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## News Digest

### Community luncheon to feature Kay Baker

The first of four Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Community Luncheon programs will feature Kay Baker, CEO of Baker, Byrd & Associates, Inc.

The Thursday luncheon is scheduled to begin at 11:45 a.m. in Garrett Hall of the First United Methodist Church.



Kay Baker

Baker is a former trainer for the Texas State Comptroller and began her own business in 1985. She conducts seminars, speaks, writes and consults on such topics as office automation, telemarketing, quality service, dealing with difficult people and the business of self-promotion.

For more information regarding the luncheon, call the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce at 263-7641.

### Heart of City meet set

The Heart of the City group will hold a membership rally at the Railroad Plaza, 100 Main St., next Tuesday at 7 p.m.

The St. Patrick's Day gathering will feature hamburgers and drinks and all persons interested in the Heart of the City Festival are encouraged to attend.

### Business news sought

The Herald is actively soliciting news for its expanded Sunday business section, which includes items of general business interest as well as agribusiness and energy news.

News items for the section must be turned in to the Herald editorial department by noon Thursday for inclusion in that Sunday's edition.

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● Arkansas Tech wins NAIA title: Shooting 67 percent from the field and with 29 points from Dawn Grell, Arkansas Tech made good on that plan by downing Wayland Baptist 84-68 Tuesday night for the NAIA women's title. See Page 6A.

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● Man obsessed with uneaten food: David Bouley is obsessed. Day after day, night after night, he stands in the kitchen of his splendid, four-star restaurant, inspecting each Limoge plate twice — once when it leaves and once when it returns. If it returns with uneaten food, he wants to know why. See Page 1A.

## Weather

Tonight, partly cloudy. Low in the mid 30s. South wind 5-10 mph.

Thursday, partly cloudy. High in the mid 60s. South wind 5-15 mph.

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# Standard picks up 62 percent in win

By PATRICK DRISCOLL  
Staff Writer

Tuesday's Democratic primary for Howard County sheriff ended a campaign fraught with allegations of irresponsibility from both sides and left the sheriff the winner and the challenger confident but bitter.

### PRECINCT RESULTS — 7A

"I feel very humbled and flattered," said 28-year-incumbent A.N. Standard of his win, in which he grabbed 62 percent of 4,858 votes, including majorities in the early voting poll boxes and all but two of 22 precinct boxes. Standard outpolled Wallace 3,033 to

1,825.

Standard now faces Republican Neel G. Barnaby Jr., facility administrator of the Big Spring Correction Center, in the Nov. 3 general election.

Democratic challenger Jimmy Wallace, an eight-year sheriff deputy placed on forced administrative leave without pay when he filed for office in January, said the loss helped strengthen personal goals and convictions. "I have the family and friends I had going in, only I now can even more appreciate their value."

However, Wallace, who maintains he was fired by Standard, says he does not have the job with which he began. Standard said that is not true, that

Wallace was not fired and the door is open for discussion for Wallace to resume duties.

"Mr. Standard fired me," Wallace said. He also criticized Standard, saying, "Mr. Standard (has) slandered me."

Standard said, "Certainly there have been some abrasive things said and there will have to be some healing on that."

Asked if Wallace would resume duties, Standard said, "I'll keep an open mind on that and see what his desires are and go from there. The door's open as far as I'm concerned, if he wants to negotiate."

Wallace, asked if he wanted to

negotiate, did not answer and ended an interview by hanging up the telephone.

Wallace, whose campaign centered on bringing progressive changes to the sheriff's department, said last week that Standard may be mismanaging the department. An example is the combining of mileage reports — for at least a year — by Standard using one set of rounded-off numbers for two unmarked vehicles. Wallace said it may be the "tip of the iceberg."

County Auditor Jackie Olson said the combined reports, which stopped in January when one vehicle was sold, did not cause a problem.

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# Bush, Clinton sweep Dixie

By JOHN KING  
AP Political Writer

President Bush and Democrat Bill Clinton celebrated Super Tuesday landslides today and aimed for knockout blows in the industrial Midwest. Rivals Patrick Buchanan and Paul Tsongas vowed to fight on.

### NATIONAL RESULTS — 8A

The president soundly defeated Buchanan in the eight GOP primaries Tuesday, but the conservative challenger insisted "we haven't changed our determination at all." He said he would remain in the race through California's June 2 primary.

Tsongas, the former Massachusetts senator, sought to downgrade his losses, saying the Super Tuesday contests were principally on Clinton's home turf.

"Now that we get into Illinois and Michigan where there's neutral territory, I think we're going to do fine," Tsongas told television interviewers today.

Arkansas Gov. Clinton also appeared on the interview shows and rejected the argument that he benefited from Southern pride.

"I just don't accept that analysis," he said. "Sen. Tsongas fought very heavily in Texas and we got two-thirds of the vote there. It is not a traditional Southern state. He made a real effort in Tennessee and we got two-thirds of the vote there. And, of course, a majority in Florida where 80 percent of the people were not born in the state."

But Clinton was not ready to declare himself the victor. "This race has got a long way to go," he

said. Clinton won eight of 11 Democratic contests, picking up a huge cache of delegates and regaining the front-runner label he had lost to a swirl of controversies in New Hampshire.

"I must say it is only tonight that I fully understand why they call this Super Tuesday," Clinton said after big wins in Florida, Texas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Missouri — including whopping majorities among black voters. He also won Hawaii's Democratic caucuses.

Tsongas carried his home state of Massachusetts, neighboring Rhode Island and Delaware.

Bush equated his eight-state sweep to support for his legislative priorities. "We are winners again tonight," he declared after his victories in Florida, Texas, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Oklahoma, Mississippi, Tennessee and Rhode Island.

The latest Associated Press delegate count gave Bush 554 to 51 for Buchanan and one for David Duke. In the Democratic contest, Clinton had 707.25; Tsongas 347.25, and former California Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. 81.25. A total of 288.75 Democratic delegates were uncommitted and handful of others were scattered among former candidates.

The fight in both parties now shifts to St. Patrick's Day clashes in Illinois and Michigan, where Tsongas must win to keep Clinton from sprouting away from the Democratic pack.

"You're not going to pander your way into the White House as long as I'm around" was Tsongas' defiant election-night message to Clinton. "What the Democratic Party needs



Democratic presidential hopeful Bill Clinton and his wife, Hillary, are all smiles at the podium as they celebrate Super Tuesday wins in downtown Chicago. Clinton won six of eight Super Tuesday primary elections.

Super Tuesday wins in downtown Chicago. Clinton won six of eight Super Tuesday primary elections.

and what America needs is more courageous lions and less pander bears in the zoo."

For now, Buchanan was ignoring the GOP establishment chorus urging him to step aside, saying he had "miles to go before we sleep" and predicting Michigan would prove fertile ground for his right-leaning rebellion.

Duke proved little more than a distraction Tuesday in the South, his home region.

Already in Chicago, Clinton said his "people-first economics" offered the best hope to people "in Illinois and Michigan, where the most skilled workers in the world are now among the highest numbers of the unemployed."

Polls show Clinton with a slight lead in Illinois and a tight race in Michigan, where former California Gov. Jerry Brown is aggressively wooing union workers and could prove a wild card.

Clinton now has one-third the delegates needed for nomination and a sweep next week would all but end the race. On the other hand, a Tsongas comeback in the Midwest, where front-runners have stumbled before, would send the fight onto Connecticut, New York and possibly to Wisconsin, Pennsylvania and beyond.

If there were any surprises in the GOP race, it was that the level of anti-Bush protest vote appeared to wane a bit. Buchanan cracked 30 percent in just two states, Florida and Rhode Island, in part because a sliver of the protest vote elsewhere went to former Klansman Duke.

Despite the president's success, there were tremors of protest: exit polls found widespread disapproval of his job performance, and one in eight Southern GOP voters said they planned to vote Democratic in the fall.

## City council acts on board, jail

By GARY SHANKS  
Staff Writer

The Big Spring City Council took the first official action setting up the Citizens Advisory Board for the police department and agreed to pay half of the expense of a consulting firm to review the Howard County and Big Spring jail facilities.

The advisory board's bylaws were accepted unanimously on first reading. The bylaws restrict citizens from coming to the board without first filing their complaint with the police department, except under the most unusual circumstances (All three board officers must agree that a case may bypass the police department).

A \$200 fine is imposed on any police officer who refused to come testify before the board, although as long as the officer appeared, he could not be forced to answer questions that could incriminate him.

Nominations to the board will be made at the second and final reading of the ordinance on the March 24 council meeting.

Also at Tuesday's meeting, the council agreed on final vote to provide half of about \$9,000 to a consulting firm to evaluate the city and county jail facilities and offer suggestions regarding the consolidation of the two.

Danny Heckler, an angered business owner, lambasted the police department for its inability to make any arrests in the five burglaries of his used car dealership. Heckler said he has had vehicles stolen and the office broken into on the other four occasions. "It's a hell of a note when you're afraid to come to work and see if you've

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## Sims, Fraser win easily

By PATRICK DRISCOLL  
Staff Writer

State Sen. Bill Sims of San Angelo walloped Sen. Temple Dickson of Sweetwater in Tuesday's Democratic primary for Senate District 25 by getting 66 percent of 75,252 votes. Sims had 49,507 votes to 25,745 for Dickson.

In the Republican primary, Rep. Troy Fraser, of Big Spring and Llano County, also easily won with 57 percent of 26,478 votes against Jim Deats of Boerne, 25 percent, and Charles Johnson of Kerrville, 17 percent. Fraser garnered 15,410 votes to Deats' 6,618 and Johnson's 4,450.

"We're excited to have Dickson out of the race," said Fraser, who with Sims had hammered at Dickson, an attorney, for assisting trial lawyers to oppose legislation to reduce workmen's compensation insurance rates and bottling up product liability and deceptive trade practice bills favored by business interests.

"I feel great," said Sims, who said Dickson called Tuesday night to offer congratulations and help on programs affecting the district. They are still friends, despite some tough campaign rhetoric between them, Sims said.

Dickson could not be reached for comment. He had said before that the workmen's bill was not effective in reducing insurance rates and denied bottling up bills in question while chairman of the Senate

Economic Development Committee, saying fair hearings were given and votes taken.

Sims, a senator since 1982, and Dickson, senator since 1989, were paired in the district by a court-ordered redistricting plan that Sims fought for but Dickson disliked.

Fraser, a representative since 1989, was paired in a House plan with Democrat Rep. David Counts of Knox City, and decided to run in the senate race. Llano County is in the district, which stretches from northwest of San Antonio to Mitchell County.

Sims, executive secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, and Fraser, owner of Fraser Industries, said the race now will center more on issues — less on harsh rhetoric.

As far as any mudslinging, Sims said, "I don't think there'll be any of that."

Fraser said, "It will not be a personal attack. That's not my style, that's not Bill's style." He added, "We have an obligation to explore the difference in philosophies."

A "key issue" is state spending, said Fraser, who pointed to the \$59 billion biennial budget and \$2.7 billion tax-and-fee increase passed last year but opposed by most Republicans, including Fraser. It was supported by most Democrats, including Sims.

However, Sims said, "I don't see too much disagreement." Included

in the passed budget was \$1.4 billion slated for new school programs, a major argument for passage.

Another issue is restructuring how funds are distributed between rich and poor school districts, which the Texas Supreme Court says is unconstitutional.

Fraser proposes eliminating recapture of local property taxes and county education districts and then spreading moneys for new school programs to ensure equitable funding of school districts. "There is sufficient money in the budget to do this," Sims said he has not taken a position yet. "I have none whatsoever at this point except the other (present system) is not working."

Concerning an issue in Mitchell County over a proposed hazardous waste facility, Fraser said he is glad county commissioners there recently rescinded a host agreement for it, saying there was lots of local opposition.

"It has to be a local decision," Fraser said. "Texas has an obligation to take care of our waste but we have no obligation to take care of waste from New York City (or out-of-state)."

Sims cautioned that hazardous waste must be disposed of somehow. "Somewhere, they're going to have to get rid of it in Texas," he said. "They need to think about it."

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# Texas

## Railroad battle now set

AUSTIN (AP) — Democratic Railroad Commissioner Lena Guerrero and the man who wants to unseat her, Republican Barry Williamson, are ready to go head-to-head after winning their parties' nomination.

"Our real battle is in November," said Ms. Guerrero, 34, who was appointed by Gov. Ann Richards to fill a commission vacancy.

Ms. Guerrero is the first woman and first Hispanic to serve on the century-old Railroad Commission. She heads the panel, which regulates the state's oil, gas and trucking industries.

Williamson, 34, of Dallas, is a former West Texas oilman who has held federal energy posts.

"The emphasis really is experience to do the job, to create opportunity in Texas, and make Texas the leader it once was," Williamson said.

With 98 percent of the precincts reporting in the Republican primary race, Williamson had 337,580 votes, or 52 percent, and Ms. Rylander had 317,137, or 48 percent.

In the Democratic primary, with 99 percent of precincts reporting,

Ms. Guerrero had 800,521 votes, or 60 percent, and challenger David Young had 541,843, or 40 percent.

Ms. Guerrero called Young, 47, "decent and honorable." Young, a Texas Department of Insurance regulator, has lost three previous bids for statewide office.

Williamson said that he had asked Ms. Rylander for her help in the general election race. Ms. Rylander, 52, is a former three-term Austin mayor who serves on the National Petroleum Council. Once a Democrat, Ms. Rylander joined the GOP in 1985.

"Carole will do anything she can to help remove Lena Guerrero," said John Weaver, a consultant to Ms. Rylander's campaign.

Ms. Guerrero has the governor in her corner.

"Lena Guerrero represents in an emotional way all of the things that I think the New Texas stands for," Richards said.

"I can think of no one who exemplifies better that hard work, that entrepreneurial spirit, that belief that Texas is going into the future" than Ms. Guerrero, said Richards.

Williamson jabbed at Ms. Guerrero, saying that "a nobody"

without campaign funds was able to make a strong showing against her. Young, who promised to take no contributions from regulated industries, had said he was making a statement by raising no money for the primary election.

"Three months ago, we committed to a strategy that we would hold back our financial resources to try to win (the primary) by 50 percent plus one more vote ... I think what is (significant) is that they spent all of their money and we've got all of ours," Ms. Guerrero said.

She has raised more than \$1 million, and has about \$650,000 left, said Gretchen Vaden, Ms. Guerrero's campaign manager.

Ken Luce, Williamson's campaign manager, said that he has raised about \$706,000, including a \$160,000 personal loan, and spent most of it.

However, Luce said, "Raising money's not going to be a problem for Barry." A number of people have estimated that \$1 million to \$1.5 million will be needed for the general election, Luce said.

Williamson's father-in-law is Midland oilman Bobby Holt, a GOP



**Celebrating**  
Incumbent Railroad Commissioner Lena Guerrero (right) with Gov. Ann Richards by her side Tuesday night. Guerrero defeated Democratic challenger David Young.

fundraiser.

The Railroad Commission seat was the only statewide executive office on the ballot this year.

The agency today has very little to do with railroads, although it

does handle some safety and inspection matters. It is mostly concerned with oil and gas production, intrastate trucking, surface mining, gas utilities and the safe handling of liquefied petroleum gas.

Commission members also serve on the Texas High-Speed Rail Authority, which is overseeing private efforts to build a 200 mph bullet train linking Texas' largest cities.

## SS agent charged with assault

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A Secret Service agent assigned to provide security during the recent drug summit has been charged with misdemeanor assault in connection with a shoving incident, officials say.

The charge against agent Eric Pingcolt, 34, was filed Monday in connection with the Feb. 25 assault

of Constantino Hernandez, 19, who was shoved against a public telephone booth in the downtown area.

Pingcolt was off-duty at the time of the incident, authorities said.

A second victim said he was punched in the abdomen by an agent, but the city is not prosecuting that case. Charges could be brought by

the district attorney.

Another agent present at the incident was not charged.

"It's something we consider to be very serious," said Secret Service spokesman Carl Meyer, adding that Pingcolt is on inactive status and is doing administrative work. "Our investigation is somewhat complete."

## Houston reassigning undercover cops

HOUSTON (AP) — The city's new police chief is reassigning about 150 undercover officers to patrol duty to beef up police visibility on city streets.

Police Chief Sam Nuchia's announcement Tuesday drew immediate criticism from some officers, who claim the loss of undercover officers from the

tactical response teams will cause drug peddlers becoming more active and more brazen.

"The street dealers are going to go wild. It will be impossible to make first-degree felony possession cases against these guys. Once they see the blue and white coming they will drop their dope and take off and you

can never make a case on them," one tactical team member said.

Each patrol bureau of the Houston Police Department has a tactical response team whose members work in an undercover role against street-level drug dealing and vice.

## Names in the news

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — So far this spring, Bo Jackson has known pain — too much of it for him to continue playing baseball with a hip injury.

Jackson said Tuesday he has decided to have hip replacement surgery, even if it means the end of his career as a two-sport athlete. He has been trying to win a job with the Chicago White Sox "as a designated hitter."

"My main objective is to get rid of the nagging pain and get rid of the limp," he said. "I feel like myself, except for running. And if you can't run, you can't play."

The 29-year-old athlete will undergo the surgery this summer. Jackson became a sports phenomenon by starring as a running back in football and as an outfielder in baseball. He hurt his hip playing football for the Los Angeles Raiders in 1991.

After rehabilitation, he came back for the final month of the 1991 baseball season, with lukewarm results. The injury got worse this spring.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Natalie Cole's musical tribute to her late father, Nat "King" Cole, continues to rack up awards.

Her album "Unforgettable" won two honors at Tuesday night's sixth annual Soul Train Music Awards, a celebration of black-oriented music.

Miss Cole was this year's top Grammy winner and won American Music and NAACP Image awards. To those she added Soul Train trophies for best rhythm and blues-soul album of the year for a female artist and best jazz album.

Newcomers Color Me Badd picked up trophies for R&B song of the year and best single by a group, band or duo for their song "I Wanna Sex You Up."

Luther Vandross won R&B-soul album of the year for male artist with his "Power of Love."

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Director Steven Spielberg and actress Kate Capshaw are parents again.

Capshaw gave birth Tuesday to Sawyer Spielberg, a boy weighing 8 pounds, 3 ounces, the couple's publicist said. Spielberg and Capshaw, who married last year, have a 21-month-old daughter and a 3-year-old adopted son.

Spielberg has a 6-year-old son, from his marriage to actress Amy Irving. Capshaw has a daughter, 15, from her marriage to Bob Capshaw.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Television personality Sarah Purcell will join Gary Collins on ABC's morning talk show "Home."

Her first day will be Thursday, the network said.

Purcell replaces Beth Ruyak, who has left to pursue another TV job.

Purcell most recently was host of the syndicated celebrity interview series "Public People, Private Lives." She was co-host of "Real People" in the late 1970s and early '80s.

MIAMI (AP) — Playwright Edward Albee is asking a judge to dismiss an indecent exposure charge.

The 64-year-old Albee was cited in January after police officers spotted him sitting naked on a beach frequented by nude sunbathers. The charge carries up to a year in jail and a \$1,000 fine.

Albee's attorney, Rhea P. Grossman, entered an innocent plea Monday, saying genital exposure isn't against the law unless it's done in a vulgar or indecent way. Albee wasn't at the hearing.

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**Sergeant-at**  
WASHINGTON (AP) account holders took a generous overdraft House bank, including sergeant-at-arms law facility and one law wrote 996 bad check report says.  
"The longstanding House bank in no drafts on members' a unwise and should discontinued years ago ethics committee said.  
The committee's report, obtained Tuesday Associated Press, said bank's no-penalty overdrafts was unknown to members.  
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NEW YORK (AP) shooting of a mob turn appears to be a radical from the Mafia tradition members' wives, ch other female relatives.  
Patricia Capazallo, in the back and neck a wounded Tuesday by men who fired into her Capazallo, who is married three children, had just home after driving school.  
"I know of no other woman relative of a M

**AIDS v**  
WASHINGTON (AP) Barnes and Tim Braut feel betrayed by a federal that reneged on its provide free, legal means ease their suffering from.  
"We've gone through hoops," Barnes, 36, said from his home on Michigan peninsula, referring to forts and those of.  
"We've acted in good faith, Barnes said, "agreed reasons. So where is the They don't have any

# Nation/World

## Russia considering missile ban

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — Russia's foreign minister is ready to consider banning the world's most dangerous missiles as part of a new treaty with the United States that would reduce nuclear weapons sharply on both sides.

Andrei Kozyrev's declaration on multiple warhead missiles Tuesday could facilitate his talks here today with Secretary of State James A. Baker III on preparations for a mid-June U.S.-Russian summit in Washington.

Kozyrev and Baker also were to help launch an international center to be built outside Moscow for retraining Soviet nuclear scientists. Officials hope they scientists can be dissuaded from accepting offers from Third World countries with nuclear programs of their own.

Branches will be set up in other former Soviet republics, as well. Some 2,000 to 3,000 scientists could be involved in the International Science and Technology Center

project. Baker, Kozyrev and German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher proposed the center last month. The United States and the European Community are backing it with \$25 million each.

As the United States and Russia draw closer together, U.S. attention is focused increasingly on keeping former Soviet nuclear scientists under control. Some are being hired to develop fusion power, while the United States and its European allies will assist in the conversion of weapons plants to civilian uses.

Kozyrev's offer to consider a ban on long-range missiles with up to 10 warheads each, known as multiple independently targeted re-entry vehicles or MIRVs, gives his meeting here with Baker a positive push.

"We'll certainly discuss the preparations for the summit meeting," the foreign minister told reporters. "We will try to achieve a

mutually acceptable compromise."

Baker had hoped to elicit from Kozyrev, a generally willing partner in arms reductions, a proposal to ban the MIRVed missiles.

Even while swapping far-reaching plans with the Bush administration, Moscow had shied away from the touchy issue of its powerful force of multiple-warhead, strategic missiles.

Kozyrev signaled this may be the occasion to change that.

"We have to bring our positions closer, together, including the elimination of MIRVed missiles."

The statement suggested Russia has its eye also on banning the long-range, multiple-warhead missiles carried aboard U.S. submarines.

President Bush has proposed slashing 50 percent of the long-range missile warheads that would remain on both sides under last year's Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty.



Associated Press photo

### NATO representatives

The 33 foreign ministers of NATO-allied countries who met Tuesday pose with NATO General Secretary Manfred Woerner before the NATO logo metal sculpture in the gardens of the NATO headquarters in Brussels. The

NATO allies welcomed 10 former Soviet republics into a special forum that will give their former adversaries a chance to air security concerns.

### Sergeant-at-arms also misused bank

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many account holders took advantage of a generous overdraft policy at the House bank, including the sergeant-at-arms who ran the facility and one lawmaker who wrote 996 bad checks, an ethics report says.

"The longstanding practice of the House bank in honoring overdrafts on members' accounts was unwise and should have been discontinued years ago," the House ethics committee said.

The committee's majority report, obtained Tuesday by The Associated Press, said the defunct bank's no-penalty policy for overdrafts was unknown to some House members.

But "many others knew about it

and took full advantage" of the policy, the report said. "It ultimately brought discredit to all members and, most seriously, to the House as an institution."

The report said the House sergeant-at-arms, Jack Russ, "misused" his office by cashing 19 overdrafts at the bank, which was under his jurisdiction until it was closed late last year. The checks were cashed between July 1988 and August 1989.

Russ eventually made good on the deficiency.

The report said Russ "testified that he delegated the job of implementing reforms" to his bank director "and that he was surprised to later learn that they were not always carried out."



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### Lying in ruin

A dog lies amidst the ruins of a mobile home that was destroyed in the pre-dawn hours Tuesday by a tornado that ripped through the Zero Community near Meridian, Miss. Three people died in the storm and 47 were injured.

### Aziz pleads for easing of sanctions

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Iraq's top envoy is pleading for an easing of crippling U.N. sanctions

but has found little sympathy from U.N. officials, who say their findings show that Baghdad continues to defy cease-fire accords.

Tariq Aziz, Iraq's deputy prime minister, was to appear before the Security Council today to answer charges that Iraq is hiding weapons and ignoring other provisions of the cease-fire that ended the Persian Gulf war.

But Aziz — the chief Iraqi spokesman during the Persian Gulf

crisis — is expected to argue that the government of Saddam Hussein is making good faith efforts to meet U.N. demands and should be rewarded with at least a partial lifting of economic sanctions.

Iraq asserts the U.N. trade embargo is causing malnutrition and suffering. It claimed this week that the sanctions have caused more than 20,000 deaths.

The 15-nation Security Council, however, says Iraq has consistently sought to skirt its obligations under the March 1991 cease-fire.

"This is not a negotiating meeting at all," said U.S. Ambassador Thomas R. Pickering. "The Iraqis wanted to come to the council and answer any and all questions and that's what we expect them to do."

### Peace talks with Communists halted

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Communist rebels said today that peace talks on ending their 23-year-old insurgency were to have begun this month, but were scuttled by President Corason Aquino.

Government sources confirmed informal talks had been held with the Communist-dominated National Democratic Front but were broken off because of leaks from the rebels.

In a statement today, the Front said its representatives were to

have met Monday and Tuesday in Brussels, Belgium, with the armed forces chief of staff, Gen. Lisandro Abadia; Defense Secretary Renato de Villa; and Rep. Jose Yap.

It said de Villa informed the rebels last week that the session was being canceled to give the government panel "more time to coordinate among themselves" and because of fears the rebels would use the talks for propaganda purposes.

### Sister of mafia turncoat shot in back

NEW YORK (AP) — The shooting of a mob turncoat's sister appears to be a radical departure from the Mafia tradition of sparing members' wives, children and other female relatives.

Patricia Capazzolo, 38, was shot in the back and neck and seriously wounded Tuesday by two masked men who fired into her car. Mrs. Capazzolo, who is married and has three children, had just returned home after driving her son to school.

"I know of no other case where a woman relative of a Mafia guy was

the primary target in a shooting like this," said criminologist Howard Abadinsky, author of the textbook "Organized Crime."

"That's supposed to be a no-no." "It opens up a whole new ball game," agreed Carl Sifakis, author of "The Mafia Encyclopedia."

Mrs. Capazzolo is the sister of Peter "Fat Pete" Chiodo, a former capo in the Lucchese crime family who became a government witness after he was wounded in a mob hit. Chiodo is one of several mob informers who may testify against John Gottl.

## AIDS victims feeling betrayed over government marijuana decision

WASHINGTON (AP) — Jim Barnes and Tim Braun say they feel betrayed by a federal government that reneged on its promise to provide free, legal marijuana to ease their suffering from AIDS.

"We've gone through all the hoops," Barnes, 36, said Tuesday from his home on Michigan's upper peninsula, referring to his own efforts and those of his doctor. "We've acted in good faith."

The Food and Drug Administration, Barnes said, "agreed with our reasons. So where is the problem? They don't have any grounds to

stand on." In Minneapolis, 44-year-old Braun said the government's decision to deny the marijuana had been "made by some bozos that don't get their fat duffs out of the office and ask doctors who work with patients like this, talk to the patients who are using it, talk to the families and friends that see the difference."

The government decided — after reviewing assessments of marijuana's medical uses and dangers — that most Americans suffering from AIDS, cancer, glaucoma and muscular diseases such as multiple

sclerosis may not use marijuana to ease their plight, Public Health Service spokesman Bill Grigg said Tuesday.

The only people allowed to smoke the drug legally for medical purposes are the 13 people now getting it free from the federal government, Grigg said. The government will continue to provide it to them.

The health service didn't announce the decision, made last week by its chief, Dr. James O. Mason, after a review by Health and Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan. Instead, the information was revealed only in

response to a query from The Associated Press.

The ruling came nine months after Mason announced that until the government finished its review of marijuana, it would stop processing applications and would withhold marijuana from the 28 people — including Barnes and Braun — whose applications had been approved, but who had not yet received the drug.

"The decision was made by the Public Health Service primarily because of fear that the smoked marijuana would be harmful to people with compromised immune

systems," Grigg said. But Kevin Zeese, president of the Drug Policy Foundation, which advocates the medical use of marijuana, called it a political decision "to protect the Bush administration's drug war agenda."

Advocates of medical marijuana say it combats nausea, vomiting and weight loss common to cancer patients undergoing chemotherapy and to some AIDS sufferers; reduces eye pressure in the treatment of glaucoma; and helps reduce muscle spasms common to such neurological conditions as multiple sclerosis.

But Grigg said National Institutes of Health scientists "have concluded that existing evidence does not support recommending smoked marijuana as a treatment of choice for any of the medical conditions of patients who have applied under this program."

Instead, the government advocated use of alternative, legal medicines such as Marinol, a synthetic form of marijuana's active ingredient.

But Barnes said that didn't work for him. "You should just wash that stuff down the toilet," he said.

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# Opinion

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

## Other opinion

### Slowing illegal border crossing

The desperate dash of undocumented migrants from Mexico into the United States is taking a frightening course — through border gates and across busy highways to avoid capture by immigration agents. These human waves should force both governments to face the problems that create the freeway carnage.

Consider what happens at one border point. At any time, on any day, motorists driving into Tijuana suddenly find themselves facing tens or even scores of people, running at them through the gates and overwhelming customs agents.

Now the U.S. Justice Department will use surplus equipment — lights, sensors and military vehicles — from the Persian Gulf War to reinforce its efforts to stop illegal immigration. But that help will have little impact as long as the weak economies of Mexico and Central America provide such powerful incentives to flee north. With hunger on one side of the border and hope on the other, people will risk their lives to reach American soil.

A U.S.-Mexico free-trade agreement would ease the migration problem. But even with an agreement, Mexican wages and employment rates will take years to rise enough to compete with U.S. levels.

Defense Department equipment also may help, but it's unlikely to stop the immigrant flight. The U.S. Border Patrol and the Immigration and Naturalization Service have been underfunded for decades. That needs to change.

Federal sanctions against employers who hire illegal immigrants have been ineffective. The practical way to enforce employer sanctions is to establish forgery-proof immigration documents, which Congress has refused to approve. That needs to change, too.

Changes needed in Mexico also are obvious. The Mexican government's hands-off policy toward illegal immigration is based on constitutional guarantees to citizens for freedom of movement.

But better control on the Mexican side of the border should not be unconstitutional. Mexican officials shouldn't wait until worries about freeway-lane closures threaten tourism and other sectors of the already depressed trans-border economy.

The Minneapolis Star Tribune



### Teams are politically incorrect

Baseball season is almost upon us again and the Atlanta Braves are still the Atlanta Braves. But how long can that last?

Protests likely will continue alleging the name is an insult to Native Americans, previously known as Indians because Christopher Columbus didn't know a lot about geography.

Columbus sailed to the New World 500 years ago and when he landed he thought he was in India, so that's what he called the people he saw there — Indians.

Actually Columbus landed in Miami and the people he saw there were drug dealers, but since he also didn't know anything about automobiles he mistook the Mercedes convertibles they were driving for elephants, and there you are.

Personally, I don't think Native Americans is exactly right either since America got its name from an Italian.

I think The People Who Were Here First is a lot better regardless of how difficult it might be to teach kids to say, "Let's go outside and play Cowboys and The People Who Were Here First."

To be politically correct then, the Cleveland Indian baseball team would be known as The Cleveland The People Who Were Here First.

The Kansas City Chiefs' football team would be called The Kansas City The People Who Were Here First's Big Bosses, and the Washington Redskins football team would become the Washington a Slang Word for The People Who Were Here First.

The Atlanta baseball team would go by The People Who Were Here First's Tough Guys.

A newspaper in Oregon has adopted something close to that. It will no longer use the nicknames of teams that are offensive to The People Who Were Here First.

The Braves will be referred to, for instance, as "The baseball team in Atlanta."

This reminds me of what happened to the University of Georgia's band.

It had been called The Dixie Redcoat Band for as long as the university had a band. But in the '70s there came a demand to remove "Dixie" because it was insulting to blacks, currently known as African Americans.

The Georgia band became simply The Redcoat Band. My stepbrother-comedian-radio-star-philosopher Ludlow Porch wrote a letter to the Atlanta papers taking this even further.

He said the word "Red" had to do with communism and also needed to go, which left The Coat Band. Then he dealt with the entire word "Redcoat," which is what the British were called in the Revolutionary War.

"To use 'Redcoat,'" wrote Ludlow, "would be an affront to descendants of those who fought for American independence.

"Next, the word 'Band.' That brought to mind Poncho Villa and his 'band' of desperados, which glorifies criminals.

"From this point forward," Ludlow wrote, "we should refer to the University of Georgia musicians simply as 'The.'"

During the protests of the Atlanta nickname and the fact its fans showed up to cheer wearing feathers and war paint, a newsroom wip passed around a list of every major league baseball team nickname and why they could be politically incorrect.

"Dodgers" is insensitive to those who ran away to Canada to avoid the draft during the Vietnam War.

"Phillies" is an insult to women.

"Twins" is insulting to couples who can't have children.

The point here is if we really get picky we can find something politically incorrect about everything.

Meanwhile, I'll take the baseball team in San Diego to push the baseball team in Atlanta in the National League West this season, but I can't use the San Diego nickname.

It's offensive to non-Catholics, like us Methodists.

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### Justice Thomas settling in

WASHINGTON — Justice Clarence Thomas won a splendid accolade the other day. The Washington Post's columnist Nat Hentoff gave the high court's newest justice a thorough hiding. This was the headline: "Clarence Thomas Joins the Wrecking Crew."

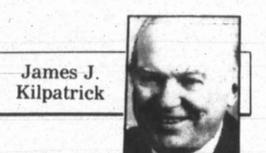
Well, sticks and stones may break his bones, but words will never hurt him. Hentoff's howl was exactly what some of us had hoped and expected to hear from the far-out left. The columnist is outraged because Thomas — gasp! yecch! — voted with a 6-3 majority to uphold the plain language of the Voting Rights Act. In the liberal lexicon, such fealty is betrayal.

Thomas is coming along nicely. Comparisons, they say, are invidious, but a comparison of Thomas' record with that of Justice David Souter is of passing interest.

The Senate confirmed Souter on Oct. 2, 1990; he was sworn in on Oct. 9. He wrote his first opinion for the court on Feb. 19, 1991. Souter was not heard from again until May 28. During the whole of the term he wrote only eight opinions for the court; he wrote only one concurring opinion and one dissenting opinion.

Thomas, by contrast, has plunged right in. Confirmed on Oct. 15, he heard his first oral argument on Nov. 4. He wrote his first opinion for the court on Jan. 14, his first concurrence on Jan. 15, and his first dissent on Jan. 22.

Through February, he had written three opinions for the court. Within the bounds of collegiality, which admit all sorts of high-toned insults, he has clashed vigorously with Justice Sandra Day O'Connor. He is not among those flowers born to blush unseen and waste their sweetness on the



James J. Kilpatrick

desert air. What we are seeing in Thomas, so far, is the same judicial restraint he displayed so admirably in his brief tenure on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia. It is this quality that so infuriates Hentoff and other liberal critics.

One example: On Feb. 24, by a vote of 8-1, the court entered an order refusing to review a suit brought by Haitian refugees against Secretary of State Baker. The purpose was to stop their deportation and grant them asylum. Thomas voted with the majority, but he added a note for the record:

"The affidavits filed throughout this litigation have sought to describe the conditions in Haiti and the treatment the refugees have received there. I am deeply concerned about these allegations. However, this matter must be addressed by the political branches, for our role is limited to questions of law. Because none of the legal issues presented in this petition provides a basis for review, I join the Court's denial of certiorari."

This same sense of compassion and restraint appeared on Feb. 25, when the court voted 7-2 in a case involving the physical mistreatment of prisoners. The question was whether the Eighth Amendment's prohibition of cruel and unusual punishments extends to an isolated incident in which prison guards severely punched an inmate.

Writing for the majority, Justice O'Connor held that when a guard maliciously and sadistically uses force against a prisoner, "contemporary standards of decency always are violated." Such use of force is "repugnant to the conscience of mankind," and hence is unconstitutional.

Justice Thomas, dissenting, pointed out that the lower courts had found the injuries inflicted were "minor." The guards' conduct was deplorable, outrageous and contemptible, but it was not "cruel" within the traditional meaning of the word. In order to invoke the Constitution, he believed, a prisoner should show at a minimum that he has suffered significant injury. Otherwise the Eighth Amendment would be cut loose from its traditional moorings.

Thomas, joined by Scalia, found O'Connor's majority opinion implausible, puzzling, unpersuasive and unreasonable. By expanding the Eighth Amendment "beyond all bounds of history and precedent," the majority had provided "yet another manifestation of the pervasive view that the Federal Constitution must address all ills in our society."

O'Connor found Thomas' dissenting opinion "unfounded." Her newest colleague "ignores the body of our Eighth Amendment jurisprudence." She agreed that "not every malevolent touch" by a guard gives rise to a federal case, but these blows were not de minimis. They were malicious, and they hurt.

It was a lively exchange between O'Connor, taking a fairly liberal view, and Thomas, adhering to strict construction. The incident bodes well.

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## Mailbag

### Engineer accuses Herald of irresponsibility

The Herald was irresponsible by publishing the half-truths and misconceptions in its recent Fina tax abatement editorial. Provoked by "Big Business Paranoia" and not fully comprehending the complexity and urgency of the tax abatement, the Herald has fostered cynicism and mistrust of the community toward Fina.

The refinery industry is entering a new stage of its life where new environmental regulations are coming at an alarming rate. Cost-cutting and higher efficiency processes are mandatory to remain competitive. The Fina refinery's survival is contingent upon its ability to meet these ever-increasing demands, regardless of whether it is on the "sale block" or not.

The tax abatement does not reduce the current level of tax revenue collected from Fina; it defers taxes on new assets. Such projects as the sour water stripper, sulfur recovery unit and the proposed low sulfur diesel project do not in themselves increase the refinery's profitability. They will allow Fina to continue to refine regional sour crude oil, meet the newest environmental regulations and stay in business. This is not a "cry-wolf" but a cry for support from the community.

If the refinery does not meet these obligations with the support of the community, it will never be up for sale as an operating refinery. No company, foreign or domestic, will invest in a facility that cannot meet its obligations and remain profitable. Due to its medium sized and marginal profitability, it would go for bargain-basement prices for its pipeline and tank storage acquisition; the remainder would be dismantled. This would enable a Gulf Coast refiner to set up a terminal station and pipe finished products to the region. A terminal station would provide only a fraction of the tax base and employment as the Refinery.

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## Letters

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though often unpopular and a source of contention between labor and management, should be no surprise to anyone. Contrary to the editorial, the Herald reported it prior to the tax abatement approval. Nor is it unique to Fina. All segments of industry are using labor reduction as a cost-cutting measure; in fact, the Big Spring Police Dept. is experiencing cutbacks.

The only sour taste is the one left by the Herald with its unwarranted attack on the reputation of Fina and its refinery manager.

RICH ROBERTSON  
Fina Project Engineer

EDITOR'S REPLY: Two points Mr. Robertson makes in his letter and attributes to our editorial are incorrect.

First, at no point in our editorial did we say that tax abatement reduces the current level of revenue. It does defer taxes on new assets, as Mr. Robertson correctly pointed out, for a specific period of time.

Second, our editorial did not intimate that Mr. Morris had not informed the taxing entities of the force reduction nor did we say that it had not been reported.

We simply stated that Mr. Morris said "an average of 35 local workers" would be employed during the construction project. It was a direct quote from June 1990. We also said "Fina has since offset the news of those 35 construction jobs with the news that 20 to 25 permanent jobs were being eliminated."

Both were factual statements from Herald files.

We continue to question the manner in which information was provided to the taxpayers of Howard County.



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# Sports

## Eastern Illinois has its dream come true



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### A weird year for Region V Tournaments

The best thing about sporting events is that nothing is ever a sure thing.

Take the Region V women's basketball tournament in Levelland last week.

Three of the nation's top basketball teams were in the eight-team tournament, and not one made it to the finals.

In fact, two of the top dogs were eliminated in the opening round.

The Howard College Lady Hawks, the favorite to make it to the national tournament in Tyler, were ousted in the second round, the third time that's happened in three years.

A sign of what was to come was host school South Plains upsetting No. 12 Grayson 75-68 and McLennan upsetting No. 6 New Mexico Junior College 82-81, on the opening night.

New Mexico gave a perfect example of how to lose. The Lady Thunderbirds blew a 15-point halftime lead in grand fashion.

With little time on the clock and NMJC leading 81-80, a NMJC player fouled a McLennan player shooting a three-pointer at midcourt as the buzzer sounded.

The MCC player went to the line with three shots. She made two and NMJC was gone.

The next night the No. 8 Lady Hawks came tumbling down, losing to Odessa 59-57, a team they had handily beaten twice before.

Odessa won the game with superior rebounding and a good mixture of defenses. Howard coach Royce Chadwick said it was the end of a puzzling season.

"I don't know if we ever peaked," said Chadwick when asked if his team had peaked too soon when it went on a 15-game winning streak before it lost its last two regular season games.

"We've got a ton of talent, but I never felt like we played great basketball. We played good, but I don't know if we had a game where we had less than 20 turnovers."

On small consolation for me was that the star of Odessa's victory over Howard was sophomore forward Stephanie James.

James' dad Lyneal, was one of my boyhood heroes in Colorado City. James played at the end of the Wallace Wildcats dynasty. Before intergration Wallace was a dominating Class A black school.

James played on the last Wallace team to win a state championship in 1966. In 1967, the first year of integration in Colorado City, he helped lead Colorado City High School to its only appearance in the state tournament.

Against Odessa, Stephanie played like a chip-off-the-old block, scoring 11 points to go along with 13 rebounds, two steals and two blocked shots. She blocked Yolanda Wells', last ditch shot attempt from under the basket as time ran out.

So to make a long story short, Odessa beats South Plains 72-70 in the finals, earning the right to go defend its national title.

How about the men's Region V tournament in Waco? The WJCAC's No. 4 seed in the conference, South Plains, is

● Please see STEVE Page 6-A

CLEVELAND (AP) — Eastern Illinois coach Rick Samuels shares many things with his players, including dreams. Now the coach and the team will get to share another experience — going to the NCAA tournament.

When the Panthers beat Illinois-Chicago 83-68 Tuesday night to win the Mid-Continent Conference tournament, they also grabbed the automatic NCAA bid.

"It's every player's dream to make the tournament, but it's no different for the coaches," Samuels said of the school's and his first trip to the NAAs. "It also, means a great deal for our school. We're overshadowed in Illinois, but we're the team in Illinois this year that's going to the tournament."

"This is very exciting. It can be a rallying point for our campus."

Also clinching a spot Tuesday night in the 64-team tournament was Fordham, which won the Patriot League championship with a 70-65 victory over Bucknell.

Steve Rowe had 22 points for Eastern Illinois (17-13), while Curtis Leib made some clutch shots down the stretch and finished with 17 points.

Rowe put it more simply than his coach. "They say dreams do come true. I guess they're right," he said.

The dream could have just as easily been a nightmare.

Eastern Illinois reached the title game on the 3-point shooting of Dave Olson, but UIC held Olson to only three 3-pointers.

Olson had hit a tournament record 6-of-10 in Monday's 75-65 victory over Wisconsin-Green Bay. His long shots had seemed to provide an emotional lift when the Panthers were threatened.

Rowe had 16 points in the first half, seven during a 13-2 run which gave Eastern Illinois a 26-17 with 10

### College Hoops

minutes remaining. Leib ignited the burst with a putback basket.

Illinois-Chicago then went to a full-court press for most of the remainder of the game, but the defense couldn't overcome the Flames own horrendous shooting.

Eastern Illinois led 45-37 at the half.

In the second half, Leib provided a boost for Eastern Illinois every time the Flames drew close. Travon Hughes sank a 3-pointer for UIC midway through the second half to make it 53-48, but Leib hit two straight baskets to stretch the lead to nine points.

The Flames closed to four, 61-57, on another 3-pointer by Hughes with 7:57 to play. But a bucket by Eastern's Eric West and a basket and free throw by Leib sealed the victory. After that, Illinois-Chicago got no closer than eight points.

West scored 13 for Eastern Illinois, while Kavien Martin added 10.

Brian Hill led the Flames with 16 points, while Hughes had 12 and Drennon Jones added 10.

In Bethlehem, Pa., Fordham made the NCAA tournament field for the first time in 21 years.

Bucknell didn't make it easy, but Fordham turned back the Bison, every time.

Bucknell trailed 61-53 with 5:41 to go when two baskets by Sanford Jenkins gave Fordham its largest margin. Chris Simpson, who led Bucknell with 17 points, made a three-point play to spark a rally that got it to 61-60.

But Fred Herzog sank two free throws and scored a basket and Jenkins added three points down the stretch to lift the Rams.



Big Spring Steers junior second baseman Pat Martinez is shown here hitting a home run against the Snyder Tigers last week at Steer Field. The Big Spring tournament starts Thursday.

## Steers tournament begins Thursday

By MIKE BUTTS Staff Writer

Seven area high school baseball teams will compete Thursday through Saturday in the Big Spring Varsity Baseball Tournament at Steer Field.

The tournament is the first of two for the Big Spring Steers this season. The Steers play in the Snyder High School Tournament the following weekend.

Both tournaments give coach Bobby Doe a chance to get some playing time for his inexperienced pitching staff, all of whom are pitching on the varsity for the first time this season.

The tournament, in its third year, has three teams from district 3-4A: Big Spring, Sweetwater and Fort Stockton; two from district 2-4A: Lamesa and Snyder; and Brownfield (3-3A) and Merkel (7-3A).

Snyder, Lamesa and Sweetwater, picked to finished second

in district 3-4A, are probably the strongest teams in the tournament, Doe said.

Thursday's action has Sweetwater playing Lamesa at 11 a.m., Big Spring and Brownfield at 1:30 p.m. and Merkel and Snyder at 4.

If both Big Spring and Sweetwater win their first round games, they would meet in the second round, giving the Steers a close look at one of the better teams in the district.

There is a two-hour limit on all tournament games except the championship game. Trophies are awarded to the first through third place finishers and the consolation bracket winner.

The Steers lost two games Saturday, both in the bottom of the ninth inning, to the fourth-ranked 4A team in the state, Frenship. Both were one-run games, 5-4 and 6-5.

"We played 14 innings," Doe said. "We played 12 great but two we didn't."

## Tarpley has good game but team loses, 92-87

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — Roy Tarpley, banished from the NBA after brushes with drugs and the law canceled his touches of greatness and glory, wants to forget the past and get on with his life.

So, as far as Tarpley's concerned, his lifetime totals are 22 minutes, 18 points, 16 rebounds and three blocked shots.

Those were Tarpley's statistics Tuesday night in his Continental Basketball Association debut for the Wichita Falls Texans, who lost to the Tri-City Chinook 92-87 before 3,319 fans, the largest crowd of the season.

Tarpley, who was greeted with a standing ovation, was fouled the first time he got the ball and hit both free throws.

"It's pretty tough competition," Tarpley said. "It was real physical out there and I enjoyed that. It felt great to get out and play again. I'm looking forward to the next game."

Former NBA point guard John Lucas, who was once kicked out of the NBA for substance abuse and who runs the CBA-sanctioned drug treatment center where Tarpley was treated, also signed with the Texans for the team's final three games.

Lucas scored 14 points and had seven assists in 26 minutes Tuesday night.

Lucas, 38, was the Houston Rockets' No. 1 pick in the 1976 draft and played for six clubs in his 14-year career, which ended in 1990. He averaged 10.7 points and 6.9 assists in 928 games. He is trying to get in shape to play for his own minor league team this summer.

## Swoopes heads All-SWC team

DALLAS (AP) — Texas Tech junior forward Sheryl Swoopes, the only unanimous 1992 All-Southwest Conference pick, on Monday swept Newcomer of the Year and Player of the Year honors.

Swoopes led the 15th-ranked Lady Red Raiders to a 23-4 regular-season record and the team's first SWC conference title. She led the league with a 21.3 scoring average and 3.6 steals per game.

Her coach, Marsha Sharp, was named Coach of the Year.

The Lady Red Raiders are the No. 1 seed in the SWC tournament this week in Dallas. The No. 2 seed is 19th-ranked Houston and the third seed is No. 22 Texas.

Joining Swoopes on the first team All-SWC list, as determined by balloting of the league's eight head coaches, is teammate Krista Kirkland, a junior center.

The other first-teamers are Rice senior forward Evenda Barnes, Texas junior center Cinieta Henderson and Houston senior guard LaShawn Johnson.

The second team consists of Baylor senior forward LaNita Luckey, Texas junior forward Fey Meeks, Texas senior guard Johnna Pointer, Texas A&M senior center Dena Russo and Houston senior forward Darla Simpson.

Freshman of the year is Texas' Nekeshia Henderson.



## Record breaking pace

Martin Buser of Zurich, Switzerland, on his way from White Mountain to Nome in Alaska for the finish of the Iditarod Sled Dog Race, checks on his dog team. Buser has been leading the race and may set a new trail record of under 11 days.

## Magic thinking about comeback

NEW YORK (AP) — Magic Johnson says he has the backing of doctors if he decides to come out of retirement.

"The doctors said they'd approve if I decided to come back," Johnson said Tuesday night.

Johnson came away optimistic from a physical exam in mid-February and talked then about playing in the Olympics and possibly returning to the Los Angeles Lakers on a limited basis, playing as many as 60 games.

He seemed even more upbeat Tuesday night at Madison Square Garden where he saw the Lakers beat the New York Knicks 106-104.

"They changed their minds. People thought I was going to be sick, to have side effects," Johnson said.

"I had to learn what it is that I had — what I could do, what I couldn't do. If I do come back, I know what I have to do."

Johnson retired on Nov. 7 when he announced he had the virus that causes AIDS.

He played in the NBA All-Star game and was the MVP.

Johnson has been taking the drug AZT, following a special diet and staying in shape with regular workouts. He worked out for two hours before the Lakers-Knicks game.

"The odds are great," Johnson said about his chances of playing again in the NBA.

"I'll just keep smiling and see what happens."



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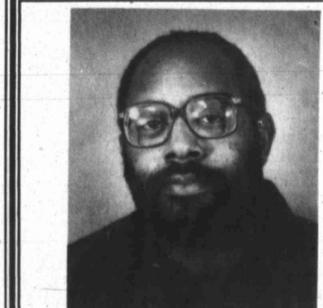
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## Sidelines

### Snyder rallies for win over Steers

**SNYDER** — The Snyder Tigers scored two runs in the seventh inning to down the Big Spring Steers 5-4 in non-district baseball action Tuesday night. David Patrick was the winning pitcher for the Tigers and Todd Parrish took the loss for Big Spring. Both pitchers went the distance.

Parrish and Pat Martinez doubled for the Steers and Brian Crawford tripled for the Tigers.

Snyder moves to 5-1 for the season while Big Spring falls to 0-4 for the season.

### San Jacinto wins state tournament

**WACO** — The San Jacinto Ravens, winner of Region XIV, defeated Region V winner South Plains 90-65 Tuesday night at the Highlands. San Jac outscored South Plains 24-7 at the start of the second half to put the game away. Artie Griffin led South Plains with 21 points. Terry Alexander added 17.

San Jac is 26-7 and South Plains 24-7. The two teams play again in the first round of the NJCAA tournament.

### Wayland women come up short

**JACKSON, Tenn. (AP)** — Arkansas Tech had a young team with seven sophomores and two freshmen this season, but the Golden Suns also had the goal of winning their first NAIA Division I women's championship.

Shooting 67 percent from the field and with 29 points from Dawn Grell, Arkansas Tech made good on that plan by downing Wayland Baptist 84-68 Tuesday night for the NAIA women's title.

The second-seeded Golden Suns (35-1) had entered the title game hitting 58.7 percent from the floor during the tournament. Arkansas Tech also set a tournament record by hitting 31 3-pointers, including 15-of-18 from Marla Goshien. No. 4 seed Wayland Baptist (29-6) entered the game with a 16-game winning streak and managed to hit 50 percent of its shots in the first half. But the Flying Queens still trailed 46-30 at intermission.

## Steve

Continued from Page 5-A going to the national tournament in Hutchinson, Kan.

Howard just has bad timing. Going back to last year, the Hawks won the Region V tournament but lost to Region XIV champion Alvin, sending Alvin to the national tournament and Howard home.

But on alternating years, both the winner of the Region V and Region XIV tournaments receive automatic bids to nationals, just as this year with South Plains.

It's ironic that Howard beat South Plains twice in league play, 99-85 in Big Spring and 74-70 in Levelland.

The Hawks finished the regular season playing better than anyone else in the conference, but dug itself too big of a hole by losing to cellar-dwellers like Clarendon and New Mexico Military Institute.

The Hawks won their last five games of the season, while Midland College, the second seed from the WJCA, lost two of its final three games.

Midland coach Steve Green summed it up best though — "I'd rather lose my last three and make the regional tournament than win my last five and stay home."

'Nuff said.

# Lakers give Knicks a real Threat

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sedale Threatt had the magic touch, then let Sam Perkins — and the officials — decide the game.

Threatt, the man who took over as point guard for the Los Angeles Lakers when Magic Johnson retired last fall, scored a career-high 42 points against the New York Knicks. That put the Lakers in position for their eighth consecutive victory at Madison Square Garden.

Perkins secured the win with a 3-point shot with 2.2 seconds left, giving the Lakers a 106-104 decision.

"The last time I shot like this was in college," said Threatt, a nine-year NBA veteran who had 22 of the Lakers' 27 points in the third quarter. "I had it going in the third quarter. It was great. I really felt like I couldn't miss."

Threatt, who was averaging 13.9 points a game, played his point guard role well, too. He set up Perkins' 3-pointer.

"They double-teamed me and Sam was open," he said. "He's from New York. I knew it was important to him."

"I was so far out there I didn't

know where I was," Perkins said. "I just stepped back, took my time and hit the shot."

The Knicks had no timeouts left. They hurried upcourt and Xavier McDaniel put in a 17-footer. But after the officials held a conference, it was ruled that time expired before the shot.

Patrick Ewing had a big game for the Knicks with 37 points. But New York lost for the second time in as many meetings with the Lakers, whom Knicks coach Pat Riley led to four NBA titles in the 1980s.

Cavaliers 102, Suns 100  
Mark Price escaped from a deep shooting slump with 17 fourth-quarter points, including Cleveland's last 11.

The Suns led by nine with six minutes to play, but lost their eighth straight road game. Cleveland has won seven of 10 overall and is 23-5 at home.

Phoenix was ahead 91-83 when Price made a 3-pointer to start Cleveland's game-ending 19-9 run. Price finished with 24 points and 12 assists. He was 5-for-6 from the field in the fourth quarter, including 3-for-4 on 3-pointers. He



San Antonio Spurs forward Antonio Carr (center) grabs for a rebound as teammate Sidney Green (right) and Atlanta Hawks Duane Farral look on in San Antonio Tuesday.

had gone 29 of 91 from the floor in his previous six games.  
Dan Majerle led Phoenix with 29 points.

Pistons 98, SuperSonics 92

At Seattle, Dennis Rodman, the NBA's rebounding leader, pulled down 15 — he has had at least that many in every game since Feb. 11 — and Joe Dumars scored 21 points in Detroit's fifth straight victory, snapping an eight-game SuperSonics' home winning streak.

"A lot of teams are scared of us," Rodman said. "We kept our composure and they (Seattle) shot terrible in the last 10 minutes."

Reserve Darrell Walker scored a season-high 19 points and Isiah Thomas added 17.

Gary Payton led Seattle with 19 points.

Hornets 105, Timberwolves 96  
At Charlotte, the Hornets took their ninth straight home game as Kendall Gill scored 28 points and Larry Johnson had 24 points and a franchise-record 23 rebounds. J.R. Reid added 20 points against Minnesota, losers of five straight and holding the NBA's worst record (11-49). Doug West's 23 points topped the Wolves, but he scored only two points in the second half.

Pooh Richardson had 15 points and 14 assists for Minnesota. Mugsy Bogues had 10 points and 12 assists for the Hornets, who have

won six of their last seven.

Spurs 103, Hawks 92

At San Antonio, Terry Cummings scored 22 points and Rod Strickland added 19 as the Spurs extended the Hawks' losing streak to a season-high five games.

David Robinson added 17 for the Spurs, the NBA's top defensive team. They held Atlanta to 43.5 percent shooting from the field and moved to 13-1 at home under coach Bob Bass.

Rockets 116 Mavericks 93

At Houston, the Rockets sprinted away in the third period to hand the Mavericks their 18th straight road defeat.

The Rockets had six players in double figures as they won their fifth straight game in The Summit and handed the Mavericks their sixth straight loss: Dallas has not won on the road since beating Houston 105-85 on Dec. 23.

Vernon Maxwell had 19 points, Kenny Smith 17 and Hakeem Olajuwon, who had two points at the half, finished with 13 and 11 rebounds.

## SCOREBOARD

### BASKETBALL

#### NBA Standings

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#### EASTERN CONFERENCE

##### Atlantic Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	39	24	.619	—
Boston	35	27	.565	3 1/2
Philadelphia	29	33	.468	9 1/2
Miami	29	34	.460	10
New Jersey	27	35	.435	11 1/2
Washington	21	42	.333	18
Orlando	14	49	.222	25

##### Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Chicago	51	12	.810	—
Cleveland	40	20	.667	9 1/2
Detroit	38	25	.603	13
Atlanta	29	32	.475	21
Indiana	30	34	.469	21 1/2
Milwaukee	27	34	.443	23
Charlotte	23	37	.383	26 1/2

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

##### Midwest Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	42	21	.667	—
San Antonio	38	24	.613	3 1/2
Houston	34	29	.540	8
Denver	21	41	.339	20 1/2
Dallas	17	45	.274	24 1/2
Minnesota	11	49	.183	29 1/2

##### Pacific Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Portland	44	18	.710	—
Golden State	42	19	.689	1 1/2
Phoenix	39	24	.619	5 1/2
Seattle	32	29	.524	13 1/2
LA Lakers	32	29	.524	13 1/2
LA Clippers	32	30	.516	12
Sacramento	20	42	.323	24

x-clinched playoff berth.

#### Monday's Game

New York 111, Philadelphia 99

#### Tuesday's Games

Denver 89, Orlando 82  
Miami 108, Boston 101  
Charlotte 105, Minnesota 96  
Cleveland 102, Phoenix 100  
Indiana 101, Washington 91  
LA Lakers 106, New York 104  
Portland 126, Milwaukee 112  
Houston 116, Dallas 93  
San Antonio 103, Atlanta 92  
Detroit 98, Seattle 92  
Golden State 129, New Jersey 122  
LA Clippers 120, Sacramento 109

#### Wednesday's Games

Indiana at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.  
LA Lakers at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.  
Boston at Chicago, 7 p.m.  
Portland at Minnesota, 7 p.m.  
Charlotte at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.  
Seattle at LA Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

#### Thursday's Games

Phoenix at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.  
Houston at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.  
Detroit at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.  
Utah at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

#### HOCKEY

#### NHL Standings

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#### WALEY CONFERENCE

##### Patrick Division

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
NY Rangers	42	23	4	88	275	225
Washington	39	23	7	85	287	234
New Jersey	34	24	9	77	251	215
Pittsburgh	31	28	8	70	288	257
NY Islanders	29	31	8	66	249	245
Philadelphia	25	32	11	61	204	228

##### Adams Division

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Montreal	40	32	8	88	328	170
x-Boston	30	28	10	72	224	231
Buffalo	25	31	11	61	239	256
Hartford	20	35	11	51	205	242
Quebec	15	41	11	41	205	267

#### CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

##### Norris Division

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
LA Kings	38	24	8	84	308	231
St. Louis	34	28	8	76	288	231
Chicago	31	28	9	71	288	231
San Jose	29	31	10	68	249	245
Edmonton	26	34	10	62	249	262
Calgary	26	32	10	62	249	262
San Jose	15	48	5	35	178	303

#### Transactions

##### BASEBALL

##### American League

**CHICAGO WHITE SOX**—Announced that Bo Jackson, outfielder, refused an assignment to Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League and became a free agent. Agreed to terms with Jackson on a one-year contract. Signed Mike Huff, outfielder, to a one-year contract.

**CLEVELAND INDIANS**—Agreed to terms with Sandy Alomar Jr., catcher; Carlos Baerga, second baseman; Charles Nasty, pitcher; and Mark Whiten, outfielder, on three-year contracts. Agreed to terms with Steve Olin, Dave Otto, Dennis Cook and Scott Scudder, pitchers, and Gianlen Hill, outfielder, on two-year contracts. Agreed to terms with Rod Nichols, pitcher, on a one-year contract. Renewed the contracts of Alex Cole, outfielder, and Carlos Martinez, first baseman.

##### National League

**MONTREAL EXPOS**—Agreed to terms with Greg Colburn and Jimmy Kromars, catchers, and Jeff Fassero and Doug Platt, pitchers, on one-year contracts. Renewed the contracts of Steve Frey and Mel Rojas, pitchers, and Wilfredo Cordero, shortstop.

##### PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Acquired Kirk Gibson, outfielder, from the Kansas City Royals for Neal Heaton, pitcher.

##### New York-Penn League

**AUBURN ASTROS**—Fired Marc Techman, assistant general manager.

##### BASKETBALL

##### National Basketball Association

**LOS ANGELES LAKERS**—Placed James Worthy, forward, on the injured list.

##### Continental Basketball Association

**ROCKFORD LIGHTNING**—Named Mauro Panaggio coach for the 1992-93 season. Signed Kaylon Green, guard.

##### United States Basketball League

**JACKSONVILLE HOOTERS**—Named Artis Gilmore president.

##### FOOTBALL

**National Football League**

**GREEN BAY PACKERS**—Signed Andre Townsend, defensive lineman, and Darryl Ingram, tight end.

**MIAMI DOLPHINS**—Signed Tony Martin, wide receiver, to a multiyear contract.

#### MLB Exhibition

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#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Baltimore	4	1	.800
California	4	1	.800
Cleveland	3	1	.750
Kansas City	3	2	.600
Seattle	2	2	.500
Boston	2	2	.500
Chicago	3	3	.500
Minnesota	2	2	.500
Detroit	2	3	.400
New York	2	3	.400
Texas	2	3	.400
Toronto	2	3	.400
Milwaukee	1	2	.333
Oakland	1	2	.333

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Montreal	4	1	.800
St. Louis	4	1	.800
Cincinnati	3	2	.600
Atlanta	3	3	.500
Pittsburgh	3	3	.500
San Francisco	2	2	.500
Houston	2	3	.400
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Chicago	1	2	.333
Los Angeles	2	4	.333
New York	1	4	.200
San Diego	1	2	.333
Oakland	1	2	.333

NOTE: Split-squad games count in standings, ties do not

#### Tuesday's Games

Houston 8, Los Angeles 5  
Chicago White Sox 8, Minnesota 2  
Philadelphia 8, Baltimore 4  
Atlanta 14, N.Y. Yankees 2  
Montreal 3, N.Y. Mets 1  
Cincinnati 14, Detroit 4  
Kansas City 10, Boston 5  
St. Louis 7, Toronto 2  
Texas 6, Pittsburgh 5  
California 9, Milwaukee 0  
Cleveland 5, Seattle 2  
Chicago Cubs 4, San Diego 3  
Oakland 4, San Francisco 2

#### Wednesday's Games

Minnesota vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
Philadelphia vs. Cincinnati at Plant Ci-

ty, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

N.Y. Yankees vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Kansas City (ss) vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Pittsburgh vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Houston (ss) vs. Kansas City (ss) at Haines City, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

N.Y. Mets vs. Houston (ss) at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Toronto vs. Chicago White Sox at Sarasota, Fla., 12:35 p.m.

Montreal vs. Los Angeles at Vero Beach, Fla., 12:35 p.m.

Baltimore vs. Texas at Port Charlotte, Fla., 12:35 p.m.

San Diego vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

San Francisco vs. Milwaukee at Chandler, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

Chicago Cubs vs. Seattle at Tempe, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

California vs. Oakland at Phoenix, 2:05 p.m.

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# Runoff forced in Mitchell County

By PATRICK DRISCOLL  
Staff Writer

A runoff was forced in the Democratic primary for sheriff in Mitchell County and a Hispanic sheriff deputy in Martin County won the Democratic nomination for sheriff from two other candidates.

In locally contested Democratic primaries in four surrounding counties, only one incumbent was upset: the Precinct 3 commissioner in Martin County. Glasscock County had the only contested Republican primary.

In Mitchell County:  
● Acting Sheriff Patrick Toombs will face David Ginkinger in the April 14 runoff. Toombs got 1,072 votes and Ginkinger 443. The winner faces Republican George Oliver in the Nov. 3 general election. Votes for other Democratic sheriff candidates were: 121 for Tim Atkins, 271 for Augustine Alvarado, 304 for Randy Wilkinson, and 293 for Linton Ray Webb. Suspended but now deceased Sheriff Wendell Bryant got 15 votes.

● Pct. 3 Commissioner Buddy Hertenberger beat challenger Luis Rivera 372-224. Hertenberger faces Republican George Allen Walker in

November.

● Pct. 1 Commissioner Ed Roach beat Ralph Hines 388-194. Roach has no opponent in November.

● Tax Assessor/Collector Clarence C. Burt was re-elected by beating Shirley Ann Clifton 1,318-1,037.

In Martin County:

● Sheriff Deputy John Castro won the Democratic nomination with 784 votes to 341 for David Saunders and 316 for Michael Adams. Castro faces Republican Mike Welling in November.

● Pct. 3 Commissioner Ronnie Deatherage was defeated by Eldon A. Welch 151-231. Welch has no opponent in November.

In Glasscock County:

● Republican candidate for Pct. 3 commissioner, Mark Schafer, beat challenger Rita Hull 51-46. Schafer faces Democrat Hugh Brian in November.

● Pct. 1 Commissioner Jimmy Strube beat Dale Hillger 53-34 for the Democratic nomination and faces no opposition in November.

In Borden County:

● Pct. 1 Commissioner Frank Currey was re-elected by beating Ed Vestal 48-32.

	BORDEN	GLASSCOCK	HOWARD	MARTIN	MITCHELL	TOTAL
<b>PRESIDENT</b>						
DEMOCRAT						
Bill Clinton	143	101	2,774	671	1,397	5,086
Edmund G. Brown, Jr.	6	16	195	50	73	340
Paul E. Tsongas	35	28	686	173	326	1,248
REPUBLICAN						
Patrick J. Buchanan	8	50	192	25	54	289
George Bush	5	75	444	32	61	617
David Duke	0	2	5	2	0	9
<b>RAILROAD COMMISSIONER</b>						
DEMOCRAT						
Len Guerrero	83	65	1,920	534	998	3,600
David Young	111	114	2,114	521	1,145	4,005
REPUBLICAN						
Carole Keeton Rylander	2	25	221	8	20	274
Barry Williamson	8	73	336	47	42	506
<b>SUPREME COURT, PLACE 1</b>						
REPUBLICAN						
Charles Ben Howell	3	50	289	17	28	387
Craig Koch	6	43	252	36	30	367
<b>SUPREME COURT, PLACE 3</b>						
DEMOCRAT						
Jack Hightower	120	82	2,406	549	1,212	4,369
Paul Bannier	67	94	1,489	406	795	2,851
REPUBLICAN						
John P. Montgomery	1	60	357	24	38	480
George Barham	4	28	129	17	16	194
<b>CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 1</b>						
DEMOCRAT						
Sam Paxson	46	52	1,290	282	658	2,328
Charles F. "Charlie" Baird	112	88	2,123	501	1,005	3,829
REPUBLICAN						
Jim Vollers	1	4	227	23	15	304
Joseph A. "Joe" Devany	4	43	246	17	36	346
<b>CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 2</b>						
DEMOCRAT						
Morris L. Overstreet	73	48	1,941	340	770	3,172
Gene Kelly	88	84	1,500	459	884	3,015
<b>CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 3</b>						
REPUBLICAN						
Ed Gray	1	49	265	17	20	352
Lawrence "Larry" Meyers	7	33	224	21	27	312
<b>TOTAL VOTERS</b>	256	349	5,603	1,454	2,425	10,087
<b>% OF REGISTERED VOTERS</b>	51%	48%	35%	38%	50%	

## Council

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got anything left." Heckler said he was arrested recently because he had forgotten the date of his court appearance and had not been reminded because his bail bondsman, Mary Thomas, had died and he had not been reminded of the date.

Council member Corky Harris said he thought the circumstances would ensure his awareness of the date, if he were in Heckler's place.

Heckler, however, charged that the police department was harassing him. "I've stayed at my

business the last three nights with the door wide open to see if there was any patrol and there wasn't any."

A left turn lane will be added to the intersection of Owens and Fourth Street. Texas Highway 350 ends at the north edge of the intersection and Owens street proceeds south from the intersection along the same route.

Problems have arisen when two lanes of traffic suddenly become one lane as they cross the intersection, said Public Works Director Tom Decell.

## Oil/markets

April crude oil \$18.42, down 7, and May cotton futures \$4.17 cents a pound, down 27, cash hog is 50 cents lower at 39.75; slaughter steers is steady at 79 cents even; April live hog futures 40.45, down 37; April live cattle futures 78.87, down 50 at 10:03 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

Name	CURRENT QUOTE	CHANGE from close
ATT	38 1/2	-1/8
Amoco	44 1/2	NC
Atlantic Richfield	100	-1/4
Bethlehem Steel	14 1/2	-1/8
Cabot	39 1/2	NC
Chrysler	62 1/2	NC
Coca-Cola	81 1/2	+3/8
De Beers	23 1/2	-23/8
DuPont	44	NC
El Paso Electric	4 1/2	NC
Exxon	55 1/2	-1/8
Fina Inc.	73 1/2	-1/8
Ford Motors	38 1/2	-1/8
GTE	30 1/2	NC
Halliburton	25 1/2	NC
IBM	87 1/2	NC
J.C. Penney	60 1/2	-1/8
Nesse Ltd. Prt. A	3 1/2	-1/8

Mobil	99 1/2	-1/8
New Atmos Energy	20 1/2	NC
NUV	11 1/2	NC
Pacific Gas	29 1/2	-1/8
Pepsi Cola	31 1/2	-1/8
Phillips Petroleum	22 1/2	-1/8
Schlumberger	55 1/2	-1/8
Sears	45 1/2	-1/8
Southwestern Bell	58	-1/8
Sun	27 1/2	-1/8
Texasco	56 1/2	-1/8
Texas Instruments	34 1/2	-1/8
Texas Utilities	38 1/2	-1/8
Unocal Corp.	21 1/2	NC
USX Corp.	25 1/2	-1/8
Wal-Mart	32 1/2	NC
<b>Mutual Funds</b>		
Amcap	13.02-13.81	
I.C.A.	17.21-18.26	
New Economy	24.46-25.95	
New Perspective	12.28-13.03	
Van Kampen	15.49-16.50	
American Funds U.S. Gov't	13.48-14.34	
Pioneer II	18.47-19.81	
Gold	349.00-349.58	
Silver	4.13-4.14	
Notes	100.00-100.00	
Non quotes courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co., 219 Main St., Big Spring, 267-2501. Quotes are from today's market, and the change is market activity from 3 p.m. the previous day.		

## Sheriff

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Standard, who said he ran on his record, did not comment on the reports but did claim Wallace was a problem deputy who was reprimanded three times since 1989, including two probations and a demotion from night supervisor last fall.

Wallace denied reprimands and

a probation in two incidents and said he was wrongfully demoted. No written reports exist in Wallace's personnel file on the two incidents, including a probation Standard said occurred in 1991. But another deputy was temporary night supervisor during the first four months of 1991.

Wallace also said during the

campaign that Standard does not ensure deputies are adequately trained and does not cooperate with other government agencies on projects such as the 911 emergency telephone system and a proposed centralized city/county jail.

Standard staunchly defended his practices, saying the department is operated and deputies trained ac-

ording to state guidelines and that cooperation should be tempered by what is feasible or desirable. He says 911 is still not operated correctly by 911 officials and he opposes a bond issue or a tax increase for a city/county jail.

Barnaby said changes are needed in the sheriff's office but said he cannot pinpoint details.

	101	102	103	104	105	106	203	204	205	207	208	301	303	304	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408	409	Early	Total
Standard	164	133	12	19	53	22	129	176	70	260	23	137	239	92	95	101	139	107	60	24	18	19	98	866	3,033
Wallace	27	60	8	15	23	6	104	130	76	82	32	92	219	88	26	58	104	52	32	8	12	4	41	526	1,825

The following precincts were combined in Tuesday's Howard County Democratic Party primary election — 204 and 209, 301 and 302, 303 and 305, 402 and 410. These are preliminary results from Tuesday

night. The total for Mr. Standard does not add up to 3,033, but rather 3,056.

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**ELECTION**

Democrat and Republican primaries in eight states  
Democrat caucuses in three states

**Super Tuesday election results**  
Delegates won in each state by each candidate in Super Tuesday's primaries and caucuses:

State	Party	Reporting %	Delegates won	% of vote
Florida primary	Democrats	92%		
	Clinton		87	51%
	Tsongas		58	34%
	Brown		3	12%
Oklahoma primary	Democrats	99%		
	Clinton		38	70%
	Brown		7	17%
	Others		0	13%
Mass. primary	Democrats	97%		
	Tsongas		88	66%
	Brown		6	15%
	Clinton		0	11%
Mississippi primary	Democrats	94%		
	Clinton		39	73%
	Brown		0	10%
	Others		0	6%
Louisiana primary	Democrats	99%		
	Clinton		59	69%
	Tsongas		1	11%
	Brown		0	7%
R.I. primary	Democrats	100%		
	Tsongas		13	53%
	Clinton		6	21%
	Brown		3	19%
Tennessee primary	Democrats	99%		
	Clinton		56	67%
	Tsongas		12	19%
	Brown		0	8%
Texas primary	Democrats	98%		
	Clinton		94	65%
	Tsongas		31	19%
	Brown		2	8%
Delaware caucus	Democrats	100%		
	Tsongas		5	30%
	Clinton		3	21%
	Brown		2	19%
Hawaii caucus	Democrats	79%		
	Clinton		16	50%
	Brown		2	14%
	Harkin		2	14%
Missouri caucus	Democrats	98%		
	Clinton		34	51%
	Tsongas		2	10%
	Brown		0	6%

## Council discusses redistricting plans

By GARY SHANKS  
Staff Writer

The Big Spring City Council discussed three redistricting plans that would satisfy a request from the League of United Latin American Citizens before the matter goes to trial later in the year.

LULAC attorney Rolando Rios said the original request had been filed in 1983 and that he had been asked a few years ago to come to Big Spring and take action on the matter.

"Basically what we're looking for is a system that doesn't have any kind of discrimination — bias," Rios said. "The constitution does not tolerate even the most minute element of any kind of discriminatory election process."

Rios said Dallas fought a similar lawsuit spending four years and \$3 million, lost the case and now has 14 single member districts. Lubbock spent \$14 million and now has five single member districts.

"I did Midland and now they have single member districts. I did Baytown and now they have single member districts as well," Rios said.

Rios said LULAC would be satisfied with any one of three electoral plans:

1. Three single member districts of which two are predominantly minority. The mayor would continue to be elected at large.

2. Keeping the existing three single member districts, but electing two from each, doing away with the three at-large seats.

3. Instating a cumulative voting system in which each voter casts three votes. The voter can cast all three votes for a candidate or can spread them out over two or three candidates in the current three at-large system.

Rios said the cumulative system, aside from being used in some corporations to preserve the voting rights of minority stockholders, is currently used in Lockhart, Yorktown and Alamogordo N.M.

"The ultimate point is to see if we can resolve this without having to go to some kind of expensive protracted intervention," he said.

Council member Corky Harris voiced concern over an increase in invalid ballots in the cumulative voting system. Rios said that confusion does occur, but mismatched ballots occur in any election.

Council member Ladd Smith asked if the two "safe districts" in Rios' six single-member district plan were in accordance with the U.S. Department of Justice requirements. "Doesn't that take 65 percent minority representation to be a safe district by the Justice Department definition?"

Rios said the 60-65 percent was a guideline to ensure that there would be a slightly greater than 50 percent voting age population, and that the two districts are not 60-65 percent minority in total population — they are slightly over 50 percent in voting age minority population.

Speaking about the legal fees Rios has collected in his numerous successful campaigns, Smith said, "You don't collect anything if we prevail, but if we make any changes at all — at this time then you would have certain fees and claims against the city of Big Spring."

"In the past year I've settle about 20 of these cases and I've never had any problem settling fees," Rios said.

Mayor Max Green said he would take Rios' remarks under advisement, and no action was taken on the matter in Tuesday's meeting. After the meeting, Smith said that Big Spring differed from most other cities in that it is more fully integrated. "What they're working on is (identifying) some ghetto that's all minority and Big Spring doesn't have that, so I think this is all just a waste of time and talent."

"I just he wants to make us change something so he'll collect his legal fees," Smith added.

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## Woman is battling insurance industry

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — At first, Theresa Morelli just wanted some insurance. Now she's trying to prevent insurance companies from choosing customers based on what's in their family genes.



Theresa Morelli

The fight began two years ago when Ms. Morelli, 29, was rejected when she applied for disability insurance.

The company blamed Huntington's disease, a degenerative nerve disorder that impairs movement and intellect. Ms. Morelli's father has had it for about 14 years. She could get it too, the company said.

"There's no evidence I even have it or will have it," she said in a telephone interview Monday from her office in Steubenville, in eastern Ohio. "They just said I

couldn't have insurance, period." She talked to state Rep. Mike Fox, R-Hamilton, who helped prepare legislation that would prohibit insurance companies from considering genetic histories when deciding whether to sell policies.

"It's a lot easier to deal with this type of an issue in advance, rather than waiting for this to become standard practice in the market," Fox said.

About 20 percent of the insurance companies in the United States check genetic histories, he said.

Laws prohibiting insurance companies from doing so would mean higher premiums across the board, said Jim Hetherington, a spokesman for American United Life of Indianapolis, the company that rejected Ms. Morelli.

However, Donald White, a spokesman for the Health Insurance Association of America in Washington, said none of the 300 commercial health insurance companies in the organization uses genetic tests to choose customers.

### Records

Tuesday's high temp.	53
Tuesday's low temp.	29
Average high.	69
Average low.	39
Record high.	90 in 1954
Record low.	18 in 1932
Rainfall Tuesday.	0.00
Month to date.	0.11
Month's normal.	0.78
Year to date.	05.11
Normal for year.	01.50

### Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

- A pay phone worth \$800 was reportedly damaged at the Howard County Fair Barns.
- A car was reportedly damaged at the Big Spring Mall parking lot. Loss is estimated at \$500.

### Deaths

#### Thelma Pruett

Thelma Pruett, 74, Granbury, died Friday, Jan. 17, 1992. Services were held at Martin's Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. John Duncan officiating. Burial was in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

She was born Aug. 29, 1917, in Vidor. She had lived in Garden City for about twenty-five years and in Lake Buchanan for many years. She had been a resident of Granbury since 1989. She married Baylor Clay Pruett Sr. on June 3, 1938, in Beaumont.

#### Ruth Houston

Ruth Houston, 75, Gardendale, died Monday, March 9, 1992. Services will be 2 p.m., Thursday at Frank W. Wilson Funeral Directors Chapel with the Rev. Bruce Troy officiating. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

She was born Feb. 28, 1917, in Hagensport. She married John C. Houston on Oct. 27, 1934, in Colorado City. He preceded her in

death on May 7, 1985. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

#### Verna Hull

Verna Hull, 88, Big Spring, died Tuesday, March 10, 1992, in a local hospital.

Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

#### Earl Stovall

Earl B. Stovall, 83, Big Spring, died Tuesday, March 10, 1992, in a local hospital.

Services will be 2 p.m., Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Flynn Long, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 17, 1908, in San Angelo. He grew up there and at the age of 21, he and his brother owned and operated a drug store.

He came to Big Spring in 1932 and was the Conoco distributor for 28 years. He later owned and operated Earl B. Stovall Butane & Oil Supply Co. He married Golden Webber in 1938. She preceded him in death in 1974. He then married Ruth Vaughn on Oct. 18, 1974, in Stillwater, Okla. He served as Elder in the First Presbyterian Church and was a former member of the Kiwanis Club. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army-Air Corps.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Stovall, Big Spring; one step-daughter, Nancy Vaughn, Fayetteville, Ark.; two step-sons: Bill Vaughn, Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mike Vaughn, Tulsa, Okla.; one brother, Glen Stovall, San Angelo; and two step-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Paul Soldan, Adrian Randle, John Ferguson, Bob Gardener, Pat Boatler and Ray Alexander.

Honorary pallbearers will be Shirley Guthrie, Glenn Guthrie, Jimmie Jones, H.L. Warneke, Mike Robinson and R.H. Weaver.

Family suggests memorials to the Memorial Fund, First Presbyterian Church, or the American Lung Assoc., 3520 Executive Center Dr., Suite G-100, Austin, 78731-1698.

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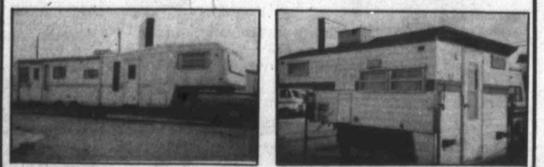
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Earl B. Stovall, 83, died Tuesday. Services will be 2:00 P.M., Thursday at First Presbyterian Church, with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

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## Spring board

## How's this

Q. Who brought the ginkgo tree to Tyler?  
A. According to it was Ambassador Bennett Hubbard.

## Calendar

### TODAY

• Bingo offered Elks and Main Monday-Friday, Saturday, 1 p.m., p.m., at the Lions Third.

• Free tax through VITA, 1 Thursdays, 10 a.m. the First Presby from Feb. 6 through

• The Divorce S will meet 6-7 p.m. Methodist Church. Anyone welcome. available. Use back Gregg Street parking formation call 267-

• Co-Dependent will meet 7 p.m., tain Medical Center.

• The Rap Gro 6-7 p.m., V.A. Me room 212. All veterans, Lebanon, Panama and P invited.

• Recovery So Womens Support meet 6:30-8 p.m., For information call THURSDAY

• Al-Anon will Scenic Mountain Center, room 414.

• West Texas O Inc.- 8:15 a.m.- 2 Roberts Community Commanche Transportation at the W.T.O for appointment call 267-

• Howard County cian Women will m La Pasada.

• Recovery Sol Teen Esteem Group 6:30-8 p.m., 307 Union formation call 264-7

• Spring Tabern 1209 Wright St. has and whatever else for area needy from noon.

• Rackley-Swor #379, Vietnam V America will have monthly meeting at Veterans Center (V Driver Rd.

• American Legi will meet 6 p.m., fol American Legion r p.m.

• There will Western music and the Kentwood Center Dr., at 7 p.m. Public

• Masonic Lodge meet at 7:30 p.m., 2 FRIDAY

• Friday night Dominoes, Forty-t and Chickentack fr Kentwood Center o Public invited.

SATURDAY  
• Double Sessio p.m. at Immaculat Mary Catholic Ch Hearn.

• There will be garage sale for Lisa 8 a.m.- 2 p.m., at Hall in Silver Hills mation call 263-0662.

SUNDAY  
• West Texas Track Meet- 8 a.m. Ratliff Stadium, C quest forms by Feb. individual. All e March 27. Call 3 information.

MONDAY  
• Survivors of Su port group for friends of suicide meet 7:30 p.m., Memorial Hospital. mation call 685-1566.

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## Spring board

### How's that?

**Q. Who brought the first ginkgo tree to Tyler in 1889?**  
**A. According to Texas Trivia, it was Ambassador Richard Bennett Hubbard.**

### Calendar

- TODAY**
- Bingo offered by the Lions, Elks and Main Street Clubs, Monday-Friday, 6:30 p.m., Saturday, 1 p.m., and Sunday, 2 p.m., at the Lions Club, 1607 E. Third.
  - Free tax assistance through VITA, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church from Feb. 6 through April 14.
  - The Divorce Support Group will meet 6-7 p.m., First United Methodist Church, room 101. Anyone welcome. Child care available. Use back entrance at Gregg Street parking lot. For information call 267-6394.
  - Co-Dependents Anonymous will meet 7 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center, fourth floor.
  - The Rap Group will meet 6-7 p.m., V.A. Medical Center, room 212. All veterans of Vietnam, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama and Persian Gulf invited.
  - Recovery Solutions, Inc., Womens Support Group, will meet 6:30-8 p.m., 307 Union St. For information call 264-7028.
- THURSDAY**
- Al-Anon will meet 8 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center, room 414.
  - West Texas Opportunities, Inc. 8:15 a.m.-2 p.m., Dora Roberts Community Center in Comanche Trail Park. Transportation available, call the W.T.O. for appointment. For information call 267-9536.
  - Howard County Republican Women will meet at noon at La Pasada.
  - Recovery Solutions, Inc., Teen Esteem Group, will meet 6:30-8 p.m., 307 Union St. For information call 264-7028.
  - Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St. has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.
  - Rackley-Swords Chapter #379, Vietnam Veterans of America will have its regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. in the Veterans Center (VFW Hall) on Driver Rd.
  - American Legion Auxiliary will meet 6 p.m., followed by the American Legion meeting at 7 p.m.
  - There will be Country Western music and singing at the Kentwood Center, 2805 Lynn Dr., at 7 p.m. Public invited.
  - Masonic Lodge # 598 will meet at 7:30 p.m., 219 Main.
- FRIDAY**
- Friday night games of Dominoes, Forty-two, Bridge and Chickentrac from 5-8 p.m., Kentwood Center on Lynn Dr. Public invited.
- SATURDAY**
- Double Session Bingo- 7 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 1009 Hearn.
  - There will be a benefit garage sale for Lisa Boyd from 8 a.m.-2 p.m., at the V.F.W. Hall in Silver Hills. For information call 263-0062- Joyce.
- SUNDAY**
- West Texas Christian Track Meet- 8 a.m., April 25, Ratliff Stadium, Odessa. Request forms by Feb. 21. \$4.00 per individual. All entries due March 27. Call 367-0143 for information.
- MONDAY**
- Survivors of Suicide, a support group for family and friends of suicide victims will meet 7:30 p.m., Midland Memorial Hospital. For information call 685-1566.

## One man's obsession to serve the very best

NEW YORK (AP) — David Bouley is obsessed. Day after day, night after night, he stands in the kitchen of his splendid, four-star restaurant, inspecting each Limoge plate twice — once when it leaves and once when it returns. If it returns with uneaten food, he wants to know why.

At the same time, he is sauteeing fish over a torrid range, choosing from a dozen sauces and oils for each dish, and keeping an eye on the cooks at work around him. Bouley is the master of every detail in every corner of the restaurant that carries both his name and his vision of the finest French meal this side of the Atlantic.

This is one of America's best chefs at work — up to 16 hours a day, Monday through Saturday.

And it's not just Bouley's work habits that are slaves to his vision. Nothing is spared:

- When an upstate farmer who grows little fingerling potatoes decides he'd rather take out his kayak than make a delivery, Bouley buys a bus seat for a 50-pound box. Bouley's purchasing agent, Charlie Campbell, is dispatched to the station.
- Pastry Chef Bill Yosses is baking creme brulee with cream taken from cows that morning. It's twice as expensive as ordinary cream.
- Farmers consult with Bouley before they plant. He studies growing seasons and soil. And he searches out people to fish just for him, like a marine biologist who scuba dives for scallops off Maine.
- Before each meal, a VIP list is posted, so Bouley knows which politicians, actors or executives are there, as well as who is celebrating a birthday or anniversary, and who is proposing marriage.
- Flowers run more than \$80,000 a year; champagne glasses cost \$21 apiece. Diners eat 300 pounds a week of hand-picked baby lettuces.
- Bouley asks cabbies who regularly pick up customers outside to eavesdrop for their reac-

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tion. "I'm really well networked," he says.

The restaurant displaced two institutions — the Four Seasons and Lutece — at the top of this year's Zagat Survey. In 1990, The New York Times annointed the restaurant with four stars, just three years after it opened, but 22 years after Bouley got his first restaurant job. And last year, the James Beard Foundation named it the country's best restaurant.

These days, it can take three months to get a weekend dinner reservation.

"It's what he wanted, what everyone wanted who was involved," says Yosses, who helped build Bouley. "David never intended to settle for less."

Bouley transports its patrons from frenzied Manhattan, seven blocks north of the World Trade Center, to a French country inn of graceful vaulted ceilings, profusions of flowers, and stunning food.

The cream-colored walls of the dining room are set off by a 17th-century imported window frame. Halls are lined with dried and potted flowers, copper pots and wooden boxes of fresh fruit. On the way to the restrooms, there's a big window into the wine cellar.

But its chef-owner rarely seems to experience the serenity he created for those who come through his heavy wooden door — imported from Provence, along with an artisan to hang it — for the luxury of three-hour meals and checks that top \$200 for two.

Bouley's modular, sparkling kitchen is surprisingly quiet but far from calm. There's some banter, in French and English, reminiscent of a rather refined boys' club. (The

are no women in the kitchen, although there have been in the past.)

"He doesn't like it if everyone gets tense," says Jay Cohen, the sous-chef. "If you can free yourself from thinking about every little move, you can open up and work on the nuances of flavor. It's all sort of heady stuff."

Connecticut-born but with four French grandparents, Bouley relies on fresh American flavors from line-caught fish and organically raised meat, herbs and as much organic produce as he can get his hands on.

The result is both exalted and down-to-earth: lemon thyme that sings out from a tiny tart; a pale, clear tomato consommé (or "water") with a strikingly intense tomato taste. Bouley strives for a sensual experience of essential flavors. He relies on flavored oils and vegetable purees for sauces, sauteeing in butter but mainly reserving dairy products for desserts.

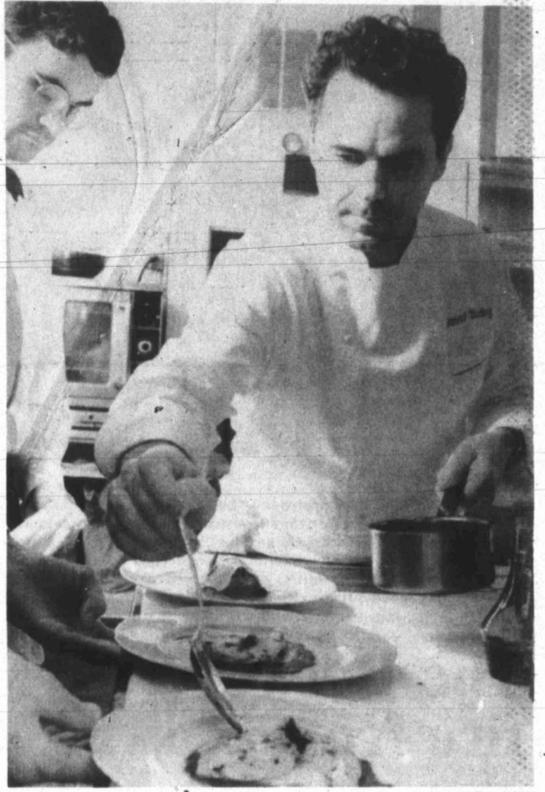
Diners are shown the same respect as the food. Regulars get little wooden boxes of exquisite chocolates or copies of the Zagat Survey as they leave. There is nearly one employee per seat, and the leisurely pace (a source of some complaining from reviewers) and a liberal policy of complimentary courses means tables don't turn over quite twice in a night.

Everyone is expected to leave happy.

"If a plate comes back and they don't finish something, it's not unusual for David to tell the captain to offer them something else," Cohen says.

Bouley is rewarded with a corps of regulars; he claims 100 people eat there two or three times a week. And sometimes he is rewarded with extravagant gifts — Cohen says one customer sent a \$400 bouquet in thanks for a meal.

The demand of this rarefied kitchen have often driven employees



David Bouley, chef and owner of Bouley restaurant in New York, applies sauces to dishes at the finishing station in the kitchen recently. His restaurant displaced two institutions — the Four Seasons and Lutece — at the top of this year's Zagat Survey for New York.

owners cooks at every meal. Cohen and Yosses included after trying other restaurants.

"I don't think I'm a tyrant. I am really with the team. I work," says Bouley, who unlike many chef-

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## Tex-Mex turkey and 'tater boats

Do you always seem to have more things on your "to do" list than time to do them? If so, you can take a little consolation in the fact that you're not alone. Most people today have trouble getting caught up as well.

Bake two potatoes to prepare either as Tex-Mex Ground Turkey Potato Boats or Oriental Turkey Potato Shells, for example, and you'll be able to refrigerate one for use later in the week when you whip together Turkey Hash Au Gratin.

In addition to being quick and easy, these dishes are also delicious, economical and satisfying.

**Tex-Mex Ground Turkey Potato Boats (Serves 4)**

2 potatoes, baked  
 1/2 pound ground turkey  
 1/2 cup onion, chopped  
 1 clove garlic, minced  
 1 can (8 ounces) stewed tomatoes  
 1 teaspoon chili powder  
 1/4 teaspoon oregano  
 1/4 teaspoon cumin  
 1/4 teaspoon red pepper flakes  
 1/4 teaspoon salt  
 1/2 cup reduced-fat cheddar cheese, grated

Slice potatoes in half, lengthwise. Scoop out center of potato to within 1/4-inch of potato skin. Reserve potato for other use.

In medium skillet, over medium-high heat, combine turkey, onion and garlic. Cook 5 minutes or until turkey is no longer pink; drain meat juices if necessary. Add bok choy, green onions, soy sauce, sherry and sesame oil; cook 1 minute.

In small bowl, combine cornstarch and water. Stir into turkey mixture and heat until mixture thickens.

Spoon turkey mixture into potato shells. On 9x13x2-inch jelly-roll pan, bake shells in 375 degrees F. oven 15 minutes or until heated throughout.

**Turkey Hash Au Gratin (Serves 4)**

1/2 pound ground turkey  
 1 cup onion, chopped  
 2 cups cooked potato  
 1/2 cup teaspoon salt  
 1/4 teaspoon pepper  
 1/2 cup reduced-fat cheddar cheese

In medium skillet, over medium high heat, combine turkey and onions. Cook 5 minutes or until turkey is no longer pink. Add potato, breaking up larger pieces of potato with spoon if necessary; cook 2 or 3 minutes. Add salt and pepper.

Into 1-quart oven-proof casserole, lightly coated with vegetable cooking spray, bake turkey mixture in 375 degrees F. oven 10 to 15 minutes. Top casserole with cheese and continue baking until cheese melts.

In medium skillet, over medium-high heat, combine

turkey, garlic and ginger. Cook 5 minutes or until turkey is no longer pink; drain meat juices if necessary. Add bok choy, green onions, soy sauce, sherry and sesame oil; cook 1 minute.

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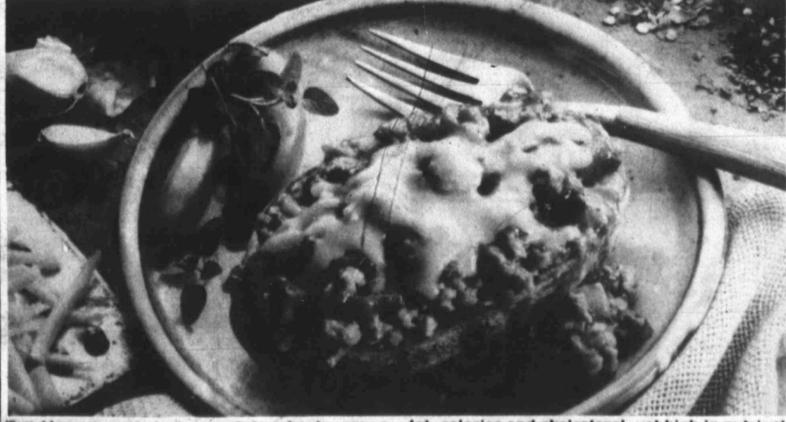
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Tex-Mex ground turkey potato boats are a fat, calories and cholesterol, yet high in nutrients welcome answer for nutritious, easy to fix meals. They are both wholesome and nutritious, low in necessary for good health.

## Son fills in for Papa

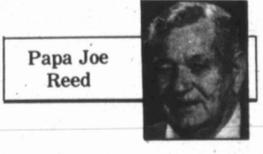
By JOE REED, JR.

Being the son of Papa Joe Reed has not been easy. At times it has been downright hard. I am writing today's cooking column because he is recovering from having both knees replaced. So this is not my specialty ... I'd rather be teaching biology at Big Spring High School.

Well, let me tell you a little more about dear old dad. Don't let the elder chef fool you. Not everything has been easy for him, especially in the kitchen. I have seen him, covered from head to toe in flour and down on his knees, begging my stepmother to help him perfect a dish.

He has talked to many about their cooking. He has obtained recipes from many of them. My wife is a good cook, and I'll give you one of her recipes. My stepmother was a very good cook, and had the innate ability to fix really down-home, lip-smackin', belt-loosening food (dad has used her recipes). But my grandmother, Jewel Gladys Knapper Reed, was one of the best cooks I've known.

She was part Indian, part Scottish, part German, and all "great cook." It was she who gave Papa Joe his skill in the kitchen. Try these two recipes and you will see that this is some of the finest food you can pass over your lips.



- Papa Joe Reed**
- 1) Make a double batch of biscuit dough.
  - 2) Roll and cut the dough in 4"x4" squares.
  - 3) Slather (thickly spread) each square with real butter! and sprinkle thickly with sugar. Then dot each square with 1-3 dots of vanilla extract.
  - 4) Roll up and place in a pan so that they are touching.
  - 5) Cook at 400 degrees F till brown.
- While the rolls are cooking, do the following:
- 1) Mix 1/2 cup evaporated milk, 1 cup of sugar and 1 capful of vanilla extract.
  - 2) Boil the mixture for one minute, then remove from the heat.
  - 3) Remove the rolls from the oven and pour this mixture over them.
  - 4) Replace the rolls in the oven and cook until the mixture is soaked up by the rolls and a glaze appears.
  - 5) Remove the rolls from the oven, and quickly remove the rolls from the pan and place them on a plate. If you don't, you'll have to dynamite them out of the pan ... and probably have to throw the pan away also.

**Carolyn's Spoon-Lickin' Green Chile Macaroni**

You will need:

- 1 pkg. of macaroni, small
- 1 1/2 lb. ground meat
- 2-3 teaspoons of minced onions
- 1 small can of chopped green chile peppers
- 2 cans of cream of mushroom soup
- 1 cup of sour cream,
- 1 handful of shredded cheese

Cook the macaroni and drain. Brown the meat with the onions, and pour off the fat. Then mix the green chile peppers, soup, sour cream, meat, and macaroni. Place the whole concoction in an oblong casserole dish. Sprinkle about a handful of cheese over the top and bake at 370 degrees F for about 30-40 minutes. Then serve with some picante sauce and other Mexican style fixin's. Super fine food that is super quick and super easy!

**Jewel Gladys' Butter Rolls**

These are not dinner rolls! This is one of the best desserts you can flop a lip over. This is what you do:

These are so good. In fact, when Papa Joe was in high school, the school's principal would chase him down to get one of the rolls. Enjoy!

Well, these are a couple of recipes that he hasn't given you and I thought you would like them. I sure hope that he is out of the hospital and able to do the next column because there are some things a son just shouldn't have to do. Eat well, Joe Reed, Jr.

If you would like a copy of Papa Joe's Cookbook, "How To Open An Egg," just send \$5.95 plus \$1 postage to Papa Joe Reed, 1425 E. 6th St. #39, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

# Entertainment

## Tejano Music Awards show booming in San Antonio

By MARTHA E. FLORES  
Staff Writer

The Tejano Music Awards took place in San Antonio Friday night with the band Mazz taking six out of 13 awards presented. Paul Rodriguez, actor/comedian was the master of ceremonies at the event, which drew a crowd of 14,500.

In a press release Rudy Trevino, executive director of the Texas Talent Musicians Association, which organizes the award show said, "I am extremely pleased with this year's show and the attendance. It is always exciting for me to see just how much the appreciation for Tejano music has grown over the past 12 years. The award program is a culmination of our continuing efforts to increase awareness of this culturally rich music."

The Tejano music awards began in 1980 with the first show taking place in the convention center's banquet hall. The hall's capacity is

2,200; the first awards show had 1,500 people in attendance. Hector Garza, manager of special markets for Anheuser-Busch, with the director of community relations J.J. Armado heard about the coming event.

"We heard what was planned and thought it had potential," Garza said. "The first year our contribution was a few cases of beer. The second year we sponsored a hospitality room. Today, we are the main sponsor to the event, which has grown considerably from a room next to the arena into the actual arena."

"We consider ourselves as part of the founders of the Tejano Music Awards," he said. "We are delighted that we have been able to assist the TTMA in generating widespread popularity of Tejano music. We are also happy to see that the Tejano Music Awards has generated such awareness and appreciation among many consumers for our Hispanic culture in Texas

and around the country."

The awards show is being sold market to market syndication, said Trevino. ABC, NBC, CBS and FOX affiliates have broadcasted the show in the past.

Mazz was the most successful nominee at the event winning six awards.

The group is not a newcomer to the awards event. Last year, Mazz won six awards. In 1990, three awards were presented to the band. They also won awards in 1989, 1988 and 1986 with nominations each year since 1984.

Mazz was started more than 15 years ago by Joe Lopez, lead vocalist, and Jimmy Gonzalez, guitarist, lead and background vocals. The group has recorded more than 28 albums two of which have gone platinum (selling one million copies or more).

The following is a list of the winners of the 12th annual Tejano Music Awards:

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- Album of the Year (orchestrated) — Mazz; *Para Nuestra Gente*

- Album of the Year Conunto (progressive) — Emilio Navaira; *Shoot It*

- Album of the Year (traditional) — Roberto Pulido; *Si Todas Fueran Como Tu*

- Songwriter of the Year — Joe Lopez of Mazz

- Tejano-Country — Emilio Navaira; *South of the Border*

- Vocal Duo of the Year — Joe Lopez and Jimmy Gonzalez of Mazz

- Song of the Year — "Que Me Lieven Canciones"; Mazz

- Single of the Year — "Ven Deverame"; Mazz

- Female Vocalist of the Year — Selena Quintanilla

- Male Vocalist of the Year — Joe Lopez

- Female Entertainer of the Year — Selena Quintanilla

- Male Entertainer of the Year — Emilio Navaira

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- 4 "Once Upon a Crime" \$3.5 million
- 5 "Stop or My Mom Will Shoot" \$3.32 million
- 6 "Gladiator" \$3.31 million
- 7 "Memoirs of an Invisible Man" \$2.8 million
- 8 "Medicine Man" \$2.7 million
- 9 "Hand That Rocks the Cradle" \$2.6 million
- 10 "Beauty and the Beast" \$1.9 million

Source: Entertainment Data

**Cellist plays concert**

In concert with the Midland-Odessa Symphony will be Christopher Atkins, Principal Cello of the Dallas Symphony Orchestra. The concerts will be held on Tuesday, March 17 at First Presbyterian Church in Midland and on Thursday, March 19 at Bonham Jr. High in Odessa. Both concerts begin at 8 p.m. The concerts are sponsored by Chevron, Odessa Radiology Group and Dr. and Mrs. Michael S. Miller.

Atkins will perform the celebrated "Concerto for Cello in B minor, Op. 104 by Antonin Dvorak. The program will also include works by Ravel and Schubert. Tickets are available from the symphony office with special discounts for groups. Call 563-0921.

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"Shakes the Clown," portrayed by comedian Bob (Bobcat) Goldthwait, is an alcoholic womanizer featured in a new movie written and directed by the star. Shakes the Clown has wiped the painted smiles off clowns nationwide who are angered by an outbreak of "clown-bashing." Goldthwait says "I don't think clowns are funny. No kid thinks they're funny. That's why clowns are always playing hospitals — the kids can't get up and run away."

## The Bobcat draws fire from clowns

NEW YORK (AP) — Krusty the Clown was bad. Homey the Clown was worse. But Shakes the Clown, an alcoholic womanizer featured in a new movie, has wiped the painted smiles off clowns nationwide. They're angered by an outbreak of "clown-bashing."

"They give clowns a bad name," said Joe Barney, a 20-year veteran of the clown game. "This is something we feel very strongly about. When we're in makeup, we don't drink, smoke or swear. ... Once we put on the makeup, we're in character."

That character, the clowns say, has nothing in common with the recent portrayals of greasypainted derelicts. The most recent example is "Shakes the Clown," an upcoming film starring comedian Bob Goldthwait as a boozing bozo with a coke-snorting pal named Binky.

"Shakes," which opens this month, has upset clowns from the Clown College in Venice, Fla., to the Clown Hall of Fame in Delevan, Wis. Goldthwait is not surprised he's upset some of red nose-white face set.

"It's pretty easy to step on somebody's toes when they're sporting size 32 longs," said Goldthwait.

Shakes is the latest in a rash of nasty clown portrayals on television and in the movies, said Barney, a member of the Stratford, Conn., chapter of Clowns of America International, a conglomeration of about 5,000 clowns.

Krusty the Clown, the pork-peddling kiddie show host on "The Simpsons," was shown in a recent episode as a heavy gambler. Homey the Clown, a recurring character on "In Living Color," is renowned for bopping his youthful audience on the head and telling them, "Homey don't play that." Pennywise was a clown who lured children to their deaths in the

television miniseries "It."

"We used to be called 'Bozos,' which wasn't bad — kind of a generic name," said Barney. "But now, kids tend to be frightened, or they're all calling us 'Homey.' It's become much more difficult to perform in the '90s."

And now there's Shakes: "a chronic alcoholic who ... awakes each morning with a hangover as big as his painted-on smile," according to promotional material for the film.

"Naturally, we wish the clowns were portrayed in a better light," said Maura Nelson, public relations director for Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus. "But one portrayal of negative clowning is not going to taint us."

The head of the Ringling Bros. Clown College, Steve Smith, is no longer discussing the movie, Nelson said.

But Smith told Entertainment Weekly, "I never like to see anything that portrays this art form in a negative light. ... I do wish (Goldthwait) would wear the rubber nose with some responsibility and respect."

Goldthwait, who's taken to calling his film "The Last Temptation of Bozo," is not at all sorry about "Shakes."

"When I see clowns, I don't think, 'There's someone bringing joy into people's lives.' I think, 'There's a convicted felon. There's a guy with a past,'" Goldthwait said.

"I don't think clowns are funny. No kids think they're funny. That's why clowns are always playing hospitals — the kids can't get up and run away."

He does have one regret: not including more mime-bashing in his film. "I haven't heard from the mimes. That's the beauty of picking on them," he explained.

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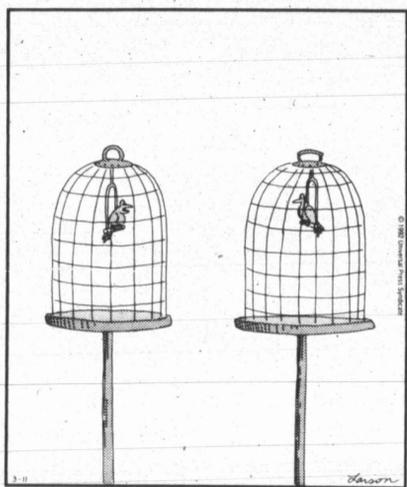
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By GARY LARSON



"Oh, yeah? Well, maybe I'll just come over there and rattle your cage!"

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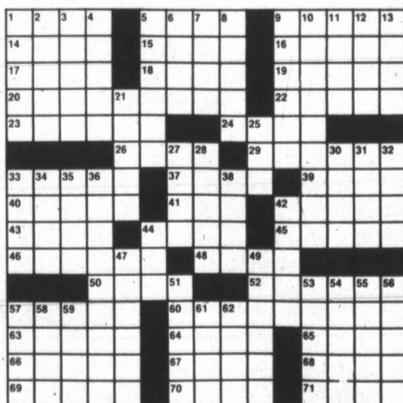
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### THE Daily Crossword by Harvey L. Chew

- ACROSS
- Perry Mason title word
  - Vasco da Gama
  - Cub Scout leader
  - podrida
  - Spirit
  - Exercise type
  - Blind as
  - Playground
  - Interest
  - TVA word
  - Absolute
  - Chant
  - Identical
  - Jason's ship
  - DDS word
  - Elementary
  - Church section
  - Camera
  - Fastener
  - Perfect score at times
  - Oxeye kin
  - Ledge
  - Persian fairy
  - Variety of beet
  - Singer Pete
  - Lhasa
  - Small bills
  - Mischievous tricks
  - Mine entrances
  - NCO's command
  - Afr. tongue
  - Challenge
  - Taj Mahal site
  - Comic John
  - Parched
  - Goneril's dad
  - Unanimously
  - "So loving" mother
  - "Hamlet"
  - Sea bird
  - DOWN
  - Raccoon's kin
  - Veep Barkley
  - Bias
  - "...could - fat"
  - "Old Faithful" for one
  - Word of sorrow
  - Moon feature
  - Mountain range
  - Take for granted
  - Artlessly playful
  - "L...est mol"
  - Skywalker
  - Mimic
  - Make into law
  - Fruit drink
  - Portal
  - "Carmen" e.g.
  - Adios
  - USA word: abbr.
  - Fat
  - Kiss
  - Rose's man
  - Fish
  - Acquired-by-evil means
  - Cut
  - Certain nut
  - Before: prof.
  - Guarantee
  - Rapid
  - Former Egyptian leader
  - "- of Two Cities"
  - Afr. river
  - Sacred book
  - Springe
  - Rhyme scheme
  - "- of Our Lives"
  - "-uncertain terms
  - Starchy root
  - Fr



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### Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

TALL DELL ASIA  
 IRAE EVIL STURM  
 TOPBANANA TOGAS  
 LOS NINE BANAI  
 EMERGES HOMER  
 OLD FELDSPAR  
 ADORE DEGAS IRE  
 LORE SOLAR GURS  
 ARA KNOLL COMET  
 SANTAANA TEA  
 GEMRE BOATERS  
 DENSE ALPS NET  
 SAMOA GRAPEVINE  
 ONERS ANDE ETIA  
 BANS BAIR TIRAM

### Adoption 011

FAMILY PICNICS and walks to the nearby duck pond are special moments this stay-at-home mom and professional dad would love to share with your baby. A warm home with big yard in a neighborhood filled with playmates is waiting for your special child. Please call Robin & Barney collect 201-385-6012. "It is illegal to be paid for anything beyond legal or medical expenses."

### Lodges 025

STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge #1340, AF & AM, 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., 2102 Lancaster, Carl Condray, W.M., Richard Knous, Sec.

STATED MEETING Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 every 2nd and 4th Thursday 7:30 p.m., 219 Main, Ricky Scott, W.M., T.R. Morris, Sec.

### Personal 030

### 8/7 FANTASY CARIBBEAN CRUISE

Enjoy 8 day/ 7 night cruise for (2) adults aboard a luxury liner. Includes cabin, all meals and entertainment. Cruise to Nassau, St. Barts, San Juan, St. Thomas of Jamaica, Grand Caymen, Cozumel and many more exotic ports. \$399.00 couple gets you this cruise vacation plus membership for worldwide travel discounts. Airfare, taxes and reservation fees not included. Good for (1) year. No gimmicks. Offered through licensed and bonded cruise line travel agent. Call 1-800-284-7484 (24)HRS a day, 7 days a week. Mastercard & Visa accepted. Offer available one week only.

### Special Notices 040

GET CASH today on your income tax refund check. No waiting. Bring 1040, W-2's, ID and SS card. 700 N. Lancaster, M-F, 9-5.

### BUS. OPPORTUNITIES 050

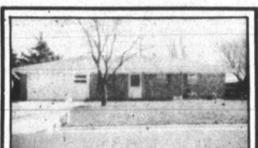
Business Opp. 050  
MAKE APPROXIMATELY \$200/ day. Need churches, schools, athletic group, club/ civic group or person 21 or older to operate a family fireworks center June 24 July 4. Call 1-800-442-7711.

STAY HOME and make up to \$100.00 a week or more. Over 400 companies need homeworkers/distributors now! Call for amazing recorded message. (512)445-1901 Ext. 104.

### EMPLOYMENT

### Help Wanted 085

GET CASH today on your income tax refund check. No waiting. Bring 1040, W-2's, ID and SS card. 700 N. Lancaster, M-F, 9-5.



ADORABLE HOME IN PRESTIGE AREA - Three bedroom & 2 bath - wonderful den w/fireplace, VA assumption. Hurry, this one will not last. Call Linda Fernandez, ERA, 267-8266 or 263-5657.

Carla Bennett ..... 263-4667  
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**REEDER REALTORS**  
 506 E. 4th MLS  
 267-8266

### FISH

Now is the time for Pond and Lake Stocking Hybrid Bluegill, Bass, Channel Catfish, Fathead Minnows, Black Crappie.  
 The Hybrid Bluegill will REACH the weight of 2 1/2 to 3 lbs.  
 We furnish your Hauling Containers. We guarantee live delivery.  
 Supplies - Fish Feeders, Turtle Traps, Liquid Fertilizer, Commercial Fish Cages, Bug-Light Feeders.  
 Delivery will be at the times listed for the following towns and locations.  
**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18**  
 Stanton - Stanton Chemicals & Seed Co. 2:00-3:00 p.m. 756-3365  
 Knott - Farmers Coop Gin 4:00-5:00 p.m. 363-4444  
**THURSDAY, MARCH 19**  
 Big Spring - Jay's Farm & Ranch Center 8:00-9:00 a.m. 263-1383  
 Call your local Feed Store to place your order or call: 405-777-2202  
 Toll Free: 1-800-433-2950 FAX # 405-777-2899  
 Fishery consultant available.  
 Special Deliveries on large ponds and lake orders.

**DUNN'S FISH FARM**  
P.O. Box 85  
FITSTOWN, OK 74842

## GUARANTEED TO SELL

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### READERS BEWARE

Be very careful to get complete details and information when calling advertisers out of state or with toll-free numbers. Remember this rule: If it sounds too good to be true, it likely is. Be sure that you have the facts and are not being misled. Should you have questions pertaining to a particular advertisement contact, The Better Business Bureau, Midland 1-563-1880.

\*\*\*\*\* MCDONALDS \*\*\*\*\* is taking applications for assertive individuals for entry level management positions. College or retail experience helpful, but not required. Apply at I-20 & Highway 87.

GREAT PART-TIME, for those who just need a few extra days a week, flexible hours. Full time positions also available. Need good driving record. Hourly wage plus mileage. Domino's Pizza, 267-4111.

CAREER IN fashion. Management opportunity. \$25,000-30,000 possible per year. Call for an appointment, 267-3837.

NEED SECRETARY dispatcher. Call 267-1946 for information.

**HOME REALTORS**  
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 263-1284 263-4663

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 Weldon McCollum ..... 263-0420

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CALL US FOR ASSISTANCE IN ACQUIRING HUD OR VA PROPERTIES

DON'T SPEND IT! - That tax refund may be all you need for a low down payment on this handsome two bedroom, with low maintenance siding, nice corner lot near shopping & college. Action priced at \$25,000.

BEGGING FOR CHILDREN - Friendly 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, walking distance to Kentwood school, plus great family neighborhood. Move in condition, priced in low \$40's.

BRACKEN LANE - in Beautiful Silver Heels Area. You'll find this 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home, living area with fireplace, beautiful view, all on one acre. Low \$60's.

PROFIT DAY CARE - great chance to own your own business. Real estate & all equipment/supplies included. Trained staff & licensed for 57 children and room to grow. Call today for more details & appointment to see.

**SOUTH MOUNTAIN AGENCY**  
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 Marjorie Dodson, GRI  
 Broker-Owner ..... 267-7760

**SUNCOUNTRY REALTORS**  
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**Marie Rowland REALTOR**

Dorothy Jones ..... 267-1384 Rufus Rowland, Appraiser, GRI, 2101 Scurry - VA AREA MANAGEMENT BROKER - 263-2591 Broker EXPECTING TAX REFUND? NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

COUNTRY LIVING - Beautiful 10 acres, lots of trees, large 3BR 3 bath with all amenities, workshop, garage, carport, huge patio, see to appreciate.  
 OWNER FINANCE - \$2000 down, 15 years, 3BR, for-mail living & den, fenced, \$21,500.  
 MOBILE HOME - 1 1/2 acre, 2 BR 2 bath, owner finance.

\$2500 down. NO DOWN PAYMENT, CLOSING COST ONLY - VA ACQUIRED PROPERTY - 2300 Marcy, 3 BR, one bath, SR-2 as is LBP 40,000 term, 30,000 Cash - 1607 Vines, 3 BR, 2 bath SR-2 as is LBP, 32,000 term, 30,000 Cash, 8 1/2% int.

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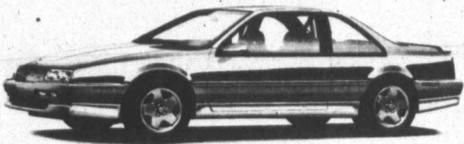
**Horses 230 Livestock For Sale 270**

**HORSE & SADDLE AUCTION.** Big Spring Livestock Auction, Saturday, March 14, 12:00 noon. We will sell during our regular horse auction a consignment of new and used saddles, Billy Cook, Santa Fe, etc. and miscellaneous tack. We always have buyers and sellers from the tri-state area. Jack Auliff, Auctioneer, 7339, 1-800-221-9060 anytime.

**AQHA TWO Sorrel Geldings and 1 double horse trailer for sale.** 264-9606.

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**'91 Program Cars**



1991 Chevrolet Corsica LT Sedan V-6, auto, air, tilt cruise, AM-FM power locks. 2 AVAILABLE



1991 Lumina Euro Sedan V-6, auto, loaded, 1 red, 1 white, 1 blue. As low as 8,000 MILES 3 Available



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**Quality Cars**

- '90 Century Sedan, extra clean car, 37,000 miles.
- '90 Eldorado Biarritz, one owner, all the extras, 34,000 miles.
- '89 Volvo Sedan 740, extra nice with all the extras, 34,000 miles.
- '91 Caprice Classic Sedan, local one owner.
- '89 Grand Am, quad 4 cyl, 5 speed, local one owner, 30,000 miles.
- '91 Park Avenue Sedan, Extra clean, only 13,000 miles.

**Trucks-Vans-Suburbans**

- '88 Jeep Wrangler, V-6, auto, hard top, air, extra nice.
- '90 3/4 Ext. Cab 4x4 Local one owner, loaded.
- '90 3/4 Ext. Cab 4x4 Local one owner, loaded.
- '88 Voyager V-6, auto, air, tilt, cruise, tape, 39,000 miles.
- '91 S-10 Pickup, V-6, 5-speed, air, local one owner, 24,000 miles.
- '89 3/4 Ton Reg. Cab 350, 4-speed, loaded, 48,000 miles.
- '88 3/4 Ext. Cab Loaded, Silverado, local one owner, 54,000 miles.
- '91 1/2 Ton P/U, V-6, auto, air, extra nice. 5,500 miles.

**POLLARD CHEVROLET Buick-Cadillac-Geo**

1501 E. 4th

267-7421

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**Auctions 325**

**SPRING CITY AUCTION.** Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS-079-007759. Call 263-1831/263-0914. We do all types of auctions!

**SPRING CITY AUCTION**

Thursday, March 12 7:00 p.m. 2000 W. 4th

Baseball cards, glassware, coins, color TV remote, hand tools, VCR, pocket knives, 22 cal. rifles, brass hall trees, pictures, braided rug, Southwest ceramics, bookcases, antique buffet, chest, dressers, chairs, IBM computer, baby swings, baby walker, full size poster bed, king size bed, Dearborn heaters, 2 new port-a-potty's, commercial juicer, propane tanks, super nice 5HP Wards rototiller-rear lines, like new 15HP Sears motor boat motor, compact tool box, 8" Black & Decker table saw.

1965 2 door Mustang Automatic floor shift, white with black interior.

Items Added Daily!!! Robert Pruitt, Auctioneer TXS-7759 263-1831

**Dogs, Pets, Etc 375**

**SAND SPRINGS KENNEL.** AKC Beagles, Chihuahuas and Toy Poodles. 393-5259.

**KENNEL REDUCTION sale.** Large and small breeds, wholesale prices. Call 263-0624.

**FOR SALE.** AKC Registered Poodle puppies, \$150. Call 263-5318.

**Garage Sale 380**

**SATURDAY.** 10a.m., 1703 Kentucky. Nintendo, toys, household goods, baby items, couch, boys clothes, lots more!

**ESTATE SALE**

Complete household, washer, dryer, freezer, antique glass, maple furniture, living room, dining room, kitchen, bedrooms, Viking sewing machine, TV & radios, handwork craft supplies, much miscellaneous. Wed, Thurs, Fri., 9-5. 1313 Mt. Vernon.

**Drive carefully.**

**Specials Of The Week**

**Living Room Package**

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1611 Gregg 267-6770

**Household Goods 390**

**REFRIGERATOR, QUEEN bed, washer/dryer, electric range, sleeper sofa, dinette 4 chairs, baby bed, sofa.** 267-6558.

**Lost & Found Misc. 393**

**\$1,000 REWARD** for information leading to recovery of a Magnum casing long & 2-axe blue trailer with hydraulic unit. Stolen between February 15-20 at American Oilfield Service yard 2 miles west of Stanton. Call Randy Green at 1-800-299-9687.

**Miscellaneous 395**

**GUARANTEED USED refrigerators and other appliances.** Also, all types of bedding and household furniture. Branham Furniture, 2004 W. 4th. 263-1469.

**SLOW DRAINS?**

**DRAIN CARE ends slow drains.** Removes years of buildup in pipes and it's safe to use. Money back guarantee!

Buy DRAIN CARE at: Spring City Hardware 1900 East FM 700

Park n' Putt miniature golf. Now open regular hours. Call 263-7536.

**HAND SINGER** sewing machine. Cut quilt pieces (Dutch doll, butterfly, farm boy) & quilt top. 267-3814.

**FOR SALE:** Waterbed frame with 6 drawers, heater, mirrored headboard. No mattress. Call 264-7609.

**COTTON SEED:** SP-37, 21-S, Lamesa 5, 1379 high germination. Approximately 600 bags, reasonable. 353-4885.

**YESS! HUGHES OPTICAL.** Change your eye color. Daily colored soft contacts, \$69 per pair. Clear, \$29 per pair. Doctor's prescription required. 808 Gregg, 263-3667.

**LAWN MOWERS,** \$35- with grass catcher, \$45. Two clothes dryers, \$85 each. Call 263-5456.

**FOR SALE:** Rattlesnake catcher and box cage. 263-8854.

**CANON F-1 CAMERA** body with motor drive, two finders and screens. \$350. 267-3970.

**Pet Grooming 425**

**IRIS' POODLE Parlor.** Grooming, indoor kennels-heated and air, supplies, coats, etc. 2112 West 3rd, 263-2409/263-7900.

**Telephone Service 445**

**TELEPHONES, JACKS,** install, \$22.50. Business and Residential sales and services. J - Dean Communications, 267-5478.

**NO BODY ASKS FOR IT**

Help STOP Sexual Assaults call 263-3312

Rape Crisis Services/Big Spring



Charles McKaskle & Danny Wright invite their friends & neighbors to ask them for the best deals on new or pre-owned vehicles.

**POLLARD CHEVROLET BUICK-CADILLAC-Geo**

1501 E. 4th 267-7411

**REAL ESTATE**

**Acceage For Sale 504**

**FOR SALE:** 200+ acres farmland and small pasture with water. Lee's Store area. Call Rosco, (915)267-6335.

**Cemetery Lots For Sale 510**

**FOR SALE:** one space in Trinity Memorial Park- Olivet section. Call (915)520-8202.

**Houses For Sale 513**

**3-2-1, new carpet, paint, cabinets, central refrigerated air, fenced backyard.** \$35,000. Carlton St. 267-6504.

**HOUSE FOR sale:** 2 story, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, near VA. Call after 4 p.m. 267-5420.

**SALE FELL thru,** so this three bedroom located in the prestigious Washington Place area is back on the market. Lots of storage including big garage and workshop, fenced backyard, and central heat and air. Priced in the mid \$30's. Call Vicki, 263-1284, or Home Realtors, 263-1284.

**BY OWNER:** 3 bedroom, 2 bath on 47 acres. Coahoma school district. 1-965-3337.

**OWNER:** 3-2-2, fireplace, central h/ac, ceiling fans, mini blinds, fenced backyard. Call 263-3645 or 1-573-5313.

**BY OWNER:** 1805 Alabama. Completely redecorated refrigerated air storm windows- new carpet- ceramic tile- floors. 263-0437.

**FORTUNATELY, YOU'VE** seen this ad. Bargain! Bargain! Bargain! Brick 3 bdrm, kingsize bds welcome. Super nice too & a good, good neighborhood. Alabama St. area, \$23,500. Beats the government (rep) homes. C/21 McDonald. 263-7615. Laverne 263-4549. Lou 264-9103. Sue 263-7537.

**THREE BEDROOM HOUSE,** corner lot and excellent condition, \$25,000. Call Linda Barnes 353-4788 or Suth Mountain Agency 263-8419.

**Manufactured Housing 516**

**\$675 DOWN \$147.43** for 180 months at 11.00% APR buys 2 bedroom mobile home. New carpet and drapes. Includes all appliances. Homes of America, 4750 Andrews Highway, Odessa, TX 915-363-0881.

**\$6,200 BUYS 2 BEDROOM** extra clean mobile home. Includes all appliances. Homes of America, 4750 Andrews Highway, Odessa, TX 915-550-4033. Se Habla Espanol.

**\$171 MONTHLY BUYS 3 bedroom 2 bath** mobile home. New carpet and drapes. Hardwood siding 5% down, 11.99% APR for 180 months. Homes of America, 4750 Andrews Highway, Odessa, TX 915-550-4033. Se Habla Espanol.

**RENTALS**

**Business Buildings 520**

**FOR LEASE:** Country store with walk-in cooler on Snyder Highway. \$150 a month, plus deposit. 263-5000.

**FOR LEASE:** Building at 907 E. 4th, 9:00-5:00. 263-6319; after 5:00, 267-8657.

**Quality Used Cars**

1988 CHEVY SILVERADO 1/2 TON SPORT SIDE Running boards, 2 tone paint, \$9,950  
1989 FORD SUPERCAB XLT LARIAT Automatic, fully loaded \$10,950  
1987 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER - L.E. 4 cylinder, fully loaded \$6,950  
1989 LARIAT XLT - Short wheel base, 4 wheel drive, fully loaded \$10,950  
1986 FORD 1 TON QUALITY CREW CAB XL - 4 speed, AM/FM cassette, A/C, clean truck \$8,950

**JIMMY HOPPER** 1629 E. 3rd 267-5588

**Business Buildings 520**

**FOR LEASE:** Warehouse with offices on 2 acres of fenced land on Snyder Highway. Excellent location for trucking operation. \$600 a month plus deposit. 263-5000.

**WAREHOUSE** with offices on North Birdwell Ln. \$225 month, \$100 deposit. 263-5000.

**Furnished Apartments 521**

**BEAUTIFUL GARDEN COURTYARD** Swimming Pool - Private Patios - Carports - Built-in Appliances - Most Utilities Paid. Senior Citizen Disc.

24 hr. on premises Manager 1 & 2 Bedrooms

Furnished or Unfurnished PARK HILL TERRACE APARTMENTS 800 Marcy Drive

263-5555 263-5000

**LOVELY NEIGHBORHOOD COMPLEX**

Carports - Swimming Pool - Most utilities paid - Furnished or Unfurnished - Discount to Senior Citizens.

1-2 Bdrs & 1 or 2 Bths 24 hour on premises Manager

Kentwood Apartments 1904 East 25th

267-5444 263-5000

**HOUSES/ APARTMENTS/ Duplexes, 1-2-3 and 4 bedroom.** Furnished, unfurnished. Call Ventura Company, 267-2655.

**FURNISHED** one bedroom apartment, two bedroom house, and mobile home. Mature adults. No children or pets. Call 263-6944 or 263-2341 for more information.

**NO DEPOSIT.** Nice, 1-2-3 bedroom apartments. Electric, water paid. HUD approved. 263-7811. Some furnished.

**NICE, CLEAN 3 room duplex.** Air, central heat, good neighborhood. Garage, very private. Working lady preferred. No pets. 263-7436.

**TWIN TOWERS**

Your home is our business. Look at the rest- come see the best value. 1 or 2 bdrm. furn. or unfurn. from \$200-\$300. You pay elect. Sorry no pets.

Call 267-6561.

**STUDIO APARTMENT** furnished. Living room/bedroom combined, carpeted, air conditioner. Call before 11:00a.m. or after 3:00p.m., 267-7674.

**ONE BEDROOM** nice furnished, carpet, air conditioned, drapes, large fenced yard. References required. 267-7714.

**Furnished Houses 522**

**1 BEDROOM FURNISHED.** Good location, very clean. No pets. Mature individual preferred. 267-4923, after 7 p.m., weekends anytime.

**INSECT CONTROL Safe & Efficient**

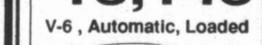
**SOUTHWESTERN A PEST CONTROL** 2008 Birdwell 263-6514

**Bob Brock Ford HAS IT**



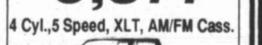
**CARS TRUCKS**

**1991 PROBE LX 2 DR.** stk # 683 \$13,145 V-6, Automatic, Loaded



List \$17,092.00 Ford Disc. \$600.00 Bob Brock Disc. \$2,347.00 Less Rebate \$1,000.00

**1992 RANGER XLT** stk #120 \$9,377 4 Cyl., 5 Speed, XLT, AM/FM Cass.



List \$13,377.00 Ford Disc. \$2,688.00 Bob Brock Disc. \$582.00 Less Rebate \$750.00

**1991 CAPRI CONVERTIBLE** \$11,475 4 Cyl., Automatic, & More



Was \$15,604.00 Disc. \$2,129.00 Less Rebate \$2,000.00

**1992 EXPLORER 2 dr** stk #1264 \$15,595 XL, 5 Speed, V-6, Air & More



List \$16,613.00 Disc. \$1,018.00

**1992 CROWN VICTORIA OR GRAN MARQUIS**



Come in and test drive the all new design. Ask about Rebates up to \$1,500

**F-150 177" WB FLARSIDIE** stk #1300



6 cyl., 5 speed, XLT and more. List \$16,178.00 Ford's Disc. \$500.00 Bob Brock's Disc. -\$1,491.00 Less Rebate -\$400.00 NOW \$13,785

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These almost new ... barely used cars have:

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**"New Car Financing"**

**"Extremely Low Mileage"**

**LINCOLNS**

1991 LINCOLN TOWN CAR White, blue leather, fully equipped, 13,000 miles. \$19,995  
1991 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL - Silver/rose, currant red leather, fully equipped, 14,400 miles. \$19,995

**NISSANS**

1991 NISSAN MAXIMA GXE - Pebble beige with cloth, fully equipped, 16,000 miles. \$15,995  
1991 NISSAN MAXIMA GXE - Satin white pearl glow with cloth, fully equipped, 12,000 miles. \$16,995  
1991 NISSAN SENTRA 4-DR. - White with gray cloth, stereo, automatic, air, 12,500 miles. \$9,995

**MERCURYS**

1991 MERCURY SABLE G.S. - Amethyst blue, gray, cloth, fully equipped, 12,700 miles. \$11,995  
1991 MERCURY SABLE G.S. - Electric red, gray cloth, fully equipped, 11,200 miles. \$11,995

**FORDS**

1991 FORD TAURUS Satin blue, gray cloth, fully equipped, 13,000 miles. \$11,995  
1991 FORD TAURUS GL - Currant red, gray cloth, fully equipped, 10,500 miles. \$11,995  
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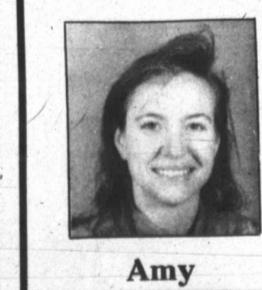
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# Education is first defense against AIDS

**DEAR ABBY:** I agree with your rejection of Mr. Gilkeson's suggestion to show kids horror films on sexually transmitted diseases like the kind the armed services used to show before a "big weekend."

Education, not scare tactics, is the best way to fight STDs and HIV/AIDS. I was concerned, however, at the rather high rate of condom failure you cited in your answer (11 percent to 19 percent). The failure rate can be lowered if the condom is used correctly.

Of course, the safest sex is no sex at all, but for many that is not realistic. When you choose to have sex with someone, you are taking a risk. Using a condom will lessen that risk, but it is still there. And don't let anyone tell you they "couldn't" possibly have HIV. Only you know what you have done in



**Dear Abby**

your past, so protect yourself and your partner!

Many manufacturers now include instructions with their condoms — read them! And if the condoms do not have instructions, buy a brand that does have them. Never use an oil-based lubricant (such as Vaseline) with a condom — it will destroy the condom and neither person is protected. Always use a water-based lubricant (like

K-Y Jelly). The spermicide Nonoxonyl-9 has been shown to kill HIV, so use it if possible. Never use two condoms at the same time, since they will rub together and both of them may break.

As I said before, education is our most important weapon against HIV/AIDS. Abby, I would like to thank you for your frank, open and compassionate response to this crisis. The most important message we can get out is that AIDS does not care who you are or where you live. We know that simple changes in behavior can keep you from getting HIV. Learn what those changes are and follow them.

AIDS education is very important to me. For the last two years, I have been an actor with HealthWorks Theatre (formerly

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I realize that parts of this letter may be too frank for publication in a family newspaper, but this is lifesaving information. If you cannot publish this letter, then please find an appropriate way to get this information out to people. Many young people read your column, and they need this information more than anyone. Keep up the good work. — JAMES E. GROTE, CHICAGO

# Jeane Dixon

FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1992

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE:** Look for new outlets for your artistic talents. Traveling in May will put you in touch with people who share your aspirations. July brings valuable new alliances. Make home improvements in September. Marriage is a real possibility in early winter. Be sure you are ready for the responsibilities you will have. An investment you make now will pay off handsomely in early 1995.

**CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE:** playwright Edward Albee, actresses Liza Minnelli and Barbara Feldon, singer Al Jarreau.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** The winds of change blow in your direction now. Private talks with VIPs will accelerate your success. Stay on the go — it will put you in the know. Romance flourishes!

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Travel or communication snags could send your plans into a tailspin. Conditions will worsen if you rush. Refuse to cast caution to the wind. Show someone how much you care tonight.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** A lack of attention could wilt your spirits. Get out and about this evening or make a few phone calls. Old friends will be delighted to hear from you. Make weekend plans.

**CANCER (June 21-July 21):** Shirk your responsibilities will only lead to feelings of guilt. Face them head-on! Seek comfort in the words of a close friend. An evening of fun will buoy your spirits.

**LEO (July 22-Aug. 22):** The more you push, the more resistance you will encounter. Lie low until you are back in command at work. Romance is sweet. Keep pur-

chases to a minimum while building your savings.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Good fortune will find you today, even in a new or distant place. Lead and instruct at work. Talking to VIPs will help shape your destiny. Learn from an earlier employee's mistakes.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** A newcomer livens up the social scene in a delightful way. Strike up a conversation. You may discover that you have made a valuable contact. Romance is in the air later tonight.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Try to reduce the stress affecting a close relationship. You may be overly emotional now and easily hurt. Do not back away from a promise you made. Uphold your end of a bargain.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** The emphasis today is on taking care of unfinished business. Go over your financial records and put them in better order. Help your friends with their endeavors; they will reciprocate in kind.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Since you cannot please everyone today, play it safe. Go along with whatever makes you feel most secure and comfortable. Open your mind to new concepts and philosophies.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Others may find you a little overpowering one-on-one. Work alone whenever you can and follow your instincts. Your intuition is right on target!

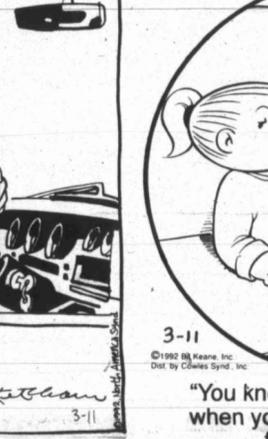
**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Go ahead and be a bit unconventional if you want. Change your personal appearance to reflect your new self-confidence. Let someone else handle the family finances for a while.

## DENNIS THE MENACE



"We're lucky the highway is going the same way we are!"

## THE FAMILY CIRCUS



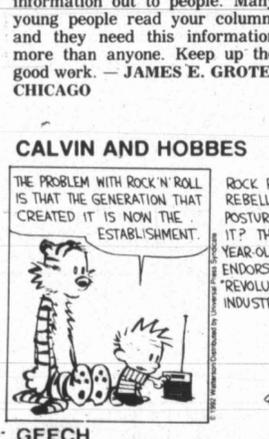
"You know you're growin' up when your toes keep getting farther away."

## CALVIN AND HOBBS

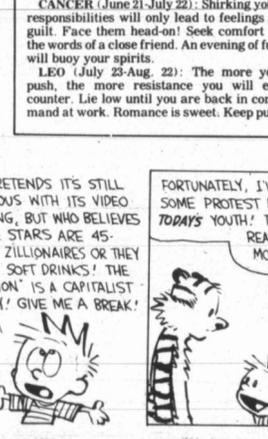


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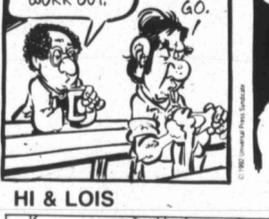
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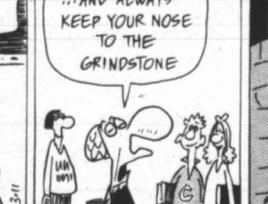
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