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#### **News Digest**

#### Fina abatement topic of meeting today at 2

The public will have the opportunity to hear a presentation by Jeff Morris, Fina refinery manager, on the proposed \$38 million abatement request before county officials.

The meeting will begin at 2 p.m. at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce and was announced Wednesday at 1 p.m.

The \$38 million abatement is the third requested by Fina. The two previous requests were granted by county, Howard College and Big Spring ISD officials.

#### Herald survey Friday

The Big Spring Herald will conduct a reader-

ship survey beginning Friday evening.
Subsribers of the Herald will be contacted by telephone for their responses to approximately 25 questions. The survey will take approximately 10-15 minutes to complete.

Participation in the survey will help the Herald fine tune its editorial efforts.

#### Clean effort under way

Big Spring's April 11 city wide clean-up effort has gotten off to a good start, according to Clean Committee chair Beverly McMahon.

"The VA Hospital is the first to sign up for the clean-up day, and things are really rolling," she

McMahon cited a commitment from the VA Medical Center to participate in the day-long effort as well as adopting a median, a new beautification effort from the committee.

Also, Price Construction Co. has committed to demolish dilapidated buildings.

The committee got a financial boost from the Big Spring Wal-Mart store in the form of a \$444.69 contribution. The money was raised through a year-long automotive battery recovery system in which 50 cents per battery was donated by Wal-Mart and auto battery manufacturers GNB, Inc. and Johnson Controls.

The clean-up effort is sponsored by the Clean Committee and the Big Spring Herald. For more information, call the Chamber of Commerce at

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#### Sports.

· Schramm thinks NFL made mistake on replays: Upon further review, Tex Schramm, the father of instant replay, thinks the NFL made a mistake when it voted Wednesday to discontinue the second-look concept he sold the league a half dozen years ago. See Page 5A.

#### Weather\_

Tonight, mostly fair. Low near 40. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph.

Friday, partly cloudy. High in the lower 70s. South to southeast wind 10 to 20 mph. Extended forecast on Page 8A.

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### Texas insurance reform efforts working

By PATRICK DRISCOLL

Staff Writer The replacing of some court litiga-

tion with state board hearings in workers' compensation cases "is working very

well," said state Rep. David Counts, D-Knox City, while in Big pring Wednesday. Also, guidelines on a competitive state fund law ex-

pected to reduce

workers' insurance rates are being written, luncheon meeting

Counts, who will represent Big Spring in 1992 under a new redistricting plan, said lawmakers plan additional reforms of other insurance to put limits on litigation, medical fees and liabilities of third parties.

"If the business community wants to mobilize and move towards a change they can do it," said Counts, an independent insurance agent. "I need your input to tell me how this is working.

Counts lauded the workers' compensation law, effective January 1991, that reduced attorney involvement in the system. He pointed out Texas Workers' Compensation Commission figures showing:

• 12,549 cases of intent to appeal Texas Industrial Accident Board decisions dropped from 12,549 in 1989 to nine in 1991.

• 13,402 cases were awarded by the Accident Board in 1989 while 83 panel decisions were filed in a six-month period in 1991. New medical-fee guidelines saved

an annual \$102.5 million, an 8.45 percent reduction. • The first workplace safety

guidelines were adopted. "We have a whole lot less attorney involvement. We have put a good (medical) fee guideline in place. Safety's working better," Counts said. He said he is confident that current court testing of the compensation bill will generally be upheld by the Texas Supreme Court. He said the high court may disfavor some provisions, for example, ruling the medical fee guidelines are too stict, but, he said. "I don't think they'll set aside the whole

Other planned reforms, Counts said, include:

 No-fault automobile insurance. It would require insurance companies to pay claims of their policy holders

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# Tsongas pulls out

WASHINGTON (AP) - Paul Tsongas is withdrawing from the Democratic presidential race because of a shortage of campaign funds, his spokeswoman told The Associated Press today.

The former Massachusetts senator - winner of the New Hampshire primary just a month ago planned a midafternoon announcement in Boston, taking his leave from a field that was five candidates just three weeks ago, and now is only two. Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton has emerged as the

prohibitive front-runner in the Democratic campaign for the White House and Tsongas' withdrawal would leave only Jerry Brown in the race against Clinton. Tsongas planned no endorsement, said spokeswoman Peggy Connolly.

head battle with Brown, a confrontational candidate who has been making increasingly scathing attacks on Clinton's character and electability potential. Brown said he and Clinton would do "battle for the soul of the Democratic Party.'

"It's going to sharpen the division," Brown said. "It will make clear the cleavage between the party

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Democratic presidential hopeful Paul Tsongas is shown speaking to a group of unemployed people

in Hartford, Conn. on Wednesday. Tsongas withdrew from the presidential race today.

### Effort to draft H. Ross Perot intensifies

billionaire H. Ross Perot says he is amazed that people are working in all 50 states to get him placed on the ballot as an independent presidential candidate.

In a nationally-broadcast speech Wednesday to the National Press Club, Perot reiterated that he would launch a third-party campaign if - and only if

— he is on the ballot in every state. "I never play for margins," he said, when asked if he would run if not on the ballot in all states.

"What will happen? I don't know. The ball is in the owners court," he said, referring to Americans as the

owners of their nation. Perot said he already has in mind a vice presidential prospect, but

wouldn't discuss any names. He did quash a rumor circulating in Dallas that he was considering the Rev. Jesse Jackson, who ran unsuc-

cessfully for the Democratic nomina-

In "plain Texas talk," Perot outlined his vision to improve the U.S. economy and take Congress and the White House back from the special interests and insider issues now clouding the picture, he said.

Perot called on citizens to become more involved in the political process and voice their opinions.

"We've abdicated our ownership responsibility," he said. "In plain Texas talk, it's time to take out the trash and clean out the barn or it's going to be too late.

In a strong attack on the White House, Congress and both political parties, Perot painted the picture of a once-great nation headed toward decline unless reform is swiftly undertaken.

The nation must improve education, reduce crime and drug abuse, and fix the justice system — but most of all must improve the economy quickly, "We simply cannot continue to spend

beyond our means," he said. 'This an out-of-control financial situation. To me, this is like flying a 747

... at night through the mountains with no instruments. It's just a question of which hill you're going to hit." Among Perot's litany of economic woes were the nation's \$4 trillion debt, the \$400 billion deficit and the 1990

budget agreement. That agreement,

spending for every dollar raised in Perot offered little hope that Congress and President Bush would set aside partisanship and work together

on an economic recovery plan. "We need fundamental long-term solutions to these problems and at this point we are running around in Washington with a hypodermic needle loaded with Novocain trying to give everybody quick temporary pain relief

just to get past the election," he said. "These quick fixes will, with certainty, produce additional long-term damage to our economy.

Perot's suggestions included: -Revising the tax code, creating a

more simple and equitable system. -Putting a halt to deficit spending by taking away from Congress, at least temporarily, the power to raise taxes. Voters should vote on tax hikes and congressional pay raises.

he said, resulted in \$1.83 in new federal —Giving the president line-item veto

-Limiting campaigns to five months, and moving elections to Saturdays and Sundays, allowing voters two days in which to cast their votes. Responding to a question from an au-

dience member, Perot said he believes women have the right to decide whether to have an abortion.

"God knows what kind of demonstrations I'll have outside my office," he

Kite weather

With Spring comes the wind, and perfect kiteflying weather. Andrea Amaro, 5, gets a helping hand from her uncle, Robert Oliva, as the two were behind Runnels Junior High School Tuesday afternoon.

### Contested races in 3 area cities

By PATRICK DRISCOLL

Staff Writer

Three of seven cities in the area Stanton, Loraine and Westbrook - reported contested city council races at the end of the candidate filing period Wednesday for the May 2 election.

No contested races were reported in Colorado City, Coahoma, Forsan and Ackerly but newcomers filed for positions being vacated in Coahoma and Forsan. "Be sure and register and vote," urged one area city secretary.

Contested races include: • In Stanton, six people filed for three at-large council positions and only one filed for mayor. Mayor Lester Baker, 31, service representative at Cap Rock Electric Co-Op, filed for re-election.

Council incumbents that filed are Albert H. Baker, 36, school teacher; James Jenkins, shop foreman at a local car dealership; and Ronnie Christian. Newcomers are Jim Epley, 40, owner of Epley Ag; Dennis Kotasek, 44, electronics instructor; and Mary Local elections are scheduled May 2. The last day to register to vote in the election is April 2. Early voting is from April 13-28.

Saldivar, beautician.

 In Westbrook, three filed for mayor and two incumbents filed for two at-large positions.

Filing for mayor were incumbent J.L. Rees, 78, retired; William Cain, 68, retired, Ramiro Fuentes, 22, odd jobs. Uncontested for council positions are Sally Parker, 35, owner of Sally's Diner, and Peggy Hill, 35, school teacher.

• In Loraine, four filed for three at-large positions. They include incumbent Salley Compton, 60, housewife: incumbent Lee Matlock, 65, retired; newcomer Oscar Singleton, 62, self-employed photographer; and newcomer Ricky Baily, 35, of Mitchell County Utilities.

In Coahoma, three newcomers filed for three at-large positions: Randy Overton, 32, truck driver; Scott Hayes, 38, truck driver; and Morgan Wise, 30, a sales manager. Incumbent Councilman David Elmore, 39, an engineer with the state highway department, filed for a one-year unexpired term.

In Forsan, newcomers filed for two at-large positions: Bob Fishback, 35, school teacher; and Rodger Hudgins, 54, school teacher and current mayor. Newcomer Johnny Sherman, 43, selfemployed, filed for mayor.

Incumbents filing for singlemember districts 3, 4 and 6 in Colorado City were, repectively, Gary Redwine, 40, chief engineer with a local television cable company; Brian Bassham, 39, selfemployed/construction; and Duff Chesney, 70, retired.

Paperwork was not available in Ackerly but three incumbents are expected to run without opposition, an official there said. They are Gary Johnson, Bobby Wigington

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#### Texas

### Judge rules state can see Tilton's financial records

AUSTIN (AP) - A federal judge has ruled that the state may examine financial records of television evangelist Robert Tilton, but criticized the Texas attorney general's office handling of its investigation into the Word of Faith World Outreach Center Church.

In a 27-page opinion Wednesday, U.S. District Judge Sam Sparks scolded Attorney General Dan Morales for refusing to meet with Tilton and his lawyer, and said the office's public accusations of fraud were "neither professional, nor responsible, bordering on the unethical and constitutes bad faith."

"This conduct is not what is expected of attorneys charged with the responsibility of being the legal representatives of the state of Texas," the judge said.

Sparks issued a permanent order blocking legal action taken by Morales in which the state sought to liquidate the church and possibly imprison church leaders for not turning over the requested records.

Morales said the state didn't intend to take over the church, but the litigation was filed because Tilton refused to turn over the records

Sparks said Morales does have authority under the Texas Nonprofit Corporation Act to examine is "truly a non-profit corporation under Texas law.

However, he said, the state's January request for a list of church members, plus administrative and marketing records showing the internal workings of the church, was out of bounds.

"The scope and substance of constitutional authority to know a rights," Tilton said. person's membership in or support of any church," Sparks said.

mediately would list financial cast allegations that church records it wants and give it to members were defrauded. Tilton. The state also will appeal to the 5th U.S Circuit Court of Appeals Tilton deposited financial donain New Orleans Sparks' ruling that tions sent with "prayer requests," Texas couldn't see other records but the requests didn't reach the under consumer protection laws. missisterness ent such bas murou

Morales defended his office s ac tions, saying he was "troubled" by

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Televangelist Robert Tilton waves a copy of a federal judge's decision at a news conference at his Farmers Branch church Wednesday.

Sparks' remarks.

'One way or the other we are going to be in a position to make a final determination about whether consumer fraud is being perpetrated on the citizens of Texas via this ministry," he said.

"If indeed the reverend has records to determine if the church nothing to hide, there ought to be no reason for not making those documents available," Morales Tilton, in a news conference at

his Farmers Branch church Wednesday, said Sparks' order was a triumph for all religions. 'Today's decision is a tremen-

dous victory, one of the greatest these requests are clearly un-victories in recent years, for First constitutional. The state has no Amendment freedom-of-religion Tilton's church came under

scrutiny after the ABC television Morales said his office im- show "PrimeTime Live" broad-

According to the broadcast,

a nurse's shooting and strangula- husband.

tion, who admitted the crime in

video and audio tapes, has been

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George Anderson Hopper receiv-

Hopper, 36, was convicted two

weeks ago in the 1983 slaying of

Richardson nurse Rozanne

Gailiunas. She had been tied to her

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Police in the North Dallas suburb

contended that Hopper was the last

in a series of people hired by Joy

ed the sentence Wednesday after a

six-week trial.

down her throat.

thousands of viewers each week. The church has attracted about 8,000 members.

On Wednesday, Tilton said he had no problem in cooperating with the attorney general's investigation "if he does it in a decent way."

Tilton said the church would turn over financial records to the attorney general "if there is a particular law that says they can look at it. ... There is not anything to hide, but as a church, we do not have to reveal anything to them."

Tilton also commented on lawsuits filed against him in recent weeks by two Oklahoma women who complained that they continued to get letters from the minister after their husbands had died.

The letters solicited money and said God had spoken to Tilton about restoring them to good health, the women said.

'We're in litigation over that, and I don't want to make a statement on that. But we certainly meant no harm to those people. I am praying for them, and I'm definitely sorry if they feel the church narmed them in any way. Success-N-Life program draws he said. Hand control and

Hopper took the verdict with lit-

tle apparent emotion. His parents,

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Mrs. Gailiunas, 33, died two days

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# Water Commission Chairman John Hall (right)

Comptroller John Sharp listen during a Wednesday press conference.

### Texas steps up efforts

AUSTIN (AP) — Top officials with the state's major environmental agencies say they have started sweeping changes in the way Texas enforces its pollution laws.

answers questions while Air Control Board

Chairman Kirk Watson (center) and State

The changes are the result of recommendations made by the state comptroller's office, which conducted performance audits of the Texas Water Commission and Texas Air Control Board.

"We don't think that these changes alone that we are recommending are going to make us the cleanest state in the nation, but they certainly ought to make sure that we are no longer dubbed the most polluted state in the nation," State Comptroller John Sharp said Wednesday.

John Hall, chairman of the Water Commission, said the report proved what officials in that agency have known — that it was in trouble and failing in crucial areas.

"In short, the agency is not providing the level of service necessary to effectively protect the health and safety of our citizens," Hall said.

He blamed previous senior staff for allowing huge backlogs to form in critical programs, such as repairing leaking petroleum storage tanks, and cleaning up some 2,500 hazardous waste sites.

Hall said a major effort has recently been launched to clear this backlog and revamp many of the agency's operations, such as the collection of fees.

Kirk Watson, chairman of the Air Control Board, said more inspectors have been hired, the agency is trying to respond more quickly to pollution complaints, and that the board is considering raising administrative penalties.

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He said because of federal mandates under the Clean Air Act, the state agency will probably double in size from 450 employees to 900 employees by September 1993.

Both the Water Commission and Air Control Board are scheduled to be merged in 1993. Sharp also recommended that both agencies establish active minority recruitment pro-

grams; that the Water Commission allow its field office employees to issue citations; and that the Air Control Board establish an independent office to represent the public in hearings before the board.

### Clinic closed after drug charges

methadone clinic has been shut down by the U.S. Drug Enforce- cian whose medical license was ment Administration for recently put on probation by the widespread violations that includ- Texas Board of Medical Exed allowing an undercover officer aminers because of complaints inviolation of state and federal drug laws, officials say.

John Moseman, DEA drug diversion supervisor in Houston, said Wednesday it was the first time ever in the United States that the DEA has closed a clinic and suspended its license on an emergency basis.

"This is a very drastic measure," said Moseman. "We feel there is an imminent danger to public health and safety."

Agents raided the clinic and impounded dozens of bottles of methadone tablets and liquid and seized 96 patient files from the clinic, Chemical Dependence Associates. Methadone is used to

treat heroin addiction. Investigators from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and the Texas Department of Health's food and drug division also participated in the early morning sweep of the clinic, and licenses issued by all three agencies were suspended and

HOUSTON (AP) - A private removed from the premises.

Dr. Tommy E. Swate, a physinthetic opiate in volving two abortion clinics he operated in Houston, is the owner of the methadone clinic.

Swate, who reportedly is out of town and could not be reached for comment, the Houston Chronicle reported today.

Swate would have to petition the DEA in Washington for a hearing before the methadone clinic could be reopened. His other clinic was not affected by Wednesday's

The Chronicle reported that an undercover Houston police officer working with the DEA was able to obtain take-home doses of the medication without fulfilling the attendance requirements. And the officer was not required, as is the law, to drink the first dose in front of the clinic staff.

The DEA said the closing following a six-month investigation by the DEA, FDA and the Texas Department of Health.

Violations uncovered included

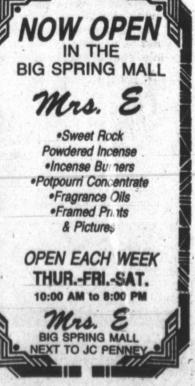
failure to comply with laws regulating take-home doses, failure to keep track of methadone handled by the clinic, failure to sanction patients who failed the required urine drug tests and lax compliance with dosage

requirements. Methadone, a synthetic drug developed by the Germans in World War II as a substitute for the painkiller morphine, is used to treat addiction to heroin and other opiates. When taken properly, it suppresses withdrawal symptoms and allows addicts to work and function without the debilitating effects of an intravenous ad diction.

When taken in sufficient quantities, however, it produces a high. And an overdose can be fatal.







### Names in the news\_

Aylor to kill Mrs. Gailiunas, who evidence in his trial.

Killer sentenced to death

DALLAS (AP) — A hired killer in was dating Mrs. Aylor's estranged

comment.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Fashion critic Mr. Blackwell is suing Johnny Carson, claiming the "Tonight Show" host hurt his reputation by joking that Mother Teresa made Blackwell's worstdressed list.

Blackwell never mentioned Mother Teresa in his annual list of the 10 worst-dressed women. He seeks \$11 million in a

lawsuit filed Tuesday. NBC said the lawsuit is frivolous.

"It's quite obvious that Mr. Carson's joke was in no

defamatory and no one could have understood it as anything other than the joke it was," the network

Carson made the joke the day after Blackwell released his 32nd annual list on Jan. 14: "Did you see what he said about Mother Teresa? 'Miss Nerdy Nun is a fashion nono.' Come on now, that's just too

BOSTON (AP) — Cardinal Ber-Catholic Church considers Sen. Edward M. Kennedy married to Joan Kennedy, and he needs an annulment before he can wed Washington lawyer Victoria Reg-

gie in the church. The Kennedys divorced in 1982. Law said Tuesday he has met with the senator and Mrs. Kennedy, but he would not say whether they applied for an annulment of their 22-year marriage.

Without an annulment, Law said, Kennedy would be considered estranged from the church if he remarried. Kennedy plans to marry Reggie

later this year.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ontario (AP) - Maharishi Mahesh Yogi, spiritual adviser to the Beatles, and magician Doug Henning are planning a \$1.5 billion amusement park devoted to spiritual enlightenment.

The 33 attractions would include a building that appears to levitate above water, Henning said. There also would be hotels, apartments and a conference center.

"The purpose of our parks is to give enlightenment, knowledge and entertainment to the people," Henning said from Toronto on Wednesday.

Construction should begin this year, but no opening date has been set, he said.

Mayor Wayne Thomson said the two have bought the land and are applying for building permits.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) nard F. Law says the Roman Former heavyweight champion Joe Frazier will play a fighter who becomes an angel in the movie "Home of Angels."

Abe Vigoda, who played Fish on the TV series "Barney Miller," stars in the film about an Alzheimer's patient whose grand-son smuggles him out of a nursing

Filming began this week in Voorhees, N.J., Frazier publicist Burt Watson said Wednesday.

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### Nation/World

# up a maid in prison

udge books a cell for Leona Helmsley at the local women's prison, the onetime queen of luxury hotels may have to put her background to work - as a prison

U.S. District Judge Thomas Griesa rejected a motion from Mrs. Helmsley's lawyers Wednesday to set aside or reduce her fouryear prison sentence for evading \$1.7 million in income taxes.

Mrs. Helmsley collapsed after the hearing in New York and was hospitalized for observation. She suffered severe high blood pressure and an irregular heartbeat and remained hospitalized early today, said Dr. R.A. Rees

Griesa said she would enter prison April 15 — tax day — but didn't say where. A courthouse source who spoke on condition of anonymity said she had been assigned to Lexington's Federal

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — If a Medical Center for prisoners.

Mrs. Helmstey, 71, had begged Griesa for mercy, saying that to separate her from her sickly 83-year-old husband, Harry, would kill them both.

"He has nobody in the world," she sobbed. "All he's got is me." Mrs. Helmsley, who billed herself as the queen of her husband's hotels, helped him run a real estate empire worth billions of dollars. It includes the Helmsley Palace in New York.

Before going to the hospital, Helmsley said she remained confident she would win a new trial.

But if winds up at the Lexington prison, she could receive a regular work assignment, and based on her background, it could be as a maid. Unlike the guests at The Harley,

a Helmsley hotel a few miles from the prison, she would have to make her own bed every day and split up chores with with as many as 40 roommates.

# Helmsley could end U.S. could bomb Iraq's missile plants

Iraq blows up its ballistic missile facilities, American bombers may do the job, U.S. officials say.

U.S. officials say the Bush administration has drawn up contingency plans for a bombing strike against weapons-related facilities in Iraq.

By agreement with U.N. allies, any U.S. action "would be a limited, specific strike," said an official familiar with the administration's thinking. Iraq would be given notice of the raid to avoid harm to civilians, he added. A decision to bomb would depend in part on the outcome of a

trip by a U.N. team to Iraq this Saturday to oversee Iraqi destruction of equipment for building Scud missiles. Iraq prevented the team from carrying out its mission last month, prompting the Security Council to warn that further defiance would result in

serious consequences. But Egypt and Syria, the main

We are not prepared to support military action against Iraq in light of the present situation. It does not need the use of military force, especially since Iraq assures that it is committed to the U.N. resolutions.'

**Hafez Assad President of Syria** 

Wednesday they don't want military reprisals against Iraq for refusing to comply with the U.N. resolutions.

Presidents Hosni Mubarak of Egypt and Hafez Assad of Syria voiced the opposition at the end of Assad's 24-hour visit to Cairo for discussions on Arab-Israeli peace talks and other Middle East

"We are not prepared to support military action against Iraq in light of the present situation," Arab partners in the Gulf War Assad said. "It does not need the coalition against Iraq, said use of military force, especially

since Iraq assures that it is committed to the U.N. resolutions."

Rolf Ekeus, director of the U.N. special commission for the destruction of Iraq's weapons, said Wednesday night that Iraq had been given a list of 10 items that the United Nations wants destroyed under the supervision of the inspection team. He said the team members planned to stay in Iraq until March 29.

This next inspection could be the trigger," said another official. **But Assistant Secretary of State** Edward P. Djerejian, asked Tues-

day during a congressional hearing about policy on Iraq, appeared to rule out any immediate attack.

First, he said that given Sad dam's "cheat and retreat strategy, the time has come to truly reinforce the (U.N.) inspection regime inside Iraq.'

But when Rep. Lee Hamilton, D-Ind., said he understood that no military action was under active consideration, Djerejian replied, That is basically a correct statement." Still, he added that 'nothing was ruled out."

The contingency plans are part of a new strategy being devised by the administration to further erode the Iraqi president's standing in the eyes of his countrymen, said the U.S. officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The plans also call for possible seizure of Irag's bank assets in the United States and in other allied countries, expansion of the ban on Iraqi helicopter flights in northern Iraq, and an increase of U.N. inspections in Iraq

### Defense opens case for police

SIMI VALLEY, Calif. (AP) Police beating victim Rodney King was portrayed by the defense as a laughing, profane, blood-spitting threat whose behavior led one officer to say: "I thought I was going to have to shoot him.

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The defense began its case Wednesday in the trial of four Los Angeles policemen, trying to show that force was justified.

Sgt. Stacey Koon, 41, and Officers Laurence Powell, 29, Timothy Wind, 31 and Theodore Briseno, 39, are charged with

Both prosecution and defense witnesses have described King as laughing and clowning when he was pulled over after a high-speed he continued laughing after he was ompliance with do.asteed

The March 3, 1991 clubbing of King by baton-wielding officers was videotaped by a bystander.



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Former Secretary General of the United Nations The libby of the U.N. Tuesday. At right is U.N. Javier Perez de Coellar, left, standa betore a paints Secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali. ting in his likeness by Swiss painter Aans Erni in

#### Bush veto sustained in bill on China

Senate sustained President Bush's veto of a bill that would have imposed human rights and other conditions on a renewal of China's normal trade status with the United

Wednesday's 60-38 vote was a high point in Senate opposition to Bush's China policies but fell six votes short of the two-thirds needed to override the veto.

The Senate action pushed the administration's record on sustained vetoes to 26-0. Last week, the House had voted 357-61 to override Bush's

WASHINGTON (AP) - The China's most-favored-nation trade status, which confers the lowest available U.S. tariffs on its imports, will almost certainly be renewed when it expires in July.

China's Foreign Ministry voiced approval of the Senate vote. Unconditional renewal of most-favorednation status "is in the national interests of the two countries and conforms with the common aspiration of the peoples of the two countries," ministry spokesman Wu Jianmin said.

The compromise bill would have required "substantial progress" by China in the areas of human rights, Failure to override means trade and weapons proliferation

#### **Effort to restore Aristide thwarted**

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) A walkout by legislators has thwarted an attempt to turn back the clock on a military coup and restore exiled President Jean-Bertrand Aristide to power.

A tense atmosphere surrounded Wednesday's special parliamentary session, which the anti-Aristide lawmakers deprived of a quorum and thus the chance to approve a plan for Aristide's reinstatement.

A fistfight among lawmakers outside set the stage for the heated

four-hour session, which was marked by accusations of treason and corruption.

After the meeting, several lawmakers leaving the seaside Legislative Palace were accosted by an angry mob backing the interim government of President Joseph Nerette, which was installed by leaders of the Sept. 30 coup.

Supporters of the reconciliation plan, which would bring an end to a punishing international embargo, say they fear opponents have new stalling tactics in store.

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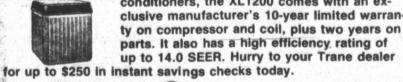
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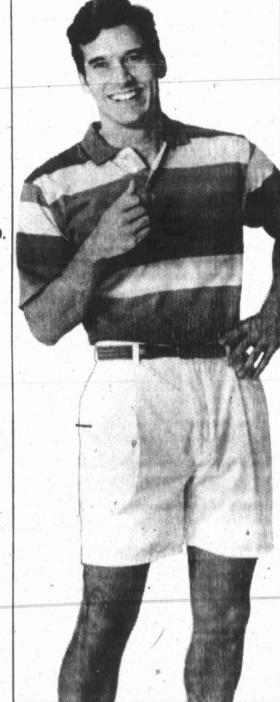
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### Views of other Texas papers

#### Texans dislike school plan

It's easy to see that House Speaker Gib Lewis is on his way out of the Texas Legislature. No one else would be so foolish — or brave, depending on your point of view — to recommend a massive consolidation of school districts to resolve the school funding issue.

Lewis would cut the number of school districts from more than 1,000 to 188, each made up of one or several counties somewhat along the lines of the current county education districts. Lewis says this is the ultimate, permanent solution to the issue of equality . . . This plan will immediately guarantee every child has access to the same amount of educational funding.

Well, Lewis needs to read the mail at the Longview News-Journal. In a recent ballot to which 217 East Texans responded, 131 were decisively opposed to consolidation at the county level, 45 were in favor, and 19 were undecided. That's almost three to one against Lewis' plan. . . .

Overwhelmingly, the comments indicated that bigger is not better, and that many parents had moved to small school districts where their children could be a big fish in a little pond instead of being lost in the shuffle of a huge school system.

Thus, Texans will give Lewis' plan a thumbs-down and throw any lawmaker who supports him to the lions.

That still doesn't solve the school financing issue and our beleaguered legislators deserve some sympathy. That's because East Texans are no more in tune than the state leadership on how to solve the funding issue....

In view of the inability of Texans to form a consensus on education funding, it might be prudent to delay the special session until there is a larger coalition in favor of a single solution. Meanwhile, the House speaker is chasing a rabbit with a dog that won't hunt.

Longview News-Journal

#### Castration is inhumane

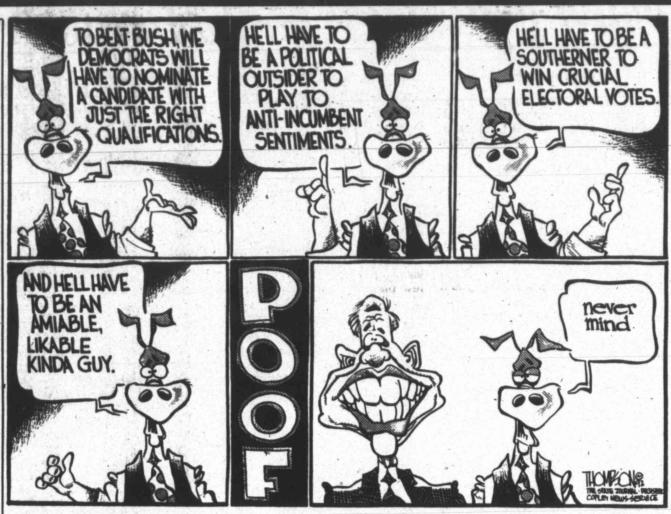
State Rep. Ron Wilson is not the only one who opposes the notion that castration is the best solution for dealing with a sex offender. We oppose the idea, too.

Such a penalty — should it be called "rehabilitation" or a most extreme from of punishment? - is inhumane. Imposition of it would return us to the barbaric philosophy of demanding "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." In fact, it would revert us to the thinking of more than a century ago. The last recorded castration of a convicted

rapist was performed in 1864 in Belton, Texas. The question arises because State District Judge Mike McSpadden last week approved a request by Steven Allen Butler, a two-time child molester, to be castrated in exchange for 10 years probation. (Butler later withdrew the request, and the judge has removed himself from the case).

Butler, 28, faces a possible life sentence for the aggravated sexual assault of a 13-year-old girl. The crime carries a penalty of five to 99 years or life in prison and a fine of up to \$10,000 . . .

Lubbock Avalanche-Journal



### Taking advantage of scandal

The congressional check-writing scandal has not been the best election news for most candidates But some campaign managers are trying to take advantage of it. Don Tiger met with Congressman Blankman and told him, "We're changing our strategy. We have to appeal to the check-bouncers' vote. There are thousands of Americans out there who have written rubber checks and feel that no one gives a damn about

Blankman said, "Tiger, I wish you would take this scandal a little more seriously. My mail indicates that the people are furious. They are worried that if I can't balance my own checkbook, I'll have trouble balancing the nation's budget."

"How about this? When you came to Congress you didn't know that you had to keep enough funds in your account to cover your checks. You were told by senior members that a congressman's bank account was similar to a budget bill in the House of Representatives, and that your checks would be covered by the deficit. We'll announce that you will never bounce a check again.

"It's easy for you to say that, but have you ever tried to keep enough funds in a checking account to cover everything?"

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"I have, but my children haven't.'

"I bounced 987 checks. Won't my opponent say that I'm full of hubris and sloth?"

"We will announce that when you signed the checks you thought you were drawing funds on government appropriations and not on your personal account. Since you deal in billions of dollars every day, the public can't expect you to keep track of the nickels and dimes you spend on yourself."

"It could or could not work, but we have to do more to deflect the fallout from the scandal. I was thinking of calling for an FBI investigation of the reporters who broke the story. That should take people's minds off what I did. We can also hold the House bank employees in contempt of Congress for revealing how the House does its banking.

"What good will that do?"

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"If we hold them in contempt, then maybe the voters won't hold us in contempt."

"Our mail suggests that the electorate wants an explanation. Suppose we convince the voters that bouncing checks is an American tradition like telling people 'The check is in the mail.' You can say that without rubber checks the economy would go into a recession and the country would face fire, pestilence and drought. Bum checks are what keep the wheels of progress turning and create prosperity for the middle class. Pose this question to the crowd, 'Do you think that Abraham Lincoln would ever have been President if he hadn't bounced checks?" "

"Did Lincoln bounce checks?" "Of course. He couldn't have dressed as well as he did in Illinois without an overdraft." "Well, let's call it a night and sleep on it."

"Sir, I hate to raise the subject, but I haven't been paid in three weeks.'

"I'm sorry to hear that. Here, I'll write you a check."

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### A case of 're-re attacks'

Steve Reagan

I remember those happy days and often wish I could speak into the ears of the dead the gratitude which was due to them in life and so ill-returned — Gwyn Thomas.

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When recalling his wife's death, a character in one of Dan Jenkin's books — I don't recall which one right off — spoke about having "re-re attacks: Reruns and regrets."

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That pretty much sums up my feelings toward my father, who recently passed away. Although we loved each other and knew it, we didn't spend a lot of time telling each other of the fact. And now that he's gone, there's

no chance for me to tell him how I feel, and that's causing a fullblown case of the re-re attacks.

Well, if he can't be here to listen to my words, perhaps you kind people will allow me a sort of public testimonial.

I promise to be brief My father was born in Big Spring and lived here all his life, just as his father before him. I mention this because it instilled in his children a sense of roots, a sense of having someplace you could call home.

That was his first lesson. My father also had a great, although dry, sense of humor. Even during the past two years, as he lay in a hospital bed partially paralyzed from a stroke, he refused to let go of his sense of

Unsuspecting visitors would be treated to stories of how Dad did such-and-such with so-and-so. Some of the stories were true, some not, but all were entertaining.
I particularly remember his

telling my aunts and uncles how he and his good buddy President Bush were going to go fishing after he got better. Of course, Dad never met the president - which was Bush's loss.

A sense of humor — that was lesson No. 2.

He also instilled a sense of fairness in us. Although he seemed trapped in the old-fashioned image of what a father should be - the stern provider and disciplinarian - he also let us know when he thought he had overreacted and did his best to make amends.

An example of this happened several years ago, when I had a friend over for the night and, as is a kid's wont from time to time, stayed up a bit late.

Dad, who had worked the evening shift that night, came home and, not knowing of my friend's sleepover plans, sternly ordered him to get the heck out of the house.

Later, after having learned from Mom about our plans, Dad took my friend and me out for hamburgers and miniature golf, which was his way of saying he was sorry.

That was Dad: Not big on words, but always there if you needed him.

Dad loved fishing, being with friends, telling jokes, relaxing by the television set, my step-mom and us, to mention a few things To have to spend so much time

in bed, plagued by a half-useless body and unable to do the simple things that gave him pleasure, must have been nearly unbearable for Dad.

But he always tried to put the best face on things. As it states in the Bible, he "fought the good

And he taught me the value of home, humor and fairness, and if that's all I ever get out of life, I still won't be too bad off. Steve Reagan is city editor of the

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Mailbag

#### Culture distorts the truth to justify beliefs

I am taking this opportunity to verbalize my observation of how we as a "civilized" culture distort the truth for the purpose of justifying our beliefs or actions. Sunday, March 8, I heard two

newscasts in which the lives of children were herocially saved. In one news report the life of a ten-year-old boy was saved by an-

80-year-old man. The older gentleman pushed the 10-year-old boy out of the path of a monster truck. The gentleman lost his life in the heroic act. In the second report, Gov. Ann

Richards awarded medals to the woman and men who together saved the lives of four handicapped children from flood waters in Houston. A real reason for commendation. True heroism.

On other days I have seen news reports of men and women forming human chains to prevent mothers from having their unborn child murdered. A commendable act: adults sacrificing for the purpose of saving a child

The distortion of truth: Before birth, to save a child from murder is a crime, whereas, after birth saving the child is an act of heroism.

When will we allow truth to be our standard in both situations? Will we continue to choose distortion so we can be comfortable with our actions and our beliefs? Or will we choose to change our actions and beliefs to face truth with a clear conscience?

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#### Articles on black history were appreciated

You will probably never know the true impact these articles (during the Black History Awareness Week) gave this community. In my opinion, people that didn't appreciate Black folk every week in the newspaper read it and became educated about a race of people who are so similar to themselves but made it and are making it through many past and present adversities. To other folk in the community who enjoyed or appreciated the articles they are more informed and don't have to suffer from a lack of knowledge.

Black residents have more appreciation, pride and dignity. knowing more about their past and are reminded that there is hope for the future. And finally there is more confidence and interest in the Big Spring Herald, which is a forerunner in and for the community.

Thank you for sharing Black Americans of Big Spring and Black America with Big Spring. I have been a resident of Big Spring for over a year now and I have

been desiring all the knowledge you've given me about Big Spring. Your articles were interesting and so enlightening

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#### **Lady Steers mentor** named top coach

**Big Spring Lady Steer** basketball coach Ron Taylor has saddled his second Coach of the Year honor.

Taylor was recently named Coach of the Year on the Lubbock-Avalanche Journal's 4A All-South Plains team. Taylor was also named Coach of the Year in District 3-4A.

In his first season at Big Spring, Taylor led the Lady Steers to a 21-8 record and a playoff position. Big Spring was 5-21 last year.

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2A squad. Stanton first year coach Doug Gordon was named Coach of the Year. Gordan led Stanton to its first regional playoff bid ever. Stanton improved from 14-13 last year to 26-7 this season.

Three Coahoma players were named the the 2A All-Area team by the Abilene-Reporter-News.

**Bulldogs guards Mark Arguello and Brent Elmore** made the first team and **Bulldogettes senior forward** LaTisha Anderson made the first team.

#### **Neighbors** qualifies to regional meet

Local Sidewinder gymnast Karen Neighbors earned a berth in the United-States **Gymnastics Federation** regional meet in Richardson April 5.

at the state semifinals in February, She was the only gymnast from West Texas and the first Sidewinder to do so.

Other Sidewinders competing were Jennifer Perez, Valarie Biggs and Alisha Weaver.

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# Sorry, Tex - no more instant replay

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Upon further review, Tex Schramm, the father of instant replay, thinks the NFL made a mistake when it voted Wednesday to discontinue the second-look concept he sold the league a half dozen years ago.

"It's a sad mistake," said Schramm, who was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame last summer. "With the TV coverage, you'll continue to have instant replay. The only problem is you won't have the plusses but you'll

#### **Barkley wants** to dispose of legend

LAS VEGAS (AP). - Iran Barkley has a thing about legends. "I want to do away with legends," said Barkley, who will challenge Thomas Hearns for the WBA light heavyweight title Friday night at Caesars Palace.

"It was like there were only four guys that were top dogs — like Hagler, Leonard, Duran and Hearns. These guys had a clique of their own and they wouldn't let nobody else in. But when Tommy finally let me join the clique, bang!

Barkley pulled a big upset when he knocked out Hearns in the third round and won the WBC middleweight title June 6, 1988.

Barkley is getting \$500,000 Friday night, while Hearns' purse is \$1.2 million.

Should Hearns lose again Friday night, he probably would join **Sugar Ray Leonard and Marvelous** Marvin Hagler in retirment. Roberto Duran, who will be 41

June 14, has not announced his retirement, but he has been reduced to a bit player after many years of stardom. Hearns, who is 33, has no

thoughts of retirement. "I love to fight," he said Wednesday. "I grew up fighting. Fighting is a part of me. I'm not trying to achieve anything, just trying to be the best I can."

"I'll have my just due after Friday," said the 31-year-old Barkley, whose IBF super middleweight title will not be at stake Friday steep on it.

you've lost. It will still be seen at home and you'll have a strong reaction from the public when they see plays they know are wrong or very questionable and get the feeling there is no second shot at changing it."

Schramm ackowledged the widespread criticism of the technique - lengthy delays, sometimes convoluted explanations by the officials. "It didn't work the way I would

years, we've had two Super Bowls in which it called back TDs. The price you pay is insignificant compared to the advantages." The death of instant replay was

mourned by others as well, in-cluding Jim Finks, president of the New Orleans Saints and Don Shula, coach of the Miami Dolphins, who head the league's influential competition committee.

"I perceive it as stupidity on the have preferrred," he said. "But the part of our league," Finks said. "I think it's a step backward for the few plays it saved, that was the

suffer the criticism and things whole purpose. In the last three National Football League. I think, it back in. It's been a real tool that other sports would like to have.'

> Shula said that of 90 reversals last season, 81 were shown in a postseason review to have been

"That's five times each week that we corrected something that otherwise would have been wrong," he said.

Commissioner Paul Tagliabue supported the rule.

"I thought it was a plus for the we're going to regret the day we NFL," he said. "But my feeling is voted it down and I think we'll have we'll still go ahead and have the greatest game in America."

Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson, another replay opponent, said, "It was interesting. I like the concept, but it's just too controversial until it's improved."

Bob Golic, defensive tackle of the Los Angeles Raiders, reacted dryly to the vote. "Oh," he said, "you mean we'll get home before dark?" referring to the time replays took to be reviewed.

#### Racer killed in freak accident

SEBRING, Fla. (AP) - The death of Mark Kent in a crash during opening practice for the IMSA Firestone Firehawk Endurance Championship Grand Sports race was the competition's first in its eight-year history, officials said.

Kent's BMW M-3 went off course Wednesday in a turn at Sebring International Raceway. It slammed into a safety barrier before coming to rest against a converted school bus in a parking area.

On Saturday, the bus and a platform built between it and a nearby fence probably would have been filled with race fans.

Sebring Raceway director Tres Stephenson called the accident "a

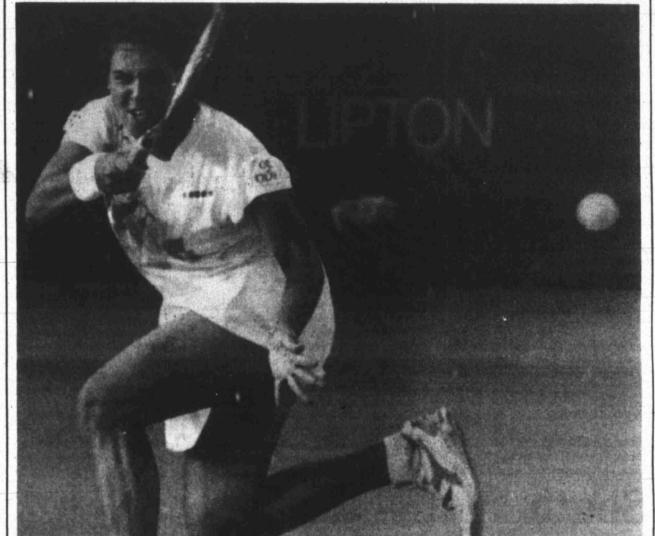
Dorsey Schroeder, a former IM-SA GTS-class champion now racing on NASCAR's Winston Cup circuit, agreed. "If you tried a million times, you

couldn't get a car over there like that again," he said. "It was a real freak deal where probably a dozen things had to happen just wrong.'

Safety crews removed Kent, and he was taken to Highlands Regional Medical Center where he was pronounced dead. No spectator injuries were reported.

Kent, who owned and operated a graphic design firm in Hingham, Mass., was 35. His father, Tom, was at the track at the time of the Ken Payson, a friend and racing

rival of Kent's, was one of the first drivers on the 3.7-mile course after it reopened following the crash.



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Fifth-ranked Jennifer Capriati returns a shot national Players Championship in Key Bis-

**Associated Press photo** 

### Pitt survives Penn St. in tourney opener

The Pittsburgh-Penn State rivalry is one of the best in college sports, and it doesn't matter if it's football or basketball.

Everyone knows about the football rivalry, of course. But until a break in relations in 1982, the Panthers and Nittany Lions had met 138 times in basketball - with Penn State holding a 74-64 edge.

resumed their rivalry in the National Invitation Tournament. This time, Pitt survived 67-65. 'We came into the tournament

Wednesday night, the teams

with the attitude of winning this whole thing," said Chris McNeal, a senior forward whose three-point play with 11 seconds left gave the

#### NIT Roundup

Panthers the victory.

It was one of six opening-round games in the NIT on Wednesday night. In the others, it was Tennessee 71, Alabama-Birmingham 68; Notre Dame 63, Western Michigan 56; Virginia 83, Villanova 80; Kansas State 85, Western Kentucky 74, and Washington State 72, Minnesota 70.

The NIT resumes tonight with nine games: Ball State (24-8) at Utah (20-10), Wisconsin-Green Bay (25-4) at Manhattan (23-8), Butler

(21-9) at Purdue (16-14), Richmond (22-7) at Florida (16-12), Rhode Island (20-9) at Vanderbilt (15-14), Southern Illinois (22-7) at Boston College (16-13), Long Beach State (18-11) at Texas Christian (22-10), Louisiana Tech (23-7) at New Mexico (18-12), and Arizona State (18-13) at UC Santa Barbara (20-8).

McNeal scored Pitt's last 12 points and 14 of the Panthers' last 16 to hand Penn State its first home loss of the season. Penn State had not lost in 12 games at Rec Hall this season, and the second-largest crowd of the year, 6,970, showed up despite a weather forecast for six inches of snow.

DeRon Hayes scored 20 points for Penn State, which closed its season

Washington State 72, Minnesota 70 Former Howard College player Terrence Lewis, along with Ken Critton sank seven free throws in the final minute as Washington State edged Minnesota.

Lewis led Cougar scorers with 17 points. Critton had 16, including two free throws with 15 seconds remaining to put Washington State up 72-67. Washington State advanced to

the second round with a 22-10 record. Minnesota's season ended at 16-16. Tennessee 71, Alabama-

Birmingham 68 Allan Houston scored 33 points to lead Tennessee over AlabamaThe Blazers, who did not score in

the final 4:48, finished the season Notre Dame 63, W. Michigan 56 Malik Russell scored eight points

in a Notre Dame flurry that dashed Western Michigan's hopes of continuing its best season in a decade. Virginia 83, Villanova 80 Bryant Stith scored 29 points and

Junior Burrough 22 as Virginia held off Villanova.

Kansas State 85, Western Kentucky

Askia Jones scored 25 points and Vince Jackson had a career-best 21 points as Kansas State got off to a quick start and coasted past Western Kentucky.

### The case of the missing putter

AUSTIN (AP) - For the second time in two years, golfer Ben Crenshaw's "Little Ben" putter has been taken, and the 15-time PGA Tour winner hopes he has the same luck retrieving it he had last time.

questions will be asked and a substantial reward will be given if the putter is returned. Little Ben was one of 17 clubs in a personalized bag stolen from his

Crenshaw said Wednesday no

unlocked recreational vehicle at his west Austin home Tuesday "It's comical, but at the same time it hurts a lot. I've had that putter for 25 years," said Crenshaw, who grew up in Austin and starred

for the University of Texas before turning pro. "It's just one of those things. We live in a crazy world," he said. Crenshaw is renowned for his touch on the greens, which he attributes to Little Ben — a Wilson 8802 with his name embossed on the grip. His finesse with the putter

earned Crenshaw the nickname "Gentle Ben." That's why he's offering the

"We hesitate to put out the sum of the award," he said, but "it's

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"No questions will be asked to Classics. get the club back. We've alerted places around here - pawn shops and a lot of the golf clubs to be alert

for any suspicious people," he said. The last time the putter was stolen, national media reports helped Crenshaw recover it within two weeks.

Crenshaw is next scheduled to compete in the Tournament Player's Championship in Jacksonville, Miss., next weekend.

Wednesday trying to get comfor-

table with a new set of clubs -

"The replicas are very good. They're very close to my other ones," Crenshaw said.

While most attention is focused on the putter, Crenshaw said he also will miss his driver and sand "You can replace the set of irons.

The wedge, putter and driver are such personal clubs they're hard to replace," he said.

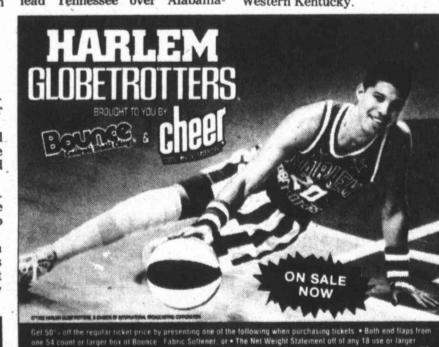
The burglary was one of a Meanwhile, Crenshaw was busy several in Crenshaw's neighborhood. He said he doesn't think the robbers knew what they replicas of his stolen Cleveland were taking.

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### Track Bests

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Shot Put — Shellman, Big Spring 38-8; Schraeder, Garden City 28-3; McAdams, Forsan 27-8.

Discus - Hulme, Colorado City 121-4; Hilario, Big Spring 114-4; Underwood, Big Spring, 99-0. High Jump — Robertson, Grady 5-3; Grisham, Big Spring 5-0. Long Jump - L. Chapa, Stanton 17-0; Rodriguez, Big Spring 16-2; M.

Franklin, Klondike 16-0. Triple Jump — M. Franklin, Klondike 34-3; Tollison, Stanton 32-7; Peugh, Grady 32-6.

3200 — Wheeler, Big Spring 13:40; Lopez, Big Spring 14:04.60; Jones, Garden City 14:34.03.

400 Relay — Big Spring 51.18; Stanton 51.74; Klondike 53.61. 800 - Rodriguez, Big Spring 2:24.11; Martinez, Big Spring 2:29.00; Perez, Big Spring 2:38.10. 100 Hurdles - Peugh, Grady 18:05; Herm, Stanton 18.13; Neitzel, For-

san 18.75. 100 - Miller, Big Spring 12.70; M. Franklin, Klondike 13.19. 800 Relay — Stanton 1:51.02; Big Spring 1:51.89; Garden City 1:55.07. 400 — Rodriguez, Big Spring 59.6; Broadrick, Big Spring 69.50; Hoard,

Forsan 72.02. 300 Hurdles - Griffin, Big Spring 53.1; Swartz, Garden City 60.70; Reed, Garden City 61.38. 200 - Miller, Big Spring 27.92; Cook, Big Spring 28.30; Chapa, Stanton

1,600 - Lopez, Big Spring 5:53.78; Perez, Big Spring 6:13.1; Wheeler,

Big Spring 6:24.30. 1,600 Relay - Big Spring 4:15.55; Stanton 4:18.61; Garden City 4:27.03.

BOYS Discus - Moreno, Grady 130-1; Rogers, Big Spring 124-9; E. Seidenberger, 123-8.

Triple Jump — Hughes, Big Spring 43-5; Glass, Garden City 39-3; B. Seidenberger, Garden City 37-2. High Jump - Hughes, Big Spring 6-4, Schneider, Coahoma 6-2; Soles,

Big Spring 6-2. Long Jump - Green, Colorado City 20-11; Soles, Big Spring 20-6;

Hughes, Big Spring 20-2. Shot Put — E. Seidenberger, Garden City 45-10.

Pole Vault - Reese, Forsan 11-6; Treadaway, Forsan 9-0.

400 Relay - Big Spring 42.21; Grady 48.10. 800 — Stallings, Stanton 1:58.04; Franklin, Big Spring 2:00.96; Roberson, Big Spring 2:05.00.

110 Hurdles - M. Seidenberger, Garden City 15.64; Odom, Grady 16.22; Taylor, Big Spring 16.76. 100 - Soles, Big Spring 10.37; Martin, Big Spring 10.46; Pearson, Big

Spring, 11.40. 400 - Roberson, Big Spring 49.70; McCalister, Stanton 50.60; Farr, Big

Spring 50.70. 300 Hurdles — Taylor, Big Spring 43.07; Rigdon, Big Spring 43.50. 200 — Martin, Big Spring 21.62; Edmonds, Big Spring 22.12; Soles, Big Spring 22.30.

1,600 - Stallings, Stanton 4:44.00; Rivas, Grady 5:39.18. 1,600 Relay - Big Spring 3:24.50; Stanton 3:30.60; Coahoma 3:44.57.

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#### **NBA Standings**

All Times EST EASTERN CONFERENCE **Atlantic Division** 

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	Philadelphia	30	36	.455	101/2
	Miami	30	37	.448	11
	New Jersey	29	36	.446	11
	Washington	22	44	.333	181/2
	Orlando	16	51	.239	25
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	Cleveland	43	21	.672	101/2
	Detroit	41	26	.612	. 14
	Indiana	32	36	.471	231/2
	Atlanta	31	35	470	231/2
	Milwaukee	29	35	.453	241/2
	Charlotte	25	38	.397	28
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Houston	37	30	.552	61/2	
Denver	22	43	:338	201/2	
Dallas	17	50	.254	261/2	
Minnesota	11	54	.169	311/2	
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Golden State	44	20	.688	21/2	
Phoenix	43	24	.642	5	
Seattle	36	30	.545	111/2	
LA Clippers	35	32	.522	13	
LA Lakers	34	32	.515	131/2	
Sacramento	20	47	.299	28	
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Tuesday's Games Chicago 90, New Jersey 79 New York 99, Orlando 86 Milwaukee 127, Boston 106 Houston 100, LA Clippers 92 Denver 118, Sacramento 100 Phoenix 92, Dallas 81 Portland 111, Minnesota 91 Golden State 119, Seattle 107 Wednesday's Games

Boston 96, Cleveland 94 Indiana 116, Miami 111, OT Orlando 99, Atlanta 96 Detroit 91, Philadelphia 85 San Antonio 118, Sacramento 89 LA Clippers 117, Dallas 86 Portland 98, LA Lakers 93 Golden State 123, Minnesota 120 Thursday's Games

Milwaukee at New York, 7:30 p.m. Charlotte at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m. Chicago at Washington, 7:30 p.m. Seattle at Houston, 8:30 p.m. Friday's Games

Men's JUCO

"We left something between here

San Jacinto was topped

Meanwhile, the College of Southern Idaho benefited in over-

time when South Plains was forced

to play without Terry Alexander,

who fouled out with 3:57 left in

regulation play. Alexander, who

had 23 points, was joined on the

bench by teammates Artie Griffin

(16 points) and Nathan Nash (15

points) - both with five personal

Craig Tyson scored what proved

:27 left in overtime to give the

In Three Rivers' victory, Eric

Gary Robb led Sullivan with 28

In first-round games, Wilson

Winters scored 19 points as Butler

County, Kan., defeated Chowan,

Schweain hit two free throws with

25 seconds left to preserve the

to be the game-winning bucket with

Golden Eagles a 85-82 lead.

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Leonard Williams' 18 points.

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Atlanta at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m. Golden State at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m. Milwaukee at Indiana, 7:30 p.m. Boston at Detroit, 8 p.m. Sacramento at Dallas, 8:30 p.m. LA Clippers at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.

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1:05 p.m. 1:05 p.m.

Chicago Cubs vs. Milwaukee at Chandler, Ariz., 3:05 p.m. Cleveland vs. Seattle at Tempe, Ariz.,

Philadelphia vs. Cincinnati at Plant City, Fla., 7:35 p.m. Friday's Games

Minnesota vs. Montreal at West Palm Beach, Fla., 1:05 p.m. Chicago White Sox vs. Kansas City at Haines City, Fla., 1:05 p.m.

Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla., 1:05 p.m. Texas vs. Cincinnati at Plant City, Fla.,

Fla., 1:05 p.m.

Baltimore vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., 1:35 p.m.

son, Ariz., 3:05 p.m. Milwaukee vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif., 4:05 p.m.

California 5, Seattle 4 Baltimore 1, Philadelphia 0, 10 innings Thursday's Games Montreal vs. Atlanta at West Palm

Beach, Fla., 1:05 p.m. Boston vs. N.Y. Yankees at Fort Lauder-

Texas vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., Baltimore vs. Minnesota at Fort Myers, Fla., 1:05 p.m.

Los Angeles vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 1:10 p.m. St. Louis vs. Chicago White Sox at Sarasota, Fla., 1:35 p.m. Kansas City vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., 1:35 p.m.

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Atlanta vs. N.Y. Yankees at Joe Robbie Stadium, Miami, 7:35 p.m. Chicago Cubs (ss) vs. San Francisco (ss) at Scottsdale, Ariz., 9:05 p.m. Seattle vs. San Diego at Yuma, Ariz., 9:05 p.m.

#### **SPORTS**

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#### **Golden Gloves**

FORT WORTH (AP) - Here are the results Wednesday of the State Golden Gloves competition:

**Flyweight** 

Javier Buentello, Wichita Falls d. Reymundo Ortiz, Dallas, RSC(3); Juan Delgado, San Antonio d. Richard Garza, Fort Worth, RSC(2); Mac McLin, Odessa d. Jason Martinez, Houston; Juan Herrera, Corpus Christi d. Jorge Munoz, West

Featherweight Jaime Ruiz, Wichita Falls d. Juan Abonza, Dallas; Larry O'Shields, Houston d. David Djaz, Corpus Christi.

**Light Welterweight** Joel Perez, Houstond. Michael Lerma, Fort Worth; Abel Rodriguez, San Antonio d. Richard Perez, Odessa, RSC(2); Eric Lichtenberger, Corpus Christi d. Raul Perez, Wichita Falls; Jose Guerrero, West Texas.

Welterweight Monte Lane, Houston, d. Stewart Taylor, West Texas, RSC(3); Larry Wheeler, San Antonio d. Brian Williams, Fort Worth; Vincente Lopez, Odessa d. Clarence Jackson, Dallas; Robby Benson, East Texas d. Johnny Salinas, Corpus Christi.

Super heavyweight Stepnen Edwards, San Antonio, d. Rufino Ojeda, Fort Worth, RSC(1); Leon Smith, Wichita Falls d. Bill Lopez, Corpus Christi; Tyrone Campbell, Houston d. Guillermo Marquez, West Texas.

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Saucedo, Jesse Rodriguez, Mike Vega, Manuel Baeza and Tom Cruz had a combined score of 3,359. Kreme and Krust was second with a 3,307

total. The doubles event winners were LeRoy Hedrick and Henry Edwards for 1,337. The singles event winner was Jerry Farmer with a 772 score. Cruz was the all events winner with his 2,035. Jeff DuKett was a Team USA qualifier with a scratch score of 1,873.

#### Local skaters place at meet

Three local skaters from the Spring City Sk8 Club won trophies in competition in Austin recently.

In the freshmen ladies division (500 and 1,000 meters) Kelly Gressett got third place. She also finished fourth in the open long distance ladies division (ages 12 to 15). Katrina Gressett got third place in the same division.

The club's next meet is in San Antonio, March 28-29.

#### Little Leaguers need to register

Signups are going slow for the International and National Leagues and prospective players are urged to register. Signups for the National and

International Leagues are March 7-21, weekdays from 5:30-7 p.m and Saturday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Each league signs up at their own field.

#### Coahoma signups lasts until March 27

Signups for the Coahoma Little League and United Girls Softball Association will be March 16-27 at Roberts Auto and the Coahoma Community Center

Times, Monday through Friday, are 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Roberts Auto and from 5-7 p.m. at the Community Center. On Saturday, times are from 9 a.m: until 6 p.m. at the Community Center.

#### Softball tourney set for March 27

The Second Annual Snakefest Softball Classic, a men's slowpitch softball tournament, will be March 27-29 at Cotrton Mize Field in Comanche Trail Park.

Entry fee is \$110 per team and entry deadline is March 21. The first four teams will receive team trophies.

For more information call

Chuck Martin at 263-5279.

### South Plains falls to Southern Idaho

HUTCHINSON (AP) - It's over for San Jacinto, Texas. The winner of three Nationa Junior College Athletic Association

titles in the last eight years was eliminated Wednesday from the 16-team, double-elimination tournament. "It's not that we lost, it's that we were never in it here," San Jacinto coach Scott Gernander said after the 92-75 loss to Wabash Valley, Ill.

In other games, Craig Tyson and Clayton Johnson scored 21 points apiece and the College of Southern Idaho advanced to the quarterfinals by beating South Plains, Texas, 87-84 in overtime. And Shon Peck-Love scored 27 points and Belvis Noland had 23 as Three Rivers, Mo., the 1979 champion,

edged Sullivan, Ky., 102-99. In two earlier games Wednesday, Butler County, Kan. defeated Chowan, N.C., 68-64, and Champlain, Vt., beat Casper, Wyo.,

Elimination games to be played today: Chattahoochee Valley, Ala. vs. Daytona Beach, Fla.; Northeast Mississippi vs. Northeast Oklahoma A&M, and Chowan, N.C.

vs. Casper, Wyo. Winner's bracket games are: South Plains, Texas vs. Sullivan, Ky. And quarterfinal games include Central Arizona vs. Vincennes, Ind., and Butler County, Kan.

vs. Champlain, Vt. James Dockery scored 31 points in Wabash Valley's victory. San Jacinto, a four-time champion, was the first team ousted, losing twice

At Tyler All Times EST First Round Tuesday, March 17 John A. Logan 76, Odessa, Texas 69 Mount Aloysius, Pa. 76, Walters State, Tenn. 74

**JUCO Women** 

Holmes, Miss. 82, Barton County, Kan. Central Florida 86, Snead State, Ala. 49 Tyler, Texas 72, Southern Idaho 58 Wednesday, March 18 Central Arizonia 64, Casper, Wyo. 48 Northeastern Oklahoma A&M 75,

ulsburg, N.C. 82, Crowder, Mo. 68

Quarterfinals Thursday, March 19 John A. Logan (29-7) vs. Mount Aloysius,

Central Florida (32-2) vs. Holmes, Miss.

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ourg, N.C. (33-1) vs. Tyler, Texas

Central Arizona (38-2) vs. Northeastern Oklahoma A&M (28-4) Friday, March 20 John A. Logan-Mount Aloysius winner vs. Louisburg-Tyler, Texas Central Florida-Holmes, Miss. winner vs. Central Arizona—N.D.-Lake Region

Saturday, March 21

"It was ugly, but we're thankful to be in the quarterfinals," Butler County coach Randy Smithson said. "Chowan's a fighting team. We outfought them." New Number. Faster **Updates** The NHL is back on the ice. Fastest scores, complete updates. 1-900-737-7676 Only 75 cents per minute. Touch-Tone phone required. **Big Spring** Herald

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WASHINGTON stamps are being an underground allows the coupons drugs, guns and

congressman says The Agriculture own investigators trafficking in food rise, and that crool engaged in increa

schemes to defrau Craig L. Beauch inspector general tions at USDA, told hearing Wednesday stamp recipients ar ed by "runners," v welfare offices to be

less than face value "The problem ha at the street lev "maybe because p desperate for cash. The runners gen stamps to a retailer

### Tsonga

 Continued from of incumbency and t for change."

The reaction from campaign was a "what?!" Tsongas w to place calls to bo Brown, Connolly said The Tsongas anno being readied as De didates were focusing ticut in advance of n

primary. Brown, reached a stop in Hartford, Con "mixed emotions" a departure. 'He's honest and

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"He's a very realist olly said. "He looked cial numbers and numbers and wanted very proud and dignif

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Month's normal.....

April crude oil \$19.02, down 5, futures 54.40 cents a pound, up 55; cents higher at 39.75; slaughter ower at 78.50; April live h down 17; April live cattle futures 18:00 a.m., according to Delta Co

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### Food stamp trafficking up

stamp benefits this year.

Business subcommittee.

these frauds involve increasingly

large amounts of money - \$1

million and up," said Wyden, D-

auto theft ring in Albuquerque,

Wyden's office said that in 1988,

"I don't think Paul will disap-

pear from the political scene. I

think he wants his voice heard. I

think he wants to contribute to the

future agenda of the Democratic

She said Tsongas made his deci-

sion Wednesday night after con-

sulting with aides and close

Connolly said Tsongas would an-

nounce his withdrawal at 3 p.m.

Sens. Tom Harkin and Bob Kerrey

quit the race after a series of disap-

pointing primary nights. Gov. L.

Douglas Wilder of Virginia quit the

race even before the voting began.

Tsongas got an immediate fund-

raising boost from his New Hamp-

shire win that helped propel him

through Super Tuesday and then

the first big contests in the

But after being trounced in the

advisers.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Food stamps are being used to finance an underground network that allows the coupons to be traded for drugs, guns and even missiles, a congressman says.

The Agriculture Department's own investigators also say street trafficking in food stamps is on the rise, and that crooked retailers are engaged in increasingly lucrative schemes to defraud the program.

Craig L. Beauchamp, assistant inspector general for investigations at USDA, told a congressional hearing Wednesday that more food stamp recipients are being harassed by "runners," who wait outside welfare offices to buy the stamps at less than face value.

"The problem has gotten worse at the street level," he said, "maybe because people are more

desperate for cash. The runners generally sell the stamps to a retailer, who also pays

less than full price but then N.M., were offered two, shoulderredeems the coupons for their face fired Stinger ground-to-air missiles value at a bank. in exchange for cash and food Nearly 25 million people stamps. The deal, however, was almost one in 10 Americans — now not concluded.

receive food stamps. USDA ex-The vast majority of food stamp pects to spend \$22 billion on food recipients, however, are honest citizens who need the help and use "Unfortunately, the food stamp the coupons to buy food.

program is being abused by Anti-hunger activist Robert J. unscrupulous ripoff artists who are Fersh, executive director of the using food stamps to hot-wire an il-Food Research and Action Center, legal underground network that testified that "we cannot allow permits food coupons to purchase episodic evidence of fraud . . . to drugs, guns and even a surface-toovershadow the widespread air missile," said Rep. Ron Wyden, achievements of the program in chairman of a House Small reducing hunger in the United "Especially disturbing is that

USDA's Food and Nutrition Service, which administers the program, estimates that of the 220,000 retailers authorized to accept food stamps, 53,000 may be improperly selling non-food items for food police officers investigating an stamps, and 3,200 may be exchanging food stamps for cash.

South on Super Tuesday and then

again this week in Illinois and

Michigan, his fund-raising dropped

Tsongas declared his candidacy

nearly a year ago on a rainy day in

Lowell, Mass., the mill town he

helped to revitalize and that

Paul Revere" and proposed a pro-

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capital gains tax cuts, business in-

centives and other measures he

said would help create jobs and

Tsongas dismissed middle-class

tax cuts and other "goodies" his

rivals offered as "Twinkie

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voters "I'm not running to be Santa

Claus. I'm running to be president.

There's a difference.'

revive the manufacturing base.

Republican than Democratic -

He called himself an "economic

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off substantially.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

#### **Burgers for Heart of City coordinators**

Heart of the City Festival coordinators staged an filed into the plaza, Sandy Wright, Charles informal information gathering meeting at the McKaskle and Danny Wright cook the burgers in a Railroad Plaza Tuesday evening, with ham- barbecue pit. burgers and drinks served at the event. As people

Insurance

regardless of fault in an accident.

Legal costs would be removed

because there would be no court

"An attorney gets involved with trying to establish fault," Counts

said. "They, needless to say, are

Limiting product liability of

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grocery people, for example, who

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### **Tsongas**

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of incumbency and the opportunity

The reaction from the Clinton campaign was a surprised "what?!" Tsongas was attempting to place calls to both Clinton and Brown, Connolly said.

The Tsongas announcement was being readied as Democratic candidates were focusing on Connecticut in advance of next Tuesday's primary.

Brown, reached at a campaign stop in Hartford, Conn., said he had "mixed emotions" about Tsongas departure.

'He's honest and he's authentic and I thoughly enjoyed debating him and getting him to discuss the issues," Brown said. He said he would stay in the race through the Democratic convention.

"It came down to not being able to raise enough money to be competitive," said Connolly, "He feels that he has changed the agenda of the Democratic Party and he

leaves with his head high." Indeed, Tsongas' performance as a candidate was surprising from beginning to end. He was the first to throw his hat in the ring, and by far the least known. Yet it was Tsongas who took advantage of Clinton's winter controversies and emerged victorious in New

"He's a very realistic guy," Connolly said. "He looked at the financial numbers and the polling numbers and wanted to leave a very proud and dignified person.'

### Man gets \$32,000

Tuesday awarded Fred C.

Transportation Insurance was also ordered to pay more than \$8,700 for medical costs.

Weatherby suffered two slipped

### in worker's comp

An 118th District Court jury on Weatherby at least \$32,000 in worker's compensation insurance for a back injury suffered in June 1990 while working for Grace Drill-

discs to his back when stepping over a ditch while he and another worker carried a pipe.

Vednesday's high temp......73

ednesday's low temp......38

Record high......91 in 1916

Record low.....12 in 1923

Rainfall Wednesday.....0.00

Month to date.....0.11

Month's normal.....0.78

Average low.....

Records

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Herald photo by Tim Appel

#### **Haven House**

Groundbreaking began Wednesday on expansion of the Haven House, a home where relatives of VA hospital patients can stay. The house, which has had full occupancy since it was opened, is expanding from two-bedrooms to four-bedrooms. During the groundbreaking

ceremony, John Richard Sparks, president of the Haven House, shovels some dirt as representatives of the VA hospital, the NCO association of Dyess Air Force Base and the American Legion Auxiliary watch.

### Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following

Oil/markets

April crude oil \$19.02, down 5, and May cotton futures 56.40 cents a pound, up 55; cash hog was 25 cents higher at 39.75; slaughter steers was 50 cents lower at 78.50; April live hog futures 40.75, down 17; April live cattle futures 77.45, down 5 at 18:60 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

#### MARKET IN BRIEF

**NYSE** issues consolidated trading March 18, 1992

Volume in shares 237,781,980 Issues traded

2,242 Up 917 Unchanged 527

Down 798

NYSE Index

Down 0.07 225.94 S&P Composite Down 0.43 409.15

**Dow Jones Industrials** 3,254.25 Down 1.79 Atlantic Richfield Coca-Cola Mesa Ltd. Prt. A. New Atmos Energy. Pepsi Cola. Texas Instruments. Unocal Corp.....

CURRENT CHANGE

. 67,881,910

. 17.23-18.2 18,78-19,93 Noon 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.

 A rash of burglaries that occurred earlier this week have been cleared with the arrest of Christopher Lee Viasana, 18, of 1302 Mobile.

Viasana was arrested leaving J.C. Penney's parking lot with stolen items in his vehicle, according to police reports. After further investigation police found almost all of \$5,000 worth of merchandise taken from J.C. Penney, Beals, Athletic Supply in the Highland Mall, West Texas Fire Extinguisher, Fun Stuff, Bargain Mart, Sunrise Car Wash, Goodyear, and a home on Utah

• A 28-year-old Big Spring woman was treated and released from Scenic Mountain Medical Center after being assaulted in a case of family violence.

· A VCR worth \$600 was reported stolen during the burglary of a home in the 1300 block of

• Four minor accidents were reported in various parts of the

• Three license plates were reported stolen in various parts of

 A garage door and window were reported damaged in a building at the McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark.

 A forged check was reported at Winn-Dixie Supermarket. • Isidro Melendez Jr. of 1002

West Sixth Street was arrested for failure to appear on traffic

· A window was broken and extinguishers stolen from West Texas

Fire Extinguisher. Loss is estimated at \$464.

 Clothes worth \$395 were reported stolen from a business in the Highland Mall.

 Clothing and glass windows worth \$342 were reported broken or damaged at Fun Stuff at 1510 South

duct" should not be dragged into litigation a product in question, Counts said. A \$300,000 medical malprac-

tice cap expect in cases of gross or intentional negligence.

Bills calling for those changes were passed by the House last year but they died in the Senate Rep. Troy Fraser, of Big Spring Economic Development Commit- and Llano County, are both protee chaired by Sen. Temple business, Counts said.

do not "materially change a pro- Dickson, D-Sweetwater, an Dickson was handily defeated in

a re-election bid last week in the primary by Sen. Bill Sims, D-San Angelo. A controversial redistricting plan put both in the same district.

Sims and Republican opponent,

#### Fire at vacant house under investigation

Fire at vacant house under investigation

A fire at a vacant house Monday at Midway and Robinson roads is under investigation as possible ar-Department.

"It's very suspicious," Wright said.

The house, a total loss, was in a dilapidated condition "several years" and last year was caught on son, said C. Roy Wright, chief of fire by someone who lit a grass the Howard County Volunteer Fire fire. The suspect or suspects were not apprehended.



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CINNAMON ROLI	S .75	3.75	7.90
FRITTERS	.75	3.75	7.90
DANISH	.75	3.75	7.90
ECLAIRS	.75	3.75	7.90
CREME HORNS	.70	3.50	7.20
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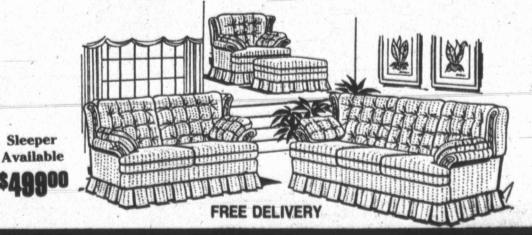
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**Associated Press photo** 

Christ. Burial will be in Trinity

Memorial Park under the direction

of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral

Zavalla. He married Beatrice

Sullivan in 1933. She preceded him

in death in 1958. He married Gladys

Harding Bryant on Sept. 7, 1978, in

Big Spring. He was a member of

Birdwell Lane Church of Christ and

had been a resident of Howard

County since 1925. He served as

Post Master for the City of

Coahoma from 1929 until 1970. He

served on the Coahoma school

board for a number of years and as

Survivors include his wife,

and Rhonda Cochran, Midland;

Antonio, and Milton Bryant,

Dallas; two grandchildren, five

step-grandchildren, two step-

great-grandchildren, two nieces

He was also preceded in death by

Pallbearers will be Don McKin-

ney, Bill Read, Tom Johnson, Mark

Hancock and Curtis Elliott.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch

**Funeral Home** 

and Rosewood Chapel

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J. Smith Cochran, 87, died

Tuesday. Services will be

10:00 A.M. Friday at

Coahoma Church of Christ.

Interment will follow in

Grace Hamilton, 91, died

Wednesday. Services will be

1:00 P.M. Friday at Nalley-

Pickle & Welch Rosewood

Chapel. Interment will

follow in Mt. Olive Memorial

Trinity Memorial Park.

two sisters: Laska Thomas and

Justice of the Peace.

and three nephews.

Lila Bushon.

He was born March 18, 1904, in

#### Trans-Pacific rower

**Deaths** 

at his residence.

in the oil field.

**James Hale** 

& Smith Funeral Home.

James Norman Hale, 54, Big Spr-

Graveside services will be 3

p.m., Friday, at Mt. Olive

Memorial Park with Chaplain

George Perrine of the Big Spring

State Hospital officiating. Burial

will be under the direction of Myers

He was born Nov. 4, 1937, in Mc-

Camey. He grew up in McCamey

and Iraan. He was a resident of Big

Spring for 25 years and had worked

Survivors include one sister, Liz

Proctor, Midland; and one uncle,

Nellie Graves, 73, Big Spring, died today in a local hospital.

Services are pending with Myers

J. Smith Cochran, 87, Big Spring,

Services will be 10 a.m. Friday,

died Tuesday, March 17, 1992, in a Midland hospital.

at Coahoma Church of Christ with

Ralph Beistle, Church of Christ

Minister from Lubbock, of-

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**MYERS & SMITH** 

FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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James Norman Hale, 54,

died Tuesday. Graveside services will be 3:00 P.M.,

Friday at Mount Olive

Nellie Graves, 73, died

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**Nellie Graves** 

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ing, died Tuesday, March 17, 1992,

English seafarer Peter Bird sits in his cedarwood single-person rowboat "Sector Two," as he rows under London's Tower Bridge, Wednesday, Bird is continuing preparations to row across the Pacific Ocean in May. Bird's course will take him from Vladivostok, Russia, to San Francisco.

### Fans cheering for Imelda

BACOLOD, Philippines (AP) — Hundreds cheered as Imelda Marcos arrived by ferry. They swept her into a jeep for a motor-cade, but in the confusion left her aides stranded on the pier.

Mrs. Marcos may be one of the world's richest women, but her campaign for the May 11 presidential election is hardly a well-oiled machine.

In Bacolod, local organizers failed to post the hundreds of handbills sent ahead to announce her motorcade. Organizers then announced a wrong time for her rally, which drew only about 2,000

Most of the politicians who faithfully supported her late husband, former President Ferdinand Marcos, have signed on with other candidates.

She relies heavily on socialite wives who are fawning in their admiration for her but short on political experience

Manila's media largely ignore her campaign. Newspapers are filled with speculation that she will ultimately drop out and support President Corazon Aquino's estranged cousin, businessman Eduardo "Danding" Cojuangco.

Polls show Mrs. Marcos faring no better than fifth in an eightcandidate field. None of this seems to bother Mrs. Marcos.

"I'm an optimist," she said in an interview. "At this point in time, it's a matter of seeing that we've won the election. We've won not only votes but hearts."

That comment may answer the question: What makes Imelda Marcos run? Publicly, she says she is responding to the calls of "millions" of Filipinos after she returned from exile in the United States last November.

She also appears to be running to be accepted in a nation that drove her and her husband into exile during the 1986 uprising that propelled Mrs. Aquino to power.

A recent campaign swing through the central Philippines showed that Mrs. Marcos still commands a surprising following despite her international image as the extravagant owner of 1,200 pairs of shoes.

In a lackluster campaign without inspiring issues or candidates, Imelda Marcos is a star. She never refuses requests for autographs, or to pose with



Retired Roman Catholic Bishop Antonio Fortich, left, an opponent of the late President Ferdinand Marcos, chats with Marcos' widow Imelda during her campaign sortie Saturday in Bacolod. Mrs. Marcos appears to be running for president to seek acceptance six years after she and her husband were driven into exile in the the uprising that installed Corazon Aquino as president.

"Maybe we Filipinos are too forgiving," said Noel Yu, a bank manager in Iloilo, 290 miles south of Manila. "People may not vote for her, but they turn out to see what she looks like, whether she is still beautiful."

Many people in rural areas appear to have fogotten the allegations of corrupt and dictatorial rule that inspired crowds in Manila to rise up against Marcos.

In San Jose de Buenaventura, 275 miles south of Manila, thousands cheered her during a rally in a park named after Evelio Javier, a local politician murdered for opposing Marcos in the 1986 presidential election.

The slaying was among the events that set the stage for the uprising against Marcos.

"No one holds it against her,"

said Pong Narciso, a vendor in San Jose. "Maybe I will vote for her. We need a president who loves the people.

Mrs. Marcos knows how to touch the emotions of provincial Filipinos who often feel estranged from their government in faraway Manila.

As she was leaving Iloilo, she learned that fire had destroyed nearly 400 shanties. She made a brief detour to talk with victims before catching the ferry to

Although she is reviled by the national press, local reporters in Bacolod, 300 miles southeast of Manila, were subservient. At a news conference, one

reporter started his question by describing himself as "a son of the Marcoses," and another thanked her for a power plant near the city.

### Group says it could not get answers

WASHINGTON (AP) - The chemical industry has been saying in advertisements it's eager to tell you what's going on behind its plant gates, so only ask. But an environmental group did just that and says it was stonewalled six times out of 10.

Industry spokesmen charged that the environmentalists ignored an industry toll-free information hotline designed to handle such inquiries, that they often went to the wrong people and that some of the inquiries were "loaded" and "health related" questions designed not to get a response.

Not so, said Gene Karpinski of the U.S. Public Interest Research Group.

"They are the types of questions that citizens in a community want to know," he responded.

For the study, environmental activists in 28 states tried to contact 192 chemical plants to ask nine questions. They asked, for example, for the names and amounts of toxic chemicals used at the plant, whether it had made public its internal emergency response plans, and whether it had any accidents while transporting toxic chemicals.

Carolyn Hartmann, who summarized the responses for the PIRG, said in 58 percent of the cases officials contacted refused to provide the information or that repeated telephone inquiries went unreturned.

In only one of every 10 inquiries were all nine questions answered, she said.

In recent years the industry has pushed a campaign, including advertisements, proclaiming a willingness to provide citizens with more information about their businesses, including what chemicals specific plants use and produce.

One ad that has run since last summer in a dozen major magazines says "We want you to know" and provides a toll-free number for information. When a reporter called that

number Monday to inquire about a chemical plant in Maryland, he was asked to give his address and phone number and was told that a plant official would contact him. Ms. Hartmann said the environmental activists didn't use the

hotline, but instead tried to reach the "public contact" person for each plant.

The inquiries went to chemical companies who were among those that had the greatest amount of toxic chemical releases in reports filed with the Environmental Protection Agency. They included the likes of the DuPont Co., 3M Corp., Dow Chemical Co. and Monsanto Co., all of which have touted strong pro-environmental policies in recent years. Spokesmen for the Chemical

Manufacturers Association questioned the validity of the inquiries.

"It seems clear they were looking for the kind of response that they got," said CMA spokesman Jeffrey Van.

### Argentina turns attention to terrorists

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — With the dead and injured mostly accounted for, the government has turned its attention to tracking down the terrorists who demolished Israel's Embassy with a car bomb.

Government officials appeared to believe the claim of responsibility for Tuesday's blast by the pro-Iranian, Shiite Muslim group Islamic Jihad in Lebanon. The group said it was avenging the assassination of a Shiite leader.

But Interior Minister Jose Luis Manzano said Wednesday, "For them to be able to do that in Argentina, they have to have had partners or local accomplices." Israel vowed to punish those behind the

Immigration officials reviewed files on people who entered or left the country during the past two months, the government news agency Telam reported.

At least 11 Israelis and 10 Argentines were killed in Tuesday's blast and perhaps half a dozen more lay crushed below tons of concrete, steel, wood, brick and glass, according to rescuers, Jewish spokesmen and investigators.

Two of the dead that police were able to identify were Israelis: Zehava Zehavi, wife of the embassy's first secretary; and Eli Carmon, wife of the consul-

The dead also included Beatriz Berenstein, an Argentine who worked at the embassy; a doctor, Andres Elouso, who was walking by when the bomb exploded, and the Rev. Juan Carlos Brumana.

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NORTH SIDE STORE

#### death in 1979. She was a lifetime resident of Big Spring. Her parents were Joseph L. and Inez Park, Howard County pioneer settlers. She was a homemaker and enjoyed various types of handwork. Survivors include three

#### **Grace Hamilton**

Family suggests memorials to

Arthritis Foundation or Midland

Christian School, 2001 Culver,

Grace Tynes Hamilton, 91, Big Spring, died Wednesday, March 18, 1992, in a local hospital. Services will



Midland; 79705.

be 1 p.m. Friday, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Billy Patton, Minister, Birdwell Lane Church of

HAMILTON Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral

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She was born Aug. 13, 1900, in Big Spring. She married Hunter E. Tynes, Jan. 1, 1923, in Big Spring. NORTH SIDE STORE He preceded her in death in 1960. She married William C. Hamilton, WE SELL MONEY ORDERS!!! May 11, 1964. He preceded her in Super Weekend Savings!!! Prices good Friday, Saturday & Sunday! daughters: Mrs. Joe M. "Ozell" **MEDIUM PORK** Wright, Mrs. John C. "Stella" Arnold and Lenna R. Wyman, all of **RIBS** Big Spring; 11 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and one niece. She was also preceded in death by two sons: Fisher "Joe" Tynes, and Harold Tynes; 9 brothers and sisters, including Joe Park and BUTTS Dorothy Windham; two grandsons; and one great-Family will receive friends from 7-9 p.m. today at Nalley-Pickle & BACON TOMATOES 69° CABBAGE / POTATOES 20 \$1 **DON'S IGA** 

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 Human Services will meet 10 a.m., How ty Mental Health Cer ference room. Inc representing any orga club or group providir services are invited. mation call John 263-0027.

FRIDAY • Red Cross Life classes will be held to p.m., and tomorrow, noon, at the YMCA. F

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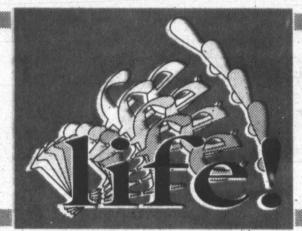
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Hard-of-Hearing Texan sored by the Texas Asse of the Deaf will be held : dham Hotel, Austin, tod tomorrow. Registration available, Cynthia E. ingham, '92 Sympo Publi tions Coordinator, P.O. 43094, Austin, 78745, or 440-8365.

• Retirement Celeb for Dr. Harry G. Davis, 2-Big Spring State Ho Tollett All-Faith Chapel. SATURDAY • Reception for retiring

Master Bill Bradford, tro First Baptist Church, sco from 7-9 p.m. For inform call 267-6729.

• Rummage & Bake S benefit the Spring City Jammerz, a junior ol speed skating team, 8 a. the parking lot of Skat Assorted donated baked and miscellaneous items v sold at great prices.



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### Spring board

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· 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.

 West Texas Christian Track Meet- 8 a.m., April 25, Ratliff Stadium, Odessa. Request forms by Feb. 31. \$4.00 per individual. All entries due March 27. Call 367-0143 for information.

 Al-Anon will meet 8 p.m. Scenic Mountain Medical Center room 414.

• The Howard County Democratic Club invites the public to a barbque dinner at the Dora Roberts Community Center at 7 p.m.

• Howard County Coalition for the Environment will hold a general membersip meeting, 7 p.m., Fellowship Hall, First Presbyterian Church, 8th & Runnels. For information call 267-5227, Gloria Hopkins.

 Recovery Solutions Inc Teen esteem group will meet 6:30-8 p.m., 307 Union 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

· C.R.I.E. (Children's Rights through Informed Education) will meet 7:30 p.m., Chamber of Commerce meeting room. Open

to public. Human Services Council will meet 10 a.m., Howard County Mental Health Center, conference room. Individuals representing any organization, club or group providing human services are invited. For information call John McGuffy-263-0027. FRIDAY

 Red Cross Life saving classes will be held today, 5-9 p.m., and tomorrow, 9 a.m. noon, at the YMCA. For more information call 267-8234.

• Friday night games of Dominoes, Forty-two, Bridge and Chickentrack from 5-8 p.m. Kentwood Center on Lynn Dr. Public invited.

• Planned Parenthood of West Texas is making available FREE mammograms for low income patients 40 years of age and older, 3-7 p.m., Big Spring

Specialty Clinic, 616 Gregg. · Symposium on Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Texans sponsored by the Texas Association of the Deaf will be held at Wyndham Hotel, Austin, today and tomorrow. Registration forms available, Cynthia E. Cunningham, '92 Sympo Public Relations Coordinator, P.O. Box 43094, Austin, 78745, or (512) 440-8365.

• Retirement Celebrationfor Dr. Harry G. Davis, 2-4 p.m., Big Spring State Hospital, Tollett All-Faith Chapel. SATURDAY

• Reception for retiring Scout Master Bill Bradford, troop #5. First Baptist Church, scout hut from 7-9 p.m. For information call 267-6729.

 Rummage & Bake Sale- to benefit the Spring City Skate Jammerz, a junior olympic speed skating team, 8 a.m., in the parking lot of Skateland. Assorted donated baked goods and miscellaneous items will be sold at great prices.

### Essay contest open to D-FY-IT members

By MARSHA STURDIVANT Staff Writer

A local essay contest for Big Spring High School senior D-FY-IT (Drug Free Youth in Texas) members will result in \$1,200 worth of college scholarships to the top three writers.

The contest, sponsored by Nalley-Pickle & Welch and D-FY-IT, is open to any senior in good standing within the D-FY-IT program. The essay's theme, "How I Made the Smart Decision to be Drug Free," focuses on the

'We have confidence in our community's young people and their ability to make smart decisions, so we're offering scholarships to prove it.'

> **Danny Flenniken** Nalley-Pickle & Welch

rewards of maintaining a drug-free life and recognizes the accomplishments made by D-FY-IT members.

"Today's youth represent an important key to a drug-free future,' said Danny Flenniken, Nalley-

"We have confidence in our community's young people and their ability to make smart decisions, so we're offering scholarships to prove it," Flenniken said.

The first place winner of the essay contest will receive a \$500 scholarship from Nalley-Pickle & Welch. Second place will receive a \$400 scholarship from the Downtown Lions Club, and third place will be rewarded with a \$300 scholarship from the First National Bank in Big Spring.

"We're pleased to sponsor this new essay contest in partnership with the Downtown Lions Club, the First National Bank and D-FY-IT," Flenniken said.

Students were presented with the rules for the contest during a special assembly Tuesday. Deadline for the 500-words or less written work is April 3 at 3:30 p.m. Entries should be submitted to Big Spring High School Principal Kent Bowermon

"Essays should be either typed or printed and double-spaced. Names should appear only on the cover letter, because we don't want the judges to know whose essay is whose. Any essay with a name on anything other than the cover page will be disqualified," Flenniken said during the assembly.

A panel of five judges has been selected to choose the top three



Herald photo by Tim Api ferences or schools to introduce other students to the program. Pictured left to right are Travis Sincleair, Amber Grisham, Charles Myers and

organization whose members chose to live drugfree, since its inception in 1990. In August 1991, this van was purchased by a local resident for the members to use whenever they travel to con-

Area businesses have supported D-FY-IT, a youth

content and structure.

Each finished work must contain a message focusing on the title chosen for the contest. Each must contain original ideas, good organization and clearness of

winning essays. Each essay will be thought as well as logic. And each judged in three areas: purpose, must be neat and readable with good sentence structure.

Jammie Haas.

The winners will be announced during Honors Day at the high school, scheduled for the latter part of 'May. The money will be presented to the students following

proof of registration at a college or

university. Stan Parker, D-FY-IT sponsor and coordinator, said he hopes the success of this project will entice more area businesses to support the program and reward students who chose not to do drugs.

### Educational news

By MARSHA STURDIVANT **Staff Writer** 

#### Lamesa students place in UIL competition

Runnels Junior High School students participated in an invitational University Interscholarstic League competiton in Lamesa recently.

The highest overall award, the Sweepstakes trophy, was brought home by the eighth-grade students. They also won first place in the literature division of the meet.

The students who placed first through third in the meet were: Dictionary skills, Jennifer Green, first: Damian Puentes, second; and Mindy Mason, third. Maps, graphs and charts, Claire Miller, first; Jeff Carson, second. Earth science, Jacob Quisenberry, second; Jeffery Suggs, third. Spelling, Ami Vasanawala, second. Ready writing, Jeffery Suggs, second. Impromptu speaking, Kendall Davis, first.

#### **Students attend nationals**

Cindy Pascal and Mary Ellen Franco from Big Spring High School Office Administration Chapter will

join more than

3,500 other

students at the

1992 National

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CINDY PASCAL Pascal plac-

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Franco placed third in banking applications during the state competition in

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29-May 3.



MARY ELLEN

The con-FRANCO ference theme, "Success is an Attitude" will be used throughout the four-day meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio as students participate in contests, workshops and an election campaign. Anna Walker, chapter adviser, will accompany the students to the conference.

#### Choir solo and ensemble contest

Runnels and Goliad students at tended a solo and ensemble contest in Midland recently and returned with excellent and superior ratings for their efforts.

From Runnels, students who received a division two rating (excellent) for a vocal solo were: Riley Dorton, Kristie Hale, Twila Hillger, Angela Rood and Jessica Sanchez. Students who received a division one (superior) for a vocal solo were: Allison Alcantar, Molly Bathrop, Anna Castaneda, Stephanie Cox, Nikki Crawford, Teri Gonzales, Kathy Green, Patrick Heckler, Kristy Hooser, Brandon Johnson, Jeff Johnston, Ronna Osborn, Christy Parker, Alex Ramirez, Kim Reed, Chrissy Servantes, Barnaby Urias and Robin Wise.

Runnels students who received

division two (excellent) awards for various assisting skills and work ensemble competition included: with a dentist for the competition. Allison Alcantar, Kathy Green, Stacia Loftin, Melissa Nichols, Ronna Osborn and Jennifer Fort Worth March 5-7 and Reinert.

> Goliad students who received a division two (excellent) rating for a vocal solo included: Paul Foresyth, Andrew Fraser, Charles tained a 4.0 grade point average for Rudinger and Frances Trevino. Students who received a division one (superior) rating for a vocal solo were: Amanda Armstong, Kandi Cline, Andrew Dixon, Jerrod Helms, Margie Muniz, Tonya Phifer, Ehren Tune and Kaegan

Goliad students who won a division two for an ensemble competition were: Frances Alcantar, Melissa Bustamante, Kim Men- MARCUS doza, Margie Muniz, Francis HATTENBACH. Trevino, Holly Ludington, Eva Ortega and Christy Reyes.

#### Local dental student advances to state

Erica Hughes, a Big Spring High School student who is employed part-time at the VA Medical Center, attend-

ed the District

II Vocational.

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America contestand returned with a first place award for dental assistance. **ERICA HUGHES** She now ad-

vances to the state competition in Dallas in April, and will compete against dental aides from all over Texas. She will demonstrate

Hattenbach excells at DeVry Institute

### Marcus Hattenbach has main-

the past two semester at DeVry Institute of Technology in

Irving. He was

named to the

Dean's List for

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sessions.



Hattenbach

is the son of Annand Douglas Hattenbach of Big Spring. He graduated from Big Spring High School in 1990.

#### Coahoma students attend conference

The Coahoma High School Future Homemakers of America chapter students recently participated in a Region One Leadership Conference in Amarillo.

Students from the region competed in 11 events including all-star chapter, all-star project, designing business, child development, family communications, and food service among others.

The Coahoma FHA team won second third place for parlimentary the only in-school student organizaprocedures. The team consists of Kelly Lockhart, Sheila Bowden, Alan Grant, Sonja Overton and Becky Walker. These students are planned and managed by demonstrated skills in organizing a members, Justiss said.

business meeting.

The Little Friends team of Denyce Hayes and TaNeal Anderson placed second with their electrical safety program for prekindergarten and kindergarten students. This program focuses on children and allows students to demonstrate their knowledge of child development while working with younger children.

Dianne Haves was elected as Region I Vice President for Publicity. She will work with other region officers planning the 1993 conference.

Region I Vice President of Achievement Angela Evans,, presided at the second general session. She also presented certificates to region members during the first general session.

Other students who participated at the conference were: Rachel Gipson, who assisted in writing and publishing articles for the conference newsletter, and Tia Boudreau, a voting delegate of the conference. Janet Sherman, RaChele Phillips, Amy McIntosh and Tony Gipson assisted as time keepers, door monitors and ushers.

The students were accompanied by Sandra Bloom, DeeDee Phillips, Johnny and Barbara Justiss (local adviser), Laura Anderson and Kathy Hayes.

FHA is a national organization that helps prepare students for multiple roles as wage earners, community leaders and caring family members. Members develop skills for life, and FHA is tion with family as its central focus. Each chapter is unique because all programs and projects

Young thespians

Kentwood Elementary fifth graders, Nicole Truhe, left, and Jeremy Brunson, right, are coached by teacher Glenda Henderickson during , teacher Carol Boyd have directed the kid's in rehersal for tonight's performances. The fifth graders are performing two melodrama's in the Mortician."

Kentwood Elementary cafeteria tonight at 7 p.m. Henderickson, with the help of fellow

"All's Well That Ends" and "Frontier

### Ad dollars linked to teen-age smoking

ATLANTA' (AP) - Federal strong preference for three brands health officials continued a government assault on tobacco companies, saying it may be no coincidence that teen-age smokers pick the most advertised cigarettes.

The Centers for Disease Control on last Thursday reported finding that smokers age 12 to 18 by far prefer Marlboro, followed by Newport and Camel. They are the nation's three most advertised brands, in the same order.

Adult smokers preferred Marlboro — in far less numbers than teen-agers — followed by Winston and Salem.

"The reason why we're doing this is to see if there's something in the appeal of these products which appeals more to kids," said Dr. David Nelson of the CDC's Office on Smoking and Health.

"It's pretty clear that with the

 over 80 percent — we need to look at those things," he said. "If there's something about their advertising that makes them more attractive to teen-age smokers, we need to know about that.'

Tobacco companies have been accused of crafting advertising that encourages young people to smoke. The latest attack came Monday when Surgeon General Antonia Novello called on R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., which makes Camel cigarettes, to pull its ad campaign featuring the cartoon character "Joe Camel.

The industry denies targeting

young smokers. "Far and away, the influences of friends and family are the reasons why people began smoking," said Maura Payne, R.J. Reynolds

By BETTY DEBNAM

**Greatest Female Athlete** 

### **Babe Didrikson**

This is an Olympic year. The Mini

Page celebrates National Women's

History Month with a story about

#### Meet Babe

**Babe Didrikson** is considered to be the greatest female athlete ever.

> Babe could: punt a football

75 yards. · throw a baseball 296 feet.

· hit a golf ball 300 yards.

**Growing up** 

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Babe was

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Mildred Didrikson was born in 1911

in Port Arthur, Texas. When she was

growing up, she used to beat the boys

This was unusual, since she had no

Because she hit so many home runs,

real training. Girls back then weren't

in most sports, even at playing

supposed to play boys' games.

the boys gave her the nickname

"Babe" after the baseball hero Babe



Babe hugs one of

#### Becoming a supersport After becoming a sports star in high

women in sports.

school, she went to work for an insurance company as a secretary. At that time, many companies had women's sports teams. The games they played helped advertise the company. Babe got her start as an outstanding basketball player.

Olympic star

After seeing her first track meet in 1930, she began to compete and win in all of the events open to women.

Two years later, she won two gold medals and a silver medal in the 1932 Olympics.

#### Folk heroine

Because she couldn't make money as an amateur, she turned pro. She toured the country with an unusual performance that showed off her many sports talents. She also sang and played the harmonica.

She was so talented and outspoken that many reporters wrote stories about her. She became a kind of folk heroine.



Babe Didrikson was one of the founders of the **Ladies Professional Golf Association. Today** this group sponsors tournaments around the

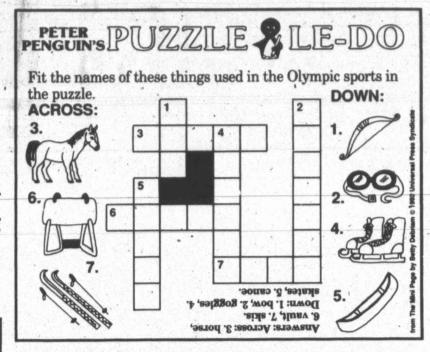
#### Golf superstar

In 1938, Babe married George Zaharias, a wealthy pro wrestler. Although she was good at many things, she decided to concentrate on golf.

She won 17 tournaments in a row, setting a record that has never been matched in men's or women's golf. She made a comeback from a cancer operation to win the 1954 U.S. Women's Golf Tournament.

She died of cancer in 1956 at the age of 45.

High jumping Basketball





A: "Where is my pop corn?" (Sent in by Shange Jones)

Q: What does a vampire say after you help him?

A: "I'd like to fang you!"

#### Goldie Goodsport's Report **Supersport: Shannon Miller** Height: 4-6 Birthdate: 3-10-77

Weight: 69 Birthplace: Rolla, Mo. Look for gymnast Shannon Miller to do well at this summer's Olympics. Shannon has been in gymnastics since 1982. This is her second year on the

Senior National Team. She was on the junior team for one year. Her favorite event is the balance beam. Last year Shannon scored perfect 10s

at two meets in Switzerland. Both scores were on the balance beam. At one of the meets, she won every event and set a record score for the all-around title.

In her free time, Shannon likes sewing and making jewelry.

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A: Margaret Abbott, of Chicago. In 1900, Margaret defeated nine other women in a nine-hole Olympic golf tournament in Paris.

Javelin throwing Baseball

event?

Golf is no longer an Olympic sport.

Q: Who was the first black woman to win a Winter Olympic medal?

A: Debi Thomas won a bronze medal in figure skating in 1988.

Q: Since 1930, the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) has recognized the outstanding U.S. amateur athlete with the Sullivan Award. In 60 years. how many women have won it?

A: Ten. All of these women have taken part in Olympics. All but one (Mary Decker) have won Olympic medals.



Q: In 1924 this woman won one gold and two bronze Olympic medals for swimming.

In 1926, she became the first woman to swim the English Channel. Who was she?

A: Gertrude Ederle. She beat the men's record by almost two hours. She became deaf as the result of her Channel swim. She later gave swimming lessons to deaf children.



Q: In 1984, Mary Lou Retton became the first American to win a gold medal in gymnastics. What is she doing now? A: Mary Lou is

married and lives in Houston. Today she is a speaker for physical fitness and a sports reporter.

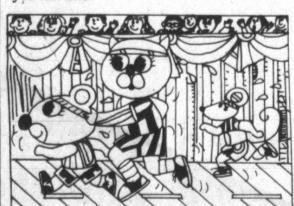
The Mini Page thanks the Amateur Athletic Union, the LPGA, the International Swimming

Hall of Fame and the Women in Sports Foundation for help with this issue.





Mini Spy and her friends are running in the Olympics. See if you can find:



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**Tracy Caulkins** letter Y 1978, swimming



Mary Decker 1982, athletics (track & field)

Two Olympic Supersports



**Ann Curtis** 

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Jackie Joyner-Kersee 1986, athletics (track & field)





Florence Griffith-Joyner 1988, athletics (track & field)



1968, swimming



1989, swimming



Words that remind us of women's Olympic sports are hidden in the block below. See if you can find: SWIMMING, FIGURE SKATING, SKIING, GYMNASTICS, DIVING, JAVELIN, BASKETBALL, DISCUS, HIGH JUMP, LONG JUMP, RUNNING, SHOT PUT, ARCHERY, CYCLING, LUGE. **HURRAY FOR** 



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#### Florence Griffith-Joyner



Height: 5-7 Birthdate: 12-21-59 Weight: 130 College: UCLA

Florence Griffith-Joyner was the star athlete at the 1988 Summer Olympics. This track runner won three gold medals and one silver.

She became the first American woman to win four medals in one Olympic Games.

She was named the U.S. Olympic Committee Sportswoman of the Year. Florence designs athletic outfits and writes children's stories.

She and her husband, Al, have a daughter, Mary Ruth. Al hopes to compete in the triple jump in the Summer Olympics.

#### Janet Evans



Height: 5-0 Birthdate: 8-28-71 Weight: 100 College: Stanford

Janet Evans was the star swimmer at the 1988 Summer Olympics. She won three gold medals and set one world record, one American record and one Olympic record. She should be a star at the Games this summer,

Janet does best in distance races. She has been competing for many years. When she was only 14, she did well in many big meets.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Livestock For Sale

Auctions

SPRING CITY AUCTION Thursday, March 19 7:00 p.m. 2000 W. 4th

Coins, glassware, sportscards, life jackets, lamps, luggage, bird cages, brass items, silk flower arrangements, portable TV, chest, mattress sets, tanning bed, cedar chest, dresser, king size bed, adding machines, sheet press, washer/dryer, VCR Camcorder, small table-saw, lawn mowers, rotar tiller, edger, nice 2400 watt power plant.

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Dogs, Pets, Etc

FOR SALE- AKC Registered Poodle puppies, \$150. Call 263-5318. FREE PUPPIES, 21/2 months old.

SAND SPRINGS KENNEL, AKC Beagles, Bluetick hounds, and Toy Poodles.

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#### Garage Sale

a.m. Friday, Saturday. Oil Mill Roadnorth service road by Interstate- west of Roy Anderson Baseball Field-6th house on left. Follow signs 75% OFF ALL Winter clothes, March 20 &

ESTATE SALE. Too much to list! 8:30

21, 9-3. Salvation Army Thrift Store, 600 W

THREE FAMILY lots of clothes, 10:00a.m. 3:00p.m. Friday 3/20, 8:00a.m. 4:00p.m. Saturday 3/21, 3213 Auburn.



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**Garage Sale** ☐ INSIDE SALE all day Saturday. Collector plates. Norman Rockwell, Gone with the wind, and many more. Lots of jewelry most under \$30.00. 1301 Princeton, call

MULTI FAMILY Garage sale 1611 Indian Hills, Saturday March 21, 8:00a.m.

2:00p.m. GIGANTIC INSIDE Rummage Sale. Lots of clothes, shoes, dishes & miscellaneous. Also Burritow de Barbacoa, bean burritos and cokes. Friday & Saturday, 20-21, 8:00a.m. til 6:00p.m. Templo Magdill Church A/G 601 N. Runnels.

☐2 FAMILY GARAGE sale, furniture, dishes, tires, lots of miscellaneous, Sat., Sun., 9:00-5:00. 2622 Fairchild.

CARPORT SALE- 705 W. 15th Street. Friday, 8 a.m. Clothes, glassware, household items, and miscellaneous. MOVING SALE. Lots of furniture, mis-

cellaneous. 113 E. 18th. 263-4437. **INSIDE SALE:** Baby items. Saturday, 8:00a.m. -6:00p.m. 2903 Lawrence. GARAGE, SALE: 1102 College Ave.

Furniture, butane bottle, bedding, cot and miscellaneous. Saturday and Sunday. Y'all come! Thanks! ☐ ESTATE SALE. North end of Birdwell

Lane at Snyder Highway in back. Satur day & Sunday. YARD SALE Sofas, chrome wheels, jewelry, lots of clothes, miscellaneous items, 307 Pine Rd, 264-6526.

GAS EDGER, C.D. player, tape player, turntable, small pool table, dishes, golf clubs, much more. Saturday only 8-4p.m

GARAGE SALE, Friday 00% & Satur Household Goods

REFRIGERATOR, QUEEN-SIZE bed, washer/dryer, electric range, antique buffet, dinette 4 chairs, baby bed, sofa.

267-6558.

Lost & Found Misc. 393 \$1,000 REWARD FOR information leading to recovery of a Magnum casing tongs & 2-axle blue trailer with hydraulic unit. Stolen between February 15-20 at American Oilfield Service yard 2 miles

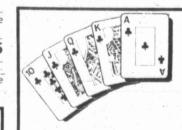
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LITTLE DUTCHMAN'S ANTIQUES

TARZAN, TEXAS

Saturday, March 21, 1992 • 10:00 a.m.

**Inventory Reduction** 

Snuff Sign, Beer Sign, Cigarette Sign, Coca Cola Picture, WW II Mess Kit and Helmet, Back Packs,

Deer Heads, Pictures, Books, Belf Buckles, Chicken Feeders, Old Fishing Lures, Covered Wagon Lamp, Kangaroo Hide, Iron Porch Columns, Shelving, 1941 RCA Radio, 1941 Teledyne Telephone Radio, Metal Xylophone, Wood toy Trailers, Stag Horns, TOOLS: Hammers, Hand Saws, Bolt

Threaders, Electric 3/8" Drill, Screw Drivers, Lots of Gas Cans, New Tools, Tires, Wheels, Paint: RESTAURANT SUPPLIES: Tomato Slicer, Pizza Oven, Hot Dog Machine, Coffee Pots, Metal Desk,

Scales, Vacuum Cleaner, Calculator, Table, GROCERY ITEMS: Canned Goods, Steak Sauce, Cocoa

Mix, Kool-Aid, Mason Jars, Lots of Lids, Knox Geletine, Charcoal Lighter, Floor Wax, Pampers, Pickles, Spices, CAMPING EQUIPMENT: Coleman Stoves, Coleman Oven, Coleman Heater, Col

eman Lantern, Coleman Thermos, Hunting Vest, Coleman Fuel, Zebco Tent Heater, Coleman Sleeping Bags, Lures, Minnow Buckets, FURNITURE & MISCELLANEOUS: Sofa Sleeper, Sofa and

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#### Lost- Pets

FEMALE COCKER SPANIEL wearing red collar- might be pregnant. Found around 18th & Donley. Call 264-0910. REWARD: LOST 2 black lab puppies, one male one female, 10 weeks old in Thorpe Rd. State Park area. Call 264-0605 after

FOUND BLACK & white male Shih-Tzu dog, call 267-8702. FOUND EVENING of 3-17-92. Male Boston Terrier. Call to identify. 393-5866, after 4

#### Miscellaneous 395

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

your eye color. Daily colored soft contacts, \$89 per pair. Clear, \$29 per pair. Doctor's prescription required. 808 Gregg. 263-3667. FOR SALE: queen size sleeper sofa with matching chair and ottoman, earth-tone. Call 267-7670 after 5:00p.m.

DOLLS FOR sale: Small personal collection of porcelain dolls. Only serious inquiries. Call 264-6211. SWIMMING POOL above ground, \$300.

Trampoline, \$150. Golf clubs, \$60. Weight bench, \$35, 263-1516. FOR SALE: Sanyo cash register, woodburning heater, furnace, table saw, large

space heaters, metal work table and office desk, IBM Selectric typewriter, Rotolite blueprint machine, antique trunk, 4x8 business sign. 263-6171. BEIGE RECLINER, \$300. Brand new,

never used, band saw, \$300. Call 457-2234. NAVY QUEEN size sleeper sofa, excellent condition, \$225. Call 457-2234. CLOSED GARAGE rollaway 3 tear chest full of shop-tools, compressor, impacts,

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Pet Grooming

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

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Sporting Goods

MENS 28" FUJI racing bicycle. Retail price \$695, see at 801 W. Marcy Street Apt. 50 or call 264-6620, after 5:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday, \$275.

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

#### **REAL ESTATE**

Acreage For Sale

2.0 ACRES WITH improvements. South etween Sand Springs & Coahoma. \$6,000. 673-5315, 677-6267. HUNTERS TAKE over 40 acres in

Terlingua, Texas. No down, \$69 per month Owner, 818-902-3722. **Houses For Sale** 513

3-2-1, new carpet, paint, cabinets, central refrigerated air, fenced backyard. \$35,000.

HOUSE FOR sale: 2 story, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, near VA. Call after 4 p.m. 267-5420. OWNER: 3-2-2, fireplace, central h/ac, ceiling fans, mini blinds, fenced backyard. Call 263-3645 or 1-573-5313.

HOUSE FOR sale at West 16th & Lark, 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Call 267-5460 for PRICE REDUCED on executive home in

one of Big Spring's finest neighborhoods. \$79,900. Call Linda Leonard 263-7500 or Home Realtors 263-1284.

CHARMING 3 bedroom, 2 bath with double carport on a corner lot in a quiet, secluded neighborhood. Not many to choose from as nice as this! \$39,000. Becky Knight, 263-8540 of South Mountain Agency, 263-8419.

#### Manufactured Housing

\$8,995 BUYS 14x80 LANCER including appliances and 5 ton air. Free delivery to your location. Homes of America, Odessa. -800-725-0881 or locally call 363-0881. Se habla espanol.

\$115.13 MONTHLY BUYS 1988 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home. Free delivery and set at your location. Homes of America. Odessa. 1-800-725-0881 or locally call 363 0881. Se habia espanol. 10% down, 11.25% A.P.R. 180 months.

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#### Out of **Town Property**

518 TWO YEAR old 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick, 2 car garage. 404 West Mason, Stanton. \$66,000. 756-2933 or 756-2303.

#### RENTALS

**Business Buildings** 

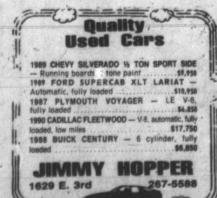
FOR LEASE- Building, 50'x100', no interior post, air & heat, good for retail or office space, off street parking. 907 Johnson.

5:00. 263-6319; after 5:00, 267-8657. 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.

#### Furnished Apartments

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.



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

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263-5000 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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

> Call 267-6561. NICE FOR single, lots of storage, carport, deposit, no bills paid, \$200/month, no pets.

USED COUCH, loveseat & rocking chair, 2 tables. \$250 for all. Call 267-6669. SANDRA GALE Apartments. Nice clean apartments. The price is still the best in town. Call 263-0906.

#### **Storage Building**

GIRLS BEDROOM suite (off white), full size (very comfortable) couch, Lazy- Boy recliner, desk with chair, coffee table and two end tables. 267-2854 or see at 2512

#### **Unfurnished Apartments**

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RENT BASED ON INCOME Two Bd. \$325/3 Bed. \$385 Stove, Ref., Ref. Air, Carpet, Laundromat Adjacent To School Park Village Apartments 1905 Wasson 267-6421

EHO 1 BEDROOM DUPLEX. Stove/ refrigera-tor, good location. \$175 + bills. References required, 267-3271, 263-2562, 398-5506.

ALL 100% SECTION 8 ASSISTED ALL BILLS PAID NORTHCREST VILLAGE 1002 N. MAIN

267-5191

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#### Unfurnished Houses 533

3-2-1, REMODELED, central refrigerated air, fenced backyard. Carleton St. \$425 monthly, \$250 deposit. 267-6504. SUNDANCE: ENJOY your own yard,

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three bedroom homes for rent. Call

2 BEDROOM HOUSES for rent. Stove & refrigerator furnished. HUD approved.

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#### Unfurnished Houses 533 Unfurnished Houses 533

RENT OR SELL. 3 bedroom brick, 1 bedroom furnished, HUD approved. Rent to own. 263-8284. 4 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, 1206 Johnson.

263-7536, 270-3666, 267-3841. RENT. 2524 NORTH Albrook. 4 bedroom, bath. \$380 month, \$200 deposit. 267-4626.

2 BEDROOM, NICE & clean carpeted, mini-blinds. close to FM road. Outside pets, deposit & no utilities paid. Call 267-4923 or 458-3280 after 7p.m. and LARGE 1 BEDROOM & den. Carpeted &

drapes, stove & réfrigerator, laundry room, storage house & storm cellar, near high school. \$200 month, no bills paid. Deposit required. Call 267-4629. 2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH, 105 E. 17th, 263-

EXTRA CLEAN two bedroom, den, large country kitchen, water well on ½ acre, close to town, good location, call 263-5272

NICE, CLEAN, 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Carpeted, fenced yard, carport, storage room. \$300 per month plus \$150 deposit. Cali 267-1543. THREE BEDROOM, 1 bath, refrigerated

air, carport, fenced. \$360 + deposit. Nice! 267-3613 or 263-6892. SALE OR Rent three bedroom two bath, central heat and air. 267-3905.

#### VEHICLES

**Auto Parts** & Supplies

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CHEVROLET GMC longbed liner, \$50. 4 Goodyear radials (33x12) 50r 15 with Indy mag wheels (15x10) for 4 wd. 1 wide climber summet with mag wheels (15x750). All for \$400. Weight distributing hitch, \$100. 393-5968.

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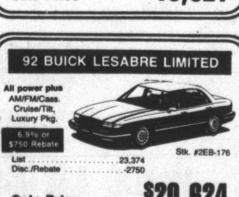
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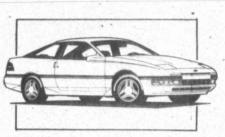
140V GLASTRON BOAT, 70HP Evinrude motor, two gas tanks, fold down top, drive on Dilly trailer, new tires, three props. Week day after 6:00, anytime Saturday & Sunday, Call 263-2835.

#### 537 **Boats**

537 FUN! FUN! FUN! 1990 Kawasaki Jet Mate 8 ft. boat, 52 horse power inboard. Seats 3 or 2 and pull a tub or skier. Call Pat Morgan 263-5145 evenings or 263-7331 days.

\$4,000 firm- includes custom trailer

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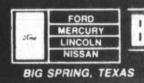
New 1991 Probe 2-Dr. LX



1991 Escort LX 4-Dr. 1991 Tempo GL 4-Dr.

1991 Ford Ranger S/C XLT 1992 Ford Explorer 4-Dr. XLT

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500 W. 4th Street

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All Prices Have Been Reduced!!

\* \* \* Trucks, Vans, 4x4s, Utility Vehicles \* \* \* 1991 CHEVROLET C1500 EXT. CAB SILVERADO — Black, red. cloth, fully loaded one owner with 33,000 miles. . . . . \$14,995 1991 FORD AEROSTAR XL EXT. MINI-VAN - Electric red, cloth, fully equipped, 22,000 miles. 1991 FORD F-250 SUPERCAB XLT 4X4 — Light desert tan, 460 V-8, fully equipped, local one owner, 39,000 miles. ... \$14,995 1991 FORD F-150 XLT SHORT BED - White/med. desert tan, cloth, 351 V-8, fully equipped, local one owner, 21,000 

1991 FORD RANGER XLT - Mocha, cloth, 4 cylinder, 5 speed, 1991 FORD E-250 VAN - 12 passenger, white, fully equipped, 1990 FORD F-150 SUPERCAB LARIAT — Tutone gray & silver, fully loaded, local one owner with 38,000 miles. . . . . \$12,995 1989 CHEVROLET C-1500 SILVERADO - Red, fully loaded, one 1989 FORD AEROSTAR MINI-VAN — Blue, fully equipped, local

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1985 GMC SUBURBAN — Red/silver tutone, fully loaded, 77,000 1983 FORD CONVERSION VAN - Brown, fully loaded with 4 captain chairs, T.V., locally owned ......\$4,995

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1991 NISSAN SENTRA 4-DR. - White with gray cloth, stereo, 1991 FORD MUSTANG LX CONVERTIBLE - Oxford white, red 1991 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL — Silver rose, currant red leather 1991 FORD PROBE GL - White, cloth, 12,800 miles. \$9,495 1990 FORD TAURUS GL - Dark titanium, gray cloth, fully loaded, 

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539 Cars For Sale

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1987 BUICK REGAL Limited. 1 owner, loaded, very clean, new fires. Call 263-2345.

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Cars For Sale

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1989 MERCURY TRACER. 24,000 miles, AM-FM cassette, A/C, excellent gas milage, 4 door, nice. After 6:00p.m. 264-9212.

1987 CAPRICE CLASSIC, nice, clean. \$5,000. Michelin tires. 267-8184. 986 PLYMOUTH TURISMO 2.2, new tires, sunroof, spoilers, 97,000 miles, very dependable. 394-4808, 267-2697 (work). 1987 CHEVROLET MARC III package, loaded, like new. 29,000 miles, \$9,500. Day 394-4953, night 394-4903.

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Motorcycles

1982 HONDA GOLDWING GL1100. 25,000 miles, AM:FM cassette, lots chrome, lights, After 6:00p.m., 264-9212. \$2,795. BUYING MOTORCYCLES Looking for 1984 or newer motorcycles, 4- wheelers & 4 stroke dirt bikes. Local pickup available Honda- Kawasaki of Midland, 1-800-477-

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cle. 263-7536. 1990 NISSAN Pick-up, 5 speed AM-FM cassette, air conditioning, call (915)457

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HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS 7722 March 18, 19, 20 & 22, 1992

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INVITATION FOR BIDS Sealed proposals addressed to Mr. O.H. Ivie, General Manager of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, will be received at the Holiday Inn Centre, Meeting Room C, 6201 E. Highway 80, Odessa, Texas, until 2:00 p.m. April 2, 1992, for the construction of the following item: O.H. Ivie Pipelin

Sections 1, 2, and 3
At this time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after ly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. The project includes approximately 48 miles of 60-inch and 108 miles of 53-inch water pipeline from the O.H. Ivie Reservoir to the Midland-

ontract Documents, including Plans and Specifications, are on file and may be examined without charge in the office of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, P.O. Box 869, 400 E. 24th Street, Big Spring, Texas 79721, Telephone (915) 267-6341, and the offices of Freese and Nichols, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 811 Lamar Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76102, Telephone (817) 336-7161. Contract Documents, including Plans and Specifications may be procured from Donna Fowler of Freese and Nichols, Inc., at the above address as follows:

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### Is saying no too often cause for divorce?

DEAR ABBY: Your statement, "No always means NO," is sound advice when it comes to sexual favors. However, your statement, "Being married to a person does not entitle one to sexual favors" is misleading.

Persistent and unjustifiable refusal to engage in marital relations by either spouse could be considered desertion, abandonment, or cruel and inhuman treatment, thereby establishing grounds for divorce. Since the law varies from state to state, the factual circumstances of a particular case would be controlling. Perhaps you should have mentioned that. - K. KARL SPALVINS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, KNOXVILLE, TENN.

DEARATTORNEY

Dear Abby

statement are: "persistent" and "unjustifiable," in which case I would have to agree with you and the law.

I said, "Both parties must be willing - or it's no go." If either party is too tired, too angry or just "not in the mood" for love occasionally, it's understandable, and

therefore forgivable. When sex is forced, it is laws of your state.

the law calls it "spousal rape."

DEAR ABBY: I have a boyfriend problem. He keeps promising me that we will get married. Well, we now have a 3-month-old son, and we aren't married yet.

We have been together a year and three months. I have set a date that we both agree on; then he treaks it off and delays our wedding. What should I do? - NEEDS HELP IN OHIO

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SPALVINS: The key words in your \_ humiliating and traumatic -and \_ You are foolish to believe a

#### Jeane Dixon fellow who consistently breaks his promises. It would appear that his

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): It may be difficult to get people to cooperate with your plans today. Tempers could flare if wires get crossed. Be careful not to blow a fuse. Suggest a mutually beneficial compromise. TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Work with all the resou ces available to you. Someone in authorit pulls strings on your behalf. Important developments are in the works. Return to a more frugal lifestyle.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Be prepared to dump a losing proposition or a person who has been using you for financial gain. You have a wonderful future ahead of you! Hold

the line on everyday spending.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You tend to do well in situations where a steady hand is needed. Cooperate with those close to you. Keep a secret! A slip of the tongue could

ruin a relationship. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your hard work has finally paid off - you should be elated. Find time to handle those routine tasks you have been postponing. Joining a community

or charity organization gives you a new

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You may be asked to take on additional responsibilities now. Ask yourself if the increased status and financial rewards will be worth the extra

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A confident, relaxed approach will do wonders today. Welcome an invitation to a social gathering; you could make interesting new contacts. In

business, accentuate your sincerity.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Things may not go according to plan today. Be flexible. Your efforts to become better organized win widespread approval. Do not come on too strong in a confrontation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Intense emotions surface. You may be "in love with love" but not realize it. Be more realistic in your expectations of romance. Making too many demands could drive your partner

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You may have to see a tedious task through to comple-tion. There is no use complaining about a situation you cannot change. Tighten your financial belt.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A financial burden may be lifted if you play your cards right. Take advantage of a unique opportunity that comes your way. Read the newspapers and watch for sales.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You are unusually sensitive to first impressions today. Use your finely tuned radar to get to the bottom of a mystery. Spend time with your

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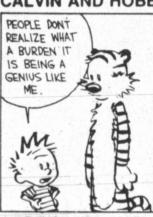
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Writing around

### What's in a wave?

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ Staff Writer

Ever since I went to work for the position I hold today, friends, relatives and other that know me have been complaining about not waving at them.

Because of the nature of my work, most of the time my mind is usually miles away, thinking where I'll have to be next, or whom I need to talk to about an upcoming event.

I used to be a person that would always look at who was behind me or in front of me while I drove.

Last week while travelling to Big Spring, according to my mom, I passed her and put my nose up in the air as soon as I

saw her. I tried to explain to her, that I did not see her, But she kept on, "Not only did you not see me, but I even honked and I didn't even bother to look at who it

I must be guilty because in Big Spring I'm not in the habit of waving at anyone.

In Stanton, its easy because you wave at everybody and everyone waves back. I'm afraid to wave at a stranger in Big Spring, I might not get my hand back, or I'll just get a few

Driving around the Greenwood and Grady communities is much like the same as it is in Stanton. Everybody knows everyone and usually home town folk can talk to each other

by hand language I tried to explain this situation to her, but she still thought I was avoiding her.

Even some of my relatives have told her that I have gotten very stuck-up since my departure to Stanton.

Again, I said, "Mom what do you expect from a person that has been wearing corrected lenses since the fourth grade because of his 60-80 vision.

According to the optometrist, my vision is corrected at 20-20, but I sometimes have my doubts

Regardless of what I say, she would not be convinced. I made a mistake of comparing myself to her. I said, "I bet your just as bad as I am when it comes to recognizing others.

"First of all," she said, "I wave at everyone, because the wave is to Christ. Whether the person waves or not, you should not judge others by their actions, but rather your reactions.

Listening to her was making me feel bad, so I gave in and told her, "Well mom, I'll wave at everybody if it makes you happy, I promise.

Needless to say, my wife is making sure that I wave at everyone, or she will give (HER) a call.

Usually the Big Spring crowd is so busy all the time, I cannot see the point of wasting their

The point of all this, is that when a person becomes comfortable from where he's at, one tends to forget where he came from.

I would never ignore anyone on purpose or just to act that I'm better than anyone. When a person starts to think that he or she is better than a certain person, they are not living right.

The other day, I was talking to my mom after all the excitement and asked her, "Who was the cousin that was mad because I didn't wave at them."

Shé calmly said, "Oh it was so-and-so's son "Mom I don't even know these

people, much less know they were kin to me," I said quietly to myself. I was determined not to get

another lecture. I sometimes wonder if giving

lectures is contagious?

• Please see CHAVEZ Page 6

### City, county give consideration to landfill variances

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ Staff Writer

Martin County Commissioners' and the Stanton City Council met recently in a joint session to discuss the landfill situation and variances the two entities would like to pursue.

City and county retained engineer Gary Harris, of Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, Inc. reported to the court and council that the presentation outlined the landfill throughout 1993.

After a lengthy discussion on the landfill, Stanton Mayor Lester Baker expressed his desire to pursue the variances before anything else.

"I feel at this point, we need to pursue the variances as a first priority and then follow with whatever else," Baker said.

MC Judge Bob Deavenport reminded both agencies that SPEC would be meeting in Austin, March 24, and at which any information as to what variances they would accept.

Deavenport went on to say that regulations in the Subtitle D program would be completed by Sept. 1992, by the state and then get Federal approval by October

cilmen Gene Wheeler and Mayor election. Baker wanted to concentrate on nature variances such as roadcrossing and liner in the pit.

Deavenport also stated that from fees collected by the state would have available grants for local governments to apply for.

• In other business, the city and county approved a sponsorship for the county and the city to help in a partnership for conservation and rural development with Soil Conservation and Soil, Water Conservation Development areas.

The RC and D program is a federal program designed to provide resource development and enviromental protection in multi-

county areas. The purpose of the program is development and utilization of 2.

natural resources to improve the general level of economic activi-

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ty and help the enviroment. According to SCS officer Alvin Riddle goals and objectives are aimed at developing the land and water resources; provide better uses of soil and water resources for farming and ranching, as well as other values.

"There are many reasons why we are wanting to get our area involved, but the main reason is to help ourselves economically and diversify," Riddle said.

Incumbents are the only one to file in school and city elections

According to City Administrator Danny Fryar, Mayor Lester Baker and Councilmen H. Baker and Ronnie Christian are the only one to have filed for council seats up for re-election.

In the school board elections, SISD Superintendent's office has time they may or may not give released the names of of those who have filed to run.

Voting for the upcoming Stanton Independent School District Board of Trustees may be rather predictable if no one else decides to enter the contest.

As of Monday, March 2, only the two incumbents had filed to Judge Deavenport, Coun- run for the places up for re-

Dr. Randy Moore will be on the ballot for place 6. He has served in that position since 1982.

Jimmy Graves, a local farmer, will be on the ballot for place 7. He has been on the board since May of 1990.

Beginning in 1986, Texas Education Agency has set a standard of required training for school board members. Each board member is required to accumulate 20 hours of training the first year of service and six hours annually after that. Moore presently has 57 and a half hours and Graves has 30 and a half hours

Filing will be open until March 18. Voters can cast their ballots early from April 13 to April 28. to accelerate the conservation The election will be held on May







#### St. Patrick's Day

Top photo: Members of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce helps the Stanton Care Center new administration hold a ribboncutting open house reception. The are Mary Belle Keaton, left, Social Activities Director Roy Hughes, Sandy McClinton, Administrator Sandra Neill, Beth Fleckenstein, Dietitian

Supervisor Judy Simpson, Rebecca Riley, Ronnie Epley and Milton Jocketz. Middle photo: Members of the Care Center enjoy the festivities. Bottom photo: Beautiful arrangements of assorted foods were prepared by the Center's employees for Care Center

### Franklin keeps busy with Texas WMU

By KAY KOLB For the Herald

A woman who serves as secretary of Texas Woman's Missionary Union, auxillary to the Baptist General Convention of Texas, must be ready to fulfill Franklin said. several basic tasks.

She must be ready to travel.

Texas is a big state. She must be ready to sit through several days of business meetings and follow up with two weeks of ing since that time. transcribing tapes of those meetings to make them into formal minutes.

others who want to learn to better serve their own churches.

Most of all, she must have a love of missions and a deep committment to support the ministries of Southern Baptist missionaries throughout the world as well as in study and leads in mission study

And, she must do all of this as a

Such a dedicated person may seem to be one in a million. Stanton's residents can claim such an outstanding woman as one of their own. She is Bonnie Franklin and she serves Texas WMU as recording secretary.

Franklin, who has been a resident of Stanton since she married Terry Franklin 23 years ago has dedicate the past two years to the service of Texas WMU as Recororganization and plans to serve two after returning home. more years in the standard term of

Her present position can be traced from several years when

Franklin, as a young girl, made a personal commitment to God to serve him in anyway he led.

"I was involved with missions education through my church and became very interested missions,"

"As an adult I felt that missions education was the answer to the commitment I had made long ago," she added. "I have seen God's affirmation in what I am do-

As a member of First Baptist Church of Stanton, Bonnie is the director of the local WMU and She must be ready to teach therein helps in serveral mission education areas.

She teaches Mission Friends (preschool), and leads Acteens (junior high and high school). In Baptist Women (the adult womens missions group), she teaches Bible programs. Helping with the tasks of WMU

on a state level, Franklin has a variety of responsibilities. Her basic duties begin with the executive board of Texas WMU. She and the other officers from

around the state work hand-inhand with a professional staff of age-level consultants. She will attend the executive board meeting March 24 through 26 and will take minutes of all of the

daily and evening sessions. She will transcribe her tapes and write the Kristi, live in Waco. Reggie will ding Secretary to the state formal minutes within two weeks Another aspect of Franklin's roll as a state WMU officer involves the training of local church missions

leadership.

She serves as an Associational Council Equipper and is required to meet with a number of associational leaders twice each year.

Along with this teaching responsibility, Franklin teaches missions organization related workshop sessions at Texas Leadership Conference each August at Baylor University in Waco.

She also leads such workshops for associational leaders each

'My favorite thing to do as an officer is scholarship interviews,' Franklin said. Texas WMU gives several scholorship to minority groups each year and the officers help in the selection process. Franklin travels to Dallas for

these interviews which includes Asian, Hispanic and Black Anyone who knows Franklin.

knows she balances all of this with a dedication to her family and community. She helps out when needed with her husband Terry's business at Franklin's. She is also a member of Xi Theta

Nu, Beta Sigma Phi and helps with the annual Cancer Drive. When her children were students here in Stanton, Franklin was a 4-H

leader and was the recipient of the Silver Spur award. Bonnie and Terry have two children. Reggie and his wife,

graduate from Baylor University in December. Their daughter, Melissa, and her husband, Gib Wheeler live here in

It is with an extra-ordinary loyal-



Herald photo by Kay Kolb

Bonnie Franklin, recording secretary for the Texas Women's Missionary Union will attend an executive board meeting in Dallas, March 24-26. During these meetings she will participate in the decisions that help shape the missions work of Texas WMU.

She expresses a desire to see the ty and sense of responsibility that Franklin coordinates her • Please see BONNIE Page 6 activities.

### Old Sorehead Band continues to entertain all ages

By A.L. (BUD) LINDSEY For the Herald

Recipe for a good time. Mix together thirty or so men and women over sixty years of age with a few musical instruments, place in the Depot building, and let them practice for one hour at 75 degrees.

That's the Old Sorehead Band of Martin County and the finished product serves lots of folks with entertainment.

Professionals!

Not hardly. Close friends who enjoy each other? Absolutely!

Back in 1978, Fay Rhodes was enjoying several months in Alamo, Texas, as a "snowbird" mixing with all of the people from the colder regions of the U.S. when she joined in a kitchen, or rhythm band, that was playing at the RV park where she had her motorhome.

She was taken with the group when she saw how much fun they were having. She decided, "We can do that in Stanton — and maybe better"

After returning to home she visited with her brother-in-law, Finley Rhodes, about forming a small band. "I don't see why not", Finley offered

They started small with just kitchen instruments such as washboards, egg beaters, pots, pans, and washtubs — and had a lot

of fun. They had some out of town playing dates during those days. "It was kinda embarrassing going into the senior center in Midland as we carried our instruments in cardboard boxes", Fay confides.

Rosa Merrell came to the rescue why donating a suitcase in which to carry the instruments, thus the band obtained some class.

I suppose you could call the band a "happening" rather than a planned group with a longe range plan. 'After all, how can you form a long range, plan when all of the

Bill Walker who dusted off his guitar, tuned it up, and came a'picking. Another of the earlier recruits was Dewitt Davis. Davis is a whiz on the mandolin, plucking out a

And some way on up there", was

As one of the members stumbles

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band they do a soft-sell and try to

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tune at the drop of a hat. Davis, like most band members play by ear. Davis was instrumental in locating and purchasing a small enclosed two-wheel trailer in which

to carry the band instruments for the out of town trips. The band is able to pull the trailer behind the senior citizen's van for the trips with the sign on

the trailor advising all that the Old Sorehead Band of Martin County is on the road again. The band has played in Ball-

inger, Big Lake, Midland, Big Spring and Lamesa. Some invitations has been turned down because of conflicts, but as there fame spreads more travel is anticipated.

Of course this fun group plays for free, but sometimes the hosts pass the hat and any money generated is placed in the senior citizens operation funds.

Gene Clements joined the band about a year ago. Clements played the violin back during his service time in WWII, but had not had the instrument out of the case until he became involved with the band as their sole fiddler.

Louis Roten is an excellent guitarist and along with Bill Walker, Alton Turner, Tuck Williams, and Joy Morgan. Morgan doubles with his harmonica. Finley Rhodes also plays a special harmonica that is capable of playing in two keys. Verla Doggett and Nita "Babe"

members are over sixty years old. Lindsey play the keyboards or piano.

Eddie Crow has attained some fame as the "train whistle." He grabs a mike and sounds off with his rendition of an approaching steam freight train when the band plays, "Wabash Cannon Ball."

When he is not abusing his vocal cords with the whistle he plays the drums. Crow is also taking lessons on the dobro. The dobro is a guitar look alike instrument with a bluegrass music sound.

Recently, Pete Morrison came forth to volunteer as a vocalist for the band. Pete also plays the harmonica.

Alton Turner plays both the regular string guitar and the bass guitar and specializes in songs that allows him to demonstrate his prowess as a yodeler.

The rhythm section's instruments consists of kazoos, washtubs, tambourines, and maracas (gourds)

Playing these instruments are Fay Rhodes, Virgie Johnson, Flossie Burnam, Fiji Rhodes, Lucille Payne, Mildred Meek, Clara Clements, Ola May Maxwell, Eddie B. Scurlark, Leona Hightower and Erlene Saunders. Also, Rowena Barber, Louise

Standefer, Lillian Bevers, O.B. Bryan, Johnnie Bess Bryan, Dorothy Miller, Ellen Morgan Dovie Pinkerton, Clorice Martin and Mamie Roten.

The group gets together at least once a week for practice and learn from each other.

Practice sessions are usually held each Thursday morning at the Depot building although once each month the Thursday's practice sessions are held at the nursing home.

They meet again on most Friday nights at the Depot building for a 'jam'' session.

If you are sixty or over, have a yen to play an instrument, or would just like to listen, stop by and lend





Sorehead Band are top row, Williams. Bottom photo: Fay Rhodes accepted this special award for the Old Sorehead Chamber of Commerce for outstanding service to the community.

Alton Turner, left, O.B. Bryan, Louis Roten, Bill Walker, Roy Lee Barnhill, Tuck Williams, Glen Petree, Dewitt Davis, Joy Morgan, Eddie Crow, Finley Rhodes, Nita Lindsey, Gene Clements and Verla Doggett. Seated are Virgie Johnson, left, Johnnie Bess Bryan, Mildred Meek, Ellen Morgan, Louis Standefer, Lucille Payne, Clara Clements, Fiji Rhodes, Dorothy Miller, Eddie B. Scurlark, Ola Mae Maxwell, Dovie Pinkerton, Lillian Bevers, Leona Hightower, Fay Rhodes, Rowena Barber and Erlene Saunders. Not pictured are Flossie Burnam, Clorice Martin, Mamie Roten and Margaret Band presented by the MC Sidel

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### Cotton aphid management

By PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, ting period.

The cotton aphid, Aphis gossypii Grover, has recently become a serious problem over much of the cotton acreage in west Texas.

Although aphids have infested fields across the region for several years, infestations have generally developed later in the season during the month of August. These inwith inexpensive, lov rates of most organophosphate cticides.

By 1989, there were numerous instances of control problems with many of the commonly used aphicides. Cotton aphid problems reached epidemic porportions in 1991 with approximately 3.5 million acres treated for this pest at a cost of more than 25 million dollars.

In spite of these control efforts, resistance and rapid reinfestation resulted in yield losses exceeding 283,000 bales for the west Texas

The Cotton Aphid Task Force was formed in September, 1991 to aid in the coordination of research and education efforts.

The following management suggestions are a product of this collaboration between Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Agricultural Extension Service scientists

These suggestions incorporate current knowledge of aphid biology and ecology, cultural management practices, and insecticide resistance management.

 Preferred planting dates for aphid management. Aphid numbers during August area higher in June-planted cotton than cotton planted either in April or May in all of the production regions.

High Plains: April 20-May 15 Rolling Plains: May 15-June 7 also optimizes boll weevil management.

Trans-Pecos: April 25-May 15. Where practical, land preparation no later than April will allow farmers to have fields ready for planting during the preferred plan-

 Plant to insure an adequate and uniform stand. Cotton aphid numbers have generally been higher in fields with skippy stands levels will be similar to those and cotton planted in a skip row

Producers should use high quality seed and plant only enough seed for bollworm control, an aphicide to achieve a uniform stand of 3-4 can be added. This tank-mix is sugplants per foot of row for dryland gested only when aphid numbers. production and 3-5 plants per foot for irrigated production.

· Avoid excessive nitrogen by fertilizing based on a soil test. Aphid numbers were higher on plants with higher nitrogen levels in a study where nitrogen fertilizer rate

Aphids collected from the high nitrogen plots were also less susceptible to the insecticide Bidrin® when tested in the laboratory.

Base fertilizer use on realistic vield goals.

 Minimize the use of insecticide early in the season. Early, unnecessary insecticide applications provide selection pressure contributing to insecticide resistance and control failures later in the

Insecticides eliminate predators and parasites which contribute to natural control of cotton aphids. Since the cotton aphid has the ability to develop resistance to all classes of insecticides, maintaining effective insecticides through conservative use, rather than alternating insecticide classes, appears to be the most viable approach.

Avoid using known effective aphicides against thrips and cotton fleahoppers. At the end of the 1991 growing season, the most consistently effective insecticides included Bidrin, Lannate® and Lorsban®

 Delay insecticidal control of aphis until infestations exceed 50 aphids/leaf. Most aphid infestations develop to their highest levels by mid August, rapidly declining to low levels soon after this peak.

· Use higher labeled rates of effective insecticides for aphid control. Unless the situation changes in 1992, it is assumed that resistance observed at the end of the 1991 growing season.

 When pyrethroids are applied exceed 50 aphids/leaf or are in creasing rapidly Reduced aphicide rates may be used in tankmixtures with pyrethroids.

 Maximize insecticide coverage on lower plant parts. Cotton aphid infestations develop on the undersides of leaves and infest leaves near the bottom of the plant. Thorough coverage through increased spray volume and the use of crops on ground application

equipment is very important. · Consult your local Extension entomologist or agent for the latest list of effective insecticides. Resistance to insecticides has varied considerably from community to community and even between adjacent fields.

There can also be considerable seasonal variation in aphid susceptibility to aphicides. Insecticides and insecticide combinations are continually being evaluated during the growing season.

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### Museum happenings

By Helen Thrailkill Museum curator

The musuem received 120 vistors during the month of February, some as far away as Canada, Alaska and lots of local folks too, We are always happy to see you.

Notices have been mailed out for 1992 memberships that have not been paid. Our membership is still a (volunteers) met for their regular down compared to last year. We in meeting Tuesday March, 17, at 3 vite you to renew your membership and encourage others to join in perserving our county's history.

Mr. John Kennady's instructor of the gifted and talented class from Grady High School visited and did research on the Convent and early railroad for a book they are writing.

Mr. Kennady is to be commended for his efforts in his work with these students.

Troup 178, Girl scouts from Grady school visited the Museum

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#### **Sidelines**

#### Stanton music club

Elaine Eiland was hostess to the recent meeting of the Stanton Music Club. Co-Hostess was Helen Ruth Louder. Presiding was Karen Graves, who welcomed several guest.

Members voted to send a monetary gift to the Midland-Odessa Symphony and Chorale. A report was heard on the club's participation in the Convent Soup Cook-Off.

Special guest attending the meeting was Jane Ward, 12th District President, TFMC, who spoke to the members on the 'Importance of Federation.'

She stated that Federation was instrumental in keeping music and arts in the schools She also told of the value of symphony orchestras and other musical groups to our communities, town, and cities.

Ward lives in Midland and has been a member of the Musicians club of Midland and the Symphony Chorale for many years. She was presented with a copy of the Stanton Band Historical Cookbook.

Mary Swihart was in charge of the musical program. Piano numbers were performed by Brett Swihart, Sally Averitt and Debbie Averitt. Debbie also accomplished Mary for two vocal solos

Refreshments were served following the program.

#### Lottery to start July 1

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AUSTIN — The Texas Lottery is moving quickly toward our anticipated July 1 first day of sales.

Advertising will play an extremely important role in the Lottery's success. We're excited about the propects, and I know that many in the advertising sales business are excited, too, according to Lottery officials.

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If you have any questions or wish to send promotional information about your station or publication, contact Gwen David, associate media director at GSD and M. Her phone number is (512) 327-8810. The FAX number is (512) 327-1775. Address is: One Cielo Center

1250 Capital of Texas Highway, Fourth Floor, Austin, Texas

#### OC's Dille elected as **TJCTA** president

ODESSA — Brian Dille,, associate professor of government at Odessa College, recently was chosen presidentelect of the 6,220 member Texas Junior College Teacher's Association.

He will automatically take over as TJCTA president in April 1993 and will preside over the state convention in San Antonio in February 1994.

"My number one priority is to represent community colleges before the state Legislature and the (Texas Higher Education) Coordinating Board," Dille said.

He added, "We will be facing some tough times with a budget shortfall, and there will be the temptation to cut something from higher education. The responsibility of TJCTA is to argue forcefully for adequate funding for higher education.'

OC President Philip Speegle said, "We are proud of Brian Dille. He's an excellent teacher, and we feel that his being president-elect of TJCTA will give us significant input in-

• Please see SIDELINES Page 4

#### **Extension notes**

By GREG JONES

County Extension Agent/Ag 4-H'ers Very Competitive at Major Livestock Shows

Martin County 4-H'ers compete well at all the major livestock shows in 1992. The following is a rundown on Fort Worth, El Paso, San Antonio, Houston, and San Angelo. Congratulations to all 4-H'ers and their families for a successful year.

• Fort Worth Lambs — Hali Tubb, fourth place (Mdl. southdown); Hadi Tubb fifth place (Mdl. southdown); Brian Tubb — fourth place (Hvy. medium wool); Brian Tubb - sixth place (Hvy. medium wool).

Steers - Meagan Mims, third place (Hereford); Marti Kay Mims ninth place (Shorthorn); Jeremy Smith - seventh place (Shorthorn); Katie Jo Yates ninth place (Shorthorn) and William Linderman — first place (Lt. European).

Other exhibitors included Blaine Smith and Rawley Mims. • El Paso

Barrows — Dusty Wells — ninth place (Duroc); Dusty Wells sixth place (Lt. Hamp); Deakon Carson — tenth place (Hvy. OPB); Sherra Wells — eleventh place (Hvy. OPB) and Casey Ireton fifth place (Hvy. cross).

Other exhibitors included -Joshua Carson, Rainnie Hull, Jeremy Hull, Wade Kirkwood, Tarah Schuelke, Clint Schuelke, Kason Anderson, Ryan Webb, and

Shanna Wells. Lambs - Hali Tubb - fourth place (Southdown); Hali Tubb sixth place (Lt. southdown); Angela Tubb - ninth place (Hvy. medium wool); second place -(Hvy. medium wool); Reserve Champion (Medium wool) and Reserve Grand Champion Lamb.

Other exhibitors included Cody Wells, Cheyenne Romine, Cole Romine, and Brian Tubb.

Cotton news

LUBBOCK - Jesse Moore, Direc-

tor of the United States Depart-

ment of Agriculture-Agricultural

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and Paulette Zakrzeski, Senior

eting of Lubbock-based Plains

9, at the Lubbock Memorial Civic

Center in conjunction with the

Texas Cotton Ginner's Association

(TCGA) convention and trade

The PCG meeting will be in the

west end of the center's banquet

hall and includes, a buffet lunch at

noon following the meeting. Producers as well as ginners are en-

Following the PCG meeting and

luncheon there will be the Texas High Plains Cotton Seminar from

1:15 until 4:40 p.m. under the theme, "It's Got to Get Better in

The TCGA convention begins at 9

a.m. Thursday and continues

through Saturday. The conven-

tion's reputation of being the

largest gathering of cotton people

on the High Plains is

The 1991 attendance figures from

TCGA showed that nearly 5,500

people attended the event and it is

expected that the same number

is expected to discuss the upcom-

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Zakrzeski is expected to discuss

the activities in Washington and

what the industry can expect to confront in the future, especially

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Moore and Paulette Zakrzeski

have agreed to speak at our meeting this year," Donald

Johnson, PCG Executive Vice

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By SHAWN WADE

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

Cotton Growers (PCG).

 San Antonio Barrows - Ryan Webb place (Hvy. spot).

Other exhibitors included - Jody Brooks, Deakon Carson, Joshua Carson, Cassie Huckaby, Zackary Huckaby, Casey Ireton, Dustin Kargl, Jimmy Kargl, Kirkwood, Meagan Mims, Hali Tubb, Dusty Wells, Shanna and

Sherra Wells. Steers - Katie Jo Yates - first place (Hvy. Limousin) and Champion Hereford steer; Rawley Mims thirteenth place (Limousin); Marti Kay Mims - first place (Lt. Shorthorn); Jeremy Smith fourth place (Hvy. Shorthorn) and Blaine Smith — (Hvy. Simmental).

Other exhibitors included -Meagan Mims and Whitney Kargl. Houston

Barrows - Deakon Carson third place (Lt. Hamp). Other exhibitors included Brian Tubb and Brad Cox.

Lambs - Hali Tubb - ninth place (Mdl. southdown); Brian Tubb — 30th place (Mdl: medium wool) and Angela Tubb - (NP Hvy. medium wool).

Steers - Katie Jo Yates seventh place (Hvy. Limousin); Jennifer Adkins — eleventh place (Hvy. simmental); William Linderman — seventh place (Mdl. AOB); Blaine Smith — fourth place (Hvy. Red Angus); Meagan Mims first (Lt. Hereford); Kenny Stewart — fourth place — (Mdl. Hereford); Marti Kay Mims

Shorthorn). Other exhibitors included Rawley Mims, Trey Harrell, Whitney Kargl and Leslie Stewart. San Angelo

Barrows - Ryan Webb - eighth place (Hvy. Duroc); Cassie Huckaby — Twelvth place (Lt. Hamp) and Misty Cox - sixth place (Lt. OPB).

Other exhibitors included — Jody Brooks, Josh Carson, Brad Cox and Zackary Huckaby.

Steers - Marti Kay Mims - first TALL alumni," Pope said. place (Class I) and Rawley Mims first place (Class VI).

New class forming for TALL -**New coordinator named** 

COLLEGE STATION — Application deadline is April 17 for next class of the Texas Agricultural Lifetime Leadership (TALL) program, which develops leadership skills for young agriculturists.

In a related development, Fr.

L.S. "Bill" Pope announced plans to retire March 1, as coordinator of the TALL program to devote his time to coordinating TALL alumni activities.

The new program coordinator is John E. Sykes, assistant to the director of the Texas Agricultiral Extension Service, which sponsor

"We are indebted to Bill Pope for his dedication and leadership as TALL coordinator," said Dr. Zerle Carpenter, Extension Service director. "I'm confident that without his early encouragement, Texas might not have this outstanding leadership program."

TALL is a two-year leadership educational program designed for people ages 25 to 40 in agriculturerelated careers.

The class meets about three days every other month and studies current issues related to agriculture. Included in the curriculum are seminars held in other states and Washington, D.C. and foreign countries.

"We expect to receive 80 to 100 applications for this next class," Sykes said. "The class size will be between 25 and 30, so selection will be very competitive."

Applicant screening and interviewing will occur during the last half of April and in May. The first class seminar is scheduled for College Station in June.

"I am excited about the opportunity to dedicate my efforts to the tended while the application for

He added, "There is a real need

there. I have been working for nearly five years in the day-to-day management of the program, and I want to concentrate my efforts on the graduates."

Sykes will do an outstanding job of taking the program to the next level," Pope continued. "He has a wealth of experience and is truly dedicated to the development of agricultural leadership and

Sykes, who has assisted the TALL program for several years, is enthusiastic about the opportunity.

TALL is a high-quality program and is one of the most beneficial to Texas agriculture. It would not be here if it were not for the dedicated efforts of Dr. Pope. Following in his footsteps is an honor.'

Individuals interested in TALL III can request information or an application from Sykes at Room 103 System Building, Texas A and M University, College Station, Texas, 77843-7101, or call John Sykes, (409) 845-7982.

Emergency use of chemical granted to combat black root rot in

LUBBOCK — A crisis exemption permitting use of the fungicide Baytan 30 cottonseed to control black root rot has been granted by the Texas Department of Agriculture. The exemption applies to 36 West Texas Countries.

The exemption, under Section 18 of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), had been actively pursued by Plains Cotton Growers, with support of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas Agricultural Extension Service and others.

It is effective today (Feb 25) and is good for 15 days, but will be ex-

emergency registration is being reviewed by the Environmental Protection Agency.

Seed treated during this period can be planted this spring, said Dr. James Supak, cotton agronomist with the Extension Service.

Black root rot is caused by the fungus Thielaviopsis Basicola in the soil, explained Dr. Harold Kaufman, Extension Service plant

The disease has been verified in several countries of the Texas South plains and Trans Pecos, and additional counties in these regions are expected to be added to the list this season.

Dollar losses from the disease can be substantial, Kaufman said. Baytan 30 is labelled as a seed treatment on wheat and has been shown effective in controlling black root rot on cotton.

Commerical cotton seed treaters must follow directions, restrictions, and precautions on the EPAregistered label of the chemical, TDA said.

Commerical seed treaters who don't have instructions on the use of Baytan 30 can obtain them by calling Kaufman at the Texas A and M Agricultural Research and Extension Center here, (806)-746-6101

Each bag of seed treated with Baytan 30 must bear a tag which provides user necessary information for safe use of the seed, TDA

The countries to which the crisis exemption applies are: Andrews, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Culberson, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, El Paso, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Hale, Hockley, Howard, Hudspeth, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Motley, Parmer, Pecos, Reagan, Reeves, Swisher, Terry, Upton, Ward, Winkler, and

### Nestor's notes

By NESTOR HERNANDEZ ASCS/CEO

Farm program contracts

Form CCC-477 is your contract to participate in 92 Farm Program. Form CCC-477 must be completed by operators by April 17, owners have until May 1, to sign form CCC-477.

Government Relations Represen-Owners and operators spouses tative for National Cotton Council are required to sign Form CCC-477. (NCC), have agreed to be guest We are still missing some speakers at the 34th Annual spouses name and ID numbers. Please bring them with you when you signup in the program. The PCG meeting is scheduled to CCC form 502 begin at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, April

(Farm Operating Plan for Payment Eligibility) for: 1. Individual; 2. General partnership joint venture; 3. Corporation limited partnership, and 4. Estate or trust, are required to be completed by both operator and owner

before they are eligible to earn program benefits. Operator must complete CCC

Form 502 by April 17 and owners by **Word of Caution** When you sign CCC-441 you are

certifying that from the most recent tax records, your gross revenue does not exceed \$2 million. AD Form 1026

(Highly Erodible Land Conservation Certification) must be compieted by April 17, by operator and May 1, for owners. If you are affiliated with an other entity that has farming interest, we need an AD-1026 on that entity. Form ASCS-578

(Report of Acreage) must be completed by every producer that: 1. Has a small grain base; 2. Has small grain growing on set a side

acres and conserving use acres; and 3. Has small grain with intentions of being harvested.

Producers with any kind of small grain, regardless of its use, must report their intentions on Form ASCS-578 by May 1, 1992.

For a minimal fee of \$10, you may leave your small grain standing, if requested by May 1.

(Measurement Service Record) three cents for every acre over 25 by using aerial slides, we will measure your crops, Ground measurement — -\$20 for the first plot plus \$10 for each plot over one.

ASCS-409 must be completed by no later that final certification date for the crop that is being measured; May 1 for small grain and July 15 for cotton.

Conservation Plan of Operation

Record of decisions made by a producer to carry out a resource plan on a farm. This is a complete record of who, what, when, and where a producer needs to carry out the resource plan on a farm.

**ASCS Reminders** 

1. May 31 - Final date to put cotton and grain sorghum in the loan; March 31 — Final to put wheat in For a minimal fee of \$20, and the loan; March 27 - Final date to turn in all disaster related documents; April 17 - Final date to sign up in the 92 farm program.

Eligibility for participation in all programs administered by ASCS is established under law without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, marital status, mental or physical handicap.

# A variety of homestead exemptions could lower your property taxes!

A homestead exemption lowers the property taxes on your home by lowering its taxable value. If your home is valued at \$50,000 and you receive a \$5,000 homestead exemption, your home will be taxed as if it were worth \$45,000.

#### Who qualifies for an exemption?

Anyone who owned a home on Jan. 1st (and used it as their primary residence on that date) is entitled to a \$5,000 homestead exemption to lower their school and CED property taxes this year... and it doesn't matter if your home is a house, condominium or mobile home. (Counties, cities and special taxing districts may also offer homestead exemptions.)

#### Are other exemptions available?

If you're disabled—or if you're 65 years old or older you are entitled to an additional \$10,000 school tax exemption on your home. And if you qualify for the over-65 exemption, you're also entitled to a permanent, locked-in "ceiling" on the school property taxes on your home. (The ceiling does not apply to county or city property taxes, and those entities may offer other exemptions.)

#### Do I have to apply each year?

No. If you had a homestead exemption on your home in 1991, you won't need to reapply for 1992 unless your chief appraiser requires it. However, if you haven't received an exemption on your present home-or if you've moved to a new home—you'll need to file for an exemption for 1992 And if you turned 65 or became disabled during 1991, you need to file for the additional exemptions.

#### When and where should I file?

Applications should be filed by April 30 at your appraisal district office. If you need more time, contact us by April 30 at:

> MARTIN COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT 308 N. St. Peter (P.O. Box 1349) Stanton, Texas 79782 915-756-2823

For more information, stop in or call for a free copy of

"Texas Property Taxes: A Taxpayers' Guide to Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities"

Or contact: Comptroller's Property Tax Division 4301 Westbank Dr., Bldg. B, Suite 100 Austin TX 78746-6565

### Protect your rights! "Render" your property by March 31st.

A "rendition" is a report to the appraisal district that lists all the taxable property you owned or controlled on January 1st of this year. The rendition form is available at your local appraisal district office... or you may draft a similar form

#### Who must file a rendition?

You must file a rendition if you own tangible personal property that is used to produce income—such as the inventory and equipment used by a business

#### Are there any advantages to you?

The advantages of filing a rendition are:

You give your opinion of your property's value. If the appraisal district believes the value is higher, it must notify you in writing of the higher value and explain how you can protest that value to the appraisal review board,

You record your correct mailing address so your tax bills will go to the right address. If your bill is mailed to the wrong address, the law still holds you responsible for paying your taxes on time or paying extra charges for late payments.

You can also file a "report of decreased value" to notify the appraisal district of significant depreciation of the value of your property in 1991. The district will look at your property before assigning a value in 1992.

#### What's the deadline?

The last day for filing or postmarking 1992 renditions is Tuesday, March 31. You can get an extra 30 days if you ask for it in writing by the March 31 deadline.

#### Where do you file?

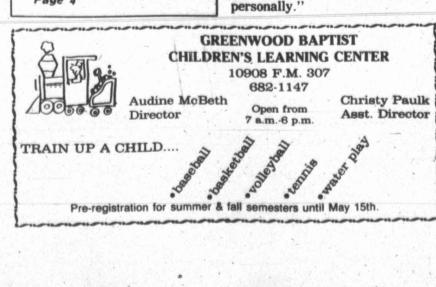
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of the organization. Dille has been at OC since 1978. He earned a bachelor's degree from Illinois State University, a master's degree from the University of Texas at Austin and a doctorate from Texas Tech University.

#### Earn free tickets to AstroWorld

HOUSTON - AstroWorld and Pearle Vision are once again sponsoring a free reading program for students in grades

This is the seventh year that AstroWorld has offered the Read-to-Succeed program to teachers and students.

Read-to Succeed was developed by a staff of educational specialists to encourage children to read for just fun, which in turn increase their reading ability and proficiency.

The program is divided into three units, consisting of film strips, color posters, and activity cards. One of the three units is the 600-minute reading club., which was designed to motivate students to read by providing them the opportunity to earn a free ticket to AstroWorld.

Last year more than 27,000 students earned free ticket to the park as part of the program.

Currently, more than 300 schools are enrolled in the program from the Houston-area, and cities from as far away as San Antonio, Austin, Buna, and Sweet Home, Texas.

"We are pleased to sponsor this educational program again," said AstroWorld President Bill Moore. "Our response from teachers, parents and students has been very positive.

For more information on the Read-to-Suceed program call AstroWorld at 713-794-3295.

#### Stanton study club \_

The Stanton Study Club met recently in the home of Helen Ruth Louden with Mary Prudie Brown presi

Members voted to join with other clubs in the Western District to honor the outgoing president at the state convention in April.

The Study Club will also continue to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the General Federation of Womens

The meeting observed Texas Day and this theme was carried out in the program.

Dorothy Deavenport presented "Tourism in Texas." She highlighted the most popular tourist spots beginning with San Antonio and tracing tourism throughout the state.

Ruby Haggard concluded the program with a presentation of famous Texas women dating back to the statehood of Texas. She stated that March is Women's History Month

Refreshments were served from a spring decorated table to members present.

#### Exhibit to be on display

ODESSA - An exhibit of the 12th University of Dallas National Print Invitational will be on display in the Instructional **Building at Odessa College** from 9 a.m. until 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Friday, March 23 through April 10.

The exhibit contains 45 prints of the work of 15 artists across the United States. The prints include intaglio, linoleum cut, lithograph, etching, monoprint, collotype, screenprint and mezzotint

This exhibition was selected by the printmaking graduate students at the University of Dallas in October 1991, from more than 1,000 slides sent in. by 102 artist-printmakers in the United States.

#### Spring cleaning?

Which is the greatest problem for Stanton area homemakers? House cleaning or home organization? According to experts at Rubbermaid, both can be equally frustrating. And even decorating can be a

"Quicker Cleaning, Klutter Busters and Bath styles" are three 30-minute videotapes now

• Please see SIDELINES Page 5

### Higginbotham-Bartlett serving MC since 1906

By KAY KOLB For the Herald

Spring is the time of year that calls for clean up and fix up. Stanton's Higginbotham Bartlett Lumber Company has been with the Martin County community since 1906 and continues to serve the area with the equipment to help any do-ityourself individual get the job done, whether it be repairs or new contruction.

Mark Wilcox, Higginbotham Bartlett's new manager, invites everyone to come in and get acquainted while shopping for those home repair necessities.

Wilcox and his associate, Juan Gonzales, will be glad to help customers find the items they need. Since its early beginning, HB

has gone through some changes. According to Bob Haislip, Higginbotham Bartlett store manager from 1964 until 1988, the store moved from its first location, at the corner of Loop 214 and North St. Theresa street.

"In 1923, the store used to be at the corner where the Skating rink is now, and it used to cover the whole block," Haislip said. Haislip's dad, Harry Haislip was manager of the store from

1947 until 1964. Bob's son, Walt managed the operation until his departure in

Gonzales has been with the lumber company since the 1950's. He began working under Bob Haislip and according to Wilcox, "If I can't find it for you, Juan (Gonzales) can," he

Higginbotham Bartlett carries a wide variety of lumber for building. They carry interior and exterior paint and cah custom mix the color of your choice to help brighten up your

The store also has a stock of plumbing fixtures, fencing supplies and the nuts and bolts of

Spring brings more sunshine and is the time for planting and gardening. Higginbotham Bartlett has lawn and garden

Wilcox transferred to Stanton's store about a month ago from Breckenridge, Tx. He said he is glad to be here and is enjoying getting to know the local "Stanton is a nice town, the

people are very friendly here. Everyone is willing to work with us and that helps when a new manager comes to town," he

He plans to survey the stock



on hand and compare that with the needs of customers in the coming weeks. Wilcox said then he will expand the merchandise if needed.

We look forward to serving the Martin County community. We arealso looking for suggestions from our customers. We are going to have as much inventory as possible for the convience of our local residents," Wilcox said.

Higginbotham Bartlett is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 7:30 a.m. until noon. The store is located at 106 West

Herald photos by Kay Kolb

Top photo: Higginbotham-Bartlett has been in Stanton since 1906. Since then, the store has relocated behind the Stanton Drug store at 106 West St. Anna Street. Bottom photo: New manager Mark Wilcox invites all local residents to come browse and visit whenever in need of home repair parts or just new construction.



# "Productivity appraisal" may lower the property taxes on your farm, ranch or timberland!

Texas law allows farmers, ranchers and timber growers to pay property taxes based upon the "production value" of their land rather than on its market value. This "productivity appraisal" means qualified land is taxed based on its ability to produce crops, livestock or timber—not on its value on the real estate market. And it can mean substantial property tax savings.

#### When is the application deadline?

If your land has never had a productivity appraisal, you must apply to your local appraisal district by April 30th to take advantage of this benefit on your 1992 property taxes. You may get up to 60 extra days if you have a good reason and ask for it by April 30. If you miss this deadline, you may still be able to apply, but you will pay a penalty. Check with your appraisal district office.

#### Do you need to reapply annually?

If your land already receives agricultural or timber productivity appraisal, you normally don't need to reapply unless the chief appraiser requires you to. If a new application is required, the appraisal district will notify you by mail.

For more information, call or come by:

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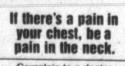
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Top photo: Members of the Stanton UIL One-Act Play crew take timeout before getting ready to present the play at district in Forsan, March 24. They are Raymond Ramos, left, Sonja Hopper, Mackie Hursch and Quincy Brown. Bottom photo: From the scene, "A

Toby Show" performance Mrs. VanUnderSquire (Stacy Tollison) faints, while Toby (Blaine Hall) catches her and Mauderina (Janet Riney, left) and Sophia (Anjelica Hino josa), Mrs. VanUnderSquire's daughters and Colonel Dinwiddie (Trey Hinojosa) look on.



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ject any and/or all bids. Danny Fryar

#### **Sidelines**

• Continued from Page 4 available to Stanton homemakers from Rubbermaid to help with these three activities. Here's info the company supplied on each.

"Ouicker Cleaning!" You can't be the founder of one of the nation's largest jantorial services without learning a few things

**Expert Don Ashlett shares** tips like — do you dust first or vacuum - what's the easiest way to clean a floor? Learn how to wash down a whole room in less than 30 minutes, and still have clean water in vour bucket.

Find out the hotel maid's secret for cleaning bathroom. Get the facts on how to organize to clean just once. For everyone who has better things to do than housework!

"Klutter Busters" provides organizing ideas for the whole house. Professional organizer Carole Manna wrote the original script and acted as consultant for this informative

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Tips include everyytthing rom how to organize your closet to getting the kitchen ready for unexxpected visitors. From attic to basement here are dozens of ways to save space, save time, and even sanity too!

"Bath Styles" is full of redecorating tricks that can give a remodeled look using creativity, color and accessories. The same bathroom evolves through a variety of looks from Grandmother's basic bath to New York chic, to country, cozy and traditional with, of course, a romantic Victorian treatment.

The video illustrates a step y step guide for simple changes in wall coverings, flooring, textiles, towels and

Learn how to make swags and shower curtains from sheets and to use the color wheel when decorating. The videotapes are available

at \$9.95 (\$7.95 plus \$2.00 to cover shipping and handling) (Beta format not available).

Mail the check or money order payable to Rubbermaid Video offer, with your name, address, city and zip code (and also where you saw this offer) and the name of the video(s) you're ordering to: Rubbermaid Video Offer, P.O. Box 30100, Salf Lake City, UT 4130-0100.

Please allow four to six weeks for delivery. Offer good n the USA through January 31,

#### Chapter prepares for spring banquet

Members of the Eta Sorority met in the home Mary Prudie Brown, recently.

June Reid was in charge of he meeting. She gave a report on the city councel meeting and announced the Spring Banquet would be held April 30th. Mrs Reid, then introduced he program chairman, Mary rudie Brown, who gavea eport on the Amish of Lan-

howed pictures, where she ad recently visted. Helen Ruth Louder gave a eport on Ben Franklin, and his nany accomplishment to our

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ountry. Members attending were: Mrs. June Reid, Mary Prudie rown, Helen Ruth Louder. Iamie Roten, Helen Cobean, Margaret Rouche and Pauline

### Stanton Classified

GUITAR LESSONS for beginners. Call

\$1,000 REWARD FOR information leading lo recovery of a Magnum casing tongs & Paxie blue trailer with hydraulic unit. Stolen between February 15-20 at American Oilfield Service yard 2 miles west of Stanton. Call Randy Green at 1800-299-9687. 800-299-9687

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TWO YEAR old 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick, 2 Gar garage. 404 West Mason, Stant 366,000. 756-2933 or 756-2303.

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#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Stanton City Council will accept sealed proposals April 13th 1992 by 5:00 p.m. at City Hall to
spray all city owned trees at North City Park,
space Park and around City Hall with fertilizer,
lungicide & insecticide for a period from April
through September. The City reserves the right to
reject any and/or all bids.

Danny Fryar
City Administrator

### Pastor's corner

By RON COLWELL Greenwood United Methodist

Ron's reflections "Christianity claims to be telling us about another world, about something behind the world we can touch and hear and see.

You may think the claim false; but if it were true, what it tells us would be bound to be difficult - at least as difficult as modern Physics, and for the same reason.' (C.S. Lewis).

It's hard to grow. Brent grunts and cries as he struggles to turn over, desires to crawl, and yearns to someday walk.

I sure there are times he wonders if it is worth the effort. After all, we provide for his care

in spite of the fact that he cannot walk, talk, run, mow the lawn, clean his room, or carry his bride across the threshold.

And we would care for him if, for whatever reason, he did not accomplish these goals. But it would be tragic if he did not grow to be capable of them.

We're beginning "The Greatest Growth On Earth" attendance crusade. Like a child, both a church and individuals within the church are cared for by God whether they grow or not.

But also like a child, they are called to recognize immaturity, and develop as God gives the ability.

We can grow. It may be difficult, but the difficulties are not impossible to overcome. And the enjoyment of running as opposed to crawling is unmistakable. Will you come to grow? It truly is the greatest growth on earth! In Christ, Ron.

Church news "Something Beautiful" is a women's group for all ages. We meet the second Monday of each month from 7:30 p.m. until 9 p.m.

A nursery is provided for meetings each month. There are devotionals, fellowship, projects and programs planned throughout We invite each and everyone to

fellowship and get to know other women in the Church. "Something Beautiful, Something Good,

come to the meetings and enjoy the

All my confusion, He understood. All I had to offer Him was brokeness and strife,

Rehearsal time

their knight in shining armor.

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Top photo: Senior Blaine Hall (Toby) explains to the crowd his in-

tentions of going to the big city and getting a job. The production

of "A Toby Show" is being produced by SHS director Teresa

White for the UIL District Meet in Forsan. Bottom photo: Stacy

Tollison, left, (Mrs. VanUnderSquire) tells her daughters that

they must marry Prince Burtock at all costs. Her daughters are

Anjelica Hinojosa (Sophia) and Janet Riney (Mauderina) await

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But He made Something Beautiful of my life... **Foundations** 

By DAVID SKINNER Youth minister

On Geoff Moore's album, Foundations, there is a song called Winds of Change. He first tells of a time when his grandfather watched his home carried away by a tornado and all that remained was the foundation.

He then tells of getting the news of his father's heart failure and death. He then talks of the fact that all remained was his foundation...Jesus.

This life holds no guarantees or extended warranties. Living involves pain. It is a fact. The only guarantee is Jesus. The only guarantee is Jesus.

When change, pain, lonliness, death, and disappointment come, where is your foundation? Will you unashamedly hold onto Jesus.

Moore goes on to pray in his

Winds of change keep blowing, Hit us without warning. Let all we need, be all that remains, Let everything else be carried away. Is this your prayer? Are you will-

ing to pray that the unimportant things be carried away, and that all that would remain would be Jesus? If we are bold enough to pray this, we are bold enough to truly

live In Christ, David. Community Service

We will be participating in the fifth Sunday Community Service on March 29, at 7 p.m. at Greenwood Baptist. Ron Colwell will be preaching. Join in with the whole community in worship. RE-BI-MU-GO

Come and learn how great God is, at RE-BI-MU-GO, which is for all kids Wednesday evenings from 7 until 9 p.m. We share laughter and activities of all kinds.

(REcreation; BIble study; MUsic; GOing places) March 25-7 p.m. at the church

Easter Egg Hunt The annual Easter egg hunt will be held on April 4, 1992 at 3 p.m.

The location of the Easter egg hunt will be announced later and will depend on the weather as to where it will be held. All contributions of candy eggs (No Chocolate!!) should be

brought to the church before April

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#### Soldiers of Christ

Members of St. Joseph and St. Isidore Catholic Church recently celebrated their receiving the sacrament of being soldiers of Christ. The sacrament, Confirmation represents members of the church joining Christ was against evil.

Cindy King or Evelyn in the church earth. office. Aerobics

The Tuesday and Thursday night aerobics classes at 6 p.m. have been very successful. Although there is a lot of moaning and groaning about sore muscles, everyone is having a good time.

If you are interested in joining the class, there is a one time charge of \$10. We have application forms in the church offfice or see David or Gena Skinner

Thanks Gena for donating your time and love in order to make these classes such a big success. The Greatest Growth on Earth

Remember to ask these greatest people to church on these coming Sundays:

 March 22 — The greatest newcomer

• March 29 - The greatest Greenwood school employee • April 5 — The greatest celebrity

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Let's keep focusing on the growth For more information, contact God gives, The greatest growth on sionary with years of mission ex- the foreign fields.

Greenwood Baptist Church will have a Youth Revival Sunday, March 22 through Wednesday, March 25. Activitis will begin with a tail

gate party in the parking lot of next to the Greenwood High School stadium at 4:45 p.m. on Sunday afternoon. Free pizza will be available for everyone attending. The evening service will follow at

the stadium beginning at 5:30 p.m. Mark Phelps of Tulia will be preaching during each evening service. Music leader for the revival will be Jerry Lewis of Midland. All area youth are invited to at-

St. Joseph Catholic Church By TOM BARLEY St. Joseph and St. Isidore Catholic

tend these revival meetings.

Church This weekend, Fr. Bill Donnelly, M. M. will celebrate all of the Masses at St. Joseph and St. Isidore.

Fr. Bill is a Maryknoll Mis-

perience in South America. His homily will present how Maryknoll participates in the Church's mission or bringing the Good Neews of Jesus to the people of the third world or poor and developing countries of the world

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Is awesome to behold. On countryside or in the town, Those leaves that later fade to brown Proclaim, as they come drifting down, The year is growing old. Our House of Worship's lessons show The love of God, that we should know From autumn's beauty, all aglow With shades of red and gold.

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### Buffs and Lady Buffs flex muscles in area meets

ODESSA — The Stanton Buffalos Tracksters headed into the 48th annual West Texas Relays last weekend for its first competition of the year as a team and sprinted into sixth place over some tough 3A

The Buffs collected 45 points to finish in the middle of the 12-team

Leading the way for SHS was 800 and 1,600 meters state 2A defending champion Jeremy Stallings and last year's 400 meters regional qualifer senior Kenny McCalister.

Stallings, a junior won the halfmile with a 1:58.04 mark at the tape and finished behind Canyon's Gene Medlock in the 1,600 meter with 4:40.00.

He also anchored the mile relay consisting of sophomore Bubba Melton, sophomore Ricky Lucas and McCalister.

The foursome finished second in the mile with a 3:30.60, just behind Canyon and hammered the Brownfield squad for second place.

McCalister blistered his competition with a fast 50.64 time to win the quarter with ease, while Lucas captured points with a sixth place finish in the 200 meter run with a 23.86 mark.

Both Stallings and McCalister had just finished playing at the regional basketball tournament last week and have not had the time to practice for track competition.

"I kept in good shape while playing basketball, but it's not the same as running six races in two days,' Stallings said.

He added, "This year I feel I'm in better shape than this time last year because I started with a 1:58 time. In last year's meet, I ran a 2:08, so I was happy with the way I

McCalister felt he ran a good race, but he feels he can improve even better by the time district comes along.

"I won the quarter, and that makes me happy, but I want to get in top form and improve every

The only other 2A team that competed was district foe Wall. The Hawks finished in tenth place with 23 points.

Boys track results

200 meter run — Lucas 23.86; 400 meter run - McCalister 50.64; 800 meter run — Stallings 1:58.04; 1,600 meter run — Stallings 4:44.00; 1,600 meter relay - (Melton, Mc-Calister, Lucas and Stallings) 3:30.60.

The Buffs will travel to Ozona to the Ozona Relays this weekend.

Lady Buffs take third place

Six members of the Stanton Lady Buffalos travelled to Garden City to compete in the Lady Bearkats Relays and the Buffs came home with a third place finish and 96 points.

The Lady Buffs swept all three relays as the 400 meter relay team consisted of Christie Hirt, Stacy

Tollison, Nancy and Lupe Chapa. The foursome displayed an early warning to the opposition with a 51.74 time in the prelims, a new record time.

They cruised past their opponents with a 51.87 time to win the quarter with ease. The 800 meter relay consisting of Laura Herm, Hirt, L. Chapa and Tollison also set a new record in the prelims with a 1:51.02 and won the race with a 1:51.25 mark.

In the mile relay, Herm, Sande Bundas, Tollison and L. Chapa hit the tape first with a new record time of 4:18.61.

Freshman Lupe Chapa was not finished after placing first in all three relays, she continued her assualt on the competition with an impressive 16'11 1/2" long jump mark.

meet for the young trackster as she time and Bundas came in a close was involved in all four record meets.

Tollison won the triple jump with a 32' 6 1/2" spot, while teammate Herm took third place in the 100 meter hurdles



Stanton's Jeremy Stallings, left and Kenny McCalister boosted the Stanton Buffalos showing at the 48th annual West Texas Relays. Stallings won the 800 meter run and placed second in the mile. Mc-Calister burned the competition with a 50.64 time in the quarter.

fourth place with a 29.33.

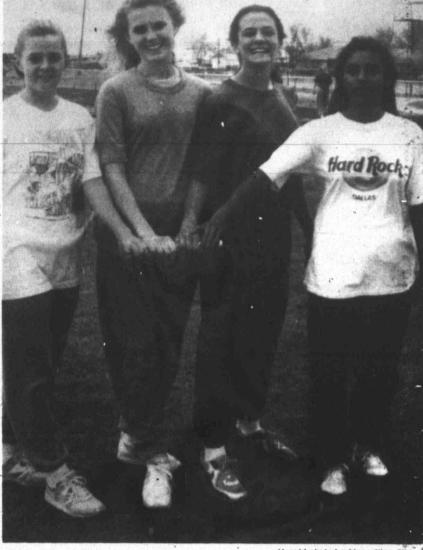
Herm and Bundas tied for seventh place in the high jump with 6" jump.

"We had a good showing this past Senior Nancy Chapa placed third weekend, but we still has a lot of (boys); Coahoma Relays (girls);

The jump was another record in the 200 meter run with a 29.07 work to do. We are in a tough district and we need to win and improve every time," Stanton Girl's Track Coach Frank Riney said.

> Stanton High School Track Schedule

March 21 — Ozona Relays



Herald photo by Marcellino Chave

The Stanton Lady Buffs mile relay team broke the meet record as they turned in a 4:18.61 mark to win the Garden City Relays, in the mile. The team is composed of Laura Herm, Sande Bundas, Stacy Tollison and Lupe Chapa.

March 27-28 — San Angelo Relays (boys); Abilene All-American Relays (girls).

• April 3 - C-City Lone Wolf Relays (boys and girls); April 10 — Brownfield Cub Relays (boys and girls); April 16 — District 6-2A meet (at Stanton boys and girls);

April 24-25 — Regional qualifer meet TBA (boys and girls).

• May 1-2 - Regional I-AA meet in Abilene (boys and girls); May 8-9 - State qualifiers meet TBA (boys and girls) and May 15-16 -State meet in Austin (boys and

### **Bonnie**

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missions work of Southern Baptist carried out to its fullest potential.

"Our goal is to teach missions, to educate people so that they can better pray and give of their resources in order to fulfill the ministry at hand," Franklin said.

"We call churches to be on mission and better know how to do the tasks around us.

Bonnie summarizes her job in one word, "encourager." Encouragement is a basic characteristic she has that helps her fulfill a task as big as the state

#### Chavez

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Our Buffalo basketball season ended with a bang, and our track teams are starting for their quest to the district team

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He (Ronnie) has done a good job. I admire him and will continue to work with him

I would like to have the support of all the people in Precinct #3 to carry our plans forward. With the support of the people much can be done. I look forward to serving the people in Martin County and Precinct #3. We're all in this game together. Let us try to work together and move forward. A team pulling together pulls harder.

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