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## Weather

Partly cloudy through Thursday. Mostly fair tonight. Low tonight in the upper 60s. High Thursday in the mid-90s.

Tuesday's high temp.	91
Tuesday's low temp.	70
Average high	97
Average low	70
Record high	107 in 1952
Record low	61 in 1975
Inches	
Rainfall Tuesday	0.00
Month to date	0.03
Normal for Mo.	2.03
Year to date	13.04
Normal for year	10.98

## Emergency funds for nursing students

Because of an emergency appropriation made by Gov. Ann Richards, 41 Texas institutions of higher learning will receive more than \$25 million to hire additional faculty.

The purpose of the appropriation is to allow the enrollment of 534 additional nursing students.

"It is clear by the response we received for the program that we have just scraped the surface of the pressing health care needs in our state. I hope this funding will alleviate some of the nursing shortage in Texas and we can continue to produce qualified nurses who want to work in Texas," Richards said.

To qualify for the Professional Nursing Shortage Reduction Program, institutions must certify that they are able to add at least 10 new qualified students over the 1991 school year.

## Pearl Harbor medal awarded

All American service personnel stationed in the vicinity of Pearl Harbor during the Japanese attack that killed more than 3,000 have been awarded a bronze medal commemorating their service.

The Department of Defense has launched a nationwide search for an estimated 100,000 sailors, soldiers and marines stationed on the island of Oahu at the time of the attack.

Under a bill approved by Congress last year, Pearl Harbor veterans, including civilian employees of the Navy and other services or their families may be awarded the medal.

Eligible veterans or next of kin may apply for the medal by calling the Navy's Awards and Special Projects Office at 1-800-545-4052, or write to the Chief of Naval Operations, Room 5E589, the Pentagon, Washington, D.C., 20350.

## Juries selected for civil trials

Three juries have been selected in 118th Judicial District Court to hear three civil trials this week.

One trial began Monday and is continuing today on a suit filed by Neiman-Marcus against Jan and Gordon Bristo for payment of purchases. Judge Bob Moore is presiding.

On Thursday, Moore is scheduled to hear a case filed by Jon C. Hope against USAA Casualty Insurance Co. over a contract dispute.

A trial scheduled to be heard by a visiting judge from Midland on a workmen's compensation case was settled out-of-court late Tuesday. Truck Insurance Exchange had filed suit against Crescenciano R. Maldonado.

# City council struggling to balance budget

By GARY SHANKS  
Staff Writer

Workshop sessions are continuing as the Big Spring City Council struggles to fund city services in the face of diminished receipts for a proposed \$6.8 million 1991-92 budget.

While it is generally thought that some cuts will be necessary, no specific cuts have been decided on

as of Tuesday night, officials said. City officials have been charged with presenting the council with a list of revenue-saving options. The council will continue reviewing these possible cuts as the workshops continue.

"The main thing that's hurting us is the \$295 million property valuation, that's down quite a bit," said Assistant City Manager Tom

Decell.

The two possible budget items that would save the most money are also the most controversial because it could mean the loss of seven police officers from the city's 46-member department.

The deletion of those positions, coupled with closing the city jail and housing prisoners in the Howard County facility, would

save the city \$258,310. "There are a number of \$5,000, \$4,000 and \$3,000 (budget alternatives), but those (cuts) are the big ones," said City Secretary Tom Ferguson.

One proponent of police department cuts, council member John Coffee, presented figures that he believed illustrated Big Spring's disproportionate police-related expenditures.

According to information Coffee presented from the 1991 Municipal Analysis Services Inc. and the Texas Municipal League, Big Spring has more police per 10,000 population than most comparably sized cities.

"The population of Big Spring has been falling for years, and now maybe we can get by with less. If

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# Stenholm plans trip to U.S.S.R.

By PATRICK DRISCOLL  
Staff Writer

U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm, D-Stamford, said he plans to go on a tentative House Agriculture Committee overseas trip to develop potential trade concessions with the grain-hungry Soviet Union.

Stenholm was cited in the Dallas Morning News as one of seven Texas congressmen planning a foreign trip during Congress' recess this month. A News survey of the 29-member Texas delegation follows a recent flap over the White House Chief of Staff John Sununu's use of military aircraft for personal and political trips.

U.S. Rep. Joe Barton, R-Ennis, is currently sponsoring a bill to require members of Congress and top-level Bush administration officials to disclose publicly any foreign travel made at taxpayers' expense, an aide to Barton said.

Stenholm said he supports the bill. "I'm totally in favor of disclosure of every foreign and domestic trip made by every member of Congress," he said. "It just makes sense."

The Soviet trip, Sept. 5-10, to be headed by Agriculture Committee Chairman Kika de la Garza, D-Mission, would be paid for by

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## Making way

Tractors make quick work of the former West Wind Motel on Gregg Street Tuesday as the lot is being cleared of all structures to make way for a

H-E-B Supermarket. Construction is expected to start in the next three months, with the store set to open in the summer of 1992.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

# New state park chief now on board

By GARY SHANKS  
Staff Writer

The Big Spring State Park at Scenic Mountain is now fully staffed and open seven days a week with the addition of new park Superintendent Michael Young.

But, park visitors will soon be paying higher user fees. Young, who transferred here from Steven F. Austin Park in Sealy, describes his first few days on the job as "hectic."

The park will be open its usual hours of 8 a.m.-10 p.m., said Young, who took over his new duties Aug. 1.

As with other state agencies,

the park system has been experiencing its own budget woes and the new fees are necessary to maintain the state's recreation areas, he said.

On Sept. 1, park fees will increase to \$3 per vehicle, up from \$2. Walk-in visitors will be paying \$1, up from 50 cents, and children will be 50 cents, up from 25 cents.

People who use the park regularly, however, can opt for a new conservation permit. The permit is \$25 and will replace the current annual permit and limited annual permit, which have been available for \$25 and

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# 'Real sham' tax bill OK'd

AUSTIN (AP) — State leaders said work would continue on a tax increase to pay for state services, after the House passed a \$30 million tax bill that doesn't come close to funding its own two-year spending proposal.

"I really think the people — our constituents — expect us to come down here and not punt these tough decisions. . . . I think that responsible voters want a responsible budget, and they want us to pay the bills," said Senate Finance Committee Chairman John Montford.

Senators are looking at revising the state franchise tax, increasing the gasoline tax and raising state fees, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said Tuesday.

The Senate's franchise tax plan contains differences from one pushed unsuccessfully in the House, which also turned down in-

creases in the gas tax and numerous fees. The bill approved by the House would increase alcoholic beverage, criminal justice and insurance taxes and fees.

Bullock also predicted Senate passage of a Texas lottery, which would send the House-approved measure to voters for consideration. The game would raise an estimated \$450 million over the next two years.

Montford said senators planned to work closely with House leaders, who had proposed a \$3 billion tax bill.

Rep. Rene Oliveira, a member of the House budget and tax committees, called the measure passed by his chamber "a real sham bill." But the Brownsville Democrat said that it at least allows for work to continue in the Senate and, later, in

an expected legislative conference committee on taxes.

But Rep. Tom Craddick of Midland, House Republican Caucus chairman, said he thinks the House will reject further taxes. He said the budget should be trimmed instead, although the House measure has been attacked as miserly.

"We know it can be done with cuts," Craddick said.

The House spending bill for the next two years would require about \$1.5 billion to \$2 billion in new revenue, including lottery proceeds, Oliveira said. But it would fall below the spending level needed to continue current services and meet court mandates, lawmakers said.

The measure includes an estimated \$32.5 billion in general

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# U.N. issued warning to stay out of hostage deal

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Grenades exploded outside a U.N. office in Beirut today and a previously unknown group said it staged the attack to underline its insistence that Western hostages be swapped for Arab detainees held by Israel.

The attack came a day after Islamic Jihad, the pro-Iranian Shiite Muslim group holding at least two American hostages, said it would send an unidentified "special envoy" to the U.N. secretary-general in 48 hours in a bid to end the hostage crisis.

In New York this morning, U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de

Cuellar said he has yet to hear from Islamic Jihad.

But he dismissed the idea of a 48-hour deadline, saying:

"I will wait until the end of my years because this is so important. . . . I will be available in New York, Geneva, Paris, London. I am always available for all possibilities of helping the hostages."

Police in Beirut said three rocket-propelled grenades exploded in the air near the offices of the U.N. Development Program in Beirut's Shiite district of Bir Hassan shortly after midnight. No casualties or damage were

reported.

An anonymous caller to a Western news agency claimed responsibility on behalf of the "Organization for the Defense of the Prisoners' Rights."

"We totally reject the expected deal for the release of an American and a British hostage at a time our brethren remain in prisons in Israel and the West," the caller said in Arabic.

Hundreds of Arabs have been detained by Israel, including more than 300 held by an Israeli-sponsored militia in southern Lebanon. Israel has said it would exchange the detainees for seven

Israeli servicemen missing in Lebanon.

The caller said Perez de Cuellar should not get involved in the hostage issue.

"We advise the secretary-general of the United Nations, Mr. Javier Perez de Cuellar, the godfather of this deal, not to get involved in suspicious acts that serve the interests of American intelligence agencies and the Israeli Mossad," the caller said. The Mossad is Israel's intelligence agency.

Of the statement, Perez de Cuellar commented this morning: "I wish I would be godfather of such a good cause."

The statement from Islamic Jihad was accompanied by a photograph of American hostage Terry Anderson, one of 13 Westerners missing in Lebanon. The group also holds American Thomas Sutherland. Neither man was mentioned in the statement.

Shiite sources in Beirut said today they believed a hostage would be released because the kidnappers fear they are about to be crushed by Syria as it works with the Lebanese government to end 16 years of militia rule in Lebanon.

The sources, who insisted on anonymity, said Syria was kept out

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# Big Spring recyclables collection date set for October



"Mother Earth," right, portrayed by April Ferguson, explains to "Polluting Patrick," played by Dale Ferguson, why the Earth's resources should be preserved and recycled in a skit presented at Tuesday's Howard County Coalition for the Environment meeting.

## HERALD STAFF REPORT

Big Spring's first community-wide recyclables collection date has been set for Oct. 5 by the Howard County Coalition for the Environment.

About 65 people turned out for Tuesday night's planning session to set goals and establish an organizational structure for the group.

A short skit by "Mother Earth" and "Polluting Patrick," performed by April and Dale Ferguson, illustrated the fact that everything people consume comes from the Earth. To reduce the depletion of the planet's resources, "Mother Earth" advises everyone to "reduce, reuse and recycle."

Discussion centered around the need for community education in reducing consumption and recycling as much as possible. The group voted to make education a major project of the organization.

It was decided to divide the

group to focus on two immediate goals — the development of a formal, legal structure and the establishment of a collection center.

The Oct. 5 date was chosen to allow time for publicity and organization. Volunteers will help sort the material brought to the collection center and will take the recyclables to area businesses or to the Time Machine in Odessa.

Because of the present lack of a market for many items that are potentially recyclable, it was decided that the first collection would focus on metals and plastics. The location of the collection site will be announced later.

Metals include brass, steel, aluminum and tin, which can be sold to a local business. Plastics include water, milk and soft drink containers, as well as other plastic containers marked with a No. 1 or No. 2 on the bottom.

All items should be rinsed out prior to saving them. It is not necessary to remove the paper label from cans or to flatten them, although flattening the cans saves space at home.

A meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday for committee volunteers.

## Recycled now

A few items are already being accepted in Big Spring for recycling. These include:

- Used motor oil by Kwik Kar Lube and Tune, 1602 Gregg St.;
- Batteries by Wal-Mart, Gregg Street and FM 700;
- Brass, copper, tin, steel and aluminum by Wes-Tex Drilling Co., Texas Highway 350; and
- Aluminum by Coors Distributor, Interstate 20 West.

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## Sidelines

### Another school will stay out of district

MERTZON (AP) — Another school board has decided not to join a local county education district until the constitutionality of the new taxing districts is decided in court.

Trustees of the Irion County School Board split 4-3 Tuesday night to suspend the district's participation in the local county education district.

Kay Keen, a member of the board who voted for the resolution, said she had been told that 50 districts statewide had refused to join the new taxing districts.

Leon Independent School District trustees started the rebellion in July by rejecting membership in the 12-member Anderson-Leon County Education District.

### Demographer says census best source

EDINBURG (AP) — Even if the state adjusts its census count, it won't necessarily have more accurate figures for drawing up new voting boundaries as is charged by opponents, a demographer says.

The 1990 census undercounted thousands of Texans, particularly minorities, but it is still the best source for reapportioning the state's voting districts, said Steve Murdoch, chief demographer for the Texas State Data Center.

"One can certainly adjust the data but that does not mean that we will have data that will be defensible," Murdoch said Tuesday, adding that the only accurate adjustments are figures being withheld by the U.S. Census Bureau.

"We must use the 1990 census counts at this point," he said.

Murdoch was the first defense witness to testify at a preliminary injunction hearing for a lawsuit that is pitting South Texas residents against the state. The hearing is scheduled to end today.

### Astronauts rise early on sixth day

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Atlantis' astronauts today were wakened an hour early to adjust their body clocks and get started on a sixth day of experiments — including setting a fire inside the shuttle cabin.

After the wake-up call, the astronauts quietly went about their morning duties as the shuttle orbited 184 miles above Earth.

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# Lottery not fiscal cure-all

AUSTIN (AP) — Texans shouldn't view a lottery as a cure-all for the state's fiscal ills, Gov. Ann Richards says. Taxes still could go up.

"I thought one of the reasons it was important to pass (a lottery bill) is to take away the misconception that someone has that as long as the lottery is out there, then all your problems are solved," Richards said Tuesday.

Lawmakers are struggling to write a 1992-93 state budget in the face of a \$4.8 billion deficit.

After rejecting lottery eight times since 1983, the Texas House on Monday endorsed a proposed constitutional amendment to allow the gambling game.

A Senate committee hearing was postponed until Thursday, however, by a lottery opponent. And the current 30-day special session ends Tuesday.

But even if lottery is approved by the Senate and by voters in November, it likely wouldn't begin operating until next summer, according to comptroller's office forecasts.

The game would raise an estimated \$450 million for the 1993

budget year, then about \$1 billion annually after that.

"It really means more to us in the next (1994-95) biennium than it does this one (1992-93)," Richards said Tuesday.

Richards, a strong lottery backer who was thwarted on the issue during the Legislature's regular session, went on television Sunday night to urge Texas voters to lobby their lawmakers for lottery.

In that address, the governor said: "The choice is simple. Either we have a huge tax bill or we approve a lottery. That's what it comes down to."

"There's never been any misleading on anyone's part," she told an impromptu news conference.

"The franchise tax has to be revised. And after that occurs, the Senate passes the lottery bill. Then we have to look at what remains to be done and how much of a tax (increase) bill has to be passed," she said.

The House early Tuesday rejected a \$1.1 billion franchise tax overhaul that would have expanded the levy from corporations to most businesses and from capital

investment to capital or business income, whichever is greater.

Asked what size tax bill would meet the definition of "huge," Richards replied, "Well, you know, it all is in the eye of the beholder."

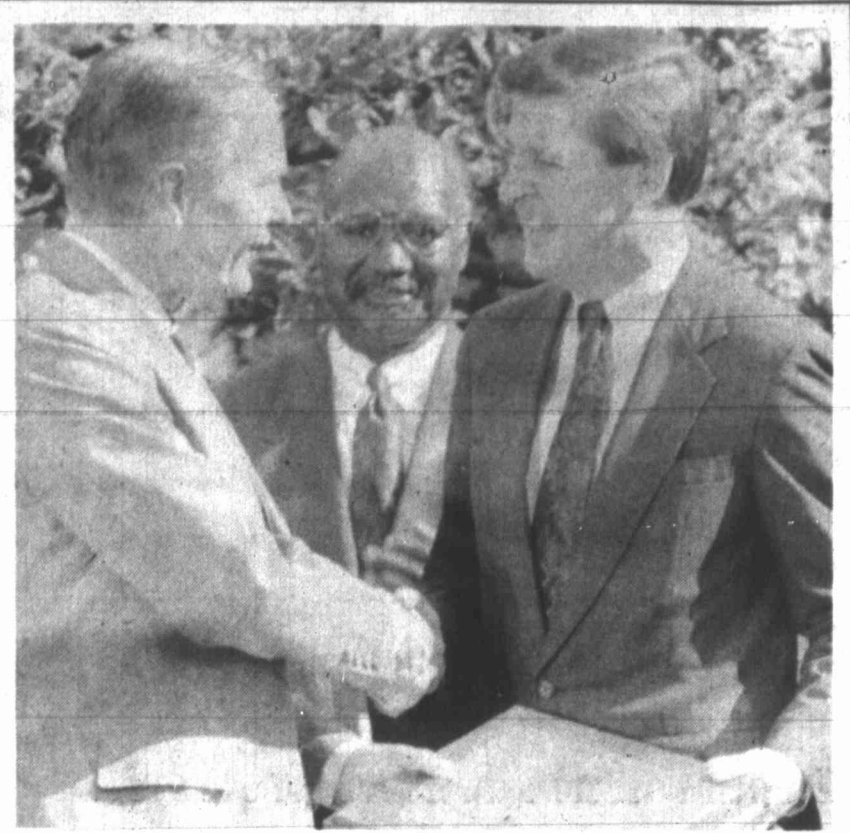
During the House debate on lottery, some opponents charged that lottery backers had sought to paint the gambling game as a tax substitute.

"It's supposedly going to save us (from) a tax bill. I've seen the governor's quotes in the paper that the Legislature 'can either give you a lottery or give you taxes,'" said Rep. Billy Clemons, D-Pollock.

"How many of you believe that the lottery is going to prevent a tax bill? If you do, I've got some land I want to sell you," Clemons said. "The fact is, voters are going to get both and they're going to get them in the next few days."

Rep. John Smith, R-Amarillo, unsuccessfully sought to require voter approval for any state income tax as well as for lottery.

"All along, it's been sold as a way to avoid a tax increase and, more specifically, a way to avoid a state income tax," he said of the lottery.



Associated Press photo

### All-America award

WASHINGTON — President Bush presents an All America City Award to Austin Mayor Bruce Todd during a White House Rose Garden ceremony Tuesday. Man at center is unidentified.

## Senator threatens to filibuster

AUSTIN (AP) — A proposed state lottery was dealt a setback by an anti-gambling legislator who says he will try to talk the measure to death if it reaches the full Senate.

"I will filibuster," Sen. John Leedom, R-Dallas, said Tuesday. A filibuster is when a senator talks as long as he can about a proposal in hopes of killing it.

"I just don't think that Texas is going to be benefited by turning to gambling as a source of revenue," he said.

Leedom said he doubted Senate leaders would allow the lottery to be considered by the full Senate with so much other work unresolved.

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, presiding officer of the Senate, said, "That (filibuster) has been a constant possibility. If you wish to use the word threat, it's been a constant threat in my mind from the time

on Tuesday, Leedom used his privilege as a senator to "tag" the lottery legislation, thus delaying its consideration until Thursday in the Senate Finance Committee.

The special session seeking to bridge a projected \$4.8 billion budget deficit ends Tuesday. Although it is doubtful Leedom could talk that long, his delaying tactic could stop work by conference committees trying to hammer out budget and tax legislation, lawmakers said.

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this special session started." Early Tuesday morning, the House gave final approval to enabling legislation for operating a state lottery.

On Monday, the House approved the proposed constitutional amendment required to set up the game. Senate and voter approval still are needed.

Prior to Monday's vote, lottery proposals had died eight times in the House since 1983.

Budget experts have said the game would provide between \$450 million and \$475 million for the 1992-93 budget period. Gov. Ann Richards has said the lottery is needed to avoid a "huge" tax bill.

In response to Leedom's threat, Bill Cryer, a spokesman for the Democratic governor, said, "It would be a tragedy for the will of the people of Texas to be thwarted by a single person filibustering in the Senate."



Associated Press photo

### Miss Texas USA

CORPUS CHRISTI — Miss Ft. Worth Katie Nicole Young, front, is crowned 1992 Miss Texas USA winner by Miss Universe Lupita Jones at the Bayfront Plaza Auditorium in Corpus Christi.

## Grazing has affected decline of grassland

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Biologists say a decline of grasslands in the American West is partly because of cattle grazing but that other natural and human factors also are to blame.

"Grazing perhaps is being attacked... not quite wrongly, but at least out of perspective," said Martin Vavra, a range scientist at Oregon State University.

Vavra and other researchers discussed the issue during a symposium Tuesday at the American Institute of Biological Sciences annual meeting. The scientists said climate, wild animals, humans and a lack of natural fires also may account for the ecological changes.

"We have changed the western United States," Vavra said. "We have to live with that change, and we have to work very hard to overcome some of the detrimental aspects of that change."

Air pollution and increased water usage have affected the land in the West, said Vavra.

Environmental groups and others have criticized the use of federal lands for cattle grazing as harmful to the ecosystem. Private ranchers pay the government per animal unit for grazing privileges in certain areas.

European descendants began settling the West in the 1800s. Cattle replaced bison as the predominant herbivores, and settlers began farming land that had never before been cultivated.

William Laurenroth, a range scientist at Colorado State University who has studied grazing on the Great Plains, said its effects depend on the specific site where cattle have been. The driest areas have been changed the least by grazing, he said.

He also said wild animals, such as prairie dogs and some types of antelope, appear to interact with grazing animals.

## Pickle treated for cancer

HOUSTON (AP) — Longtime Texas Congressman J.J. "Jake" Pickle is under going treatment today for prostate cancer.

Pickle, 77, on Tuesday confirmed that he had begun treatments this week at M.D. Anderson Cancer Center in Houston.

"I was fortunate enough to have discovered this problem at its earliest stage when it is most treatable," Pickle said in a prepared statement released by his Washington office.

"My doctors say that such prostate problems are not at all uncommon. This sure underscores the importance of routine health checkups, so I would encourage everyone to take a regular physical," he added.

Pickle's prostate cancer was suspected after a recent blood test and confirmed by a biopsy at Bethesda Naval Hospital outside Washington, said Jane Brust, a spokeswoman for M.D. Anderson.

The cancer "was found early, is confined to his prostate and shows no sign of spreading. It doesn't seem particularly advanced," she said.

Pickle began receiving radiation therapy at M.D. Anderson this week on an outpatient basis. The treatments should last about six and a half weeks with Pickle returning to his hotel room each night, the cancer center said.

Pickle said he believed he would be recovered and able to assume his congressional work when the House reconvenes in September.

"I anticipate keeping up with my normal schedule of activities, and look forward to returning to Washington in September," he said.

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**National Panel**  
WASHINGTON federal advisor says the government's opposition to programs that swap used syringes.

The National AIDS said the government should combat AIDS in tandem with epidemics linked.

And it faulted administration criminal justice drug abuse.

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**Departments**  
WICHITA, Kan. federal judge with the U.S. Justice Dept. for intervening in an abortion demonstration fighting his order to keep clinics open.

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**Harry I**  
NEW YORK Reasoner, the newsman who "Minutes" and ply with Bart 1970s in network male-female team, has died.

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## Nation

### Panel supports needle exchange

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal advisory panel on AIDS says the government should drop its opposition to needle exchange programs that let drug addicts swap used syringes for clean ones.

The National Commission on AIDS said Tuesday that the government should be doing more to combat AIDS and drug abuse in tandem because the twin epidemics are inextricably linked.

And it faulted the Bush administration for a "myopic criminal justice approach" to drug abuse.

The commission said a third of all recent AIDS cases are related to intravenous drug use, yet federal agencies "have barely recognized the linkages."

The panel said programs that link needle exchange and distribution of bleach to kill the AIDS virus with drug treatment "have demonstrated the ability to get substance users to change injection practices."

"More significantly, these programs, rather than encouraging substance use, lead substantial numbers of substance users to seek treatment," it said.

It cited as an example a needle exchange program in Tacoma, Wash., that became the largest source of drug treatment referrals in Pierce County.

### Department supports protesters

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — A federal judge expressed disgust with the U.S. Justice Department for intervening on the side of anti-abortion demonstrators who are fighting his order to keep two clinics open.

U.S. District Judge Patrick Kelly on Tuesday granted Lee Thompson, the U.S. attorney for Kansas, permission to join the case.

But the judge said: "I am disgusted by this move by the United States, that they would now put an imprimatur on this conduct."

The national anti-abortion group Operation Rescue has staged daily protests outside Women's Health Care Services and Wichita Family Planning Inc. since July 15.

The Justice Department is joining a challenge to an order issued by Kelly on July 23 that bars Operation Rescue from blocking the clinics or physically harassing staff and patients.

The department argues that women seeking abortions are not protected under a Reconstruction-era civil rights law that was used to protect blacks from harassment.

The Justice Department filed a friend-of-the-court brief in the Virginia case.

### Harry Reasoner dies at age of 68

NEW YORK (AP) — Harry Reasoner, the snowy-haired newsman who lent dry wit to "60 Minutes" and was paired unhappily with Barbara Walters in the 1970s in network television's first male-female evening anchor team, has died at 68.

Reasoner died Tuesday at Norwalk Hospital in Norwalk, Conn., where he had been hospitalized since June 11. Doctors had removed a blood clot from his brain, and he also suffered from pneumonia.

Reasoner joined CBS in New York in 1956 and became known for his light touch with the news and a warm, self-effacing style. He was a three-time Emmy winner and in 1968 became an original member of the "60 Minutes" lineup along with Mike Wallace.

CBS interrupted its prime-time



**HARRY REASONER** programming to announce his death.

"Reasoner was a journalist who we all envied," anchorman Dan Rather said. "His style, his ability to see through what the real story is. All of us at CBS will miss him."



### Getting printed

NEW YORK — Michael Thomas gets fingerprinted by officer Susie Oquendo at a demonstration Tuesday in New York designed to bring police and children together. President Bush warned criminals Tuesday they're outnumbered, as he kicked off National Night Out, an evening of crime-prevention events billed as a going-away party for crime.

## Eight of every 1,000 tax returns audited

WASHINGTON (AP) — Chances your federal tax return will be audited are down to just eight in 1,000, and odds on going to jail for cheating on your taxes are almost too long to calculate.

The Internal Revenue Service audited 883,140 individual returns last year, nearly 100,000 fewer than in 1989. Continuing a trend of several years, the audit rate dropped from 92 per 10,000 to 80 per 10,000.

At the same time, according to the commissioner's annual report made public Tuesday, 1,609 people were sentenced to prison as a result of IRS criminal investigations. However, only 271 of that number — or fewer than 3 for every 1 million taxpayers — were convicted of what the IRS calls "abusive compliance," or gross cheating on reporting income or claiming deductions.

The rest of the jail sentences were handed out for drug convictions, organized crime activity, public corruption and white-collar crime.

Despite a fearsome reputation, the IRS has never used wholesale criminal prosecutions as a weapon of enforcement. In fact, the prison sentences imposed last year were the most in the decade.

However, Commissioner Fred T. Goldberg Jr. has made no secret of his discontent with the decline in enforcement, which includes auditing and criminal investigation.

"In recent years we have given strong support to the war on drugs through criminal investigation because these cases involve clear violations of the tax law," he wrote in the new report. "But without a corresponding overall increase in staffing, traditional criminal tax enforcement activities have not kept pace."

IRS drug investigations have grown by 46 percent since 1984, from 1,085 cases to 1,585. The total number of criminal investigations initiated dropped from 6,194 in 1984 to 5,280 last year.

The IRS budget recently approved by Congress for the 12 months beginning next Oct. 1 increases outlays for enforcement.

Although the number of individual tax audits dropped last year, more corporations underwent IRS examinations — 71,337 compared with 56,165 a year earlier.

## World

### Bangladesh jarred by bank closure

DHAKA, Bangladesh (AP) — More than in most countries, the collapse of the Bank of Credit and Commerce International jolted the economy of Bangladesh, where BCCI founder Agha Hasan Abedi began his banking career 45 years ago.

Anger is directed at the government and international regulators who forced BCCI to close, not at the bank — one of the few institutions willing to take risks in this impoverished, disaster-prone nation of 118 million people.

Before BCCI shut down in a storm of scandal on July 5, it was handling a third of Bangladesh's foreign trade and financing im-

### Arafat wants to choose delegation

TUNIS, Tunisia (AP) — PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat says Palestinian participation in a Middle East peace conference must be unconditional and is reported insisting that he be allowed to select the Palestinian delegation.

The official Palestinian news agency Wafa said Tuesday that Arafat has agreed in principle to a conference, but opposes Israeli conditions that would exclude the PLO and Arabs from east Jerusalem.

Secretary of State James A. Baker III just completed a trip to the Middle East and North Africa to win support for his peace plan.

### Truce broken shortly after it began

ZAGREB, Yugoslavia (AP) — Croatia charged today that Serb militants had violated a cease-fire in the breakaway republic only an hour after it went into effect.

Croatia's deputy interior minister, Milan Brezak, said more than 100 mortars landed this morning in and around Saborsko, a village about 30 miles southwest of the Croatian capital, Zagreb.

He blamed militant Serbs in the attack, and told reporters in Zagreb "I cannot guarantee" that there would not be retaliation.

The new violence pointed up the difficulty of halting the fighting that has killed more than 200 people since Croatia declared independence June 25.

There were conflicting interpretations of the cease-fire, proclaimed by Yugoslavia's federal presidency, and indications the



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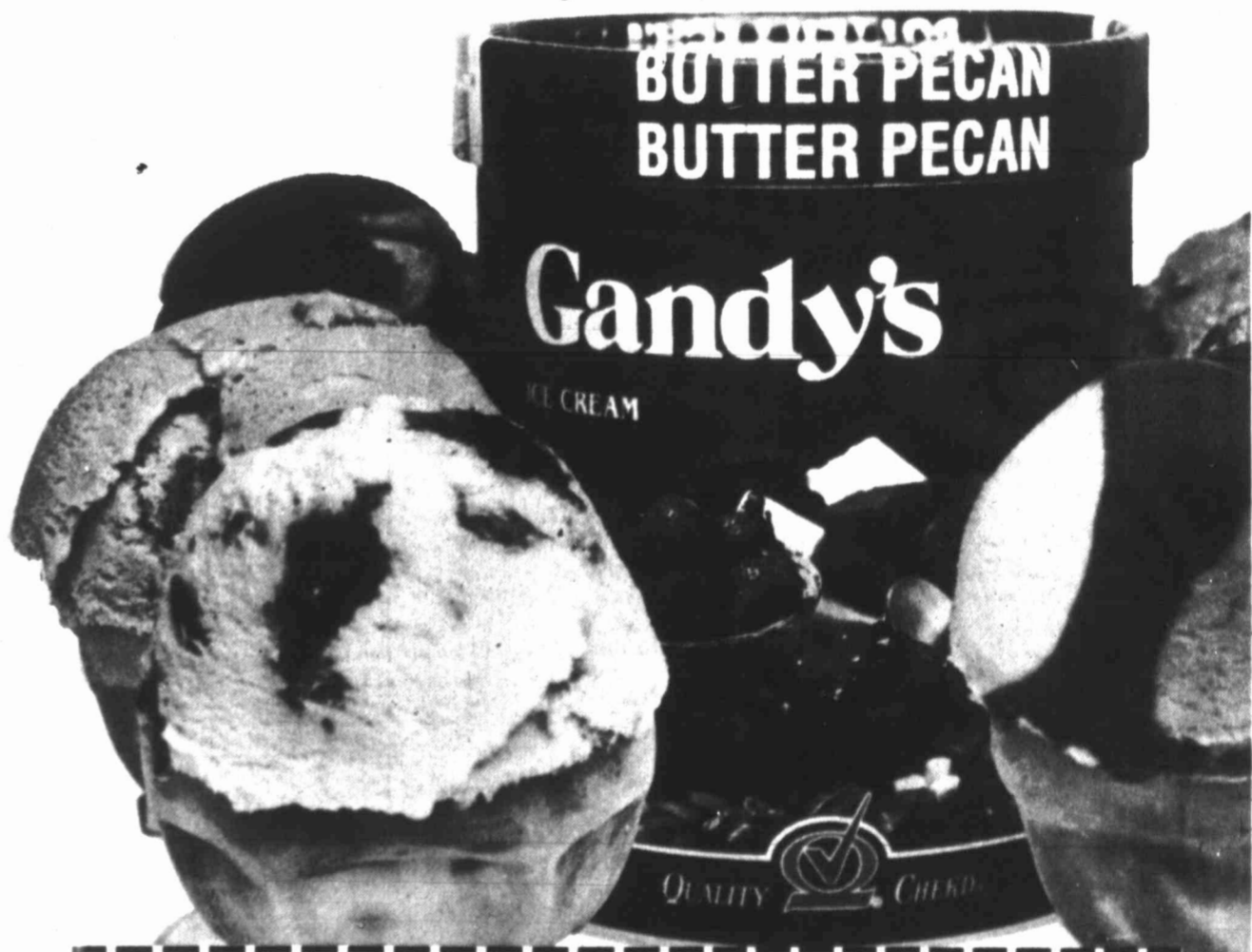


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# Opinion

## Herald opinion

### Welcome new superintendent

We'd like to welcome new State Park Superintendent Michael Young to Big Spring. After months of curtailed services at Scenic Mountain because of personnel shortages, it will be nice to have the park open for longer hours again. The bad news is that user fees have increased. Cars will now be charged \$3 to enter the park instead of \$2, while walkers will have to pay \$1 instead of 50 cents to "walk the mountain." State budget cuts have been on the agenda for months. We all know, or at least we should know, that Texas is spending more than it can afford. A great many services are either going to have to be eliminated or be charged for at a higher rate. The new park fees are among them. The state park is still a bargain for area residents. Where else could you get a good 45-minute workout, about what you get with a brisk walk around the mountain, for \$1? And frequent hikers can cut their costs with a \$25 yearly pass. Nobody likes to see prices go up, but a price hike sure beats having the park close for lack of funds.



### Few changes noted as result of C-SPAN

By STEVEN KOMAROW  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Five years ago, Senate traditionalists feared the invasion of television cameras in their hallowed hall would cause colleagues to showboat for the mass audience. In the words of former Sen. Russell Long of Louisiana: "Speeches that fail to improve on silence."

Television supporters hoped that the public eye of C-SPAN would force members to tighten their prose and provide a better forum for presenting issues to the nation. Some dreamed it would help the Senate shake loose from its molasses-like pace.

But they both were wrong. The Senate has overcome television much as it has overcome almost every attempt to change it over the years.

It's just as poky. The speeches haven't improved. Senators have checked their mirrors and tightened their ties, but not their prose.

The fear of boring a TV audience has had no impact at all — there are still long, sometimes hours-long, periods of dead time when literally nothing happens. And people seem to like it that way.

Sen. Daniel K. Inouye, D-Hawaii, voted against allowing television cameras in the Senate five years ago today. But he'd vote for it now.

"I've changed my mind," he said. "It seems to be working well and is not intrusive." It's a conduit to distant constituents and, if some colleague hot-dogs once in a while, "whether or not you have TV coverage, senators will always play to the gallery," the un-flashy lawmaker said, through a spokesman.

"The more I watch it, the less I worry about that. These guys aren't playing to the cameras, they're playing to each other," said a longtime Democratic aide who thought cameras were a bad idea.

A study conducted during C-SPAN's initial trial period in 1986 showed little changed from the off-camera Senate except there were more speeches unrelated to the legislation of the day. Even that seems to have leveled off.

"They thought it was going to radically change the way the Senate did business," recalled Ray Strother, a Democratic media guru who worked for Long



during the great debates over television. "It seems to me that after five years that it hasn't had a tremendous amount of impact except opening government up to a small amount of people who are interested."

C-SPAN 2, the Senate channel, was born seven years after the House channel and still trails the older one in availability. The House can be seen in 54 million households compared to 24.5 million for the Senate.

The actual audience at any one time is, of course, only a fraction of that. But there are many devotees.

"Almost always when I travel around the country, people come up to me and say they watch the Senate on C-SPAN," said Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine.

Mitchell says what viewers see happening, or not happening, is an accurate portrayal of the Senate, which dares to be dull.

"It's difficult to get business done in the Senate, but that has more to do with the rules of the Senate than ... television," he said.

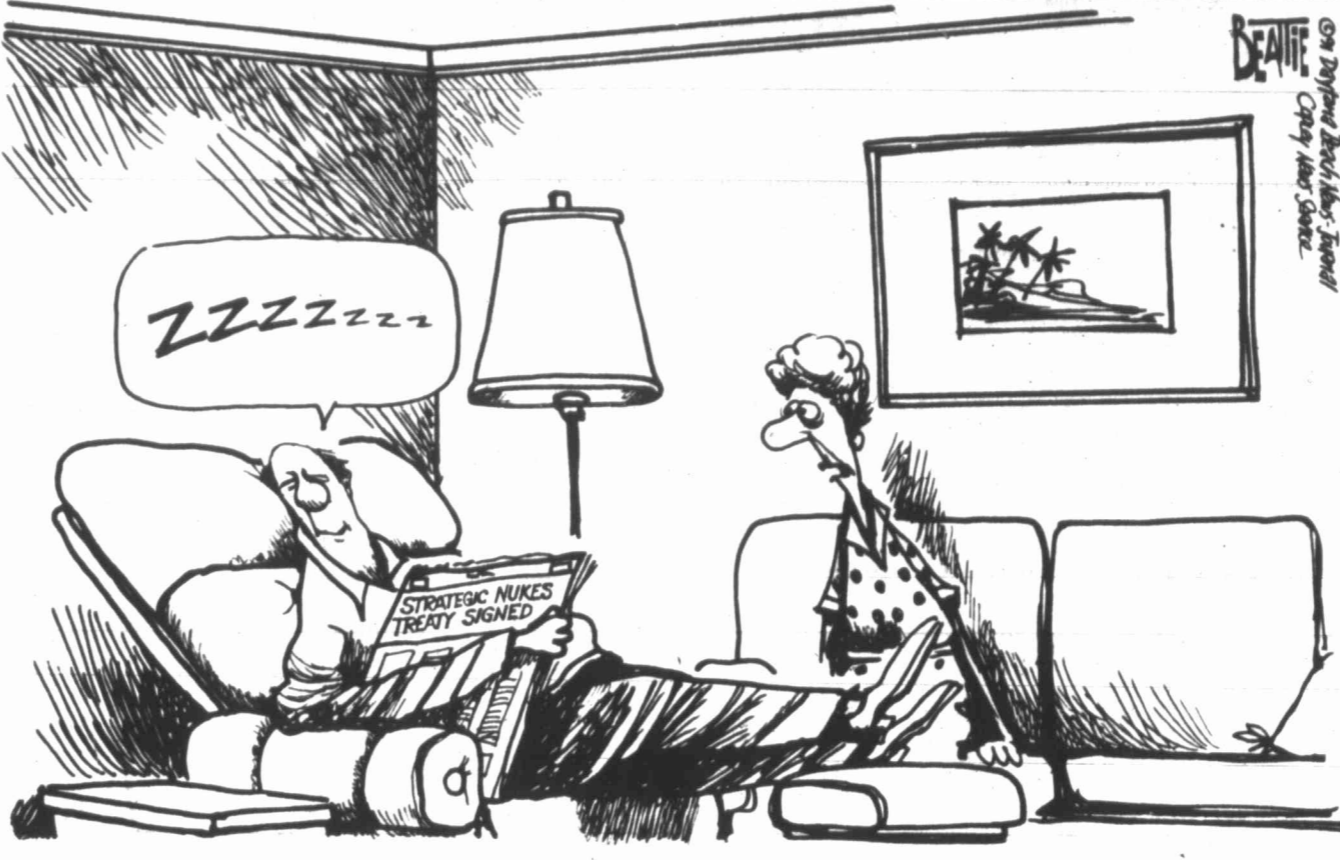
Strother said the senators might look better on television if the cameras were positioned down in the chamber, instead of high above them. But that might also make the cameras more intrusive.

"C-SPAN's idea was to be kind of a bird's eye view of the proceedings ... an eye in the sky," he said, and "C-SPAN does a good job of it."

By far the most avid viewers of Senate TV are the senators and their staffs, who monitor the floor from their offices instead of loitering near the chamber to keep track of developments. "It's a great efficiency," Strother said. "Maybe they should be able to cut some staff members."

You can count on that being another change that won't occur because of television. Steven Komarow covers Congress for The Associated Press.

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire



"Harry, remember how we used to lie awake at night paralyzed with the fear of nuclear annihilation . . . HARRY?!"

### Defending right to be left alone

WASHINGTON — Let this be said of Robert Bulmash of Naperville, Ill., as it has been said of other angry men: The fellow has an even temper: He stays mad.

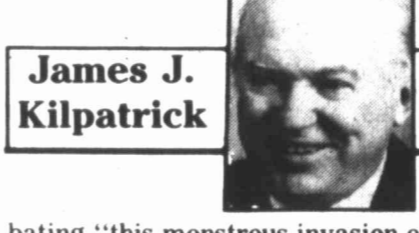
Until a couple of years ago, Bulmash suffered in silence through the same irritations that irk most of us — tailgaters, boomboxes and people who leave chewing gum on the sidewalks. It was not until he began to get repeated telephone sales pitches from Citibank that his thermometer climbed to the boiling point.

As Bulmash told the story last month to a Senate subcommittee, his residential telephone number somehow got on a list used by Citibank to promote its credit card. The calling machine would ring up his phone at every inconvenient hour, and there was nothing Bulmash could do about it.

He complained to the bank, asking that his number be removed, but someone at the bank said the bank was not responsible; the auto-calling company was responsible. He managed to track down the auto-calling company, but it said it could not purge his name and number unless the bank ordered it to do so. This went on for six months.

Meanwhile, a "world-class resort" was bugging him with two-minute recordings urging him to visit its pools and tennis courts. Nothing could be gained by yelling at the recorded message, for the indifferent tape could not be insulted. Neither could anything be accomplished by hanging up, for the tape, like Old Man River, just kept rolling along.

It was all too much. Bulmash quit his job making robotic machines, took a part-time position in a lawyer's office, and founded Private Citizen Inc., to devote his energies toward com-



James J. Kilpatrick

bating "this monstrous invasion of our privacy." Now he has 600 dues-paying members who are as angry as he is about junk calls. The modest income permits him to go after the most persistent telephone pests. Last week he came here to testify in support of Sen. Fritz Hollings' Automated Telephone Consumer Call Protection Act of 1991. He made an effective witness.

Hollings had anecdotes of his own. A woman in Sumter, S.C., complained to him that within an hour after she came home from outpatient surgery, still groggy and aching for peace and quiet, the telephone rang. It was a recorded sales pitch for aluminum siding. As her recovery continued, her rest was interrupted by "a really unbeatable new bank card" and by a jovial cry of "Congratulations!" This was at 10:30 at night. She had won a prize in a contest she never had entered.

Other testimony came from Thomas A. Stroup, president of a trade association whose 650 members provide paging and cellular telecommunications services. He too was fed up. Time after time, he said, "autodialers" reach into paging systems. Some 11 million customers buy paging equipment; more than 6 million persons subscribe to cellular telephones. False pages from autodialers produce "enormous confusion" and tie up cellular equipment — at the subscriber's expense. It is pleasant to report that the

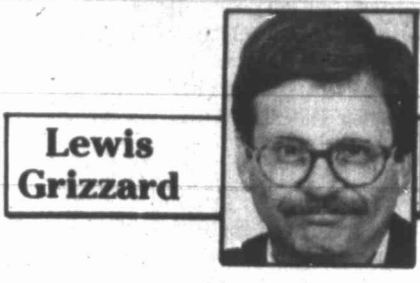
autodialing industry itself agrees that things have gotten out of hand. The subcommittee heard from Richard A. Barton, a grandfatherly fellow who serves as a senior vice president for the Direct Marketing Association. Telephone solicitation, whether by recorded message or by live solicitors, is a small part of direct marketing but a large business nonetheless. Roughly 180,000 unsolicited solicitations go by telephone to 7 million telephones every day.

Stroup was agreeable to an outright ban on sequential autodialing. He would prohibit calls to pagers and cellular phones. One of the most infuriating features of some autodialing systems is that a call does not disconnect until the tape runs its full course. Barton objected to the bill's requirement of a five-second disconnect as beyond today's technology, but he recognized the need for some limitation.

Sen. Dale Bumpers, D-Ark., presiding over the hearings, asked witnesses if they would ban telephone solicitations by the United Way, Red Cross and other non-profit charities. Most of them said, no, these serve a good public purpose, but Bulmash, staying in character, said he would prohibit charity calls as well. Let 'em send out letters instead.

My own thought is to say hooray for Hollings! Three cheers and a tiger for Bulmash! The world gets ruder, cruder and more insolent all the time. Manners have fled to the winds. Barbarians press upon the gates. The most precious of all rights, said Justice Louis Brandeis, is the right to be left alone. Farewell the autodialer! And good riddance.

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Lewis Grizzard

### Solution to crisis in skies

I honestly think passenger trains are going to make a comeback in this country. I think that because commercial air travel has become what train travel became as it labored for its last breaths:

Lousy. Now you don't have to take my word for it. There's a new ranking out for U.S. airline performance by Consumer Reports.

Delta, my airline of choice when there isn't a train going there and I can't pull a John Sununu and get a corporate jet, was ranked as the second best U.S. airline in terms of service.

Good news. Or is it? Know what airline was ranked first? Alaska Airlines.

That's great for Eskimos and Yukon Bill, but how often do the rest of us have to get from Nome to Fairbanks?

Do you mean after all these years of U.S. airlines transporting passengers, the best of the lot is in Alaska?

Certainly Alaska Airlines doesn't get a lot of complaints from its passengers. Their other choice was to go by dog sled.

Consumer Reports had more depressing news. In its July issue it said airline service is only a shadow of what it was before deregulation.

Examples:  
1. Seating is more cramped.  
2. Nonstop flights are less common.  
3. Delays are more likely.

I can give other example of my own:  
1. The meals may have gotten worse, if that is possible, and I'm sick of eating the alternative. Peanuts.

2. I haven't been on a flight in years when there weren't at least two screaming babies and a 4-year-old behind me kicking my seat.

3. More than one airliner has come apart in the sky, causing passengers to be sucked out (not an attractive alternative to having to eat and listen to screaming babies) in the not so distant past.

4. There was the case of the Northwest crew flying with buzzes from the bar the night before.

5. I seem to be flying on more and more flights with a New York-based flight attendant ("Can't you see I'm busy here?").

And know what else Consumer Reports has to say? It says service will continue to deteriorate.

So what will air travel be like 10 years from now if the current trends continue?

A Mexican bus ride. "Senor, you are seating on my chicken." Trains are the answer. Good trains. Clean trains. Fast trains. Trains that are on time. Europe has trains like that. I've ridden all over Europe on trains.

There's a train in France that goes 200 miles an hour and never has to circle the station for an hour due to bad weather or heavy traffic. And if there's a screaming baby on board you can escape to the lounge car.

Can't this country develop trains that will go 200 miles an hour? Of course we can. The only thing the French can do better than us is ruin perfectly good food by putting too much sauce on it.

Demand trains. And somebody will come up with the supply. Let the airlines do what the trains did after they ran off all their passengers: Haul freight. You don't have to provide convenient and comfortable service to a crate.

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## Once 'my kid' always 'my kid'

DEAR ABBY: When I read the letter in your column about calling 35- and 44-year-olds "our children," I had to smile.

Our children are 26, 27, 29, 30 and 34, and we still call them "the kids."

My husband is 59 and I am 50, and his parents always refer to us as "the kids." But what really strikes me as being funny is hearing the grandparents who are 76 and 75 years old call my in-laws "the kids."

Don't you just love it, Abby? It sounds so loving and youthful. — MARJORIE GELLAT

DEAR MARJORIE: I more than "just love it" — I can relate to it. My husband and I, at age 73, are still called "the kids" by "his parents, who are 92 and 93 years old. And may the good Lord continue to bless that beautiful couple, Rose and Jay Phillips of Minneapolis, married 74 years ago today. Happy anniversary, Mother and Dad!

DEAR ABBY: In the words of William Wordsworth, "The child is father of the man." The definition of a "child" as offered by the couple who signed themselves "Ohio Parents" was limited. (They felt that at age 35 and 44, it was inappropriate to refer to their heirs as "children.")

We have had this discussion in our house many times. In biblical usage, "children" are descendants regardless of their ages.

I have two adult sons. I maintain that I will always be their mother. Consequently, these fine young

Dear Abby



men, both in their 20s, will always be my children. — MICHIGAN MOMMY

DEAR ABBY: Your correspondent, "C.C. in Florida," is misinformed. The story that a Japanese manufacturer marked his products "MADE IN USA" in an attempt to mislead the buyer is not only false, it is a rumor that has been going around for at least a quarter of a century.

This tale was given worldwide publicity when it was published in Reader's Digest back in the 1960s. Your column is so widely read that the letter from C.C. will probably do as much to keep that rumor alive.

Abby, there IS a "USA," Japan, but it is a tiny village with no manufacturing facilities. A check with the Japanese consulate in Los Angeles should confirm that. Also, no Japanese city has changed its name to "USA" to mislead people.

Finally, a Japanese product marked "Made in USA" would be in violation of U.S. Customs regulations, and would not be allowed into this country. — JAMES STEELE

DEAR JAMES STEELE: Thank you for setting the record straight. I hope C.C. sees this.

## Wedding ends in tragedy

PERRYVILLE, Mo. (AP) — Sherry Ann Korando never forgot the boy who was nice to her when she was in high school.

Though she apparently never dated him, Korando, 25, often talked about Jeff Flentge. She had known him at Perryville High School, where she was a loner who was in classes for those with learning disabilities.

On Saturday, Korando showed up uninvited at Flentge's wedding. Armed with her father's handgun, she rose from a center pew and fired one shot at the ceiling of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church and another at the wedding party. No one was struck.

She then ran into the parking lot and fatally shot herself in the head. Investigators found a yearbook photo of Flentge in her bilfold.

"He was nice to her in high school when some of the others weren't," said Rev. J. Edward Wilson, the priest at Flentge's wedding. "Apparently she remembered that. Her mother told me she always talked a lot about Jeff."

Before the shooting, Korando wrote a letter to her parents, telling them that if she survived she didn't want hospitals using life-support measures to keep her alive, her family said. Details of the letter were not released.

Flentge told authorities that he had received a threatening call the night before the ceremony warning that his marriage would never happen.

wedding videotape to determine if Korando said anything before shooting.

Wilson said Flentge, 25, told him that he knew Korando in high school and talked to her occasionally. The bride, Deena Petot, 25, was in the same class.

Flentge, who was out of town on his honeymoon and could not immediately be reached for comment, told police he never dated Korando.

"I wouldn't describe it as anything more than a typical high school crush, a more one-sided one where she was the only one who knew about it and he didn't," police Maj. William Jones said.

Korando, a cleaning woman at an animal hospital, lived with her parents in this town of 7,500 about 65 miles south of St. Louis. Family and co-workers described her as cheerful but quiet.

Her father, Allen, said he didn't know much about his daughter.

"She was more of a close individual who kept to herself," he said. "She didn't say much. She was an ordinary girl."

Roy Pohlman, who attended high school the same years, remembered Korando as a girl who sang in the choir, was in a class for students with learning disabilities and had few friends.

"I thought one of the kneelers had fallen till I saw her in the aisle with a gun in her hand," the priest said. Flentge then looked around, saw Korando and said, "Let's get out of here!" Wilson recalled.

The wedding continued about 90 minutes later.

The bride's grandmother Flora Petot, 86, suffered an apparent heart attack at the reception and later died. Police said the shock of the shooting may have led to her death.

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## Dream home empty

By BETTY JOHANSEN Staff Writer

Mildred Ford has a dream. She dreams of helping unwed, pregnant women feel less lost and alone.

Ford dreams of seeing them receive diplomas and finding jobs. She dreams of making a difference — a big difference — in the lives of women and children in the Permian Basin.

"One (girl who) came in had been pregnant five times at 15. She already had a 3-year-old boy and was having another child," said Charlene Stephens, a registered nurse and education director for the Mildred Ford Maternity Home in Midland.

"She'd had four abortions. One of the children came from an abortion. It was alive. . . . They spent millions and millions of dollars for that baby. . . . It spent four months in the hospital before it could come home.

Stephens is a participant in the brainchild-dream of Mildred Ford, registered nurse, midwife, nurse practitioner and founder/director of the maternity home. Doing problem pregnancy counseling as a family planning nurse practitioner for Planned Parenthood from 1970-78, Ford was frequently confronted with pregnant, unmarried teen-agers, she said.

After the pregnancy test and the tears, she would sit them down and discuss their options with them, she said. Some were unwilling to have an abortion.

"They'd sit there and say, 'I don't believe I can have an abortion. I don't believe in that. . . . but I don't have any place to stay. I know they're going to throw me out.'"

"I've heard that so many times: 'They're going to make me leave.' And I said. . . . one of these days I am going to open a home where girls will have a place to go and stay when they're pregnant."

The dream was a long time coming. After leaving Planned Parenthood, Ford worked 10 years as director of nurses at the Martin County Hospital in Stanton. After her retirement, she began applying her time, energy and resources to making her dream come true.

Aided by her son Dana Mann, her administrative assistant, she purchased three A-frame buildings at 1200 E. Hickory Ave. in Midland. She has hired two staff members required for licensing: Stephens as education director and Billy Hamilton as social worker.

Working together for the past 19 months, the staff has been able to prepare two of the homes for occupancy according to state standards. Most of the expense has been borne by Ford, except for a few donations from individuals and churches, she said.

The key to the dream for both Ford and Stephens is twofold: To help young mothers have a healthy pregnancy and to break the cycle of childbearing/welfare dependency at the same time. Achievement of those goals would be an asset to taxpayers.

The home could care for 20 girls

a year for the cost of supporting one premature baby in the hospital until it is big enough to go home, Ford explained. The advantage is that, with proper care and education, more of those young mothers will be able to carry their babies to term with a net savings to the tax system.

The Ford home is committed to helping girls change destructive habits and lifestyles during their stay. Stephens, as education director, is responsible for a curriculum that includes pre-natal education, birth control, communicable diseases, newborn care, budgets, shopping, child care, employment, education, hygiene, breast-feeding, nutrition, exercise and drug abuse, according to a curriculum outline.

Stephens is also responsible for religion, recreation and employment, she said. The girls are encouraged and aided in seeking employment, so that welfare won't be the only option open to them after they leave the home.

Hamilton, as social worker, is responsible for therapy sessions, adoption, taking social histories and training staff.

Two of Ford's three buildings, with a capacity of 10 each, have been furnished and equipped through donations. They are approved by the state and ready to go. The educational curriculum is in place, as well as equipment for in-house, pre-natal monitoring by the two nurses. But the home is empty for lack of funding.

Although the Ford home was licensed May 10, money is not available to hire four, minimum-wage workers to be on duty for eight-hour shifts around the clock, as required by her license, Ford said. She is seeking a grant for a model drug abuse program and a contract with the Texas Department of Human Services, which would then place girls in the home and pay \$48 per day per girl.

But the wheels grind slowly. For example, it took a year to obtain tax-exempt status, Ford said. And in the meantime the staff hears of pregnant girls sleeping in laundromats, in cars, in churches and, most recently, in a boyfriend's closet.

She would like to take them herself and help them find employment they could keep after the baby is born. Or find educational help they could continue after they have left the maternity home. But without funding, her buildings remain empty.

Ford is not allowed to charge the young women anything for their upkeep, she said. Therefore, if they would work and save their money during their pregnancy, they could leave with enough money to rent an apartment or buy a used car.

They would leave with something else, too. "I want them to see that they're worthwhile," said Stephens. "They're worth something. They have the ability to step above what they're doing."

To give or receive help, write Mildred Ford Maternity Home, Inc., 1200 E. Hickory Ave., Midland 79705, or call 1-686-9427.



Mildred Ford, right, founder/director of the only licensed maternity home in the Permian Basin, stands with Charlene Stephens, education director, in the front yard of the maternity home she established. Currently the home is empty as the staff works to obtain funding.

## Briefs

### Casting Call

The Robin Hood Players, a national touring company, is having a casting call for actors to tour the Continental United States. You should only apply for auditions if you are available immediately. If interested send a photo and resume to The Robin Hood Players, Inc., National Touring Company, 7082 Hodgson Memorial Drive, Savannah Ga. 31406 or call (912) 352-7679.

### Travel service tells of Texas attractions

A new toll-free 1-800 phone service provides travelers in Texas free information on attractions and events around the state. The number, 1-800/452-9292, is operated by the Travel and Information Division of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Information on events, travel planning assistance, tourism literature and Texas Highways magazine subscriptions are available by calling the number between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. daily. The service is staffed by the department's professional travel counselors.

### Gun and knife show

The Fourth Annual Llano Gun, Knife and Indian Artifact Show will be held at the American Legion Hall on Bessemer Street in Llano on August 17 and 18 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The exhibitors will display guns, knives, coins and Indian artifacts on approximately 60 trade tables.

Admission is \$2 per adult; children under 12 free if accompanied by an adult. A food concession will be available.

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# Food

## Don't be afraid to try something with chicken

Chicken is always a great food value — and it's even more so during the second National Chicken Month this September.

Join in this official chicken celebration by taking advantage of special prices and features offered all month long by many local supermarkets, restaurants and fast-food outlets. There's never been a better time to enjoy nutritious, versatile and economical chicken, America's "Smart Meal."

September's many occasions — Labor Day, tailgating parties, end-of-summer cookouts, school lunches and family gatherings — fit perfectly with chicken. Whether on the grill, in a lunch or at a gourmet dinner, chicken can be easily prepared and enjoyed anytime, anywhere.

For a delicious change of pace from the family meal routine, your family will love Stir-Fried Chicken and Broccoli (below), developed by the sponsor of National Chicken Month, the National Broiler Council.

Bits of chicken thighs are moist and tasty, combining with crisp, fresh vegetables and whole wheat croutons to form a dish that's special enough for a buffet supper but so quick and easy you'll serve it often to your family. Low in fat content, it's great for the cholesterol and calorie-conscious.

**STIR-FRIED CHICKEN & BROCCOLI**  
8 broiler-fryer chicken thighs, boned  
1/4 teaspoon ground ginger  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
3 tablespoons peanut oil  
1 bunch fresh broccoli, sliced thin, crosswise  
1 cup sliced green onion, white and green parts included  
3/4 cup plus 2 tablespoons chicken broth, divided  
1 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon sugar  
1 tablespoon cornstarch  
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Whole wheat croutons (recipe follows)

Chop chicken into bite-size pieces. Sprinkle ginger and pepper over chicken. In large frypan or wok, pour oil and heat to high temperature. Add chicken and stir-fry 3 minutes or until brown. Push chicken to side and add broccoli and onion. Stry-fry 3 minutes more. Mix together 3/4 cup broth, salt and sugar and stir into frypan. Reduce heat to medium high, cover and cook 2 minutes. Add cornstarch to remaining 2 tablespoons chicken broth and stir until smooth. Stir into frypan and cook for 1 minute; remove from heat. Stir in Parmesan cheese; sprinkle with whole wheat croutons. Makes 8 servings.

**Whole Wheat Croutons**  
Cut 4 slices whole wheat bread into 1 inch cubes. Mix together bread cubes, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley and 1/2 teaspoon garlic salt. Spread, one layer deep, and toast in 300 degrees F. oven for about 20 minutes or until crisp.

The National Broiler Council developed two new recipes (below) for simple but tasty ways to serve the cut-up parts of a whole bird. Of course, favorite select parts may be used for either if your family eats only breasts or thighs or drumsticks or some other combination.

Tangy Baked Lemon Chicken has a tangy citrus seasoning — one of the most pleasing of all flavors for chicken. Chilling the floured chicken before cooking enhances its texture when served.

Fiesta Chicken also requires refrigeration of seasoned chicken. This can easily be done the night or morning before it is to be served. Not only do the flavors blend successfully, but the colors and textures have great eye appeal.

**TANGY BAKED LEMON CHICKEN**

1 cup-up broiler-fryer chicken  
1/3 cup flour  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt, divided  
1 teaspoon paprika  
1/2 cup teaspoon poultry seasoning, divided  
4 tablespoons butter-flavored margarine, melted  
1/4 cup fresh lemon juice  
1 green onion, chopped  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1 clove garlic, halved

Spray 9x13 inch baking pan with vegetable cooking spray. In shallow dish, mix together flour, 1 teaspoon of the salt, paprika and 1/4 teaspoon of the poultry seasoning. Add chicken, one piece at a time, turning to coat lightly. Dip each piece of floured chicken in melted margarine; arrange, skin down, in single layer in prepared baking pan. Cover and refrigerate at least 30 minutes.\* Bake, uncovered, in 375 degrees F. oven for 25 minutes. In food processor or blender, place lemon juice, green onion, pepper, garlic, remaining 1/2 teaspoon of the salt and remaining 1/4 teaspoon of the poultry seasoning; process or blend 30 seconds. After chicken has cooked for 25 minutes, remove from oven, turn and spoon lemon sauce over each piece; then spoon pan drippings over chicken. Return to oven and bake 25 minutes more. Makes 4 servings.

\*May be done night before or in morning before leaving for work.

**FIESTA CHICKEN**  
1 cup up broiler fryer chicken



Serve easy and delicious stir-fry chicken and broccoli to your family during September, the second annual National Chicken Month.

1/2 cup bottled chili sauce  
1/4 cup catsup  
1 1/2 teaspoons curry powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
1/4 teaspoon ground cumin  
1 cup evaporated milk  
Spray 10 inch refrigerator to oven baking dish with vegetable cooking spray. In small bowl, mix together chili sauce, catsup, curry powder, salt, pepper and cumin. Dip each piece of chicken in mixture and arrange in prepared baking dish. Cover and refrigerate at least 30 minutes.\* Bake uncovered in 375 degrees F. for 30 minutes. Slowly pour evaporated milk over chicken; bake 30 minutes more, uncovered. Serve hot with saffron rice. Makes 4 servings.

\*For do-ahead, chicken may be refrigerated at this point all day or overnight.

**THAI CHICKEN FETTUCINE SALAD**  
1 cup picante sauce  
1/4 cup chunk-style peanut butter  
2 tablespoons honey  
2 tablespoons orange juice  
1 teaspoon soy sauce  
1/2 teaspoon ground ginger  
6 ounces dry fettuccine, cooked according to package, well drained.

3 chicken breast halves, boned, skinned and cut into 1-inch pieces (about 12 ounces)  
2 tablespoons vegetable oil  
Lettuce or savoy cabbage leaves, optional

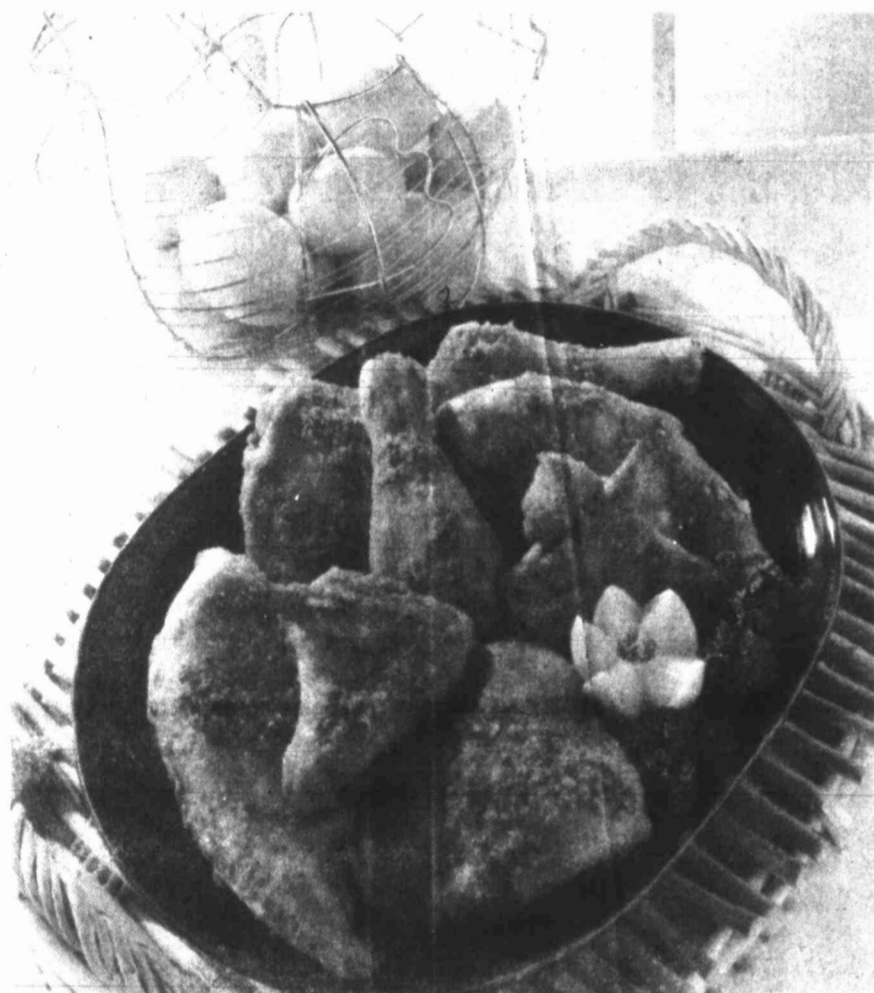
1/4 cup coarsely chopped cilantro  
1/4 cup peanut halves  
1/4 cup very thin, short red bell pepper strips

Combine picante sauce, peanut butter, honey, orange juice, soy sauce and ginger in small saucepan. Cook and stir over low heat until blended and smooth. Reserve 1/4 cup picante sauce mixture; toss remaining picante sauce mixture with hot cooked fettuccine.

Cook chicken in oil in large skillet until browned and cooked through, about 5 minutes. Add reserved picante sauce mixture; mix well. Line large platter with lettuce leaves, if desired. Arrange fettuccine mixture over lettuce; top with chicken mixture. Sprinkle with cilantro, peanut halves and pepper strips. Cool to room temperature before serving. Serve with additional picante sauce. Makes 4 servings.



Serve up a winner in short order with Thai Chicken Fettuccine Salad. This recipe combines chicken and pasta with a spicy dressing blending peanut butter, honey, soy sauce, ginger and picante sauce.



Tangy baked lemon chicken is a tasty way to serve the whole cut-up chicken that most families like.

### Magazine makes error in sugar cookie recipe

NEW YORK (AP) — Aunt Vertie's sugar cookies may be hazardous to your health — and not because of the calories.

Gourmet magazine sent 750,000 letters to subscribers last week because the recipe for the cookies in its July issue called for wintergreen oil, which can be toxic.

The recipe should have called for wintergreen extract, said Melissa Small, an assistant editor.

"We thought we should inform our readers of this. Some people can be allergic to it," Small said.

The letters urge readers to immediately "block out the reference to 1/4 teaspoon wintergreen oil (available at some pharmacies)," to make sure no one uses it.

They include a sticker of the corrected recipe and suggest it be pasted over the original.

Writer Helen Gustafson had called for wintergreen extract for the cookies she'd eat with lemonade while visiting her Aunt Vertie's Nebraska farm as a child.

"My aunt's cookies, for which she was famous, were 4 inches across, puffy, soft, and sprinkled with a bit of sugar, and they had a subtle flavor — which I later found out was a touch of wintergreen," Gustafson wrote.

The original and corrected recipes say vanilla or almond extract can be substituted for wintergreen, but Gustafson noted, "the taste is less sensational."

Gustafson said Tuesday she has eaten the cookies made with oil as well as extract and that people used to soak cotton with the oil to soothe a sore tooth.

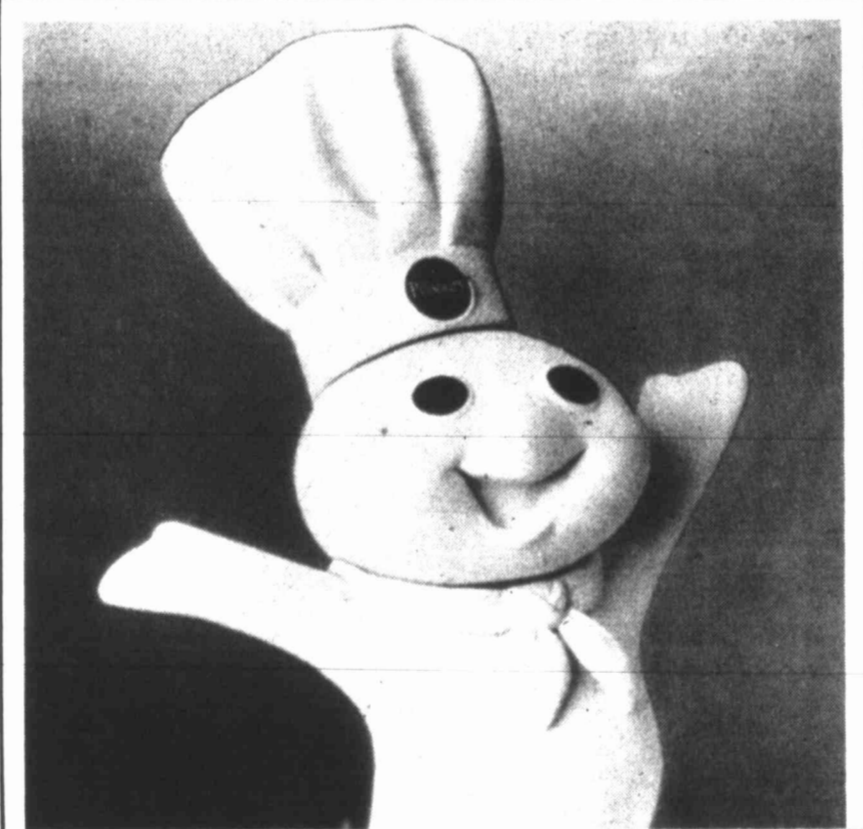
When Gourmet tested Gustafson's recipes, the staff couldn't find extract and substituted oil, Small said. The staff ate the cookies without trouble, she said.

But after publication, a reader who bought wintergreen oil from her pharmacist learned it should not be eaten, and mailed the warning label to the magazine. The oil is used in ointments to ease sore muscles.

No such label appeared on the oil bought at a pharmacy in New York for the recipe testing, Small said.

A standard chemical reference, the Merck Index, says wintergreen oil causes nausea, vomiting and convulsions and a dose of about 2 1/2 teaspoons can be fatal to children, said Jay Young, an independent chemical safety consultant in Silver Spring, Md.

But the amount in the recipe is so small that "it's extremely unlikely we're going to see any death if someone doesn't get the word," Young said.



### Rolling in dough

On Friday, Minneapolis-based Pillsbury Co., and Sunshine Biscuits Inc. of Woodbridge, N.J. settled a trademark infringement lawsuit in which Pillsbury charged that the Sunshine character Drox looked too much like the Doughboy.

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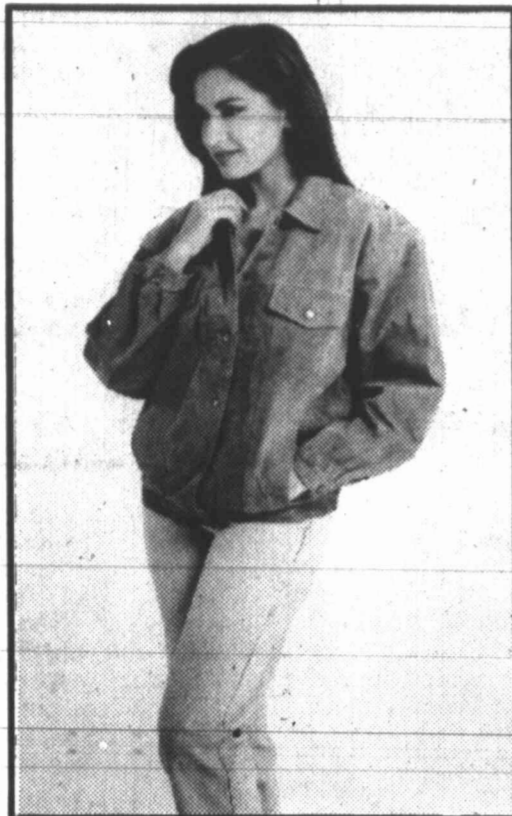
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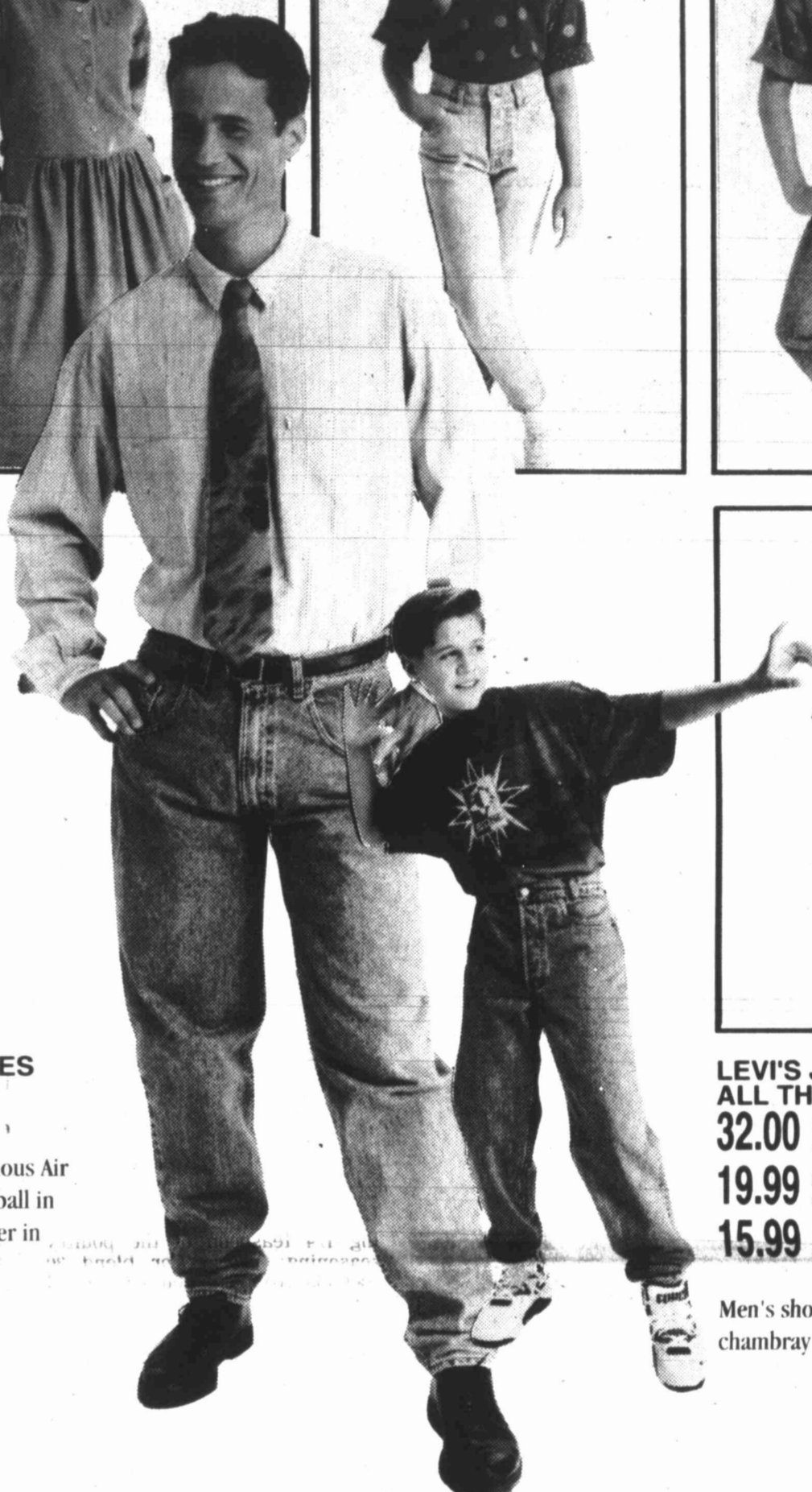
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# Spring board

## How's that?

Q. The geographical center of Texas is in what county?  
 A. According to Texas Trivia, McCulloch County is the center of Texas.

## Calendar

- TODAY**
- The City of Big Spring Clean Team will be working in District 3 through Friday. If you have articles to be picked up, call the city at 263-8311.
  - There will be a Divorce Support Group meeting from 6-7 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.
  - There will be a Co-Dependents Anonymous meeting at 7 p.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, fourth floor.
  - West Texas Legal Service will provide attorneys for civil matters (disability, divorces, adoptions, etc.) for those unable to afford their own attorney at the Northside Community Center. For more information call 1-686-0647.
- THURSDAY**
- People who have been certified for August 1991 may pick up their commodities through the West Texas Opportunities, Inc. Emergency Food Assistance Program from 8:15 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Community Center in Comanche Trail Park. All recipients must have their certification cards with them in order to receive their food. Come prepared to carry your own load. If you are certified and cannot be there, send a note with your card giving permission to the person picking up the commodities. For more information call 267-9536.
  - Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., has free milk and bread to give to the area needy from 10 a.m.-noon.
  - The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 6 p.m., followed by the American Legion meeting at 7 p.m. For more information call Helen Hall at 263-2858.
  - Rackley-Swords Chapter No. 379 Vietnam Veterans of America will have its regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. in the Veterans Center (VFW Hall) on Driver Road.
  - There will be a country-western program at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Older Adult Center. Public invited. No dancing.

## Goldman-Sachs buys CRMWD bond issue

Goldman-Sachs of New York City bought a record \$115 million revenue bond issue of the Colorado River Municipal Water District at 6.83 percent effective interest rate at a bid opening here Tuesday, officials said.

The bond is to finance construction of a 155-mile pipeline from Lake O.H. Ivie to San Angelo and then to Midland and Odessa.

Total interest over the 30-year life of the bonds will amount to \$160 million, about \$600,000 less than the 6.85 percent effective rate quoted by Paine-Webber, second low bidder.

The bonds are dated July 1 and the actual closing is scheduled for Sept. 10.

## Police beat

Big Spring police officer Tony Everett received an award as Patrol Officer of the Month. Everett has received four commendations since he joined the force in March 1987. He was one of the original officers of the Street Crimes Unit and is credited with being instrumental in its success.

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

- A purse containing \$1,030 in money and jewelry was reported stolen from a vehicle in the 1000 block of Eleventh Place.
- A 38-year-old Big Spring man was arrested for failure to appear before a judge and theft under \$20.

## Oil/markets

September crude oil \$21.57, up 26, and October cotton futures 70.86 cents a pound, up 10; cash hog is steady at \$1.50 lower at \$4.50; slaughter steers today is \$1.50 lower at \$7.50; August live hog futures \$2.26, down \$2; August live cattle futures \$7.16, down 140 at 10:34 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

# Thornburgh to announce Senate plans next week

WASHINGTON (AP) — Attorney General Dick Thornburgh, widely expected to run for the unexpired term of the late Sen. John Heinz this fall, broadly hinted today he would formally announce his candidacy next week.

"I will have an announcement of my plans within the near future," the attorney general told reporters at a news conference called to announce an anti-drug program.

The attorney general said "it's a possibility" that he will be in his hometown of Pittsburgh next

Wednesday when President Bush speaks to a national police convention.

In Kennebunkport, Maine, White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater was asked if Bush has a successor in mind for Thornburgh.

"Not yet, but we'll have one soon," said Fitzwater. He added that he did not know if Bush would make his choice before returning to Washington after Labor Day.

"I don't know that Thornburgh's told us when he's leaving yet," Fitzwater said.

Thornburgh, who has delayed his departure from the Bush administration while the issue was in the courts, told aides after Tuesday's ruling that he expects to leave the Justice Department in a week to 10 days, said officials who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The decision by the 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals upholding Pennsylvania's election law removed the roadblock that has stalled Thornburgh's plans to leave the Cabinet to run for the Senate in his home state.

A three-judge panel in Philadelphia reversed a federal judge's finding that state law for special Senate elections was unconstitutional because it didn't provide for primary votes.

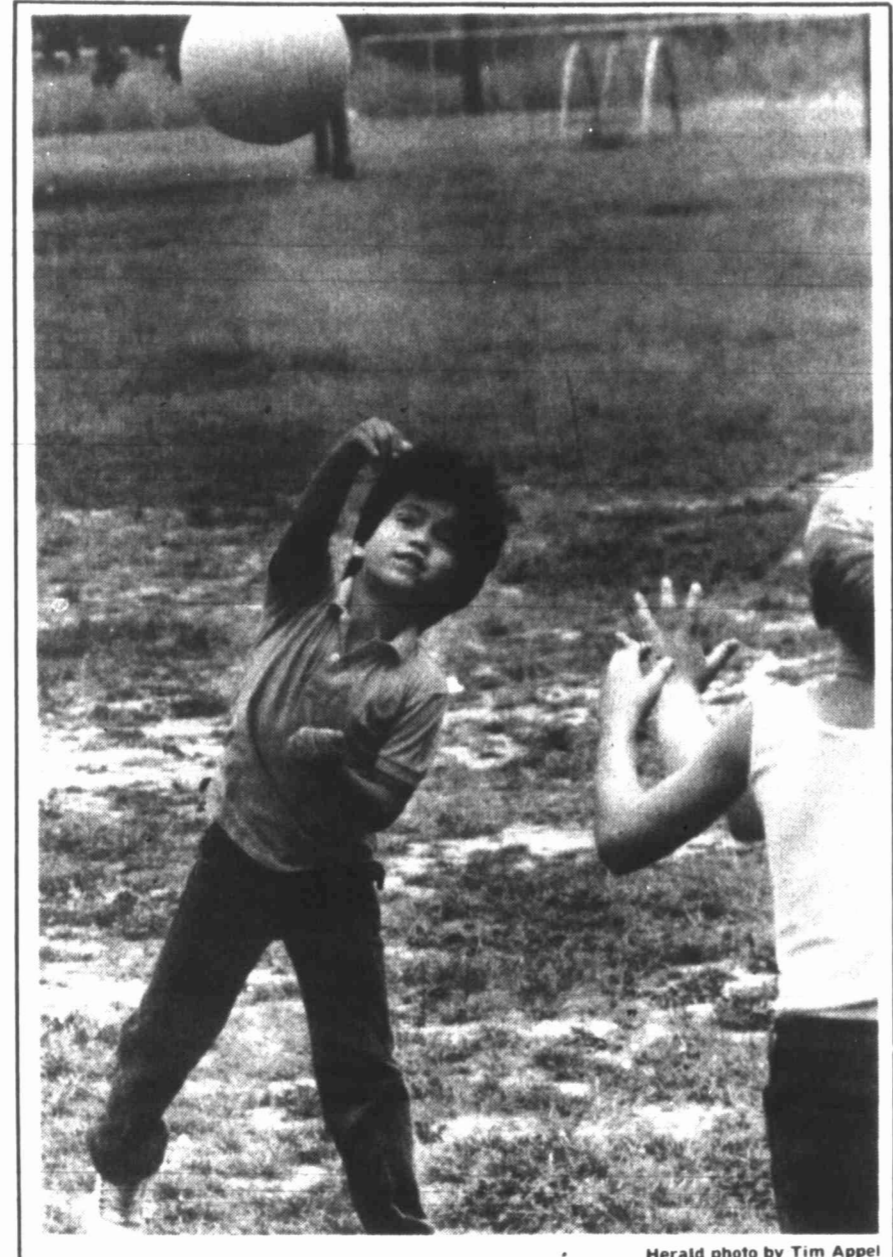
The unanimous vote will make difficult an appeal by Jack Trinsey, a Philadelphia-area developer who challenged procedures for the Nov. 5 election. Trinsey, however, said Tuesday he would appeal the decision.

"We are looking at that decision, what potential avenues of appeal

are available to the plaintiff in that case," Thornburgh said. "There is other litigation seeking to delay the election."

But Thornburgh said he may well be present for next week's event in Pittsburgh.

Those mentioned as possible successors to Thornburgh at the Justice Department include Transportation Secretary Samuel Skinner, U.S. Trade Representative Carla Hills, Missouri Gov. John Ashcroft and Deputy Attorney General William P. Barr.



**Toss up!**  
 Larry Martinez, 7, tosses a ball high in the air over his opponent during a game of keep-away at the Westside Community Center Tuesday. Youths in the summer program at the center will be having a program on Aug. 14 called the "Star Spangled Review."

## Stenholm

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 payers. Expenses for any spouses or relatives that go must be paid for by the participating member of Congress, said a Stenholm aide.

The trip, which would include Moscow and Leningrad, is to look at grain facilities and the potential of the Soviets to pay back any loans granted, Stenholm said. One tradeoff could be the development of Soviet oil and gas reserves, he said.

"If they're going to pay for this grain they've got to develop something in their country," said Stenholm, a member of the agriculture committee. "This would be a beneficial trip. The Soviet Union is one of the largest customers of grain from the U.S."

West Texas stands to gain in such a tradeoff, he said. "This is something we obviously get a lot of in West Texas and would like to pursue that where we possibly can."

## Tax

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 revenue, or tax-driven, spending. It also would authorize additional spending on education, prisons and welfare if lawmakers can find the money.

In the Senate, about \$2.5 billion to \$2.8 billion in new revenue would be required for a proposed budget, said Montford, D-Lubbock.

Lawmakers in the House partly blamed heavy pressure from special interests for defeating the tax proposal, which included putting an income levy in the state franchise tax and expanding that business tax to partnerships and

sole proprietorships. The trip has not been finalized yet, Stenholm said. "But if it is confirmed, we do plan to participate."

U.S. Rep. Bill Sarplius, D-Amarillo, also on the agriculture committee, has not decided if he will go on the trip, one of his aides said. But, the aide said, "The last I was informed, he probably would not go."

So far this year, Stenholm said he has taken one foreign trip at taxpayers' expense — the U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Exchange to Mexico. Another trip to Canada was canceled. He said he has taken 22 other trips this year within the United States that were paid for by private interests as well as trips back to his district at taxpayers' expense.

Trips by congressmen that are paid for by private interests are required to be reported May 15 every year on an annual financial report. Trips by committees must be entered in the congressional record.

## Hostages

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 of the latest developments. Syria has 40,000 troops in Lebanon and has long been the chief power broker in the country.

Iranian Interior Minister Abdollah Nouri arrived today in Damascus, the Syrian capital. The Syrian Arab News Agency said he carried a letter from President Hashemi Rafsanjani for President Hafez Assad, but did not disclose its contents.

Both Syria and Iran have facilitated previous hostage releases.

Thirteen Westerners — six Americans, four Britons, two West Germans and an Italian — are missing in Lebanon, and most are believed held by Shiites linked to Iran. Anderson, 43, chief Middle East correspondent for The Associated Press, has been held

the longest. Anderson's sister, Peggy Say, said Tuesday that the State Department notified families of American captives on Monday of a possible hostage release. The Tehran Times reported Tuesday that an American and a British hostage might be freed by week's end.

And a Bush administration official who spoke on condition of anonymity said Tuesday night that there have been growing indications of a hostage release from a variety of channels.

But President Bush refused to raise any hopes. "All this public attention to it, which comes in cycles — I do not want to make any statement of any kind that would contribute to the concern of the families involved," he said. "So we'll leave it there. If something happens, so much the better."

# Taylor of Fed seen likely successor to Seidman at FDIC

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush is expected to turn to a low-key, career regulator, William Taylor, to succeed L. William Seidman as chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

Seidman, 70, informed the president by letter on Tuesday that he would step down on Oct. 16, the last day of his six-year term.

Bush, speaking with reporters shortly before leaving for Kennebunkport, Maine, declined to discuss possible successors. But a year ago during an early round of speculation about Seidman's departure, Bush had said he was "very high on" Taylor, now with the Federal Reserve Board.

White House spokesman Gary Foster confirmed that Taylor was still a candidate. Both Seidman and Treasury Secretary Nicholas F.

Brady strongly back the appointment, said regulatory sources who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Taylor, 52, already has undergone the extensive background check required of presidential appointees and his name could be quickly forwarded for confirmation when the Senate returns from recess in September.

He has a reputation as a conservative regulator and, in 1989 when Congress enacted the savings and loan bailout, he strongly advocated imposition of tough financial standards on thrift institutions.

Taylor joined the Federal Reserve system in 1961 and, except for an eight-year hiatus as a banker and real estate developer, has been there since. In 1985, he was appointed director of the Fed's

Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation.

In 1990, he served temporarily as chief staff officer of the administration oversight board controlling the policy and funding of the S&L bailout program.

If nominated, Taylor likely will face questions in Congress about two foreign bank scandals. His division did not discover until late last year that the Luxembourg-based Bank of Credit and Commerce International had secretly acquired control of First American Bankshares Inc. of Washington, D.C.

It has also drawn criticism for missing some \$3 billion in illegal loans to Iraq from the Atlanta office of Banca Nazionale Del Lavoro, Italy's state-owned bank.

## VA hospitals halt sales of tobacco

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Department of Veterans Affairs has ordered all VA hospitals to stop selling tobacco products as of Oct. 1.

Secretary Edward J. Derwinski said Tuesday the ban on tobacco sales in the VA's 172 medical facilities reflected a commitment to smoke-free hospital environments.

The VA has already restricted smoking throughout its hospitals and clinics.

"We cannot on the one hand prohibit smoking and on the other sell cigarettes," Derwinski said in a statement. "With the demonstrated harmful effects of smoking well established, VA must take all possible steps to discourage tobacco use."

## Park

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 \$13, respectively, said Young.

The new permit will defer daily use fees at any state park in Texas, and will allow people to gain access to wildlife management areas and will provide a \$1 discount on overnight camping fees, he said.

The permit will be valid for one year from the date of purchase. The funds will provide added revenue for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Young said he is a Project Wild trainer and will gladly set up training sessions for area teachers and those involved with 4-H and Scouting.

Project Wild teaches training techniques that will aid teachers in using wildlife concepts in their day-to-day teaching, he said.

Young said he would enjoy speaking to any community group or club that wished to learn more about any facet of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Parks and Wildlife is also implementing a new volunteer program statewide, said Young. Any groups or individuals interested in working with park personnel to ensure the quality of the park are welcome.

To learn more about any of these programs, call the park headquarters at 263-4931.

## Budget

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 we don't do something, we're going to have the highest tax rate of any city in West Texas," he said.

The council is taking time to examine all proposed budget cuts carefully, said council member Corky Harris. "We want to look into (the police department) real carefully. A lot of our population is elderly, and security is something they are really concerned about."

"We want to make sure we cut cost long term. In the past, short-term cuts have cost us more in the long term," added Harris.

The budget workshops are expected to continue past the next council meeting scheduled for Aug. 13. "We have to have a budget by the beginning of the next fiscal year on Oct. 1, of course," said Decell.



## Anniversary fireworks

BERLIN — Fireworks illuminate the Berlin sky Tuesday night over the Brandenburg Gate as thousands of spectators look on. The Prussians built it, Hitler marched through it, the Soviet army shot it up and East Germans danced around it in disbelief. Even Napoleon stole a piece of it, but on Tuesday a united Germany simply honored the neo-classical arch that has represented everything from Prussian power to Cold War trauma.

## Deaths

### Lillie Montgomery

Lillie B. Montgomery, 92, Lubbock, formerly of Big Spring, died Monday, Aug. 5, 1991, after a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 3 p.m. today at Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home Chapel with Dee K. Carter, Church of Christ minister of Midland, officiating. Burial will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Garden of Memories Burial Park in Kerrville.

She was born in Malakoff and moved to Lubbock from Lake Whitney in July 1985. She has also been a resident of Big Spring. She married George A. Montgomery Sept. 1, 1916, in Matador. He

preceded her in death in August 1973. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include three daughters: Maurine M. Carter, Midland, Darlene Reaves, Lubbock, Helen M. Snyder, Lakeside Whitney; nine grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association, 3403 73rd St., Lubbock 79423.

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 BIG SPRING

Mildred Aken (Aunt Pete) See, age 82, of Big Spring, died August 5, at her residence. Services will be Friday, August 9, 1991. Graveside at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

### Mildred See

Mildred Aken (Aunt Pete) See, 82, Big Spring, died Monday, Aug. 5, 1991, at her residence.

Graveside services will be 3 p.m. Friday with the Rev. Arlie Knight, officiating. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Myers and Smith Funeral Home.

She was born Feb. 4, 1909, in Cleburne. She married George L. See April 5, 1957, in Bellflower, Calif. He preceded her in death in 1963. She had lived in Big Spring since 1966 and was a homemaker.

Survivors include a number of nieces and nephews, and great-nieces and nephews.

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## Giants not dead; best in AL West

By STEVE BELVIN  
Sports Editor

Has this been a wild baseball season or what?

If anybody would've told me the Texas Rangers would be leading the American League West at the All-Star break and the Atlanta Braves would be in the National League West race this late in the season, I would've told them they were insane. I sure wouldn't have thought the Pittsburgh Pirates would lose eight straight games after the All-Star break and still be leading the NL East by five games.

In fact, one of my co-workers and I made a small wager — a steak dinner if the Atlanta Braves finished ahead of the San Francisco Giants in the NL West. The friendly bet was made early in the season. At the time my beloved Giants were struggling and the Braves were doing fairly well.

I figured no problem — anybody who knows anything about baseball knows that Atlanta is a young team that doesn't know how to win under pressure. The Giants, though hurting in the pitching department, has one of the best hitting teams in majors. Also, the Giants always play their best ball right after the All-Star break.

Well, the Giants proved me right. Right after the break they lost five of their first seven. Then they went on a a tear that saw them win 11 straight, and I thought — the Braves are history.

No, the Braves didn't go streaking like my Giants, but they were pretty consistent. Too consistent for me and the LA Dodgers fans. Although the Giants are playing good ball after the break, as of Tuesday they still are five games behind the Braves, the same lead they had at the break.

While the Braves and Giants are playing consistent, the Dodgers and defending world champion Cincinnati Reds are faltering miserably, thus making the once lowly Braves contenders instead of pretenders.

Since the break the Braves are 16-8 and the Giants are 15-8. The Dodgers are 9-15 and the Reds are 8-15. Heck, even the Astros are outplaying them. The team with the Dome is playing .500 ball since the break.

But I'm not counting the Giants out yet. They're going to hit the ball; with a little help from the pitching staff — I could get my steak dinner and a divisional winner to boot.

Remember you heard it here first.

It's no doubt however that this year that the toughest division in baseball is the American League West.

For years and years the AL West has been the whipping child of the AL East. Last Friday night, it finally happened. Every team in the AL West went above .500.

The Associated Press said that not since Aug. 30, 1986, when the AL East accomplished the feat, had a division put all of its clubs over the break-even point.

Kansas City, like every other team in the West, has a winning record against East opposition. The Twins are best at 44-20, while California is the worst, even at 32-31.

Toronto and Detroit, meanwhile are the only East teams to hold an edge over West competition.

One indicator: through Friday, every team in the West had played at least .500 ball in its last 10 games, while no team in the East was better than .500 in its past 10.

Another one: Minnesota won 15 straight and Texas took 14 in a row. Chicago and Seattle each won eight straight and Oakland had a seven-game string. No team in the East has won more than six consecutive games.

Back in the late 60's and early 70's all the big names were in the East — Reggie Jackson, Jim Rice, Jim Palmer and the rest. And, with more money to spend, that's where all the top

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# Tech seniors will take charge

LUBBOCK (AP) — The senior captains on Texas Tech's football team have learned a valuable lesson about leadership over the last couple seasons.

Two years ago, the Red Raiders, led by an inspirational group of seniors, stormed to a 9-3 record and a victory in the All-American Bowl.

Last year, Tech stumbled through a 4-7 season plagued by inconsistency.

"Two years ago the seniors took control of the team. They didn't put up with any bad attitudes," said Tech co-captain Rodney Blackshear, who led the Southwest Conference in receiving yards (973) in 1990.

"Then last year everyone kind of sat around living off the fame thinking that it would just come naturally. But now we realize we have to step up and work our tails off to be successful."

More than 75 players put themselves through voluntary workouts during the summer and there have been extra wind sprints for everybody. The seniors have grabbed the team by the throat and have mandated that no slacking off will be tolerated.

Co-captain Matt Wingo, who anchors the defense at middle linebacker, said "the seniors want to go out with a bang."

"We are not just talking about a winning record," Wingo said. "We are talking about cotton."

And he doesn't mean the white fluffy stuff growing on about three million acres surrounding Lubbock.

The experts pick Tech to finish in the middle of the pack in the SWC this year. But the players are sure the talent is there to make a run for Dallas on Jan. 1.

"The talent is there, the unity is there and the work ethic is there," said senior quarterback Jamie Gill. "It just has to come together



LUBBOCK — Texas Tech quarterback Jamie Gill (9) and other seniors have to take a stand and mandated that no slacking off by teammates will be tolerated this season. Gill says Tech has talent, unity and work ethic to be a contender in the SWC this season.

in the first few games to get the ball rolling."

Tech returns eight starters on offense, including super talent at most all the skill positions.

Gill, who was nominated "most likely to suffer an injury walking to practice" by one publication, will attempt to stay healthy after finishing only four of seven starts

last year due to knee, jaw and finger injuries.

Tech coach Spike Dykes has said Gill and sophomore quarterback Robert Hall, who each threw for

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more than 1,000 yards last year, will both see action "every Saturday."

Blackshear will be joined by slippery sophomore Lloyd Hill at wide receiver. And Anthony Lynn, a 6-foot-3, 210-pound senior, will share duty with sophomore speedster Donald Marshall at the I-back position.

"Offensively, we have a chance to be a great football team," Dykes said. "I think these guys will really blossom this year."

Dykes says the defense, which returns five starters, is the team's question mark.

The Red Raiders yielded 32 points and 420 yards per game in 1990. And they will depend on junior college transfers and some unseasoned underclassmen to fill voids in the trenches and in the defensive backfield.

In order to utilize the team's speed and better defend against the onslaught of run-and-shoot offenses in the SWC, Dykes switched from a 4-3 to a 3-4 defense this spring.

Tech's kicking game received a much needed boost when punter Mark Bounds transferred to Lubbock from West Texas State.

Bounds led all punters in NCAA Division II last year with an average of 46.3 yards per punt.

But the Red Raiders greatest improvement from last year may be their schedule.

Tech opened last season on the road at Ohio State and battled five teams ranked in the Top 25, including a mid-season wallop at the hands of Miami.

This year the Raiders play five of their first seven games at home with a non-conference schedule that includes Fullerton State, Oregon and Wyoming.

# Cubans dominating Pan Am Games

HAVANA (AP) — This is a first for the Cubans, and they're coming in first all over the place.

Cuba owns the 11th Pan American Games, the largest international sports soiree ever held on this island, and that's bad news for the rest of the Americas.

Through four days of competition, the Cubans amassed 51 total medals, 33 of them gold, distancing the U.S. collection of 41 medals, only 12 of which were gold. Canada was third, but so far back no one was counting.

George Steinbrenner, a new U.S. Olympic Committee member, is mad, and you can ask Dave Winfield what that means. U.S. athletes have more excuses than a pickpocket in a lockup, and their coaches shrug it off as a bad day at the OK Corral.

"Their peaking has been primarily for the Pan American Games," U.S. men's track coach Joe Vigil said of the Cubans. "And they will try to do even better because this is their show."

With Cuban President Fidel Cthis is a good time and place for the Cubans to do well, and it's apparent that the Pan American Games have taken on a new meaning for them.

"The people have inspired me to prepare for getting a gold medal," said Ana Quirot, who set a Pan Ams record of 49.61 seconds when she won the 400 meters Monday. "I consider this the greatest event ... because never has my country had an event like this one."

Cuba's track stars led the early medals rout. In the first three days of track and field, the Cubans won eight golds, two silvers and three bronze. The United States, meanwhile, had one gold, six silvers and five bronze.

Tuesday was an off day for track, but the Cubans were sure to be on when action resumes today.

"In terms of the medal count, we've been behind at the rest day and have come on hard in the se-



HAVANA — USA's Isaac Anderson (top) pulls Ecuador's Daniel Mechan to the mat during their Pan Am Games wrestling qualification Tuesday. Anderson won the opening match, as did all 20 of the U.S. wrestlers.

cond half before," Vigil said. "We're not performing exceptionally well, but we're doing our best."

Cubans also were dominating fencing and weightlifting, the

Cuban baseball team was a considerable favorite to add another gold — adding a no-hitter by Jorge Valdes and four more home runs Tuesday in a 14-0, seven-inning rout of Canada — and the powerful

Cuban boxing team wasn't even scheduled to throw a punch in anger until today.

Three U.S. boxers — Bradley Martinez, Denard Trapp and Sanson Pouha — were paired against Cubans in the first round, although none were scheduled to fight today.

While the U.S. baseball team, which beat Mexico 12-4 for its second victory of the games, is an underdog to Cuba, there are some glints of gold for America.

The heavily favored U.S. women's basketball team already had clinched a spot in the medal round when the men advanced on Tuesday with an 87-81 victory over Argentina.

The U.S. men aren't exactly dusting the credenza with anybody, but they did clinch a berth in the quarterfinals. And team captain Christian Laettner says he and his teammates are comfortable with the way they're playing.

"I think we felt in control, just as we had in the first two wins," said Laettner, who had 15 points. "We show our youth and international inexperience, and that's what we have to work on."

The U.S. team left for Miami immediately after its victory and will work out in private before returning to Cuba for its quarterfinal game Friday night against the Bahamas.

U.S. wrestlers, some of the best in the world, went 20-for-20 in their qualifying matches Tuesday, and Americans have swept all three diving events so far.

"As a team, we need to let everyone know right off the bat that we're here to wrestle and to win," U.S. 136½-pound wrestler Isaac Anderson of Albany, N.Y., said. "I think we sent that message today."

The diving was a U.S.-Cuba showdown, one of the few that Americans have won. Mark Lenzi of Fredericksburg, Va., beat

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## Bo Jackson takes batting practice

CHICAGO (AP) — Bo Jackson took a giant stride in his comeback attempt from what was considered a career-ending injury when he took batting practice Tuesday with the Chicago White Sox.

"I'm confident I'll be back," Jackson said after the workout in which he faced real pitching for the first time since last September when he finished the season with the Kansas City Royals.

Jackson, the baseball-football superstar, suffered what was diagnosed as vascular necrosis of the left hip while playing for the Los Angeles Raiders in an NFL playoff game against Cincinnati on Jan. 13.

Two months later, he was released by the Kansas City Royals, for whom he played five seasons and had a career .250 batting average with 109 home runs and 313 runs batted in.

Last year he hit .272 with 28 home runs and 78 RBIs.

The Royals, convinced by some medical experts that Jackson would never play again, released him in spring training. Ten days later, he was signed by the White Sox to a 3-year contract with the first year guaranteed.

He has worked diligently with trainer Herm Schneider, leading to Tuesday's batting practice appearance.

"I have nothing to say about that," Jackson said of those who doubted him. "They're human. I've just had to live with that. I do my talking on the field."

Jackson admitted he had butterflies when he took early batting practice Tuesday, and then again with the reserves shortly before the game against the New York Yankees. He showed little signs of any pain.

# Golf course doesn't agree with defending champ

CARMEL, Ind. (AP) — The long and the short of it is that Wayne Grady may be too short to successfully defend his PGA championship on a very long course.

Grady stopped short — just short — of counting himself out of any chance at Crooked Stick, at 7,289 yards the second longest course ever used for this event.

"It's Pete Dye's revenge," Grady said of the architect who designed the course in the northern suburbs of Indianapolis.

"He thinks everybody hits it like Fred Couples. He forgets there are some of us who don't hit it 300

yards," Grady said following a practice round Tuesday.

The gregarious Australian paused a moment, then grinned.

"I'm going to leave out my 7-, 8- and 9-irons and put three 1-irons in my bag," he said. "This course is so long you're not going to need the short irons. It's definitely a long hitter's course."

Payne Stewart, who traipsed around Europe for five of the seven weeks since his U.S. Open triumph, agreed.

"It's playing very long," he said. "But it's fair. The fairways are generously

wide and the rough is not as severe as it was at Shoal Creek last year."

The greens pose a threat, however.

"I don't think they're going to let them get as fast as they have in the past," Stewart said. "If they do, they could get out of control on the back nine."

The great emphasis on length, along with physical problems afflicting two top-level stars, altered the probable list of favorites for the last of the year's four major championships.

Paul Azinger, who underwent shoulder surgery seven weeks ago,

withdrew from the 151-man field after a practice session.

"It hurts too much. There's no way I can put 18 holes together," said Azinger, who has been out of action since the U.S. Open.

British Open title-holder Ian Baker-Finch, suffering from back spasms, delayed until today a decision whether he would be able to play.

He walked off the course after only three holes of a practice round and said, "I'll see how it feels tomorrow. If it isn't better, I'll have to pull out. I can't play the way it is now."

The need for length plays to the strength of some of the European stars who have dominated world golf in recent years.

Among their more noted long hitters are Seve Ballesteros of Spain, Masters champion Ian Woosnam of Wales and England's Nick Faldo, who won the 1990 Masters and British Open and last week had a chance to win Buick Open until he bogeyed the 72nd hole.

And, of course, there's Greg Norman, on a comeback from burnout and trying to regain a place among the world's top players. He has had

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## Sidelines

### Football equipment issued Thursday

Big Spring high school football players will receive their equipment Thursday morning starting at 8 at the high school field house.

Two-a-day workouts begin Aug. 12.

### Tournament play set in Snyder

SNYDER — The Jaramillos Summer Classic II, a men's slow-pitch softball tournament, will be this weekend at Winston Park in Snyder.

Entry fee is \$100 per team. The top five teams receive team trophies and the top three teams receive individual trophies. There will also be awards for MVP, all-tournament, sportsmanship and home runs.

For more information call Rocky Vieira at 267-7773.

### Disc golf play set in Big Spring

There will be a disc golf tournament Aug. 11 at Birdwell Park.

Entry fee is \$10 per player and it includes a free disc. Signups are between 12 noon and 1 p.m. For more information call Greg Brooks at 267-1465 or at 267-6335.

### Piston want star to take pay cut

DETROIT (AP) — The Detroit Pistons have asked Isiah Thomas to consider taking a pay cut to help them obtain forward Orlando Woolridge from the Denver Nuggets, Thomas' agent says.

If Thomas accepted the pay cut, the Pistons' payroll would drop below the NBA salary cap and the club could negotiate a more favorable contract with Woolridge. Thomas would be reimbursed later in his contract.

The Pistons have said for several weeks that they're interested in trading reserve forward Scott Hastings, whose salary is \$450,000, for Woolridge, who is paid \$850,000.

But the club's ability to deal has been curtailed by the league's \$12.5-million salary cap. Teams whose payrolls exceed the cap may not acquire a player whose salary isn't within 10 percent of that of the player being traded.

Woolridge's pay would be cut, too. But the Pistons would compensate him by adding one year to his five-year, \$4 million contract, sources told the Detroit Free Press in today's editions.

### UTEP admits to breaking minor rules

EL PASO (AP) — Texas El Paso admits boosters gave players rides, athletes made long distance calls on school phones and coaches made some illegal recruiting visits in a response to an NCAA investigation of the basketball program.

Those admissions and several others were made in UTEP's 61-page response to 13 NCAA violations alleged by the NCAA, which was released Tuesday to reporters.

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free agents went to play. In the last few years, however, a trend started to develop. Not that many people noticed at first, even as the West began to turn the tide, beginning a streak in 1987 of sending four straight teams to the World Series. In the 12 years before that, only two West teams, Kansas City in 1980 and 1985, had won in the playoffs.

Some of the big names are still in the East, guys like Alan Trammell and Robin Yount, but they're getting older. Meanwhile, other old-timers like Jack Morris and Dave Winfield have moved West and are prospering.

More importantly, the West, which put its money into farm systems for so many years, is really reaping the full benefits. Jose Canseco, Harold Reynolds, Kirby Puckett and Danny Tartabull already were stars as the West began putting more players than the East into the All-Star game, and now Frank Thomas, Scott Erickson and Chuck Finley, Rafael Palmeiro, and Ruben Sierra are part of the new breed. And that new breed had made the West the best.

# Bucs hand Mets seventh straight loss

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Randy Tomlin has little trouble beating New York even when they're not slumping. Doing it with the Mets falling apart was easy.

Tomlin remained perfect in four career decisions against New York by pitching a four-hitter Tuesday night, giving the Pittsburgh Pirates a 3-1 victory and handing the reeling Mets their seventh straight loss.

The Pirates won their second in a row following an eight-game losing streak as they increased their lead in the National League East to 7½ games over the muddling Mets — the farthest New York has been from the top since June 1990.

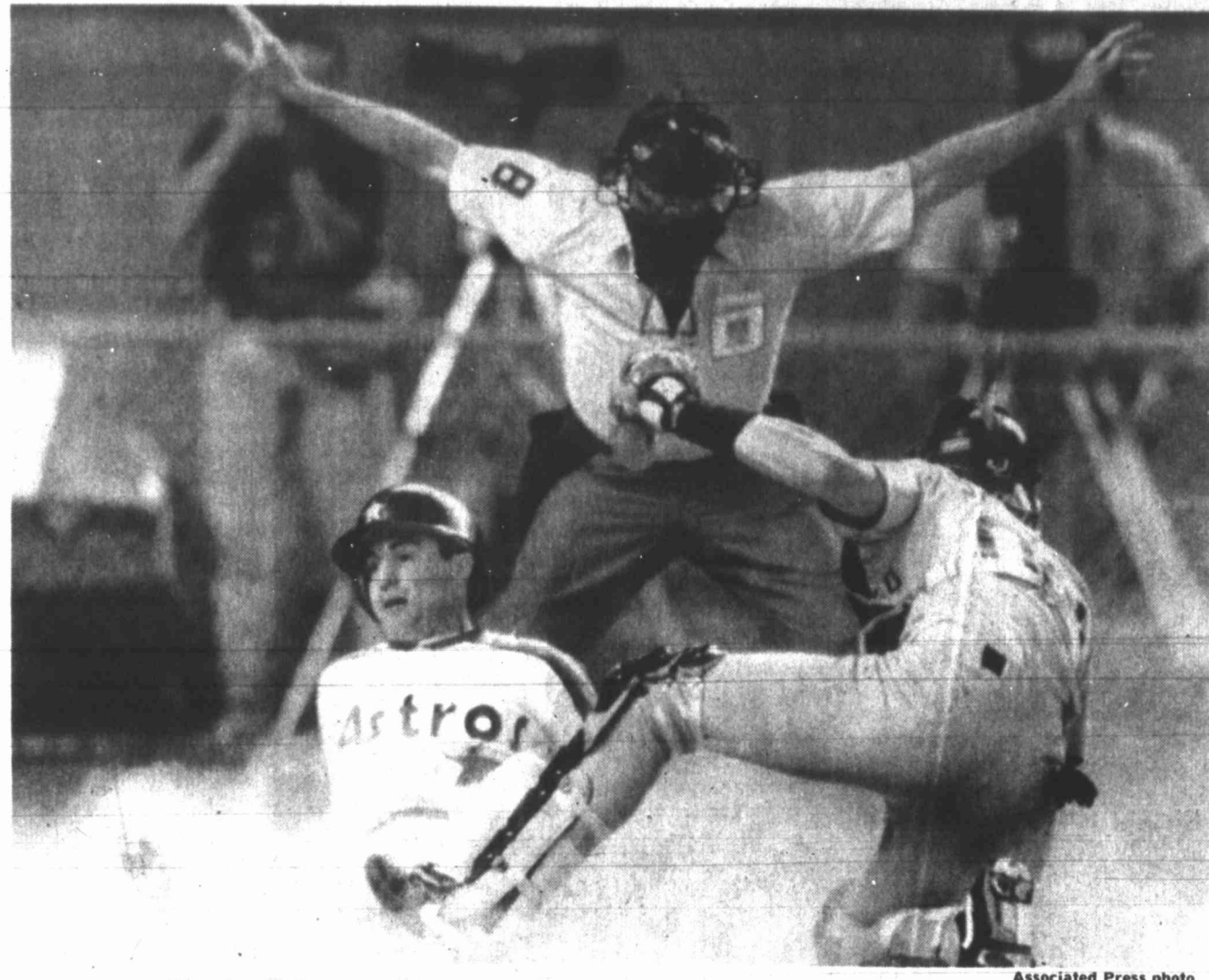
Tomlin (7-4) beat the Mets for the third time in as many starts this year. New York has just 13 hits and four earned runs in 23 innings against him.

Tomlin's career record is just 11-8, but he's 4-0 against the Mets. This time, he struck out four, walked two and allowed only one hit after Gregg Jefferies' one-out double in the fourth.

Lloyd McClendon gave Tomlin all the support he needed with a two-run homer in the second off Sid Fernandez (0-2).

The Mets' only run came in the second when Kevin McReynolds led off with a triple and Hubie Brooks walked with one out. With two outs, Brooks broke for second base and then stopped. When catcher Tom Prince threw through, McReynolds walked home without a play. Brooks was tagged out after the run scored.

Tomlin preserved the one-run lead until the ninth, when Jose



HOUSTON — Houston Astros Casey Candaele (1) slides in safe at home on the tag of San Diego's Benito Santiago in second inning action Tuesday.

Lind's sacrifice fly added some insurance.

Dodgers 5, Reds 2  
Los Angeles ended its road blues

by returning to an old formula — hit homers and give the ball to Orel Hershiser. Darryl Strawberry and Lenny Harris hit two-run homers

and Hershiser allowed one run in six innings as LA won at Riverfront Stadium.  
Braves 10, Giants 6

## National League

Terry Pendleton had the biggest night of his biggest season with four hits, including two homers, four runs scored and four RBIs as the Braves ripped the visiting Giants.

Pendleton hit a three-run homer in a four-run first off Paul McClellan (2-1) and added a solo shot in the third for only the second two-homer game of his eight-year career. Ron Gant added a three-run shot as the Braves remained 2½ games behind the Dodgers in the West.

Astros 6, Padres 1  
Houston, the NL's hottest team, made it nine straight wins as Casey Candaele had three hits and drove in two runs at the Astrodome. Rookie Darryl Kile (5-6) allowed one run and five hits in 7 1-3 innings. He walked four and struck out seven, matching his career-best. Al Osuna earned his eighth save with 2 2-3 innings of scoreless relief.

Cardinals 7, Expos 6  
Tom Pagnozzi scored from third base on Montreal's second error of the 10th inning and fifth of the game, capping St. Louis' comeback from a 6-1 deficit and extending the visiting Expos' losing streak to seven games.

Phillies 6, Cubs 2  
Dale Murphy's 11th-inning grand slam gave Philadelphia its seventh straight victory, the Phillies' longest winning streak in five years.

# Chisox drums Yankees

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Chicago White Sox didn't move any closer to first place, but Carlton Fisk took another step toward a place in the Hall of Fame.

Fisk drove in four runs, including two with his 362nd career homer to move ahead of Joe DiMaggio into 39th on the all-time list, as Chicago rallied from a five-run, first-inning deficit to beat New York 14-5 Tuesday night.

The White Sox remained 3½ games behind first-place Minnesota in American League West. The Twins beat the California Angels 7-4.

It was Fisk's eighth homer of the season and his 200th as the all-time White Sox leader.

Espinosa, the Yankees' shortstop, came in to finish up the eighth in which the Sox sent 11 batters to the plate.

Trailing 5-0, the White Sox tied it with five runs in the fourth as Mike Huff tripled in a pair and scored on a sacrifice fly by Robin Ventura before Fisk singled in two runs.

The White Sox broke the tie in the fifth when Dan Pasqua doubled, went to third on a sacrifice and scored on Joey Cora's suicide squeeze.

Donn Pall (5-1) was the winner and reliever Tim Leary (4-9) took the loss after replacing starter Greg Cadaret.

"I wanted to stay with Cadaret," manager Stump Merrill said. "I wanted to get him five innings."

Blue Jays 2, Tigers 1

Jimmy Key (12-6) and three relievers combined on a five-hitter as Toronto beat Detroit at the SkyDome. The victory increased the first place Blue Jays' lead over the Tigers to 5½ games with two games remaining in the series.



ARLINGTON — Cleveland Indians baserunner Gleallen Hill (24) slips and falls as he tries to get back to second base as Texas Rangers' Julio Franco looks on. Hill was out on the play.

Joe Carter had an RBI single and John Olerud a sacrifice fly in the first inning to give the Blue Jays the lead off former Toronto pitcher John Cerutti (1-4).

Twins 7, Angels 4  
Willie Banks won his first major league start and Chili Davis hit a two-run homer against his former teammates as visiting Minnesota beat California, sending the Angels to their seventh straight loss.

Athletics 3, Mariners 0  
Mike Moore pitched 6 1-3 scoreless innings in his first start back from the disabled list while Jose Canseco and Dave Henderson hit home runs, leading Oakland to its second straight shutout against visiting Seattle.

Royals 6, Red Sox 0  
Mike Boddicker pitched six-hit ball for seven innings against his former teammates as Kansas City beat visiting Boston, sending the Red Sox to their third straight loss.

Boddicker (9-7), who left Boston to sign as a free agent with Kansas City, beat the Red Sox for the second time this year. Storm Davis, the third Royals pitcher, got the last two outs.

Rafael Palmeiro, the major league's leading hitter at .351, had

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four singles to pace a 17-hit attack as Texas outlasted Cleveland at Arlington.

The Rangers broke a 7-7 tie with a three-run seventh inning off loser Mike York (1-4), including RBI singles by Steve Buechele and Gary Pettis.

Kenny Rogers (7-7) pitched one inning for the victory and Jeff Russell got the last four outs for his 21st save. Russell gave up Albert Belle's 18th homer in the ninth.

Orioles 13, Brewers 5  
Mike Devereaux drove in four runs and hot-hitting Chris Hoiles had three doubles, leading Baltimore over visiting Milwaukee. The Brewers have lost 11 of their last 15.

The Orioles had 15 hits — including seven for extra bases — against a slumping Milwaukee pitching staff that has surrendered 49 runs in its last five games. Jim Hunter dropped to 0-5.

Dave Johnson (2-3) gave up five runs and 10 hits in six innings to earn his first victory since April 12. It was his third appearance after a nine-week stint on the disabled list with a groin injury.

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top-10 finishes in his last three starts and hits the ball as long as anyone. Fred Couples probably ranks as the most celebrated distance hitter among the Americans and has played well recently, including a strong performance at the British Open.

Like Stewart, Couples spent most of the last two months in Europe. He returned only this week.

Stewart, who scored a runaway victory in the Dutch Open, came back a week earlier, played in the

## Giants coach mad at fans

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Ray Handley says the only person who is going to choose the New York Giants' starting quarterback is Ray Handley. Not the Giants fans.

A rather miffed Handley on Tuesday ripped the fans for booing Phil Simms for throwing away a third-down pass near the goalline in Monday night's 23-17 exhibition victory over the Buffalo Bills.

"I'd like to give the New York fans more credit than that," Handley said in reviewing the team's performance in his first game as coach. "Phil has never called plays for this team other than in the two-minute drill, and his two-minute is pretty good."

While Handley continues to mull his quarterback problem, Bears coach Mike Ditka must be wondering what happened to his offense, which has scored 13 points in two exhibition games.

"We're going to have a good offense, and we're going to have a good passing game, regardless of what anybody thinks," Jim Harbaugh, the Bears' starting quarterback, said.

Chicago's offense got a big shot in the arm Tuesday evening with the signing of veteran placekicker Kevin Butler, who came to terms on a three-year contract after missing three weeks of training camp. Terms of the agreement were not disclosed.

Butler holds the NFL record for most consecutive field goals with 24 and owns 13 other Bear records in his six seasons as a pro. Last season, he kicked 26 of 37 field goals for 114 points.

In other training camp news:

## Training Camp

Wide receiver Randal Hill, Miami's first-round draft pick, ended a 26-day holdout by agreeing to a three-year contract estimated at \$2.1 million. The agreement came one day after coach Don Shula had chastised the former University of Miami star and his agent, Drew Rosenhaus, for extending negotiations.

The signing of Hill, who caught 107 passes for 1,643 yards and 11 touchdowns in college, leaves the Dolphins with nine players unsigned, including another Rosenhaus client, cornerback J.B. Brown.

Wide receiver Jeff Graham, Pittsburgh's second-round draft choice who ended a 24-day holdout Saturday, aggravated a leg injury in his first practice. Wide receivers coach Dwain Painter said it was uncertain how long the pulled quadricep muscle would keep Graham out of action.

Jeff Francis isn't claiming any sort of victory in his battle for Cleveland's backup quarterback job, even though he led the only two scoring drives in the Browns' exhibition opener, a 23-10 loss to Tampa Bay on Monday.

Coach Bill Belichick revealed his first depth chart of training camp just before Monday's game. Francis was listed second, behind Bernie Kosar but ahead of Todd Philcox and Michael Proctor.

Cincinnati strong safety David Fulcher said he will play in Saturday's game.

## Pan Am

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Cuban Abel Ramirez on his last dive in the 1-meter springboard event.

"I was born on the Fourth of July, the All-American diver, and my umbilical cord was tied in a knot, so I was doing somersaults in my mom's stomach when I was a baby," Lenzi said. "I was born to be an American diver."

Earlier, Americans won the men's and women's 3-meter springboard events.

The U.S. women got a taste of gold Tuesday night in gymnastics, edging the Cubans.

And then there's the young gunner from El Monte, Calif., with the scary name and the even scarier fastball. Debbie Doom has thrown two perfect games in women's softball, and the Cubans are calling her "La Superonica." She struck out 17, including 10 in a row in one stretch, against Nicaragua for a 5-0 victory.

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# The man with the sweet swing

ARLINGTON (AP) — Rangers coach Davey Lopes said it best about Rafael Palmeiro when he said the Texas Rangers first baseman "could hit in a room without any lights."

Palmeiro is definitely hitting lights out with perhaps the sweetest swing in the big leagues, aside from old Mississippi State teammate Will Clark of the San Francisco Giants.

Palmeiro led the major leagues with 191 hits last year and is on pace for 250 this season as his quick bat spews out line drives to all fields.

"When he's hot, he just gives pitchers fits because they don't know how to pitch to him," Texas hitting instructor Tom Robson said. "He's not a dead-guess hitter. He'll hit an inside pitch whether it's a fastball or a slider. He'll take an outside pitch to the opposite field."

Palmeiro went 40-for-85 after the All-Star break to raise his average from .319 to a league-leading .351 before 1-for-5 and 0-for-4 games on Sunday and Monday lowered him to .345.

He was back in gear Tuesday night, with four hits in five at-bats as Texas beat Cleveland 10-8, to raise his average back to .351.

He was near the top in runs scored with 80, total bases with 237, and extra-base hits with 52.

Thanks to heavy off-season work in the weight room, Palmeiro has a career-high 18 homers with more than two months left in the season.

Robson said work in the weight room means "you're going to maintain stamina longer. Rafael has stamina."

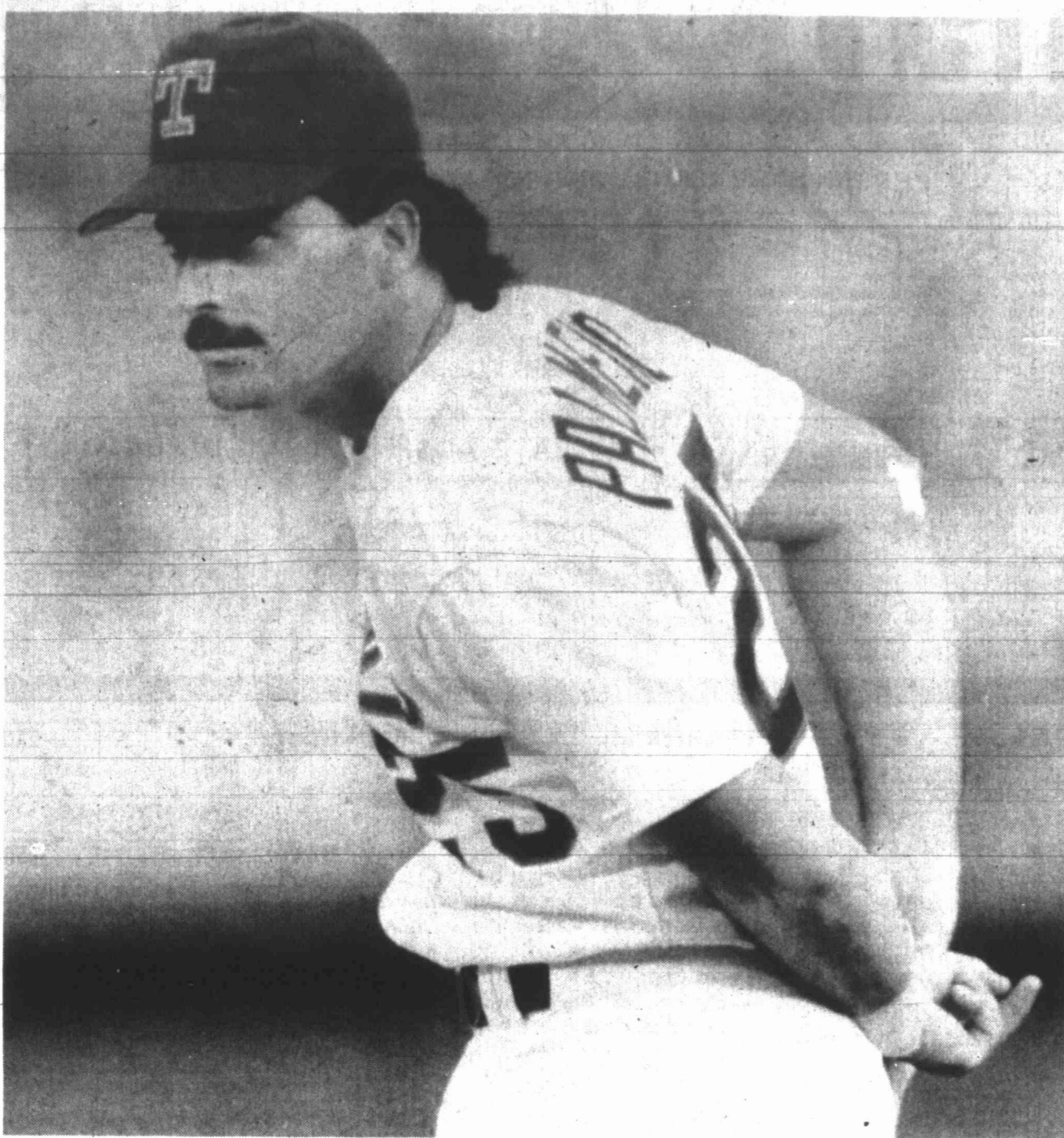
Can he win the batting title? "He's got to stay away from the 0-for-15s because those will burn him," Robson said. "Good hitters will go 1-for-5, but he's got to avoid long slumps."

Palmeiro's current average is the highest ever for a Ranger this late in the season.

"I just visualize my at-bats and it's fun playing baseball when you get into that groove, that zone where you see the ball well," he said. "I just try to stay in that groove because you know sooner or later the mini-slumps will come."

When Cleveland's Eric King put the collar on Palmeiro Monday night, breaking a 15-game hitting streak, Palmeiro was so upset he didn't want to talk about it.

"He's a perfectionist," Robson



ARLINGTON — Texas Rangers' first baseman Rafael Palmeiro stretches prior to Monday's night game at Arlington Stadium. Rangers' coach

Davey Lopes says Palmeiro, batting .349 could hit in a room without any lights.

said. "All great hitters are." The greatest threat to Palmeiro winning the batting title could come from one of his own teammates, Julio Franco, who was hitting .332 after Monday night's game.

"I hope Rafael and Julio battle down to the end," Robson said. "I think that will be great race. But there are a lot of great hitters in the league and it's still early. Come September we'll see."

Palmeiro, 27, was obtained from the Chicago Cubs in 1988 and hit .275 and .319 the last two seasons. The most homers he hit for the Rangers was 14 last year.

"The weight training has helped, but I haven't tried to hit homers," he said. "They've just happened."

And Palmeiro happens to be one of the best deals general manager Tom Grieve ever made. "He's been everything we thought he would be and more,"

Grieve said.

And Oct. 6 in Arlington Stadium could be a special day for the Rangers. That's when they play Oakland in the last game of the season and Palmeiro could be going for a franchise first: the American League batting title.

"He's great at forgetting his bad days," Robson said. "He just says he stinks and goes out the next day. Some hitters won't do that and worry about it."

# Paul Brown leaves legacy behind

CINCINNATI (AP) — The principles of Paul Brown, founder of the Cincinnati Bengals and the Cleveland Browns, will live on in the coaches he helped develop, one of his proteges says.

"I feel like I am living a lot of the principles that he stood for. For that reason, his passing is not complete, because things he believed in and stood for are being continued by a lot of people still alive and coaching — not just me, but other coaches," Bengals coach Sam Wyche said.

Brown, 82, who was elected to the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1967, died Monday at his suburban Cincinnati home of complications from pneumonia. His funeral was today in Massillon, the city where he coached Washington High School to six mythical state titles and four mythical national cham-

ampionships from 1932 to 1940.

Wyche said he will remember this Saturday night's exhibition game against the Philadelphia Eagles in Cincinnati as the first to be played by the Bengals after Brown's death. But otherwise, it will be business as usual, as Brown would have wanted, Wyche said.

Wyche, a former NFL quarterback who started his career with Brown and the Bengals when the team joined the NFL in 1968, has been Cincinnati's coach since 1984. Wyche credits Brown with encouraging him to stay in football when he had doubts he could make the Bengals as a free-agent rookie.

Brown earned respect for bringing to coaching such techniques as classroom preparation and use of game films, playbooks and pass patterns. He also taught "eternal values," including loyalty, dedica-

tion, commitment and punctuality as he emphasized a business-like approach to the sport, Wyche said.

More than 50 of Brown's former players and assistants have been NFL coaches, including Wyche, Chuck Noll, Bill Walsh, Don Shula and Weeb Ewbank.

Brown had a reputation as a demanding coach. But he also knew when to dole out praise to lift a disappointed player, Wyche said. "Paul was a very practical guy. He wasn't just a theory guy all the time. He understood what made a person tick, what made a team tick," Wyche said.

In keeping with Brown's wishes, little will be changed in the Bengals' daily operations, Wyche said. One small change was notable at the team's Wilmington College training camp, where quarterback Boomer Esiason used

a felt-tip pen on his helmet to jot "PB" in Brown's memory.

The Bengals' president, John Sawyer, said Brown's son Mike, who had been assistant general manager, will be elevated to general manager, replacing his father.

Wyche briefly delayed the start of workouts Monday, the day of Brown's death, to meet with players and coaches to invoke Brown's memory and his teachings. Wyche read notes he took from Brown's talks in 1968, notes from a 1980 Walsh speech, and remarks Wyche has made before to his players.

"We had a time together to remember Paul. It wasn't anything other than to bring his memory to life one more time for the team," Wyche said.

# UIL reprimands Fort Worth Dunbar basketball coach

AUSTIN (AP) — Fort Worth Dunbar basketball coach Robert Hughes has been suspended for four games by the University Interscholastic League, which also tentatively agreed to reinstate Brownsville Porter to UIL competition.

Porter had been declared ineligible for all UIL activities for failing to comply with a league directive. Hughes, one of the winningest coaches in Texas schoolboy basketball history, was suspended Tuesday by the UIL state executive committee after hearing testimony from the coach, players and parents.

The 33-year coaching veteran was found to have violated the UIL Constitution by holding an organized practice on Dec. 26, which is within the five-day restricted period for holidays.

Hughes was suspended for the first four games of the 1991-92 season, assessed a public reprimand and placed on one-year probation.

Dunbar players David Ross and Lincoln Richard claim that Hughes

called them to the practice, while five other Dunbar players maintain that the practice was not organized by Hughes at a recreational center.

"We thought that if it was legal, we could have practiced at our own gym," Ross said. "We had a feeling."

Hughes, who has been at the Fort Worth school for 17 years, also was given a public reprimand four years ago for holding summer practices.

The Flying Wildcats have been to the state basketball tournament nine times but have never won a championship.

"This is a classic case of parents who are interested in coaching the teams," said Hughes. "It goes on at every level. I tell you, it's scary. It sends a message. If you're not pleased with the situation, write a letter and the coach is in big trouble."

UIL Athletic Director Bill Farney said, "We are not questioning his integrity as a person, just his perception of the rules." Dunbar also received a public

reprimand, was placed on one-year probation and instructed to present a plan by Oct. 1 to prevent violations in the future.

In the Porter case, a combination of factors, including the failure of Principal Antonio Ortiz to file a report on investigations of alleged violations, resulted in the school being disqualified from all UIL events, the league said.

The Porter suspension will be removed when Brownsville trustees accept a proposal from a management team to help the school district comply with league

# The Cuban dream has light at end of tunnel

HAVANA (AP) — The man in the white Panama hat stands behind home plate with his radar gun, his memories and his dreams.

He was born three miles away from the baseball stadium when Fidel Castro was just a kid playing ball and Cuba catered to rich Americans and gangsters, famous ballplayers and writers who came here to fish and gamble and drink and loll by the pools.

Gaudy, sassy, painted in a rainbow of colors, Havana pulsed through the night to sexy Latin rhythms and fell back to a sleepy, easy pace when the sun rose from the sea and the fishermen put their boats in the water.

The man in the white hat, Mike Brito, a scout for the Los Angeles Dodgers who left this island in 1955 and didn't return until his mother died three years ago, looks around now at a city in search of its soul and a new start.

It is a city of cracked walls and faded paint, a neglected, worn-out wasteland dotted with new arenas and stadiums, old hotels, heroic statues, grand monuments and grim slogans.

Creaky American cars from the '50s belch black clouds into the air. Yet, from a distance, high up on a balcony, the city shines white and beautiful in the early summer evenings as double rainbows rise in great arcs from the sea.

The brightest colors cover walls that shout forbiddingly, "Socialismo o Muerte," "Socialism or Death," "Patria o Muerte — Venceremos," "Fatherland or Death — We shall overcome; the words Fidel Castro has spoken since the revolution 32 years ago.

For all the poverty and shortages of food and other goods, Castro remains a popular leader who has grown perhaps more noble in his people's minds for his defiance of a superpower squeeze play. Caught between the U.S. embargo and the Soviet Union's cutback in aid, Castro continues doggedly, mesmerizing his people with his words and gestures and appeals to their pride.

The joy and festivity of the Pan American Games is softened by melancholy, a knowledge that when it is over the country will be left deeper in debt despite its treasure of gold medals. It is impossible for even the most ardent and patriotic American not to sympathize with the plight of the Cuban people working so earnestly to please their visitors.

Amid all the lines for bread and beer and bags of cookies, Pan Am athletes are offered sumptuous buffets, and other visitors dine splendidly at the best restaurants

"A few years ago, I had to ask permission to see the young players. Now (government sports officials) come to me to tell me about them. Before the tunnel was very dark. Now you can see a little light," — Mike Brito, LA Dodgers scout.

and hotels, where only U.S. dollars are accepted.

Except for taxi drivers and others in the tourist industry, Cubans caught with dollars are arrested, and they look longingly, sometimes resentfully, at the shop displays for visitors.

Writers go searching for Ernest Hemingway's old haunts, the restaurants and bars where he knocked down daiquiris and rum-laced mojitos with other authors.

"I drink my mojitos at the Bodeguita, I drink my daiquiris at the Floridita," reads the Hemingway couplet over the bar at the cozy Bodeguita del Medio. The writers can taste the drinks, watered down and overpriced though they may be, but they can't recapture the past.

Bruto and scouts from other major league clubs go searching for players they can't sign, no matter how good they may be. Major league rules prohibit even talking to the players about a contract, and they can't join a team until they have U.S. residency for at least a year.

"If they let me, I could come out of here with 50 good prospects for the majors," Brito says. He watched covetously as the Cuban team rolled over its first three opponents 14-6, 22-0 and 14-0, with a seven-inning no-hitter in the third game Tuesday night.

"When they finally open it up — I think maybe in a year or two — there's going to be players from Cuba for every team in the big leagues. They've got some kids, 15 to 18 years old, who could play on the national team but there's no room for them. They play the older players, but the young kids have to play somewhere."

Despite the lure of fantastic money in the United States and the tales about Cuban native Jose Canseco, the best of the ballplayers say they are content to stay here and play for the love of their people. On this island, great baseball players and boxers rank in the pantheon of heroes with revolutionary martyrs.

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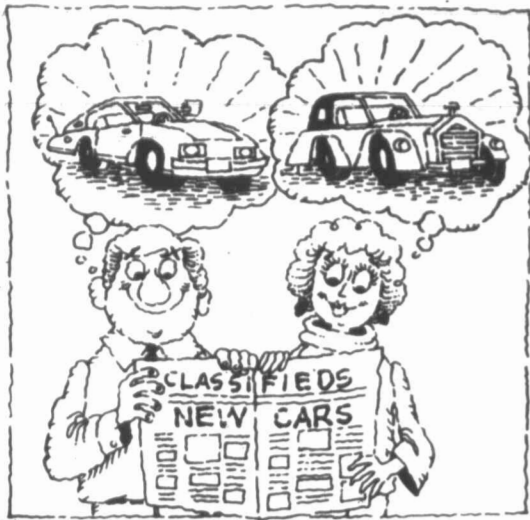
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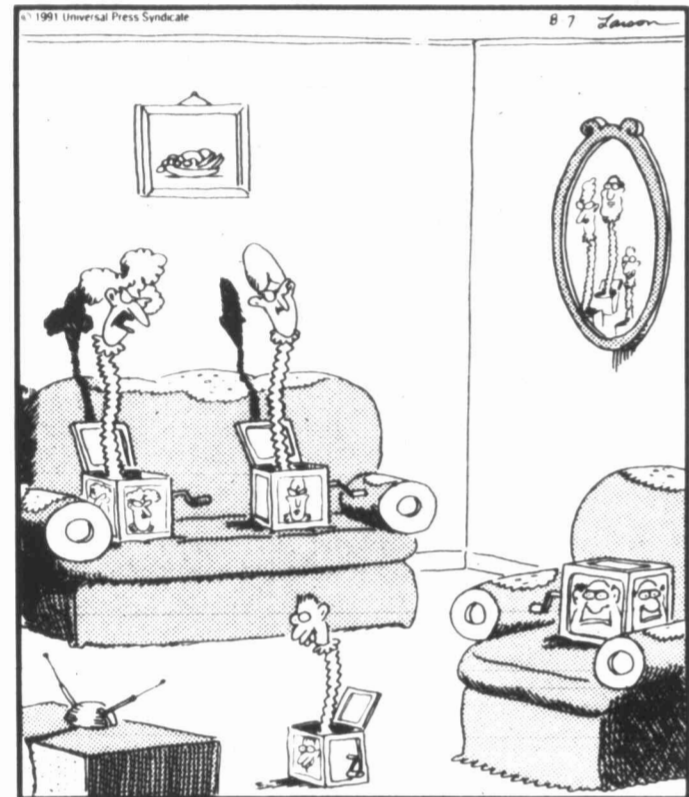
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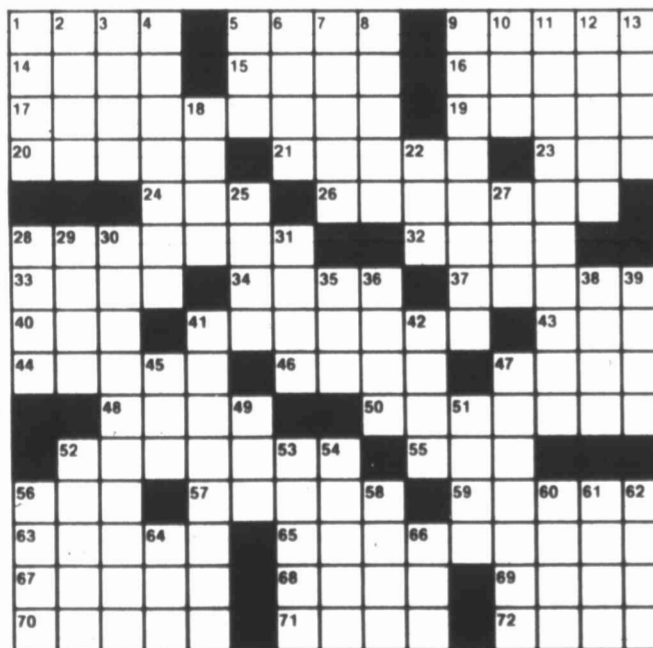
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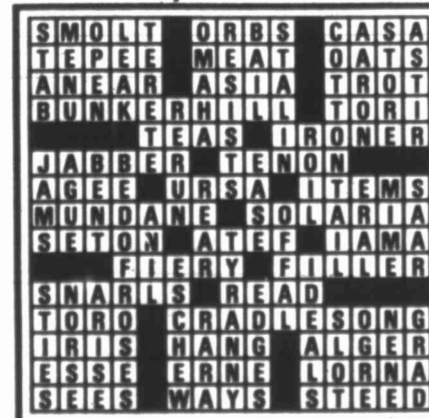
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- 56 -pie (from head to foot)
- 58 Cupid
- 60 Destroy
- 61 Part of A.D.
- 62 Fr. holy women: abbr.
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### Pickups 020

1988 FORD F-150 XLT Lariat super cab pickup. Call 394-4724.

Stock #3184A. 1988 Chevy 3,500 Club Cab P/U Dual Rear Wheels- Running Boards 454 V-8 Air- Bucket Seats White/ Burgundy- Chrome Wheels Dakota Conversion Package- 47,000 miles Local Owner- SALE PRICE \$12,450.

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263-7625

FOR SALE, 1983 Chevy 1/2 ton pickup. Power windows, door locks, 6 cylinder, good condition, \$3,000. Call after 5:00p.m. 263-5470.

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### Recreational Veh 035

1979 VOGUE 29' motor home. Dodge 440 Engine. 6.5 Onan Generator. 2 roof airs. New tires. good condition. Full bed in rear. Daytime call 267-7416. Ask for Terry or Dorothy.

### Travel Trailers 040

1977 21' SELF-CONTAINED Free Spirit travel trailer. Great condition. \$3,000 or best offer. 263-2871.

### Boats 070

1985 BAYLINER walk-thru windshield, 85hp. outboard, depth finder, vests and miscellaneous ski gear. Very clean. \$3,300 O.B.O. 263-1005.

### Business Opp. 150

ESTABLISH VENDING route. No competition. Investment secured by Equipment & Merchandise. Call Fast Pharmaceutical. 1-800-253-7631 24hrs.

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PRIVATE PIANO & voice lessons. Beginners through Advanced. Classical, popular, jazz and sacred music. Years of teaching experience. Phone 263-3367. Kentwood area.

Diesel Driver Training. UNEMPLOYED? BROKE? No exp. necessary. 9 wks. training. Financial aid and housing available if qualified. Must be 21 or older and have HS diploma or GED. 1-800-456-7364.

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DAILY SALARY \$300 for buying merchandise. No exp. nec. 915-542-5503.

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1990 GEO METRO SEDAN Automatic, air, 50

MPG ..... \$7,650.00

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air. .... \$10,250.00

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Very low miles. Local car, one

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1991 BUICK SKYLARK SEDAN - 9,600 miles. Like new. .... \$11,995.00

1985 BUICK LE SABRE SEDAN - Low miles, one owner, local car. .... \$4,995.00

1990 CHEVROLET CORSICA - Blue/blue cloth, loaded, 3,000 miles. .... \$11,995.00

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1991 BUICK REGAL SEDAN - Super nice. 9,000 miles, loaded, white, blue cloth, save thousands. .... \$15,495.00

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1991 FORD EXPLORER EDDIE BAUER 4X4 - White/sandlewood tune, leather, CD disc player, fully loaded, local one owner with only 3,300 miles. (when new retail was \$26,800) ..... \$23,995

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1989 FORD F250 XLT LARIAT - White, 460 V-8, automatic, air, local one owner with only 5,000 miles. .... \$11,995

1989 NISSAN KING CAB SE - 1 with cloth, air, automatic, local one owner with 54,000 miles. .... \$8,995

1988 FORD COMPANION CONVERSION VAN - Tri tan, totally loaded, TV, local one owner with 46,000 miles. .... \$11,995

1988 DODGE DAKOTA - Blue, V-6, automatic, air, locally owned with only 43,000 miles. .... \$6,995

1988 FORD F150 CUSTOM - White, V-8, automatic, air, one owner with 49,000 miles. New paint. .... \$6,995

1987 GMC JIMMY - Tan/white, loaded, locally owned with 55,000 miles. .... \$6,995

1987 FORD F150 SUPERCAB XL - Tutone brown, V-8, air, 4-speed, locally owned. .... \$6,995

1985 FORD F150 SUPERCAB XLT LARIAT - Tan/red tune, fully loaded, locally owned, lots of miles with lots more left in it. .... \$4,995

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1991 MERCURY TOPAZ G.S. 4-DR. - Sandlewood metallic with cloth, loaded with 9,000 miles. .... \$9,995

1991 FORD TEMPO GL 4-DR - Silver with gray cloth, loaded with 6,400 miles. .... \$9,995

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NOW HIRING for full time route sales position and part time pull up position. Must have high school diploma with at least 6 months sales experience.

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I'M BACK! Brenda's Pet Grooming. Licensed. Pickup & delivery. Large or small, we care for them all. 267-5097, 267-2711.

Miscellaneous 537

WEEKDAY LUNCH specials, 11-2. Chicken fried steak, \$3.50; Liver, \$3.50; Steak fingers, \$3.25. Ala carte only, Ponderosa Restaurant.

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1990 TOYOTA TERCEL. Automatic power and air with 28,000 miles. \$6,995.00

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HYDEN'S AUTO REPAIR. 2709 Wasson Rd. 263-3213. BRAKE SPECIAL. Lifetime Guarantee for most popular models.

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Lodges 686

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NATIONAL LEAGUE CHICAGO CUBS—Recalled Rick

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Transactions

BASEBALL Suspended Carlos Martinez, Cleveland first baseman, for three games, effective Aug. 7, for making physical contact with umpire Tim Welke. CLEVELAND INDIANS—Placed Sandy Alomar Jr., catcher, on the 15-day disabled list.

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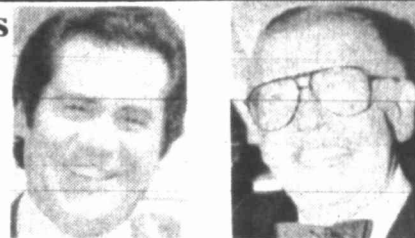
## Court has second thoughts

LAS VEGAS (AP) — An appeals court ruling that stripped Wayne Newton of a \$5.2 million libel award against NBC-TV is being appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court.

The entertainer's lawyer, Morton Galane, filed an appeal Monday asking the high court to vacate or reverse last August's ruling by the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals, which ordered dismissal of the lawsuit.

NBC suggested in an October 1980 series that Newton bought the Aladdin Hotel with the help of mobsters. Newton, who vehemently denied the allegations, has since sold his interest in the Las Vegas resort.

In 1986, a federal court jury awarded Newton \$19.3 million,



WAYNE NEWTON MILTON BERLE

which would have been the largest libel award in U.S. history. The judge later reduced the award to \$5.2 million.

## Golfing with the stars

CARLSBAD, Calif. (AP) — Milton Berle has called in some muscle for the charity golf tour-

ment named after his late wife, including Arnold Schwarzenegger and Sylvester Stallone.

A celebrity will team up with each group of four amateur for 36 holes of golf Aug. 23-25 at the La Costa Resort and Spa in northern San Diego County.

The Ruth Berle Celebrity Golf Classic, benefiting the American Cancer Society, also includes a black-tie dinner party. Berle's wife died of cancer in 1989. The tournament is to be held annually.

Other participants include Tom Selleck, Robert Wagner, Jill St. John, Steve Garvey, Buddy Rogers, Vic Damone, Norm Crosby, Jan Murray and Buddy Hackett.

## Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1991

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE:** Avoid going too fast and you will have a very productive and profitable year. Family life and domestic matters will enjoy highly favorable influences by late fall.

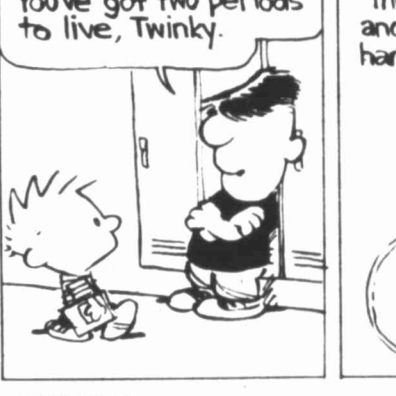
**CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE:** actor Dustin Hoffman, jazz musician Benny Carter, singer Connie Stevens, film producer Dino DeLaurentiis.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Impulsive decisions are likely to backfire. Find out what is really going on before making a choice. The financial outlook brightens. Physical attraction could blind you to a loved one's faults. Go slow.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Be understanding, not judgmental, and you can create a situation that will help many people. Despite obstacles, you come up with all the right answers! Travel is both tiring and inspiring.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):**

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Cultural events hold special appeal today. Make certain you can afford them. A member of the opposite sex is determined to change your mind about a sensitive subject. Keep your guard up.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Initiative continues to pay off at the cash register! Some top-secret data are made available to you. Use this information with great discretion. Avoid making a diplomatic blunder at home. Praise romantic partner's efforts.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** Make the most of your involvement in community activities. Although minor disruptions can throw your busy schedule off, your associates' cooperation is vital to your success.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Trying to move in too many directions at one time is self-defeating. Slow down and figure out what to do first before committing yourself to new projects. Romance deserves top priority tonight.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Partnerships and the support of other people are helping boost you up life's ladder. Those with escapist tendencies and the chronically impractical are in for great let-downs now.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** You are in a more positive frame of mind today. Your love for beauty receives new attention. A new friend expresses appreciation for your generosity. Don't spread yourself too thin.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** Be willing to dissolve an old work tie or deteriorating friendship, if need be, in order to make room for more rewarding alliances. You deserve the best. Have faith in the future!

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Correspondence, urgent phone calls and the handling of numerous details claim your attention. Do not try to do everything at once. Devise a plan of action and stick to it.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Creative and artistic ventures are favored. Follow up leads provided earlier in the week. Unexpected financial benefits come your way. If you have the storage space, buy in quantity to save money.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** A desire to meet new people is an excellent sign. Financial pressures lessen. An adventurous mood could land you in trouble unless you keep your wits about you. Your attraction to someone intensifies.

## DENNIS THE MENACE



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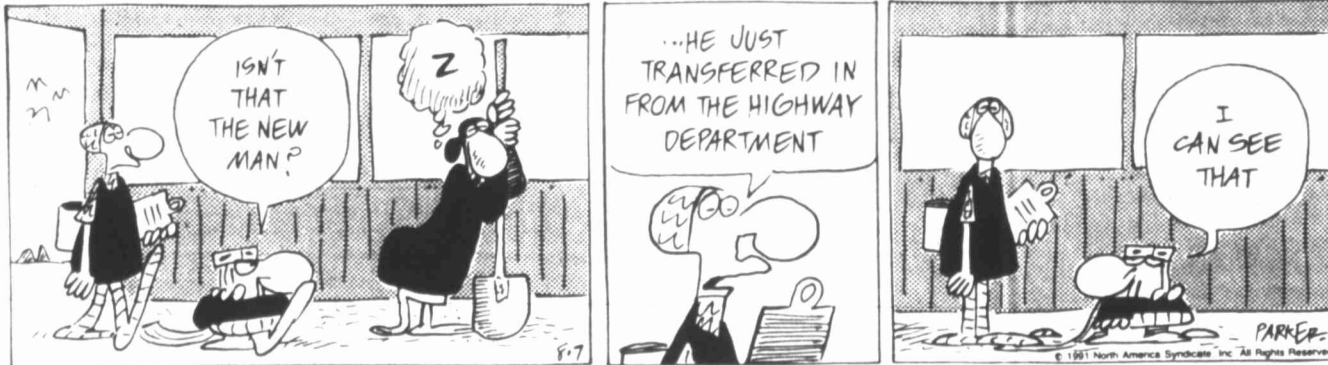


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## Preserve the Taste of Summer



These are the days to buy just-picked fruits and preserve the taste of summer for seasons to come. Fresh California peaches, plums, nectarines and Bartlett pears are at their peak from June through September. You'll want to preserve that summer goodness in jams, jellies, for over ice cream and in homemade sorbets. Preserving is a perfect way to savor the sweet, juicy flavors of summer and is ideal for gift-giving.

You've never "put up" your own foods? The most enjoyable place to start home preserving is with fruits. It's easy and gratifying; little more is needed than summer fruits, a box of Kerr jars and lids and a big pot for boiling water processing.

To prevent peaches, nectarines and Bartlett pears from darkening, follow these guidelines to help retain

optimum color and flavor during processing and storage.

Do not expose cut fruit to air unnecessarily. Can as soon as possible.

While preparing a canner-full of jars, keep fruit that's been peeled, halved, quartered or sliced in a solution of either 1 teaspoon ascorbic acid or 3,000 milligrams vitamin C, crushed, to 1 gallon of cold water; or a commercial anti-discoloration mixture, following manufacturer's directions.

Fruits packed in water (without syrup) also have a tendency to brown. To help prevent this, add 500 milligrams vitamin C, crushed, per pint jar; 1,000 milligrams per quart jar; or use a commercial anti-discoloration mixture, following manufacturer's directions.

### Freezer Nectarine Jam

Yield: 4 to 5 half-pints

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 3 cups pitted, cubed fresh California nectarines (approximately 6 medium)
- 1 tablespoon bottled lemon juice
- 2 cups sugar
- 1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg, optional
- 1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
- 1/4 cup water

#### DIRECTIONS:

In food processor or blender, coarsely chop nectarines. In a 4-quart saucepan, combine chopped nectarines, lemon juice, sugar and nutmeg. Mix well. Let stand at room temperature for 30 minutes to develop juice. In small bowl, sprinkle unflavored gelatin over water. Let stand for 1 minute. Bring nectarine mixture to a full rolling boil. Remove from heat and stir in gelatin mixture. Continue stirring until gelatin is completely dissolved, about 5 minutes. Skim off foam, if necessary. Immediately fill hot, sterilized half-pint Kerr jars with jam, leaving 1/2-inch headspace. Wipe jar tops and threads clean. Place lids on jars and screw bands on firmly. When cool, refrigerate for 12 hours. Store in refrigerator up to 3 weeks or in freezer up to 3 months.

### Cinnamon-Honey Pears

Yield: 4 to 5 pints

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 4 pounds fresh California Bartlett pears (approximately 12 medium)
- 3 cups water
- 1 cup sugar
- 2/3 cup honey
- 2 cinnamon sticks

#### DIRECTIONS:

Peel, halve and core pears; treat to prevent discoloration. In a 4 to 6-quart saucepan, combine water, sugar and honey. Bring mixture to a boil over medium-high heat, stirring often. Drain pears and add to boiling syrup in saucepan. Cook, stirring occasionally, until pears are just tender, about 6 to 8 minutes. Place half a cinnamon stick in each hot, sterilized pint Kerr jar. Immediately fill jars with hot pears and syrup, leaving 1/2-inch headspace. Carefully run a nonmetallic utensil down the inside of jars to remove trapped air bubbles. Wipe jar tops and threads clean. Place hot lids on jars and screw bands on firmly. Process in boiling water canner for 20 minutes.

### SUMMER FRUITS - ENJOY THEM YEAR-ROUND

Preparation and processing times vary from fruit to fruit; the chart beside gives the basics. Another factor that affects processing times is altitude; those in the chart beside are for altitudes of 1,000 feet or below. For altitudes above 1,000 feet, increase your time as follows:

- 1,001 to 3,000 feet: 5 minutes
- 3,001 to 6,000 feet: 10 minutes
- Above 6,000 feet: 20 minutes

Before placing hot lids, remember to carefully run a nonmetallic utensil down inside of jars to carefully remove trapped air bubbles.

After processing, let your jars cool, undisturbed, for 12 to 24 hours at room temperature. When cool, make sure the lids are sealed: they should be concave and should not move when pressed in the center. Remove the bands and store your fruit in a cool, dark, dry place.

FRUIT	PREPARATION	PROCESSING TIME (minutes)	
		1/2 Pint, Pint	Quart
Peaches, Nectarines	Peel, pit, halve or slice. Treat to prevent discoloration. Drain. Raw pack: Fill hot jars with fruit. Place halves in layers, cut side down; cover with hot syrup. Leave 1/2-inch headspace. Hot pack: Bring fruit and syrup to a boil. Pack hot fruit into hot jars. Place halves in layers, cut side down. Leave 1/2-inch headspace.	25	30
Bartlett Pears	Peel, core and cut into halves or quarters. Treat to prevent discoloration. Drain. Boil pears 5 minutes in syrup. Pack hot fruit into hot jars; cover with hot syrup. Leave 1/2-inch headspace.	20	25
Plums	Wash, stem. Halve or leave whole. If canned whole, prick skins on opposite sides with a clean needle to prevent splitting. Raw pack: Fill hot jars with plums, pack firmly; cover with hot syrup. Leave 1/2-inch headspace. Hot pack: Boil plums in syrup for 2 minutes. Remove from heat, cover saucepan and let stand 20 to 30 minutes. Pack hot fruit into hot jars; cover with hot syrup. Leave 1/2-inch headspace.	20	25

### DO THE RIPE THING

To ripen fresh California peaches, plums, nectarines and Bartlett pears, place in a paper bag. Close the bag loosely, and leave at room temperature. This speeds up and encourages the natural ripening process. Check daily for ripeness by placing fruit in the palm

of your hand and squeezing gently (Bartlett pears will also change from a green color to a yellow color). If fruit gives to light pressure and has a fragrant aroma, remove ripe fruit from bag to enjoy right away, store in the refrigerator or use in these recipes.

### Fresh Peach Sorbet

Yield: approximately 7 half-pints

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 4 cups sliced, peeled, ripe fresh California peaches (approximately 6 medium)
- 2 cups sugar
- 1 cup orange juice
- 2 tablespoons bottled lemon juice

#### DIRECTIONS:

In a food processor or blender, puree peaches. In a 4-quart saucepan, combine orange juice, sugar and lemon juice. Stir over medium heat until sugar dissolves (see microwave directions below). Remove from heat and stir in pureed peaches. Pour into a 13 by 9-inch pan and freeze until firm. In batches, process firm peach mixture in food processor or blender until light and fluffy, approximately 1 minute. Fill sterilized half-pint Kerr jars with mixture, leaving 1/2-inch headspace. Wipe jar tops and threads clean. Place lids on jars and screw bands on firmly. Freeze until firm.

#### MICROWAVE DIRECTIONS:

In a 4-quart microwave-safe bowl, combine sugar, orange juice and lemon juice. Cook on HIGH for 5 to 8 minutes (or until sugar dissolves), stirring occasionally. Proceed with above directions.

#### PEEL PEACHES PERFECTLY

To peel peaches quickly and effortlessly, dip in boiling water for 30 seconds to 2 minutes to loosen skin. Then, dip in cold water and slip off skin.

### Plum Butter

Yield: 5 to 6 half-pints

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 11 cups pitted, thinly sliced fresh California plums (approximately 26 medium)
- 1 cup water
- 3-3/4 cups sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon (optional)

#### DIRECTIONS:

In a 6 to 8-quart saucepan, combine plums and water. Simmer 12 to 15 minutes or until skins separate from fruit, stirring every 5 minutes. Press through food mill or sieve. Put mixture back into saucepan. Add sugar and cinnamon. Over medium-high heat, bring to a boil, stirring constantly until thick, about 20 to 30 minutes. Mixture should be thick and smooth when spooned onto a cold plate. Immediately fill hot, sterilized half-pint Kerr jars with mixture, leaving 1/4-inch headspace. Wipe jar tops and threads clean. Place hot lids on jars and screw bands on firmly. Process in boiling water canner for 5 minutes.

Kerr offers a cookbook full of canning basics, as well as great canning, freezing and serving suggestion recipes. For the *Kerr Kitchen Cookbook*, send \$3.50 plus .50 for shipping and handling per copy to Kerr Kitchen Cookbook, P.O. Box 76961, Los Angeles, CA 90076. Kerr also publishes a free periodic newsletter filled with articles, tips and recipes. To get on the mailing list, write to the Kerr Kitchen Pantry at the above address.

For a free fresh California peach, plum, nectarine and Bartlett pear preserving leaflet, write to CTFA, Dept. FF-91, P.O. Box 255627, Sacramento, CA 95865.

### SUMMER FRUIT - HOW SWEET IT IS

Traditionally, most fruits have been packed in heavy syrup, heavy meaning high in sugar. But with the emphasis today on lighter eating, syrups can be altered according to your needs. In fact, a very light syrup approximates the natural sugar content of many fruits. You can use a water pack, but without sugar present, taste, texture and color simply won't be as good. Unsweetened fruit juice can be used instead of a sugar syrup. For best results, use juice made from the fruit being canned, as other fruit juices may affect flavor. The sweetness will be similar to a very light syrup.

Up to half the sugar in a syrup can be replaced with other sweeteners such as light corn syrup or honey, though flavor and texture may be affected. (Corn syrup is extremely sweet when substituted in equal amounts as sugar, and honey has its own distinctive flavor.) Brown sugar can be used but will affect the color and flavor of your fruit. Artificial sweeteners such as aspartame may give a slight aftertaste, but are generally fine when used in light syrups. Use them as the package directs to equal the amount of sugar called for in your recipe.

Here are some guidelines for your homemade syrup. The measures of water and sugar given make the approximate amount of syrup needed to pack nine pint jars or four quart jars of fruit.

SYRUP TYPE	CUPS WATER	CUPS SUGAR	USE
Very Light	5-3/4	1-1/2	Approximates natural sugar level in most fruits. Try a small amount at first to see if you like it.
Light	5-1/4	2-1/4	Acceptable for most fruits that are fairly sweet.
Medium	5	3-1/4	Acceptable for most fruits unless very sour.
Heavy	4-1/4	4-1/4	Used for very sour fruits and when extra sweetness is desired.

Procedure: In a saucepan combine sugar and water. Over medium heat, stir until all sugar is dissolved. Keep hot until ready to use.

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## Start a family schedule this fall

As September approaches, children and parents are bracing for the hectic schedule that accompanies the start of school.

Busy mornings and activity-packed afternoons and evenings can run more smoothly if everyone knows what's going on each day. One solution is to post a daily schedule in the kitchen where everyone can take notice at breakfast. Lessons, sports practices and doctors' appointments can be listed as well as any chores that need to be done by family members.

No place to post your daily schedule? Rubbermaid's Con-Tact® brand coverings now offer two products to help. Chalkboard and Memoboard are

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HUNTING FOR BOOKS, makeup or a favorite disc for the CD player can waste precious moments in the morning; help the student in your household get on track with Rubbermaid's Keepers™ Latch Boxes to organize a desk, dorm room or locker.

## Organize for school season

Summer has sped away, and those long displays of notebooks and pens you see in every supermarket and drug-store in town signal the start of another school year. To get back in sync with the hectic schedule that September brings, now is the time to organize so students in your household are set for the new routine.

One of the basic rules for good organization is to keep like things together; for the student this means that school supplies, books, audio tapes and computer diskettes have a special storage area.

To help get it all together, Rubbermaid's Keepers™ Latch Boxes, available in a variety of sizes and colors, can store all kinds of items that are easily

misplaced in a dorm room, desk or locker. Each box has its own lid which features a sturdy wire bail-type latch. The latch boxes come in bright solid colors, pearlescent tones and even see-through tints that make contents easy to identify.

Other storage helps include snap-cases (see-through boxes with snap-close lids that hold all kinds of school necessities). Pop-up boxes, another innovation, are particularly helpful for college-bound students. When needed, these containers pop up to become full-size transportable totes for books, laundry or sports equipment. Because they're stackable, they save space in a small dorm room. When folded flat, the boxes slide neatly under a bed or into a closet. BS911097

## School sport collections: fad and functionality

BY AMBER BROOKMAN, JR.

It's back-to-school time. Fun? You bet, at least in school fashions and sport clothes. ISPO, Europe's sport fashion show in Munich, revealed a tremendous range of trends, themes, colors and details throughout the collections.

Sixties inspiration moved up the ladder as one of the most important themes at ISPO. Those fun and wonderful Emilio Pucci prints were seen all over and Peter Steinhilber used them in fun apres-tennis suits. These new graphic prints are just the beginning of a major involvement with the sixties.

Ombre tie dye effects, flower power prints and psychedelic Peter Max-like prints were seen in everything from bodysuits and leggings to multi-sport gear. Luhta and Dress the Bone used color combinations of citrus oranges, oriental reds and pinks, while designers from Sportalm chose to mix colors in garments using pales and brights such as washed lime, yellow and pink combined with tangerine.

The nature and ecology trends hit ISPO, and the designers wasted no time in using these inspirations for prints and colors. However, the ecology trend has not yet tempted the activewear market to abandon its use of synthetic fibers. Natural color motifs used were gold, bronze, terra (earth russet), lilac, mustard and forest green, all of which

mixed beautifully together. The eco-prints range from "animalia" used by Head in apres-sport knitwear to marble, stone, water ripple, tree bark and shadow effects. Arena used a marble batik effect on a body-suit/leotard, which was done with sunset brights mixed with earth tones. The newest look is iridescent fabric imitating the rich tones of oil flecks. Luhta's ski collection used oil-effect satin which looked chic and new.

Casual style and activewear as streetwear still remains the big trend. The emphasis is on the latest fabric and finishing techniques. The important factor is to mix functionality with high fashion appeal. Fabrics such as polar fleece, washed silk effects, microfibers and sanded finishes are key to the multi-functional wardrobe.

Street items such as winter shorts, leggings, the down filled jacket and vest are added to the list of important items for the growing multi-functional wardrobe. Cerutti used printed fleece in antique aqua and mauve for golfwear and washed corduroy for the winter short. High Society used jeans styling for ski pants; Sportalm used a printed polar fleece in an Aztec motif for apres-sport duffel coats.

Back-to-school styles will range from the sixties to multi-functional sport gear, but all will be fun, new and exciting. BS911015

### Here Are Tips for Buying Safe Toys for Your Children

(NU) - Can that toy chest trap a child? Will that popped balloon choke him? Does a little girl risk injury riding her bike without a helmet?

A free poster/brochure called "Play It Safe!" raises these points and offers tips to help parents protect their youngsters.

Published jointly by the Trial Lawyers of America and the Johns Hopkins Injury Prevention Center, the booklet points out potential dangers associated with a wide variety of playthings, from crib toys and buttons to electrical toys and guns. It even suggests what used toys to steer clear of at yard sales.

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### TV VIOLENCE

#### Excessive TV Viewing Can Harm Kids

(NU) - Some people feel there should be warning labels stuck on all television screens. They might read: Warning: Excessive viewing and TV violence can be harmful to children.

There is pretty strong evidence to show that watching TV violence has clear negative effects on kids. They can become less sensitive to pain and the sufferings of others through heavy doses of TV violence. As a result, they may become more fearful. Or they may develop a tendency toward aggression themselves, according to officials at Boys Town, in Boys Town, Neb.

There's a big difference between kids who are light viewers (one hour or less a day) and heavy viewers (four or more hours a day). Heavy viewers usually put in a lot less effort on school work, have poorer reading skills and have fewer hobbies and activities.

So what's a parent to do? Here's what Boys Town suggests: First, check out the amount of violence in the shows your kids enjoy. Watch several episodes over a period of time. You may want to keep a scorecard on how many times someone is shot or stabbed, bleeds to death or dies.

When you watch TV with your kids, talk about any violence that occurs. Explain how violence on entertainment programs is faked.

Set a weekly limit on TV viewing. Have your child select programs that you approve of from the television schedule at the beginning of the week. Rule out TV before breakfast and on school nights.

Make a list of alternative activities such as riding a bike, reading a book or working on a hobby. Before your child watches TV, insist that he or she do at least one thing from that list.

For information about videos on parenting, write for a free brochure: Boys Town Public Service Division, Boys Town, NE 68010.

### Fun facts

•Are cattails edible? They are. In fact, at some time during the year, every part is edible — the root, stalk, bloom spikes, leaves and all.

•Every year, about 350 earthquakes shake California. Only 45 of them can be felt by people.

•We all know mice like to eat cheese. But did you know they also love chocolate?

•Appearances can be deceiving: Gorillas are very fierce-looking animals, but they are actually quite gentle. In fact, they don't even kill other animals for food — they are vegetarians, and in bed by 6 p.m.!

•What is the ozone layer, anyway? Up in the sky, there's a layer of gas called ozone. It's above the air we breathe. This ozone is good: It blocks out many harmful sun rays. But now, the ozone layer is being damaged by gases called CFCs and halons. These float up to the ozone layer and "eat it up."

•A chicken (or other bird) is the only animal people eat before it's born and after it's dead.

•Believe it or not, there's a tribe of people in Malaysia (in southeast Asia) who get sick when they walk on dry land. These people are called the Bajaus. They live on boats, rocking on the water from birth to death. Strolling along the shore actually makes them dizzy!

•How much of an oil slick would three barrels of oil spilled at sea create? It would cover two square miles of the ocean. What a waste!

•Why are almost all cameras black? For no special reason at all. It's just what

people are used to.

•There is such a thing as a two-headed snake! Occasionally, these freaks-of-nature are born, and even though they share the same stomach, the two heads fight over food.

•A camel can drink a whole bathtub filled with water — non-stop!

•Brrrrrr! The Alaskan blackfish allows itself to freeze in the winter waters. When the spring arrives, the ice melts and the blackfish thaws out and swims normally.

•Hungry? Maybe, but that doesn't mean your stomach is empty. Sometimes certain nutrients are missing from your blood, and the message is sent to the "I'm hungry" area of your brain.

•Why does an ant invade your picnic? Because it can smell the food with its five noses!

•What's the most fierce animal in the sea? The shark? Maybe, but if it's in a battle with an octopus, bet on ol' eight legs.

•Have you ever seen a blue person? They do exist! The Garui Tribe in Arabia are known for their "blue" complexions. The production of the indigo plant, which is a deep blue color, is their principal industry. They die their clothes in the blue solution and smear their skin with it to prevent sickness. The tribe has been practicing this for hundreds of years...even the children are now born with blue complexions.

•Can you clean your ears with your tongue? A giraffe can with no problem!

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- 50 years of age and over - An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.
- Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.

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**DENTAL**

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(NU) - A recent clinical study by researchers at the University of California at Los Angeles has shown conclusively that the Water Pik Oral Irrigator, an oral health device manufactured by Teledyne Water Pik, is effective in reducing inflammation associated with early gum disease when used in conjunction with brushing and flossing.

The six-month UCLA study, published in the Journal of Periodontology, found that the use of the Water Pik Oral Irrigator — either with plain water or with a dilute prescription oral rinse — as an adjunct to brushing and flossing resulted in a significant reduction in gingival inflammation and bleeding.

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For more information, contact Teledyne Water Pik, 1730 E. Prospect St., Ft. Collins, CO 80525; or call 1-800-525-2774.

**HEALTH**

**Protecting Children From Lead Exposure**

(NU) - As many as 30 million American children may be affected by exposure to lead in drinking water — children whose mental and physical development might be stunted as a result, evidence suggests.

In response to this prospect, the federal government is considering new standards and sampling methods for lead levels in drinking water. Those regulations, written by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, will prompt many American water suppliers and communities to find corrosion control treatments.

But even before those standards

take effect, the evidence of potential impact on children is sparking efforts to fight lead exposure. And new weapons — such as baking soda — are being pressed into service to deal with one of the principal ways lead gets into water, corroded pipes.

In Fitchburg, Mass., for example, the lead content in drinking water has been reduced more than 75 percent by using a simple cost-effective bicarbonate method — developed by Church & Dwight Co., Inc., maker of Arm & Hammer Baking Soda — which increases and maintains the pH and alkalinity in soft water supplies to prevent further corrosion.

Local water and health authorities or county extension agents should be able to identify certified laboratory services in your area, or you may call the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline, 1-800-426-4791.

**BACK TO SCHOOL**

**STEP FAMILIES**

**Tips for Strengthening Stepfamilies**

(NU) - The nation today is filled with "blended" families. Everyday, 1300 new stepfamilies are formed, yet 75 percent of these relationships will break up. A major cause: issues related to children.

Stepfamilies need to make ongoing adjustments when kids become members of two households.

Here are some tips to help blended families get through some of the more difficult times ahead:

1. Accept the stepchild or step-parent "as is." Build a relationship around sharing interests, talents or skills.
  2. Set aside specific time for each family relationship to receive attention. Allow the relationship to define itself and improve over time.
  3. Develop activities for couple enrichment. Arrange to spend time alone both for pleasure and problem solving away from the fray.
  4. Join a support group or parenting class tailored to the needs of the remarried. Kids can benefit from a support program for children of divorce, too.
  5. Know that holidays will be "hot spots." Work towards a flexible and practical plan to cope with the emotional and financial strains. Allow your children to set some of their own priorities around visits and celebrations.
  6. Give children some time to adjust before and after a visit or phone conversation with their other parent. The unnecessary loss of closeness with either parent can be very upsetting to children.
- As a public service, the Independent Order of Foresters disseminates useful pointers for parents. Known as the Family Fraternal, the IOF also distributes educational booklets and films to support effective parenting and prevent child abuse. To learn more about these, call the IOF's toll-free number: 1-800-828-1540.

**ENVIRONMENT**

**Youngsters Care About Environment**

(NU) - How does the next generation feel about the environment? A recent survey of fifth and sixth graders across America found that most (95 percent) of the 1,011 students queried consider protecting the environment "very important." About two-thirds (68 percent) classified themselves as "environmentalists."

The survey, conducted earlier this year, was commissioned by the Arm & Hammer Division of the Church & Dwight Co. Inc., a pioneer in environmental causes.

About one in five student respondents said the ozone hole in the atmosphere and too much garbage were the biggest environmental problems. Almost nine out of 10 (86 percent) said that reducing the amount of garbage Americans throw away each day is "a very important" goal. Forty percent said air and water pollution were the most serious problems in their hometowns.

What are the young people doing about their concerns?

- Seventy percent said they would not buy products that harm the environment. They said they:
  - Would read labels to make sure the contents of various products do not pollute the ground, water and air (79 percent).
  - Would look at packages to make sure they are made from recycled materials (71 percent) or biodegradable materials (68 percent), or would make sure the packaging was not wasteful (51 percent).
- Ninety percent said they were re-using lunch bags, plastic bags and aluminum foil. Eighty percent or more said they were: turning the water off at home when it was not in use; shutting off lights when not using them; not leaving the refrigerator door open; taking or bundling old newspapers and magazines for recycling.

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Ken Baker, a former Howard County resident, has been searching for news of his mother and sister for more than 40 years? His search has turned up other relatives but he has yet to locate Anna Lee Jacks Thompson or her third child.

Texas lawmakers have considered the possibility of housing state prisoners in tents, saying, "If they're good enough for the military, they're good enough for inmates."

The Howard College Board of Trustees raised tuition from \$12 to \$16 per hour and added a \$20 general service fee?

The newly formed Howard County Coalition for the environment has scheduled a meeting Tuesday to begin planning for a recycling center in Big Spring? The public is invited to attend and participate.

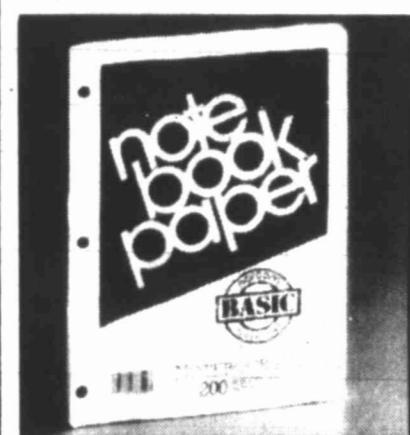
Motels in Big Spring were filled last weekend with people coming from out of town for the boat races and the Old Settlers Reunion?

These and many other stories of interest to you were in last week's Big Spring Herald daily.

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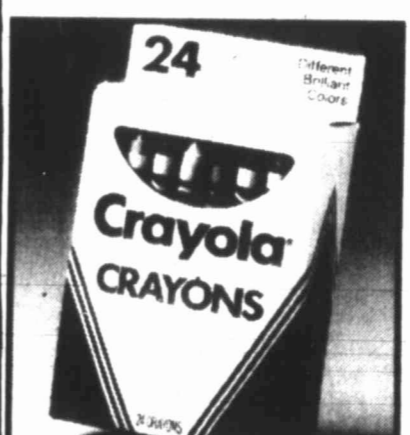
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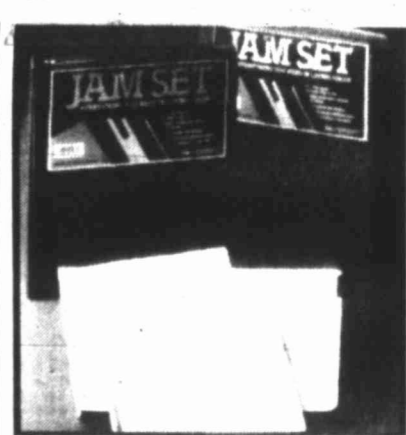
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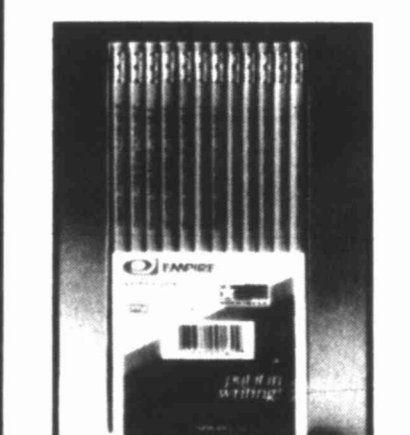
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## Cars For Sale 011

1987 CADILLAC RUNS good. High mileage \$1,950. Call 263-3367.  
 1988 GRAND AM LE. Exceptionally clean, loaded. Call 267-2107.  
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 COLLECTORS 1974 2002 BMW. New paint and new tires. New Weber carb. Mechanically great. Asking \$1,700. Call 263-1812.

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- '89 New Yorker.....\$8,295
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- '85 Chevrolet PU 4x4.....\$4,995
- '84 Suzuki Pickup.....\$1,650

### Snyder Hwy 263-5000

1984 CHEVROLET BLAZER, loaded, excellent condition, new tires. \$6,000. 573 0397 after 5:00 p.m.  
 1989 OLDS CUTLASS Supreme, international package, all options plus computer, local one owner, only 7,000 miles. Below book. Call 267-1345 or 267-7797.  
 1989 MARON 2 DOOR Gran Prix. Clean, excellent condition, tinted windows. 263-6878.  
 1979 FORD BRONCO. One owner, 4 wheel drive, hill, cruise, automatic. 1985 Mercury Topaz. Nice, new tires. 267-8531.

## Pickups 020

1985 Ford F250 3/4 ton longbed 6.9 diesel pickup. Low, low miles, cruise, air, AM/FM cassette, perfect condition and still under warranty. \$7,000. 264-9121.  
 1984 NISSAN PICKUP. 69,000 original miles. 394-4764, call after 5:00.

## Recreational Veh 035

1979 VOGUE 29' motor home. Dodge 440 Engine. 6.5 Onan Generator. 2 roof a/c's. New tires. good condition. Full bed in rear. Daytime call 267-7416. Ask for Terry or Dorothy.  
 1979 EL DORADO 24' mini motor home, 440 Dodge, Onan generator. Sell or trade. 267-2188 after 5:00 p.m.

## Campers 045

LIKE NEW 1990 Viking pop up camper trailer. \$1,250. 267-2671.

## Trailers 065

OFFICE TRAILER, 33'x8', 1/2 bath, refrigerated air both ends. Was asking \$3,500 will take \$2,500. 264-9121.  
 LARGE ROCKWOOD tent trailer in good condition. sleeps 8, new carpet, potti and new tire. **CANCEL** Larry Telephone

## Boats 070

1985 BAYLINER walk thru windshield, 85hp outboard, depth finder, vests and miscellaneous ski gear. Very clean. \$3,300. O.B.O. 263-1005.

## Business Opp. 150

LOCAL PAY phone route. Price for quick sale. 1-800-274-8088.  
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## Instruction 200

PRIVATE PIANO & voice lessons. Beginners through Advanced. Classical, popular, jazz and sacred music. Years of teaching experience. Phone 263-3367. Kentwood area.  
 Diesel Driver Training. UNEMPLOYED? BROKE? No exp. necessary. 9 wks. training. Financial aid and housing available if qualified. Must be 21 or older and have HS diploma or GED. 1-800-456-7364.

## Help Wanted 270

DAILY SALARY \$300 for buying merchandise. No exp. nec. 915-542-5503.  
 AUSTRALIA WANTS YOU! Excellent pay, benefits, transportation. 407-292-4747 ext. 1192. 9:00a.m. to 10:00p.m. Toll Refunded.  
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### BEST HOME Care is accepting applications for RN, LVN and Home Health Aide. Day shift with some weekend and night call. Apply in person to 1710 Marcy Drive.

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### WANTED. Office assistant girl Friday. Must be able to type well and use a word processor and computer. Send resumes to P.O. Box 3133, Big Spring, TX 79721.

### DISTRICT MANAGER. Person to supervise others in this area. Salary, commission. Could total \$40,000 first year. Must have good personality. Orientation in Memphis, Tennessee. Need \$2,100 deposit (accredited) to cover supplies. For details call Mr. Lawson, 1-800-358-5665 or 910-368-5665.

### SANDS CISD is taking applications for Elementary teacher. Applications will be received until position is filled. Please contact Zeida Bilbo, Principal at (915) 353-4744 or Sands CISD, P.O. Box 218, Ackerly, TX 79713.

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### WAITRESS NEEDED. full time evening shift. Must be 21 or older. Apply in person. Oasis Tavern, 800 West 4th.

### JOBS IN Kuwait. Tax free construction workers. \$75,000. Engineering. \$200,000. Oil field workers. \$100,000. Call 1-800-743-3440 Ext. 179.

### HELPER 17 OR older for house cleaning and repairs. Weekends. Apply 4-5:20p Scurry.

### NEED LIVE IN housekeeper to help care for 3 children. Call (915) 682-4205.

### NEED SOMEONE to tear down house and clear lot at 604 Rannels in exchange for materials. Call 267-1641.

### NOW HIRING for full time route sales position and part time pull up position. Must have high school diploma with at least 6 months sales experience. Must have excellent driving record for both positions and a Class A license for route sales position. Excellent benefits available. All applicants should apply at Texas Employment Commission located at 310 Owens Street. Ad paid for by Southwest Coca Cola. EOE.

### NOW HIRING for full time warehouse position from 12 noon until 9 p.m. High school diploma required with at least 6 months forklift experience. Excellent benefits available. All applicants should apply at the Texas Employment Commission located at 310 Owens Street. Ad paid for by Southwest Coca Cola. EOE.

## Jobs Wanted 299

FOR EFFICIENT lawn mowing, call Albert. 264-0315 or 263-1408.  
 RELIABLE, CHRISTIAN college fresh man has mower, tools, truck and will work. Please call 267-1319 or 263-1792.  
 HOUSE AND apartment cleaning! Reasonable rates. Discount for senior citizens. Also clean rent and for sale homes. Call 264-0021.  
 ENERGETIC DEPENDABLE 17 year old would like to mow lawns and do light hauling. 267-8704.  
 WILL CARE for the sick or elderly. 267-8704.  
 Child Care 375  
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## Farm Equipment 420

JOHN DEERE 1050 4 wheel drive tractor with front end loader. Only 631 hours, like new. Call (915) 573-1375 or (915) 573-6933, evenings.

## Grain Hay Feed 430

ALFALFA HAY Quality bales. \$3.50 and \$4. 263-8007 or 398-5234.

## Auctions 505

SPRING CITY AUCTION Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS 079-007759. Call 263-1831/263-0914. We do all types of auctions!

## Dogs, Pets, Etc 513

SAND SPRINGS KENNEL AKC Beagles, Chihuahuas, Poodles, Terriers, USDA Licensed. 393-5259.

## REGISTERED DACHSHUND adults, 4 male puppies \$100 each. 9:30-5:30 p.m., 263-0783.

## RED MINIATURE DACHSHUND 8 weeks old. Call after 6:00. 267-4297.

## AKC MINIATURE dachshund puppies. 354-2367.

## CUTE AND adorable poodle puppies. \$100. Call 263-5118.

## RED CHOW PUPPIES for sale. \$35. Call 263-1722.

## Pet Grooming 515

IRIS' POODLE Parlor. Grooming, indoor kennels, heated and air supplied, coats, etc. 2112 West 3rd, 263-2409, 263-1900.

## Lost-Pets 516

LOST MONTICELLO collie, male. Rottweiler 2 months, 45 to 80 lbs. Blue collar. Reward! 263-8769.

## Office Equipment 517

SANYO 800 copier, \$100. Call KBSI at 267-6391.

## Hunting Leases 522

HUNTING LEASE available. South of Sheffield. Deer, turkey, quail, javelina. (214) 318-5022.

## Musical Instruments 529

BALDWIN DOUBLE key organ and trombone for sale. Call 263-0150.

## Household Goods 531

REFRIGERATOR, LIVING room sofa, washer/dryer, dining table & chairs, bed room sofa, sofa, love seat, sleeper sofa. 267-8588.

NICE EVAPORATIVE cooler, white frost free refrigerator, almost new Kenmore washer and dryer, 30" gas range, upright deep freezer, color TV, 2 piece living room suite, maple china cabinet, one bedroom suite, 2x6 bunkbeds, Dukes Furniture.

KENMORE WASHER & dryer, king size waterbed with bolted headboard and mirror, refrigerator. Call 267-6490.

100 MULE Furniture! Dinning table, sofa, navy case & chairs, perfect condition. Two saved, excellent, one piece, burgundy, rocker recliner, full size & twin size mattresses. Call 263-1832 or 267-6650.

## Garage Sale 535

SATURDAY MONDAY. Moving sale. Furniture, appliances, tools, lawn mower, etc. 263-1832.

GAS RANGE, clothes, bed, living room suite, chairs. 1982 LTD. radio, auto, ems. 2603 Albrook.

## Produce 536

PEACHES FOR sale. Anna Hoehner, 51 Lawrence. 397-2226.

## Miscellaneous 537

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## Miscellaneous 537

KENWOOD 878 AM/FM Cassette stereo with CD changer, \$800. 399-4297, leave message.  
 AIR CONDITIONERS 12,000 BTU 220V. \$165. 267-2581.  
 BRAND NEW, never used large THERMOS gas grill. Cost \$189 new. Call 267-7603.  
 USED CARPET for sale, gray. Stainmaster. 267-1367.  
 RIDING LAWN mower, 7 horsepower Briggs & Stratton, good condition, \$175. Call 263-5456.  
 FOR SALE. G.E. washer & dryer, like new. Call 267-7648.  
 TINY TAILOR mending machine by Singer. Like new. \$125. 267-8704.

## Lost & Found Misc. 539

LOST IN Vestroom. Luther area. Two 1976 Chevrolet hubcaps. Grandmother in tizzy. Please call 399-4448.

## Want To Buy 545

WANTED: CRP Shredding. Call 915-459-2389.  
 WANT TO BUY computer desk, reasonable price. Call 263-5118.

## Telephone Service 549

TELEPHONES, JACKS, install. \$22.50. Business and Residential sales and services. J. Dean Communications, 267-5478.

## Houses For Sale 601

LARGE HOUSE 18 acres, barn, roping arena. Forsan School, 9 miles south of Big Spring. \$95,000 owner finance with down payment. Call Kenny Thompson, 270-0590, 263-4548 after 5:00.

CHARMING UPDATED. Gourmet kitchen, corner lot, double garage, beautiful neighborhood, many extras, assumable. Call 398-5320.

FOR SALE owner financed 2 bedroom, 1 bath, den, carport, plumbed for washer & dryer. New air conditioner, ceiling fans. Call 267-8184.

TWO BEDROOM brick house for sale. Call 267-8424.

ASSUMABLE NON QUALIFYING. 3 bedroom, 1 bath brick home with refrigerated air, central heat. Double garage. 2 carports. 30's. Call Joe Hughes at Home Real Estate. 263-1284 or home 353-4751.

LARGE 4 BEDROOM 2 bath home in quiet neighborhood. 30's. age. Call Joe Hughes at Home Real Estate. 263-1284 or home 353-4751.

## Lots For Sale 602

BARGAIN SALE! Two 80ft. lots, 3800 & 3802 Parkway \$1,000 each. Two 60ft. lots, 3800 & 3802 Dixon \$750 each. Call Bob Spotts, 263-4884.

FORSAN TWO improved lots, choice location, close to Forsan High School. \$1,000. Call 357-2250.

## Acreage For Sale 605

TAKE OVER payments on mobile home and 10 acres, 3 miles north of Sand Springs. 1-586-5776.

## Out of Town Property 610

FOUR BEDROOM, three baths, 3,600 sq. ft., 20 acres, 3 miles North of Tuscola. For more information, 915-514-7585.

## Cemetery Lots For Sale 620

2 SPACES IN Mt. Olivet, Trinity Memorial Park. Valued at \$1,000. will take \$1,000. 512-598-7647.

## Furnished Apartments 651

2 BEDROOM, 2 bath apartment. 1 bed room, updated, 1/2 bath, tile. Water paid. \$500 weekly. 267-7300.

1 BDRM/1 1/2 BATH apartment. 1 bed room, updated, 1/2 bath, tile. Water paid. \$500 weekly. 267-7300.

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**Housing Wanted 675**

WANT TO rent 1 bedroom house or apartment (furnished preferred but not necessary) for approximately 6 months beginning mid August or 1st of September. Please call 263-2406 and leave message.

**Business Buildings 678**

FOR LEASE: Building at 907 E. 4th, 9:00-5:00, 263-6319; after 5:00, 267-8657.

FOR RENT, car lot at 706 E. 4th, \$150 a month plus deposit. Call Westex Auto Parts at 263-5000.

FOR LEASE: Warehouse with offices on 2 acres of fenced land on Snyder Highway. Excellent location for trucking operation. \$750 a month plus deposit. 263-5000.

**Office Space 680**

1,000 SQ. FT. NEWLY decorated office space. Reception area and 3 offices with conference room and kitchen. Call 267-8310, between 10-5.

**Manufactured Housing 682**

TWO TRAILERS for rent. 1 2-bedroom (\$275), 1 small 1-bedroom (\$225). All bills paid. Outside city limits. 267-7108.

**Announcements 685**

I WILL not be responsible for any bills made other than myself. Donnie Latimer.

**Lodges 686**

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

STATED MEETING Skated Plains Lodge No. 598 every 2nd and 4th Thursday 7:30 p.m. 219 Main, Ricky Scott, W.M., T.R. Morris, Sec.

**Special Notices 688**

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**Personal 692**

ADOPTION: Christian couple with abundance of love wishes to adopt an infant to share our country home. Legal & confidential. Please call collect after 7:00 p.m. weekdays or anytime weekends. (203)838-0950.

**SINGLE GIRLS IN (915) AREA!!! 1-900-820-3838 \$3/min. Must be 18 yrs.**

ADOPTION: A beautiful life awaits your newborn. All expenses paid. Call Vicky and Paul collect anytime. 908-706-1271. EFFECTIVE JULY 30, 1991. I, Robert Brewer, am responsible for no debts other than my own.

**Too Late To Classify 900**

ATTENTION ALL Garage Sale Customers, let's keep Big Spring Beautiful by removing garage sale signs after your sale. Thank you!

BE SURE TO CHECK OUT the Professional Services Directory for new and established services in the Big Spring area. It runs daily in the Classified section of the Big Spring Herald.

1978 3/4 TON FORD pickup. Heaters, furniture, cookbooks, jewelry, clothes, treadmill. 508 E. 2nd.

3 BEDROOM HOUSE: 3202 Auburn Street. \$295 monthly, \$100 deposit. For information call 267-6667.

2 BEDROOM HOME with enclosed garage at 1316 Stadium, \$18,000. Call Weaver Real Estate, 267-8840, nights.

3 BEDROOM, SWIMMING pool. Refrigerated air, central heat. New roof, sprinkler system. \$29,900. 263-6346.

NEEDED: WELDER to work in Phoenix area. Expenses paid. Contact Steve Green at 263-1311.

1982 WHITE LINCOLN 4 door Continental, Loaded! It's a bargain! 267-3143.

MECHANIC NEEDED. Experienced in transmission repair. Tools and references a must. Call 267-5044.

**Association Offers Plan To Cover Air Ambulances**

(NU) - If you become sick or injured during a trip or vacation, or at home, a medical flight back to your home or to an appropriate medical facility is costly.

And that cost won't be covered by Medicare and other insurance policies, according to the Medical Air Services Association (MASA).

In an emergency, air transportation to a medical facility closer to home could be your greatest hope for recovery, MASA officials say.

To fill this void in medical coverage, United Savers Association (USA) has developed an affordable, membership-based plan that provides air transportation for consumers.

For more information or to join, call 1-800-336-6730, extension 222.

**Ewa Mataya Named Woman Player of the Year**

(NU) - Ewa Mataya of Grand Ledge, Mich., has been named "Woman Pocket Billiards Player of the Year."

The attractive ex-model, a member of the Brunswick Billiards Professional Staff, was the overwhelming selection as the top female player based on her winning five major championships and finishing as the leading money winner on the pro tour.

Since winning the national pocket billiards championship in her native Sweden at the age of 17 and moving on to become the European Champion in 1981, she has consistently ranked as a top contender on the American women's pro tour.



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- 90 Ford Taurus — Loaded. Beautiful car! ..... \$8,950
- 85 Ford Pickup Supercab XLT Package — Nice truck! ..... \$6,950

**AUTO SALES**

263-0822

**When It Comes To Long Term Savings a CD Can't Hold a Candle To The Deferred Annuity**

Consider These Dramatic Differences Between a CD and an Annuity

Current Interest Rate*	7.75%	6.5%
Interest Earnings	Tax-Deferred	Currently Taxable
Surrender Charges Limited To 8 Years**	Yes	No
Partial Free Withdrawals**	Yes	No
Safety	Reserves Established by Insurance company	FDIC
30 Year After-Tax Accumulation***	\$332,868	\$197,188
30 Year After-Tax Monthly Income***	\$3,028	\$1,629

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**Pay Gray announced mobile glass service**

Pat Gray Body Works has added a new division: Pat Gray Mobile Glass Service.

When a customer's car needs glass replacement — windshield, rear window or side windows — the company's van with trained installer and special equipment will go to his home or place of business and perform the job quickly and conveniently. The service is, of course, available in the company's shop as well.

The damaged glass may be the result of a collision, hail, rocks or vandalism. Quick replacement is an important consideration in the hot days of summer or during rainstorms or blustery winter weather.

"We can get the correct glass for your car the next morning," says Pat Gray. The Lubbock supplier makes deliveries daily.

It's important to know your supplier and your installer, warns Gray. In the newer cars, the glass plays a part in the structural integrity of the design. The glass must be installed to the manufacturers' specifications, with special



Personnel at Pat Gray's Body Works are shown installing a new windshield. The firm has just announced the opening of a new division — Pat Gray's Mobile Glass Service.

strength adhesive. "Improper installation could pose a safety problem," says Gray.

The mobile service also provides on-site installation of vinyl tops, side moldings and interior headliners.

Gray says the firm can provide obsolete or hard-to-find glass quickly; for example, for a customer who is restoring a vintage car.

Written warranties are provided for all collision repairs at Pat Gray Body Works — Lifetime Warranty on workmanship; and five years on paint jobs, a real plus if you've ever experienced paint jobs that fade after a few months. Computerized estimates — while you wait — are one of the shop's newest features. These estimates are so accurate your insurance company will act on

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