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### **TSTI** registration set for next month

SWEETWATER - The **Texas State Technical Institute** has scheduled registration June 3 for its summer classes Classes will start the following

The main campus in Sweetwater, along with the extension campuses in Abilene and Breckenridge, will be register-

ing for all programs of study. Housing is still available on the Sweetwater campus in the coed apartments and men's dormitory. Financial aid is available to those who qualify

TSTI-Sweetwater offers 18 fields of study in conjunction with the extensions. More than half of the programs offer an **Associate of Applied Science** degree to students who successfully finish.

TSTI provides a toll-free number, 1-800-592-TSTI, for people needing more information on the college.

### **Principal admits** action insensitive

NEWTON (AP) — A East Texas high school principal said he made an "insensitive error" when he ordered a black senior and his white date to leave the school's prom.

Newton High School Principal Lidney Thompson met with school trustees in a halfhour closed door session on Monday night. After the meeting the trustees said they needed more time to determine what type of action, if any, would be taken in the matter.

On May 10, James Weaver, a 19-year-old senior, who is black, escorted his date. Sara Moak, to the school's prom. Weaver said he was approached by several school officials including Thompson soon after he arrived.

They told him he and his date could stay to have their picture taken, but would then have to leave the dance.

Thompson said after the trustees meeting Monday night, that he thought the couple's presence would cause a fight between black and white students at the dance.

Newton is about 100 miles northeast of Houston.

### Interpreter, student together nine years

SALINA, Kan. (AP) -Graduation breaks up a lot of high school couples but rarely a pair together as long as Kurt Stoskopf and Judy Brown.

They have been side by side in every class since Stoskopf. 17, was in the third grade and Ms. Brown entered his life as his sign-language interpreter.

Stoskopf, deaf since birth, entered Salina schools at age 8. Ms. Brown has been more than an interpreter for the

youth. She has been a friend,

counselor and tutor as well. and school boards don't like it." Stoskopf is looking forward to college but apprehensive about working with new interpreters.



AUSTIN — Gov. Ann Richards gestures to Queen Elizabeth II during a conversation Monday night in Austin at the Lyndon Baines Johnson presiden-

tial library where she was host to a formal dinner and reception for the queen.

# Queen whisked through Alamo on Texas visit

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Hundreds of well-wishers, waving Union Jacks, turned out today to welcome Queen Elizabeth II to the

The queen and her husband, Prince Philip, arrived at Kelly Air Force Base about 10:30 a.m. CDT and then were whisked off to the Alamo for a brief tour of the mission where Texans fought for independence from Mexico in 1836.

A local historian had been allotted five minutes to explain the structure's significance to the royal tour.

The couple was scheduled to ride a barge along the San Antonio River through downtown before seeing La Villita, a historic village, and then meeting with local dignitaries at the Institute of Texan

In all, the queen and prince were scheduled to spend less than two hours in San Antonio. Their next Texas stop was Dallas.

In Austin on Monday, it took the queen only hours to capture the hearts of Texans during her whirlwind tour of the Lone Star capital.

Gov. Ann Richards and former first lady Lady Bird Johnson toasted the monarch at a formal reception and dinner for 240 people at the Lyndon B. Johnson Library and Museum, located on the University of Texas campus. There, the queen and Prince Philip had a private meeting with Mrs. Johnson Monday night.

"On this special evening, we hope that Her Majesty and His Royal Highness have enjoyed themselves in Austin as thoroughly as we have enjoyed their company," Richards said.

"You have gone to the hearts of all the citizens of Texas, and we are so proud to have shared this time with you," she said.

The first British monarch to set foot on Texas soil, the queen won cheers from thousands Monday afternoon as she stood in front of the century-old Capitol and praised the well-known Texas pride.

"No state commands such fierce pride and loyalty. Lesser mortals are pitied for their misfortune in not being born Texans," she said.

## Unemployment rate increases in county

BY GARY SHANKS Staff Writer

The unemployment rate for Big Spring and Howard County rose more than a full percentage point for the month of April, according to recently released figures from the Texas Employment Commission.

The unemployment rate for the City of Big Spring rose to 6.6 percent, up from 5.2 percent in March and 5.7 percent in April a year ago.

Joe Wallis of the Big Spring **Employment Commission office** explained that part of this rise can be attributed to the annual influx of students into the job market.

According to the report, 169 Big Spring residents joined the number of unemployed, raising the total from 558 in March to 727

Figures for Howard County as a whole show an increase in the unemployment rate to 5.7 percent, from 4.5 percent last month and 4.9

percent a year ago. The total number of unemployed Howard County residents is 831

The total civilian labor force rose to 14,525 for the county. This is up 195 from last month's figure of

Figures for surrounding counties indicate that 33 Mitchell County residents are without work, raising their rate to 7.7 percent, up from 7 percent in March. Dawson County also gained a

percentage point in their unemployment rate. They are at 7.5 percent, up from 6.4 percent in March, leaving 490 people jobless. Martin County's rate fell a tenth of a percent to 1.2 percent, one of

the lowest rates in the area. Glascock County and Borden County also had a drop of 0.1 percent leaving them with a rate of 1.4 percent and 4.3 percent JOBS page 6-A



Play ball!

Students at Moss Elementary School played a rather unorthadox game of softball in their Physical Education class this morning, with some 15 children taking the field at a time.

Teammates behind the backstop await their turn to bat as Kristin Slaten, 10, daughter of Jonathan and Silvia Slaten, takes a swing at a pitch.

# Fraser plans bill to abolish ladder

By DEBBIE LINCECUM **Staff Writer** 

State Rep. Troy Fraser, R-Big Spring, said today he plans to introduce a measure this week in the House that would abolish the career ladder.

Fraser said the program, which pays salary bonuses to teachers who score well on evaluations, suffers from a number of problems.

"The biggest problem teachers have with it is the evaluation process," he said. "They (evaluations) are totally subjective. When vou have five different people evaluate someone, you're going to get five different evaluations.

Competition develops between teachers and they harbor animosity for administrators and school board members, he said.

"Then the whole problem is compounded by the state not being willing to put in its share of the money," Fraser said. "Some districts can't advance everybody who deserves to be. Teachers don't like it, administrators don't like it

House Bill 1118, currently pending, would restructure the evaluation process but leave the career ladder program in place. Fraser e FRASER page 6-A



### Vietnam Memorial

David Lester, left, and Scottie Lester put final touches on the pedestal before attaching the metal framework of the Vietnam Memorial, which is suspended in air by a crane this morning. The memorial will be completed by this afternoon, but will be unveiled during Memorial Day ceremonies this weekend.

## Education leader advocates reform

By DEBBIE LINCECUM Staff Writer

Newly appointed state Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno

said Monday he would advocate site-based school programs and restructuring of the Texas Education Agency.

Meno met with area reporters in Midland as he

ended a 20-day LIONEL MENO trip across the state, speaking with educators in all 15 state board of education districts.

'The number one concern I'm hearing from educators," Meno said, "is that they're feeling constrained by state regulations.

He said he will encourage program design to occur on a local level, and would eliminate constraints of some state laws.

"My proposal would be to enter into more partnerships (with educators)," Meno said. "I would provide waiver authority (for circumventing inapplicable state laws). We want to say, 'Look at the students you've got and develop something that's going to help them learn.'

"Thirty-five percent of (Texas) students aren't even getting to the basic skills,'' he said. (Educators) know why (the cur-

rent system) isn't effective, and they know how to fix it."

Part of his plan is to restructure the TEA, which Meno said does not provide for effective communication with superintendents.

"People are going to find a much more responsive organization (in the TEA)," he said. To insure local administrators

have access to the system, Meno said he would give his home phone number to every superintendent in the state. In return for more response,

school districts will become accountable for what children are learning through testing and other methods, he said.

'When you say 'testing,' people often think of pencil and paper testing," Meno said. "... Say I want to know if you know another language. One of the best ways to find that out would be to have a conversation with you.'

Texas currently operates under a process-based education system, Meno said, in which educators must only prove they are following the procedures, not that they are accomplishing the goals of the

"A results-based system will allow for a great variety of programs as long as they generate the results," he said.

He said school "is a lot more than reading, writing and arithmetic." Meno said he values vocational EDUCATION page 6-A

## **Sidelines**

### Famed division passes into history

FORT HOOD (AP) — The famed 2nd Armored Division has fought its final battle. A sobering rendition of "Auld

Lang Syne" at the end of final review ceremonies Monday marked the end of 51 years of proud history and memories.

III Corps and Fort Hood commander Lt. Gen. Richard G. Graves thanked the troops who had served as the colors were cased. Unit flags and campaign ribbons were sent to the 2nd AD (Forward) at Garlstedt, Germany.

"I'm not going to say goodbye or farewell, but simply say, 'Thank you for what you represent, for the traditions and rich history you give us," said Graves.

### **House approves** no-fault insurance

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas House tentatively approved a bill to require no-fault automobile liability insurance in Texas.

Such a system provides for people hurt in a motor vehicle accident to collect from their insurer, within certain limits, regardless of who was at fault. But their right to sue is limited.

House approval is required in another vote before the bill may go to the Senate for consideration. Preliminary passage came Monday on a vote of 80-63

Rep. Jim Tallas, R-Sugar Land, and backers of his bill said it would give quicker payment to accident victims. It also calls for a 12 percent premium rate reduction in coverage for bodily injury

### Dallas panel proposes curfew

DALLAS (AP) — Parents of children younger than 17 could face a \$500 fine if their kids violate a proposed curfew that crime

In addition to the fine, parents who allow their children to violate the ordinance repeatedly could face loss of custody

The Dallas City Council's public safety committee Monday approved the draft ordinance, for most teens to be off the streets by 11 p.m. on school nights, midnight Friday and Saturday. The entire council is set to consider it Wednesday.

"I really do believe the intent is to give our young people, our children, their childhoods back," said Jim Buerger, committee chairman. "In no way are we taking away the parents' responsibility of supervising children.

### City Bits

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# Senate OKs mammoth prison buildup

AUSTIN (AP) - A \$500 million more inmates in the next two Sept. 1, 1995, deadline for the state prison plan to get 12 counties to drop their lawsuits against the state has not been approved by any of the counties, the bill's sponsor

On Monday, the Senate sent the proposal to the House on a 26-4

If the counties that are suing the state over a logjam of prisoners in their jails fail to rally behind the measure, "the bill will die," said Sen. Jim Turner, D-Crockett, the bill sponsor.

The measure would commit the state to building prisons for 14,250

years, and possibly another 14,250 beds two years after that. The price tag for 28,500 prison beds would be more than \$1 billion. In return for dropping the lawsuits, the state would pay the

counties \$11 million immediately, and \$40 million later for programs that divert criminals from the Texas prison system. The state also would agree to pay

half the costs of holding state inmates in county jails.

In addition, the bill would set a Sept. 1, 1993, deadline on reforming

to accept all state inmates awaiting transfer from county

Currently, county jails are holding about 9,000 inmates sentenced to state prison. The Texas prison system restricts the number of inmates it takes because it is under a federal court order against overcrowding.

A state judge ruled last year that the state must pay 11 counties for holding state prisoners. In another lawsuit, a federal judge said the state must pay Harris County the the penal and criminal codes, and a cost of holding state inmates.

Both cases are being appealed, and Turner said the state had a good chance at winning. But, he added, whichever side won, the pro-blem would remain. "There is reason to compromise," he said, adding that if the state lost on appeal, it might get hit with a \$450 million penalty.

Turner said funding for the new prisons will be hammered out this summer when lawmakers are expected to return for a special session on the state budget. House leaders say they want to pay for the prisons out of tax revenue, but

senators say they favor issuing bonds

The counties did insist on a provision in the bill that would make it easier to raise property taxes without triggering a tax rollback election, Turner said.

One amendment to the legislation that failed would have provided for a study to determine the feasibility of building state prisons in foreign countries and exporting Texas inmates. Sen. John Leedom, R-Dallas, asked his colleagues to "develop creative thinking," but the proposal failed 10-19.

## New drug for cancer designed

HOUSTON (AP) - A doctor who performed the first gene therapy for cancer said he will soon begin shuffling the genes of patients' own malignant cells to vaccinate them against their tumors.

Dr. Steven A. Rosenberg said the novel approach, which involves inserting new genes into tumor cells, is intended to marshal the body's own immune defenses.

"We are at the birth of a new era in treating cancer through gene modification," he said Monday.

Rosenberg, a researcher at the National Cancer Institute, said he had also tentatively identified a gene that marks cancer cells as being different from normal ones. If true, the discovery could lead to the development of cancer vaccines to keep healthy people from getting cancer.

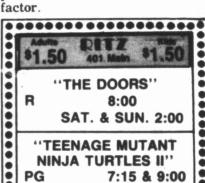
"This work is very exciting." commented Dr. Harvey Golomb of the University of Chicago, president of the American Society of Clinical Oncology. "The gene therapy experiments are on the cutting edge. Whether it will pan out, we don't know.

Rosenberg presented his results at the organization's annual scientific meeting.

Rosenberg has been a pioneer in the emerging field of biologic therapy, the idea of arming the body to rally against cancer after — and even before — the disease emerges and spreads through the

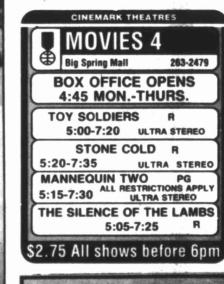
Rosenberg developed the use of interleukin-2, a natural diseasefighting chemical, to combat spreading melanoma skin cancer and kidney cancer.

In January, he began the first experimental gene therapy for cancer. Doctors removed cancerfighting cells called tumorinfiltrating lymphocytes from patients' tumors and inserted genes into them that allow the cells to produce a powerful anti-cancer protein known as tumor necrosis



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## Removal could help resolve **MHMR** case

DALLAS (AP) — In a rare judicial move, a federal judge has stripped the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation of its lead attorney in a 17-year-old battle over the care of the mentally retarded.

Calling motions filed by Assistant Attorney General Toni Hunter "vituperative," U.S. District Judge Barefoot Sanders ordered Monday, in a scathing 25-page opinion, that Ms. Hunter be removed from MHMR counsel.

Ms. Hunter, who has worked on the case since 1985 and helped fashion a 1987 agreement between the agency and plaintiffs - about 2,000 of the state's 7,100 state school residents - would not comment on the decision.

Sanders said Ms. Hunter's misconduct included "last-minute. drop-everything filings," a lack of candor with the court and actions of "bad faith," the ruling said.

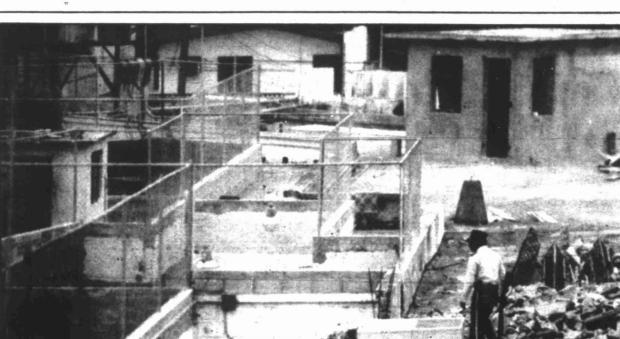
In several orders filed within the last year, Sanders has warned Ms. Hunter and her team that certain tactics and conduct were not welcome in his court.

Ms. Hunter, 47, could have faced punishment ranging from a warning to disbarment from the federal court of the Northern District of

Her removal shocked the mental health agency and the Attorney General's office who at first were undecided about a course of action, but later Monday said they will appeal Sanders' order in the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

"I still have complete confidence in Toni Hunter and the Attorney General has continued to express support for her," said Jim Todd, chief of the AG's general litigation division and Ms. Hunter's boss. Todd called the ruling "mistaken."

"It severely undermines the defendants. It robs them of the attorney who knows this case the best," he said.



### On the roof

early Monday. A riot at the prison Friday night near the Texas border.

MATAMORÓS, Mexico — A guard walks across left 18 inmates dead and eight wounded. Prison of the roof of the state prison in Matamoros, Mexico, ficials say, though, calm is returning to the prison

## Survey: Lobbyists spent millions

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — The 100 top-spending lobbyists at where people are waiting to see average of \$10,841 per legislator, us ran on," Bullock said. according a newspaper survey.

said a review of Secretary of State spend, not on whom or for what records also shows the top 100 lobbyists spent \$579,802 in the first three months of the year, an average of \$3,203 per legislator.

The surveys come at a time when the Legislature is considering changes in the state's ethics laws. Gov. Ann Richards has demanded tougher rules.

"I think it's a smoldering issue among the people of Texas," Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said. "It was an issue in nearly every campaign of every legislator that ran and every state official whose name was on the ballot last year.

million since January 1990, an its word on ethics reform that all of Under the current law, lobbyists The Fort Worth Star-Telegram only must report how much they

> specific purpose "I think we have the appearance, if not the actuality, of money influencing legislation," said Secretary of State John Hannah, designated by Richards as point

man on ethics reform. "Lobbyists say that the reason they spend money is so they can have access. But if it's buying ac-said. cess, then should only be able to

buy so much," he said. But Hannah said the perception

of corruption is inaccurate. "Most people down here work very, very hard and very, very

"I think it's the type of issue long hours for amazingly little money and do on the whole an the Texas Capitol have spent \$1.6 whether the Legislature lives up to amazingly good job," Hannah said. The state's 181 lawmakers are paid an annual salary of \$7,200,

plus \$30 per day in expenses while the Legislature is in session. The newspaper reviewed court

found that at least 250 cases have been delayed because defendants' lawyers also are legislators who have been granted continuances while they work in Austin. "For a line prosecutor, it's very,

very aggravating," Harris County District Attorney Johnny Holmes

The Star-Telegram said its review of secretary of state records found that former Rep. Ralph Wayne, now a lobbyist for the Texas Civil Justice League, spent \$105,055. had

# Computer problems delay Columbia launch

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) NASA today delayed the launch of Columbia for at least a day because of a rash of last-minute glitches: two different computer problems and a renewed concern over fuel temperature sensors.

Columbia was supposed to have blasted off at 8 a.m. EDT Wednesday on a biomedical research mission with seven astronauts, 30 rats and 2,478 tiny jellyfish.

NASA test director Mike Leinbach said the nine-day flight could be delayed more than a week if one of the malfunctioning computer parts has to be replaced. Mission managers were expected to decide by early afternoon how to proceed.

The first hint of trouble came Monday night when the launch team received additional data from the manufacturer of a temperature sensor in Columbia's main propulsion system that was replaced last year, Leinbach said. The welding on that sensor was cracked and had contributed to hydrogen fuel leaks that grounded the shuttle for months.

Columbia flew in December, and the replacement sensor and eight other fuel temperature sensors worked fine, NASA said.

But "further analysis since then seems to raise a question" about the sensors, Leinbach said. He couldn't immediately explain why word of more possible sensor problems came in just Monday. More trouble followed.

Shortly after midnight, workers discovered a problem with one of 23 units that link the main computers with shuttle components. Later this morning, one of five main computers in the flight deck also failed mysteriously.

The malfunctioning unit in the aft compartment, called a multiplexer-demultiplexer, converts and formats commands from the main computers. It went down and came back up but did not work properly.

The extent of the problems was unknown and engineers did not know if they were related. Leinbach said it would take eight

to nine days to replace the multiplexer-demultiplexer, if that is deemed necessary. The computer failure is a "relatively minor" issue and could be resolved quickly, and if the sensors needed to be replaced, that would take roughly four to five days, he said.

A Thursday launch, and any after that, would be at 8 a.m. EDT. Columbia's astronauts, after being informed of the delay, went about their usual business of reviewing flight plans and flying training jets. The animals remained in laboratories.

After years of work and millions of dollars, NASA came up with cages designed to keep rat waste and food from floating around the shuttle during Columbia's research

During a 1985 mission, rat litter floated from the animals' cages, to the astronauts' disgust.

"It was less than a teaspoon full of particulate matter. But if you're the crew and you have to worry about breathing, you can see why they made a big deal about it," said Kenneth Souza, chief of the space life sciences payloads office at NASA's Ames Research Center in Mountain View, Calif.

"That's why we've gone to the measures we have to make sure we don't leak anything on this flight. We've taken the crew comments seriously over the years and spent \$10.5 million in overall improvements," Souza said Monday.

Four of the astronauts - three doctors and a biologist - will perform medical tests on one another during the nine-day flight. They also will observe the animals' behavior in the weightlessness of Twenty rats will be housed in-

dividually in a rack of cages in Spacelab, the laboratory in Columbia's cargo bay. The 10 other rats will be divided into groups of five and kept in enclosed units in two middeck lockers.

The first and last time NASA used the rack was aboard Challenger six years ago.



KENNEDY SPACE CENTER, Fla. — Space Shuttle STS-40 commander Bryan O'Conner checks out his T-38 training jet before taking off from Kennedy Space Center for practice flights in preparation for the launch of Columbia.

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## **Nation** New disability tests to be required

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Critics led by Sen. David Pryor, D-Ark, contend the test is unreliable. They cite a federal appeals court's finding last year that the test often fails to detect one of the most common cardiovascular disorders

pedal a cycle or walk on a treadmill whose speed or slope is increased. Those who pass the stress test may be declared ineligible for the benefits.

The Social Security Ad-

WASHINGTON (AP) - Hun- ministration already uses the test new regulations would require a with heart disease who could safely undergo one.

Social Security expects to publish the new regulations this summer, said spokesman Philip A. Gambino. They then would be subject to a 60-day public comment period.

The administration expects thousands of people - who would The test requires applicants to now qualify for disability benefits averaging about \$550 per month to be eliminated by the test. As a result, the government would save about \$40 million in the first year, and \$220 million a year by

### Airlines offering summer discounts

DALLAS (AP) — The nation's big airlines, still feeling battered by the recession, have started a second summertime fare war.

Northwest started the promotion over the weekend, cutting ticket prices by as much as 20 percent and letting children fly along for up to half off.

American, Continental, Delta, Midway, United and USAir matched the promotion on Monday. making it the first widely adopted fare cut since March.

Pressed by the recession, higher fuel prices and slack demand because of the Gulf War, domestic airlines lost nearly \$4 billion last year, a record.

The major airlines also suf fered losses in the first three mon ths of this year

In March, American started a fare war designed to stimulate air travel among passengers scared off during the war.

"The situation has improved but still not fully to the degree where we were going to be happy with summer," said Northwest spokesman Doug Miller.

The offer extends through May 31 for travel through Sept. 8. It is aimed at families trying to decide between driving and flying for summer vacation or whether to make a trip at all, Miller said.

### Colonel: U.S. ignored MIA leads

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The chief of the Pentagon agency charged with tracking down prisoners of war resigned, accusing the government of ignoring or covering up leads on Americans in Vietnam, the Los Angeles Times said today

Army Col. Millard A. Peck left his post as head of the Defense Intelligence Agency's Special Office for Prisoners of War and Missing in Action on March 28, the newspaper said.

In a memo, Peck said his office was merely a "toxic waste dump" unaccounted for from the Vietto bury the whole mess out of sight and mind in a facility with

The five-page memorandum and farewell to his staff was tacked to his office door. The Times said it obtained a copy on

Peck said the Bush administra tion and other government agen cies spend more time trying to debunk the source of leads on POWs than they do pursuing

However, he did not offer evidence suggesting that POWs or soldiers listed as MIAs might be alive or in captivity.

The United States lists 2,276 Americans as missing in action or nam War but insists there is no evidence of live POWS.

Peck was reassigned to the Military District of Washington and did not return calls placed to that office Monday



DEDHAM, Mass. — American Red Cross blood distribution technician Will Tappin sorts pints of blood types at the regional Red Cross blood center in Dedham, Mass. The American Red Cross announced that it will close 53 regional centers in rotation in 1992 to install new

## Red Cross trying to improve its image

WASHINGTON (AP) - The American Red Cross is fighting to preserve its image as the dependable collector of half the nation's blood supply by overhauling a collection system that evolved decades before anyone ever heard of AIDS.

And even though health profestion's new plan, they say there's no virus and other threats. guarantee it will increase the level

Leaders in the blood bank field said Monday's dramatic announcement is likely to bolster the credibility of the 110-year-old disaster relief and blood supply organization.

ages of Clara Barton and troops in World War II," said Dr. Joel Solomon, chief executive officer of the American Association of Blood "I think people will realize that

The Red Cross still elicits im-

an organization that is trying to do good is now trying to do better," he But Jim McPherson, executive director of the Council of Com-

munity Blood Centers, cautioned, "It remains to be seen if this really fixes their problem. They have always had a strug-

maceutical entity inside this service regions. organization which was designed primarily to provide direct services to people in disasters,

If the plan announced Monday does not work, he said, "Then they will have to look at tearing the corporate model apart.'

The Red Cross announced in San Diego that it will close its 53 blood centers in rotation next year to install a new computer system and make other changes to protect the sionals are praising the organiza- , U.S. blood supply from the AIDS

"Instead of continuing to patch and bandage a system that evolved in the 1940s, we will move to the next generation," Red Cross President Elizabeth Dole said. "The world has changed and we must change with it.

She repeated the agency's assertions that it has supplied no AIDScontaminated blood to patients. In recent years, the blood supply system has been dogged with

problems. The Food and Drug Administration found in a series of investigations that the Red Cross had inadvertently released blood contaminated with hepatitis, neglected to guard adequately against use of AIDS-contaminated

and accidents. Last August, the Red Cross announced it was substituting cengle in trying to merge what is tralized management for a system essentially a corporate phar- of local control in each of its blood

blood and failed to report errors

"All our blood facilities will meet exacting standards of quality, or they will not collect blood," Mrs. Dole said

## World

### East German leaders arrested

BERLIN (AP) - Former East vestigation on suspicion of German Premier Willi Stoph and three other officials of the defunct Communist state have been arrested in connection with shootto-kill orders at the Berlin Wall, officials said today.

Justice Senator Jutta Limbach said in a statement the four - all onetime members of East Germany's National Defense Council - were arrested late Monday and early today.

In addition to Stoph and former Defense Minister Heinz Kessler, she identified those arrested as Fritz Strelitz and Hans Albrecht.

justice and clear up decades of Ms. Limbach's statement said abuses of power by the ousted the four men have been under in-

Zulu leaders to limit weapons

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — The government and Zulu leaders have agreed to limits on carrying spears and other traditional weapons in black townships wracked by unrest, officials said today.

The new weapons rules were a key condition that the African National Congress said must be met before it would return to talks on scrapping the apartheid system of racial segregation.

ANC officials said today they were studying the development but were unlikely to comment until the government released specific details.

President F.W. de Klerk and

Zulu leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi agreed to the rules after de Klerk urged Zulu leaders Monday to drop their opposition to a ban on weapons that Zulus carry as a sign of tribal identity.

manslaughter in connection with

shoot-to-kill orders issued in 1974

by former East German leader

Erich Honecker that led to the

deaths of as many as 200 people

trying to escape East Germany.

According to Ms. Limbach's

statement, the arrests were made

because police received a tip that

Kessler was planning to flee the

In addition, there has been in-

creased pressure from German

news media on the authorities to

move more quickly to bring

former East German officials to

Township violence in recent months has claimed hundreds of lives, many in clashes between supporters of the ANC, the leading black nationalist group, and Buthelezi's rival Inkatha Freedom Party

Government officials, who declined to be named, said they expect rules to be issued within a few days banning spears and axes at political rallies and confining them to Zulu cultural events.

### Ethiopian president flees country

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (AP) President Mengistu Haile Mariam, the Marxist president who ruled Ethiopia through war and famine since 1977, resigned today under pressure from advancing rebels and left the country, state radio said. The announcement came less

than a week before peace talks are to begin, but rebel leaders reacted to Mengistu's departure with skepticism and vowed to continue fighting. In a noon broadcast, state radio

said Lt. Gen. Tesfaye Gebre-Kidan had taken over administration of this impoverished nation of 51 million people. It quoted the Council of State, a group of Mengistu advisers

The council said steps had been taken to "arrange a cease-fire through diplomatic channels'



MENGISTU HAILE MARIAM

and the U.S. Embassy in Addis Ababa confirmed that it had immediately contacted the rebels.

Mengistu's destination was not announced. Reliable sources said they believed he had arrived in Nairobi, capital of neighboring

## Court says Nevada must take dump

WASHINGTON (AP) - The ficials contended that the federal Supreme Court today rejected, for government has been given too the second time in 11 weeks, a Nevada challenge to the federal government's efforts to put a highlevel nuclear waste dump about 100

miles northwest of Las Vegas. intact rulings that the state lacked the state challenged the federal the proper legal standing to Bureau of Land Management's challenge the grant of a right-ofway allowing the federal Department of Energy to test the Yucca ca Mountain site Mountain site's suitability.

dump, now the only such project that the state had not asserted any being studied by Energy Secretary James Watkins, would open by the year 2010 and entomb for 10,000 years radioactive waste from nuclear power plants across the

Nevada has fought the proposal since Congress announced in 1987 that Yucca Mountain would be the only site considered. The state's legislature even passed a law attempting to veto development of the site, which is located on federal

The justices on May 4 refused to hear an appeal in which Nevada of-

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PIPES-WITH CULLIGAN much authority over land it owns

within the state's boundary More than 87 percent of all Nevada land is federally owned.

The appeal acted on today stem-The court, without comment, left med from a 1988 lawsuit in which granting a right-of-way for Department of Energy testing of the Yuc-

A federal trial judge dismissed The proposed Yucca Mountain the suit in early 1989 after ruling proprietary or sovereign interest in the public lands surrounding Yucca Mountain.

The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals upheld the dismissal last

The appeals court, among other things, ruled that the state could not invoke its "parens patriae" authority to represent the interests of its citizens in a suit against the federal government.

On that point, the appeals court relied on a 1982 Supreme Court

In urging the justices to reverse the appeals court ruling, Nevada Attorney General Frankie Sue Del Papa said the ruling carried 'ominous and potentially devastating consequences for the

public land states. Private organizations have standing to vindicate the federal rights of a member or members against the federal government," she said. "If Nevada is to be accorded the same representational rights to enforce the rights of its citizens ... why is its standing to be

Bush administration lawyers urged the high court to reject the state's appeal.

Nevada Gov. Bob Miller has been an outspoken opponent of the proposed dump. "They want us to take this like a does of castor oil, but this isn't castor oil they want us to swallow," he once said. "This is

The state's opposition has caused delays. The dump originally was to have opened by 1998.

The case is Nevada vs. Jamison,

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## **Herald opinion**

## Restore the **IRA** deductions

Congress should heed Federal Reserve Board Chairman Alan Greenspan's endorsement of legislation to make taxdeductible individual retirement accounts (IRAs) available again to all workers.

Greenspan sees IRAs as a vehicle to boost this country's dismal savings rate.

Americans put aside only 4 cents of every dollar as savings, compared with 16 cents in Japan and 13 cents in Germany. The decline in personal and business savings, along with chronic federal deficits, has deprived the U.S. economy of low-cost capital to finance investment in manufacturing and productivity, and has led to heavy reliance on foreign capital.

Testifying before the Senate Finance Committee recently, Greenspan said the nation must boost its savings or face a capital crunch. Without adequate capital, he noted, businesses have little chance to increase productivity and contribute to economic growth. "Put simply," he said, "inadequate domestic savings is impairing our economic prospects.

President Bush and Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, have offered similar proposals to increase personal savings. Bush proposes a new family savings plan that would generate taxfree interest and allow penalty-free withdrawals for emergencies. He also proposes penalty-free withdrawals from IRAs for first-time homebuyers.

Sen. Bentsen, together with Sen. William Roth, R-Del., is sponsoring a more ambitious proposal to restore fully deductible IRAs for all workers. Workers could make taxdeductible contributions of up to \$2,000 annually. And they could make penalty-free withdrawals before retirement to pay for a first home, catastrophic medical bills or education expenses

Deductible IRAs were made available to all workers in 1981 but were drastically limited in 1986. Bringing IRAs out of retirement will be difficult under new budget rules that require any tax breaks to be offset by tax increases or reduced spending. The Bentsen-Roth legislation would cost an estimated \$4.5 billion in lost revenues during the first year and more than \$25 billion over five years. Over the long term, however, most if not all of these revenues would be made up by stronger economic growth.

The short-term loss of tax revenues due to IRAs must be weighed against budget savings in other areas. IRAs that help families afford first homes and major medical and educational expenses would reduce reliance on government programs. Moreover, if any tax break is justified in an era of budget constraints, it is one to spur savings and thereby increase the supply of funds available for investments to strengthen the economy

## Have you hugged your queen today?

"One does not touch their highnesses unless a handshake is offered," says the official protocol handbook about British royalty.

Alice Frazier of Washington, D.C., probably never read it All the better. The 67-year-old Mrs. Frazier gave Queen Elizabeth II a hug when the queen visited her home on a tour of low-income neighborhoods in our nation's capital.

When asked about the hug, Mrs. Frazier replied, "That's the American way to me."

Following the hug, the queen committed her own breach of protocol by refusing to eat Mrs. Frazier's homemade fried chicken and potato salad. Worse than a breach of protocol, the queen probably missed a good

While perhaps not appreciating it, the queen experienced a genuine bit of the American experience: a big hug from a grandmother and an offer of fried chicken that meant, "C'mon in and you're welcome to sit a spell."

Americans are like that. In 1983, acting San Diego Mayor Bill Cleator touched the queen's back while escorting her on a tour. That touched off a protocol flap, but all the gesture meant was, "Thisaway, little lady.

There's not much use for protocol in this country; informality is part of our national character. In fact, the informal fighting style of the Continental Army helped win the American Revolution against the British monarchy.

We don't have the studied cordiality of the French, in which friends are required to kiss each other on both cheeks, nor the aloofness of the British, who rigidly repel

any familiar contact, unless they're in their cups. Call us uncouth; we don't mind. Give that queen a big ol' hug. It's as American as baseball.

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# Shooting down the Brady Bill

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The one thing you can say about the National Rifle Association is that it doesn't take its losses

When the House of Representatives voted for the Brady Bill (which the NRA opposed), an army of gun lobbyists on Capitol Hill started to let the air out of the tires of every congressman who voted for the seven-day waiting

Charlton Holster was so mad. his trigger finger was shaking.

'We're going to get them at the polls," he told me. "You have to be crazy to double-cross the NRA. We will fight them on the land and on the sea, but mainly in their voting districts, and we will drive them out of office.

Holster threw a rotten cantaloupe at a congressman's windshield

'Won't it cost a lot to defeat every representative who failed to follow your explicit instructions? "We have money, and we're

getting lots more. The crazed lawabiding gun owners will provide whatever funds it takes to kill

Two gun lobbyists tried to over turn a taxi carrying a congressman who had led the fight for the Brady Bill

"You're starting early," I said to Holster.

'Wouldn't you if your job depended on it? This is not just a battle to save our weapons — it is a fight for the jobs of every NRA lobbyist. Gun people have to eat,

"There goes that Benedict Arnold from Oregon — AuCoin, I have a good mind to put gun grease in his briefcase.

"You have a right to be mad, Holster, but if I were you I'd examine the way in which the House voted for Brady. It's possible that

... PLEASE DON'T TAKE

MY SUNSHINE AWAY.

Holster replied, "That's not a good enough reason. If it wasn't for our campaign contributions, Congress would have to serve corn flakes at their \$1,000-a-plate

the electorate is getting sick and

tired of the NRA threatening our

elected officials

He spotted a liberal congressman walking to the parking lot. "I'm going to dump a pail of dirty water on his Bally shoes.' Holster told me.

"You can't get pro-gun legislation if you beat up on everyone who doesn't vote your way," I

"He promised to vote with us and then he sold out to his electorate. Are we supposed to let him get away with it?'

"Don't forget," I reminded Holster, "Brady still has to get through the Senate, and senators are a lot more frightened of the NRA than Representatives. Even if the Senate passes the bill, it then has to go to President Bush, and he's still a wimp when it comes to the gun lobby. So you're wasting time letting air out of

tires."

Holster started crying. "We worked so hard. We stayed up all night drinking with congressmen who couldn't make up their minds. We took chairmen of committees to Disney World — all expenses paid — but we have nothing to show for it. This isn't the way America should operate."

YOU'LL NEVER KNOW, I

DEAR, HOW MUCH

I patted him on the shoulder. "Despite Brady, people will still be able to buy all the guns they

"Maybe," he sniffed, "but the thrill is gone if you have to wait seven days.

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# Gracious dining ain't what it used to be

By EUNICE CHOATE

I have an aversion to odering food by-the-number when I eat out. You get a menu and everything has a number in front of it. It you want a cheeseburger, you're supposed to say, "Ill have a well-done number nine." I don't like to do that because I want the waiter to hear what I want — so there'll be no mistake about it. I order food by its name and if anyone wants to know what number it is, they can look it up

A while back, I decided to cooperate and do it their way. It opened up a whole can of worms.

A party for four, we went to a restaurant we eat in now and then. The waitress handed around brand-new menus, and sure enough, each dish was preceded by a number. Against my better judgment, I gave in.

"I'll have a number 19," I said "Did that used to be number three?" the waitress asked.

I didn't know what she was talk ing about. She tapped her little order-pad and tried again. "Was that the number three on the other menu?

I continued to look blank and someone at our table said, "She must mean from the old menu. The waitress nodded and shifted

and when my order came, it wasn't with it. "I ordered a salad," I said "What about that one on your

to another foot. She was ready to

I picked up the new menu and

passed it slowly back and forth in

menu vou handed me when we sat

front of her eyes. "You see this

down?" (She nodded.) "Well, I

want number 19 from this menu.

She gave in and looked it up.

had set the tone for the evening.

We had just begun, that waitress

I ordered a salad on the side,

But, by ordering by-the-number, I

My word

get on with it.

and me.

plate?" she said I looked again. I picked up a piece of food that concealed a limp mess of lettuce a rabbit wouldn't touch, and said, "You call that a salad?'

She leaned over my plate and looked. "You're right," she grinned, "I'll bring you one." (I had already decided that if she asked what number that was. I wouldn't tell her. But she didn't ask.) She brought it in a wee-tiny berry dish and I took it because it had a tomato on top. I'm easy

"Thanks," I said. "I'd like some . . . " She was gone by then, fast on her feet. So I yelled across the room, "Bring me some Thousand Island.

She brought it, and someone ordered a Coors. "You want it right now?" she asked. 'Well, yeah," he said,

'anytime. She brought it. I decided to get a glass of wine to go with this relaxing meal I was having. "I'd like a glass of wine," I told her. "You want that right now?" she asked.

"Oh, no." I said. "Not right now. Let's say, oh, three and a half, to, what, maybe - five minutes from now, that'd be great."

"Right," she said, without batting an eye. I didn't see her look at her watch, but in just about three and a half minutes, she brought the wine

She sat it down and looked around the table. "Everything's good. Right?" By this time we were all tired.

We weren't about to contradict her. We nodded and smiled and said "num-nums" all around. She went away and we sighed and finished our meal.

The food was good, but somehow I hadn't relaxed. I lit a cigarette and thought about it. It was all my fault, I decided, for having ordered my food by-thenumber. I looked around for an ashtray and we didn't have one. I wasn't surprised.

When the waitress came to clear out plates away, I asked for one. She looked around too. I waited for her "do-you-want-thatnow" routine. Instead, she scooped the napkin from my weetiny berry dish and said, "Here, use this.

"No, really. I don't like to do

"Go ahead," she said pleasantly. "It's my fault you don't have one. Use it while I go get an ashtray.

By that time I would have used her shoe if she had offered it. She brought the ashtray. We sat slumped in our seats, a little weary. She came back and put our ticket on the table. We looked at each other and grinned. We nodded

"You want that right now?" we asked.

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# Lifestyle

## Overbearing friend is unwelcome guest

**DEAR ABBY: Last weekend my** wife's former college roommate, "Kathy," came to visit my wife and me. We had not seen her since 1986. She had sent a Christmas card, which we followed up with a phone call inviting her for a weekend. She lives two hours away, and accepted immediately - then she called back and asked if she could bring her new boyfriend. Well, we thought, "Any boyfriend of Kathy's would be as delightful as Kathy." Right? Wrong!

Kathy's boyfriend (I'll call him Chuck) turned out to be the most overbearing, crude, obnoxious, know-it-all we had ever met. He was argumentative, loud and just plain rude. We bit our tongues the entire weekend to keep from telling him where to go!

The problem is that Kathy seems to like this guy and she indicated that she and Chuck would be back regularly for weekend visits! She also suggested that we take a vacation trip with them.

So how do we go about telling Kathy that we think Chuck is a first-class jerk and she deserves better? Or should we keep quiet and hope she sees the light and dumps this rude dude?

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**DEAR STUMPED:** Be honest. If Kathy asks you what you think of Chuck, don't offer phony praise to keep from hurting her feelings. Tell her now not to include you in any vacations with her and Chuck because you don't enjoy his company that much. She may be offended, but it might inspire her to take a harder look at her new boyfriend and cause her to chuck

**DEAR ABBY:** "Browbeaten in Pompano Beach" wrote that he retired at age 62; then he went on to say, "Five years later, my wife of 55 years applied for her Social Security, etc.

Abby, if he retired at 62, five

Miss Ra'Chele Philips, 16,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley

Phillips, Coahoma, has been

selected to be a finalist in the

1991 Miss West Texas National

Teen-Ager Pageant. The pageant

will be held on the campus of

Wayland Baptist University, in

Plainview, on May 31-June 2,

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Dear Abby



years later he was 67. And if they were married for 55 years, he would have been 12 years old when he got married. Come on! How can that be? -K.R.J. IN GROTON,

DEAR K.R.J.: It can't. In order for it to make sense, that sentence should have read: "Seven years later my wife, who was 55 when I retired, applied for her Social Security at 62."

Wait, it gets worse. In my reply, I "After 55 years of togetherness, etc.," indicating that I, too, assumed they had been married for 55 years, which would have indeed made the husband 12 years old at the time of his marriage. The mathematics escaped me entirely. I plead guilty as charged. I'll take 10 whacks with a fifth-grade math book, and another 10 with a book on

DEAR ABBY: Am I the only person in the world who puts eyeglasses on to answer the telephone? I use "specs" for reading only because my eyesight is quite good for a person my age (62) — so why do I always reach for them when I answer the telephone? - WEIRD IN DENVER

DEAR WEIRD: Perhaps you want to be prepared in case you need to make a note of something during the telephone conversation. Many people (including me) have the same habit.

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Contestants will be judged on

scholastic achievement-

leadership, appearance, and

poise-personality. There is no

swimsuit competition. Talent

may be presented at the option of

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on the subject of "What's Right

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## Forsan students give spring concert

BY KATHRYN HOLLINGSHEAD Forsan's future band, now sixth graders, kicked off the '90-'91 Spring Concert with "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" Thursday night at the Forsan High auditorium, following with "The Blue Rock" and "The Red

The seventh grade band swung into "Buffalo Gals," "Swinging Shortnin' Bread," "Kum Ba Ya," and "Kiss the Girl," a song from the popular children's movie, Little Mermaid."

Director Bob Fishback presented a movie clip, tracing memorable moments for the senior band members from their twirling routine to the crowning of "Miss Buffalo '91.'

The junior high stage band played "Funkey Monkey March," "Frere Jacque Cha Cha Cha" and "Walking My Bass Back Home.

The high school band began their performance with "Under the Sea," also from the Little Mermaid movie, "Belle of Chicago," and then played some more serious pieces, "Hebrew Folk Song Suite," and "Silver Jubilee Overture," ending their program with "Instant Concert," a Big Band selection from the '40s which included 36 popular melodies from that era.

The senior band members, a large group this year, came forward for their tradition of playing the school song for the last time, and were joined by the rest of the band on the school song to complete the evening.

Seniors, J.J. Hollingshead and Chris Rosenbaum were presented the Mirabeau B. Lamar Award of Excellence by KATHRYN HOLLINGSHEAI Call 267-1429

the Staked Plains #598 Masons of Texas in an awards assembly last Thursday at Forsan High School. Amy Roberts was recognized for qualifying in three events at the state band **UIL competition. Brandi Nelson** was awarded the Outstanding Band Member Award, while Jason Parker was the '90-'91 John Philip Sousa Award winner.

Forsan

Outstanding theatre students were Amy Roberts and Jason Sims, Outstanding UIL participants are Dave Rundell and Lee Patterson. Lee won 1st in feature writing at the state UIL meet this year.

Outstanding Student Council member is Pattie Howard. Outstanding Industrial Arts student is Brad Everette, who won second in state competition in graphic art this year.

Seniors Kara Evans and Jason Parker were named 90-91 Valedictorian and Salutatorian. respectively, also Mr. and Miss FHS, Most Likely to Succeed, Most Talented and Most Studious. Genaro Aguirre and Amy Roberts were named Most Friendly; Jason Parker and Lee Patterson were named Most Handsome and Most Beautiful; Stephen East and Barbara Mitchell are Most Athletic; with Scott Roman and Carrie Moore named Most Humorous. Jason Parker and Amy Roberts were

of activities. Congressman Charles

Stenholm will conduct grand open-

ing ceremonies and former Dallas

Cowboy Bob Lilly will provides a

photography exhibit and par-

ticipate in the photography contest.

day with games and activities for

children and adults, arts and crafts

fair under a giant tent, several food

booths and barbecue lunch, ranch

rodeo and street dance. Also

featured during the day are

photography displays, art exhibits,

chuck wagons and pioneer-style ar-

balloon rides will be offered early

morning and late afternoon.

Turkey shoot competition begins

mid-morning. Entries to the

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Forsan senior band members play the school song one last time dur ing a recent concert.

voted Best Personality.

Ryndi Hamby was named junior high Student of the Week for the week of May 13-17. Congratulations, Ryndi.

Elbow Elementary will present a special awards assembly for all students earning awards this year at 2 p.m. in the Elbow gym on May 22. A special invitation is extended to this year's parent volunteers, for whom a reception will follow in the library.

"Campers on Mission" have been busy working at Elbow's Central Baptist Church. Volunteers from Colorado City to Odessa have rallied to spend a week building and repairing the inside of the church building, with the intention of finishing the building project that has been going on for at least five years. "Our motto is 'Share Christ

wherever we go" explains volunteer Dot Slater, who with husband J.W. has been working on the church this week, and staying in their RV, parked beside the building. Jack and Mary Williams, members of Campers on Mission, recently joined Central Baptist and asked their fellow volunteers to come. Central Baptist has been struggling to complete their facilities, relying on members to volunteer labor, and has also been without a pastor for two years.

Volunteer Clyde McCullough explains, "Most churches don't have a problem with finding funds for materials, they just need some help with the labor. That's where our organization can fill a real need." He, along with Herman and Edwinna Drinkard from Odessa, just came from Stanton's Circle 6 Encampment where they and eight other couples were volunteers. McCullough is a retired preacher from Stanton.

### **Briefs**

### **Hines honored in Chico**

Karen Hines, a 1976 graduate of Big Spring High School, has been named Citizen of the Year of Chico. Tx. She is the



Hines is currently serving her second dent of the

daughter of

Bob and Gert

Karwedsky,

Big Spring.

KAREN HINES Chamber of Commerce and has served previously as president of the Wise County Art Association.

### Ira valedictorian

Amy Lee Shoults daughter of Jack and Cindy Shoults, Snyder, granddaughter of Mrs. Flo Nobles

of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Shoults of Forsan was named valedictorian of Ira High School with a 96.01 GPA for four vears.



In addition AMY LEE SHOULTS to this honor, she has received a \$1000.00 scholarship from the Texs Tech Ag Department. She has also received a \$200.00 scholarship from Texs Tech for being Valedictorian of her class

Amy plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in Ag **Communications** 

Square dancing comes to Big Spring on a grand scale, May 17 and 18 when the Big Spring Square and Round Dance Club hosts their Twenty-second Annual Festival at the Corral on Chaparral Road. The weekend, starting Friday

evening, will be filled with colorful square and round dances, workshops, and A-Level dances, all ending Saturday evening with an after party food and dancing.

Dancers from a 100 mile radius will come to Big Spring for the festivities.

The fun begins Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. with round dancing to Dave and Nita Smith of Lubbock. followed with square dancing to ed by round and square Funshops

business community and attract call (915) 267-2349, 263-1952, or

## Little pageant winners

and Leah Riley of Grand Prairie has recently won "Tiny Miss" and "Miss Photogenic" titles with the crown in the "Little Miss of America" pageant in Dallas. Her baby brother, Jon Riley, won the title of "King" and four trophies in the following categories: Photogenic, Most Handsome, Prettiest Eyes in the "Baby America" pageant. He is 18 months old. They

both have been invited to be in the

Sara Riley, 4, daughter of Jon national pageants in Hollywood in August. The pageant is to be held at the Universal Hilton Hotel next

door to the Universal Studios Lot. Sara has been interviewed by a casting director for an upcoming Disney movie. She is the granddaughter of Dr. and Mrs. Win. Riley of Big Spring. Sara told her parents she didn't like modeling nor pageants but changed her mind when given the pageant's goodie bag filled with toys and cookies

## Piano Audition results

Phillips goes to finals

Thr results of the National Piano Auditions held recently in Big Spring are as follows;

National winners: Dorothy Graves, Arthur Graves, Robb Walker, Robin Wise, Josna Adusumilli, Stephanie Barraza, Katie McKenzie, Stefanie Kennedy, Megan Knight and Christopher Painter.

State winners: Kristen Thixton,

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Elisha Hubbard and Kristy Hooser. District winners: Nathan Johansen, April Ward, Hali Tubb, Kim Gray, Hiedi Robinson, Siglendo Robinson, Jerrod Fishback, Kel-

ly Hollar and Lindsey Marino. From coast to coast over 116,000 piano puplis of the nation will participate in this annual national piano-playing event being held in 840 music centers around the

**Baird Trade Fest** The 18th annual Baird Trades

Festival is slated for June 1. This year's event will be highlighted with the grand opening of several small antique malls, hot air Randy Phillips of Abilene. Saturballoons, turkey shoot, day morning will have A-Level photography contest, and antique dancing to Randy Phillips, followand collectibles auction.

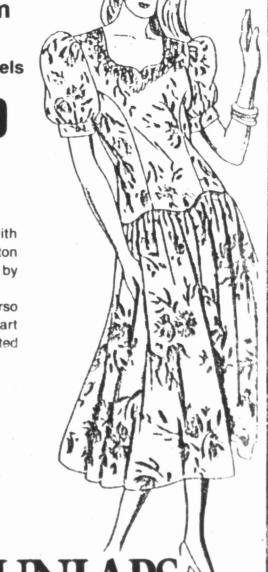
Baird is "on the right track" by in the afternoon. kicking off efforts to revitalize the many visitors all in one festive day 267-2810.

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## **Spring** board

### How's that?

Q. In 1925 who became the first woman in Texas, and the second in the nation, to serve as governor?

A. Miriam A. Ferguson was our first woman governor, according to Texas Trivia.

### Calendar

• The city of Big Spring Clean Team will be working in district 6 through Thursday. If you have articles to be picked up, call the city at 263-8311.

• The Desert Storm Support Group will meet at 7 p.m. at First Methodist Church, Garrett

• The Colorado City Senior Citizens' monthly dance will be from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the civic center. All area senior citizens are invited. The Porky

Proctor Band will perform. AMAC (Adults Molested As Children) will meet at 5:15 p.m. in the St. Mary's Episcopal Church library, 1001 Goliad St. Anyone interested must call first - Dr. Federman or Dawn Pearson at 267-8216 ext. 287.

• The Parenting Support Group will meet at 7 p.m. at the Howard County Mental Health Center. This group provides support and education to assist parents in coping effectively with the management of their children and teenagers. Anyone interested must call first to schedule an orientation interview - John McGuffy, MA, LPC, or Dawn Garrett, MA, at 267-8216 ext. 287.

• The Big Spring Art Association will meet at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Senior Center on Lynn Drive. There will be a demonstration.

WEDNESDAY

 The Divorce Support Group will meet from 6 to 7 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, room 101. Anyone welcome. Child care is available. Use the back entrance at Gregg Street parking lot. For more information call 267-6394

 Co-Dependents Anonymous will meet at 7 p.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, fourth floor **THURSDAY** 

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

 There will be a blood drive from 3 to 6 p.m. at American Medical Transport, East FM

 Masonic Lodge #598 will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 219 Main St.

 The Federal Aviation Administration is sponsoring an Aviation Safety Education Seminar at 7 p.m. in the conference room of building #1106 at the Big Spring Airpark. For more information call 263-1388. There will be a Kentwood

Country-Western Program at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Older Adult Center. Public invited. No dancing

### Tops on TV

• The Natural. Robert Redford, Robert Duvall. Fate makes a talented baseball player put his career on hold early. 7 p.m. Ch. 3.

• Fatal Attraction CBS Tuesday Movie. 7:30 p.m. Channel 7. Nova. 8 p.m. Channel 5.

## Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents • A 36-year-old man was ar-

rested on a warrant for revocation of a probation for theft. A 22-year-old San Angelo man

was arrested on a warrant for revocation of a probation for burglary of a habitation.

 A 30-year-old Lamesa man was arrested on a warrant for a bondsman coming off a bond for a charge of driving while intoxicated. The man was released after posting a new bond of \$1,000.

 A 29-year-old man was arrested on a warrant for a bondsman coming off bonds for charges of forgery and DWI. No new bonds were set.

• A 47-year-old Odessa woman was arrested on a Randall County warrant for theft by check. Her bond was set at \$1,000

## Oil/markets

futures 94.07 cents a pound, down 1; cash hog was 50 cents lower at 55.50; staughter steers steady at 25 cents lower at 77.75 even; June live hog futures 56.77, up 17; June live cattle futures 74.57, up 20 at 10:33 a.m., according to Delta Commod

## Attorneys say client was denied due process

By PATRICK DRISCOLL Staff Writer

Attorneys thrown out of a parole revocation hearing last month are filing a motion to reopen the hearing, saying their client's parole on a murder conviction was revoked without due process of law.

Oren L. Craig, 30, had his parole revoked last week following an April 22 hearing by the Pardons and Paroles Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Craig, released on parole in August after serving more than six years of a 20-year sentence for the 1983 shotgun-shooting death of James Kevin Harmon, was arrested for parole violation in February.

Lubbock attorney George Gilkerson and Big Spring attorney Wayne Basden said they were not allowed to represent Craig at the revocation hearing in the Howard County Courthouse because they refused to

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The overall Texas unemploy-

ment rate rose from 6 percent a

year ago to 6.9 percent in April '91,

being added to the number of

"The increasing unemployment

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should be part of curriculums as

Equity is the the main problem

"There are many facets of equi-

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toward equity," he said. "...A

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**Education** 

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sign an affidavit that they said were required to check. would have resulted in swearing to false statements. They were also removed from the hearing, which

was open to the public. The affidavit is meant to distinguish whether the parolee or the Pardons and Paroles Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice is to pay for attorney fees. Gilkerson and Basden said one part appears to say that Pardons and Paroles will pay the fees and wanted to cross that line out but were not allowed to by hearing examiner David Smith of

Paul Tenner, assistant director of the Pardons and Paroles hearing section in Austin, said that all they had to do was leave a space unchecked in parenthesis after the sentence appeared to be combined

(Metropolitan Statistical Areas),

are still being impacted by the na-

tional recession, with effects now

becoming more pronounced. Texas

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gaining only one-third the number

of jobs created during the same

period a year ago," according to

(schools) I've visited have the

funds but cannot come up with the

toward a school finance system

was admirable, Meno said.

The legislature's latest effort

"Everyone would prefer a

system that levels up," he said.

"Ultimately, we must find a

system that provides the best

It would be unfortunate to lose any

programs. The purpose is to raise

education for our youngsters. . .

with approximately 100,000 persons economic growth was relatively

the report.

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the whole effort.

Tenner said he did not consider it confusing or unusual that parenthesis for three other statements on the form are before the sentences,

'We couldn't sign it because it would be untruthful the way he wanted us to sign it," Basden said. "He wanted us to swear to that," Gilkerson said.

Tenner said he has never heard of a problem with the form even though he has been with pardons and paroles since 1983. "This is the first time that I can ever recall that this form has been a point of contention in one of our hearings," he

Both attorneys said that after the line in question had been crossed out during the hearing last month, sentence. But Basden said the Smith grabbed the affidavit, crumpled it into a ball and refused with another sentence that they to enter it into evidence as

When contacted, Smith referred the call to Tenner, who is his supervisor. Tenner said a tape of the hearing is unclear in certain areas and is waiting for more details he requested from Gilkerson.

"I'm waiting for his response before I can address the matter," Tenner said. "There definitely does seem to be some confusion

Gilkerson said that after the hearing commenced, he attempted to assist Craig by writing comments on paper and pointing to them. He said Smith then informed him he couldn't do that and ordered a sheriff deputy to remove both attorneys from the hearing room.

'That's the first time I've had that happen in 40 years," Gilkerson said. "And it's a public hearing, too. It's sort of strange.

"It's the first time I've been kicked out of a public hearing," Basden

Meanwhile, Gilkerson said he sent a motion today to the Pardons and Paroles Board in Austin to have the hearing reopened. Besides being denied legal counsel, the motion also says that Craig was not fairly advised of the alleged conduct that violated parole terms.

'The hearing commenced on a charge of terroristic threat and was changed to 'retaliation,' a word without explanation or allegation of fact," the motion

In addition, an application for a writ of habeas corpus requesting that Craig be released from jail was filed in 118th Judicial District Court last week. A hearing date has not been set on the writ.



Herald photos by Perry Hal

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said the bill, also known as the Om-"My concept is to get rid of it and leave the money in place," he said. "I want to totally do away with the sideration in the next several days, career ladder and the evaluation Fraser said. Included in the

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Meno takes office July 1.

teachers who have received it. "If we've given the money to a nibus School Bill, is not a solution. teacher, we should leave that money with the teacher," he said.

HB-1118 should come up for conmeasure is an amendment that Fraser said the amendment he would shorten the suspension plans to propose would advocate period under no-pass, no-play, also

### Fun time

Workers were busy Tuesday morning setting up a Tuesday through Saturday. It is being sponsored carnival at College Park Shopping Center. The by the Big Spring Fire Department. carnival will open be open from 6 p.m. to midnight

### **Police beat**

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

• A store in Highland Mall

reported the theft of two pair of Nike athletic shoes at a value of • A juvenile in detention

at the probation office in the 300 block of Main Street. A car's windshield was reportedly cracked by vandals om

escaped from authorities custody

tje 500 block of South Main. • The burglary of a vehicle was reported in the 500 block of Westover. Fishing equipment, a stereo and tools were among items woman suffered bruises and difficulty breathing; her husband was arrested for class A assault. Beer and cigarettes were reported stolen from a convenience

Family violence was reported

in the 800 block of Creighton. A

store in the 300 block of Owens. A 32-year old man was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

 Tennis shoes valued at \$80 were reported stolen from a locker room at Big Spring High School.

Ramage, Bridgeport, W.Va.; and

to Muscular Dystrophy Founda-

tion, 2101 W. Wall, Suite B,

Bill Decker, 66, Big Spring, died

Services will

be 10 a.m.

Wednesday in

Myers and

Smith Chapel

with the Rev.

Herbert

McPherson,

pastor of

Calvary Bap-

Monday, May 20, 1991, in a local

hospital after a lengthy illness

The family suggests memorials

four nieces and nephews

Midland, TX, 79701.

Bill Decker

grandmother, Bertha Moore

## **Deaths**

missing.

## **Brenda Hong**

Brenda Fairfax Hong, Big Spring, 36, died Saturday, May 18, 1991, in a local hospital after a lengthy



illness Memorial services will be 2 p.m. Thursday in Nalley-Pickle and Welch

Rosewood

Chapel with

the Rev. Herb Wood, pastor of Ridgemont Baptist Church in Abilene, officiating. Additional memorial services will be 2 p.m. Saturday in Davis Funeral Home Chapel in Clarksburg, W.Va.

She was born Nov. 11, 1954 in Clarksburg, W.Va. She married Jon Ronald Hong April 15, 1978, in Clarksburg. She grew up in Clarksburg and attended school there. She also attended the school for the deaf in Romney, W.Va., where she was valedictorian of her class. She graduated from Gallaudet University in Washington, D.C. in 1977. They came to Big Spring in 1982, from Clarksburg. She had worked for SWCID for six months and had written a column about Texas for Silent News, a national publication for the deaf. She was a member of Hillcrest Baptist Church

Survivors include her husband, Jon Ronald Hong, Big Spring; her mother, Phyllis Wildman, Moncks Corner, S.C.; one sister, Kay Walls, Summerville, S.C.; three brothers: Ricky Fairfax, Las Vegas, Nev.; Randy Fairfax, Moncks Corner, S.C.; and Phillip Fairfax. Ladson, S.C.; her paternal grandmother, Viola Fairfax, Clarksburg, W.Va.; her maternal

tist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park and under the direction of Myers and Smith

Funeral Home. He was born June 7, 1924, in Frankell, Stephens County. He married Nelba Burkhart Oct. 8. 1980, in Stanton. He had lived in Big Spring since 1956, moving here from Frankell. He was a member of the American Legion and was a veteran of World War II, serving in the United States Navy. He owned Decker's Liquor Store for 10 years.

Survivors include his wife, Nelda Decker, Big Spring; five stepsons: Ronald Lee, Bobby Lee and Rory J. Lawson, all of Big Spring; Dean Lee, Farmington, N.M.; and Starr Lee, Alice; one stepdaughter, Ramona White, Big Spring; one sister, Pauline Mayes, Colo.; one uncle, and 14 grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Terrell Thompson, Roland Atkins, C.C. Cline, Charles Hamm and Rocky Vieira.

### Nalley-Pilla & Welch **Funeral Home** and Resewood Chapel

Brenda Fairfax Hong, 36, died Saturday. Memorial Services will be at 2:00 P.M. Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel

## Skateboar

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### Stars pour Lions Mon

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### Global population growing rapidly ception of Albania, have growth To do this, the number of couples LONDON (AP) — The world's

population is growing faster than predicted, increasing the pressures on the natural resources needed for global survival, a U.N. report said

Showing off his prize

TAMPA, Fla. — Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf

stands with his wife Brenda, center, as he

displays the medal presented to him by Queen

Elizabeth II, left, in Tampa, Fla. Monday. The

The population is expected to reach 5.4 billion by mid-1991 and said. "These signs represent then rise to about 10.2 billion trends that if not checked portend perhaps as soon as 2050 — about 25 an ominous future. years earlier than previous projections, the report said.

About 95 percent of the increase is coming in the poorer, developing nations least able to cope, said the report, "The State of the World Population 1991. The populations of North

America and Europe will increase little through births. ...e industrial nations could face increasing pressures from immigrants fleeing poverty and environmental problems, the report said. Dr. " 'is Sadik, executive director of the United Nations Popula-

tion Fund, told reporters that to

stabilize world population at 10.2

billion by 2075, fertility would have

to be lowered from the current 3.8

births per woman to 3.3 births.

practicing contraception in the developing world must increase by 50 percent, from 381 million in 1990 to 567 million by 2000, she said.

'We can already see the warning signs of missing our targets," she Increasing human demands are

damaging the natural resources that underpin economic development and human survival, the report said. Slower population growth and more even distribution of people would help relieve the pressure on land, energy resources, watersheds and forests, it said

The report said the largest relative population increase is taking place in Africa, rising from its current 650 million people to 900 million by the end of the century. The population of Latin America

and the Caribbean is expected to increase by 100 million by the turn of the century to 540 million. Meanwhile, North American and

European countries, with the ex-

rates of less than 1 percent. But migratory pressures will in-

award is the highest honor Britain can bestow on

a foreigner. The Queen gave the general the title

of honorary Knight Commander in the Military

Division of the most honorable Order of the Bath.

**Associated Press photo** 

crease as the Third World population rises, the report said. The number of migrants fleeing poverty, political oppression or environmental instability already is growing while the need for unskilled and semiskilled workers is falling in the industrial nations.

The report said there are some positive signs for slowing birth "Compared with any previous

generation, more women are saying they want fewer children. Although actual fertility is much higher than desired fertility in many countries, it is now falling in all regions of the developing world," it said.

The voluntary use of contraception in developing countries has grown from 10 percent of couples in the 1960s to 51 percent today, the report said. If women who did not want to become pregnant could exercise that choice, the rate of population growth in the Third World would fall by about 30

### **MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL**

Bill Decker, 66, died Monday. Services are 10:00 A.M. Wednesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Chapel. Interment will follow at Mount Olive Memorial Park

Time

to get tough

CHICAGO (AP) - The

Detroit Pistons figure to display

their best shots when they take

on the Chicago Bulls in Game 2

of their best-of-7 Eastern Con-

Chicago's Michael Jordan

"That's the nature of the

game," Jordan said. "We have

to let them know they cannot in-

timidate us. They try to break

you down mentally and

physically. We know the tactics

they use; we have to be mature

Jordan had some words and

flying elbows with Joe Dumars

and Mark Aguirre in the Bulls'

opening 94-83 victory Sunday in

which Chicago's bench played a

major role in a pivotal fourth

"I think they will be very

physical," Jordan said. "But

I'm not going to do anything

stupid or get thrown out of the

game. I'll let them know verbal-

ly that they cannot intimidate

Also tonight, the Los Angeles

Lakers and Portland

Trailblazers meet in the second

game of the Western Conference

Jordan, who on Monday was

named the NBA's Most

Valuable Player, said the

"This is a must game for us,"

said Jordan. "We worked hard

for the homecourt advantage

and we don't want to lose it. If

we win, we will put the pressure

on them. If we go 2-0 on them, it

will be the first time. But even

that wouldn't be safe. You never

feel comfortable until they are

Jordan scored 22 points Sun-

day, but the Bulls' bench keyed

the victory when B.J. Arm-

strong, Cliff Levingston, Craig

Hodges and Will Perdue upped a

68-65 lead to 81-72 in turning

Detroit coach Chuck Daly said

the Pistons were in position "to

steal" Sunday's game, especial-

ly when they overcame an early

12-point deficit and twice took

one-point leads in the third

day, it would have set the stage

for a victory in the second

game," said Daly. "But the

Bulls won and I don't see us

"If we had beaten them Sun-

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### **Skateboard** contest part of Festival

There will be a skateboard contest as part of Heart of the City Festival in downtown Big Spring June 1 and 2.

All entrants must pay a \$2 fee and have a pre-registration form signed by their parents. Skaters will compete for prizes, ribbons and trophies. Contact Steve Madry, 263-5330 for information.

### Stars pound **Lions Monday**

The American League Stars, behind the three-hit pitching of Gil Grawunder and Jeff Gregory, pounded the Coahoma Lions, 18-4, in Little League baseball action Monday night.

**Grawunder and Gregory** scattered three hits and combined for 11 strikeouts en route to victory. Steven Prater, Rodney Gressett and Craig Milliken picked up the Lions'

The Stars, meanwhile, were paced on offense by Jeremy Fudge, who had three hits and five RBIs, and Danny Wilson (three hits) and Ricky Perez and Ehren Tune, who collected

two hits each. Chad Winn was tagged with the loss for the Lions.

### **Country Club** hosting match play

The Big Spring Country Club is hosting the annual Match

Play Tournament May 25-26. This is an open tournament and entry deadline is May 22 and ntry fee is \$85 per person. There will be a practice round May 24. Also included is two rounds of golf, dinner for two with drinnks and live

entertainment. The flights will be broken by blind draw and all handicaps

For more information call 267-5354

### Washers tourney set for May 26

COAHOMA — St. Joseph's Catholic Church will be hosting a washers tournament May 26 starting at 12 noon.

Entry fee is \$10 per team. To register in advance call Delen at 394-4687 or Daniel at 267-6590.

### Softball tourney in Colorado City

COLORADO CITY - Hertenburger Field will be the site of a men's slow-pitch softball tournament sponsored by Colorado City Boxing Club May 24-26.

Entry fee is \$100 per team. The first four finishers will receive team trophies, and the first two teams will also receive individual trophies. There will also be awards for all-tournament, MVP and sportsmanship.

For more information call Vince Gaona at 728-8907 or at 728-8612, or call Rocky Vieira at 267-7773.

### Former HC coach has baseball camp

LUBBOCK — Former Howard College baseball assistant coach, Frank Anderson, now at Texas Tech, is conducting the Red Raider Baseball Camp at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Youth ages 10-17 are eligible

and fee is \$250 for overnight campers, \$180 for commuters campers and \$70 for day campers. The overnight camps will be June 9-13, and June 24-27. Day camp will be June

For more information call Anderson at (806) 742-3335.

### Girls hoop play set for June

ODESSA — The Permian Basin Girls Basketball Association is hosting a tournament for junior high and high school girls June 20-22 at Odessa College Sports Center.

Each team is guaranteed to play three games. Entry fee is \$175 per team. Entry deadline is June 5. For more information call Ken Hefner at 362-4535 or 335-6573.

# Sidelines Hawks win state title Bulls:

STEPHENVILLE - The Howard College Hawks beat both the Lee Rebels and the rain to earn their first-ever trip to the national junior college baseball tournament with a 4-2 win at the state tournament here Monday afternoon.

Just minutes before a thunderstorm hit — and with the potential tying runs in scoring position — Howard pitcher Frank Rodriguez struck out the last batter on three straight pitches to nail down the win and the berth at nationals.

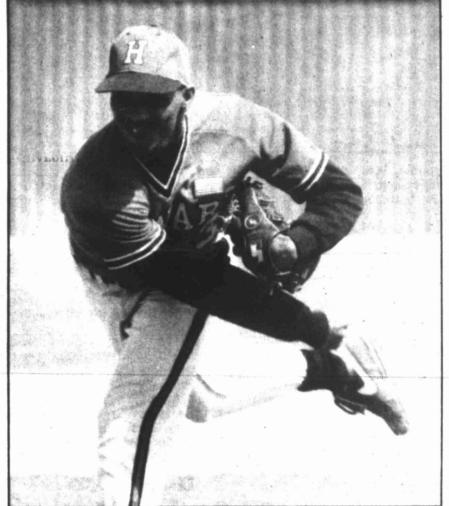
The Hawks, now 52-11, will leave for Grand Junction, Colo. Wednesday for the double-elimination tournament. They will face Seminole (Okla.) College in a firstround game Saturday.

Rodriguez (12-1) went the distance for Howard, allowing two runs on six hits while striking out six and walking four, despite showing some side-effects from an earlier rain delay

"The rain delay affected him," HC coach Bill Griffin said. "But he scattered his hits . . . and our defense played very well behind him; they turned three double plays.

The Hawks opened the scoring in the bottom of the first. Milton Diaz opened with a single to center and went to second on a wild pitch. He then scored when Willie Olivas doubled to left field.

Jeff Schulz walked and Sean Teague singled to load the bases before Rodriguez helped his own cause with a ground single to left that scored Olivas. Jose Gomez provided the last run of the inning when his groundout scored Schulz. Rain began falling between the



Howard College pitcher Frank Rodriguez, shown in this file photo, survived a rain delay and a last-inning scare to lead the Hawks to a 4-2 win over the Lee College Rebels in the championship game of the state junior college baseball tournament Monday in Stephenville.

first and second innings, and Lee runs, scoring on a walk, triple and took advantage of the delay to groundout.

surance run for the Hawks in the seventh when he blasted his third home run of the year, a solo shot over the left field fence. The win, aside from sending the Hawks to the JUCO World Series,

that, blanking the Rebels the rest

of the way. Diaz added an in-

also provided them with a measure of revenge for Sunday's 5-2 loss to

"(The Hawks) were somewhat disappointed; they had wanted to win it all Sunday," Griffin said. "That kind of woke them up . . . and they responded to it very well.

Griffin, who will be taking his fifth team to the national JUCO tournament, said he was happiest for his teammembers. "I'm happy for the kids, especially for the sophomores who worked so hard to get us to this point," he said.

He added that he didn't know why everything finally fell into place this year for the Hawks.

"I really don't know," he said. "I wish to heck that I did. We did have good pitching and defense, and I think that was a key, and their emotional level and intensity were

"I think if I had the answer, I'd be able to do it every year," he added. "The right things have to fall into place.

There will be a hamburger supper for the team from 5-7 p.m. tonight at the Old Settlers Pavillion at Comanche Trail Park.

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## touch Rodriguez for their only two Bulldogs ousted from playoffs

By STEVE REAGAN Staff Writer

ABILENE — The DeLeon Bearcats gave the Coahoma Bulldogs a lesson in playoff baseball Monday as they grinded their way to a 10-0 win in Class 2A bi-district action at Hunter Field.

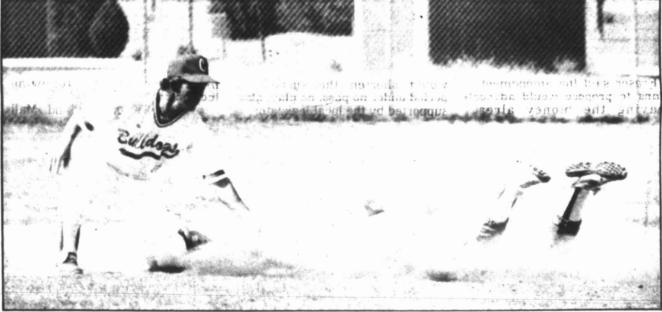
The 25-2 Bearcats, ranked number one in the state, put the pressure on the Bulldogs from the beginning and didn't let up until the game was called in the sixth inning because of the 10-run rule.

Pete Harris (10-1) scattered three hits and struck out five to pick up the win, while Dutch Barr (6-7) took the loss for Coahoma. Harris was effective at the plate

as well, going two-for-three with two doubles; as a team, the Bearcats had 12 hits. The Bulldogs, who ended their

season with a 9-11 record, had trouble getting untracked. They got only one runner as far as third base and committed five errors in the

Coahoma Coach Phillip Ritchey said the pressure of a first-ever trip



in the first round of the Class 2A state playoffs at

his team.

Coahoma second baseman Rusty Ginetti, left,

tags out a runner in action earlier this season.

Monday, Coahoma was defeated by DeLeon, 10-0,

to the playoffs might have affected away from DeLeon — they've got a we've ever been involved in a game very good team," Ritchey said, like this, and I thought the guys "I don't want to take anything "but for us, this was the first time BULLDOGS page 2-B

# Lady Steer athletes honored at first-ever banquet

• BULLS page 2-B

quarter.

By STEVE BELVIN **Sports Editor** 

The inaugural Big Spring Lady Steers Athletic Banquet was conducted Monday night at the high school cafeteria and Lady Steer athletes in volleyball, basketball, golf and track were honored.

Big Spring Athletic Director Dwight Butler served as Master of Cermonies and began the evening by introducing all the coaches in attendence. They were: head track coach jay Kennedy, head basketball coach George Martin, head volleyball coach Lois Ann McKenzie, trainer Jim Campbell and assistant coaches Robbie Gibson, Peggy Calhoun, Dan Burke, Ricky Long. Junior high coaches in attendence were Lois Cunningham, Teresa White, Alma Gonzales, Dona Kent and Julie Hall.

Former Lady Steers basketball coach George Martin was the first coach to hand out awards to his players. The Most Improved award went to senior Kerry Burdette and the Coaches Award was presented to junior Kayla Roberts. Senior post player Shawn Settles received the Most Valuable Player Award.

Next, Martin, who will be teaching and coaching on the junior high level next season, was presented awards from the team by Burdette and Teveyan Russell.

This was followed by cheerleader sponsor Jill Willbanks, who recognized the cheerleaders in attendence. They were Bridgette Black, Sunny Fraser, Christi Griffin and Bobbi Jo Elliott.

Next coach Butler presnted awards to the golf team. Butler said it was a hard year for the team because they lost their coach



Kerry Burdette, left, and Cassie Underwood display the Most Improved Player awards they won at Lady Steers Athletic Banquet at the high

school cafeteria Monday night. Athletes in volleyball, basketball, track and golf were honored during the event.

moted to the athletic director and apologizing. This is a tough to four-year letterwomen and allhead football coach's position. "They were left out in the cold come out of the district three of the

this spring. They really didn't have last four years.' a coach very often," said Butler. "It was a bad situation, it wasn't award went to Jennifer Suggs. The

district; the state champion has district performer Kim Locke. Butler added that Locke will be the valedictorian of this year's The Most Improved Golfer graduating class.

Lady Steers track coach Jay

awards to his history-making team. This year the lady Steers won the school's first-ever girls district track championship.

"I've seen a lot of exciting things in my life, but one of the most exciting things was when we stepped off the bus in San Angelo," he said of the district track meet.

'When they got off the bus they were ready to compete. The reason was because all year long they had been talking about winning a district championship. That goes to show people if you put your mind to it, set your goals, good things will happen.

Kennedy gave the Outstanding Track Award to the entire team. The Coaches Award went to senior Marta Mathews. Next Kennedy was presented a special award by his team, saying "We truly owe the title of district champs to you.

Coach McKenzie then presented awards to her voleyball squad. "They did a good job. A lot of them have been with us three years,' said McKenzie of her team. "We had a good season but we should've done better.

The Scholastic award went to mangers Debbie Dennard and Kim Hobbs. Burdette and Jennifer Cranford got the Aggressive award and Burdette and Cassie Underwood received the Most Improved award. The Coaches Award went to Mathews, and Most Valuable Player honors went to Russell.

Senior Terri Moncada presented McKenzie an autographed volleyball.

Butler concluded the event by thanking Merna Russell, Dede Burdette, Pat Underwood and Kay and Neal Roberts for being the leaders in organizing the hanquet

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### **Shelton pleads** no contest

BAKERSFIELD, Calif. (AP) - Former NBA player Lonnie Shelton pleaded no contest to petty theft.

Shelton, who played for Cleveland, New York and Seattle in 10 seasons in the NBA, was charged with selling an 18-year-old customer \$300 worth of clothes for \$140 at Michael's Big and Tall store in Bakersfield. Shelton was a clerk at the store where clothes were sold without a receipt on April 7, when the store was closed.

Shelton was placed on probation for one year by **Bakersfield Municipal Judge** Frank Hoover and will have to perform 80 hours of community service.

### Teen charged in stabbing death

DENVER, N.C. (AP) - AWest Virginia teen was charged with first-degree murder in the stabbing death of a truck driver for a NASCAR racing

Kenneth Justice, 17, was charged in warrants issued by the Lincoln County sheriff's department in the slaying of Don Scott, 45, of Mooresville,

N.C. Sheriff Joe Kiser said. Scott was stabbed 27 times in the back and chest Sunday morning at the U.S. Racing Team garage of driver Ted Musgrave, Kiser said.

Justice was already wanted on charges of burglary and grand larceny. He was arrested on those charges and on a fugitive from justice warrant, said McDowell County, W.Va., Magistrate Shirley Pickett.

### **NASCAR** suspends Ellis, others

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Car owner Junior Johnson, crew chief Tim Brewer and driver Tommy Ellis received 12-week suspensions by NASCAR for using an engine that violated Winston Cup rules in Sunday's race at Charlotte, N.C

In addition to the suspensions, Ellis was fined \$18,000 and Johnson \$7,000. The suspension will end Johnson's streak of entering every Winston Cup race since 1972.

Winston Cup rules permit a maximum allowable cubic-inch displacement of 358, and Johnson's Ford Thunderbird had a 361.856 cubic-inch displacement when it was inspected after The Winston at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

### **MLB** honors Joyner, Pendleton

NEW YORK (AP) — Wally Joyner of California and Terry Pendleton of Atlanta, who both hit over .500 last week, were named major league players of the week

Joyner, who leads the American League in hitting, batted .519 with three homers and 13 RBIs during the week Pendleton hit .611 with 11 hits in 18 at-bats, including two doubles and a home run to earn NL honors.

### Sanberg leads **All-Star voting**

NEW YORK (AP) — Ryne Sandberg of the Chicago Cubs led all players in early results of fan balloting for the All-Star teams, major league baseball announced. With 21,435 votes, the Cubs second baseman took an early lead over San Francisco's Will Clark (18,063)

### Softball play set in Hobbs, N.M.

HOBBS, N.M. — The Hobbs Sox Invitational, a men's slowpitch softball tournament, will be May 24-26 in Hobbs, N.M. This is a state and divisional qualifying tournament for Class D and Class E teams. Teams entered must be registered by the United State Slow-pitch Softball Association Teams not registed with the USSA can get registered for

Entry fee is \$125 per team and entry deadline is May 22 at 8 p.m. The first place team in Class D gets a team trophy and 15 pairs of Nike shoes; second place gets team trophy and 15 Coors ball caps, and third

place gets a team trophy. In E division, the winer gets team trophy and 15 Coors bat bags and 15 Coors caps.



first before a snap throw by Houston catcher Bagwell (5).

Daniels, right, reacts quickly and slides back to Taking the throw is Houston first baseman Jeff

## Padres play long ball vs. Braves

ATLANTA (AP) — Ed Whitson threw strikes, and Atlanta hit a lot of them. But the Braves didn't hit the ball as far as the San Diego Padres.

Whitson managed to scatter 11 hits Monday night as the Padres beat Atlanta 7-3. Tony Fernandez, Tony Gwynn and Fred McGriff each had solo home runs for San Diego, whose victory kept the Braves one-half game behind firstplace Los Angeles in the National

League West The Braves, who had won seven of eight at home, scored three runs in the first four innings. Whitson shut out Atlanta after that, striking out four and walking none in his second complete game

"I made some mechanical adjustments about the fourth or fifth inning," Whitson (3-4) said. "I got on top of the ball more, and that made my slider and palm ball

"I just try to go as far and as hard as I can. There's no pace job for me," he said. "We just needed to give our bullpen a rest, and I was

### **NL** roundup

just glad I could give it to them." In the only other NL game, Houston beat Los Angeles 4-1.

For Braves starter John Smoltz (1-5), it was the same story — pitch decently but come away without a

"I had good stuff," said Smoltz, the Braves' top winner a year ago with a 14-12 record. "I have had all year. The simple fact is we are not clicking.'

Smoltz had a season-high 10 strikeouts in seven innings, but gave up eight hits and five runs. "I've had quality starts like this

that got me nothing. There's straight, put the Padres at .500 for nothing to blame it on. It's just gone that way up until now," he

"Things will change for John." Braves pitching coach Leo Mazzone said. "John had great stuff tonight. He had an excellent curve, as good as he's had all year. He's a

Smoltz, however, got himself in trouble early, giving up a leadoff single to Bip Roberts in the opening inning. Fernandez then tripled Roberts home and scored on Gwynn's single. Fernandez hit his first National League home run in the third for a 3-0 lead.

The Braves tied it in the fourth on an RBI single by Greg Olson after Lonnie Smith cracked a two-run homer in the third, but San Diego went ahead to stay in the fifth on Roberts' RBI double.

Gwynn opened the sixth with his second homer of the season and McGriff hit his 10th of the season in the eighth off reliever Mike

The victory, San Diego's third the season

"We're playing good right now, and that tends to get your confidence back," Roberts said. Astros 4, Dodgers 1

Luis Gonzalez hit a solo home run and an RBI triple, leading Jimmy Jones and Houston at the

## Penguins, Stars in Game 4 tonight

The Mario Lemieux mystery will be cleared up tonight in Game 4 of the Stanley Cup finals. Other than that, the Pittsburgh Penguins still have to solve the dilemma of winning at Met Center.

"I know they'll be aggressive," Minnesota center Dave Gagner said. "They don't want to go home down 3-1. We have to look for the same game from Pittsburgh just like we did in the second game.'

Then, as now, the Penguins trailed in the series before coming back to tie at 1-1.

The North Stars' 3-1 victory in Game 3 on Sunday put them up again by a game and put more pressure on the Penguins.

The Penguins are hurting other ways. They don't even know if Lemieux, their leading scorer in the playoffs, will be available for tonight's game

Lemieux did not play Sunday night because of back spasms and was still a question mark today. 'We certainly want him to play

and he certainly wants to play,' Penguins coach Bob Johnson said. "We'll have to wait until after warmups (tonight) to see how he feels. "It was his decision not to play

last night. It will be his decison to

If not, Johnson hoped his players would respond the same way they did when Lemieux was lost for most of the season following disc

'We played the first 50 games of the regular season without him," Johnson said, "We were caught off guard (Sunday night) because we found out (that he would not play) only 15 minutes before the game.

'I thought the team responded well. We stayed in the hunt ... I thought we gave it a good shot.'

Lemieux was not available for interviews on Monday, nor were any of the other Pittsburgh players. In a transcribed interview released by the Penguins' public relations department, Lemieux said:

'I feel pretty good. It was just like the seventh game against New Jersey when I had to leave the

## **Bulldogs**

• Continued from page 1-B were a little uptight. They were about a half-second slower on mak-

ing the plays. The Bulldogs had two chances to score in the early innings, getting runners to first and second in both the first and second innings, but Harris got out of both jams, striking out Steven New in the first and forcing Brent Elmore at third base

in the second. The Bearcats, meanwhile, struck for single runs in first three innings before exerting control in the fourth. Harris led off with a double, went to third on a wild pitch and scored when catcher Mike Her-

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However, it will be a different

situation. Both teams have had

Going into Sunday's game, the

Bulls had had four days off since

eliminating Philadelphia. The

Pistons had to go into overtime

to defeat Boston Friday night,

and less than 48 hours later they

better in every way," Daly said.

"It's a seven-game series,"

said Aguirre, who came off the

Detroit bench to lead both teams

in scoring with 25 points.

"Believe me, it will go seven. If

we get a little more rest and

play aggressively, we can do

Isiah Thomas, the only

Detroit starter to score in dou-

ble figures with 11 points, all in

the second half, said: "We have

to play better in Game 2. I was

fine and had no physical pro-

blems. We have no excuses.

They outplayed us and we have

to do a better job in rebounding.

Every game in the playoffs is a

some damage.

'We have to regroup and play

were up against the Bulls.

stealing one Tuesday.

the same amount of rest.

**Bulls** 

nandez's throw to third skipped into left field.

Two outs later, Greg George reached base on an error and Casey Stone walked. Brian Harris' grounder was then misplayed, allowing George to score the second run of the inning. Jason Upshaw made the score 6-0 when his single to left plated Stone.

The Bearcats then scored four runs in the sixth on four hits and an error to end the game.

'In the first two inings, we had guys on first and second. If we could've got a hit or two there, it might have made a difference," Ritchey said. "When we didn't

James Edwards called Game

2 "a must win for us. I'm sure

we'll come out and shoot better

to the Bulls' 50.0 and were outre-

The Pistons shot 42.1 percent

But the Pistons vow they will

"We'll be ready to play,"

Dumars said. "We have to play

better. We have to step on the

court and get in sync and stay

away from the lulls. Guarding

Michael Jordan is a handful,

even when he is not having a

great scoring night. You have to

Chicago coach Phil Jackson

"Each game has its own per-

expects the Pistons to come out

sonality," said Jackson. "We

know Detroit is a team that can

win on the road. The Pistons will

make adjustments and we are

going to have to react to those

Jackson also expects the

Pistons will start out double-

try to keep the ball from him."

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score, that definitely hurt. We didn't come through when we need-

'But we had a good year,'' he added. "Some of the guys, it's just unbelievable what they do in spring sports; some of them play two or three different sports. I just appreciate them for staying in there.

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## **Toronto's Wells** outduels Welch By the ASSOCIATED PRESS

David Wells turned things around real fast

Wells outdueled Bob Welch to give the Toronto Blue Jays a 1-0 victory over Oakland on Monday night. After going 1-3 with a 5.16 ERA in April, Wells is 4-0 with a 0.58 ERA in May.

"I was a one-zone pitcher in April," said Wells, who turned 28 Monday. "Now I'm pitching inside, outside ... establishing myself really well." Wells (5-3) won his fourth

straight start, allowing two hits in seven innings, striking out six and walking four. He has allowed two earned runs and 17 hits over 30 innings in his last four starts and has a 0.60 ERA during that span. "We hit too many balls that

were up and out of the strike zone.'' Oakland manager Tony La Russa said. "Consequently, we hit a lot of fly balls."

Welch (4-3) pitched a fourhitter for his second complete game, struck out three and walked one. Both his complete games — the only ones for the A's this season — have been losses.

"The bad part about it is you lose, so it doesn't help us at all." Welch said.

In other games, California beat Chicago 6-3, Seattle beat Kansas City 8-6, Boston beat Milwaukee 3-0, Detroit beat Baltimore 11-5 and Cleveland beat New York 3-1.

Oakland hadn't been blanked since last Oct. 1 against California. The A's were playing their first game of the season against a team that had a .500 or better record last year.

Toronto got its run after Ed Sprague singled to lead off the sixth. Rene Gonzales forced Sprague at second in an unsuccessful sacrifice attempt and took second on a two-out wild pitch by Welch. Mookie Wilson, 3-for-30 lifetime against Welch, followed with a double down the left-field

Angels 6, White Sox 3 Mark Langston won his fourth

### AL roundup

straight start, allowing seven hits in 7 1-3 innings and striking out six. Bryan Harvey got three outs for his 10th save in 10 chances, giving the Angels their third consecutive victory and eighth in 11

Melido Perez (1-4) allowed eight hits in 7 2-3 innings and struck out six. But he gave up solo homers to Gary Gaetti, Wally Joyner and Dave Winfield and a three-run homer to Donnie Hill.

Joyner extended his hitting streak to 16 games with a fifthinning single, matching Greg Vaughn of Milwaukee and Brett Butler of Los Angeles for the longest streak in the majors this season

> Mariners 8, Royals 6 Jeff Montgomery (1-2) threw a

wild pitch that scored the tiebreaking run in the ninth inning and Alvin Davis drove in four runs as visiting Seattle won for the seventh time in eight games. Ken Griffey Jr. followed the wild pitch with an RBI single.

Russ Swan (1-0) pitched three innings of two-hit relief and Mike Jackson, Seattle's fourth pitcher, got three outs for his fourth save.

Red Sox 3, Brewers 0 Jeff Reardon got his 300th career save and Steve Lyons and Jack Clark homered at Fenway Park as Boston ended a threegame losing streak

Matt Young (3-1) allowed four hits in six innings, struck out four but walked five.

Chris Bosio (4-5) lost despite pitching a six-hitter in his second complete game. He struck out six and walked none.

Tigers 11, Orioles 5 Pete Incaviglia hit a grand slam and drove in five runs, sending the visiting Orioles to their fifth loss in six games. Detroit won its second straight following an eight-game losing streak.

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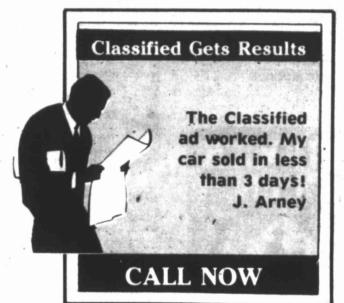
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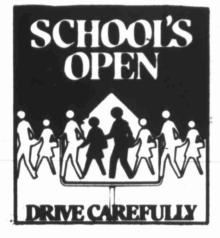
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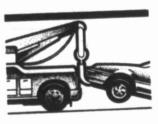
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Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.
Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 (Telephone 512/463-6790). 7286 May 21, 1991

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age rates as provided by Laws are available for aspection at the office of Blair Haynie, Resident Inspection at the office of Blair Haynie, resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available though commercial printers in Austin, Texas of through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at nse of the bidder 7273 May 14 & 21, 1991

## Fernando signs with California

nando Valenzuela, who sparked "Fernando-mania" in Southern California for more than a decade with the Los Angeles Dodgers, is getting a second chance, this time with the California Angels.

The left-hander, released in March by the Dodgers, signed a one-year contract with the Angels on Monday.

Under terms of the contract, Valenzuela, 30, will make a specified number of minor-league starts, probably three, before joining the Angels' lefty-laden staff. His first start will be at Class A Palm Springs.

"I hope this is the beginning of a new chapter in the Fernando Valenzuela legacy," Angels presi-

dent Richard Brown said. Brown refused to disclose the value of the contract, but said it in-

cludes a number of incentives. "If we bring him up, that's when the incentives will kick in," Brown said. "If he has a good year, he'll

make a lot of money. The Angels said they have no worries about Valenzuela's physical condition and signed him without a doctor's exam and without watching him pitch a

simulated game, 'We have no reason to doubt he can pitch," vice president for baseball operations Dan O'Brien

said. After the minor-league starts, the Angels will evaluate his progress, team officials said. The team has the option to renew the

contract in 1992. Valenzuela spent 11 seasons with the Dodgers, compiling a 141-116 record and 3.31 earned run average. He was cut by the Dodgers on March 28 after going 1-2 in spring training with a 7.87

Valenzuela's last start with the Dodgers was disastrous. In just 3 1-3 innings against Baltimore, he allowed eight runs on eight hits while walking four.

In 1990, Valenzuela was 13-13 with a 4.59 ERA, and pitched his first career no-hitter. He has not had an above-.500 season since 1986. He was 21-11 that season, his only as a 20-game winner.

Valenzuela won the National League Rookie of Year and Cy Young Award in 1981, the first player ever to do so.

If he returns to the majors, Valenzuela will join a pitching staff full of lefties - Mark Langston, Chuck Finley and Jim Abbott. Kirk McCaskill also is in the rotation, along with rookie Scott Lewis, who is 1-4 with 6.21 ERA

## SCOREBOARD BONUS

### **AL standings**

AMERICAN LEAGUE **East Division** Boston 16 Toronto 18 19 21 Milwaukee .472 41/2 .382 Cleveland 22 .371 **New York** 12 23 .343 West Divisi GB Pct. Seattle 23 Oakland .595 .563 Texas .553 California

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### **NBA** playoffs

All Times EDT CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS (Best-of-7) Saturday, May 4 Chicago 105, Philadelphia 92 Sunday, May 5 LA Lakers 126, Golden State 116 Monday, May 6 Chicago 112, Philadelphia 100 Tuesday, May 7 Detroit 86, Boston 75 Portland 117, Utah 97 Wednesday, May 8 Golden State 125, LA Lakers 124 Thursday, May 9 Boston 109, Detroit 103 Portland 118, Utah 116

Friday, May 10 Philadelphia 99, Chicago 97 LA Lakers 115, Golden State 112 Saturday, May 11 Section 115, Detroit 83 Utah 107, Portland 101 Sunday, May 12 Chicago 101, Philadelphia 85 LA Lakers 123, Golden State 107 Portland 104, Utah 101 Monday, May 13

Detroit 104, Boston 97 Tuesday, May 14 Chicago 100, Philadelphia 95, Chicago wins series 4-1 Portland 103, Utah 96, Portland wins

LA Lakers 124, Golden State 119, OT, Los Angeles wins series 4-1 Wednesday, May 15 Detroit 116, Boston 111

Friday, May 17 Detroit 117, Boston 113, OT, Detroit wins series 4-2

CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-7) Saturday, May 18 LA Lakers 111, Portland 106, Los Angeles leads series 1-0 Sunday, May 19

Chicago 94, Detroit 83, Chicago leads Tuesday, May 21 Detroit at Chicago, 8 p.m. LA Lakers at Portland, 10:30 p.m. Friday, May 24 Portland at LA Lakers, 10 p.m. Saturday, May 25 Chicago at Detroit, 3:30 p.m. Sunday, May 26

Portland at LA Lakers, 3:30 p.m. Monday, May 27 Chicago at Detroit, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 28 LA Lakers at Portland, 9

Wednesday, May 29 Detroit at Chicago, 9 p.m., if necessary Thursday, May 30

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### **NL** standings

Pct. Pittsburgh 13 2 New York 15 .571 St. Louis 16 .556 21/2 .486 Chicago Philadelphia 19 .486 **West Division** Pct. L GB Los Angeles 18 15 .545 San Diego 486 Cincinnati 17 , 18 21/2 22 .389 San Francisco 12 25 .324 Monday's Games San Diego 7, Atlanta 3

Houston 4, Los Angeles 1 Only games scheduled Tuesday's Games San Francisco at Cincinnati, 7:35 p.m. Philadelphia at Montreal, 7:35 p.m. St. Louis at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m. San Diego at Atlanta, 7:40 p.m. Chicago at New York, 7:40 p.m. Wednesday's Games San Francisco (Rob on 1-2) at Cincinnati (Rijo 2-2), 7:35 p.m.

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### College top 25

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — The top 25 baseball teams in the Collegiate Baseball-ESPN poll, with records through May 19, point totals and rankings in last week's poll. Points are based on strength of schedule, returning players, voting by coaches, sports writers and sports infor-

mation directors:		100
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1. Florida State	52-13-0 493	1
2. Wichita State	59-12-0 491	2
3. Southern California	44-15-1 488	3
4. Clemson	56- 8-0 485	5
5. Texas	46-16-0 484	. 6
6. Miami, Fla.	45-15-0 483	4
7. Louisiana State	47-18-0 463	7
8. Florida	45-19-0 462	14
9. Oklahoma State	43-18-0 461	11
10. Fresno State	37-20-0 458	12
11. Stanford	37-21-0 452	9
12. Pepperdine	41-15-1 448	8
13. Texas A&M	42-21-0 447	10
14. Hawaii	48-16-0 443	13
15. Long Beach State	40-19-0 439	16
16. Maine	45-16-0 438	17
17. CS Northridge	41-16-1 436	18
18. Ohio State	51-11-0 433	20
19. Creighton	45-20-0 426	20
20. San Diego State	43-19-0 425	_
21. South Alabama	43-15-0 419	21
22. Southern Mississipp	pi 42-22-0 414	30
23. Baylor	40-18-0 409	24
24. California	34-25-0 401	27
25. Georgia Tech	40-24-0 398	23

### **AL leaders**

BATTING (99 at bats)-Joyner, California, .387; DHenderson, Oakland, .371; CRipken, Baltimore, .341; EMartinez, ttle, .339; Polonia, California, .338. RUNS-DHenderson, Oakland, 30; Polonia, California, 27; Canseco, Oakland, 26; Maas, New York, 25; Sierra, Texas, 25. RBI-DHenderson, Oakland, 35; Joyner,

California, 32; Baines, Oakland, 29; CRipken, Baltimore, 29; Fielder, Detroit, HITS-DHenderson, Oakland, 53; Joyner, California, 53; Polonia, California, 49; Molitor, Milwaukee, 48; Reynolds,

DOUBLES-DHenderson, Oakland, 13; Carter, Toronto, 12; RAlomar, Toronto, 12; White, Toronto, 12; 4 are tied with 10. TRIPLES-Polonia, California, 4; Gladden, Minnesota, 3; Greenwell, Boston, 3; Molitor, Milwaukee, 3; Riles, Oakland, 3; WWilson, Oakland, 3; Whiten, Toronto, 3. HOME RUNS-DHenderson, Oakland, 11; CRipken, Baltimore, 9; CDavis, Minnesota, 8; Deer, Detroit, 8; Yount, Milwaukee, 8.

STOLEN BASES-Polonia, Cali

13; RHenderson, Qakland, 12; Briley, Seattle, 10; Cotto, Seattle, 10; Cuyler, Detroits 10219 682 PITCHING (4 decisions)—Stottlemyre, Toronto, 5-0, 1.000, 2.82; Gossage, Texas, 4-0, 1.000, 2.45; Finley, California, 7-1, .875, 3.47; Clemens, Boston, 6-1, .857, 2.18; Candiotti, Cleveland, 5-1, .833, 1.48; Langston,

California, 5-1, .833, 3.60. STRIKEOUTS-Ryan, Texas, 63; Clemens, Boston, 62: McDowell, Chicago, 53; RJohnson, Seattle, 51; Finley, Califor

SAVES-Reardon, Boston, 13; DWard, Toronto, 12; Eckersley, Oakland, 10; Harvey, California, 10: Montgomery, Kansas City, 10.

### **NL** leaders

BATTING (99 at bats)-HMorris, Cincinnati, .346; Biggio, Houston, .342; TGwynn, San Diego, .340; FMcGriff, San Diego, .336; Jose, St. Louis, .328. RUNS-DeShields, Montreal, 28;

FMcGriff, San Diego, 25; TFernandez, San Diego, 24; 6 are tied with 23. RBI-WClark, San Francisco, 34; Calderon, Montreal, 30; Kruk, Philadelphia, 28; Justice, Atlanta, 26; TGwynn, San Diego, 26. HITS-TGwynn, San Diego, 52; FMcGriff, San Diego, 45; Samuel, Los

Angeles, 45; WClark, San Francisco, 45; Jose, St. Louis, 43. DOUBLES-Jose, St. Louis, 13; Bonilla, Pittsburgh, 12; HMorris, Cincinnati, 11; Justice, Atlanta, 10; Sandberg, Chicago,

TRIPLES-Candaele, Houston, 4; LGon-

zalez, Houston, 4; TFernandez, San Diego, 4; TGwynn, San Diego, 4; Felder, San Francisco, 3. HOME RUNS-FMcGriff, San Diego, 10; Aitchell, San Francisco, 10; Johnson, New York, 9; WClark, San Francisco, 9; Dawson, Chicago, 8: GBell, Chicago, 8. STOLEN BASES-Coleman, New York, 24; DeShields, Montreal, 17; Nixon, Atlan-

la, 14; Grissom, Montreal, 12; Calderon, Montreal, 10; OSmith, St. Louis, 10; Roberts, San Diego, 10. PITCHING (4 decisions)-RMartinez, Los Angeles, 7-1, .875, 1.85; Avery, Atlanta, 5-1, .833, 3.02; Smiley, Pittsburgh, 5-1, .833,

3.54; Viola, New York, 5-1, .833, 2.12; 5 are tied with .800. STRIKEOUTS-Gooden, New York, 54; Benes, San Diego, 51; Glavine, Atlanta, 45;

Rijo, Cincinnati, 45; Cone, New York, 43; RMartinez, Los Angeles, 43. SAVES-LeSmith, St. Louis, 11; DaSmith, Chicago, 10; Dibble, Cincinnati, 10; Lefferts, San Diego, 9; MiWilliams,

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DeLucia, Swift (3), Swan (6), Jackson (9) and Valle; Saberhagen, Montgomery (8) and Macfarlane. W-Swan, 1-0. L-Montgomery, 1-2. Sv-Jackson (4). HRs-Kansas City, Tartabull (5), Pecota

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Whitson and Santiago; Smoltz, Stanton
(8), Parrett (8) and Olson. W—Whitson, 3-4. L-Smoltz, 1-5. HRs-San Diego, Fer nandez (1), Gwynn (2), McGriff (10). Atlanta, L.Smith (2).

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### **Texas** League

First Half

**Eastern Division** Pct. GB Shreveport (Giants) 24 11 17 19 71/2 Jackson (Astros) Tulsa (Rangers) 13 20 .394 131/2 Arkansas (Cards) 9 23 .281 **Western Division** El Paso (Brewers) 27 .711 24 13 San Antonio (Ddgrs) 14 21 .400 111/2 Midland (Angels) 14 24 .368 13 Monday's Games

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Arkansas at Midland Jackson at El Paso Wednesday's Games Wichita at Shreveport San Antonio at Tulsa, 2 Arkansas at Midland Jackson at El Paso

### **NHL** playoffs

All Times EDT Pittsburgh vs. Minnesota Wednesday, May 15 Minnesota 5, Pittsburgh 4 Friday, May 17 Pittsburgh 4, Minnesota 1 Sunday, May 19 Minnesota 3, Pittsburgh 1, Minnesota

leads series 2-1 Tuesday, May 21 Pittsburgh at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.
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Minnesota at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m. 2 Seturday-May 45 WITTO Pittsburgh at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m., if

necessary Tuesday, May 28 Minnesota at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m., if necessary

### PGA leaders

PONTE VEDRA, Fla. (AP) - Money leaders on the 1991 PGA Tour through The emorial, which ended May 19: Corey Pavin Lanny Wadkins \$558,072 \$513,995 Steve Pate Rocco Mediate lan Woosnam \$476,683 Davis Love III \$436,146 Paul Azinger \$430,423 Jay Don Blake \$373,99 Steve Elkington \$352,729 Craig Stadler \$350,821 John Cook \$348,949 Andrew Magee \$348,729 12. \$332,07 Hale Irwin **Curtis Strange** \$322,09 \$303,275 Kenny Perry Mark O'Meara \$302,055 \$294,344 Nolan Henke Tom Kite \$278,096 Mark Brooks **Bob Tway** \$276,271 \$260,928 Nick Price \$258,390 22. Tom Watson \$257,977 Ted Schulz \$256,895 Baker-Finch Fuzzy Zoeller \$254,597 \$254,185 26. Chip Beck John Huston \$243,639 Gene Sauers \$243,177 Tom Sieckmann \$227,972 Mark Calcavecchia \$223,923 Jim Hallet \$213,532 Bruce Lietzke \$213,255 35. Phil Blackman \$189,695 Mike Hulbert \$185,194 Andy Bean \$170,694 \$167,688

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Mike Dwello broadcast director. Northwest League BEND BUCKS-Named Bill Stein

manager. BASKETBALL United States Baseball League PHILADELPHIA SPIRIT-Agreed to terms with Dean Kriebel, forward. World Basketball League DAYTON WINGS-Signed Jaren

Jackson, guard. Released Clinton Venable, guard. FOOTBALL National Football League **HOUSTON OILERS-Signed Doug** Dawson, guard; Pat Coleman, wide receiver: Keith Friberg, defensive end;

Tom Muecke, quarterback; Cleveland Colter, safety: and Ron Viaene, defensive \$92,572 LOS ANGELES RAMS-Signed Mike \$89,345 Pagel, quarterback, and Mike Babb, \$89,239

> Arena Football League ALBANY FIREBIRDS-Signed Gary Gussman, placekicker, and Robin Williams, wide receiver defensive back.

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## **Names**

### Matlock makes the cut

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Andy Griffith's courtroom mystery series, "Matlock," won't be in NBC's fall lineup but will be back later in the season. The verdict wasn't as favorable for "Midnight Caller," "Amen" and "Carol &

Those three series were canceled, with no reprieve in sight, NBC said

Among nine new entries for NBC's lineup next year are shows featuring Oscar-winner Marlee Matlin and "Rockford Files" star

James Garner. "I'll Fly Away," a drama, will star Sam Waterston as a prosecutor



### ANDY GRIFFITH COSTNER in a small Southern town during the

"Reasonable Doubts" has Matlin as a deaf prosecutor and Mark Harmon as a hardheaded police investigator

Garner returns to television in the comedy "Man of the People," about a con artist appointed to a city council seat left open by the death of his ex-wife

### A desirable tenant

NEW ORLEANS (AP) - Kevin Costner has plenty of places to choose from as he looks for a place to live during filming of a movie about the assassination of President Kennedy.

The Times-Picayune reported Monday that Costner and his wife, Cindy, needed a place to live with their three children and staff and are willing to pay \$7,000.

The newspaper said the family would stay for four weeks during filming of director Oliver Stone's "JFK" and wanted four bedrooms, four baths and a swimming pool.

Lyle Carriere called to offer her efficiency apartment, which costs about \$400 a month, The Times-Picayune said today.

### Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Use your common sense and the business outlook will brighten considerably. Employment affairs will be rewarding despite a temporary disappointment in September. Capitalize on an unexpected business opportunity in November! You should be able to accumulate more savings by the year's end. Romance looks particularly exciting in January 1992.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Think twice before making important decisions today. Inspirational advice should be welcomed. Mail overdue letters and make important phone calls. Keep your cool during a social encounter.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Today's events will show the importance of partnership ties. Family may want to make a dent in your savings. Try to be helpful without lending money. Postpone purchases. **GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Do not allow this to become a so-so day. Tackle your work with zeal; others will gladly follow your lead. Perform more services for yourself to econo-

mize. Evening hours favor family

activities. CANCER (June 21-July 22): Unexpected developments at work could make this a tense day. Emotional outpourings will only complicate the issue. Focus attention on a strong relationship and you will win powerful new allies.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Complete essential work on time. Postpone a social lunch in favor of a sandwich at your desk. You strike a chord of universal appeal. Devote more attention to your loved ones.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You may have to adopt unusual methods in order to gain approval for a business deal. A family member's actions could alter some of your plans. Listen to alternatives advanced by your mate.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Errands, telephone calls and paperwork make this a crowded but productive day. An unexpected financial triumph reduces tension. Seek experts' advice before making any new investments. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov.21): You can capitalize on recent events in a substantial way. Show greater patience if trying to iron out your differences with someone. If single, you will soon meet someone very special.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Promoting your personal plans should be a breeze now. An influential associate is working quietly behind the scenes on your behalf. Concentrate on domestic affairs in the late afternoon.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You feel more secure and self-confident now, thanks to the strong support you receive at home. Romance is blissful. Your ability to cope when under pressure will impress those in

ishes a relationship.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):

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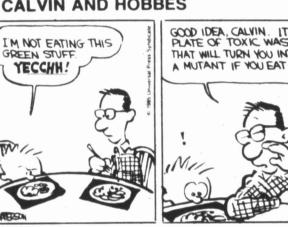
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### THE FAMILY CIRCUS



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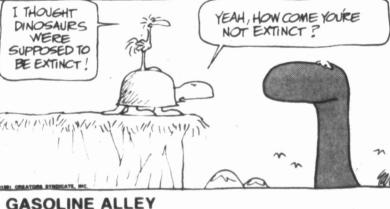
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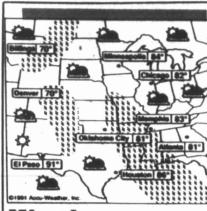
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### **Memorial Day** services set Monday

Memorial Day services will be observed Monday at the Veteran's Memorial in **Evergreen Cementary starting** at 10 a.m. The services are sponsored by American Legion Post No. 429.

The annual observance by the post will be led by the Rev. Milton Jocketz of the First United Methodist Church of Stanton.

Following the services, the Friends of the Museum will serve as host to an open house at the Martin County Historical

### Hospice of Martin County sets meeting

Hospice of Martin County has recently merged with Hospice of the Southwest and is holding a meeting at Bonnie's Restaurant Thursday starting at 12:30 p.m.

The meeting will cover a discussion of the services provided by hospices in Martin and Howard counties. The discussion will center around the patient/family services that Hospice will provide.

For more information. Hospice officials urge the public to attend this meeting or contact Dot Pinkston at

### Graduations set. in Martin County

Three area schools have set their graduations for the end of this month, starting out with Stanton's graduation to kickoff seniors' final day Friday.

The Stanton graduation will begin Friday at 8 p.m. in the new high school gym, according to officials.

The Grady graduation is set for Saturday at the Grady High School Auditorium, while Sands will hold its commencement next Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Sands High School Auditorium

### TSTI registration set for next month

SWEETWATER - The **Texas State Technical Institute** has scheduled registration June 3 for its summer classes. Classes will start the following The main campus in Sweet-

water, along with the extension campuses in Abilene and Breckenridge, will be register-

ing for all programs of study Housing is still available on the Sweetwater campus in the coed apartments and men's dormitory. Financial aid is

available to those who qualify. TSTI-Sweetwater offers 18 fields of study in conjunction with the extensions. More than half of the programs offer an Associate of Applied Science degree to students who suc-

cessfully finish. TSTI provides a toll-free number, 1-800-592-TSTI,



AUSTIN — Gov. Ann Richards gestures to Queen Elizabeth II during a conversation Monday night in Austin at the Lyndon Baines Johnson Presiden-

tial Library where she was host to a formal dinner and reception for the queen.

# Queen whisked through Alamo on Texas visit

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Hundreds of well-wishers, waving queen only hours to capture the Union Jacks, turned out today to hearts of Texans during her whirlwelcome Queen Elizabeth II to the wind tour of the Lone Star capital.

The queen and her husband, Prince Philip, arrived at Kelly Air Force Base about 10:30 a.m. CDT and then were whisked off to the Alamo for a brief tour of the mission where Texans fought for independence from Mexico in 1836.

A local historian had been allotted five minutes to explain the structure's significance to the

The couple was scheduled to ride a barge along the San Antonio River through downtown before seeing La Villita, a historic village, and then meeting with local dignitaries at the Institute of Texan

In all, the queen and prince were hours in San Antonio. Their next Texas stop was Dallas.

In Austin on Monday, it took the

Gov. Ann Richards and former first lady Lady Bird Johnson toasted the monarch at a formal reception and dinner for 240 people at the Lyndon B. Johnson Library and Museum, located on the University of Texas campus. There, the queen and Prince Philip had a private meeting with Mrs. Johnson Monday night.

"On this special evening, we hope that Her Majesty and His Royal Highness have enjoyed themselves in Austin as thoroughly as we have enjoyed their company," Richards said.

The first British monarch to set foot on Texas soil, the queen won cheers from thousands Monday scheduled to spend less than two afternoon as she stood in front of the century-old Capitol and praised the well-known Texas pride.

## House rejects Bush's 1992 military budget

Tip leads to former East

German minister's arrest

BERLIN (AP) — A former East through the mountain of cases and

Germanys.

Democratic-controlled House today rejected President Bush's \$291 billion military budget that would pay for four new B-2 stealth bombers and spend billions of dollars on the Strategic Defense Initiative.

By a vote of 287-127, the House refused to scrap the rival fiscal 1992 package drawn up by the House Armed Services Committee. Republicans had sought to replace it with Bush's blueprint.

The full House is expected to give final approval to the committee's budget, which also calls for spending \$291 billion in the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1, on Wednesday.

Bush has threatened to veto the military budget bill if Congress does not fully fund the B-2 stealth bomber and the SDI.

Despite the veto threat, the House on Monday preserved the committee's deep cuts in the proposed budget for SDI and theater missile defenses, reducing the

German defense minister was ar-

rested after police were tipped he

planned to flee the country to avoid

charges in the killings of people

trying to escape across the Berlin

Police also arrested Willi Stoph,

the former East German premier.

and two other top Communist of-

ficials late Monday and early Tues-

day on charges they were responsi-

ble for the shoot-to-kill orders

A newspaper reported that police

set up roadblocks around a Soviet

military base to prevent the escape

of Heinz Kessler, the former

Erich Honecker, the former

Communist Party chief of East

Germany, was spirited away to

Moscow by the Soviet military

March 13. He also is wanted by

Berlin justice officials in connec-

tion with the deaths of would-be

Up to 200 people were killed try-

ing to escape across East Ger-

many's fortified border or the

Berlin Wall from mid-1961 to 1989,

when the border was opened after a

peaceful citizens revolt in the east.

move more quickly to bring former

East German officials to justice

after decades of abuses of power

The authorities said it would take of 1989,

time for investigators to sift ousted.

The German news media have

escapees before the Communist

regime collapsed in 1989.

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defense chief.

Wall, an official said Tuesday.

about \$3.5 billion.

The committee package also terminates the B-2 bomber at 15 planes and funds the F-14D jet fighter and V-22 Osprey tilt-rotor aircraft - two programs Bush has tried to kill.

Republicans attacked the 1992 budget drawn up by the committee for making deep cuts in strategic weapons while restoring funds for projects in lawmakers' districts.

Prior to the vote, the GOP members urged support for the budget crafted by Bush and Defense Secretary Dick Cheney.

"It reflects the best thinking of those who have the responsibility for protecting this nation and not parochial interest," said Rep. William Dickinson of Alabama.

Democrats argued that the Bush budget was drawn up before the Persian Gulf War and fails to reflect the lessons learned from the conflict with Iraq

files that fell into their laps follow-

ing the reunification of the two

Justice Sen. Jutta Limbach said

Stoph and Kessler were arrested

along with two other members of

the once-powerful East German

National Defense Council, Fritz

The four had been under in-

vestigation for months on suspicion

of manslaughter in connection with

a shoot-to-kill order issued in 1974

by Honecker, Limbach's statement

said. It said members of the Na-

tional Defense Council were found

to be jointly responsible "as deci-

sion makers" in issuing the order.

put up roadblocks to prevent

Kessler from escaping to a Soviet

airfield outside eastern Berlin. The

Berlin tabloid said he had intended

to take a plane to Moscow wearing

Kessler and Stoph are among the

Stoph, 76, served as East Ger-

many's premier from 1964 until

1973, when he was named to head

the state council, although

Honecker as head of the Com-

Kessler, 71, served as defense

minister from 1985 until the fall of

East Germany's hard-line Com-

munist government in the autumn

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been advocating that authorities munist Party wielded the power.

The Berliner Zeitung said police

Streletz and Hans Albrecht.

## Stanton High honors students

Stanton High School recognized its students for oustanding achievement for the 1991 school year Mon-

Junior Michelle "Cissie" Hobbs and senior John Paul Barry captured the Distinguished Athlete Awards presented by the U.S. Marine Corps to athletes recognized by their coaches as exemplary in athletics.

Newly appointed Army Staff Sgt. Ronald G. Lethcoe presented the Scholar Athlete Award to seniors Lance Hall and Melissa Scurlark for their excellence in athletics and academics.

Hall also received one of the state's highest awards presented to the top student at a high school. He received the distinguished State of Texas Honor Graduate Award at

In UIL competition, all participating students in the competiday, high school Principal Johnny tion received their UIL patches, said school counselor Marsha

Four seniors participating in UIL also received top honors for distinguishing themselves for being in the top 10 percent of their class. They are Monica Garcia, Lance Hall, Melissa Franklin and Michelle Rios

Martin County Commissioners presented a resolution from the court to Jeremy Stallings for participating in the State Track Meet. Stallings also received the Coaches Award from coach Dale Ruth for his dedication to his athletics and academics while a sophomore.

The Mirabeau B. Lamar Award was presented to Roberto Arizmen-

di by Masonic Lodge No. 951, an annual award given by the masons.

Midland College Scholarships went to Chris Barnhill, Angie Bundas, Melissa Franklin, Monica Garcia, Lance Hall, Heather Newman, Lori Pardue and Michelle Rios.

New members to the National Honor Society are Angie Bundas. Brandi Bundas, Blaine Hall, Ashley Miller, Amy Ranne, Michelle Rios, Kari Ruth, Stacy Tollison, Jeff Wilson, Thomas Castro, Kristi Cole and Ashley

The assembly was closed out with a skit by the senior class remembering the times and problems they faced while travelling throughout their 12 year history

## Doctors 'happy' with Bush's health

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Bush lost between 12 and 13 pounds as a result of his thyroid House statement said. condition and his treatments have made his voice raspy, but his progress," the White House said

After receiving the most extensive medical checkup since his thyroid condition was diagnosed two weeks ago, Bush told reporters today he was feeling "A-OK" even

"Got a clean bill of health this a picture-taking session with members of Congress.

Popadiuk, reading from a statement by chief White House physician Dr. Burton Lee, said the checkup showed that Bush's 'weight loss has stabilized.'

"In the last two to three days he has started to gain weight — ap-

proximately 11/2 pounds in the last three days for example," the White

The cardiac medications given Bush for the erratic heartbeat that physicians remain "happy with his resulted from his thyroid condition "are being gradually reduced," the medical statement said.

"Observations have been made about his voice, which can become temporarily hoarse with the decrease in function of the thyroid," the statement said. "He though he appeared pale and tired is gradually recovering his energy at a news conference Monday and returning to full physical

Under questioning, Popadiuk morning. Had all the consultants said that Bush had "lost 12 to 13 down," Bush told reporters during pounds" over the past few weeks as a result of his hyperthyroid problem. Previously, Bush himself White House spokesman Roman and White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater had put the weight loss at about 10 pounds.

The president, who is 6 foot, 2 inpounds before the condition was detected, Popadiuk said.

Popadiuk said that Bush had a and rosy-cheeked.

"complete checkup" today by the four principal physicians who have been working on the case. It was the first time all four have seen him at the same time since he was at Bethesda Naval Hospital, the spokesman said.

'He remains in excellent spirits and continues to carry out his full responsibilities of the Oval Office,' Popadiuk said.

"His physicians are very happy with his progress and continue to insist on a slow return to a normal athletic lifestyle," Popadiuk said.

He said the president would remain under close monitoring "for the next few weeks, until President Bush's thyroid status becomes completely stable.

Popadiuk said that the president did return to drinking caffeinated Bush looked wan and tired Mon-

coffee today, having just one cup. day evening as he and German ches tall, weighed just under 200 Chancellor Helmut Kohl met with reporters

By contrast, Kohl looked robust



### Seniors honored

The Martin County Senior Citizens sponsored an Older Texan Day in conjunction with Older Americans Day. Pictured here: Martin County Commissioner Precinct 1 James Biggs seated on

the left; winner Lora Bell Tom who was recognized as Martin County Senior Citizen Older Texan. Seated to her right are two other nominees, Mamie Roten and Pauline Wood.

## **Sidelines**

### **Famed division** passes into history

FORT HOOD (AP) — The famed 2nd Armored Division has fought its final battle.

A sobering rendition of "Auld Lang Syne" at the end of final review ceremonies Monday marked the end of 51 years of proud history and memories.

III Corps and Fort Hood commander Lt. Gen. Richard G. Graves thanked the troops who had served as the colors were cased. Unit flags and campaign ribbons were sent to the 2nd AD (Forward) at Garlstedt, Germany.

"I'm not going to say goodbye or farewell, but simply say, 'Thank you for what you represent, for the traditions and rich history you give us," said Graves.

### **House** approves no-fault insurance

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas House tentatively approved a bill to require no-fault automobile liability insurance

in Texas Such a system provides for people hurt in a motor vehicle accident to collect from their insurer, within certain limits, regardless of who was at fault. **But their right** to sue is

House approval is required in another vote before the bill may go to the Senate for consideration. Preliminary passage came Monday on a vote of 80-63.

Rep. Jim Tallas, R-Sugar Land, and backers of his bill said it would give quicker payment to accident victims. It also calls for a 12 percent premium rate reduction in coverage for bodily injury

### Dallas panel proposes curfew

DALLAS (AP) — Parents of children younger than 17 could face a \$500 fine if their kids violate a proposed curfew that supporters say would cut

In addition to the fine, parents who allow their children to violate the ordinance repeatedly could face loss of custody

The Dallas City Council's public safety committee Monday approved the draft ordinance, for most teens to be off the streets by 11 p.m. on school nights, midnight Friday and Saturday. The entire council is set to consider it Wednesday.

"I really do believe the intent is to give our young people, our children, their childhoods back," said Jim Buerger, committee chairman. "In no way are we taking away the parents' responsibility of supervising children.

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# Senate OKs mammoth prison buildup

prison plan to get 12 counties to drop their lawsuits against the state has not been approved by any of the counties, the bill's sponsor

On Monday, the Senate sent the proposal to the House on a 26-4

If the counties that are suing the state over a logjam of prisoners in their jails fail to rally behind the measure, "the bill will die," said Sen. Jim Turner, D-Crockett, the bill sponsor.

The measure would commit the state to building prisons for 14,250

MHMR case

DALLAS (AP) — In a rare

judicial move, a federal judge has

stripped the Texas Department of

Mental Health and Mental Retar-

dation of its lead attorney in a

17-year-old battle over the care of

Calling motions filed by Assis-

tant Attorney General Toni Hunter

'vituperative,' U.S. District

Judge Barefoot Sanders ordered

Monday, in a scathing 25-page opi-

nion, that Ms. Hunter be removed

the case since 1985 and helped

fashion a 1987 agreement between

the agency and plaintiffs — about

2,000 of the state's 7,100 state school

residents — would not comment on

Sanders said Ms. Hunter's

misconduct included "last-minute,

drop-everything filings," a lack of

candor with the court and actions

In several orders filed within the

last year, Sanders has warned Ms.

Hunter and her team that certain

tactics and conduct were not

punishment ranging from a warn-

ing to disbarment from the federal

court of the Northern District of

Her removal shocked the mental

health agency and the Attorney

General's office who at first were

undecided about a course of action,

but later Monday said they will ap-

peal Sanders' order in the 5th U.S.

"I still have complete confidence

in Toni Hunter and the Attorney

General has continued to express

support for her," said Jim Todd,

chief of the AG's general litigation

division and Ms. Hunter's boss.

Todd called the ruling "mistaken."

defendants. It robs them of the at-

torney who knows this case the

'It severely undermines the

NASA today delayed the launch

of Columbia for at least a day

because of a rash of last-minute

glitches: two different computer

problems and a renewed concern

Columbia was supposed to have

blasted off at 8 a.m. EDT Wednes-

day on a biomedical research mis-

sion with seven astronauts, 30 rats

NASA test director Mike Lein-

bach said the nine-day flight could

be delayed more than a week if one

of the malfunctioning computer

parts has to be replaced. Mission

managers were expected to decide

by early afternoon how to proceed.

The first hint of trouble came

Monday night when the launch

team received additional data

from the manufacturer of a

temperature sensor in Columbia's

main propulsion system that was

replaced last year, Leinbach said.

The welding on that sensor was

cracked and had contributed to

hydrogen fuel leaks that grounded

Columbia flew in December, and

the replacement sensor and eight

other fuel temperature sensors

But "further analysis since then

seems to raise a question" about

the sensors, Leinbach said. He

couldn't immediately explain why

word of more possible sensor pro-

Shortly after midnight, workers

discovered a problem with one of 23

units that link the main computers

with shuttle components. Later this

morning, one of five main com-

puters in the flight deck also failed

The malfunctioning unit in the

aft compartment, called a

multiplexer-demultiplexer, con-

verts and formats commands from

the main computers. It went down

and came back up but did not work

The extent of the problems was

Leinbach said it would take eight

unknown and engineers did not

know if they were related.

blems came in just Monday.

More trouble followed.

mysteriously.

properly.

the shuttle for months.

worked fine, NASA said.

over fuel temperature sensors.

and 2,478 tiny jellyfish.

Circuit Court of Appeals.

best." he said.

Ms. Hunter, 47, could have faced

of "bad faith," the ruling said.

welcome in his court.

Texas

Ms. Hunter, who has worked on

Removal

resolve

the mentally retarded.

from MHMR counsel

the decision.

could help

years, and possibly another 14,250 beds two years after that. The price tag for 28,500 prison beds would be more than \$1 billion.

A Born Mill Lava Team

In return for dropping the lawsuits, the state would pay the counties \$11 million immediately, and \$40 million later for programs that divert criminals from the Texas prison system.

The state also would agree to pay half the costs of holding state inmates in county jails.

In addition, the bill would set a Sept. 1, 1993, deadline on reforming the penal and criminal codes, and a

On the roof

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) -

average of \$10,841 per legislator,

records also shows the top 100 lob-

byists spent \$579,802 in the first

three months of the year, an

The surveys come at a time when

the Legislature is considering

changes in the state's ethics laws.

Gov. Ann Richards has demanded

among the people of Texas," Lt.

issue in nearly every campaign of

every legislator that ran and every

state official whose name was on

multiplexer-demultiplexer, if that

is deemed necessary. The com-

puter failure is a "relatively

minor" issue and could be resolved

quickly, and if the sensors needed

to be replaced, that would take

A Thursday launch, and any

Columbia's astronauts, after be-

ing informed of the delay, went

about their usual business of

reviewing flight plans and flying

training jets. The animals remain-

After years of work and millions

of dollars, NASA came up with

cages designed to keep rat waste

and food from floating around the

shuttle during Columbia's research

During a 1985 mission, rat litter

'It was less than a teaspoon full

floated from the animals' cages, to

of particulate matter But if you're

the crew and you have to worry

about breathing, you can see why

they made a big deal about it," said

Kenneth Souza, chief of the space

life sciences payloads office at

NASA's Ames Research Center in

"That's why we've gone to the

measures we have to make sure we

don't leak anything on this flight.

We've taken the crew comments

seriously over the years and spent

\$10.5 million in overall im-

provements," Souza said Monday.

doctors and a biologist - will per-

form medical tests on one another

during the nine-day flight. They

also will observe the animals'

behavior in the weightlessness of

Twenty rats will be housed in-

dividually in a rack of cages in

Spacelab, the laboratory in Colum-

bia's cargo bay. The 10 other rats

will be divided into groups of five

and kept in enclosed units in two

The first and last time NASA us-

ed the rack was aboard Challenger

middeck lockers

Four of the astronauts - three

the astronauts' disgust.

Mountain View, Calif.

ed in laboratories.

roughly four to five days, he said.

after that, would be at 8 a.m. EDT.

Gov. Bob Bullock said. "It was an

"I think it's a smoldering issue

tougher rules

the ballot last year.

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) to nine days to replace the

average of \$3,203 per legislator.

according a newspaper survey.

AUSTIN (AP) - A \$500 million more inmates in the next two Sept. 1, 1995, deadline for the state to accept all state inmates awaiting transfer from county

> Currently, county jails are holding about 9,000 inmates sentenced to state prison. The Texas prison system restricts the number of inmates it takes because it is under a federal court order against overcrowding

A state judge ruled last year that the state must pay 11 counties for holding state prisoners. In another lawsuit, a federal judge said the state must pay Harris County the cost of holding state inmates.

MATAMORQS, Mexico — A guard walks across left 18 inmates dead and eight wounded. Prison of

the roof of the state prison in Matamoros, Mexico, ficials say, though, calm is returning to the prison

Survey: Lobbyists spent millions

Under the current law, lobbyists

"I think we have the appearance,

if not the actuality, of money in-

fluencing legislation," said

Secretary of State John Hannah,

designated by Richards as point

"Lobbyists say that the reason

they spend money is so they can

have access. But if it's buying ac-

cess, then should only be able to

But Hannah said the perception

"Most people down here work

very, very hard and very, very

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specific purpose.

man on ethics reform.

buy so much," he said.

of corruption is inaccurate.

early Monday. A riot at the prison Friday night near the Texas border.

The 100 top-spending lobbyists at where people are waiting to see

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram only must report how much they

said a review of Secretary of State spend, not on whom or for what

million since January 1990, an its word on ethics reform that all of

Both cases are being appealed, and Turner said the state had a good chance at winning. But, he added, whichever side won, the problem would remain. "There is reason to compromise," he said, adding that if the state lost on appeal, it might get hit with a \$450 million penalty.

Turner said funding for the new prisons will be hammered out this summer when lawmakers are expected to return for a special session on the state budget. House leaders say they want to pay for the prisons out of tax revenue, but

senators say they favor issuing bonds.

The counties did insist on a provision in the bill that would make it easier to raise property taxes without triggering a tax rollback election, Turner said.

One amendment to the legislation that failed would have provided for a study to determine the feasibility of building state prisons in foreign countries and exporting Texas inmates. Sen. John Leedom, R-Dallas, asked his colleagues to "develop creative thinking," but the proposal failed 10-19.

## New drug for cancer designed

HOUSTON (AP) - A doctor who performed the first gene therapy for cancer said he will soon begin shuffling the genes of patients' own malignant cells to vaccinate them against their tumors.

Dr. Steven A. Rosenberg said the novel approach, which involves inserting new genes into tumor cells, is intended to marshal the body's own immune defenses "We are at the birth of a new era

in treating cancer through gene modification," he said Monday.

Rosenberg, a researcher at the National Cancer Institute, said he had also tentatively identified a gene that marks cancer cells as being different from normal ones. If true, the discovery could lead to the development of cancer vaccines to keep healthy people from getting cancer.

"This work is very exciting," commented Dr. Harvey Golomb of the University of Chicago, president of the American Society of Clinical Oncology. "The gene therapy experiments are on the cutting edge. Whether it will pan out, we don't know. Rosenberg presented his results

"I think it's the type of issue long hours for amazingly little at the organization's annual scienmoney and do on the whole an tific meeting.

the Texas Capitol have spent \$1.6 whether the Legislature lives up to amazingly good job," Hannah said. Rosenberg has been a pioneer in The state's 181 lawmakers are the emerging field of biologic paid an annual salary of \$7,200, therapy, the idea of arming the plus \$30 per day in expenses while body to rally against cancer after and even before — the disease The newspaper reviewed court emerges and spreads through the records in several counties and

> Rosenberg developed the use of interleukin-2, a natural diseasefighting chemical, to combat spreading melanoma skin cancer and kidney cancer.

In January, he began the first experimental gene therapy for cancer. Doctors removed cancerfighting cells called tumorinfiltrating lymphocytes from patients' tumors and inserted genes into them that allow the cells to produce a powerful anti-cancer protein known as tumor necrosis

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# Lifestyle

# Overbearing friend is unwelcome guest

**DEAR ABBY:** Last weekend my wife's former college roommate, "Kathy," came to visit my wife and me. We had not seen her since 1986. She had sent a Christmas card, which we followed up with a phone call inviting her for a weekend. She lives two hours away, and accepted immediately then she called back and asked if she could bring her new boyfriend. Well, we thought, "Any boyfriend of Kathy's would be as delightful as Kathy." Right? Wrong!

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Kathy's boyfriend (I'll call him Chuck) turned out to be the most overbearing, crude, obnoxious, know-it-all we had ever met. He was argumentative, loud and just plain rude. We bit our tongues the entire weekend to keep from telling him where to go!

The problem is that Kathy seems to like this guy and she indicated that she and Chuck would be back regularly for weekend visits! She also suggested that we take a vacation trip with them.

So how do we go about telling Kathy that we think Chuck is a first-class jerk and she deserves better? Or should we keep quiet and hope she sees the light and dumps this rude dude? -STUMPED

**DEAR STUMPED:** Be honest. If Kathy asks you what you think of Chuck, don't offer phony praise to keep from hurting her feelings. Tell her now not to include you in any vacations with her and Chuck because you don't enjoy his company that much. She may be offended, but it might inspire her to take a harder look at her new boyfriend and cause her to chuck

**DEAR ABBY:** "Browbeaten in Pompano Beach" wrote that he retired at age 62; then he went on to say, "Five years later, my wife of 55 years applied for her Social Security, etc.

Abby, if he retired at 62, five

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Phillips, Coahoma, has been

selected to be a finalist in the

1991 Miss West Texas National

Teen-Ager Pageant. The pageant

will be held on the campus of

Wayland Baptist University, in

Plainview, on May 31-June 2,

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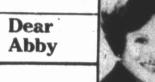
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years later he was 67. And if they were married for 55 years, he would have been 12 years old when he got married. Come on! How can that be? -K.R.J. IN GROTON,

DEAR K.R.J.: It can't. In order for it to make sense, that sentence should have read: "Seven years later my wife, who was 55 when I retired, applied for her Social Security at 62."

Wait, it gets worse. In my reply, I say, "After 55 years of togetherness, etc.," indicating that I, too, assumed they had been married for 55 years, which would have indeed made the husband 12 years old at the time of his marriage. The mathematics escaped me entirely. I plead guilty as charged. I'll take 10 whacks with a fifth-grade math book, and another 10 with a book on

DEAR ABBY: Am I the only person in the world who puts eyeglasses on to answer the telephone? I use "specs" for reading only because my eyesight is quite good for a person my age (62) — so why do I always reach for them when I answer the telephone? - WEIRD IN DENVER

DEAR WEIRD: Perhaps you Hines honored in Chico want to be prepared in case you need to make a note of something during the telephone conversation. Many people (including me) have the same habit.

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swimsuit competition. Talent

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Miss Ra'Chele Phillips is being

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Market, Country Flowers, The

Fun Shop, and local Big Spring

Her hobbies include camping,

## Forsan students give spring concert

BY KATHRYN HOLLINGSHEAD Forsan's future band, now sixth graders, kicked off the '90-'91 Spring Concert with "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" Thursday night at the Forsan High auditorium, following with "The Blue Rock" and "The Red

The seventh grade band swung into "Buffalo Gals," "Swinging Shortnin" Bread," "Kum Ba Ya," and "Kiss the Girl," a song from the popular children's movie, Little Mermaid."

Director Bob Fishback presented a movie clip, tracing memorable moments for the senior band members from their twirling routine to the crowning of "Miss Buffalo '91.'

The junior high stage band played "Funkey Monkey March." "Frere Jacque Cha Cha Cha" and "Walking My Bass Back Home."

The high school band began their performance with "Under the Sea," also from the Little Mermaid movie, "Belle of Chicago," and then played some more serious pieces, "Hebrew Folk Song Suite," and "Silver Jubilee Overture," ending their program with "Instant Concert," a Big Band selection from the '40s which included 36 popular melodies from that era.

The senior band members, a large group this year, came forward for their tradition of playing the school song for the last time, and were joined by the rest of the band on the school song to complete the evening.

Seniors, J.J. Hollingshead and Chris Rosenbaum were presented the Mirabeau B. Lamar Award of Excellence by

Forsan by KATHRYN HOLLINGSHEAI Call 267-1429

the Staked Plains #598 Masons of Texas in an awards assembly last Thursday at Forsan High School. Amy Roberts was recognized for qualifying in three events at the state band **UIL** competition. Brandi Nelson was awarded the Outstanding Band Member Award, while Jason Parker was the '90-'91 John Philip Sousa Award winner.

Outstanding theatre students were Amy Roberts and Jason Sims, Outstanding UIL participants are Dave Rundell and Lee Patterson. Lee won 1st in feature writing at the state UIL meet this year.

Outstanding Student Council member is Pattie Howard. Outstanding Industrial Arts student is Brad Everette, who won second in state competition in graphic art this year.

Seniors Kara Evans and Jason Parker were named 90-91 Valedictorian and Salutatorian, respectively, also Mr. and Miss FHS, Most Likely to Succeed, Most Talented and Most Studious. Genaro Aguirre and Amy Roberts were named Most Friendly; Jason Parker and Lee Patterson were named Most Handsome and Most Beautiful: Stephen East and Barbara Mitchell are Most Athletic; with Scott Roman and Carrie Moore named Most Humorous. Jason Parker and Amy Roberts were

ticipate in the photography contest.

day with games and activities for

children and adults, arts and crafts

fair under a giant tent, several food

booths and barbecue lunch, ranch

rodeo and street dance. Also

featured during the day are

photography displays, art exhibits,

chuck wagons and pioneer-style ar-

Weather permitting, hot air

balloon rides will be offered early

Turkey shoot competition begins

mid-morning. Entries to the

photography contest judged right

before lunch. The antique auction

conducted by Colorado City auc-

tioneer Grady Morris begins at 1

performing include Roland Smith

and Band, Gunsmoke, The Circuit

Rider and local musicians. Street

dance music will be provided by

For details and more informa-

tion about the Baird Trades

Live entertainment will continue

morning and late afternoon.

tisans at work.

June 1 will be a fun-filled family



Forsan senior band members play the school song one last time during a recent concert.

voted Best Personality

Ryndi Hamby was named iunior high Student of the Week for the week of May 13-17. Congratulations, Ryndi.

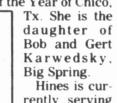
Elbow Elementary will present a special awards assembly for all students earning awards this year at 2 p.m. in the Elbow gym on May 22. A special invitation is extended to this year's parent volunteers, for whom a reception will follow in the library.

"Campers on Mission" have been busy working at Elbow's Central Baptist Church. Volunteers from Colorado City to Odessa have rallied to spend a week building and repairing the inside of the church building, with the intention of finishing the building project that has been going on for at least five years. "Our motto is 'Share Christ wherever we go" explains volunteer Dot Slater, who with husband J.W. has been working on the church this week, and staving in their RV, parked beside the building. Jack and Mary Williams, members of Campers on Mission, recently joined Central Baptist and asked their fellow volunteers to come. Central Baptist has been struggiing to complete their facilities, relying on members to volunteer labor, and has also been without a pastor for two years.

Volunteer Clyde McCullough explains, "Most churches don't have a problem with finding funds for materials, they just need some help with the labor. That's where our organization can fill a real need." He, along with Herman and Edwinna Drinkard from Odessa, just came from Stanton's Circle 6 Encampment where they and eight other couples were volunteers. McCullough is a retired preacher from Stanton.

### **Briefs**

Karen Hines, a 1976 graduate of Big Spring High School, has been



rently serving her second dent of the

KAREN HINES Chamber of Commerce and has served previously as president of the Wise County Art Association.

Amy Lee Shoults daughter of from morning till midnight. Bands Jack and Cindy Shoults, Snyder, granddaughter of Mrs. Flo Nobles

and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Shoults of Forsan was named valedictorian of Ira High School with a 96.01 GPA for four

doll collecting, reading, working with stained glass and white of her class. Amy plans to attend Texas Tech

### of activities. Congressman Charles Stenholm will conduct grand opening ceremonies and former Dallas Cowboy Bob Lilly will provides a photography exhibit and par-

named Citizen of the Year of Chico.



### Ira valedictorian

of Big Spring



In addition AMY LEE SHOULTS to this honor, she has received a \$1000.00 scholarship from the Texs Tech Ag Department. She has also received a \$200.00 scholarship from Texs Tech for being Valedictorian

University and major in Ag Communications.

### Swing your partner!

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Festival call 915-854-2003.

Square dancing comes to Big Spring on a grand scale, May 17 and 18 when the Big Spring Square and Round Dance Club hosts their Twenty-second Annual Festival at the Corral on Chaparral Road. The weekend, starting Friday

evening, will be filled with colorful square and round dances, workshops, and A-Level dances, all ending Saturday evening with an after party food and dancing. Dancers from a 100 mile radius

will come to Big Spring for the festivities.

The fun begins Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. with round dancing to vear's event will be highlighted Dave and Nita Smith of Lubbock, followed with square dancing to Randy Phillips of Abilene. Saturballoons, turkey shoot, day morning will have A-Level photography contest, and antique dancing to Randy Phillips, followed by round and square Funshops





## Little pageant winners

Sara Riley, 4, daughter of Jon national pageants in Hollywood in and Leah Riley of Grand Prairie has recently won "Tiny Miss" and "Miss Photogenic" titles with the crown in the "Little Miss of America' pageant in Dallas. Her baby brother, Jon Riley, won the title of "King" and four trophies in the following categories: Photogenic, Most Handsome, Prettiest Eyes in the "Baby America" pageant. He is 18 months old. They

August. The pageant is to be held at the Universal Hilton Hotel next door to the Universal Studios Lot.

Sara has been interviewed by a casting director for an upcoming Disney movie. She is the granddaughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Riley of Big Spring. Sara told her parents she didn't like modeling nor pageants but changed her mind when given the pageant's goodie bag filled with toys and cookies.

## Piano Audition results

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Thr results of the National Piano Auditions held recently in Big Spring are as follows;

National winners: Dorothy Graves, Arthur Graves, Robb Walker, Robin Wise, Josna Adusumilli, Stephanie Barraza, Katie McKenzie, Stefanie Kennedy, Megan Knight and Christopher Painter

State winners: Kristen Thixton,

Elisha Hubbard and Kristy Hooser. District winners: Nathan Johansen, April Ward, Hali Tubb, Kim Gray, Hiedi Robinson, Siglendo Robinson, Jerrod Fishback, Kel-

ly Hollar and Lindsey Marino. From coast to coast over 116,000 piano puplis of the nation will participate in this annual national piano-playing event being held in 840 music centers around the

### **Baird Trade Fest**

The 18th annual Baird Trades Festival is slated for June 1. This with the grand opening of several small antique malls, hot air and collectibles auction.

Baird is "on the right track" by in the afternoon. kicking off efforts to revitalize the many visitors all in one festive day 267-2810.

Don't miss it. For information. business community and attract call (915) 267-2349, 263-1952, or

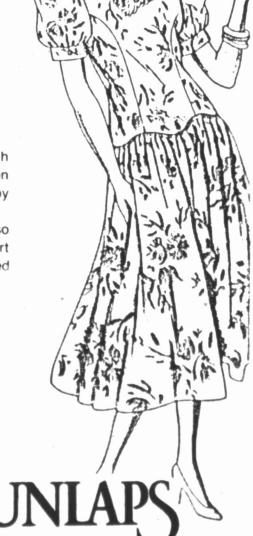


both have been invited to be in the

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### How's that?

Q. In 1925, who became the first woman in Texas, and the second woman in the nation, to become governor?

A. Miriam A. Ferguson became Texas' first woman governor, according to Texas

### Calendar

### Meeting

 Beta Sigma Phi Texas Eta Chapter will meet at 7 p.m.

 AA and Alanon will meet at 8 p.m. at Old Hotel.

**THURSDAY** • Senior Citizens Game Night at 6 p.m. at the Depot.

FRIDAY • Stanton High School graduation will be at 8 p.m. in the new gymnasium.

**SATURDAY**  Grady High School graduation will be at 7:30 p.m. in the

### Tops on TV

• The Natural. Robert Redford, Robert Duvall. Fate makes a talented baseball player put his career on hold early. 7 p.m. Ch. 3.

• Fatal Attraction CBS Tues day Movie. 7:30 p.m. Channel 7. Nova. 8 p.m. Channel 5.

## **Study done** on possible expansion

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — A survey of Panhandle residents indicates that 62 percent of those were born in the Martin County polled believe the U.S. Department Hospital that will continue to serve faxing fetal monitor strips of inforof Energy can be trusted to design, the county with its maternity mation to the campus, providing build and operate an environmen- department. In the past four and a simmediate consultation from the tally safe facility

Representatives of the Panhandle 2000 task force Monday released portions of information gathered by a national research company in a telephone survey.

The survey information will be included in the city's bid proposal being composed by the group Amarillo city officials appointed to drive the city's efforts to bring the Pantex expansion here, said task force co-Chairman Wales Madden

The survey indicated about 21 percent of the residents polled in Potter, Randall, Armstrong and Carson counties don't think the DOE can be trusted to build a safe expansion, and 17 percent answered they were unsure, according to poll percentages released by Bill Holland of Holland, Merriman & Christian. Panhandle 2000 hired Holland's firm to handle public relations, Madden said.

### State judge rejects appeal

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — A state district judge has rejected a death row inmate's appeal, saying the prisoner's lawyers have shown "inexcusable neglect" in filing a flurry of last-minute pleas.

Ignacio Cuevas, 59, is scheduled to die by lethal injection before dawn Thursday for his part in the slaying of Julia Standley, 43, one of 16 hostages Cuevas and two other convicts held at gunpoint for 11 days during a July 1974 uprising at the Walls Unit in Huntsville.

His appeal still must be considered by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, where lawyers with the Texas Resource Center also have sought to have his execution postponed to allow an evidentiary hearing into Cuevas' competency in 1983.

Cuevas has been sentenced to die three times for Mrs. Standley's

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## FmHA starts guaranteed home loan program

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new guaranteed loan program to help low- and moderate-income families buy homes in rural areas has been put into effect by the Farmers Home Administration.

FmHA Administrator LaVerne Ausman said Monday that the pilot program will guarantee up to \$100 million in housing loans in 20 states. Congress created the program in the Fair Housing Act of

agency will guarantee loans made by eligible commercial lenders in rural areas. The \$100 million is for the current fiscal year, which runs through Sept. 30.

States where the agency's pilot program will operate include: Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Georgia, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania,

Future farmers

By JEANETTE PAGE

Martin County Hospital

**District Administrator** 

Many residents of Martin County

The hospital is a member of the

developing partnership between

small West Texas hospitals and

Texas Tech University Health

Science Center through the

Perinatal Outreach Project. This

project was piloted to deliver on-

site education to hospital staff and

physicians supported by telephone

and fax consultation with their

Know your hospital

teaching faculty. The faculty in the Family Clinic for their prenatal

OB/GYN and the neonatal care and delivery at the hospital.

South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and Washington.

The agency said loan operations have already begun in three of the states — Georgia, Iowa and South Carolina

'This housing loan guarantee program gives FmHA another method of providing housing credit to low- and moderate-income rural residents," Ausman said in a statement

The FmHA program is similar to The Agriculture Department the one operated by the Department of Veterans Affairs, he said.

Low income can range from \$18,500 to \$36,000 per year for a household of three or four, depending on the area of the country, the agency said. Moderate income can be \$23,000 to \$45,000 per year.

Applicants must not be able to get home financing without the FmHA guarantee.

The program includes an interest subsidy provision for low-income

The Stanton Future Farmers of America recently school year: left to right, Kenny Stewart,

held its annual banquet at the Stanton Junior High secretary; Shane Louder, president; Jay

Cafeteria to honor its members for a job well Huckaby, vice president; and FFA officers Rick

specialists of the Texas Tech

Odessa campus provide consulta-

tion services to the hospital's doc-

half years, 456 babies were born—university teaching hospital. If an—cian on staff that complements the

expectant mother has or develops

serious problems during her

transfer her to the specialists of the

university for prenatal care and

delivery. The outreach services

and fax consultation are utilized

only when the mother has a serious

Expectant mothers from

Midland and Big Spring come to

The hospital has the capability of

tors on a 24-hour basis.

done. Pictured here are officers for the 1990-91 Posey and Sherman Bryand.

### Farm scene

borrowers. Under it, the interest rate is reduced for the borrower, based on income and the median income in the area

The FmHA will pay the difference between the interest paid by the low-income borrower and the rate charged by the lender.

Lenders eligible to make loans under the program include those approved by the Federal Housing Administration, the Federal National Mortgage Association and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage

Also eligible are Farm Credit System institutions with direct lending authority, and lenders participating in other FmHA

guaranteed loan programs.

Ausman said eligible state agen-

cies also will be able to participate as lenders in the program.

Here are the 20 states in the pilot program; the first column is the fiscal 1991 non-subsidized funding level: the second column is the subsidized funding level for interest assistance to low- and moderateincome borrowers. The figures are in thousands of dollars.

Arizona	1,229	532
Arkansas	2,354	1,037
California	5,116	2,221
Colorado	1,179	489
Georgia	4,218	1,832
Iowa	2,000	835
Kentucky	3,559	1,581
Louisiana	2,681	1,225
Maine	1,317	545
Michigan	4,112	1,695
Mississippi	2,654	1,192
Missouri	2,861	1,234
North Carolina	5,578	2,380
Ohio	4,821	1,963
Pennsylvania	5,895	2,415

South Carolina Tennessee 3,324 2,593 5,885 **Texas** 3,443 1,463 Virginia Washington 2,133 28,800 STATE TOTAL 67,200 1,200 2,800 Reserve 70,000 TOTAL

WASHINGTON (AP) -

Agriculture Department analysts say this year's sharp decline in U.S. wheat production will trim some of the surplus but probably won't boost farm prices to the relative high levels of a year or two

The average farm price of wheat was \$3.72 per bushel in the 1988-89 and 1989-90 marketing years.

But prices dropped sharply because of a rise in inventories, and prices in the 1990-91 marketing year that ends May 31 are expected to average around \$2.61 per bushel.

## Bentsen offers bill to expand preserve

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is sponsoring legislation to add spring-fed creeks, blackwater swamps and steep canyons to the Big Thicket National Preserve.

Bentsen, D-Texas, wants to expand the 86,000-acre preserve in East Texas by 15,106 acres. The state's junior senator, Republican Phil Gramm, is sponsoring legislation that would add 10,000 acres to Big Thicket.

Environmentalists have been pushing for years to expand Big Thicket, known as "America's ark" for its diversity of plant and animal species.

Dallas environmentalist Ned Fritz blamed Gramm's objections to earlier legislation for stalling the Big Thicket expansion efforts, but said Monday that he now believes Congress will approve adding to the preserve.

Fritz, however, said he favors Bentsen's bill because it adds more land to Big Thicket.

"This is a definite benefit for preserving representative examples of our native biodiversity, especially for the Southeast Texas region," Fritz said.

Fritz said he could not understand Gramm's reasoning for not including some of the additional lands in his bill, "because the owners are willing sellers; they are mainly non-commercial timber areas.

But Larry Neal, spokesman for Gramm, said it's an "open question" whether the National Park Service actually wants the land, the Sabine River Blue Elbow Unit and an addition to the Lower Neches River Corridor.

Neal said Gramm has asked the park service to evaluate the two tracts "and let us know if they want them and if so, how much (would they cost).

Bentsen introduced legislation in 1971 to set aside 100,000 acres for Big Thicket, but said he had to settle for 86,000 to get the preserve

"I've never been satisfied with that and today's legislation adds another 15,000 acres, achieving the original goal and then some," Bentsen said in introducing his bill

"The Big Thicket is an area so varied that it contains both flood plains and sand hills, swamps and bogs, forests and savannahs," Bentsen said. "An astonishing variety of plants and animals flourish in the preserve. There are over 300 kinds of birds ... as well as 40 species of wild orchid. There are plants representing the Appalachian mountains, the tropics and even the desert.'

Bentsen's bill would add four units to the preserve - Village Creek Corridor, Big Sandy Corridor. Canvonlands and Sabine River Blue Elbow, plus an addition to the Lower Neches River Corridor.

The Village Creek Corridor and the Big Sandy Corridor would connect three major units of existing preserve, while the Canyonlands unit contains scenic areas of steep walls, spring-fed creeks and rare plants. The Sabine River Blue Elbow unit would add the largest undisturbed acres of the Cypress Tupelo blackwater swamp, and the addition to the Lower Neches River corridor increases the area of undisturbed vegetation and wetlands.

Bentsen and Gramm both say their bills address the concerns of East Texans about land acquisitions for the preserve.

Gramm and Bentsen said no privately owned property could be taken through condemnation procedures, and that land would be acquired through voluntary exchange with timber companies.

Rep. Charles Wilson, D-Lufkin, has introduced similar legislation in the House to add 15,106 acres. His bill also seeks to exempt small landowners from surrendering their property for inclusion in the

### New Watergate book blames Dean either the authors or their declined to comment on the book

White House counsel John Dean, accused in a new book of initiating the Watergate break-in and masterminding the coverup without consulting his superiors, threatened legal action against the

authors today The authors of "Silent Coup: The Removal of a President," charge that Dean, former President Nixon's main accuser, wanted to collect dirt on the Democrats to boost his influence in the White

As the scandal grew, Dean repeatedly lied to Congress and the Watergate prosecutors and shifted blame onto the president to protect his own skin, the authors said.

Dean denies the allegations in the book and said in a statement early today he would take "appropriate legal actions" against the authors and publisher.

He also said he was "ready to take lie detector tests in any instance where it is my word against

The book was written by Len Colodny, a Democratic political consultant and professional investigator, and Robert Gettlin, a former national reporter in the Newhouse Newspapers Washington bureau who spent seven years on the project. It was published by St. Martin's Press.

The book also repeats an allegation that Alexander Haig was "Deep Throat," Washington Post reporter Bob Woodward's principal White House source, and adds new information to back it up.

In 1969 and 1970, Woodward, then a naval officer, routinely briefed Haig at the White House on sensitive matters, the book said.

Woodward did not return two messages left Monday. In the book, Woodward denies being a Navy briefer for Haig, who worked then for National Security Adviser Henry Kissinger. Washington Post Ben Bradlee because he hadn't read it.

After interviewing visiting

mothers, the prime reasons they

travel to Stanton are the low cost of

the delivery, compared to hospitals

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her baby and caring doctors and

nurses are other reasons behind

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family practitioners who delivery

babies at the hospital. One family

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Caesarean section if the need

arises either as an emergency or

In a future article in this series,

we will discuss the delivery and

nursery services available at the

scheduled intervention.

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Woodward's reporting partner on the Watergate story, Carl Bernstein, refused to be interviewed for the book, which he called "off the wall" and "wildly inaccurate."

Haig, who now heads a Washington-based international consulting firm, was traveling in Europe and unavailable for comment. In the past, he has denied being "Deep Throat.

The book also accuses Haig of being involved in a previously disclosed military spying operation inside the White House instigated by the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The book involved more than 150 on-the-record interviews with key players including Dean, Woodward, former Attorney General John Mitchell, Nixon counselor John Ehrlichman, White House chief of staff H.R. Haldeman, and White House employee G. Gordon

## Senate approves drug treatment bill for offenders

AUSTIN (AP) - A bill pro- chemically dependent in moted by its sponsor as a shortterm answer to Texas' criminal justice problem has been approved by the Senate:

The measure by Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Rockwall, would establish in the six largest counties a program to screen and refer for treatment people arrested for drug and alcohol-related offenses.

It also would commit up to 2,000 state prison beds within four years for intensive drug and alcohol treatment. "This is the solution, short-

term, to our criminal justice program," Lyon said Monday. 'There's nothing else that is more important. The effective date of the pro-

posal, which was sent to the House on voice vote, is Sept. 1, More than 85 percent of the inmates entering Texas prisons ad-

mit having some problem with substance abuse, according to a bill analysis. "We're dead last in the amount

of money and facilities provided for treatment of drug and

dividuals," Lyon said. 'This bill moves us forward

brings us a little bit down the road toward treating the root cause of our criminal justice problem, Lyon said. The original bill of \$900 million

mittee. Lyon said he hoped it could be funded this summer. Sen. Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, said with passage of the bill, "We could sure reduce this nightmare we've been in the last four or five

was pared to \$29 million in com-

Another measure, which was passed to the House 26-4, would commit the state to building prisons for 14,250 more inmates in the next two years, and possibly another 14,250 beds two years

The price tag for 28,500 prison beds would be more than \$1

The Senate passed to the House on voice vote a Brooks bill that would allow ships with casinotype gambling to move in from 12 miles offshore to three miles, or within Texas waters.

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Bill Decker, 66, died Monday. Services are 10:00 A.M. Wednesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Chapel. Interment will follow at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

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Brenda Fairfax Hong, 36, died Saturday. Memorial Services will be at 2:00 P.M. Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.



Slow going

NORTHFIELD, III. — Motorists make their way along a construction zone on Interstate 94 Monday near the Willow Road interchange in Northfield, III. It's construction season on Chicago area's road and highways, meaning long delays for many drivers.