. That took anywhere from six weeks to two months. Just by the way the dog reacts you can tell how far away the enemy is."

He used three tones of voice in training the dogs. "The first was a commanding tone when you wanted the dog to do something. The second was a scolding tone when the dog did something wrong. The third tone of voice was used to praise the dogs when they did a good job at something."



Tumbleweed Smith

The K-9 Corps was headed by a woman, Mrs. Milton S. Erlanger. "President Roosevelt asked her to head up dogs for defense. She was a noted dog breeder. Anyone who had a dog that was at least fifteen inches through the shoulders and weighed at least forty pounds could volunteer their dogs. The K-9 Corps was an all volunteer branch of the service."

Age was no factor. Jim Tom trained a dog that was eight years old. Another was only nine months old. Some dogs were brilliant, others were slow to learn. They were trained either as scout dogs or guard dogs, according to their temperament.

"If they were messenger dogs or ambulance dogs you didn't want to make them mean. Collies for instance have a gentle disposition and you could put the qualities in their personality to good use."

The dogs were needed to detect snipers in the South Pacific, who were inflicting severe losses on American troops. "The foliage was so dense a sniper could stay in a tree all day long and pick off a whole platoon. But you take a dog who can smell the scent of

man anywhere from 300 to a thousand yards and they're quite effective. The dog will alert, you'll shoot an azimuth with your compass and you can pinpoint almost to the very tree where the sniper is located.

"Every dog was different. That's why you had to work with them so long. You had to actually read your dog and know exactly how strong the alert was."

"The dog handlers' sole responsibility was pointing out the sniper's position. After the dogs alerted, we pulled them off and praised them highly, then let the infantry take over from there."

The Army made sure the dogs were not mistreated. In fact, the SPCA observed the operations daily. If a soldier kicked at a dog he was shipped to the infantry.

After the war, owners of the dogs had to make some tough decisions. "They signed a contract with the Army that if the dog could be de-agitated it would be sent back to the owner. I spent about the last nine months deagitating dogs after the war was over. We had to make them gentle again, which was the reverse process from the training they had received. Sometimes it worked and sometimes it didn't."

After the Second World War the Army started buying the dogs they use. Now they buy nothing but German Shepherds. "But back during the war, we used everything under the sun," says Jim Tom. He was bitten twice.

Public records

HOWARD COUNTY COURT FILINGS
Larry Ray Bounds, 22, 2002 Alabama, charged with making alcohol available to minors.
Ernesto Ramon Gomez, 26, 1505 W. 1st, charged with resisting arrest.
Billy C. Ramirez, 17, 1006 East 6th, charged with possession of marijuana.
Mamuel Garcia, 32, Andrews, charged with driving while license suspended.
J.C. Woodard, 47, 1012 W. 3rd, charged with possession of drug paraphernalia.
Johnny Smithwick, 21, 1605 W. 1st, charged with simple assault.
Travis L. Coker, 19, Rt. 2 Box 10A, charged with theft under \$20.
Dolly M. Geiger, 43, 1301 Lindbergh, charged with possession of drug paraphernalia.
Carla Carter Shaw, 31, 1205 Stanford, charged with DWI.
Eloy Garcia, 30, Knott, charged with DWI, second offense.
Rodney Weir Carr, 35, Sterling City Rt., charged with DWI.

David Wayne Sigmon, 30, 2303 Carl, charged with DWI and evading arrest.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
Jesus Jose Silva, 26, Westbrook and Adela Gonzalez, 36, Westbrook.
Charles Thaddeus Goodin, 46, 1416 E. Stadium and Donna Lynn Lee, 31, 1416 E. Stadium.
Daniel Roy Norrell, 24, 802 Creighton St. and Betty Lou Dekeyser, 26, 1209 Lindbergh.
Jessie Walter Pierson, 45, 911 E. 15th and Cindy Dale Dekeyser, 28, 911 E. 15th.
John A. Morgan, Jr., 78, 1312 Wright and Juanita Petrovsky Muan, 53, 910 W. 4th Apt. 3.
John Mariano Granados, 21, 707 Connally and Vicky Lynn Granados, 19, 1406 Nolan.
John Anthony Stuteville, 19, 2609 Wason Apt. #57 and Shannon Merle Wood, 18, 1029 Ridgewood.
Curtis Jay Purser, 24, 500 East 15th and Kristine Lynde Hesselink, 19, 500 East 15th.
HOWARD COUNTY COURT RULINGS
Donald Gene Peacock, order continuing defen-

dant on probation.
Robert Laton Friend, guilty of unlawfully carrying a weapon, \$100 fine and \$36.50 court costs.
Richard Saucedo, guilty of unlawfully carrying a weapon, \$100 fine and \$36.50 court costs.
James Lyndon Rhodes, guilty of failure to appear, \$100 fine and \$36.50 court costs.
James Lyndon Rhodes, guilty of possession of marijuana, \$300 fine, \$96.50 court costs, and 15 days in the Howard County jail.
Jimmie Mirele Delossantos, probated judgement driving while intoxicated, two years probation, \$400 fine, \$111.50 court costs, and eight hours of community service.
Ricardo Munoz Martinez, probated judgement driving while intoxicated, two years probation, \$400 fine, \$111.50 court costs, and eight hours of community service.

10TH DISTRICT COURT RULINGS
Viola Dense Hill vs. Vincent Edward McVea, family violence protective order.

Engaged



DATE SET — Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Brooks, Andrews, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melanie Ann Brooks, Andrews, to James Dean Wheeler, Westbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Wheeler, Robstown. The couple will wed Sept. 24 at Jefferson Street Church of Christ, Hobbs, N.M., with Dwayne Wheeler, minister in Van, and bridegroom's brother, officiating.



DATE SET — Mrs. Dorothy Eckert, Rt. 3 Box 163, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Dornell Bernice Eckert, to Lanny Michael King, Trinity, son of Mrs. Nelda Watts, Coahoma, and Elzie King Jr., Trinity. The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Elmer Eckert. The couple will wed Aug. 27 at a 2:30 p.m. ceremony at St. Paul Lutheran Church, with Carroll Kohl, pastor, officiating.

COUPLE TO WED — Carolyn and Ray Blumh, Big Spring, and Kenneth Griffin, San Angelo, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shelly Griffin, Dallas, to Scott E. Watson, Dallas, son of Robert and Shirley Watson, Hutchinson, Kan. The couple will wed Aug. 27 at a 2 p.m. ceremony at First Baptist Church, Dallas, with Rev. Jack Shaw, officiating.

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