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Weather

Increasing clouds tonight with a slight chance of morning showers Thursday followed by clearing skies. Low tonight in the mid 40s; high tomorrow in the mid 60s.

Tuesday's high temperature	82
Tuesday's low temperature	49
Average high	70
Average low	42
Record high	92 in 1956
Record low	18 in 1931
Rainfall Tuesday	0.00
Month to date	0.00
Normal for Month	0.78
Year to date	01.98
Normal for year	01.97

Older people can get help with wills

The West Texas Legal Aid is offering a free clinic to help people 55 or older design a will. Representatives of West Texas Legal Aid will be at the Northside Community Center, 110 North Eighth Street, April 19, from 2 to 5 p.m. The clinic is designed to help people make a legal will, free of charge. For more information, contact Marianne Brown-Esquelin, at 263-2673.

Traffic commission ideas approved

The City Council approved recommendations of the Traffic Commission Monday. A new crosswalk will be created on Fordham Street west of the intersection of Kent and Fordham streets. The existing three crosswalks near Moss Elementary on Kent and Baylor streets will be repainted. Flashing lights will be removed at several intersections throughout the city, including: East 15th and Runnels streets, East Second and Benton, West 10th and Scurry streets, Sixth and Goliad, and 10th and Lancaster.

Group plans rally to welcome troops

The Howard County Ministerial Fellowship is currently seeking insight and help in planning a "welcome home rally" for the returning troops. The fellowship is currently working in conjunction with the mayor, the Chamber of Commerce, the county judge and local veterans organizations. They would like every church, business, civic organization and individual to participate. There will be an organizational meeting Thursday, April 11, at 7 p.m. at the First Church of the Nazarine, 1400 Lancaster Street. Everett Bender of the Howard County Ministerial Fellowship writes, "Your help in locating interested organizations and individuals, and your creativity in planning appropriate ways for them to express appreciation is vital to the success of this project."

Four running for Forsan council

Four candidates have announced their plans to run for three available places on the Forsan City Council. Current members Mary Gressett, Donnie Rogers and Nathan Hughes are seeking reelection. Clarence Williams, retired, has also declared candidacy in the May 4 election.

Council drafting truce terms

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Iraq would have to destroy all its remaining chemical, biological and nuclear weapons and would still face an arms embargo under permanent cease-fire terms in a proposed U.N. resolution, Western diplomats say.

Reparations, however, were among the sticking points as the leading Security Council members worked on the draft Tuesday. Diplomats said the Soviets opposed provisions including a plan to attach a percentage of Iraq's future oil revenues and designate them to a U.N. fund to pay compensation to Kuwait and other nations.

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— were expected to meet again today on the draft. It could be presented to the other 10 Security Council members today or Thursday for discussion. A vote could take place this weekend but is considered more likely next week. Broad agreement was reached on the resolution after the Soviet

Union dropped its objections to provisions including the destruction of chemical and other weapons, diplomats said. The weapons embargo would be maintained, but some conventional arms purchases could be permitted later on the basis of genuine need, diplomats said. Among disagreements was one

over a provision that would call on the Security Council to approve and guarantee the 1963 boundary between Kuwait and Iraq — as sought by Kuwait, diplomats said. China's exact position was not known, but Western diplomats said the Beijing government was not expected to cast a veto, and at most, might abstain. China abstained in voting on the Nov. 29 resolution that authorized the use of military force to expel Iraq from Kuwait. China reportedly sought linkage between destruction of Iraq's chemical and unconventional arms and the destruction of those arms

● TRUCE page 8-A

City pool to open as usual

Area kids can enjoy swimming fun "as usual" at the Municipal Swimming Pool this summer, said Assistant City Manager Tom Decell.

Decell had proposed changes to the pool at a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Board, but he said today that the proposal, which includes a possible decrease in swimming area, is "down the road" and only in the investigation stages at this point.

"We'd like to dispel any concern or misconception with respect to what we see with the swimming pool," he said. "The city staff is committed to maintain our swimming pool."

After a letter to the Herald that appeared Sunday denouncing the "closing" of the pool, Decell said he thinks the community may not understand the proposal. A committee of the parks board has been formed to study options for the pool, including Decell's proposal.

The proposal includes the possibility of covering part of the pool with a "deck," possibly reducing the swimming area by one-third to one-half.

The deck area could be used for sunbathing. Improvement ideas at the pool include a water slide and renovated concession stand, Decell noted.

"Our concern is the utility," he said. "We want to look at reducing (costs) and liabilities . . . and provide a more fun place for our kids."

At this point, there is not enough information to determine exactly what options are available for the pool, Decell said. It will be open "as usual" this summer despite several leaks that have jeopardized its use in the past, he said.

Last year the pool closed early due to chemical problems caused by leaks and staff resignations. The pool then was found not to be included in a proposed city budget, but funding was later included.

Preparations are already underway for the pool season this year, Decell said.

"We've got somebody going out and buying chemicals right now."

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Taking measure

GREATER BURGAN OIL FIELD, Kuwait — Dave Wilson of Houston sticks calipers into a gushing oil wellhead as Charles Bridges and Boots and Coots' Larry Nixon, right of Spring, look on. Wilson and Bridges, employees of Vetco Gray, are designing equipment to fit over the damaged wellhead. The men are standing in a lake of oil reflecting the flames of a distant burning well.

Officials fear increase in oilfield thefts

By PATRICK DRISCOLL Staff Writer

Four oilfield thefts in which about \$77,000 worth of equipment was stolen in the past two months in three area counties is not necessarily a trend, but it could be the beginning of one, some law enforcement officials said.

Oilfield thefts could increase because high oil prices have created a market for oilfield equipment, said Howard County Sheriff Department Deputy Tony Chavez.

"Being that oil is on the rise, we're seeing more drilling in this country. Yes, we're going to have more oil equipment thefts," he said.

So far, nobody has been arrested and no equipment has been recovered in thefts since January in Howard, Martin and Borden counties, officials reported.

The largest theft occurred during March 11-18 from a warehouse in Coahoma. A pickup equipped to run pipes into oil wells and drilling bits worth more than \$70,000 were

taken, estimates Riley Drilling Co. Manager Jim Williams.

A reward of \$2,000 is being offered by the company for the arrest and conviction of whoever is responsible. Any information given to the sheriff's department will be kept confidential.

"If anybody has anything for sale, other than a legitimate company, then we'd like to know," said Deputy George Quintero.

Other recent area thefts include:

● Two electrical boxes taken two

or three weeks ago from tanks south of Forsan. The boxes are valued at \$500 to \$800 each, Chavez said.

● A set of pipes worth about \$3,000 which were taken last month from a site in Borden County, said Borden County Sheriff R.D. Lewis.

● About \$3,000 worth of tools taken from a location in north Martin County on Jan. 30, said Martin County Sheriff Dan Saunders.

● THEFT page 8-A



Students Josh Free, Jason LeGrande and Marci Weaver apply make-up in preparation for Tuesday's performance of *The Crucible* at U.I.L. District competition. BSHS advanced to area competition, and these students, along with four more, won awards for their roles in the drama.

BSHS play wins in district competition

By MARSHA STURDIVANT Staff Writer

Big Spring High School's One-Act play, "The Crucible," advanced from University Interscholastic League District into Area competition in Tuesday's contest in the high school auditorium.

Tim Haynes, theater teacher at BSHS, said the students are elated this morning, "in fact, the whole school is — it's just wild over here."

Big Spring was one of two chosen from four competing schools in the district contest. Monahans also advanced to Area, with their performance of "The Diary of Anne Frank."

Haynes said he chose "The Crucible," because the theme applies to today's society.

"The Crucible" allows us to work as an ensemble acting company, without featuring one actor or character with a star quality position. I looked at the make-up of some of the students I've been working with, and decided to choose a difficult play to challenge them.

"And the subject matter is particularly applicable today, in a school setting and in our daily lives," Haynes said.

"The Crucible," by Arthur Miller, is set in Salem, Mass., in 1692. The play focuses on the witchcraft trials in Salem, and the accusation of one man by several young girls. Truth, deception and moral character are all components of the play.

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Sidelines

Lee High to change logo

MIDLAND (AP) — Midland Lee High School will change its logo from a Confederate flag in order to avoid controversy, but the banner will remain as a historical symbol, school officials said.

The Midland school board of trustees voted 5-2 Tuesday night in favor of creating a new logo for the school while keeping the Confederate flag as a historical symbol.

The measure allows students and boosters to continue displaying the flag, but all school-sponsored clubs and teams will be required to use the new logo.

"This action kept the board from making a decision on removing the flag," said Ted Miller, a spokesman for the Midland Independent School District.

A student contest will be held to develop a new logo, Miller said.

Incident likened to Watergate

AMARILLO (AP) — A congressman says the use of a taped cellular phone conversation between him and an Amarillo woman is another "Watergate" at the congressional level.

U.S. Rep. Bill Sarpalus, D-Amarillo, said Tuesday that Dick Waterfield's congressional campaign and the Republican Party were involved in "dirty politics" and called for a federal investigation into the matter to be continued.

"This is another Watergate. Except it's on a congressional level," Sarpalus told reporters.

Joseph Edgar Clements, 75, of Amarillo pleaded guilty in federal court Tuesday to recording the conversation and then giving a tape to the campaign of Waterfield.

Clements was fined \$250 and ordered to pay a \$5 mandatory fee on his guilty plea to a charge of intentionally intercepting a wire or electronic conversation held on Aug. 29.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Vicki Howard said that the conversation was between Sarpalus and Michelle Martinez of Amarillo.

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Senate approves compromise school plan

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas senators have sent the House a school finance reform plan that would cost an estimated \$13.9 billion over the next five years in additional state and local property tax money.

Despite a looming Texas Supreme Court deadline for writing a reform plan, some lawmakers held out little hope for House passage, citing the bill's cost and concerns about its effect on local school districts.

The bill would shift hundreds of millions of dollars in local property tax money from wealthier to poorer school districts. It would result in an average 32 percent increase in local property taxes, according to Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock.

If lawmakers do not meet Monday's deadline, a court order is to take effect to halt state spending on education.

House Speaker Gib Lewis predicted a tight vote but said he hoped the measure would pass.

"Nobody's excited about this bill ... but they realize that under the circumstances and conditions we have, it's probably going to be as good as they can get," said Lewis, D-Fort Worth.

The Texas Senate approved the measure, which was developed by a House-Senate conference committee, with a 21-10 vote Tuesday.

The bill's sponsor, Sen. Carl Parker, said failure to pass it could mean that some schools would close next month, some students not be graduated from high school and some teachers not get paid.

"Don't vote for the bill for me. Don't vote for the bill for you. Vote



AUSTIN — Texas Senator Carl Parker smiles at a comment made by fellow senator Gene Green Tuesday night. The Senate debated and approved

for it for the school children of Texas," Parker, D-Port Arthur, told senators.

The measure was described as the "nasty, awful, horrible bill that

so many people hate" by Sen. Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo.

But Bivins said he was voting for the bill anyway because "I believe we simply cannot play chicken

with the court."

Several senators said the Legislature later could make changes in school finance laws, after meeting the Texas Supreme

Court's Monday deadline for writing a reform plan.

Texas Education Agency estimates released by Bullock showed the bill would cost about \$6.4 billion more in state funds and \$7.5 billion in additional local school property tax money through 1996.

The Texas Supreme Court unanimously ruled unconstitutional the current \$14 billion-a-year school finance system, which relies on state aid, local property taxes and some federal money.

Differences in local property wealth now lead to wide disparities in education funding, and the court said poor districts must be equitably funded.

The plan would create 183 education taxing districts, largely along county lines, with some multi-county districts.

When fully implemented in four years, at least \$500 million a year in local tax money is estimated to be redistributed among school districts within the tax regions, according to a Texas Education Agency spokesman.

The bill would set a minimum local property tax rate of 60 cents per \$100 valuation, climbing to 90 cents in four years. Schools could tax more to enrich programs and for construction.

The bill would mark "the first time in the history of Texas that actually the children in every district ... will all be treated equally by the state," said Al Kaufman of the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund. He is lead attorney for the plaintiff school districts in the case.

Bullock: Tax OK possible

AUSTIN (AP) — If a proposed school finance bill costing billions more in state and local tax money becomes law, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock says that could add fuel to his push for a state income tax.

Bullock said the \$13.9 billion bill could mean passage of an income tax later this year, because Texans won't want to fund all the higher costs through local property taxes.

The Senate OK'd the measure Tuesday night, and the House was scheduled to consider it today.

"I think in the years to come, and possibly this year — very possibly before Sept. 1 — that there will be an income tax enacted when the people of Texas actually realize what it's going to cost in the way of increased school property taxes," Bullock said.

Bullock has called for a 5 percent tax on personal income over \$25,000, coupled with property tax relief, plus an 8 percent corporate income levy to replace the current franchise tax.

He said projections show that the school finance bill would require an extra \$6.4 billion in state funds and \$7.5 billion in additional local school property tax funds through 1996.

Local school property taxes would rise, on average, by 32 percent, he said.

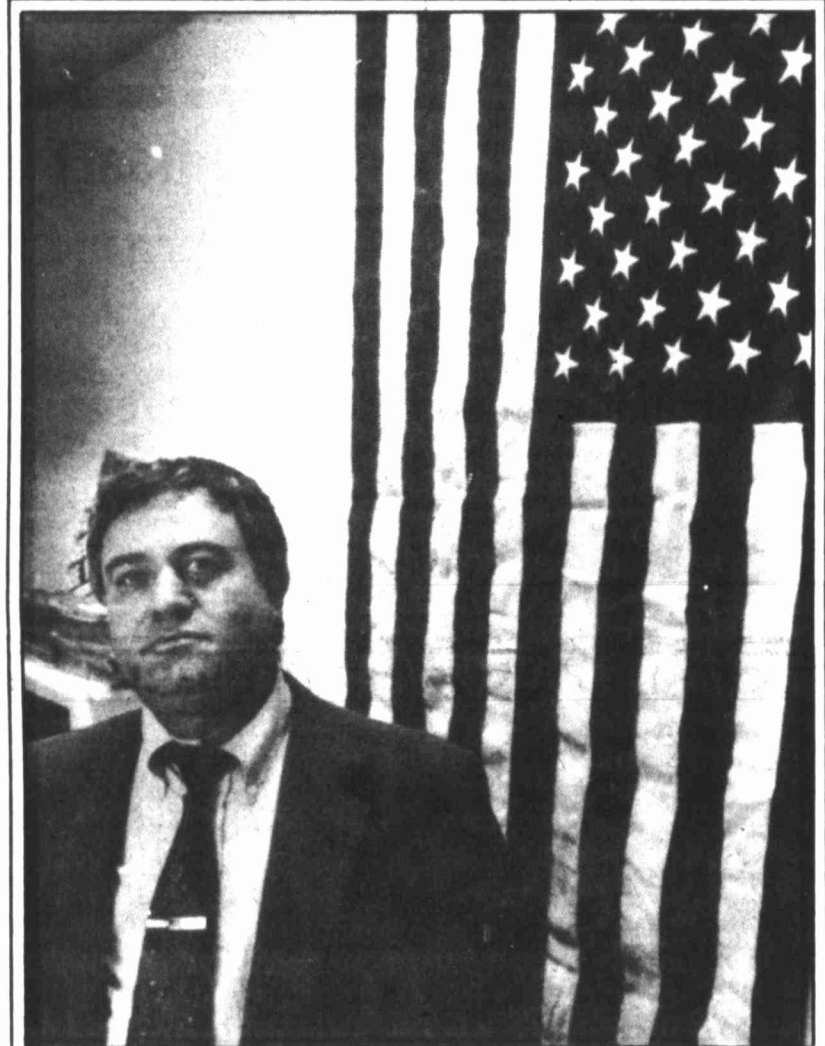
"Everyone, deep down in their heart, knew that this bill would cost more money," Bullock said.

The only question left, he added, is where those funds come from: the state or local property taxes?

However, Bullock said, he's seen little public support for a state tax increase so far.

"Very frankly, I haven't seen a great groundswell on the part of the people of Texas for the state to enact a tax bill to pay a larger part of the share," he said.

"It's either school property taxes or more state taxes. And where do you get more state taxes? We've worn out the (current) system. There's no elasticity to it any more," Bullock said.



EL PASO — Ali Bourestan, a U.S. citizen born in Lebanon, lost a U.S. Supreme Court case Tuesday by a 6-3 vote that said Americans working for U.S. companies overseas are not protected by federal law prohibiting bias against minorities. Bourestan was refused a Muslim holiday off.

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Groups back smoking bills

AUSTIN (AP) — To help save Texans from tobacco-related diseases, the Legislature should pass bills to limit the availability of the products to young people and restrict smoking in public places, a coalition of health groups says.

"The bills can save thousands of lives, billions of dollars and untold pain and suffering," said Dr. Charles Oswald III, president of the American Cancer Society's Texas division.

The cancer society, the American Heart Association, the American Lung Association and the Texas Medical Association all endorsed the bills Tuesday.

In urging approval of the legislation, Oswald said more than 53,000 Americans die annually from the effects of passive smoking.

"The price tag for these illnesses is \$3 billion in direct health care costs and lost productivity through premature disability and death. We can't afford to pay such a steep price for something that can be prevented," he said.

In addition, a 1989 study by the Texas Department of Health found

that half of all school children who have tried smoking did so before their 13th birthday.

"Clean indoor air laws will not only protect the health of nonsmokers, they also can help smokers by encouraging them to smoke less or even quit. And, legislation making it tougher to children to buy tobacco means fewer will start smoking," Oswald said.

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Chewing gum banned at statue

NEW YORK (AP) — Freedom has been curtailed at liberty's gate. Gum chewing is now verboten at the Statue of Liberty and at the Ellis Island Immigration Museum. "The statue is becoming one big glob of chewing gum," said M. Ann Belkov, who became superintendent of the Statue of Liberty monument and Ellis Island two months ago. One of Ms. Belkov's first official acts was the edict banning gum chewing, which she says has left deposits of offensive globs all over the national monument, museum and grounds.

Visitors are warned of the ban while being ferried to the islands and will be reminded when they disembark by specially marked trash cans on the dock, she said. Five of the 60 members of the daytime maintenance staff have been assigned exclusively to gum detail and they pick up about 1,000 pieces a day, said Ms. Belkov. Chewing gum isn't against the law, and National Park Service rangers are empowered only to remind visitors of the problem, Ms. Belkov said. However, improperly disposing a wad of gum is subject to a \$250 fine for defacing federal property.

Most violent felons to be targeted

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Justice Department is ordering stepped-up enforcement of federal firearms laws to win stiffer sentences for repeat felons caught using guns to commit violent crimes. Attorney General Dick Thornburgh ordered U.S. attorneys on Tuesday to identify the most violent felons in their districts who could be prosecuted under federal firearms laws as well as state criminal statutes.

counter mounting support in Congress for handgun control legislation. The attorney general ordered federal prosecutors to "target the most violent offenders in each community and put them away for hard time in federal prisons." In a speech to U.S. attorneys gathered in Savannah, Ga., Thornburgh vowed that under "Project Triggerlock" the Justice Department would bring the "full force of federal sentences with commitment to no plea bargaining."

Insurance may have been motive

DETROIT (AP) — A woman and her brother plotted the slaying of her soldier husband a week after his homecoming from the Persian Gulf War so they could collect on his life insurance, investigators today were quoted as saying. Toni Cato Riggs, 21, and Michael Cato, 19 were charged Tuesday with murder in the shooting March 18 of Army Spc. Anthony Riggs on a Detroit street. Riggs initially was thought to have been slain in a robbery, and the case focused attention on how random violence can make the nation's streets as dangerous as a war zone.



TONI CATO RIGGS



Tornado touches down
LANGDON, Kansas — A tornado touches down Tuesday, passing within one-half mile of Fairfield High School near Langdon, Kan. Witnesses at the high school estimated the tornado's width as one-half mile. Several tornadoes hit south central Kansas, Tuesday, injuring at least six people north of Hutchinson.

Schwarzkopf tricked into letting choppers fly

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf says the Iraqis "suckered" him into letting them use the helicopters that now are part of the bloody suppression of the rebellion against Saddam Hussein. "I think they suckered me," the Operation Desert Storm commander said in an interview with David Frost, airing tonight on public television. Discussing his cease-fire talks three weeks ago with Iraqi generals, Schwarzkopf said the Iraqis asked to use helicopters because the allies had destroyed their nation's bridges and roads, making travel difficult. "They looked me straight in the eye and said... We would like to fly our helicopters. And the purpose of flying those helicopters will be for transportation of government officials," the four-star general said. Schwarzkopf said the request seemed reasonable since the Iraqis agreed not to fly over any allied forces. "I think I was suckered because I think they intended, right then, when they asked that question, to

use those helicopters against the insurrections that were going on. I think that absolutely was their intention — again, a personal opinion — but... as I said, they suckered me," Schwarzkopf said, according to a transcript of the interview. The Bush administration also said Tuesday that Iraq's use of attack helicopters against Shiite and Kurdish rebels violated an oral understanding between Schwarzkopf and Iraqi military officers. White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater was vague about how the allies would deal with helicopters, although U.S. fighter planes have shot down two Iraqi fighters since the ground war ended. "The fact is... we want to be murky on this," Fitzwater said. "We aren't going to tell you exact rules for how we're going to deal with these helicopters. We aren't going to tell you why, and we aren't going to tell Saddam why. Let him guess. Let him wonder about every helicopter that goes up." Schwarzkopf, calling the Iraqi president "an evil man," said he has "lied at every turn," and said the allies should not trust him.

World

Airliner stormed, hijackers killed

SINGAPORE (AP) — Commandos burst into a Singapore jetliner on the airport tarmac today and killed four Pakistani hijackers minutes before the terrorists said they would start slaying passengers, officials said. The attack on the hijackers, who were armed with knives and explosives, ended a nearly nine-hour ordeal for the 126 passengers and crew, who included three Americans. Two commandos and two crew members were slightly hurt. Communications Minister Yeo Ning Hong said it was over "in a matter of minutes" after the anti-

terrorist squad struck. Police said the hijackers, who seized the plane on a flight to Singapore from Malaysia, were demanding the release of a number of people detained in Pakistan, including the husband of former Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto. Passengers said the hijackers had threatened to make an American their first victim and set fire to the plane. "They seemed to be against Americans and blaming America for problems in their country," said Roger McGovern, a businessman from Sydney.

Military presence heightens fears

MOSCOW (AP) — Fears that force will be used against a reform rally demonstrators planned for central Moscow on Thursday soared today after the appearance of armored personnel carriers at a nearby military base. Anxiety over the prospect of a major confrontation was already high over the Kremlin's announcement Monday that it was banning all rallies until mid-April and President Mikhail S. Gorbachev's transfer of the city police force to the national In-

terior Ministry on Tuesday. The anti-Communist Democratic Russia coalition said it expects 500,000 people to turn out for Thursday's demonstration to protest attempts to oust Gorbachev rival Boris N. Yeltsin from the chairmanship of the Russian republic's parliament. Moscow's "reform-minded city leaders, who have given permission for the rally, appealed to the nation's Constitutional Oversight Committee to rule the Kremlin ban on demonstrations unconstitutional.

Fifteen killed at vigil by gunmen

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A half dozen black men armed with automatic weapons and knives attacked a funeral vigil today in the black township of Alexandra, killing 15 people and wounding 18, authorities said. Police commanders said an investigation was ordered into the incident because police had been warned the vigil would be attacked. They said police checked the vigil, but were not asked to stay and left before the attack. Scores of people have been killed in black factional violence in recent weeks in Alexandra.



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Opinion

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Open meetings law was violated

Members of the Coahoma Independent School Board displayed a distressing disregard for the rights of the public at their meeting Monday evening.

More than 80 people attended the board meeting to protest an earlier action of the board. Although board president Jim Wright said he expected about this number, he made no effort to move the meeting room to a location with more seating.

Members of governmental bodies who intentionally or knowingly fail to provide adequate space for the public in effect close the meeting to the public, a violation of the Texas Open Meetings Law.

Wright also expressed disdain for the citizens who elected him to the board when he said, "I'm not concerned with the Joe Blow public — I don't owe the public an explanation. I want to see the issue left alone."

Residents of Coahoma, regardless of their opinion of the issue in question, that of the termination of an employee's contract, have a right to be angry at the expressed contempt for their concerns.

Women allowed to make choice

The U.S. Supreme Court unanimously sided with common sense last week. The court said that women of child-bearing age can't be barred from jobs merely because the work could be dangerous for a developing fetus.

The case involved the assembly line of the nation's largest producer of automobile batteries, Johnson Controls Inc.

Workers on that line are exposed to high levels of lead, which can cause fetal damage.

In 1982, the company pulled all fertile women off the line, transferring them to lower-paying jobs. The women could waive their rights to sue for damages, but could not waive the rights of their children. The company feared damage suits by deformed or disabled children.

But Justice Harry Blackmun, writing for the court, suggested a company shouldn't suffer if it warned the fertile women of the health risks and observed safety standards while obeying federal civil rights laws.

The important point is that women will be able to assess the risks to them and their future children and make a job choice for themselves — not have it made for them by their employers.

Saddam helped himself to a free lunch on U.S.

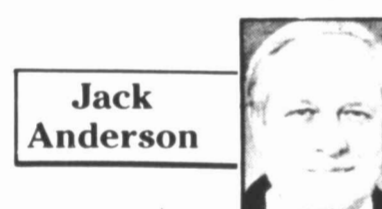
WASHINGTON — Saddam Hussein lost the Persian Gulf War, but in the process he proved that there is such a thing as a free lunch. Saddam stopped paying his commodity credit bill to the United States when Iraq invaded Kuwait on Aug. 2 — a credit that should never have been extended in the months leading up to the invasion. The bottom line is, Iraq got the U.S. agricultural exports it ordered and America didn't get its money. The outstanding bill at the Agriculture Department (USDA) is \$2 billion.

The USDA should not have been surprised that Saddam turned out to be a bad risk. The General Accounting Office had been warning the USDA about that possibility for years. It doesn't take a Monday-morning quarterback to wonder why Iraq was given billions of dollars in credit — 25 percent of all the credit extended by the export guarantee program. There were plenty of signs even before the invasion that the bills might not be paid.

Allan Mendelowitz, the GAO investigator who looked into the credit given Iraq, says it was simply a bad loan. The USDA did a risk analysis, rated Iraq as a "high risk" market in 1989, and then continued to extend credit. If Saddam had gone to one of Charles Keating's high-flying savings and loan offices, he couldn't have gotten an easier loan with fewer questions asked.

The Commodity Credit Corp. is a federally insured loan program to help foreign countries buy U.S. farm products. A country places an order, a bank loans them the money to pay for what they buy and then the federal government guarantees that the loan will be paid if the foreign nation defaults. The USDA assesses the credit risk of the countries, and another federal board, the National Advisory Council, decides whether the credit policy is in sync with U.S. foreign policy.

Our reporter Jonathan Ullman looked into the handling of Iraq under that program. During the Iran-Iraq War, the United States wanted to help Iraq. Iraq needed food but was short on cash (all those tanks cost money), so the credit program for Iraq was born in 1983. Iraq became the 10th



Jack Anderson

largest buyer of U.S. farm products — including buying 20 percent of American-grown rice in 1988 — using taxpayers' money.

As Saddam's poor human rights record got longer, including the gassing of his own people, the State Department continued to insist that the United States had more to gain by maintaining a friendly relationship with Iraq. In September 1989, the USDA extended \$30 million in additional farm loans to Iraq, but an internal USDA memo warned against issuing a press release about it. The fear was that if the USDA made a big deal about Iraq's credit, someone in Congress might come down hard on the whole guarantee program.

By the beginning of 1990, the bills were piling up. The general sales manager at the USDA, F. Paul Dickerson, wrote a memo to his boss acknowledging that the bills were high, but adding that to cut off Iraq then would be taken as "unwarranted and an affront to their dignity," and that might prompt Iraq to stop paying anything. The USDA believed the best way to guarantee payment of the old loans was to continue giving Iraq new ones.

When the USDA submitted a \$1-billion credit proposal for Iraq to the National Advisory Council in 1990, the NAC finally got nervous. The Atlanta branch of an Italian bank was under investigation for allegations that it had loaned money to Iraq under the USDA program, but that not all of the money went for farm products. The NAC said Iraq should get only \$400 million in credit. Iraq held out for \$500 million. By February 1990, that money was gone and Iraq asked for \$573 million more. This time the Commodity Credit Corp. said "no," ending more than seven years of giving Iraq what it wanted.

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Panelists award, receive grants

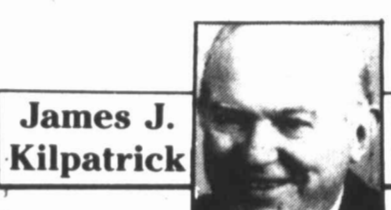
WASHINGTON — For the past two years, the National Endowment for the Arts has suffered under criticism that it occasionally subsidizes pornography. The NEA deserves to suffer, for the charge is true. But that is not the only thing about the NEA, or even the major thing, that merits concern. Let us talk about grantors and grantees.

The artists and organizations who seek grants from the NEA submit their applications to "peer panels" appointed by Chairman John Frohnmayer. The panels range in size from six to 20 members. They are chosen with an eye toward diversity in race, sex and residence. The panels meet formally once a year, but members often exchange views informally by telephone and correspondence.

It is exceedingly rare for a panel's recommendation to be overruled by Chairman Frohnmayer. For all practical purposes, an NEA award is a panel's award. It is instructive to observe the relationship between some of the panelists and some of the awards. I find the relationship chummy. A few specific examples may clarify the matter.

In 1988-89, the most recent year for which data are available, Frohnmayer named eight panels in the field of dance. One such panel was known as Challenge II. It had six members.

The six were Bonnie Brooks, director of professional development for the Association of Dance Presenters in Washington, D.C.; Laura Dean, of the Dean Dance & Music Foundation in New York City; Myrna Saturn Gatty, deputy director of the Southern Arts Federation in Atlanta; Heinz Poll, artistic director of the Ohio



James J. Kilpatrick

Ballet; Gus Solomons Jr., artistic director of Solomons Company/Dance in New York City; and Darlene Neel, manager of the Lewitzky Dance Company in Los Angeles.

During the year, Brooks won a \$55,000 grant through a panel on inter-arts.

Dean won \$100,000 from the panel on dance companies.

Gatty's Southern Arts Federation won eight grants from various panels totaling \$820,680.

Poll won a \$10,000 grant "to support the development of new work by Artistic Director Heinz Poll for the Ohio Ballet."

Solomons' company won a \$19,000 grant "to support domestic touring, general management representatives, and the creation of collaborative work by Artistic Director Gus Solomons."

Darlene Neel, the sixth member of the Challenge II panel, apparently got nothing at all for her Lewitzky Dance Company.

Now mind you, because this is important, none of the grants that went to five members of the Challenge II panel was recommended by the Challenge II panel itself. The recommendations came from other panels with other members.

To press on: Elvi Moore of the Washington Ballet served on the Challenge III panel. His company won a grant of \$34,000 — but from a different panel. Liz Thompson, executive director of the Jacob's

Pillow Dance Festival in Lee, Mass., also served on Challenge III. The Jacob's Pillow Festival won seven grants totaling \$170,500, but from seven other panels.

Also on the Challenge III panel was Garth Fagan, artistic director of Garth Fagan's Bucket Dance Theater in Rochester, N.Y. From two other panels he won awards of \$82,500.

You get the picture. Susan Marshall served on a panel charged with awarding \$7,000 fellowships to 85 choreographers. She was one of only four choreographers to receive a special three-year grant of \$45,000.

In the rarefied air of the dance world, every important figure knows every other important figure. The same thing is true of the world of the theater. I suspect it is true of poetry and fiction, and probably a careful analysis of NEA grants would find interlocking associations and correlations across the entire spread of 4,453 grants totaling \$153 million.

To the NEA's credit, when I applied under the Freedom of Information Act for certain data, the data were promptly supplied. It is a tedious business to match individual panel members with grants to their organizations, for the computer did not churn them out that way. I looked at "dance" only because it was the first one in the NEA's annual report for 1989, and one has to start somewhere.

Have you ever looked at the tangled roots of a mangrove tree? Same thing. Artist A is on Panel B that awards a grant to Artist C who serves on Panel D. Artist E's panel awards a grant to Artist A. So it goes, so it goes, so it goes.



Lewis Grizzard

Malaise is gone with win

I think Jimmy Carter's malaise is gone. Not his mayonnaise, his malaise.

There's a difference between the two.

Mayonnaise you spread on a piece of bread. Malaise sweeps over formerly happy countries and causes a lot of bad things to happen.

Among them are loss of faith in the political system and a loss of one's self-esteem. Jimmy Carter said there was a malaise covering the United States, the country he happened to be president of at the time, the late '70s.

He was right in some ways, Iran had our hostages, and we couldn't get them out. We tried, but our helicopters got caught in a desert sand storm and started running into each other.

The inflation rate was high and more Americans were complaining of migraine headaches.

But now that's over.

We've won a war. We hadn't won a war since 1945. Our president stood tall and was decisive. We found a general in Stormin' Norman Schwarzkopf, who reminded us of George C. Scott. I mean, George Patton.

Our military hardware worked. We turned Iraq into your basic train wreck.

We're still supposed to be in a recession and I still can't sell my house, but the stock market is soaring.

And I haven't had a migraine headache in months.

Everywhere I look I see our flag being proudly displayed. It's OK to be a patriot again. Half the nation knows all the words to a country song titled, "God Bless the USA."

Anti-war demonstrators look a little silly now along with naysayers in the Congress who have a lot of explaining to do to their constituents.

We didn't hear one negative peep out of Jane Fonda. Nobody is spitting on our returning troops and George Steinbrenner is out of baseball.

Malaise is out. Euphoria is in. Of course, there are still some out there who want to put laxatives into the party punch.

"But what about our problems at home?" they whine.

Sure, we got problems. Who doesn't? But compare our problems to those of Iraq. We've still got drinking water, our telephones work and if you're hungry, you can get a can of chicken noodle soup pretty cheap at any of about 4 zillion convenience stores.

Compare our problems to those of the Baltic states. Those of the Soviet Union ("Hey, comrade, can you spare a ruble?"). Those of starving countries in Africa.

England's got lousy weather and how would you like to live in Northern Ireland?

This isn't exactly a presidential address to the nation, but if Jimmy Carter can go on national television and pronounce us slack-eyed, loop-legged and in need of a tonic for our tired blood, the least I can do is write a column and say we can feel our shorts getting looser and looser by the minute.

Rock and roll, get down, throw your hands up and shout. And The Tams sing, "Be Young, Be Foolish, Be Happy."

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Volunteer dogs visit children in hospitals

NEWINGTON, Conn. (AP) — Clover, Tiffany and Sabrina bathe and don their T-shirts and are driven to the Newington Children's Hospital, where they will spend the day making the patients laugh.

But what makes this charitable act remarkable is that Clover, Tiffany and Sabrina are Siberian huskies, a new kind of volunteer on the hospital scene in a program that is popping up all around the country.

It seems that these wagging tails, furry kisses and wet noses have some therapeutic value.

At Newington Children's Hospital, dog volunteers make the rounds every Wednesday, cheering up little patients with their unconditional love.

"It's a big boost for everyone when the dogs are here," says Michele Confessore, coordinator of the hospital's child life program. "The kids love it because it's almost as though it shouldn't be happening — that dogs shouldn't be in a hospital."

Before a dog can become a Newington volunteer, it must undergo a rigorous assessment by the owner's veterinarian. The dog must be in good health and pass a series of behavioral tests, including how the animal will react to having its tail pulled or its foot run over by a wheelchair.

The owner volunteers to bring the dog to the hospital. The dog must be bathed first and then don a specially made T-shirt to reduce shedding.

Mary and Bob Gadois of Old Lyme recently brought Clover, Tiffany and Sabrina and a wooden sled to the hospital, where the huskies spent the day pulling the sled up and down the halls with delighted children on board.

"I've been to the hospital lots of times, but never when the dogs were here," said 11-year-old Erin Corcoran, after telling the blue-eyed trio to "Mush."

Newington's Pet Therapy program is the only one in New England where dogs are allowed to visit children in the hospital, according to Elsa Gibbons, director of voluntary services.

The Delta Society, a non-profit

group based in Renton, Wash., conducts studies and teaches people how an animal can affect a patient's well-being. It counts about 40 similar programs across the country.

Other programs, such as Pets on Wheels in Baltimore, bring pets to nursing homes, institutions and homes for the retarded or mentally disabled.

"Everyone knows pets are unconditional in their love," says Elaine Farrant, coordinator of the Baltimore program. "If you don't look so good or smell so good, the pet doesn't care."

The Children's Hospital in Denver started the Prescription Pet Program 15 years ago as one of the first pet therapy programs in the country. In addition to wearing a hospital T-shirt, the Denver dogs also wear a hospital identification badge with their picture and a paw print for a signature.

Animal affection has been shown to reduce the stress and anxiety caused by illness and injury, according to the Renton, Wash.-based Delta Society. Animals are able to lower blood pressure and provide a means of reaching autistic children, abused adolescents and head-injury patients, according to the society's studies.

Newington treats children with cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy and orthopedic disorders.

Confessore recalls one profoundly handicapped girl with cerebral palsy who had been almost completely unresponsive until visited by Savannah, a 120-pound Newfoundland.

She described how the child's first attempts to pet the dog were stiff and awkward. But gradually she began stroking the big, black bear-like dog's fur.

"When someone said it's time for Savannah to go, she put her finger through the dog's collar," Confessore recalls. "It was a very emotional time for everyone in the room."

And the dogs seem to love it as much as the children.

"They can't wait to get out of the car," says the huskies' owner, Mary Gadois. "They cry and cry because they want to get upstairs and see the kids."

Bread toasted the hard way

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (AP) — A mousetrap, pneumatic tubes and a robotic arm.

They don't make toast like that any more and probably never should, but at the 9th annual Rube Goldberg Machine Contest such off-the-wall methods were considered the greatest thing since sliced bread.

The contest honors the spirit of the late cartoonist who specialized in drawing whimsically complicated machines to perform the simplest of tasks.

In this year's competition, contestants from colleges had to use at least 20 steps and toast the bread within five minutes.

The Society of Manufacturing Engineers, the team from Purdue University, successfully defended its title this month with a contraption named "Toast Masters."

A train carrying a slice of bread attached to tines backed into the toaster. A mousetrap knocked over a smokestack, triggering the train to chug along the track.

The machine's 39 steps also included marbles, a fountain, a barrel and a robotic arm that grabbed the toast as it popped out of the toaster.

"I'm really pleased with how it worked," said Steve Weinrich, a senior from Pennington, N.J., studying computer-integrated manufacturing technology.

"The only damper we had was the mousetrap. It's never failed until today. It was misaligned and didn't hit the target right."

The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee's entry finished second with a machine that performed to the Beatles' song "A Day in the Life," which includes the line, "Woke up. Got out of bed. Dragged a comb across my head."

A plastic male figure rambled through his morning routine as a comb dragged across his head and cereal poured into a bowl. His car tumbled out of the garage, eventually triggering the toaster into action.

Oakland University of Rochester, Mich., was third, using a ski ramp built of Popsicle sticks, a miniature figure of Bart Simpson and a champagne bottle that poured its contents into three glasses revolving on a stereo turntable.

A maximum of 100 points were awarded for successful completion of the task, creativity, complexity, the use of related themes and keeping in spirit of the contest.



WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — Members of the Purdue chapter of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers prepare their Rube Goldberg machine for the Rube Goldberg Machine contest held at Purdue University this month. The Purdue team defeated teams from the University of Arkansas, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Oakland University of Rochester, Minn.

The machine's 39 steps also included marbles, a fountain, a barrel and a robotic arm that grabbed the toast as it popped out of the toaster.

Points were deducted for inedible toast or human intervention once the machine started. The contest took place in front of more than 500 spectators.

Kennedy painting sold for charity

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edward M. Kennedy doesn't talk about it much, but his little-known passion as an amateur artist surfaced when an autographed print of one of his paintings was auctioned at a charity benefit.

The asking bid for his "Hyannis Port Compound," a 23-by-23-inch silk-screen print of a painting of the Kennedy clan's vacation home on Cape Cod, Mass., was \$2,000. The senator said it was "vastly overpriced."

The black-tie audience at the Sotheby's auction in a hotel ballroom apparently didn't agree. The print was bought at a silent auction for \$2,100 by Simon Fireman, who was not otherwise identified.

The auction, which featured 90 works donated by artists from 47 countries, was held to raise funds for Very Special Arts, an arts education program affiliated with the Kennedy Center that supports artists with physical or mental disabilities. The program was founded by the senator's sister, Jean Kennedy Smith.

Kennedy, D-Mass., did the painting while he spent seven months in a Boston hospital undergoing treatment for a broken back he suffered in a near-fatal plane crash in Massachusetts in 1964.

The acrylic painting shows his parents' Hyannis Port estate viewed from the deep blue sea, with the family sailboat Victoria tied at the dock. The reproduction placed for auction Thursday night is one of 1,000 limited-edition prints signed "Ted Kennedy."

Kennedy has no illusions about his artistic talents.

"Many politicians think I should be a painter," he said in an interview. "and other painters think I should remain in politics."

The senator said he began dabbling as an artist in the 1950s at the family's winter home at West Palm Beach, Fla., where his older brother, John F. Kennedy, was recovering from back surgery.

Rancher may lose land in drug case

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — An 80-year-old rancher living at the gateway to one of Utah's most spectacular canyons has been accused of growing marijuana and now stands to lose his coveted land.

Bradshaw Bowman's lawyer contends the old man is the victim of a lucrative land grab. Prosecutors say they are only enforcing tough drug laws.

Authorities last July found 65 marijuana plants near Bowman's home near the Escalante River where it runs through his 160-acre ranch. The river goes on to cut through one of the many red rock and sandstone canyons dotting the area.

If convicted, Bowman could get up to 15 years in prison, and Garfield County prosecutors could seize the land he bought in 1973.

Bowman has been offered up to \$500,000 for the property, and developers and environmentalists alike have coveted the land, said his lawyer, Marcus Taylor.

"It's a land grab. It's a money-hungry grab by Garfield County," Taylor said. "If Garfield County is successful, the ranch is liquidated and the proceeds used by local law enforcement for drug control."

"For people to say that Garfield County is trying to grab this guy's land is totally crazy," said county Attorney Wallace Lee. "Utah state law and federal law allow criminal justice agencies to forfeit property, real and personal."

"I feel for Mr. Bowman, but we're trying to be tough," he said. "It's a strong measure, no doubt about it. But I think we need something strong to combat the problem."

The state Tax Commission is also demanding \$30,000 under a state law that requires traffickers to affix a tax stamp to their contraband.

Bowman, who said he has raised plants for 30 years, indicated he wasn't growing the marijuana.

"I've always loved plants. I feel like I could grow anything. Where this stuff was found, it's not possible," he said. "There's hardly any sun. I would have too much respect for myself."

Bowman remains on the ranch, living in a guest cottage.

A retired designer and builder, as well as a sculptor and painter, Bowman moved to the area with his wife in 1977 after the couple raised three daughters in Carmel, Calif. His wife died seven years ago.

Bowman says the land is the retreat he sought for 40 years. It is "probably as close to heaven as I'll ever get," he said.

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Food

Want low-fat ice cream? Sorry, it's illegal

WASHINGTON (AP) — You're at a park or a beach or sitting in your office on a sunny day and you need, you really need, an ice cream cone. Luscious, rich, creamy ice cream. The food that's a reward.

If your waistline says watch out and your cholesterol count says forget it, how about a scoop or two of low-fat ice cream to give your senses and psyche the same satisfaction?

Sorry, it's illegal. Ice milk or frozen dessert, yes. Low or non-fat ice cream, no. Those are the federal rules.

But ice cream manufacturers and an aggressive consumer organization say that in this age of low-fat everything, it's time the Food and Drug Administration changed the rules.

Many years ago, in an effort to protect the public from fraud by food manufacturers the FDA established specific recipes for hundreds of edibles.

Among them was ice cream. The name meant at least 10 percent butterfat was in the product. "Ice milk" was synonymous with 2 percent to 7 percent butterfat.

It was a time before nutrition labeling, when the name told the whole story and what made ice cream creamy was fat.

As years passed, people wanted less fat in their diets and the ice cream industry sought to satisfy.

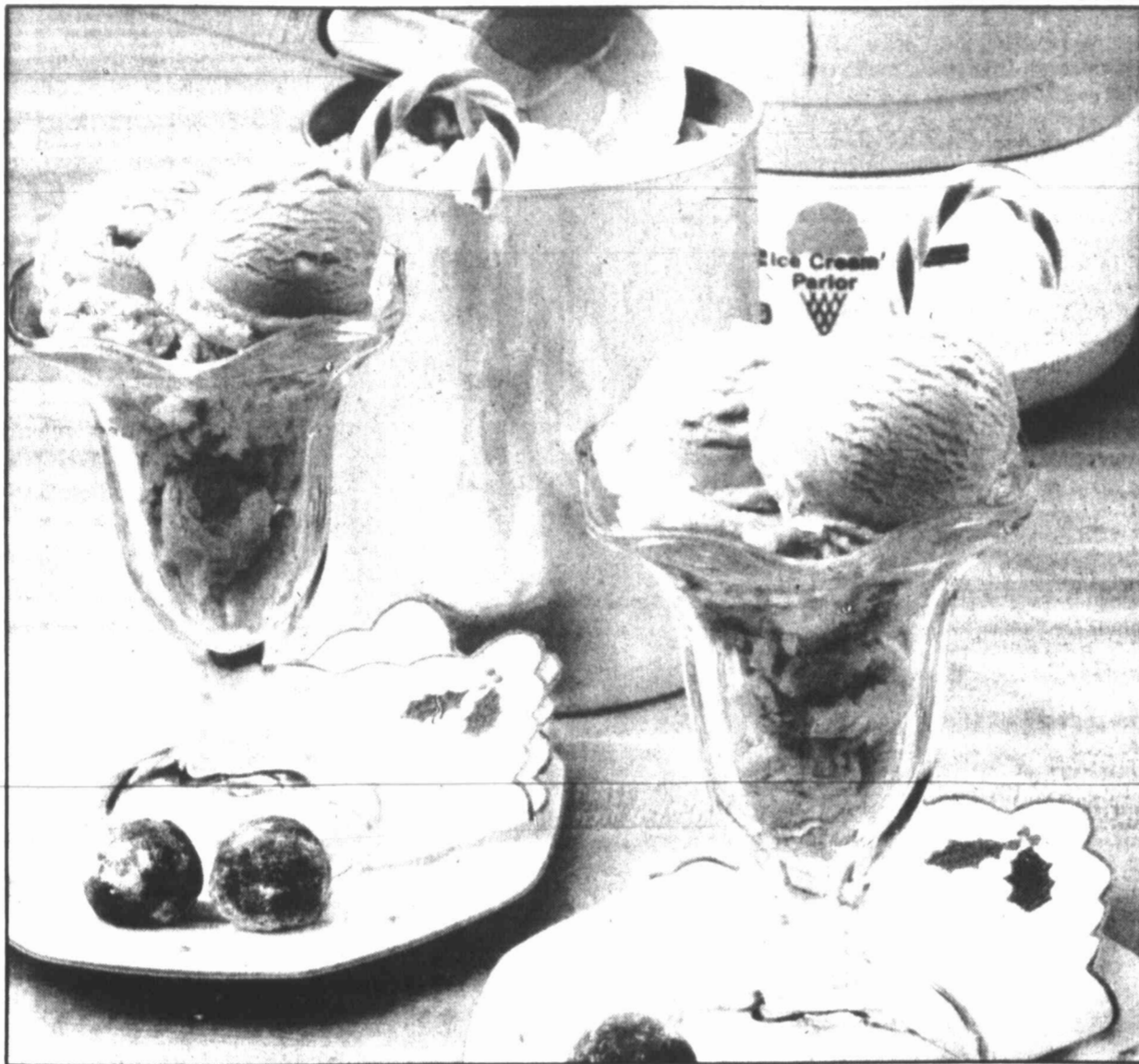
Companies enhanced their ice milk with additives that resembled the creaminess of butterfat, but they were stuck with the unappealing name. The solution was to print ice milk in tiny letters on the carton or call the product frozen dessert.

Then in 1989, Kraft General Foods Inc. took a bold step and came out with Sealtest Free Nonfat Ice Cream.

Marketing permits were granted by over 20 states, but the federal rules defining ice cream as 10 percent butterfat made other states reluctant to allow sales.

Linda Eatherton, manager of communications for Kraft, said the company voluntarily changed the name to Sealtest Free Nonfat Frozen Dessert to hasten its entry on the market, but petitioned the Food and Drug Administration to change its rules.

"Our feeling is that in seeking more modern standards of identity, we had reached a point in foods where the names ice milk and



Low-fat ice cream, under present Food and Drug Administration rules, must be marketed under the less appealing names of ice milk or frozen dessert. Manufacturers are hoping to convince FDA to change the rules.

frozen dessert were not descriptive and didn't have any meaning for consumers," Eatherton said. "We feel the words ice cream mean something to consumers."

Ellen Haas, executive director of Public Voice for Food and Health Policy, agrees and goes a step further.

"The current standards discriminate against low fat products," she said.

Her organization, which also has petitioned the FDA, points out that on the one hand the government advocates cutting fat from one's diet, but on the other refuses to allow manufacturers to use a more descriptive, more appealing name

to draw customers to their less fatty product.

Also petitioning for reform are the International Ice Cream Association, and the Calorie Control Council.

People aren't drawn to products labeled ice milk, said Jerry Kozak, of the ice cream association. "It has been frustrating because we have not been able to sell a low-fat ice cream. We are selling some of these products as non-fat frozen dessert, but it really is ice cream."

The petitions before FDA seek to change ice milk to "reduced fat ice cream" and to establish new standards for products called "low-fat ice cream" and "non-fat ice

cream."

But first, the FDA wants a few questions answered.

Should non-fat be anything less than 0.5 percent milkfat, as allowed for non-fat yogurt? Should low-fat be anything up to 2 percent milkfat? What about reduced fat?

Should there be a minimum weight per gallon? Should more vitamins and minerals be added?

The FDA also points out that the fat in question is milkfat. But what about the fat that chocolate, butterscotch and nuts add? Can you still call one of those products low-fat?

The agency has been taking public comment on the issue.

Savory Easter pies

Egg Bread Dough

- 1 pkg. active dry yeast
- 1 cup luke warm water
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 5 cups flour
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 4 tablespoons melted butter
- 4 large eggs, room temperature

Disolve yeast and sugar in the water and set aside until yeast forms a froth (about 5 to 10 minutes).

Measure 5 cups of flour in a large mixing bowl. Form a well in the center. Pour the yeast mixture, salt, butter and eggs into the flour well. Stir with a wooden spoon. When the mixture forms a cohesive ball, turn onto floured surface, gradually add more flour as needed. Knead the dough until smooth and elastic (about 5 to 10 minutes).

Oil the surface of the dough and place in a warm place to rise until double in bulk (about 1 hour).

Punch down the dough and knead gently for a few minutes on floured surface. Roll out dough about 1/2-inch thick. Cut out 8 pairs of shapes. These can be cut with large Easter cookie cutters or you may create your own shapes. Gather remaining dough scraps, divide in three and reserve. Set one cutout of each pair on oiled baking sheets, allowing 1 1/2-inch spacing between shapes. Place a portion of filling mixture on each of the dough shapes on the baking sheets. (The filling on each should be placed leaving 1/2-inch borders to dough edges.) Brush borders with water. Place companion dough shapes over filling, seal edges with your fingers or fork. Brush tops with beaten egg and bake in oven at 375 degrees for 20 minutes.

While pies are baking, take remaining three pieces of dough and pinch off 1/4 of each piece. Shape large pieces in round balls and place on oiled baking sheet, pressing dough balls into circles 1/2 inch thick. Place a colored hard-cooked egg on the center of each circle. Divide each of the remaining three pieces of dough in half and form into 6 ropes. Cross an "X" over each egg with two ropes; wet and seal ends underneath dough. Cover and let rise in a warm place about 45 minutes. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Brush top of loaves with beaten egg. Bake for 20-25 minutes.

Chicken Filling

- 3/4 lb. boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 1/2 cup Glen Ellen Proprietor's Reserve Chardonnay



- 1 lb. sliced mushrooms, sauteed
- 2 tablespoons chopped scallions
- 3 oz. cream cheese
- Salt and pepper to taste

In small saute pan, poach chicken breasts in Chardonnay for 7 minutes. Add mushrooms and simmer 2 more minutes. Drain excess liquid. Cut chicken in bite-size chunks. Combine chicken, cream cheese, mushrooms, scallions and season to taste.

Seafood Filling

- 1/2 lb. raw shrimp, cleaned, peeled and cut into bite-size pieces
- 1/2 lb. small bay scallops
- 1 tablespoon chopped onion
- 1/2 cup Glen Ellen Proprietor's Reserve Chardonnay
- 1 bay leaf
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 3 tablespoons chopped black olives
- 3 oz. cream cheese

In skillet, poach seafood in Chardonnay with onion and bay leaf for 4 minutes. Drain liquid, remove bay leaf. Combine seafood with remaining ingredients.

Artichoke Heart and Cheese

- Drain 6 oz. jar marinated artichoke hearts. Combine with 3/4 cup grated cheese (jack, cheddar or Swiss).

Each recipe makes enough filling for four pies.

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Chemist's discovery: Healthier hamburger

BOSTON (AP) — A chemist experimenting on his kitchen stove has whipped up a formula for healthier hamburger — a way of cooking ground meat that takes out three-quarters of the saturated fat and replaces it with healthy vegetable oil.

Dr. Donald M. Small said typical Americans could lower their cholesterol levels nearly 10 points if they used his method to cook one-third of their red meat.

Best of all, he claims, food cooked with his recipe tastes just fine. Frying hamburger Small's way requires several extra steps. The secret is cooking the meat first in vegetable oil and then rinsing it with boiling water. Any amateur chef willing to take the time can easily do it.

Small is a physical chemist and physician at Boston University School of Medicine with a long interest in heart disease and fats and a yen for cooking.

"I like red meat, and I don't like eating tofu," he said. "I thought if there was a way of removing saturated fat and cholesterol from meat and it still tasted OK, it would be worthwhile playing with."

So Smith set to work with his skillet. The results of his dabbling were published in the *New England Journal of Medicine* in an article entitled "Chemistry in the Kitchen."

Here's his recipe: Heat a pint of vegetable oil to about 175 degrees. Add two pounds of ground beef, pork or lamb and stir until the meat juice begins to boil. Cook and stir with the juice barely bubbling for 10 more minutes while breaking up the meat.

Put the meat and oil into a strainer and save the liquid. Then pour a cup or two of boiling water over the meat in the strainer and save the water with the rest of the liquid. Put the liquid in the refrigerator for an hour and then skim off the hardened fat. Pour the rest of the fat-free liquid back onto the meat.

The meat is then ready for use in any dish that requires ground meat, such as spaghetti sauce, tacos, soup, meat loaf and casseroles.

Dr. Scott Grundy, an authority on diet and heart disease at the University of Texas, said some cooks who try to follow Small's

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method might be put off by the expense of using vegetable oil and the extra work needed to fix dinner. "But in theory," he added, "it sounds like a nice idea that could get rid of the saturated fat in meat."

With his method, Small said, 72 percent to 87 percent of saturated fat is removed from raw ground beef or pork, as well as nearly half of the cholesterol.

Meat cooked Small's way is also leaner overall. It removes 68 percent of the total fat, compared with 59 percent during ordinary cooking. However, the major difference is the composition of the fat that is left behind. Small's way replaces about two-thirds of the fat that remains in conventional cooking with polyunsaturates or monounsaturates.

"We use the technique at home and serve it to friends," said Small. "They can't tell the difference. There is no oily fat floating on the top of your spaghetti sauce and no grease on tacos. So it's actually better."

Many health experts believe that saturated fat in the diet raises blood levels of cholesterol, which in turn causes heart disease. Dietary guidelines recommend limiting saturated fat to 10 percent of the day's total calories.

Drs. Walter Willett and Frank M. Sacks of Harvard University called Small's work a "delightful lesson in food composition." But they said people might be better off concentrating on vegetarian fare that contains no cholesterol at all and has little saturated fat.

"We suggest that Dr. Small and his colleagues enjoy an occasional meatball when the urge becomes irresistible, preferably with a glass of red zinfandel," they wrote in a journal editorial. "But for now, let's leave the meat intact."

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Chinese men compete for model spouse title

BEIJING (AP) — Thousands of Chinese men are competing to be Beijing's model husband, including peasants, professionals and a Communist Party cadre who says democracy in the home is the key to a happy family.

Organizers of the Good Husband Contest say they are looking for a man who has broken away from the Chinese tradition in which the husband rules the household.

"We hope that through this process all people will consider what makes a good husband," said Sun Lihua of Beijing television, which is sponsoring the contest along with the All-China Women's Federation.

She said the winner should be a hard-working family peacekeeper with good values and money management skills who helps with the housework and satisfies his wife sexually. It wasn't clear how the last of these qualities would be determined.

"It's not possible for everyone to have these characteristics," she conceded. "We know there are different viewpoints on what makes a good husband, so we just want to show what a good husband can do for a family."

Patriarchal family traditions prevail in many parts of China, particularly the countryside. Many

wives are expected to serve their husbands and stories of women being sold into marriages are still reported.

Contest organizers want to show that family relationships can be improved if people work together, Miss Sun said.

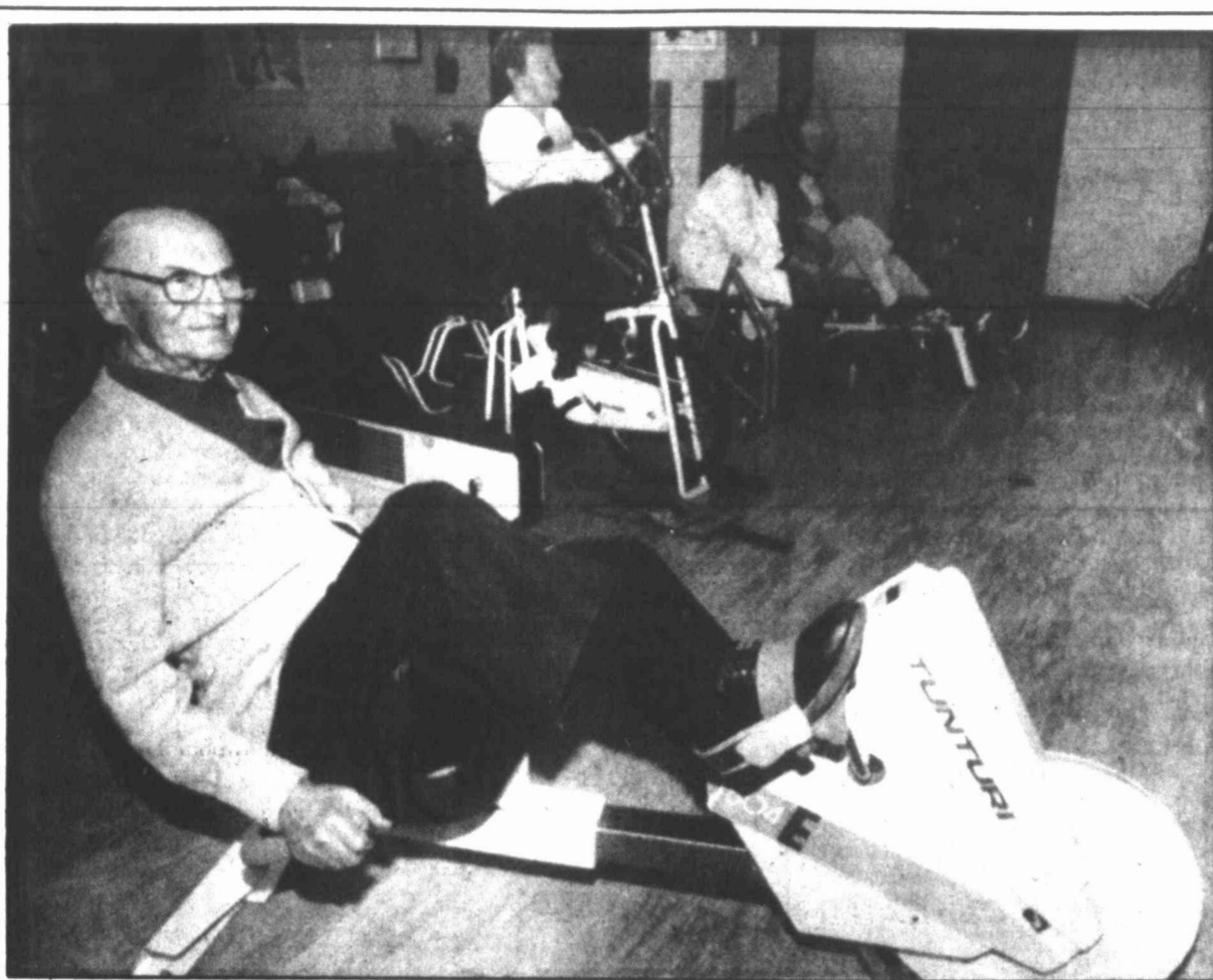
She said members of the women's organization selected candidates for the contest in each district of Beijing and surrounding counties. About 3,700 men were invited to fill out questionnaires on family life that will be used to select finalists.

After answering the 15 questions at a meeting in Daxing County, one of the model husband prospects said he doesn't like to tell people about the things he does to help his wife.

"If I would just do the housework and other things well, I would be happy. But I am afraid people will think I'm dominated by my wife," said Zhou Wenjun, a 44-year-old factory worker.

Beijing television will broadcast short spots on the family life of the 36 finalists. The sponsors and a group of family relations specialists will choose the winner in early June.

Miss Sun said organizers were overwhelmed by the response.



Peddling at 99

BOSTON — Dr. Abrajam Dalich, 99, a resident of the Hebrew Rehabilitation Center for Aged in Boston pedals on an exercise machine to help keep muscles developed as part of a program

that has shown that intense weight and exercise training for older individuals is showing some positive results.

Associated Press photo

Dear Abby



Stepmom unsure of advice

By ABRIGAIL VAN BUREN
DEAR ABBY: I have a beautiful teen-aged stepdaughter who lives with her mother and stepfather. Although "Betty" loves her mother, she has never been able to confide in her. She's very religious and fairly strict, so Betty comes to me with everything.

Betty recently told me that she lost her virginity to a boy she had been forbidden to see. She needed someone to talk to — someone who wouldn't put her down, and I was there for her. She begged me not to tell her mother. My heart aches for this girl, and my biggest fear is that she may become pregnant or contract a venereal disease.

We discussed condoms and birth control pills, but she can't get the pill without parental consent. I'd like to get the pill for her, and I think I could if she were to go to my doctor, but I wouldn't feel right doing it behind her mother's back.

Her mother and I are very good friends and she trusts me. If I get Betty the pill, will it make it easier for her to continue having sex? She's already told me that if she got pregnant, she would come to me for help. — BETTY'S CONFIDANTE

DEAR CONFIDANTE: Every teen-ager needs a mature, non-judgmental friend to whom he or she can turn for sound advice and counsel. Ideally, that person is a parent. But if that's not possible — as in Betty's case — Betty's mother should be grateful that her daughter has someone like you in her daughter's corner.

Since Betty has already lost her virginity, I doubt that she will stop now. Stress the fact that sex today can have very serious consequences; therefore, selectivity is vital. We now know a sexually transmitted disease can be fatal. So be sure she understands how to protect herself from pregnancy or disease.

DEAR ABBY: I am writing on behalf of Ida Ward Linton, the daughter of Lemuel T. Ward, to whom you gave credit for writing "The Hunter's Poem" — describing the tragedy of having shot a pair of geese in flight.

I would like to set the record straight. The poem is titled "Remorse" and was written by Truman P. Reitmeyer of Philadelphia.

Ida would like the public to know that it was not her intention to mislead them. "Remorse" was one of her father's favorite poems, and was one of 100 or more that Lem used to recite to visitors to his decoy shop. He used to hand out copies of the poems he recited, and of course, he would be asked to autograph them. Although the poems were printed with the names of the authors, it was only Lem's signature that the happy visitor would be aware of upon leaving.

Lem never wrote a poem, but his brother, Steve, did — and I suppose this fact helps add to the confusion. Ida has received many phone calls from all over the country since you published that poem, and it would help if you could publish a correction. Thank you! — JACK R. SCHROEDER, CRISFIELD, MD.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 53-year-old man who is very much in love with a 22-year-old girl. I know you think I'm crazy, but this girl really loves me. She even broke up with a young, good-looking man just for me. She worked for me for a short time, but we didn't want any talk around the place, so I had her quit.

My problem is my wife. She won't give me a divorce. Our children are grown, and I offered my wife a very good settlement, which she refused.

Abby, my girlfriend is the sweetest, most unspoiled girl in the world. She is just the opposite of my wife. She appreciates every little thing I've given her, like a small, inexpensive car, some clothes and taking care of her mother's hospital bill. I would gladly give up my last dime to be free to marry this girl. How can I get my wife to give in? — LONG ISLANDER

DEAR ISLANDER: Make her a better offer. She might surprise you. But don't "give up your last dime" for your freedom because that "sweet, unspoiled girl" might also surprise you and disappear when she discovers you're broke.

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Calendar

TODAY
• The Divorce Support Group will meet from 6 to 7 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, room 101. Anyone welcome. Child care is available. Use the back entrance at Gregg Street parking lot. For more information call 267-6394.
THURSDAY
• The Big Spring Humane Society will meet at 7 p.m. at the new adoption center on the north service road off of west I-20.
• Masonic Lodge #598 will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 219 Main Street.
• There will be a Kentwood Country-Western program at 7 p.m. at Kentwood Older Adult Center. Public invited. No dancing.
• Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright Street, has free milk and bread to give to the area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.

Tops on TV

• **Unsolved Mysteries**, 7 p.m. Channel 9.

Pool

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he said. "We've got some leaks pinpointed, and we'll get some pipe work done there." The city will not try to cut costs by cutting the pool's open season this year, nor will it increase admission, he added.
Changes to the pool might not even be considered for the summer of 1992, Decell explained. "There are a lot of things down the road like this. You've really got to lay some groundwork, look at funding alternatives, that sort of thing. We don't have a crystal ball."

Truce

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in other countries in the region.
Yemeni Ambassador Abdalla al-Ashtal, the only Arab on the Security Council, complained to reporters Tuesday that the draft "goes far beyond what the Security Council has decided in the past."
"After all," al-Ashtal said, "everybody says, including the United States, that Iraq must be left intact, that they don't want Lebanonization of Iraq, that they don't want a vacuum there, nor a civil war."
"You can't have all that if you push and press the government so much that it cannot respond and ... that becomes the course for more confrontation."
The proposal to call on all states to recognize the 1963 boundary between Kuwait and Iraq would be unprecedented in the history of the Security Council, and some members expressed objections, Western diplomats said, without identifying the objectors. The council action, they said, could have implications for other nations with boundary disputes.
U.N. military observers would guarantee the border, diplomats said.
The resolution does not call for a permanent cease-fire per se, but it sets forth the conditions Iraq must meet before a permanent end to hostilities can be achieved.

Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents:
• A 28-year-old man was arrested on a warrant for revocation of a probation for driving while intoxicated. Bond was set at \$1,000.
• A bullet was shot through the door of a Buick Riviera parked on Wasson Road Sunday night, it was reported. Damages are estimated at \$500.
• Gunshots were reported on Texas Road in Sand Springs.

Court docket

Filings in Howard County courts indicate the following:
• Mack Allen Williams, 31, 407 S. Lancaster Street, pleaded guilty in 118th Judicial District Court Tuesday to driving while intoxicated, a fifth offense. He was sentenced to three years probation, 30 days in jail and fined \$500.
• Raymond Hodnett, 20, 2613 Chanute Drive, pleaded guilty in Howard County Court Tuesday to driving while intoxicated. He was sentenced to three days in jail.

Court votes to sit as appellate board

By PATRICK DRISCOLL Staff Writer

Howard County Commissioners Court on Monday voted to sit as an appellate board to hear appeals of indigent health care decisions. They heard their first appeals (which are closed to the public) Monday afternoon.

In other action Monday, the Court:

• Met with 17-year-old exchange student Darryl Christian Fredrick Desmarais, who is from Rustenburg, Transvaal, South Africa. He is currently attending Forsan High School as a junior. He has already graduated from high school in South Africa.

• Rescinded a decision to withhold payments until Oct. 1 for construction of a proposed new fire station in Knott. It was discovered, after the decision two weeks ago, that there are \$20,000 in this year's budget for the station.

• Approved the purchase of a new reader-printer and optical projector for the county library. They also agreed to allow the librarian to seek an architect to design an elevator for which \$52,000 has been donated by the Dora Roberts Foundation. A three-week vacation in

August for the librarian was also approved.

• Accepted bids from Feagins Implement, Big Spring, for two tractors priced at \$21,250 each and two mowers at \$9,445 each. They also accepted an aggregate bid of \$76,500 from Price Construction, Big Spring, an asphalt bid of \$38.27 a ton from Vulcan Materials and a bid from Pollard Chevrolet, Big Spring, for a sheriff department vehicle for \$28,518 with a trade-in.

• Voted to fill a vacant permanent detective position in the sheriff's department. Deputy Antonio Chavez, who had been working as a temporary detective, assumed the new title.

• Adopted a section in the state Local Government Code to allow the county judge to waive requirement of his approval for county purchases under \$200 — except warehouse purchases — and under \$750 for the road and bridge department.

• Approved the Spring City Senior Center's request to serve a noon meal on May 11, the day before Mother's Day, in order to fulfill their contractual obligation to serve 250 days a year. They also want to serve a meal June 15, which is Father's Day.

Play

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Haynes said, "The character of John Proctor, the honesty of one man, willing to give up his life to maintain that honesty, that commitment — that has always intrigued me. He's arrested and accused, but he refuses to admit he was a witch. At that time, if you were accused, you were arrested. If you did not confess, then you were hung. If you did confess, then most people sat in jail."

BSSH students received seven awards for their performances.

Josh Free, who performs the part of Reverend Hale, was named Best Actor. Free was also in the BSSH performance of "Grease," and he's a senior at BSSH. One of his hobbies, he said, is working with a miming troop, both as a performer and a director, and he plans to attend college in Dallas. He was also named Best Actor at district competition last year.

Jason LeGrande, who portrays John Proctor, and Sheila Gamboa, Tituba, were named to All-Star Cast. Both students are juniors, new to the BSISD this year, Haynes said. LeGrande is involved in football and basketball, and Gamboa is active in

choir, where she received a first place rating in her solo competition.

J.P. Shanks, Sunny Fraser, Marci Weaver and Brandy Bedell were awarded Honorable Mention, All-Star Cast. Shanks is a senior, and he, Fraser, and Weaver were all cast members in "Grease." Fraser and Weaver are juniors, and Bedell is a freshman.

Haynes said every year is a good year in his theater department. "The students have a lot of depth this year," he said. He said he will confer with high school principal Kent Bowerman, to determine when the play will be performed for the Big Spring community.

The area contest will be April 5, at Snyder High School, where Districts 1, 2, and 3 will compete for the chance to continue into Regional and then State competition. District 1 includes schools from the Panhandle area, District 2 covers schools near Lubbock, and Big Spring and Monahans are District 3. Regional competition will be at Angelo State University, and State will be at the University of Texas in Austin.

Council

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ing currently in progress.

• Added an additional penalty of 15 percent for taxes that remain delinquent on July 1 of the year in which they became delinquent, and approved partial homestead exemptions for the disabled and elderly.

• Agreed to allow fishing in Comanche Trail Lake beginning May 1. The "big spring," however, will continue to be a "no fishing" area.

• Revised the city budget to allow for expenses of a wellness program. The funding — \$15,000 — will be transferred from the insurance fund.

• Gave support to Finance Director Tom Ferguson's plan to request citizens add to their water bill payments to help fund special projects. Customers who want to help fund improvement projects can "round up" their bill payments to the nearest dollar or add a donation to the payment.

• Agreed to support Christmas in April by donating use of trash containers and some trash pick-up in areas throughout the city. The project's work day will be Saturday, April 27.

• Allowed the YMCA to use the city pool for lessons and team workouts during the summer. Members of the Y will use the city pool during the hours it is not normally open.

• Agreed to allow the Comanche Trail Ladies' Golf Association to use the downstairs waiting room at the city pool for a meeting area.

• Confirmed Mayor Max Green's appointment of Carl Schoenfeld and Don F. Arroyo to

the Crimestoppers Board.

• Allowed the city to use engineering firm Parkhill, Smith and Cooper for land acquisition in the Beals Creek improvement project.

The council gave second and final approval to resolutions:

• Setting the pay rate for election judges in the May 4 election.

• Limiting the administrative fees for abandonment of streets, alleys and easements.

• Establishing a burglary and theft unit as well as school resource officer in the Big Spring Police Department.

• Setting a lease agreement with the Howard County Senior Citizens Center.

• Allowing execution of a contract with First Southwest Company for financial advice.

In bid action, the council agreed to purchase of:

• A 35-yard compactor from Industrial Disposal Company of Plano for \$10,997.

• A pickup from Bob Brock Ford for \$11,226 and \$685 for a factory-installed air conditioning unit.

• Radios for the fire department from Motorola of Midland for \$7,459.

• Valves and fittings from Rohan Company of Waco, for a water line improvement project.

• Dump trucks, through a lease-purchase agreement from Baystone Financial Group of Kansas.

The council greeted Rotary exchange student Darryl Desmarais, who attends school in Forsan. He presented Mayor Green with a flag, and was promised keys to the city at a later date.

Oil/markets

Name	CURRENT QUOTE	CHANGE
ATT	34 1/2	+1
American Petroleum	85 1/2	1 1/4
Amoco	53 1/2	1/4
Atlantic Richfield	128 1/2	3 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	12 1/2	+1/4

Cabot	38 1/2	NC
Chevron	34 1/2	NC
Chrysler	14 1/2	+1 1/2
Coca-Cola	54 1/2	+1 1/2
De Beers	21 1/2	NC
DuPont	36 1/2	+1 1/2
El Paso Electric	7 1/2	+1 1/2
Exxon	58 1/2	1/4
Ford Motors	33 1/2	1/4
GTE	31 1/2	1/4
HealthSouth	11 1/2	1/4
IBM	112 1/2	1/4
Intl Eagle Tool Co	10 1/2	0 1/2
JC Penney	54 1/2	+1 1/2
Mesa Ltd Pft A	3 1/2	1/4
Mobile	44 1/2	1/4
New Atmos Energy	14 1/2	1/4
NUV	10 1/2	1/4
Pacific Gas	28 1/2	+1 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	28 1/2	1/4
Schlumberger	59 1/2	1/4
Sears	34 1/2	+1 1/2



Herald photos by Tim Appel



Union Pacific locomotive

The Union Pacific's Desert Victory locomotive rumbled into Big Spring Tuesday afternoon, drawing residents to view and photograph the engine. Andrea Torres, 4, and Casie Torres, 9, daughters of Big Spring engineer Albert Torres who piloted the train to Toya, walk off the engine after posing for pictures in the bottom photo. The camouflage-painted engine also sported a sign commemorating Union Pacific employees who were called up as reservists during the war.

Theft

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\$1,000 electric motor was taken from a pump in Martin County in November and Quintero said copper wiring of an unknown value was taken from a pump south of Big Spring in December. There have been no arrests nor property recovered in those incidents either.

In some cases, employees or former employees of companies that have had equipment stolen are suspected, law enforcement officials said.

Williams said that someone probably knew that he and other employees would be on vacation during the week of the theft in Coahoma. "I suspect they knew it," he said. "It doesn't happen

very often."

A crossbar was flipped off of a back door of the warehouse and a lock broken on a metal building inside where the drill bits were kept, Williams said. It will cost about \$50,000 to replace the white one-ton flatbed pickup equipped with foster tongs — license number 4218EF — with a new vehicle, he estimated. Thirteen new 7 1/2-inch drill bits and five used 7 1/2-inch bits are valued at \$44,000.

Since the bits had serial numbers on them, the thief or thieves probably knew where they could sell them without questions being asked, Williams said. "No legitimate drilling company would buy them," he said. "But there are people that'll buy those things."

He had hoped that the pickup

would turn up abandoned. "But apparently there's a market out there for that too," he said.

Meanwhile, Chavez said they hope to prevent any possible trend of oilfield thefts from developing further. "The trend may or not be there," he said. But if it is, he said, "we want to nip it in the bud."

"A couple, three weeks ago I was worried about a trend, about it picking up," Lewis said. That was before the theft was reported in Borden County, he said. However, he still considers that an isolated incident. "We've been real lucky," he said. "I hope it doesn't start."

Saunders said he considers the thefts in Martin County to be isolated incidents also. "You have them spasmodically," he said.

Police beat

Police have arrested three people in connection with a string of 16 vehicle burglaries in the area — some of which were never reported.

An 18-year-old man and two juveniles were arrested. The adult has been released on \$2,000 bond, but the juveniles are still in custody. Police have estimated that about 90 percent of the property has been recovered, at a value of \$4,000.

As a result of the arrest, police have cleared numerous car burglaries that have occurred at various points during the past month. Items taken included cassettes, golf clubs, binoculars, a radar detector, a pistol, ammunition, stereo equipment and a VCR.

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following additional incidents:

• A man reported "theft by deceit" occurred in the 1400 block of Gregg Street. Two males — one white, one black — apparently tricked the man into giving them \$200 that he had withdrawn from his bank account. The black male is described as 45-50 years of age, five feet six inches tall, weighing 155 pounds, with full hair. The white male is described as 65 years old, between five feet eight inches and five feet ten inches tall, weighing about 190 pounds.

• Burglaries were reported at JC Penney and Wal-Mart.

• The theft of an apartment-size refrigerator was reported in the 900 block of West Third Street.

• Four men were arrested for public intoxication near the intersection of I-20 and Birdwell Lane about 10:30 p.m. Tuesday.

• A class A assault, family violence, was reported in the 1200 block of Wood Street.

• A BMX scooter was reported stolen from Kentwood Elementary School.

Deaths

Lizzie Slate

Lizzie B. Slate, 88, Big Spring, died Tuesday, March 26, 1991, in a local hospital.

Services will be 10 a.m. Thursday at Myers & Smith Chapel with the Rev. Bob Farrell, pastor of East Fourth Street Baptist Church, officiating. Graveside services will be 4 p.m. Thursday in Gouldbusk Cemetery in Gouldbusk under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

She was born June 9, 1902, in Mexia. She married James M. Slate July 18, 1920, in Gouldbusk. He preceded her in death in 1953. She first moved to the Chalk community and later to Big Spring and had lived in Howard County since 1943. She had been a member of the East Fourth Street Baptist Church for 38 years. She was a member of the Dorcas Sunday school class. She was a homemaker and also worked at Cowper Clinic and Hospital from 1951 to 1976.

Survivors include three daughters: Pauline Kizer, Ruth Brock, and Bonnie Stiehl, all of Big Spring; three sons: Freddie Slate, Amarillo; James Slate, and Edward Slate, both of Big Spring; 11 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Bobby Kizer, Freddie Stiehl, Glenn Slate, Mark Slate, Tanner Kizer, and Brad Everett.

Myrtle Hardy

Myrtle Hardy, 77, Big Spring, died Tuesday, March 26, 1991, in a local nursing home.

Graveside services were 2 p.m. Wednesday in Trinity Memorial Park with the Rev. James Willborn, pastor of Wesley United Methodist Church, officiating, and under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She was born July 29, 1913, in Lindale. She married Billy Hardy. He

preceded her in death in July of 1972. She was a Methodist. She grew up and attended school in Tahoka, but spent most of her life in Big Spring.

Survivors include one sister, Ruby Bolling, Orange, Calif.; and two brothers: William J. Cathcart, Post; and Robert Cathcart, Seagoville. She was also preceded in death by one son.

Anthony Abdo

Anthony J. Abdo, 29, Big Spring, died Sunday, March 24, 1991.

Military graveside services will be 10 a.m. Thursday in National Cemetery of Phoenix, Ariz., under the direction of Greer Funeral Home in Phoenix. Local arrangements were by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He was born Nov. 24, 1961. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

Survivors include his parents, Pete and Shirley Abdo, Phoenix, Ariz.

Harold Johnson

Harold Johnson, 67, Sweetwater, died Wednesday, March 27, 1991, in a local hospital. Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

W.B. Morton

W.B. (Jack) Morton, 76, Springdale, Ark., formerly of Big Spring, died Wednesday, March 27, 1991.

He was born June 18, 1914, in Howard County and grew up here. He married Ruth Bugg. He worked as an automobile top and body man in Big Spring until he moved to Tucumcari, N.M., in 1946, where he farmed and operated a KOA campground. He retired in 1976, and moved to Springdale, Ark.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Morton, Springdale, Ark.; one daughter, LaDean Graham, Dallas; one son, Howard Morton, Houston; three brothers: R. Pershing Morton, Big Spring; Harold Arthur Morton Tucumcari, N.M.; and Arlye Morton, Overton, Nev.; five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother.

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Just how fast can they run?

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

It's about the midway point of track season and although the Crossroads Country area isn't blessed with an abundance of talent, it does have several eye-catching performers.

The two that come to mind right off the top is Stanton's Jeremy Stallings and Coahoma's Sarah Hanks. Stallings, only a sophomore, has one of the best times in West Texas in the 800 meters. His 1:56.24 ranks second only to a runner from Abilene High, who's run a 1:55.05. Stallings' expertise doesn't stop there. He also has one of the best times in West Texas in the 1600 (4:40.40) and one of the best times in the 400 (51.16), a race he ran last week. Stallings also runs the anchor leg on the Stanton 1600 relay, which owns the Crossroads County best time of 3:30.39. He anchored in a 50.89.

Hanks, a senior who will run track for Abilene Christian University next year, is also one of the top middle distance runners in West Texas. Her time of 2:25.12 ranks tops in the area in the 800 meters as does her 5:39.70 in the 1600. Like Stallings, she also runs on Coahoma's 1600 meter relay team which has the Crossroads' third best time (4:29.61). The thing about Stallings and Hanks is it's hard to tell just how fast they can run because they don't get pushed very often. It's a good bet both will be making return trips to the state track meet this season.

Locally, the Big Spring Steers and Lady Steers have done relatively well considering the team's youth.

Coach Jay Kennedy's Lady Steers are on their way to having some very competitive 400 meter and 1600 meter relay teams. The foursome of Marta Mathews, Amber Grisham, Vernice Ross and Annie Rodriguez have runs times of 51.60 in the 400 relay and 4:22.80 in the 1600 relay. Their sprint relay time is already better than the time last year that qualified them to regional, and the 1600 relay time is just three seconds off the time that qualified for regional last year.

Mathews is a force in the 100 meters and triple jump, and Rodriguez is one of the best 400 meter runners in the area. Jumping in the spotlight this week was sophomore shot putter Syretta Shellman. Last week at the Sandhills Relays in Monahans, Shellman uncorked a 39-10 throw, four feet better than her previous best.

Proving it just wasn't one good throw, Shellman went over the 39-foot mark five times in the meet. In one throw in the finals, Kennedy said she passed the 40-foot barrier, but scratched.

The Steers are dominated by underclassmen, but Coach Randy Britton has assembled a very competitive 1600 meter relay team featuring a freshman, sophomore, junior and senior.

At the Sandhills Relays freshman Lehebron Farr, senior Raul Castillo, sophomore Dewayne Edmonds and junior Nick Roberson ran a 3:30.50 to win the event. Farr, who has run the open 400 in 51.8, led off in a 53.0 and Big Spring never trailed.

Britton says they can run faster and they'll get a good chance this week at the San Angelo Relays where 19 4A schools will be competing. "They'll need to run a 3:21 or 3:22 to get in the top three," said Britton. "They can run faster because they won't be leading like they did in Monahans. It's harder to run a good time when you're in the lead and never challenged."

Big Spring has some top individual hopefuls in distance runner Jackie Lynn, Roberson in the 800 and Castillo in the 300 intermediate hurdles. Presently all rank near the top of district with their times.

The San Angelo Relays will have some international flavor this year when 11 Russian high

Clyde skins Wolves in league opener

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City Wolves got a rude welcome to District 6-3A baseball. The Clyde Bulldogs took advantage of poor Colorado City fielding, and Chris Chorn led the way as the Bulldogs whipped the Wolves 17-5 Tuesday afternoon at A.W. Phillips Field.

Colorado City, playing baseball for the first time in two decades, was a gracious host, committing 13 errors. Chorn excelled on the mound and at the plate, almost single-handedly putting the Wolves to rest.

The left-handed pitcher and right-handed batter went the

distance on the mound, scattering seven hits while striking out 15. At the plate he went three-for-five, with two homers and a single, driving in four runs and scoring three times himself.

Although Chorn was truly the star of the game, he had lots of help from his teammates, who combined for 15 hits. John Anderson, Bryan Whiteaker, Jody Hedden and Brian Burelson all had two hits each.

The Bulldogs chased C-City starter Jason Lawson from the game after four-and-one-third innings. By then he had given up 10 hits and 12 runs. His teammates had also committed 11 errors. Robbie Smith and James Franco

followed Lawson.

Clyde led from start to finish, scoring three runs in the first inning. Whiteaker, Burelson and Tim Dodson all singled in the inning and the Wolves made two errors.

The lead grew to 7-0 in the top of the third when Clyde got four hits and C-City committed four more errors. Hedden, Burelson and John Anderson singled and Brian Gray doubled.

The Wolves tallied in the bottom of the inning when Franco walked and Kevin Green blasted a homer over the center field fence. The lead was cut to 7-2.

Clyde added a run in the fourth and C-City came back with two runs in the bottom of the stanza. Lawson

and Smith led off with singles. Avon Ceballos reached base when the Clyde left fielder dropped his fly ball, scoring Lawson. Smith scored on an errant pickoff attempt by the pitcher as first base. But 8-4 was as close as the Wolves got.

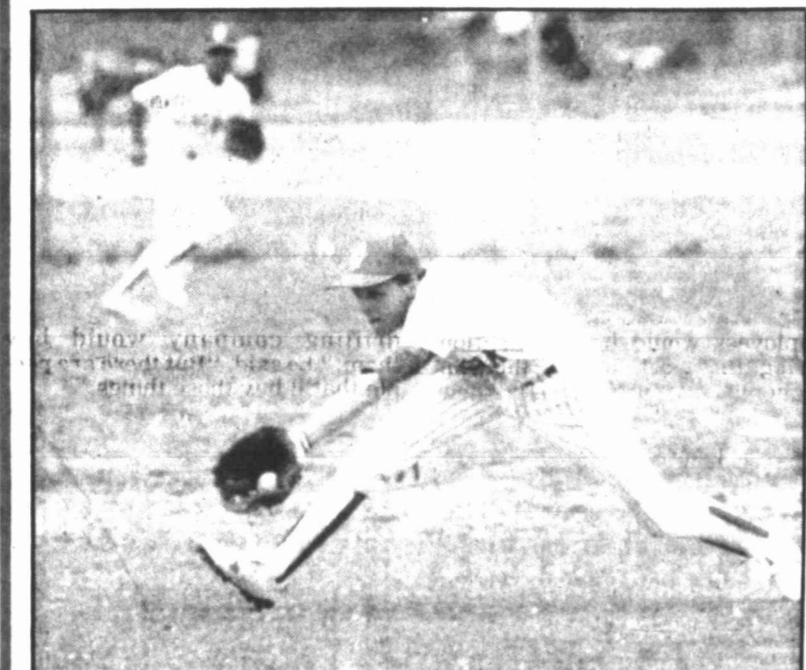
The Bulldogs roared back with five runs in the fifth off two hits and three C-City errors. The big blow was Chorn's two-run shot over the left field fence.

Colorado City scored a run in the bottom of the inning. With two outs Lawson got his second hit of the day, the only Wolf to do so. Smith reached base on an error by the third baseman and Ceballos got on on a fielding error by the pitcher. Pinch-hitter Nikko Biggers walk-

ed, scoring Lawson with Colorado City's final run of the game.

Clyde added four more runs in the fifth thanks to a solo shot by Chorn and a two-run shot by Hedden. Pinch-hitter Craig Akins singled to drive in the other Clyde run. Clyde is now 6-6 overall. Colorado City falls to 2-4-1. The Wolves will be in district action Friday when they play the Early Longhorns at 4:30 p.m. in Merkel.

Clyde 204 150 4-17 15 4
C-City 002 210 0-5 7 13
LOB — C-City 8, Clyde 9; Errors — C-City (Parker 5, Igelhart 2, Lawson 2, Martinez 1, Ramsey 1, Franco 1, Guitevez 1); Clyde (Chon 2, Burelson 1, Gray 1); SB — Clyde (Chon, Burelson, Grisham, Gray); 2B — Clyde (Whiteaker, Gray); HR — C-City (Green); Clyde (Chon 2, Hedden 1); WP — Chon; LP — Lawson; Time — 2:50.



Bulldog baseball

COAHOMA — In top photo Westbrook Wildcats base runner Richard Fuentes slides into third base as Coahoma Bulldogs' Mike Grant applies the tag in doubleheader action Tuesday. In bottom photo Westbrook shortstop Randall Petty makes a catch of a low line drive. Coahoma won the first game of the doubleheader 7-4 and the second game was called in the fourth inning because of darkness with the score tied at 10-10. Coahoma is now 4-4-1 for the season.

Mustangs bomb Steers

SWEETWATER — The Sweetwater Mustangs played long ball Tuesday night and handed the Big Spring Steers their first district loss, a 11-4 decision.

The Mustangs overcame a 4-3 Big Spring lead by scoring six runs in the second inning. Sweetwater hit three homers in the second inning alone, and four for the game.

Shannon Coots took the loss for Big Spring while freshman Terry Clemmer got the win for Sweetwater. Coots was lifted in the big Sweetwater second. In fact Big Spring used four pitchers in the second inning. Following Coots was Dimas Morales, Jerney Edens and Shane Myrick. Gerald Cobos relieved Myrick in the fifth inning.

Big Spring scored two runs in the top of the first. Mike Ross and Freddy Rodriguez walked. They scored on a double by Jon Downey. Downey got half of Big Spring's hits, adding two singles to go along with the double.

Sweetwater scored three runs in the bottom of the first on a bloop single, a double and triple. The Steers came back with two runs in

DISTRICT STANDINGS	
Andrews	2-0
Sweetwater	1-0
Big Spring	1-1
Lake View	1-1
Pecos	1-1
Fort Stockton	0-1
Monahans	0-2

Tuesday
Sweetwater 11, Big Spring 4; Andrews 4, San Angelo Lake View 1; Pecos 2, Monahans 0 (10 innings).

Thursday
Big Spring at Pecos; Andrews at Monahans; Sweetwater at Fort Stockton.

Willie Norman hit two-run homers, and third baseman Chad Beck hit a solo shot. Moore added another homer later in the game. Sweetwater led 9-4 going into the third inning and had the game well in control.

"It was one of those things if something could go wrong, it did go wrong," said Steers coach John Velasquez. "We didn't get any close calls. If we had gotten the close calls in the first inning, they would not have scored any runs."

"They've got a small field and one of those home runs would've been out in our park. The lower half of the batting order needs to start hitting. Our top four hitters got all the hits. The kids played hard though, they didn't quit. Sweetwater plays well in their park."

Big Spring is 1-1 in district play and 10-4 overall. Sweetwater goes to 1-0 and 10-4. The Steers will be on the road Thursday when they play Pecos at 7:30 p.m.

Big Spring 220 000 0-4 4 2
Sweetwater 361 010 x-11 15 1
WP — Clemmer (3-1); LP — Coots (4-2).

Hot-hitting Hawks sweep Vernon

VERNON — The Howard College Hawks kept up their hot hitting in taking a doubleheader from Vernon Regional Junior College Tuesday afternoon in non-conference baseball action.

Howard won the first game decisively 15-8 behind a 19-hit attack. The second game was a little harder however, with Howard coming away with an 15-13 win, despite being out-hit 22-13.

HOWARD 15, VERNON 8
Frank Rodriguez picked up the win for the Hawks, his sixth in as many decisions. He also hit his 14th homer of the year, tops for the Hawks.

Hawks scored a run in the first when David Snyder doubled and scored when Sean Teague grounded out.

Howard added four more runs in the second via a grand slam by

Milton Diaz. The table was set when Efrain Contreras and Jose Gomez singled and Willie Olivas was hit by a pitch.

The Hawks sent 11 batters to the plate and scored six runs in the third inning to take a 11-0 lead. Teague, Rodriguez, Contreras and Snyder singled, while Franklyn Johnson and Willie Olivas doubled in the inning.

Howard added a run in the sixth when Rodriguez doubled and Jesus Fraire ran for him Fraire scored on Johnson's base hit. Howard scored its final three runs in the seventh. Jeff Schulz tripled and scored on Teague's base hit. Rodriguez then homered over the left center field wall, ending Howard's scoring for the game.

Vernon scored five runs on five hits in the bottom of the seventh to make the score respectable.

Howard 146 001 3-15 19 2
Vernon 000 201 5-8 9 0
WP — Rodriguez (4-0); LP — McMichael (3-3).

HOWARD 15, VERNON 13
The Hawks fell behind early in this one, trailing 9-2 after five innings of play. Howard turned the game around in the sixth however, scoring 11 runs. Then David Kelly was called in to get the last out of the game with the tying run on base.

Shane Ziegler got the win for Howard. Jesse Armendariz started for the Hawks and went three-and-one-third innings. He allowed 11 hits and eight runs. He was relieved by Steve Spencer, who promptly gave up a three-run homer. Then came Ziegler who lasted until Kelly took over in the bottom of the seventh. With two outs and men on

● Hawks page 2-B

Spurs whip New York Knicks in overtime

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

David Robinson keyed San Antonio's drive to a 56-win season last year. If the Spurs are to advance to the next level, young players like Sean Elliott and Rod Strickland will have to produce.

On Tuesday night, Robinson was thoroughly outplayed by New York's Patrick Ewing, but Elliott and Strickland came through as the Spurs beat the Knicks 129-119 in overtime.

Elliott scored a career-high 34 points and made some key plays in overtime, while Strickland had 21 points and 16 assists and veteran forward Sidney Green had a season-high 19 points.

"Sean Elliott, Sidney Green and Rod won the game for us," Spurs coach Larry Brown said. "Patrick is a tough man to stop and I think he frustrated David. But Sean came up with the big plays."

"I just got into a comfortable groove and the points came," Elliott said. "I've known all along I could do it. It was a matter of getting the shots off."

Ewing had 37 points, nine rebounds and six blocked shots for the Knicks. Robinson fouled out with 19 points, nine rebounds and four blocked shots.

"Patrick was the most consistent player on the court," Robinson said. "I struggled a little bit, but to see Sean play the way he did was fantastic. When Patrick shoots his jumper like that, there is not much you can do."

"My goal is to win the game and it really doesn't matter who I'm playing against," Ewing said. "My

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shots didn't fall down in the stretch and that really hurt us in the overtime. You have to give the Spurs credit. They were able to come back when David fouled out."

Elliott gave San Antonio a 111-109 lead with four straight points in the fourth quarter. After Robinson fouled out, Elliott slapped down Ewing's hook shot, then came up with an offensive rebound and follow shot, giving the Spurs a 117-113 lead with 2:13 left in overtime.

Despite being outplayed by Ewing, Robinson managed six straight points to give the Spurs a 107-105 lead with 47 seconds left in regulation.

But Maurice Cheeks sank a 3-point shot for New York with 1.4 seconds left in regulation, tying the game at 111-111.

Trail Blazers 126, SuperSonics 113
Seattle, trailing by 27 points at Portland, closed within three before the Trail Blazers prevailed behind Clyde Drexler's 30 points.

The Trail Blazers, leading the Pacific Division by one game with their 50th victory in 68 games, took a 99-80 advantage into the final period, but Ricky Pierce scored 10 of his 21 points during a 31-15 spurt that closed the SuperSonics to 114-111 with 1:58 left.

Suns 117, Timberwolves 95
Phoenix won at home to improve its record to 8-0 against Minnesota, which has beaten every Western Conference team except the Suns.



PHOENIX — Phoenix Suns Xavier McDaniel (35) and Minnesota's Sam Mitchell (42) fight for a loose ball in Tuesday night National Basketball Association action.

Kevin Johnson had 27 points and 10 assists for Phoenix, while Xavier McDaniel scored 22 points while Mark West had 12 points and 13 rebounds.

Nets 98, 76ers 95, OT
New Jersey won for the fourth time in five starts at the Meadowlands as Mookie Blaylock

scored six of his 25 points in overtime and Derrick Coleman had 23 points and 13 rebounds against Philadelphia.

Charles Barkley had 32 points and 17 rebounds for the 76ers, who forced overtime on Hersey Hawkins' layup with 10 seconds remaining in regulation.

The 76ers opened the extra period with a basket by Ron Anderson and a free throw by Rick Mahorn. But then Blaylock, who also had six steals in the game, scored on a jumper and a layup to give the Nets the lead for good with a minute to play. Reggie Theus hit two free throws with 19.7 seconds left and Blaylock added two more with 5.7 remaining to seal the victory.

Hornets 97, Warriors 94
At Charlotte, Rex Chapman led the Hornets to their biggest comeback in team history, rallying from 20 points down against Golden State.

The Warriors led 82-62 late in the third period and entered the fourth quarter with an 83-70 lead. But Golden State made just four of 19 shots in the final 12 minutes and was outscored 27-11 in the quarter.

Pacers 123, Hawks 113
Chuck Person scored 10 of his 24 points in the final 3:48 and Detlef Schrempf had 16 points, a career-high 12 assists and 11 rebounds for Indiana against Atlanta.

Heat 104, Cavaliers 98
Miami snapped an eight-game losing streak, winning at home behind Kevin Edwards' 28 points and Grant Long's four free throws in the final 34 seconds against Cleveland.

The Cavaliers, who suffered their first loss in 10 games against the Heat, had the ball trailing 99-96 in the final minute before Edwards knocked the ball away from John Morton and Long scored his only four points of the game on Miami's next two possessions for a 103-96 lead.

Sidelines

Softball field getting new infield

There will be no practicing on Cotton Mize Field this week because city crews are putting a new infield down.

Also the entry fee for the Men's Industrial Softball League is \$350 per team. There will be a league meeting April 1 at 7 p.m. at the Coors meeting room.

AL needs managers to coach teams

The American Little League needs three managers for Pee Wee teams and maybe two managers for Minor League teams.

Pee Wee is for youth ages 6-8 and Minor League is 9-12. The teams can't be assigned until they have managers, and managers are needed by Thursday.

For more information call Richard Wright at 263-8781 before 5 p.m., or come by the American Little League field, located just east of Howard College, after 5 p.m.

Marathon set in Abilene

ABILENE — The Marathon of the Great Southwest will be April 6 in Abilene. The event will feature a marathon race and a 5K run. Entry deadline is April 2 and entry fee is \$15. There are several age groups for males and females, starting with 12 and under to 60 and older.

For more information call Mike Osborn at 677-8144.

AAU girls hoop tourney scheduled

AMARILLO — The West Texas Association of the Amateur Athletic Union/Career Sports Program has scheduled its 1991 Association Girls' Basketball Tournament June 6-9 in Amarillo.

Site of the tournament will be Austin Middle School, 1808 Wimberly St.

Steve

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school athletes will comprise one of the 85 schoolboy track and field teams.

The 85 teams represent the largest field ever for the two-day event at San Angelo Stadium. As a highlight for the week-long activities for the visiting Russian team, a Lee Greenwood concert will cap the activities Saturday night after the conclusion of the Relays.

The Russian athletes will represent several schools from Ryazan, a city of 500,000 people located in the west part of Russia about 114 miles from Moscow. The Russian team will compete in Division I (5A) of the Relays.

Besides Big Spring in Division II, other area schools participating in the meet will be Stanton and Coahoma in Division IV and Colorado City in Division III. There will be 16 schools in Division I, 19 schools in Division II, 24 schools in Division III and 26 schools in Division IV.

Speaking of the fast tracksters, the Stanton girls track program seems to be in good shape for the future.

The Stanton eighth grade four-some Laura Herm, Sande Bundas, Veronica Marquez and Lupe Chapa have one of the best 800 meter relay times in the Crossroads Country area, counting varsity athletes.

Stanton has run a 1:58.0, the third best time in the area behind Garden City's 1:54.12 and Colorado City's 1:57.73. Chapa, who anchors the relay, has run a 13.0 100 meters, which would tie her for the area's best time.

Switching to basketball. For locals, about the only positive thing about the Odessa College women winning the national junior college basketball title is the Howard College Lady Hawks are responsible for the lone blemish on OC's 36-1 record.

On January 10 at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, the Lady Hawks beat Odessa College 55-53. On Feb. 11 at the Odessa Sports Center, OC beat Howard 64-62. On March 8 in the Region V semifinals at the Highlands in Waco, OC edged Howard 57-55, this time without Howard All-American guard Kim Robinson.

One can't help but wonder what might have been.

Coach gets prayers answered

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Aquinas Junior College knows the price of fame. It's \$8,000.

Coach Charlie Anderson and his Cavaliers realized their dream at the national junior college basketball tournament in Hutchinson, Kan., capturing the title last Saturday with a 74-68 victory over Arizona Western. It was a victory Anderson had prayed for following the 1989-90 season.

"I'd always pray, 'Don't get hurt, let us see Christ in our play' — things like that," Anderson said. "For some reason, I said, 'Lord, I'd appreciate it if you'd give me the people who can win that thing.'"

Now, Anderson and the Dominican nuns who run the 400-student college are praying for help.

"It's a school of 400 students," said Brad Starnes, principal at Hutchinson's Trinity High School. "Probably the smallest school ever to win this tournament, I would think. It's been in existence for 30 years. One sister said it was started to educate the Dominican Sisters, so they could teach."

With each victory, the team was forced to extend its stay, and expenses.

"They hadn't budgeted for a trip to the national tournament," Starnes said. "But they had faith that somehow things would work out."

According to Anderson, seven nights of motel bills for nine rooms came to about \$5,000, and transportation costs for the 1,600-mile trip are about \$3,000.

"We tried to eat most of our meals in an all-you-can-eat cafeteria, so we were able to get most of our meals for about \$6 a person," he said.

As the Cavaliers won each game, Anderson could hear the cash register ring. But he didn't worry about it.

"We'll raise the money," he said Tuesday. "I have had a lot of friends help us out with donations in the past. In fact, I'm sitting in my office now writing thank you notes to people who have given us a little here and a little there."

Sister Assumpta, the school's president, is trying to raise donations to cover the costs. She is getting help from a family restaurant in Hutchinson, which is asking that city's residents to make donations.

Annetta Raya, whose family owns the restaurant, said the fund drive was started after learning the team was unable to pay its bills. She said about \$2,000 had been collected in Nashville since Saturday night.

Raya said Aquinas officials have assured local vendors that all bills will be paid.

There are benefits to the national title, both tangible and intangible, according to Anderson.

Hawks

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second and third, Kelly got the Vernon hitter to line out to left fielder Gomez.

Howard cut Vernon's lead to 3-2 in the second on Rodriguez's 15th homer of the season, a two-run shot over the left center field wall. But Vernon scored the next six runs of the game to take a 9-2 lead.

In the sixth inning all of that changed as Howard sent 14 batters to the plate, scoring 11 runs off five hits, four walks and one error. The leader was Gomez who hit a three-run homer in his first at-bat in the inning, and followed it with a two-run shot in his second at-bat in the inning. Johnson also hit a two-run homer in the inning. Howard led 13-9.

In the top of the seventh Howard added two more runs. Schulz and Teague singled, with Keith Cosby running for Teague. Schulz and Cosby scored on Rodriguez's double. Howard led 15-9.

Vernon made things interesting by sending nine batters to the plate and scoring four runs on five hits, including a three-run homer. But Kelly came in to get the save and Howard came away with the win.

The Hawks are now 33-5 for the season while Vernon falls to 18-11. The two teams will play another doubleheader today starting at 1.

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WP — Ziegler (3-1); LP — Dynhammer (3-2).

Ball St. coach will stay

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Ball State basketball coach Dick Hunsaker said he expects to remain at the school despite speculation that he's a candidate for vacancies Weber State — his alma mater — and other schools, including Texas Tech.

Hunsaker grew up in Clovis, N.M., which is near Texas Tech's campus in Lubbock.

"There's just a tremendous amount of rumors and speculation at this time," Hunsaker said Tuesday night by telephone from his home in Muncie. "I'm not seeking and haven't applied for any posi-

tion. Weber State has made offers to speak with me. I certainly think I owe them that courtesy when we do connect."

Hunsaker served as an assistant coach under Neil McCarthy and Larry Farmer from 1977-87 at Weber State, located in Ogden, Utah. He came to Ball State in 1987 as an assistant coach and was promoted to head coach two years ago when Rick Majerus left for Utah.

Hunsaker's name has also come up in the media concerning the coaching positions at Colorado State and Texas Tech.

SCOREBOARD

NBA Standings

All Times EST				
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
x-Boston	58	19	.725	—
Philadelphia	38	31	.551	12
New York	34	36	.486	16½
Washington	26	42	.382	23½
New Jersey	23	47	.329	27½
Miami	21	49	.300	29½
Central Division				
x-Chicago	51	17	.750	—
x-Detroit	43	27	.614	9
x-Milwaukee	42	28	.600	10
Atlanta	38	32	.543	14
Indiana	35	35	.500	17
Cleveland	24	44	.353	27
Charlotte	20	49	.290	31½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
x-Utah	46	22	.676	—
x-San Antonio	45	23	.662	1
x-Houston	44	24	.647	2
Dallas	25	42	.373	20½
Orlando	24	43	.358	21½
Minnesota	22	46	.324	24
Denver	18	51	.261	28½
Pacific Division				
x-Portland	59	18	.735	—
x-LA Lakers	50	28	.714	1
x-Phoenix	48	22	.686	3
Golden State	36	33	.522	14½
Seattle	32	36	.471	18
LA Clippers	26	44	.371	25
Sacramento	18	49	.269	31½

x-clinched playoff berth

Tuesday's Games
Charlotte 77, Golden State 94
Indiana 123, Atlanta 113
Miami 104, Cleveland 98
New Jersey 98, Philadelphia 95, OT
San Antonio 129, New York 119, OT
Phoenix 117, Minnesota 95
Portland 126, Seattle 113

Wednesday's Games
Indiana at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Orlando at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Utah at LA Clippers, 10:30 p.m.
Portland vs. Seattle at Tacoma, 10:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Philadelphia at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.
Washington at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Boston at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Atlanta, 8 p.m.
Golden State at New York, 8:30 p.m.
Orlando at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.
Utah at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.

Friday's Games
Cleveland at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at Detroit, 8 p.m.
Chicago at Washington, 8 p.m.
Sacramento at Denver, 9:30 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 10 p.m.
Dallas at LA Clippers, 10:30 p.m.
Portland at LA Lakers, 10:30 p.m.
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MINNESOTA TWINS—Optioned Paul Abbott and Rich Garces, pitchers; Jarvis Brown and J.T. Bruett, outfielders; Terry Jorgensen, third baseman; and Paul Sarrento, first baseman, to Portland of the Pacific Coast League. Optioned Derek Parks, catcher, to Orlando of the Southern League.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Agreed to terms with Gary Carter, catcher, on a one-year contract. Designated Dave Walsh, for assignment and placed him on waivers.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Optioned Andy Ashby, pitcher, to Scranton-Wilkes-Barre of the International League.

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Claimed Jose Melendez, pitcher, on waivers from the Seattle Mariners.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NBA—Fined Chuck Person, Indiana forward, \$2,500 for twice kicking balls into the stands after being ejected from a game March 23; James Worthy, Los Angeles Lakers forward, \$1,500 for initiating an incident in a game March 24; and Sedale Threatt, Seattle guard, \$1,000 for retaliating against Worthy.

FOOTBALL
National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Signed John Rienstra, offensive guard.

DETROIT LIONS—Signed Sean Vanhorne, cornerback.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed Ned Bejar, linebacker, to a two-year contract.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Signed Galand Thaxton, linebacker.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Signed Jamie Lawson, fullback.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League
NEW YORK RANGERS—Sent Jeff Bloemers, defenseman, to Binghamton of the American Hockey League.

COLLEGE
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL—Announced the resignation of Ed Shea, men's soccer coach.

ARIZONA STATE—Announced that David Tisdell, linebacker, has left the football team.

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BASEBALL

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Optioned Anthony Telford, pitcher, and Jeff Tackett, catcher, to Rochester of the International League. Released Pete Stanicek, infielder, from their minor-league camp.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Placed Ever Magallanes, infielder, on waivers for the purpose of sending him to the minor leagues. Optioned Kevin Wickander, pitcher, to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast League. Sent Brian Johnson, catcher, to their minor-league camp for reassignment.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Released Greg Mathews, pitcher. Sent Andy Allanson, catcher, and Archie Corbin, pitcher, to their minor league camp for reassignment.



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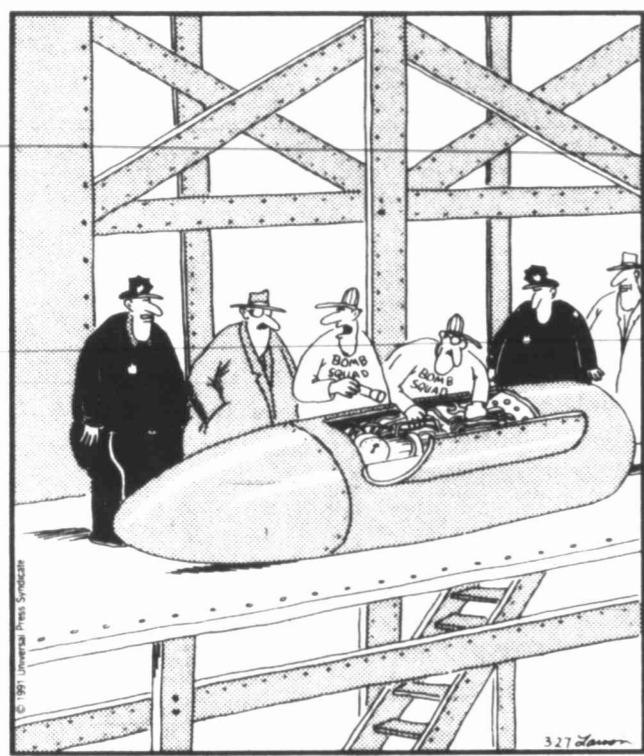
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THE Daily Crossword by Melvin Kenworthy

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- Great party
- Baseball's Slaughter
- Lurch
- Main artery
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- Man for one
- Gardener's asset
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- Master of the fugue
- Rich cake
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- Graf
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- Of an age

DOWN

- Corrugate
- Odin, Thor et al.
- Divider of a kind
- Poured frozen rain
- More bulging
- Sophia
- Have being
- Sault — Marie
- Touching
- Gas: prof.
- Section
- Brains
- Cafe sign
- Hindu peasant
- Electric measurement
- Cleveland's lake
- Unevenly notched
- The sun
- Diplomat
- Breakfast and lunch
- In a quandary
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- Yarn unit
- Silkworm
- Superintend
- "If a body —"

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TANDY 1200 computer for sale. Call 267 6006.

Appliances 530

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Lawn Mowers 532

RAY'S SMALL Engine Repair. 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. M-F 267 1918.

Garage Sale 535

GARAGE SALE: Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - No early sales. 307 East 10th

Misc. For Sale 537

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Names in the news

Lamb Chop has feelings

WASHINGTON (AP) — Puppeteer Shari Lewis and friend Lamb Chop, coming to Washington for the annual Easter Egg roll at the White House, will be staying at a hotel of sensitivity.

Executive Chef Robert Neroni of the L'Enfant Plaza Hotel has taken lamb chops off the menu while she's a guest there.

Ex-wife scheduled to perform Webber's music

LONDON (AP) — Composer Andrew Lloyd Webber says ex-wife Sarah Brightman will perform a program of his music here in May.

When Lloyd Webber and Brightman divorced in November, he said the split would not affect their professional relationship.

She starred in his musical "Phantom of the Opera" and has been appearing in the American production of his "Aspects of Love."

Now Lloyd Webber will supervise Brightman in "The Music of Andrew Lloyd Webber" at the Prince Edward Theater.

"I am so pleased that Sarah has decided to return to London to repeat the perfor-



WEBBER JAMES BROWN

mances that America has taken so much to heart," he said Tuesday.

Brown resumes career

NEW YORK (AP) — Godfather of Soul James Brown, feeling good since his release from prison, is resuming his career in June with a show on pay-per-view television.

The 57-year-old singer also said Tuesday he will begin work on a new album and tour with a new sound.

"I've had two years of no rest, but a chance to regroup in my head. I'm going to have a new sound musically when I come out," he said. "It'll be Brown, but it's going to be some things happening that I never took time to think about."

The televised show in Hollywood will be Brown's first since his release Feb. 27 from a South Carolina prison. He was sentenced to six years on charges stemming from an auto chase.

Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE:

Your ability to tell the real from the false stands you in good stead now. Trust a hunch in June and you could make a bundle! Important contacts can be made in September; go all-out. Experts will give you excellent financial advice next November. Stick to what you know best. Business associates and friends do you special favors as 1991 ends. A fantastic romantic encounter will get 1992 off to a happy start.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE:

actor Ken Howard, singer Reba McEntire, actor Dirk Bogarde, Hollywood agent Irving "Swifty" Lazar.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): High energy carries you through this busy day. You are in the driver's seat at work. Start a major project with confidence. Your parents or children need extra encouragement.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20):

Great things lie ahead for your social life! Blending newcomers and old friends at a party could lead to powerful connections. Regular exercise helps you ward off depression.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You feel less tolerant of other people's foibles now. Knowing this, choose your companions and activities with extra care today. Tact and compromise will ease a difficult family situation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A terrific day for you and a partner to firm up your plans. Funds may arrive from someone at a distance. Your path is clear — carry on. Transform doubt into confidence.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Give your imagination free rein and you will land a rewarding interview or job. Evening is the best time for a romantic interlude. Savvy singles will seek companions who share their values.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Keep in close touch with those in authority today and key support should come your way. The time is ripe for implementing an ambitious plan. Unleash your imagination.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Tell people what is on your mind. You will make an excellent impression if you have done your homework. Co-

workers are ready to be convinced. Put your money where your mouth is.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Tackle unanswered mail. A prompt reply will let an influential person know that you are on the ball. A show of initiative could net you a special bonus as well as compliments galore.

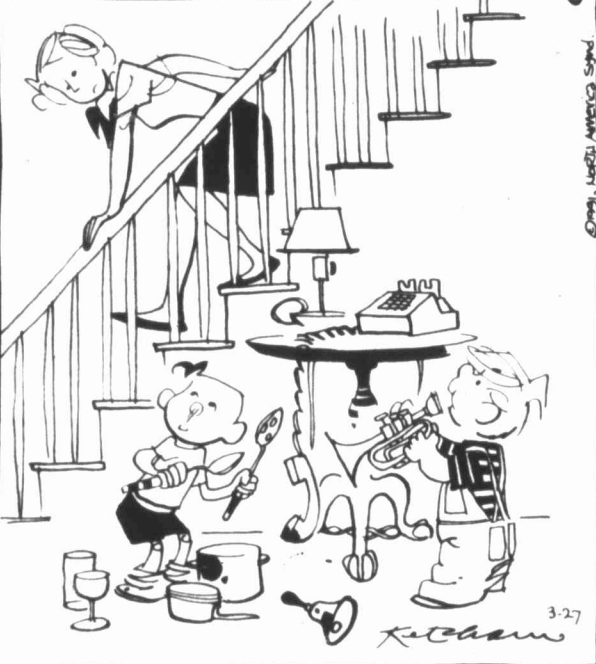
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Stick to tried-and-true methods now. Deal with the practical issues in a relationship. Important benefits come from having a sense of roots. Wanderers should return home to their loved ones.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Check the condition of any real estate you own. Home improvements will increase its value. A loved one may be feeling neglected. Find a better way to show your affection.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The spotlight is on current relationship problems, especially if your home life is involved. Sort out your real friends from fair-weather acquaintances. Accept a last-minute invitation.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): It may be time to distance yourself from a stressful relationship. Minor fluctuations in your finances are not cause for alarm. Business affairs deserve extra scrutiny.

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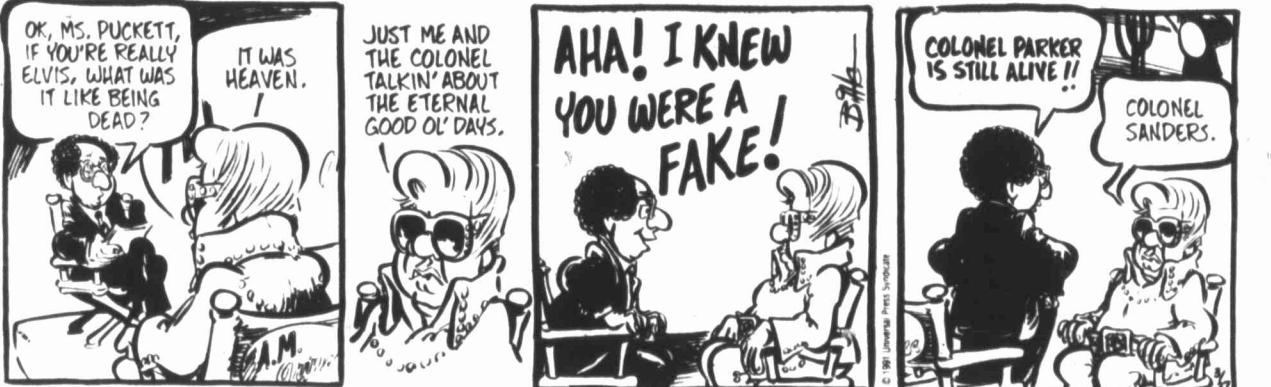
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Iraqi rebels report new gains

(AP) Kurdish rebels today reported new gains in their struggle against the government of Iraqi President Saddam Hussein. But the United States underscored its neutrality in the civil war that has raged since Saddam's forces were defeated one month ago by the allies.

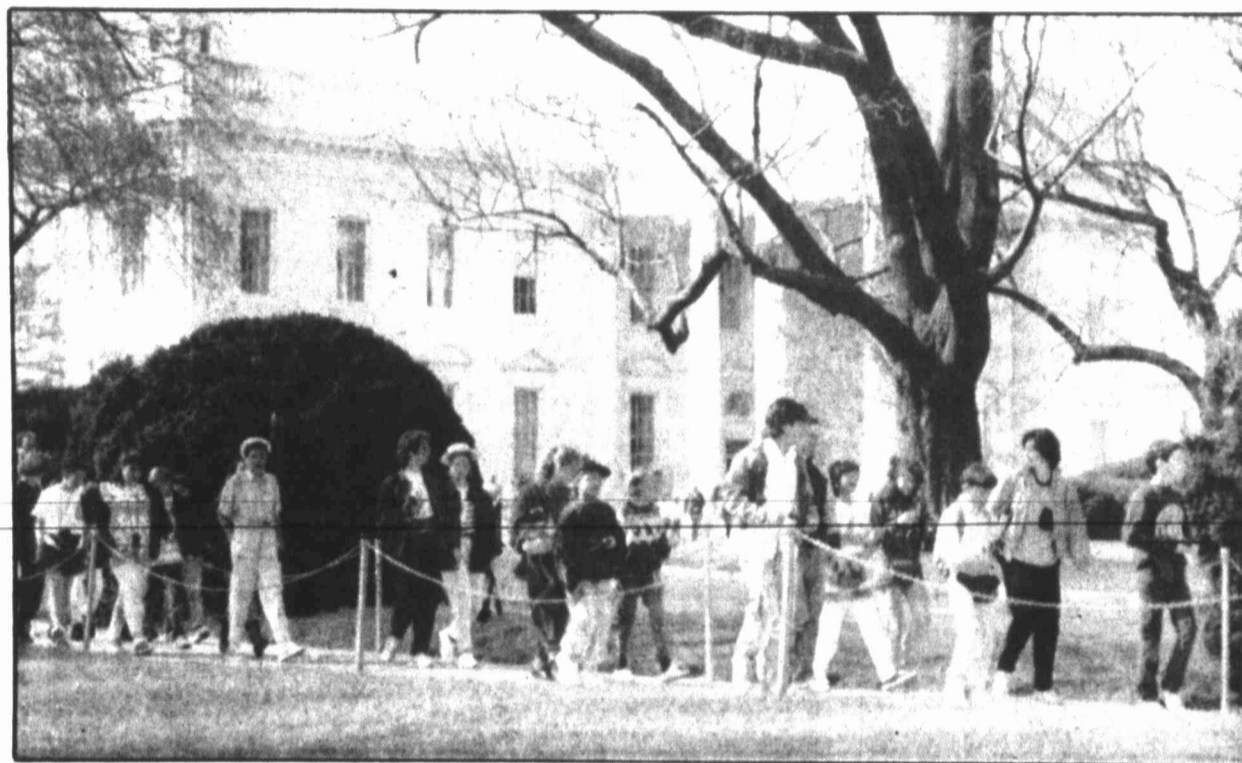
"We don't intend to take a role in the internal fighting that's going on in Iraq," White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater told reporters on Tuesday.

The Kurdish rebels, who control a wide area of northern Iraq, claimed today they captured two government warplanes while overrunning an air base near the northern oil center of Kirkuk. The claim could not be independently confirmed.

A Baghdad newspaper today said Iraq has restored "peace, stability and order" to southern Iraq. The State Department and the Pentagon said Tuesday that Iraqi forces were believed to be consolidating control of the south.

The Iraqi newspaper, Al-Jumhuriya, also claimed the operation of "mopping up pockets of saboteurs in the northern areas" was going according to plan.

The temporary cease-fire that ended the war stipulated that Iraq keep its warplanes grounded, but there have been several violations and U.S. warplanes shot down two



Associated Press photo

WASHINGTON — Visitors leave the White House Tuesday on the first day that tours were resumed.

White House tours were canceled at the start of the Persian Gulf War.

Iraqi jets last week.

U.S. forces continue to occupy a large area of southern Iraq but have made no attempt to keep the Iraqi helicopter gunships from flying combat missions, which rebel groups claim have been used to

drop mustard gas and napalm on insurgents.

On Tuesday, the White House was non-committal on what the United States would do about Iraqi forces' use of helicopter gunships.

Fitzwater did say Iraq's use of the helicopters was a violation of an understanding between Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf, the commander of U.S. forces in the gulf, and defeated Iraqi military leaders.

But the helicopters do not actually violate the conditional cease-fire

agreement, he said.

"This was an understanding that was reached in discussions between Gen. Schwarzkopf and it was a side, oral discussion — nothing in writing," he said.

Fitzwater was vague about how the allies would respond to continued Iraqi use of the gunships.

"The fact is ... we want to be murky on this," he said. "We aren't going to tell you exact rules for how we're going to deal with these helicopters. We aren't going to tell you why, and we aren't going to tell Saddam why. Let him guess."

Schwarzkopf, for his part, said he regrets his decision in a March 3 meeting with Iraqi commanders to permit the Iraqis to fly helicopters.

"I think I was suckered because I think they intended, right then, when they asked that question, to use those helicopters against insurrections that were going on," he said in an interview with David Frost scheduled for broadcast tonight on PBS.

The Desert Storm commander also revealed that he recommended continuing the ground war beyond the time President Bush ordered an end to the fighting.

"Frankly, my recommendation had been ... continue the march. ... We could have completely closed the door and made it in fact a battle of annihilation."

Weather

Increasing clouds tonight with a slight chance of morning showers Thursday followed by clearing skies. Low tonight in the mid 40s; high tomorrow in the mid 60s.

Tuesday's high temperature	82
Tuesday's low temperature	49
Average high	70
Average low	42
Record high	92 in 1954
Record low	18 in 1931
Rainfall Tuesday	0.00
Normal for month	0.78
Year to date	01.98
Normal for year	01.97

Trustees in special session

The Stanton Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet in special session at 12:30 p.m. Thursday in the Administration Building to discuss personnel matters, according to Superintendent Wayne Mitchell.

The board will consider resignations, teacher and coach contracts and new hirings, Mitchell stated. "It should be a short meeting," he said.

Lions discuss drug program

The Stanton Noon Lions met Tuesday at the Martin County Community Center and discussed the drug-free youth program in Texas.

Department of Public Safety Trooper Erwin Ballarta, a safety education department instructor based in Midland, gave a report on combating drugs in the schools and at home. Melinda Cazares, a Pecos chemist, told the group that drug abuse is the number one problem facing school-aged youngsters in the area.

In other Lions news, announcements were made by Boss Lion Kirke McKenzie about the upcoming broom sale and hamburger supper.

Therapy program at South Plains

LEVELLAND — Pre-entrance exams for training in one of Texas' fastest growing occupations are scheduled in April at South Plains College.

Tests for SPC's two-year program in occupational therapy assisting will be given April 1-9 in the Student Association Center on the third floor of the library building. A \$10 pre-paid registration fee is required.

"Occupational therapy assisting is currently one of the fastest growing job areas in the state," Program Instructor Lori Burkhart said. "It's an exciting career with lots of job opportunities throughout the state and worldwide as well." SPC's program is one of the few available in Texas.

Prospective applicants for the program need to schedule interviews with Burkhart and testing sessions with the guidance and counseling office. They should also bring high school and/or college transcripts for the interview, stated Burkhart.

Licensure is currently required in Texas for occupational therapy assistants. Opportunities for employment following graduation are found in hospitals, rehabilitation centers, public health agencies and special schools.

For more information contact the SPC counseling office and occupational therapy assisting program at 894-9611, ext. 366 or 386.

Man with camera now in spotlight

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Three weeks ago, George Holliday was a plumbing supply manager with a new video camera.

Now he has a lawyer and an upcoming appearance on "Geraldo."

The man whose home video of police beating an unarmed motorist incensed the nation has received far more than Andy Warhol's requisite 15 minutes of fame.

For three weeks and counting, Holliday's amateur camera work has been one of the nation's top stories. The March 3 black-and-white footage of Rodney King being clubbed and kicked has led to assault and brutality charges against four officers. The attack is under investigation by federal, state and local law enforcement agencies.

On Tuesday, Holliday emerged after two weeks of seclusion. He was flanked by James Jordan, an attorney. After accepting a commendation from Los Angeles County Supervisor Kenneth Hahn, Holliday was besieged by reporters.

"I have to get back to work," he said.

An hour earlier, Holliday, 31, sat in the front row of the supervisors' board room, holding the hand of his wife, Maria. In a brief interview, he said he has changed his phone number twice to avoid reporters.

"I've been hard to get a hold



Associated Press photo

LOS ANGELES — Los Angeles County Supervisor Kenneth Hahn, seated, presents George Holliday with a commendation Tuesday for

Holliday's effort in videotaping Los Angeles police beating black motorist Rodney King in early March.

of," he said. "It was taking all of my time."

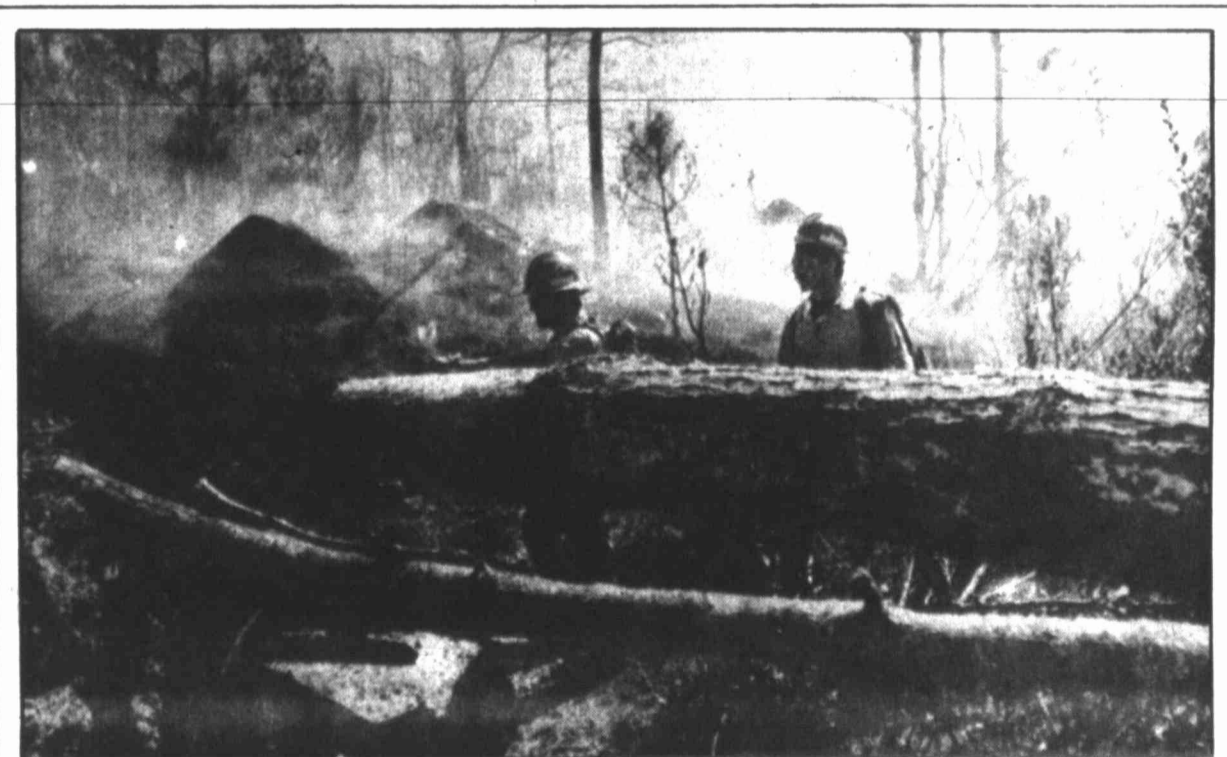
No, Holliday said, he had no idea that he would become a na-

tional hero for training his video camera on officers attacking King outside his apartment.

"I've got mixed feelings," he

said. "Not bad ones. It had to be done. If it wasn't me, someone else would have done it."

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Associated Press photo

Surveying the damage

MONCK'S CORNER, S.C. — Firefighters Mike Colgan, left, and Richard Hunter help mop up the Mills Bay fire in Berkeley County Tuesday. More

than 7,000 acres have burned in South Carolina since Friday.

'Slick' gathers b-ball honors

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Stanton's junior 6-foot wing player Kenny "Slick" McCalister captured another post-season

honor when he was selected to the San Angelo Standard-Time's All West Texas Basketball Team.

The honor goes along with McCalister being named Most Valuable Player in

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Rain too sparse or abundant

WASHINGTON (AP) — Spring has brought a sweet and sour mix of weather across the nation, with too much rain in some parts and not enough in others, a government report says.

The Joint Agricultural Weather Facility operated by the Agriculture and Commerce departments said Tuesday that "strong spring storms continued to rampage across the nation" in the week of March 17-23.

While the weather systems helped rebuild reservoirs and mountain snow pack in California, they also caused flooding and tornadoes in parts of the East.

But the 1991 winter wheat crop, for the most part, benefited by "favorable moisture and warmer temperatures" in most areas, the report said.

In Kansas, an estimated 52 percent of the state's wheat crop was rated in "good to excellent" condition. But cutworms continued to be a problem, the report said.

Irrigated wheat in Texas was said to show good growth, but dryland wheat "continued to endure drought-like conditions."

The Oklahoma crop was reported to have improved with recent rains, with 30 percent of the crop jointed, 10 percentage points ahead of the normal rate of development.

Winter wheat in Alabama was 12 percent headed, equaling the five-year average for this time, and the crop in Arkansas was said to be in good condition.

"Warm, wet weather in Kentucky caused the winter wheat to grow rapidly," the report said. "Most of the Montana winter wheat broke dormancy due to favorable moisture and weather."

In Washington state, farmers had planted 39 percent of the spring wheat crop and 17 percent of the barley acreage.

"Small grain growth was excellent in California, due to the continued moisture," the report said.

Looking at other field crops, about 30 percent of the Alabama corn crop was planted by the end of the week, four percentage points later than normal. Land preparation for rice and cotton planting was 45 percent complete in Arkansas.

"Corn planting and tobacco transplanting continued in Florida," the report said. "Sugar cane harvest was winding down, while most areas were prepared for cotton and peanut planting."

About 16 percent of the Georgia corn crop was planted, 24 percentage points behind the usual pace, and only 28 percent of the watermelon acreage, trailing the

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Spring board

How's that?

Q. Where does cork come from?
A. Cork comes from the bark of the cork tree. It takes the cork tree 10 years to produce one layer of cork, according to North American Precis Syn-dicate, Inc.

Calendar

Game Night

THURSDAY
• Senior Citizen Game Night at 6:30 p.m. at The Depot.
SUNDAY
• The community-wide Easter Cantata will be at 6 p.m. at the community center.
TUESDAY April 2
• The Stanton school bands will present their spring concert at 7 p.m. in the SHS auditorium.

Tops on TV

• Talking With David Frost. George and Barbara Bush discuss the midpoint of Bush's presidential term. 7 p.m. Channel 5.
• Unsolved Mysteries. 7 p.m. Channel 9.
• Equal Justice. 9 p.m. Channel 2.

Camera

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Nor did he expect to be questioned for hours by the FBI and the internal affairs divisions of the Police Department and the California Highway Patrol.

"They were very good," he said of the investigating officers. "I feel sorry for the Police Department. You can't monitor each and every person."

Still, the attention has overwhelmed Holliday. After appearing on CNN's "Crossfire" the day after the video aired nationally, Holliday tried to hide from reporters who called day and night and staked out his home.

"I just had to take care of my business," he said.

He also decided to hire Jordan to handle all interview requests. And he has decided to charge for his appearances.

"I have to," Holliday said. "At first, I didn't want to."

He and his wife recently taped an episode of Geraldo Rivera's talk show. The segment will air Monday.

A spokesman for syndicated program based in New York said the Hollidays were not paid for their appearance.

"They got two plane tickets," the spokesman said.

During the taping, Holliday said Los Angeles independent station KTLA-TV, which paid \$500 for first-run broadcast rights to his video, was not his initial choice. Holliday said he originally called CNN, but no one answered the phone.

As TV interview offers continued to pour in, Holliday said he does not regret picking up his camera.

"I haven't reached that point," he said. "But it doesn't mean I won't."

Nuke plant to be closed until May

GLEN ROSE (AP) — A nuclear power plant plagued by repeated shutdowns will remain off line until early May for unrelated federal safety tests and refueling, operators say.

The Comanche Peak plant was shut down March 20 after water from nearby Squaw Creek Reservoir leaked into its cooling system. Citizens' groups have said water in the lake was contaminated by nearby toxic waste dumps.

Divers hired by TU Electric, the plant's owner, failed Tuesday to locate sunken barrels that had been spotted in the cooling reservoir.

The leak, which triggered the 11th shutdown since the plant went into operation in April 1990, was in a non-nuclear area and posed no safety threat, said Mark Monroe.

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Rain

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normal progress by 30 points. "Warm days and cool nights in New York were conducive to maple sap flow," the report said.

Louisiana rice was about 9 percent planted, delayed by cool weather and precipitation. Blackbirds continued to be a problem in newly planted fields.

"Pastures and livestock were in mostly fair to good condition" for this time of year, the report said. "Pasture conditions continued to improve on the West Coast and in the Eastern states due to recent rains and warmer weather."

WASHINGTON (AP) — A senior official of the National Milk Producers Federation says the refusal of Congress to give price relief to dairy farmers resulted from a veto threat and distortions by opponents.

The defeated dairy measure was the plan of Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt., chairman of the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Jim Barr, chief executive officer of the federation, said in a newsletter to dairy cooperative members that the measure died last week because of "the tremendously distorted campaign" against it.

Barr said opposition to the plan also came from some consumer groups and the American Farm Bureau Federation, as well as some dairy cooperatives who objected to some provisions of the bill.

Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan said following defeat of the plan that it would raise the price of milk and perhaps reduce consumption. Further, he said, Leahy's plan would not have been fair to all dairy farmers.

Barr said opposition to the Leahy measure included charges it would reduce nutrition aid to women, infants and children under the WIC

program, and would boost consumer costs by \$1.2 billion.

"These outrageous arguments are very disturbing, especially in light of USDA's own projections that cash receipts by the nation's dairy farmers will plummet by \$4 billion this year," Barr said. "What this bill would have done is to try to stem some of those losses, so there would be a little less red ink on the nation's dairy farms this year."

Barr said federation officials continue to seek ways "to explore alternative options" for boosting dairy incomes this year.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Agricultural Library is looking for more volunteers to help keep things in order, the Agriculture Department says.

Mary Silva, coordinator of the library's volunteer program, said Tuesday that there is "a recurring need" for people to work in a number of positions at the facility, in Beltsville, Md.

The USDA facility is one of three national libraries of the United States, she said. The others are the Library of Congress and the National Library of Medicine.

Silva said the Beltsville facility has more than 2 million volumes and receives 26,000 periodicals annually.

"We can use volunteers in just about all phases of library operations, from shelving books to doing research to working with state-of-the-art computer technology," she said.

Volunteers range from college students to retired people, she said. In some instances, college credits can be earned by volunteers on certain projects.

People interested can call Silva at 301 344-4248, or write to her at: National Agricultural Library, Room 200, 10301 Baltimore Blvd., Beltsville, Md. 20705-2351.

Fund established

HERALD STAFF REPORT

RANKIN — Life, a very routine thing for most six-year-olds, is anything but for Trace Gipson.

Gipson is not expected to see his seventh birthday unless he receives a transplant. He was diagnosed with leukemia in June of last year and has undergone chemotherapy treatments since then. Trace, the son of Rev. and Mrs. Randy Gipson, pastor of the Faith Assembly of God Church of Rankin, has lived in Rankin for the past two and one-half years.

He has two sisters, Tori, 11 and Trista, 3. Both are compatible for the transplant that Trace needs, but test results are not back yet as to which sister is the best suited to be the donor.

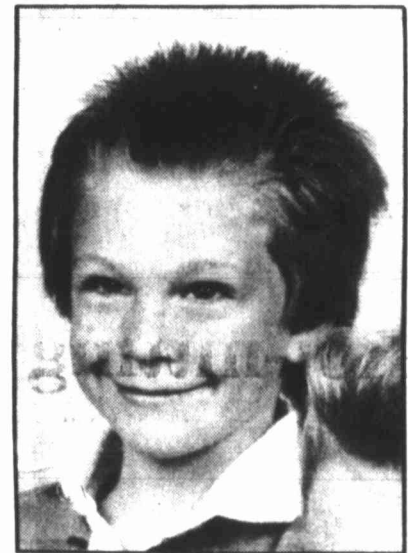
Trace is receiving extensive chemotherapy in Cook-Ft. Worth Children's Medical Center, but the treatment is consuming all of the family's finances.

Trace's bone marrow transfusions cost \$1,500 per quart, of which Trace requires five quarts of treatment per visit. His hospital services cost \$1,000 per day.

The family has already endured a \$35,000 medical bill; however, a bone-marrow transplant will cost close to \$300,000. The family will have to raise \$100,000 before the day of the surgery, tentatively scheduled for a month from now.

According to hospital officials, Trace has to receive another five days of extensive chemotherapy before the transplant can occur.

The small community has pro-



TRACE GIPSON

duced \$13,700 since Gipson's illness, but there is currently about \$12,500 left in his trust fund. Rankin, population 1,011, has rallied to help the family, but city officials are asking for assistance from their neighbors.

A trust fund has been established at the First State Bank in Rankin. The address is: Faith Assembly of God Church, Trace Gipson Fund, P.O. Box 118; Rankin, Texas 79778.

For more information contact one of the following: Phillip West, Mayor of Rankin, 693-2260; Dean Nicholson, 693-2730; Jerry Parks, pastor, United Methodist Church, 693-2283; or Wes Massey, pastor, First Baptist Church, 693-2423.

Slick

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District 6-2A; MVP of the Big Spring Herald Crossroads Country Honor Roll. Slick also took all-district honors last year as a sophomore.

Stanton went 16-12 this season, making the playoffs as the district runner-up. McCalister was instrumental in leading the Buffs into the playoffs. He averaged 22 points, 12 rebounds and four steals for the season, but was even better in league play, averaging 24 points per game.

He led the team in scoring, rebounding and scored more than 30 points in seven games. Slick shot an impressive 42 percent from the

field and 68 percent from the charity mark.

"Kenny is an exceptional player. He plays taller than a six-footer because of his long reach," Stanton coach Keyv Allred said. "He also has a tremendous touch in his shooting ability. . . . He was a great asset for our team."

"I'm willing to bet that he can play college ball. He has the qualities needed for college ball," Allred added. "In one year he grew about an inch and a half, so he still has some growing to do. I feel if he can grow to about 6-2 he will be unstoppable and that will give him an edge. He can dunk the ball right now."

Customs agents seize helicopter

DALLAS (AP) — A helicopter connected with a Chilean arms dealer who is under investigation for alleged weapons sales to Iraq was being seized today by federal agents here.

The U.S. Customs Service said the aircraft can be used in warfare. It was being seized at an airport and was to be displayed at a noon news conference, they said.

"There is a helicopter. It is connected with Carlos Cardoen,"

said Wayne Frandsen with the customs service. "There were modifications made to it that had military applications."

Cardoen, 49, operates Industrias Cordoen S.A., one of Chile's largest private weapons manufacturers. He furnished Iraq with cluster bombs during the Iran-Iraq war and is part of a Customs probe in South Florida into possible shipments of munitions, lethal chemicals and military technology.

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LEAN BEEF:

JUST THE FACTS

BEEF CATTLE ARE LEANER

There's good news about beef. According to new data released by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) in May 1990, beef is leaner.*

"For the first time in decades, the nutrient data on beef reflect the kinds of beef cuts that are found in retail meat counters," says Dr. Jeff Savell, of Texas A&M's animal science department, who supervised the laboratory analysis which provided the new data.

Nutrition experts have long recognized the important contributions beef can make to the diet. It's an excellent source of high quality protein, iron and zinc, and other essential nutrients. But because beef contributes some fat and cholesterol to the diet, confusion has existed about whether it should be included as part of a healthy diet.

The meat industry tackled the problem of keeping the protein and other essential nutrients, while reducing the fat. How? By breeding leaner cattle and trimming external fat.

Leaner Beef

Farmers and ranchers have altered breeding and feeding practices to increase muscle mass and decrease body fat. In the past 20 years, beef carcass fatness has been reduced by 6% and the external fat of retail cuts has been reduced by about 27%. Until recently, beef nutrition data were based on beef cuts that had about 1/2 inch of fat around the edge. Research showed that in the supermarkets, this external fat is trimmed to 1/8 inch or less, not the 1/2 inch originally believed. The new nutrition data reflect a 1/4-inch fat thickness.

*The new information was compiled for the USDA's Handbook 8-13, a comprehensive volume of nutritional information about beef which is used by the food industry, food scientists, dietitians and nutrition educators/communicators.



Update on Beef Nutritional Data

Certain beef cuts are leaner than others. These 10 cuts are among the leanest you can select. Compare the nutritional values for each of these cuts today and five years ago. In almost all cases, the new data show beef cuts to be leaner than reflected in the 1986 data.

How can beef fit into a healthful, balanced and varied diet?

Beef contains less fat and cholesterol than is generally assumed. The average 3-ounce serving of cooked, trimmed lean beef contains only about 8.4 grams of fat, of which less than half are saturated. The 10 leanest beef cuts range from 4.2 to 8.6 grams of fat in a 3-ounce cooked, trimmed serving.

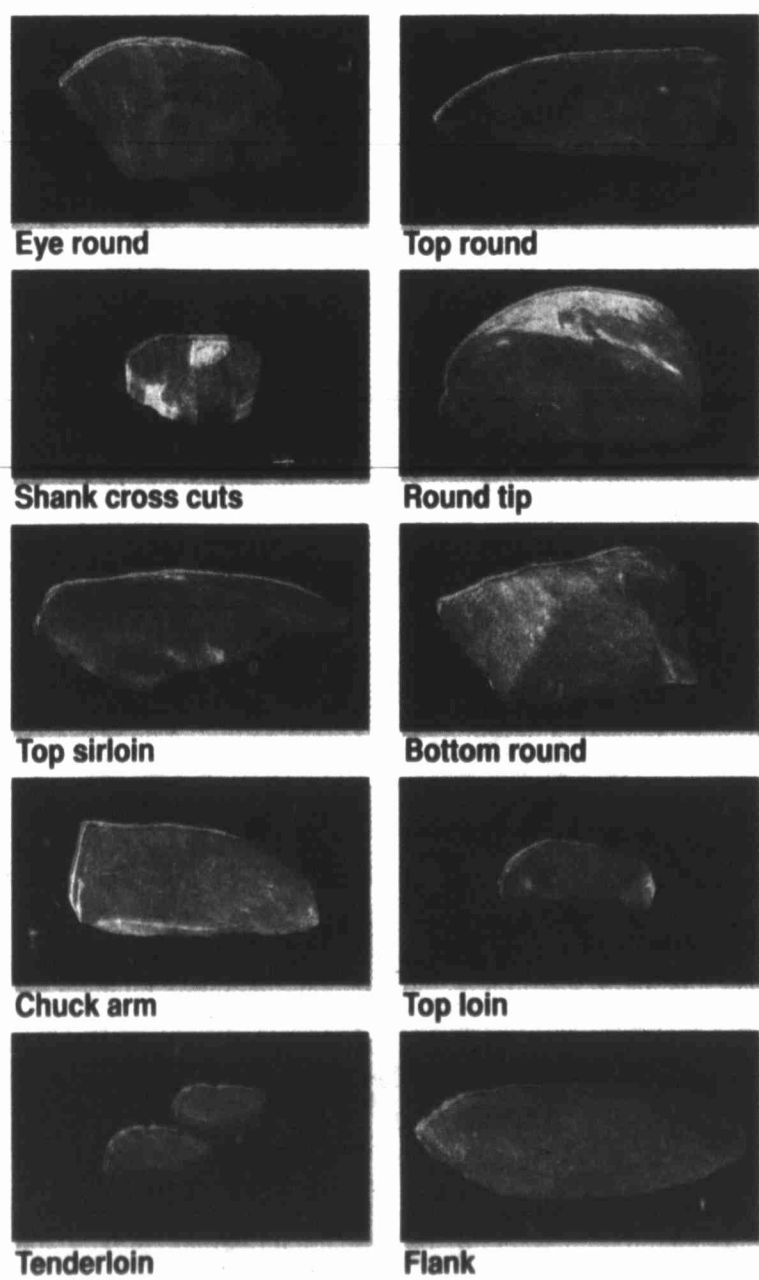
An average 3-ounce serving of cooked,

trimmed beef has about 73 mg of cholesterol (similar to an average 3-ounce serving of boneless, skinless chicken—76 mg) which fits well within the recommendation of no more than 300 mg of cholesterol per day.

Use the following table to make fat/cholesterol comparisons among these 10 lean beef cuts.

3-Ounce Serving
According to the USDA and leading nutrition and health organizations, we should be eating about 6 ounces of lean beef or other protein sources each day. That equals two 3-ounce cooked, trimmed servings, or one 6-ounce serving. Here's a hint for visualizing the serving size: a 3-ounce cooked, trimmed portion of beef is about the same size as a deck of cards. Remember, 4 ounces of boneless raw beef weigh about 3 ounces after cooking.

LEAN BEEF CUTS



Beef Cut 3-ounce cooked, trimmed serving	Calories	Protein (g)	Fat (g)	Saturated Fatty Acids (g)	Cholesterol (mg)
Eye round, roasted	1990 143 1986 155	24.6	4.16	1.51	59
Top round, broiled	1990 153 1986 162	26.9	4.16	1.43	71
*Shank cross cuts, simmered	1990 171 1986 171	28.6	5.41	1.94	66
Round tip, roasted	1990 157 1986 162	24.4	5.86	2.05	69
Top sirloin, broiled	1990 165 1986 177	25.8	6.12	2.38	76
Wedge bone sirloin, broiled	1990 178 1986 189	26.8	6.97	2.35	82
Bottom round, braised	1990 183 1986 196	28.0	7.05	2.56	86
Chuck arm, braised	1990 176 1986 172	24.3	7.99	3.05	65
Top loin, broiled	1990 179 1986 174	24.0	8.50	3.18	71
Tenderloin, broiled	1990 176 1986 207	23.0	8.60	3.70	57
**Flank, broiled	1990 176 1986 207	23.0	8.60	3.70	57

* Choice, 1/4-inch trim

** Choice, 0-inch trim

(1986 information based on 3-ounce cooked portion, all grades, separable lean only, 1/2-inch trim, except as otherwise noted. Source USDA Handbook 8-13, 1986. 1990 information based on 3-ounce cooked portion, all grades, separable lean only, 1/4-inch trim, except as otherwise noted. Source USDA Handbook 8-13, 1990.)

Note: "All grades" reflects a market share weighted average for Prime, Choice and Select.

Lean Cooking Tips

- ▶ Select lean cuts of beef.
- ▶ Choose closely trimmed Choice or Select grade beef cuts.
- ▶ Trim any visible external fat from beef before cooking, and trim inside separable fat after cooking but before eating. Research has shown that when beef is cooked with external fat, some of the fat liquifies and migrates into the lean. On the average, an additional 9% reduction of fat can be achieved by trimming before cooking.
- ▶ Use cooking methods which do not require additional fat. These include: broiling or roasting on a rack, panbroiling, grilling and poaching.
- ▶ Reduce oil called for in marinades to no more than 1 teaspoon per 1/2 cup marinade, or eliminate oil altogether.
- ▶ Substitute low-fat, low-calorie versions of ingredients. For example, nonfat yogurt for sour cream.
- ▶ Cook meats in a nonstick skillet without added fat.
- ▶ Cook with fresh ingredients that do not contribute extra fat and calories such as lemon juice, hot and sweet peppers, onion, garlic, tomatoes and ginger.
- ▶ Reduce the amount of flour, cornstarch or other thickening agent and fat in sauces and gravies, or eliminate altogether. Instead, skim fat from pan juices and reduce to thicken.
- ▶ Chill soups and stews after cooking and skim solid fat from the surface.

To receive Facts About Beef, a booklet with up-to-date nutrition information, cooking tips and great-tasting recipes, send a self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope to: Facts About Beef, Meat Board, 444 N. Michigan Avenue, Dept. TK-FAB, Chicago, IL 60611.

Wallcovering firm offers swatch book

For years, anyone who wanted to, could save substantially on the purchase of top brands of wallcoverings by doing two things. First, they decided which pattern they wanted and how many rolls they needed. Then they called Direct Wallpaper Distributors toll-free at 1-800-336-WALL, placed their order and saved up to 72 percent on first quality wallcoverings by Schumacher, Waverly, Imperial and other leading manufacturers.

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Fashions in Wallcoverings." The new Direct Wallpaper swatch book contains scores of actual samples—not printed reproductions—of the latest wallcoverings, including solid vinyls and other pre-pasted, strippable wallcoverings.

Direct Wallpaper makes its swatch book available for \$4.00, plus \$1.50 for handling and shipping. If an order of \$50.00 or more is placed within 60 days, the \$4.00 is deducted from the customer's invoice.

According to Bob Hepp, president of Direct Wallpaper, "the order is shipped out immediately to the caller's home or office. Next

day UPS service is also available, on request. Since sales costs are virtually eliminated," says Hepp, "the purchaser can save from 35 to 72 percent, depending on the brand and number of rolls ordered. The savings are so dramatic that many people are now using wallcoverings who would ordinarily have only used paint."

Direct Wallpaper has recently expanded its discount policy to include leading brands of window treatments such as Kirsch, Levolor and Bali blinds. To order the swatch book, call 1-800-336-WALL or write to Direct Wallpaper Distributors, 370 Hall Street, Phoenixville, PA 19460. ☎

Surprising choices for price-conscious consumers

For many consumers, the American shopping experience is most accurately defined by the word "choices."

Do I buy product A or product B, pay full price or buy at discount, select a leading brand or a newcomer? One of the most important choices is also one of the least understood: the choice between national brands and private label products, also known as store brands.

Although private label has emerged as the choice that combines quality and value, many consumers remain confused. What are the major myths that cloud the perception of these products?

One of the most enduring myths is that private label products are generic or "no-frill" products. Introduced as a value-priced option in the 1970s, generics have encouraged the association of low price with poor quality.

The fact is that private label products are of a much higher quality than generics and carry the name of the store in which they are sold. Indeed, these products can more than hold their own against even the most popular national brands.

One reason is that private label items are more likely to be stringently tested than are many national brands. "The reason for this lengthy testing process is the tremendous competition that exists among private label manufacturers to be the supplier of a store's brand," says Andrew Simon of Confab Corporation, the leading manufacturer of private label feminine hygiene and incontinence products.

"Because a chain store will choose only one company to manufacture its private label products in any category, every manufacturer is eager to demonstrate that its offerings are

state-of-the-art."

What's more, private label products are carefully scrutinized for retailers by independent testing laboratories which act as unbiased judges of product efficacy. "Private label manufacturers bring us their products to be tested not only for performance, but also for their adherence to government standards of content and packaging," says June Malonek of Acts Testing Laboratories. "This testing applies to new products as well as to those already on the market."

But how can private label products offer comparable quality to national brands, at a lower cost? The answer is the enormous amount of money saved on advertising and promotion. The manufacturer passes these savings on to the retailer, who in turn passes them on to the consumer.

For many consumers, the most convincing proof of private label product quality—before actually trying the product—is to compare labels. Every manufacturer is required by law to label all ingredients in descending order of volume. The surprise is that many private labels contain exactly the same ingredients as their national counterparts. In fact, in many cases, private label products are manufactured by the same company as the national brand, with the packaging as the only real difference.

Of course, the extent to which private label products resemble national brands differs by product category. Private label vitamins, for example, are often virtually identical to national brands, although the price difference may be substantial.

In fact, the Food and Drug Administration reviews private label under the

same criteria as national brands. With other drugstore items, from private hazel to cotton balls, and foodstuffs such as sugar and flour, consumers will find even less difference between private label and national brands.

The result of consumers "getting smart" is a dramatic increase in private label product sales. According to Private Label Product News, sales in 84 percent of private label product categories will skyrocket in the 1990s. This year, industry experts estimate that sales of private label products will reach \$16.3 billion in supermarkets alone.

Moreover, research indicates that, contrary to popular belief, private label purchasers are among the most highly educated and affluent of all consumers.

Private label sales have been particularly strong in two categories: over-the-counter drugs and incontinence products. "Consumers have been impressed with private labels' track record in incontinence product innovations, which exceeds even the national brands," says Andrew Simon of Confab, whose private label incontinence products rank second in sales behind Kimberly-Clark's Depend.

"Last year consumers clipped over \$4 billion worth of coupons in search of savings, yet the value offered every day with private label far surpasses that available with the national brands."

What can consumers look for in the future? More private label brands in all categories, setting new standards for product testing and innovation and offering tremendous savings. In a quality- and price-conscious era, private label is a concept whose time has come.

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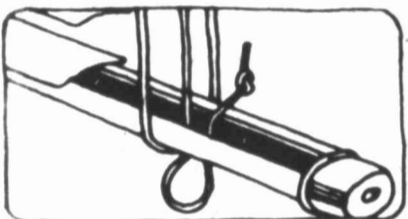
Take your blind apart

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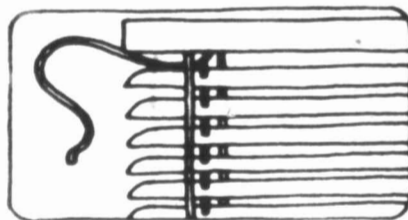
1. First you give one of the bottom ladder caps a little tug. Then get the blade of the screwdriver next to the pin on the "ladder" cap and twist, that will pry the cap off. Do the same with the other "ladder" caps.



2. Next, find the knot at the end of one lift cord. Untie it, and pull it out of the bottom rail. (Do not confuse the lift cord with the ends of the "ladder.") Do the same with the other lift cords. Study the path the cord follows as it passes from slat to slat on alternating sides of each rung.



3. Now, reach to the top of the slats, grab the cords, and pull them up through the slats. But be very careful not to pull them out of the head.



4. The slats now will slide right out of the blind from either side.

Products for the environment

For those concerned with the environment, as most of us are today, here is a list of natural products which clean just as effectively and less expensively than brand name cleaners with harmful non-biodegradable chemicals.

•White vinegar is good for cleaning windows as well as for washing waxes and pesticides from fruit and vegetables.

•Butter makes an excellent treatment for leather shoes and boots.

•Cream of tartar is a natural ant repellent—better than chemical-laden pesticides that are harmful to pets.

•Pure castile soap is biodegradable and acts by dissolving rather than cutting up dirt. It is said to effectively wash woolens and silks, cure athlete's foot, and the peppermint type can be used as a natural mouthwash when diluted.

ADD TIRES TO YOUR SPRING CAR CARE CHECKLIST

Preparations for spring and summer driving should include a close inspection of each tire on a vehicle to be sure winter's dry cold hasn't taken its toll, say tire technology engineers of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company.

Motorists should look for any irregular or uneven treadwear which may indicate the need for mechanical adjustments to the vehicle.

Drivers should consider rotating their tires and having them rebalanced to get maximum handling and treadwear on summer's hot highways. Many tire dealers provide this service to their customers free of charge.

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Mark Twain wrote, "A home without a cat, and a well-fed, well-petted and properly revered cat, may be a perfect home, perhaps, but how can it prove its title?" Cats are the number one pet in the United States. There are 55 million cats in American households and the number rises each year. Cats come in all shapes and sizes—the fluffy Persian, the sleek Siamese, the endearing Egyptian Mau, the playful tabby and the gorgeous Himalayan show cat.

And, the market caters to all who profess to be "cat lovers." Look around, cats are everywhere—on T-shirts, posters, mugs, scarves, jewelry, as well

as being a trendy subject for artists and craftspeople. "Cat" shops can be found in almost every major city, featuring all of the above. Furthermore, cats are a popular subject for major greeting card companies, ranging from very cartoonish images to works of art.

Many individual artists are also producing their own lines of cat greeting cards. One such artist, Lee Yeo, recently presented a unique line of cat cards reproduced from her original pen and ink drawings. The highlight of the cards is the hand-coloring of the cat's eyes, coordinating with the accompanying pastel envelopes. The cards are currently being marketed both through the mail and in select gift shops.

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Senior's game wins fame

Most of us only fantasize about our name becoming a household word. But, for 72-year-old Minnie Hazel "Skip" Bowman of Lubbock, Texas, it's reality. Why? Because in order to buy one of America's most popular card games, you have to ask for it by name—her name.

The game is Skip-Bo, and it bears Minnie Hazel's nickname for a good reason. She's the inventor.

"Skip-Bo has made me independent," she says. "It's allowed me to help others. People who have an idea for a new game come to me for advice on marketing it, and now I have time to give it to them."

For many years after she and her late husband J.T. invented Skip-Bo in 1964, Skip Bowman had very little time.

"We originally developed the game to take our mind off our worries when my father-in-law was in the hospital," she recalls. Friends liked the game and encouraged the Bowmans to market it commercially.

Like good entrepreneurs, they had 150 games made up and tested them among a larger group of people. Then, Skip approached Neiman-Marcus and other department stores.

Gradually, orders started coming in, not only from individual consumers but also from retailers in quantities of five, 10 and as much as 75 thousand.

After J.T.'s death in 1977, "I found I was alone and was spending all my time filling orders," she says. "So, when In-



MINNIE HAZEL "SKIP" BOWMAN, aged 72, enjoys playing the card game she invented. Skip-Bo is America's most popular card game with 55-and-over consumers.

ternational Games bought the rights to the game. I was delighted. It gave me time to begin enjoying life again."

Does Skip Bowman play her name sake? Like a champ. She even visits older adults in retirement communities to demonstrate Skip-Bo to them.

Sometimes Years Pass Without Flat Tire, And Then... Can You Install Your Spare Tire?

It's possible to drive for years and never have to change a flat tire, but eventually you will either have a flat tire, be riding with someone who does, or happen upon a stranded motorist.

Dealing with a flat tire emergency can be a minor inconvenience or a nightmare depending on how well prepared you are, advises the Automobile Information Council (AIC).

Many late model high-tech autos incorporate modern lifting systems not always stored in traditional places. A motorist should know where the spare tire, jack, lug wrench and other tools are stored in the car and how to remove them. The owner's manual provides this information.

Many newer cars are equipped with temporary mini-spare tires which should be driven for a limited number of miles and at reduced speeds.

Also, many cars require special tools for removing wheel covers and special devices to remove locking lug nuts. These tools come with the car and are explained in the owner's manual.

Learning how to safely remove a flat tire and replace it with a spare tire is best accomplished through experience under ideal conditions. AIC suggests first reading the owner's manual, then practice on your driveway or other flat dry surface following these steps:

- remember to keep head and hands from under the car
- put the car into gear and put on the emergency/parking brake

—place chocks (wooden or other blocks) on both sides of the tire diagonally opposite the one being changed to help prevent the car from rolling

—remove wheel cover

—follow owner's manual instructions for positioning/attaching jack

—loosen lug nuts partially before lifting wheel off the ground

—jack the car until flat tire clears ground

—remove lug nuts, put them in wheel cover and remove the flat tire

—replace with spare and tighten nuts by hand

—lower car until slight amount of weight is on spare

—tighten lug nuts with wrench in a staggered order, not one after the other clockwise or counter-clockwise

—lower the car and remove the jack

In the event of a flat tire, AIC advises motorists to pull completely off the roadway, turn on emergency flashers and slowly drive to a dry flat surface. If this is not possible or if there isn't enough room to safely change the tire away from traffic on the roadside, have the car towed to a service facility.

To reduce the likelihood of a flat tire, visually inspect your tires often, including the spare, for tread wear and proper inflation. AIC cautions that while many motorists think only worn out or bald tires go flat, even the newest tires can be vulnerable to glass, nails, pot holes and vandalism.

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- During the first 9 weeks of the Herald's 10 week contest, the Herald will publish at least 2 telephone numbers as chosen by random draw from all entries received, in the advertisements of at least 2 participating merchants on the Telephone Numbers Sweepstakes page each day from Tuesday to Sunday. The value of each of the numbers published from Tuesday thru Sunday, will be \$10. Each Monday of the first 9 weeks of the contest, the Herald will also publish at least 2 telephone numbers also chosen by draw from all entries received. These numbers will appear in at least 2 of the merchant's ads on the contest page. The value of the numbers published each Monday during the first 9 weeks of the contest, will be \$25.
- The 10th and final week of the contest, will be known as Grand Prize Week. From Monday to Thursday of this week (May 6-9) 2 telephone numbers, as drawn from all entries, will be published in the advertisements of 2 participating merchants. The value of each of these numbers will be \$50. On Friday, May 10, one number, as drawn from all entries received, will be published in the ad of one of the participating merchants. The value of this number will be \$250. On Sunday, May 12, the final day of the contest, one telephone number drawn from all entries received will be published in the advertisement of one of the participating merchants chosen by drawing. The value of this number, known as the Grand Prize Number, will be \$500.
- All entries drawn during the contest, up to and including May 10, will be returned to the draw drum the day following the publication of the telephone number.
- The holder of a telephone number published in the Herald's Telephone Number Sweepstakes Contest from March 4 to May 12, must call the Big Spring Herald at 263-7331, by no later than 5:30 p.m. on the 7th business day following the publishing of the winning number. Contest Department hours are from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday to Friday. The contest office is not open on Saturdays, Sundays or Statutory holidays. Upon reporting a winning telephone number, the holder of the number will be advised of the steps to follow to claim the prize. Published telephone numbers reported to the Herald following the close of the contest department on the 7th business day following publication of the number, will not be accepted and will not be eligible to claim a prize.
- The holder of the Grand Prize telephone number as published on May 12, the final day of the contest, must call the contest department of the Herald at 263-7331 no later than 5:30 p.m. on May 23, 9th business day, following publication of the winning number. Business hours are shown in rule number 5. If the Grand Prize, relating to the telephone number published in the Herald on May 12, has not been claimed by the close of the contest department office on the 9th business day following publication, a 2nd Grand Prize number will be published on the 10th business day following the publication of the initial Grand Prize number. This process will be repeated, until the Grand Prize has been claimed.
- If a successful winner receives 6-day home delivery of the Big Spring Herald, by carrier, motor route delivery, or mail, this person will receive an additional cash amount, equivalent to their prize. The winner must be receiving home delivery the day the winning number appears in the Herald.
- It is not necessary to purchase the Herald to participate in the contest. Live telephone numbers will be posted in the main business office of the Herald, 710 Scurry St., and copies of the Herald are available for inspection during regular business hours.
- Published telephone numbers will not be given out over the telephone.
- By playing Herald Telephone Number Sweepstakes contest, contestants agree to accept these rules and to allow publication of their name and address and/or picture within the Herald. The decision of the judges appointed by the Herald will be final and binding.
- Anyone 18 years or older can play the Herald Telephone Number Sweepstakes contest, except employees and their immediate families of the Big Spring Herald and Thomson Newspapers Corporation.
- Any person without a telephone number can submit their address for contest participation.
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TAKE OVER 20 acres of beautiful Texas ranch land. \$39/ month. 818-988-7764.

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Lodges 686

STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge #1340, A.F. & A.M., 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., 2102 Lancaster, Chris Christopher, W.M., Richard Knous, Sec.

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