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Helmsley could end up a maid in prison

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — If a judge 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 maid.

U.S. District Judge Thomas Griesa rejected a motion from Mrs. Helmsley's lawyers Wednesday to set aside or reduce her four-year 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 Pritchett.

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

Medical Center for prisoners.

Mrs. Helmsley, 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 as many as 40 roommates.

U.S. could bomb Iraq's missile plants

WASHINGTON (AP) — Unless 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 Arab partners in the Gulf War coalition against Iraq, said

"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 issues.

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

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

First, he said that given Saddam'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 Iraq'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."

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 assault.

Both prosecution and defense witnesses have described King as laughing and clowning when he was pulled over after a high-speed chase. Two defense witnesses said he continued laughing after he was beaten.

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



Artistic impression

Former Secretary General of the United Nations Javier Perez de Cuellar, left, stands before a painting in his likeness by Swiss painter Aans Erni in the lobby of the U.N. Tuesday. At right is U.N. Secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali.

Bush veto sustained in bill on China

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 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 States.

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 veto.

Failure to override means

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-favored-nation 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, 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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Food stamp trafficking up

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 redeems the coupons for their face value at a bank.

Nearly 25 million people — almost one in 10 Americans — now receive food stamps. USDA expects to spend \$22 billion on food stamp benefits this year.

"Unfortunately, the food stamp program is being abused by unscrupulous ripoff artists who are using food stamps to hot-wire an illegal underground network that permits food coupons to purchase drugs, guns and even a surface-to-air missile," said Rep. Ron Wyden, chairman of a House Small Business subcommittee.

"Especially disturbing is that these frauds involve increasingly large amounts of money — \$1 million and up," said Wyden, D-Ore.

Wyden's office said that in 1988, police officers investigating an auto theft ring in Albuquerque,

N.M., were offered two, shoulder-fired Stinger ground-to-air missiles in exchange for cash and food stamps. The deal, however, was not concluded.

The vast majority of food stamp recipients, however, are honest citizens who need the help and use the coupons to buy food.

Anti-hunger activist Robert J. Fersch, executive director of the Food Research and Action Center, testified that "we cannot allow episodic evidence of fraud... to overshadow the widespread achievements of the program in reducing hunger in the United States."

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 stamps, and 3,200 may be exchanging food stamps for cash.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Burgers for Heart of City coordinators

Heart of the City Festival coordinators staged an informal information gathering meeting at the Railroad Plaza Tuesday evening, with hamburgers and drinks served at the event. As people

Tsongas

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of incumbency and the opportunity for change."

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 thoroughly 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 Hampshire.

"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 in worker's comp

An 118th District Court jury on Tuesday awarded Fred C. Weatherby at least \$32,000 in worker's compensation insurance for a back injury suffered in June 1990 while working for Grace Drilling Co.

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

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

Records

Wednesday's high temp... 73
Wednesday's low temp... 38
Average high... 69
Average low... 40
Record high... 91 in 1916
Record low... 12 in 1923

Rainfall Wednesday... 0.00
Month to date... 0.11
Month's normal... 0.78
Year to date... 05.11
Normal for year... 01.68

Oil/markets

April crude oil \$19.02, down 5, and May cotton futures \$4.46 cents a pound, up 35; cash hog was 25 cents higher at 39.75; slaughter steers was 25 cents lower at 78.50; April live hog futures 40.75, down 17; April live cattle futures 77.45, down 5 at 10:00 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
225.94 Down 0.07

S&P Composite
409.15 Down 0.43

Dow Jones Industrials
3,254.25 Down 1.79

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.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

• 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 Street.

• 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 Johnson.

• Four minor accidents were reported in various parts of the city.

• Three license plates were reported stolen in various parts of the city.

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

• 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 warrants.

• 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 Gregg.

Fire at vacant house under investigation

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A fire at a vacant house Monday at Midway and Robinson roads is under investigation as possible arson, said C. Roy Wright, chief of the Howard County Volunteer Fire 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 fire by someone who lit a grass fire. The suspect or suspects were not apprehended.

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Trans-Pacific rower
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.

Deaths

James Hale
James Norman Hale, 54, Big Spring, died Tuesday, March 17, 1992, at his residence.
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 & Smith Funeral Home.
He was born Nov. 4, 1937, in McCamey. He grew up in McCamey and Iran. He was a resident of Big Spring for 25 years and had worked in the oil field.
Survivors include one sister, Liz Proctor, Midland; and one uncle, Willie Richards, McCamey.

Nellie Graves
Nellie Graves, 73, Big Spring, died today in a local hospital.
Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

J. Cochran
J. Smith Cochran, 87, Big Spring, died Tuesday, March 17, 1992, in a Midland hospital.
Services will be 10 a.m. Friday, at Coahoma Church of Christ with Ralph Beistle, Church of Christ Minister from Lubbock, officiating, assisted by Billy Patton, Minister, Birdwell Lane Church of

Christ. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.
He was born March 18, 1904, in 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 Justice of the Peace.
Survivors include his wife, Gladys Cochran, Big Spring; one son and daughter-in-law: Phillip and Rhonda Cochran, Midland; two step-sons: Claude Bryant, San Antonio, and Milton Bryant, Dallas; two grandchildren, five step-grandchildren, two step-great-grandchildren, two nieces and three nephews.
He was also preceded in death by two sisters: Laska Thomas and Lila Bushon.
Pallbearers will be Don McKinney, Bill Read, Tom Johnson, Mark Stokes, Wendell Shive, Joe Don Hancock and Curtis Elliott.

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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 Trinity Memorial Park.
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 Park.

Fans cheering for Imelda

BACOLOD, Philippines (AP) — Hundreds cheered as Imelda Marcos arrived by ferry. They swept her into a jeep for a motorcade, 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 people.
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 eight-candidate 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.

admirers.
"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 forgotten 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 far-away 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 Bacolod.
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.

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 bombing.
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.

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.

Deaths

Grace Hamilton
Grace Tynes Hamilton, 91, Big Spring, died Wednesday, March 18, 1992, in a local hospital.
Services will be 1 p.m. Friday, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Billy Patton, Minister, Birdwell Lane Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.
She was born Aug. 13, 1900, in Big Spring. She married Hunter E. Tynes, Jan. 1, 1923, in Big Spring. He preceded her in death in 1960. She married William C. Hamilton, May 11, 1964. He preceded her in 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 daughters: Mrs. Joe M. "Ozell" Wright, Mrs. John C. "Stella" Arnold and Lenna R. Wyman, all of 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 Dorothy Windham; two grandsons; and one great-granddaughter.
Family will receive friends from 7-9 p.m. today at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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• The Howar Democratic Club public to a barbeque Dora Roberts Center at 7 p.m.
• Howard County for the Environment general membership p.m., Fellowship Presbyterian Church Runnels. For inform 267-5227, Gloria Hopk
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How's that?

Q. How many varieties of wildflowers are found in Texas?
A. According to Texas Trivia, there are approximately 5,300.

Calendar

TODAY
• Bingo offered by the Lions, Elks and Main Street Clubs, Monday-Friday, 6:30 p.m., Saturday, 1 p.m., and Sunday, 2 p.m., at the Lions Club, 1607 E. Third.

• Free tax assistance through VITA, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the First Presbyterian Church from Feb. 6 through April 14.

• West Texas Christian Track Meet- 8 a.m., April 25, Ratliff Stadium, Odessa. Request forms by Feb. 21. \$4.00 per individual. All entries due March 27. Call 367-0143 for information.

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

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

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

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• 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.

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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-Pickle & Welch.

"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 Bowerman.

"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



Area businesses have supported D-FY-IT, a youth organization whose members chose to live drug-free, 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-

ferences or schools to introduce other students to the program. Pictured left to right are Travis Sinclear, Amber Grisham, Charles Myers and Jammie Haas.

winning essays. Each essay will be judged in three areas: purpose, 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

thought as well as logic. And each must be neat and readable with good sentence structure.

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

Rannels Junior High School students participated in an invitational University Interscholarship League competition 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 Vasanaawa, 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



CINDY PASCAL

Pascal placed second in legal applications and

Franco placed third in banking applications during the state competition in Fort Worth March 5-7 and earned the honor of attending the national conference, April 29-May 3.

The conference 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

Rannels and Goliad students attended a solo and ensemble contest in Midland recently and returned with excellent and superior ratings for their efforts.

From Rannels, 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.

Rannels students who received

division two (excellent) awards for ensemble competition included: Allison Alcantar, Kathy Green, Stacia Loftin, Melissa Nichols, Ronna Osborn and Jennifer Reinert.

Goliad students who received a division two (excellent) rating for a vocal solo included: Paul Foresyth, Andrew Fraser, Charles Ruderger and Frances Trevino. Students who received a division one (superior) rating for a vocal solo were: Amanda Armstrong, Kandi Cline, Andrew Dixon, Jerrod Helms, Margie Muniz, Tonya Phifer, Ehren Tune and Kaegan Welch.

Goliad students who won a division two for an ensemble competition were: Frances Alcantar, Melissa Bustamante, Kim Mendoza, Margie Muniz, Francis 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, attended the District II Vocational Industrial Clubs of America contest and returned with a first place award for dental assistance.



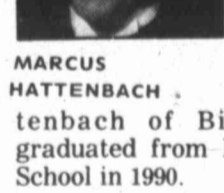
ERICA HUGHES

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

various assisting skills and work with a dentist for the competition.

Hattenbach excels at DeVry Institute

Marcus Hattenbach has maintained a 4.0 grade point average for the past two semesters at DeVry Institute of Technology in Irving. He was named to the Dean's List for the fall and summer sessions.



MARCUS HATTENBACH

Hattenbach is the son of Ann and 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 a business, child development, family communications, and food service among others.

The Coahoma FHA team won second third place for parliamentary procedures. The team consists of Kelly Lockhart, Sheila Bowden, Alan Grant, Sonja Overton and Becky Walker. These students demonstrated skills in organizing a



Young thespians

Kentwood Elementary fifth graders, Nicole Truhe, left, and Jeremy Brunson, right, are coached by teacher Glenda Henderickson during rehearsal for tonight's performances. The fifth graders are performing two melodramas in the

Kentwood Elementary cafeteria tonight at 7 p.m. Henderickson, with the help of fellow teacher Carol Boyd have directed the kid's in "All's Well That Ends" and "Frontier Mortician."

Ad dollars linked to teen-age smoking

ATLANTA (AP) — Federal 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.

strong preference for three brands — 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 spokeswoman.

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Especially for kids and their families

The Mini Page

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By BETTY DEBNAM

Greatest Female Athlete

Babe Didrikson

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.



Babe hugs one of her many golf trophies.

This is an Olympic year. The Mini Page celebrates National Women's History Month with a story about women in sports.

Becoming a supersport

After becoming a sports star in high 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.



Photos courtesy LPGA

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

Golf superstar

In 1938, Babe married George Zaharia, 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.

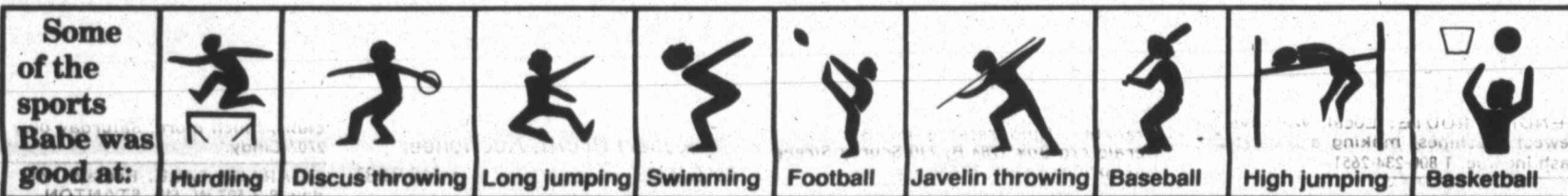
She died of cancer in 1956 at the age of 45.

Growing up

Mildred Didrikson was born in 1911 in Port Arthur, Texas. When she was growing up, she used to beat the boys in most sports, even at playing marbles.

This was unusual, since she had no real training. Girls back then weren't supposed to play boys' games.

Because she hit so many home runs, the boys gave her the nickname "Babe" after the baseball hero Babe Ruth.

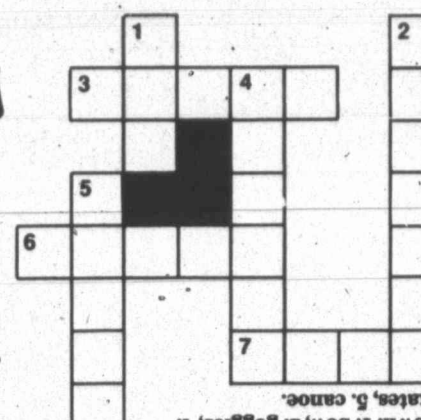


PETER PENGUIN'S PUZZLE & LE-DO

Fit the names of these things used in the Olympic sports in the puzzle.

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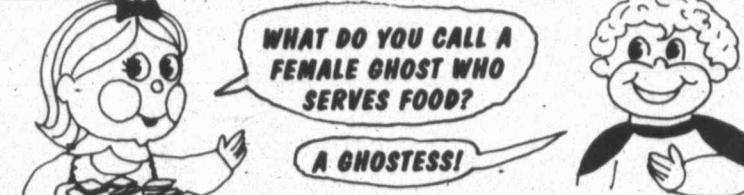


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1. 2. 4. 5.

Answers: Across: 3. horse, 6. sled, 7. ski. Down: 1. sword, 2. goggles, 4. hockey stick, 5. curling stone.

MIGHTY FUNNY'S Mini Jokes



WHAT DO YOU CALL A FEMALE GHOST WHO SERVES FOOD?
A GHOSTESS!

(Sent in by Quentin Brooks)

Q: What did the baby corn say to the mama corn?
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 Women's Supersport Quiz-a-Roo

Q: Who was the first U.S. woman to win an Olympic event?
A: Margaret Abbott, of Chicago. In 1900, Margaret defeated nine other women in a nine-hole Olympic golf tournament in Paris. 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: In 1924 this woman won one gold and two bronze Olympic medals for swimming.
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 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.

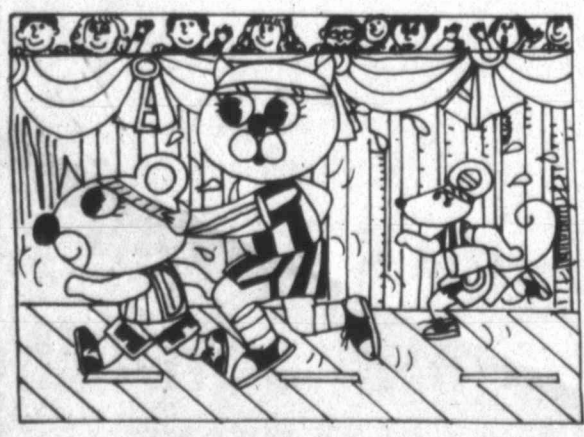
The Mini Page thanks the Amateur Athletic Union, the LPGA, the International Swimming Hall of Fame and the Women in Sports Foundation for help with this issue.

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.



Mini Spy . . .

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



- key
- word MINI
- letter E
- toothbrush
- comb
- sword
- tin can
- letter D
- canoe
- ruler
- letter A
- cup
- letter Y

WOMEN & TRY 'N FIND

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.

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Two Olympic Supersports

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 Sports Woman 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, too.

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. She set her first records in 1987 in the 1,500- and 800-meter freestyle races.

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
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By GARY LARSON

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Lodges 025

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

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

Special Notices 040

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Inventory Reduction

Snuff Sign, Beer Sign, Cigarette Sign, Coca Cola Picture, WW II Mess Kit and Helmet, Back Packs, Deer Heads, Pictures, Books, Belt 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 Throwers, 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 Gelatine, Charcoal Lighter, Floor Wax, Pampers, Pickles, Spices, CAMPING EQUIPMENT: Coleman Stoves, Coleman Oven, Coleman Heater, Coleman Lantern, Coleman Thermos, Hunting Vest, Coleman Fuel, Zelco Tent Heater, Coleman Sleeping Bags, Lurfs, Minsow Buckets, FURNITURE & MISCELLANEOUS: Sofa Sleeper, Sofa and Chair, Flat Ware, Dishes, Pots and Pans, Bedspreads, Curtains, ROLLING STOCK: (1) Aristocrat Camping Trailer 16', (1) Aluminum Boat 14' with 12 hp Elvinrude on Trailer, (1) 15' Invader Walk Thru, 120 hp Chrysler on Dilly Trailer, (1) 1985 V-6 Ford Ranger Pickup, (1) 30 Winchester Never Fired (Cowboy Commemorative), (1) 12-String Electric Guitar with Case, (1) 6-String Guitar.

SPRING CITY AUCTION

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(915) 263-1831

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PEACOCKS FOR SALE: CALL 267-2143.

MISCELLANEOUS

Auctions 325

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

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Thursday, March 19
7:00 p.m.
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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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Garage Sale 380

ESTATE SALE. Too much to list! 8:30 a.m. Friday, Saturday, Oil Mill Road north service road by Interstate west of Roy Anderson Baseball Field; 6th house on left. Follow signs.
75% OFF ALL Winter clothes. March 20 & 21, 9-3. Salvation Army Thrift Store, 600 W. 4th.
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Garage Sale 380

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 267-1836.

MULTI FAMILY Garage sale 1611 Indian Hills, Saturday March 21, 8:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.

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

CARPET SALE- 705 W. 15th Street. Friday, 8 a.m. Clothes, glassware, household items, and miscellaneous.

MOVING SALE. Lots of furniture, miscellaneous. 113 E. 18th. 263-4437.

INSIDE SALE: Baby items. Saturday, 8:00a.m. - 6:00p.m. 2903 Lawrence.

GARAGE SALE- 1102 Collette 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. Saturday & 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. 2707 Cindy.

GARAGE SALE. Friday 3/20 & Saturday, 8-7:50 W. 5th, STANTON.

Household Goods 390

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 tons & 2 axle blue trailer with hydraulic unit. Stolen between February 15-20 at American Oilfield Service yard 2 miles west of Stanton. Call Randy Green at 1-800-299-9687.

Lost- Pets 394

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Lost-Pets 394

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 264-0805 after 5:00 p.m.

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 p.m.

Miscellaneous 395

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

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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, 5275.

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REAL ESTATE

Acreage For Sale 504

2.0 ACRES WITH improvements. South between 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. Carlton St. 267-6504.

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

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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 520

FOR LEASE: Building, 50'x100', no interior post, air & heat, good for retail or office space, off street parking. 907 Johnson. 263-7436.

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

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EXTRA CLEAN two bedroom, den, large country kitchen, water well on 1/2 acre, close to town, good location, call 263-5272 or 267-7659.

Unfurnished Houses 533

NICE, CLEAN, 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Carpeted, fenced yard, carport, storage room. \$350 per month plus \$150 deposit. Call 267-1543.

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VEHICLES

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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 Pipeline
 Sections 1, 2, and 3
 At this time and place the proposals will be publicly 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-Odessa area.
 Contract 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 689, 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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 Persons wishing to view the location of the project

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 THE HOWARD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT WILL CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX ABATEMENT OF FINA OIL AND CHEMICAL. THE HEARING WILL BE HELD IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURTROOM, COUNTY COURTHOUSE, AT 1:30 P.M. ON MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1992. IN THE EVENT OF NECESSITY FOR ADDITIONAL SEATING, THE HEARING WILL BE HELD IN THE HOWARD COUNTY COURTROOM, ROOM 206.
 BEN LOCKHART
 COUNTY JUDGE
 HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS
 7722 March 18, 19, 20 & 22, 1992

PUBLIC NOTICE
 shall contact Ernest Lillard with the Colorado River Municipal Water District (915) 267-6341 prior to getting on private property. A site visit, including test pits, is scheduled the week beginning March 16, 1992. Interested bidders shall contact Ernest Lillard or Jerry Crouch at Colorado River Municipal Water District before the starting time to reserve a place.
 A pre-bid conference is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. March 30, 1992, at the offices of Colorado River Municipal Water District in Big Spring.
 A cashier's check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, payable to the Colorado River Municipal Water District is an amount not less than five (5%) percent of the bid submitted, must accompany each bid as a guarantee that, if awarded the contract, the Bidder will, within twenty (20) days after receipt of Notice of Award, enter into a contract and execute bonds on the forms provided in the Contract Documents. Attention is called to the fact that not less than the prevailing wage rates, as established by the (Owner), and as hereinafter set forth in the Contract Documents hereinafter described and which are made a part hereof, must be paid on this project.
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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.

DEAR ATTORNEY SPALVINS: The key words in your



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 humiliating and traumatic — and

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 breaks it off and delays our wedding. What should I do? — NEEDS HELP IN OHIO

DEAR NEEDS HELP: Face it, your boyfriend (the father of your son) is not ready for marriage. However, whether or not he is "ready for marriage," he has a legal obligation to contribute to the support of his son according to the laws of your state.

You are foolish to believe a

fellow who consistently breaks his promises. It would appear that his son may grow up before he does.

DEAR ABBY: Here's one for the limerick collector:

There was an old lady named Myrtle
Who bought herself a new girdle.
She held in her breath,
It squeezed her to death,
Now the graveyard is fertile with Myrtle. — MONA

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Jeane Dixon

FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1992

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Your artistic flair will boost profits nicely. Your good-hearted nature wins you valuable allies. Repay favors. July could be a turning point for romance. Plot your course carefully where career matters are concerned. December brings travel to a warmer climate. Early 1993 gives you a second chance at something you thought lost forever.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor William Hurt, actress Holly Hunter, playwright Henrik Ibsen, hockey star Bobby Orr.

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 resources available to you. Someone in authority 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 focus.

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 pressures.

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 away.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You may have to see a tedious task through to completion. 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 loved one.

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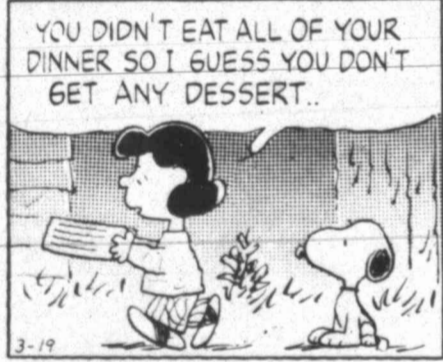
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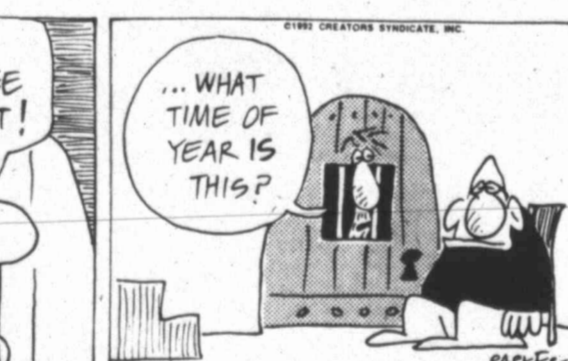


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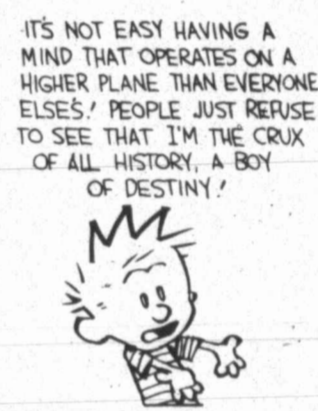
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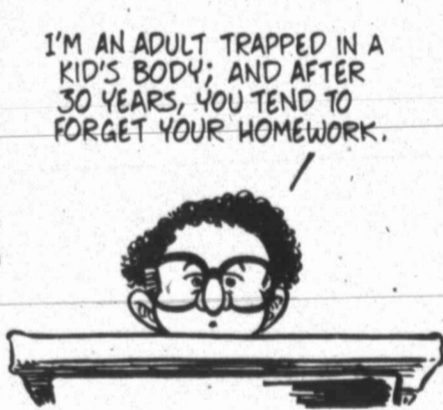
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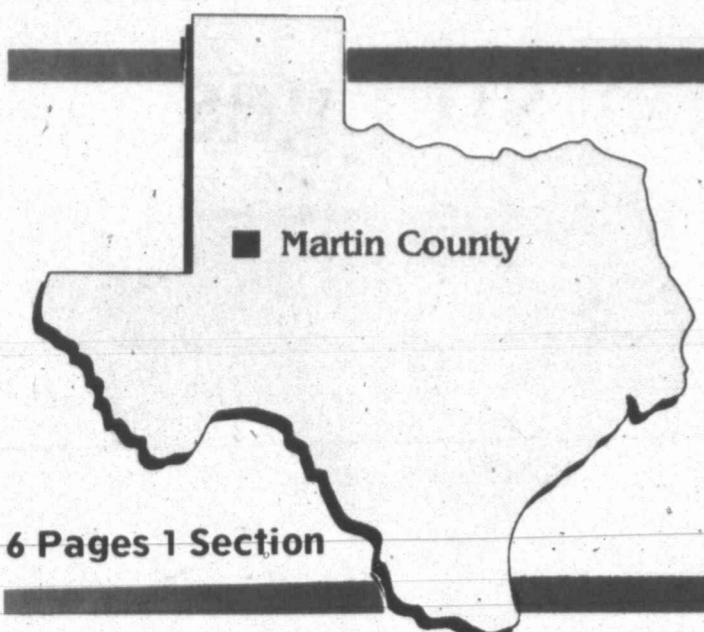


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Writing around



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 was."

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 fingers back.

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 time.

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?" She 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 time they may or may not give 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 1992.

Judge Deavenport, Councilmen Gene Wheeler and Mayor Baker wanted to concentrate on nature variances such as road-crossing 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 environmental protection in multi-county areas.

The purpose of the program is to accelerate the conservation development and utilization of

natural resources to improve the general level of economic activity and help the environment.

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, SISK Superintendent's office has released the names 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 run for the places up for re-election.

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. The election will be held on May 2.



St. Patrick's Day

Top photo: Members of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce helps the Stanton Care Center new administration hold a ribbon-cutting 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 residents.

Franklin keeps busy with Texas WMU

By KAY KOLB For the Herald

A woman who serves as secretary of Texas Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to the Baptist General Convention of Texas, must be ready to fulfill 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 transcribing tapes of those meetings to make them into formal minutes.

She must be ready to teach others who want to learn to better serve their own churches.

Most of all, she must have a love of missions and a deep commitment to support the ministries of Southern Baptist missionaries throughout the world as well as in Texas.

And, she must do all of this as a volunteer.

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 dedicated the past two years to the service of Texas WMU as Recording Secretary to the state organization and plans to serve two more years in the standard term of office.

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," Franklin said.

"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 doing since that time."

As a member of First Baptist Church of Stanton, Bonnie is the director of the local WMU and therein helps in several mission education areas.

She teaches Mission Friends (preschool), and leads Acteens (junior high and high school). In Baptist Women (the adult women's missions group), she teaches Bible study and leads in mission study 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-in-hand 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 formal minutes within two weeks after returning home.

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 spring.

"My favorite thing to do as an officer is scholarship interviews," Franklin said. Texas WMU gives several scholarship 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 students.

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, Kristi, live in Waco. Reggie will graduate from Baylor University in December. Their daughter, Melissa, and her husband, Gib Wheeler live here in Stanton. It is with an extra-ordinary loyal-



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 Franklin coordinates her activities. • Please see BONNIE Page 6

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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 washstubs — 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 longer range plan.

"After all, how can you form a long range, plan when all of the members are over sixty years old. And some way on up there", was the comment of one member.

As one of the members stumbles upon a potential musician for the band they do a soft-sell and try to recruit. One of the first members of the band who could play a "regular" musical instrument was Bill Walker who dusted off his guitar, tuned it up, and came a'pickin'.

Another of the earlier recruits was Dewitt Davis. Davis is a whiz on the mandolin, plucking out a 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 trailer advising all that the Old Sorehead Band of Martin County is "on the road again."

The band has played in Ballinger, Big Lake, Midland, Big Spring and Lamesa. Some invitations have 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" 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 progress as a yodeler.

The rhythm section's instruments consists of kazooes, washstubs, 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.

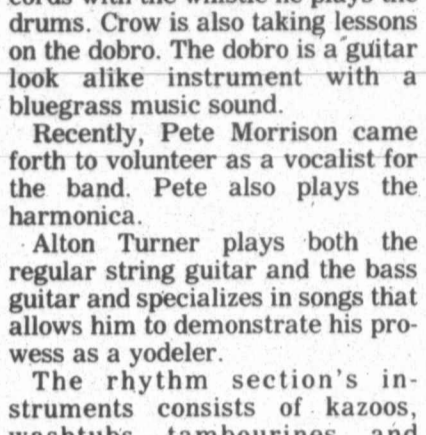
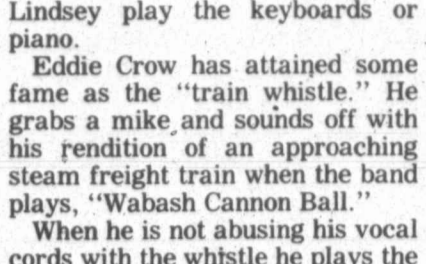
The group gets together at least once a week for practice and learn from each other.

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 an ear.

Herald photos by A.L. (Bud) Lindsey



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



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Cotton aphid management

By PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, Inc.

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 infestations were easily controlled with inexpensive, low rates of most organophosphate pesticides.

By 1989, there were numerous instances of control problems with many of the commonly used aphicides. Cotton aphid problems reached epidemic proportions 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 area.

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-

ting period.
● Plant to insure an adequate and uniform stand. Cotton aphid numbers have generally been higher in fields with skippy stands and cotton planted in a skip row pattern.

Producers should use high quality seed and plant only enough seed to achieve a uniform stand of 3-4 plants per foot of row for dryland 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 was varied.

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 yield 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 season.

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 aphids 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 levels will be similar to those observed at the end of the 1991 growing season.

● When pyrethroids are applied for bollworm control, an aphicide can be added. This tank-mix is suggested only when aphid numbers exceed 50 aphids/leaf or are increasing rapidly. Reduced aphicide rates may be used in tank-mixtures 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 museum received 120 visitors 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 down compared to last year. We invite you to renew your membership and encourage others to join in preserving our county's history.

Mr. John Kennedy'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. Kennedy is to be commended for his efforts in his work with these students.

Troup 178, Girl scouts from Grady school visited the Museum with their leaders, Vickie Wells and Peggy Hale.

The Cap Rock Collection Desert Storm Veterans' Edition is coming off the press soon. We will keep you informed when the books will go on sale.

Friends of the Museum (volunteers) met for their regular meeting, Tuesday, March 17, at 3 p.m. at the museum. Come and meet with us if you'd like to volunteer.

The museum has lots of good used books for sale at 15 cents each. See you next month.

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

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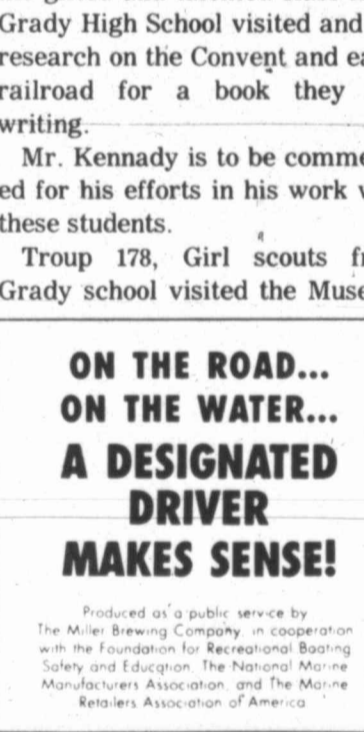
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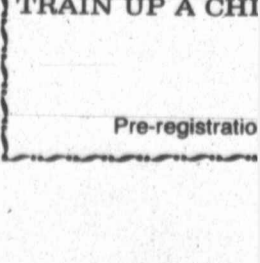
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Stanton music club

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 guests.

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

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 prospects, and I know that many in the advertising sales business are excited, too, according to Lottery officials.

The Texas Lottery has hired GSD and M, the Austin firm known for its "Don't Mess with Texas" campaign, to serve as our advertising agency.

GSD and M, and its subcontractors, will handle all the advertising for the Lottery. We have instructed firm officials to make sure they do not exclude any specific type of Texas media outlet from consideration for their advertising campaign.

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 78746.

OC's Dille elected as TJCTA president

ODESSA — Brian Dille, associate professor of government at Odessa College, recently was chosen president-elect 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..."

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Extension notes

By GREG JONES

County Extension Agent/Ag 4-H'sers Very Competitive at Major Livestock Shows

Martin County 4-H'sers 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'sers and their families for a successful year.

• Fort Worth
Lams — Hali Tubb, fourth place (Mdl. southdown); Hali Tubb — fifth place (Mdl. southdown); Brian Tubb — fourth place (Hvy. medium wool); Brian Tubb — fourth 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.

Lams — 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

By SHAWN WADE

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

LUBBOCK — Jesse Moore, Director of the United States Department of Agriculture-Agricultural Marketing Service (USDA-AMS) and Paulette Zakrzeski, Senior Government Relations Representative for National Cotton Council (NCC), have agreed to be guest speakers at the 34th Annual Meeting of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

The PCG meeting is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, April 9, at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center in conjunction with the Texas Cotton Ginner's Association (TCGA) convention and trade show.

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 encouraged to attend the meeting.

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 '92."

The TCGA convention begins at 9 a.m. Thursday and continues through Saturday. The convention's reputation of being the largest gathering of cotton people on the High Plains is understandable.

The 1991 attendance figures from TCGA showed that nearly 5,500 people attended the event and it is expected that the same number will attend in 1992.

During the PCG meeting, Moore is expected to discuss the upcoming Universal Standards Conference and some of the proposed changes to the cotton classing system.

One of the most important proposals is one that will separate color and leaf into two grades and eliminate additional grade reductions for bark.

Zakrzeski is expected to discuss the activities in Washington and what the industry can expect to confront in the future, especially the environmental issues that threaten to alter drastically the way U. S. farmers are allowed to work their land.

"We are pleased that Jesse Moore and Paulette Zakrzeski have agreed to speak at our meeting this year," Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President said.

He added, "High Plains producers will have an excellent opportunity to hear first hand about what is going on in Washington and what effect it could have on them personally."

• San Antonio
Barrows — Ryan Webb — first place (Hvy. spot).

Other exhibitors included — Jody Brooks, Deakon Carson, Joshua Carson, Cassie Huckaby, Zackary Huckaby, Casey Ireton, Dustin Kargl, Jimmy Kargl, Wade 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.

Lams — 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 — Twelfth 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 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 Agricultural Extension Service, which sponsor TALL.

"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 agriculture-related 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

TALL alumni," Pope said. 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 TALL."

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 cotton

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 Counties.

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 extended while the application for

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 pathologist.

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 labeled as a seed treatment on wheat and has been shown effective in controlling black root rot on cotton.

Commercial cotton seed treaters must follow directions, restrictions, and precautions on the EPA-registered label of the chemical, TDA said.

Commercial 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 said.

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, Farmer, Pecos, Reagan, Reeves, Swisher, Terry, Upton, Ward, Winkler, and Yoakum.

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.

Owners and operators spouses are required to sign Form CCC-477. We are still missing some spouses name and ID numbers. Please bring them with you when you sign up in the program.

Form CCC 502 (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 May 1.

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 completed 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.

ASCS-409
(Measurement Service Record)

For a minimal fee of \$20, and 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 than final certification date for the crop that is being measured; May 1 for small grain and July 15 for cotton.

Conservation Plan of Operation (CPO)

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 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:

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308 N. St. Peter (P.O. Box 1349)
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For more information, stop in or call for a free copy of "Texas Property Taxes: A Taxpayers' Guide to Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities"

Or contact:
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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.

Whats 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?

File renditions with your local appraisal district at:
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to the processes and decisions 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 1-6.

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-Succeed program call AstroWorld at 713-794-3295.

Stanton study club

The Stanton Study Club met recently in the home of Helen Ruth Loudon with Mery Prudie Brown presiding.

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 Clubs.

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 challenge.

"Quicker Cleaning, Klutter Busters and Bath styles" are three 30-minute videotapes now available to Stanton area homemakers.

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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-it-yourself individual get the job done, whether it be repairs or new construction.

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 1992.

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 said.

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 home.

The store also has a stock of plumbing fixtures, fencing supplies and the nuts and bolts of hardware.

Spring brings more sunshine and is the time for planting and gardening. Higginbotham Bartlett has lawn and garden tools.

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 people.

"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 said.

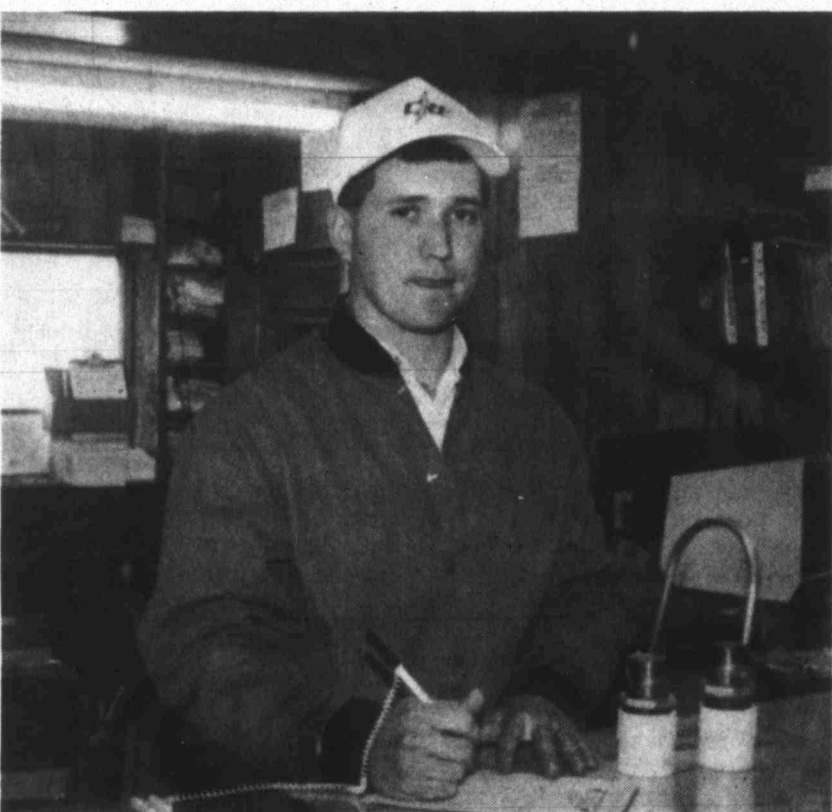
He plans to survey the stock



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 are also looking for suggestions from our customers. We are going to have as much inventory as possible for the convenience 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 St. Anna.



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.



Herald photo by Marcelino Chavez



Herald photo by Kay Kolb

One-Act Play

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 Hinojosa), Mrs. VanUnderSquire's daughters and Colonel Dinwiddie (Trey Hinojosa) look on.

Advertisement for home cleaning services with phone icon and text: 'If there's a pain in your chest, be a pain in the neck. Complain to a doctor. Emergency'

Advertisement for 'PLACES and PLEASURES' travel agency with phone number 1-800-299-8687 and website information.

Large advertisement for Shugart's inc. featuring Easter pictures, product lists, pricing, and contact information for Stanton, Texas.

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We'll be happy to answer your questions and provide you a free copy of "Texas Property Taxes: A Taxpayers' Guide to Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities"

Vertical sidebar on the right edge of the page containing various notices and advertisements.

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available to Stanton homemakers from Rubbermaid to help with these three activities. Here's info the company supplied on each.

"Quicker Cleaning!" You can't be the founder of one of the nation's largest janitorial 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 your 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 video.

Tips include everything from how to organize your closet to getting the kitchen ready for unexpected 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 by step guide for simple changes in wall coverings, flooring, textiles, towels and accents.

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 80100, Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0100.

Please allow four to six weeks for delivery. Offer good in the USA through January 31, 1993.

Chapter prepares for spring banquet

Members of the Eta Sorority met in the home Mary Prudie Brown, recently.

June Reid was in charge of the meeting. She gave a report on the city council meeting and announced the Spring Banquet would be held April 30th.

Mrs. Reid, then introduced the program chairman, Mary Prudie Brown, who gave a report on the Amish of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and showed pictures, where she had recently visited.

Helen Ruth Louder gave a report on Ben Franklin, and his many accomplishments to our country.

Members attending were: Mrs. June Reid, Mary Prudie Brown, Helen Ruth Louder, Mamie Roten, Helen Cobean, Margaret Rouche and Pauline Wood.

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LOST Brown miniature Dachshund. Answers to Gretchen. If seen or found, call 756-2303 or 756-3467.

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

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, fungicide & insecticide for a period from April through September. The City reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.

Danny Fryar
City Administrator
7:18 March 19, 1992

Pastor's corner

By RON COLWELL
Greenwood United Methodist Church

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 the year.

We invite each and everyone to come to the meetings and enjoy the fellowship and get to know other women in the Church.

"Something Beautiful, Something Good,
All my confusion, He understood.
All I had to offer Him was brokenness and strife.

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 that 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, loneliness, death, and disappointment come, where is your foundation? Will you unashamedly hold onto Jesus.

Moore goes on to pray in his song:

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 willing 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 1st.

For more information, contact



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 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 office 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
- April 12 — The greatest co-worker
- April 19 — The greatest family member

Let's keep focusing on the growth God gives. The greatest growth on

earth.

Greenwood Baptist Church will have a Youth Revival Sunday, March 22 through Wednesday, March 25.

Activities 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 Tulsa will be preaching during each evening service. Music leader for the revival will be Jerry Lewis of Midland.

All area youth are invited to attend these revival meetings.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
By TOM BARLEY
St. Joseph and St. Isidore Catholic 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 Missionary with years of mission ex-

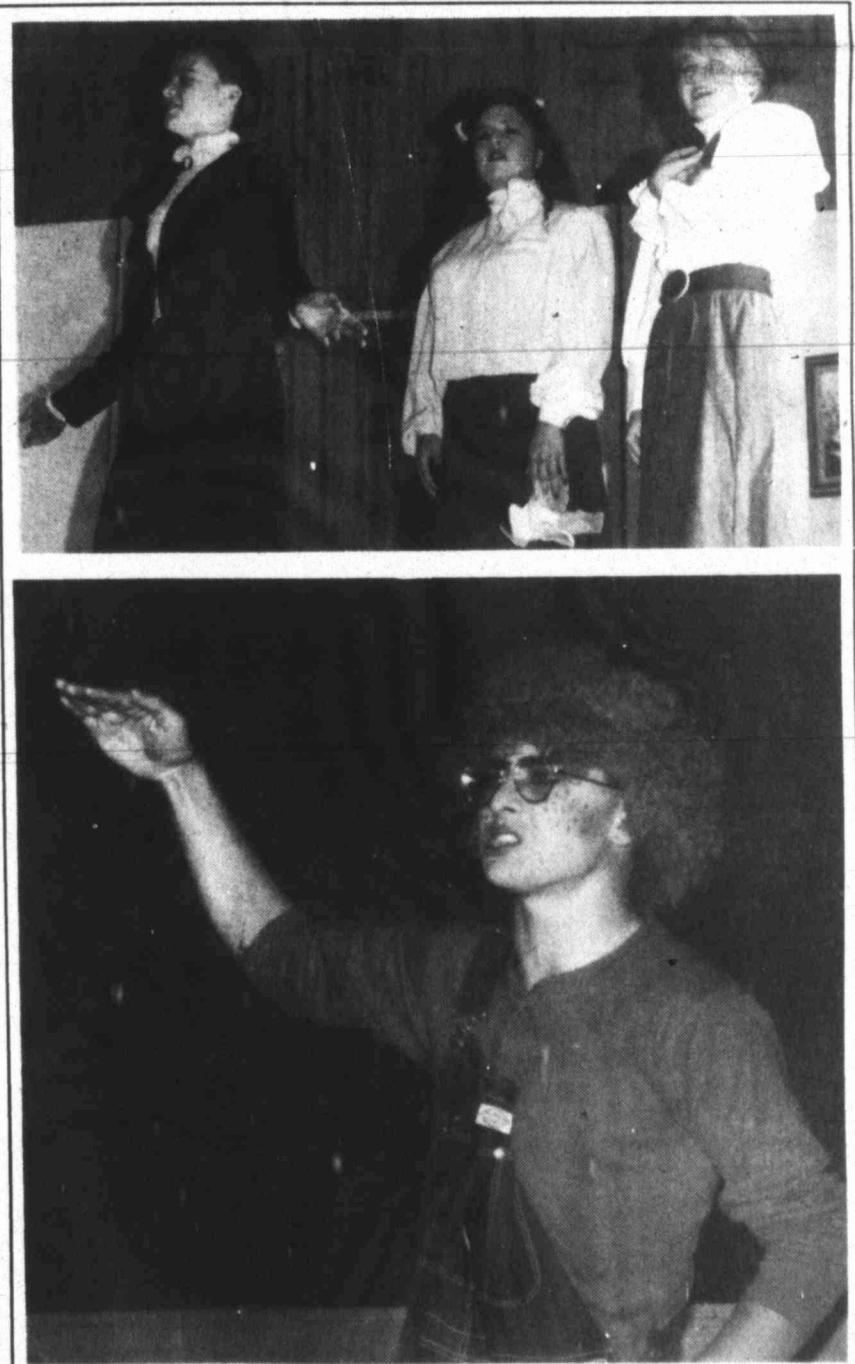
perience in South America. His homily will present how Maryknoll participates in the Church's mission or bringing the Good News of Jesus to the people of the third world or poor and developing countries of the world.

Maryknoll was founded in 1911 under the official name of the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America. Their first mission were in China in 1919.

Other missions were soon opened in Japan, Korea, and other Far East countries. After WW II, Maryknoll spread its mission to Africa and South America.

In the past two decades Maryknoll has become active in Moslem countries as Christian witnesses of the Gospel message. On returning to America many Maryknoll missionaries bring the Gospel message of the need for social justice and peace in the world.

My experience with Maryknoll goes back to the 1980's — when I was a seminarian for Maryknoll. I have great respect for them and their missionary work for Christ in the foreign fields.



Rehearsal time

Top photo: Senior Blaine Hall (Toby) explains to the crowd his intentions 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 Burdock at all costs. Her daughters are Anjelica Hinojosa (Sophia) and Janet Riney (Mauderina) await their knight in shining armor.

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Wednesday — 7:00 p.m.

MISSION BAUTISTA MEXICANA
304 S. Oak
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AM-Morning Worship — 10:55 a.m. —
Church Training 6:00 p.m. —
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Nursery

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Sat. 6:00 p.m.
Monday & Thursday — 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday — 7:00 p.m.

DOWNTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST
210 N. St. Mary
Sunday — 10:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
Wednesday — 7:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
208 E. St. Anna
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.
Youth (UMYF) — 7:00 p.m.

BELVIEW CHURCH OF CHRIST
Blocker St.
Sunday School — 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening — 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening — 7:30 p.m.

ST. ISIDORE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Mass 7:30 a.m. Sundays

TARZAN CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Wednesday — 8:00 p.m.

LENORAH BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.
Evening 6:00 p.m.

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That morning will unfold;
And coming with the cooler days,
In keeping with this yearly phase,
The sight of branches all ablaze
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.

— Gloria Nowak

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Bufs and Lady Bufs flex muscles in area meets

HERALD STAFF REPORT

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 schools.

The Buffs collected 45 points to finish in the middle of the 12-team meet.

Leading the way for SHS was 800 and 1,600 meters state 2A defending champion Jeremy Stallings and last year's 400 meters regional qualifier senior Kenny McCalister.

Stallings, a junior won the half-mile 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 ran."

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

week," McCalister said.

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, McCalister, Lucas and Stallings) 3:30.60.

The Buffs will travel to Ozona to the Ozona Relays this weekend.

Lady Bufs 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.

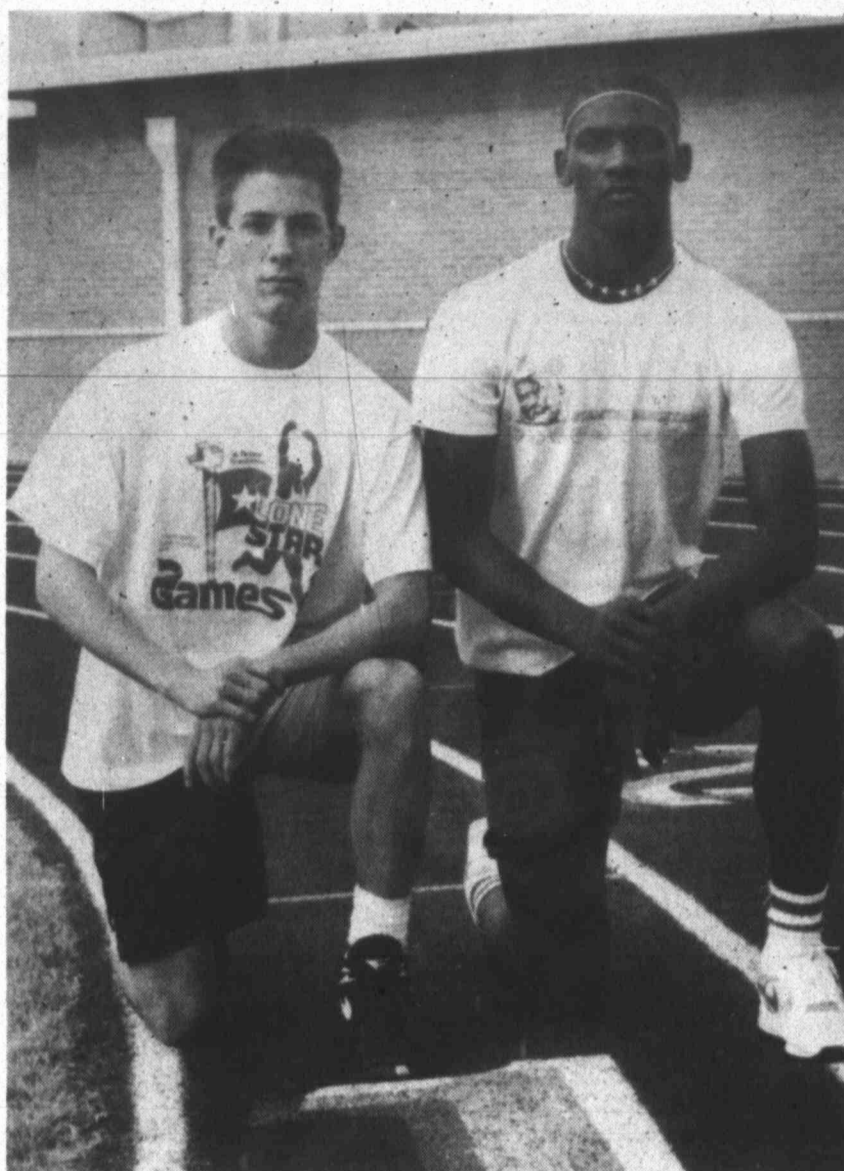
In the mile relay, Herm, Sande Bundas, Tollison and L. Chapa hit the tape first with a new record time of 4:18.61.

Freshman Lupe Chapa was not finished after placing first in all three relays, she continued her assault on the competition with an impressive 16'11 1/2" long jump mark.

The jump was another record meet for the young trackster as she 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.

Senior Nancy Chapa placed third



Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez

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. McCalister burned the competition with a 50.64 time in the quarter.

in the 200 meter run with a 29.07 time and Bundas came in a close fourth place with a 29.33.

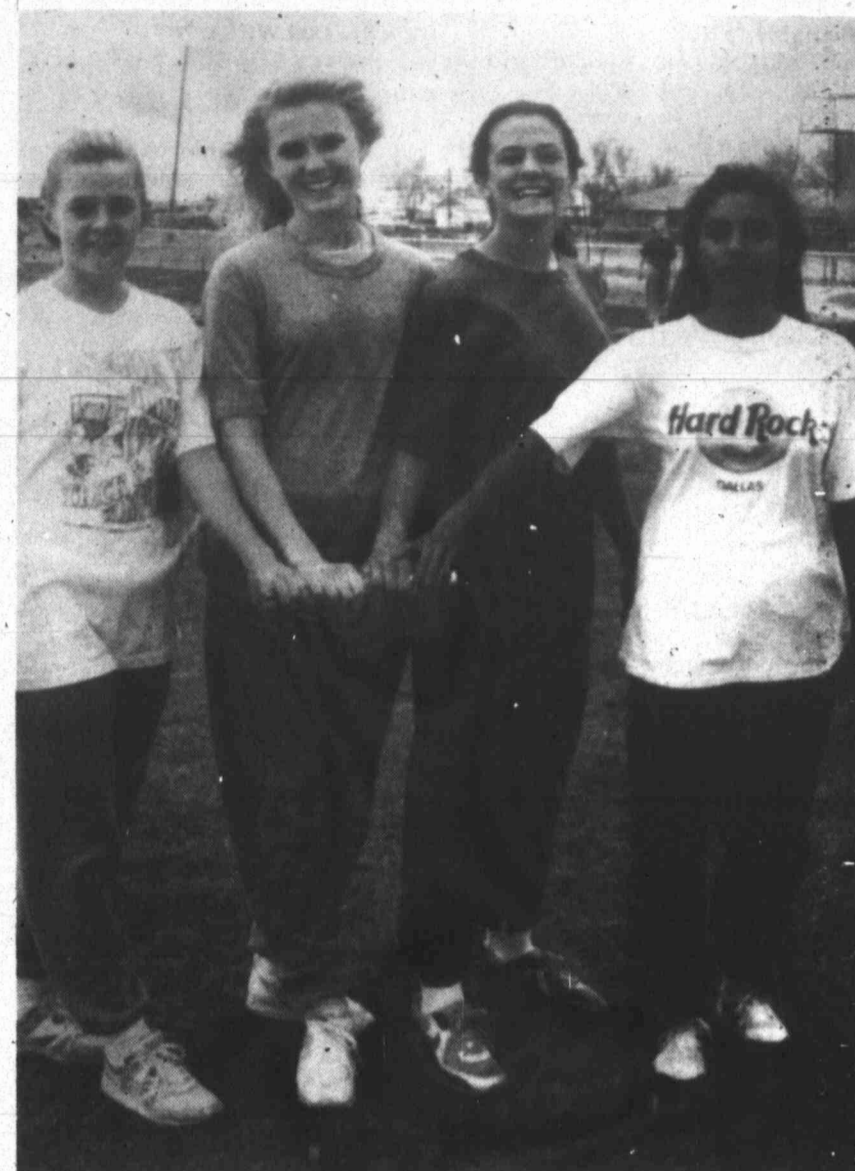
Herm and Bundas tied for seventh place in the high jump with 4'6" jump.

"We had a good showing this past weekend, but we still has a lot of

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 (boys); Coahoma Relays (girls);



Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez

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 qualifier 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 girls).

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 of Texas.

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 crown.

Everyone is excited about this year's prospect of winning the team trophy.

With our two strong showings at area meets have proven that our Buffs are headed in the right direction.

• Nearly half of all American families separate their garbage for recycling — whether mandated by local ordinance or not.



I would like to take this opportunity to thank the voters in Precinct #3 for their support in electing me to be their next county commissioner. I will try to work with the other members of the court to better Martin County as a whole. A lot has been done in the past. I think there is room for improvement, also. I intend to work toward completing what Ronnie Deatherage started; to get all families on a good caliche road.

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.

Thanks again,
Eldon A. Welch

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