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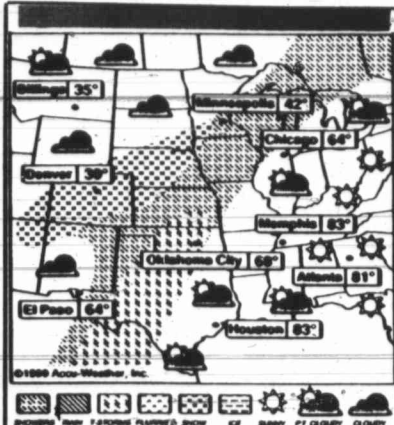
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Thursday's high temperature	81
Thursday's low temperature	58
Average high	72
Average low	44
Record high	89 in 1945
Record low	23 in 1966
Rainfall Thursday	0.00
Month to date	1.43
Normal for Month	0.80
Year to date	18.87
Normal for year	17.05

Deadline 5 p.m. for absentee voting

The deadline for absentee voting in person is 5 p.m. today at the Howard County courthouse. Mailed ballots will be accepted through Tuesday. As of Thursday, 2,034 had voted, a courthouse clerk reported. Two more voted this morning and mail-in ballots totaled 194. That compares to 2,434 voting at the same time in the 1988 presidential election, the first year of no-excuse absentee voting. Mail-in ballots totaled 746 at that time.

Christmas program planned

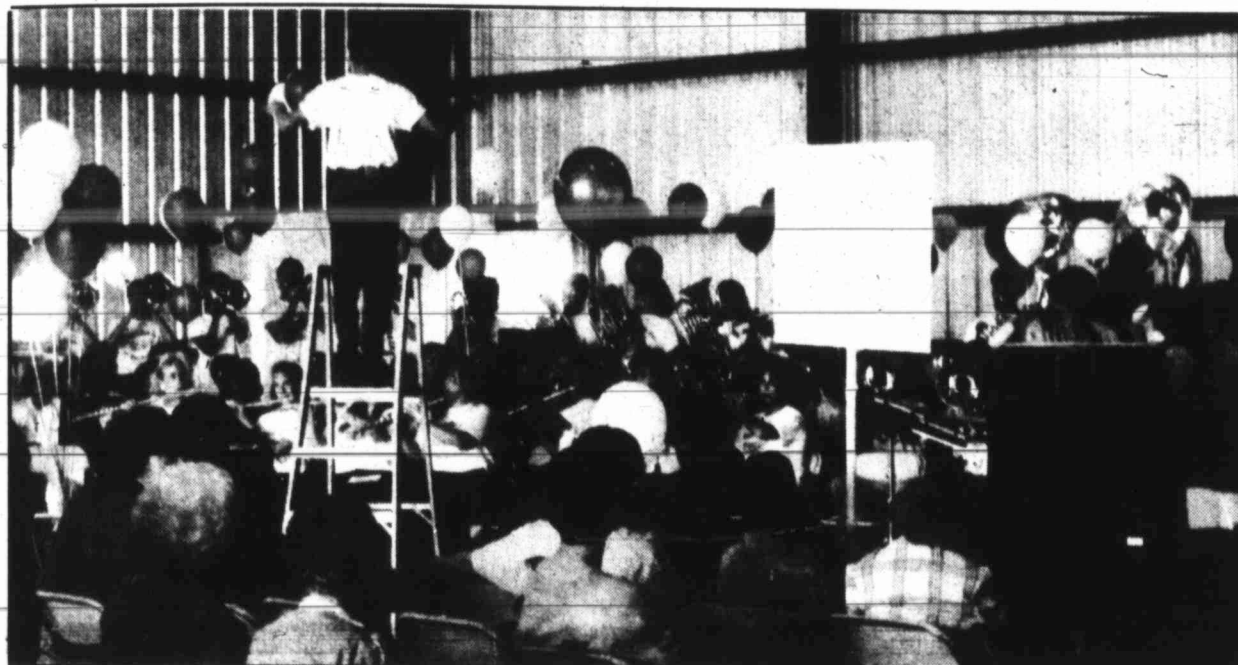
Big Spring Main Street, Inc. is in the process of putting together a Christmas celebration on December 1 to begin at 1 p.m. Christmas music will be presented by several of the area churches and organizations throughout the afternoon. Any groups, church groups, or organizations interested in performing in the downtown Christmas celebration may call (915) 267-4801.

Free glaucoma tests offered

The Sheets Eye Foundation will be conducting free glaucoma tests Monday, Nov. 5 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Big Spring Senior Citizens Center, 487 Similar Street. Glaucoma is one of the leading causes of blindness in the United States, according to a foundation press release. There are no symptoms and only with the finding of increased intra-ocular pressure is the diagnosis made. Glaucoma is not curable, but may be controlled with lifelong therapy, the foundation said. The primary treatment is medical, using eye drops, and only late in the disease, if eye drops fail to control the pressure, is surgery performed. The key to preventing blindness or visual loss is to seek periodic testing, like the one being offered free at the Big Spring Senior Center.

Texas-bound jet emergency landing

NEW YORK (AP) — An American Airlines jumbo jet en route to Dallas-Fort Worth from London made a successful emergency landing at Kennedy International Airport today. The DC-10 jet had a wing flap that would not contract, said Tim Smith, an airline spokesman in Fort Worth. The flap was causing drag that used up extra fuel, so the plane was diverted to New York as a precaution, he said. The Federal Aviation Administration in Washington said the plane also had a flat tire and circled Kennedy to burn off fuel before landing. FAA spokeswoman JoAnn Sloan identified the plane as Flight 51. The plane had been scheduled to reach Dallas at 2:50 p.m. CST.



Approximately 100 people attended an "Old Fashioned Patriotic Rally" for Republican Senatorial incumbent Phil Gramm Tuesday afternoon in Big Spring. The Stanton High School band, below, and the Howard County Jay Hawks performed.

Gramm: Conflict in Gulf may be impossible to avoid

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

It may not be possible to avoid a military conflict in the Middle East, although efforts to prevent one need to continue, said Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, while campaigning for reelection in Big Spring. "There's a limit to our patience," Gramm said Thursday of complaints of Iraq's harsh treatment of American hostages. Iraq soldiers are trying to starve American diplomats out of the embassy in Kuwait, which was overrun by Iraq Aug. 2, according to reports. Hundreds of Westerners are reportedly being held at strategic installations as shields against a feared attack.

"I'm hoping that a conflict can be avoided but I'm not optimistic," Gramm said following a rally at McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark. He added, "If we can avoid a conflict, we need to." Gramm, of College Station, made his comments minutes after a speech in which he asked voters to elect him to a second six-year term so he can keep pushing an agenda which includes less government spending and anti-drug laws and programs. Gramm, who is running against Democrat Hugh Farmer, Ft. Worth, addressed about 100 people attending the "Old Fashioned Patriotic Rally" at the Basin Aviation hangar. Also on the ticket is Libertarian candidate Gary

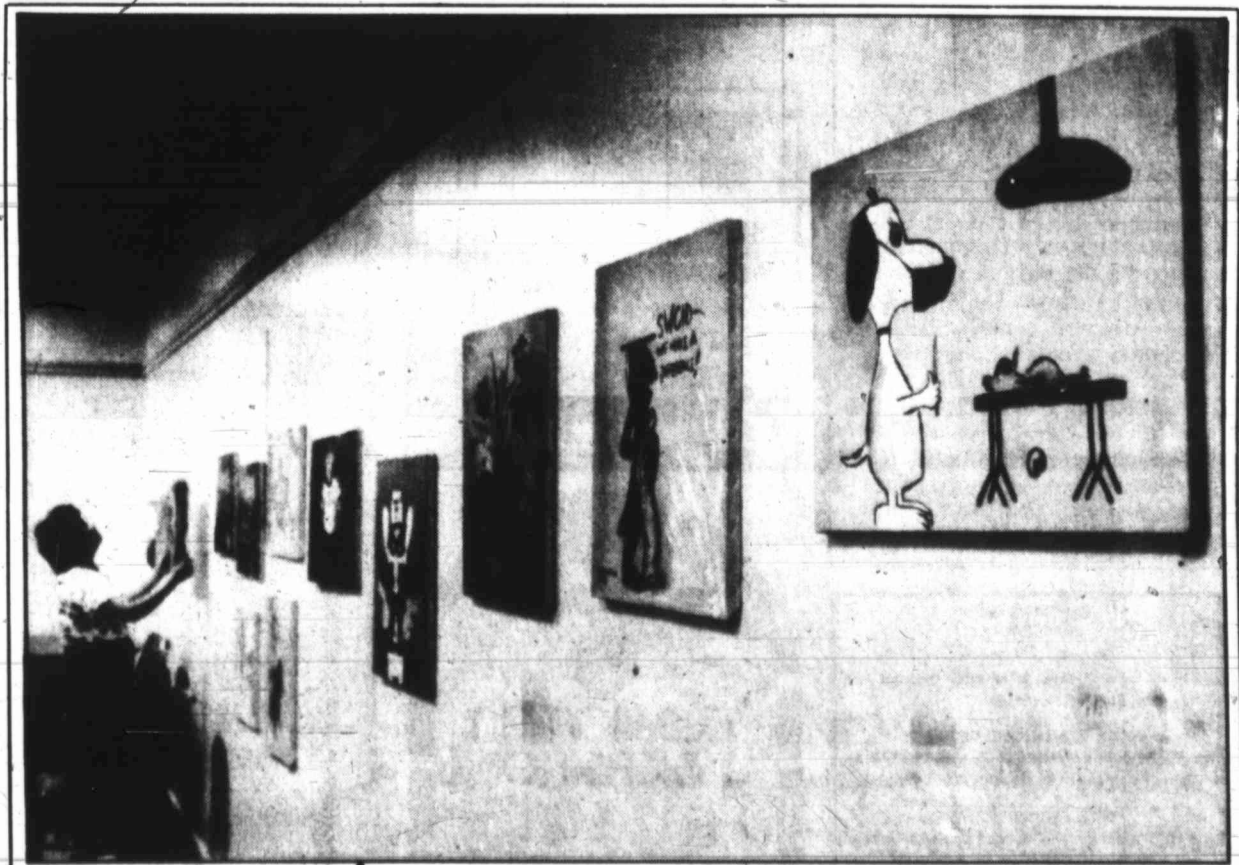
Johnson. "I came back to Big Spring to ask you to renew my contract for another six years," said Gramm, who received several rounds of applause as he listed legislation he has worked on. "I want to go back to Washington to work for an America where families are only limited by the size of their dreams." He also endorsed Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams, Midland, who faces Democrat Ann Richards, Waco. "I want to ask you for help in some of these other races," he said. Five Republican candidates running in local races, three of them contested, were on hand to greet

Prison board will conduct open house

By DEBBIE LINCECUM
Staff Writer

The Big Spring Federal Correctional Institute announced its annual open house, set for Nov. 16, at a community relations board meeting Wednesday. Community leaders, business owners and city officials on the relation board have been invited to conduct tours at the open house. The event will be the prison's official public "unveiling" since it began to accept Level II status inmates. The open house will begin with a dedication ceremony at 9 a.m. About 300 local citizens will be invited to attend. "We tried to include a cross-section of the community," Warden Michael Fitzpatrick said. "Relatives of our staff as well as people in (the fields of) business, education and medicine will take part." Executive assistant Joe Aguirre said the community relations board, which was formed to increase awareness and establish communication, will be a vital part

of the coming event. Allowing them to guide visitors is an attempt at furthering the cause of good relations, he said. "We want to show that the community relations board is as much a part of our family as our employees," he said. "They will guide tours, but staff will be present to help answer questions." The board's input has been valuable during the prison's long process of "mission" change, Aguirre said. "They help us keep the community informed, as well as let us hear from community leaders on what people think of what we're doing," he said. "(Having the board) helps encourage community interest." Changes continue as the prison begins to fulfill its mission change — an upgrade in security. The electronic control-center at the front sally-port entrance has been completed. It will monitor visitors entering and leaving the facility. The multi-purpose building,



For sale
Paintings done by local celebrity artists on October 13 hang in the meeting room of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce as part of a silent auction for the artwork. The paintings can be viewed during regular business hours, and can be bid upon by informing the receptionist who will write down the bid price and the bidder's name. No closing date has been set.

Gap tightens in election opinion polls

By STEVEN L. ARTERS
Associated Press Writer

SAN ANTONIO — With Democrat Ann Richards closing the gap in opinion polls and election day nearing, Republican gubernatorial hopeful Clayton Williams is getting help from the GOP's biggest guns. Two new opinion polls today showed a tightening race. A Mason-Dixon poll conducted for various media outlets showed Williams at 45 percent support and Richards at 43 percent; a Texas Poll showed the race 42-35 for Williams. "Even if I was a betting man, I wouldn't place any bets on this one," James Dyer, who directed the Texas Poll, told the *Austin American-Statesman*. Having already received an in-person endorsement from former President Ronald Reagan, Williams is scheduled to spend his final day on the campaign Monday

stumping with President Bush. He's also campaigned alongside U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm and began airing a TV commercial this week featuring first lady Barbara Bush and former Dallas Cowboys Tom Landry. Williams says he appreciates the assistance. "I need all the help I can get," he said Thursday. "I'm very proud to tie to the administration. While George Bush may have been attacked, well, Lord, not me. I support his Desert Shield. He's my friend." But Richards, campaigning in Texarkana, said Williams needs more than help from big-name Republicans. Williams has made Texas a "laughingstock" with his blunders, she charged. "It's not just what's happening in Texas. Everybody is looking here and saying, 'What in the world is going on?'" Richards said.

Orphan train riders plan Odessa reunion

More than 4,000 orphaned, abandoned, homeless children were brought to Texas from New York City and Boston orphanages during the mid-1800s until as late as 1929. Children were brought in groups, traveling with two or more adults in charge, and placed out with new families. Since the children came on trains, today this era in history is known as the "Orphan Trains Era" and stands out as the beginning of foster parent care in America. During the 75 years of this mass movement of children in America, at least 150,000 children were relocated. Odessa has been chosen as the location for a one-day gathering of these children, who today are in their 70s and 80s. Wednesday, Nov. 28 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. orphan train riders, families, friends and interested persons are invited to meet and share information. Austin has been selected as the site for a meeting the following Saturday, Dec. 1. Mary Ellen Johnson, a family historian as well as founder of the 785-member organization, Orphan Train Heritage Society of America (OTHSA), will be in charge of the meeting. Johnson travels around the country speaking to groups such as the

National Foster Parents Association and historical/genealogical societies about the orphan trains. Gathering and preserving orphan trains history is the purpose of OTHSA. Johnson also assists the orphan train riders and their descendants with family research. A quarterly publication, *Crossroads*, gives useful information in seeking biological family and has three or more orphan train riders stories per issue. For more information about attending these two Texas gatherings, or to share information write to: OTHSA, 4912 Trout Farm Rd., Springdale, AR 72764. A registration fee of \$10 per person will be charged to attend either gathering. "Texans make up the largest number of members from any one state in our organization so it is fitting that we hold reunions and gatherings in Texas," Johnson said. Johnson found these gatherings give this unique experience a chance to be talked about openly. For many years the "placing-out" was kept quiet and not shared with history book scholars, thus it was not taught in the schools. Johnson's group is slowing changing this around as classroom teachers are sent free information packets to prepare lessons from.

Inside Texas

Jury clears Honda ATVs

AUSTIN (AP) — A Travis County jury has ruled that three-wheeled all-terrain vehicles sold by Honda are not designed defectively, and the company was not guilty of deceptive trade practices.

The ruling came Thursday at the end of a five-month trial. Plaintiffs in the suit had asked for almost \$800 million in damages, but received only about \$800,000.

The jury did rule that there was a "defect in the marketing" of the vehicles in that additional warnings to consumers about the potential dangers of ATVs should have been given.

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White mum on Williams-Richards choice

AUSTIN (AP) — One Democrat on Tuesday's ballot got the endorsement of former Gov. Mark White. But it wasn't gubernatorial candidate Ann Richards.

White traveled Thursday from Houston to Austin and enthusiastically backed Amarillo Judge Morris Overstreet for the Court of Criminal Appeals against Republican Judge Louis Sturns.

Then, dodging question after question, he declined to say whether his support extends to Richards.

"I'm not here to talk about anything except Morris Overstreet," he said.

White sought the Democratic gubernatorial nomination this year, finishing third in the bitter March primary.

Angered by Richards' campaign claim that he profited from office, White declared on April 3: "I will never endorse Ann Richards. I will never support Ann Richards. I will never vote for Ann Richards."

Still, the former governor has been lobbied by fellow Democrats who believe his endorsement would help Richards in her race against Republican Clayton Williams.

During a Thursday news conference with Overstreet, White played cat-and-mouse with news reporters asking about that race.



DENTON — Democratic gubernatorial candidate Ann Richards gestures as she addresses students and faculty during a rally at the University of North Texas here Thursday.

today.

Have the old wounds healed? "I'm supportive of the Democratic Party and its ticket, and I'm here to endorse the candidacy of Morris Overstreet..."

What kind of governor would Williams make? "I'm not here to talk about any of that..."

Maybe later, he finally said.

So afterward, reporters followed White as he left the Capitol. The questions continued.

"Did he have a few minutes now? I'd rather not get into a wide-ranging discussion."

Has he spoken with Richards? "We haven't had a chance. She's been busy... I think the people of this state are watching very carefully the candidates as they are developing the issues."

"I think there's a momentum there that's pushing Democrats across the line, and I'm very pleased to see that... I've always been a Democrat and don't intend to change," he said.

Will he break his vow and vote for Richards? "I'm not answering any more questions."

The former governor then ducked onto an elevator and briefly recalled his days in power.

Woman on trial for using men's room

HOUSTON (AP) — The lawyer for a woman charged with illegally using a men's room at a concert says the case has generated so much attention because the issue "is something that's touched all our lives."

"It's not a gender-based thing. It's common fairness," attorney Valerie Wells Davenport said.

Attorneys seated a jury Thursday and began testimony in the trial of Denise Wells, a 33-year-old legal secretary who allegedly violated a city ordinance by using the men's room.

Ms. Wells has said she used the men's room at the concert out of desperation because the line at the ladies' restroom was too long.

The case has made Ms. Wells a celebrity of sorts. Her bathroom trip has been the subject of national news coverage and she has made appearances on talk shows hosted by Johnny Carson, Geraldo Rivera and Joan Rivers.

The media interest continued Thursday. At one point, Ms. Wells went to the women's restroom and emerged smiling while nearly a dozen photographers chickered away.

Ms. Davenport, who also is Ms. Wells' sister, said the city's insistence on prosecuting Ms. Wells is "a silly waste of taxpayer money."

"Quite frankly, I always thought Texas was big enough to come to a lady in distress and dismiss charges like these," she said.

"We have four brothers. Denise grew up using the men's room," added Ms. Davenport, who has barred her sister from talking to reporters.

Attorneys selected a four-woman, two-man jury Thursday afternoon and began the trial with testimony from the off-duty Houston police officer who cited Ms. Wells.

Ms. Davenport said today's testimony would be "very entertaining." Witnesses would include an architect to testify on the need for adequate restrooms.

Assistant City Attorney Karl Rosette said he would have two more witnesses today, and Ms. Davenport said the defense then would present eight to 10 witnesses. The case was expected to go to the jury late today.



HOUSTON — Attorneys for Denise Wells, seated, go over some last-minute details during a recess at Wells' trial Thursday. Court resumes today on her ticketing because she used the men's room at a Houston concert recently.

Ms. Wells faces up to a \$200 fine if convicted of the Class C misdemeanor.

On Thursday, officer Daniel B. Ramsey said he was working as a security guard July 7 at a concert by country-western superstar George Strait at The Summit in Houston when he found Ms. Wells using the men's restroom.

Ramsey testified he removed three women from a line to a men's room after receiving two complaints from men about women using their facilities. He said when he returned to the restroom, he saw Ms. Wells coming out of a stall.

As she was coming out, Ramsey testified, "She said in a voice that could be heard to the front of the restroom, 'There — I left the lid up, just like y'all like it.'"

Ramsey said he escorted Ms. Wells out of the bathroom and cited her for violating a city ordinance that bars members of one sex from using a public restroom designed for members of the opposite sex in a manner calculated to cause a disturbance.

Under cross-examination, Ramsey said there were 20 women in a line stretching into the hallway waiting to enter the women's room, while the line of people waiting to use the men's room did not reach past the door.

"I think she was extremely embarrassed when she made that remark (about the toilet lid)," Ms. Davenport said.

Ms. Davenport said her client's defense in the trial would be based on a clause in the law saying the person intended to cause a disturbance.

A&M shelves poster

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Texas A&M's Opera and Performing Arts Society doesn't have a poster to commemorate the season's events for the first time in five years because the flutist depicted in this year's poster appeared to be making a "Hook 'em Horns" sign with one hand and an

obscene finger gesture with the other.

OPAS officials said Thursday that the poster to be used this season was commissioned last year from College Station native Scott McDermott, then a student at the University of Texas at Austin.

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Faulty inspection blamed in crash

WASHINGTON (AP) — United Airlines is disputing U.S. safety investigators' finding that it should have detected the tiny flaw in a critical engine part that disintegrated, causing the 1989 Iowa crash that killed 112 people.

The National Transportation Safety Board said Thursday the probable cause of the crash of United Flight 232 at Sioux City, Iowa, was "human factors limitations" in United's inspection and quality control procedures. The board issued the finding without dissent.

Board members said that because none of hundreds of similar tests conducted over many years on similar parts had ever found a defect, laxity on the part of inspectors was to be expected.

Reporting on a year-long investigation, the safety board said United's inspectors missed a fatigue crack in a critical area of a titanium fan disk in the tail engine of the DC-10 aircraft.

LaRouche shared cell with Bakker

ROCK HILL, S.C. (AP) — Imprisoned political extremist Lyndon LaRouche recently had fallen television evangelist Jim Bakker for a cellmate but says he's happy to be in a new cell with fewer visitors.

Bakker and LaRouche spent a month together in a 10-by-16-foot cinder-block cell in the federal penitentiary in Rochester, Minn., where both are serving lengthy terms for fraud and conspiracy convictions in separate cases.

LaRouche told *The Herald* of Rock Hill in a telephone interview published today that he and Bakker were compatible, but he's relieved to have a new cellmate now.

He said Bakker, founder of the PTL television ministry, gets a lot of mail and has a "big retinue of admirers (within the prison)

who would constantly come around."

LaRouche, a longtime proponent of intricate conspiracy theories, insisted that he and Bakker were innocent victims of secret plots by the Reagan and Bush administrations.

"There's been a targeting of anyone or any group which had independent financing, which had political clout, and Jim's group was getting political clout," LaRouche said.

A four-time fringe presidential candidate currently running for the seat in Virginia's 10th Congressional District, LaRouche, 68, is serving a 15-year sentence on mail and tax fraud charges. He masterminded a plot to siphon millions of dollars from three corporations forced into bankruptcy.

McDonald's is switching to paper



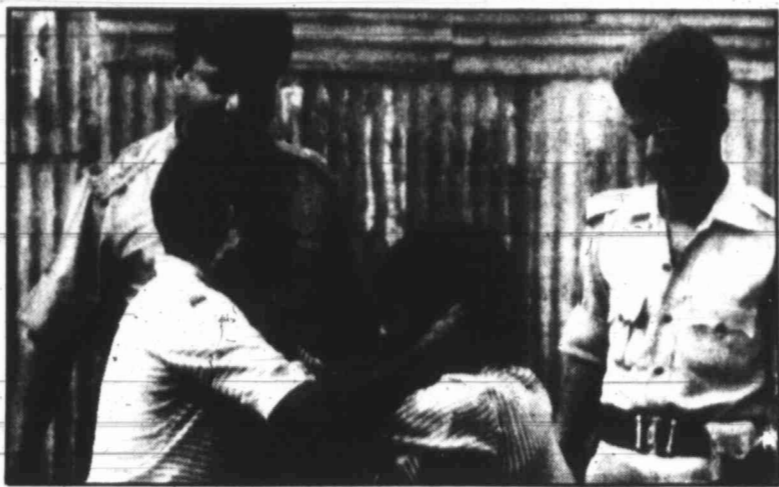
NEW PAPER WRAPPERS

CHICAGO (AP) — McDonald's Corp.'s decision to switch from polystyrene containers to paper for its food products is being hailed by some — but not all — environmentalists.

"It is a mistake to make plastic the great Satan and paper the great saint," said Jan Beyea, a scientist at the National Audubon Society. "Both processes generate pollution."

The non-profit Environmental Defense Fund, which had worked with McDonald's since August on plans to phase out the plastic foam containers, was elated.

"McDonald's understands that the future is green," said Frederic D. Krupp, the fund's executive director. "I think other companies will follow suit."



Associated Press photo

Punishment for defying curfew

DHAKA, Bangladesh — Policemen asked two shoppers to hold each other's ears and make a dozen up-and-down motions as a mild punishment for defying the curfew in Dhaka on Friday. The curfew has been imposed since Friday to combat anti-Hindu riots.

Republicans worried about low voter turnout

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans are worried that a turned-off electorate will stay home next Tuesday and spell disaster for many GOP candidates.

"A low turnout doesn't help us," said Edward J. Rollins, co-chairman of the National Republican Campaign Committee.

Rollins' assessment was echoed by Norman Cummings, political director of the Republican National Committee, who said, "Those marginal voters are Republican-leaning voters in many key states."

despite the increase in registration in the Republican vote nationally," he said.

"You could have a phenomena in a number of places, the sort of lower middle class, urban ethnic who's been sort of a swing vote in recent elections coming back to the Democratic Party," Gans said.

"That's what happened in the recession of 1982; it might happen with the fear of a recession plus the fairness issue this year."

Rollins noted that younger voters are the most anti-tax group in the population and that a majority of Republicans today are under 40, while a majority of Democrats are over 40.

Those demographics bring together two factors that could give an edge to Democrats on Election Day.

The anti-tax voters were the ones turned off when President Bush abandoned his hard-line opposition to any tax increases. Older Americans have the highest percentage of voter turnout.

Republicans hope that in the final days before the election, Bush will succeed in firing up Republican voters and inspiring them to go to the polls on Tuesday.

Bush plans to campaign non-stop before winding up Tuesday in Houston, where he maintains his voting residence.

World

Former leader says he was right

LONDON (AP) — Erich Honecker, ousted Communist leader of former East Germany, says in a newspaper interview published today that in the long run "I will be seen to have been right."

The weekly newspaper *The European* quoted him as saying that his former countrymen and women, now in a united Germany since Oct. 3, are becoming aware of the rights and social services they have lost.

He also predicted communism

will return to Eastern Europe, reversing the revolution that swept East Germany.

Honecker, 78, was head of state in the former East Germany from 1976 until he was toppled Oct. 18 last year. He was arrested on charges of treason last January.

The paper, printed by London-based publisher Robert Maxwell and circulated throughout Europe, said he was interviewed in a small apartment within a Soviet military hospital compound outside Berlin.

Factions hold joint fashion show

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — For the first time in 15 years of devastating civil war, the bomb-shattered St. George's Hotel served as a backdrop for a fashion show with Moslem and Christian models.

"This is the message we hope to carry to the people of our country: the phoenix rising from the ashes," said fashion designer Loulwa Abdel-Baki, the creator of Thursday's 30-minute program.

Ms. Abdel-Baki, a member of the Druse Moslem sect, and 20 models worked 20 days to clear the debris from the lobby of the once-majestic beachside hotel for the exhibit, "but left just enough to remind people of what happened," she said.

The show, called *Kalabsha*, Arabic for handcuffs, was intended to boost the latest government

efforts to dismantle Beirut's dividing Green Line and reunite the capital, Abdel-Baki said.

The government began effacing the divider that split the city into Moslem and Christian halves after Syrian troops backing President Elias Hrawi crushed rebel Christian Gen. Michel Aoun on Oct. 13 to end an 11-month mutiny against the government.

About 650 people, mostly women, turned out for the show, applauding the models as they paraded on a makeshift stage under the wrecked lobby ceiling, displaying Abdel-Baki's fall and winter collection.

"It's like a beginning of a new life, a transition from a horrendous past to a future with a slight glimmer of hope," said Christian actor Alec Khalaf.

Resignation leaves party in crisis

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's opponents had a field day today after her deputy, Sir Geoffrey Howe, quit in protest of her resistance to Britain's integration into the European Community.

"Instead of having a leader who holds the party together ... we have one who unfortunately allows the party to break up," said ex-prime minister Edward Heath, who himself was ousted by Mrs. Thatcher as party leader in 1975.

Publicly, key aides in Mrs. Thatcher's 22-member Cabinet rallied round, although they take a more conciliatory policy than the prime minister in the drive toward European union.



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RANCHO CUCAMONGA, Calif. (AP) — It isn't far-fetched to predict that Dennis Stout will win the upcoming mayoral election. And lose. And maybe even lose twice. Incumbent Dennis Stout is fending off a challenge by Dennis Stout in the Nov. 6 election in this San Bernardino County community.

Confused? That's what the third candidate, Francine Manzano, is hoping for.

"It's great for me," she said. "I think it will cause a lot of confusion at the polls. I hope that works."

Manzano even built her campaign slogan on the theme: "One Small Woman Against Two Stout Men."

Measures have been taken to guard against voter mix-ups. A warning will be printed at the top of each ballot alerting people to the same-name candidates.

Mayor Dennis Lee Stout, whose name appears second on the ballot, has chosen to place a "No. 1" by his name.

Challenger Alfred Dennis Stout, who goes by his middle name, is emphasizing the word "new" in his campaign. One slogan calls for "new leadership and direction."

The businessman said he chose to run for mayor out of genuine desire, not because of the shared moniker.

"I don't want him to think I was doing it just to confuse the issue," he said. "I wish it was different, but if I ran under the name Alfred Stout, my kids wouldn't even know who it is."

Patrol officer looks for dummies

SANTA ANA, Calif. (AP) — Well-dressed mannequins don't fool him. Nor does iced champagne disguised as a baby.

Highway Patrol Officer Alvin Yamaguchi watches the car-pool lanes in Los Angeles, searching for people trying to beat the two-to-a-car minimum.

"People will try anything to fool us," Yamaguchi said.

Take the woman driving a Mercedes-Benz. She used a department store mannequin with \$100 sunglasses, makeup and stylish clothes.

Then there was the man with a baby seat covered by a blanket.

"I pointed at him to take it off," he said. "When he did there was a bottle of champagne on ice."

Others pose mannequins in a sleeping posture. Then there are the drivers who pretend to have lively discussions with their inanimate passengers.

Nearly 9,000 people were cited for car-pool lane violations on Los Angeles freeways last year, despite fines that jump to \$613.50 for people caught three times within two years.

Once caught, some commuters resort to logic. Their logic. Pregnant women have argued to no avail they were carrying a second passenger. One undertaker thought the dead body in the back would qualify. He lost, too.

Motorists delight in pointing out violators to the patrol.

"They love it when we pull (violators) over," Yamaguchi said. "They'll honk then, too, and wave and smile."

Yamaguchi's favorite is the driver seated beside a German shepherd secured by a safety belt.

"This guy told me that he shouldn't get cited because the dog was a family member," Yamaguchi said.

Veterans' COLA fails to pass in 101st Congress

By PAMELA PORTER
Herald Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — A last-minute political squabble and a shortage of time caused Congress to adjourn last weekend without passing a cost-of-living increase for disabled American war veterans.

Congress's action also derailed several other proposals to aid former servicemen and women — including the expansion of health, housing and education benefits for Guard and Reserve forces and the creation of medical coverage for Vietnam-era vets who believe they contracted cancer because of ex-

posure to the military defoliant Agent Orange.

In the final weeks of the 1990 session, the House had endorsed each of those proposals separately, including the 5.4 percent cost-of-living increase for more than two million veterans and dependents who receive service-connected disability pensions.

The most severely disabled veterans currently receive \$1,537 per month in VA pension payments, and the proposed COLA would have added \$83 to their monthly checks.

The Senate had wrapped the

COLA and other veterans' bills into one large piece of legislation and appeared ready to pass the package last week. But the bill died late Saturday night when Sen. Alan Simpson, R-Wyo., objected to the Agent Orange provisions.

The objections of one House or Senate member can single-handedly kill a bill in the final days of Congress, when the quickest way to pass legislation is to bypass parliamentary rules and ask for "unanimous consent." If one lawmaker protests, the bill dies.

Over on the House side of the Capitol, Veterans Affairs Commit-

tee Chairman Sonny Montgomery, D-Ala., attempted to use a parliamentary ploy to revive the COLA provision. But Montgomery's plan failed when Rep. Ted Weiss, D-N.Y., objected to the proposal because it did not include the Agent Orange benefits.

The Department of Veterans Affairs said this is the first year Congress has failed to adopt a COLA for disabled veterans in the same year in which it granted increases to recipients of Social Security and other federal benefits. Ironically, veterans without service-connected disabilities will receive

a cost-of-living increase because their pensions are tied to the Social Security COLA.

After the House failed to spare the veterans' bills, Montgomery promised to "come back bright and early next year" to approve the COLA and make it retroactive to Jan. 1.

Normally veterans receive their cost-of-living increases on December 1, but the giant deficit-reduction package passed by Congress last week postpones payment of the veterans COLA for one month to save money in the 1991 budget.



Associated Press photo

Remembering the dead

MANILA, Philippines — A boy holds onto his older brother as the latter climbs up a multi-level cemetery in Manila to light a candle for their dead on All Saints Day Thursday. Traditionally, Filipinos flock to cemeteries every Nov. 1 to pay respects to their departed loved ones.

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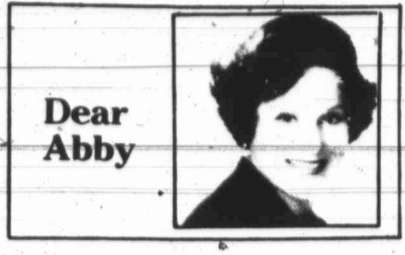
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Rape victim suffers continued pain of in-laws' accusations

DEAR ABBY: I was raped two years ago, and since then, my husband's parents have subjected me to some mean, thoughtless and outright vicious remarks. ("You must have said something or been dressed in a provocative way; women who get raped are usually asking for it.") As I write this, I am a nervous wreck, as my in-laws will be visiting soon and I am expected to join them for dinner. Abby, I simply cannot do this. I become physically ill at the mere thought of having to face these people.



Dear Abby

My husband thinks I am being childish — that just having dinner with them is not a great sacrifice. Abby, I am 31 years old and, normally, a fairly rational person. I have experienced insomnia for almost two weeks worrying about this. I have considered taking a tranquilizer (I've never taken one in my life), or even smoking a marijuana cigarette (it's been years since I've done that), or having a few stiff drinks, but my in-laws are medical professionals and would know something was wrong. I have considered running away to visit my brother over that weekend, but he lives 800 miles away.

I would rather shave my head than face these people. My husband is usually very supportive of me. He insists that he loves me and that's all that matters. But if he loves me, how can he ask me to do this? — A NERVOUS WRECK

DEAR WRECK: First, you and your husband need more help than I can give you in a letter. There is a rape crisis center in your area, and it offers counseling. Please go there immediately. Both you and your husband should go.

Your in-laws are shockingly ignorant about the realities of rape, especially in view of the fact that they are medical professionals. Tell your husband that you are unable to deal with his parents' lack of compassion and, therefore, he cannot count on you for dinner that evening or any other evening

that includes them, until you feel confident enough to be in their company.

DEAR ABBY: A good friend of mine asked me to be her daughter's godmother. I told her I would love to do it for her and felt very honored to be asked.

Is there any financial obligation attached to this, Abby? I am not exactly sure what the responsibilities of a godmother are. Any information you might have covering this subject would be greatly appreciated. I need to know exactly what is expected of me. — WANTS

TO DO RIGHT

DEAR WANTS: The responsibilities of godparents are essentially spiritual — so ideally, the godparents should be of the same religious faith as the parents. It is the responsibility of the godparent to see that the child is given religious training and is confirmed at the proper time. Additionally, the godparent should take a special interest in the child (as a near relative would). You should remember the godchild with a gift on birthdays and at Christmas, until the child is grown.



Associated Press photo

Top two

LONDON — Two hat fashions from top milliner for 1991 are on display in London. Philip Somerville's spring/summer collection

TOPS hosts meeting

TOPS Club met Oct. 29 at Canterbury South, with Olnee Menges presiding.

It was decided to update the scrapbook and photos were taken of the 13 members present. There was special interest in before and after photos.

A possible Christmas float was discussed and plans for a Christmas party and \$5 gifts to be numbered and exchanged Dec. 13, was decided.

Marcia Merrill, a dietitian at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, will be here Monday to discuss nutrition and dieting.

Receiving awards was Kathy Johnson, October best loser; and Lillie Hendricks for losing the most weight this week.

TOPS meets Mondays at 6:30 p.m. in the multi-purpose room at Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster.

For additional information, please call Olnee Menges at 263-6819, or Lillie Hendricks at 267-6899.

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Homemakers club meets

Center Point Extension Homemakers met Oct. 23 at Kentwood Older Adult Center.

Ireba Griffith read the devotion from I Corinthians 13:4:

Six club members answered roll call by answering "What charity means to me."

Thought for the meeting was "Charity begins at home."

Zay Birrell read the minutes from the last meeting; they were approved as read.

Birrell also gave the treasurer's report; it was approved as read.

Ireba Griffith presented a program on "Menus For a Healthy Diet."

Club members discussed their daily menu.

Ozie Sumruld will attend the leader training meeting on "Made in the U.S.A." at the conference room in Howard County Library.

The next meeting will be Nov. 13 at Kentwood Older Adult Center at 2 p.m.

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Troops get chance to shop for Christmas

DALLAS (AP) — It's not exactly Neiman-Marcus, but a mail-order catalog from Dallas will allow soldiers in Saudi Arabia to play Santa Claus.

With the Army and Air Force Exchange Service catalog, the 200,000 soldiers in the Persian Gulf can shop for loved ones back home without leaving their desert tents. Tens of thousands of copies of the Christmas catalog are on their way to the Middle East.

"One of the things I think most of our American troops over there are accustomed to is the ability to go in and browse in nice stores. And we want to give them that capability, every day if their duties will allow that," said Maj. Gen. Jeffery B. Kahla, who heads AAFES.

"Our goal is customer satisfaction, whether people are in the sands of Saudi Arabia or living in a beautiful house in Dallas, Texas."

In addition to a mail-order service, the 95-year-old, self-supporting organization with headquarters in Dallas runs cut-rate stores on bases in the United States and around the world for members of the military and their dependents.

The stores are known in Air Force slang as "BX," for base exchange; in the Army, it's "PX."

for post exchange. Altogether, AAFES generates about \$7 billion in annual sales and employs 82,000 mostly civilian employees.

The AAFES set up field exchange stores within 15 days of the beginning of Operation Desert Shield, Kahla said.

"I know that the BX is important because I've been to war. It's very important to the morale of the troops." — Maj. Gen. Jeffery B. Kahla, head of the Army and Air Force Exchange Service

The 50 shops in Saudi Arabia offer soldiers candy, sodas, cigarettes, lotion and batteries — lots of batteries, mostly for cameras and personal stereos, also for sale. Shoppers also can buy socks, underwear and plastic thongs, popular for walking across the burning sand to the showers, Kahla said.

The only things missing are alcohol and adult magazines, barred by the Saudis, Kahla said.

Exchange sales in Saudi Arabia have reached about \$3 million a month, he said.

Some of the shops operated originally from the backs of trucks. Most are now in cramped tents, with shelves of wooden slats and

sand or wood floors. Few as yet have air conditioning or refrigerators.

And the inventory is limited to 350 items, which means, for example, that the only cassette tapes for sale are those in the Top 10. But it's still a link to home.

they don't have another choice," Kahla said.

The catalog includes items found in most any stateside store: model planes and tanks, puzzles, roller skates, walkie-talkies and wagons.

There is the Bear Forces of America — 20-inch teddy bears wearing the uniforms of the four service branches, available in desert camouflage.

There are housewares, jewelry, clothing and a grandfather clock. Soldiers can even order a personal tanner, although the idea may not have much appeal in the desert.

Despite the Saudi ban on non-Moslem religious symbols, angel ornaments and creche figures are available in the catalog.

"I know that the BX is important because I've been to war. It's very important to the morale of the troops," Kahla said. "It made me feel like I was a little bit back home."

In the Gulf, AAFES also circulates hit movies, operates vending machines, manages pay phones and plans to open barber shops within about two weeks.

One walk-up "generic fast-food outlet" has opened, with plans for four or five more. Next may be a mobile Popeye's fried chicken franchise.



Associated Press photo

No customers

CAIRO, Egypt — Two camel drivers wait for tourists in front of the Giza pyramids near Cairo, where earlier this summer customers had to wait in line for rides. Since the Gulf crisis started on Aug. 2, tourism in Egypt has dropped by 40 percent.

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Inside Sports

Pistol match set for Sunday

There will be a .22 or center-fire pistol match Sunday at 1:30 p.m. The shoot is open to the public. Ladies and junior shooters are welcome. The club is located nine miles west on the Andrews Highway (176).

Big Spring harriers in regional meet

The Big Spring girls cross-country meet will be competing in the regional meet Saturday at Mae Simmons Park. The Lady Steers qualified by winning their fifth straight District 3-4A cross country meet last Saturday at Big Spring. Members of the team are Mimi Regalado, Ericka Franks, Elisabeth Lopez, Shawanda Wilson and Rebekah Trent. The action starts at 10 a.m.

District gymnastics meet here Saturday

The Big Spring Sidewinders girls gymnastic team, will be hosting the District I, Level 5,6,7 Championship here Saturday. Level 5 competition begins at 9 a.m. Level 7 competition starts at 1 p.m., followed by Level 6 competition at 3:30 p.m. The action will take place at the gymnastics center at the Big Spring YMCA.

Public gets chance to meet Lady Steers

Meet the Lady Steers Night will be Tuesday, Nov. 5 at Steer Gym. The freshmen, junior varsity and varsity teams will scrimmage Snyder. Frosh scrimmage at 4:40 p.m., followed by junior varsity at 5:30. Between the junior varsity and varsity scrimmage, all the players from seventh grade on up, will be introduced. Varsity scrimmages at 7.

Baseball caps on sale at BSBS

Members of the Big Spring High School baseball team will be taking orders for baseball caps until today baseball coach John Velasquez said. The caps are fitted, not one-size-fits-all, Velasquez said, and interested persons should give their head sizes when ordering. The caps are \$7 apiece, in black and white, and can be obtained from Velasquez, assistant coach Bobby Doe or any team member.

Hoop play at Howard

The West Texas Shootout will be Nov. 9-10 at the old Howard College gym. Entry fee is \$110 per team and entry deadline is Nov. 6, with a 16-team limit. The first three place teams will receive team trophies, and the first two teams will also receive individual trophies. There will also be an all-tournament team and a MVP. Also included are slam dunk and three-point contests. For more information call Roy Green at 264-5108 or 263-5655.

Coahoma youth hoops signups

COAHOMA — Registration is now going on for the Coahoma Youth Basketball League. Registration forms can be picked up at Roberts Auto Supply. The league is open to youth ages 9-12, whose birthday is before Sept. 1. Also anyone interested in coaching can call Sherry Brooks at 394-4778, after 5 p.m.

Coed volleyball play scheduled

ODESSA — The U.T. Permian Basin Physical Education Club is sponsoring a 16-team coed volleyball tournament Nov. 10 at the UTPB gym. Entry fee is \$75 per person, and entry deadline is Nov. 5. A team plaque and trophy, along with T-shirts, will be awarded to the first three place teams. For more information call Steve Acinena at 367-2316 or 368-5623.

Tankers plunge into action Saturday

By STEVE BELVIN Sports Editor
Big Spring High School swimming coach Harlan Smith is a happy man these days. Why is Smith so happy? Simple, he has the most depth he's ever had on his team. Smith and his Steer and Lady Steer tankers will get a chance to put that depth to use when they host Fort Stockton in a dual swim meet Saturday afternoon at the YMCA pool. Diving action begins at noon and swimming action begins at 1 p.m. It will be the only home meet Big Spring will have this season.



In left photo Big Spring High School veteran swimming coach Harlan Smith keeps a careful watch as his group of swimmers go through a workout at the YMCA pool. In right photo members of the early morning swim program, take a breather after finishing a practice run. In its only home meet of the season, Big Spring hosts Fort Stockton Saturday starting at 12 noon.

This year Smith has a total of 28 members on the varsity team — 11 on the women and 17 on the men's squad. He credits the high-rise in numbers to the pre-swim program he started four years ago. That's when he gets all the eighth graders or first-time high school swimmers and teaches them the general strokes of swimming. The learning sessions take place at 7 a.m. Monday through Friday. "We've never had as many swimmers as we have now that can swim. We've had this many, but they didn't know how to swim," said Smith, entering his 15th season as swim coach. "This is the first year that I'm not teaching swimming, I'm coaching it. The teaching comes in the first period. That goes back to the junior high program which we've had for four years. We teach them how to do the strokes, so when they get to high school they

already know how to swim." In addition to having the 28 varsity swimmers, Smith has 15 in the early morning program, so the future looks bright. Smith said his training routine has been slightly different this season, although his swimmers still lift weights and do their swimming routines.

"I've backed off from the yardage they swim. They used to swim from 8,000 to 10,000 yards a day, we've been going 5,000 and won't go over 6,000. We're looking for more quality yards than quantity yards," said Smith. Smith says the large number of swimmers has a positive effect when it comes to outside competi-

tion and workout habits. "The depth helps when the other teams don't have two or three people per event. It also helps when my first person gets to feeling like there's nobody that can beat him. I've got others trying to get his spot. The competition makes everyone work harder," said Smith. On the men's team, Smith

returns six lettermen from a team that finished third in district behind Pecos and Fort Stockton last season. Smith lost four strong swimmers in Johnny Webb, Chase Fraser, Chris Fuqua and Abel Diaz. Back are senior Shane Hicks and Jesus Villabos, juniors Ricky

Garden City runners accept challenge; it earns them a berth in regional meet

By STEVE BELVIN Sports Editor
GARDEN CITY — The Garden City Lady Bearkats made school history last week, and will make more school history Saturday. Last week, the Lady Bearkats became the first team in the school's history to start a cross-country team. Saturday, they will be the first to ever compete in a

basketball and cross country. "Since this is the first year we started, all of the girls are involved in other things too," said Swenson. "They all play basketball, and some are cheerleaders, in the flags (corps) and play in the band. With everybody's hectic schedules, the group uses an unusual training procedure, one that requires a lot of self discipline.

Christi Bryant, LeAnn Maxie, Tina Sherrod and Stacy Karnes, although Karnes won't run Saturday because she has another commitment. Jones has had the fastest time so far in the two-mile race, covering the distance in 14:08. Bryant, Maxie, Sherrod and Karnes all run under 15 minutes. Swenson said when the team first

"We do a lot of cross country running in basketball, and tried to show them how this would help them not only in basketball and in track. I had three girls that wanted to, they were excited about the idea and they got more girls to run. I told them to give it a try. Whatever they do will be great. There's a challenge, let's accept it," — Garden City coach Phil Swenson.

regional cross country meet, when they run at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock. Also qualifying for regional is senior Bearkat runner Mark Davis, who was the only Bearkat to run cross country. Heading the team is first-year coach Phil Swenson, who came to Garden City from Hamlin. Swenson said he brought the idea to the girls' attention, and they liked it. So a team was formed, they competed in three meets and then placed second at the District 9-A meet, earning a trip to regional. It all adds up to a very busy schedule for both coach and runners. Swenson's duties are typical of those of most coaches from small Class A schools. He coaches junior high football and also helps with the senior high football program, in addition to coaching girls

The ladies train after school, on their own, because Swenson is busy with other sports. The only watchful eye around is junior Jana Hunter. Hunter was also a runner until a freak accident sidelined her. While running at the Irion County meet, Hunter hit a rock and broke her ankle. Swenson said one of the training routines is called the "Wild Thing." This consists of running at different paces and changing at 12-20 minute intervals. "It's called Farlich Training; it's a Swedish training method," explained Swenson. The team was hurt when Hunter was injured, because she was one of the top runners. But the other runners rose to the task. Composing the team are sophomores Jennifer Jones, Jennifer Phillips and Roseiro Gomez. Freshmen are

started competing, he didn't know what to expect. "We had a meet every other week and we'd always be within one place of being a top 10 medalist. At district I was just hoping we didn't come in last," he said. At district not only did the Lady Bearkats finish second, it took a good Irion County team to beat them. Irion County is one of the top three teams in the state. As for regional, Swenson is looking at it as a learning experience. "The girls are real excited about it. They've got their names spread around town. We just want to go up there and see what it's like. It will be beneficial to them in basketball and track," he said. "I'm happy for them; they took the challenge." And in the process they made school history two times over.

Swede upsets Lendl; top two seeds survive

PARIS (AP) — One day after the Fantastic Four became the Terrific Three, it was narrowed to the Top Two. Top-seeded Stefan Edberg and No. 2 Boris Becker continued their winning ways Thursday, but No. 3 Ivan Lendl joined John McEnroe on the sideline, losing to Sweden's Jonas Svensson 3-6, 6-4, 6-2 in a third-round match Thursday. Also gone is U.S. Open champion Pete Sampras, who was upset by qualifier Guillaume Raoux of France 6-3, 3-6, 6-3. Edberg beat Aaron Krickstein 6-3, 6-2 and Becker ousted Jim Courier 6-1, 7-5 to move into the quarterfinals. Svensson, ranked 16th in the

world, had beaten Lendl in the 1988 French Open to end his two-year reign as champion. "Like the last time I played him at Roland Garros, I just tried to do the best," Swenson said. "I think I played very good and smart but I don't think he likes my game." In other upsets, qualifier Michael Stich of Germany eliminated eighth-seeded Brad Gilbert 6-4, 6-4 and Switzerland's Jakob Hlasek, who ousted McEnroe on Wednesday night, downed ninth-seeded Goran Ivanisevic of Yugoslavia 6-3, 6-4. Two Spanish players also advanced to the quarterfinals. Paris Open page 3-B

UIL

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— Publicly reprimanded Sanderson football coach Gary Shackelford and placed him on probation for one year as a result of his pulling his team from the field with six minutes to go in a losing game at Van Horn on Oct. 12. — Refused to add its own penalty to a junior high school coach accused of recruiting a running back for the Judson Independent School District. Converse Judson High School, in the San Antonio area, currently is ranked No. 6 in 5A schoolboy football. On Oct. 2, the District 26-5A executive committee issued a public reprimand and probation for one year to the Judson football program and suspended running back

Jerod Douglas from varsity athletics for two years. The district committee transferred to the UIL state committee the case of junior high coach Donny Littlefield for consideration of a penalty greater than a private reprimand for allegedly recruiting Douglas for Judson. The state committee rejected public and so-called private reprimands by votes of 2-6 and 3-5, respectively. A motion to refer the case back to the district committee for consideration of possible further action also failed, 2-4. Bill Fish, chairman of the District 26-5A committee, said the committee had interviewed 26 persons in its investigation. Fish, principal at San Antonio Lee, was asked, "You have no

doubt that a recruiting violation occurred?" "That is correct," Fish responded. Littlefield denied recruiting Douglas, saying, "I never thought about going out and trying to get the kid."

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Bowling

YABA STARS
 RESULTS — 2nd to None over Strikolas, 8-0; Strikers over Smashers, 8-0; Awesome Four over To Short To Bowl, 8-0; State Bound over Bash Brothers, 6-2; Cruisers tied Eagles, 4-4; hi sc. game and series (man) William Johnson, 191 and 490; hi sc. game and series (woman) Laurie Wells, 170 and 434; hi hdp game and series (man) William Johnson, 223 and Brandon McGuire, 590; hi hdp game and series (woman) Shana Earnest, 192 and 478; hi sc. team game and series State Bound and 2nd To None, 587; and State Bound, 1671; hi hdp team game and series Awesome Four, 743 and 2165.
 STANDINGS — State Bound, 46-10; Bash Brothers, 38-12; Awesome Four, 32-24; Strikers, 32-24; 2nd To None, 22-18; Eagles, 24-22; Cruisers, 28-28; To Short To Bowl, 28-28; Strikolas, 24-30; Smashers, 18-34.

MENS MAJOR BOWLING
 RESULTS — L.G. Nix Dirt over Parks Conv. Center, 8-0; Big Spring Instruments over Universal Construction, 8-0; Grady Walker L.P. Gas over Bob Brock Ford, 6-2; O'Daniel Trucking over S.W. Coca Cola, 6-2; Parks Ins. Agency split Hagen T.V. Repair, 4-4; Fina Engineers make up match, Western Container; hi game and series Ed Booth, 260 and 703; hi team game and series O'Daniel Trucking, 1066 and 3062.
 STANDINGS — L.G. Nix Dirt Co., 54-8; Grady Walker L.P. Gas, 48-24; Bob Brock Ford, 42-30; Southwest Coca Cola, 38-34; Parks Ins. Agency, 36-36; O'Daniel Trucking, 36-36; B.S.I., 34-38; Fina Engineers, 309-34; Parks Conv. Center, 30-42; Hagen T.V. Repair, 28-44; Western Container, 24-40; Universal Construction, 24-48.

LADIES MAJOR
 RESULTS — Gamco Printing over Knott Coop Fertilizer, 6-2; Arrow Refrigeration over Country Gals, 8-0; Quail Run Apts. over Lusk Paint & Frame, 6-2; Cline Construction over S & H Floor Covering, 8-0; Gentlemens Corner over Rocky's, 8-0; Bowl-A-Rama over Jackie's Girls, 8-0; hi sc. game and series Joyce Davis, 242 and 617; hi sc. team game and series Jackie's Girls, 680 and Gentlemens Corner, 1866; hi hdp game and series Joyce Davis, 250 and Janie Ringener, 663; hi hdp team game and series Cline Construction, 848.
 STANDINGS — Arrow Refrigeration, 54-26; Gentlemens Corner, 48-32; Bowl-A-Rama, 48-32; Cline Construction, 44-36; Quail Run Apts., 40-40; Jackie's Girls, 39-41; Country Gals, 38-42; Lusk Paint & Frame, 37-43; Rocky's, 34-46; S & H Floor Covering, 34-46; Gamco Printing, 34-46.

FINA FOLLIES
 RESULTS — Walking Wounded over Team Five, 8-0; Team Four over The Noddes, 6-2; Misfits Again over Out of Control, 8-0; hi sc. game and series (men) Alton Fields, 220 and 607; hi sc. game and series (women) Renae Carr, 1908 and Janie Ringener, 522; hi sc. team game and series Walking Wounded, 733 and 2075; hi hdp game and series (men) Bill Swafford, 247 and J.M. Ringener, 687; hi hdp game and series (women) Renae Carr, 242 and Sam Turner, 626; hi hdp team game and series Walking Wounded, 875 and 2501.
 STANDINGS — The Nobodies, 44-20; Team Four, 42-22; Misfits Again, 41-23; Walking Wounded, 32-32; Out of Control, 22-26; Team Five, 19-29; Late Eights, 14-26; Y.M.T.L.L.T.S., 10-46.

LADIES CLASSIC
 RESULTS — K.C. Kids over Faye's Flowers, 8-0; Mamas Family over Coca Cola, 6-2; Pretty Things over L & M Properties, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Renae Carr, 220 and 539; hi sc. team game and series Pretty Things, 696 and 2005; hi hdp game and series Renae Carr, 253 and Carol Hollingsworth, 645; hi hdp team game and series Mamas Family, 825 and Pretty Things, 2389.
 STANDINGS — Pretty Things, 51-21; Coca Cola, 37-35; K.C. Kids, 35-37; Mamas Family, 34-38; L & M Properties, 33-39; Faye's Flowers, 26-46.

PIN POPPERS
 RESULTS — Andrews Transport over Yates Cattle Co., 8-0; Big Spring Skipper over Brown & Associates, 8-0; Cline Paving over Team Twelve, 8-0; Tret-O-Lite over A & B Farms, 5-3; Sanders Farms over Mary Kay Cosmetics, 6-2; Kuykendall Inc. over Health Food Center, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Faye Stoker, 201 and 572; hi sc. team game and series Health Food Center, 691 and 1967; hi hdp game and series Nan Buske, 240 and 702; hi hdp team game and series Big Spring Skipper, 864 and 2432.
 STANDINGS — Sanders Farms, 47-25; Health Food Center, 46-26; Kuykendall Inc., 45-27; Big Spring Skipper, 44-28; Yates Cattle Co., 42-30; Brown & Associates, 40-32; Andrews Transport, 38-34; Cline Paving, 36-36; Mary Kay Cosmetics, 34-38; A & B Farms, 33-39; Tret-O-Lite, 27-45; Team Twelve, 0-72.

NEW MISSES
 RESULTS — Campbell Cement over Granny's Girls, 6-2; State National Bank over Jimmy's E8-20, 6-2; Shuffle Inn Gals over Silver Bullets, 6-2; Gold Rollers over Team Fourteen, 6-2; Big Spring Tire over

and 2259; hi hdp team game and series Coahoma Cafe, 860 and 2541.
 STANDINGS — Casual Shoppe, 60-12; Parks Agency, Inc., 54-18; Hester's Supply Co., 52-20; Headhunters Beauty Salon, 48-24; Arrow Refrigeration Co., 46-26; Coca-Cola, 44-28; Double R Cattle Co., 40-32; Coahoma Beauty Center, 40-32; Quality Rubber Stamps, 38-34; K C Steak House, 38-34; Saunders OED, 36-36; Big Spring Instrument, 36-36; Donuts Etc., 34-38; L H Office Center, 34-38; Added Touch, 33-39; Coahoma Cafe, 31-41; N.A.L.C. #2, 30-42; N.A.L.C. #1, 26-46; Timbers At Work, 26-46; C & T Cleaners, 26-46; Rehab Rollers, 24-48; Dudes & Dudesettes, 24-48; Henderson Hereford, 22-50; Moss Creek Lake, 22-50.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
 RESULTS — Big Spring Instrument over 1st National Bank, 8-0; Wilson Auto Elec. over A To Z Welding, 6-2; Texas Highway Maint. over Coors, 6-2; Tune Insurance over Elfin Magic, 8-0; Tucker Construction over F.C.I. Eagles, 6-2; hi game and series Travis Red, 212 and Jerry McGuire, 539; hi team game and series Tune Insurance, 1017 and 2896.
 STANDINGS — Texas Highway Maint., 46-26; Tucker Construction, 44-28; Wilson Auto Elec. one game postponed, 38-26; F.C.I. Eagles, 38-34; Tune Insurance, 34-38; Elfin Magic (one game postponed), 34-30; Big Spring Instrument, 32-40; Coors, 32-40; A To Z Welding, 28-44; 1st National, 26-46.

GUYS & DOLLS
 RESULTS — Arrow Refrigeration over Pinkie's, 6-2; Parks Oil Co. over Fifth Wheels, 6-2; Andrews Transport over Strikers, 6-2; Van's Well Service, Inc. over Photo-Magic Studio, 6-2; hi sc. game and series (man) Jack Griffin Sr., 213 and 595; hi sc. game and series (woman) Donna Palmer, 189 and 498; hi hdp game and series (man) J.M. Ringener, 245 and 652; hi hdp game and series (woman) Donna Palmer, 233 and 630; hi sc. team game and series Andrews Transport, 668 and Van's Well Service, Inc., 1945; hi hdp team game and series Photo-Magic Studio, 837 and Van's Well Service, Inc., 2371.
 STANDINGS — Pinkie's, 52-28; Andrews Transport, 50-30; Fifth Wheels, 44-36; Arrow Refrigeration, 40-40; Strikers, 40-40; Photo-Magic Studio, 32-48; Parks Oil Co., 32-48; Van's Well Service, Inc., 30-50.

TUESDAY COUPLES
 RESULTS — Headhunters Beauty Salon over Moss Creek Lake, 8-0; Parks Agency, Inc. over Quality Rubber Stamps, 8-0; Arrow Refrigeration Co. over Dues & Dudesettes, 8-0; Coahoma Cafe over Double R Cattle Co., 8-0; Casual Shoppe over Rehab Rollers, 6-2; N.A.L.C. #2 over KC Steak House, 6-2; Coahoma Beauty Center over Henderson Hereford, 6-2; L H Office Center over Hester's Supply Co., 6-2; Coca Cola over Added Touch, 6-2; N.A.L.C. #1 over C & T Cleaners, 8-0; Donuts Etc. tied Big Spring Instrument, 4-4; hi sc. game and series (man) Kenny McMurtrey, 234 and 649; hi sc. game and series (woman) Joyce Davis, 247 and 614; hi hdp game and series (man) Danny Clark, 262 and 714; hi hdp game and series (woman) Joie Salavato, 255 and 653; hi sc. team game and series Headhunters Beauty Salon, 776

28-36; Slow Starters, 22-42.
WEDNESDAY NITE TRIO
 RESULTS — Rob & Sons over Neals Pharmacy, 8-0; Cat Construction over Rowland Real Estate, 6-2; Big Spring Music over Security State Bank, 6-2; Loan Corral split with Slow Starters, 4-4; hi sc. game and series (man) Walter Little, 238 and 596; hi hdp game and series (man) Walter Little, 267 and 683; hi sc. game and series (woman) Joyce Davis, 265 and 686; hi hdp game and series (woman) Joyce Davis, 278 and 725; hi sc. team game and series Big Spring Music, 628 and 1812; hi hdp team game and series Golden Corral, 706 and Big Spring Music, 1959; splits converted — Bill Bodin, 4-7-9; Wanda Lockhart, 4-7-9.
 STANDINGS — Big Spring Music, 48-24; Security State Bank, 40-32; Loan Stars (unopposed), 38-26; Golden Corral, 36-36; Rob & Sons (postponed), 36-28; Cat Construction, 34-38; Willies Weebles, 33-39; Rowland Real Estate, 31-41; Neals Pharmacy, 30-42; Slow Starters, 26-46.

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KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Named Adrian Garrett hitting coach and Lynn Jones first base coach. Moved Bob Schaefer from first base coach to dugout coach.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Named Phil Niekro manager of Richmond of the International League. Named Jim Beauchamp coach; Ned Yost bullpen coach; and Dean Taylor assistant general manager. Reassigned Roy Majjika to a job in their minor league system.
CHICAGO CUBS—Sold the contract of Marvell Wynne, outfielder, to the Hanshin Tigers of the Japanese Central League.
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Pacific Coast League
LAS VEGAS STARS—Named Jon Matlack pitching coach.
Texas League
WICHITA WRANGLERS—Rehired Steve Lubratic manager.
Senior Professional Baseball League
SUN CITY RAYS—Signed Bob Galasso, Mike Cosgrove, Andy Hassler and Roy Thomas, pitchers; Tony Scott, Jim Dwyer and Rick Lancelotti, outfielders; Barry

BASKETBALL
National Basketball League
ATLANTA HAWKS—Placed Alexander Volkov, forward, on the injured list.
BOSTON CELTICS—Placed John Bagley and Charles Smith, guards, on the injured list. Waived Sasha Dordevic, guard.
CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Waived Riley Smith, forward. Placed Milos Babic, center, on the injured list.
DENVER NUGGETS—Waived Randy Allen, forward. Announced the retirement of Bob "Chopper" Travaglini, trainer and traveling secretary.
HOUSTON ROCKETS—Waived Roy Marble and Byron Dinkins, guards. Placed Matt Bullard and Buck Johnson, forwards, on the injured list.
LOS ANGELES LAKERS—Placed Irving Thomas, forward, on the injured list.
MIAMI HEAT—Placed Keith Askins, guard-forward, and Alan Ogg, center, on the injured list.
NEW YORK KNICKS—Placed John Starks, guard, and Kenny Walker, forward, on the injured list.
SAN ANTONIO SPURS—Waived Mike Mitchell, forward.
SACRAMENTO KINGS—Signed Rick Calloway, forward. Placed Anthony Bonner, forward, on the injured list.
Continental Basketball Association
LA CROSSE CATIBRDS—Waived Ricky Spiser, guard, and Jeff McFadden, forward.
World Basketball League
ERIE WAVE—Named Billy Kalbaugh coach.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League
BUFFALO SABRES—Recalled Brad Miller, defenseman, and Rob Ray, right wing, from Rochester of the American Hockey League.
HARTFORD WHALERS—Sent Mikael Anderson, left wing, to Springfield of the American Hockey League.
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Assigned Gord Dineen, defenseman, to Muskegon of the International Hockey League.
COLLEGE
PEACH BELT ATHLETIC CONFERENCE—Announced Augusta College will be a member beginning in 1991-92.
JACKSONVILLE—Suspended Steve Gilbert, center, indefinitely from the basketball team for missing classes.
WILLIAM PATERSON—Announced the resignation of John Wilson, assistant baseball coach, so he can join the Minnesota Twins organization as a scout.

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Names in the news

SEATTLE (AP) — It was a Halloween trick all right, but was the sight of five naked men dancing onstage with rocker Billy Idol a treat?

Idol told the crowd of 14,000 at Seattle Coliseum he knew something would happen because Wednesday was the last night of the tour — the night band members traditionally play pranks on each other.

Not to mention that Idol had already had 600 dead fish dumped on Faith No More as they opened the show — in a soggy, smelly gag spoofing one of the band's video that shows a fish flopping on the ground.



BO JACKSON
When the payback came, Idol grinned widely as the naked men cavorted onstage in a conga line, wearing only masks or T-shirts over their heads.

BILLY IDOL
NEW YORK (AP) — Growing up without a father made two-sport

professional athlete Bo Jackson appreciate his mother even more.

"My mom is my dad. She's the only mom and dad I know," Jackson says in Sunday's issue of Parade magazine. "Whenever she needs me, I don't care what I'm doing. I'm gonna drop it and go to her, 'cause that's all that matters."

Jackson, speaking with his autobiography collaborator, Dick Schapp, vividly recalled not having a dad when he grew up. The book is called "Bo Knows Bo."

"We never had enough food. But at least I could beat on other kids and steal their lunch money and buy myself something to eat," says Jackson.

Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1990

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: A complicated situation will come to a head by the end of December. Making a fresh start in January will increase your financial security. Give your loved ones plenty of emotional support. They need your encouragement more than you realize! Seek the spotlight at work next May. A move to another city will put you in touch with valuable new allies. A romantic fling adds glamour to your social life.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Charles Bronson, comic Dennis Miller, boxer Larry Holmes, quarterback Phil Simms.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Keep your goals in proper perspective and you will do just fine. Act greedy, however, and you may be the one who ends up shortchanged. A chance meeting could spell romance this evening.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Try

to be more careful with your money. Accept an invitation only if certain that someone else will foot the bill. A prominent person bestows a personal favor. There may be strings attached.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): It may be time to clear the air with your mate or partner. Try not to make specific plans until you feel on more solid ground. A child could be obstinate. Back off; use a softer approach.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Young people play a more important role in your plans now. Do not take on more responsibility than you can handle. Someone close to you feels competitive. Avoid indulging in power plays.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Serious matters may require legal attention. Catch up on odd jobs. A conservative friend makes some changes that surprise you. Watch what you eat.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Someone's words could be misinterpreted. Do not let your friends' problems sap your strength. If you get caught up in their dreams, you will not be free to pursue your own objectives.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Although you receive credit for effort and determination today, others may question your accomplishments.

Time will prove you right. Singles should be cautious about dates tonight.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Be generous when assessing other people and they will probably return the favor. Restless energy may make it hard for you to concentrate today. Join a large group tonight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your high intelligence makes it easy for you to solve other people's problems. Unfortunately, you may not handle your own affairs quite so well. Relax at home tonight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A good day for household chores and self-improvement projects. Pay more attention to your personal appearance, especially if in the market for a new romantic partner.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): If you feel confused about the general direction of your life, talk things over with a close friend. Then set specific goals and work toward them. Enlist the cooperation of your family.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Conclude the week by going over your financial situation. Making up a new budget will not do any good unless you stick to it. Charitable acts will pay off handsomely in the near future.

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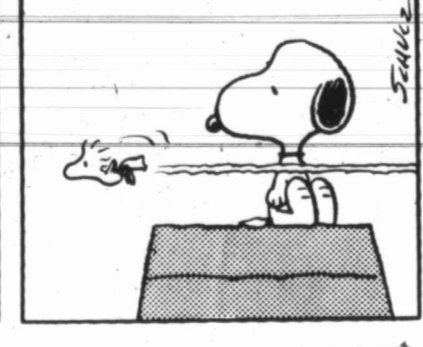
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THE FAMILY CIRCUS



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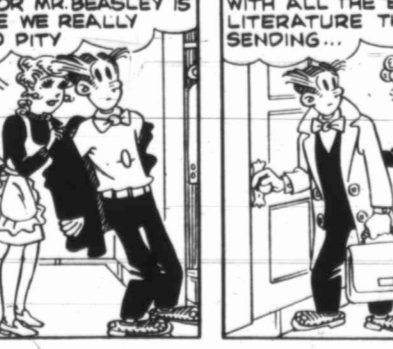
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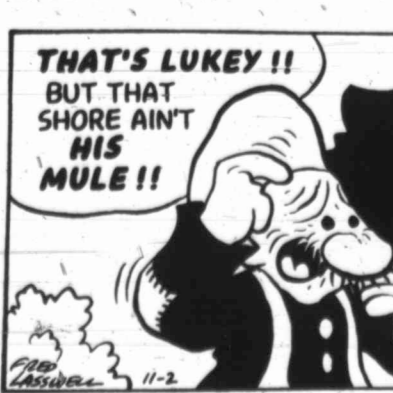
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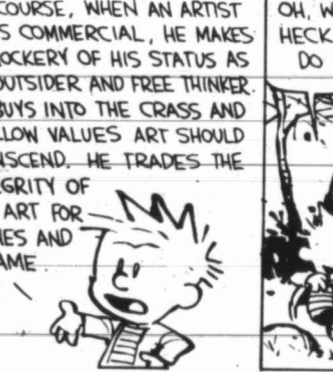
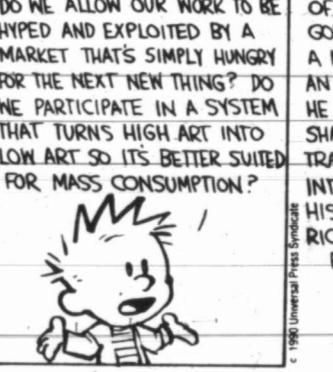
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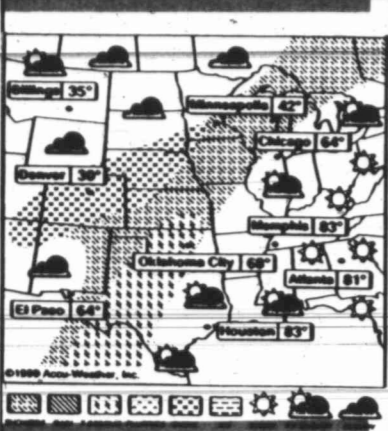
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Rainfall Thursday	0.00
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Year to date	18.87
Normal for year	17.05

GHS seniors selling flower

LENORAH — Grady High School's senior class is selling poinsettias through Nov. 29. The flowers will be on sale for \$10 each and will be delivered Dec. 3. For more information call 459-2445.

FFA selling turkeys, fruit

Stanton High School Future Farmers of America will be selling turkeys door-to-door around the community until today, according to FFA member Wesley Hardin. FFA fruit sales will continue until Nov. 14. Oranges, apples and grapefruits will be available, according to FFA sponsor Randal Redder. Anyone wanting to purchase a Thanksgiving turkey or fruit for the upcoming holidays may contact any FFA member or leave a message at the high school office, 756-3326.

St. Joseph site of carnival

St. Joseph Catholic Church will sponsor an All-Saints carnival at the church's parish hall Saturday, according to assistant coordinator Teri Marquez. The carnival is scheduled to last from 6:30 p.m. until midnight. Booths such as tic-tac-toe, fish pond, cake walk, balloons, darts, wheel of fortune, hamburgers, burritos and bingo are scheduled. The Knights of Columbus will help coordinate the carnival.

Forsan seniors to sponsor supper

The Forsan High School senior class will sponsor an all-you-can-eat spaghetti supper from 6-7:30 p.m. today in the FHS cafeteria prior to the Stanton-Forsan football game. The cost of the supper will be \$4 for adults, \$3 for students and \$2 for preschoolers.

'Killer bee' quarantine lifted

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — A two-mile quarantine imposed last month near Hidalgo in South Texas where officials discovered the nation's first known swarm of so-called "killer bees" is being lifted because no more have been found. The quarantine, which restricted movement of managed bee colonies into and out of a 12.6-square-mile area, was to end at 8 a.m. today, said Paul Jackson, chief inspector for the Texas Apiary Inspection Service, an arm of Texas A&M University. "We just haven't found any more Africanized bees," Jackson said Thursday. But a quarantine that bars commercial movement of bees out of South Texas will remain in effect in eight counties.

Bufs beat twice

HERALD STAFF REPORT — The Stanton Junior High seventh- and eighth-grade teams had a tough go of it in Thursday action. The eighth-grade Bufs fell, 24-12 to Forsan, while the seventh graders bowed to Seagraves, 30-6.

Eighth grade game
The Forsan eighth grade traveled to Stanton to take on the eighth grade Bufs here Thursday night and left town with a 24-12 win. Stanton won the toss, elected to receive and returned the ball to its own 43-yard line. Unable to move the ball, however, they set up to punt the ball to the visitors. The punter bobbled the snap and Forsan set up shop at the Bufs 21-yard line.

The visiting Bufs drove the ball down to the Stanton five-yard line and scored on the next play. The points after was good and the visitors led 8-0 in the first quarter. After both teams failed to move the ball on downs, Stanton took over at its own 47-yard line.

Stanton's Jere Lee took a J.J. Ortiz handoff and moved downfield to the 10-yard line. Quincy Brown found the endzone from there, the PAT try was stopped and Forsan held a 8-6 halftime lead.

Forsan returned the second-half kickoff to its own 28-yard line. Driving hard through the home team's defense, the visiting Bufs had a first and 10 from the Stanton 20-yard line. Forsan's running back then scampered 20 yards for another touchdown. The PAT was converted and Forsan led 16-6 as the third quarter came to an end.

In the final quarter, Forsan wasted no time after getting a turnover at the Stanton 37 yard line. From there, a perfectly executed drive by Forsan put the ball on the Stanton 10-yard line. The Forsan quarterback took it himself and scored the third touchdown of the night to give the visiting team a 24-6 lead.

Forsan got another turnover and moved the ball into scoring position. After a penalty, Stanton stopped the Bufs on downs and got the ball at its own five-yard line. Ortiz went back to pass into his own endzone and found Brown who took the ball the length of the field and scored the final touchdown of the night.

Seventh grade game
The Stanton seventh grade went to Seagraves to take on the Eagles Thursday night. The Eagles played the route host, as they plucked the Bufs 30-6.

Seagraves started the ball rolling with a 30-yard run with 4:31 left in the first quarter. The PAT was good and the Eagles led 8-0.

The Bufs started their drive on their own 36-yard line. Quarterback Taylor Looney found George Cox for a 46-yard pass all the way to the Seagraves five-yard line. From there, Jerrod Stallings scored to cut the lead to 8-6 with 2:23 left in the opening quarter.

The two teams traded possessions. **• BUFFS page 10-A**



Harvest festival

Bobby Haislip takes his turn at the bean toss event at Wednesday's Harvest Festival at the community center in the photo at right. At left, a group of children are dressed as characters from the Noah's Ark Bible story. They are, bottom row, left to right: Kirk and Eric

Canada, Amanda Clevenger and Will Harris; back row, left to right: Keagan Johnson, Daniel and Michael Harris and Josh Carson.

'Best band herd' to try for berth at state meet

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ Staff Writer

After a second place finish in district competition last Saturday, the Stanton High School Buffalo Band travels back to Odessa for regionals Saturday.

"We did a great job last weekend. We have to work on our spacing between band members, play better and more in tune, but we have the equipment and personnel to do this," said Kirke McKenzie, SHS band director.

"We received great scores from the judges last weekend. They expressed their appreciation on a great show design and selection of music. Our auxiliary, the Flag Corps, did a great job adding to our show design," McKenzie added.

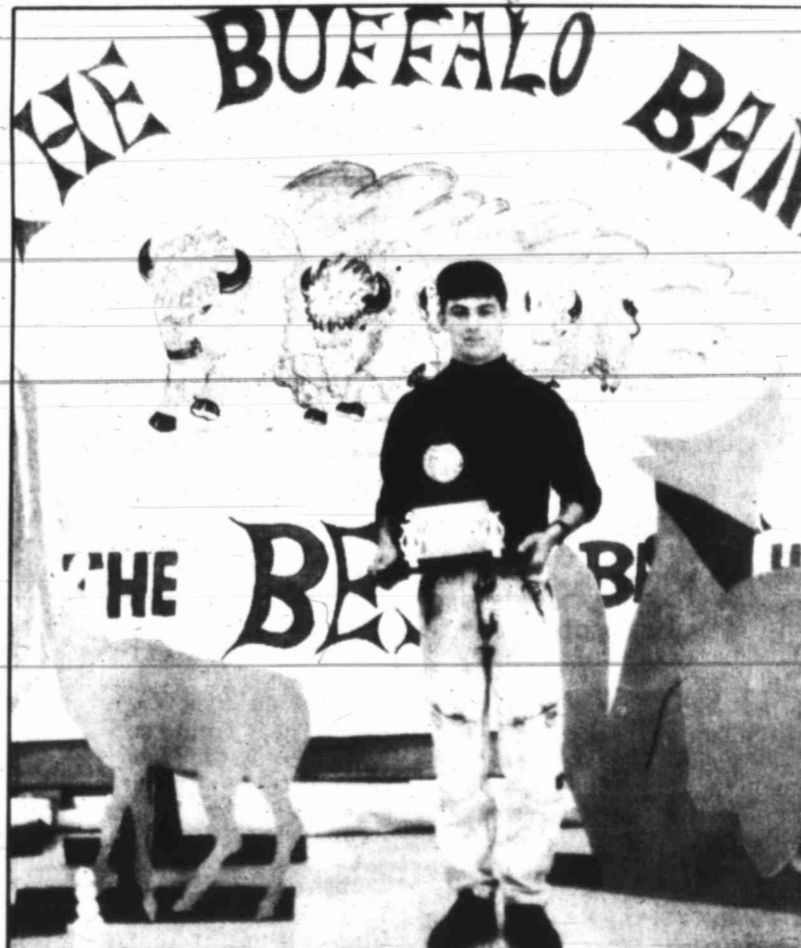
"We are very nervous right now, but we will be ready to go to state after this weekend," said junior Drum Major Blaine Hall.

According to McKenzie, the band is very excited to be able to go and participate in this year's marching contest. "They are very confident they can beat Iraan this time around. We barely lost point-wise last week at district, but we cannot take anything from Iraan. They have a good band and we have to be at our best to come out on top," he said.

"We have been practicing real hard for this chance and we feel that we can compete and win Regionals," he added.

The competition will begin at 11:30 a.m. with Class A. Stanton will begin Class AA competition at 1 p.m., followed by Stratford, Iraan, Sundown, Abernathy, and Canadian. The cost for admission will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.

The contest will be judged on a 5,000-point scale. There will be five



Stanton High School drum major Blaine Hall holds the Division I trophy the SHS band won at district competition recently. Saturday, 'the best band herd' will compete at 1 p.m. in regional competition at Odessa.

judges and a perfect score from each judge is 1,000 points. The points are as follows: 0-500 on music, 0-350 for marching and 0-150 for show design. The top two bands in each class will be eligible to go to state, McKenzie said.

"We encourage all our fans to be there Saturday and sit together. The more fans we have the more energetic performance the kids will do. Wear school colors so they can recognize Stanton," McKenzie said.

Iraqis say more Americans to be released

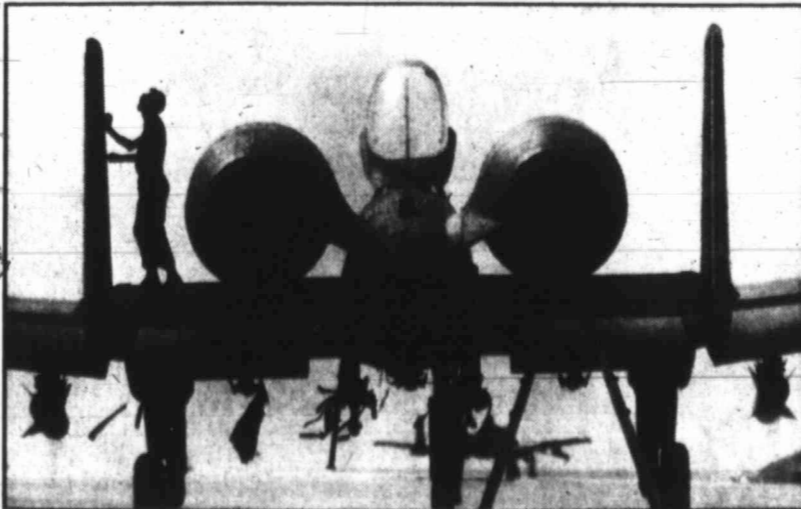
By ANDREA HAMILTON Associated Press Writer

Four more Americans in Iraq will likely be freed this weekend, diplomats said today. Baghdad reacted angrily to U.S. and British efforts to discourage hostage relatives from traveling to Iraq for the holidays.

President Bush, meanwhile, denounced Saddam Hussein's claims that the hostages are well-treated.

Bush suggested Thursday that in some forms of brutality, the Iraqi president had surpassed even Hitler — raising some eyebrows by comparing Saddam to the man who ordered the extermination of millions of people in World War II.

Also today, Kuwait's exiled crown prince and prime minister said economic sanctions had failed, and efforts to find an Arab solution to the gulf crisis are "a waste of time" as long as Saddam won't listen. The Kuwaiti News Agency,



SAUDI ARABIA — Air Force Sgt. Austin Stevens goes about his duties as crew chief for this A-10 anti-tank plane stationed at a Saudi airfield.

which is operating in exile, carried a statement by Sheik Saad al-Abdullah al-Sabah reiterating Kuwaiti calls for a military assault

to drive the Iraqis out of the conquered emirate. And Saudi sources said Syria is to send more land troops to Saudi

Richards closing the gap

By STEVEN L. ARTERS Associated Press Writer

SAN ANTONIO — With Democrat Ann Richards closing the gap in opinion polls and election day nearing, Republican gubernatorial hopeful Clayton Williams is getting help from the GOP's biggest guns.

Two new opinion polls today showed a tightening race.

A Mason-Dixon poll conducted for various media outlets showed Williams at 45 percent support and Richards at 43 percent; a Texas Poll showed the race 42-35 for Williams.

"Even if I was a betting man, I wouldn't place any bets on this one," James Dyer, who directed the Texas Poll, told the *Austin American Statesman*.

Having already received an in-person endorsement from former President Ronald Reagan, Williams is scheduled to spend his final day on the campaign Monday stumping with President Bush.

He's also campaigned alongside U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm and began airing a TV commercial this week featuring first lady Barbara Bush and former Dallas Cowboys Tom Landry.

Williams says he appreciates the assistance.

"I need all the help I can get," he said Thursday. "I'm very proud to tie to the administration. While George Bush may have been attacked, well, Lord, not me. I support his Desert Shield. He's my friend."

But Richards, campaigning in Texas, said Williams needs more than help from big-name Republicans. Williams has made Texas a "laughingstock" with his blunders, she charged.

"It's not just what's happening in Texas. Everybody is looking here and saying, 'What in the world is going on?'" Richards said.

Williams this week expressed ignorance of a proposed constitutional amendment he already had voted on affecting gubernatorial appointments. He later said he temporarily forgot the proposal. Other campaign gaffes have included Williams making a joke about rape, for which he apologized.

"It's just one sort of misstep after another," Richards said. She said the gaffes have helped her gain on Williams in polls.

"The one thing they (polls) are consistent on is showing that we are gaining. And as long as we're doing that, I feel very, very good about our possibility to win this race on Tuesday," Richards said.

The Mason-Dixon Poll was based on phone interviews with 824 likely voters between Mon-

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Spring board

How's that?

Q. What was the world's first newspaper?

A. The first newspaper in the world was probably Tsing Pao, a court journal published in China. It is said to have begun as early as the 500s and continued until 1935, according to North American Precise Syndicate, Inc.

Calendar

Football

TODAY

● Stanton vs Forsan; away; 8 p.m.
● Grady vs Sands; away; 7:30 p.m.

● The Forsan High School senior class will sponsor a spaghetti supper from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the F.H.S. cafeteria. Adults - \$4; students - \$3; and pre-school - \$2.

SATURDAY

● All-Saints Carnival at St. Joseph Catholic Church from 6:30 p.m. to midnight. Bingo, etc.

● Pee Wee Super Bowl at 7:30 p.m.

● The Buffalo Band is performing in the regional competition at 1 p.m. at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa. The Buffs will be one of eight schools competing.

Stork Club

Born to Javier and Imelda Hernandez, Garden City, a son, Edgar Hernandez, Oct. 30, 1990 at 3:43 p.m., weighing 10 pounds; delivered by Dr. Sue K. Fisher. Edgar is the baby brother of Javier Jr., 5.

Anniversary



TOM AND IRENE SMITH

The children of Tom and Irene Smith request the pleasure of your company at a reception to celebrate the 60th wedding anniversary for their parents on Sunday, Nov. 4, 1990, at 2 p.m. at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall in Stanton.

Buff's

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sions before Seagraves scored again. The Eagles took over at its own 14-yard line with 6:50 left in the first half. Six plays later, Seagraves scored on a 39-yard run, added the two-point PAT and led 16-6 with 4:33 left in the second quarter.

The Buffs tried a fake punt from its own 15-yard line and failed and the Eagles took over from there. The Eagles scored on the next play, boosting their lead to 22-6.

The Eagles added another touchdown late in the third quarter, giving Seagraves a 30-6 win. In the final quarter the Buffs scored an apparent touchdown, but it was called back after a penalty.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Hearing on the Petition to Annex parts of Northwest Howard County into the Martin County Underground Water Conservation District. The Area under consideration to be annexed is as follows:

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Gramm: Gulf conflict may be impossible to avoid

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — It may not be possible to avoid a military conflict in the Middle East, although efforts to prevent one need to continue, said Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, while campaigning here.

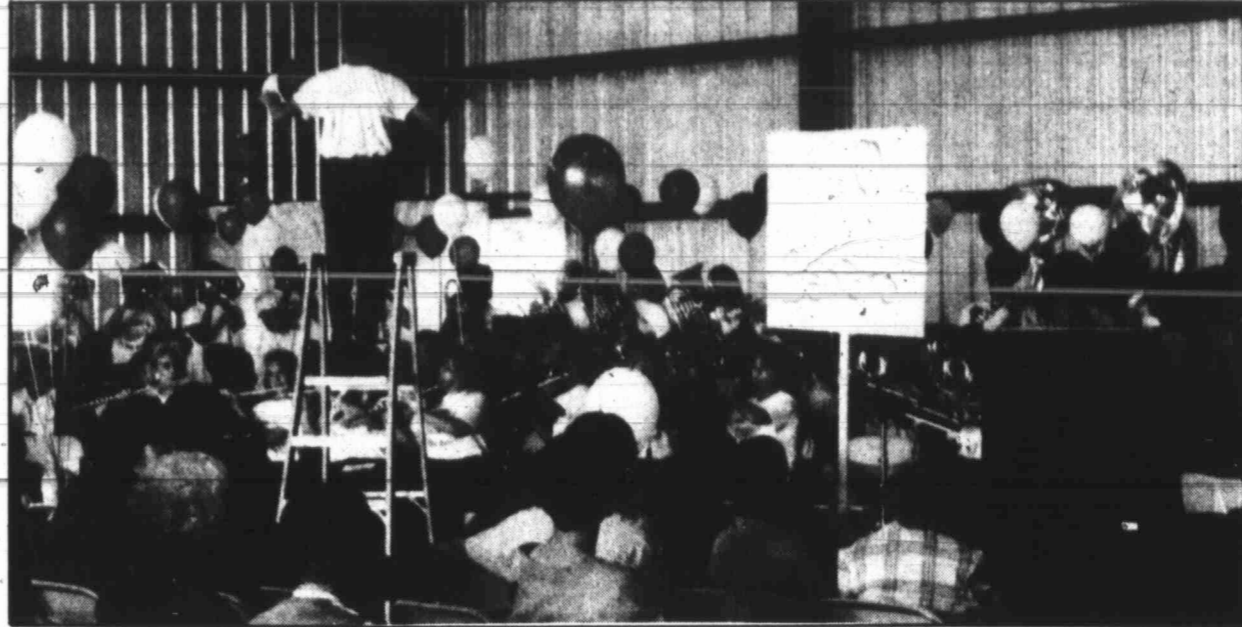
"There's a limit to our patience," Gramm said Thursday of complaints of Iraq's harsh treatment of American hostages. Iraq soldiers are trying to starve American diplomats out of the embassy in Kuwait, which was overrun by Iraq Aug. 2, according to reports. Hundreds of Westerners are reportedly being held at strategic installations as shields against a feared attack.

"I'm hoping that a conflict can be avoided but I'm not optimistic," Gramm said following a rally at McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark. He added, "If we can avoid a conflict, we need to."

Gramm, of College Station, made his comments minutes after a speech in which he asked voters to elect him to a second six-year term so he can keep pushing an agenda which includes less government spending and anti-drug laws and programs.

Gramm, who is running against Democrat Hugh Parmer, Ft. Worth, addressed about 100 people attending the "Old Fashioned Patriotic Rally" at the Basin Aviation hangar. Also on the ticket is Libertarian candidate Gary Johnson.

"I came back to Big Spring to ask you to renew my contract for another six years," said Gramm, who received several rounds of applause as he listed legislation he has worked on. "I want to go back to Washington to work for an



BIG SPRING — Director Kirke McKenzie and the Stanton High School Band perform during a rally here Thursday for Texas Sen. Phil Gramm.

Gramm, campaigning for re-election, said armed conflict in the Persian Gulf region may be impossible to avoid.

America where families are only limited by the size of their dreams."

He also endorsed Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams, Midland, who faces Democrat Ann Richards, Waco. "I want to ask you for help in some of these other races," he said.

Five Republican candidates running in local races, three of them contested, were on hand to greet Gramm as he stepped from the plane.

Gramm, an author of the Gramm-Rudman Act, which calls for the budget to be balanced by 1996, said making government bigger or smaller is not the answer to spending problems. It needs to be

done by "tightening the purse strings on government so you don't have to tighten your purse strings," he said.

He voted against the deficit budget passed by Congress Saturday, which includes a projected \$496 billion deficit-reduction plan, saying cuts were not stringent enough.

"At least we wrote one," Gramm said. "Without Gramm-Rudman there wouldn't have been anything done with the deficit." He said he was happy that at least it included incentives for people to invest in oil and gas.

Gramm named several other pieces of legislation he has worked on, including repealing the windfall

profits tax and a five-year plan to eliminate differences in government reimbursements to hospitals. West Texas hospitals are getting reimbursed 25 percent less than hospitals in New York and Chicago, he said.

Drug initiatives he has pushed include funding \$100 million for multi-county drug task forces, mandatory 10-year sentences without parole for people who sell drugs to a minor and death sentences for people who kill law officers.

Concerning the governor's race, he said voters only need to ask themselves two questions: who has the business know-how to rebuild Texas and who has the credibility to help wage a war on drugs.

"On those issues the choice cannot be clearer," he said.

Asked about 4,000 cases of Coca-Cola collected in Big Spring and Lubbock to be sent to troops in Saudi Arabia but stuck in Lubbock until channels can be cleared, Gramm said, "I'll get on it. I'll see that they get it." The month-long Operation Oasis featured a "note with a Coke" to soldiers from those donating the cases.

Greeting Gramm was District 69 Rep. Troy Fraser, 118th District Judge Bob Moore, County Judge John Coffee, Precinct 4 commissioner candidate Robert Crenshaw and district-clerk candidate Judi Atkins. Fraser and Moore are running unopposed.

Fraser introduced Gramm to the crowd. "As I looked to the northeast," he said of Gramm's presence in Washington, "I saw a ray of sanity coming back in this direction."

Also speaking was Big Spring Police Chief Joe Cook. He told the crowd that Gramm receiving endorsements from 157 chiefs of police is a strong message. "That's tremendous," he said. He characterized policemen as "realists," and said, "That is quite a statement."

Gramm, who was the District 6 congressman for six years before taking office as senator, sits on the budget, appropriations and the banking, housing and urban affairs committees.

Also on hand to greet Gramm was the Stanton High School band, which won Division I honors in a District 6-2A meet Saturday, and the Howard College jazz band, Night Hawks. Conducting the invocation were Boy Scouts from Troop 5 in Big Spring.



Associated Press photo

Whistle stop

SEGUIN — Texas Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams speaks from the back of a train here Friday morning. Williams began his

whistle-stop trip with his family in San Antonio and is travelling to College Station.

Mideast

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tioned in Kuwait and now in Baghdad, and Michael Barnes.

Trinh, a Vietnamese American, is suffering from an acute ulcer and Gales had unspecified medical problems, the official said on condition he not be further identified.

No details were given on Barnes and it was not known whether Kangsi was sick. Kangsi, an Indian American, was on a holy pilgrimage when the crisis started.

The official Iraqi News Agency said the government was acting on a petition from the Arab-American Reconciliation Society.

Diplomats, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the men would not leave Baghdad before Saturday, when government offices reopen and paperwork can be processed. Friday is the Moslem sabbath.

Thousands of foreigners, including about 1,000 Americans, remain in Iraq and Kuwait. Iraq has selectively freed hundreds of them. The latest mass release was of

about 300 French nationals this week.

Iraq has said relatives of the hostages should come visit them over the holidays, but Western governments have responded skeptically and advised citizens not to travel to Iraq.

The Iraqi Foreign Ministry today criticized that reaction, saying that the United States and Britain "have no respect for human values." Jassim said these governments "are totally inhumane."

The British Foreign Office asked relatives not to go, but 10 wives of British hostages said they will fly to Iraq next week to seek their husbands' freedom. Other relatives welcomed Iraq's offer to let them visit at Christmas.

"We know our husbands are suffering, and we just want to go back and rescue them," said Dorothy Goodwin, leader of the group of wives.

On Thursday, Jassim insisted that "all the Americans at sites have complete freedom."

"They can watch TV, read books

and read newspapers. They also enjoy the friendship of Iraqi forces," he said.

Bush denounced the hostage holding on Thursday and criticized Saddam with his harshest accusations yet.

"They have committed outrageous acts of barbarism," Bush said of Saddam's forces. "Brutality — I don't believe that Adolf Hitler ever participated in anything of that nature."

"The brutality against innocent citizens will not be tolerated and will not stand," he told an audience in Burlington, Mass.

The remark about Hitler surprised some people in the audience. Bush was asked later at his Florida news conference whether his comparison might be overdrawn. "I don't think I'm overstating it," he replied.

Richards

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day and Wednesday. It had a margin of error of 3.5 percentage points. Since Oct. 11, that survey said, Williams' support has fallen from 51 percent to 45 percent.

The Texas Poll, conducted Oct. 19-29 by the Public Policy Resources Laboratory of Texas A&M University for Harte-Hanks Communications, involved phone interviews with 622 likely voters and had a margin of error of 4 percentage points.

Williams attended a campaign rally at the Austin Opera House on Thursday night, two-stepping with wife Modesta and picking up the support of yet another name, former University of Texas football star Earl Campbell.

"I've been like a person in a closet and I don't say a lot about politics," Campbell told the rally.

"I don't do a lot about politics. There's going to be a lot of people disappointed with what I've

decided to do as far as politics are concerned, but that's their business. I think it's time I chose a side. I think Clayton Williams will be great governor, and I wish him and Modesta good luck," he said.

At an earlier rally at the University of North Texas in Denton, Richards took after Williams' proposal to put young drug offenders to work "bustin' rocks."

"The slogan 'has never made a lot of sense to me,' Richards said.

"He said... they're going to take these rocks and they're going to build benches and picnic tables," she said, laughing. "I laid a patio one time, and I would tell you that anybody putting a plate on that picnic table is going to have a mighty tippy deal."

Richards said more prison space is needed, but she wouldn't estimate how much.

Ruby estate missing several items

DALLAS (AP) — Several items, including the holster of the gun used to kill Lee Harvey Oswald, and a pair of brass knuckles, are missing from Jack Ruby's estate, attorneys for the Ruby family say.

The Ruby family is trying to wrest control of the estate, which includes the .38-caliber Colt Cobra used to kill Oswald, from executor Jules Mayer.

The family is challenging a 1950 will, which appointed Mayer executor. If it succeeds, the family will sell some of the items, including the gun, to help pay family debts.

Other missing items, attorneys say, include Ruby's driver's license, calling cards and a Western Union cable he sent to a topless dancer minutes before shooting Oswald. Oswald was accused of shooting President John

F. Kennedy.

To determine whether the items are missing, Probate Judge Robert Price ordered Mayer's attorneys Thursday to bring all estate items to court Friday.

Ruby shot Oswald as he was being transported from a Dallas jail to a county facility.

Some French newspapers reported the Colt Cobra will be up for sale Monday, even though the ownership is still in dispute.

Those rumors are a little far-fetched, according to Carolyn Foxworth, vice-president of Christie's and the auction house's southwestern representative.

Most auction houses like Christie's require several months notice before selling something. Also, because ownership of the gun is still being argued, no one would be able to sell it.

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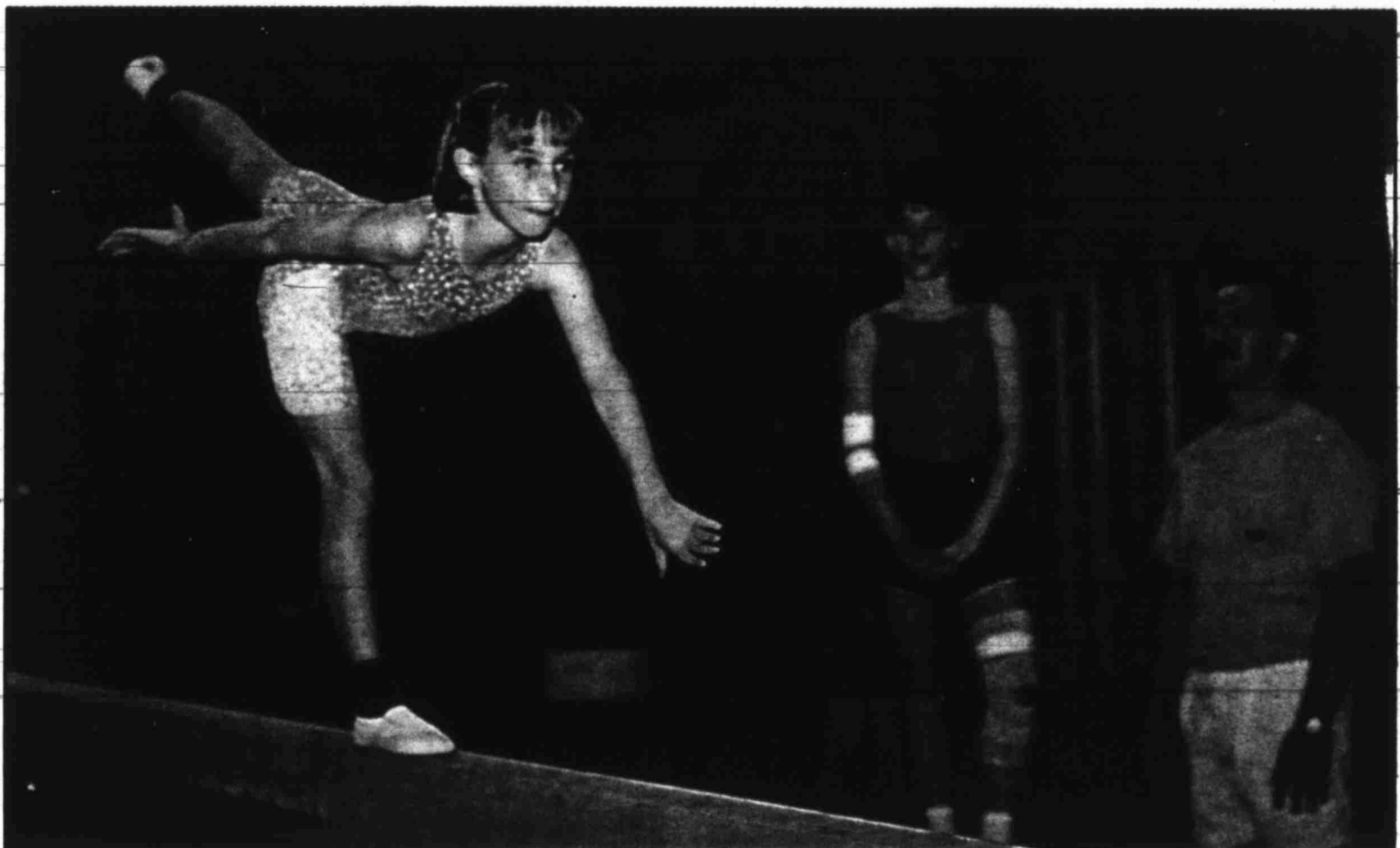
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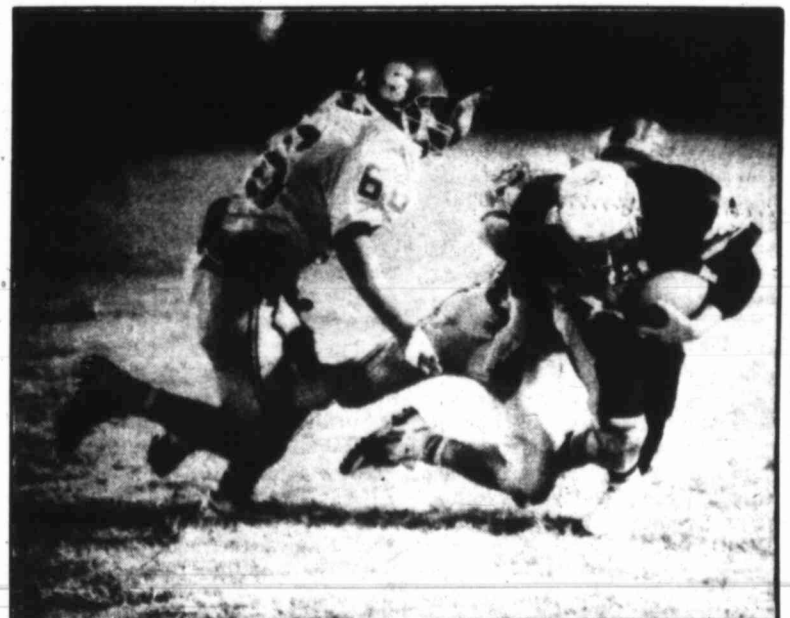


Balancing act

Eleven-year-old Elizabeth Driver, left, practices her balance beam routine while her coach, Russ McEwen, and teammate Karen Neighbors watch during a workout at the Big Spring YMCA. Elizabeth is profiled in the Storyteller section, beginning on page 12.



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Big Spring Steers fullback Steven Robles (44) throws a block on Pecos Eagles cornerback Ismael Ramirez (10) as Steers wingback Neal Mayfield (24) carries the ball during first half action Friday night at Memorial Stadium. Big Spring remained in first place in District 3-4A with a 25-15 win.

Herald photo by Steve Poitevin

Big Spring Steers hold on to first place

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

The Big Spring Steers withstood a third quarter Pecos rally to beat the Eagles 25-15 in District 3-4A play Friday night at Memorial Stadium.

Big Spring remained in first place in the district race with the win, raising its record to 4-0. The No. 9 ranked Steers are 6-1-1 for the season; Pecos fell to 0-4 and 2-6.

The Steers seemed to have things well in hand in the process of taking an 18-0 halftime lead. But the fiery Eagles came out in the third quarter, took advantage of a strong wind in Big Spring's face and several major penalties against the Steers, to notch two touchdowns.

Suddenly, a noisy Steers' crowd turned quiet, and the Big Spring lead was trimmed to 18-15.

But the Steers answered the challenge by icing the game with a time-consuming drive in the fourth quarter. The Man of the Hour was tailback Jermaine Miller. The drive was vintage Miller, as he rammed his way right into the heart of the Pecos defense, ripping all the life out of the fired-up Eagles.

The drive began at the Big Spring nine-yard-line. The Steers went 15 plays, eating up six minutes of the clock. Big Spring tried one pass; Miller carried 10 times in the drive. Neal Mayfield, Steven Robles and Ramon Ortega got the call on the other running plays.

Miller kept the drive alive by driving for six yards on a fourth- and six play from the Pecos 23. He finished the drive by banging in from four yards out. Mayfield's extra point served notice: the contest was over.

Miller turned in another workhorse performance. He finished the contest with 39 carries for 200 yards, and three touchdowns. In his spare time, he also came through with some big plays at his outside linebacker position.

For the fourth consecutive game, the Steer defense wore its coat of armor. For the fourth consecutive game, the opponent was held to less than 100 yards total offense. The Eagles finished the contest with 98; 73 on the ground and 25 in the air.

Ends Fernando Alvarez and Allen Baker registered quarterback sacks, and outside linebacker Richard Krissen, filling in for in-

jured Kevin Rodgers, picked off his second pass of the year.

"We didn't play very well in the third quarter," said Steers coach David Thompson. "We came out and got a couple of first downs, and we got those penalties, and that hurt us, along with the win. There was no doubt about us winning, but we didn't play with much intensity."

We played good the first half. We did what we had to do on that last drive. We wanted to spread it out and run it, and we did. Jermaine Miller had an outstanding game. We're happy with the win, we'll take it."

In the first half, the Steers were about as dominating as one team can get. The name of the game was ball control, and Big Spring worked it to a tee. The Steers had four first half possessions, and scored on three of them.

The only time they didn't score was the opening possession, and that was because quarterback Gerald Cobos was sacked and fumbled at the Pecos 18.

So dominating was the Steer defense, Pecos managed two first downs — both via penalties. The Eagles ran only 18 plays and had nine yards in the first 24 minutes of

play. On the other hand Big Spring ran 43 plays and had 197 yards total offense the first half.

Following a Pecos quick kick, Big Spring marched 37 yards in five plays for the first score of the game early in the second quarter. First Cobos threw a flare pass to Robles for 12 yards, followed by a 12-yard run by Miller. Then Miller carried for three more, followed by a four-yard gain by Mayfield.

Miller finished it with a four-yard score, in which he ran for the first two, and leaped over the Pecos defense for the other two yards. Mayfield missed the extra point, and Big Spring led 6-0.

On their next possession, the Steers mounted a time-consuming drive, going 80 yards in 15 plays, using six minutes and 40 seconds of the clock. Robles started it with a nine-yard gain, and Miller finished it by dashing 32 yards for the score.

Miller got outside thanks to good blocking from the left side of the line. He headed for the sidelines, shook off a Pecos defender who tried to tackle him high, faked out another one, and broke a shoestring tackle attempt at the two.

The try for two failed and Big Spring led 12-0.

Big Spring's final scoring drive was set up when Miller stepped in front of a Pecos receiver; the ball bounced off the receiver's hands into the waiting arms of Krissen, who returned the ball 10 yards to the Pecos 40.

Three plays later Cobos found Mayfield over the middle for a 15-yard gain; and the senior tailback headed for the sidelines, turning it into a 37-yard scoring play. Again the try for two failed, and Big Spring took an 18-0 lead into the dressing room.

Big Spring took the opening kickoff in the second half, and moved the ball slightly before penalties killed the drive. Mayfield's 30-yard punt into a strong wind was returned 16 yards by Dominique Tayas to the Big Spring 20.

Pecos scored in four plays as tailback Myron Jenkins, who didn't play in the first half, scored from the one. Jamie Lara's PAT cut the deficit to 18-7.

On its next possession, Pecos drove to paydirt 70 yards in seven plays. Big Spring sustained 15-yard penalties twice in the drive. Gonzales scrambled out of trouble for 24 yards, and capped the drive with a 19-yard scoring pass to Jason

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Jenkins ran in the two-point conversion and what started out like a Big Spring rout suddenly turned into a close game.

But the Steers ended all Pecos hopes with their time-consuming fourth quarter drive.

The Steers will be on the road Friday when they travel to Andrews to play the Mustangs, who are tied for second place in the league with Sweetwater. Pecos will be at home against San Angelo Lake View.

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing — Big Spring Miller 39-200; Robles 10-39; Mayfield 9-20; Pecos — Jenkins 10-25; Gonzales 4-16; Machuca 5-15; **Passing** — Big Spring Cobos 2-8, 49 yds.; Pecos — Gonzales 2-9-25 yds.; **Receiving** — Big Spring Mayfield 1-37; Robles 1-12; Pecos — Chandler 1-19; Silva 1-6

SCORING SUMMARY

2nd Qrt. — BS — Miller 4-yd. run, PAT fail, 11:00.
BS — Miller 32-yd. run, try for two fail, 3:21.
BS — Cobos 37-yd. pass to Mayfield, try for two fail, 1:30.
3rd Qrt. — Pecos — Jenkins, 1-yd. run, Lara PAT, 7:22.
Pecos — Gonzales 19-yd. pass to Chandler, Jenkins run in two-pt. conversion, 3:27.
4th Qrt — BS — Miller, 4-yd. run, Mayfield PAT, 4:14.

Big Spring	Team stats	Pecos			
20	First Downs	7			
225	Yds. Rushing	73			
49	Yds. Passing	23			
2 of 8	Pass. Comp.	2 of 10			
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4-26	Punts	4-32			
2-2	Fum. Lost	0-0			
9-89	Penalties	2-15			
Score By Quarters					
Big Spring	0	18	0	7	— 25
Pecos	0	0	15	0	— 15



In top photo Big Spring Steers fullback Steven Robles (44) tries to keep his balance as he turns the corner against the Pecos Eagles. In bottom photo, Steers tailback Jermaine Miller (34) fights his way through through the Pecos defense during first half action Friday night against the Pecos Eagles.

Herald photos by Steve Poitevint

Game cancelled because of brawl

EL PASO (AP) — Riverside High School canceled its Friday night game with Bel Air High after the district suspended 13 Riverside players involved in a bench-clearing brawl last Friday.

The game was supposed to be Bel Air's homecoming game, said assistant principal Juni Mathews.

"This (a cancellation) has not happened in this area since the Kennedy assassination," Ms. Mathews said.

She said several activities were planned for Friday night's game, including presenting the homecoming court and honoring a Bel Air alumnus.

"It's disappointing, because being a senior, and having a lot of seniors in our ball club ... it's one

of the things we all look forward to," said Gustavo Renteria, a guard on the Bel Air football team.

The Executive Athletic Council of the Ysleta Independent School District, on recommendation from the University Interscholastic League, handed out one-game suspensions of 13 Riverside and six Del Valle student-athletes earlier this week.

A member of the Del Valle coaching staff and a trainer received verbal and written reprimands.

The suspensions stem from a fight that broke out with 45 seconds left in last Friday's Riverside-Del Valle game.



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Remembering Hank

By JIM LITKE
AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES — Even when he is by himself, Bo Kimble is never alone.

"A day doesn't go by that something doesn't happen that reminds me of Hank," he said. "The difference is that not a lot of it is painful any more."

"Some days, it's a fan coming up, saying he's sorry about what happened, or maybe I'll be someplace doing something we used to do together. Or I'll run into a friend we both knew," Kimble said.

For 11 years, the story of Hank Gathers and Bo Kimble was one that could have been told in duplicate. Now, nearly eight months have passed since Gathers died and only hours remain as Kimble prepares to set foot on the promised land of the NBA.

It is late afternoon, still warm and sunny outside the Los Angeles Memorial Sports Arena, but cool and dark inside the Clippers locker room, where an attendant unpacks new uniforms and carefully lays them out in anticipation of Friday night's season-opening game against Sacramento.

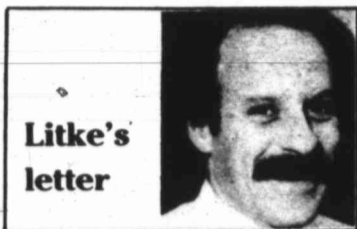
Bo Kimble, a solid 6-foot-5, 200 pounds and movie-star handsome, draws himself up in a chair before a still-empty locker while the memories tumble out and shivers ever so slightly.

This was a step, that like everything else for the last decade or so, he and Hank were supposed to take together. The final step in a journey begun by two dreamers in the forbidding wilderness of a north Philadelphia ghetto and finished by just one in monied L.A. In a cruel bit of irony, one's death secured the other's future and in the bargain, left a heart big enough to hold onto the both of them.

"It's strange to be so close to something we chased all those years and know Hank isn't around to enjoy it. But some of him," Kimble said with a shrug and a hand tapping his chest, "is still in here."

That same rush of emotion carried Kimble and his Loyola Marymount teammates through an NCAA tournament made dramatic by their presence and almost heroic by their feats. It was powerful enough to take some of the edge off of Kimble's grief, but not so much so that he could prop up a life on that singular feeling.

Simple as it sounds, difficult as it may have been, Bo Kimble has had



Litke's letter

to learn how to be his own man again.

He was serious-minded, even as a kid, and from the first time he walked onto the schoolyards in Philadelphia with a basketball under his arm and something to prove, he mapped out a future in measured steps. He found in Gathers a kindred spirit and they promised to look after each other: no dallying with drugs, no involvement with gangs, no time for anything that didn't move them closer to realizing the dream.

"The only things I did then was go to school and play basketball," Kimble recalled with a grin, "and some days, I didn't even go to school."

Life was a ladder, and although there is no longer Hank to push him, he is no less determined to grab the next rung. The most immediate goal Kimble set for himself was to keep himself busy, and that turned out to be the easy part.

He finished his degree in communications at Loyola in the spring, and his performance in the NCAAs, both on the court and off it, brought a wealth of opportunities. In the June draft, Kimble was the Clippers' first-round pick and the eighth overall and before the month was through, he validated that choice by winning the "One-on-One Challenge" bettering seven other future NBA stars for the \$100,000 first prize.

By August, he was performing in his first film role in "Heaven Is a Playground," a drama about the world of inner-city basketball. In the film, set for release next spring, Kimble portrays a local superstar who considers giving up his chance at the college game until challenged by an older player.

"My character is injured and he decides he doesn't want to play any more. He doesn't want to get caught up trying to live up to everybody's expectations. The part about the injury really hit home. Maybe the toughest thing I had to do, personally, was come back twice from knee injuries."

POPPY BUSH HAD WAITED YEARS FOR THIS MOMENT... BUT FINALLY... HIS FIRST AT-BAT IN POLITICAL HARDBALL'S MAJOR LEAGUES!



BEN SARGENT
Cartoonist

Buster, Go for Wand ran the gamut

By ED SCHUYLER JR.
AP Sports Writer

Go for Wand died trying. Buster Douglas should have tried dieting.

A punch to the fighter's nose and the snap of the filly's ankle were the beginning and the end of sport's journey through the gamut of emotions.

The one-punch knockout of James "Buster" Douglas by Evander Holyfield elicited anger, disappointment, disgust. The fatal breakdown of Go for Wand brought anger, sadness, admiration.

The punch that knocked down Douglas was legitimate — whether he could have gotten up, only he knows. What disgusted fight fans was that right up to the time it happened, Buster looked like a man groggy from a nap following a big meal.

What probably is the most prestigious individual title in sport went right to Buster's belly. He started the week as heavyweight champion and ended it just heavy.

His gut was soft because his attitude was. The title he fought so hard to win on a 10th-round knockout of Mike Tyson wasn't worth fighting to keep.

Douglas doesn't lack courage. He

lacks pride. He took the money — \$19.1 million — and waddled.

Not only did he rob the fans, he robbed Holyfield of his due by not giving an effort becoming a champion. Tyson, overconfident and flat, did not lose to Douglas without a fight.

Douglas robbed himself, too — his victory over Tyson now will forever be a fluke — but he didn't seem to care about that, either.

History might have warned us that trouble was ahead in the Breeders' Cup. On July 1, 1975, Joe Bugner was booed in Britain for a lackluster effort against heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali. Five days later, the great filly Ruffian broke down in her match race against Foolish Pleasure on the same Belmont track where Go for Wand would fall.

Go for Wand died a champion while fighting off Bayakoa in a desperate stretch battle in the Breeders' Cup Distaff.

There are those who say a thoroughbred's competitiveness is the conditioned reflex to the sting of the whip or at least the threat of being whipped.

That seems, however, an unfair

assessment. The strength, speed and grace of Secretariat or a Go for Wand cannot be born just from fear of the whip. Courage and heart will have to figure in the equation.

You've got to have heart. The whip of criticism after Douglas weighed in at 246 pounds didn't make him turn tiger in a bid to beat Holyfield before physical condition, or lack of it, could become decisive.

Curses accompanied both the downfall of Douglas and the death of Go for Wand.

The anger at the death of Go for Wand, humanely destroyed on the track at Belmont Park, stemmed, however from a feeling of helplessness, from a sense of unfairness.

People cried over Go for Wand. Go for Wand was a losing bet. While trainer Billy Badgett was returning to his barn after the filly was put down, a man shouted at him, "You finished second today."

At least that clod and others of his ilk got a run for their money even if they don't have the breeding to realize or admit it.

Those who backed their faith in Douglas with their wallets came up empty on all counts.

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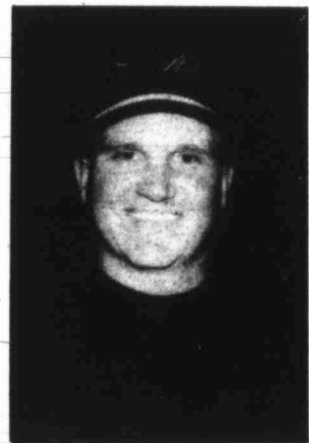
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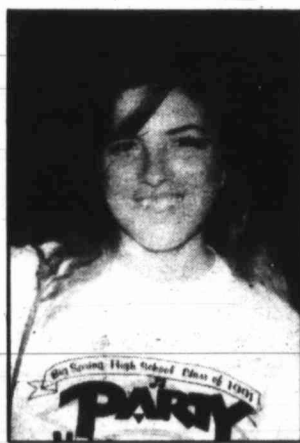
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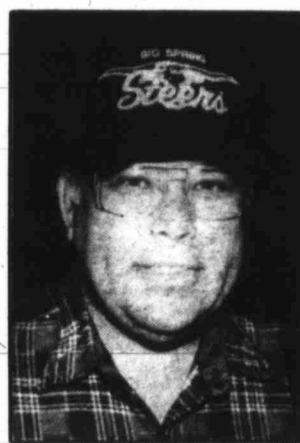
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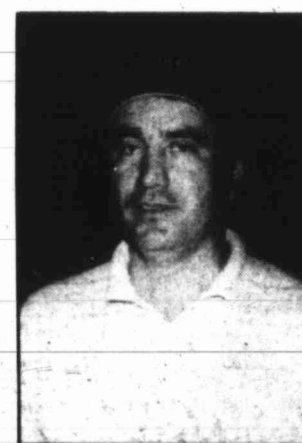
"Sure. It settles the question."
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"Yes, it would be a better way to decide. Maybe split it into divisions, with the top two teams of each division going to the playoffs."
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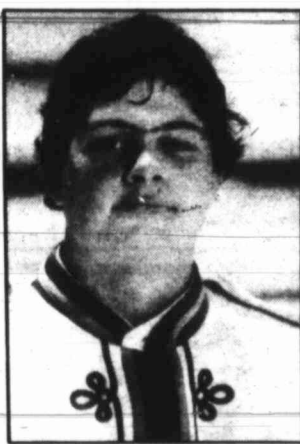
"I think they should. The bowl teams are more likely to be chosen through their (fan) draw than the ranks of the teams."
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"Yes. The high schools have the playoffs, and the colleges are older. They should have one too."
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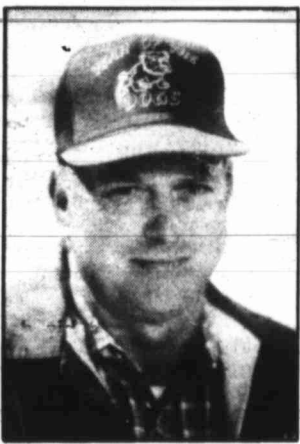
"Personally, yes. Too many bowl games."
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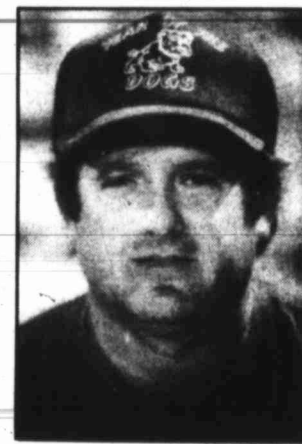
"Yeah, it's more fair, I think. Why should college be any different than the high schools or the pros?"
LINDA COATES
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"Yes, there's a lot of gray area when it comes to a national championship. I think they should have to win it outright."
GARY WOLLENZIEN
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"Yeah, I think they have a better chance of finding the best team through the playoffs than the polls."
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"Yeah, I do. I think there would be some other teams getting the national championship. I think the Cornhuskers would have won it more often if they did."
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Second half blitz propells Sands to victory, 38-14

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

ACKERLY — For the record, the Sands-Grady football game lasted the regulation 40 minutes. For all practical purposes, however, it was decided in the space of 13 seconds.

It took the Mustangs' Eric Herm that length of time to return a kickoff 74 yards for a touchdown that proved to be the turning point in a 38-14 Sands victory here Friday night.

Herm's TD tied the score at 14-14 with seven minutes left in the third quarter. Before then, the Wildcats had parlayed two Sands turnovers into touchdowns and a 14-6 lead. After the kick return, however, it was as if the collective air went out of the 'Cats; the Mustangs proceeded to score 24 unanswered points to put the game away.

After the contest, both coaches pointed to Herm's heroics as the turning point.

"That did it," Sands coach Randy Roemisch. "At halftime we were down. I felt like, the other games we had won so big, I didn't know if we could come from behind. In the face of adversity, you've got to find out what kind of team you have... and the guys responded."

"The returned kickoff was the big difference in the game," Grady coach Leandro Gonzales said. "Our team played well, but the return changed the momentum of the game... Big plays just ate our lunch."

The win kept the state-ranked Mustangs' record perfect at 9-0, 4-0 in District 5-A, six-man action. Grady falls to 7-2, 3-1 with the loss.

Sands, in the unaccustomed position of having to play catch-up, came up with big plays in bunches to put the pesky Wildcats away.

After Herm's return, the Wildcats drove the ball 47 yards in seven plays to the Sands 20. But, on fourth and four, a group of about three Mustangs stopped Gilbert Cortez two yards short of a first down, giving Sands the ball.

Two plays only netted three yards, but on third and 12, quarterback Aaron Cowley went back to pass, then took off down the right sideline, dodging three would-be tacklers en route to a 59-yard touchdown run that gave Sands its first lead since the second quarter.

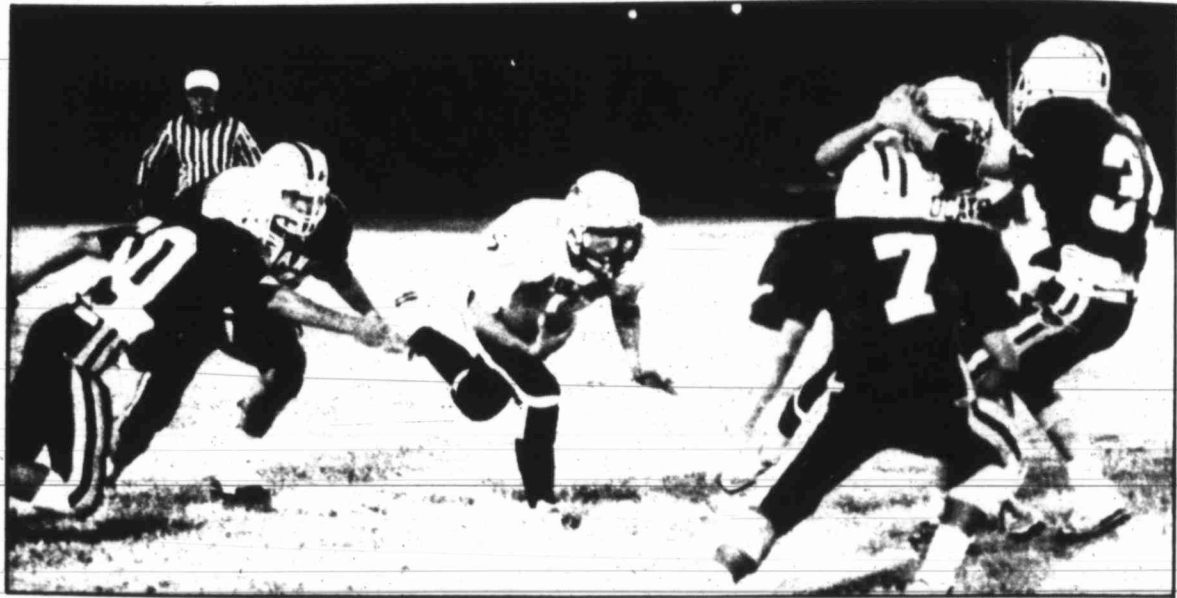
"I knew all year long that Aaron had the tools," Roemisch said of his quarterback's performance. "He's a good runner. He has the skills... and did a super job running it."

Cowley and Herm were the big guns offensively for the Mustangs. Cowley was the game's leading rusher with 119 yards on six carries, and completed five of 11 passes for 70 yards and a score.

Herm, beside scoring two touchdowns, rushed 10 times for 102 yards.

After forcing a Grady punt, the Mustangs went right back to work, marching 65 yards in eight plays. The big play of the drive was

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ACKERLY — Grady running back Gilbert Cortez, center, finds himself surrounded by Sands Friday. Defenders Brandon Riddle (60), Adrian Zarate (7)

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another Cowley scramble, this one going for 21 yards to the Wildcats' 23.

Two plays later, Cowley found Brandon Riddle all alone in the right flat for the 'Stangs next touchdown. Pank Grigg's kick made the score 30-14 with 7:21 remaining.

After stopping the Wildcats on downs at the Sands 20, the Mustangs kicked their scoring machine into action one last time. Herm again provided the heroics, breaking through the middle of the line for a 43-yard touchdown.

For Grady, Cortez was the leading rusher with 105 yards on 21 carries. Quarterback Len Garza completed four of 10 passes for 55 yards and a touchdown.

That touchdown pass was a thing of beauty, coming after John Young had plunged over from four yards out to give Sands a 6-0 lead early in the second quarter.

After the two teams traded possessions, the Wildcats began their drive at their own eight. Five plays later, facing a fourth-and-11 at the Sands 32, Garza dropped back, evaded a heavy rush and heaved a pass that Danny Valle brought down with a leaping catch. Garza's PAT kick gave the Wildcats an 8-6 lead.

The Wildcats padded their lead early in the third quarter after Joel Morales recovered Charles Rhodes' fumble at the Grady 33. Two plays later, Cortez burst through the middle for a 38-yard touchdown and a 14-6 lead.

Then Herm and the Mustangs took over.

"Until the third quarter, we gave the number-seven team in the state quite a surprise," Gonzales said. "Sands played a team that is not a quitter."

The Mustangs conclude their season next Friday when they travel to Patricia to take on the Klondike Cougars, while the Wildcats end their season at home against the Wellman Wildcats.

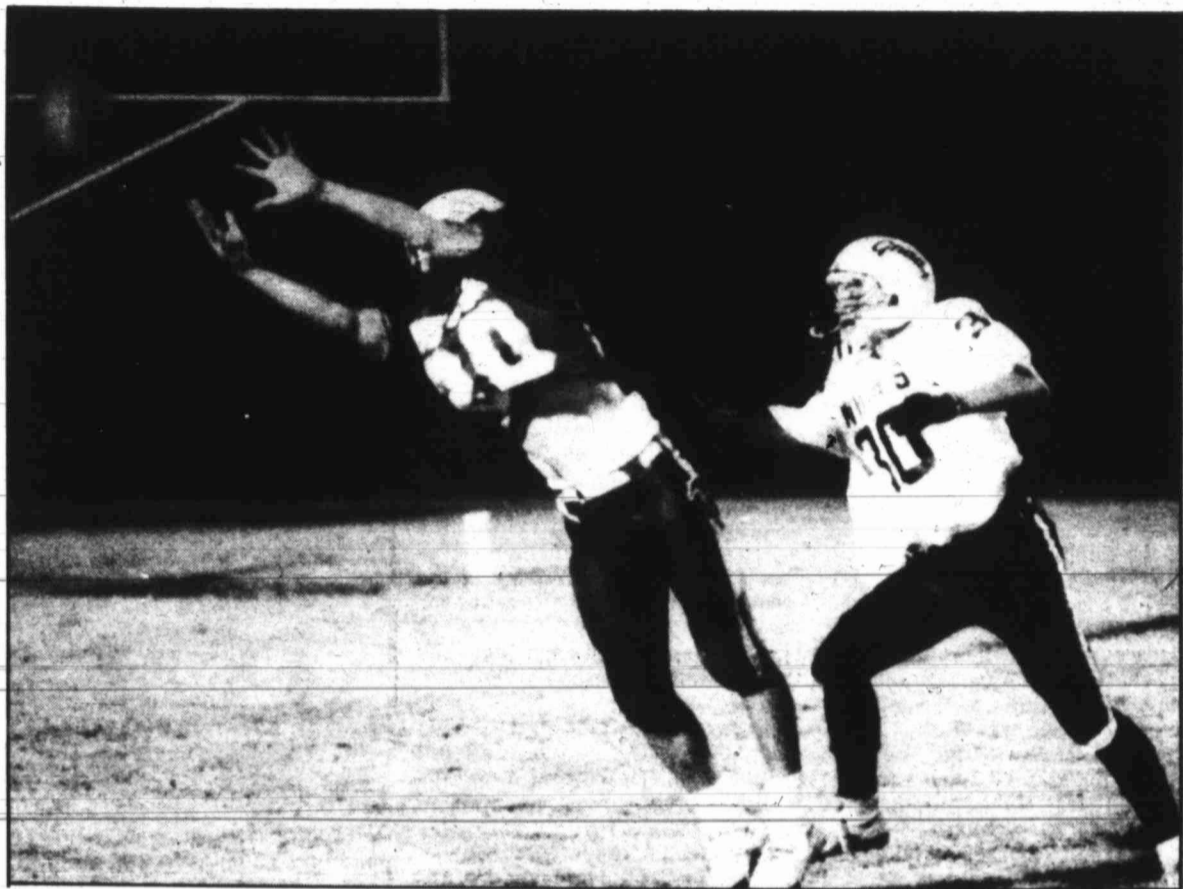
While Sands is in sole possession of first place in the district standings, the Mustangs must win next Friday to clinch the district outright. If both Grady and Klondike win, there would be a three-way tie for first.

Grady	Team stats	Sands
10	First Downs	12
210	Yds. Rushing	264
35	Yds. Passing	70
4 of 10	Pass. Comp.	5 of 11
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4-34	Punts	2-42
1-0	Fum. Lost	2-2
1-5	Penalties	3-15

Score By Quarters				
Grady	0	8	6	0-14
Sands	0	6	16	16-38

SCORING SUMMARY:

2nd quarter
S — Young 4 run (kick failed), 9:17.
G — Garza 32 pass to Valle (Garza kick), 1:32.
3rd quarter
G — G. Cortez 38 run (kick failed), 7:25.
S — Herm 74 kick return (Grigg kick), 7:12.
S — Cowley 59 run (Grigg kick), 2:27.
4th quarter
S — Cowley 23 pass to Riddle (Grigg kick), 7:21.
S — Herm 43 run (Grigg kick), 1:41.



ACKERLY — Sands receiver Brandon Riddle, left, stretches for a pass from quarterback Aaron Cowley in the second quarter here Friday. Defending for Grady is Johnny Britton (30).
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Stanton drought ends with 27-13 victory

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ
Staff Writer

FORSAN — The drought ended for some thirsty Stanton Buffalo Friday night.

Meeting the Buffs of Forsan in district 6-2A action with the visiting Buffalos taking the 27-13 battle of the Buffs.

"When we took the first drive in the second half, and then fumbled the ball away, I feel that's the key to the whole ballgame," Forsan head coach Jan East said. "We looked good after we took the kickoff. And we were moving along 'til the fumble. That let the air out of us, and we went downhill from there," East said.

Both teams played the first half pretty evenly with the visitors scoring in the first quarter and the home team Buffs returning the favor in the second stanza.

Forsan received the opening kickoff, but failed to move the football and were forced to punt into the wind to the visitors. The kick traveled only 28 yards into the gusty south wind and junior Kenny McCalister caught the ball on his own 47-yard line and returned the kick all the way to the Forsan eight-yard line. After four downs inside the Buffalo ten, Stanton came within inches of the goal and Forsan took over on downs operating inside its own endzone.

Forsan's Gilbert Rodriguez carried the ball out of the end zone for a 19-yard pick up to give the home team room to breathe. They failed

to move for a first down and were forced to punt again.

Stanton received great field position on the Forsan 42-yard line. From there, senior runningback Allen Prough carried for a first down to the Buffalo 29-yard line. After an illegal procedure against Stanton, Thompson moved the ball 31 yards on a draw play to the Forsan three-yard line. Prough scored with 6:33 left in the first quarter from the three as placekicker Peter Holst added the extra point, giving the visitors a 7-0 lead.

Starting the second stanza, the visiting Buffs found themselves deep in their own territory at the four-yard line. Unable to move the ball, Stanton punted for only 19 yards from its ten-yard line. The home team set up shop at the Stanton 29-yard line.

From there, Rodriguez carried the ball six consecutive times and with 7:23 left in the first half, Forsan tied the contest as Stephen East kicked the PAT at 7-7.

Both teams failed to move the ball the rest of the half and the first half of play came to an end with the score tied at 7-7.

After a Forsan fumble with 8:55 left in the third quarter, the visiting team began from its own 15-yard line. On third and one to go for a first down, Thompson broke through the middle of the Forsan defense and outran the secondary for a 76-yard run with 7:23 left in the quarter. Holst set up for an extra point, but a bad snap caused



Stanton runningback Allen Prough looks for running room past the Forsan defense. Stanton went on to win the contest, Friday night 27-13.

holder Jeremy Stallings to try to run the ball for a two-point conversion. The home team defense stopped Stallings short of the goal as Stanton settled for a 13-7 lead.

Forsan began to move the ball after the kickoff as David Britton broke for eight yards. East looked for a receiver, but defensive end Allan Carby sacked him for an eight-yard loss and forced Forsan

to punt again.

The Forsan defense stopped the visitors and forced a kick. The Buffs began at their own 35-yard line after the punt, as the third quarter came to an end.

Forsan could not muster any type of offense and had to punt back to the visiting team. On third and eight, Jason Parker picked off a pass at the Stanton 45-yard line

and brought new life to the home team crowd. The home Buffs' stroke of luck was short lived as a clipping violation erased good field position.

On their first play from scrimmage after the interception, the Buffs fumbled, returning Stanton the ball at its own 29-yard line. From there, Thompson and Jim Bob Kelly moved the ball to the

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Forsan three. Stanton quarterback John Eric Wyckoff sneaked in from the three with 8:26 left in the contest. The Buffs decided to go for two, and Wyckoff found Prough for the conversion, giving the visiting Buffs a 21-7 lead.

Forsan began another drive, but Carby sacked East again for another big loss causing another Forsan punt. Thompson and Kelly moved the ball down field to the six-yard line. From there, Thompson went in from the six-yard line for his second score of the night. Holst tried for the extra point, but a Forsan defender deflected the kick and it went wide, leaving the score at 27-7 with 3:17 left in the quarter.

Forsan mounted a last drive with less than three minutes left in the contest. The drive was capped with 66 yards of passing for East as he found Jeff Cook for the final score of the night. The home team cut the Stanton lead at 27-13 as the game ended in the favor of the red and grey Buffalos.

The leading rusher of the night was Thompson with 197 yards for Stanton, while Forsan's leading rusher was Rodriguez with 129 yards.

"This is the biggest night of my career. I was hoping I could break 200 yards, but I'll settle for this. (Allen) Prough blocked on that play that I broke for 76 yards. His assignment was to take out the linebacker and he put him on the ground," Thompson said. "These kids made the difference. They came to play football tonight. After we made some adjustments in the second half, the game seemed to go our way," said Stanton head coach Dale Ruth. "We needed to get our confidence back and tonight we felt that we could win."

Stanton	Team stats	Forsan			
13	First Downs	16			
265	Yds. Rushing	139			
7	Yds. Passing	79			
2 of 8	Pass Comp.	11 of 17			
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5-25	Punts	9-32			
2-0	Fum. Lost	4-2			
6-50	Penalties	4-35			
Score By Quarters					
Stanton	7	0	6	14	27
Forsan	0	7	0	6	13



Stanton cornerback Jeremy Stallings (11) holds the Buffaloe running back, as a unidentified Stanton defender tries to help Stallings.

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Student always running

Stanton sophomore Jeremy Stallings is a busy person. After savoring Friday night's win, he travels to Lubbock to compete in Regional cross country and then to Odessa to participate at regional marching competition.

Stallings is a defensive cornerback for the Stanton Buffalos on Friday nights and district cross country runner on Saturday mornings. He is also a member of the "Best Band Herd" band of SHS.

For Stallings, he takes everything one at a time. "This is great," Stallings said after the football game. "Now I have to get ready to go to Lubbock to get ready for cross country Regionals. And then, I have to go to Odessa to march."



During halftime of the Stanton-Forsan contest Friday evening, D'Amberly Baker, left, was named the 1990 Football Sweetheart; Patty Howard, center, was named 1990 Buffalo Gal; and Carrie Moore, right, was named 1990 Band Sweetheart. During the ceremonies, Jason Parker was named Band Favorite and Mr. Buffalo.

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Coahoma Bulldogs bury McCamey, 47-6

By CHARLES POISALL
For the Herald

COAHOMA—Led by their great running back Shane Walker, who carried the ball 29 times for 194 yards, the Coahoma Bulldogs walked over the McCamey Badgers, 47-6, in Coahoma Friday night.

A 175-pound senior, who was converted from quarterback at the beginning of this season because of his running ability, Walker rushed for 930 yards going into Friday night's game. Now, with 1,124 yards in nine games, he has one more chance to add to his regular season total. The Bulldogs will travel to Ozona next Friday night to close out the regular season against the Ozona Lions.

Coach Steve Park's Bulldogs now sport a record of 6-3 overall for the season, 4-2 in the tough District 6-2A. With the loss to Coahoma, the McCamey Badgers dropped to 3-6 overall, 2-4 in the district.

The Bulldogs received the opening kickoff and drove 74 yards for their first touchdown, without giving up possession of the ball. Walker carried the ball eight times during that drive as the Bulldogs chalked up five first downs.

On his ninth carry of the game, with second down and goal to go from the McCamey four-yard line, Walker plunged over for the six points with just under six minutes to go in the opening period. Senior Mike Hernandez split the uprights for the extra point.

The Badgers were forced to punt

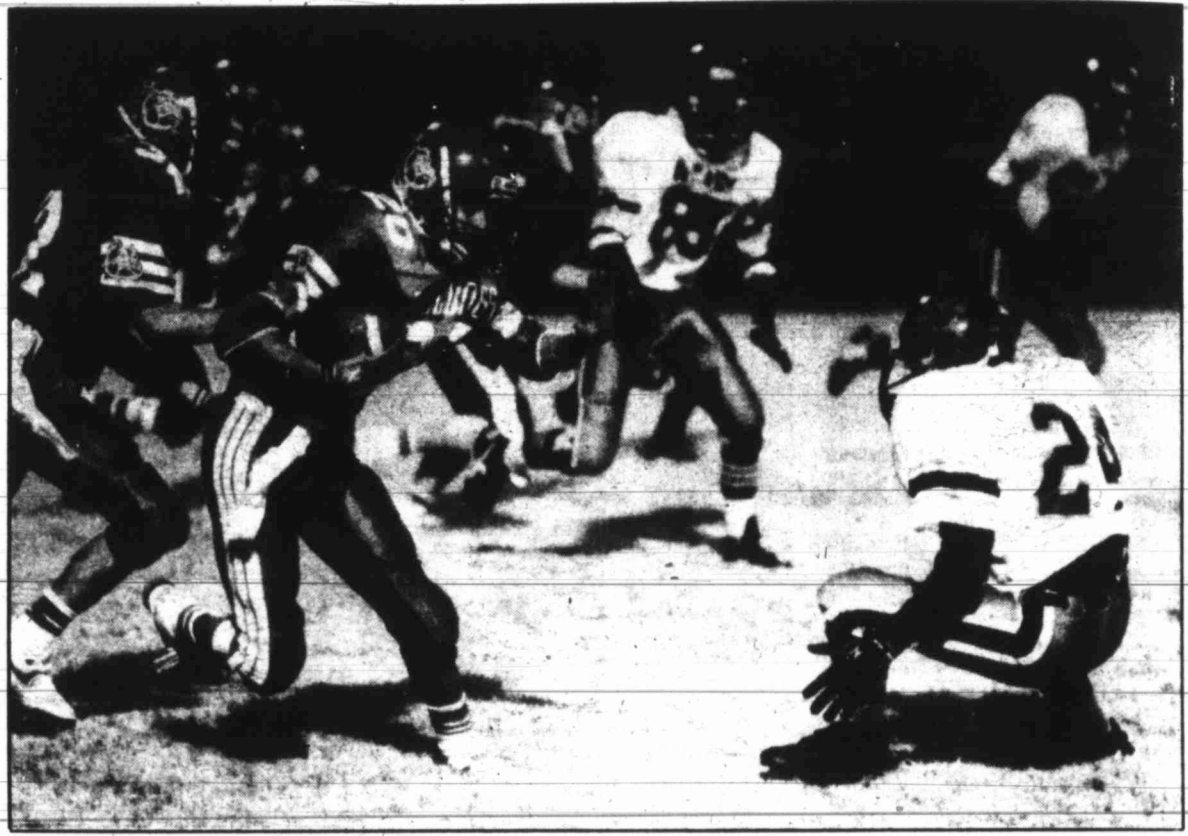
McCamey	Team stats	Coahoma		
8	First Downs	27		
45	Yds. Rushing	317		
85	Yds. Passing	52		
10 of 18	Pass. Comp.	5 of 9		
1	Int. By	1		
5-25	Punts	0-0		
1-0	Fum. Lost	1-1		
5-44	Penalties	5-62		
Score By Quarters				
McCamey	6	0	0	0-6
Coahoma	13	8	13	13-47

from their 36-yard line on their first possession, but a bad snap ruined the play and Bulldog guard Lee Coleman recovered the ball on the McCamey 29.

Two plays later, with 4:48 left on the clock in the first quarter, junior Brent Elmore teamed up with junior tailback Mike Mendez for an 18-yard pass and run touchdown. The extra point try was no good.

Senior fullback Manuel Martinez scored from the one-yard line on the next possession for the Badgers. Driving from their own 33, the Badgers used carries by running back Daniel Ramirez and a pass from quarterback Andy Stinson to Ramirez to mark up three first downs in the scoring drive. Another bad snap spoiled the extra point attempt.

Walker and Mendez gained on the ground during the next Coahoma drive, which also was highlighted by a 19-yard pass from Elmore to junior end Matt Coates. Walker scored from the four with 9:18 left in the first half. Then Walker took a pitch from Elmore and carried over the right side for



COAHOMA — Coahoma running back Mike Mendez (20) runs for yardage in the first quarter here Friday night as a McCamey defender braces for the tackle.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

the two-point conversion.

A field goal attempt from the McCamey 28-yard line by the Bulldogs late in the second quarter was wide to the left. The Badgers then reached the Coahoma 17-yard line, where their field goal try also was wide, as time ran out in the first half. The halftime score remained Coahoma 21, McCamey 6.

The Badgers were forced to punt on their first possession of the third quarter. One first down later, Walker carried for 17 yards to the

McCamey three, and then scored from there. The kick missed, but the Bulldogs now led 27-6 with eight minutes to go in the third period.

Again the Badgers were forced to punt and again Walker was the big ground gainer on a successful scoring drive. After two first downs the Bulldogs reached the McCamey four-yard line, where they had a first and goal. Walker scored through the middle of the Badger line.

Mike Hernandez's kick was good

and the Bulldogs led 34-6 as the third period ended.

Coach Park emptied his bench during the third and fourth quarters, but the Bulldogs were on a roll and were not to be denied.

After the game, Coach Park had nothing but praise for all of his players but reminded them that another outstanding effort would be required next week at Ozona. "Ozona has a very good team," Park said.

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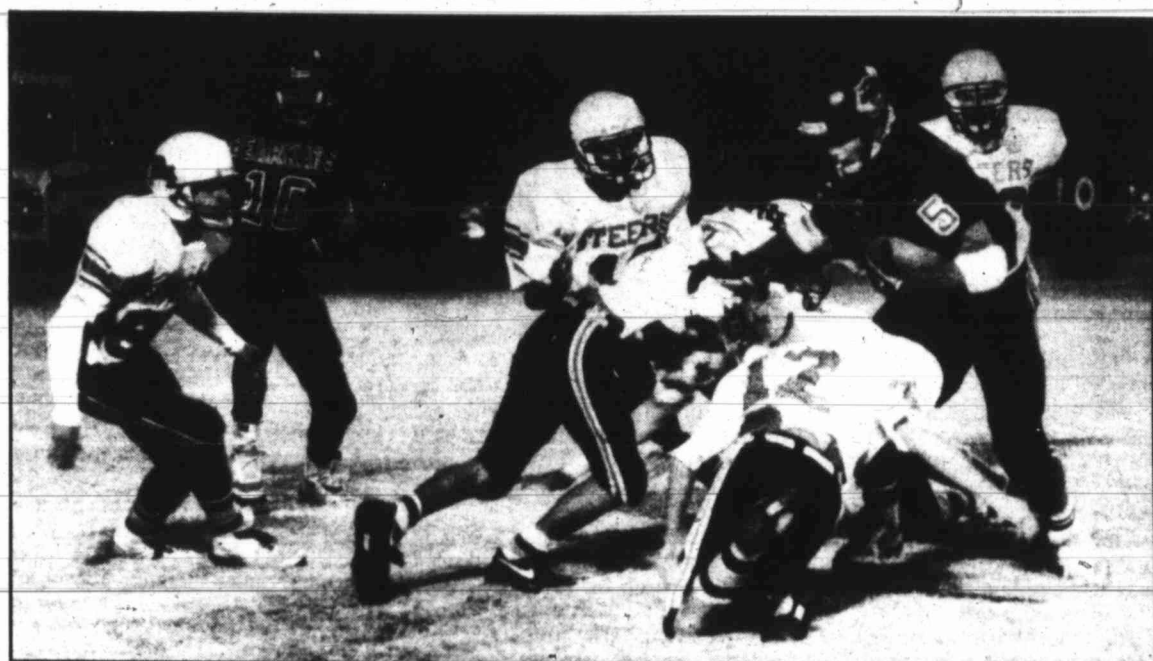
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GARDEN CITY — Garden City wide receiver Jim Robert Lee Steers in first half action in this 9-A football contest Friday night. Bob Scott (5) fights for yardage against a host of

Bearkats stampede Steers, 62-0

GARDEN CITY—The Garden City Bearkats totally dominated the Robert Lee Steers here Friday night, the final score was 62-0.

There was no scoring by either team in the first quarter.

In the second quarter, with 11:32 to go, James Soles made a 13-yard run for the first 6 points. Jody Bradford's point-after kick was good, making the score 7-0. With 7:29 to go in the second, the Soles and Bradford combination was good for another 7.

Shae Scott hoisted a 35-yarder to Jim Bob Scott for the next TD, and Bradford's aim held true once again, with 4:57 to go in the half.

Only 57 seconds remained in the half, when Soles and Bradford add-

Robert Lee	Team stats	Garden City
8	First Downs	25
195	Yds. Rushing	319
7	Yds. Passing	177
1 of 8	Pass. Comp.	11 of 16
0	Int. By	2
5-35	Punts	1-35
5-5	Fum. Lost	0-0
7-68	Penalties	4-45
Score By Quarters		
Robert Lee	0	0
Garden City	0	28 21 13-62

ed 7 more, making the score 28-0.

In the third quarter, David Rodriguez took the ball in from 13 yards out for 6, and Bradford's kick put Garden City up 35-0.

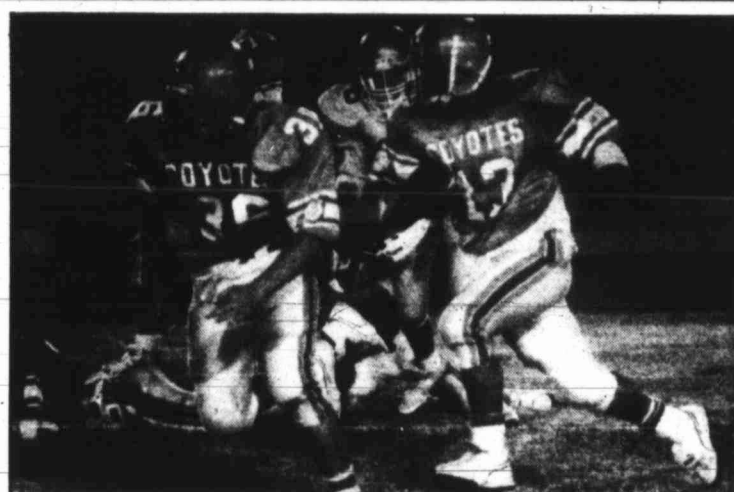
A Shae Scott 25-yard pass to Richard Morales added six more,

with 8:17 to go in the third quarter. The PAT was good, again by Bradford.

Eric Seidenberger, with only 30 seconds left in the third quarter, intercepted a Steers pass and ran it back 32 yards for another score. It was Bradford again on the PAT.

Soles-Bradford teamed up again for another 7, with 9:11 to go in the fourth. This was followed by Stuart Wilder's one-yard run to put the score to 62-0 with 1:59 to go. Bradford's PAT kick went wide.

After a busy night, the Bearkats remain undefeated in district play with a record of 4-0. They are 7-1 for the year. The Garden City Bearkats will play Roby at Roby next week.



Herald photo by Robert Loveless

GAIL — Borden County Coyotes running back Jimmy Rios (13) follows the block of Clint Kemper (36) in first half action against the Loraine Bulldogs Friday night.

Borden County headed for playoffs

GAIL — The 18-yard wait is over.

The Borden County Coyotes drummed the Loraine Bulldogs 40-18 here Friday night in District 5-A Six-Man football action. With the win, the Coyotes go to 4-0 in district play, and 6-3 overall with one game left. They are assured of a state playoff berth. The Bulldogs fall to 2-2 in league play and 2-7 overall.

The Coyotes unleashed a balanced rushing attack against the Bulldogs, who came into the contest led by "all-everything" running back Anthony Williams. Borden County gained 308 yards on the ground. Williams was limited to 30 yards.

Heading the B-County defense were Cole Vestal and Rod Jeter,

who both picked off passes.

Jimmy Rios led the Coyote offense, finishing the game with 118 yards on 12 carries. He didn't play in the second half, due to a slight groin injury. The Coyotes led 40-6 at the half, and Borden County coach Bobby Avery played most of his reserves in the second half.

Rios led the Borden County scoring parade with TD runs of two, eight, one and eight yards. Clint Kemper wasn't far behind, scoring on runs of two and one yards.

Avery was in a good mood after the game. "It feels pretty good; it really doesn't feel that much different because the pressure is still on. We have to get ready for the playoffs," said Avery.

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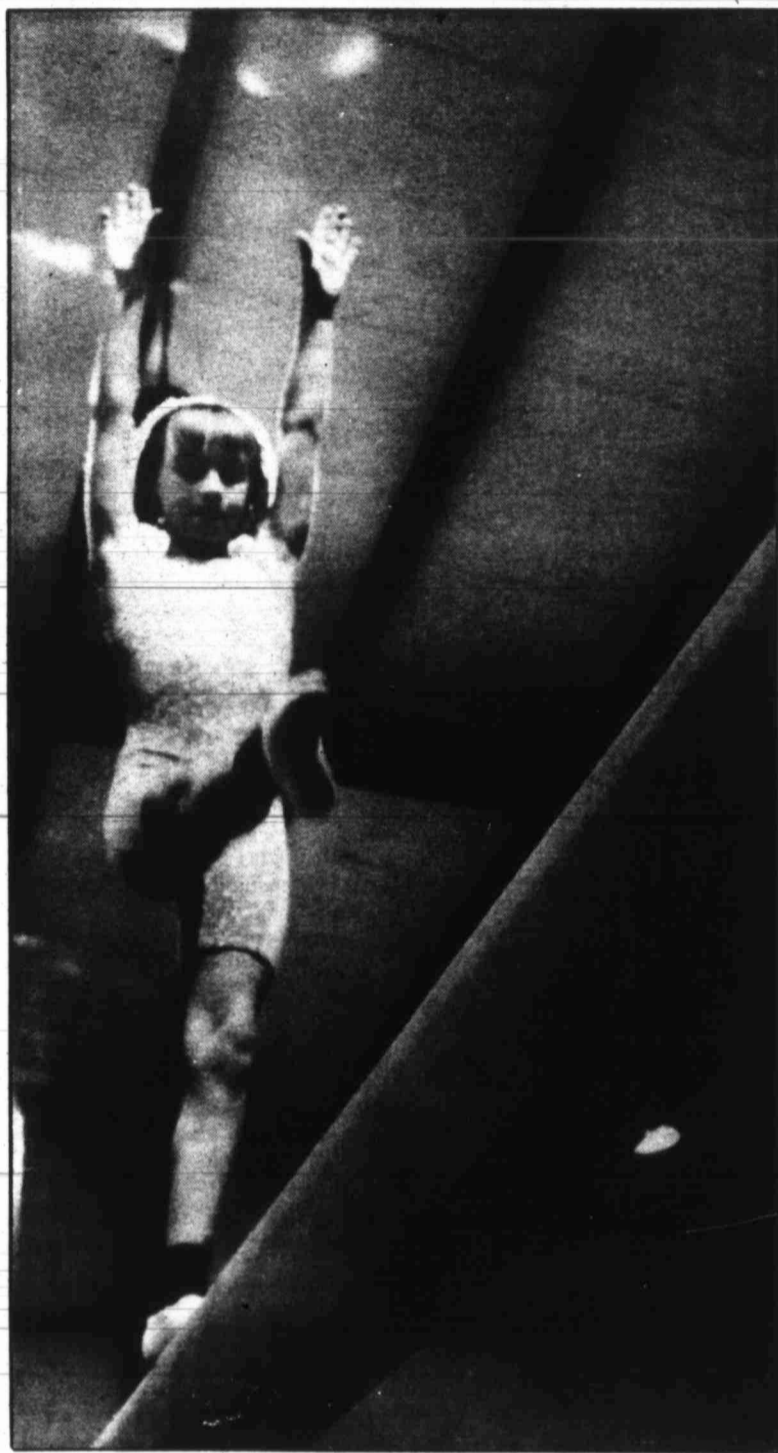
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On the beam

Elizabeth has drive

The average balance beam used in gymnastics is about 3½ feet tall, 16 feet long and only four inches wide. The average person would find great difficulty merely walking on it — Elizabeth Driver literally flips over the beam.

The 11-year-old daughter of Danny and Jana Caffey, Elizabeth is one of the rising stars of the YMCA Sidewinders, a local gymnastics group. Although young in years, she's a relative late-bloomer to the sport, her coach says.

"To be honest with you, looking back two years ago, she was on the team, but she was basically just a face in the crowd," Sidewinders coach Russ McEwen said. "About 18 months ago, she decided she wanted to be very good at gymnastics and worked hard to get herself to this point.

"It's like I looked up one day and there was this kid in the gym I'd never seen before," he adds.

A gymnastics coach for 11 years, McEwen says Elizabeth is one of the top level 7 (there are ten graduated levels in United States

Gymnastic Federation competition) gymnasts in West Texas, but to hear her talk, it is almost as if she nonchalantly decided to enter the sport.

"I wanted to be active," she said on why she began gymnastics. "I'd gone through pretty much everything else, and nothing else interested me."

But, since that moment about 18 months ago that McEwen likened to a light bulb brightening inside her head, the petite fifth-grader has become a force in the sport.

"She's the best competitive gymnast we have in level 7," McEwen said. "She is just absolutely mentally focused. If I tell her to get on the beam and do 25 flip-flops, she gets on the beam and does 25 flip-flops — she doesn't slough off at all."

Her strongest gift, McEwen considers, is mental toughness.

"She's got a good body type for gymnastics," he said, "but what separates Elizabeth from the other kids is her mental abilities. Other kids in the program have more

physical gifts than she does, but no one is mentally tougher.

"Elizabeth has just absolutely dedicated herself to getting better," he says. "She has absolutely no fear factor; she doesn't fear anything."

Elizabeth, who began tumbling in Midland when she was five years old, says her improvement was a result of a little talk she had — with herself.

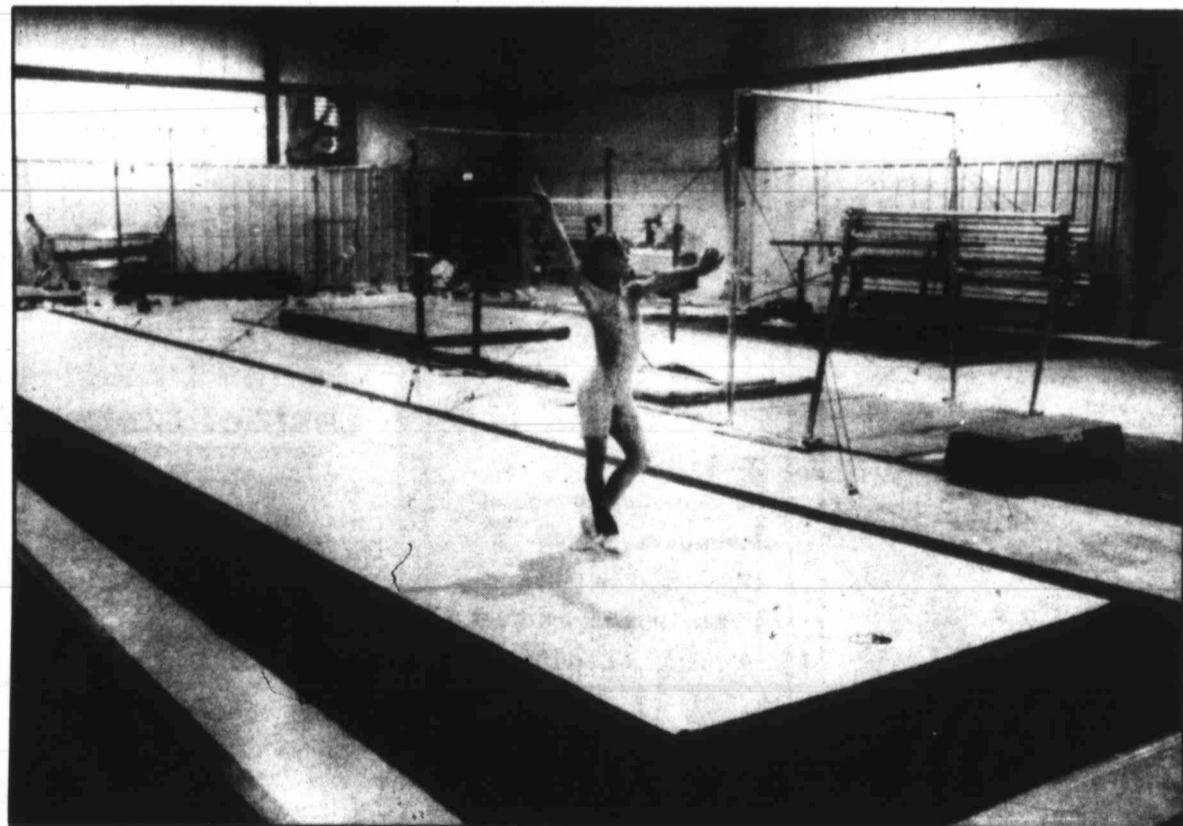
"I just started concentrating," she says. "I started saying to myself that I needed to get with it."

Gymnastics, McEwen says, can be a particularly demanding sport, especially for youngsters still in grade schools. The Sidewinders, for example, don't have a specific gymnastics season. Instead, they practice year-round.

"We practice 12 hours a week, minimum," McEwen said. "During the competitive season, it's even more." A child who is in gymnastics on a competitive basis has to be a very focused kind of child.

"They learn to rely on

Elizabeth Driver works on her balance beam routine in the top left photo. In the photo below, Elizabeth finds a quiet time in the gym the right time to practice her moves. Gymnastics instructor Russ McEwen helps the 11-year-old on a balance beam maneuver in the center photo. Elizabeth finds that coordinating her arms and legs perfectly takes hours of practice in the bottom right photo. Elizabeth does a handstand on the bars in the top right photo.



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themselves, because gymnastics is basically an individual sport," he adds. "Kids who excel in it have dexterity, flexibility and strength, but most important, kids that are the best at it are kids who are mentally tough."

And Elizabeth, her coach says, is one of the best in this area. "In the last 18 months, she's won one meet and placed second in two others. She's one of the two best at her age level in West Texas."

She is equally talented on the four events — balance beam, uneven bars, vault and floor exercises — but Elizabeth confesses that she does have a favorite discipline.

"The bars," she says. "We get to do a lot of stuff on them. When I first started, it looked kind of neat." And does she have a least favorite event? "No," she answers. "I pretty much like them all."

Elizabeth also says she doesn't mind the 12-hour a week regimen.

"No, I'd be bored without it," she says, adding that she doesn't have any outside interests "except maybe playing with my friends."

Neither does she believe she's missing out on anything devoting so much time to her chosen sport. "I feel like other people are missing out on things not being in gymnastics," she counters.

Her coach believes she has an almost unlimited potential.

"I expect her to go significantly further in the sport," McEwen says. "She'll probably become a level 10 gymnast, which is the pre-elite. She may have elite potential, although it's a little too early on to tell."

Elizabeth, for her part, would like to continue with gymnastics "as long as I can." Her personal goals are "to be the best I can be," admitting to fantasizing about competing in the Olympics.

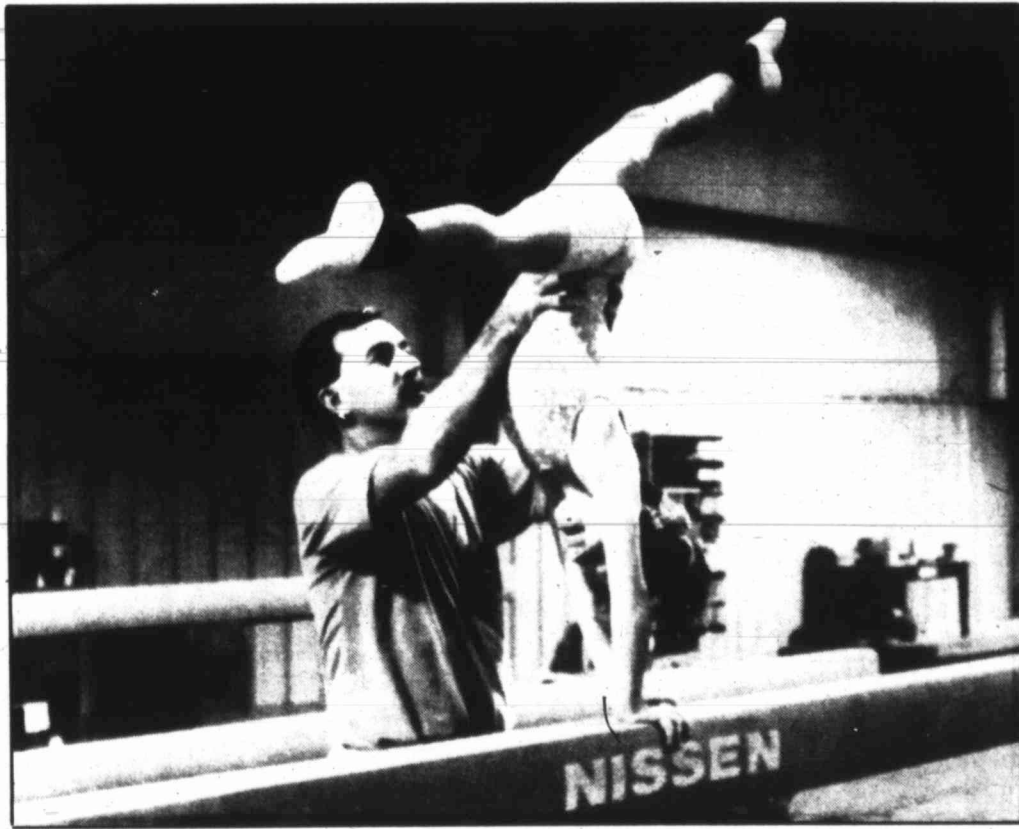
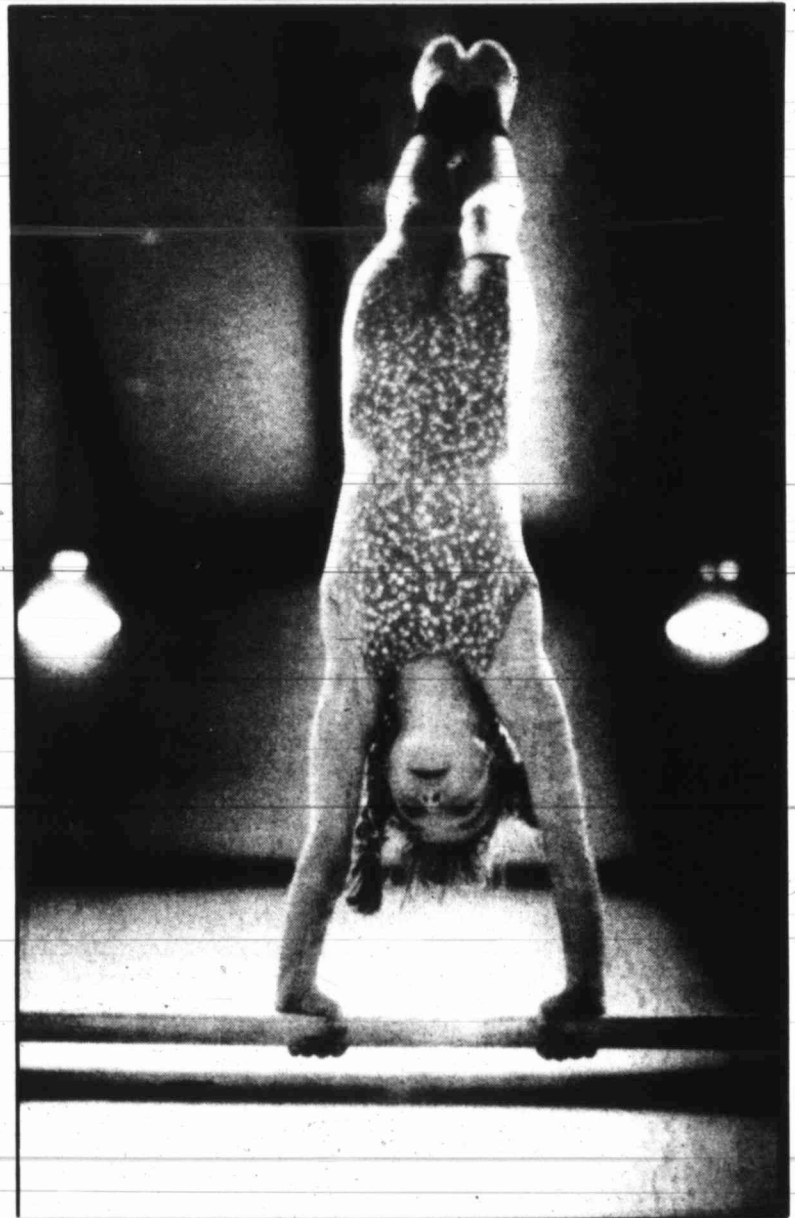
How would she recruit someone to try gymnastics?

"I'd tell them that it keeps you entertained, and that it's a lot of fun once you start progressing," she says. "They ought to try it to see how good they can be."

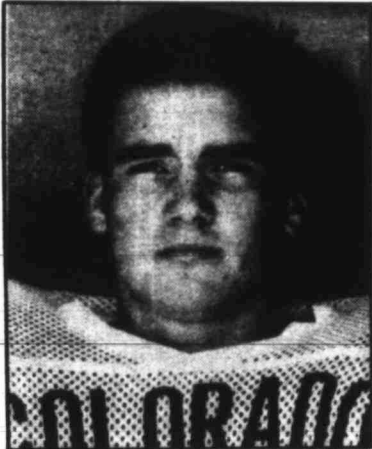
Area residents will get a chance to see Elizabeth and her Sidewinder comrades in action today at the local YMCA, when they host the USGF District compulsory meet. About 120 youths will be entered, with a spot in the state semi-finals (to be held later this month in Arlington) at stake.

Three sessions are scheduled: 10 a.m. for level five; 2 p.m. for level seven and 6 p.m. for level six; there is no admission charge, McEwen said.

"We've got a chance to have some kids place in the top three individually," McEwen says. "We've got a good chance to send five to seven gymnasts to the semi-finals."



Smith leads Wolves past the Owls, 17-14



GEORGE RAMSEY

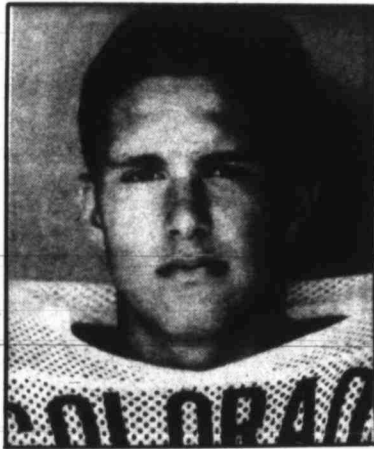
BIG LAKE—It was a close one in Big Lake Friday night as the Reagan County Owls hosted the Colorado City Wolves in a windy district contest. Transplanted quarterback Robbie Smith (formerly of Sweetwater) had a busy night leading the Wolves to a 17-14 win.

The only score in the first quarter came, with 3:13 remaining, when Robbie Smith kicked in a 33-yard field goal. His next trick was to take the ball in for the score with 11:17 left in the second quarter, then follow with the kick for the PAT.

The Reagan County Owls came up with 6 only 16 seconds later on a 64-yard scramble by Alan Scrambler. The extra point attempt failed. The score going into the half was 10-6.

After a dry third quarter, George Ramsey, in his first game following surgery, caught a 10-yard pass from Robbie Smith and ran it in for another 6 points. Smith's kick for the PAT was good, making the score to 17-6, with 8:00 to go in the 4th.

With 4:00 to go in the game, The Owls' Jackie Hill made a three-yard touchdown run, followed by



ROBBIE SMITH

Ken Neel's run for two. The final score was 17-14, C-City.

Friday's game puts the Wolves at 4-4-1 for the season and 2-2 in district. The Reagan County Owls are currently 4-4 for the year and 1-3 in district. Next week, the Colorado City Wolves will host Greenwood.

Colorado City	Team stats	Reagan County
11	First Downs	10
112	Yds. Rushing	162
72	Yds. Passing	69
3 of 7	Pass. Comp.	4 of 22
1	Int. By	1
6-31	Punts	5-36
1-1	Fum. Lost	3-3
4-40	Penalties	8-52

Score By Quarters	
Colorado City	3 7 0 7 - 17
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Klondike Cougars slay Dragons, 44-0



SERRATO VOGLER

DAWSON — Klondike moved one step closer to playoff action Friday as the Cougars easily dispatched the Dawson Dragons, 44-0.

The Cougars scored in each stanza — once each in the first and second periods and twice in the final two — to improve their record to 6-3 for the season and 3-1 in 5-1A district action.

Dawson fell to 1-8 and are winless in four district contests.

Romero Serrato completed three of six passes, for 61 yards, and two touchdowns.

A 47-yard pass from Serrato to Cody Vogler, opened scoring in the game, with 4:37 remaining in the first period. Brandon Oaks added two more points, on the first of four successful PAT kicks, for an 8-0 Cougar lead.

Klondike's next score came with 8:52 left in the half on a one-yard Francisco Juntos plunge. Oaks followed with a successful kick and the Cougars held a 16-0 halftime advantage.

Brandi O'Brien, with 4:40 left in the third quarter, added another Klondike score on an 11-yard run for a 22-0 mark, when Oaks' third attempt of the night went wide.

A little over three minutes later the Cougars took a 30-0 lead on a two-yard run by Juntos, his second score of the night, and a successful PAT by Oaks. Less than a minute and a half remained in the third quarter.

With 6:17 left in the game Serrato connected with David Rawlings from eight yards out. Oaks' kick was wide.

The final score came on an impressive 21-yard burst by Hogg, with Oaks' final kick of the night adding two more for Klondike.

O'Brien led the Cougar ground attack with 89 yards on 10 carries, while Andy Guerra had 73 yards on nine carries. The balanced Klondike attack also included 68 yards by Juntos on 9 carries, and Matthew Hogg had 59 yards on 7 attempts.

Defensively, the Cougars held Dawson to 89 total yards.

The Cougars will be at home Friday where they will host the Sands Mustangs in a 7:30 contest.

Klondike	Team stats	Dawson			
16	First Downs	3			
285	Yds. Rushing	64			
61	Yds. Passing	25			
3 of 6	Pass. Comp.	7 of 17			
1	Int. By	1			
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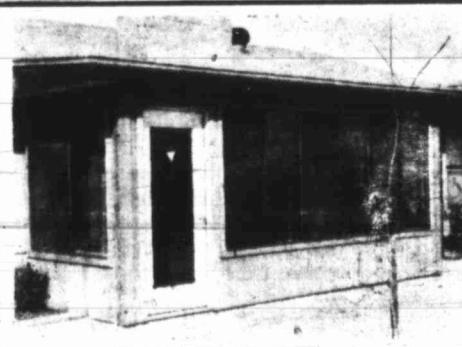
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Frogs without star QB

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Horned Frogs faced an uphill battle to keep alive their hopes of a storybook season by taking on the undefeated Houston Cougars in the Astrodome even before they learned that they had lost quarterback Leon Clay.

The Frogs had been slammed back to reality last Saturday when they were upset, 26-21, by the Baylor Bears. The second shoe fell Thursday when the Frogs learned they'd be without their top offensive weapon going into the showdown with the high-scoring

"It's not like we're not used to adversity. The good news is that Matt (Vogler) has gotten all the work this week, and he's going to get his shot. I believe he'll do a fine job. What this team has to do now is rally around Matt and make it happen," — TCU coach Jim Wacker on being without starting quarterback Leon Clay.

Cougars.

The loss of the man who was responsible for 21 of their 28 touchdowns this season became official Thursday when it was discovered that the hand that had been giving him trouble since the Baylor game has a hairline fracture.

TCU coach Jim Wacker took the news with a stiff upper lip even though it means facing the No. 6 Cougars on their home field without the man who ranks No. 9 in the nation in total offense.

Clay has completed 119 of 223 passes with seven interceptions for 1,565 yards and 16 touchdowns. He was on a pace to have the best season of any TCU quarterback since Heisman Trophy winner Davey O'Brien threw for 19 touchdowns and ran for three more in 1938.

Junior Matt Vogler will replace Clay, Wacker said.

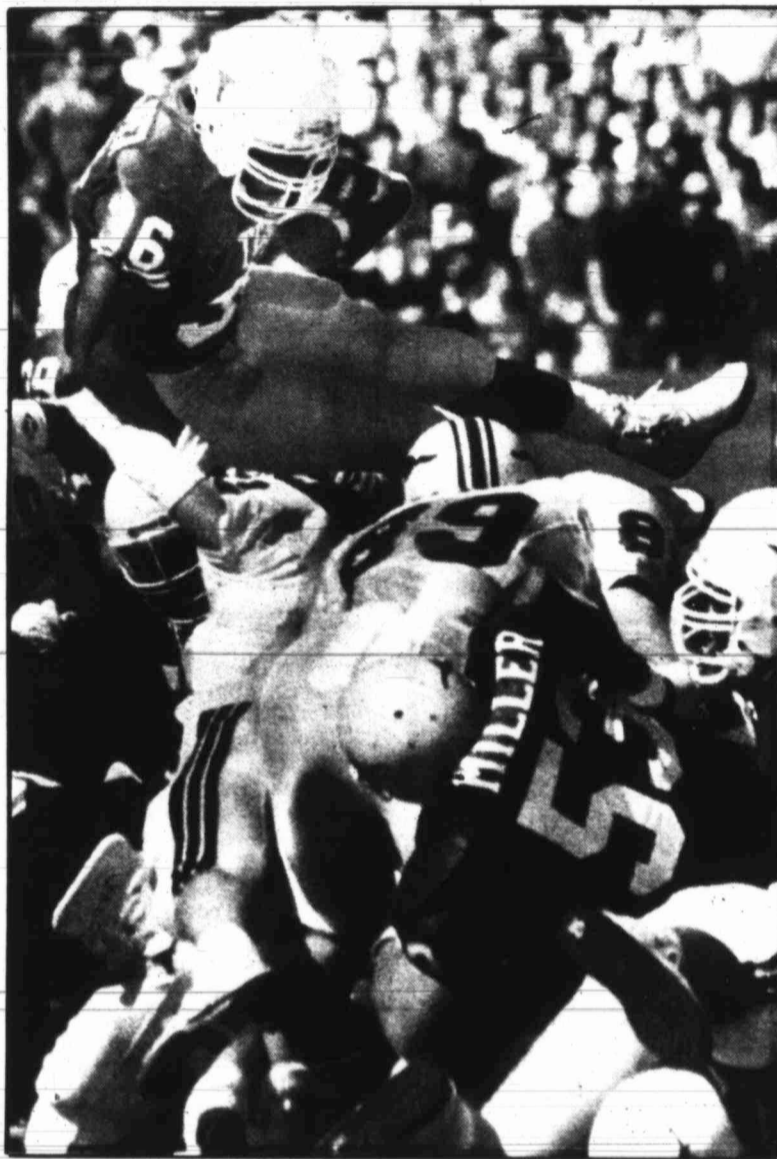
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"What this team has to do now is rally around Matt and make it happen," Wacker added.

The Cougars are averaging 41 points per game against league opposition. Last year Houston beat the Frogs 55-10 in Fort Worth.

Undefeated Houston rated a 21-point pick over TCU.

"It's homecoming for us, but it will be a challenge to beat a very, very fine football team," said Houston coach John Jenkins. "There should be a lot of passes thrown with their triple shoot and our run and shoot offenses."



Associated Press photo

AUSTIN — Adrian Walker (36), a University of Texas running back, leaps into the end zone to score a touchdown against SMU last week. This week the Longhorns play Texas Tech in Lubbock.

In other SWC matchups, oddsmakers picked Texas A&M by 31 points over Southern Methodist in a 1 p.m. game at Ownby Stadium. Texas was a 11-point selection over Texas Tech in a noon (Raycom TV) game in Jones Stadium, and Arkansas, who has allowed more than 200 points in four straight losses to league opposition, was a 5-point choice over Rice in a 7 p.m. clash at Little Rock.

Since Houston can't go to the Cotton Bowl because of NCAA probation, the Texas Longhorns have the best league mark at 3-0. Baylor, which is idle this weekend, and Texas A&M are next with 1-1-1 ledgers.

Baylor returns to action against Arkansas at noon Nov. 10 in a regionally televised game (Raycom) from Waco.

Houston's David Klingler leads the nation in total offense with 420 yards per game.

Arkansas has won nine straight games over Rice, but the Hogs are off to their worst league start since 1958 when Frank Broyles was the coach. Rice last won 17-16 at Little Rock in 1980.

Arkansas coach Jack Crowe said he knew the Hogs would have pro-

blems before the season began but "the way we've lost is something that has shocked me."

"Nobody has stopped Arkansas' offense yet," Rice coach Fred Goldsmith said. "We still respect them and we know they are ready to explode at any time with their tremendous speed. You look at their offense and wonder how in the world they lost a game. Then you see their defensive breakdowns and say you might have a good chance."

Texas A&M's Darren Lewis will be trying to lead to his SWC career rushing total. Lewis passed SMU's Eric Dickerson last week and stands at 4,453 yards in a rush to the 5,000-yard marker.

Texas coach David McWilliams returns once again to the town he jilted. McWilliams left Texas Tech to return to Austin in 1987 as coach of the Longhorns. Texas is off to its best start since the 1984 team went 6-0-1 out of the starting gate.

"Tech played very well early in the year," McWilliams said. "That's what scares you. We're worried they might hit their stride again."

No. 1 Virginia will receive a stern test from Georgia Tech

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Virginia is a relative neophyte at this business of being No. 1, a level it reached for the first time three weeks ago.

Georgia Tech, on the other hand, is an old hand at playing the No. 1 team ... but without much success.

When the 16th-ranked Yellow Jackets (6-0-1, 4-0-1) visit Virginia (7-0-0, 4-0-0) on Saturday for their Atlantic Coast Conference showdown, it will mark the ninth time Georgia Tech has faced the No. 1-ranked team.

The last time was Nov. 27, 1982, a 38-18 loss to Georgia that left Tech with a 1-6-1 record against the top team in The Associated Press poll.

"With Virginia, we have our hands full; we realize that," coach Bobby Ross said. "Virginia has had two weeks to prepare. They have been able to rest somewhat. We've had five

consecutive tough, hard football games.

"I think that our kids will be ready to play and they're certainly looking forward to the challenge that Virginia presents. We realize we'll be a decided underdog (Virginia is a 13-point favorite), but we'll give it our best and see what happens."

Virginia, featuring the Shawn Moore-Herman Moore aerial fireworks, leads the nation with 48.1 points and 544.9 yards a game, and Shawn Moore is the passing efficiency leader. The Cavaliers also have the top two rushers in the conference in tailbacks Terry Kirby and Nikki Fisher.

Georgia Tech is second nationally in scoring defense, surrendering just 13.4 points a game, and the Yellow Jackets have 32 quarterback sacks.

Tech would like to prove it belongs up there with the big boys while Virginia is tired of listening to critics pooh-pooh its schedule.

By the way, no Virginia team has ever been 8-0.

The survivor of Colorado (7-1-1, 4-0-0) and Nebraska (8-0-0, 4-0-0) will have the inside track for the Big Eight championship, and a berth in the Orange Bowl. Nebraska leads the series 34-13-1, including 18-5 in Lincoln, where the Cornhuskers have beaten the Buffs 10 straight.

Nebraska has yielded only one rushing touchdown all season, but the Cornhuskers have yet to face a ranked team.

Because of NCAA probation, Florida (6-1-0, 3-1-0) is ineligible for the Southeastern Conference

title, and the Gators would like nothing better than to knock Auburn (6-0-1, 3-0-1) out of the SEC lead.

In fact, Florida is a three-point favorite.

Auburn, which has won or shared the SEC title the last three years, has remained in the hunt for the national championship by winning three games and tying a fourth in the closing minutes.

The Tigers have won three straight against Florida, but a 16-0 victory in 1988 is their only triumph in Gainesville since 1972.

"Playing in Gainesville presents a challenge in itself," said Auburn coach Pat Dye, who is 1-3 at Florida. "I'm searching for the right combination to get this football team performing at a high level of intensity and execution. We haven't reached it yet. I don't see us beating Florida playing the way we have played the last few weeks."

The Iowa-Illinois winner (both are 6-1-0 overall, 4-0-0 in the Big Ten) will be in the driver's seat for a trip to the Rose Bowl. But according to Illini coach John Mackovic, it's not life or death.

"Contrary to popular belief, there will be a Sunday this week," said Mackovic, apparently unfamiliar with the late Duffy Daugherty's crack that a particular game was "not life or death — it's more important than that."

Illinois leads the Big Ten in defense, allowing 279.7 yards a game. Iowa is 13th nationally in rushing with 239 yards a game, led by 255-pound Nick Bell, who has 574 yards on 99 carries, a 5.8-yard average.

Washington (7-1-0, 5-0-0) can nail down the host spot in the Rose Bowl if it beats Arizona (6-2-0, 4-2-0) and UCLA loses to Oregon.

"We're not cocky, but we're confident," fullback Darius Turner said. "We don't go out and tell people we are the best team in the Pac-10. We let people in the Pac-10 say we are the best team."

"The scary part about it is we still can get better. We still make mistakes. I know we've had one or two series a game on offense where we've broken down in concentration. If we can stop that, I think the sky's the limit for us."

However, Arizona, under coach Dick Tomey, has a 2-0-1 record against Washington.

"Any time you play somebody that has a great reputation, it's one of the challenges you look for as a player and a coach," Tomey said. "We expect them to be the best team we've played, certainly, but we have a lot of confidence, too, and we're expecting to play well."

Anything can happen when two ranked teams meet.

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Midland Lee 14 Abilene High 0

The Abilene High Eagles traveled to Midland to take on the Midland Lee Rebels Friday night, with the Rebels coming out on top 14-0.

Lee's Brett Sullivan scrambled for 55 yards in the third quarter for the first touchdown of the game. The point-after attempt was no good.

The only other score in the game came in the fourth quarter when the Rebels' Derrick Turner ran for four yards, followed by Reggie Webb's run for two more points, making the final score 14-0.

Abilene High	Team stats	Midland Lee
6	First Downs	19
99	Yds. Rushing	380
18	Yds. Passing	0
4 of 14	Pass. Comp.	0 of 6
0	Int. By	0
6-45	Punts	5-35
2-1	Fum. Lost	2-1
6-35	Penalties	9-75
Score By Quarters		
Abilene High	0	0
Midland Lee	0	0

Central 14 Permian 14

Abilene Central	Team stats	Odessa Permian
16	First Downs	15
218	Yds. Rushing	220
90	Yds. Passing	74
6 of 16	Pass. Comp.	7 of 15
0	Int. By	2
4-37.3	Punts	7-32.3
5-2	Fum. Lost	2-1
1-5	Penalties	5-50
Score By Quarters		
Abilene Central	0	7
Odessa Permian	7	7

Midland High 6 Cooper 2

ABILENE — The Midland High Bulldogs played host to the Abilene Cooper Cougars Friday night in a low-scoring, district game. The Bulldogs came out on top with a score of 6-2.

The Bulldogs' Brent Noisette ran the final yard for the TD in the third quarter. The kick was blocked, leaving the score at 6-0.

The only other score of the game came in the fourth quarter when

Midland High's David Worley intentionally ran out of the end zone to give the Cougars two points.

Midland High	Team stats	Abilene Cooper
9	First Downs	12
88	Yds. Rushing	129
70	Yds. Passing	73
7 of 13	Pass. Comp.	7 of 21
4	Int. By	2
8-32	Punts	7-27.1
2-0	Fum. Lost	3-2
4-55	Penalties	3-30
Score By Quarters		
Midland High	0	0
Abilene Cooper	0	0

Andrews 34 Monahans 26

MONAHANS — A furious fourth period proved a winner for the Andrews Mustangs, with two TDs in that stanza icing a 34-26 win over the host Monahans Loboes.

The hosts never said die, scoring two touchdowns of their own in the closing three minutes, but still 12 points away from a win.

Andrews, Big Spring's next opponent, constructed its victory without attempting a pass.

Andrews opened scoring with an 88-yard punt return by Oscar Bueno in the first period, with Eric Perucca contributing the PAT kick.

The Mustangs reinforced their edge with a second period two-yard run by Zach Miller to complete an 80-yard, 14-play drive with 4:07 left in the half. Perucca's second kick of the night was good.

The Loboes got on the board with a successful Steve Ward to Jeff Judkins effort from 13 yards out with 2:23 left in the first half. Jody Carrasco added the PAT.

Monahans came within a point of tying the game when Joey Munoz completed a 68-yard drive with his six-yard run with 5:21 in the third period on a 12-play drive. However, a missed PAT left the home team short, 13-12.

Andrews responded with a 51-yard run by Kevin Nichols to complete a quick, three-play, 68-yard drive with 4:10 left in the third period; the two-point PAT attempt failed.

The cushion they sought came in the fourth period when Chris Garrett nailed a three-yard scoring run to cap an 80-yard drive with 7:39 left in the game. Perruca added the PAT.

Miller completed Andrews' scor-

ing with a 23-yard run — the entire drive — just less than two minutes later. Perruca's kick added the 34th point.

Monahans responded with two quick TD's, on a 10-yard pass from Ward to Carrasco on a 79-yard drive of 7 plays with 2:53 left in the game. The PAT failed.

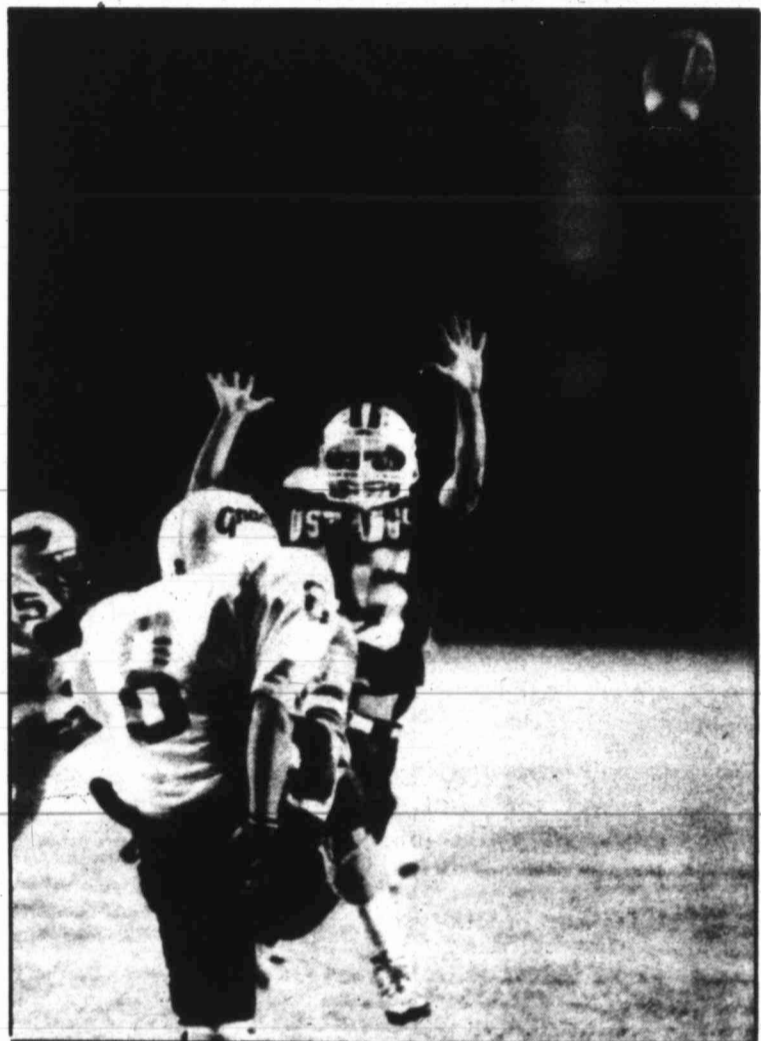
Less than two minutes later — with 59 ticks on the clock — Ward again connected, this time to Sal Sanchez on an 11-yard pass. The PAT again failed.

Andrews, now 3-1 in 3-4A, hosts Big Spring Friday, while Monahans will recuperate from its second district loss in five games with an open Friday night.

Andrews	Team stats	Monahans
17	First Downs	19
287	Yds. Rushing	152
0	Yds. Passing	166
0 of 0	Pass. Comp.	14 of 25
1	Int. By	0
0-0	Punts	4-28
4-4	Fum. Lost	0-0
3-30	Penalties	3-35
Score By Quarters		
Andrews	7	7
Monahans	0	7

Sweetwater 7 Lake View

San Angelo Lakeview	Team stats	Sweetwater
9	First Downs	20
79	Yds. Rushing	272
30	Yds. Passing	28
7 of 18	Pass. Comp.	4 of 11
0	Int. By	1
6-36	Punts	5-36
2-1	Fum. Lost	2-1
5-58	Penalties	6-63
Score By Quarters		
San Angelo Lakeview	0	0
Sweetwater	7	0



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The heat is on

ACKERLY — Sands Mustangs defender John Young (45) gets close to blocking a punt by Grady Wildcats' Baldomar Cortez (8) during first half action Friday night in six-man football action.

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Inside Sports

Public gets chance to meet Lady Steers

Meet the Lady Steers Night will be Tuesday, Nov. 5 at Steer Gym.

The freshmen, junior varsity and varsity teams will scrimmage Snyder. Frosh scrimmage at 4:40 p.m., followed by junior varsity at 5:30. Between the junior varsity and varsity scrimmage, all the players from seventh grade on up, will be introduced.

Varsity scrimmages at 7.

Baseball caps on sale at BSHS

Members of the Big Spring High School baseball team will be taking orders for baseball caps baseball coach John Velasquez said.

The caps are fitted, not one-size-fits-all, Velasquez said, and interested persons should give their head sizes when ordering.

The caps are \$7 apiece, in black and white, and can be obtained from Velasquez, assistant coach Bobby Doe or any team member.

Hoop play at Howard

The West Texas Shootout will be Nov. 9-10 at the old Howard College gym.

Entry fee is \$110 per team and entry deadline is Nov. 6, with a 16-team limit. The first three place teams will receive team trophies, and the first two teams will also receive individual trophies. There will also be an all-tournament team and a MVP. Also included are slam dunk and three-point contests.

For more information call Roy Green at 264-5108 or 263-5655.

Coahoma youth hoops signups

COAHOMA — Registration is now going on for the Coahoma Youth Basketball League.

Registration forms can be picked up at Roberts Auto Supply. The league is open to youth ages 9-12, whose birthday is before Sept. 1.

Also anyone interested in coaching can call Sherry Brooks at 394-4778, after 5 p.m.

Coed volleyball play scheduled

ODESSA — The U.T. Permian Basin Physical Education Club is sponsoring a 16-team coed volleyball tournament Nov. 10 at the UTPB gym.

Entry fee is \$75 per person, and entry deadline is Nov. 5. A team plaque and trophy, along with T-shirts, will be awarded to the first three place teams.



Associated Press photo

Double trouble

AUSTIN — Carolyn Diehl (foreground) and Dallas Highland Park teammate Shay Evans, play in Friday's semi-finals of the state team tennis tournament against Wichita Falls High.

Top two seeds win easily in Paris Open

PARIS (AP) — Top-seeded Stefan Edberg beat Jakob Hlasek 6-3, 6-2 and No. 2 Boris Becker beat Michael Stich 6-1, 6-2 Friday to advance to the semifinals of the Paris indoor tennis tournament.

Becker will play Jonas Svensson, who beat sixth-seeded Emilio Sanchez 7-5, 6-4. Sergi Bruguera of Spain beat qualifier Guillaume Raoux of France 4-6, 6-1, 6-3 in another quarterfinal and will play Edberg.

Edberg, the top-ranked player in the world since August, is looking forward to a possible match against Becker in the final.

Edberg lost a first-round match to Bruguera at last May's French Open, but he said he is confident going into Saturday's rematch.

"This surface suits me better than him but we'll see," Edberg said. "He's been playing good recently against other players. You can't underestimate him."

Bruguera, 19, is still thinking about the victory last May.

"The fact that I won against him will be in the mind of both of us," he said. "But he beat me once on a fast surface and easily."

Becker needed just 67 minutes for his 13th consecutive victory at the Paris indoor.

"It's my best match of the tournament," Becker said. "It usually gets tougher in the quarterfinals, but for me it's getting easier."

Stich, ranked 67th, had beaten ninth-ranked Brad Gilbert in the third round, his first victory against a top 10 player.

"Today I lost to a player two times better than me," Stich said. "I didn't have any chances to win a set or the match."

Svensson, who on Thursday eliminated No. 3 Ivan Lendl, had seven aces against no double faults as he continued his good tournament.

"To beat somebody like Lendl gives you more confidence," Svensson said. "Against Becker it will be interesting. When you feel good and play good you want to play the best players."

"We both have to win another match to play together, but I don't mind playing him again," — Stefan Edberg, of playing Boris Becker.

Becker beat Edberg in the Paris final last year, but Becker has beaten Edberg in straight sets at Sydney, Australia and at Stockholm, Sweden, in the past month.

Edberg broke Hlasek's serve in the first game of Friday's match and broke again in the first and third games of the second set with big service returns.

In the last game, Hlasek fell behind 0-40 and saved two match points before Edberg hit a service return past Hlasek to close it out.

'Hit Man' doing his time in Desert Shield

IN EASTERN SAUDI ARABIA (AP) — Former boxing champion Thomas "Hit Man" Hearns entertained U.S. troops Friday with verbal jabs and mock sparring at the start of an eight-day World USO tour.

Hearns autographed helmet liners and shook hands to boost morale of soldiers deployed in Saudi Arabia as part of Operation Desert Shield.

"It was good for me. But I still want to go home, and I would have liked to have met him in the States," said Staff Sgt. Timothy "Bull" Lewis, 27, of Philadelphia, who is serving with the 438th Military Airlift Wing.

U.S. Marine Staff Sgt. Jeff Greene, 27, of Tallahassee, Fla., squared off against Hearns in a boxing ring in front an Air Force hangar.

"I had him on the ropes," Greene joked. "I could have took him out easily, but I couldn't see myself inflicting bodily harm on him. He was here for the morale of us."

Hearns, wearing desert camouflage fatigues and a U.S. Army tag on his shirt, relished the chance to mix with the soldiers. He mugged for photographs and playfully chatted with a number of troops.



Associated Press photo

SAUDI ARABIA — Middleweight Thomas 'Hitman' Hearns (right) is greeted by unidentified soldiers on Friday during a USO tour to the Middle East to visit military service personnel serving in Operation Desert Shield.

"Just to see somebody from home makes them feel good. The troops here need our support, someone to thank them for the beautiful job they're doing," Hearns said. "I'm here because I care. These troops are here putting their life on the line for us. It meant

a lot to them to laugh and joke around."

Hearns has fought in several weight classes. Some of his memorable bouts have been against Marvin Hagler, Roberto Duran and Sugar Ray Leonard, who Hearns fought to a draw in a

rematch in 1988.

Hearns has held the WBA welterweight, WBC super welterweight, world junior middleweight, WBC light heavyweight and WBC middleweight titles.

Hearns plans to be in the Persian Gulf region seven more days to meet as many soldiers as possible.

"They are true fighters," Hearns said of the soldiers. "I know what I'm facing when I step in that boxing ring. They don't have any idea what's in store for them."

Hearns donated his time for the USO tour. Comedian Steve Martin visited troops in the desert last month.

Sgt. Sergio Armenteros of New York appreciated the celebrities' visits. When asked who else he would like to see visit, Armenteros said, "My wife."

Hearns said this desert country was "kind of spooky." He also had trouble distinguishing whether the threat was coming from Iraq or Iran.

"You don't know what country is what," Hearns said.

And asked whether he would like to go a few rounds with Iraqi President Saddam Hussein, Hearns shook his head and said, "That guy's crazy. It's not a game."

Pistons open three-peat bid on right note

By the ASSOCIATED PRESS

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — The Detroit Pistons began their bid for a three-peat with a 115-104 opening-night win over the Milwaukee Bucks as Joe Dumars scored 19 points Friday night.

Bill Laimbeer and James Edwards each had 18 for Detroit, hoping to become the first team since 1966 to win as many as three consecutive championships.

Ricky Pierce scored 12 of his 31 points in the fourth quarter for the Bucks.

A three-point play by Fred Roberts narrowed the Pistons lead to 65-61 with 8:02 left in the third quarter. But Dumars hit six points in an 11-4 Detroit run for an 11-point Pistons lead with 4:42 left in the period.

Pierce scored nine points the rest period for the Bucks, but Dumars had three more, and a steal and layup at the buzzer by Vinnie Johnson gave Detroit an 88-77 lead at the end of three quarters.

In pregame ceremonies, the Pistons were presented their championship rings by NBA deputy commissioner Russ Granik.

76ers 124, Bulls 116

CHICAGO — Charles Barkley scored 37 points and Johnny Dawkins added 25, leading Philadelphia over Chicago.

The 76ers led most of the way and held several 20-point leads before the Bulls made a last-ditch run in the fourth quarter. It was a small measure of revenge for the 76ers, who were knocked out of the playoffs by the Bulls last season.

Michael Jordan led the Bulls in the season-opener with 34 points, 28 coming in the second half but his fourth-quarter efforts were minimized by Rick Mahorn, who scored 13 of his 19 points in the final period to keep the Bulls from getting in position to take the lead.

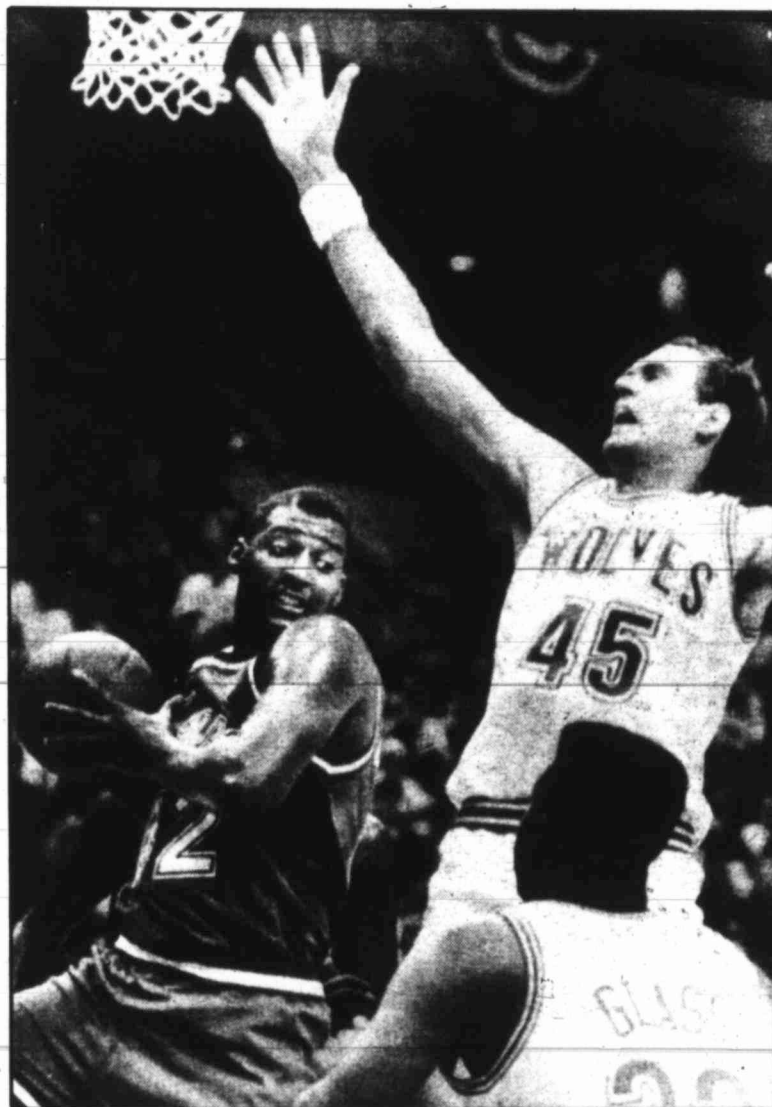
Celtics 125, Cavaliers 101

BOSTON — Reggie Lewis scored 32 points as Boston, with a new fastbreak offense and new head coach Chris Ford, routed Cleveland.

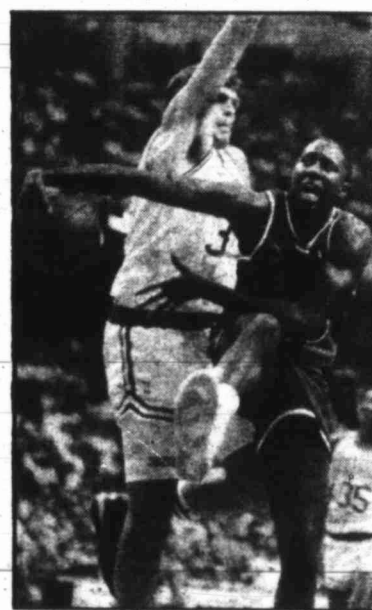
The Celtics led 56-46 at halftime and closed the third quarter with a 7-0 run that made the score 94-79.

With Boston leading 105-92 with 6:11 left, Brian Shaw hit two free throws that began a 16-1 spurt that turned the game into a rout.

Robert Parish added 23 points and 14 rebounds for Boston and Larry Bird had 18 points and 15



Dallas Mavericks center Roy Tarpley, left, takes the ball away from Minnesota's Randy Breuer (45) and Gerald Glass (22) during first-period action in the photo at left. At top right, Cleveland guard John Morton, center, kicks a leg while trying to dump the ball off against Boston forward Kevin McHale. At bottom right, Chicago center Will Perdue, in white, tries to stop Philadelphia guard Ron Anderson as he drives the lane.



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assists. The Cavaliers were led by Mark Price with 19 and Chucky Brown with 18.

Hawks 115, Magic 111

ATLANTA — Dominique Wilkins had 32 points, nine rebounds and seven assists as Atlanta used late free throws to down Orlando.

The Hawks, who twice led by 20 points in the opening quarter, trailed 111-109 with 1:26 to play, but scored the last six points in the game on two free throws each by Wilkins and rookie Rumeal Robinson and one each by Kevin Willis

and Duane Ferrell. The Hawks led for most of the game until Otis Smith's fast-break layup gave the Magic a 99-97 lead with 6:37 remaining. Orlando stayed ahead until Sidney Moncrief's layup off a steal by Moses Malone got the Hawks even at 103.

There were three more ties and two lead changes before Willis put the Hawks in front to stay, hitting a free throw with 56 seconds to play.

Terry Catledge had 27 points and 12 rebounds to lead the Magic.

Pacers 100, Nets 81

INDIANAPOLIS — Rik Smits scored 24 points and LaSalle Thompson had 20 rebounds as Indiana, outscoring New Jersey 20-11 in the third period, defeated the Nets.

New Jersey, which trailed early by 12 points, pulled within seven at halftime before the Pacers' rebounding and inside play of the 7-foot-4 Smits, the 6-10 Thompson and Detlef Schrempf broke open the game.

Thompson had eight rebounds in the third quarter, and Schrempf

had nine points as Indiana steadily built the lead to 72-56 going into the final period. Baskets by Schrempf and Smits midway through the fourth quarter started a 12-2 Indiana run that gave the Pacers their biggest lead at 94-68.

Reggie Miller added 22 points for Indiana. New Jersey, which lost its 29th consecutive road game, was led by Jack Haley and rookie Derrick Coleman with 11 points apiece.

Heat 119, Bulls 95

MIAMI — Willie Burton scored 25 points in his NBA debut, including seven in a 41-second third-quarter span to break the game open for Miami against Washington.

The victory was the Heat's first in an opener and put the third-year franchise over the 500 mark for the first time ever. Last season, Miami won only once by more than 21 points.

Burton, a 6-foot-8 forward and the ninth player taken in the June draft, took over the game late in the third period, giving Miami an 84-71 lead, its largest to that point.

Rony Seikaly scored nine consecutive Heat points in the fourth quarter to help expand the margin, and finished with 22 points. Sherman Douglas added 21.

Washington, which had an 0-7 record during the preseason, was led by Bernard King with 18 points.

Knicks 134, Hornets 130

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Patrick Ewing scored 38 points and Maurice Cheeks made a key steal and hit four free throws in the final seconds as New York beat Charlotte in overtime.

The Hornets, who trailed most of the season-opener for both teams, led 129-124 in overtime when Armon Gilliam scored two baskets inside and Johnny Newman hit a reverse layup with 3:28 to play.

New York answered with six consecutive points, capped by Mark Jackson's two free throws with 49 seconds left. Then Cheeks stole the ball from Dell Curry and hit two free throws to put New York up 132-129 with 39 seconds to go.

Newman's free throw cut the lead to 132-130 with 8.1 seconds to go, but Cheeks responded with two free throws with 6.9 seconds left to seal the victory.

Gerald Wilkins added 25 points for the Knicks, while Jackson scored 22. Gilliam led the Hornets with 23 points, Curry scored 22 and J.R. Reid 20.

NBA gear-ing up for Phoenix-Utah Japanese debut

TOKYO (AP) — As far as the National Basketball Association is concerned, a regular season game is a regular season game, even if it's played on the other side of the world.

So for a two-game series between the Phoenix Suns and Utah Jazz in Tokyo — the first regular season games for a major American professional league outside North America — the NBA brought more than just a couple dozen players.

"We have our own floor, baskets, backboards, clock and stat crew," commissioner David Stern said before the opener started around noon Saturday local time.

"That was the most important priority for us, to make sure it was conducted in the way such a game should be conducted," he said.

NBA games are televised in more than 70 countries, and though games abroad are becoming more frequent for NBA players, until the

series in Japan all had either been exhibition or tournament competitions.

"This is a new experience for us, so we're not making any definite plans except for to return home and analyze this event," Stern said.

Stern added, however, that he expects NBA openers outside of the United States to continue on a periodic basis. "We're just not sure about whether it will be every

year."

"We've had so many requests for games like this," he said. "We've got a lot of items on our plate that we're just trying to sort out."

Among the countries that have expressed interest in hosting the NBA are Australia, Sweden, the Soviet Union, Italy and Israel, he said.

Stern recently traveled to China, where sports officials also suggested a game might be held.

Stern, however, said the league "is not entertaining any such plans at the present time."

The commissioner said international revenues currently account for about \$5-10 million of the \$700 million the NBA grosses each year.

But he said he believes the prospects for future growth in the international market "are at least as good as the prospects were for cable (television broadcasts) in 1980."

Woman innocent in men's room case

HOUSTON (AP) — A woman who said she was desperate when she went to the men's room at a country-western concert was found innocent Friday of a charge of illegally using the restroom.

Jurors deliberated 23 minutes before deciding that Denise Wells, 33, was innocent. She was charged with violating a city ordinance that prohibits people from using restrooms intended for members of the opposite sex in a manner calculated to cause a disturbance.

Ms. Wells faced a maximum \$200 fine if convicted of the misdemeanor.

Ms. Wells, 33, and her lawyer and sister, Valorie Wells Davenport, laughed and hugged each other when the verdict was read Friday evening.

"I'm relieved. I'm elated," Ms. Wells said. "The jurors told me, 'You had us all the way.'"

Testimony in the trial, which began Thursday, ended Friday afternoon.

Ms. Wells testified that she saw the line outside the women's room at the July 7 concert by George Strait was so long, "I felt I was in a situation where I had to be in a restroom. I took the only option I felt was available."

The legal secretary said she covered her eyes and apologized to men already in the restroom at The Summit.

Ms. Wells was arrested and removed from the concert, for which she paid \$125 to attend.

Ms. Wells' lawyer and sister, Valorie Wells Davenport, said the state failed to prove she had no per-



HOUSTON — Denise Wells, left, and her attorney sister Valorie Wells Davenport embrace after a six-member jury found her innocent in the "Potty" trial in Houston. Wells was being tried for using the men's room at a concert instead of the ladies' room.

mission to enter the men's room and that she entered with the intent to "raise a ruckus."

The defense's case focused on the lack of adequate facilities for women at such public places as the Summit.

The case has made Ms. Wells a celebrity of sorts. Her bathroom trip has been the subject of national news coverage and she has made appearances on the talk shows of Johnny Carson, Geraldo Rivera and Joan Rivers.

Williams didn't pay income taxes in 1986

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Millionaire Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams said Friday he didn't pay any income taxes in 1986 because of the poor economy.

Williams, who has refused repeated calls by his rival, Democrat Ann Richards, to release his income tax returns, made the remark in response to a reporter's question in College Station.

"Yes, I've paid lots of income tax, lots, lots," he said. "I'll tell you when I didn't pay any income tax was 1986, when our whole economy collapsed."

Bill Cryer, Richards' press secretary, said Williams' admission shows why the Republican candidate has refused for months to make public his income tax returns.

"Absolutely, it's no wonder he didn't want to release his income tax (returns)," Cryer said, adding that the Richards campaign thinks Williams now needs to make all his recent returns public as the Democrat did months ago.

"It is an absolute necessity now that we know whether or not this man — who is one of the richest men in the United States — paid any income taxes like the rest of us," Cryer said.

"In 1986, I can understand he was going through some hard times. But everybody in Texas was. And we all paid our taxes then."

He said that Richards' 1986 return showed she paid \$47,343 in income taxes on earnings of \$154,000. That included her \$68,000 state salary, capital gains, \$14,000 in interest income and a divorce settlement.

Williams' admission came during an old-fashioned whistle-stop train trip from San Antonio to

Houston, during which he pledged to boost the state's economy, veto any income tax and fight a war on drugs.

Richards, campaigning with Missouri Congressman Richard Gephardt in East Texas, accused Republicans of trying to intimidate black voters and denounced the GOP as cynical.

Two new opinion polls, meanwhile, showed the race continuing to tighten as election day nears.

A Mason-Dixon poll conducted for various media outlets showed Williams at 45 percent support and Richards at 43 percent; a Texas Poll showed the race 42-35 for Williams.

Williams made seven stops in his railroad tour from San Antonio to Houston. "Thanks for comin' out today," he shouted to a cheering crowd in Luling.

"Luling, Texas, a little bit of the oil patch. I come from the oil patch. When oil was \$40 a barrel and Texas was booming I was six-foot-four," Williams said, gesturing well above his head. "But now, I'm all that's left."

Williams began each stop introducing several members of his family who traveled with him, then gave about a 15-minute speech. He would then step off the train, shake hands, kiss babies and ask for votes.

In Longview, Richards raised the issue of intimidation of black voters and called again for Williams to release his income tax returns.

"You ought to be able to see whether or not someone who aspires to lead this state cares enough about government to pay his fair share in running the government," she said.

Television parody gives voters a chance for revenge

DALLAS (AP) — For most Texas voters, it's been the year of living dangerously close to the television set.

For the last year, Texans have been bombarded with poll results, slipups and million-dollar mudslinging during what some say is the nastiest gubernatorial race in recent memory.

With that thought in mind, Dallas' public television station, KERA, turned its airwaves over to viewers for 30 minutes this week in what they called "Voters' Revenge."

The program featured the best of 18 homemade video parodies and skits of the gubernatorial race between Democrat Ann Richards and Republican Clayton Williams.

The "revenge" was hardly slick, but it was sweet for the creators of the 12 selected.

In Irwin Arnstein's video, the 31-year-old computer programmer imitated Williams during a cam-

paigned ad. "Yes folks, I plan to service Texas," Arnstein said, referring to Williams' admission to being "serviced by prostitutes" as a young boy.

"If you elect me, there's nothing for you to do but sit back and enjoy it."

In another video, voters were asked to compare Williams to an animal. Examples included rooster, weasel, jackass, piranha and ostrich.

The recording quality resembled homemade 8mm movies — nothing like that of ads run by Richards and Williams, who have spent a record-breaking \$32 million on the campaign.

Some ads were corny, like a spoof sent in by Alicia Plaski featuring a rewritten Clement C. Moore's "Twas The Night Before Christmas."

"Twas the week before the election and all through the state, the voters were waiting for just one

debate. "... The voters were all snuggled all warm in their beds, while visions of gas hikes danced in their heads."

Most videos poked more fun at Williams, whose West Texas bravado has resulted in several statements he later retracted.

But video directors say that's because there's more material. "I just think he's fun to make fun of," said Marillyn Leaman, who heads Marillyn Leaman Productions, a commercial video and film group.

Ms. Leaman directed several improvisational spots featuring redneck housewives discussing the state's horrible problem with teenagers involved in "cracking codeine."

"I'm really disappointed that everybody got so mean in one commercial after another," Ms. Leaman said.

"Well, Ann Richards has done

nothing to offend anybody whereas Clayton Williams... they had plenty of ammunition," Arnstein said. "It was like hitting the broad side of a barn with a two by four."

One segment titled "Hot Talk" featured controversial Dallas disc jockey John Ford, of radio station KDGE, playing a sleazy talk show host.

In the video, created by KDGE intern Jeff Ballew, Ford interviewed the two "candidates from hell."

The "Satan Williams" character, played by Ballew, sported a cowboy hat and devil's horns. If elected, he promised viewers a "Satan Williams' Deluxe Detention Center and Family Theme Park." Meanwhile, a much younger looking "Sat-Ann Richards, capped in a large curly white wig, told voters she once dated Elvis.

Ballew, 28 and a sophomore at North Lake Community College, says he last voted in a governor's

race, but was unsure of the date.

Another Williams-imitator joked that women's rights was a contradiction in terms. His campaign promises included sending all teenagers caught smoking marijuana "to hell."

Since the program aired Wednesday, viewer response has been "mostly positive," said Jonnie England, KERA spokeswoman. About 15 viewers complained at the satirical portraits of Williams. But others said they enjoyed the break from the usual election coverage.

Williams has offended some voters, particularly women, with his casual comments, especially his comparison of bad weather and rape. "If it's inevitable, just relax and enjoy it," Williams told reporters in March.

The KERA program is now being made available to the other 10 other public broadcasting stations in Texas, Ms. England said.

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Nations sign global anti-drug trafficking agreement

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — A new global pact that provides for seizure of drug traffickers' bank accounts and property means "There is no place for them to hide throughout the world," U.S. Attorney General Dick Thornburgh said Friday.

The accord also commits nations to extradite accused drug traffickers to the countries where they face charges.

"It aims to hit the drug traffickers where it hurts the most; that is to say, in their freedom of movement and their liberty," said

Margaret J. Anstee, coordinator of all U.N.-drug control activities. Both she and Thornburgh spoke about the new pact at a news conference at the United Nations.

The new agreement, known as the U.N. Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, takes effect Nov. 11.

It binds the United States and 26 other nations that accepted it to cooperate in battling drug trafficking. Sixty-two more nations and the European Economic Community have indicated they will adopt it.

"Nov. 11 is a date that used to be observed worldwide as Armistice Day, marking the end of the first World War," Thornburgh said. "Nov. 11 this year, however, is anything but an Armistice Day. It is a worldwide declaration of war upon those engaged in illegal drug trafficking around the world."

The convention criminalizes each step of the drug-trafficking process, from cultivation or production of precursor chemicals to laundering of profits.

Among its major provisions:

- All signatory nations agree to

share criminal evidence and to extradite accused traffickers, eliminating safe havens;

- Nations agree to adopt banking laws that allow them to seize drug profits and banking records;

- The manufacture and sale of chemicals needed to make drugs is to be monitored in each nation;

- Shipments of illegal drugs are to be allowed to pass through countries so police agencies can trace them to their recipients, a technique common in the United States but new in international law.

- Signatory nations will require

commercial shipping, airline, and other transport companies to take steps to make sure their carriers are not used to carry drugs.

"The convention is a determined statement by the international community that it will not tolerate the misery, degradation and death being perpetrated by drug traffickers on a massive scale," said Anstee.

The accord was initially called for by 106 nations at an international conference in Vienna, Austria, in December 1988.

Hostages deny being mistreated

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraq on Friday permitted interviews with several American, British and Japanese hostages, who said they eagerly want to go home and denied reports they were being mistreated.

The Iraqi Ministry of Information took a group of Baghdad-based reporters to different strategic sites to discount recent reports that foreign hostages are maltreated.

"I love freedom. When I get out of this and go home, I'll go to the beaches and have a nice swim," said a man who identified himself as Clem J. Hall, an educator from Takoma Park, Md.

Hall said he was in Kuwait until Sept. 19 and was moved to a Baghdad hotel before he and others were taken to vital economic and military installations in Iraq.

He and nine other foreigners at a site about 60 miles north of Baghdad said they received adequate food and denied any mistreatment by their unarmed guards.

Officials insisted the exact location or the name of the site should not be mentioned.

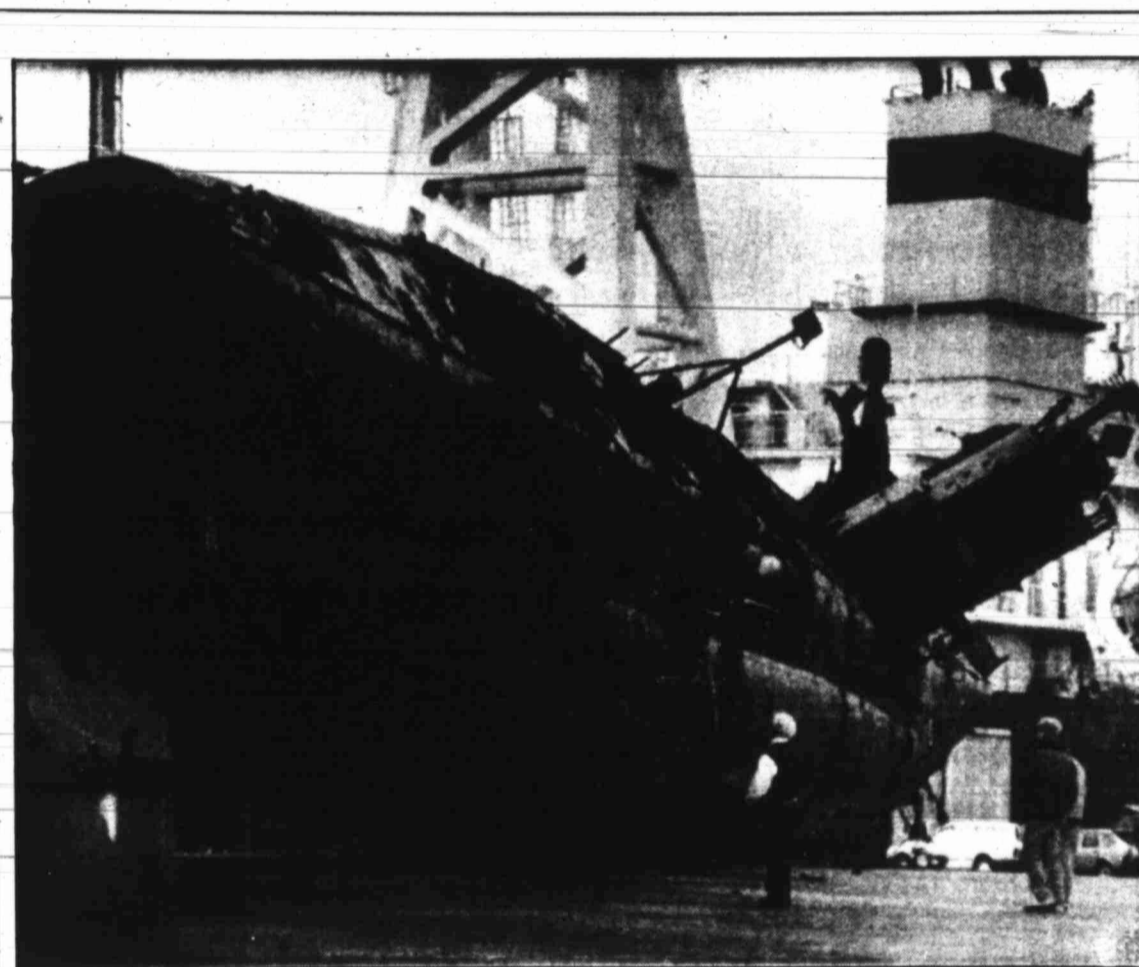
Iraq invaded Kuwait on Aug. 2, prompting a U.S.-dominated military buildup in Saudi Arabia. Iraqi officials responded to the buildup by refusing to allow Westerners to leave the country.

They later allowed women and children to leave, but took some 600 Western and Japanese men to strategic sites as "guests" to try to prevent an attack on Iraq.

In recent days, there has been an escalation of claims in the West that the foreigners were being mistreated. Iraqi officials have denied the claims and said that all the foreigners were given adequate food and medical treatment.

Information Minister Latif Jassim said President Bush was using claims of mistreatment as a pretext for an attack on Iraq.

The visits on Friday were meant to demonstrate that the hostages are well treated.



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High and dry

COPENHAGEN — A Soviet Whiskey-class submarine that sank off the Danish coast while on its way to a Portuguese scrap yard lies on a pier in Copenhagen Friday after it was lifted off the ocean bottom by a Soviet seagoing crane. Danish

officials are forced to leave the sub where it is until they can get hold of a crane that is capable of lifting the vessel, which weighs more than 1,000 tons.

Iraqi patrol captures three French soldiers

PARIS (AP) — Iraqi troops captured three French soldiers on a reconnaissance patrol this week near the Saudi Arabian border with Iraq, the Defense Ministry reported Friday. They were later freed.

The soldiers, who were taken captive Monday, were turned over to the French Embassy in Baghdad, Iraq's capital, the Defense Ministry said in a communique.

It was unclear whether the incident occurred inside Iraqi territory or in Saudi Arabia.

A ministry spokesman said later

Friday that the soldiers face disciplinary measures for an "act of carelessness," which suggests the incident was on the Iraqi side of the border.

The ministry initially reported the capture occurred northwest of Hafar el Batin, a desert city in northeastern Saudi Arabia. Hafar el Batin is about 50 miles inside Saudi Arabia. Attempts to reconcile the different locales were not immediately availing.

A French Defense Ministry source, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the captured soldiers "committed an error of ex-

ceeding their mission. There's a lot of movement around the border right now, and we don't know exactly what happened. The commander who has opened the investigation believes they are responsible."

The Iraqi patrol surprised the French soldiers, who committed no "hostile act," the ministry said.

The three were taken to Baghdad and turned over to the French charge d'affaires, the communique said.

Other military sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the trio was composed of one officer

and two non-commissioned officers in an all-terrain vehicle.

French forces are scattered around strategic crossroads near the Saudi-Iraqi border, the sources said, but are under strict orders not to get too close to the frontier.

Saudi military commanders, who have overall authority over the multinational forces in their country, are aware of the incident, the ministry said.

The French army has opened an investigation of the incident and "will draw all the consequences," the communique said.

Peruvian rebels kill official, ten others

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Leftist guerrillas killed 10 people, including an official of President Alberto Fujimori's Change 90 movement, in a wave of attacks around the country, police said Friday.

Maoist Shining Path guerrillas, led by a woman, Thursday night gunned down Change 90 organizer Hector Montero and his maid in the southern Andean city of Ayacucho, police said.

Montero's wife, 2-year-old son and a guest were seriously wounded in the attack, police said.

The rebels also killed a policeman and five other people, including a student beheaded in Ayacucho, police said. The city is a departmental capital 230 miles southeast of Lima.

Police said those killings were apparently in response to a government decree Oct. 24 that lifted the state of emergency in Ayacucho. The city was first declared an emergency zone in 1983.

In Lima, four leftist rebels shot to death the manager of a shoe factory in the residential area of Brena on Friday, police said.

In an earlier attack, guerrillas Thursday killed a school principal in the central Andean village of Quilcas, about 120 miles east of Lima, police said.

Nation

Union asks Jackson to mediate

NEW YORK (AP) — The leader of the *Daily News*' striking unions asked the Rev. Jesse Jackson on Friday to act as a mediator and he said he would help in any way he could.

Labor lawyer Theodore Kheel later amended the request by Allied Printing Trades Council President George McDonald by saying Jackson could potentially mediate on one issue common to all nine striking unions — the right of strikers to return to their jobs.

"We're very bullish on his becoming involved in this one issue," said Kheel, an adviser to the unions.

Jackson said he would be willing "to offer my services in whatever way would be effective."



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Audit: Some farmers double-dip

WASHINGTON (AP) — An Interior Department audit shows that some western farmers regularly double-dip into federal irrigation and crop subsidies.

The report by the department's Office of Inspector General said farmers in 1986 received Bureau of Reclamation water subsidies conservatively estimated at \$66 million to irrigate lands that produced surplus crops.

At the same time, the Agriculture Department paid the

same farmers \$379 million to limit surplus crop production.

In 1986, the report said, those lands produced crops with a gross value of \$7.5-billion, including 121 million bushels of corn, 65 million bushels of wheat, 47 million bushels of barley, and 1.6 million bales of cotton.

Legislation to limit or eliminate the double subsidies has circulated in Congress. The House passed a bill that was weakened by the Senate and never received final congressional approval.

McDonald's move may signal trend

NEW YORK (AP) — Fast-food giant McDonald Corp.'s decision to abandon foam packages won't put much of a dent in the plastics industry, but it symbolizes America's growing discomfort with a throw-away society, analysts said Friday.

The clamshell-style containers for Big Macs, Quarter Pounders and other sandwiches served at McDonald's 8,000 restaurants na-

tionwide account for less than 1 percent of the \$5 billion-plus market for polystyrene, says the Society of the Plastics Industry, a Washington trade group.

McDonald's said Thursday it will begin replacing foam sandwich containers with paper products within 60 days. The company's main competitor, Burger King, already uses lightweight paper boxes.



Bush protest

CINCINNATI — Candace White holds a protest sign as part of an organized rally on Fountain Square in Cincinnati Friday. The protesters were demonstrating outside a hotel where President George Bush was speaking.

People

Ivana files for divorce

NEW YORK (AP) — The long-anticipated Trump divorce became more than just gossip Friday. Ivana's lawyer said she's making the move against developer Donald.

"Through her attorneys, Ivana Trump announced today that with deep regret she is filing for divorce," lawyer Michael Kennedy said in a one-sentence statement.

Kennedy's secretary said he would not speak to reporters. It wasn't clear when the papers would be filed.

The couple separated in February amid a flurry of publicity over Trump's rela-



IVANA TRUMP

relationship with model-actress Marla Maples.

"It comes as no surprise that this is happening," said Trump's

lawyer, Jay Goldberg.

He said Mrs. Trump decided to file for divorce after realizing that a previous lawsuit she filed challenging a financial agreement with her husband was "a frivolous maneuver."

Under the prenuptial agreement, Mrs. Trump would receive \$10 million and the couple's Connecticut estate, which could now be more valuable than a percentage of Trump's holdings.

Marlon Brando's daughter in coma

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Marlon Brando's daughter, a central figure in her half-brother's murder trial, regained consciousness Friday at a Tahiti hospital after slipping into a coma from a drug overdose.

Brando flew to Tahiti to be with his 20-year-old daughter, Cheyenne, who was taken to the hospital Thursday night after taking an overdose of tranquilizers and antidepressants, said Robert Shapiro, the lawyer for Miss Brando's half-brother, Christian.

Christian Brando, 32, faces a murder charge in the fatal shooting of his sister's Tahitian lover, Dag Drollet. His trial, scheduled to begin Monday, was postponed Friday until an appeals court can review Miss Brando's role in the case.

"It really puts a damper on everything," Shapiro said of the overdose. "The concern of everyone now is for her health and recovery and the criminal case seems less important."

World



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Religious violence

AYODHYA, India — A Hindu devotee injured in religious violence in Ayodhya Friday is dragged away. Police fired, charged and tear-gassed thousands of Hindu who tried for the second time this week to reach the Babri mosque site. Ten were killed and 67 injured.

Philippines may settle Marcos suits

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — President Corazon Aquino said Friday her government may reach out-of-court settlements with the family of late President Ferdinand Marcos in a number of civil lawsuits pending in U.S. courts.

Local newspapers reported the Marcoses and a presidential commission were nearing an agreement whereby the government would get 60 percent of the funds deposited in five Hong Kong bank accounts by representatives of Marcos.

"The projected settlement does not entail dropping civil cases in the Philippines, but possibly civil suits in the U.S. only, if the amounts recovered are significant," Mrs. Aquino said in a

statement. "Criminal cases are not part of the settlement."

The Marcoses face 33 civil suits in the Philippines but have never been charged with a criminal offense because the government feared they would demand their right to return from exile in the United States to defend themselves.

Marcos died in September 1989 in Hawaii, where he fled after his ouster in the 1986 popular uprising that propelled Mrs. Aquino into the presidency.

Imelda Marcos was acquitted in July of criminal charges in New York City that she and her husband embezzled money from the Philippines treasury and used it to buy four buildings in New York.

Thousands meditate for peace

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — About 5,000 people gathered in a stadium Friday for a group meditation to send good vibrations to the Persian Gulf and help avoid war there.

Twenty minutes of meditation is "kind of short" to result in world peace, but the event may result in "some softening, some kind of statement that is more reconciliatory" said David Orme-Johnson, a psychologist at the Maharishi International University in Fairfield, Iowa.

Organizers from the Swedish branch of Transcendental Meditation had hoped to fill the 15,000-seat Globe stadium for the largest group meditation in history. But about 5,000 people bought \$35 tickets for the event. About three-fourths of those attending were experienced meditators.

A group in the Netherlands in recent years brought together

7,000 people for a mass meditation.

Organizers of Friday's event said thousands of other people around the world also concentrated their energies during the 20-minute meditation.

Transcendental Meditation founder Maharishi Mahesh Yogi delivered a message in a phone linkup from the Netherlands. "I expect that we will very soon have irrevocable peace on earth," he said.

Czechoslovakia's president-writer Vaclav Havel, a meditation practitioner, also sent a message, the organizers said.

Swedish Lutherans and some other Protestant churches, objected to the event. "As we see it, it is a covert way of spreading Hinduism and we think people who practice it should be made aware of that," said the Rev. Dan Salomonson of the Philadelphia Pentecostal Church in Stockholm.

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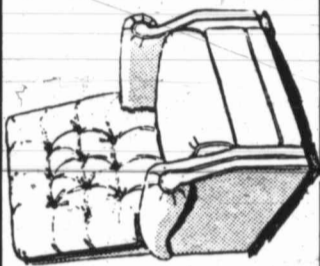
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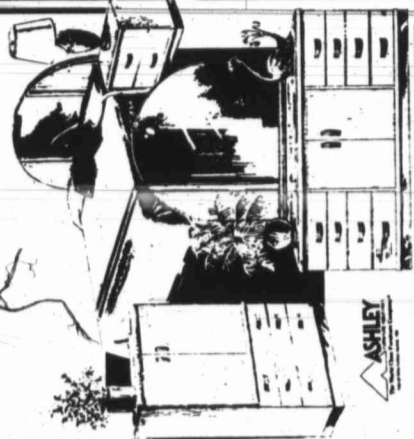


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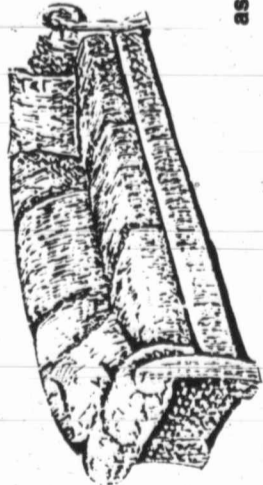
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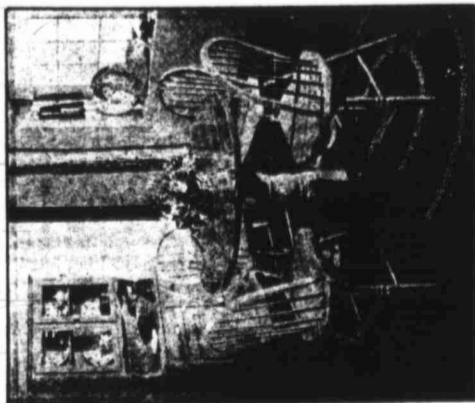
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