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Iraq accepts U.N. terms

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iraq on Saturday reluctantly accepted U.N. conditions for ending the Persian Gulf War, bowing to terms that strip it of much of its military might.

President Bush said the Iraqi letter accepting the truce terms "appears to be positive," but he said U.S. analysts were still reviewing a translation.

Kuwait's U.N. ambassador said he will urge diplomats to reject the Iraqi document, saying it has too many qualifications.

Hundreds of thousands of Kurdish refugees, meanwhile, continued to flee into Iran and Turkey. The Turkish foreign minister said 1,500 had died in flight from Saddam Hussein's forces.

In Baghdad, Saddam reshuffled his government for the second time in as many weeks, naming a son-in-law as defense minister. Analysts said the move was aimed at tightening Saddam's grip on power following the rebellions that broke out after Iraq's rout in the Gulf War.

Word that Iraq had accepted the cease-fire terms came from the Baghdad government's foreign minister, Ahmed Hussein, Iraqi diplomats at the United Nations said.

"Iraq has found itself facing only one choice — that it must accept Resolution 687," said Hussein in a 23-page letter delivered to Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar and Security Council President M. Paul Noterdaeme of Belgium.

The letter, written in Arabic, had not been translated into English by U.N. officials, but Iraqi diplomats said it raised numerous legal points and objections. They added,

however, that the acceptance was absolute and not conditional.

Mohammad Abulhasan, Kuwait's U.N. ambassador, said he was worried the letter contains too many conditions. He said he will ask the Security Council to reject it. Abulhasan did not specify what problems he had with the Iraqi letter.

"It makes me very worried," he said.

Thomas R. Pickering, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, said: "Acceptance produces a feeling of some happiness, tempered with caution. We want to look very carefully at what Iraq has said."

Bush, in Houston, said portions of the letter objecting to the severity of the U.N. conditions amount to "some griping... but that is just too bad."

Both sides agreed to a temporary truce after the U.S.-led coalition ousted Saddam's army from Kuwait in late February.

Iraq's acceptance of the permanent cease-fire followed a closed-door meeting of the parliament in Baghdad to discuss the U.N. resolution. Radio Baghdad reported Sunday that lawmakers had accepted the U.N. terms by a vote of 160-31.

Before the Iraqi lawmakers went into their private session, Parliament Speaker Mohammed Mehdi Saleh told them they had "no alternative but to accept this unjust resolution" passed on Wednesday by the Security Council.

"This unfair resolution represents another proof of the U.S.'s domination, through the material strength it possesses, and through threats and pressure exercised on others," he was quoted as saying. **● CEASE-FIRE page 7-A**



NEAR ERBIL, Iraq — An Iraqi grandmother, holding her granddaughter in her lap, prays to God to save them from a tragic fate. She is among the thousands of Iraqi refugees storming the Turkish border in an attempt to escape from the Iraqi army. **● CEASE-FIRE page 7-A**



Ruth Russell and Susan Hawkins look at pieces of stained glass art during the second annual Spring City Arts and Crafts Show Saturday. The show, being held at the Coliseum, will open today from noon to 5 p.m. **● SHOW page 7-A**

Imagination, talent on display at show

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

The visions and handiwork of many craftsmen and craftswomen from as far away as Alaska filled the arena Saturday at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum at Howard College.

Items to be found for sale in 170 display booths at the second annual Spring City Arts & Crafts Show incorporated materials ranging from the highly processed, such as glass, to natural things like wood put to creative uses.

Jewelry, toys, dolls, clay figurines, clothes, quilts, paintings, woodwork and furniture were just some of the things that will be on display on the arena floor and the second floor of the Coliseum Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. Barbecue, hot dogs and hamburgers were also being sold.

"It's real nice this year," said Mary Kaine of Big Spring who came to shop Saturday. "We'll be back tomorrow."

"We really love this," said Sandra Smith, 45, of Big Spring who came with her sister Earlene Boren, 51. "We'll come here every year, and yes, we'll spend tons of money," she said.

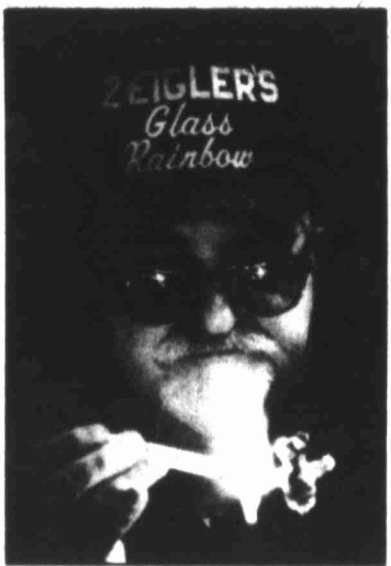
Boren said she and her sister were just looking around Saturday. "But," she said, "we're coming back tomorrow to look some more."

Mel Prather, who organized a fall show the past 14 years and a spring show for the second time, said the nice weather Saturday may have wooed some people to other places, but he said more people will probably show up Sunday.

"I think the crowd has been down a little," he said. "We expect a lot more on the second day." He could not estimate the number of people who came, because admittance was free.

Something different in the show this year was native American folk art and jewelry from Alaska, Prather said. That was the farthest location an exhibitor has traveled from.

"Everything is native made and nothing is store bought," said Ken Delovitch, 53, who with his wife Carol, 48, were selling carvings.



John Zeigler from Wichita Falls works on a hand-blown crystal teddy bear at the arts and crafts show. Zeigler, who has been practicing his craft since age 15, will also be selling his pieces during Sunday's show. **● SHOW page 7-A**

clay figurines and jewelry made from sterling silver and precious stones, which they created. Prices ranged from \$1 to \$250.

"We try to do a lot of different things," Delovitch said. "This is the first time we showed in Texas. We'll be back."

Another far-away influence was found in Bohemian hand-blown glass. John Zeigler of Wichita Falls inherited the craft that was passed down in his family for 200 years, said his daughter Sally Grove. The free-style technique originated in Bohemia, she said.

"You have to be artistic, because there's no patterns and no molds," Grove said of the craft. "He uses pure crystal."

Zeigler, the first glass blower to participate locally, according to Prather, was creating some works during the show. Grove said many works were done on request. Prices of the items on display ranged from \$6 to \$45.

In contrast to the dazzling glitter of light reflected by glass clowns, roses and many other sculptures placed on mirrors at the Zeigler **● SHOW page 7-A**

Mozart concert delights audience

By LEA WHITEHEAD
For the Herald

Lovers of classical music crowded the Municipal Auditorium Saturday night to pay their respects to Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.

The Big Spring Symphony Orchestra, under the baton of Dr. Marianni Gabbi, performed an all-Mozart program in tribute to the Bicentennial Year of the composer's life and works. The concert was a particularly fitting conclusion to the Big Spring Symphony Association's Tenth Anniversary season.

A favorite with Big Spring concert goers, Dr. Gabbi's dynamic yet graceful style at the podium seems especially compatible with Mozart, eliciting notes from her ensemble as bright and delicate as dragonflies skipping across a fresh brook.

The program opened with "Divertimento in F Major, K. 138 (Allegro, Andante and Presto)," a "medley" written by the gifted and prolific composer when he was 16. (He composed his first symphony at age 8!)

Solists Eugene Purdue, violin, and Sally Chisholm, viola, were paired with stunning effect in "Sinfonia Concertante in E-Flat Major K. 364 (Allegro Maestoso, Andante and Presto)." This work is special because two solo instruments are featured, with orchestral backing only for oboes, horns and strings.

The orchestra returned after intermission to perform "Serenade **● CONCERT page 7-A**

Paper route just the beginning

By DEBBIE LINCECUM
Staff Writer

In Coahoma during the late 1940s, Coahoma residents Tommy and Carl Wyrick were two of the busiest kids on the block.

They threw papers on a route for the *Big Spring Herald*, an after-school job that earned them up to \$100 a month. Most of their friends couldn't scrape enough spare change for a soda.

Carl, now 57, took over the Coahoma route in 1946. Later Tommy, now 56, joined him. They delivered on horseback, bicycles, and eventually rode a motorcycle they bought with money saved from the job.

A Greyhound bus brought the papers to the local drugstore, where the boys picked them up and folded them into tight squares.

"Folded like that you could chunk them half a block," the older Wyrick said. "If you liked a guy, you'd put them on the porch. If not, they might land in the rosebushes."

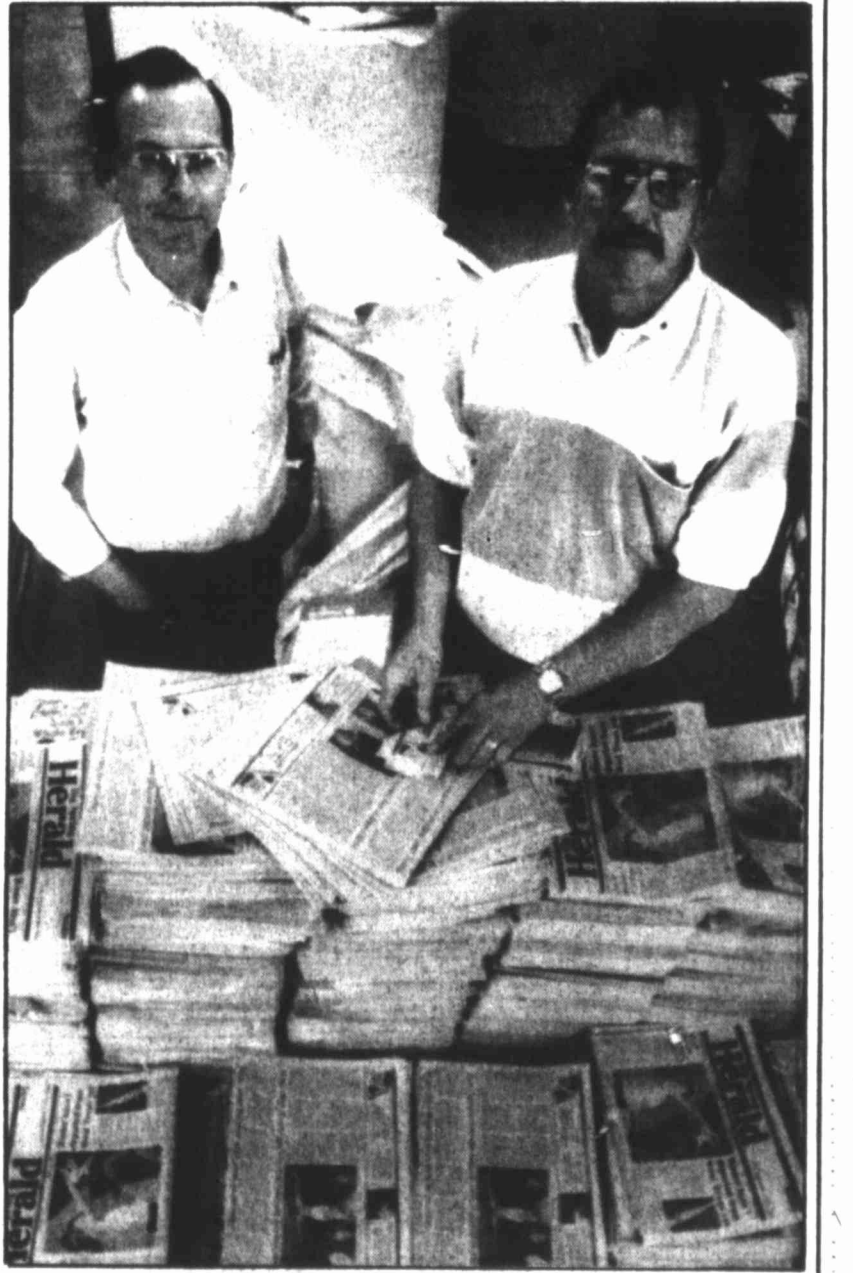
The boys worked diligently to save money from the route, despite common problems collecting subscription money.

"We learned there were people who paid every time, and people that just didn't," the younger Wyrick explained. "That was an education in itself."

Both said they learned something about managing money. While some of their friends worked odd jobs, the Wyricks had steady employment that took commitment and motivation.

"I guess we wanted something to do," the younger Wyrick said.

The older Wyrick said angry dogs were often a problem on the route, so much that he frequently carried a croquet mallet for **● PAPERBOYS page 7-A**



Carl and Tommy Wyrick reminisced about their experiences as paperboys in the 1940s during a recent visit to the Herald. While their friends had trouble scraping together money for sodas, the Wyrick brothers were making as much as \$100 per month. **● PAPERBOYS page 7-A**

Mary Beams says she's bad in the tag wrestling duo, Bad, Black and Beautiful. Story on 1-C.



The nation mourns death of former U.S. Senator John Tower. Stories on page 2-A.



Big Spring Rodeo Finals start today. For details, see page 1-B.

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Sidelines

Bush to meet Mexican president

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush will meet Sunday with Mexican President Carlos Salinas de Gortari to give him a progress report on his efforts to rally a balky Congress behind a free-trade agreement with Mexico.

Salinas is en route to Canada and will stop off at Ellington Field in Houston for a 30-minute meeting with Bush and a joint news conference.

Bush is in a tough fight with Congress for authority to negotiate a trade agreement with Mexico that wouldn't be subject to protectionist amendments once it is completed.

The agreement would blend with a free-trade pact concluded with Canada three years ago, creating single North American market with a \$6 trillion output.

Bush told Hispanic leaders Friday during a visit to California that the agreement "will be good for the United States ... good for jobs in this country, and will be darn good for Mexico as well."

But congressional opposition appears to be increasing as the May deadline for a decision on an amendment-proof pact approaches.

Legislation offers no-parole sentence

AUSTIN (AP) — A state lawmaker has introduced legislation that would give juries in capital murder cases a new option, one that is being backed by some death penalty opponents: a sentence of life imprisonment with no chance of parole.

A House committee next week is scheduled to consider the bill, sponsored by Rep. Parker McCollough, D-Georgetown.

McCollough said the bill would not end use of the death penalty, but could be used when jury members say, "We don't think the guy ought to die, but we don't want him out."

"They don't have any way of doing that now," he said.

Under current state law, juries can recommend that people convicted of murder be sentenced to spend the rest of their lives in prison. State law makes such convicts eligible for parole after serving 15 years.

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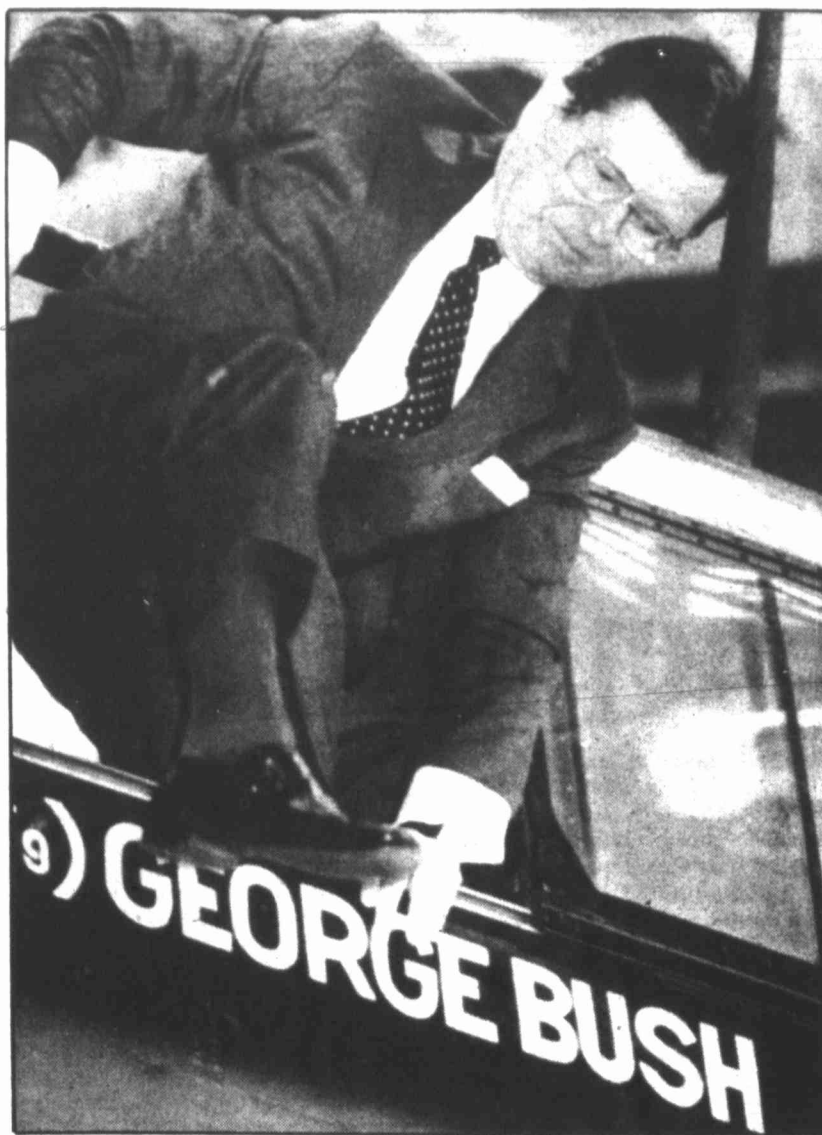
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Tower dies

Former U.S. Sen. John Tower of Texas climbs out of the cockpit of a Grumman Avenger torpedo bomber in England in June 1990. Tower had unveiled the bomber that was named after President Bush, who flew a similar aircraft in World War II.

Friends, foes alike mourn John Tower

DALLAS (AP) — Friend and foe alike mourned the death of former Sen. John G. Tower, who broke the Democratic Party's monopoly on political power in the South in 1961 and carried out President Reagan's massive military buildup two decades later.

"John is not one who walked gently through public or private life," said Sen. William S. Cohen, R-Maine, who served with his Tower on the Senate Armed Services Committee. "He was a man of strong convictions, a tough competitor who minced few words and crunched not a few toes. But he brought extraordinary energy to his work in the Senate and particularly his tenure as chairman of the Armed Services Committee."

Tower, killed Friday in a plane crash, built his 23-year career in the Senate on his military expertise, but questions about his moral fitness cost him the job he wanted most, defense secretary. His reputation as a ladies' man with a fondness for a cocktail haunted him when George Bush nominated him to run the Pentagon in 1989.

Tower's failed nomination fight left him "deeply hurt, and he remained deeply hurt to the end," said James Brown, a political science professor who co-taught a national security course with Tower this semester at Southern Methodist University.

Tower, 65, a Republican from Dallas, was elected to the Senate in 1961, defying the odds to capture a seat that had been held by Lyndon

B. Johnson before Johnson became vice president. Until that victory, which helped launch the modern conservative movement, there had been no Republican elected to a statewide office in Texas since Reconstruction.

Former President Reagan, who found important support for his 1980s defense buildup in the Tower-led Senate Armed Services Committee, described the ex-senator as "a true patriot."

"Though he will be remembered for many accomplishments during his years of service, none will stand as tall as his commitment to a strong national defense," Reagan said.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said "the nation owes him a deep debt of gratitude for the years he spent securing the force that the United States deployed to the Persian Gulf."

Senate Republican Leader Bob Dole of Kansas credited the former senator with the decisive allied victory in the Persian Gulf War.

"Our victory in the Persian Gulf is a direct result of his chairmanship of the Senate Armed Services Committee, where he was Ronald Reagan's right-hand man in rebuilding our national defense," Dole said.

"It's so sad," President Bush said in Los Angeles. "It is a tragic loss. I started with John Tower in politics in Texas 30 years ago and we were friends then and we've remained friends until this very moment."

Flooding hits 2 Texas cities

SAN BENITO, Texas (AP) — Miguel Alvarez expected the ankle-deep water in his house to recede when he went to bed Friday night, but when he woke up Saturday morning it had risen to waist level.

"Medicine bottles and other things were floating around," said Alvarez, 83, after catching a boat to escape San Benito's inundated La Palma subdivision Saturday morning.

He was among hundreds of people seeking higher ground after storms dumped nearly 17 inches of rain on parts of Cameron County in South Texas in less than 48 hours. Schools and other buildings provided emergency shelter for flood victims in the area.

No deaths or serious injuries were reported.

Officials estimated damage to public and private property at almost \$50 million in Harlingen and San Benito, the two cities hardest hit by the storm.

County Judge Tony Garza declared the county a disaster area and sought a disaster declaration from the governor that would make the county eligible for federal disaster assistance. Gov. Ann Richards and U.S. Rep. Solomon Ortiz were to tour the flooded areas Saturday afternoon.

"The last time it flooded like this (in San Benito) was in 1933," Alvarez said in Spanish.

Alvarez said he thought the flood was ending when he went to bed Friday, but then more rain came. By then, the ground and drainage canals could not hold any more water. Up to five feet of water Saturday covered streets in the low-lying neighborhood, where

private citizens used small row boats to help people leave their homes.

Police and fire departments and the Red Cross also assisted with evacuations. San Benito Mayor Gilbert Galvan advised residents of his city that drinking water had been contaminated by the flooding and needed to be boiled.

The rain began early Friday morning after a low-pressure area and upper-level disturbance to the west combined with moist air coming from the Gulf of Mexico, said Mark Keehn, a meteorologist at the National Weather Service office in Brownsville.

"It was like a conveyor belt coming out of Mexico," Keehn said. "One storm would stop and then another would come and bring more rain."

In Harlingen, Juan Sanchez and his family escaped their flooded neighborhood early Saturday morning in a city dump truck dispatched to help evacuate people. They spent the rest of the night in the hallway at a junior high school that became an emergency shelter, and said they probably would have to stay there again Saturday night.

"We're going to lose everything, the bedding, brand new living room furniture," said Sanchez, an office building janitor.

"Probably just the clothes hanging in the closet" was all that his wife, Petra Sanchez, expected to salvage at the house.

The NWS recorded 16.79 inches of rain at Harlingen for the 48-hour period that ended at 7 a.m. Saturday. That was about two-thirds of the area's total average annual rainfall of about 25 inches.

Tower: A 'good friend'

By the ASSOCIATED PRESS

To those who knew John Tower before he became a state and national political leader, their memories are of the boy who lived his childhood in parsonages throughout East Texas or who toiled as a small-town college professor.

Tower, as a son and grandson of Methodist ministers, attended elementary school in Jacksonville and Tyler, as well as junior high in Tyler. The flag at Bonner Elementary in Tyler will be flown at half-staff on Monday in his memory.

Tower, 65, and his daughter, Marian, 35, who had been her father's aide and secretary for several years, were among 23 people who died Friday afternoon when a commuter plane crashed in flames near Brunswick, Ga.

During his frequent trips to Tyler over the years, he invoked memories of his childhood and his school days at Hogg Junior High, said Smith County Republican chairman Bill Lust.

Throughout his political career, Tower remained "very proud" that he knew all the words of Hogg Junior High's fight song, Lust said. "He was quite a character."

Ray Davidson, minister of music at the First United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls, was a classmate and fraternity brother of Tower at Southwestern University in Georgetown in the late 1940s. In the early 1950s, Davidson had an office next to Tower's father, the late Dr. Joe Z. Tower, in Longview, where the elder Tower was district superintendent for the United Methodist Church.

"From the time I knew John Tower as a college freshman at Southwestern, he was a man of rigid and high moral and ethical principles. His three children, and our three children kind of grew up together. We were good friends in those days," Davidson said.

"He was a member of the First United Methodist Church here until just a couple of years ago when he moved his membership to Highland Park Methodist Church."

A memorial service for Tower was being planned at Highland Park United Methodist Church. Tower "was largely responsible" for his coming to Wichita Falls in 1956, Davidson said.

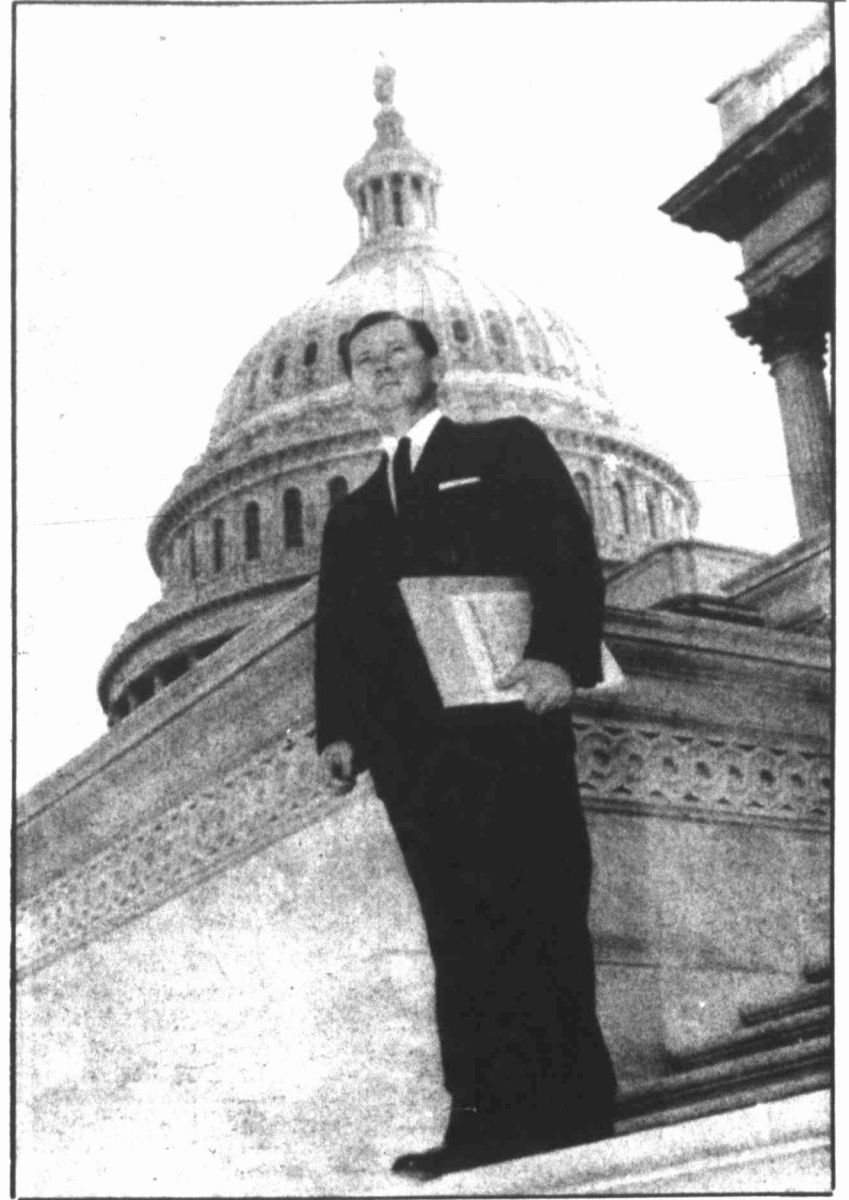
Bang heard before crash

BRUNSWICK, Ga. (AP) — The plane carrying former U.S. Sen. John Tower and 22 others gave off a loud bang before diving nose first into the ground and bursting into flames, killing everyone aboard, witnesses said.

The twin-engine Atlantic Southeast Airlines plane did not carry a flight data recorder, and investigators so far have few clues into the cause of Friday afternoon's crash, said Preston Hicks, a National Transportation Safety Board official from Atlanta.

"Some witnesses did indicate that there was a loud bang, and then the airplane nosed over and hit the ground," he said late Friday.

Airline officials had not released the names of the plane's 20 passengers and three crew members early today. But colleagues and relatives confirmed that Tower, a Texas Republican;



Associated Press photo

Early days

This is a June 2, 1961, file photo of then Sen.-elect John Tower posing on the steps of the U.S. Capitol. Tower became the first Republican U.S. senator from Texas since 1877.

Dick Gose of Wichita Falls was another close friend of the senator in earlier years.

"We were in the Navy together in the same company at Corpus Christi in October 1943 during World War II. We were both 17. His dad was pastor of First United Methodist Church in Beaumont at that time and the next year came to

Wichita Falls," Gose said. Gose stayed in flight training and Tower elected to go to the Great Lakes Naval Training Center and to the fleet.

"I lost track of him until he came to Wichita Falls in 1948 or 1949," said Gose, who was campaign manager in Wichita County when Tower ran for a second term in the U.S. Senate.

his daughter, Marian Tower; NASA astronaut Manley Lanier "Sonny" Carter Jr.; and Dr. Nicholas Davies, the president-elect of the American College of Physicians, were among those killed.

Federal investigators worked in fog and drizzle this morning to begin to examine the wreckage of the plane.

"It's very badly damaged," National Transportation Safety Board spokesman Michael Benson said. "It's very hard to see because there's a lot of compression. The wreckage is mangled up and very hard to get to."

Elaine Gwin of St. Simons Island, Ga., said at the crash scene this morning that the airline had told her that her husband, Thomas, 45, was among the victims.

Intense fire made rescue attempts hopeless, said James Griner, a nearby resident.

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400 UFO experts meeting

EUREKA SPRINGS, Ark. (AP) — Abductions by aliens isn't on the agenda for a lot of conventions, but it's very much a concern for delegates at the third annual Ozark UFO Conference.

About 400 UFO experts from across the country are expected to attend this weekend. Some of the topics on the agenda are animal mutilations, crop circles and abductions by aliens.

"The majority of people we get at the conference have done some reading into the subject and may

are very well-versed ... but we do get a few others who come out to see what kind of nuts we are," said the conference's co-chairman, Lucius Farish.

"It may be something exotic or fantastic to the general public, but to us, it's a very interesting and exciting field of science," said his fellow co-chairman, Edward Mazur.

Mazur said the Eureka Springs meeting is one of the three or four major UFO conferences nationwide.

Bank financing announced

BOSTON (AP) — The Bank of Boston Corp., seeking to help its bid for the failed Bank of New England, says 10 investors have agreed to purchase \$500 million of the company's stock.

"We're pleased that these investors have made a substantial commitment to Bank of Boston's future," Ira Stepanian, the bank's chairman and chief executive officer, said in a statement Friday.

"Their potential investment reflects confidence in New England and a belief that the region's economy demands banks

that are both locally responsive and globally competitive."

The investors have committed to purchase \$250 million of newly issued common stock in the bank at \$6.75 per share. The other \$250 million will be in a new series of preferred stock, convertible into common stock at an initial price of \$8.50 per share, said Connie Hubbell, a Bank of Boston spokeswoman.

None of the investors will acquire more than 10 percent of Bank of Boston's common stock.

Crew talks with children

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — From 280 miles high, Atlantis' crew took time out Saturday to chat with schoolchildren, a diversion from the detailed testing of a huge scientific observatory the astronauts will release Sunday.

"Can you see Oklahoma from where you are?" asked 7-year-old Steven Soby, one of the pint-sized interrogators in an amateur radio experiment.



JEROME "JAY" APT



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Turkish-Iraqi border

Kurdish refugees take shelter under a sheet of plastic on the Iraqi side of the Turkish border near the Turkish town of Cukurca recently. Hundreds of thousands of Kurds fleeing Iraqi government forces are trapped in freezing temperatures at the Turkish border.

Bush sends Baker on Mideast mission

HOUSTON (AP) — President Bush hinted Saturday that he might propose a comprehensive U.S. plan to bring peace to Arabs and Israelis as he sent Secretary of State James A. Baker III on a Mideast peace mission.

Bush told reporters he also might visit the area, depending on what Baker reports to him after talks this week with Israeli, Egyptian, Syrian, Saudi and Jordanian leaders.

It was the first time Bush indicated he might vault past his slow, step-by-step approach to lay out a comprehensive and detailed plan to crack the 43-year-old dispute between Israel and its Arab neighbors.

Stressing that the defeat of Iraq had created a new opportunity for U.S. diplomacy in the Middle East, Bush told reporters: "I don't want to waste it, that so much time goes by you get back to the status quo ante."

Baker stopped in Houston to confer with Bush before flying to Turkey for a first-hand look at refugee camps crowded with Kurds and other opponents of Iraqi President Saddam Hussein whose rebellion was crushed. Baker is scheduled to confer with Turkish President Turgut Ozal.

From there, Baker goes on to Israel, Egypt and Syria, winding

up in Geneva, Switzerland, to confer with the Jordanians.

Despite U.S. displeasure with Jordan's stand in the Persian Gulf War, Baker requested the meeting, and Bush said it was because Jordan's views on an overall settlement had to be considered.

In Cairo while apart from seeing Egyptian officials, Baker will meet with the Saudi foreign minister, Prince Saud.

Baker made his first venture to the Middle East a month ago and returned saying he found a new positive attitude in the region in the aftermath of Iraq's defeat in the war.

But there has been no concrete evidence since that Arabs and Israelis are ready to move to the negotiating table. Baker, standing beside the president at a news conference, called the dispute "this most intractable of all problems."

In fact, he acknowledged that the administration might not get far in trying to promote peace talks. "If we can't get anywhere, we'll just have to fall back and look at other options," Baker said without elaboration.

Officials in Amman, Jordan, said Prime Minister Mudar Badran would meet with Baker in Geneva to discuss Arab-Israeli peace efforts.

World

Peru hit by rebel bombings

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Most of the capital was without power Saturday after guerrilla bombings toppled electrical towers and damaged embassies and banks.

Almost half of Peru's 22 million people were affected by the late Friday blackouts, which stretched 500 miles along Peru's coast from Trujillo in the north to Ica.

The attacks by the Maoist Shining Path rebels were the most widespread in the capital since President Alberto Fujimori took office in July.

Bomb squad spokesman Jorge Alzamora said five electrical towers were toppled near Lima. Three of the towers were on the main power line to the city of 7 million people, he said.

Alzamora estimated power will be disrupted for at least a week. He said repairs will be delayed while bomb experts remove land mines planted around the towers to protect against rebel attacks.

Alzamora said the rebels used cables to hoist 50-pound charges over the mine fields.

Statehood referendum dies

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (AP) — The governor of this American Commonwealth said Saturday that the U.S. Senate will apparently not pass legislation this year allowing Puerto Rico to hold a referendum on statehood.

He said his Popular Democratic Party will therefore seek to develop the island's present political status outside of the plebiscite process. He proposed a 12-member committee to develop the strategy in this matter.

He gave no details, but his party — which supports commonwealth status — has often

talked about Puerto Rico gaining more powers and benefits while remaining a commonwealth.

"It is evident that plebiscite legislation will not be approved this year," said Hernandez Colon, referring to a Feb. 27 vote in the U.S. Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee.

The committee failed to approve legislation to allow the Caribbean island to hold a referendum on whether to continue its nearly 40-year commonwealth relationship with the United States, seek statehood, or become an independent nation.

Township unrest continues

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — In an increasingly bitter exchange, the African National Congress on Saturday accused President F.W. de Klerk of having no regard for black lives after he rejected an ultimatum for ending township violence.

De Klerk said the ultimatum showed the ANC was more interested in personal gains than political reform.


"To make so petty a response ... underscores precisely why we say that the government has no regard for black life," the ANC said in response.

On Friday, the black opposition group warned that if de Klerk did not curb township unrest by May 9, it would end talks with the government. This would hamper efforts to arrange formal negotiations between black and white leaders on ending white-minority rule.


In the latest unrest, police said Saturday that three people were killed overnight — two in Soweto and one in Natal Province.



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Tower left his mark on world

John Tower wanted so much to come full circle in his long and colorful political career.

The former U.S. senator fell short of his goal in 1989 when the Senate failed to confirm his nomination as Secretary of Defense.

For Tower, it was a tragic defeat. His former Senate colleagues apparently turned on him over allegations of excessive drinking, womanizing and his work as a defense consultant after he left office in 1984.

However, Tower, who had President Bush's full support at the time, had never let his personal life get in the way of serving the nation and the state of Texas since 1961. It was that year Tower ran against 70 candidates in a special election and walked away with the grand prize: The old Senate seat once held by Lyndon Baines Johnson.

Tower, at the time, was the first Republican elected to statewide office in Texas since Reconstruction. Critics and supporters have to say that Tower, more than any other Republican, made Texas a viable two-party state. Some even said he alone had the wit and the intelligence to make that possible in a state once strongly controlled by Democrats.

With Tower's tragic death Friday in a plane crash in Georgia, one might wonder how the Persian Gulf war would have turned out with the former college professor at the helm of the Pentagon.

Republican U.S. Senator Robert Dole of Kansas may have said it best of Tower's "direct" role in the Gulf conflict:

"Our victory in the Persian Gulf is a direct result of his chairmanship of the Senate Armed Services Committee, where he was Ronald Reagan's right-hand man in rebuilding our national defense."

The nation also has to thank John Tower for his work as a strategic arms negotiator with the Soviet Union and his leadership on a panel investigating the Iran-Contra scandal.

Whatever personal faults John Tower might have had, they should now be forgotten. He should be remembered with respect, which he has rightly earned — not only from the citizens of the world and the nation, but also from his fellow citizens in the state of Texas.

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Fair redistricting would correct old injustices

Every decade since Congress signed the Civil Rights Act in 1965, political minorities in Texas — Latinos, blacks and Republicans — have looked to the redrawing of congressional districts which follows each census with the hope that new districts could be drawn to better represent them in Washington.

The same holds true this year and the population figures reveal that each of these groups is entitled to additional representation. Coincidentally, Texas has been apportioned three new congressional seats to add to its current 27.

If things were fair, two of the three new districts would go to the Republican-dominated suburbs of Dallas and Houston and the third district should compensate for the large population growth in Central Texas and San Antonio.

But a fair redistricting of the state's congressional districts would involve not only the fair placement of new districts but also the correction of past redistricting misdeeds.

For example, the black community of Dallas has long desired a congressional district — 369,597 blacks live in Dallas. So have the



644,935 Hispanics who live in Harris County — far more than the 566,217 persons needed to form a congressional district this year.

The location of these districts will not be easy, despite the numbers, although political reality — as it often does — will supercede logic.

The most persuasive reality is that Texans have given control of the Legislature to the Democrats. Controlling both of its houses, Democrats will draw the lines for all 30 districts. Republicans are automatically at a disadvantage, although they cannot help but end up with at least one new congressional district. You can only cut the pie so many ways before it starts to look ridiculous.

The second reality is that the Dallas black community has a spokesperson in the Texas Senate to help draw a predominantly black congressional district there,



Mailbag

Students asks for postcards

To the editor:

My name is Bo Oliver and I am in the fourth grade in Vale, Oregon.

I am working on a postcard collection and would like to have at least one postcard from every state. I am in need of postcards from your area and would appreciate help from your readers.

If anyone could help me out by sending me a postcard, I would be very happy and appreciative.

Thanks in advance for all your help.

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YMCA's pool plans clarified

To the editor:

I would like to respond to some recent letters that have been published in our newspaper regarding the proposed new swimming pool addition at the YMCA. It would appear that some of facts regarding this project need to be clarified.

The YMCA has received a substantial contribution from a donor to build a new swimming pool located on the south side of the YMCA. This swimming pool is being built for our YMCA members and citizens of the community who would like to use our facilities for a nominal fee. There is also financial assistance

available for any person who is experiencing financial difficulties.

An architect, Mr. Phil Furqueron, has been employed to draw the plans for the swimming pool by the YMCA Board of Directors. A swimming pool design committee is working with Mr. Furqueron in the development of the swimming pool plans. This committee has met one time to date and is still working on a schematic floor plan.

The acquisition of land is another necessary part of this project. The YMCA has made an offer to the City of Big Spring to purchase some land south of the YMCA to make this project possible.

It is the intention of the YMCA to be progressive regarding the improvement of its facilities for the members of the YMCA and citizens of Big Spring.

LARRY G. McLELLAN
President,
YMCA Board of Directors

Tighten belts instead of tax

To the editor:

I, for one, believe that Texas taxes are already too high, and too many. I now pay state property tax, road and bridge tax, gasoline tax, license tax, safety tax, college tax, hospital tax, public school tax, communications tax, fuel gas tax, power tax, sales tax, cigarette tax, liquor tax, federal income tax, liability insurance tax, workman's compensation tax, and there are several more that are so hidden, my letter would need to be longer than you will publish to disclose them

properly.

If our elected reps won't take action to relieve this burden from the people, then I say it is time for the people to take action to correct the situation themselves. Get out and vote "no new taxes for Texas." We, the people, must tighten our belt in lean times. So must our state government.

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Crew of cruiser seek shipmates

To the editor:

The U.S.S. Saint Paul CA-73 Association, made up of crew members of the famous Pacific Fleet heavy cruiser, is searching for lost shipmates to join their group. If you served aboard "The Fighting Saint", or known someone who did, please contact:

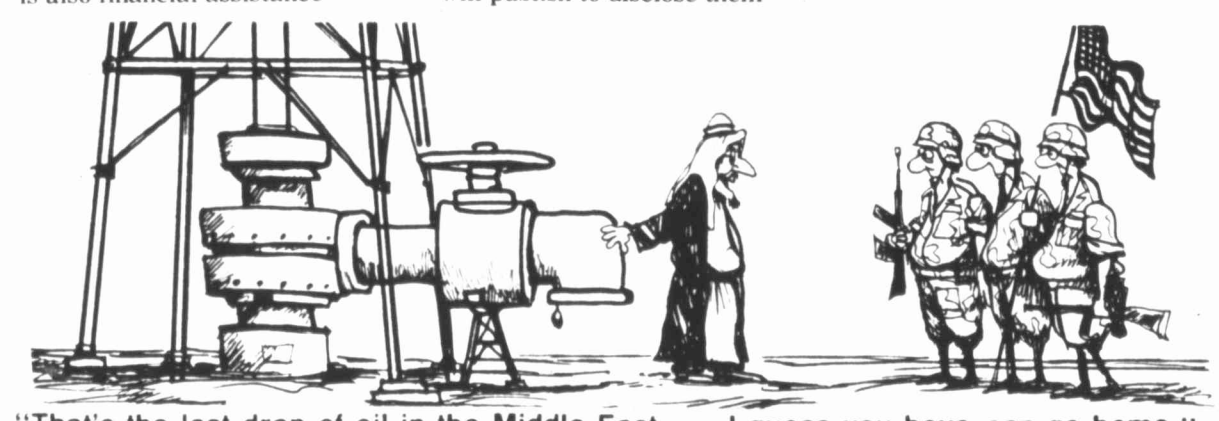
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Soldier: Thanks for support

To the editor:

I want to give special thanks to all the people who supported Operation Desert Shield/Storm. Without the many prayers and letters, I do not think we could have made it. The people of Big Spring have always seemed to stick together in time of crisis.

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"That's the last drop of oil in the Middle East... I guess you boys can go home."

while no such counterpart exists for the proposed Hispanic congressional district in Houston.

Instead, the 31-member Texas Senate is chock-full of Hispanics from Austin, San Antonio and South Texas — and perhaps each one of those Hispanic senators entertains the idea of drawing a congressional district as contiguous as possible with his or her senatorial district. This year, coincidentally, congressional and Senate districts are about the same size in population.

Unless Houston's Hispanics can make some arrangement with these Hispanic senators or, more likely, with other senators about their districts or come to an understanding regarding additional districts for Hispanics in the House of Representatives, then the Houston Hispanic congressional seat could be in dire straits unless it can be won in the courts, as other minority districts have been in the past.

The case for a Houston Hispanic congressional district was not helped very much two weeks ago when State Rep. Roman Martinez proposed a Hispanic district that uses a narrow strip of land to connect three discernible Hispanic

minority-dominated districts are incumbent Anglo Democrats, whose districts have changed underneath them. Martinez in drawing his plan tried mightily not to affect the district of U.S. Rep. Mike Andrews, a Texan on the influential House Ways and Means Committee, and thus made his district zig-zag crazily.

Can the Legislature preserve U.S. Reps. Martin Frost and John Bryant as Dallas and Andrews of Houston and still create minority-dominated districts? Houston's 600,000 Hispanics surely should not go another 10 years without representation in Washington.

It may well be that Texas' congressional districts will begin to look more and more like California's as Texas' population more and more resembles that state's. Its congressional district lines were as zany as Martinez's, but it appears at this point that the creation of Hispanic and black districts in Texas this year will almost have to be at the expense of Texas political power on Capitol Hill.

Jesse Trevino, formerly of Big Spring, is editorial page editor of the Austin American-Statesman.

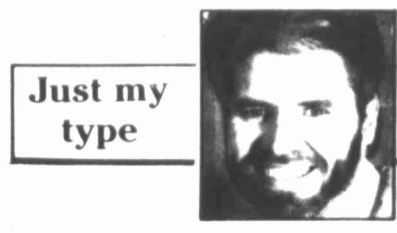
areas among Houston's polyglot neighborhoods.

Although many naysayers had poo-pooed the idea that a Hispanic district could be drawn in Houston, there it was on Martinez's map.

Unfortunately, his boundaries took political redistricting to new heights of creativity. In Martinez's defense, though, others have done the same for years — often to undercut Latino and black votes, which brings us back to the Voting Rights Act of 1965. It is very specific about the drawing of new districts and about the elimination of old districts if race comes into play.

But the problem with Martinez's plan is that it is less plausible than other districts that could be drawn — and today must be dancing in the minds of some Hispanics in the Senate — to give Texas Hispanics a new Latino representative in Congress. For instance, a new, more cohesive district could be drawn along the Texas-Mexico border without adversely affecting existing districts occupied by Hispanic Democrats or Anglo Democrats.

The problem with both the proposed Dallas and Houston



Week's events leave us reeling

**By ROBERT WERNSMAN
Publisher**

This was a week to remember — in the nation, in the state, in Big Spring.

- On the state and national levels, two political figures left major impressions on this country before dying suddenly on consecutive days, stunning a watchful country. You wouldn't think we should need to be reminded so dramatically of our mortality.
- The frightening aspects of the air disasters are tempered, as they should be, by the stark realization that we must live our lives to the fullest and approach each day with a passion — because there are simply no guarantees of tomorrow.
- The world is a changed place with the loss of the people who perished in the two plane crashes.
- Likewise, Los Angeles affected the national psyche when steps were taken to suspend its police chief, pending investigations.
- The apparent savage beating meted out to a Los Angeles motorist and captured forever on videotape promises to play a major role in 1991. The impact of its resolution may well dictate behavior and approach in law enforcement during the coming decade.
- Police Chief Daryl Gates on Thursday was forced into a paid leave of absence pending investigations into the videotaped beating of a motorist by officers.
- That paragraph very neatly summarizes the issue threatening Chief Gates' career. There seem to be a great many people who believe that his people beat the motorist to a life-threatening edge. Although majority does not rule on guilt or innocence, the officers' attorneys have their work cut out for them in order to convince a jury the beating did not happen.
- All that notwithstanding, and assuming there was a beating of a motorist by police officers, should it not be the event that is under attack and not the color of the skin of the participants? The racism that adds fuel to this fire must be of great concern to a country built on principles of equality for all.
- The earlier paragraph about Gates' suspension is a nearly word-for-word recreation of what appeared in one newspaper. It lacks only two words from being exact: they are: black and white.
- Black motorist, white officers.
- The fact is it was a human being, apparently beaten by human beings who were supposedly hired to protect human beings. Whether this results from an attitude of a police chief is difficult to determine, but it looks like that's what remains to be decided for Gates.
- Guilt because the motorist is black and they are white? No. If the motorist were black would it be any more or less frightening? If all were white or all were black, would the situation be any more or less appalling? No.
- Justice should not be colored.
- On the local level and a much more pleasant tone, is the achievement of the Heritage Museum expansion. It is an accomplishment that will last a great while in this community.
- Many of us go through our lives hoping we make a difference or leave an impression. There's no question; the people who dreamed this dream and transformed it into reality have left us and our descendants a better world. Our thanks is appropriate.
- Finally, on a personal level this was a week to remember, but for the wrong reason. The scheduled court date written about here last week did not come about. It was delayed for another month and will be resolved in May. Thanks for your sentiments, whatever your position.
- The best part was getting to spend time with all my children and seeing my daughters help their team run away in their district track meet — literally. Both Rachel and Kate placed in distance events and made me beam. It added to a wonderful Easter.

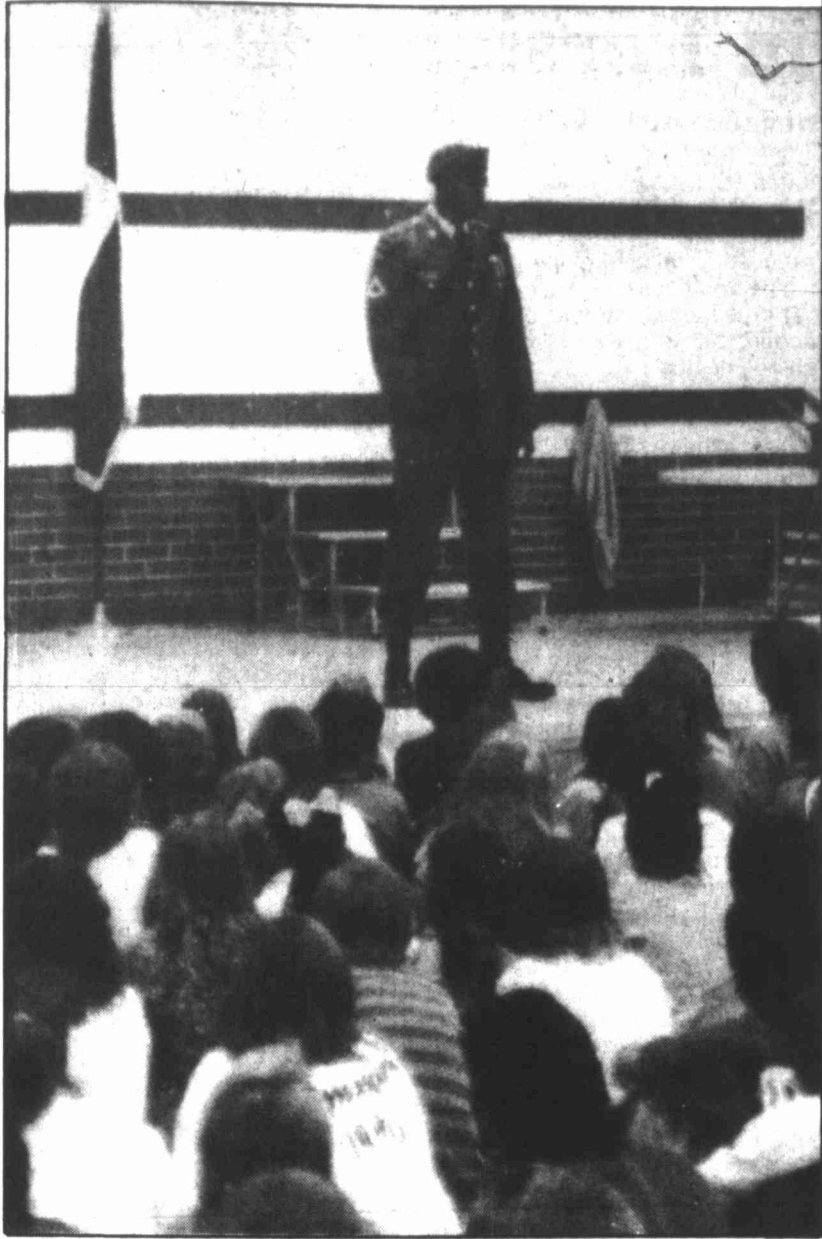
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Soldiers welcomed back to Big Spring



PFC Bruce Jones spoke to students at Marcy Elementary School last week. The students had sent him letters and packages while he was in the gulf region.

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

Big Spring's returning troops are happy to have a chance to visit family and friends before returning to their peacetime stations.

Army Spec. 5 David F. Cisneros has been in Big Spring visiting his father, Gilbert, before returning to Fort Bliss in El Paso.

Cisneros served in the infantry as part of the 62nd Desert Fox, fighting in Iraq and Kuwait. He had the opportunity to speak with combined forces commander, General Norman Schwarzkopf, on two occasions.

When Iraq invaded, Cisneros was serving his second tour in the Army. Being one of the first men called to duty, he reached Saudi by the end of August.

Cisneros' family, including his wife, Virginia, and son, Danny, will be together again at their home in El Paso.

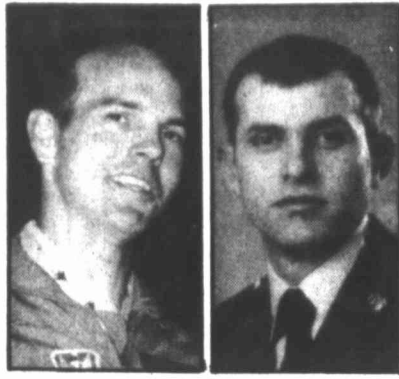
PFC Bruce Jones, 21, serves in the 82nd Airborne out of Fort Bragg, N.C.

The 82nd Airborne was part of the spearhead that pushed north through Iraq and cut off the Republican Guard units in the northwest.

Early last week, Jones had an opportunity to speak to the children from Marcy Elementary. The children had been sending letters and packages to him during his stay in the desert.

Jones has been back in Big Spring visiting his mother, Vivian, his father, Hebrew, and sisters, Monique, Minnie and Marquel. He left Saturday to rejoin the 82nd in North Carolina.

Air Force Capt. Richard Crandall is a graduate of Big Spring High School.



CRANDALL CISNEROS

He graduated from the Air Force Academy in 1980 and has been flying state-of-the-art fighter/bombers.

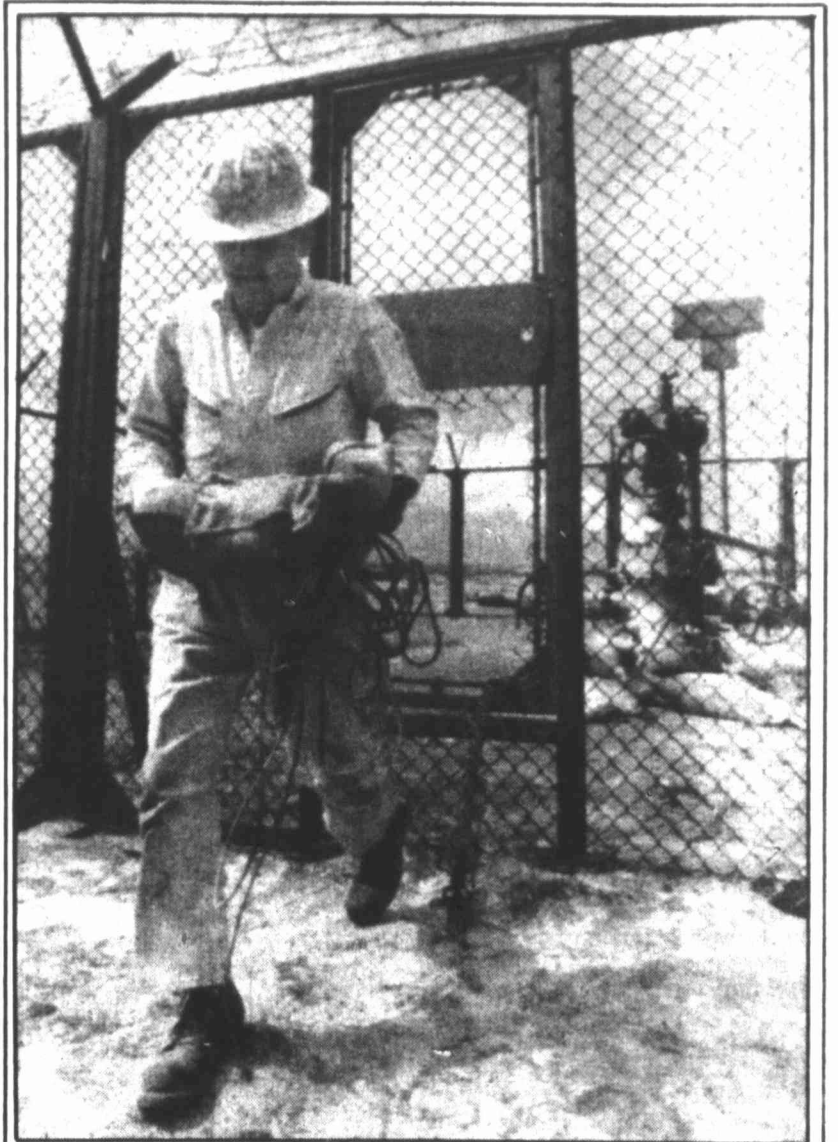
Crandall was transferred to the Persian Gulf after the invasion of Kuwait. Saying goodbye to his wife, Karmel, and 18-month-old daughter, Melanie, Crandall left home to do what he had spent more than a decade training for.

Crandall flew the F-15E, a tactical bomber that played a pivotal role in the precision bombing of Iraqi targets.

On Thursday Crandall had to face a different kind of danger. He spoke to an auditorium full of students from Forsan High School.

The students had been sending letters and packages to him during his stay. "Some of you asked me what it was like during the war. I'll tell you, it was fattening. You sent me all those cakes and cookies, and I couldn't bring myself to hurt your feelings by not eating them," joked Crandall.

He is the son of Helen and Ned Crandall of Big Spring.



Well saved by Iraqi mix-up
Associated Press photo

GREATER BURGAN OIL FIELD, Kuwait — Joe Bowden, head of Wild Well Control Inc., carries a sandbag filled with C-4 explosive and primer cord from an undamaged oil well head Friday. Bowden found the 40 pounds of C-4 in two sandbags by the entrance and detonation caps stuck in sandbags full of actual sand around the wellhead. He speculated Iraqi soldiers got the sandbags mixed up and placed the duds on the wellhead.

What deters the mailman? It's rarely rain, sleet or gloom of night

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rain, sleet and gloom of night may not discourage a mail carrier, but aggressive ladies, bees, hawks and dogs sure can.

A recent incident in Syracuse, N.Y., attracted attention when a woman demanded her mailman also deliver as a male-man.

He resisted. She persisted.

Delivery desisted. Having people make sexual advances toward letter carriers isn't unheard of, said Robert West of the Delivery Management Division of the Postal Service.

But "this is the first one I have heard of where there was a cutoff" of the mail, he said.

Asked if it might be that not all carriers would complain about sexual advances, West responded: "There's no time allowance... for that."

Having the postal service decline to deliver can result from something as mundane as a missing mailbox.

Or something as exotic as nudism.

A carrier once declined to deliver to a nudist colony near Tampa, Fla., until residents built a wall to screen their lifestyle.

Mostly, West said, mail is stopped for safety reasons. The problem usually is resolved quickly and no national statistics are kept.

"These decisions are made at the local level," said Richard McKillop, also of the delivery management division. "We only get involved when the case gets appealed up."

The World Series earthquake, the eruption of Mount St. Helens — those were "ample reason for mail not get through for a few days," said postal spokesman Bil Paul of

San Jose, Calif. "Fraud is another reason," McKillop said. "If a company is found to be committing mail fraud delivery can be stopped by the Postal Inspection Service."

Bees sometimes nest in or near rural mailboxes, causing carriers to stay away, McKillop said. Other hazards are presented by porches or driveways under repair and rural roads that become muddy or unsafe.

Occasionally, a carrier will be threatened if a check or other item doesn't arrive as expected, he said. Drew Von Bergen, a spokesman for the National Association of Let-

ter Carriers, said there had been a couple of cases where delivery was stopped for a period in crime-ridden housing projects where it was considered dangerous to go.

Paul, who says he cut his teeth as a carrier in housing projects in San Francisco, said "you develop a kind of 360-degree vision" in high-crime areas.

But halting the mail because of crime is unusual, both agreed.

Dangerous animals were mentioned again and again as the problem most likely to cause a cutoff. And the animals aren't always pets.

Mississippi Kite hawks began at-

tacking a mail carrier in Snyder.

While the birds have a 2-foot wingspan, carrier Pat Wittie says, "when they dive-bomb you, you would swear the span is closer to 8 feet."

She contacted state officials after the birds knocked mail out of her hand and knocked off her helmet, but found nothing could be done because the hawks are an endangered species.

A temporary cluster of mailboxes was set up away from the birds until they finished nesting.

Carrier Ed Brown of Brady, spent four days in a hospital after

his encounter with a rattlesnake.

Brown dropped an item, reached into some weeds to retrieve it and was bitten. He continued his appointed rounds for about 20 minutes before the pain and swelling convinced him the bite was serious and he sought help.

Despite the occasional encounter with snakes, tigers, alligators and other exotic animals, dogs get the most attention.

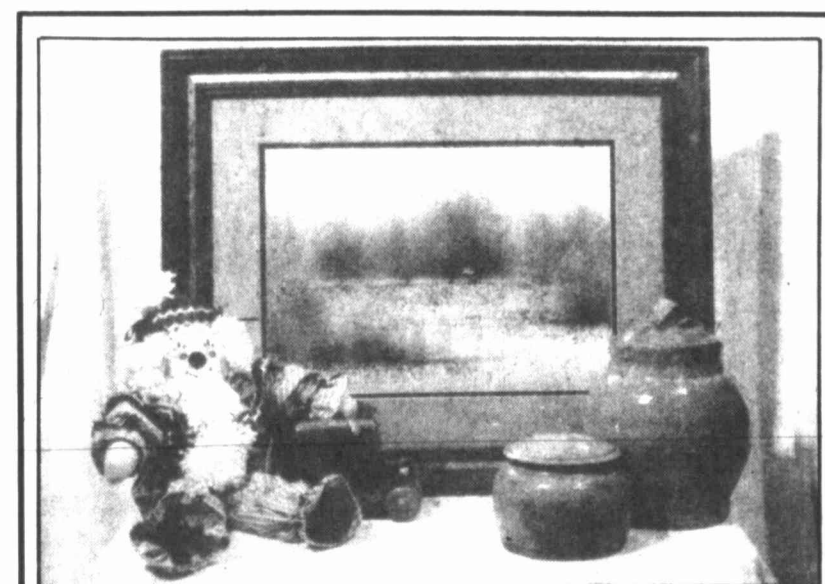
Indeed, carriers in Hyattsville, Md., have gone so far as to do a local television show discussing the problem, including a "Rockette style" dance in which they display their dog-bite scars.

While national statistics are lacking, estimates of the number of letter carriers bitten by dogs are as high as 8,000 annually, at a cost of \$7 million or more in medical treatment.

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War claim payments could be years away

WASHINGTON (AP) — Finding Saddam Hussein's hidden billions and settling thousands of war claims against the Iraqi government will be a complicated enterprise that will take years, legal experts say.

International lawyer Javade Chaudhri and others believe that with careful planning the United States and its allies can ensure that Iraq pays for the damage it caused in its invasion of Kuwait and the resulting Gulf War.

But they caution the process will be a lengthy and tortuous one.

"Any claims probably won't get satisfied for at least a number of years," said Chaudhri, who specializes in reparations and worked on U.S. claims against Iran.

The diversity of the claims and potential claims by people, companies and governments around the world is staggering.

There are personal injury claims by Kuwaitis taken prisoner and Americans and Europeans taken hostage by Iraqi troops. Claims by Pakistani and Filipino workers expelled from Kuwait by the invasion who lost their livelihoods. Claims by U.S. and European companies for damage to their property and operations in Kuwait. Expected war reparations claims by Kuwait, which faces a massive rebuilding task, as well as Saudi Arabia and Israel, the targets of Iraqi Scud missiles.

In the United States alone, about 1,000 individuals and companies have told the Treasury Department they believe they have

legitimate claims against Iraq totaling \$3 billion to \$5 billion.

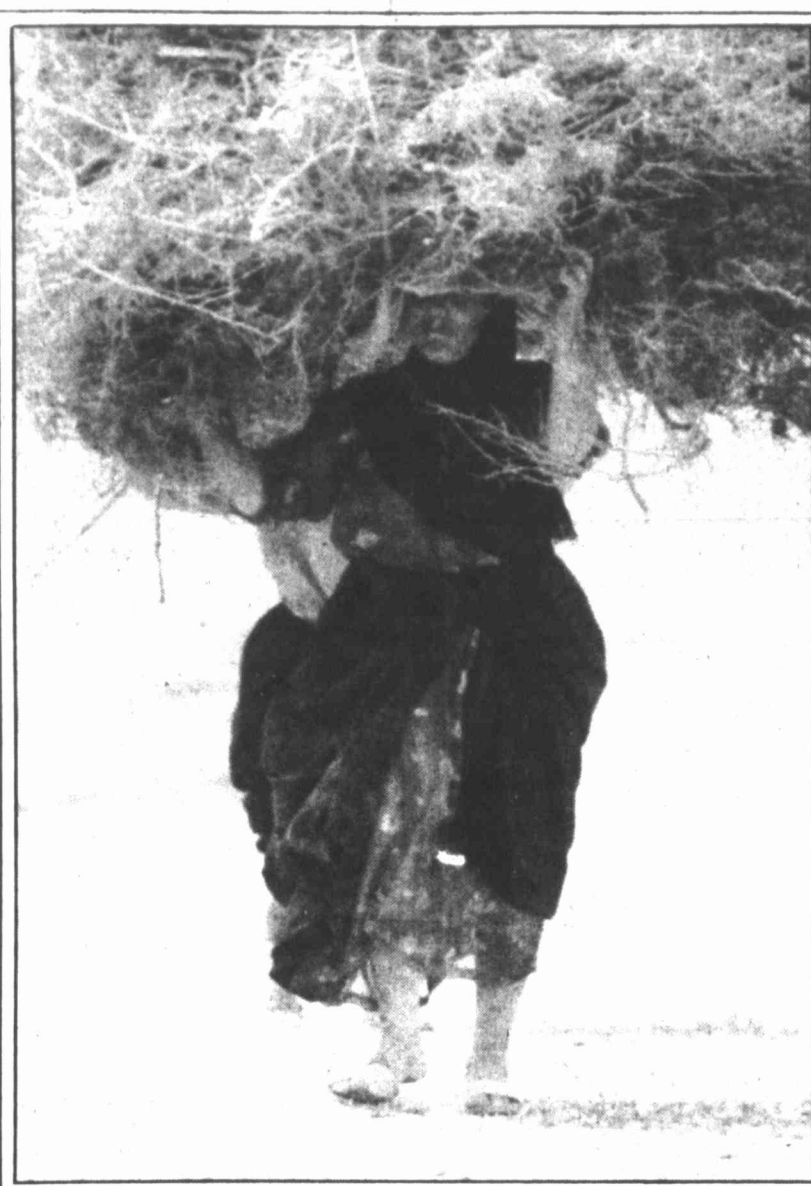
They, and the other claimants worldwide, will be going after Iraqi funds that, for the most part, are far from being in the bank. The money will come mainly from sources to be created in the future: from a levy on Iraq's future oil revenues and from billions of dollars hidden in Saddam's global financial network that have been targeted for seizure.

And the legal mechanisms for settling claims aren't yet in place. The U.N. Security Council approved a gulf cease-fire resolution Wednesday that, among other things, requires Iraq to return all Kuwaiti property it seized and to pay war damages.

The reparations are to be paid from a fund drawing on a percentage of Iraq's oil export revenues. A special commission would administer the fund and make lump sum payments to tribunals in different countries handling claims.

Iraq said in early March that it would accept liability under international law for damages suffered by Kuwait. Baghdad accepted the new cease-fire terms Saturday, but experts say it still will be months before the tribunals would be set up and the judges appointed.

A multinational tribunal to handle claims would raise many sensitive legal and political questions, such as the nationalities of the judges, and could be "an absolute nightmare," said Stanley Glod, chairman of the U.S. Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.



Brush hat

SAFWAN, Occupied Iraq — An Iraqi woman carries dry brush that she will use for firewood in her home near Safwan, Southern Iraq. Iraqis have been making do with whatever they can find while trying to get their lives back to normal in the aftermath of the Gulf War.

Associated Press photo

Total of 251 killed in Persian Gulf war

HERALD STAFF REPORT

The Pentagon has recently updated its lists of casualties in the Persian Gulf War. The number of Americans missing has been reduced from 18 to four.

The breakdown of the new list is: 141 killed in action, four missing in action, 357 wounded and 110 non-hostile deaths.

On the Iraqi side, there are 60,000 prisoners of war. An Associated Press article stated, "No known totals exist on Iraqis killed in action, but the number is believed to be in the tens of thousands."

Texas casualties are as follows:

Texas killed in action

- Army Spec. Andy Alaniz, 20, of Corpus Christi.
- Army Spec. Tommy D. Butler, 22, of Amarillo.
- Army PFC. Melford R. Collins, 34, Uhlend.
- Army Spec. Louis Delgado, 30, Laredo.
- Marine Sgt. James D. Hawthorn, 24, Stinnett.
- Marine Sgt. Candelario Montalvo, 25, Eagle Pass.
- Army PFC. James C. Murray Jr., 20, Conroe.
- Army Staff Sgt. Christopher H. Stephens, 27, Houston.
- Army PFC Corey L. Winkle, 21, Lubbock.

Texas non-hostile deaths

- Air Force Maj. Richard W. Chase, San Antonio.
- Air Force Maj. John M. Gordon, Spring.
- Air Force Staff Sgt. Danial Garza, San Antonio.
- Air Force Master Sgt. Samuel M. Gardner Jr. Idalou.
- Air Force Master Sgt. Rosendo Herrera, San Antonio.
- Air Force Tech Sgt. Lonty A. Knutson, San Antonio.
- Air Force Tech Sgt. Daniel G. Perez, San Antonio.
- Air Force Maj. Richard M. Price, San Antonio.
- Air Force Staff Sgt. Edward E. Sheffield, San Antonio.
- Air Force Sr. Master Sgt. Carpio Villarreal Jr. San Antonio.
- Navy Lt. Daniel V. Hull, Dallas.
- Army Sgt. Tommy A. Blue, Fort Bliss.
- Army Spec. Gary Mahan, Waco.
- Air Force Capt. Douglas L. Bradt, Houston.
- Marine Lance Cpl. Arthur O. Garza, Kingsville.
- Marine Cpl. Albert G. Haddao Jr. Denton.
- Marine Capt. David R. Herr Jr., Fort Worth.

Agency hears proposal for unified enforcement

ATLANTA (AP) — The nation needs a unified system of federal, state and local laws to catch up with parents who refuse to pay child support, a federal commission was told Thursday.

In Georgia alone, 478,000 children are owed \$403 million in child support, Stephanie Seate of DeKalb County told the U.S. Commission on Interstate Child Support Enforcement.

Payments last year were received on only 12 percent of the cases handled by government child support agencies, she said.

The commission's hearing in Atlanta today was the fifth of six being held nationwide.

The problem is so bad that an Alabama judge could not enforce a collection order from Georgia even though he knew the defendant, Christine Allen of Atlanta told the commission.

In her prepared testimony, she said she has lost her job, is living on unemployment compensation

and is ineligible for welfare. Her husband, who lives in Union Springs, Ala., is \$3,000 behind in payments to support their 3-year-old daughter.

"Alabama is uncooperative and is not willing to enforce" the Georgia order to collect payments, she said.

She said she has made several trips to Alabama for court hearings in attempts to get her husband to pay what he owes, but each time she found out her husband had not been served with papers.

"Several months ago I traveled to Alabama for the third time for court and found he had not been served. The judge said, 'I saw him this morning. He pumped my gas,'" she said.

Kathy Reents of Council Bluffs, Iowa, a spokeswoman for the Association for Children for Enforcement of Support, said her group feels enforcement should move at least in part to the hands of the federal government.

Public records

COUNTY COURT RULINGS:

Charles Madison Sims II, deferred judgment.

John Clyde Organ, deferred judgment.

Ernestina Smithwick, guilty of interference with duties of a public servant, fined \$75, 2 months probation at own expense, \$129.50 court costs and 8 hours community service.

Ruby Nell Smith, guilty of theft over \$20/under \$200, fined \$200, \$129.50 court costs, 6 months probation at own expense, and 8 hours community service.

Raymond Lynn Hodnett, guilty of DWLS, fined \$200, \$129.50 court costs, 6 months probation at own expense, 3 days jail, and 8 hours community service.

James Corbett Abbott, guilty of DWI 2nd offense, \$600 fine, \$199.50 court costs, 30 days jail and driving privileges suspended for 365 days.

Helen Aileen Fannin, guilty of DWI, fined \$450, \$144.50 court costs, 24 months probation at own expense, and 8 hours community service.

Anthony George Hernandez, guilty of DWI, fined \$500, \$144.50 court costs, 24 months probation at own expense and 8 hours community service.

Coy McCann vs. Preston Crawford dba Crawford Plumbing, case dismissed.

Rocky Torres, order to discharge defendant from terms of probation.

Sean Earl Walker, guilty of resisting arrest, 10 days jail, \$129.50 court costs.

Rocky Salazar, case #40,589 dismissed.

Michael P. Hogan, Case #40,386 dismissed.

William E. Avery, Case #39,245 dismissed.

Elvis Leonard Webb, Deferred judgment.

James Cameron Hollway, Case #40,225 dismissed.

James Cameron Hollway, Case #40,226 dismissed.

Raymond Lynn Hodnett, Case #40,566 dismissed.

Roy Gomez, Case #40,518 dismissed.

Fermin P. Gutierrez Jr., Case #40,517 dismissed.

Bradley Neel, Case #40,516 dismissed.

Michael Lynn Waldrip, Order to dismiss motion of revocation of probation.

Robert Laton Friend, Order to dismiss motion of revocation of probation.

John Wesley Fields, Order continuing defendant on probation.

Patrick W. Stanley, guilty of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., fined \$200, \$129.50 court costs.

Richard T. Koskovich, guilty of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., fined \$200, \$129.50 court costs.

Roberto Dutchover Perez, guilty of DWI 2nd offense, fined \$600, \$162.50 court costs, 15 days jail and driving privileges suspended for 180 days.

John Webb Dennis, guilty of DWI, fined \$450, \$144.50 court costs, 12 months probation at own expense.

David Rangel Rodriguez, Case #40,604 dismissed.

Mark Allen Williams, Case #40,605 dismissed.

Ina Mae Newsom, guilty of DWI 2nd ofense, fined \$300, \$144.50 court costs, 24 months probation at own expense, and 4 days jail.

Martin Garcia Ramos, guilty of DWI 2nd offense, fined \$800, \$199.50 court costs, 45 days jail and driving privileges suspended for 365 days.

MARRIAGE LICENSES:

Elmo Larkin Martin, 76, P.O. Box 2323 and Dorothy Smith Summes, 66, 505 Scott Dr.

William Vallie Overturf, 68, Andrews & Luene Robinson, 70, 1309 Settles.

Phillip Dean Barber, 32, 538 Westover #105 and Maria Isabel Stahl, 26, same.

Kevin Michael Bayl, 28, Ha and Karen I. Garza, 27, 1401 W 5th.

Celestino Hernandez, 41, 104 W 7th and

Maria Gutierrez, 37, Stanton

DISTRICT COURT FILINGS:

Scott Andrew Woolverton vs. Thomasa Denise Woolverton, divorce.

Stephanie Dawn Gibson vs. Gerald Land Gibson Jr., divorce.

Mike Hogan vs. Royce Franklin Patterson, auto personal injury.

Thelma Mae Ditto vs. Jimmy Dale Ditto, divorce.

Execuline, Inc. vs. Don Duane Biggerstaff and Recreational Sports & Imports, Inc., contract.

Arvil J. Henry and Donna Henry, ind and as next friend for Casey James Henry vs. Larry Pherigo dba Jane's Flowers and Tina Cunningham, auto personal injury.

Debra Gayle Walling (Sanders) vs. Melvin Duane Sanders, divorce.

Pauline Gonzales vs. Randall Merrill, other personal injury.

David O. Harman vs. Molly E. Harman, divorce.

Mary Lou Herrera vs. Jessie M. Herrera, divorce.

Billie Jean Lewis vs. James Clinton Lewis, divorce.

Tin Than Myint vs. Sharon M. Myint, divorce.

Kathryn Ann Senter vs. Gilbert Warren Senter, divorce.

Ricardo Arguello vs. Sylvia Jimenez Arguello, divorce.

Thonda Lynn Gatlin vs. Tommy Glenn Gatlin, divorce.

Karen Gean Mitchell vs. Robert H. Mitchell, divorce.

Phyllis Smith vs. Preferred Bankers Life contract.

Tammi Marie Smith vs. Terry Lynn Holbert, divorce.

Walter Crawford Emtinger vs. Diana Lois Emtinger, divorce.

James Bradley Ingram vs. Wanda Jean Ingram, divorce.

Craig Edward Frank vs. Cynthia Ann Frank, divorce.

Billy Jean Dubose vs. Jimmy Richard Dubose, divorce.

Kenneth Ray Johnson, trustee for Dorothy C. Johnson Trust vs. Bluebonnet Savings Bank, contract.

Dennis Smith, ind. and as next friend of Nathaniel Smith, a minor, vs. City Transfer and Storage, Inc., auto personal injury.

Beverly Hope Crown vs. Kenneth Esmond Crown, divorce.

DISTRICT COURT RULINGS:

Trena A. Strain and James Lon Strain, final decree of divorce.

Essie Mae Stubbs vs. West Texas Medical Associates and Lee Paul Fry, M.D., case dismissed.

Geraldine Lavonne Riggins and Larry Jasper Riggins, final decree of divorce.

Sears, Roebuck & Co. vs. John Velasquez and Cynthia Velasquez, judgment for plaintiff.

Filing disrupts Dallas traffic

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Prison transfers organizers of boycott

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

Fifteen federal prisoners targeted as "organizers and instigators" of a food boycott Monday at the Big Spring Federal Correctional Institution were transferred to higher-level security institutions, confirmed Warden Mike Fitzpatrick.

"That's what has to happen," Fitzpatrick said. "You have to do what's best for the situation at hand. In order to get things back on an even keel, that's a decision I made myself and it seems to have worked."

Fitzpatrick was questioned about the transfers after an anonymous letter was received Wednesday by the *Big Spring Herald*.

Following anonymous phone

calls Monday, Fitzpatrick had confirmed there was a food boycott stemming from an Easter Sunday meal when a main entrée ran out and was substituted with another.

"It was some sort of meat dish," he said. "They didn't like it."

So on Monday, up to 45 percent of 947 inmates skipped lunch in protest, he said. "They showed us their displeasure."

In response, 15 inmates considered "rebel rousers" and "cheerleaders" were transferred within two hours to higher-level security institutions, Fitzpatrick said.

"They were the organizers and the instigators," he said, "telling everyone not to eat."

A similar boycott occurred at the supper meal Monday but by breakfast on Tuesday everything

appeared normal, Fitzpatrick said. "There was nothing else in the way of problems," he said, "no problems of violence."

He said the 15 transferred inmates were in no way negotiating with prison officials. "We don't negotiate with inmates," he said. "There's nothing to negotiate."

Asked if the transferred inmates will be penalized in other ways, Fitzpatrick answered, "That would not be up to me. That is out of my hands at this point."

However, he added, "They will not be back at Big Spring FDI."

It is not the first time inmates were targeted for transfer from the facility because of a food boycott. In October 1988, then-warden Phil Spears said he scheduled transfers of an undisclosed number of in-

mates identified as "agitators" of a food boycott of two meals, according to a *Big Spring Herald* story.

About 50 percent of 680 inmates skipped the meals, the article said. It may have been connected to a work slowdown in response to comments in the national press about furloughs being cut off. However, a woman whose father was a prisoner said at the time that it was because worms were found in food.

In 1988, the Big Spring FDI was a Level 1 low-security facility. In August, it was converted to a Level 11 minimum-security prison. It houses inmates with average sentences of seven years, Fitzpatrick said, "mostly narcotics related, about 70 percent of them," he said.

A reminder: Spring forward

WASHINGTON (AP) — Daylight-saving time is back. Folks who failed to set their clocks ahead an hour will be late for church, golf, work and other activities.

The official switch occurred at 2 a.m. Sunday for the majority of the country.

The change, with an hour of daylight moved from morning to evening, continues until Oct. 27, when we get back that lost hour of sleep.

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

- A 23-year-old man was arrested for driving while intoxicated Saturday at East 11th and Barnes.
- A 50-year-old was arrested for DWI Friday on the 600 block of West Fourth.
- A 37-year-old woman was arrested Friday for disregarding a red light and fleeing to elude officers.
- A rear window was broken Friday in a 1990 Ford on the 200 block of East Second. Damages came to \$528.
- A seven-shot revolver, of unknown value, was stolen sometime between Wednesday and Friday from a residence on the 1200 block of East 11th Place.
- A porch light, carpet and linoleum at a hotel on the 2900 block of E. Interstate 20 were damaged. Damages total \$95.

Sheriff's log

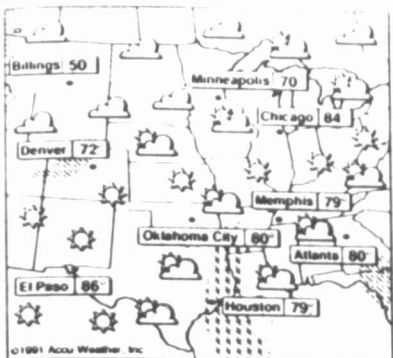
The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents:

- A 26-year-old man was arrested on Howard County indictments for injury to an elderly person and sexual assault to a child. Bonds were set, respectively, at \$5,000 and \$20,000.
- A 32-year-old man was arrested by a highway patrolman for driving while intoxicated, a third offense.
- A 52-year-old Snyder man was arrested on a Tom Green County indictment for theft. He was released on a \$25,000 bond.

Court docket

Filings in Howard County courts indicate the following:

- David Frank Morgan, 33, 3613 Calvin, pleaded guilty in 118th Judicial District Court to driving while intoxicated. He was sentenced to three years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.
- Larry Dean Simmons, 33, Route 61 Box 460A, pleaded guilty in District Court to driving while intoxicated. He was sentenced to five years probation, 30 days in jail and fined \$500.



Weather

Sunny and warm through Monday, with chance of winds on Monday. High today in the 80s; low tonight in the 50s; high Monday in the mid 80s.

Spring board

How's that?

Q. Is there an alternative to chemical pesticides?

A. An easy home-made pesticide which is eco-friendly is the following, according to USA Weekend: 3 onions; 1 whole garlic; 2 Tbs. hot red pepper, chopped; 1 Tbsp. soap; and 1 qt. water. Blend the onions, garlic, pepper and soap in the quart of water, then spray on plants.

Calendar

TODAY

The City of Big Spring Community Clean Team will be working in District 7 Monday through Thursday. If you have articles to be picked up, call the city at 263-8311.

• The Second Annual Spring City Arts and Crafts Show will be from noon to 5 p.m. in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Free admission.

• The Big Spring Humane Society will have a rummage sale from 1 to 4 p.m. at West Fourth and Galveston streets.

• The Disabled American Veterans and Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary's District Conference will continue at the Days Inn at 8:00 a.m.

• The Howard County Youth Horseman's Club is sponsoring the 8th Annual Brisket-Goat-Red Beans-Black Eyed Peas Cook-Off at the HCYHC arena six miles south of Big Spring on the Garden City Highway. Judging at 4 p.m. For more information call 263-6458 or 267-6251.

• Reservations for the Heart of the City Festival are now being taken. To reserve a booth space, call (915) 267-4801. To pre-register for the Heart of the City Children's Beauty Contest, call Loretta Madry at (915) 263-5330. For pre-registration for the Heart of the City Skate Board Contest, call Steve Madry at (915) 263-5330.

• The Martin County Home Tour will be from 2 to 4 p.m.

• The Howard County NAACP will meet at 7 p.m. at the Church of Christ on west Highway 80.

TUESDAY

• Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright Street, has free milk and bread to give to the area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.

• The Coahoma Athletic Boosters will meet at 7 p.m. in the elementary school cafeteria to finalize plans for the Athletic Banquet. For more information call 394-4594.

Concert

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#6 (Serenata Notturna K. 239 Maestoso, Minuetto, and Rondo), originally composed for two small orchestras, probably separated, for stereo effect. The minuet movement evokes visions of the grand balls of Mozart's day.

Concluding the program was "Piano Concerto No. 21 in C-Major, K.467" (sometimes called the "Elvira Madigan Concerto") which many consider one of Mozart's most beautiful compositions. For his interpretation of the work, the crowd rewarded distinguished concert pianist Stefan Bardas with a standing ovation — and brought back the performers for three curtain calls.

Program notes describe Bardas as a "brilliant interpreter", with a full command of piano literature including a repertoire of important compositions from each century of music for the piano.

Dr. Marianni Gabbi is conductor/musical director of the Las Cruces (N.M.) Symphony, and permanent conductor of the Big Spring Symphony.

For the record

In a story and photo about fingerprinting children in the *Herald* Friday, the names of the Jeff, Pam and Jeffery Winkles, of Sand Springs, were misspelled.

Paperboys

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protection. But frustrated customers were part of the job as well. Once the older Wyrick, after being pelted with a paper thrown by a disgruntled customer, threw it back at the man.

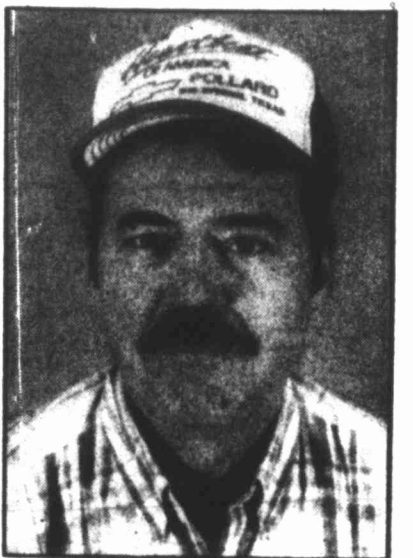
Dwight Perkins, a carrier during the early 1960s, said many of his former "customers still remember him as 'the best paperboy they ever had.'"

"After all these years, customers that I had, I still see them around and they'll tell me something like that, or they'll tell my kids," Perkins said.

With money he saved from his route, Perkins bought his first car, a 1956 Ford.

When he started throwing papers in 1958 to help out his older brothers, their mother would drive them to the points along the routes so they could begin delivering on foot. Later, the *Herald* circulation staff would take papers to some carriers' homes, a service they still provide today.

Perkins said his customers were almost always appreciative. "You learn to deal with



DWIGHT PERKINS

customers," he said. "It's the first learning stage of working with the public. If you don't take care of your customers, they'll sure make it rough on you."

Today, the people who brave harsh weather, customer relations problems and angry dogs to deliver newspapers are no longer "paperboys." *Herald* Circulation Manager Dale Ferguson said they are now known as "sales

Cease-fire

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saying by Baghdad radio. The resolution "would lead to more disturbances and problems in the world in general and the Middle East in particular," the speaker was quoted as saying.

Iraq's acceptance paves the way for the 100,000 U.S. troops occupying southern Iraq to begin withdrawing.

The resolution demands that Iraq destroy its chemical and biological weapons and most ballistic missiles under U.N. supervision, and that it not acquire such weapons or nuclear capability in the future.

An arms embargo remains in effect and a trade embargo would remain until the weapons are destroyed.

Iraq also is to pay war reparations to Kuwait out of its future oil revenues, recognize the current Kuwaiti border, swear off support

of terrorism and cooperate in repatriating Kuwaitis and others it has detained.

U.N. observers will monitor a demilitarized zone extending six miles into Iraq and three miles into Kuwait.

Perez de Cuellar proposed a 300-member U.N. observer group for the Iraq-Kuwait border, with temporary infantry support of 680 troops and about 300 mine-clearing specialists.

He gave no indication which nations would participate, but diplomats said that four permanent members of the Security Council — the United States, Britain, France and the Soviet Union — had offered to take part. The fifth permanent member, China, also might participate, they said, along with other nations.

Turki Abdullah al-Sudeiri, editor in chief of Al Riyadh, Saudi Arabia's leading newspaper,

welcomed the Iraqi acceptance but noted "much of what is taking place inside Iraq could have been spared, many tragedies could have been eased, if one man at the helm stepped down, namely President Saddam Hussein."

In other developments Saturday Secretary of State James A. Baker III was to leave on a trip to Turkey, Israel, Egypt, Syria and Geneva for talks on the plight of Kurdish refugees and on Middle East peace.

Diplomats said Baker would meet with Jordanian Prime Minister Mudar Badran, possibly in Geneva. It would be the first high-level U.S.-Jordanian contact in nearly eight months, after a cooling of relations over Jordan's sympathy for Saddam.

The crushing of the Kurdish uprising in northern Iraq triggered the flight of hundreds of thousands of refugees.

Show

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booth were sculptures in a booth down the aisle that seemed to breathe life into wood.

Artist Marcy Ellul of Hobbs, N.M., brought trees alive by using clay to create faces and other shapes. The clay was worked into the wood wet, allowed to dry, removed, fired in a kiln and then attached to the wood. She called them "tree spirits" and has written a copyrighted legend to accompany her vision.

"I've always collected the wood because it was pretty," Ellul said. "I think you can make an art out of anything."

Delovitch agreed. Commenting on the show as a whole, he said: "They're artisans in their own style. Everybody has their own schtick."

Deaths

Tawanna Bailey

Tawanna Bailey, 43, Sand Springs, died Friday, April 5, 1991, at Midland Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services will be 2 p.m. Monday at First Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Gary Smith, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

She was born April 20, 1947, in Shawnee, Okla. She married James (Beetle) Bailey Feb. 7, 1976, in Big Spring. She moved to Big Spring in 1949, at the age of two, and grew up here. She graduated from Big Spring High School in 1965. She was a graduate of Valta Reeves Beauty College. She was a beautician in Big Spring for 22 years, and owned the Bobber Shop in Sand Springs from 1984 to 1988. She began working for KBST radio station March 7, 1988.

Survivors include her husband, James (Beetle) Bailey, Sand Springs; one stepson, Paul Bailey, Big Spring; two sons: Kelly Bailey, Sand Springs; and Ellis Smith, Big Spring; two daughters: Rammie Moore, Denver City; and Ronda Huit, Big Spring; her mother and stepfather, LaWanda and Charles Hamm, Big Spring; one brother, Dennis Yeager, Big Spring; one sister, Deborah Perkins, Big Spring; one stepister, Karen Griffith, Lubbock; two stepbrothers: Charles E. Hamm Jr., Clinton, Md.; and Steve Hamm, Big Spring. Pallbearers will be Clark Duke, Robert Wilson, Don Davis, J.M. Ringener, Jerry Stanford, Travis

Hunter, Rufus Jordan, Cary Grant, and Jim Wright. All KBST employees and customers are considered honorary pallbearers.

Banana Moore

Banana Moore, 86, Big Spring, died Tuesday, April 2, 1991, at Midland Memorial Hospital.

Services will be 11 a.m. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Ernest C. Wilson, pastor of Mount Bethel Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She was born May 5, 1904, in Oakwood. She married Nugent Moore in May of 1919, in Oakwood. He preceded her in death in 1946. She was a member of Mount Bethel Baptist Church. She was a member of the Court of Calanthe and the Heroines of Jericho. She had lived in Big Spring since 1945, coming here from Enid. She had worked as a maid for many years and had also worked in food service for the Big Spring school system before retiring.

Survivors include four daughters: Pearl Mae Lister, and Ida Belle Johnson, both of Big Spring; Alton V. Woods, Midland; and Willie Ina Carr, Highland, Calif.; two sons: Wesley B. Moore, Norfolk, Va.; and J.D. Moore, Big Spring; 23 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. She was also preceded in death by two daughters, three grandchildren, and one great-grandson.

Pallbearers will be Clarence Brown, Nathaniel Green, T.J. Kinard, James Labrew, Glenn

Jerry Kunkel

The Rev. Jerry Wayne Kunkel, 41, Euless, formerly of Lamesa, died Tuesday, April 2, 1991, in McCamey.

Services were 2 p.m. Friday at William C. Martin United Methodist Church in Bedford with the Rev. Earl Blair, Plainview District Superintendent, officiating, and assisted by the Rev. Paul Baskin, pastor of Northridge United Methodist Church in Lamesa. Burial was in Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park in Colleyville under the direction of Lucas Funeral Home in Hearts.

He was born Nov. 4, 1949, in Lamesa. He married Kathy Allred Jan. 1, 1970. He attended the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo. before transferring to McMurry University in Abilene. He earned a bachelor's degree in Religion and Philosophy in 1976. He earned the Master of Theology Degree from Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, in 1980. A clergy member of the Northwest Texas Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, he was ordained an elder June 4, 1981. Before becoming a full-time evangelist, he was pastor of United Methodist Churches in Buffalo Gap, Tye, Shep Chapel, Amarillo (Trinity and St. Paul, associate), and Petersburg-Carrs Chapel. He became a full-time evangelist in 1987, and was well known throughout Northwest Texas. In addition to conducting revivals, he was a much sought after speaker for civic gatherings throughout the state. Together with his wife, Kathy, he founded King's Ministry, based in Euless. He was a member of the National Public Speakers of America and was a two-time nominee for the Denman

Award, a United Methodist accolade for excellence in evangelism. He had been awaiting a heart transplant at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Kathy Kunkel, Euless; three daughters, Chresta, Wendy and Lindsay, all of Euless; his mother, Peggy Kunkel, Bedford; one sister, Teresa Kunkel, Bedford; three brothers: Dennis Kunkel, Andy Kunkel and Fred Kunkel, all of Bedford.

The family suggests memorials to the Kunkel Children College Fund, Box 629, Bedford, Texas 76021.

Hugh Tuck

Hugh L. Tuck, 61, Post, formerly of Big Spring, died Friday, April 5, 1991, at Garza Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

Services will be 2 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church in Post with the Rev. Bob Fagan, pastor of the Memorial Baptist Church in Lubbock, officiating. Burial will be in Terrace Cemetery in Post under the direction of Justice-Mason Funeral Home in Post.

He was born Sept. 11, 1929, in Seymour. He married Goldie McColl Oct. 6, 1948, in Big Spring. She preceded him in death Dec. 4, 1987. He was a U.S. Army veteran serving in World War II. He began work for Fina in 1946, and came to Post

in 1984 as the area superintendent for Fina.

Survivors include two sons: Tony Tuck, Andrews; and Bobby Tuck, Odessa; six daughters: Nancy Scott, Susan Hawkins, and Mary Adams, all of Odessa; Stacey John, Coahoma; Lynn Carver, Greenforest, Ark.; and Kathy Paz, Andrews; one sister, Charlotte Machen, Springdale, Ark.; and seven grandchildren.

Thomas Murphy

Thomas J. Murphy, 93, Ranger, formerly of Big Spring, died Thursday, April 4, 1991, in a Ranger nursing home.

Services were 11 a.m. Saturday at Edwards Funeral Chapel with Jim Hall officiating. Burial was in the Robert Lee Cemetery in Robert Lee, with Greg Fleming officiating.

He was born in Burnett County. He was a refinery operator for Howell Refinery in Corpus Christi for 44 years. He was a member of the Church of Christ and moved to Ranger in 1977, from Big Spring.

Survivors include two sons: W.O. (Bill) Murphy, Lake Leon; and Ray Murphy, Houston; five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

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Tawanna Bailey, 43, died Friday. Services will be 2 p.m. Monday at the first Church of the Nazarene. Interment will follow in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

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Banana Moore, 86, died Tuesday. Services will be 11 a.m. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

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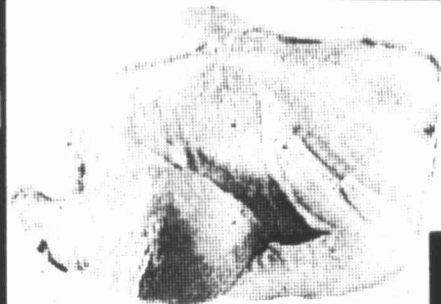
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Take me out to the ball game

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

Random notes while practicing the seventh-inning stretch:

Well, gee-whizzikers, folks — it's that time of year again. Winter's a hazy memory, the grass (not to mention the weeds) is blooming and the sound of a ball thumping against a hardwood floor is being replaced by the crack of a bat and fist pounding against the glove.

That's right, it's (trumpets blare, drums roll, fireworks explode, young women sigh, etc.) **BASEBALL SEASON!!!!!!** Beginning in a little more than 24 hours, the major league teams will begin playing games for real. No more of this exhibition nonsense that serve no purpose except to increase the state budgets of Florida and Arizona.

No sir; beginning Monday, it's showtime.

And I, for one, couldn't be happier.

Oh sure, there are those that say baseball is boring or out of date or filled with nothing but a bunch of overpaid, sulking jerks or something else along those lines. All I can say to those pooh-pooh heads is to watch the WLAJ or hockey and leave me the heck alone.

This, my friends, is my time of year.

We all have our favorite sports and I would never be so crass as to say those who live and breathe football or basketball (hockey is a different matter, but enough of that), but there is something about baseball season that strikes a responsive chord in this old soul of mine.

Did I also mention the sport tends to make me wax poetic?

Granted, baseball has its drawbacks. The major leagues are full of millionaires that couldn't hit a Nolan Ryan fastball with a tennis racquet and Little League has far too many parents who can't understand why their precious little dear isn't the starting pitcher.

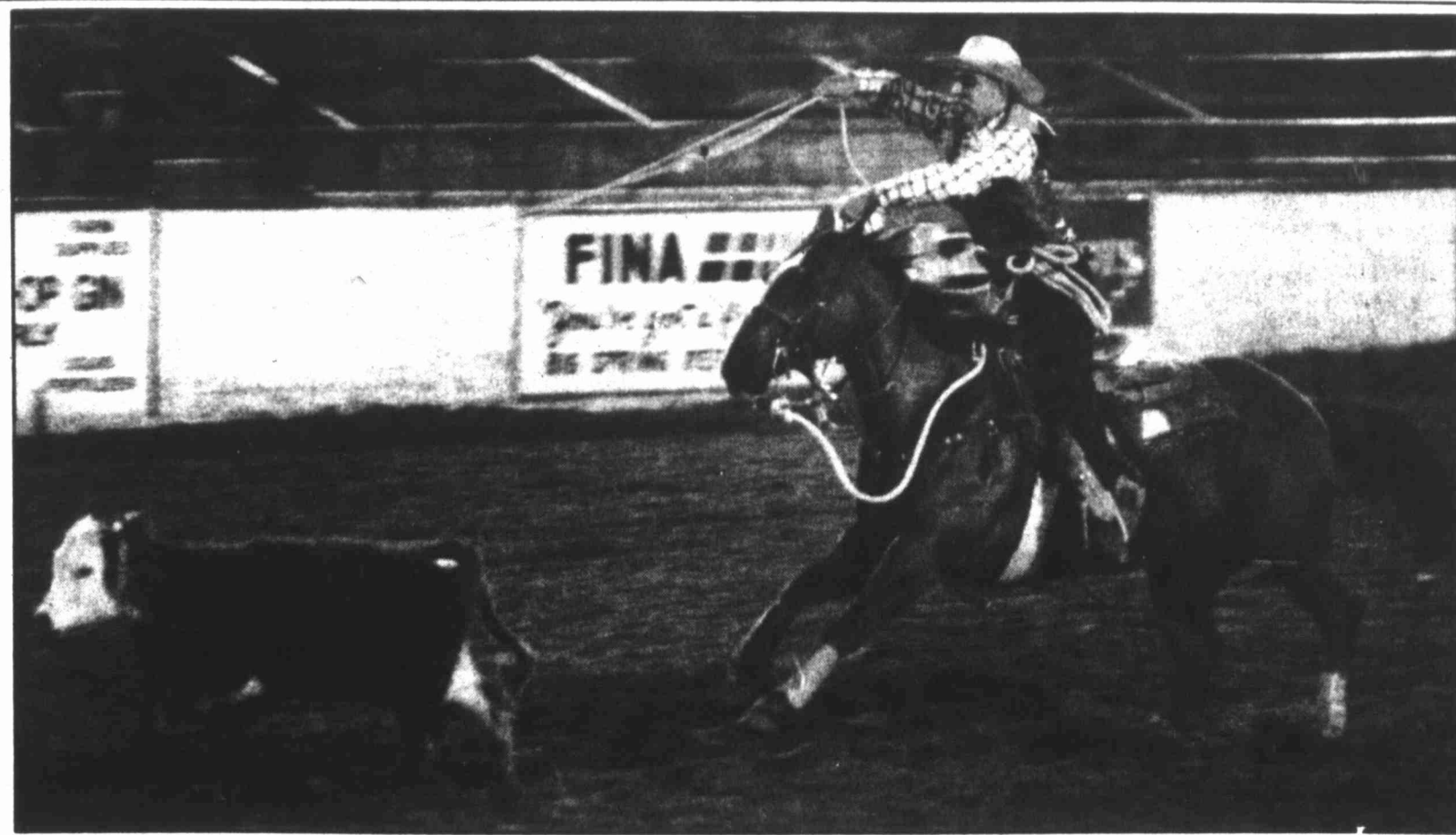
But those drawbacks are more than overshadowed by the game's inherent charms. For starters, the game is played outdoors under the warm summer sun in most places, except in locales like Houston and Seattle — and when was the last time those teams did something spectacular?

The second allure of the sport has to do with its familiarity. It's a game most of us have played at one time or another. You don't have to be 6-foot-6 or weigh 275 pounds or run a 4.4 40 to play baseball; it's a sport for normal Joes like you and me.

If you doubt that statement, listen to some fans disagree with an umpire's call.

Perhaps the nicest thing about baseball, though, is its pace. In a world where everything, it seems, has to be

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Rope 'em, cowboy

Howard College cowboy Barry Simpton throws his rope towards the sprinting calf during calf roping action at the Friday evening performance of the Howard College Rodeo. Simpton's efforts this

time were for naught, as he missed the calf and came up with a no time on his ride.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Lady Steers dominate relays

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

The Big Spring Lady Steers didn't disappoint their coach and it resulted in victory.

The Lady Steers got ready for district in a big way as they dominated the Big Spring Relays, scoring 277 points and easily outdistancing second place Sweetwater, which finished with 147 points.

Before the meet Lady Steers coach Jay Kennedy said he expected his team to win the triangular and would be disappointed if it didn't. The Lady Steers started their good fortune in the field events as Syreeta Shellman won the shot put, Marta Mathews won the triple jump and Cassie Underwood won the discus.

Shellman, a sophomore, who has the best throw in West Texas, uncorked another career best on her own turf. She tossed the eight-pound ball 40-7, beating her previous best by 10 inches. Shellman threw 40-7 on her second throw. She had two more throws over 40 feet, two in the 38s and one in the 39-foot range.

She said work in the weight room has led to her gradual improvement. "I've been working real hard in the weight room and giving more throws more height," said Shellman. "My coach (Dan Burt) told me that Brandon (Snyder shot putter, Katrina Brandon) had thrown 40-2, so I was thinking about that."

The Lady Steers onslaught continued in the running events, star-



Big Spring hurdler Amber Grisham, far left, leads the pack over the first hurdle in the 100 meter hurdle finals Saturday at Blankenship Field. Grisham

won the event in 17 seconds. Also pictured are BSHS hurdler Shawna Griffith, far right, and Forson's Kristi Nietzl, second from right.

Herald photo by J. Fierro

ting with Elizabeth Lopez in the 3200 meters. Lopez pulled off a double when she edged teammate Amie Walters in the 1600 meters. When it was all over, the Lady Steers had come away with 10 first place finishes.

It was an especially pleasing victory for Lopez, who was running the metric two mile for the first time this season after a bout with pneumonia. "I kind of knew I was going to get it; not being conceited

or anything, but I just had a feeling," said Lopez. "I thought I was ready for it and I think I'll have a chance at district next week."

Another double winner for the Lady Steers was Amber Grisham in the 100 meter hurdles and the 300 hurdles. It was the first time Grisham, a junior, had run the 100 hurdles. Kennedy replaced her with freshman Christi Miller on Big Spring's winning 400 meter relay team. Miller also won the 100

meters, and teamed with Mathews, Annie Rodriguez and Vernice Ross to edge Sweetwater in the 400 relay.

Grisham said she'll probably run both hurdle races at district. "I felt I could win both of them (hurdle events). There's just so much futher space in between the 300 hurdles than it is in the 100. I'm going to miss running the sprint relay, but I think I've got a good

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WTC cowboys shine at Howard College rodeo

The second round of the Howard College Rodeo Friday night and Saturday morning had Western Texas College winning two individual events.

Western Texas got a first in the steer wrestling from Russell Merchant and a first place from bull rider Benji Fontenot.

Howard got a first place finish from Jody Heath in the breakaway roping. Heath's time was 3.2, ahead of Vernon Regional Junior

College and Western Texas' Jennifer Lee.

Also for Howard, Jamie Bean had the third best time in Friday night's barrel racing. She was timed in 17.39.

Stanton native Kody Newman, now competing for Texas Tech University, had the third best time in Friday's goat tying, nabbing her prey in 12.3.

Friday night and Saturday morn-

ing results of the Howard College Rodeo.

Bareback Bronc — 1. Brad Emerson, Tarleton State University 69; 1. Joe Dan Brumbelow 69; 3. Benji Fontenot, Western Texas 63.

Breakaway Roping — 1. Jody Heath, Howard College 3.2; 2. Larri Guy, Vernon Regional Junior College 4.0; 2. Jennifer Lee, Western Texas College 4.0.

Steer Wrestling — 1. Russell Merchant, Western Texas College 4.7;

2. Josh Allen, Tarleton State University 4.9; 3. J.P. Clayton, Tarleton State University 5.6.

Team Roping — 1. Tim Brown-Twister Cain, Vernon Regional Junior College; 2. Kerry Upchurch-Wayne Churchill; Tarleton State University, 9.0; 3. Dale Jones, Amy Cockrell, Eastern New Mexico University 9.2.

Bull Riding — 1. Benji Fontenot, Western Texas College 75; 2. Shane

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Rally fells Steers

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

The Fort Stockton Panthers did all their damage in one inning, and it was enough to down the Big Spring Steers, 3-2, in District 3-4A baseball action Saturday in Steer Park.

The Panthers rallied from a one-run deficit by scoring three times in the sixth, then held off a late Big Spring rally to claim their second district win against two defeats. Overall, Fort Stockton is 11-7 for the year.

The Steers fell to 11-5 overall and 3-2 in district play with the loss.

Flo Garcia was dominating on the mound for Fort Stockton, scattering four hits while striking out five and walking three in picking up his first district decision of the year.

Big Spring starter Shane Myrick, who fell to 3-3 with the loss, was equally masterful until the sixth inning proved to be his undoing. In his six innings of work, he gave up three runs on six hits, struck out nine and walked two.

The Steers struck for the game's first run in the bottom of the second. Marvin Rubio led off with a single to left field, advanced to second on Sammy Gonzales' single and scored on a fielder's-choice grounder by Jason Mills.

Myrick, meanwhile, worked into

of two jams in the early innings. In the second, he had a runner on third with two outs before getting Eddie Bustamante on a called third strike to get out of the inning. In the third, he had runners on second and third with one out, but struck out Sergio Larez and forced Garcia to ground out back to the mound.

Garcia, however, came back to haunt the Steers. With one out in the sixth, he lofted a fly ball to deep left field and used his speed to his best advantage for an inside-the-park home run to tie the game.

Richard Rojas followed with an infield single and Josh Berry added a double to left to put runners on second and third. The next batter, Melroy Garza, drew the infield in by showing bunt, then poked a two-run single into left field.

The Steers got a run back in their half of the sixth when Freddy Rodriguez walked, advanced to third on Jon Downey's double and scored when Fort Stockton second baseman Bustamante bobbled the fly throw from the outfield.

Big Spring had one last chance in the seventh when leadoff hitter Ricky Gonzales beat out an infield hit to put the tying run on first.

A bit of trickery by the Panthers, however, got them out of the jam when they faked a botched throw to first and caught designated runner Louis Soldan in a rundown.

"For us, this was a tremendous win," Fort Stockton coach Fernando Hernandez said. "It's like I told the guys: Big Spring is the league leader, and if you beat them, it's like you're tied for first. I think all the teams in this district are pretty evenly matched."

"We didn't play well," Big Spring Coach John Velasquez said. "We've got to play like we want to win this thing and get into a groove."

"This was a big game to see how the guys played while they were on top," Velasquez added. "Today, they didn't play well, but there's still eight games left."

SCORE BY INNINGS:

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Big Spring golfers move into 2nd in district race

The Big Spring Steers golf team shot a team-total 303 to move into second place in the league standings during the second round of the District 3-4A tournament at Comanche Trail Golf Course Saturday.

The Steers' total, the best of the day, allowed them to move within eight strokes of league-leading Monahans and 15 strokes ahead of third place Sweetwater.

With the district tournament heading into its final week, BSHS coach Don Cook said the Steers have an excellent chance to take the league crown.

"Unless we fall flat on our faces next week in Fort Stockton, we should qualify for regionals," Cook said. "If we could get a good round out of the number four and five players, we could overcome Monahans for the district title."

Leading the way for Big Spring

Saturday was senior Eric Lusk, who shot a 72. Charile Garcia shot a 73, Jon Sims a 75 and Bo Hodnett and James Welch added an 83 and 85, respectively.

Lusk, Garcia and Sims are tied for fourth in the district medalist race with identical 154 scores after two rounds. Monahans' Steve Ward (145) leads teammate Chad Pipkin by four strokes in the race for the top individual spot.

"Eric Lusk played extremely well today, shooting a 34-38," Cook said. "We played very well in the numbers one, two and three slots."

The Steers will return to action next Saturday when they travel to Fort Stockton for the final round of the district tournament.

TEAM STANDINGS (after two rounds)

Monahans A	622
Big Spring A	630

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Big Spring High School golfer Jon Sims fires a putt during action in the second round of the District 3-4A tournament at Comanche Trail

Golf Course Saturday. Sims shot a 75 and the Steers had a team-best 303 score to move into second place overall in the district standings.

Herald photo by Perry Hall

Sidelines

Ladies golf group to start Monday

The Comanche Trail Ladies Golf Association will begin weekly scramble play beginning April 8 at 5:30 p.m. All interested ladies are encouraged to play.

To make reservations call the Comanche Trail pro shop 263-7271 or be there no later than 5:15 p.m.

Couples scramble play will begin April 11 at 5:30 p.m. All interested golfers are urged to play, and they must call the pro shop or be there no later than 5:15 p.m. Golfers must bring covered dish for meal after play.

For more information call Patsy Sharpnack at 264-4827 or 263-6867.

CGA hosting tourney Sunday

The Chicano Golf Association will be sponsoring a NASA tournament this Sunday at Comanche Trail Golf Course.

The first six holes of play will consist of two-man scramble play. The second six holes will consist of two-man format play, and the final six holes will be Scotch format.

Players can find out tee times between 9:30-10:30 a.m. Play begins between 10-11 a.m.

Also the tee times begin Saturday for play at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Reservations must be made two days in advance. Golfers can still reserve tee times for Sunday despite the tournament. For more information call Al Patterson at 263-7271.

Hawks take 2 of 3 from FPC

BORGER — The Howard College Hawks rebounded from their first conference loss of the season Friday to take the final two games of their three-game series with Frank Phillips College Saturday afternoon.

With the two wins, Howard's record stands at 39-7 overall, 5-1 in conference. Frank Phillips falls to 13-18 overall and 1-5 in conference with the losses.

In Friday's opener, four Howard errors led to five unearned runs as the Plainsmen took a 7-5 win. Jesse Armendariz suffered his second loss of the season against seven victories.

Howard rebounded Saturday, however, behind the pitching and hitting of Frank Rodriguez. Rodriguez struck out 11 batters as the Hawks took the second game from FPC, 11-5.

Rodriguez also was deadly with the bat, collecting his 17th, 18th and 19th homers of the season and driving in eight runs during the series.

The final game was all Howard, as Mike Cople picked up his 10th victory of the year against two losses and the Hawks white-washed the Plainsmen, 11-0.

The Hawks return to action next Friday when they travel to Odessa to take on the Odessa College Wranglers in the first of a three-game weekend series.

Bud Light hosting Triathlon series

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Reagan

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done yesterday, there is something calming about a sport that has no clock. I don't care if you're the CEO of a major international corporation or if you're worried about how you're going to pay this month's rent, when you walk into a ballpark, you can forget your cares for the next few hours.

Baseball, compared to most other major sports, is an anachronism — it is so different in style and pace than our real lives. And what is so bad about that?

Can't tell the players without an — atlas?

(AP) A scorecard won't be enough to tell the players apart this week. Better bring a Rand McNally, too.

Never before has baseball seen such a shift of major talent in one winter. Darryl Strawberry, George Bell, Willie McGee, Vince Coleman, Kirk Gibson and Bo Jackson are among the 30-something free agents who moved, while Tim Lincecum, Glenn Davis, Joe Carter, Fred McGriff, Tony Fernandez, Roberto Alomar and Dave Parker are some of the dozen big names that traded places.

No set of off-season moves has ever come close. Put it this way: since Cincinnati finished its surprise sweep of Oakland last season, 27 players who ranked among the league's top third in runs, RBIs, victories or saves have switched teams.

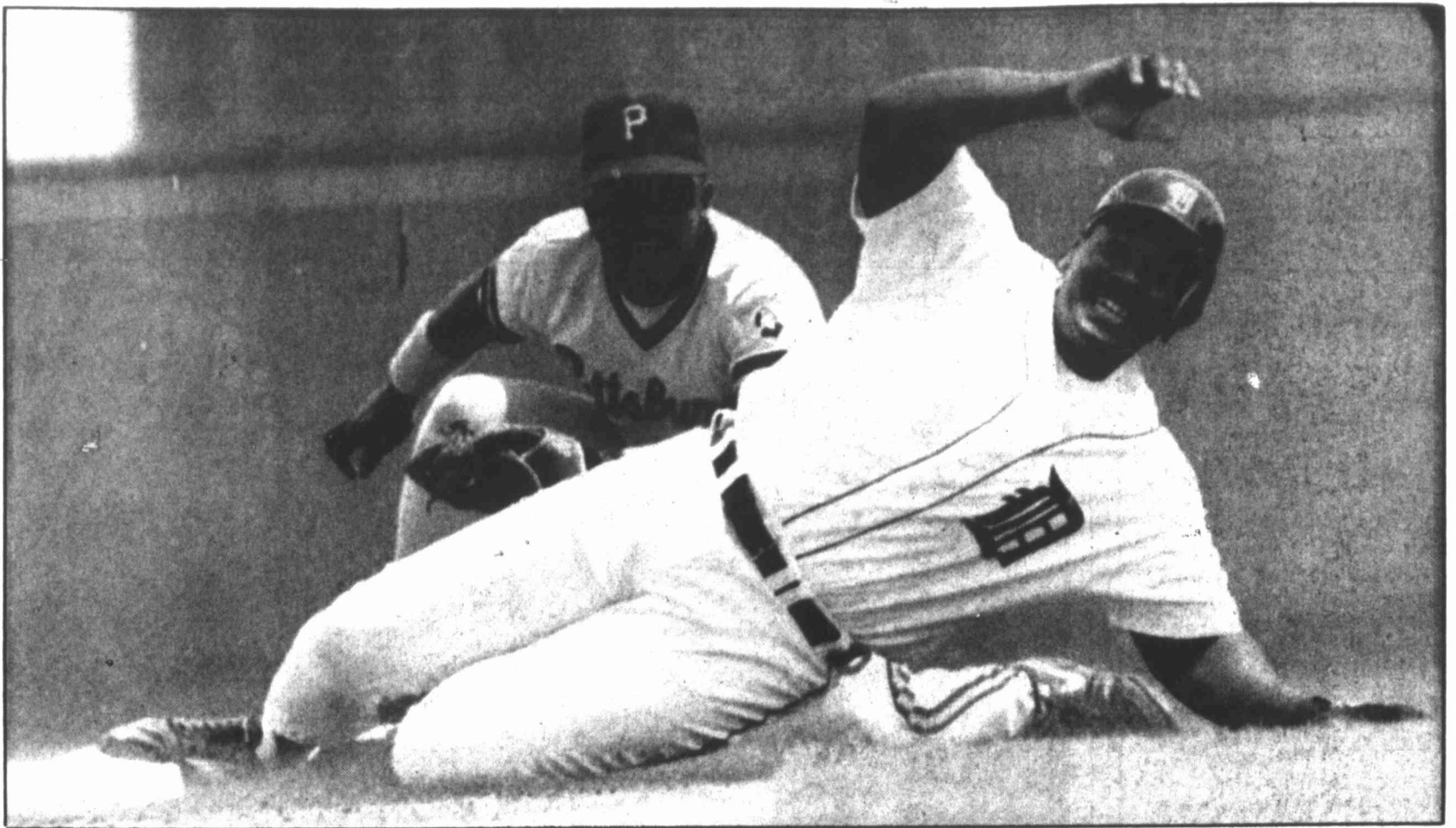
In the past 10 years, never had more than seven such players changed clubs in one winter. And in the past 75 years, only once had at least 10 such players been on the go — in 1963, when 16 moved, including trades involving Luis Aparicio, Hoyt Wilhelm and Moose Skowron.

Of course, the emergence of free agency is the major reason for so many transactions, particularly last winter's crop of "new-look" players set free by collusion rulings. Gary Gaetti, Jack Morris, Brett Butler, Jack Clark, Dave Smith and Danny Darwin were among them, and they all found new, high-priced homes.

Even as Monday's opening day approaches, some big names are still out there. Pete Incaviglia, who hit 24 home runs with 85 RBIs for Texas, and Fernando Valenzuela, who went 13-13 with a no-hitter for Los Angeles, are available for whatever amount a team wants to pay them.

With so much switching, there's now one big question: Will baseball's balance of power shift, too?

Cincinnati, which will try to become the first World Series champion to repeat since the 1978 New York Yankees, was one of the few teams that did not add a significant player. Instead, the Reds lost Danny Jackson to the



LAKELAND, Fla. — Detroit Tigers' Cecil Fielder and Pittsburgh's Jose Lind look for the call after Fielder tried to steal second in Saturday's exhibition game. It was Fielder's second steal attempt of the

spring. He was safe the first time, his first successful steal in eight years, but was picked off in this attempt.

Chicago Cubs.

Oakland, trying to become the first team to win four straight pennants since the New York Yankees in 1964, chose to not re-sign McGee, who won the weird National League batting title, and Scott Sanderson, a 17-game winner. Rather, they signed Willie Wilson as insurance for Jose Canseco's bad back, got Eric Show to take Sanderson's spot in the rotation and added Ernest Riles and Vance Law to platoon at third base for Carney Lansford, who was injured in a snowmobile accident and may miss the entire year.

Pittsburgh and Boston, the other two division winners, went in opposite directions. The Pirates lost Sid Bream, Wally Backman, R.J. Reynolds and Ted Power without adding anyone, while the Red Sox spent millions to sign Darwin, the NL ERA leader, Clark and pitcher Matt Young.

Most active of all, however, was Los Angeles. The Dodgers brought Strawberry back home for \$20 million, signed Butler to lead off and play center field, pitcher Kevin Gross to start and Gary Carter to back up at catcher, traded Hubie Brooks to get pitcher Bob Ojeda and did not keep either Valenzuela or Gibson.

"Obviously, we've made a lot of changes," Dodgers general manager Fred Claire said. "But we have to see if it pays off on the field."

Strawberry, who hit 37 home

runs with a team-record 108 RBIs for the New York Mets, will be the focal point. His supporters say a change of scenery will do him good, even though he's only a career .225 hitter at Dodger Stadium.

Strawberry's critics are certain he will drop and are convinced the Mets are better off with Coleman in a strength-for-speed exchange. They claim, as do many people, that free agents work hard in their final year to get a rich contract, then instantly go downhill with their new team.

Here is the truth: free agents, hitters and pitchers alike, do not fall off in performance in their first year after signing. If anything, they improve slightly.

Here are the numbers: in the

past 14 years, free agents batted .261 in their last year with a club, then hit .264 with their new teams. Their home-run rates were identical and the RBI rates were almost exact. There was, however, one difference — the at-bats dipped 10 percent. Maybe that was because it became easier to go on the disabled list with all that security, and maybe it's because many of those free agents were at the end of their careers, like Willie Randolph and Rick Dempsey with Milwaukee this year.

For free agent pitchers, they had a 3.72 ERA and a .513 winning percentage in their last year with one club, and had a 3.71 ERA with a .521 winning percentage in their first year after signing.

Dinard rallies to Santa Anita Derby win

ARCADIA, Calif. (AP) — Dinard rallied in the stretch to win the \$500,000 Santa Anita Derby by a half-length over Best Pal on Saturday and establish himself as a leading contender for next month's Kentucky Derby.

Ridden by Chris McCarron, who got his first Santa Anita Derby victory, Dinard covered 1 1/8 miles on a fast track in 1:48 and, as the second betting choice of the crowd of about 46,000, paid \$6.40, \$3.40 and 2.60.

The winning time was one second off the stakes record set by Lucky Debonair in 1965 and equaled by Sham in 1973.

The victory was the fourth in five career starts for Dinard, a son of Strawberry Road, and was worth \$275,000, raising the gelding's career earnings to \$452,750.

McCarron had chosen to ride Dinard over Sea Cadet, who finished third in the Santa Anita Derby, 1 1/4 lengths behind Best Pal.

Dinard, trained by Richard Lundy, will try to become the third Santa Anita Derby winner in four years to win the Kentucky Derby, to be run on May 4 at Churchill Downs.

Winning Colors won both races in 1988 and Sunday Silence repeated in 1989. Last year's Santa Anita Derby winner, Mr. Frisky, was favored in the Kentucky Derby but finished out of the money.

Mane Minister took the lead shortly after the start of Saturday's race and stayed on top until passed by Sea Cadet on the turn for home. Dinard was back in the pack at that point, but moving up.

Best Pal, the 8-5 favorite who



ARCADIA, Calif. — Jockey Chris McCarron applies the whip to Dinard (6) just before the finish line Saturday during the Santa Anita Derby. Dinard outdistanced runner-up Best Pal (partially

blocked against rail), Sea Cadet (8), which finished third and fourth-place finisher Mane Minister for the victory.

finished second to Derby favorite Fly So Free in voting for top 2-year-old colt, took the lead early in the stretch, but Dinard was rolling by that time and went on top to stay with about one-sixteenth of a mile to go.

Best Pal, ridden by Gary Stevens, returned \$3.20 and \$2.40 while Sea Cadet, ridden by Eddie Delahoussaye, finished two lengths ahead of Mane Minister and paid \$2.80 to show.

Following Mane Minister across

the finish line in the 54th running of the race for 3-year-olds were Scan, Bounding Back, Compelling Sound, Conveyor and Media Plan, who is owned by Grammy Award-winning rap star M.C. Hammer.

Dinard, who has run all his races at Santa Anita, made his debut on Dec. 26 by winning a six-furlong maiden race by five lengths in 1:09 3/5.

He then won the Los Feliz Stakes on Jan. 11 by six lengths, covering one mile in 1:35 3/5.

Next, Dinard was second, a nose behind Olympio, in the seven-furlong San Vicente Breeders' Cup Stakes on Feb. 10. In his fourth start, Dinard won the one-mile San Rafael Stakes on March 3 by a head over Apollo, with Best Pal in third.

Each of the nine entries in the Santa Anita Derby carried 122 pounds.

Best Pal, trained by Ian Jory, has won six of 10 starts, with two seconds and a third, and career earnings of \$1,148,695.

Chancellor displeased with probe

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Action taken by coach Nolan Richardson and athletic director Frank Broyles following a sexual incident involving basketball players wasn't as fast or as stern as the University of Arkansas' chancellor wanted.

High-ranking administrators conducted a news conference on Saturday to temper criticism of the school's handling of the February incident. A 34-year-old woman told police she was sexually assaulted in the athletic dorm. Four basketball players said they had sex with her, but said she consented.

The woman did not press charges, and prosecutor Andrew Ziser said there was not enough evidence to file charges.

Richardson has disciplined one

player, Darrell Hawkins, because the incident occurred in his dorm. Hawkins missed the 1990-91 season because of an injury.

Jim Blair, chairman of the school's board of trustees, said the university may take action against the players, but not until all sides are heard.

"We have received many communications that due process should be abandoned because of the inflammatory nature of the incident. I, for one, believe that due process is a cornerstone in the very foundation of our nation," Blair said, reading from a prepared statement.

"This great university is not morally bankrupt nor will we allow it to become so. This incident should, however, cause us to focus

concerns and debate issues."

Blair said the All-University Judicial Board has completed its investigation of the incident for the school and results will be released to the parties involved on Monday. He said the judicial board must make sure due process is extended to all parties involved.

In a telephone interview after the news conference, Chancellor Dan Ferritor said he recommended specific disciplinary action for the players to Broyles. He said it was then Broyles' job to meet with Richardson and decide what action should be taken. "I made a suggestion and they decided not to take it," Ferritor said.

Ferritor said he was not upset with Broyles or Richardson for taking their own course of action.

Rodeo

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Mathis, Tarleton State University 73; 3. Linn Churchill, Odessa College 69.

Calf Roping — 1. Carter Edmondson, Tarleton State University 12.2; 2. Shawn McMullan, Tarleton State University 12.4; 3. Dale Jones, Eastern New Mexico University 12.5.

Saddle Bronc — 1. Jason Yazzie, Eastern New Mexico University 73; 2. Wade Hebb, Tarleton State University 61; 3. Charles Soileau 52.

Goat Tying — 1. Krista Jefferies, Sul Ross State University 9.5; 1. Angie Almond, Tarleton State University; 3. Kody Newman, Texas Tech University 12.3. Barrel Race — 1. Ray Linn Key, Texas Tech University 17.08.

Steers

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Big Spring 010 001 0 — 2 4 1
Garcia and Larez; Myrick, Coots (7) and Oliva; W — Garcia; L — Myrick; LOB — FS 5; BSMS 4; 2B — Berry, Downey; MR — Garcia; SB — M. Garza, Rodriguez, Mills; Sac — Villa, M. Garza; E — Garcia; Bustamante 2; Oliva; PB — Larez.

Golf

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Sweetwater A 645
Andrews A 652
Andrews B 656
Lake View A 671
Pecos A 675
Big Spring B 703

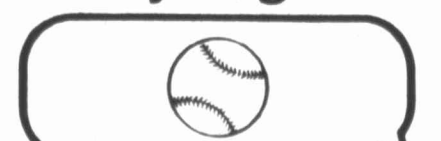
Fort Stockton A 735
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Fort Stockton B 845
BSMS VARSITY (after two rounds)
Jon Sims 79.75 — 154
Eric Lusk 82.72 — 154
Charlie Garcia 82.73 — 154

Bo Hodnett 84-83 — 167
James Welch 85-85 — 170
BSMS JR. VARSITY
Kyle Plumlee 84-80 — 164
Jim Cox 92-99 — 180
Dan Escanuela 92-87 — 179
Cody Simmons 95-85 — 180

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Sidelines

Lady Steers fourth in third round

SWEETWATER — The Big Spring Lady Steers had a good day in the third round of district golf action here Saturday, shooting a 404, good for fourth place.

Andrews B had the best round of the day, shooting a 368, outdistancing the Andrews A team by 10 strokes. Fort Stockton shot a 397. In the team race Andrews A leads with a 1082 and Andrews B is second with a 1198. Monahans is third with a 1229. Big Spring is fifth at 1262.

The Lady Steers got a good round from Kim Locke, who shot a 90, the third best score of the day.

Lady Steers coach Dwight Butler said part of Big Spring's downfall has been one bad round at the first of district competition. "If you throw out the first round in Andrews, then we're sitting in third," said Butler. "But we never shoot well in Andrews. We just want to finish up as best we can."

The final district round will be Saturday in Pecos.

Team Standings

Andrews A	378-1082
Andrews B	368-1198
Monahans	405-1229
Fort Stockton	397-1236
Big Spring	404-1262
Pecos	418-1290
Sweetwater	467-1436
Fort Stockton B	470-1440
Monahans B	482-1452

Big Spring (Kim Locke 90; Jennifer Suggs 100; Amy Barringer 102; April Williams 113; Meredith Baker 127).

Individuals — Terry Lawson 123; Rachel Martin 125; Kathy Cinceros 118.

Medalists — 1. Lisa McQuarters, Andrews 244; 2. Niki Martin, Andrews 247; 3. Robin Mantis, Andrews 263; 4. Kristy Callison, Pecos 270; 5. Andi Lehman, Andrews 271; 6. Kathy Cook, San Angelo Lake View 283; 7. Kim Locke, Big Spring 285.

Stanton thinclads compete in D-City

DENVER CITY — The Stanton Buffalos scored 50 points at the Denver City Classic here Saturday. Crane won the meet with 150 points. Denver City was second with 148 points.

The Buffalos were led by a first and second place finish by Jermy Stallings in the 800 (1:56.49) and 1600 (4:45.31). It was Stallings' first loss of the season in an individual race.

"Jeremy got beat at the line by a kid from Crane (Hector Murgia)," said Stanton coach Dale Ruth. "Jeremy is used to getting big leads and was just running it in. He never saw or heard the kid coming. He (Murgia) had run the 3200 meters early in the morning and he was well rested. Jeremy had run the 800, he didn't get much rest."

Stanton also got a second place finish from the 1600 meter relay team of Stallings, Kenny McCalsiter, Jim Bob Kelly and Freddie Rubio. Rubio was filling in for John Eric Wyckoff, who had turned an ankle in practice earlier in the week. The Buffs ran a 3:33.06.

McCalister ran a 51.25 to finish second in the 400 meters; Kelly ran a 23.85 to finish third in the 200; and the 400 meter relay team of Kelly, McCalsiter, Allen Prough and Phillip Hinojos ran a 45.81 to place sixth.

The Buffs will compete in the District 6-2A track meet Friday and Saturday in Iraan.

Mayfield selected to play in game

Big Spring senior Neal Mayfield has been selected to play in the Texas High School Coaches All-Star football game Aug. 1 in Fort Worth.

Mayfield, a 6-2, 218-pound wingback, was an all-state selection in football. The game will be played at Amon-Carter Stadium.

Church League softball meeting

There will be a church league softball meeting Monday, April 8 at 7 p.m.

The meeting will be at Trimway, located at 214 West 3rd St. For more information call Bob Corley at 263-6620.

American LL needs managers

The American Little League needs managers and coaches for two Senior League teams (ages 14-15) and one Junior League team (age 13).

Registration for Junior and Senior League will end April 10. For more information call Richard Wright at 263-8781.



Monarchs roll

LONDON — Dave Smith (32) of the London Thunder in Sunday's WFLA game at Wembley Stadium. The Monarchs defeated Orlando, 35-12.

Garrelts paces Giants to win

Spring training

(AP) The San Francisco Giants liked what they saw from Scott Garrelts on Saturday and the Oakland Athletics are still waiting to see something good from Eric Show.

Garrelts pitched four hitless innings before leaving in the fifth as the Giants beat Oakland 2-0.

The Giants expect Garrelts to be their No. 3 starter behind John Burkett and Bud Black. Garrelts has been slowed by injuries in the past and had not pitched for a week because of inflammation in his rotator cuff.

Show, signed as a free agent during the winter, gave up two runs on four hits in five innings. He is 0-3 with a 6.92 ERA this spring.

Pirates 5, Tigers 1
LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — Jay Bell and Carmelo Martinez hit home runs as Pittsburgh beat Detroit in the final spring training game for each team.

Winner John Smiley pitched six innings and gave up four hits. Walt Terrell took the loss as the Pirates got 15 hits, including Martinez's two-run homer off Jerry Don Gleaton.

Twins 4, Rangers 3
FT. MYERS, Fla. (AP) — Scott

IHAO attempting scramble format

THE WOODLANDS (AP) — Officials of the rained out Independent Insurance Agent Open will make one final attempt to play golf Sunday with a \$100,000 Independent Insurance Agent Scramble over the soggy Woodlands Country Club course.

Three-man teams comprised of 48 pros will play the 18-hole event that is scheduled for a 5 p.m. finish on national television instead of the final round of the IHAO.

Two days of constant rain forced PGA Tour and tournament officials to cancel the \$1 million event Friday. It was rescheduled for Oct. 23-26 as a \$800,000 event.

Several tournament players said they felt obligated to remain for the scramble to help out the Houston Golf Association, which had put together a strong field and had the 7,045-yards TPC course in its best shape ever.

"A lot of times we're perceived as egotistical guys who just care about money and the headlines," said Peter Jacobsen, head of the Tour policy board.

"We could have very easily waved goodbye and left everyone holding the bag," he said.

The PGA pros are eager to get to Augusta, Ga., to practice for the Masters, but hoped to play in the scramble as a gesture of appreciation.

"This is also an investment in our future too," Jacobsen said. "We love Houston and we want to make sure we have a tournament here in the future."

Twenty-four of the 33 players who have qualified for the Masters, remained to play in the scramble.

Friday's cancellation of the IHAO was the first time a PGA event had been completely canceled since the 1966 Houston Open was rescheduled for November and won by Arnold Palmer.

The only other Tour event ever canceled by weather was also in Texas, the 1949 Colonial NIT.

Leius hit his fourth home run of the spring and Minnesota defeated Texas.

Scott Erickson gave up three hits in seven innings for the victory. Rafael Palmeiro homered and drove in three runs for the Rangers.

Phillies 8, Astros 7
CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP) — Dale Murphy, Lenny Dykstra and Von Hayes homered as Philadelphia beat Houston in 11 innings.

John Morris tied the game with an RBI single in the ninth and singled home the winning run. Ken Caminiti and Luis Gonzalez homered for the Astros.

Red Sox 4, Orioles 1
WASHINGTON (AP) — Danny Darwin allowed three hits and one run in six innings and Jack Clark homered as Boston beat Baltimore before 37,458 fans at RFK Stadium.

Darwin (5-1) allowed a home run to Mike Devereaux in the sixth inning, but still lowered his ERA to 3.00.

Cardinals 2, Braves 1
RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — Bernard Gilkey and Pedro Guerrero singled in a pair of fifth-inning runs that gave St. Louis Cardinals its victory over Atlanta.

The two runs came off Steve

Avery, who had worked out of a one-out jam in the first when St. Louis left runners at first and third.

Mets 3, Blue Jays 2
NEW YORK (AP) — Errors by third baseman Kelly Gruber and second baseman Roberto Alomar enabled New York to score the winning run in the 10th inning.

Daryl Boston reached on Alomar's misplay, stole second and scored when Gruber threw away a grounder by Vince Coleman. Jeff Innis (3-0) pitched a scoreless 10th for the victory. Mike Timlin (0-1) was the loser.

Brewers 3, Cubs 2
CHICAGO (AP) — Robin Yount singled home two runs in the ninth inning, leading Milwaukee over Chicago in a final preseason game that attracted a crowd of 36,342.

Dave Smith (1-1) was the loser and Darren Holmes (1-1) was the winner.

Reds 4, Indians 3
NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Herm Wingham singled home the winning run in the bottom of the 10th inning and Cincinnati beat Cleveland.

Luis Quinones reached on an error, advanced to third on Paul O'Neill's third hit and scored on Wingham's single.

Faldo goes after golfing three-peat

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — It is Nick Faldo against the field — and history.

No one has ever won the Masters three times in a row.

Faldo has two.

No one has ever won the grand slam of golf.

Faldo has dreams.

Not since the glory days of Jack Nicklaus has one man so dominated the pre-tournament talk.

Through it all, the tall Englishman with the elegant swing and steady game remains a calm craftsman going about his business.

"I don't think of it as a third Masters," Faldo said. "I'm trying to approach it as a major, any major."

Besides, Faldo said, he has set himself a much more difficult target than a mere third consecutive Masters.

"The ultimate goal," he said, "is the grand slam."

No one has ever won the Masters, U.S. and British Opens, and the PGA in the same year. Only Nicklaus, Gene Sarazen, Ben Hogan and Gary Player have won all four in a career.

But Faldo thinks it can be done. "In theory, nothing is impossible, is it?" he said. His eyes took on a far-away look as he mused aloud, "You must do everything right. Play 16 wonderful rounds of golf."

The first of those 16 rounds will be Thursday at Augusta National Golf Club where 88 of the world's finest players — 69 Americans and 19 from abroad — tee off in the first of the year's four major tests.

Only one other golfer has had a shot at three consecutive Masters titles: Nicklaus won in 1965 and 1966, but missed the cut the next year when he shot 72-79. In fact, only three men have won any of the four majors in three successive years. And no one has done it since Peter Thomson won the British Open from 1954-56.

It is a measure of Faldo's present stature in the game — and the level of his confidence — that he has his sites set on more than just a third straight Masters.

"My goal is to try to win more majors," he said. "Just keep trying. I'm anxious to see what is in store."

Faldo made a run at it last year. He won the Masters in a playoff victory over Ray Floyd, missed making a playoff at the U.S. Open when a birdie putt on the last hole

lipped the cup, then won the British Open for the second time.

Ben Hogan is the only player to have a shot at the grand slam, and he passed on the chance. Hogan won the first three — the Masters, U.S. and British Opens — in 1953, then did not play in the PGA.

Faldo is approaching this Masters with a single-minded intensity reminiscent of the young Nicklaus — focusing on the majors to the exclusion of all else.

Just as Nicklaus did, he has reduced his playing schedule and built it around the Big Four. He is giving himself every chance.

"I've won some (majors) now. I know how to do it. I'm on a roll. I want to try to win more," said Faldo, now 33 and in the prime of his career.

After closing his 1990 season with a victory in the Hong Kong Open in December, Faldo took a two-month break from competition and granted only one television and one newspaper interview.

He spent time with his family.

He gained about 10 pounds and says he has benefited from an exercise program designed to combat tendinitis in his wrists and elbows. "I'm a lot stronger," said Faldo, now carrying about 210 pounds on a 6-foot-3 frame. "I'm generating more speed in my shoulders and more resistance in my legs and I feel as though I'm hitting the ball farther."

He came to the United States in March and spent a week of intensive work with his teacher, David Leadbetter, in Florida before beginning a series of three tournaments leading up to Augusta.

Any question that the lead-up tournaments were anything more than preparation for the Masters was dispelled by an instance of absent-mindedness at the Players Championship in Ponte Vedra, Fla.

On the second hole of the second round, Faldo lagged up close, marked his tap-in par putt and was staring into the pines while his playing partners putted out.

Then he joined them in the walk to the next tee. Only when Lanny Wadkins reminded him did Faldo go back to the green, replace his ball and finish the hole.

"You're not going to give me that one, eh?" asked an embarrassed Faldo, obviously caught with his mind on some other tournament in some other place.

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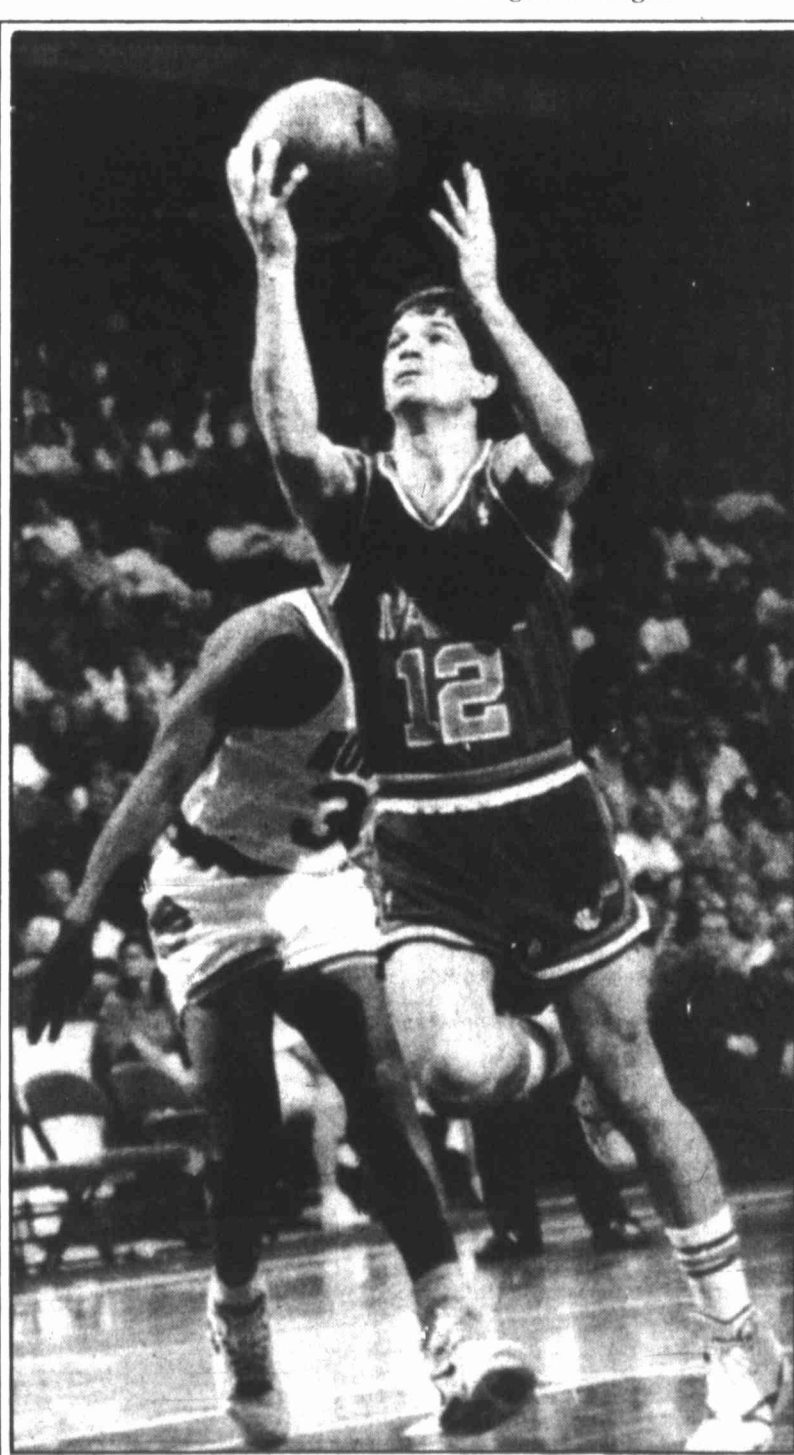
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HOUSTON — Utah point guard John Stockton (12) drives the lane past Houston guard Kenny Smith (30) for a lay-up in the first half of their NBA game Saturday in Houston.

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BS Relays

VARSITY GIRLS
High Jump — 1. Heath, Sweetwater 5.5. (new record, old record 5.4 by Tammi Small, Abilene High 1981 and Anita Allgood, San Angelo Central, 1984.) 2. McCain, Sweetwater 4.6.
Long Jump — 1. Heath, Sweetwater 16.7; 2. Matthews, Big Spring 16.0; 3. Rodriguez, 14.9; 4. Lee Sweetwater, 14.10; 5. Gardner, Sweetwater 14.5; Griffith, Big Spring 14.4.
Triple Jump — 1. Matthews, Big Spring 34.2; 2. Rodriguez, Big Spring 31.0; 3. Gardner, Sweetwater 30.10; 4. Smith, Sweetwater 29.7; 5. McCain, Sweetwater 28.5; 6. Miller, Big Spring 28.3.
Shot Put — 1. Shelman, Big Spring 40.7; 2. Hilario, Big Spring 29.2; 3. Patten, Big Spring 28.9; 4. Smith, Sweetwater 28.5; 6. Miller, Big Spring 28.3.
Discus — 1. Underwood, Big Spring 101.7; 2. Hilario, Big Spring 92.6; 3. Morrow, Big Spring 78.9; 4. Wilson, Sweetwater 78.3; 5. Slaten, Sweetwater 75.1; 6. Blueford, Sweetwater 54.0.
3200 — 1. Lopez, Big Spring 14:25.2; 2. Garcia, Forsan 15:47.30; 3. mendez, Big Spring 16:39.59.
400 Relay — 1. Big Spring 50.45; 2. Sweetwater 50.67; 3. Forsan 54.63.
800 — 1. Walters, Big Spring 2:36.79; 2. Roman, Forsan 2:46.34; 3. Perez, Big Spring 2:59.39.
100 Hurdles — 1. Grisham, Big Spring 19.00; 2. Griffith, Big Spring 18.04; 3. Gardner, Sweetwater 18.18; 4. Nietzel, Forsan 18.32; 5. Gammons, Forsan 19.59; 6. Kidd, Sweetwater 20.21.
100 — 1. C. Miller, Big Spring 12.91; 2. A. Miller, Big Spring 14.32; 3. Murphy, Big Spring 14.53.
800 Relay — 1. Sweetwater 1:50.25; 2. Big Spring 1:51.18; 3. Forsan 1:52.82.
400 — 1. Rodriguez, Big Spring 60.60; 2. McCain, Sweetwater 65.02; 3. Hoard, Forsan 70.27; 4. Dubose, Forsan 70.98; 5. Deboese, Big Spring 71.01; 6. Pate, Big Spring 73.94.
300 Hurdles — 1. Grisham, Big Spring 51.13 (new record, first time event held); 2. Griffith, Big Spring 53.06; 3. Gardner, Sweetwater 56.25; 4. Kidd, Sweetwater 57.44; 5. Alioto, Sweetwater 58.32.
200 — 1. Smith, Sweetwater 28.17; 2. Murphy, Big Spring 30.93; 3. A. Miller, Big Spring 31.48; 4. Palmer, Big Spring 32.28.
1600 — 1. Lopez, Big Spring 6:19.73; 2. Walters, Big Spring 6:19.73; 3. Perez, Big Spring 6:42.91; 4. Garcia, Forsan 6:56.85; 5. Hoard, Forsan 7:45.15.
1600 Relay — 1. Sweetwater 4:17.19; 2. Big Spring 4:17.56; 3. Forsan 4:42.45.
Team Totals — 1. Big Spring 277; 2. Sweetwater 147; 3. Forsan 80.

Klondike Relays

Results of the Klondike Relays Saturday.
GIRLS
Point Totals — 1. Sands 89; New Home 77; 3. El Paso Jesus Chapel 75; 4. Klondike 69; 5. Sterling City 67; 6. Ropes 57; 7. Loop 46; 8. Midland Christian 37; 9. Dawson 27; 10. Hermleigh 19; 11. Grady 10; 12. Buena Vista 8; 13. El Paso Agape Christian Academy 8; 14. Borden County 0.
High Jump — 1. Burgess, Midland Christian 5.0; 2. McMorries, Grady 5.0; 3. Mechum, Ropes 4.6.
Triple Jump — 1. Franklin, Klondike 31.6; 2. Halbrooks, Loop 31.1; 3. Burgess, Midland Christian 30.8; 4. Wooten, Sands 30.7; 5. Howard, Sands 29.10.
Shot Put — 1. Wright, Sterling City 30.11; 2. Allen, Sterling City 29.7; 3. Thomas, Jesus Chapel 29.1.
Discus — 1. Wright, Sterling City 94.0; 2. Renteria, Sands 88.1; 3. Vaughn, Jesus Chapel 87.11.
Long Jump — 1. R. Davis, New Home 15.4; 2. Young, Sands 15.3; 3. Franklin, Klondike 14.8.
3200 — 1. Marquez, Ropes 14:40.17; 2. Jurado, Buena Vista 15:13.36; 3. Saenz, Jesus Chapel 15:30.44; 4. Serrato, Klondike 15:43.81.
400 Relay — 1. New Home 53.22; 2. Sands 53.84; 3. Klondike 54.0.
800 — 1. Riley 2:44.24; 2. Grossman, Sterling City 2:50.55; 3. Saenz, Jesus Chapel, 3:00.
100 Hurdles — 1. Rodriguez, Dawson 17.48; 2. Kays, Sands 17.78; 3. Burgess, Midland Christian 18.25; 4. Glendening, Klondike 19.66.
100 — 1. Thomas, New Home 12.92; 2. Wilson, Jesus Chapel 13.46; 3. Anderson, Hermleigh 13.65.
800 Relay — 1. New Home 1:52.49; 2. Sands 1:55.65; 3. Klondike 2:00.48.
400 — 1. Allen, Sterling City 63.02; 2. Anderson, Hermleigh 65.73; 3. Barton, Klondike 67.18.
300 Hurdles — 1. Harris, Loop 52.20; 2. Burgess, Midland Christian 53.60; 3. Rodriguez, Dawson 54.48; 5. Glendening, Klondike 58.72.
200 — 1. Davis, New Home 27.78; 2. Wilson, Jesus Chapel 28.12; 3. Copeland, Sterling City 29.41.
1600 — 1. Melcher, Ropes 6:22.56; 2. Marquez, Ropes 6:30.61; 3. Taylor, Ropes 6:40.97.
1600 relay — 1. Sands 4:39.60; 2. Klondike 4:47.87; 3. Jesus Chapel 4:53.67.
BOYS
Team Totals — 1. Ropes 108.5; 2. Grady 99; 3. Klondike 85; 4. Jesus Chapel 78; 5. Wellman 54; 6. Sterling City 38.9; 7. Midland Christian 35.8; 8. Sands 23.9; 9. Dawson 16; 10. Loop 15; 11. Buena Vista 17; 12. Agape Christian Academy 18.
High Jump — 1. Bortland, Ropes 20.7; 2. Robertson, Grady 19.5; 3. Vogler, Klondike 18.11; 4. Christian, Klondike 18.10.
Discus — 1. Franco, Wellman 121.6; 2. Morales, Grady 113.6; 3. Cruz, Jesus Chapel 109.11; 5. Enriquez, Klondike 105.10; 6. Hodnett, Sands 106.5.
Shot Put — 1. Wilson, Ropes 40.11; 2. Guerra, Klondike 40.0; 3. Urbina, Klondike 38.8; 4. Cortez, Grady 36.9.
High Jump — 1. Roland, Ropes 6.2; 2. Hughes, Sands 6.0; 3. Robinson, Grady 6.0; 6. Valle, Grady 5.8.
Triple Jump — 1. Bortland, Ropes 40.10; 2. Portillo, Jesus Chapel 39.0; 3. Robertson, Grady 38.7; 4. Hughes, Sands 38.4.
Pole Vault — 1. Jeffcoat, Ropes 10.6; 2. McKaskie, Grady 9.4; 3. Roland, Ropes 9.4; 4. Torres, Klondike 9.6.
3200 — 1. Gaitan, Sterling City 10:50.18; 2. Serrato, Klondike 11:20.12; 3. Awtry, Midland Christian 11:21.19; 4. Rivas, Grady 11:31.38.
400 Relay — 1. Jesus Chapel 45.49; 2. Ropes 46.76; 3. Midland Christian 46.88; 5. Grady 47.99; 6. Sands 48.09.
800 — 1. Villagrana, Grady 2:10.98; 2. Mabide, Wellman 2:11.97; 3. Sewratto, Klondike 2:12.17; 4. Herm, Sands 2:13.29.
110 Hurdles — 1. Valle, Grady 15.73; 2. Roland, Ropes 16.77; 3. Harten, Wellman 17.40; 5. Cortez, Grady 17.98.
100 — 1. McNealy, Jesus Chapel 11.34; 2. Crow, Loop 11.73; 3. DeLaRosa, Dawson 11.82; 4. Vogler, Klondike 11.93.
400 — 1. Haar, Sterling City 52.21; 2. Borden, Ropes 53.94; 3. Cagle, Wellman 55.83; 4. Hewitt, Grady 56.77.
300 Hurdles — 1. Valle, Grady 42.36; 2. Enriquez, Klondike 42.52; 3. Green, Jesus Chapel 44.24.
Loop 15 — 1. Brown, Loop 15.2.
200 — 1. McNealy, Jesus Chapel 23.41; 2. Haar, Sterling City 24.13; Berlin, Jesus Chapel 24.28; 6. Christian, Klondike 24.49.
1600 — 1. Gaitan, Sterling City 4:56.85; 2. Serrato, Klondike 5:06.96; 3. Reyes, Dawson 5:14.16; 5. Villagrana, Grady 5:17.77.
1600 relay — 1. Klondike 3:41.67; 2. Grady 3:48.82; 3. Wellman 3:47.36; 5. Sands 3:48.61.
6-2A Jr. Track
Results of the 6-2A junior high North Zone track meet at Coahoma Friday.
7th BOYS
2400 — 1. Shifflett, Coahoma 9:20.40; 2. Coates, Coahoma 9:25.84; 3. Jackson, Wall 9:29.12; 4. Hopper, Stanton 10:12.24; 5. Looney, Stanton 11:18.96; 6. Hull, Stanton 11:37.63.
800 — 1. Cazares 2:29.85; 2. Baker, Forsan 2:35.29; 3. Marnien, Coahoma 2:35.38; 4. Herrera, Wall 3:37.64; 5. Stallings, Stanton 3:38.54; 6. Coates, Coahoma 2:51.96.
400 Relay — 1. Coahoma (Arguello, Tindol, Marnien, Bailey) 52.93; 2. Wall 55.38; 3. Forsan 56.21.
100 Hurdles — 1. Cox, Stanton 19.02; 2. Kadlcek, Wall 21.41; 3. Crow, Forsan 21.58; 4. Kemper, Coahoma 21.93; 5. Burnett, Wall 22.23; 6. Heidelberg, Stanton 22.47.
100 — 1. Arqueillo, Coahoma 13.24; 2. Salgado, Stanton 13.37; 3. Bailey, Coahoma 13.56; 4. Sook, Wall 14.42; 4. Cash, Stanton 14.87; 6. Coats, Stanton 15.15.
200 Hurdles — 1. Kemper, Coahoma 53.32; 2. Salgado, Stanton 51.72; 3. Bailey, Coahoma 52.93; 4. Lentz, Forsan 53.94; 5. Cazares, Stanton 54.41; 6. DeLaRosa, Coahoma 56.91.
400 — 1. Cox, Stanton 61.16; 2. Herrera, Wall 70.84; 3. Henry, Coahoma 74.39.
200 — 1. Cox, Stanton 27.10; 2. Arguello, Coahoma 27.24; 3. Salgado, Stanton 28.53; 4. Tindol, Coahoma 29.40; 5. Hirt, Wall 30.33; 6. Edwards, Wall 31.69.
1600 — 1. Stallings, Stanton 5:52.30; 2. Cazares, Stanton 5:53.50; 3. Johnson, Stanton 5:59.53; 4. Marnien, Coahoma 6:00.43; 5. Shifflett, Coahoma 6:14.50; 6. Jackson, Wall 6:23.10.
1600 Relay — 1. Forsan (Warren, Lentz,

Lone Wolf Relays

Results of the Lone Wolf Relays in Colorado City Saturday afternoon.
GIRLS
Shot Put — 1. Hulume, Coahoma 29.10; 2. Rosas, Colorado City 28.5; 3. Kelly, Coahoma 28.5; 4. Aguilar, C. City 26.2.
Long Jump — 1. Anderson, Coahoma 16.10; 2. Gpidsmith, Merkel 15.5; 3. Hanks, Coahoma 15.4; 4. Bridgford, Colorado City 14.7.
High Jump — 1. Hoover, Colorado City 5.4 (new record); 2. Bridgford, Colorado City 5.0; 3. Deike, Winters 4.10; 5. Moreno, Colorado City 4.4; 6. Reed, Coahoma 4.4.
Discus — 1. Rosas, Colorado City 118.0; 2. Hulme, Coahoma 114.7; 3. Leady, Winters 103.10; 6. Kelly, Coahoma 73.3.
Triple Jump — 1. Anderson, Coahoma 35.2; 2. Thompson, Winters 32.5; 3. Nault, Merkel 32.2; 4. Hanks, Coahoma 31.5; 6. Molina, Colorado City 30.0.
3200 — 1. Horton, Winters 14:46.29; 2. Bryan, Winters 14:30.36; 3. Rodriguez, Winters 14:53.24; 4. Martinez, Westbrook 15:08.12; 5. Bradbury, Colorado City 15:52.91.
400 Relay — 1. Winters 52.32; 2. Merkel 52.37; 3. CVolorado City 53.51; 4. Coahoma 53.75.
800 — 1. Hanks, Coahoma 2:22.83; 2. Kraatz, Winters 2:44.08; 3. Lantow, Winters 2:50.14; 4. Sanchez, C. City 2:50.62.
100 Hurdles — 1. Anderson, Coahoma 16.48; 2. Hoover, Colorado City 18.41; 3. Richardson, Merkel 18.86; 4. Munoz, Colorado City 18.91.
100 — 1. Ward, Merkel 12.44; 2. Ross, Colorado City 12.80; 3. Deike, Winters 13.41; 4. Bridgford, C. City 13.64; 6. Thompson, Coahoma 15.05.
800 Relay — 1. Merkel 1:50.41; 2. C. City 1:56.07; 3. Winters 1:57.88; 4. Coahoma 2:10.16.
400 — 1. Vaughn, Merkel 63.81; 2. Lentz, C. City 64.20; 3. Ward, Coahoma 66.24; 6. Nelson, Coahoma 70.66.
300 Hurdles — 1. C. Smith, Winters, 51.98; 2. McKnight, C. City 53.98; 3. Aguilar, C. City 54.75; 6. Reid, Coahoma 58.41.
200 — 1. Smith, Winters 28.32; 2. Ward, Merkel 28.50; 3. Boone, Colorado City 29.59; 4. Bennett, Coahoma 30.66; 6. Lawhon, Coahoma 32.09.
1600 — 1. Hanks, Coahoma 5:40.16; 2. Horton, Winters 6:23.63; 3. Martinez, Westbrook 6:38.01; 4. Putnam, Westbrook 6:46.89; 5. Sanchez, C. City 6:53.81.
1600 Relay — 1. Coahoma 4:20.73; 2. Merkel 4:24.24; 3. Winters 4:27.94; 4. C. City 4:45.59.
Team Totals — 1. Winters 155; 2. Colorado City 139; 3. Coahoma 122; 4. Merkel 106.5; Westbrook 14.
BOYS
Shot Put — 1. Belue, Winters 49.2; 2. Waller, Winters, 42.0; 3. Scott, Merkel, Merkel 41.11; 5. Coleman, Coahoma 39.3.
Discus — 1. Lawson, Colorado City 131.6; 2. Guy, Winters, 123.0; 3. Coleman, Coahoma 114.5.
Long Jump — 1. Belk, Winters 20.9; 2. Green, C. City 20.3; 3. Bahlman, Winters 19.4; 4. Atkinson, Coahoma 19.1; 5. Ginneth, Coahoma 18.11; 6. Mendez, Coahoma 18.10.
Triple Jump — 1. Beck, Winters 41.5; 2. Mendez, Coahoma 39.9; 3. Bahlman, Winters 38.5; 4. Atkinson, Coahoma 37.8; 6. Gigneth, Coahoma 35.11.
High Jump — 1. Mashburn, Merkel 6.4; 2. Coates, Coahoma 5.6; 3. Elmore, Coahoma 5.4.
Pole Vault — 1. Ramsey, Colorado City 12.0; 2. Collins, Winters 12.0.
3200 — 1. Rodriguez, Winters 10:27.30; 2. Coates, Coahoma 10:51.42; 3. Awalt, Winters 12:33.62; 4. Rowell, Coahoma 12:38.37.
400 Relay — 1. Winters 43.96; 2. C. City 45.25; 3. Merkel 46.00; 4. Coahoma 46.24.
800 — 1. Rodriguez, C. City 2:10.93; 2. Dofson, Merkel 2:14.82; 3. Redlin, Coahoma 2:15.30; 4. Marnien, Coahoma 2:16.97; 5. M. Smith, C. City 2:18.34.
100 — 1. Roman, Winters 11.05; 2. Green, C. City 11.12; 3. Whitney, Merkel 11.44; 4. Mendez, Coahoma 11.61; 6. Atkinson, Coahoma 11.89.
400 — 1. Bahlman, Winters 52.45; 2. Campbell, Winters 52.90; 3. Mashburn, Merkel 53.98; 4. Lawson, C. City 54.75; 5. Lowery, Coahoma 55.01.
300 Hurdles — 1. Bernal, Winters 42.86; 2. Elmore, Coahoma 45.35.
200 — 1. Belk, Winters 23.46; 2. Green, C. City 23.58; 3. Mendez, Coahoma 24.24; 4. Ginneth, Coahoma 24.95; 5. Ramsey, C. City 25.50.
1600 — 1. Rodriguez, Winters 4:52.20; 2. Coates, Coahoma 5:00.83; 3. Marnien, Coahoma 5:16.45; 4. Redlin, Coahoma 5:22.18.
1600 Relay — 1. Winters 3:30.99; 2. Merkel 3:38.22; 3. C. City 3:39.69; 4. Coahoma 3:39.83.
Team Totals — 1. Winters 187; 2. Coahoma 121; 3. Colorado City 90; 4. Merkel 79; 5. J. Boys Team Totals — 1. Merkel 201; 2. Colorado City 151; 3. Coahoma 134; 4. Winters 32.

NBA standings

Table with columns for Eastern Conference, Atlantic Division, Central Division, and Western Conference, Midwest Division. Lists teams and their records.

Senior golf

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — Scores with relation to par Saturday after the third round of the \$800,000 Tradition played on the 6,844-yards, par-72 Cochine Course: Phil Rodgers 65-67-73-205-111; Jim Colbert 70-68-67-205-111; Jim Dent 69-69-71-209-7; B. G. Smith 69-69-71-209-7; Jack Nicklaus 71-73-66-210-6; John Paul Cain 70-69-71-210-6; Tommy Aaron 70-70-71-211-5; Jim Feyer 72-68-71-211-5; Chi Chi Rodriguez 69-69-73-211-5; George Archer 69-69-73-211-5; Dave Hill 70-73-69-212-4; Bobby Nichols 71-73-69-212-4; Charles Coody 75-68-70-213-3; Jimmy power 72-73-69-214-1; B. B. Bruce 68-75-71-215-2; Don January 68-75-71-214-2; Tom Shaw 74-69-71-214-2; Walter Zembriski 70-70-74-214-2; Bob Charles 74-66-74-214-2; Dick Hendrickson 70-73-72-215-1; Billy Casper 73-70-72-215-1; Dale Douglass 71-72-72-215-1; Rives McBea 73-68-74-215-1; Mike Hill 69-72-74-215-1; Dewitt Weaver 73-71-72-216-6; Frank Beard 74-70-72-216-6; Simon Hobday 73-70-73-216-6; Gay Brewer 73-69-74-216-6; Terry Dill 72-70-74-216-6; Babe Hickey 71-75-71-217-1; Lee Trevino 75-75-69-217-4; Perry Ziegler 74-72-71-217-1; Miller Barber 70-73-74-217-1; Gary Player 69-71-77-217-1; C. J. Snead 76-71-71-218-2; Bruce Crampton 71-71-76-218-2; Tommy Jacobs 69-71-78-218-2; Joe Jimenez 76-76-67-219-3; Lee Trevino 75-75-69-219-3; John Brodie 73-74-72-219-3; Dick Ryan 74-72-73-219-3; Rocky Thompson 78-74-68-220-4; Gibby Gilbert 73-76-71-220-4; Al Kelley 71-73-72-221-5; Bob Nicklaus 75-74-72-221-5; Don Bick 73-74-74-221-5; Charles Owens 74-72-73-221-5; Bruce Devlin 72-70-79-221-5; Jack Kiefer 79-73-70-222-6; Mike Joyce 78-72-72-222-6; Larry LaRocca 75-74-73-222-6; Lloyd Moody 78-71-73-222-6 + 74; Al Baiding 72-74-72-222-6 + 74; Don Massengale 77-75-71-223-7; Jim O'Hern 75-75-73-223-7; Butch Baird 71-78-74-223-7; Bert Yancey 74-74-75-223-7; Dudley Wyson 77-78-69-224-8; Lee Elder 74-78-72-224-8; Lou Graham 74-74-74-224-8; Al Geiberger 75-71-78-224-8

LPGA

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — Scores Saturday after the third round of the \$350,000 PING Welch's Championship played on the 6,243-yard, par-72 Randolph Park No. 1 Golf Course: Chris Johnson 67-69-65-201; 69-70-65-204; 67-69-69-208; 70-71-67-208; 69-68-72-209; 72-71-67-210; 70-70-70-210; 70-66-71-210; 69-68-73-210; 70-74-68-212; 69-73-69-212; 70-72-69-211; 67-74-70-211; 72-71-68-211; 68-73-70-211; 68-72-72-212; 72-71-69-212; 70-74-68-212; 74-72-64-212; 72-73-68-213; 71-72-70-213; 70-74-69-213; 71-69-73-213; 68-74-71-213; 71-73-70-214; 68-73-73-214; 74-70-74-214; 72-73-69-214; 72-73-69-214; 71-73-71-215; 71-74-70-215; 71-73-72-215; 71-73-71-215; 71-73-72-216; 73-72-71-216; 73-72-71-216; 70-74-72-216; 70-71-75-216; 74-72-71-217; 71-72-71-217; 72-74-71-217; 71-73-73-217; 71-73-73-217; 72-73-73-218; 72-73-73-218; 69-74-75-218; 72-73-73-218; 71-74-73-218; 72-73-74-219; 72-74-71-219; 71-74-74-219; 70-75-74-219; 74-72-71-219; Sandra Palmer 72-74-73-219; Sue Thomas 72-74-73-219; Deborah McHaffie 73-73-74-220; Susan Sanders 72-72-76-220; Sally Little 71-73-76-220; Susie McAllister 72-72-76-220; Susie Redman 73-73-77-221; Adebj Lukken 73-73-77-221; Caroline Pierce 75-71-77-221; Marci Bozarth 73-73-78-224; Barb Thomas 73-73-78-224; Melissa McNamara 75-70-79-224; Nancy Bowen 71-74-85-230; Marlene Floyd 77-77-80; Laura Davies 80-80-80; Margaret Ward 80-80-80; Marlene Hague 81-81-80; Patty Hayes DQ

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Sidelines

Favorites get even in playoffs

(AP) It was get-even night for Chicago, St. Louis and Calgary in the NHL playoffs on Saturday night.

They all won big games at home to tie their respective best-of-7 series at 1-1 after opening-night upsets.

Chicago beat Minnesota 5-2 and St. Louis stopped Detroit 4-2 in the Norris Division playoffs. Calgary turned back Edmonton 3-1 in the Smythe.

Vancouver visited Los Angeles in a late Smythe game.

The NHL playoffs continue Sunday night with semifinal play in the Patrick and Adams divisions.

New Jersey hosts Pittsburgh and Washington entertains the New York Rangers in the Patrick with their series tied 1-1. Boston is at Hartford and Buffalo at Montreal in the Adams playoffs. Boston and Hartford are tied 1-1 and Montreal holds a 2-0 lead over Buffalo.

Norris Division

Blackhawks 5, North Stars 2
Warren Rychel, playing in the third NHL game of his career, scored a goal and assisted on two others as Chicago beat Minnesota.

The Blackhawks looked more like the team that posted the league's best record. They doubled Minnesota's shot production in the first two periods (12-6 and 14-7) and checked hard at both ends of the ice.

They also limited the North Stars to five power play chances, down from 11 in Thursday night's 4-3 overtime loss, and killed off four.

Minnesota's only goals came late in the third period.

Blues 4, Red Wings 2

Brett Hull scored with eight minutes remaining as St. Louis overcame a two-goal third-period deficit to beat Detroit.

Baseball camp for Little Leaguers

Baylor University baseball coach Mickey Sullivan will be providing three baseball camps for boys nine through 15 years old. The camps are in their 18th season, and will be conducted in Waco.

For more information call (817) 756-1816.

Coed volleyball at Forsan

The senior class of Forsan High School is sponsoring a coed volleyball tournament April 27.

Entry fee is \$60 per team and entry deadline is April 16. Format is round robin. The first three teams will receive team trophies.

Send entry fee to Judy Williams, P.O. Box 716, Forsan, Tx., 79733.

YMCA signups for hoops and volleyball

The Big Spring YMCA is having signups for its racquetball and four-on-four basketball leagues.

There will be an A and B league in racquetball. Entry deadline is April 15 and entry fee is \$15.

Entry deadline for the basketball league is also April 15, entry fee is \$60 per team and team roster limit is seven players.

For more information call 267-8234.

Bicycle tour set for June

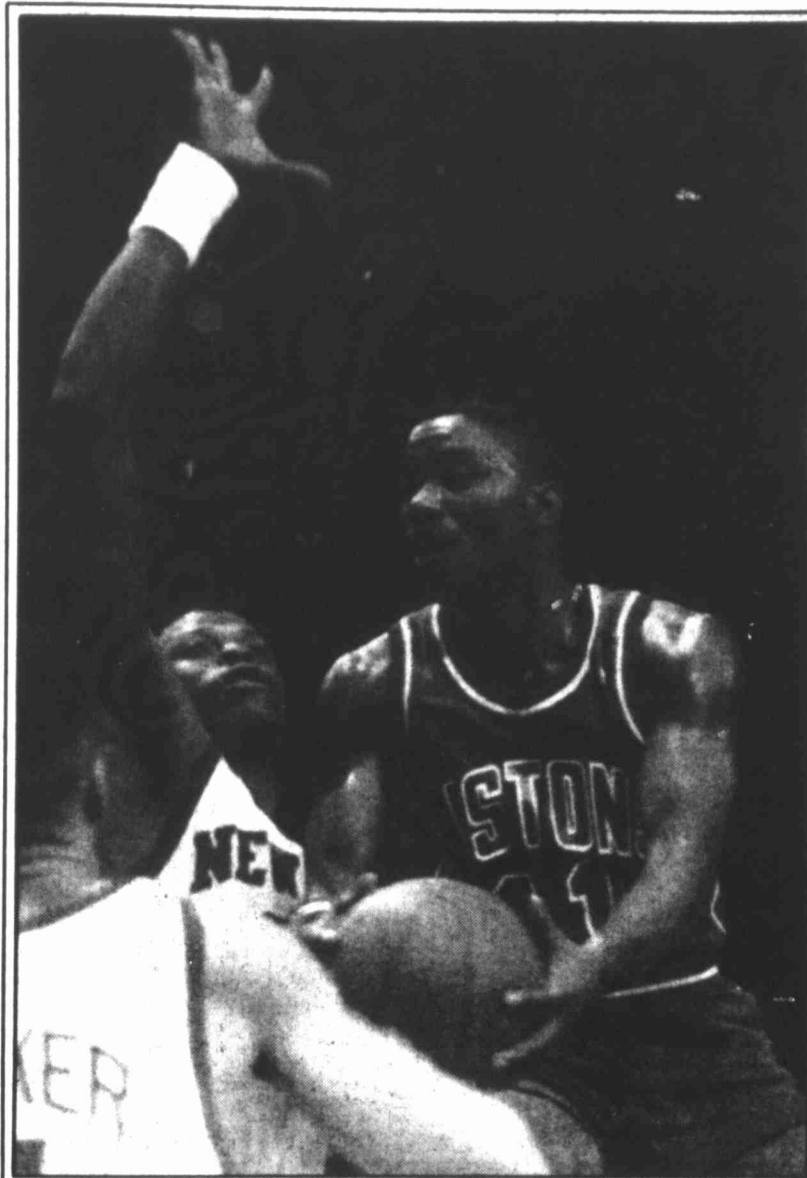
The Texas Chaining Challenge will be June 2-8.

The Texas Chaining Challenge will begin in Sour Lake, located 35 miles west of Beaumont. The tour will travel northeast to the Oklahoma-Texas border city of Paris. Host towns along the seven day route include Jasper, Garrison, St. Augustine, Gladewater, Jefferson and Mt. Vernon.

Registration is limited to the first 500 cyclists. For more information call 1-800-657-1868.

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Up, up and away

NEW YORK — Detroit's Isiah Thomas (11) goes up past New York's Patrick Ewing, center, and Kenny Walker, left, during first half action Saturday night at Madison Square Garden in New York.

Baylor win streak at 32 and counting

AUSTIN (AP) — Baylor won its 32nd consecutive 1600-meter relay race. Texas Christian turned in a speedy 400-meter relay, and there was a record long jump to conclude the 64th Texas Relays on Saturday.

With Tony Miller just holding off Rice, the Bears extended their 1600-meter winning streak with a clocking of 3:06.64 as a heavy rain poured down.

Miller, who has tendinitis, limped off the track after the victory. The last Baylor loss was to Texas A&M at the 1989 outdoor NCAA meet. It was Baylor's 52nd victory in its last 54 appearances in the event.

Texas Christian's "Flyin' Frogs", who won the 800-meter relay on Friday night, posted the nation's best time this year in winning the 400-meter relay with a clocking of 39.23. Rice was second in 40.10. TCU was named the outstanding team of the Relays.

Horatio Porter, who was the anchor man for the Frogs, said there is no individual thinking on the TCU relay teams.

"I had such a big lead there wasn't as much pressure on me," he said. "This team has really come together."

Gordon McKee, who attended Southwest Texas State, set a Memorial Stadium and Texas Relays record in the open long jump with an effort of 27 feet, 3/4 inch, breaking the 1985 mark of 26-11 by Mike Conley of Arkansas during the NCAA meet.

McKee, competing unattached, was named the outstanding male

Knicks' win gives Bulls Central Division crown

(AP) The Chicago Bulls ended the Detroit Pistons' three-year run as Central Division champions, thanks to the New York Knicks.

Patrick Ewing scored 14 of his 35 points in the decisive fourth quarter as the Knicks beat the Pistons 101-88 Saturday night, snapping Detroit's five-game winning streak. The loss dropped Detroit eight games back of the Bulls with seven left in the regular season.

The Pistons trailed only 72-70 after a three-point play by Isiah Thomas with 10:56 left, but a jumper and dunk by John Starks started a 16-4 spurt that Ewing capped with eight straight Knicks points, giving them an 88-74 advantage with 6:31 to go. Later in the period, New York extended the margin to 96-78, largest of the game.

"We match up well with the Pistons," Ewing said. "I was able to get the ball on the block instead of the perimeter."

"We didn't have any answers for Patrick Ewing, either 1-on-1 or double-teaming him," Pistons coach Chuck Daly said.

Thomas, playing his second game after missing 32 because of a wrist injury, had 16 points and five assists in 32 minutes, but he turned the ball over six times.

"Generally I feel good, but at the same time there is a bit of ten-

competitor. Georgetown took first in the men's university 6,000-meter relay in 15:12.10 with Stanford second at 15:13.93. Georgetown came right back to win the 4x800 meter relay in 7:19.45 with Wisconsin second in 7:21.86.

Mike Jasper, who ran the second leg on the winning 3,200-meter relay, said "the competition is incredible and it's such a challenge, but we pride ourselves on being good representatives of the Northeast."

Esther Jones anchored Louisiana State to victory in the women's 400-meter relay in 43.82 to 43.83 for Barton County College.

LSU's Mary Cobb won the women's 100-meter hurdles in 13.15 to 13.67 for Dianne Rose of Barton County.

The Lady Tigers also won the university women's sprint medley relay in a clocking of 1:38.1 to Tennessee's 1:41.0.

Wendell Edwards of Abilene Christian won the collegiate men's 110-meter hurdles in 13.93.

Sam Jefferson, a freshman from the University of Houston, took the collegiate men's 100-meter dash in 10.31 while Frank Fredericks of BYU won the invitational 100-meter dash in 10.17.

Jasmin Jones of Tennessee was the winner of the collegiate women's 1,500-meter run in 4:22.34 and Sean Fitzgerald of Minnesota took the men's version in 3:53.38.

Kansas State took the trophy for the university men's sprint medley relay in a time of 3:16.61.

tativeness in my play," Thomas said. "I can make a strong move, but I can't finish it the way I usually do."

In other games Saturday, it was Orlando 102, Boston 98; Atlanta 137, Indiana 110; Houston 97, Utah 88; Milwaukee 133, New Jersey 114 and Sacramento 119, Golden State 108.

Bucks 133, Nets 114
Fred Roberts scored a career-high 34 points, including six in a 25-11 run in the final 5:57 of the third quarter. Jay Humphries scored 22 points and Frank Brickowski 21.

Reggie Theus matched his season high with 36 points and Sam Bowie and Derrick Coleman each had 20 for the Nets. Coleman sprained his left ankle with 54.8 seconds left in the first half and didn't return.

New Jersey lost its fifth straight game and 18th in a row on the road. The Nets are 5-32 away from home this season. Milwaukee won for the seventh time in 10 games.

Hawks 137, Pacers 110
Dominique Wilkins scored 30 points. Spud Webb 27 and Glenn Rivers 25 for the Hawks, who romped over the last 14 1/2 minutes.

The teams were tied 86-86 when John Battle's jumper put the Hawks in front to stay with 2:29 remaining in the third quarter.

Wagstaff sets U.S. record

FEDERAL WAY, Wash. (AP) — High schooler Janie Wagstaff set an American record in the women's preliminaries in the women's 100-meter backstroke in the U.S. Spring Nationals swimming meet on Saturday, then came up short in a bid for a world record in the finals.

Her time of 1 minute, 1.10 seconds broke the U.S. mark of 1:01.20 set in 1986 by Betsy Mitchell, who retired last summer.

Wagstaff, 16, had said her goal to break one minute in Saturday night's finals.

Her coach with the Kansas City Blazers, Pete Malone, said his star pupil didn't have enough at the finish in the finals.

"She had to work way too hard to do a 29.88 (in the first 50 meters) and she was tired coming home," he said.

The world mark is 1:00.59 was set by Ina Kleber for East Germany at the 1984 Friendship Games in Moscow.

Seth Van Neerden, 22, of Wilmington, Del., barely missed setting another American record when he won the men's 100 breaststroke in 1:01.67, a meet record. The U.S. mark of 1:01.65 was set by Steve Lundquist in 1984. Van Neerden's time was the second-best by an American.

Van Neerden finished third in the 200 breaststroke, won by Mike Barrowman. Barrowman was second

in the 100 in 1:02.12. Three-time Olympic gold medalist Janet Evans, 19, of Placentia, Calif., posted her third victory of the meet, winning her 16th consecutive 400 freestyle event in a major meet. Evans hasn't been beaten in the 400 freestyle since the 1986 Goodwill Games.

She was timed in 4:09.11, far off the world record of 4:03.85 she set in the 1988 Olympics at Seoul, South Korea.

It was Evans' 27th national title. She also won the 800 freestyle and 400 individual medley this week.

Wagstaff, a 5-foot-11, 146-pound high school junior from Mission Hills, Kan., got her U.S. record in the 100 backstroke without being pushed. Beth Barr finished second in the heat in 1:03.12.

Wagstaff's American-record performance came after she finished a disappointing third in both the 100 and 200 backstroke in the World Championships at Perth, Australia, in January.

Wagstaff said she is benefiting from international rules changes in backstroke events. Swimmers now aren't required to touch the wall of the pool with their hands on their turns. Instead, they can flip and push off with their feet.

On Thursday night, Wagstaff won the 200 backstroke in a meet-record 2:09.09, the second-fastest time ever by a woman.

High school freshman Anita Nall,

14, of Towson, Md., twice set an American record in the 200 breaststroke on Thursday. She swam 2:27.08 in the finals.

Nall got another victory Saturday night when she took the 100 breaststroke in 1:09.83.

In the men's 100 backstroke, 24-year-old David Berkoff of Cambridge, Mass., the event's world record-holder and a silver medalist in the 1988 Olympics, won in 55.57 seconds. His time was 1.06 seconds off the world mark he set at Seoul.

Berkoff used a 35-meter underwater start in setting his world mark. International swimming rules now allow only a 15-meter underwater start.

The men's 400 freestyle was captured by Lawrence Frostad, 24, of Sacramento, Calif., in 3:53.33. He also took the 800 freestyle earlier in the meet.

In the closest finish of the night, Stanford freshman Summer Sanders, star of last month's NCAA women's meet, edged college teammate Janel Jorgensen, a sophomore, in the women's 100 butterfly.

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13. Photo identification is required to collect your prize.

Fishing with Mark



Advice for bass anglers

A wise man once said, "Be sure to keep the main thing, the main thing." Well, the old sage probably wasn't meant for bass fishing, but the truth is that understanding the fundamentals and nature of bass goes a long way to enjoying your time out on the lake or river.

Over the past couple of weeks we've tried to introduce you to the fundamentals of bass fishing. First, we spoke of the feeding habits of bass, and what they like to eat. Specifically, we talked about offering them a menu they couldn't resist. Second, we talked briefly about where to find bass. Just like humans, bass are sometimes choosy about when and where they hold. Yes, they too like a good atmosphere when dining!

This week, we're going to talk about the "serving" end of fishing, that is, presentation. Through those difficult winter months, we talked a little about different techniques of lure presentation, but this week we approach this topic from the view point of a new angler. The two important parts of good lure presentation are placement and action. Perhaps you've seen on television, or even observed a neighbor out with their rod and reel practicing and developing the accuracy of their casting and advanced casting techniques. This isn't just a pastime for seasoned anglers, it's part and parcel of good fishing. You can't expect to attract bass unless you're able to cast with accuracy to where the bass is holding. And the bass simply won't be interested in what you are offering if the bait doesn't look appealing. This is where your action comes into play.

You might have noticed two weeks ago, when we spoke of the different types of lures available, that there were a lot of different styles, colors and sizes. Also, many of these lures are made to "act" differently in the water. Some are made to float along the surface. Others are made to dive under water when you begin your reeling motion, and then float upward as you stop the reeling action. The reason for all this variety of size, style, color and action in lures is for you to have at your disposal a lot of different tools with which to attract the bass. That's why they call them lures! And that's exactly what you want to think about when you present your bait to the fish. You want to lure, or tempt, the bass into striking what you have offered him!

Learn to cast your lure accurately alongside a fallen tree, working around the parameter of the natural cover in intervals of just a few feet. Remember, in clearer water you'll need to keep your boat a good distance from the cover. Practice dropping your lure into a weed bed and work it through the weeds in a lifelike way to get a bass's attention. Along a bank, under heavy tree cover, fish your top water bait to draw these shallow bass up for a strike.

Remember, the more accurate you cast into the holding area, and the more lifelike your bait appears as you present it, the better your chances of attracting a fish into striking your hook! Don't miss next week, as we put it all together in our final in this series for new anglers!

Lease list published

AUSTIN — Although this is springtime, many hunters are beginning to look for a deer lease. The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department publishes the Deer Hunting Lease Register, a listing of lands available for lease.

The list is maintained by the department and provided free upon request. It currently lists more than 2 million acres of land offered by 327 landowners.

Hunters wishing to obtain a copy of the list, or landowners who wish to list lands, should write to the Wildlife Division, TPWD, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas 78744, or call 1-800-792-1112 or 1-512-389-4505. Specify the region of the state you wish to hunt: central, east, south or west.

Officials stress that the department acts as a reference for lease information, but plays no role in negotiations between hunters and landowners.

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Associated Press photo

Clothes encounter

Kelly Cooper, a champion turkey caller, models a jacket and cap from the new line of camouflage he has designed that has a three-dimensional appearance. Cooper says his eight-toned camouflage blends into the woods better than the traditional two- or three-toned camouflage designs.

Outdoors

Mold on peanuts killed 2,000 cranes

AUSTIN — About 2,000 sandhill cranes died this winter from eating moldy peanuts near Cedar Lake in Gaines County along the Texas-New Mexico border, a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department official said.

The sick cranes were often unable to hold their heads and necks up, although many were still able to stand or walk. Other sick birds could be seen flying with their necks hanging down, said Ron George, department wildlife biologist.

The die-off is part of a continuing problem in the Cedar Lake area that was first reported in the early 1980s. When first reported, the cause of the problem was unknown. Biologists initially suspected aflatoxin. Researchers in other areas had reported crane losses from aflatoxin associated with moldy peanuts.

Laboratory tests, though, revealed aflatoxin was not the cause of the problem, nor were other common waterfowl diseases, pesticides or other

environmental pollutants. The crane losses continued, peaking in 1985 with 5,000 deaths in the area. George said that researchers noticed the crane losses seemed to begin each winter about 10 days after a period of cold, wet weather.

"The timing was so consistent that wildlife managers could predict the beginning of new losses but were unable to prevent them," he said.

After more than two years of investigation involving six major laboratories, including one in London, England, the cause was diagnosed as being caused by ingestion of peanuts containing a mycotoxin (fungus-produced poison) attributed to the mold *Fusarium compactum*, which was producing a toxin under cold, wet conditions that previously was unknown to science.

Earth Day in April

AUSTIN — Texans will be able to enjoy Earth Day environmental awareness activities in many state parks and wildlife management areas on April 20-21.

"April in Texas is just about the prettiest time of year to visit our public lands and

Earth Day reminds us of how important it is to protect our wild places while we are hiking, boating, camping or just being outdoors in the spring wildflowers," said Ron Holliday, public lands director for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

A state park recycling program will kick off on Earth Day 1991, and visitors will be asked to become partners in environmental conservation. First, park visitors can separate recyclable items from their trash and deposit them in bins designated for glass, aluminum or plastic. Next, they can plan conservation-minded outings by using biodegradable paper products instead of plastic, and low-phosphate biodegradable liquid soaps and reusable bags, baskets and cloth instead of throw-aways.

"We preserve Texas landscapes and provide places for people to get back to nature, but the sheer numbers of people coming to our public lands makes it tough to keep a sense of the untouched wilderness," Holliday said. "Earth Day is an excellent time for use as stewards of public lands to host conservation."

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Beauty is a beast



Beams grows for the cameras on a recent promotional tour in New Orleans.

By LINDA CHOATE
Lifestyle Reporter

If you met Mary Beams on a Big Spring street you'd never guess she has a sinister alter ego.

For a few days each month Beams becomes the "Bad Girl" of tag wrestling duo Bad, Black and Beautiful. A member of the Ladies Professional Wrestling Association, Beams trades in her normal lifestyle for that of a pounding, body-slaming, gut-punching powerhouse.

Big Springers Mary and husband/trainer Doug are equally dedicated to her career development. Six days a week they can be found at the YMCA working on a strict regime of weight training. They also run up and down the steps of the Comanche Trails Amphitheater and walk Scenic Mountain regularly.

The constant training keeps Beams in shape for her monthly matches. When the L.P.W.A. calls, Beams, her

partner, Gene Kirkland of Connecticut, and manager Boogaloo Brown, meet at one of the various cities throughout the country for the match.

That's when Beams leaves Mary behind and takes on her "Bad Girl" persona.

The crowd greets them with a chorus of catcalls. Beams, defiant, snarls at the hissing mob as she and Black Venus make their way into the ring. The two ladies work as a team, although only one is allowed in the ring at a time. The one in the ring will pound the opponent until her strength is drained. A tag of her partner's hand will allow the other to enter the ring and finish the job. In order to win, one must "pin" the opponent to the mat for a count of 3.

When asked about the rules Beams replied "Anything goes as long as the referee doesn't see you." And that means anything.

The matches vary between 15 minutes and 1 hour, depend-

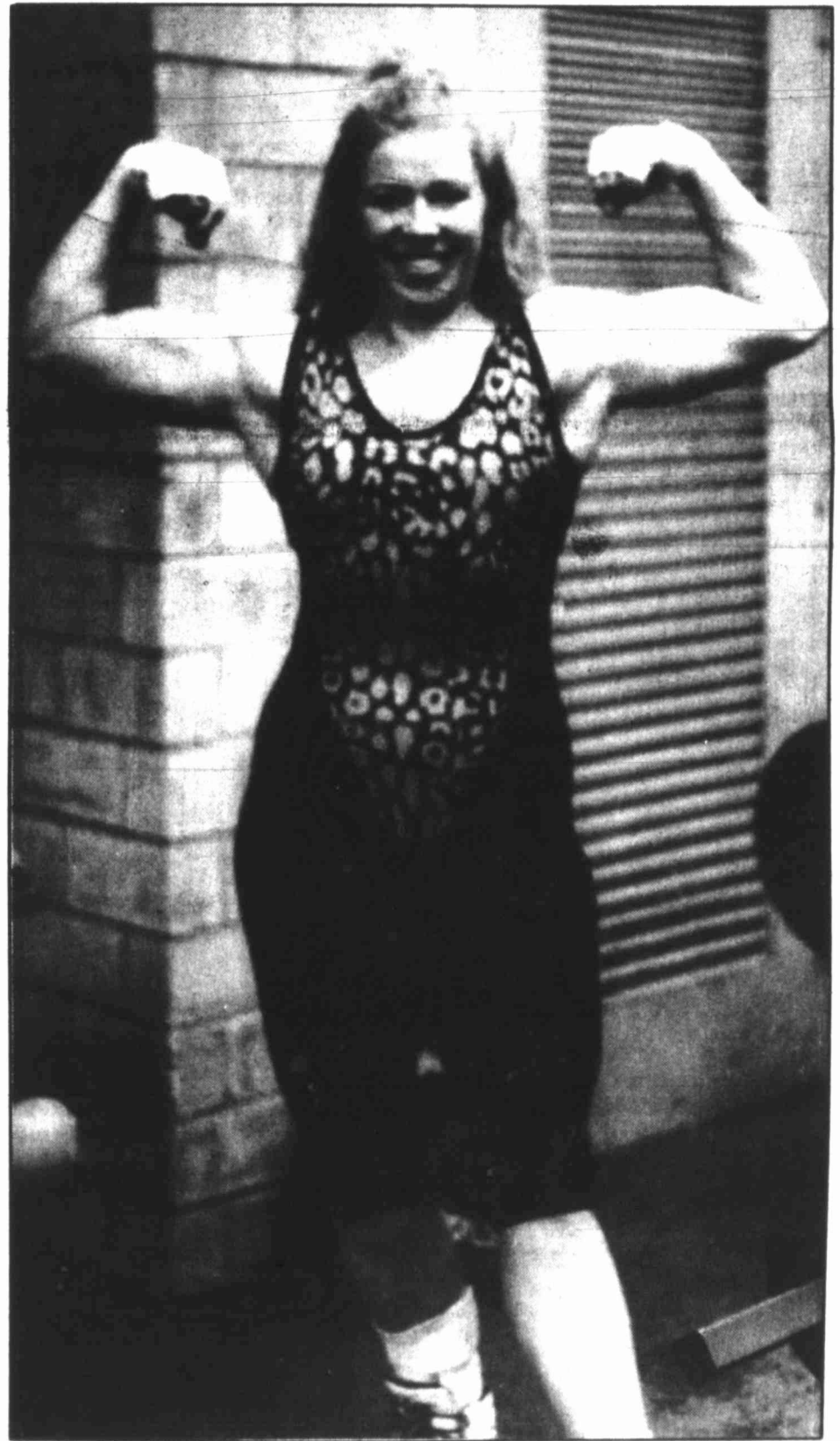
ing on the title at stake. This is why Beams trains so hard: strength and endurance are the keys to pinning a strong opponent.

Bad, Black and Beautiful are moving toward their match with the number-one ranked team for the Womens World Tag Team Championship.

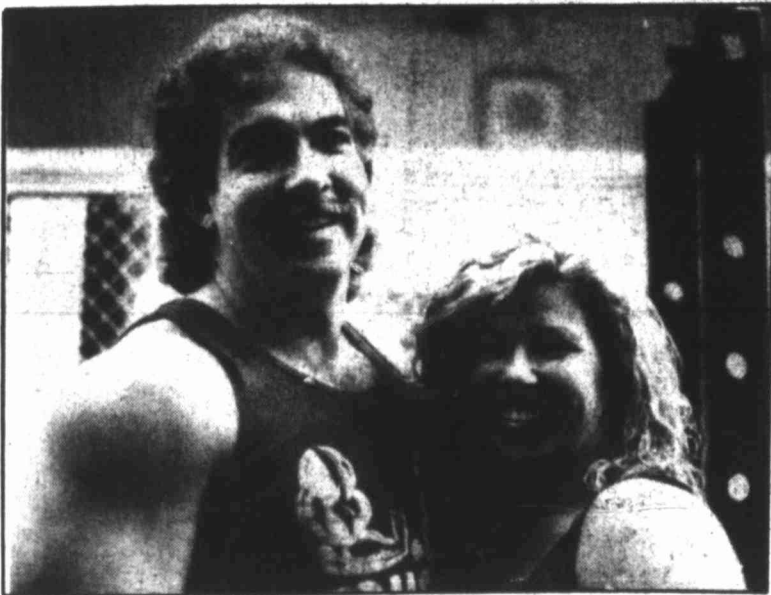
Back at home, having left the "Bad Girl" in the ring, Beams says she is a normal young woman with goals and aspirations like anyone. She admits occasionally getting a double-take from some local folks, but that doesn't bother her.

"I feel people should take me as I am," Beams said. "I feel good about myself and my life. If others have a problem with it, that's up to them. I'm a nice person."

Ladies Professional Wrestling Association matches can be seen on the Home Sports Entertainment channel, Mondays from 3 to 4 p.m.



Mary works out daily to keep in top form for her upcoming matches.



Mary poses with her husband, trainer, and biggest fan, Doug Beams.

MARY BEAMS

Age: 30
Height: 5'8"
Weight: 175lbs
Bench press: 205lbs
Curl: 55lbs
Squat: 365lbs



The team of Bad, Black and Beautiful put on an exciting show for the huge crowds of wrestling fans that follow the circuit.

Silly column was result of morale-boosting call from soldier son

Last month I wrote about a large-sized bra my parents had given me as a joke. It was a silly column with no socially redeeming qualities whatsoever. I knew I was asking for trouble.

If there's one thing I've learned in my life as a writer it's that what's funny to one person is offensive to another.

I prepared myself for letters from flat-chested women accusing me of making fun of them. Letters from large-busted women accusing me of making fun of them. Letters from the general population accusing me of contributing to sexism. It didn't happen.

Christina Ferchalk



Instead, readers told me they were glad to see I was coming around. They had been concerned about the direction I was taking, but once they read the bra column they knew I'd be all right. It was amazing. Not only did you people see the humor, you saw through

the ruse. As you suspected there was a story behind that column.

For weeks I had written about nothing but the sadness of war. I knew that wasn't healthy. If I could write a column about the ridiculous, it would help me get my head screwed on straight again. I tried, every day I tried, but my heart wasn't in it.

I even tried to loosen up by having a couple of glasses of sherry while I soaked in the bathtub. All that did was shrivel my skin and give me a major case of the weeps.

Is there anything more revolting than a half-smashed

wrinkled woman on a crying jag?

I didn't know what I was going to do. Then one Friday evening I received a "morale" call from Saudi Arabia. That morale stuff works both ways. After speaking with my son such a weight was lifted from my shoulders that I felt giddy. I put pen to paper in an effort to spread the goofiness. And that is how the bra column was born.

It wasn't meant to be taken seriously. Breast size is irrelevant. It has nothing to do with a woman's beauty, sexuality, intelligence, or ability to nurse young. I'm sure there were some readers offended by the column,

but any topic, regardless of how harmless it may seem, will have a darker side to someone.

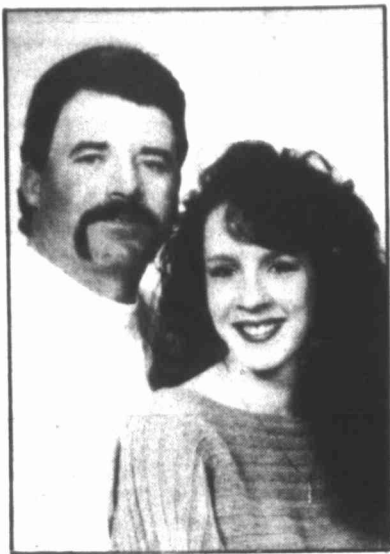
After that column appeared some people decided to add to my collection of large-sized bras. The largest was sent to me by John Gallace of Altoona. The bra, a size 53DDD, was a wonder to behold. John filled each cup with bags of oranges so when I opened the box the bra was standing at attention. Because his gift would arrive in the vicinity of Valentine's Day, John even went to the trouble of dying the bra red. What a gas!

A lady, unknown to me, provid-

ed John with that bra. Certainly he didn't come across it gathering dust at the bottom of his underwear drawer. All I know of this lady is that she is generous, good-natured and incidentally, has large bosoms. I would also imagine she suffers constant pain from the strain on her back and spinal cord. Still she extended herself to me, a stranger. She gave me a smile at a time in my life when I really needed a smile. Whoever the dear lady is, as far as I'm concerned, she's earned a star in her crown.

Christina Ferchalk, Atlanta, Ga., is a syndicated columnist with the Thomson News Network.

Engagements



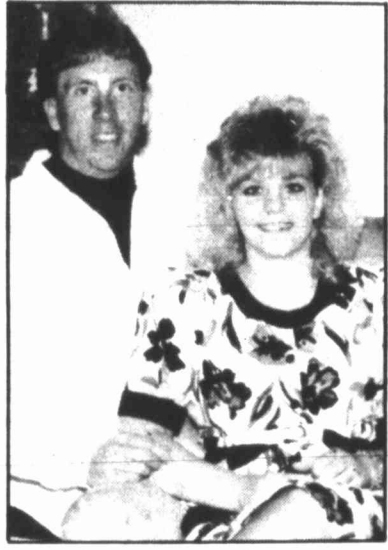
MAY WEDDING — Joan Rene Wilson, Abilene, and Darwin F. Harmon, Big Spring, will be united in marriage May 18 at First Baptist Church, Big Spring, with Taff Wynick, a Baptist minister studying at Hardin-Simmons University, officiating. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Wilson, Big Spring. The bridegroom elect's parents are Jerry F. Harmon, Big Spring, and Jeanette E. Harmon, Lewisville.



COUPLE TO WED — The engagement of Katherine Ann Gray, Odessa, to Charles Edward Roberts Jr., Odessa, has been announced. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Gray Sr., Odessa, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Roberts Sr., Big Spring. The wedding will take place April 20 at First Baptist Church, Odessa, with the Rev. H. Bailey Stone officiating.



ENGAGED — Amanda Grace Gauer, Haskell, and Perry Allan Muehler, Munday, will be married June 15 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Rhineland, with the Rev. Gary Geurtz officiating. The bride-elect's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Gauer, Seymour, former residents of Big Spring and formerly employed by BSISD. The bridegroom-elect is the son of Mrs. Earlene Kuehler, Munday.



DATE ANNOUNCED — Candy Ruble, daughter of Kay Grigg, Big Spring, and Rick Ruble, Dallas, is engaged to marry Eric Norman, son of Jimmie and Charlotte Norman, Big Spring. The wedding is scheduled for April 27 at Trinity Baptist Church, Big Spring, with the Rev. Claude Craven officiating.

Big Springers enjoy star-studded gala



Tidbits
LEA WHITEHEAD

Lights! Cameras! Action! The ingredients were all there Thursday night — the makings of a gala Hollywood-style premiere. Kleig lights. A glittering crowd. Champagne. Celebrity artists. Necks craning to see who's arriving next. The time had finally come to unveil the new Heritage Museum!

But, of course, Big Spring put its own unique stamp on the evening. Tux jackets with jeans and boots. Denim dresses with lace and glitz. Texas caviar (black-eye peas). A "Walk of the Stars" made up of personalized bricks in the entry.

"My name is on one of these bricks," said Judy Smith as the crowd surged past. "I'll have to come back next week to look for it."

"This could be happening in a big city somewhere," said a dazzled Gail Earls. Here from New Braunfels for the opening were former residents Jack and "Steve" Haynes with guests Kenneth and Betty Thiesch. State Rep. Troy Fraser came in from Austin to escort wife Linda. It was the first visit to the museum for Chuck and Sue Howell, who recently moved here from Plano. ("We love it here," says Sue. "Chuck was always a frustrated cowboy and now he can dress like one.")

A soigne crowd of about 500 looked, listened and loved every minute of it — including Marie Hall, Donna Jackson, Betty Wrinkle, Hayes and Dorothy Stripling, Agnes Currie, Sue Read, John and Beverly Taylor, Polly Mays, Beverly Franklin, Clyde McMahon Jr., J. L. and Jean Stevens, Wade and Toni Choate, H. W. "Hack" Wright, Betty Pitts, Joyce Green, Bill and Lora Mae Pollard, Cynthia Marshall (John was at a meeting.) At the buffet table were Tommy and Debbie Churchwell, Suzanne Haney, James and Pam Welch (she was leaving Friday for San Antonio to attend a Texas Association of Symphony Orchestras convention), Bonnie Bennett, Callie

Bennett, Gertrude McCann, Charles and Joan Bell, Dr. Hank and Betty Thompson, Kimball and Sue Guthrie, Tippy Anderson, Ladd and Betty Smith, Treva Hall, Doris Badgett, Lori Ann Rivera and Karen McCarthy.

Also Dorothy Garrett with daughter Sue Partee, Jim Bill and Nancy Little, Dr. Clyde and Jane Thomas, R. H. and Joyce Weaver, Walter and Frances Wheat, Hooper and "Pete" Sanders, Ted St. Clair, Archie and Cindy Kountz, Ted and Emma Harris, Jerry and Dr. Louise Worthy, Myra Robinson, Bill Chrane, Betty Kelley, Bill Sneed, Robert Wernsman, Dion Campbell, Bobbie Thomas, Jackie Thomas, Jerry and Katie Grimes — and so many more, it might have been easier to count those who weren't there!

Cindy Appel got her heart's desire for her birthday. Cindy is a Whovian, or, for the uninitiated, a fan of the long-running BBC series, "Dr. Who." So husband, Tim, treated her and daughter, Amanda, to a trip to Dallas and a convention of the Dr. Who followers.

Special attraction was the personal appearance of Peter Davidson, one of the British actors who has portrayed the leading role.

Jerry and Melba Robinson's children were in town recently for a week's visit.

Michael and Vilma Robinson were here from Long Beach, Calif., where Michael is stationed with the Navy, with Jonathan, 6 months old.

Coming in from Arlington were Michael's sister, Kari Eggleston, with husband Robert, and daughters Kelsey, 3 and Kristen, 1. (Robert could only stay for the weekend.)

Melba says that granddaughter Kristen is following in the beautiful footsteps of Kelsey: Kristen just won her first beauty titles in the All Star Kids Pageant in Waxahachie — first place in Beautiful Baby Division 0-12 months, and first place in Little Miss All-Star. (Kelsey is an old hand at winning pageants, as you know!)

The Egglestons also visited with his parents, Leo and Helen Eggleston.

And the babies' great-grandmother, Clara Robinson, completed the family gathering.



Emma and Ted Harris, Coahoma, top photo, look at an example of Lucy Lucus' western art on display at the opening of the Heritage Museum's new expansion. That's museum curator Angie Way on the right. It's Dr. Jim Mathews under that Stetson in the center, sharing a good story with Betty and Ladd Smith. Enjoying the festivities and the museum's Hollywood-style premiere in the lower photo are, from left, Mary and Anna Sheedy, Kay McDaniel and Paula Talbot.

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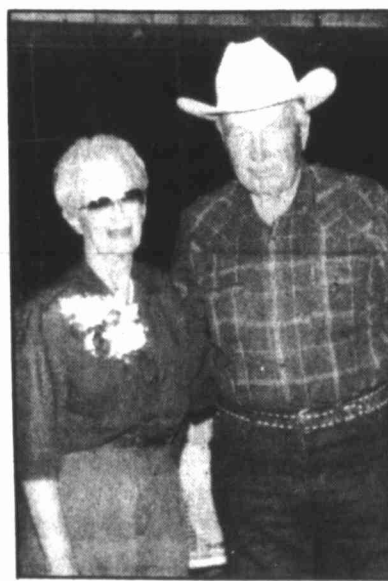
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The Sherrods then



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The Randall Sherrods

Randall L. and Velma Zora Sherrod, Garden City, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception from 3 to 6 p. m. today at the home of their son, Jimmy R. Sherrod, 1002 Baylor Blvd. Hostesses are Ellen Sherrod, Patricia Sherrod and Velma Lee Blakeney. Friends and relatives are invited to drop by. Sherrod, who was born in Ranger, met the former Velma Zora Christian, a blind date in Big Spring. She is a native of Indian Gap. The couple were married April 5, 1941, in a double wedding at the home of the Rev. J.W. Patterson, Garden City, who officiated at the ceremony. The other bride and groom were Will and Thelma Schafer, Garden City. The Sherrods three children are Johnny Sherrod and Jimmy R. Sherrod, both of Big Spring; and

Velma Lee Blakeney, Amarillo. They have 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. The Sherrods lived in Big Spring from 1941 to 1958, when they moved to Garden City. A rancher, Sherrod has served as county commissioner for the past 20 years. He was a deputy sheriff in Big Spring in 1957-58. The couple attends Trinity Baptist Church and Garden City Baptist Church. "Any child or adult that needed help" was welcomed into the Sherrod home. The couple raised 15 homeless or neglected children, along with their own three, and "treated them like one of the family," said their daughter-in-law, Ellen Sherrod. "We've enjoyed a full 50 years of love and trust," the couple says. His hobby is cattle; she like yard work, rock collecting, needlepoint and traveling.

Military

Airman Lewis T. Hinojos Jr. has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is the son of Janie Porras of 1802 Goliad.

The airman is a 1990 graduate of Big Spring High School.

Pvt. Tino L. Gonzales Jr. has completed the basic field artillery cannoneer course at Fort Sill, Okla.

During the course, students were taught the duties of howitzer or gun section crewman. They also received instruction in communications, maintenance and the handling of ammunition and explosives.

Gonzales is the son of Tino and Maria Gonzales of 2401 W. 16th. He is a 1990 graduate of Big Spring High School.

Richard Heath Stockton, the son of Leon Stockton of the 2500 block of Seminole, and of Margaret Griffin, of HC 77, Box T-3, left March 19 for eight weeks of Army basic training.

"I joined the Army to further my education and grow in the ways of the world," Stockton said. He will complete his initial entry training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and then be transferred to Redstone Arsenal, Ala., for technical training as a Hawk missile system radar repairer. Stockton graduated from Forsan High School in 1990.

Robert Lee Hefner, 25, a 1985 graduate of Garden City High School, currently of Bovina, left for eight weeks of Army basic training on March 5.

Hefner will receive both his initial training and advanced instruction as a cavalry scout at Fort Knox, Ky., home of the Army's Armor School.

Hefner, who is married to Susan Lynne Pratt, qualified for a \$2,000 enlistment bonus for selecting job training in the armor field.

He also earned an advanced promotion to paygrade E-4, corporal, for having completed his bachelor's degree at Texas A&M in 1988.

Hefner's parents, Tom and Jackie Hefner, live in Monterey, Mexico.

Chad Soles, a 1990-graduate of Garden City High School, left for eight weeks of Army basic training at the end of January.

Soles, the son of Ronnie and Pam Carter of P.O. Box 1284 in Big Spring, will receive both his initial entry training and advanced instruction as a Multiple Launch Rocket System crewmember at Fort Sill, Okla., the home of the Army's Field Artillery School.

The Garden City graduate was an all-district punter and defensive end in high school football.

"I joined the Army to serve my country," Soles said, "and to get a good jump on life."

Arthur Morales, a senior at Big Spring High School, joined the Army in January under the Army's Delayed Entry Program.

The program allowed Morales to reserve job training in the Medical Field but to delay his active duty date until after his high school graduation in May.

Morales, the son of Rudolfo and Frances Puentes in the 3600 block of Calvin, will leave for eight weeks of Army basic training at Fort Sill, Okla., next June. After completing his initial training, he will be reassigned to Fort Sam Houston near San Antonio, to receive advanced instruction as a medical specialist.

The Big Spring senior enjoys playing jazz and skiing.

"I joined the Army to see what my full potential is," Morales said.

Clot-dissolving drugs save lives after heart attacks

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

Clot-dissolving drugs prove helpful in saving the lives of heart attack victims.

In a large study conducted in over 1000 hospitals around the world, three clot-dissolving drugs have been found to reduce the number of deaths from heart attacks.

Dr. Rory Collins of Oxford

University, was quoted by the Associated Press as saying, "In the United States, about 150,000 heart attack victims are receiving the clot dissolvers each year, representing about one-fourth of the victims who survive long enough to reach an emergency room. They should be given to many more people than are currently receiving them."

The drugs are given in order to dissolve blood clots that are often

responsible for heart attacks when the clots completely block blood vessels in the heart.

According to the AP, the study found all three of the drugs tested to be identical in their ability to reduce the number of heart attack deaths. The oldest of the drugs streptokinase was, however, found to cost only a fraction as much as the others. The cost for a dose of streptokinase is \$200, compared to \$2,200 per dose for the newer

drug TPA, (now most commonly used in the United States). The less expensive drug (most often used in Europe) was also found to be less likely to cause bleeding into the brain — a rare but potentially fatal side effect of clot-dissolving medication.

"The key finding is that giving clot-dissolving drugs after a heart attack works, and it works in a much wider range of patients than doctors thought," said Collins.

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Odessa jazz party among best

It's hard to sit still while listening to the music at Odessa's Jazz Party. The string bass of Milt Hinton echoes through the Hilton. Peanuts Hucko's clarinet plays a wild melody. Drummer Butch Miles provides a beat that makes you want to snap your fingers. Guitarist Bucky Pizzarelli and saxophone player Flip Phillips do great solo work. Jazz fans from as far away as Canada come to Odessa's Jazz Party in late May to hear some of the best traditional jazz to be heard anywhere.

The event is twenty-five years old this year. It all started when Dr. O.A. Fulcher invited three of his buddies to go hear some jazz at Aspen. Making that trip with Dr. Fulcher in 1964 were Ernie Schur, Will Faris and Pinkie Roden. They went to Vail the following year when the Aspen jazz festival moved there. "We figured if they could get a deal like that going in Colorado, we could do it in West Texas," says Ernie Schur, who is a board member of the Odessa Jazz Association, which stages the annual party.

The first jazz party in Odessa was held in the Golden Rooster Club atop the Lincoln Hotel, which later was named The Inn of the Golden West. Only 125 guests were invited and the party was a huge success.

"The audience was so attentive," says Ernie. "And that's been a characteristic of all our audiences. It's really a listening party. You could hear a pin drop when someone's playing a solo."

During the doo-wah days of the oil patch, companies would reserve a couple of tables and take special guests. Each table had twelve seats and each seat went for \$150.

Tumbleweed Smith



For that price, tickets holders were entitled to attend all six performances. They took place from 8 p.m. until midnight Tuesday through Saturday, plus a matinee from 2 until 6 on Sunday afternoon.

At its peak, the party attracted audiences of 400. "The musicians always play better for a full house," says Ernie. Lately, the audience is around 250.

The jazz party has always been a prestigious event. But that does not mean it's exclusive. Some people thought it was by invitation only. "Not so," says Ernie. "We have some tickets available right now." His address is Box 7948, Odessa 79760. This year's party is May 21-26.

"In the seventies and early eighties, we used to get so many checks in the mail from people wanting to come to the party, we had to send some of them back because we just couldn't accommodate them," says Ernie.

He's expecting a large turnout this year. "We're inviting some of the really good musicians back, like bass player Jack Lesberg, who has been to every single Odessa Jazz Party and serves as program director." Jack makes sure the audience gets a variety of jazz by arranging each gig in a series of sets, using different personnel in each set. All of the twenty or so musicians perform during the Sunday matinee.

There are about 150 jazz parties

over the nation now, so musicians can pretty well pick and choose which ones they want to attend. But the good musicians always make room for Odessa, which has the second oldest jazz party in the U.S. now.

The Odessa folks give the musicians country club privileges so they can play golf and swim while they're in town. "We make sure they get special treatment," says Ernie. "They like that."

On stage, the musicians play Dixieland, sure. They also play progressive. There is some scat singing, too. Be-bop, cool jazz, traditional... it's all there.

The Odessa party has attracted just about every big name jazz musician during the past quarter century. Pianist Ralph Sutton has been called "the greatest exponent of the two hands and ten fingers style of jazz playing." Yank Lawsons was chosen from all trumpeters in the nation to play on Louis Armstrong's biographical album, "Satchmo."

Bob Wilber is considered a virtuoso on the clarinet and soprano sax. Bud Freeman played his tenor sax at Odessa's jazz party in the late sixties. Billy Butterfield made seven or eight appearances over the years. Carl Fontana and Kai Winding have played their trombones in Odessa. Joe Venuti played his jazz violin. Trumpet player Clark Terry appeared at the Odessa Jazz Party throughout the seventies. Xylophone player Red Norvo entertained an Odessa jazz audience. The list goes on and on.

Odessa's six-day jazz party is twice as long as most similar events.

Any profits from the parties go toward scholarships for students of jazz.

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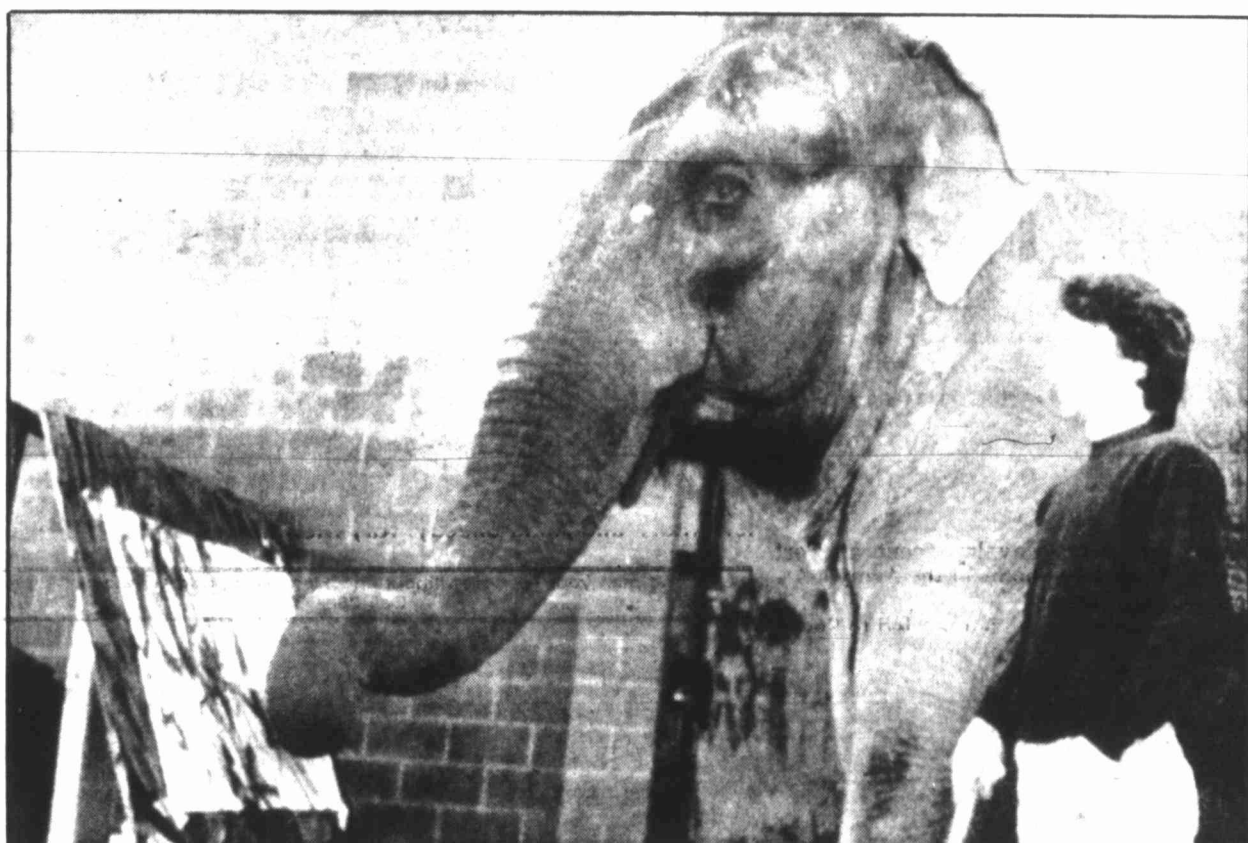
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Painting pachyderm

ANCHORAGE, Alaska — Annabelle, a 27-year-old Asian elephant, practices her painting skills at the Alaska Zoo in Anchorage, Alaska, under the gaze of trainer David Hall. Annabelle has been honing

her skills several times a week since February. She tends to paint in the upper left corner of the picture surface.

Do vitamins prevent cataracts?

By W. Gifford-Jones, MD

The figures are staggering. There are 541,000 cataract extractions performed annually in the U.S. Twenty per cent of Americans between the ages of 60 and 75 have visually disabling cataracts. Cataracts are the leading cause of impaired vision and blindness in the elderly and the cost of treating cataracts is soaring. Last year, \$3.5 billion was spent in the U.S. removing these clouded lenses. What causes the lens of the eye to become foggy? And how do vitamins C and E help fight this disabling disease?

Diabetics have four times the chance of developing opacities in the lens than non-diabetics. Patients suffering from hypothyroidism and glaucoma also have a higher incidence of cataracts. Though the majority of cataracts are caused by aging, there are other causes. Exposure to radiation or high electric voltage — or being struck by lightning — may also instigate this problem. And if your father and grandfather both suffered from cataracts at the age of 45, it's highly likely you will experience the same trouble.

Early symptoms of cataracts are inconspicuous. Colors begin to appear a trifle dull, with less contrast. Later, as opacity increases, patients are bothered by increased glare, making night driving tedious due to the brightness of oncoming lights. And drivers have difficulty reading road signs.

Prof. Paul Jacques, of The Human Nutrition Research Centre on Aging at Tufts University, Boston, says evidence suggests that cataracts are caused by the oxidation of lens protein. During the normal metabolic process, oxidation produces what are known as "free radicals." These highly reactive molecules damage the cells in the lens, just as oxygen causes paper to turn yellow or but-

Doctor game



ter rancid. Vitamin C and E are antioxidant vitamins that act as scavengers to help "mop up," deactivate or destroy free radicals or prevent their formation.

Prof. Jacques studied the dietary intake and blood levels of vitamin C and E in 112 people. Seventy-seven of them had one or more cataracts and 35 were cataract free. Comparison of the two groups found that people with low blood levels of vitamin C were 11 times more likely to develop a cataract.

Prof. Shambhu Varma, of the University of Maryland, says the formation of cataracts involves many factors, but that vitamin C is a protective agent. The cornea, lens and aqueous humour of the eye have one of the highest concentrations of vitamin C in the body.

Over a five-year period, Dr. James Robertson, of the University of Western Ontario, compared the intake of antioxidant vitamins by 175 cataract patients and a similar number of cataract-free individuals. He found that the cataract-free group took significantly more vitamin E than the cataract patients. He reported that those who took vitamin E supplements had reduced cataract risk by 50 to 70 per cent.

Robertson's colleague, Dr. John Trevithick, studied the effect of vitamin E on diabetic rats, who are especially prone to cataracts. He reports that vitamin E supplements decreased the leakage of lens protein into fluids surrounding the eye, one indication of cataract formation.

Eyes, like the rest of the body, eventually age. There's also no conclusive evidence that antioxidant vitamins will prevent cataract formation. But there is reason to believe that they may slow down their formation.

What should we do? It makes economic and medical sense to try to slow down cataract formation. For example, 46 per cent of North Americans ages 75 to 78 have senile cataracts. Delaying the growth of cataracts by 10 years would reduce the number of cataract operations by half.

Clearly, the message is to eat fruits and vegetables. Prof. Jacques found patients with poor diets face increased risks of developing cataracts. Those who consumed less than 3.5 servings of fruit or vegetables a day showed a 13-times-greater increase in the "risk of cataract."

Debate continues about whether supplemental vitamins should be taken and, if so, how much. The majority of Dr. Robertson's subjects took supplements containing between 300 to 600 mg of vitamin C and 400 International Units of vitamin E.

Medical consumers should also be prudent in protecting their eyes from long exposure to strong sunlight. This causes the production of oxygen-deprived free radicals. And as a result of this, the incidence of cataracts increases closer to the equator. Increasing altitude is also associated with increased cataract formation. For instance, the people in Tibet suffer one of the highest rates of cataract incidence in the world.

One last cautionary note. Year after year, too many people of all ages develop traumatic cataracts or lose an eye needlessly. Some fail to use face protectors during games such as hockey. Or protective glasses while playing squash or tennis. Don't let this happen to you or one of your family.

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Junior leadership program growing

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The Junior Leadership Big Spring Program is off and going into its third year. The program, sponsored by the alumni of the Chamber of Commerce Leadership Big Spring program, offers opportunities to county high school junior students.

Leaders for the group this year are Howard County Extension Agents, Don Richardson and Ricky Spencer. Participants are becoming involved in learning more about the civic, government, business, education and industry in the county. The group of 35 have met three times so far this spring, the first being an Orientation/Get Acquainted program hosted by the Days Inn of Big Spring.

The Big Spring Police Department and Chief Joe Cook hosted the group at their second session, where they learned how to become a police officer, their duties and responsibilities, and what takes place at the local city police station.

County Government was highlighted at their next session, hosted by County Judge Ben Lockhart and County Attorney Hardy Wilkerson, assisted by local attorney Wayne Burns. In addition to touring the county courthouse and learning what each department is responsible for, the group participated in a mock trial, whereby they learned the jury selection process, the defense and prosecution procedures and the sentencing of guilty parties.

On April 1, the group met at the Big Spring Federal Prison Camp. Future programs include leadership training programs by local leaders, college preparation programs and other educational programs, tours of local businesses and industries and other community highlights.

This program, limited to high school juniors, is designed to give them opportunities in leadership development and help develop and improve their pride and image in their community. The participants are selected from applications and nominations and recommendations by school administrators, teachers and community leaders.

Members of the 1991 class of Junior leaders and the school they represent include the following: Big Spring High School — Elizabeth Anderson, Valerie Akin, Johnny Deleon, Sidney Dixon, Sherida Drinkard, Kristi Griffin, Gena Grizzard, Matt Hilger, Brant Laster, Ray Mendoza, Charles Myers, Jo Beth Neighbors, Amy Parrish, Melinda Ramirez, Spencer Sinclair, Jennifer Suggs, and Julie Wennik.

Coahoma High School — Katie Cobb, Jenifer Cooper, Dellamy Denton, Malinda Dunn, Jason Grigg, Jeremy Harman, James Hobdy, Charles Mitchell, Gloria Moran, Denise Walker, and Marie Walker.

Forsan High School — Dane Driver, Cicely Garcia, Pattie Howard, and Tasha Rock. Sands High School — Raeni Fryar, Luci Schuelke, and Robin Wootan.

Class members participating in this program and successfully completing at least 8 of the 10 programs offered will receive diplomas from the Chamber of Commerce at a special graduation program in May as well as Leadership Certification of Completion provided by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



Associated Press photo

Blessing of Easter baskets

MOSCOW — Moscow women wait for the end of the service during which their Easter baskets will be blessed in Sviatodanilovsky (Saint Daniel) Monastery in Moscow. The Russian Orthodox Church celebrates Easter today, a week later than the Western world.

Hooked on seafood

Naomi Hunt,
County Extension Agent
Home Economics

Focus on family



Area Extension Home Economists will present a Seafood Workshop Tuesday, April 30 at Fellowship Hall, St. Paul Lutheran Church, 810 Scurry in Big Spring.

The event will begin at 9:30 a.m. with an introduction of herbs and spices used with seafood. Other presentations include seafood nutrition, selection and storage, preparation, marketing and a tour of local seafood market outlets. Participants will have the opportunity for hands-on learning to prepare seafood in a variety of methods. The dishes prepared will be served during the luncheon.

Seafood preparation demonstrations will include: Farmer's Seafood Boil, Grilled Shrimp with Jalapenos, Smoked Fish Log, Grilled Catfish, Microwave Lemon Fish and Surimi Salad.

A \$5.00 registration fee will be charged to cover costs of the luncheon and supplies. Please pre-register by contacting your Extension Home Economist by April 26. Naomi Hunt, Howard County - 267-8469. Kathryn Burch in Martin County - 756-3316; Laura Hutchens in Glasscock County 354-2381 or Dana Davenport in Mitchell County 728-3111.

A new form of processed seafoods, pseudo-shellfish, imitates the taste, texture and appearance of real shellfish, but costs a third to a half less than the real counterparts.

Imitation crab, shrimp, scallops and lobsters, found in supermarkets across the country, are actually quite nutritious as well as economical, providing a new incentive to include more low-fat, high-protein fish in your diet.

These shellfish look-alikes are made from Pacific whitefish, primarily pollock. The fish is washed repeatedly to remove any color and odor and is then processed into products with the shapes, colors, taste and texture of a variety of different kinds of shellfish. The next

Imitation crab, shrimp, scallops and lobsters, found in supermarkets across the country, are actually quite nutritious.

processing step is steaming, after which the shellfish substitutes are frozen and packaged for the market.

The nutritional content of the pseudo-shellfish is comparable to whitefish rather than shellfish. While providing a low-fat source of protein and a variety of essential minerals, they are much lower in cholesterol than some real shellfish, such as lobster and shrimp. This is good news for people who enjoy shellfish, but must closely monitor every milligram of dietary fat and cholesterol.

Salt is added to the fish, so be aware that the sodium content of these look-alikes can be much higher than that of unsalted fresh fish.

Convenience of imitation shellfish is a real asset. Since these products are fully cooked, they can be thawed and served cold in seafood salads. If you include them in a hot dish, be sure to hold them out until near the end of the cooking time. Put them in just long enough to heat through since over-cooking can make them tough, just like real shellfish.

So, there's no need to bypass those tempting recipes that call for expensive lobster or shrimp... you might want to try the look-alikes. They offer sound nutrition at a reasonable price.

Stork Club

• Born to Alicia Carmona and Rigo Moran, 208 N.E. Seventh, a son, Michael Carmona Moran, on March 26, 1991, at 1:24 a.m., weighing 9 pounds 10 ounces, delivered by Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Joe and Enriqueta Moran, 208 N.E. Seventh, and Joe and Bertha Miranda, HC 76 Box 144A1.

• Born to Steve and Sandy Elder, 1206 Wood, a son, Steven Douglas II, on April 2, 1991, at 2:26 p.m., weighing 5 pounds 12 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Ruth Elder, San Antonio, and Silberio and Josie Gutierrez, Coahoma. Steven is the baby brother of Cynthia, 10, and Lisa, 6.

• Born to Roy and Teresa Gonzales, a son, Ysidro, on March 30, 1991, at 8:58 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 10 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fidencio Gonzales, Ackerly, and Mr. and Mrs. Jose Vidales Sr., Lubbock. Ysidro is the baby brother of Roy II, 2.

• Born to Mike and Mona Beavers, a son, Johnny Wayne, on March 30, 1991, at 9:05 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 10 1/2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Jimmy and Barbara Dunn, Carlsbad, and Johnny and Carol Beavers, Big Lake.

• Born to Deborah Darnell and Christopher Curtis, a son, Erick Wade, on March 28, 1991, at 12:57 p.m., weighing 6 pounds 1/2 ounce, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are W.R. and Patsy Darnell, Rt 1 Box 582, and Ray Price, Erick is the baby brother of McKenzie Kaye, 1.

• Born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aguirre Jr., Rt 1 Box 381, a daughter, Kayla Michelle, on March 28, 1991, at 4:36 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 11 1/4 ounces, delivered by Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aguirre Sr., Rt 1 Box 381, and Elvira Porras, Kermit.

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• Born to Todd and Vickie Engel, Lewisville (Dallas), a daughter, Amy Catherine, at Lewisville HCA Hospital, on March 21, 1991, at 1:23 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 12 ounces. Grandparents are Sammie and Connie Buchanan, Coahoma, and Eddie and Gay Engel, Coahoma.

• Born to David and Kay Stephens, Abilene, a daughter, Jessica Kay, at Hendricks Hospital, on March 7, 1991, at 10:13 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 2 ounces. Grandparents are Dave and Dorothy Stephens, Big Spring; Virginia Crawford, Abilene; and Archie Crawford, Como. Jessica is the baby sister of Clayton, 7.

• Born to Casey and Fayelyn Clark, Buffalo Gap, a daughter, Bree Ashley, at Humana Hospital in Abilene, on March 15, 1991, at 7:39, weighing 6 pounds. Grandparents are Wayman and Janelle Clark, Big Spring; Brenda Huff, Coleman; and Larry Sandridge, Big Spring. Bree is the baby sister of Britt, 5.

• Born to Vicki and Wacey Daniel, Big Spring, a son, Kyle Alexander, at Midland Memorial Hospital, on March 18, 1991, at 4 a.m., weighing 5 pounds 3 ounces. Grandparents are Glenn E. and Joan Daniel, Coahoma.

Krishna followers less conspicuous now

HOUSTON (AP) — Hare Krishna. Hare Krishna. Krishna. Hare, Hare.

Hare Rama. Hare Rama. Rama, Rama, Hare, Hare.

The saffron robes, shaved heads and rhythmic chanting of "Hare Krishna" are no longer blizzards on college campuses or turning startled heads at street corners. But members of the 25-year-old Hindu movement, the International Society for Krishna Consciousness, (ISKCON) has not stopped trying to "Krishnaize the world," as its followers say.

"There are probably more devotees in Houston than there have ever been, but they are not as conspicuous," said Tom Kerr, a part-time Brahmin, or priest, at the Hare Krishna Temple on Houston's northwest side.

As a rule, the sect no longer seems as exotic as when its devotees regularly sold books and flowers in airports.

Kerr, whose religious name is Gopal, is a real estate agent. Other Hare Krishnas in Houston, many of them natives of India, also have white-collar jobs and live in comfortable suburbs.

But Kerr and his wife, Terry, known as Tapasvini and a teacher at the temple, participate in the daily 4:30-8:30 a.m. puja (worship and prayer service) as well as the 6 p.m. Sunday service.

Although Sunday attendance averages between 200 and 300 members, Hindu feast days attract from 1,000 to 5,000, Kerr said. They are part of an estimated 100,000 members in the United States and 1 million members worldwide.

According to Calvin Preece, a

The Krishna movement began at the same time that traditional American Christian religion was entering a period of decline, especially among the young.

local university lecturer in Asian religions, the Hare Krishna movement is part of bhakti yoga, one of the fastest-growing traditions in Hinduism. The movement emphasizes a personal love between the devotee (believer) and the god figure.

"It is love relationship," Preece said.

Moreover, the Hare Krishna movement leans to aggressive proselytizing. "Some Hindu scholars feel that aggressiveness is unsuited to Hinduism," he said.

But that didn't stop the young Hare Krishna monks from making their presence felt. Kerr remembers the mid-1970s when he, fellow Houston temple priest Michael Tandy (Mukunda) and Tamal Krishna Goswami traveled throughout the United States and introduced the Hare Krishna movement to college campuses.

"It was fantastic," said Kerr, who joined the movement in 1974 at the age of 21. "Kids were really open."

Whether it was Houston, Atlanta or Los Angeles, thousands of young people flocked to Hare Krishna, attracted by basic Hindu principles such as reincarnation and vegetarianism, he said. Kerr said he has no figures on

whether those youths remained faithful.

Goswami believes the Hare Krishna movement's founder, A.C. Bhaktivadanta, popularly known as Prabhupada. Prabhupada traveled to the United States in 1965 at age 70 with \$5 in his pocket and a trunkful of his translations of sacred Hindu writings, the Vedas. He was convinced that a revitalization of Hinduism in the East would come after the religion won acceptance in the West, especially the United States.

"He is regarded as a spiritual master, a guru," said Goswami, who oversees temples in several states and teaches in India.

The Krishna movement began at the same time that traditional American Christian religion was entering a period of decline, especially among the young.

It also came at a time when some youths, troubled by their peers' involvement in drugs, sexual liberation and cultural rebellion, set out on a spiritual search.

The teachings of Hare Krishna are not an Americanized version of Hinduism, Kerr said. To underscore that, Kerr points out

that 75 percent of those attending the Houston temple are Indians.

Surprisingly attractive to many youths was the devout Hare Krishna lifestyle that emphasized strict vegetarianism, no smoking or intoxicants, no gambling and a conservative sexual morality that permits sex only in marriage and only for procreation.

Goswami acknowledges that the movement is not as visible as it was during the 1970s. Prabhupada died in November 1977.

"It has taken us a number of years to recover from that," he said.

With the establishment of temples and congregations throughout the United States, there was less need to rely on book and flower selling as a source of income. Goswami also said that the young Hare Krishna monks perhaps were too aggressive in proselytizing.

J. Gordon Melton, author of the Encyclopedia of American Religions, said the Hare Krishnas also became a target of the anti-cult movement that flourished in the 1970s.

Texas has Hare Krishna temples in Houston, Austin and Dallas. Kerr oversaw the construction of the Dallas Temple and the development of a successful vegetarian restaurant in Dallas.

Hare Krishnas now use vegetarian dinners to attract prospective members. For instance, a free meal is offered at Sunday services. Kerr said the Houston temple is considering opening a vegetarian restaurant similar to the Dallas facility.

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Club notes

Hyperions elect new officers

Mrs. James Cowan will head the 1955 Hyperion Club for the coming club year.

Vice president is Mrs. Loyd Underwood; recording secretary, Mrs. James Watson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Ritenour; treasurer, Mrs. H. B. Perry; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Jimmy Morehead.

The new officers were elected at the April 2 meeting in the home of Mrs. Ed Holt, with Mrs. Robert Penner as co-hostess.

A new member, Mrs. Sherry

Tompkins, was introduced.

Mrs. Clare De Ryke presented a program on "Japan: A Unique Culture," based on her experiences during a trip to Japan with a Norman Vincent Peale group. She discussed the geography, religion and traditions. More and more women are working now, she said, and fighting the custom of arranged marriages.

Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be a Pacific Island Salad Luncheon at the home of Mrs. Walter Wheat.

Lionesses plan bean supper

Kay Clark will chair the "Beans and Cornbread" Supper from 5:30 to 7 p. m. April 11 in Memorial Hall, Wesley Methodist Church, it was announced at the Howard County Lioness Club meeting recently.

The club will not sell roses this year because of delivery problems. Instead the club will sponsor a "Jail Booth" at the Heart of the City Festival June 1.

Kay Clark reported that four local members visited the Midland Lioness Club.

President Rose Von Hassel announced that the District 2AI convention will be in Sweetwater April 26 and 27.

District 2AI Lions Governor Ernest Barbee and Mrs. Barbee were guests at the meeting. Mr. Barbee described the functions and projects which Lions Clubs support, including the Eye Bank and the handicapped youth camp at Kerrville, the Leader Dog Program and the Sight First Project.

The local club presented the speaker with a check for the Eye Bank in his honor.

Altrusa Club to donate coupons

The Altrusa Club meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, and inquiries about membership are encouraged.

The club's projects include participating in Christmas in April, sponsoring a scholarship to Howard College, and providing cookies and cakes to nursing homes. Promoting literacy is the club's purpose.

Members of the Altrusa Club

voted to save food coupons to donate to Rape Crisis/Victim Services when the club held its annual Easter luncheon at Days Inn.

The luncheon table was centered with a bouquet of pastel flowers, donated by Country Flowers. Small baskets of Easter eggs marked each member's place.

DAR hears report on literacy

The Captain Elisha Mack Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution heard a report on literacy in Howard County at their meeting at the Big Spring Country Club.

Mrs. Walter Wheat, literacy chairman, presented the program, which included a discussion of the Lawbak method of

teaching.

Mrs. A. Kelly gave a report on the National Defense Treaty for Children's Rights.

Thirteen members were present, with two guests.

The next meeting will be April 13 with Mrs. W. T. Barber and Mrs. John Damron as hostesses.

Club helps Christmas in April

The Howard County Extension Homemakers Council voted to donate \$100 to the "Christmas in April" project at its April 1 meeting in Youth Hall of First Methodist Church.

All council clubs were

represented at the meeting.

Naomi Hunt, extension agent, and eight club members will attend the District VI meeting in Ft. Stockton April 11 to present a workshop entitled "Keys to the Courthouse."

Short not always sweet in names

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Please correct me if I'm wrong, but isn't it rude to shorten someone's name without his or her permission?

I'm so tired of introducing myself as "Elizabeth" only to be called "Liz." This happens to me often. I have tried correcting people who do this, but it doesn't do any good — they go right on calling me "Liz."

I just can't understand why so many people believe it's OK to take a "shortcut" with someone's name, can you? — ELIZABETH (NOT LIZ) IN DALLAS

DEAR ELIZABETH: Most people who take a shortcut with someone's name do so in the spirit of friendliness. However, it may be perceived as undue familiarity, so unless she feels certain that it will be well-received, it's better to go the longer route.

No one would presume to call Queen Elizabeth "Liz" — while Mrs. Thatcher responds good-naturedly when she's called "Maggie." I would not recommend calling Henry Kissinger "Hank," but Hank Greenberg would be puzzled

Dear Abby



where he to be called "Henry." Although former California Gov. Brown's name is really "Edmund Gerald," everyone calls him "Pat" for short, and he wouldn't have it any other way.

I have heard from many Barbaras who detest being called "Barb" and Richards who do not care for "Dick."

Bottom line: It's always wise when meeting a person to ask, "And what shall I call you?"

DEAR ABBY: My grandson and his wife have two darling children whom I love dearly. (They live out of state.) Every birthday and Christmas, I shower them with loads of gifts, but I have never had a word of thanks, nor even heard whether they received the

packages.

I'm not looking to be thanked, but I think the least they can do is let me know my gifts were received. How can I politely tell them I'd appreciate a call or a note telling me they received the gifts I sent? — BUGGED GRANDMA

DEAR GRANDMA: You don't say how old your great-grandchildren are, but if they are old enough to hold a pencil or crayon, they are old enough to scrawl a "thank-you."

Don't blame them — it's the fault of their parents who have failed to guide their little hands to the task.

Tell your grandson, or his wife, what you have told me. It would be a kindness.

DEAR ABBY: Please tell your readers that any female employee who gets involved with her boss is out of her mind. I speak from experience.

I was 23 and he was 48. I was married at the time and so was he. He told me he loved me. I was pretty and blond — 5 foot 4, 36-25-36. He said I was "perfect," but when my measurements changed, so did he.

This is all ancient history now, and thanks to heaven and an understanding husband, my life was not ruined. (I had an abortion, but that's another story.)

Abby, please tell those young girls who are tempted to have an affair with their bosses to back off. It's never a secret. Their wives eventually find out and it's a no-win situation, but I suppose it's better to have... LOVED AND LOST

DEAR L. AND L.: With all due respect to Alfred Lord Tennyson, when it comes to adulterous affairs, it's NOT better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all.

Thank you, wise lady, for sharing your costly and painful experience.

Everything you'll need to know about planning a wedding can be found in Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." To order, send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

Kingdon Class bands together for support

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

Members of the Kingdom Class use the support they gain from God and each other in their struggles with mental and emotional problems.

The class was started through the efforts of William Moren and the First United Methodist Church.

Nancy Patrick was chosen to teach the class, and along with Laura Beck and Moren, became one of the three founding members of the Kingdom Class. "We got the class started and two years later, we have 14 members," said Moren.

Through their faith in the healing power of God and the support of christian fellowship, Kingdom members are better able to cope with the added challenge of emotional illness. "Without my faith and my fellow Christians, I just couldn't make it," said Beck.

Patrick writes, "Because of the nature of mental illness, the group is called upon to lend support through prayer, visitation and encouragement when a member or friend of the class is caught in the throes of a mental/emotional crisis. One of the main strengths of this class is the policy of unconditional acceptance of the individual. The separation of the person from the illness is essential."

The group meets twice a week, on Wednesday night and Sunday morning. The Sunday session is a

Bible study/worship session. "We do it like the early Christians. We each in turn give a song, a scripture passage or a lesson," said Patrick. "Whatever we feel like we should do... we try to let God lead us," added Moren.

Although the First United Methodist Church hosts the class on Sundays, no one is excluded for any reason. "It's inter-denominational. Some of us are members of the class but are not members of the church. Anybody is welcome," said Patrick.

The group supports itself financially. Much of the funds raised through car drives and other activities is given to charity (the group gathered 40 sacks of aluminum cans in a drive that end on Easter Sunday). "It is the opinion of the leaders of the class that it is this spirit of generosity, which has brought growth and blessing to the class," writes Patrick.

The Kingdom Class benefits not only its 14 members, but many more in its outreach program. The group also deeply appreciates the efforts of Ted and Ginny Zobeck. The Zobecks have taken a special interest in the class and serve as substitute teachers.

At the Wednesday night meeting, Patrick told the group that Betty Hankin, a former member who had moved away to attend school, had started a similar class in Austin. The members greeted this news with a round of applause.



Associated Press photo

Back to the sixties

MUNICH — Patricia, left, and Sylva present cat-suits from the Munich designer team Caprice. Sixties-styled fashion is the prevalent at the Avantgarde fashion show in Munich, which began Friday.

Entries being accepted for avocado recipe contest

NEW YORK (AP) — Please don't send your recipe for guacamole.

However, if you have an original recipe for an avocado appetizer, salad, main course, side dish, dessert or sandwich, you can submit it to the second annual McCall's magazine California Avocado Recipe Contest.

Entries will be judged by an independent panel of food experts on the basis of originality, taste, appearance, ease of preparation, general appeal, creativity and availability of ingredients.

Three finalists selected by the judges will be flown to New York to participate in a cook-off. The win-

ning recipe will be awarded a \$5,000 grand prize, according to the California Avocado Commission and McCall's.

To enter: Print your name, address, zip code and telephone number on a 3-by-5-inch piece of paper, and send along with your recipe to: McCall's California

Avocado Recipe Contest, Box 2921, Grand Central Station, New York, N.Y. 10169.

All entries must be original and must not be submitted to or published by any other magazine. Entries must be received by May 24. You must be at least 21 years of age to enter.

Artists' workshop

Vickie Clark of Seminole, nationally recognized pastel artist, will conduct a one-day workshop Tuesday, April 16. Anyone interested in taking this workshop may call 267-1037 for details. Deadline for signing up is Thursday, April 11. The Big Spring Art Association is sponsoring the workshop.

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Beautiful baby

Paige Danielle Wilkins, granddaughter of Aubrey Ray and Claudia Darden, Big Spring, won first place in the 0 to 1 year old division of the Sunburst Beauty Pageant Feb. 24 at Big Spring Mall.

Paige, daughter of Ronald and Regina Wilkins, lives in Clyde.

Winning a title in the Big Spring pageant qualified Paige for the Miss Texas Sunburst State Finals in Dallas May 24-26.

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If you wish to correct information on a individual tax return that you have already submitted to the IRS, you need to file Form 1040x with your local IRS Service Center.
Examples of what you may want to change:
• Filing status from married filing separate returns to a joint return.
• Incorrect figure used for an income item. You may have used the wrong number, or you may have received corrected information after your return was filed.
• Incorrect figure used for a deduction item.
• An exemption allowance. For example, you may have claimed a dependent that your ex-spouse was entitled to claim, or you may have forgotten to claim your mother whom you support.
• Replacement of residence. At the time you filed your original return you may have expected to purchase a new home within two years of the sale of your old residence. Now you have the information about the replacement — or you know that you will not be replacing the home.
One thing you may not change after an original filing is filing status from a joint return to married filing separate returns if the due date for the original return has passed. Generally, the amended return must be filed within three years after the date the original return was submitted or within two years after the time the tax was paid (if the date is later). For most taxpayers, April 15, 1991, is the deadline for amending 1987 federal individual income tax returns.
Unless you have experience preparing amended returns, you should seek professional assistance. Amending a return requires an understanding of the amendment process as well as an understanding of the original return.
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Humane society

Pet of the week: "Dover" — a full blood Brittany spaniel. He is liver and white with a wavy coat and docked tail. He is a young adult male, very responsive and very active.

"Mikey" — a male brindle bull dog mix. He is short and chubby, with a shorthaired black and brown striped coat. He has a corkscrew tail and a square muzzle. He is about 7 or 8 months old.

"Taffy" — a chihuahua/dachshund mix female. She is small and long, with a shorthaired caramel colored coat and big, brown eyes. She is a spayed female, is calm, sweet and housebroken.

"Bernard" — A neutered male St. Bernard mix. He is brown, black and white with a smallish body size. Bernard is about a year old and is personable and happy.

"Opposum" — An adorable black and brown spayed female. She has a very small body build and a long coat. Her ears are up and she is playful and perky. She is very young but she is housebroken.

"Penelope" — A solid black ter-

rier mix female. She is small and has a docked tail. She is mild-mannered, about 8 months old, spayed and housebroken.

"Star" — A smallish gold lab with a sleek yellow coat and brown eyes. She has a shy, quiet loving disposition. Star is about a year old, is spayed, and would love to be an indoor/outdoor dog.

"Cleo" — An elegant Russian blue cat. She has a sleek blue/grey coat. Cleo is young, spayed and box trained.

All cats and kittens at the Humane Society require a \$20 donation. With this your feline will be spayed or neutered, tested for leukemia, vaccinated, wormed and litterbox trained. All dogs that are spayed or neutered require a \$35 donation. This includes corona, parvo and distemper shots and worming.

Shelter hours are Monday through Friday, 4 to 6 p.m. and Sunday 3 to 5 p.m. The shelter is closed Saturdays. The phone number is 267-7832.

The shelter is located across from Halliburton on West I-20, Exit 174.

Menus

BIG SPRING SENIOR CITIZENS

MONDAY — Baked liver & onions; stewed tomatoes; cabbage wedge and pineapple upside down cake.

TUESDAY — Beef tips w/mushroom sauce; rice; turnip greens; tossed salad and peach half.

WEDNESDAY — Pimento cheese sandwich; baked beans; potato chips; orange gelatin and gingerbread.

THURSDAY — Ham; glazed sweet potatoes; squash and fresh fruit.

FRIDAY — Spaghetti w/meat sauce & spinach; carrot raisin salad and banana pudding.

BIG SPRING SCHOOLS BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Glazed donut, cereal, orange juice and milk.

TUESDAY — Pancake & sausage on a stick, grape juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Waffle, syrup & butter, sausage patty, apple juice and milk.

THURSDAY — Apple cinnamon muffin, peanut butter & syrup, fruit punch and milk.

FRIDAY — Choco-cake, cereal, apple wedge and milk.

LUNCH (ELEMENTARY)

MONDAY — Corn dog, mustard, whipped potatoes; spinach, hot rolls, chilled pear slices and milk.

TUESDAY — Corn chip pie; buttered steamed rice; cut green beans; hot rolls, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pizza, escalloped potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, applesauce cake and milk.

THURSDAY — Steak fingers, gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, lemon pie/whipped topping and milk.

FRIDAY — Fish fillet, French fries, catsup, pinto beans, cornbread, peanut butter cookie and milk.

LUNCH (SECONDARY)

MONDAY — Corn dog, mustard or hamburger steak, gravy, whipped potatoes, spinach, hot rolls, chilled pear slices and milk.

TUESDAY — Corn chip pie or baked ham; buttered steamed rice, cut green beans, carrot sticks, hot rolls, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pizza or char-broiled meat balls, gravy, escalloped potatoes, mixed vegetables, celery sticks, hot rolls, applesauce cake and milk.

THURSDAY — Steak fingers, gravy or stew, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, tossed green salad, lemon pie/whipped topping and milk.

FRIDAY — Fish fillet or green enchiladas, French fries, catsup, pinto beans, coleslaw, cornbread, peanut butter cookie and milk.

COAHOMA SCHOOLS BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Cereal w/toast, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY — Pancakes on stick, fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Sugar donuts, peanuts, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY — Sweeten oatmeal, toast, fruit and milk.

FRIDAY — Biscuits w/jelly, sausage, juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Steak fingers with gravy, potato rounds, spinach, pull-a-part bread, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY — Bar-b-que chicken, ranch style beans, potato salad, cornbread, fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Lasagna, tossed salad, fried okra, light bread, jello w/fruit & whipped topping and milk.

THURSDAY — Chalupas with cheese, red beans salad, chocolate cake and milk.

FRIDAY — Corn dogs, French fries, corn, fruit and milk.

FORSAN SCHOOLS BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Hash browns, biscuits, jelly and butter, catsup, juice and milk.

TUESDAY — Ham and eggs on a bun, juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Texas toast, jelly and peanut butter, juice and milk.

THURSDAY — Sausage and pancake on a stick, juice, syrup and milk.

FRIDAY — Cereal, cheese toast, juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Burritos, buttered potatoes, salad, chocolate cake, applesauce and milk.

TUESDAY — Hot dogs and chili, tater tots, salad, relish and onion, cherry cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hamburgers, onion rings, salad, pickles and onions, cookie bar, pineapple slice and milk.

THURSDAY — Taco salad, taco sauce, ranch style beans, cheese and crackers, salad, applesauce and milk.

FRIDAY — Braised beef, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls and butter, jello with fruit cocktail and milk.

STANTON SCHOOLS BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Texas toast, jelly, juice and milk.

TUESDAY — Buttered rice toast, juice and milk.



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Moore board consultant a 'people' person

By DEBBIE LINCECUM
Staff Writer

Howard Putnam said "people" are the reason he has agreed to work as a consultant for Moore Development for Big Spring Inc. The economic development corporation has retained Putnam as an adviser on marketing for the Big Spring McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark.

"I took the assignment because I was impressed with the people on the board," Putnam said. "I believed that they and (area citizens) are serious about working to get some businesses in Big Spring."

He admits the assignment will



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Howard Putnam

not be easy. "The competition is fierce," he said. "The recession has taken its toll all over the country." Putnam said his experience in the aviation industry will be of

great benefit. "I've been in the business a great many years," he said. "I know a lot of people. I'll work to open as many doors for Big Spring as I can." Putnam, chief executive officer

at Southwest Airlines from 1978-81, took the reigns at Braniff International from 1981-83, during a difficult reconstruction period. He works as an author, speaker and radio talk-show host, speaking

and writing mainly about values and ethics in business. His first book on the subject, "The Winds of Turbulence," will be published in the fall.

Putnam received a master's of business administration from the University of Chicago in 1966, and graduated from the Harvard Advanced Management Program in 1978.

After a visit to Big Spring, Putnam said he came to some conclusions about how to market the airpark. Although he thinks there is "very little chance" of a large airline maintenance facility being constructed in the area, he said a

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Texas:
Your money



Being sick isn't cheap

By JOHN PAYNE

Question: Why all the hoopla about rising medical costs? I'm as healthy as a horse and rising medical costs don't bother me — George D.

Dear George: Congratulations on being healthy. Even you may become injured or ill at some time and then you will face your share of skyrocketing medical bills.

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services released a report on the nation's health care spending showing that our spending on health care reached \$604.1 billion in 1989. That's an 11.1 percent increase over the 1988 level. A simplified way to look at the increase is to consider it to be the inflation rate of medical costs.

Another telling statistic is that health expenditures accounted for 11.6 percent of the Gross National Product in 1989, an increase from 11.2 percent in 1988 and only 8.6 percent in 1980.

A simplified way to look at this is that if your family earned \$30,000 a year, you would spend 11.6 percent — or \$3,480 — in medical care each year.

Since you are healthy as a horse, you probably didn't spend this. So, there are others who spent significantly more than \$3,480.

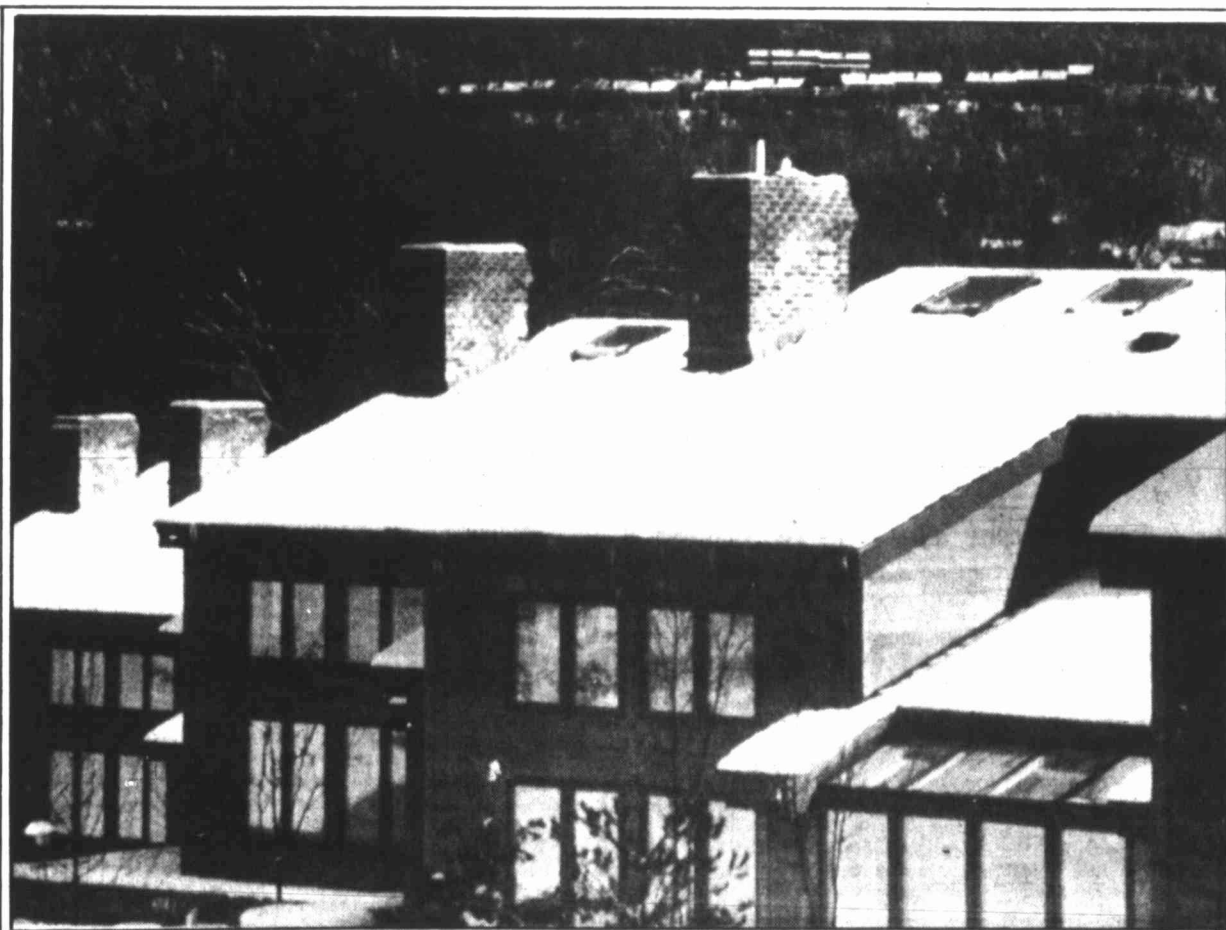
What does this mean to America? It's getting more expensive to be sick each year. Americans value their health and are willing to pay for health services.

When will the costs stop rising? I think you will see a change when the public gets weary of these rising bills. This hasn't happened yet.

That time seems to be getting nearer, though, because a proliferation of more "maintenance" type organizations who try to prevent or find illness quickly so the illnesses are less damaging and less expensive to treat.

George, stay healthy, because if you are ill, it will be expensive.

John Payne is a certified financial planner and has been in practice for 10 years. If you have a financial question you wish to ask in this column or confidentially, please write him at: John Payne, "Texas: Your Money," 1800 W. Loop South #980, Houston, Texas 77027.



Up for grabs

Prices for vacation condominiums in Vermont, such as the ones pictured in this 1989 photo, have been buffeted by the same factors driving down prices for primary homes. Some of the second homes are selling for prices not seen in years.

Price war affects rural areas

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

According to the Texas Oil Marketers Association, independent wholesalers and rural Texans suffer because of the major oil company's price wars in urban areas.

According to TOMA president "Bubba" Wehman, the major oil companies are engaged in major price wars in many Texas urban areas. In order to supply their retail marketers with below-wholesale gasoline prices, they are raising prices in the smaller cities.

The citizens of rural Texas, where approximately half the state's population lives, are subsidizing the below-cost sales prac-

tices of the major oil companies. The subsidization comes from the fact that wholesale rack prices are higher in rural areas, resulting in higher retail prices being paid by rural Texans," said Wehman.

This practice not only costs the rural Texan, but in the long run, could destroy the independent wholesalers whose lesser cash positions make it impossible for them to weather the below-wholesale-pricing games.

"In some cases, branded dealers of major oil companies are selling gasoline at the pump for less than the independents can buy it wholesale, they can't compete long that way," according to April's Wall Street Journal.

In order to help protect this resource of independent wholesalers and retailers, TOMA voted Wednesday to seek divorce legislation preventing refineries from influencing retail distribution of petroleum products.

It also is asking the U.S. Department of Justice and the Federal Trade Commission to investigate possible restraint of trade violations by the major oil companies.

According to Wehman, TOMA represents more than 1,000 petroleum wholesalers who own, supply or operate more than 10,000 branded and unbranded retail outlets in Texas and the Southwest.

The frustration felt by TOMA

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Business beat

Freecom receives loan from MDDBS

Freecom Inc. has received a \$30,000 capital improvement loan from Moore Development for Big Spring.

The economic development corporation approved the loan at its meeting Wednesday.

Co-owner John Freeman said the industry will use the money to expand its business. Freecom applies a ceramic coating to piping used in the oil industry.

"Our business was adequate, but it wasn't allowing us to expand," Freeman explained. "We needed capital funds to get some new equipment."

The money is "about half" of the cost of the equipment, but the industry has arranged a deal with the manufacturer. They will repay Moore with interest at the existing inflationary rate.

"We're very excited about it," Freeman said. "We think within at least six months we can put some more people to work."

Freecom, owned by Freeman and Stan Partee, currently employs 24 people.

BSPD names officer of month

The Big Spring Police Department has named Jimmy Mayes Officer of the Month for March. His maturity, leadership, aggressiveness and commitment are listed among his strong points.

Mayes has been with the department for more than two years, and is now a field training officer and intoxilyzer operator. A Big Spring High School graduate, he is married with two children.

Chamber sponsors ribbon-cutting

The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce sponsored a ribbon-cutting Thursday at the Dale Martin and Sons Tire Company, 507 E. Third St.

Dale Martin and his son Mark have been in the tire business in Sweetwater for more than 20 years. They recently purchased the former Big Spring Firestone store with partner/manager John Tedford, another long-time tire dealer and business manager.

The Martin and Sons store will handle appliances as well as Firestone, Bridgestone and Cooper tires.

Hospital staff attends seminar

The Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center sent five staff members from the psychiatry service to Palo Alto, Ca. to the National Center for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Clinical Laboratory and Education Division.

Joe Gonzales, M.S.W., Tony Barrera, R.N., Joyce Holmes, social work assistant, and Jack Globe and Jackie Conway, rehabilitation technicians, worked one-on-one with specialized staff members to review experiences and gain individual consultation, Conrad Alexander, director for the medical center, said.

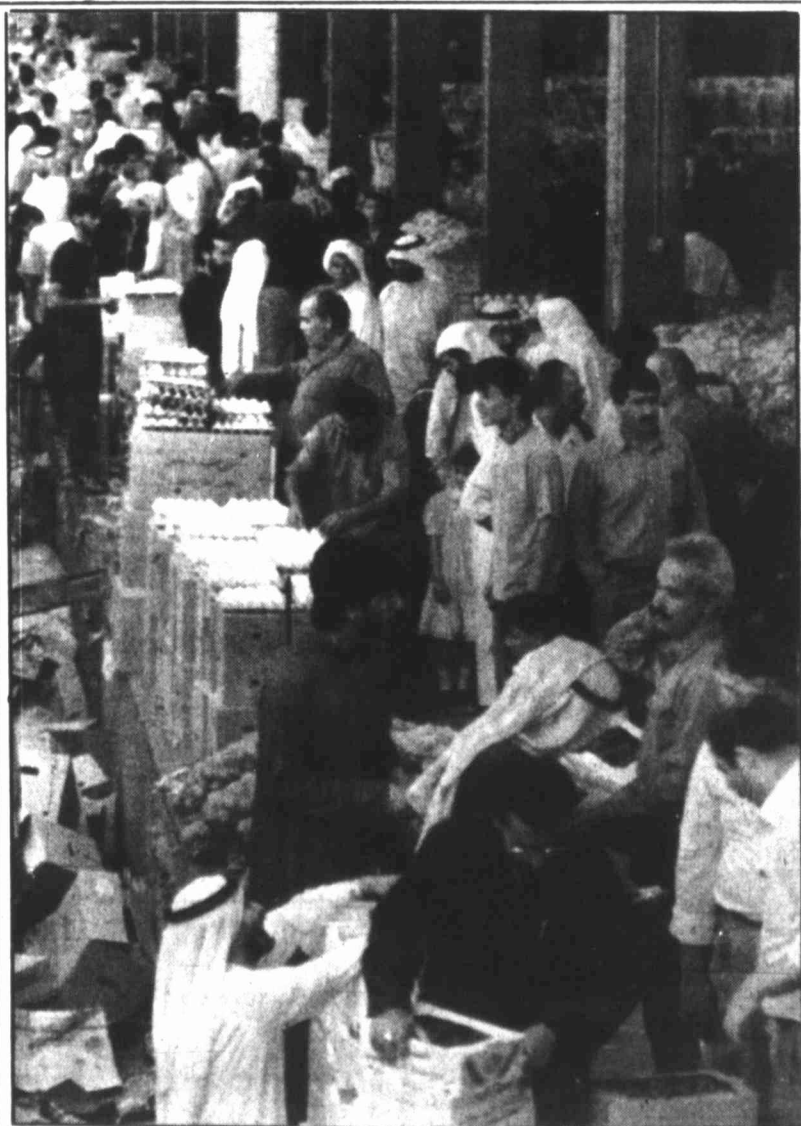
"The knowledge gained from this training will give our staff members a greater understanding of PTSD, as well as increase our knowledge of the impact of PTSD on family members," Alexander said.

Interest rates heading down

VA home loan interest rates are at their lowest in more than four years, at nine percent, and the Department of Veterans Affairs is encouraging veterans to refinance existing, higher interest rates loans, beginning with those 12 percent or higher.

For example, a \$70,000, three-year loan at 11 percent has a monthly payment of \$666.63, but if refinanced, a savings of \$103.39 a month would result with the interest changed to nine percent.

Veterans considering refinancing should contact a private lending agency. For questions concerning eligibility, and for additional information, call the Waco Regional Office at 1-800-792-3271.



Back to business

KUWAIT CITY — Residents of Kuwait city through the Kuwait Fruit and Vegetable Center as they look to buy food brought to the market by farmers.

By MARSHA STURDIVANT
Staff Writer

Looking for an unusual pants suit, or maybe just browsing for the latest trends? Fun Stuff, the retail store that specializes in T-shirts, has expanded and is moving to Coronado Plaza, near the Wal-Mart Discount Center. In honor of the move, owner Reba Bistow changed the name of her establishment to Pretty Woman Boutique.

"The name Fun Stuff wasn't indicative of what I carry," Bistow said. "When I opened it was a different type of store, with T-shirts, and now it's evolved into a ladies' clothing store," she said.

Along with the designer style T-shirts, Bistow said she carries all "sorts of shorts and sporty, dressy looks," as well as name brand dresses like Cruz, Ann Tobias, and Francisco.

The new location will also have "city short sets, dressier sports sets, from casual all the way up. Every now and then I might get some mother-daughter looks, but basically it's ladies wear," she said.

The tie-dyed sets, so popular now, are available, she said. "We get lots of one-of-a-kind painted and jeweled T-shirt sets, and we'll be getting a lot of the lycra-leotard leggings. All sorts of different things like that," she said.

"A lot of my stuff is trendy stuff, what's going on right now, what's new and what's up-coming," said Bistow, adding she also carries some of the new "60s look."

Along with the clothing, accessories are also available at the Boutique. Purses, and jewelry and costume watches are displayed in



Reba Bistow, owner of Pretty Woman Boutique, displays some of the clothing item her store has to offer. The store was formerly known as Fun Stuff before moving to its current location at Coronado Plaza near Wal-Mart.

glass cases and on display racks throughout the store.

"We will have a huge earring selection, both clip and pierced. If you're looking for a different look, check with the Pretty Woman Boutique. We try to carry the unusual and unique," she said.

Bistow said she did the remodeling of the former real estate office herself, except for the carpentry. Mauve and burgundy, the color scheme, is replicated on the walls, carpet and curtains. She anticipates opening the new store this week, "by next Monday" at the

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Reba Bistow

latest, she said.

"This is a fantastic location. I was looking and this just became available; the timing was just perfect. I'll keep that one (the Gregg Street store) open 'til the end of April, but then I'll have just this one," Bistow said. Inadequate parking prompted the relocation, she said.

Bistow said she and her family have lived in Big Spring for 15 years. She has three children who attend school in Forsan.

"I majored in home economics, with a degree in clothing textiles and fashion merchandising. This was always something I wanted to do," she said about running her own business.

"This has been a really good first year. I've been really pleased with what we've done in that amount of time," said Bistow. She opened Fun Stuff in November, 1989.

Pretty Woman Boutique will be open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday in Coronado Plaza No. 3. The telephone number is 263-7419.

Newsletter begun to report rebuilding

WASHINGTON (AP) — You know the notion of rebuilding Kuwait has proper political standing in Washington when it causes the founding of a newsletter for the express purpose of reporting on the reconstruction.

Anyone looking to cash in on the rebuilding can subscribe to *Gulf Reconstruction Report*, a newsletter that promises "quick breaking information" about contract requests, Kuwait's private sector needs and the hazards of business. It costs \$396 a year.

David Gump, executive editor of the report, says he believes people will be willing to pay for a one-stop source on what's going on in Kuwait, where lucrative reconstruction contracts will be let.

Gump said his company, Pasha Publications in Arlington, Va., is convinced the newsletter is going to be a successful venture, judging from the public's initial response.

"We've been flooded with calls" and have signed 40 subscribers, Gump said from the Arlington, Va., office of Pasha Publications. The newsletter was to debut March 27.

Gump said the twice-a-month newsletter, which will range from 8 to 16 pages, is likely to have a life span of three years to five years, the minimum time Commerce Department officials estimate it will take to rebuild Kuwait.

They expect it could take a decade and cost \$100 billion to reconstruct the oil-rich emirate that was pillaged by Iraqi troops who set fire to oil wells, destroyed bridges, installed land mines and stripped the country down to its street lights.

Gump, along with a reporter in

Washington and two correspondents in the Middle East, intend to cover all aspects of the reconstruction: contract opportunities, export assistance leads, Kuwaiti rules and regulations, environmental risks, and telephone and FAX numbers.

Working in Kuwait is not without its hazards, Gump said.

"For example, doing business in the gulf now has unique environmental hazards, from leftover bombs and land mines to the toxic mist falling from oil fires burning in Kuwait," he said. The newsletter will keep businessmen abreast of conditions.

Another problem facing American business executives is that Kuwait's purchasing offices are spread around the world: London, Washington and Saudi Arabia.

A main source of information is the Commerce Department's Gulf Reconstruction Office, a clearinghouse for American businesses. Department officials said the office's telephones have been jammed since it opened. Most of the calls have been from individuals looking for jobs.

For those interested in the Kuwait bonanza, Gump had this advice:

- Take the long view. The Kuwaitis still have to determine what their priorities are so there is no point in getting in a lather about business.

- Try to find a local Kuwaiti to be your business partner. "Joint ventures, that's the thing," he said.

- Contact the local U.S. Arab Chamber of Commerce.

- Make sure the Kuwaitis know what your company can do.



Associated Press photo

Soviet ruble devalued

MOSCOW — Muscovites jam the entrance of a state bank to check the name lists for entering the bank to exchange rubles for dollars Wednesday following the announcement that the ruble has been drastically devalued. One dollar will now buy 27.6 rubles, more than four times the previous exchange rate of six rubles to the dollar.

Putnam

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smaller business related to aircraft maintenance or component manufacturing would be possible.

"It would need to be somebody looking to expand..." he said. "I doubt we'll find anyone willing to relocate an entire corporation there."

In the interest of economic development, he recommended that the city continue its clean-up efforts vigorously.

"Big Spring is not aesthetically pretty," he said. "It doesn't make a good first impression (for travelers coming in on Highway 80 from the west). There are a lot of closed-down buildings and that type of thing."

He said he would suggest that city, county and chamber of commerce officials get together to discuss "the vision" for economic development. That way they could make sure they are "all on the same track," he explained.

"Big Spring is an underdog (in the race for economic development)," he said. "But not a loser. I like working for the underdog."

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Oil/gas

NEW DRILLING LOCATIONS

Howard County
No. 1 Hodnett, N. Vincent Fld. 7,800-ft. plg bk. 2 N. Vincent, H&TCRR Sur Sec. 30 Bk. 25. VF Petroleum, Midland, oprtr.

Howard County
No. 76 W.R. Settles, Howard-Glasscock Fld. 2,500-ft. proj. TD. 10 SE Big Spring, W&NWRR Sur Sec. 131 Bk. 29. Exxon, Midland, oprtr.

Glasscock County
No. 1 Roger, Calvin Fld. 8,400-ft. dpng. 15 SW Garden City, T&PRR Sur. Sec. 13 Bk. 36. Costa Resources, Midland, oprtr.

Martin County
No. 1 Welch "E," Spraberry Trnd. 9,600-ft. proj. TD. 5 NW Tarzan, A.M. Curtis Sur Sec. 137 Bk. A. Parker & Parsley, Midland, oprtr.

Martin County
No. 1 Stephens "D," Spraberry Trnd. 9,400-ft. proj. TD. 3.5 SE Three Leagues, T&PRR Sur Sec. 9 Bk. 36. Parker & Parsley, Midland, oprtr.

Borden County
No. 2 L.O. Shortes, WCC, 11,100-ft. proj. TD. 18 N. Stanton, T&PRR Sur Sec. 5 Bk. 45. Amerada Hess, Tulsa, oprtr.

No. 1 Roy, WC, 9,950-ft. proj. TD. 11 NW Gail, EL&RR Sur Sec. 24 Bk. 32. Marshall & Winston, Midland, oprtr.

Howard County
The No. 17 "O'Daniel "B" has been brought on line in Howard County's part of the Snyder Field, 12 miles southeast of Coahoma.

The well pumped 17 barrels of oil with 140 barrels of brine per day. It was perforated to produce at 2,574 to 2,706 feet into the hole with D.L. Dorland of Midland as the operator.

Borden County
The North Myrtle Field gained a new producer when the No. 1 Ralph Miller was completed by Shenandoah Petroleum Inc. of Midland. Location is about 15 miles northeast of Gail.

The well showed ability to pump 59 barrels of oil plus 83 barrels of salt water daily.

It was perforated to produce from the Ellenburger Formation, 8,304 to 8,312 feet into the hole.

Two new producers have been brought on line in the Reinecke Field, Borden County, about 10 miles northwest of Vincent. Union Oil of California is the operator.

The wells are designated as the No. 200 and No. 212 Reinecke Unit, pumping eight

and 103 barrels of oil per day, respectively. Gas production totaled 47,000 and 227,000 CFD.

Production will be from perforations ranging from 6,916 to 6,958 feet into the wellbore. Water production totaled 282 and eight barrels daily, respectively.

Borden County's portion of the Jo-Mill Field gained a new producer when the No. 1 Canon-Whalley was completed 17 miles southwest of Lamesa.

EP Operating of Midland is the operator. The well potentiated at 35 barrels of oil per day plus 45,000 CF gas and 475 barrels of salt water. It was perforated to produce from four sets of perforations in the Spraberry Sand, ranging from 6,132 to 7,166 feet into the hole.

Martin County
Pumping 87 barrels of oil with 156,000 CF gas daily, the No. 2 Clara Shoemaker has been brought on line in Martin County's Spraberry Trend area, nine miles northwest of Stanton.

With Adobe Resources of Midland as the operator, the well was perforated to produce from a perforated interval 9,014 to 9,080 feet into the wellbore.

Water production totaled 40 barrels per day.

First production figures have been

Nickname 'Sony' may not be used

BALTIMORE (AP) — "Sony" Florendo has agreed to drop her nickname from her catering service and her two restaurants after settling a legal battle with the Japanese electronics giant.

The name change is part of a deal Mrs. Florendo reached with Sony Corp. in 1987 to drop its \$2.9 million lawsuit filed in U.S. District Court against her for alleged trademark infringement, unfair competition and deliberate confusion of customers.

"It was not possible for me to fight Sony, because each day my husband and I spent away from my restaurant, it meant something was not getting done or we had to pay someone to take our places."

Originally, Mrs. Florendo's Philippine-Asian restaurants in Baltimore and Owings Mills were called "Sony's." In response to the court order, she changed the name to "Sony Florendo's."

Mrs. Florendo, 54, was born Juana Evelina Resurrection Robes in the Philippines. She said she was nicknamed Sony by an uncle after she became the third niece in a family that was desperate for a boy.

"He started calling me Sony Boy. So my family contracted it to Sony," she said.

posted for the No. 1 Block 7 Partners in Martin County's Huxley Field, 19 miles southeast of Lenora.

BTA Oil Producers of Midland is the operator.

BTA perforated the Dean Formation for production at 9,565 to 9,571 feet into the hole.

The well showed ability to pump 32 barrels of oil plus 16,000 CF gas and five barrels of brine daily.

Pumping 59 barrels of oil per day, the No. 29 Breedlove "B" has been brought on line in Martin County's Breedlove Field, about five miles southwest of Patricia.

It is an exploration venture of Esperanza Energy Inc. of Dallas.

Esperanza perforated for production at 12,070 to 12,080 feet into the hole. Water production totaled 213 barrels daily.

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Price war

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members was exacerbated by the recent study showing that independent petroleum wholesalers led the small business sector nationwide in the number of bankruptcies in 1990. "This is the fourth time in 18 months and the second time in six months that the major oil companies have reduced their retail prices to below wholesale levels," said Wehman.

"TOMA is now prepared to take the position that years of frustration have forced upon us... Total divorcement of the refinery from retail distribution of petroleum products will be the goals of this association today, tomorrow and in the years ahead until the industry has been stripped of the means and mechanisms by which these abuses have taken place," explained Wehman.

BUSINESS REVIEW

Edited by Linda Choate

"We stress availability": Dodson

"People who have bought and sold houses with us want to do business with us again," said Marjorie Dodson, broker/owner of South Mountain Agency, Realtors. "We want repeat business and we get it."

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Marjorie said the firm has more sales pending now than at any time since the office first opened.

South Mountain Agency, Realtors, was founded in 1987 and has been in business almost four years.

One of the firm's main areas is relocation business, working with families who are transferred to the area. South Mountain Agency is a member of RELO, the International Relocation Network.

Marjorie's background is in teaching, which she says "makes training appreciated and emphasized." She taught classes at Howard College.

Marjorie is currently serving as president of the Big Spring Board of Realtors. South Mountain Agency is a member of the Texas Association of Realtors.



Sales Associate Vickie Purcell, left, Marjorie Dodson, center, and Sales Associate Becky Knight look over an FHA transaction, which Marjorie explains is one of the main types of transactions in Big Spring.

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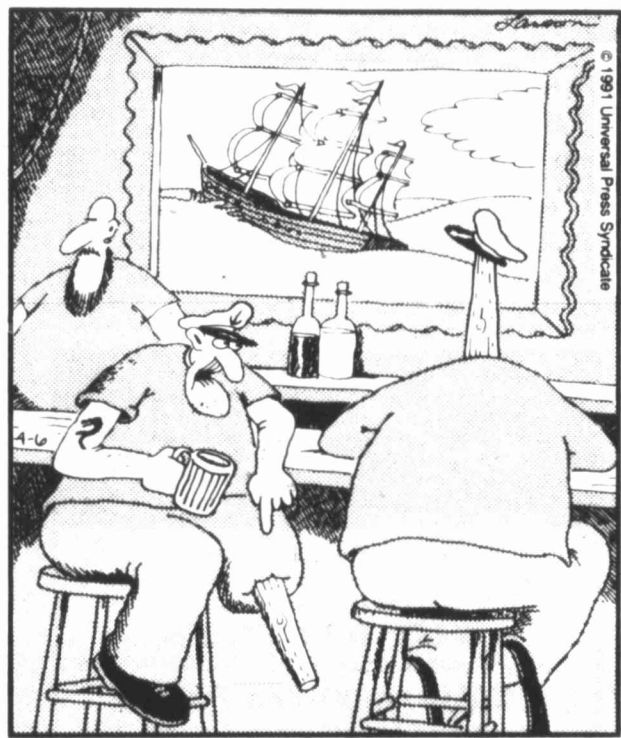
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10 Hemingway epithet
14 Escape
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16 Rainbow
17 Lasorda's favorite color/pants
20 Molding
21 Guinness
22 Hussein's city
23 Grow older
24 NY college
26 Tourist's neckwear
30 Type of gland
33 Celtic group
34 He's no gentleman
37 "Golden Girl"/Bush home

41 Posed
42 Sharpen
43 Devoured
44 Bureaucratic delay
47 It loves company
48 Cut of meat
49 Golf standard
50 Of a city
53 Work for
55 Competent
59 Football play/bank item
62 Theater award
63 Throw out
64 Revolt
65 Vaccinator
66 Fencer's blade
67 Heaped

DOWN

1 Change decor
2 Slept like —
3 Impolite
4 Advantage
5 Shoe width
6 Aesop's tale
7 Regulation
8 Make clear

9 He beat AES
10 "Simple Simon met a —"
11 Syria once
12 — colada
13 Org.
18 Hindu music
19 A Fonda
23 Pretentious
25 Fr. river
26 Cars for hire
27 Cross as —
28 Dull finish
29 Salamander
30 Dress style
31 Critical
32 Surgeon's device
34 Minced
36 Repudiate
38 Solid
39 Inheritor
40 Alliance acronym
45 Desk part
46 Salad fish

47 Equips with workers
49 Talk idly
50 Objects in the sky
51 Dressing gown
52 Cheese
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55 Dugout
56 Seethe
57 Go down to defeat
58 — out (made do)
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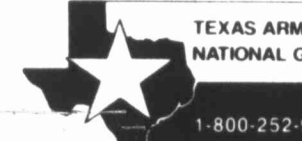
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Livestock For Sale 435
REGISTERED ANGUS cow, call and bred Heifer. Call after 6:00 p.m. 353-4467.
Auctions 505
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Dogs, Pets, Etc 513
SAND SPRINGS KENNEL, AKC Rat Terriers, Toy Poodles and Chihuahuas. USDA Licensed. 393-5259.
FREE CUTE puppies, 6 weeks old, 267-6583 after 6:00 p.m.
SAND SPRINGS KENNEL, AKC Chinese Pugs, Toy Poodles and Chihuahuas. USDA Licensed. 393-5259.
TOY PEKINGESE, grown, female, all shots, \$150. Call 393-5259.
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FOR SALE 8 month old female 3/4 Alaskan Malamute Arctic wolf Great with kids. Has shots. \$20. 263-5057.

Garage Sale 535
MOVING SALE Household appliances, camping equipment, furniture, wheel chair, comode chair, miscellaneous items 1704 Johnson. Saturday Sunday.
INSIDE SALE 1201 Lloyd Thursday, 4th Sunday, 7th, 9:00 7:00 p.m. Great sale! Has everything! Furniture, dishes, clothes, and more!
YARD SALE: 1207 Settles, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 9:00 6:00p.m. Cameras, jewelry, appliances, much more!
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YARD SALE Saturday & Sunday 1001 E 17th, 9:00 5:00 p.m.
SPEAKERS & AMP (Homes on stage) Peavey, etc. Refrigerator, coke/beer box Golf clubs, #32 Coronado Apts. 2:00 7:00 p.m. 6267-6264.
GARAGE SALE: Tires, wheels, tools, odds & ends. Phone 263-2960, if no answer, please leave message.
SUNDAY MONDAY 1302 Stanford. Childrens toys & clothes. Ladies shoes & clothes, C.B. radios.
SATURDAY SUNDAY 2519 Ent Dr 9:00 ? Freezer, dinette set, king size washing, tools, aluminum camper shell with couch kit for small long bed pickup 1980 Mazda car.
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AMAZING SATELLITE TV! Over 200 channels available. Zero down. Payments from \$39.87 per month. Call anytime. 267-9460.
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Want To Buy 545
JUKEBOXES WANTED. Old Wurlitzers. Any condition. Box 40207, Houston, Texas 77240. 713-466-4161, Harold Kahla.
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TELEPHONES, JACKS, install. \$27.50. Business and Residential sales and services. J. Dean Communications, 267-5478.
Houses For Sale 601
FOR LEASE sale: 3/2, car/ch, den fireplace, fenced backyard, \$350 monthly, \$250 deposit. No pets. 4105 Dixon. 915-263-0698, 512-995-3718.
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Acreage For Sale 605
5 ACRES FOR sale. Tubbs addition. For San School District. Barn, corral, well, fenced, septic system. \$14,000. Contact: Janice Brown, 264-7410.

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120 ACRES OR 160 acres. Austin Stone Home, 3,000 sq. ft. with 40 acres or 160 acres. 24 hour recorded information. (512) 329-2806. Touch Tone 6 Owner / a gent. (512) 261-4497.
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TOY POODLE puppies, AKC papers, 2 males, Red/Apricot, \$175 choice. Call 263-0652.
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WASHERS and DRIERS well maintained, heavy duty, washers \$100, dryers \$85. Coronado Hills Apartments, office at 801 Marcy.
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Saturday, April 13, 1991 • 10:00 a.m.
Preview 10 to 4 on Friday, April 12
Hitachi Planer, Jointer, Delta 2 hp 10" Table Saw, Delta 14" Band Saw, Delta 24" Scroll Saw, Rockwell 1 hp Shaper, DeWalt 3 hp 10" Radial Arm Saw, Delta 10" Unisaw, 2 hp Speed Air High Recovery Air Compressor, Two Senco Finish Nailers, Senco Finish Nailers, Two Roofing Nailers, Duofast Coil Nailers, ARO Pneumatic Orbital Sander, Hitachi 4 1/2" Orbital Sander, Porter Cable 3 X 24 Sander, Port O Brake, Porter Cable Router, Stanley Router, Delta 8" Bench Drill Press, Two Rockwell 6 1/2" Saws, Rockwell 2 1/2" Jig, Porter Cable Saw Boss, 4 1/2" Rockwell Trim Saw, Rockwell Bayonet Saw, Hitachi Reciprocating Saw, Rockwell Reverseable Screw Driver, Black & Decker Screw Gun, Rockwell Sawbuck, Dremel MotoTool, Rubbertex Airless Paint Sprayer, Rigid Pipe Vise, Rigid 3" Pipe Cutter, Rigid Pipe Dies, Paint Supplies, Proton Chain Saw with Case, Two 3 cu. H. Wheel Barrows, Extension Ladder, Black & Decker Edger, 2 gallon Binks Spray Pot with Hose, yard Tools, Gas Bar B Que Grill, Binks 2 qt Spray Rig, Floor Jack, Jack Stands, Lincoln 225 amp Arc Welder, Cement Tools, Airco Torch and Tips, 5 x 14 Tandem Axle Trailer with Electric Brakes and New Tires, Rockwood Pop Up Camp Trailer (Steps 4), with 12 volt Electrical System, Nice 1980 4 door Oldsmobile Cutless Brougham.
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Split Level 4 bdr, 2 bth, corner 84,500
Pool 1 1/2 bth, 2 bth, 2 bth, 2 bth 75,000
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Highland Bargain 3 1/2, gamo, rm 73,000
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College Park 3 1/2, ref, air 39,500
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2 Story Brk, 3 bdr, 2 bth, 2 bth 29,900
Western Hills 3 bdr, 2 bth, gar 29,900
4 Bdrm 1 1/2, bth, ref, air, den, Nice 39,900
Corner Brk 1 1/2 apt 39,000
College Park 3 1/2, 2 FP, ref, air 43,000
Charming Cottage Assume 40,000
Family Delight! 3 1/2 39,500
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Great Starter Car, lot 3 1/2 38,000
Just Reduced 3 1/2 38,000
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Special 3 1/2, matter 4 1/2, 1 1/2 ac 49,900
North Of City 3 1/2, pens, fenced 58,500
Hilltop View 2 1/2, brk, well SOLD 49,900
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0.44 Acres Super nice 3 1/2, ref, air 49,500
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Buy One Rent the other! N of BS 25,000
Won't Last 3 1/2, 887 ac 25,000
4 1/2 Ac, 3 bdr house, barns, pens 25,000
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Office Space 680

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Free trade pact could send work to Mexico

HARLINGEN, Texas (AP) — A free trade agreement could cause labor-intensive industries to transfer more work to lower-wage Mexico, a worrisome trend for some in South Texas agricultural communities who already have seen jobs go south.

"There's no question about it that South Texas, especially in the labor-intensive vegetable crops, is going to be adversely affected by the free trade agreement," said Bill Weeks, executive vice president of the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Association, based in Harlingen.

"It could put packing sheds out of business, and it's going to put people out of business," said Bobby Lackey, president and owner of J.S. McManus Produce Co. in Weslaco. "It's going to hurt the economy of the Valley. We're in a poverty-stricken area here and here we are about to put more people out of work."

The United States, Canada and Mexico are expected to begin detailed discussions later this year to remove remaining trade barriers between the countries.

Proponents say the move would create the largest market in the world, opening Mexico markets to U.S. businesses. Opponents worry that U.S. workers would lose jobs and one report suggests an agreement with Mexico could result in a significant shift in U.S. production to Mexico and a weakening of U.S. environmental, health and safety standards.

U.S. Trade Representative Carla Hills has promised a free-trade agreement would offer U.S. farmers various protections, including a transition period for



EDINBURG — Workers harvest cabbage from a field near Edinburg. Some agriculture industry observers believe a free-trade agreement between the United States and Mexico would send

more U.S. crops to fields south of the border. They foresee the loss of thousands of jobs and the decline of packing sheds and other support industries.

phasing out agricultural trade barriers. She said it could contain provisions similar to the 1988 agreement with Canada, with its 10-year transition period for agriculture.

And Mexican officials say they don't want their country to be exploited for low-wage workers. They hope wage levels in Mexico will rise with the gradual elimination of trade barriers, said Oliver Farres, Mexican consul general in Dallas.

"Mexican labor doesn't only

have to be considered because it's cheap," Farres said.

"We want that Mexico be recognized for quality labor. We want Mexican labor conditions to go up. We don't want them to lower down American labor conditions," Farres said.

But cheaper Mexican labor already is attracting South Texas agriculture.

Plantation Produce Co. of Mission is one of many growers in the Lower Rio Grande Valley to move some production to Mexico during

the last decade, said vice president John Bearden.

He said the gradual elimination of trade barriers would likely cause U.S. companies to grow more crops in Mexico, where field hands earn in a day what their counterparts north of the Rio Grande make in an hour.

Elimination of import tariffs would make it even cheaper to grow crops in Mexico and bring them back to the U.S. market, others said.

Lackey's company has about

5,000 acres planted in Texas, but also imports melons, onions and other vegetables from Mexico. Free trade probably would force his company to plant more in Mexico, and possibly less in Texas, he said.

Crops that require large numbers of field workers, such as onions, melons, broccoli, cabbage and celery, would be hit hardest by the shift, Weeks said.

The subtropical Lower Rio Grande Valley has 85,000 acres planted with 40 different varieties of vegetables and melons worth more than \$180 million annually. An estimated 80,000 to 100,000 farm workers rely on those crops for employment at least part of the year.

Juanita Valdez-Cox, an organizer for the United Farm Workers in San Juan, said she believes a trade pact should subject Mexican farms to the same pesticide and field sanitation regulations, workers compensation payments and minimum wage as those in the United States.

Across the border in Rio Bravo, Mexico, 34-year-old farm laborer Enrique Hernandez said if U.S. growers planted more acreage in northern Mexico, he and others would make fewer illegal trips to the United States.

"People go there to find work," said Hernandez, who has journeyed as far as North Carolina to harvest tobacco, but spends about half his time unemployed in Mexico.

According to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Agricultural Statistics Service, field hands in the Texas-Oklahoma region made an average of \$4.74 an hour last year.

Race no longer noted

JOPPA, Md. (AP) — A national clothing store chain says it has dropped its policy of noting the race of shoppers who pay by check after customers complained the practice was racist.

Michael Sullivan, president of Joppa-based Merry-Go-Round Enterprises Inc., said Wednesday he had ordered an immediate halt to the practice, which he said was used to identify customers, not to decide whether to accept checks.

The chain operates 700 stores in 38 states under various names, including Signal and Merry-Go-Round.

"The company is truly sorry for any concern this practice has caused," Sullivan said in a statement.

Employees of the chain had noted a customers' race on the backs of checks in code: "W" for white, "H" for Hispanic and "07" for black. No explanation of the code for black was offered.

Merry-Go-Round representatives sent an apology to the headquarters of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Baltimore.

"They faxed up a release that indicated that the policy had been rescinded, and they apologized for it," said NAACP spokesman Jim Williams. "They couldn't explain to us why it was ever instituted in the first place."

The Boston Globe reported the practice Wednesday, saying it learned of it from customer Jacqueline Perceq, a paralegal.

Japanese companies finally waking up to environmental issues

TOKYO (AP) — Japanese companies have despoiled their beautiful islands for decades, gobbling up whole mountains to make gravel for concrete, poisoning the waters, not bothering to recycle.

Now they are trying to clean up their act with image-building environmental programs, but critics doubt a new era of corporate responsibility has dawned.

"Steps taken recently by Japanese companies are no more than public relations measures," said Koichi Yanagida, director of

the Defense of Green Earth Fund. "I don't think companies are willing to make genuine sacrifices to assume a greater social responsibility."

Even business leaders who have campaigned for environmentalism see little chance of great changes in the board rooms.

"Japanese corporate managers are still so heavily preoccupied with the same old pursuit of efficiency and profits that there is no room for them to worry about social responsibilities," said

Ryuzaburo Kaku, chairman of Canon Inc.

As Japanese firms expanded overseas, so did the criticism.

For example, Kawasaki Steel Co. came under fire last year because its Indonesian subsidiary was dumping toxic substances into the ocean.

In November, natives of Sarawak state in Malaysia came to Japan to demand reductions in logging, which they said was ruining their rain forest. Japanese trading companies buy half Sarawak's an-

nual output of more than 15 million cubic yards of logs.

"I don't think the criticism directed at us is sensible or well-grounded," said Kyosuke Mori, director of environmental affairs at Mitsubishi Corp., one of Japan's largest timber importers.

Still, major Japanese trading houses recently decided to reduce timber imports from Malaysia by 10 percent to 15 percent.

Mitsubishi also plans an experimental reforestation project in Malaysia, but Mori acknowledged

it probably would not reverse the rapid deterioration of the rain forests.

Business managers, analysts and environmentalists say reluctance to take bolder steps is largely caused by the structure of corporate Japan.

One of its most prominent features is the "keiretsu" system, in which companies form strong bonds by holding each other's shares. Companies within each grouping receive preferential treatment from one another.

Japan's largest keiretsu group is Mitsubishi, with several dozen affiliated companies. Analysts say Mitsubishi Corp., the main trading unit, cannot halt timber imports because it will hurt other companies in the keiretsu.

"The group has a paper company, a shipping company, a logging company and other companies that would be affected," said Hiroyuki Yanai, an analyst for I.R. Japan, which advises firms on stockholder relations.

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