



# Tornadic winds slam Stanton, Martin County,

### By GARY SHANKS Staff Writer

Tornado force winds of more than 80 miles per hour struck Stanton and Martin County at about 11 p.m. Friday

A National Weather Service Spokesman in Midland declined to give details of the storm as he was continuing to collect data on Saturday's weather.

Barns were reportedly destroyed and numerous power lines snapped as the storm passed through the Stanton area, said Martin County Sheriff's deputy John Castro.

The storm damaged some homes, uprooted trees and turned over a trailer house in the area, he said.

Castro, who was on patrol about three miles from the city was the first resident to experience the storm's winds when his patrol car was partially lifted leaving only two wheels on the ground. When the winds passed, the vehicle was left sideways on the road, he said.

The only reported injuries in the storm was a man who recieved minor injuries when his car was swept off of Interstate Highway 20. The vehicle came to rest on the railroad tracks south of the interstate, Castro said.

Marveling at the force of the winds, Castro noted grass stems that had been driven into the rubber molding of his windshield and not washed out by the driving rain.

Power had been restored to most of the town before noon Saturday, he said. Cap Rock Electric Cooperative communications Advisor Peggy Luxton said that 40 of the large, 80-foot, transmission lines were destroyed in a four-mile stretch toward Grady. About 30 of the smaller distribution poles were downed near Stanton in Martin County, she said. Cap Rock's wind meter read winds more than 80 mph, she said. More than 300 Cap Rock customers were without power overnight, but all residences currently have power restored, she said. Nonresidential customers were not immediately assisted to enable workers to restore residential power. "I'd like to thank our oil-field customers for being so understanding," said Luxton.

# Alaskan volcano erupts

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ANCHORAGE, Alaska - The Mount Spurr volcano ended 39 years of dormancy Saturday, spewing ash and steam at least five miles into the sky. Some air traffic was rerouted as gritty ash rained onto isolated communities.

Scientists at the Alaska Volcano Observatory in Anchorage said the first "moderate explosive eruption" occurred at 7:04 a.m. Two more eruptions were reported in hourly intervals and volcanologists forecast more to come.

Fallout of coarse, gritty ash from the volcano was reported in a number of small communities in the state's sparsely populated interior, and some air traffic was rerouted to seep planes from traveling through the plume, when was heading north. No injuries were reported and no health alerts

were ordered.

The nearest settlements to the volcano are the villages of Shirleyville, 35 miles to the southeast, and Skwentna, 60 miles to the northeast.

Kirsten Stanley, a National Weather Service observer at Finger Lake, near Skwentna, said the eruption dumped about an eighth of an inch of coarse, gritty ash.

"It is like beach sand," she said. "When it fell on the tin roofs, it sounded like a light rainfall. It is nothing like the fine, powdery stuff when Redoubt blew.

Scientists were tipped to the eruption when a series of volcanic tremors began about noon Friday on the 11,000-foot peak 80 miles west of Anchorage The Federal Aviation Administration limited air traffic to within 20 miles of the mountain, and the National Weather Service issued a flash flood watch for the Chakachatna River and other streams fed by ice and snow melting off Mount Spurr



TU Electric fared better than Cap Rock, losing only four poles and one line on Texas 137 north of Stanton.

TU spokesman Terry Blais said TU crews were called out about 1 a.m. Saturday and had power restored to all customers by 8 a.m.

# Texas

• El Paso residents angry over Metroplex billboards: Dozens of billboards in Fort Worth and Dallas are coming down after El Paso residents told the advertiser to find another target. The cause of trans-state sour feelings? An ad slogan for an electronic device that allows stolen cars to be tracked. See Page 2A.

## Nation

• Police arrest more than 70 protesters: Police arrested more than 70 anti-abortion protesters who lay down or kneeled in front of an abortion clinic Saturday in Milwaukee. The demonstrators, many of them children, ran across a street toward the clinic and collapsed at the feet of police officers lining the entrance. Some tried to crawl through the officers' legs See Page 5A.

# World

• Princess Diana said to be pushing for separation: Two British tabloids, quoting unidentified sources, said Saturday that Princess Diana is pushing for a formal separation from Prince Charles by the end of the year Buckingham Palace was silent on the matter. See Page 3A.

# Weather

Possible chance of thunderstorms late afternoon, although overall rain probability less than 30 percent. Highs in lower 90s and lows in 60s. Extended forecast, Page 7A.

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The volcano is the nearest one to Anchorage, Alaska's biggest city with 230,000 people. It last erupted in 1953 with a brief burst that deposited a quarter-inch of ash on Anchorage

On Saturday, pilots flying in and out of Anchorage International Airport reported an ash plume reaching 30,000 feet, Power said.

FAA spokeswoman Joette Storm said several planes headed to Anchorage from the north and northwest had been rerouted to fly around the ash cloud. She said one pilot reported the smell of sulfur near Bettles, more than 400 miles north of Anchorage.

Planes ranging in size from single-engine craft to airliners were rerouted around the plume but were able to land at Anchorage International Airport by approaching from another direction.

## Monkeyshines

Big Spring VA Medical Center patient Henrietta Kelly looks at Pedro the monkey, who in turn looks at owner and rodeo clown Jimmy Anderson. Several rodeo celebrities, in town for the 59th annual Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo, visited the hospital Friday morning, where they

chatted with the patients and signed autographs. Complete results of the final night of competition at the 59th annual rodeo were not available at press time and will be included in Monday's edition.

Cowboy poets entertain with song, tales

### By GARY SHANKS Staff Writer

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Poems, stories and songs of the Southwest were told in a form of entertainment as old as the frontier Saturday at the Howard County Courthouse.

More than 200 people pulled up a seat on a bale of hay while cowboy poets -

"songsters," story tellers and musi-

cians gathered under the shade trees on the north lawn to practice their art

These ranchers, businessmen and professionals take time out from their lives to perform at functions like the 2nd Annual Big Spring Cowboy Poet and Music Gathering, said coordinator Marae Brooks of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.

A light breeze beneath the trees provided a comfortable atmosphere as the poets joked, sang and even lamented Many of the poets used humor to il-

about life now and then.

lustrate times on the range and the trials of everyday life. Radio personality, Larry Scott, who lives in Terrell Texas and works at KWKH Radio in Shreveport La. was the emcee for the event. Scott called Cindy and Jody Nix to the stage where the duo sang a medley of songs from the days of Bob Wills and Hank Williams.

"They told me the good news is, you're coming to Big Spring to read

your poetry. The bad news is you go on right after Cindy and Jody Nix," said cowboy poet Eddie Hooker from Alpine

Herald photo by Tim

Hooker soon had the crowd laughing with a poem about his wife, who loves chocolate so much that she one day licked chocolate frosting from the end of an extension cord. His kids put her hair out with wet rags and the doctors say she is going to do fine, "but the

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### To our readers:

As we work to improve the quality of your newspaper, we continue to make changes and work to provide you with the news you want.

A recently completed survey conducted by the University of Texas-Permian Basin and the **Small Business Administration** indicates that 93.3 percent of all adults in the Big Spring area consider the Herald as their primary source for local news

and information. More than 90 percent of all adults in the Big Spring area also said they consider the Herald to be their primary source for advertising.

We appreciate your confidence in the Herald. Even though the UTPB/SBA

survey shows clearly that the Herald is the local source for news and advertising, we won't sit on our laurels.

We have continued to work on the design of the newspaper so that is more appealing, easier to read and even more informative than before

The Opinion Page has been restyled as we seek to offer our readers a variety of viewpoints. We continue to offer local views as well as a mixture of national columnists. As we continue our efforts, you will occasionally see a new name.

Beginning in July, we will add Hodding Carter III to our lineup. A Pulitzer Prize winning journalist, Carter is a former Assistant Secretary of State under President Jimmy Carter. He is also a regular on PBS and other networks.

Also in July we will offer you George Will on a trial basis while adding the columns of Bob Greene and Mike Royko.

Both Greene and Royko are award-winning columns who offer a mix of humor, satire and serious opinion.

Betty Johansen will continue to write her column — now on a weekly basis instead of every other week.

On July 19, we will begin including PARADE Magazine in our Sunday package.

PARADE is the leading newspaper publication in the country and will be offered to our home subscribers at no additional cost.

As we strive to improve the quality of the newspaper we are restructuring our newsroom operation.

Effective Monday, D.D. Turner will join the Herald as News Editor. Most recently, Turner has served as city editor of the Del Rio News-Herald and has also worked at the Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

Turner fills a newly created position - one that combines

editor and copy editor. Also, Debbie Lincecum will be returning to the Herald on July 6 as Features Editor. Lincecum is a former staff reporter for the Herald and

most recently has been on the editorial staff of the Midland Reporter-Telegram. We appreciate your support and patronage. In all honesty,

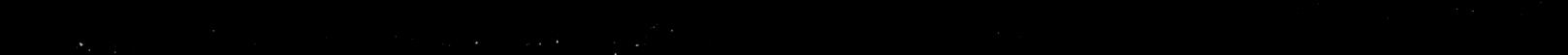
the UTPB/SBA results were stronger than even we imagined and we will continue to work to provide you with the best quality newspaper for your subscription and advertising investment.

Thank you for your loyalty and for making the six most common words in Big Spring, "I read it in the Herald.

As always, we welcome your comments and our door is always open.

JOHN H. WALKER **Managing Editor** 

Pollard's "No Bull" RODEO TRUCK SALE is on with fantastic bargains! See Page 5-D for details.



# **Texas**

# Court upholds ban on GOP candidate

Richards tries third time to fill judgeship

based appeals courts, each of submitted by Richards for the

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

AUSTIN - An appeals court has refused to reverse a Republican Party decision to strike a state Senate hopeful from the ballot after his eligibility was questioned.

Jeff Wentworth of San Antonio survived a five-candidate field in the Republican primary for the Senate district that stretches from San Antonio to Temple.

But state GOP Chairman Fred

HOUSTON - After two failed at-

tempts to fill a vacancy on a state

appeals court, Gov. Ann Richards

has tapped a black federal pro-

Assistant U.S. Attorney Gaynelle

Jones, 43, will be appointed next

week by Richards to the 1st Court

of Appeals vacancy, appointments

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secutor for the position.

Meyer "reluctantly" removed and was elected in 1988, then re-Wentworth from the ballot after he won the nomination because of constitutional questions.

The Texas Constitution bars was appointed to technically does those appointed to state office from running for the Legislature during the terms of their appointments, senator. even if they resigned from that office.

Wentworth was named a regent for the Texas State University System almost six years ago. He decision Friday. resigned to run for the state House

secretary Fred Ellis said Friday.

serve on either of the two Houston-

which has nine judges. Her ap-

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She will be the first black to

said they were bound by previous legal decisions, even though they elected, without a constitutional called the result "harsh and unchallenge being raised. But the six-year regent term he fair" to Wentworth.

not end until 19 days after Went-Wentworth said he would seek a worth, if elected, would become a rehearing or take his case to the Texas Supreme Court. If he loses before the Supreme Court, the Wentworth asked the 4th Court of Appeals in San Antonio to reverse Republican Party would name a replacement to face Democrat the decision to strike him from the ballot. The court refused in a 2-1 Carlos Higgins of Austin and Libertarian Wil Biddy in the general

election.

John Whitmire.

# Mechanic sentenced after selling vehicle

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

HOUSTON - A mechanic angry over an unpaid bill has been sentenced to three years probation for selling an Army reserve solider's car while he was fighting in the Persian Gulf war.

A federal judge Friday also ordered Julius Bomar, 46, to perform 250 hours of community service, return Gordon McNeely's 1985 Chevrolet Camaro and reimburse him \$4,000 for rental car fees.

In April, Bomar was convicted of violating the Soldiers and Sailors Relief Act of 1940. which forbids foreclosure or en-

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McNeely had tried for 18 months to retrieve his car from Bomar, who sold the vehicle because of a \$194 repair bill left unpaid while McNeely fought with his Army reserve unit.

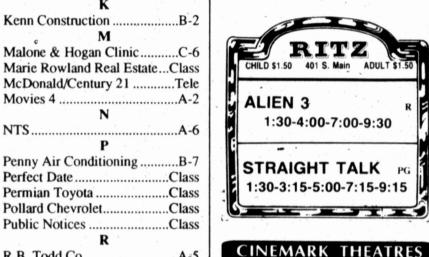
car, because I would have been better off," McNeely said Friday.

Harrison, said U.S. District Judge Melinda Harmon "was fair" in imposing the sentence.

"I should have bought another

Bomar's attorney, Ronnie

Your right to information is guaranteed by the First Amendment of the United States Constitution.





# Metroplex ads anger El Pasoans

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

FORT WORTH - Dozens of billboards in Fort Worth and Dallas are coming down after El Paso residents told the advertiser to find another target.

The cause of trans-state sour feelings? An ad slogan for an electronic device that allows stolen cars to be tracked.

"Car thieves: Fort Worth has Teletrack. Try El Paso," the billboards boast. No one in El Paso thought the Los Angeles-oriented campaign was

funny "I thought it was very offensive," said Barbara Perez, president of the El Paso Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

**Tech** killer convicted

DAILY - 3 p.m. day prior to publication

SUNDAY - 3 p.m. Friday

The two judges in the majority

could do an outstanding job as the

Jones was the third candidate

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first black woman on that court."

Court of Appeals the only appellate panel in the state to have more	Hughes. The governor's first two	Hedges, a Houston lawyer, on the November ballot.	which forbids foreclosure or en-
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Joe Pickett El Paso councilman	Mexican border. May has apologized. "It was simply meant as a marketing promotion," May said. *	Bill Chrane ChiropracticB-7 Blum's JewelersA-5 Bob Smith BailClass Business ReviewB-8	Marie Rowland Real EstateClass McDonald/Century 21Tele Movies 4A-2 N
Angry calls and letters have poured in from officials including City Councilman Joe Pickett. "I do not encourage El Pasoans to bad-mouth fellow Texans, and	"It just as easily could have been Kalamazoo." "They didn't know that the peo- ple here are sensitive about it," Ms. Perez said Friday. "I don't think they did it intentionally."	Caprock Electric	NTSA-6 P Penny Air ConditioningB-7 Perfect DateClass Permian ToyotaClass Pollard ChevroletClass
City Bits MINIMUM CHARGE \$5.10 DEADLINE CB ADS:	us, and to our parents for believ- ing in us and supporting us. We Love you all, Hi Class Ladies "#1".	Comanche Trail NursingClass Circulars in today's Herald Eckerd Drug Kentucky Fried Chicken McCoy's . Pizza Inn	Public NoticesClass <b>R</b> R.B. Todd CoA=5 Ritz TheatreA-2 Rural MetroC-5

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# **Nation/World**

# Jobs program helping

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WICHITA, Kan. - Quintis Pinkston rolled out of bed before dawn Saturday and, with his mother at his side, got in line at a community center to apply for his first job.

The lanky 14-year-old is one of thousands of youngsters from poor families around the country getting a summer job because of a \$500 million federal bonanza designed to keep them off the street and out of trouble

"It was on the news and everybody was talking about com-... We decided we'd better ing. come early," said Quintis, who spent 21/2 hours napping and working on a pencil drawing before the center opened at 8 a.m.

What everybody was talking about was a \$1 billion urban aid package - half of which goes to provide summer jobs

Wichita was allocated \$596,000 to provide 220 jobs. The pay is minimum wage - \$4.25 an hour and the eight-week jobs in city departments include clerical work and mowing grass in parks.

"There are a lot of kids out there who need jobs," said Quintis' mother, Patricia Patterson. "They can be busy and off the streets this

way. And they'll have some money of their own for school clothes or what they want to select.'

Congress appropriated the money in response to the Los Angeles riots. The aid is intended to put 414,000 teen-agers to work nationwide this summer. About \$100 million went directly to the 75 largest cities; the rest was given to the states to distribute and to smaller cities in the form of direct grants

The program targets 14- to 21-year-olds in secondary or vocational schools or college. Applicants must come from families with poverty-level income. The pay varies from city to city.

Many of the youngsters gathered outside the Wichita center gave the same answer when asked what they would do this summer without jobs: "Nothing.

Ninety minutes after city workers began taking applications, about 100 youngsters had made it inside the building. Twice as many waited outside

"This is kind of the turnout I expected," said Erline Wesley, city personnel director. "We didn't have much time to get the word out. Usually for our regular summer jobs program we have at least two applicants for each available

Quintis was lucky. He got a job in the department he preferred public works – and will spend the summer cleaning city vehicles and doing maintenance work on city buildings

He rolled his eyes and looked at the ground when his mother beam-"He's so happy. It's his first ed: job. He's so excited.

The usual process of filling summer jobs in Wichita includes extensive interviews and counseling. But the supplemental program calls for the youths to begin work Monday, leaving no time for lengthy interviews.

Besides news stories and radio advertisements, the word went out in Wichita with portable signs parked at businesses in the mostly black northeast section of town.

Other cities used lists of applicants left over when regular summer jobs programs filled up. In Miami, 300 youngsters were left over. The jobs include landscaping, painting and other projects in the youngsters' own neighborhoods.

"Our goal is to try to get as many kids working as we can and get a meaningful summer for them," said Dan Fernandes, Miami's youth projects director.

## Planning

Democratic Party Chairman Ron Brown talks with Rep. Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., during a party platform committee meeting in Washington

Saturday. The party is preparing for the national convention, to be held in New York in July.

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# CONGRATULATIONS!

Sally McDaniel for purchasing the first <sup>\$20,000</sup> Texas Lottery winning ticket in Howard County.

Sally purchased her winning ticket at: **Neighbors Convenience Store** 3315 East Farm Road 700 **A Wonderful Place To Shop!** 

Stop by Neighbors today & register to win 20 free Lottery tickets to be given away July 4th. (No purchase necessary. Must be 18 yrs old.)



# Diana wants separation

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON Two British tabloids, quoting unidentified sources, said Saturday that Princess Diana is pushing for a formal separation from Prince Charles by the end of the year. Buckingham Palace was silent on the matter

The tabloids The Sun and the Daily Mail said an end to the 11-year royal marriage could spark a constitutional crisis.

A biography of the princess published earlier this month alleg-

ed the marriage was in deep trouble, largely due to 43-year-old Charles's indifference to his glamorous wife, 30

Britain's tabloids have engaged in an increasingly bitter circulation war as they try to outdo one another in covering the alleged rift. The Sun said Buckingham

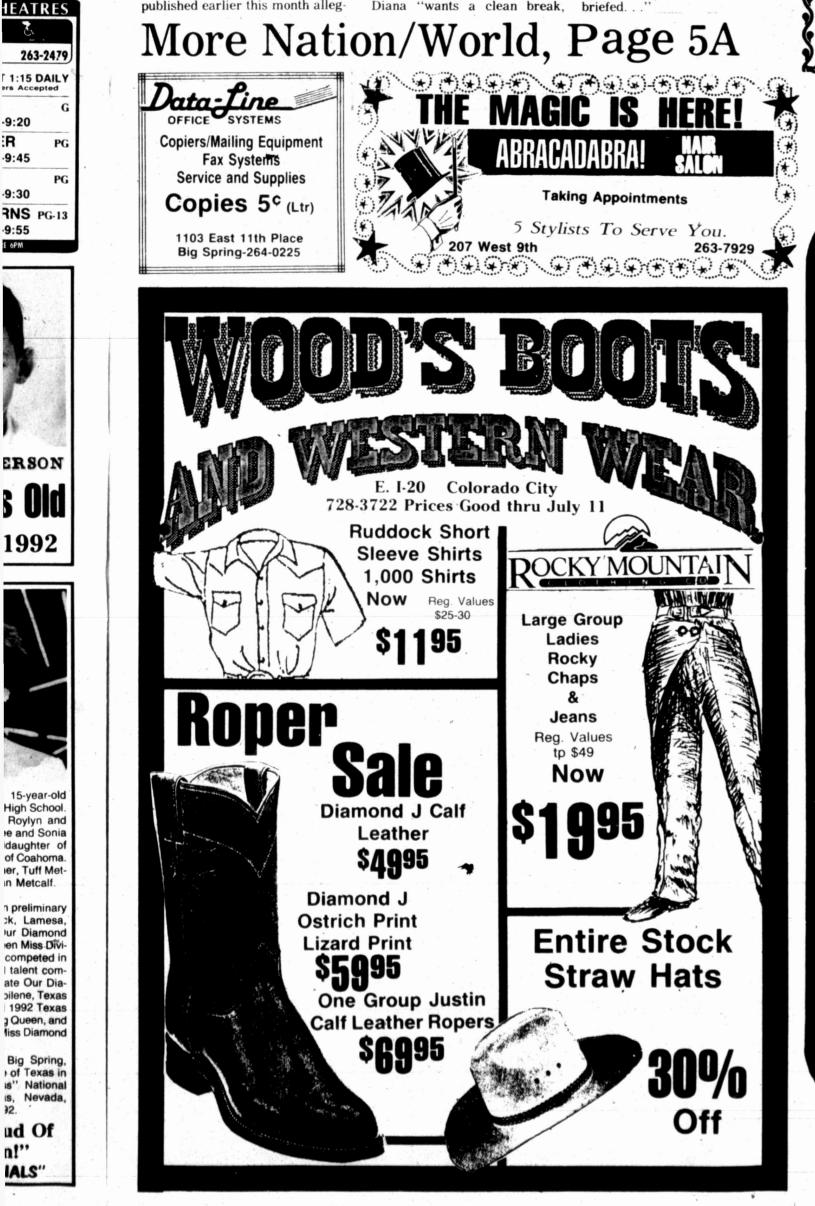
Palace sources told it the couple "have decided their marriage is 'irretrievably damaged," but that Charles and Diana were "deeply split over the way they should divide their lives.

Diana "wants a clean break,

with the couple living in separate homes," but Charles, heir to Queen Elizabeth II, "believes they can carry on as they are.'

An unidentified government minister reportedly told the newspaper: "We are not just heading for a constitutional crisis we are in one now.

The Daily Mail reported that 'ministers and members of parliament in close touch with the royal circle are deeply depressed about the situation. (Prime Minister John) Major- is being kept briefed.



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Vivian Rush, holding plaque, is the June Recipient of "The Best of Big Spring" award. Pictured with Vivian are Duplaps employees and members of the Blue Blazers.

Vivian has been married for 10 years, and has five children. In her spare time, she enjoys playing with her seven grandchildren, sewing and reading. "I like to make people feel good, make them happy. I love doing things for people. I go out of my way to help them." Vivian is a great choice for the "Best of Big Spring"

# CONGRATULATIONS VIVIAN **OF DUNLAPS**

The Best of Big Spring Award is given each month to a deserving front line sales or service employee who is not a manager or owner. This award is sponsored by the small business committee. Each winner is awarded a plaque, a gift from Jane's Flowers and gift certificate from the following:

BEST OF BIG SPRING PARTICIPATING MERCHANTS

- Jane's Flowers Lions Club Bingo Pizza Hut Furr's Supermarket **Big Spring Herald** Gentleman's Corner
- Anthony's Dunlap's Furr's Cafeteria Blum's Jewelers KBYG KBST

If you know of a serving front line employee, please make your nomination by calling or stopping by the Chamber of Commerce.



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# **OPINION**

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

Voltaire

# Herald

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Patrick J. Morgan John H. Walker **D.D.** Turner Publisher News Editor Managing Editor

# Texas cookoff needs support

Big Spring has the opportunity in a few weeks to get its name passed around the country when the first Texas State Championship Barbecue Cookoff unfolds July 18-19 at the former Webb Air Force Base golf course.

It also has the opportunity to lose the whole thing to an area community because of a lack of support.

The cookoff, proclaimed the state's official cookoff by Gov. Ann Richards, is expected to draw 200 cooking teams and thousands of others who will be attending the cookoff and an associated arts and crafts show produced by Mel Prather.

Cooking teams are already entered from Kansas, Missouri and New Mexico - in addition to Texas - and teams are expected from Oklahoma and Lousiana as well as several other states.

The fly in the ointment, so to speak, is a rather overwhelming lack of support in the community for the event

But while things have gone slowly here, the folks with the chambers of commerce and convention and visitor's bureaus in Midland, Odessa, Lubbock, Abilene and Sweetwater are making their respective pitches.

"Don't worry," they're telling organizer Bettie Wilcox, "the folks in Big Spring may not care about you, but we do. We'll treat you right.'

Midland has made multiple overtures in an attempt to take the event away.

And organizer Bettie Wilcox is beginning to listen. While admitting she doesn't want to move the event from Big Spring, she also points out that unless support increases dramatically, one of the area communities will host the event next year. The shame of it all is that the Texas winner — the winner of the Big Spring cookoff – goes to Kansas City for the American Royal International Invitational Cookoff in Kansas City and the Jack Daniels World Championship Invitational in Lynchburg, Tenn. The Jack Daniels event is limited to 35 teams. Period. Maybe cookoffs and arts and crafts just aren't your thing . . . you can still help. You can help make the official Texas cookoff a success and you help help bring a lot of people into our community to stay in motels, eat at restaurants, shop and, in general, spend money. To find out how you can help, call Wilcox at 965-3491.



# High court's decisions senseless

Just when you think you've got things figured out, you're tossed a curve.

Consider the recent action of the Supreme Court of the United States of America

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and Drug Administration have continued to increase pressure on the industry.

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# Coahomans express gratitude

To the editor:

I would like to take this moment to thank all the volunteers and people of Coahoma and following communities for coming to the aid of the destruction of our community following the storm that shook us all. Fortunately some escaped with little damage, unfortunately others didn't; but most of all no one was injured. The town worked furiously to clean, patch, and repair all through the night and next day to the point of leaving the town cleaner than it was before the storm. Special thanks should go to the city of Big Spring for sending equipment and manpower to help clean, as well as Texas Electric, Caprock Electric, and numerous other unselfish companies with equipment and manpower. Another thanks should go to all the people who donated money to the disaster relief fund, one whom I know personally, Don M. Brown of Don Brown Insurance Associates out of Odessa who donated \$1,000 to the fund. The concerns and care greatly showed in our community and I personally overheard one Big Spring City employee tell another 'There's one thing you can say about the people of Coahoma; they are unselfish and they aren't afraid to help their fellowman." Thanks for those words Howard Shriver, as this is what makes me stop and say "Yea, that's Coahoma allright." And also ecial thanks to the American ed Cross for their unselfish ime

> GAYLAN & GWEN HARDING Coahoma

# **Team thanks fans**

The old Big Spring Tigers will

like to say thanks and appreciated very much to all the sponsors and all the fans that support us on our yearly event of our Old Timers Baseball game. Hope next year will be better than this year. We had a lot of fun. Thanks again to all for making

this possible. PAT MARTINEZ SR. ZEKE VALLES

# Letters

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Letters should be sent to: The Editor, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79721. litigation against the cigarette industry.

 And they outlawed prayer at school graduation ceremonies

Maybe the court's actions ddon't strike you as strange maybe it's just me.

Still. I think there are several points worth considering. First, how can the highest

court in one country tell its law enforcement officials that it's OK to cross the border into another country to bring back a fugitive?

I have no problem with putting crooks behind bars, where they belong, but what about national sovereignty?

And even if the high court says it's OK for Joe Customs to go after Danny Doper, who has made it across the border, isn't it still illegal for someone to be

What if Danny Doper is a Canadian and he's found in Toronto? Don't you have law enforcement officers from one country - who have no legal authority in another country removing a citizen of said country against their will?

Isn't that kidnapping? It just seems that the court has overstepped it's boundary.

. . . The court's action allowing cigarette companies to be sued under state laws for misrepresenting the dangers of smoking is, I think, another bad decision.

Just where does the government officially stand on the tobacco issue, anyway? On the one hand, we subsidize

the heck out of the tobacco industry. On the other hand, the Surgeon General and the Food

# Electoral College can work in fall

The similiarity of the two words is striking. Electronic and electoral.

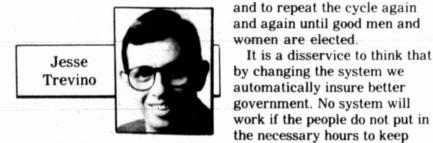
One, of course, refers to the Electoral College and the other to H. Ross Perot's idea of conducting electronic town meetings to conduct the nation's business. However dissimilar in meaning, they are being discussed in a too uncomfortably close context: the Electoral College is being attacked as a possible usurper of the people's will and the electronic town meeting as a way to bring the people closer to their government.

The Electoral College is not the anachronism some people suppose it is.

It was fashioned, admittedly, by an all-white club of men who wanted to elect, time and again, the president of the United States. But today the college is a constitutional blessing that lessens the anarchy that could come of a disputed presidential election in November.

If Perot remains viable and the election is decided by a plurality of popular votes that translates into the election of a president via the Electoral College, then the system will have worked.

The American system of government - including the Electoral College - can and does work. If the system appears not to have been working



recently, it is because we, the people, have allowed it to slip away from us and into disrepair. It takes a lot of energy for a people of a nation the size of ours to keep up with so large a government. The system demands constant public the current system? In fact, we face today do not require energy we put into it so as to make it work.

The people have not been putting enough energy into the chore of government. And that is what scares so many about Perot's idea of electronic town meetings in which we would gather around a television set and press buttons and - presto! - instant decision-making would take place. What makes Perot think that

the people will have invested any more time and energy into thinking their decisions under such a system than they have up to now? Again: the system is not the problem but a public disillusioned by its own failure to take the time to defeat bad candidates, to demand reform

promote smoking as something of romantic thing to do in the 50s and 60s - and even todaywith marketing techniques like the Marlboro Man – the decision to smoke is made by an individual.

That same individual faces the consequences of their decision - whether you or I or the Supreme Court of the United States of America happens to agree with it or not

Where will the decision take us? More than likely to even more crowded court dockets . more millions for trial lawyers . . and possibly \$5 a pack cigarettes.

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Representatives and some peo-

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Who among us would be able to

forced into the House of

The third decision, that banning invocations and benedictions at graduation ceremonies, is perhaps the biggest shocker. By a 5-4 vote the court - the

A minority that claims its civil rights are being violated. But what about the civil rights

of the majority? What about the basis for which this country was founded?

Yes, this country is a melting pot of peoples who came together for a variety of reasons. One of the most prevalent was religious persecution.

Now, our high court is sanctioning that same persecution. Just one more case, I think,

for federal judges not being appointed for life.

John H. Walker is managing editor of the Big Spring Herald. His column appears each Sunday.

to convince the crafters that their amazing creation should be abolished.

In the same vein, the founders knew better than basing the direction of anational government purely on popular will, which can change radically and abruptly.

Perhaps these members of the cultural elite of their time knew what they were doing and were quite able to see the future foibles we would work ourselves into if we did not pay sufficient attention to our government. Many Americans would rather stick with a government that was designed by James Madison rather than government by Nintendo. The crashes that so often occur in the hightech video games are, after all, make-believe. But the crash that could result by way of electronic town halls could take a real toll.

A leading figure in Texas education recently fretted about the political events of this year. If Perot has done anything positive already, he has made this election a giant classrooom for all of America to re-learn a system of remarkable stability among the world's governments.

Jesse Trevino, formerly of Big Spring, writes an Austinbased column and produces a public affairs program for public television in Dallas. His column appears each Sunday.

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National Organization for Women member Marie Micheletti (left) argues with anti-abortion activist Joan Heisler during a demonstration Saturday in

Chicago. The protest occurred outside the site of the N.O.W. national convention.

# Anti-abortion protesters jailed

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

**MILWAUKEE** - Police arrested more than 70 anti-abortion protesters who lay down or kneeled in front of an abortion clinic today.

The demonstrators, many of them children, ran across a street toward the clinic and collapsed at the feet of police officers lining the entrance. Some tried to crawl through the officers' legs.

Seventy-two people, including 15 children, had been arrested by mid-morning, said police Lt. Susan Edman

More than 400 abortion opponents, led by the national group Missionaries to the Preborn, sang hymns, prayed and marched with signs outside the building.

Nearly 400 clinic supporters locked arms outside the Summit Women's Health Organization, the target of a mass protest a week ago, to ensure women have access.

At least four women were escorted into the clinic today.

"As long as they are here we will find the energy to keep these doors open," said Anne Reed, a spokeswoman for the Milwaukee Clinic Protection Coalition.

Clinic supporters also lined the entrances of other clinics open today Missionaries to the Preborn is in

its second week of a planned sixweek protest against Milwaukee's six abortion clinics. The demonstrators are under a judge's order not block entrances or harass patients

Police have arrested more than 400 people, mostly on disorderly conduct charges. Some have been charged with contributing to the delinguency of a minor concerning the activities of children at demonstrations.

Last weekend, more than 2,000 abortion rights and anti-abortion

Two Israelis stabbed

in occupied West Bank

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### mission in Portugal after Euro-Bosnians will try to provoke Serb pean Community leaders urged the artillery barrages to force foreign United Nations to send in troops if military intervention. necessary to open the Serbian On Friday, U.N. Secretaryblockade of Sarajevo's airport for General Boutros Boutros-Ghali relief flights.

We have a moral obligation to help," Mitterrand told a news conference in Lisbon shortly before his departure. "Serbia is today the aggressor and we cannot wait."

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SARAJEVO, Bosnia.

Herzegovina - French President

Francois Mitterrand arrived

Saturday in Croatia in an attempt

to reach war-ravaged Sarajevo,

where Serb gunners opened fire on-

ly hours after U.N. warnings of

Mitterrand began the surprise

possible military intervention.

Mitterand's plane landed in Split, about 100 miles southwest of Sarajevo, said Bosnian officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity. In Sarajevo, U.N. spokesman Adnan Abdel Razak said U.N. officials would evaluate the possibility of Mitterrand trying to reach Sarajevo on Sunday, perhaps by

French officials gave no indication of Mitterrand's intentions.

Serb forces shelled downtown Sarajevo and the Dobrinja suburb, where the airport is located. Occasional bursts of small-arms fire rattled throughout the day, and fierce fighting also was reported in northern and central Bosnia.

Bosnia's Public Health Institute said at least 7,440 people - 70 percent of them citizens - have been killed since the republic's majority Muslims and Croats voted for independence from Yugoslavia on Feb. 29. Bosnian Serbs, with the aid of the Serb-led Yugoslav army, want to maintain union with Serbia, the dominant republic in the new, smaller Yugoslàvia.

Sarajevo's war-weary residents, encouraged by the U.N. warning, clung to the hope it could end their daily scrounging for food.

"For three months the morale has been collapsing and now today's news gives us courage. We

are realizing that the world cares." said Miki Trifunov, an actor standing in front of Sarajevo's shrapnel-scarred theater.

Serbs ignore UN warnings

Big Spring Herald, Sunday, June 28, 1992

About 90 minutes of shelling began before dawn, but much of it apparently was retaliatory fire aimed at Serb positions in hills surrounding Sarajevo, site of the 1984 Winter Olympics.

Some U.N. officers here worry

gave Serb forces 48 hours to halt their offensive or face unspecified consequences.

U.N. diplomats said the Security Council might authorize military action to bring food, medicine and other supplies to the embattled Bosnian capital, or escalate its punishment of Serbia.

The council has scheduled closed consultations on the Bosnian crisis for Monday.

About 300,000 Muslims, Croats and Serb citizens have been trapped in Sarajevo since fighting there began three months ago. Food, water and medical supplies are running low.

Only six of 125 stalls were open at an outdoor market in Sarajevo's shell-pocked historic old town.

Dozens of shoppers lined up to pay 1,000 dinars for five small carrots and about 900 dinars for a pound of lettuce. Before the war lettuce was about 10 times cheaper and carrots sold for about 23 dinars a pound.

The only other offerings were aid.

tea, a few candy bars and four packages of strawberry pudding mix

'Today is a bad day. Yesterday I could find bread, onions and some cans of fish," Dobrila Zlatar said.

The Serb offensive in Bosnia has provoked international sanctions on Yugoslavia, including a harsh U.N. economic embargo declared May 30. The economic toll has led to increasing calls at home for the resignation of Slobodan Milosevic, the president of Serbia and Yugoslavia.

This week, Serb commanders in Bosnia, apparently under pressure from Milosevic, ordered their troops to stop firing on Sarajevo and promised to put heavy weapons under U.N. supervision. But shelling has continued every

Hajrudin Somun, a Bosnian foreign policy adviser, welcomed new EC pressure on the Serbs and Boutros-Ghali's ultimatum.

"From the U.N. it is a clear recognition of who is responsible for the bloodshed," he said.

In northern and central Bosnia, Serb forces also bombarded the cities of Tuzla, Gracanica, Doboj, Zenica, Bihac, Gorazde and Derventa, Bosnian officials said.

In Washington, White House spokesman Paul Clarke said Saturday that the United States is "willing to consider all options" if the fighting doesn't stop over the weekend. He refused to elaborate. U.S. officials have said they would only send in troops to assist in the delivery of humanitarian

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activists demonstrated at three of the city's clinics. On Friday, about 200 abortion rights supporters formed a human

wall to protect a medical clinic that houses the office of a doctor who performs abortions. The clinic has been a frequent target of recent protests

Judge Jeffrey Wagner, who issued the injunction June 15 against interfering with the clinics, handed out the severest penalty to date Thursday against Dale R. Pultz, 30.

Pultz was arrested June 16 for trespassing at a clinic parking lot and was seen again at another parking lot last Tuesday, patrolman Antonio Martinez testified. Pultz refused to promise to obey Wagner's injunction and instead accepted a 25-day jail sentence.

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In the occupied Gaza Strip, the

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suspected of killing an Israeli in

January. Human rights groups

Also Saturday, Arab reports said

a suspected collaborator was slain

by fellow Arabs in the West Bank

Yitzhak Rabin, whose Labor par-

Shamir's Likud bloc in Tuesday's election, will have to deal with continued violence in the occupied ter-

ritories after he puts together a

In the Jewish settlement of Roi, an Arab assailant seriously wounded an Israeli man, the army said. Outside the Jewish settlement of

Beit Hadassah, a Palestinian

woman stabbed and slightly in-

jured a settler, an army statement

The settler pulled out a pistol and shot the woman, who escaped in a

car with blue Arab plates, the ar-

my said. Israel radio said the

Col. Yossi, commander of the

Hebron area, told Israel army

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ty upset Prime Minister Yitzhak

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The sealed four-room house was home to 12 people, Arab reporters.

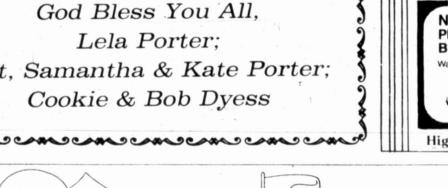
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soldiers must respond immediately by firing at those who are endangering their lives," said Col. Yossi, whose last name is not given by regulation. "This is the correct response. Also Saturday, Arab villagers reported that a group of armed Palestinian activists on Friday

shot and killed a 60-year-old man from the Ilar village in the West Bank, suspected by activists of collaborating with Israel.

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# Chili cookoff successful

### BY GARY SHANKS **Staff Writer**

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The inaugural Highland Mall Chili Appreciation Society International (C.A.S.I.) Sanctioned Barbeque Cookoff was a success, coordinator Betty Gossett said Saturday

Brisket, bean, rib, fajitas and chili cookers, 19 in all, competed for trophies at the event. Entertainment, during the day, was provided by the Spring City Gunfighters, singer Ryan Toomire of Odessa and Mrs. Rodeo New Mexico 1991 was the model for a fashion show inside The Highland Mall, Gossett said.

While the meat cooked, the gun-

fighters would accasionally "round up'' a couple for a shotgun wedding before senior barbeque judge, Judge Roy Frijole (Bill Gossett of Big Spring), The Law West of Stink Creek

"You may now kyss the bride." Frijole announced to the captured groom at one such ceremony. You may now kiss the judge," the bride was told.

Near the end of the day, a helicopter passed over the crowd dropping 1,000 ping-pong balls, which contained prizes for items in the mall, Betty Gossett said.

Proceeds from the event go to the Texas Association for Stolen Children (TASC) and pictures of abducted children from Texas were posted at the east side of the mall where the event took place.

The barbeque cooked for the contest was available to spectators. The team of brothers, Troy and Flint Wrye cooked an entire pig just for the event. "That's 24 hours of solid cooking," said Troy Wrye who camped out at the grounds to tend to his barbeque.

The sanctioned cookoff allowed chili cookers to build up the 12 needed points to cook at the Terrlingua Chili Cookoff, Gossett said. First place in chili receives four points, second place gets three points and third place gets two points and everyone that enters gets a pint, she såid.



Wayne "Waco" Walters and Cary "Nevada" Meredith hold a gun on Larry "Ringo" Walters as he and Becky Lancaster get "hitched" by Bill "Judge Roy Frijole - Law West of Stink Creek"

Gossett at the inaugural Highland Mall Barbecue Cookoff. The team was entered in the showmanship category of the cookoff.

# Reggie seeking solitude after acquittal

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

LAFAYETTE, La. - He learned his politics from Earl Long, got his business acumen from his Lebanese blood and wound up a multi millionaire who helped map political strategy for three Louisiana governors and the Kennedy family

Along the way, Edmund Reggie also became an attorney, a city judge and an activist in the Roman Catholic Church that heaped him with honors.

Today, Reggie just wants peace. But it's not in the cards.

Acquitted last week of federal fraud and bribery charges, Reggie faces a second trial Aug. 31 on related charges. Three other trials follow

All involve his dealings with two failed institutions in which he held interests: Acadia Savings and Loan, and Louisiana Bank and Trust of Crowley

Prosecutors said Reggie headed schemes to defraud Acadia and tried to force two investors to buy stock in the failing bank, in order to quittal. "I have never attributed a get loans from the thrift. Both in- motive. I know of none. I've never stitutions were closed in 1987.

Cage, and lying government in Crowley witnesses. The month-long trial

'I don't know the man. I have never attributed a motive. I know of none. I've never said he's on a vendetta. But, after what happened in this trial, I wish he would let Doris and I live out our lives in peace, to watch the sun sets in Crowley.'

Edmund Reggie

evidence.

Cage, well respected in his own right, says he's just doing a job that was handed to him by bank examiners years ago.

"I don't know the man," Reggie said in an interview after his acsaid he's on a vendetta. But, after Defense attorneys said Reggie what happened in this trial, I wish was the victim of an overzealous he would let Doris and I live out our prosecutor, U.S. Attorney Joe lives in peace, to watch the sun sets

Reggie, the son of a grocery and came after years of investigations dry goods store owner, married and charges that Cage was Doris Boustany in 1951. Also of motivated by politics, rather than Lebanese extraction, her father

was the wealthy owner of a large bakery business.

Lebanese Americans are mer chants whether they are attorneys, doctors or whatever, said Reggie. "It's in the blood."

Reggie, a Tulane Law School graduate was elected Crowley city judge in 1952. He began his business career on 1955, purchasing a radio station.

That same year, he was chosen by Earl Long to be a member of Long's stump speaking team for the upcoming governor's race.

Reggie cris-crossed the state, learning that politicians were Louisiana's heroes.

"Louisiana lost all its heroes in the Civil War. We had no Babe Ruths. But we had Huey Long,' Reggie said. "That's when Louisiana turned to politicians for their heroes

"I discovered you could make the same speech in poor, rural north Louisiana that you made to the erudite of New Orleans. There was that same desire — an interest in politicians.

Reggie caught the fever and attended the National Democratic Convention in 1956, making a lifelong friend along the way.

"Camile Gravel and I were captivated by John Kennedy, who was running for vice president," Reggie reminisced. "We invited him to speak to our delegation when Earl was at the race track. The governor was committed to someone

else. Kennedy won over the delegation. Uncle Earl was furious." In 1960, Reggie handled the suc-

cessful Louisiana presidential campaign for Kennedy, later handling a similar campaign for Robert Kennedy. The family friendship continued.

Now, Reggie's daughter, Victoria, is engaged to Sen. Ted Kennedy. Reggie went on to help steer the gubernatorial campaigns of John

McKeithen and Edwin Edwards. He also became a civic leader

and stalwart in his church. He was named to the Board of Trustees of the Catholic University of America in Washington, recommended by now retired Archbishop Philip Hannan of New Orleans.

In 1985, the Pope made Reggie a Knight of the Holy Sepulchre for distinguished service. By then, federal investigators

were honing in on his business dealings The allegations clashed with the

reputation of the man. For Edmund Reggie, "It's been

devastation For Joe Cage, it's just something that happened on his watch. "It's my job. I happen to believe the evidence shows he's guilty. In the

first trial, the jury disagreed with the evidence. That's the system. That's the way it's supposed to work

"The system does work even had I lost," agreed Reggie. "It's a great system.

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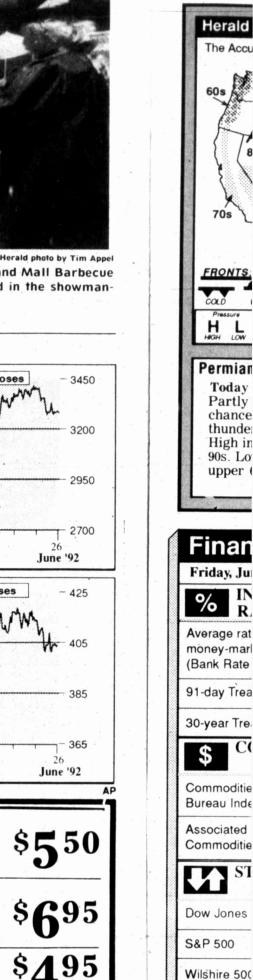




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Fireworks safety encouraged

### By GARY SHANKS Staff Writer

Children are injured and fires caused every year because of the use of fireworks.

The Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP) would like to see every Texan take responsibility for fireworks safety, said Lydia Fluitt, spokesperson for the Fire Commission.

"Every Texan should be responsible for preventing fires and injuries caused by fireworks by using them as safely as possible or by choosing another way to celebrate," Fluitt quoted from Mike Hines, executive director of the Fire Commission

Although the recent wet weather should help, without more rainfall, city and county firefighting units could be busy with firework related grass and structure fires, Fluitt said.

Last year did not yield as many firework-related fires, said Big Spring Fire Marshall Bur Lea Settles. But in past years, the problem has been significant, even in the face of city ordinances against the use of any type of fireworks inside the city limits, Settles said. "Our guys were just being run ragged." Texas, at least, is spared many

of the 1,600 firework-related eye in-

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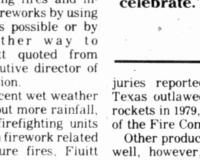
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preventing fires and injuries caused by fireworks by using them as safely as possible or by choosing another way to celebrate.'

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Lydia Fluitt TCFP

juries reported annually becase Texas outlawed the sale of bottle rockets in 1979, said G. Mike Davis of the Fire Commission.

Other products are dangerous as well, however, Settles said. The 'satellite,'' is a small metal disc that spins, sprays sparks and flys into the air when ignited. These have caused house fires after landing on wooden shingles, he said. Most of the fireworks injuries received in Texas are from ordinary firecrackers, just because of the volume of these items sold, Davis said

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juries caused by fireworks, Fluitt said. The Fire Commission offers recomendations for using fireworks safely:

• Purchase fireworks only from a vendor that displays a State Fire Marshal's Office retail permit.

• Never let children use fireworks. Always designate a sober, responsible adult to ignite the fireworks.

away from houses and flammable materials such as grass, trees, gasoline cans or wooden decks. Be sure aerial fireworks will not contact land, power lines or automobiles

 Keep a bucket of water nearby when igniting fireworks. Use the water douse any "duds.

• Keep everyone, especially children, a safe distance away. Read and follow directions

carefully.

 Never touch a firework after it has been lit. Douse any malfunctioning fireworks.

• Never experiment with fireworks. Do not take them apart or maix anything with the contents. Never make fireworks at home. Do not set off fireworks in metal, glass or other types of containers.

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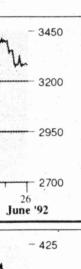
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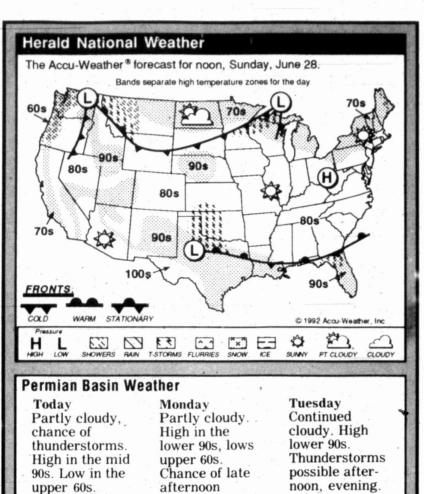
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Friday, June 26, 1992

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# Astronauts work to get ready for longest flight

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CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. -Two astronauts slipped into a vacuum container Saturday for an hour of depressurization intended to ease their transition from space to Earth at the end of NASA's longest shuttle flight.

On the lighter side, Columbia's five-man, two-woman crew tested a shuttle amateur radio experiment featuring "Tonight Show" host Jay Leno.

Ham radio operators in four states beamed up a 21/2-minute monologue videotaped by Leno earlier in the week before a "Tonight Show" audience. Shuttle commander Richard N. Richards had requested a personalized monologue for the experiment, and Leno was happy to oblige.

"Let me ask you guys a question: are you still drinking Tang?" Leno asked. "I was thinking about this the other day. You train for years. It's hard work. It's low pay. Give them fresh-squeezed. How much more can it cost?

The radio operators had to send the monologue up twice; the crew got the audio the first time but not the visuals as Columbia flew overhead. Videotapes have been transmitted via ham radio on only one other shuttle flight, in 1991.

For the vacuum container -experiment, Lawrence DeLucas was the first Columbia crew member to wiggle into the white, waist-high sack, which floated horizontally above a platform to which it was strapped. The vessel was secured tightly around his waist, and he read a flight manual now and then to pass the time.

Pressure inside the container gradually was reduced, forcing blood from the top of his body, where it accumulates in weightlessness, into his legs. The stress on his heart was about the same as it would be if he were standing on Earth

Dunbar operated the blood my inside a small chamber as part pressure and heart-monitoring in- of a fluid physics experiment. He

Columbia's Spacelab mission is 13 days; the shuttle and its sevenmember crew aren't due back until July 8. The current shuttle endurance record is just under 11 days, set by Columbia in 1990.

NASA hopes to have people working full time aboard a space station by the year 2000. Stints there will last months.

"The major thing we're worried about includes entry, landing and egress," especially in the event of an emergency, said Dr. Sam Pool, chief of the medical sciences division at Johnson Space Center in Houston. "People do well on orbit."

Doctors said they don't have enough data yet to know how much good the vacuum container actually does in preparing astronauts for the body-abusing trip back to Earth.

The experiment has been performed on only three other shuttle flights, including the 11-day mission by Columbia; Dunbar was a test subject then, too.

DeLucas and Dunbar will be the only ones to test the vacuum container during this flight. Several sessions are planned for each.

The other astronauts are trying other methods to prime their bodies for landing, including bicycle peddling, extra fluid consumption and use of a new fluidretention medication

Commander Richard N. Richards said he's never had any trouble before, although his longest space trip until now was just five davs.

"Unless there's a real unexpected cliff out there from a physiological standpoint, I don't have any expectations that we're going to discover something that is a surprise," Richards said in a preflight interview

In other orbital work, physicist Eugene Trinh used sound waves to Payload commander Bonnie make liquid drops swirl and shimBig Spring Herald, Sunday, June 28, 1992



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Lisanne Turgeon, Fannie Dore and Mathieu Dore listen as Richard Dore talks about the rodeo action as the family from Quebec attended the Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo Friday evening. The family, which was stopped while driving through on the interstate, was treated to rodeo and dance tickets, a motel room, meals and several other items. The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce sponsored "A Night on Big Spring," with the items donated by area businesses.

# **Police** beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

 Anita Lemon Garcia, 25, of Howard County was arrested for theft over \$20.

 Joanne A. Cerda, 38, 1518 Wood was arrested for failure to appear on charges of driving without a license.

• Kellye Sue Myers, 19, of 1002 North Main St. was arrested for burglary of a building.

 Michael Rex Anderson, 32, of 2000 South Monticello was arrested for criminal trespassing

 Brian D. Jolly, 24, of 1606 East 16th St. was arrested for failure to appear on charges of speeding and driving without a license

 Clothes worth \$43 were reported stolen from Wal-Mart.

• Forged checks worth \$260 were reported at Winn-Dixie at 2602 South Gregg St. Beer worth \$14 was reportedly stolen

from a convenience store at 902 Willia. • Freddie Rodriguez, 23, of Stanton and

and public intoxication

 David Lee Spears, 41, address unknown, was arrested for public intoxication.

Anthony Lee Wright, 32, of 712 Willia was arrested for theft over \$20.

 An evaporative cooler worth \$95 was reportedly stolen from a home in the 800 block of East 14th Street.

• A 52-year-old Big Spring man was reportedly assaulted with an ice pick in the 700 block of Cherry Street. The man was treated and released from Scenic Mountain Medical Center

 A car was reportedly damaged with epoxy paint causing \$1,500 worth of damage

A vehicle worth \$700 was reportly stolen in the 500 block of West Fifth Street. Charles Randall Greer, 28, of 2724 Dartmouth was arrested for parole violation.



The Howard County Sheriff's Office

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Most of the meetings of this

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The Chamber and the Conven-

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"I would say, we're looking at 10-times more people than we had last year," Roger said about the success of Saturday's gathering. The annual event coincided with the traditional Rodeo Parade,

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which passed through the city just before the first poets took the stage at 10 a.m. As an example of the art form, cowboy poet Jack Douglas of Littlefield offered the following poem

## If You've Never Been There

Now if you're never been there, you just can't understand - the life of the cowboy and what all it demands.

Where the bonds of brotherhood are woven in the blood and sweat and sand – that weves the same relationship between a horse and a man

The two become the elements of an indestructive band - of men raised with one purpose in a sometimes hostile land.

A land unfit for plows and tractors, where the cowboy makes his stand – and performs his job with skill, as only cowboys can.

struments connected to DeLucas. later: Dunbar was the test subject, like drops burst into brilliant and DeLucas the tester.

Scientists believe negative pressure on the legs may improve astronauts' readjustment to gravity following space flight. NASA estimates about 5 percent of all astronauts become faint upon landing as the blood rushes from their heads and chests into their legs.

NASA officials said a dizzy shuttle pilot has never jeopardized safety. But some researchers fear the chances of that happening may increase as space flights get

Herald photos by Tim Appe

Judy Wood plays the guitar as she and daughters Alisha and Licia sing an original folk song during the second annual Cowboy Poetry and Music Gathering on the steps of the Howard County Courthouse Saturday morning.



A crowd of several hundred people listen as cowboy storyteller Kurt Brumett spins a tale of married life during the second annual Cowboy

Poetry and Music Gathering at the Howard County Courthouse Saturday morning. By afternoon, the audience had swelled to over 300 people.

had to mop up the inside of the They switched roles a few hours chamber after one of the bubbledroplets.

> Researchers had been perplexed by the drops' persistent spinning, but said Saturday the astronauts seemed to be gaining control of the acoustics.

Deaths

## Dudley Anderson "Hal" Sandars

Dudley Anderson, 88, Midland, died Friday, June 26, 1992, in a Midland hospital.

Services will be 3 p.m., Monday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Tom Craiker of Bellview Church of Christ in Stanton officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton, under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 4, 1903, in Stanton, where he attended school. He married Maggie Mae Gibson on Nov. 26, 1925, in Stanton. He farmed until 1934, then started his own trucking business. In 1956-he moved to Irving and worked for Merchants Fast Motor Lines. He returned to Stanton in 1961, and was employed by Stanton Co-Op Gin from 1961 until his retirement in 1976. He moved to Midland in 1986

Survivors incude one daughter, Eulene Holder, Midland; one sister, Viola Parker, Stanton; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Maggie Mae Anderson, in 1989, and a daughter, Mary Frances Anderson Boyce, in 1991. Pallbearers will be David Holder, Ricky Roderick, Oliver Boyce, Pete Morrison, Damon Boyce and Sid Saunders.

Honorary pallbearers will be employed in carpet sales. He was a Douglas Church, Dan Saunders, member of the Lubbock's Highland Roy Keel and Lee Graves. Baptist and a former member of Family suggests memorials be First Baptist Church in Taft. He made to the Martin County was also a former longtime

# Eliseo Alvarez

Historical Museum.

Eliseo L. Alvarez, 80, Stanton, died Friday, June 26, 1992, in Midland Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Services were 10 a.m., Saturday, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Stanton. Burial was in St. Joseph Cemetery, Stanton, under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home

He was born Nov. 6, 1911, in Austin. He moved to Stanton in the 1940's from Austin. He was a retired farm worker.

Survivors include one nephew. Jose M. Villa, Stanton; one niece, Mary Ann Marquez, Big Spring; and one cousin, Mary L. Villa, Earth.

Isidro Rodriguez, 21, of 2504 West 16th S were arrested for making alcohol available to minors.

 Servando Rodriguez, 37, of Howard County was arrested for public intoxication.

· Holston Banks Jr., 26, of 1206 Northwest Seventh St. was arrested for parole violation.

 Timothy Mark Duffey, 18, of 4118 ticello was arrested after being indicted by Bilger was arrested for criminal trespass a grand jury for the burglary of a building.

HAROLD SANDARS long illness.

Services were 2 p.m., today at

Living Water Church with the Rev.

Leo Free, pastor, officiating,

assisted by the Rev. Lanny Ham-

by. Graveside services will be 10

a.m. Tuesday, at Taft Cemetery in

Taft, with the Rev. Dale Pogue,

pastor of the First Baptist Church

in Taft officiating. Franklin-

Bartley Funeral Home in Lubbock

He was born in Fradley,

England. He married Lola Mae

Pullin on Oct. 12, 1927, in Taft. He

served in the English Army during

World War I, and was wounded in

France during this conflict.

Following World War I, he moved

to this country and resided in Taft

from 1919 until moving to Lubbock

in 1984. He had resided in Big Spr-

ing since 1990. He had owned and

operated a grocery store/meat

market and a frozen food

refrigerator business and was also

member of the Masonic Lodge and

a lifetime member of the Taft

Survivors include his wife, Lola

Mae Sandars, Big Spring; one

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Family requests that memorials be made to the memorial fund of the First Baptist Church in Taft or Friday, June the American Cancer Society.

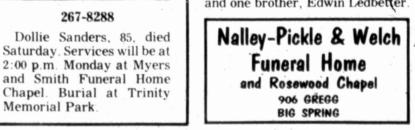
### 26, 1992, in Lubbock's **Dollie Sanders** Methodist

Sanders, 85, Big Spring, died Saturday, June 27, 1992, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center after a

DOLLIE SANDERS short illness. Services will be 2 p.m., Monday, at Myers & Smith Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Robert Lacey, pastor of Hillcrest Baptist Church of ficiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home. She was born May 13, 1907 in Palacios. She married Early Sanders on Jan. 30, 1927, in Big Spring. He preceeded her in death on March 28, 1988. She had been a resident of Big Spring since 1926. She was a member of the Hillcrest Baptist Church and a past member of the Rebeka Lodge. She was a homemaker and had operated a childcare service for over 40 years. Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law: Bobbie and Jack

Hanson, Big Spring; one son and daughter-in-law: Larry and Paula Sanders, Odessa; one daughter-inlaw, Madeline Sanders, Big Spring; seven sisters: Dora Harvey, Sheppard, Margie Carrico, Trinity, Anges Warren, Zelma Moninger, Ruth Hornaday, Ruby Greenroad, and Lee Hamaker, all of Houston; three brothers: Bruce Ledbetter, Brenham, and Clarence Ledbetter Pearland; five grandchildren and ? and Bob Ledbetter, both of Houston; six grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by one son, Jerry Sanders, one daughter, Carolyn Wynell Sanders. and one brother, Edwin Ledbetter.



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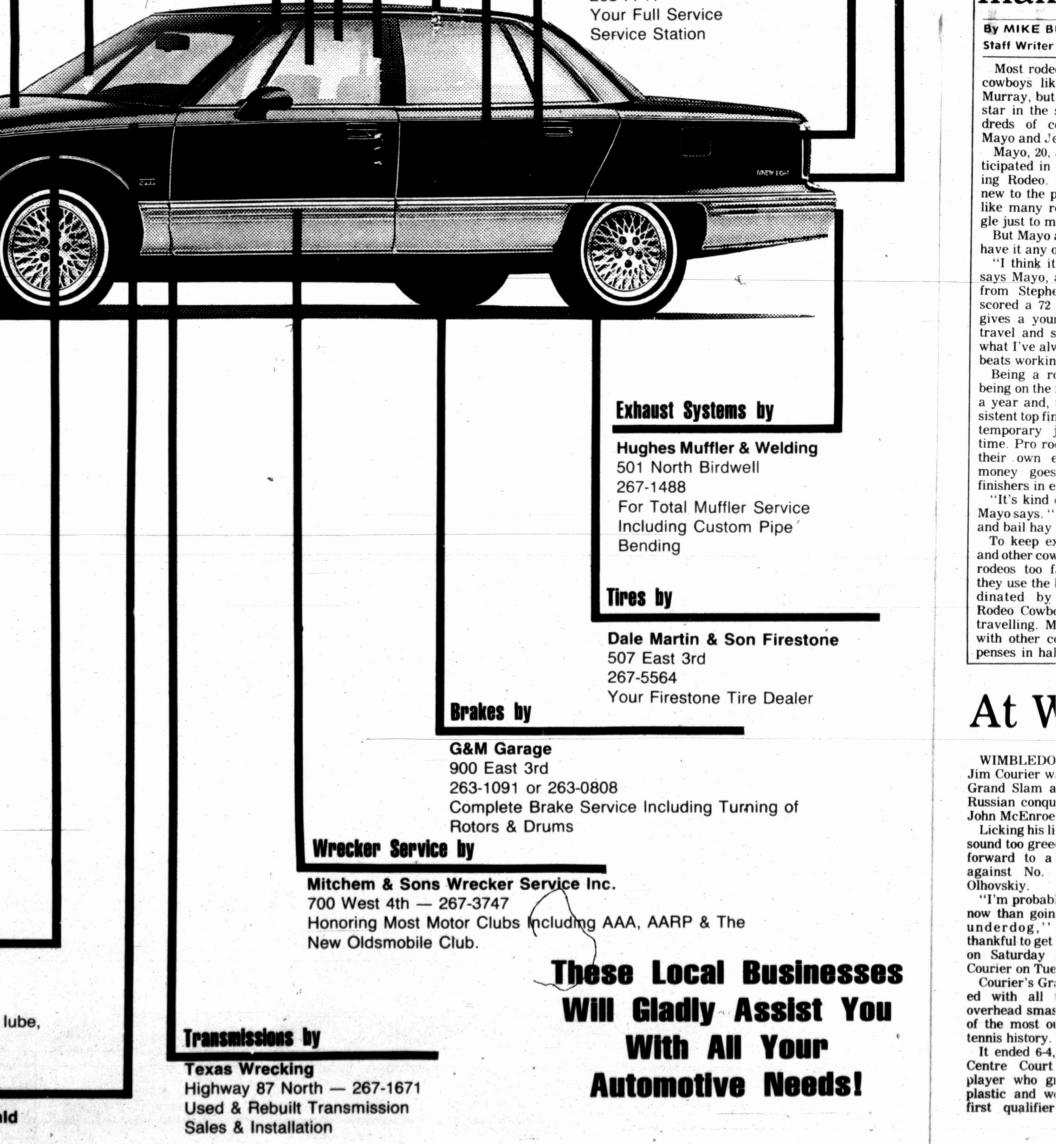
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Sports briefs from around the area/3

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Sunday, June 28, 1992

# Dave makes the Olympic cut, Dan doesn't

Big Spring Herald

Sports

NEW ORLEANS (AP) - What was "to be settled at Barcelona' was settled at New Orleans.

It's Dave, not Dan.

The battle for the title as "The World's Greatest Athlete," between Dave Johnson and Dan O'Brien, expected to be decided in the demanding decathlon next month at Barcelona, became academic Saturday.

O'Brien's chance for a spot on the U.S. Olympic team and a world record in the decathlon ended when he failed to clear a height in the pole vault.

O'Brien, 25, the American record-holder and the 1991 world champion, was rolling along on pace to break the world record of 8,847 points, set by Daley Thompson of Britain at the 1984 Olympics, before encountering unexepected difficulties in the vault at the U.S. Olympic trials.

That opened the way for the more experienced Johnson, 29, who was trailing badly in second place, to go on and win the decathlon with a meet-record 8,649 points, and lead the three-man U.S. decathlon team onto Barcelona

The heartbroken O'Brien finished 11th with 7,856 points, his worst performance since 1983.

O'Brien's shocking failure put a serious crimp in Reebok's \$20-\$25 million "Dan and Dave" television ad campaign featuring the two premier decathletes.

When it was determined that O'Brien had no chance to make the team after his disaster in the vault, NBC, which was televising the trials, pulled the TV commercials, said John Gillis, director of



Dave Johnson (left), Aric Long (center) and Rob Muzzio celebrate after the finish of the 1,500 meter decathlon competition Saturday at Tad Gormley



Associated Press photo

C-City rider takes barrel race lead

marketing and communications for Reebok

"The campaign is definitely not dead," Gillis said. "The campaign continues. It just needs a slight adjustment.

'We're devastated, devastated for Dan in particular. We always knew there was a risk in this."

"Dan is an extraordinarily gifted young athlete who no doubt will rebound from this experience," said Ford Ennals, president of Reebok. "Our commitment to him will continue and we look forward to his continued success and his participation in next year's World Championships.

"Our current marketing plans are to focus on Dave Johnson and his quest for Olympic gold in Barcelona and the continued support of Dan O'Brien and the decathlon.

Ennals also said O'Brien had an incentive clause in his contract that would have given him more money for winning a medal at Barcelona.

After passing the first four heights in the vault, O'Brien entered the competition at 15 feet, 9 inches, a height he had easily surpassed in his previous three meets. He set his personal best of 17-034 in last year at Tokyo with 8,812 points, the American record.

The vault, admittedly O'Brien's 10 events

After seven events, O'Brien had compiled 6,467 points, 71 ahead of sparkling performances in the first his American record pace in the two events, running 14.23 in the World Championships at Tokyo 110-meter hurdles, the fastest in and 59 ahead of Thompson's world • Please see TRIALS, Page 2-B

record pace. He also was 512 points ahead of Johnson, the runner-up with 5,955.

Section B

On his third attempt at 15-9, O'Brien went under the bar, then after getting out of the pit, he sat down and covered his face in his hands

It was the first time O'Brien ever had no-heighted. At the completion of the vault, O'Brien had plummeted from first to 12th place.

"I'm not blaming his coaches, but he should have started at an earlier height," Jim O'Brien, Dan's father, said.

"He felt confident he could break the world record. He'd been doing so good in the pole vault. He thought he could clear 17 feet. That's 900 points. When he missed the first time, the pressure increased for the second. The third time, he saw stars.

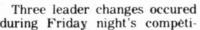
"Things came awfully easy with his natural ability. In fact, they came too easy.

O'Brien had the best first-day score in decathlon history Friday, compiling 4,698 points, 504 more than Johnson, who was in fifth place

O'Brien started brilliantly, producing the top marks in each of the first three events, with a trialswinning the world championship record 10.50 seconds in the 100-meter dash, 25-11 in the long jump and a career-best 54-51/2 in the shot put. He also high-jumped worst discipline, was the eighth of 6-101/4 and ran the 400 meters in 47.92

Saturday, he continued his

# Young PRCA cowboys making a go at rodeo



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Most rodeo fans have heard of cowboys like Don Gay and Ty Murray, but for every big-money star in the sport there are hundreds of contestants like Les Mayo and Jed Drewer.

Mayo, 20, and Drewer, 22, participated in this week's Big Spring Rodeo. They are relatively new to the pro rodeo circuit and like many rodeo cowboys struggle just to make ends meet.

But Mayo and Drewer wouldn't have it any other way.

"I think it's a hell of a deal," says Mayo, a saddle bronc rider from Stephenville, Texas, who scored a 72 Thursday night. "It gives a young guy a chance to travel and see the country. It's what I've always wanted to do. It beats working.

Being a rodeo cowboy means being on the road up to 11 months a year and, unless you're a consistent top finisher, having to take temporary jobs from time to time. Pro rodeo cowboys pay all their own expenses and prize money goes only to the top finishers in each event.

"It's kind of tough to get by," Mayo says. "I have to break down and bail hay somtimes.

To keep expenses down Mayo and other cowboys try not to enter rodeos too far from home and they use the buddy system, coordinated by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association, for travelling. Mayo says travelling with other cowboys can cut expenses in half. He enters rodeos • Please see RODEO, Page 2-A

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according to who he can buddy up with, and he almost always goes to the competitions by car.

Day money also helps cowboys "get down the road" to the next competition, says Drewer, a bull rider and former Howard College rodeo cowboy. Drewer rode for a score of 65 Thursday. Day money is the small amount of money paid to livestock riders who qualify in their events but don't finish in the prize money. To qualify in a timed event a cowboy must stay on his mount for the eight seconds required to score.

The absence of salaries makes pro rodeo different from other pro sports.

"Our salary is what we can win, and if we're not healthy or drawing good (rides) that's tough luck," Drewer says.

Most rodeo cowboys don't start making more than just enough to cover expenses until they are 24 or 25, Mayo says. Their prime is between the ages of 25 and 30 and the average cowboy's career is ten years.

Rodeo cowboys are legendary

tion at the 59th Annual Big Spring Cowboys Reunion and Rodeo at the Big Spring Rodeo Bowl.

New leaders emerged in the bareback bronc, team roping and barrel racing events. Leading the way was Colorado City's Mandy Terry who overtook world ranked Donna Kennedy in the barrel race. Terry was timed in 16.91 seconds, the first rider to go under the 17 second mark at the rodeo. Kennedy, ranked No. 8 in the world, recorded a 17.44 Thursday night.

Todd Little of Hackberry, La. took over leadership in the bareback bronc competition. Little recorded an 87, knocking Shawn Frey of Norman, Okla. out of the lead

In team roping, the Midland duo of Roy Pettit and Shot Branham recorded a 7.6 on their second run to take over the lead, with a 16.6 for two heads. The duo recoded a 9.0 in Tuesday's slack competition.

In other Friday action, Keet Sloan of New Braunfels had the best time in calf roping (10.4); Dan Chaney of Casper, Wyo. was tops in steer wrestling (5.1); Derek Clark of Concord, Colo. had the best saddle bronc ride (80) and Anthony Dickerson of Red Oak had the best bull ride (74). Breck Bean of Fort Hancock and Danny Zunigo of Jourdanton had the night's best time in team roping with time of 5.3.

Saturday's results weren't in by press time. They will be in Monday's paper.

Friday's Results Calf Roping - 1. Keet Sloan, New Branufels



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Team Roping

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Chantz Greene twists the head of his steer as he attempts to take it to the ground during the steer wrestling competition of the Friday night

10.4; 2. Martin Hinojosa, Olmito 10.7; Overall Leader - Keith Hudson 20.1 (two calves).

Bareback - 1. Todd Little, Hackberry, La 87; 2. John Brockaway, Mesquite 81; Overall Leader - Little, 87 Steer Wrestling - 1. Dan Chaney, Casper Wyo. 5.1; 2. Brent Arnold, Coleman 5.4

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At Wimbledon, No. 193 is better than No. 1

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) --Jim Courier waved goodbye to the Grand Slam and left his obscure Russian conqueror to a voracious John McEnroe.

Licking his lips, but careful not to sound too greedy, McEnroe looked forward to a round-of-16 match against No. 193-ranked Andrei Olhovskiy.

"I'm probably more the favorite now than going in as a complete underdog," said McEnroe, thankful to get past David Wheaton on Saturday and avoid playing **Courier on Tuesday** 

Courier's Grand Slam quest ended with all the finality of an overhead smash and all the shock of the most outrageous upsets in tennis history.

It ended 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4 on the Centre Court grass against a player who grew up playing on with his assortment of touch plastic and wood to become the volleys. If McEnroe can do the

Wimbledon top seed.

The end came suddenly in the third round after Courier's romps through the Australian and French Opens, the world's No. 1 player falling to a man who lost in the first round of his last four tournaments. It came, appropriately, on "People's Saturday," a day of festivity

devoted to commoners in T-shirts instead of the elite ticket-holders in blazers and ties, ordinary tennis fans doing the wave and dancing by the Centre Court seats.

"Life is life," Olhovskiy said, betraying not a trace of surprise at his feat.

McEnroe, who sometimes seems larger than life, dispatched Wheaton, a semifinalist last year, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

McEnroe, unseeded, blunted No. 16 Wheaton's serve and baffled him first qualifier ever to beat a same and continue to control his

temper against Olhovskiy, the former three-time champion will reach the quarterfinals for the first time since going out in the semis in 1989

The 33-year-old New Yorker, oldest man left in the tournament, wasn't overwhelmed by taking out Wheaton, whom he beat in straight sets in the 1990 U.S. Open quarters.

"It's not a complete shock by any means," McEnroe said. "I felt like today, right from the beginning, I took control and had a little bit more variety in my game and a little bit more speed around the court."

Everything else on this lovely. summer's day seemed perfunctory, even three-time champion Boris Becker's struggle to beat No. 73 Bryan Shelton, 6-4, 3-6, 7-6 (7-5), 7-6 (7-5), and Andre Agassi's 6-3, 7-6 (7-5), 7-5 win against Derrick Rostagno.

Defending women's champion

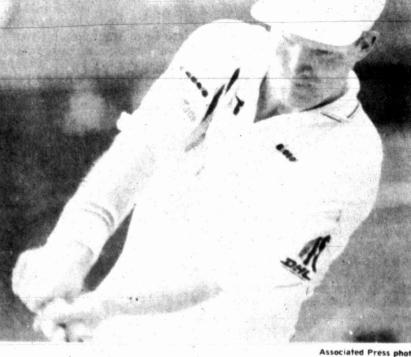
and No. 2 seed Steffi Graf had an unexpectedly tough time beating Mariaan de Swardt, 5-7, 6-0, 7-5, but No. 3 Gabriela Sabatini and No. 6 Jennifer Capriati won easily in straight sets.

Courier's loss was not because of any letdown in effort, nor by any flurry of errors on his part. He had no need to feel embarrassment, and he expressed none. On this day, he simply came up against a good player who transformed himself for one glorious match into a combination of Michael Stich and Stefan Edberg.

Wielding an oversized racket, Olhovskiy hit the sweet spot on nearly every shot, serving deep and hard, putting away volleys with authority, fluidly covering the court and anticipating almost every return

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Jim Courier of the United States returns during his men's singles, third round match against Andrei Olhovskiy at centre Court Saturday

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# **Rangers outslug Tigers**

DETROIT (AP) - Kevin Reimer and Ivan Rodriguez hit home runs on consecutive pitches, capping a six-run second inning and leading the Texas Rangers past the Detroit Tigers 10-8 Saturday.

Rafael Palmeiro hit a two-run double and Rodriguez had an RBI single as Texas scored four times in the first inning. After Detroit got two runs in its half, the Rangers opened a 10-2 lead in the second.

Jose Guzman (7-5) won despite allowing four runs on 10 hits in six innings. Kenny Rogers got the last four outs for his fifth save.

Mickey Tettleton, who earlier had an RBI grounder, hit a threerun homer in the eighth off Edwin Nunez that made it 10-8. Cecil Fielder hit a pair of RBI singles for the Tigers.

Kevin Ritz (1-3) had another poor outing, giving up seven runs on seven hits in just 1 1-3 innings. Ritz American League

has a 7.36 ERA in six starts this

Jeff Huson and Dean Palmer opened the game with singles and Palmeiro followed with a two-run double, taking third on the throw to the plate. Ruben Sierra hit a sacrfice fly and Rodriguez added an RBI single later in the inning.

### Red Sox 8, Brewers 7

BOSTON (AP) - Roger Clemens and the Boston Red Sox blew a seven-run lead late in the game, but bounced back to win 8-7 in the 13th inning on Herm Winningham's bases-loaded single.

The Red Sox made three errors, contributing to six unearned runs. The Brewers scored three times in the ninth. The game took 3 hours, the eighth inning against Clemens,

then tied it at 7 with four in the ninth, capped by Paul Molitor's two-out, two-run single off Jeff Reardon.

### Yankees 8, White Sox 7

NEW YORK (AP) - Charlie Hayes' RBI single off Bobby Thigpen with two out in the ninth inning gave the New York Yankees an 8-7 victory over Chicago on Saturday, snapping the White Sox's six-game winning streak.

The Yankees, who rallied from an early 5-0 deficit, started the game-winning rally when Don Mattingly singled with one out off Scott Radinsky (2-5). Danny Tartabull followed with a walk and one out later, Thigpen relieved. Hayes then won the game with a single-up the middle.

Tim Burke (1-1) pitched two innings for his first AL victory, escaping a bases-loaded jam in the top of 53 minutes to finish.

a 5-3 lead with an RBI pinch single

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Williams needed that run when he

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Girardi in the ninth before earning

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - Kirby

his 16th save.

Twins 12, Athletics 2

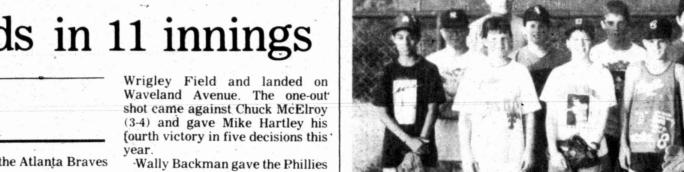


## **International All-Stars**

The International Little League All-Stars will be competing in District III Little League play starting July 6 in Odessa. They are: (front row, left to right) Eric Hansen, Eddie Campos, Tommy Chavarria, Maurice martinez, Freddy Hera

nandez, Jason Starr, Aaron Boadle and Jason Diaz. (Back row, left to right) coach Johnny

Franco, Rudy Ortega, Chico Zarraga, David Chavarria, Gabriel Mendoza, Brock Gee, Jacob Rios, Mike Strain and manager Randy Gee.



# American League All-Stars

Here are the American Little League All-Stars who will be playing in the District III tournament in Odessa starting July 6. They are: (front row, left to right) Steve Juarez, Heath Bailey, Kayne Stroup, Ricky Brackeen, Edward Ornelas, Joe Don Owens and Jeffery

Rodriguez. (Back row, left to right) Clayton Pate, coach Dan Justice, James Lunsford, Gil Grawunder, Wayne Childs, Jeffery Denton, Aaron Rodriguez, Jason Lasater and manager Phil Grawunder.



# Mets edge Cards in 11 innings

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Bill Pecota's double with two outs in the 11th inning Saturday scored Dave Gallagher and gave the New York Mets a 2-1 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals.

Gallagher drew a walk from Lee Smith (2-3) with one out, stole second and scored when Pecota lined a 3-2 pitch to center.

Mets reliever John Franco (6-0) escaped a two on and two out situation in the 10th and pitched a perfect 11th for the victory.

Donovan Osborne, trying for his first victory since May 23, worked the first nine innings for St. Louis: He allowed four hits, struck out four, walked none and left despite having retired the last 15 batters he faced.

### Reds 12, Braves 3

CINCINNATI (AP) - The hothitting Cincinnati Reds, led by Chris Sabo's three-run homer, rocked Charlie Leibrandt for seven runs in the first two innings and

# Wimbledon

 Continued from Page 1-B three matches in qualifying rounds face, clay, in Barcelona, then go for one of the 16 open spots. He for the final Grand Slam event, the

National

# League

went on to drub the Atlanta Braves 12-3 Saturday

The Reds have won the first two games of the NL West's showdown series to pad their lead over Atlanta to three games. Cincinnati has won four straight by scoring 38 runs, its best offensive streak of the season

The Braves, who came into Cin-Puckett hit two of Minnesota's einnati on a 21-3 roll, have lost conteam record tying-seven doubles secutive games for the first time and the Twins rapped 18 hits in since May 25-26. routing the Oakland Athletics 12-2

### Phillies 5, Cubs 4

CHICAGO (AP) - Wes Chamberlain broke an eighthinning tie with a long home run and the Philadelphia Phillies beat the Chicago Cubs 5-4 Saturday Chamberlain's fourth homer Oakland's only runs. McGwire

cleared the left field fence at leads the majors with 26 homers.

will be played on his preferred sur- posed the truth.

Saturday. John Smiley (8-3) won his fourth straight decision, allowing four hits in eight innings. Jose Canseco and Mark McGwire hit consecutive homers in the fourth inning for

barely won the last of those three, with a 9-7, fifth-set defeat of No. 250 Mario Tabares.

When Courier, stolid and strong as ever, upped the pressure and whacked the ball harder, Olhovskiy reacted coolly, changing the pace to suit himself, mixing touch volleys and lobs with ripping groundstrokes.

Courier typically didn't show much emotion on the court or afterward, saying only that he was disappointed not to have gone further here rather than losing the chance to become the first men's Grand Slammer since Rod Laver in 1969

Instead, Courier will focus im-

U.S. Open. But during the match, especially

after the first set, Courier made subtle gestures — pumping his fists after winners, grimacing after mistakes, grunting harder on serves - that gave evidence of the siege he knew he was under. "I never felt that the match was

over at any stage," he said. "I always feel like I've got a chance so long as I haven't shaken hands yet. I kept plugging away out there, did everything I could, and unfortunately today it wasn't enough.'

To those who believed Courier had become a red-headed automaton, a cybernetic creature who automatically thundered winmediately on the Olympics, which ners on every point, Olhovskiy ex-

in the head," said Olhovskiy, a chess-playing friend of former world champion Anatoli Karpov. "If you feel confident, you can play very well. That's what I feel now. It's a new feeling for the 26-yearold, who had been virtually abandoned by Soviet tennis authorities in favor of countrymen Andrei Cherkasov, Andrei Chesnokov and Alexander Volkov. The demise of the Soviet Union last year meant a renewal of Olhovskiy's tennis life. "My career just started one year

guys and the guys around 200, it's

ago, because I play for myself," Olhovskiy said. "Before I play for our sports committee, and I can't play because I can't make my plan, (decide) where I want to go. It's impossible to improve like that.'

member of the NRCA. A cowboy

must win \$2,500 dollars in one

year to qualify for membership.

"It's kind of like a drug. It gets

"Most of the time bull riding

pays better than any other

rodeo events - bull riding?

into your blood," he says

Any other reason?

event.

# Rodeo

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for their toughness and ability to ignore pain, but, Mayo says, injuries are an inevitable part of a cowboy's career and always in the back of his mind. Injuries can shorten or end careers

"That's something that a lot of guys don't think about, but it will catch up with you," Mayo says.

He says knee and neck problems are the most frequent, but the trick is not to fear injuries. A cowboy adage, Mayo says, is

"fear causes hesitation and hesitation causes (what you fear) to come true. Despite the competition for

Drewer has had his association money, the cowboys develop card for two years camaraderie. And why does Drewer participate in the most dangerous of

"You won't see any animosity (between cowboys)," Mayo says. "They tell each other about the stock - whether it's bad in the chute or (how it responds to equipment adjustments) - so you can do your best."

Although this is Mayo's second year on the tour he is not a

# Trials

 Continued from Page 1-B the 23-man decathlon field, and threw the discus 156-9

After the crushing setback in the pole vault, O'Brien threw a careerbest 199-2 in the javelin and ran the 1,500 meters in 4:46.53, his slowest in two years.

His failure to score in the vault was too much to overcome.

Johnson, perenially a big secondday performer, did not tarnish his reputation.

He had the second-fastest 110-meter hurdles time, 14.44; the third-best discus throw, 159-9; tied for second in the vault at 17-03/4; set an American record in the decathlon javelin at 244-8, and ran the 1,500 in 4:27.17, the thirdfastest.

The decathlon was one of three finals Saturday. In the others, Mike Stulce, who returned from a drug suspension this year, won the shot put at 70-5¼, the second-best in the world this year, and NCAA champion Tonya Hughes took the women's high jump at 6-31/2.

World shot put leader Gregg Tafralis failed to make the team, finishing fourth at 67-71/2.

Meanwhile, in another stunning development, Jackie Joyner-Kersee, the former American

record-holder in the women's 100-meter hurdles, failed to qualify for Sunday's final. Joyner-Kersee, bothered by a swollen knee, finished fifth in her semifinal heat.

Gail Devers, the silver medalist at the 1991 World Championshbips, took her semifinal heat in 12.67, the fastest by an American this year. Gwen Torrence, already winner of the women's 100 meters, ran the

fastest time by an American this

year in winning her semifinal heat in the 200 in 22.27.

Michael Johnson, the 1991 world champion in the men's 200 and ranked No. 1 in the world in 1990 and 1991, beat Carl Lewis, the 1984 Olympic gold medalist and co-American record-holder, in their first two meetings ever.



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# NASCAR girls make people smile **For Capriati, Olympics** outranks Grand Slam

LONG POND, Pa. (AP) Engines whine. A perfume of oil and fuel wafts through the air. Dust kicks up from the infield and dries the throat. Sweat breaks out in the afternoon sun.

Then, amid the noise and steel, a break in the action.

A NASCAR girl strolls by

"It's a silly thing. I'm not a lawyer or a doctor and I don't save lives, but I make people smile,' said Midi Miller, doing double duty this year as Miss Pocono International Raceway and Miss Champion Spark Plug.

Smile they do, begging for autographs from and photographs with the women who promote cars, bars, cigarettes and beer at every Winston Cup race.

"I can't walk anywhere. I love it. I don't get sick of it. I eat it up,' said Miller, an energetic 24-yearold

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While powerful cars on NASCAR tracks are the featured attractions every weekend, a lot is said about other features at the ovals. Some think short shorts and tight tops are appropriate for women who work around a sport geared for a long time toward men. Some say too much skin is too much.

"We like girls with personality, and we like them to be good looking, naturally," said Grant Lynch, who supervises two Miss Winstons as senior manager of NASCAR Winston Cup racing.

By far and by default, his Miss Winstons are the most modestly dressed. Long pants and full shirts are required in the garage area, where the women hand out cigarettes in a no-smoking zone.

"What are they thinking?" former Miss Winston Renee White asked about a scantily clad group of girls representing a brewery. "Is that the image they want to project? Of course, they are selling a lot of beer.

"We're not like the Hooters girls or the Miller girls," said current Miss Winston Beth Bruce, 25. "The ir age we project is a little bit dif- Hooters restaurant chain.



Midi Miller, with dual title of Miss. Pocono Raceway and Miss Champion Spark Plug, posses at the Pocono International Raceway in Long Pond, Pa. during the running of NASCAR Champion Spark Plug 500 race on June 14.

ferent. Winston is a lot more conservative.

It's a different world on the other side of the fence. Loyd Hall manages the "Hooters girls," who sell souvenirs for Alan Kulwicki's race team, sponsored by the

"When things get slow, I tell some of the girls to get a Hula Hoop and go up on top of the trailer and entertain the guys," Hall said.

The girls wear walking shorts and polo shirts -- a big change from the tight orange shorts and tiny tops worn last year.

"It's clean. We get big crowds and the other vendors don't like it. I could put three girls on the roof right now and have 300 people here in 10 minutes," Hall said.

Eighty-five percent of his souvenir sales are to men, Hall said.

"The attraction is the bubbly, vivacious Hooters girls," said Carmen Burkhammer, a 24-yearold Hooters girl from Fairmont, W.Va. "We do have the advantage because we do have the beautiful girls.

Hooters' logo is a big-eyed owl. "I didn't think of owls when I first heard the name Hooters," said Denny Lincoln of Orange, Mass., who bought \$49 worth of Hooters souvenirs before a race this month at Pocono.

White, Bruce and Burkhammer are college-educated, and all can deftly fend off those who think they're loose or available.

Miller turned on a fan who told her, "You. Pose," during an autograph session last year. "Excuse me. Is that like 'sit' or 'beg?'" she said. The man changed his tone

Sunday, in one graceful motion, Miss Miller moved a fan's hand from her fanny to her side during a photo stop.

"Men will be men and I have to expect some things. I'd be stupid to think that if I walk around like this I'm not going to ... you know," she said, adjusting tight red shorts for a more modest fit.

The Miss Winstons can let wouldbe suitors down easy.

"We'd say, 'Well, with the busy schedule I have ...' or, 'Winston Cup won't allow it' or 'We're Miss Winstons and we can't be allowed to become Mrs. Winstons," White said

Others think the women are highly paid. They're not, White said

"People come up and say, 'I hear you make \$40,000 and get a red Corvette every year," White said.

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) summer - It has all become so routine to her, just part of life as a teen-age

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tennis star. Centre Court at Wimbledon. The quarterfinals of the French Open. Autograph seekers and adulation from Hilton Head to Hong Kong. Ho-hum

Jennifer Capriati has accomplished so much by the age of 16 that she often seems bored with the jet-setting lifestyle of the tennis tour.

But she quickly loses her air of indifference and springs to life when the Olympics are mentioned.

"It means a lot to me to be in the Olympics, even more than competing in the Grand Slam events," she said. "You are able to play for your country and it's just the greatest feeling in the world.'

Capriati was only 14 when she reached the semifinals of the 1990 French Open. She reached the semifinals at Wimbledon last year by defeating Martina Navratilova in a two-day Centre Court thriller. She is closing in on \$1 million in career winnings.

Yet Capriati has never played in an Olympics, and she relishes the opportunity to be part of the U.S. team at Barcelona.

"I'm looking forward just to see all the athletes and feel the feeling out there with everyone," said Capriati, who will be living in the Olympic village along with athletes from 172 countries.

Capriati will be one of the favorites for a medal in Barcelona, especially since three of the world's top four women players will miss the Olympics. Monica Seles, Gabriela Sabatini and Martina Navratilova are ineligible because they failed to play in the Federation Cup last

Capriati was on the U.S. team that lost to Spain in the final of the Federation Cup last summer in England and on the winning American squad at the 1990 Federation Cup in Atlanta.

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"I just like playing for my country and playing for a team instead of as an individual," said Capriati, who reveled in the camaraderie with teammates Mary Joe Fernandez, Zina Garrison and Gigi Fernandez at last summer's Federation Cup.

"They say maybe you feel more pressure because you are playing for the team, so you have to win for the team. But I really don't feel that way.

The same team will represent the United States at the Olympics. Capriati will be joined in singles by Garrison and Mary Joe Fernandez, while Mary Joe and Gigi Fernandez - who are not related - will play doubles.

There are 64 women and an equal number of men in the singles competition at the Olympics, plus 32 teams in women's doubles and men's doubles.

Tennis was one of the sports contested at the first modern Olympics in 1896 and remained a part of the Games until 1924, but then disappeared from the Olympics for several decades.

It was a demonstration sport in 1968 in Mexico City and 1984 in Los Angeles, and returned to medal status at the 1988 Seoul Olympics. Steffi Graf, top women's seed in Barcelona, will be trying to defend her Olympic singles title from Seoul.

"The Olympics only come every four years and with a Grand Slam you always have it the next year," Capriati said. "The Olympics are just really special.

# Dodgers great dies

whose running catch helped the Brooklyn Dodgers win the 1955 World Series, died today. He was

Amoros, nearly destitute and in failing health for the last several years, died of pneumonia at 10:20 a.m. at Jackson Memorial

MIAMI (AP) - Sandy Amoros, of diabetes and battled circulatory problems that ravaged his body, had been living with his daughter and four grandchildren in Miami's Little Havana neighborhood until he was hospitalized earlier this month.

Amoros was best known for his

# **Sports briefs**

## **Hi Class Ladies** win league title

The Hi Class Ladies won two The Fourth Annual Sum-

Pro-Am golf tournament set

damental basketball skills. College players and high school and college coaches make up the camp staff, which is under the direction of Howard College Lady

tions of two massive strokes this

Rogers, a world champion wrestler. who finished his 24-year career with a win in a 1983 exhibition tagteam match, died from complica-

games Thursday to come away with the United Girls Softball Association Division III championship.

In the opening game the High Class Ladies defeated Eddie's Ladies 13-8. Kathy Green was the winning pitcher for the High Class Ladies and Ann Marie Scott took the loss for Eddie's Ladies.

Green, Sheniqua McGee and Jackie Martinez hit two doubles each in the winning cause. Robbie Hall and Kerri Hall hit three triples each for Eddie's Ladies. Ann Marie Scott doubled twice and Sandy Franco homered

In the championship game Hi Class Ladies defeated the Dream Team 13-10. Martinez was the winning pitcher and Heather James was the losing pitcher.

Charlene Angel got the winning hit for Hi Class Ladies, driving in three runs. Nikki Mills and Green hit three triples each and Tammy Alexander doubled twice.

For the Dream Team, Evy Perez tripled three times and Morrow and Heather James each hit two doubles.

### Golf play at Country Club

A two-man golf tournament will be June 27-28 at the Big Spring Country Club Golf Course.

Entry fee is \$55 with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. It is limited to the first 50 entries. There will be limited to the first 50 teams. To enter call 267-5354.

### **Special** Olympics softball coaching

MIDLAND – A Special Olympics softball coaches certification clinic will take place Saturday, July 11 in Midland.

Volunteers wishing to register for the clinic or those wanting more information should call Carol Green at 263-6214

## July 4 golf play at **Comanche Trail**

The Mel's Crazy-Crazy July 4 Golf Classic will be at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

The format is two-man scramble and enty fee is \$25 per player. It's lots of fun with players having to tee off with baseball bats and putting with a sledge hammer.

There will be a fish fry for all the contestants after the tournament. There will be an additional charge for the rest of the family to eat. After the tournament, the fireworks show can be seen from the No. 1 green

For more information call 263-7271

merfest Pro-Am Golf Tourna ment will be July 19-20 at the Big Spring Country Club

Included in the package is four meals, plus prizes for the top finishers.

All proceeds go to the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center For more information call Lanny Turrentine at 267-5354.

## HC boys hoop camp rescheduled

The boys basketball camp at Howard College has been rescheduled for June 28-July 2 at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Cost is \$85 per camp, which in-

cludes lunch. Camp times are from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. The camp is held in conjunction with the Lady Hawks girls camp.

The primary purpose of the camp, which is open to boys and girls ages 8-18, is to teach fun-

Basketball Coach Royce Chadwick

For more information call Chadwick at 264-5043

## **Snyder Tennis** tournament

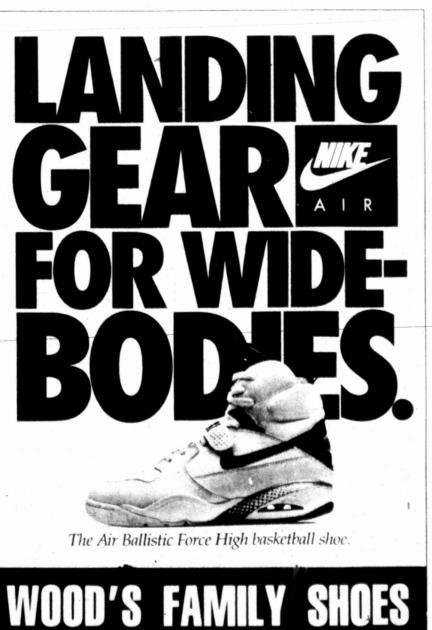
SNYDER -- Kevin McMillan is organizing a tennis tournament for July 3 and 4 in Snyder at the junior high school.

Age groups will consist of 12 and under through all-age mixed doubles. Included are men's and women's open singles and doubles

For more info call McMillan at 573-0451 or Michael Rodriguez at 573-3624.

### Former wrestler dead at 71

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla.  $(\mathbf{AP})$ Buddy "Nature Boy



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week. He was 71 Rogers, who underwent a

quadruple heart bypass several years ago, went into a coma following the two strokes Monday, according to his brother-in-law, Dave Ludwigsen.

Hospital in Miami, said his attorney Rafael Sanchez.

said

"It was a shock - his daughter was ready to visit him, and she's in a daze right now," Sanchez

Amoros, who lost a leg because

catch of a fly ball hit by Yogi Berra in the sixth inning of the seventh game at Yankee Stadium on Oct. 4, 1955. The catch, considered one of the best in World Series history, started a double play that preserved a 2-0 lead.

# You're Welcome, Zada.

Zada Cave was working out in her cotton field when she saw the dark pillar of cloud on the horizon. She jumped in the pickup truck and headed north, to the mobile home where she knew her daughter-in-law was alone with two small children.

"It was bad. Barns were scattered. Tin everywhere. The Flower Grove Gin had been hit pretty bad," she recalled of the tornado that struck near Ackerly in June, 1991.

The family was OK. But when they all went back to Zada's's home, the electricity was out. Power lines were down for miles, and Zada told her family not to expect power to be restored for days.

But only a few hours later, the lights came on.

"I don't know how those guys did it. They must've worked all night long. But they got the power up and running. and it sure made life easier for us," she said.

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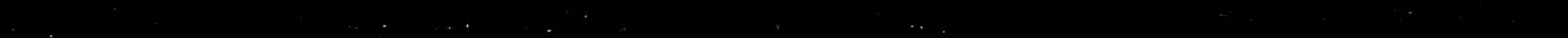
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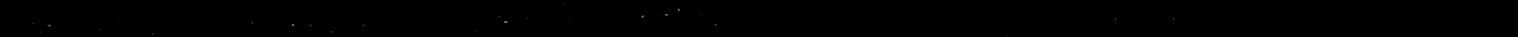






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# Outdoors

# **Demand for Nile perch increasing**

KISUMU, Kenya — Kenyan fish technologist Joseph Ogunja holds up a reptilian-looking piece of leather and points with satisfaction to a photograph on his office wall. It shows three styles of shoes, a purse and a belt, all made from similar hides.

The tanned hide of Nile perch caught in Lake Victoria hasn't yet taken the fashion world by storm, and Ogunja is still refining a recipe for perch sausage. But in the past six years, he and his 20-person team have helped boost the demand for Nile perch products, edible and otherwise.

"Whether this will be positive or negative in the long term remains to be seen," says Richard E. Leakey, director of the Kenya Wildlife Service. "In the short term, there are serious issues that have to be addressed."

Although the perch are an important protein source for the residents of Victoria's shores, he says, they are also a powerful contributor to the loss of biological diversity in the once-rich lake in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda.

The Nile perch, a predator that can grow up to 6 feet long on a diet of smaller fish, was first released into 26,828-square-mile Victoria the world's second-largest freshwater lake — in the early 1960s.

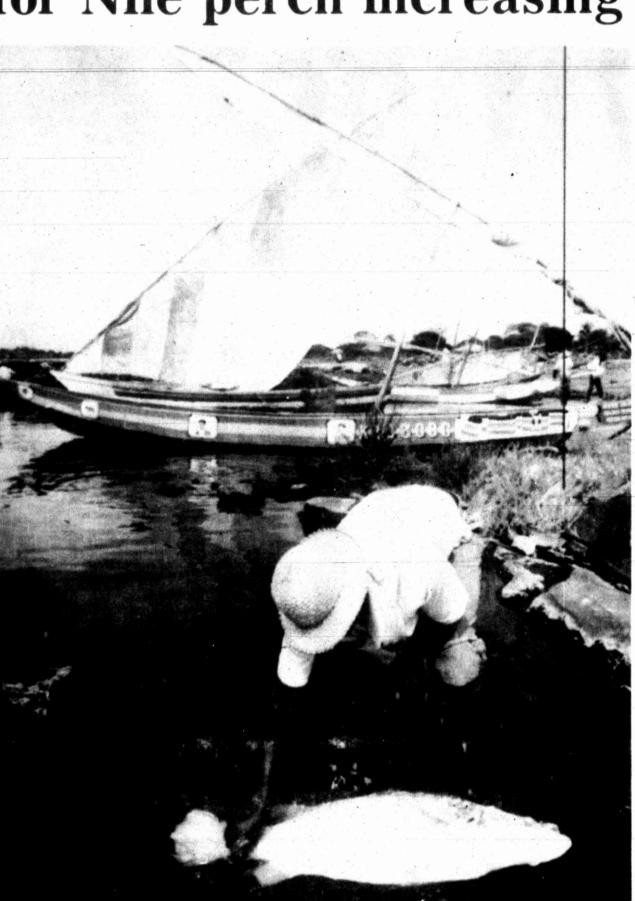
For 20 years, the perch was commercially insignificant. In the early 1980s, its population suddenly exploded and it became the most abundant species in the lake.

"Today the Nile perch is making Lake Victoria the most productive lake in the world, yielding 220,000 to 330,000 tons of fish per year," says biologist George Ssentongo of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO).

He and other scientists fear, however, that the perch population may crash as suddenly as it boomed. Few of them are willing to bet on its future.

The boom in perch has been accompanied by accelerated deterioration of the algae-choked and oxygen-depleted lake. The perch's voracity has taken an enormous toll on Victoria's native fish species, at least half of which are now believed to be extinct.

Among the perch's victims have been native plant-eaters that used to help keep algae in check.



# Fishing Report

AUSTIN (AP) — Here is the weekly fishing report as compiled by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for June 24:

CENTRAL

BASTROP: Water clear, 85 degrees, 6 inches low; black bass are fair to 4 pounds on Slug-Gos and topwaters; crappie are good at night under lights with live minnows; catfish are fair to 3 pounds on stink bait.

BELTON: Water clear, 82-83 degrees, 17 feet above normal level; black bass are good to 7 pounds on buzz baits early in Bull and Heifer Creeks; hybrid striper are fairly good to 6 pounds on topwaters and slabs on double rigged flea flies 3 feet in front of the jigging spoons; crappie are slow; white bass are fair on topwaters; catfish are fairly slow, some caught up the Leon River and Cowhouse Creek, and only a few caught in the main lake on worms and commercially prepared baits.

BROWNWOOD: Water clear, 73 degrees, 2 feet below spillway level; black bass are fair in the keeper range on cranks and worms; striper are fair in the afternoons and early, fish are schooling off points; crappie are fair on the brush piles in 25 to 30 feet of water on minnows; white bass are good at night and some schooling off points early and late on slabs and spoons and Sassy Shad; yellow catfish are slow, fishermen complain that the lake is too clear; channel catfish are fair to 2 pounds off the docks on nightrawlers and shrimo.

BUCHANAN: Water clear, 84 degrees, 2 feet low; black bass are good to 4 pounds, 12 ounces on chartreuse spinners on the upper end of the lake; striper are good to 19 pounds on live shad, schoolies are good on downriggers, some topwater activity also noted; <u>crappie are slow</u>; white bass are fair in and around Garrett and Shaw Islands on slabs and jigs; catfish are good to 5 pounds on trotlines baited with fresh shad.

CANYON: Water clear, 62 degrees on top, 1 foot above normal level; black bass are slow; striper are fair to 6 pounds on large minnows and topwaters; crappie are good at night on minnows in 35-40 feet of water; white bass are slowing down; catfish are good to 4 pounds on shrimp, chicken livers and goldfish; fairly good numbers of rainbow frout caught below the tail race before the gates were opened.

FAYETTE: Water clear; 90 degrees, 1 foot above normal level; black bass are good to 8 pounds on Bass Assassins and Salty Sensations; crappie are slow; catfish are fairly good in number to 7 pounds on live bait and frozen shrimp.

GIBBONS CREEK: Water clear, 83 degrees, normal level; black bass are good to 10 pounds, 6 ounces on worms and cranks; crappie are fairly good to 2 pounds on minnows in 11 feet of water; catfish are fairly good to 34 pounds on jug lines baited with perch; catfish are good to 2 pounds on rod and reel baited with minnows or shrimp.

INKS LAKE: Water clear, 72 degrees, 4 inches low; black bass are fair to 2 pounds on topwaters; striper are fair to  $2^{1/2}$  pounds on rubber shad; crappie are poor; white bass are slow; catfish are fairly good to  $1^{1/2}$  pounds on worms.

LBJ: Water clear, 79 degrees, lake full; black bass are good to 7 pounds, 6 ounces on Slug-Gos; striper are slow; crappie are fair on docks with structure on minnows; white bass are slow; catfish are good to 6 pounds



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Their loss, combined with increased nutrients pouring into the lake — human waste, agricultural runoff and acid rain — increases the production of algae. This in turn contributes to the growing shortage of oxygen.

Regional climate change may also be a factor. Warmer or rainy seasons fail to stir and reoxygenate the bottom waters of Lake Victoria.

The traditional fishery on which 30 million people have relied for protein is devastated.

"The sudden change in the fishery was quite a concern, because the Nile perch was new to the people," Ogunja says. Village women accustomed to frying or sun-drying whole small fish-like labeo or tilapia didn't know how to

Fishermen catch millions of Nile perch in East Africa's Lake Victoria. Since the introduction of the predatory fish in the lake 20 years ago, perch

process or cook the big, oily perch. "There were no commercial processors, local customers weren't happy with the taste and there was no market for it elsewhere," Ogunja says. "Most of it was being left on the beach to rot."

With support from the FAO, Ogunja and his team went into action in 1986 to try to ensure that the lake's new bounty didn't go to waste. Their work was often as elementary as teaching villagers how to fillet fish or holding seminars for hotel cooks in

Nairobi, the Kenyan capital, on how to prepare cold smoked perch appetizers.

of smaller fish

Team members persuaded an English brewery to buy dried Nile perch air bladders to supplement catfish air bladders used as filters in making beer. Companies in Hong Kong have begun bidding on perch bladders for soup.

In his laboratory at the Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute on the lakeshore in Kisumu, Ogunja is working to develop frozen soups and minced-perch-

ital, on products.

has become the dominant species, at the expense

"We have a large Moslem population, and they don't eat pork sausage," he says. "We think there might be a market for perch sausage."

Associated Press photo

Very little Nile perch rots on the beach these days, but success in opening up new markets has created new problems at home.

Since Ogunja's team started its work, more than two dozen plants have been built in Kenya and Uganda to process and export fresh frozen Nile perch fillets to markets. in baited holes on rod and reel with fresh shrimp.

LIMESTONE: Water clear, 85 degrees, normal level; black bass are fair to 6 pounds on spinners; crappie are slow; catfish are slow; white bass are fair with some schooling early and late on main lake points.

SQUAW CREEK: Water clear, 82 degrees, normal level; black bass are good to 4 pounds on cranks and Rattle Taps in 10 feet or less of water; crappie are fairly slow to 2 pounds in shallow water on minnows; catfish are good to 6 pounds in 30 feet of water on cheese baits, worms and stink baits.

TRAVIS: Water clear, 84 degrees, 1 foot high; largemouth bass are fair to 7 pounds, 3 ounces on chrome topwaters, salt and pepper Ring Worms and green grubs; Guadalupe bass are fair to 15 inches on same lures; striper are slows crappie are slow; white bass are fair under lights on white jigs and spot-tailed minnows; catfish are fair to 6 pounds on cut bait.

WACO: Water clear, 85 degrees, normal level; black bass are good to 9 pounds on Craw Worms and cranks; striper are slow; crappie are slow; white bass are good to 1 pound on topwaters early and slabs late near the dam; catfish are slow. WHITNEY: Water clear, 83 degrees, 8 in-

ches high; largemouth bass are fair in number to 6 pounds, most are small, spillway level; black bass are fair to 4 pounds; striper are slow; crappie are fair to 15 fish per string on live bait; catfish are slow due to the hot weather.

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AMISTAD: Water clear, 1 foot above nor

mal level; black bass are fairly good to

pounds on black worms; striper are fairly slow, some to 5 pounds on Bananahead jigs;

crappie are fair up the Devils and the Pecos

Rivers; white bass are fairly good all over

the lake trolling Bombers or Rattle Traps

and minnows; catfish are fair to good in

BRAUNIG: Water murky, 80 degrees

normal level; black bass are good but most

under 21 inches, a few keepers caught or

worms and cranks in 8-10 feet of water

around brush piles and around the jetties;

hybrid striper are good to around 5 pounds

each on perch; catfish are good to 3 pounds

on cave crickets; redfish are good to 14% pounds on cranks, a 16-pound redfish caugh

CALAVERAS: Water murky, 89 degrees

20 inches above normal level; black bass are

slow; striper are slow; catfish are good to 2

pounds each on shad, perch, liver and

cheese bait; redfish are fair to 15 pounds or

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the river channel around Mason Point and 99

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pounds near the dam on cheese bait

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place, mostly clear, 78 degrees, norma

level; black bass are fair to 8 pounds or

spinners and worms; striper are slow; crap

pie are fair to 12 inches on minnows; catfish are good to 12 pounds on a wide variety of

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TWIN BUTTES: Water clear, 82 degrees, 6 feet low; black bass are good to 6 pounds in shallow water on Slug;Gos and spinners; striper are slow; crappie are good in the mouth of Spring Creek on minnows and crappie jigs in 20 feet of water; white bass are schooling around the Middle Concho and Spring Creek; catfish are good to 8 pounds on trothines in 15 feet of water on live perch and liver.

SPENCE: Water clear, 78 degrees, 23 feet low; black bass are good to 8½ pounds on topwaters; striper are good but most are in the 4-7 pound range on topwaters; crappie are good in the creeks, around the bridges on minnows; white bass are fairly good on Rattle Traps; catfish are slowing since the river started slowing down.

SOUTHEAST

CONROE: Water clear, 8 inches high; black bass are fairly good to 7 pounds at night on black worms and topwaters fished slow, daytime fish are caught early and late; white bass are good about 1 hour only during the afternoon; catfish are fairly good on commercial bait; bream are excellent on earth worms.

# Wildlife department nixes wild animals as pets

AUSTIN — From the calls the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department is receiving, it appears that many Texans want to know what permits are needed to have a wild pet, particularly raccoons.

"We're discouraging that," said Bill Brownlee, TPWD permit coordinator. "Animals coming from the wild generally don't make good pets. As they grow older, they become more aggressive and may carry diseases or parasites which can be transmitted to people and possibly be fatal to humans, especially children."

The diseases and parasites of greatest concern from the standpoint of human infection are rabies, raccoon roundworm, fox tapeworm and bubonic plague. Skunks, foxes and raccoons are the animals most commonly infected with rabies. Tod date, he said, there are no approved rabies vaccines for fur-bearing animals. There are at least two documented cases of rabies in pet skunks with no history of exposure to other wild animals. Because of the threat from rabies, no permits are issued for possessing skunks for any reason.

Animals classified as fur-bearers in Texas are badger, beaver, civet cat, fox, mink, muskrat, nutria, opossum, otter, raccoon, ringtailed cat, skunk and weasel.

"There is no permit available that authorizes a person to keep a fur-bearing animal as a pet," Brownlee said. "There are provisions for individuals to obtain a permit to hold fur-bearing animals for propagation purposes provided the animals are legally obtained."

An annual fur-bearing animal propagation permit (\$75) entitles a person to take or possess live furbearing animals and hold them for the purpose of propagation or sale. A facility inspection is required prior to licensing each year. It also is illegal to import fur-bearing animals from out of state without a permit. These licenses are issued only to authorized fur-bearing animal propagators.

Capt. Wayne Chappell of TPWD's law enforcement division said possession of a fur-bearing animals without the required license is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of \$25 to \$500 per animal. "Most of the calls we get are from people wanting a permit for a raccoon they already have or planto get from the wild," he said. "They can't do that unless they have a fur-bearing animal propagation permit and the animal is captured during an open season or is obtained from a permitted propagator. It is a violation of the law to keep fur-bearers as pets and we strongly discourage such actions."

"People shouldn't try to catch or pet these animals in the wild," Brownlee said. "Wildlife needs to be left out in the wild."

Anyone coming into possession of a fur-bearing animal is encouraged to contact the local game warden to arrange transfer to a licensed rehabilitator."

# Keeping mosquitoes away

SALISBURY, Mass. (AP) — Put away the spray. Robert Eaton reckons bird houses should keep the bugs at bay.

bugs at bay. Eaton builds them, lots of them: He put together 600 of the 8-by-6-inch wooden structures in the basement of his home this winter.

But the 67-year-old retired fisherman is not out to make a killing. Instead, he wants to prove that when it comes to fighting the annual onslaught of mosquitoes and other pests, "you can't beat nature."

Each year, Eaton and his brother, Herman, place new bird houses in the marshy, mosquitobreeding areas along the coasts of Massachusetts and southern New Hampshire. He spends his own money on the project, with little outside aid. He figures 1,500 are now in place and that the bird housing boom has worked. The swallows have returned to the marshes, controlling mosguitoes with their appetites. "They hang around all summer and eat bugs," he said.

bugs," he said. The problem, as Eaton sees it, is that for decades man has wreaked havoc on the birds, and on nature, with chemical-spraying of mosquitoes.

"We've been spraying for mosquitoes for 60 years and there's more than there has ever been before," he said.

What the spraying did result in, Eaton said, was the exodus of birds from the marshes, the destruction of trees and health problems for humans caused by the now outlawed chemical DDT.





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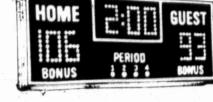
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### KINGS & QUEENS

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### GENERATION GAP

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### SUMMER TRIO

RESULTS - Gutter Dusters over #9, 6-2; Team #5 fied Team #3, 4-4; Who-Us? fied Team #7, 4-4; Gutter Cats over 3H, 8-0; Fifth Wheels over #10, 2-0; hi sc. game and sries (men) Brad Hicks, 203 and Joe Lambeth, 518; hi sc. game and series (women) Kay Hendricks, 191 and 525; hi sc. team game and series Gutter Dusters, 522 and 1497; hi hdcp game and series (men) Brad Hicks, 260 and 686; hi hdcp game and series (women) Kay Hendricks, 220 and 612; hi hdcp team game and series Who-Us?, 613 and 1780. STANDINGS - Who-Us?, 26-6; Gutter

Dusters, 23-9; T eam #7, 18-14; Fifth Wheels, 14-18; 3H-6, 13-19; Team #, 12-20; Gutter Cats,

sc. game and series (men) Guy Prater, 195

and Neal Henry, 539; hi sc. game and series

(women) Laurie Wells, 193 and Joycee Davis,

557; hi sc. team game and series Bulldogs, 374

and 1060; hi hdcp game and series (men) Neal

Henry, 233 and 668; hi hdcp game and series

(women) Mary Wells, 219 and Jan Elliott, 613;

Always Late, 24-24; Bomb Squad, 24-24;

SUMMER TRIO

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TRIPLES-Anderson, Baltimore, 6; Devereaux, Baltimore, 5; RAlomar, Toronto, 4; White, Toronto, 4; Puckett, Minnesota, 4; 13 are fied with 3.

HOME RUNS-McGwire, Oakland, 25; Deer, Detroit, 21; JuGonzalez, Texas, 18; Tet tleton, Detroit, 18; Belle, Cleveland, 16; Fielder, Detroit, 16; Canseco, Oakland, 15. STOLEN BASES-Lofton, Cleveland, 30; Polonia, California, 26; RHenderson, Oakland, 26; Anderson, Baltimore, 24; Listach, Milwaukee, 23; Raines, Chicago, 21; Knoblauch, Minnesota, 20.

PITCHING (9 Decisions)-JuGuzman, Toronto, 10-1, .909, 2.13; Mussina, Baltimore 8-2, .800, 2.45; Krueger, Minnesota, 7-2, .778, 2.83; Fleming, Seattle, 10-3, .769, 3.35; McDowell, Chicago, 10-3, .769, 3.33; JaMorris, Toronto, 9-3, .750, 4.22; KBrown, Texas, 11-4, .733, 2.94.

STRIKEOUTS-Clemens, Boston, 112; JuGuzman, Toronto, 96; Perez, New York, 85; KBrown, Texas, 84; McDonald, Baltimore, 76; Appier, Kansas City, 75; Nagy, Cleveland, 74; JsGuzman, Texas, 74.

SAVES-Eckersley, Oakland, 25; Aguilera, Minnesota, 22; Olson, Baltimore, 20; JeRussell, Texas, 19: Montgomery, Kansas City, 17; Thigpen, Chicago, 16; Reardon, Boston, 15.

## NL Leaders

BATTING-Kruk, Philadelphia, .370, VanSlyke, Pittsburgh, .331; McGriff, San Diego, .325; Gwynn, San Diego, .324; Grace, Chicago, .322; Sheffield, San Diego, .320; Jose, St. Louis, .314; WClark, San Francisco, .314. RUNS-Biggio, Houston, 50; Gwynn, San Diego, 50; Bonds, Pittsburgh, 47; TFernandez, San Diego, 47; Grissom, Montreal, 45; Roberts, Cincinnati, 45; Pendleton, Atlanta,

44 RBI-Sheffield, San Diego, 53; Daulton, Philadelphia, 53; Murray, New York, 50; Pendleton, Atlanta, 47; Gant, Atlanta, 46; McGriff, San Diego, 46; Dawson; Chicago, 45. HITS-Pendleton, Atlanta, 93; Kruk, Philadelphia, 90; Gwynn, San Diego, 90; Sheffield, San Diego, 88; Duncan, Philadelphia 87: Lankford, St. Louis, 83; VanSlyke, Pittsburgh, 83; TFernandez, San Diego, 83. DOUBLES-Duncan, Philadelphia, 22;

VanSlyke, Pittsburgh, 20; Biggio, Houston, 18; Wallach, Montreal, 18; Finley, Houston, 17; WClark, San Francisco, 17; Pendleton, Atlanta, 17.

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PITCHING (9 Decisions)-Bankhead, Cin cinnati, 8-1, .889, 2.12; Tewksbury, St. Louis, 8-2, .800, 2.02; Glavine, Atlanta, 11-3, .786, 2.68;



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Monday's Games New York at Chicago, 2:20 p.m Montreal at Philadelphia, 7:35 p.m Cincinnati at Houston, 8:35 p.m. Pittsburgh at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m. Atlanta at San Francisco, 9:35 p.m San Diego at Los Angeles, 10:35 p.m

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BATTING-RAIomar, Toronto, .344; Puckett, Minnesota, .331; Molitor Milwaukee, .326; EMartinez, Seattle, .314; Bordick, Oakland, .312; Harper, Minnesota, 309; Winfield, Toronto, .304.

RUNS-Puckett, Minnesota, 54; Knoblauch, Minnesota, 52; Mack, Minnesota, 51; Phillips, Detroit, 51; McGwire, Oakland, 49; EMartinez, Seattle, 46; Molitor, Milwaukee, 46. RBI-McGwire, Oakland, 62; Fielder, Detroit, 62; Puckett, Minnesota, 56; Tettleton, Detroit, 48; Thomas, Chicago, 47; Fryman, Detroit, 47; JuGonzalez, Texas, 47; Devereaux, Baltimore, 47.

HITS-Puckett, Minnesota, 99; Fryman, Detroit, 86; Mack, Minnesota, 86; Molitor Milwaukee, 85; RAlomar, Toronto, 84; Sierra, GB

Swindell, Cincinnati, 7-2, .778, 3.07; Morgan, Chicago, 7-2, .778, 2.94; Tomlin, Pittsburgh, 10-3, .769, 3.03; Leibrandt, Atlanta, 6-3, .667, 4.08

STRIKEOUTS-Cone, New York, 126; SFernandez, New York, 107; Smoltz, Atlanta, 104: Drabek, Pittsburgh, 85: Rijo, Cincinnati 85; GMaddux, Chicago, 84; BHurst, San Diego, 83.

SAVES-Charlton, Cincinnati, 17; LeSmith St. Louis, 17; DJones, Houston, 16; MiWilliams, Philadelphia, 16; Myers, San Diego, 13; Wetteland, Montreal, 12; Dibble, Cincinnati, 11; Franco, New York, 11



# **Buick** Classic

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## NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR GRADY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT **ON AUGUST 29, 1992**

On August 29, 1992, the Grady Independent School District will hold a school board election. The election will be implemented pursuant to a single-member district plan ordered by the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, Midland-Odessa Division.

Under the newly created plan, trustees will be elected from seven single-member districts rather than at-large. Please refer to the map included with this notice for the boundaries of the single-member districts. On August 29, 1992, places 1 and 2 will be up for election. There is currently a vacancy on the board of trustees and the court ordered that the vacancy shall be filled by a special election to be held in conjunction with the August 29 elections. This special election to be held will fill the vacancy that is designated to be for district 7. In the regularly scheduled 1993 elections, places 3 and 4 shall be up for election and in the regularly scheduled 1994 elections, places 5 and 6 shall be up for election. All positions on the board of trustees shall be for a term of 3 years.

A trustee is required to be both a resident of the Grady Independent School District as well as the single-member district which he/she is either appointed or elected to represent. However, in the event that the period provided for by law for filing for single-member trustees positions closes without any person filing for office, then the board president in consultation with other board members shall reopen filing for a supplemental period of 7 days and any person who is a resident of the Grady Independent School District shall be entitled to file for that position. This shall be the procedure in either a regularly scheduled or a special election to fill the vacancy. At each election for a single-member district position, the candidate receiving a plurality of the votes cast shall be declared elected. No run off shall be required. If a vacancy on the board of trustees occurs, the vacancy shall be filled at the next regular election. The vacancy on the board of trustees may be filled by appointment made by a majority of the remaining members of the board. The appointed person serves only until the next regular election.

Residents of the individual districts may vote only when their district is up for election. For example, in the August 29 election, voters from districts 1, 2 and 7 will vote for candidates in their districts. Voters from outside those districts will not be allowed to vote

Any resident of single-member districts 1, 2 or 7 of the Grady Independent School District who wishes to run for board of trustees may make an application for a place on the August 29 ballot at the Superintendent's Office at Grady Independent School District from June 15 through July 15.

If additional information is needed concerning the upcoming election or the single-member district boundaries, you may call the Superintendent's office at (915) 459-2444

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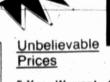
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# A tough year on and off the field for George Brett



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Kansas City Royals' George Brett, seen here during Thursday's game against the New York Yankees, has a roller coaster year, trying to boast his average while recovering from the recent death of his father.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - Trying to hit a 90 mph fastball pales in comparison to what has happened off the field for George Brett this season.

Of course, hitting has been a big enough problem in itself for Brett. He endured the worst slump of his career -1 for 40 - as the Kansas City Royals lurched to a 1-16 start.

Brett's mood swung from the happiness of a first marriage at age 39 – he and the former Leslie Davenport married in February – to a vow that he would quit at the All-Star break if he could not buy a

"I think I was hitting about .130 and I had to ask myself 'How much fun am I having?"' said Brett, a career .308 hitter and a three-time batting champion. "I just was not helping the team. I had to ask myself, 'How am I helping the team?

Then the real bomb dropped.

Brett's father called one night to say he was dving of brain cancer. He had waited a month to tell Brett because he knew how badly his son felt about how he and the team were playing and did not want to

burden him further. This was a tough relationship between father and son.

Brett was the youngest of four brothers. He and his brother John were the bad boys. Father Jack was a disciplinarian who pushed his boys hard.

"When I was a kid it was very rough," Brett said this week, pausing occasionally to spit a stream of tobacco juice as he dressed for a game at the clubhouse space he occupies as the Royals' franchise player

"By the time I came along, he had a very low tolerance level. The tolerance level wasn't the same as it was for the others. When I was late and made some excuse, he'd already heard every excuse.

'John and I were kind of the ones who didn't bring home the good report cards. We were the ones who didn't do our chores on time. We were the ones who didn't do our homework

"I couldn't understand why I was the one he got on. But my brothers have been successful. I've been successful in my career.

Brett remembers 1980 when he

hit .390. He went home figuring he had a pretty good year.

'Most people's dads would have put their arms around you and said you had a good year," he said. "My dad said if you would have got five more hits you would have hit .400. Don't be content. That's the message he gave me. That's one of the reasons I've been successful." Brett left the team on a Friday. His dad died the following Sunday night last month.

'He'd always check the box score," Brett said. "If I did bad, he would have a bad day. If I did good, he had a good day. No child wants to do something to spoil his dad's day

"He was coherent in the hospital, but he was heavily drugged because there wasn't anything they could do for him. He would fade in and out. The first thing he asked me was how'd we do today and how many hits did you get.

The journey through 19 years of baseball has taught Brett a lot about the highs and lows of life. A pure hitter like lockermate Wally Joyner, Brett cannot say why he goes bad or why he goes good.

"I'm facing a real tough righthander in Minnesota who throws a good curveball and I get three hits," he said. "Then I go 0-for-9. I'm 1-for 21 and then what happens? I get three hits, then I don't get one. It doesn't make sense. I don't understand it."

The average is up to about .250 now, not close to acceptable by Brett standards. The left-handed hitter has accepted his fulltime designated hitter role and his drop in the batting order from third to fifth.

He is now getting about a hit a game and at midweek had 56, leaving him 108 short of 3,000 with 94 games to play. Going into Thursday's game he was in the midst of another slump, with only three hits in his last 31 times at bat.

For the first time in as long as anyone can remember, Brett was left off the All-Star ballot this year.

But Brett is always one of the first to arrive at the park, and one of the first on the field. He's in on a pre-batting practice game with his teammates, most of whom are much younger than himself.



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By MARTH Staff Writer

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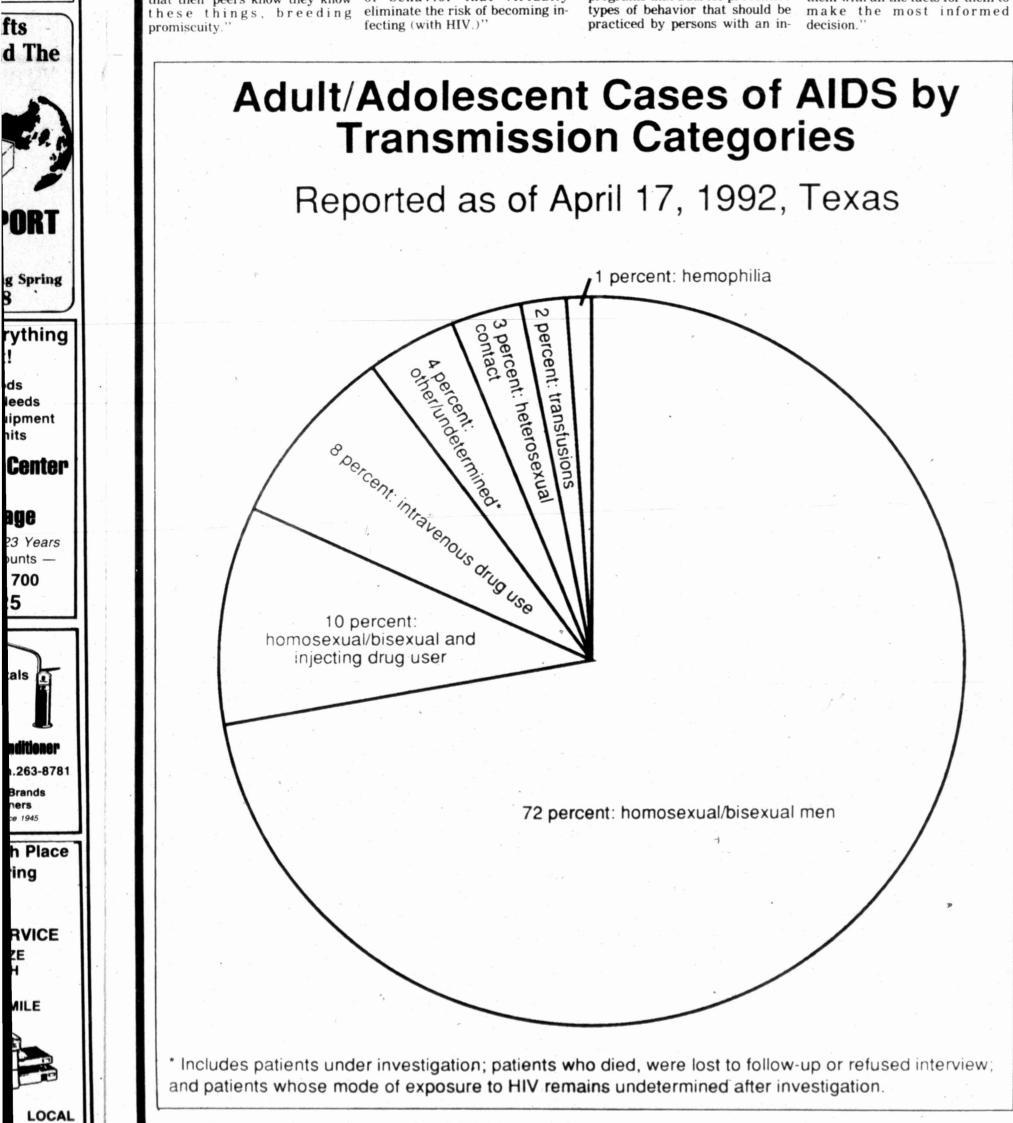
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Section C

# Safe sex Critics say abstinence is the answer

### By MARTHA E. FLORES Staff Writer

The question of practicing "safe sex" has been a point of controversy since the term was coined in the early 1980s at the outbreak of the Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) epidemic.

"Safe sex" is defined by health officials as any sexual act where bodily fluids are not exchanged. Bodily fluids include semen, vaginal secretions and blood.

Critics of "safe sex" contend that abstinence is the only way to practice "safe sex." They also contend that teaching "safe sex" will advocate having indiscriminate sex and inadvertently increase the number of sexually transmitted diseases, which include gonorrhea, syphilis, chlamydia and AIDS.

One such critic is the Denverbased ministry "Focus on the Family." It has begun a media campaign called "In defense of a little virginity." The campaign consists of a full-page advertisement, which begins with statistics on STD's.

The ad says "the 'safe sex' mining our policy regarding adolescent sexuality. Their ideas have failed, and it is time to rethink their bankrupt ideas." It continues with "the process of recommending condom usage to

"We would not make a moral stand on the issue. What we are concerned with is stopping the spread of the virus (HIV). We recommend abstinence for high school students but, if they choose to have sex, we recommend they practice safe sex."

**Chuck Fallis**, CDC spokesman

What the ad fails to mention is that through educational programs and screening there are two STD's that have decreased in the past 20 years.

Infectious syphilis has decreased and so has gonorrhea," said Joe Blount of the Centers for Disease Control. "Gonorrhea in 1978 was at one million cases and in the 1991 survey it decreased to 620,000.

The CDC formulated guidelines for effective school health education to prevent the spread of AIDS. In the guidelines the CDC promotes abstinence, but also states the need for protection if one is having sex

'We would not make a moral stand on the issue," said Chuck gurus and condom promoters who Fallis, CDC spokesman. "What we got us into this mess are still deter- are concerned with is stopping the spread of the virus (HIV).

'We recommend abstinence for high school students but, if they choose to have sex, we recommend they practice safe sex.

As published by the Morbidity teenagers inevitably conveys five and Mortality Weekly Report dangerous ideas: (1) that 'safe (Jan. 29, 1988), CDC says "the sex' is achievable; (2) that educational program should everybody is doing it; (3) that assure that young people acquire responsible adults expect them to the knowledge and skills they will do it; (4) that it's a good thing; (5) need to adopt and maintain types that their peers know they know of behavior that virtually

The following is an excerpt from the guidelines published:

School systems should make programs available that will enable and encourage young people who have not engaged in sexual intercourse and who have not used illicit drugs to continue to:

 Abstain from sexual intercourse until they are ready to establish a mutually monogamous relationship within the context of marriage;

 Refrain from using or injecting illicit drugs.

For young people who have engaged in sexual intercourse or who have injected illicit drugs, school programs should enable and encourage them to:

• Stop engaging in sexual intercourse until they are ready to establish a mutually monogamous relationship within the context of marriage;

 To stop using or injecting illicit drugs

Despite all efforts, some young people may remain unwilling to adopt behavior that would virtually eliminate their risk of becoming infected. Therefore, school systems, in consultation with parents and health officials, should provide AIDS education programs that address preventive

creased risk of acquired HIV infection, These include:

 Avoiding sexual intercourse with anyone who is known to be infected, who is at risk of being infected, or whose HIV infection status in not known;

• Using a latex condom with spermicide if they engage in sexual intercourse;

 Seeking treatment if addicted to illicit drugs;

 Not sharing needles or other injection equipment;

· Seeking HIV counseling and testing if HIV infection is suspected

The guidelines were developed by the CDC in consultation with the American Academy of Pediatrics, American Association of School Administrators, American Public Health Association, American School Health Association, Association for the Advancement of Health Education, Association of State and Territorial Health Officers, Council of Chief State School Officers, National Congress of Parents and Teachers and National Council of Churches

Like the CDC guidelines developed and "Focus on the Family," AIDS coalitions also

Charles Cawley, outreach coordinator at the Permian Basin AIDS Coalition. "We also advocate abstinence, but if sex is going to be practice, we also advocate condom usage.

"People are responsible for their own lives. We just provide them with all the facts for them to The global AIDS epidemic

A new study by Harvard University researchers predicts that the AIDS epidemic will explode beyond previous estimates-up to 110 million adults and 10 million children infected by 2000.

### Adult HIV infection

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Source: Harvard University

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# Contraceptive use higher in industrialized nations

Southeast Asia

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

GENEVA - Sexual intercourse occurs more than 100 million times daily, resulting in nearly 1 million conceptions and about 350,000 cases of sexually transmitted diseases, the World Health Organization said Wednesday.

About 150,000 unwanted pregnancies end every day in abortion, the U.N. health agency said. On average, one woman minute worldwide

This is followed by male sterilization with 19 percent and oral contraception with 15 percent.

24,000

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AP/T. Dean Caple

In industrialized countries. use of condoms is much higher than in the Third World. Condoms are most popular in Japan, accounting there for nearly 70 percent of all contraception.

Despite the progress, about 300 million couples worldwide still do not have access to family planning, the report says. Of the

### prioritize abstinence before "safe "We really do not take a stand on the use of condoms," said Billy

because of complications during pregnancy or childbirth.

But the agency's report, "Reproductive Health, a Key to a Brighter Future," said access to contraception has increased rapidly in the past few decades, giving women more control over their bodies and their lives.

'Without fertility regulation, women's rights are mere words," the report said. "A women who has no control over her fertility cannot complete her education, cannot maintain gainful employment ... and has very few real choices open to her.

910,000 conceptions that happen every day, about half are unplanned. Sub-Saharan Africans have the least access to family planning services.

Sub-Saharan Africa has the highest fertility rate. Ironically, it also has the highest rate of infertility, WHO said.

Infertility is often caused by sexually transmitted diseases that have no visible symptoms and usually go untreated in developing countries. Worldwide, there are about 250 million new cases of sexually transmitted diseases like gonorrhea every year.

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The report says about 381 million people used contraception in Third World countries in 1985-90, up from only 31 million in 1960-65. The biggest rise has been in east Asia, where contraceptive use is higher than in industrialized nations.

WHO says couples in industrialized nations use contraception in about 70 percent of all sexual acts

Women in developing countries had on average 3.9 children in 1985-90 compared with 6.1 in 1965-70, WHO says.

"The progress has really been quite striking over the past few decades," said Dr. Mahmoud Fathalla, author of the report. WHO described the 170-page document as the most comprehensive international study to date of reproductive health. It was based on information provided by medical institutes around the world.

Fathalla said the figure of 1 million conceptions is calculated from health data on the number of live births in the world. The 100 million sex acts is based on a 1-in-100 fecundity ratio derived from longaccepted statistics, he said. The 100 million includes sex where contraceptives were used.

The report says female sterilization is the most widespread form of contraception, accounting for 26 percent of all methods of contraception.

The report estimates more than 60 million couples are infertile worldwide.

At the same time there are an estimated 36 million to 53 million abortions every year, it says. The number of illegal abortions is thought to range from 15 million to 22 million, many of them done in dangerous conditions, it says. About 500 women die each day worldwide because of botched abortions.

The report calculates about one-quarter of the world's population lives in countries where abortion is virtually prohibited. The 25 countries with the most relaxed abortion laws account for 40 percent of the population.

It points out that liberal laws do not necessarily encourage abortions, citing the Netherlands, which has one of the lowest rates. It says contrary to popular belief, most women wanting abortions are married or in a steady relationship and have several children.

Despite all the advances, great inequality between men and women continues in most parts of the world, it says, and cites female circumcision as an example.

It says about 80 million women, mainly in east and west Africa and the Middle East. have suffered "female genital mutilation," the main aim of which is to prevent women from enjoying sex.

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# **Cotton-Patterson**

Amber Jane Cotton, Houston, and Robert Piner Patterson, Wichita Falls, exchanged wedding vows May 31, 1992 at a 3 p.m. ceremony at the Caterham Reformed Church, Caterham, Surrey, England, with the Rev. John Flynn officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Darrel and Feona Cotton, Houston, She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holder, Caterham, England.

Bridegroom's parents are Dr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, Big Spring. He is the grandson of Mrs. Morris Patterson and the late Morris Patterson

The bride, given in marriage by her Uncle Jeremy Holder, Kingswood, wore a gown of white shantung and alencon lace designed by Bianchi. The gown was fashioned with an off-the-shoulder neckline and jeweled petal sleeves. The back of the bodice was adorned with a silk rose and tiered bow that accentuated the full train. The hemline of the court-length dress was trimmed with pearls.

Maid of honor was Voe Katrina Cotton, bride's sister, Houston.

Bridesmaids were Lee Patterson, bridegroom's sister, Big Spring; and Lori Black, Houston. Flower girl was Rachel Hunter,

London, England. Best man was Todd Patterson,

bridegroom's brother, Kingswood. Ushers were Wesley Oliver and Will Oliver, Pleasanton; and Sam Ross, Big Spring.

Ringbearer was Guy Holder,



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bride's cousin, Kingswood, England.

After the ceremony, a reception was hosted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Holder, Kingswood, England. In keeping with English tradition, guests were served a fruit cake with marzipan icing.

The bride, a graduate of Lamar High School, Houston, attended Texas Tech University. She plans to attend Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Forsan High School and Texas Tech University, is employed by Wright Brothers in Vernon.

After a wedding trip to the British Isles, the couple will make their home in Wichita Falls.

# Short-Billingsley

Sandra Sue Short and Michael Thomas Billingsley, San Angelc, were united in marriage May 23, 1992 at a 1 p.m. ceremony at First United Methodist Church, Ft. Stockton, with Harold Durham, pastor of Ft. Stockton, Church of Christ, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Roy and Maudie Short, Ft. Stockton. Bridegroom's parents are James and Tommie Billingsley, Big Spring.

The couple stood before an altar decorated with two large baskets of white roses, gladiolas and pink carnations. Each side was flanked with a 12-branch candelabras decorated with white candles and pink bows

Organist was Donna Nix.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of candlelight satin with a sweetheart neckline. Alencon lace motifs adorned the fitted bodice and the short, puff sleeves. Lace, jeweled appliques cascaded down the front and back of the bouffant skirt. The scalloped hemline was trimmed with lace and pearls.

She carried a bouquet of daisies, white roses, pink carnations and greenerv

Maid of honor was Gretta Short, bride's sister, Ft. Stockton.

bridegroom's brother, Houston. Ushers and candlelighters were David Short, bride's brother, Ft.

Stockton; and Logan Gamble, bridegroom's nephew, Big Spring. After the ceremony, a reception was hosted at the church in Hardwick Hall. The bride's table, draped with an ecru cloth that was caught up in swags decorated with pink flowers, featured a three-tier white cake decorated with



greenery and fresh flowers. The cake was topped with a bride and bridegroom figurine.

The bridegroom's table, draped with an ecru cloth with a navy blue underlay, featured a German chocolate cake decorated with the Dr Pepper logo. A coffee service and other Dr Pepper memorabilia completed the setting.

The bride, a graduate of Ft. Stockton High School, attended Angelo State University. She is employed by Winn Dixie Supermarkets.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Grady High School, attended Angelo State University. He is employed by Wal-Mart.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio and the Hill Country, the couple will make their home in San Angelo.

# Miller-Wolf

Julie Miller and Troyce Wolf, Big Spring, exchanged wedding vows June 27, 1992 at a 7:30 p.m. ceremony at First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Don Miller, Big Spring.

Bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wolf, Borden County.

The couple stood before an altar decorated with candelabras decorated with wild smilax and springer. Fern and large arrangments of gladiolas, gerber daisies, larkspurs and pink spider mums completed the setting.

Pianist was Julie Shirey. Organist was Beth Spence.

Vocalists were Mark Lyon, Tristi Cheatham and Tasha Turner.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an original gown by Phyliss of Bianchi of lace in bridal white. The sheath dress of imported alencon was accented with an off-the-shoulder portrait neckline and long tapered sleeves. A satin kabuki bow held the detachable train of layers of French tulle enhanced with appliques of lace. Her chapel-length veil was fashioned of imported illusion accented with pearls.

She carried a cascading bouquet of bridal white roses, stephanotis, gardenias and dendrobium orchids.

Maid of honor was Lori Griffice. Dallas

Bridesmaids were Brenda Shirey, Lubbock; April Brock, Tulsa, Okla.; Jana Cantrell, Dallas; and Kerry Northern, bride's cousin, Lubbock

Flower girls were Katie and Sara McBride.

Best man was Ryan Wade, Dallas.

Groomsmen were Stan Getz, Los Angeles, Calif.; Jeff Shorter, bridegroom's brother-in-law, El Paso; Ben Murphy, Snyder; and Jimmy Miller, bride's brother, Lubbock.

Ushers and candlelighters were Mike Skinner, Dallas; and Yancy Spivey, bride's cousin, San Antonio

After the ceremony, a reception was hosted at the Big Spring Coun-



### MRS. TROYCE G. WOLF

try Club. The bride's table, draped with a floor-length lace cloth, was centered with a three-tier cake that was elevated by a stand adorned with garland and borders lavished with pearls. The cake was decorated with gerber daisies, miniature candia roses, larkspur, miniature carnations, alstroemeria lilies and greenery. A silver candelabra with fresh flowers accented the table.

The bridegroom's table was decorated with an antique brass candelabra holding fresh flowers and fruit. A two-tier chocolate cake with raspberry filling was decorated with rich dark chocolate shavings.

The bride, a 1985 graduate of Big Spring High School and a 1989 graduate of Texas Tech University, is employed as the director of marketing at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

The bridegroom is a 1980 graduate of Borden County High School and a 1984 graduate of Texas Tech University. In 1988, graduated from Southern Methodist University School of Law. He is a civil trial attorney with the law firm of Bancroft, Mouton and Wolf, Big Spring.

After a wedding trip to the Hawaiian Islands of Maui and Kauai, the couple will make their home in Big Spring.



Marga Irmgard Palmer and Eric Christopher Senzig, Orlando, Fl., exchanged wedding vows June 1,



# Anniversary

Leon and Clovis Bodine, Ackerly, will celebrate 50 years of marriage at a reception today from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Bilbo family home. Their children will host the event

Leon was born in San Augustine. Mrs. Bodine, the former Clovis Wright, was born in Lamesa The couple married June 26,

1942 They have four children: Steve Bodine, Ackerly; Zelda Bilbo, Ackerly; Reba Johnson, Lubbock;

Best man was Jay Billingsley,

**Bodine** 

DATE SET - Dana Gerise Hoelscher, Garden City, and Stuart Edward Immel, Fredericksburg, will exchange wedding vows July 25, 1992 at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, with the Rev. Charles Greenwell officiating. The bride-elect is the daughter of LeRoy and Valeria Hoelscher. The prospective bridegroom's parents are Alton and Janie Immel. Fredericksburg.

# COUPLE TO WED - Katrina Thompson, Big Spring, and Earl

Griggs Jr., Arlington, will exchange wedding vows Aug. 1, 1992 at First United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Farris L. Strambler, bride's uncle, officiating. The bride-elect is the daughter of Dickie Thompson and Gladys Thompson, Big Spring. The prospective bridegroom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Earl L. Griggs Sr., Ft. Worth.

# Military

**Corporal Roman Gregg Padron**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Susano Padron, Coahoma, has completed four years with the United States Marine Corp on June 15.

During his tour of duty, he served on the U.S.S. Germantown, touring areas such as the Phillipines, Okinawa, Al Dubia, Oman and Saudi Arabia.

During the Gulf War, Padron was assigned to one of the Marine Expeditionary Units, serving as a demolition expert. After the war, he completed his duty at Camp Pendleton California.

Padron joined the Marines after graduating from Coahoma High School in 1988.



ROMAN GREGG PADRON

and Wanda Martens, Lamesa The Bodines have nine grandchildren and four greatgrandchildren. During their marriage, the cou- MR. AND MRS. ple has lived in Ackerly.



LEON BODINE

# Maxwell families reunite

Dorothy Maxwell Coleman and husband, Deck, joined her five brothers and their families early in June for the annual Mikeul B. and Florence Maxwell reunion. The brothers, Chester of Evant, Ewell of Abilene, Fowden of College Station, M.B. of Abilene and Doyle Maxwell of Brekenridge, celebrated with the Colemans at Rosewood Park in Abilene. Fiftyfour were in attendance.

The highlights of the reunion were genealogy charts made by Chester on computer print-outs. New data was gathered for next year's charts. When edited by each family and additions made, he plans to compile the information in book for family members.

Ewell Maxwell, 77, was the oldest member present and Mikeul Stephan Maxwell, nine months, of Houston, the youngest. Mikeul was also a member of Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Maxwell family of Houston who traveled the greatest distance.

Family members of the six direct descendants of the M.B. Maxwell's enjoying the barbecue brisket, fried chicken, pinto beans with lots of salads and desserts were Chester's two daughters, Joann Dagoo and Sandra Powe and their families; Ewell's wife, Marie, with their two daughters, Shirley Nelson and Naomi Coleman and

Mickie Harrington

their families; Fowden's wife, Kathryn with their son and family, including the youngest member present

M.B. Maxwell attended with his son, Lynn. Doyle attended with his wife, Rhama and daughters, Deana and family and Sue Lynn Alexander, and husband, Terry. Celebrants also attended from

Ft. Worth, Dallas, Luther and Welch.

Please phone me at 399-4564 with your items of news. Luther, Vealmoore and Vincent happenings need to be reported. Visits from out-of-town, birthdays of those over 65, vacations, family reunions and other happy times are all of interest to your neighbors and friends.

Locals seem to be shy about putting their names in the news, and I try to respect your privacy, but your neighbors are interested, and such items make for a more interesting and entertaining newspaper.

992 at a 2:30 p.m. ceremony in Kissimmee, Fl., with Judge Dianne Rigdon officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Palmer, Big Spring.

Bridegroom's mother is Joyce A. Senzig, Terre Haute, Ind.

After the ceremony, a reception was hosted at the home of Mrs. Gerald Humphrey. Mrs. Humphrey and Mrs. Frances Humphrey served as hostesses.

The bride, a 1985 graduate of Big Spring High School, attended Howard College. She is employed by Universal Movie Studios, Orlando, in the public relations department.

The bridegroom, a 1982 graduate of Osceola High School, attended Southern Florida University. He is Island, Fl., the couple will make a missile systems analyst at their home in Orlando.

Martin-Marietta Aerospace Co. After a wedding trip to Marco

MR. AND MRS.

ERIC SENZIG









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Big Spring Herald, Sunday, June 28, 1992

# In Defense of a Little Virginity a message from Focus on the Family

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spent almost \$3 billion of our taxes since 1970 to promote contraceptives and "safe sex" among our teenagers. Isn't it time we asked, What have we gotten for our money? These are the facts:

> • The federal Centers for Disease Control estimate that there are now 1 million cases of HIV infection nationwide.

The federal

government has

 1 in 100 students coming to the University of Texas health center now carries the deadly virus.

 The rate of heterosexual HIV transmission has increased 44% since September 1989.

 Sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) infect 3 million teenagers annually.

• 63% of all STD cases occur among persons less than 25 years of age.

 1 million new cases of pelvic inflammatory disease occur annually. • 1.3 million new cases of gonorrhea

occur annually ; strains of gonorrhea have developed that are resistant to penicillin • Syphilis is at a 40-year high, with

134,000 new infections per year.

Why, apart from moral censiderations, do you think teenagers should be taught to abstain from sex until marriage?

No other approach to the epidemic of sexually transmitted diseases will work. The so-called "safe-sex" solution is a disaster in the making. Condoms can fail at least 15.7 percent of the time annually in preventing pregnancy.14 They fail 36.3 percent of the time annually in preventing pregnancy among young. unmarried minority women.15 In a study of homosexual men, the British Medical Journal reported the failure rate due to slippage and breakage to be 26 percent. Given these findings, it is obvious why we have a word for people who rely on condoms as a means of birth control. We call them ...

"parents."

Remembering that a woman can conceive only one or two days per month, we can only guess how high the failure rate for condoms

must be in preventing disease, which can be transmitted 365 days per year! If the devices are not used properly, or if they slip just once, viruses and bacteria are exchanged and the disease process begins. One mistake after 500 "protected" episodes is all it takes to contract a sexually transmitted disease. The damage is done in a single moment when rationalthought is overridden by passion.

Those who would depend on so insecure a method must use it properly on every occasion, and even then a high failure rate is brought about by factors. beyond their control. The young victim who is told by his elders that this little latex device is "safe" may not know he is risking lifelong pain and even death for so brief a window of pleasure. What a burden to place on an immature mind and body Then we must recognize that there are other differences between pregnancy prevention and disease prevention. HIV is 1/25th the width of sperm,<sup>17</sup> and can pass easily through even the smallest gaps in condoms. Researchers studying surgical gloves made out of latex, the same material in condoms, found "channels of 5 microns that penetrated the entire thickness of the glove." HIV measures .1 microns.<sup>19</sup> Given these findings, what rational, informed person would trust his or her very life to such flimsy armor? This surely explains why not one of 800 sexologists at a conference a few years ago raised a hand when asked if they would trust a thin rubber sheath to protect them during intercourse with a known HIV-infected person.<sup>20</sup> Who could blame them? They're not crazy, after all. And yet they're'perfectly willing to tell our kids that "safe sex" is within reach and that they can sleep around with impunity.

intercourse for a full year, on average, before starting any kind of contraception.<sup>23</sup> That is the success ratio of the experts who call abstinence "unrealistic" and "unworkable.

Even if we spent another \$50 billion to promote condom usage, most teenagers would still not use them consistently and properly. The nature of human beings and the passion of the act simply do not lend themselves to a disciplined response in young romantics.

### But if you knew a teenager was going to have intercourse, wouldn't you teach him or her about proper condom usage?

No, because that approach has an unintended consequence. The process of recommending condom usage to teenagers inevitably conveys five dangerous ideas: (1) that "safe sex" is achievable; (2) that everybody is doing it; (3) that responsible adults expect them to do it; (4) that it's a good thing; and (5) that their peers know they know these things, breeding promiscuity. Those are very destructive messages to give our kids. Furthermore,

Planned Parenthood's own data show that the number one reason teenagers engage in intercourse is peer pressure!24 Therefore. anything we do to imply that "every-

body is doing it" results in more ... not fewer ... people who give the game a try. Condom distribution programs do not reduce the number of kids exposed to disease . . . they radically increase it!

Want proof of that fact? Since the federal government began its major contraception program in 1970, unwed pregnancies have increased 87 percent among 15- to 19-year-olds.25 Likewise, abortions among teens rose 67 percent;24 unwed births went up 61 percent.<sup>27</sup> And venereal disease has infected a generation of young people. Nice job. sex counselors. Good thinking, senators and congressmen. Nice nap, America. Having made a blunder that now threatens the human family, one would think the designers would be backtracking and apologizing for their miscalculations. Instead, they continue to lobby Congress and corporate America fort-more money. Given the misinformation extant on this subject, they'll probably get it.

A few years ago in Lexington, Ky., a youth event was held that featured no. sports contest, no rock groups—just an ex-convict named Harold Morris talking about abstinence, among other subjects. The coliseum seated 18,000 people, but 26,000 teenagers showed up! Eventually, more than 2,000 stood outside the packed auditorium and listened over a hastily prepared public address system. Who says kids won't listen to this time-honored message?

Even teens who have been sexually active can choose to stop. This is often called "secondary virginity," a good concept that conveys the idea that kids can start over. One young girl recently wrote Ann Landers to say she wished she had kept her virginity, signing the letter, "Sorry I didn't and wish I could take it back." As responsible adults we need to tell her that even though she can't go back, she can go forward. She can regain her self-respect and protect her health, because it's never too late to start saying "no" to premarital sex.

### Even though the safe-sex advocates predominate in educational circles, are there no positive examples of abstinencebased programs for kids?

Thankfully, some excellent programs have been developed. Spokane-based Teen-Aid and Chicago's Southwest Parents Committee are good examples. So are Next Generation in Maryland, Choices in California and Respect Inc. in Illinois. Other curricula such as Facing Reality; Sex Respect; Me, My World, My Future: Reasonable Reasons to Wait: Sex, Love & Choices; F.A.C.T.S. etc., are all abstinence-themed programs to help kids make good sexual decisions.

A good curriculum for inner-city youth is Elayne Bennett's Best Friends Program. This successful "mentoring" project helps adolescents in Washington. D.C. graduate from high school and remain abstinent. In five years, not one female has become pregnant while in the Best Friends Program!

Of course, the beautiful young actors in those stearry dramas never faced any consequences for their sexual indulgence. No one ever camé down with herpes, or syphilis, or chlamydia, or pelvic inflammatory disease, or infertility, or AIDS, or genital warts, or cervical cancer. No patients were ever told by a physician that there was no cure for their disease or that they would have to deal with the pain

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for the rest of their lives. No one ever heard that genital cancers associated with the human papilloma virus. (HPV) kill more women than AIDS,<sup>30</sup> or that strains of gonorrhea are now resistant to penicillin

> No, there was no downside. It all looked like so much fun. But what a price we are paying now for the lies we have been

The government has also. contributed to this crisis and continues to exacerbate the problem. For example, a current brochure from the federal Centers for Disease Control and the City of New York is entitled, "Teens Have the Right," and is apparently intended to free adolescents from adult authority. Inside are the six declarations that make up a "Teenager's Bill of Rights," as follows:

. I have the right to think for myself. . I have the right to decide whether to

have sex and who[m] to have it with

. I have the right to use protection when I have sex.

• I have the right to buy and use condoms.

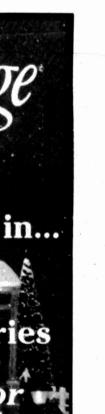
. I have the right to express myself. • I have the right to ask for help if I need it.

Under this final item (the right to ask for help) is a list of organizations and phone numbers that readers are



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• 500,000 new cases of herpes occur annually<sup>9</sup>; it is estimated that 16.4% of the U.S. population ages 15-74 is infected, totaling more than 25 million Americans — among certain groups, the infection rate is as high as 60%."

 4 million cases of chlamydia occur annually11; 10-30% of 15- to19-yearolds are infected.1

. There are now 24 million cases of human papilloma virus (HPV), with a higher prevalence among teens.

To date, over 20 different and dangerous sexually transmitted diseases are rampant among the young. Add to that the problems associated with promisčuous behavior: infertility, abortions and infected newborns. The cost of this epidemic is staggering, both in human suffering and in expense to society; yet epidemiologists tell us we've only seen the beginning.

Incredibly, the "safe-sex" gurus and condom promoters who got us into this mess are still determining our policy regarding adolescent sexuality. Their ideas have failed, and it is time to rethink their bankrupt policies.

How long has it been since you've heard anyone tell teenagers why it is to their advantage to remain virgins until married? The facts are being withheld from them, with tragic consequences. Unless we come to terms with the sickness that stalks a generation of Americans, teen promiscuity will continue, and millions of kids . thinking they are protected .... will suffer for the rest of their lives. Many will die of AIDS.

There is only one safe way to remain healthy in the midst of a sexual revolution. It is to abstain from intercourse until marriage, and then wed and be faithful to an uninfected partner. It is a concept that was widely endorsed in society until the 1960s. Since then, a "better idea" has come along ... one that now threatens the entire human family

Inevitable questions are raised whenever abstinence is proposed. It's time we gave some clear answers:

There is only one way to protect ourselves from the deadly diseases that lie in wait. It is abstinence before marriage, then marriage and mutual fidelity for life to an uninfected partner. Anything less is potentially suicidal.

### That position is simply NOT realistic today. It's an unworkable solution: Kids will NOT implement it.

Some will. Some won't. It's still the only answer. But let's talk about an "unworkable solution" of the first order. Since 1970, the federal government has spent nearly \$3 billion to promote contraception and "safe sex." This year alone, 450 million of your tax dollars will go down that drain!<sup>21</sup> (Compared with less than \$8 million for abstinence programs, which Sen. Teddy Kennedy and company have sought repeatedly to eliminate altogether.) Isn't it time we ask what we've gotten for our money? After 22 years and nearly \$3 billion, some 58

percent of teenage girls under 18 still did not use contraception during their first intercourse.<sup>22</sup> Furthermore, teenagers tend to keep having unprotected

But if you were a parent and knew that your son or daughter' was having sex, wouldn't you rather he or she used a condom?

How much risk is acceptable when you're talking about your teenager's life? One study of married couples in which one partner was infected with HIV found that 17% of the partners using condoms for protection still caught the virus within a year and a half.<sup>38</sup> Telling our teens to "reduce their risk" to one in six (17%) is not much better than advocating Russian roulette. Both are fatal, eventually. The difference is that with a gun, death is quicker. Suppose your son or daughter were joining an 18-month skydiving club of six members. If you knew that one of their parachutes would definitely fail, would you recommend that they simply buckle the chutes tighter? Certainly not. You would say, "Please don't jump. Your life is at stake!" How could a loving parent do less?

### Kids won't listen to the abstinence message. You're just wasting your breath to try to sell them a notion like that.

It is a popular myth that teenagers are incapable of understanding that it is in their best interest to save themselves until marriage. Almost 65 percent of all high school females under 18 are virgins.

Establishing and nurturing abstinence ideas with kids. however, can be like spitting into the wind. Not because they won't listen, because most will. But proabstinence messages are drowned out in a sea of toxic teen-sex-isinevitable-use-acondom propaganda from safe-sex professionals You place major

responsibility on those who have told adolescents that sexual expression is their right as long as they do it "properly." Who else has contributed to the epidemic?

The entertainment industry must certainly share the blame, including television producers. It is interesting in this context that all four networks and the cable television entities are wringing their hands about this terrible epidemic of AIDS. They profess to be very concerned about those who are infected with sexually transmitted diseases, and perhaps they are sincere. However, TV executives and movie moguls have contributed mightily to the existence of this plague. For decades, they have depicted teens and young adults climbing in and out of each other's beds like so many sexual robots. Only the nerds were shown to be chaste, and they were too stupid or ugly to find partners.

encouraged to call. The philosophy that governs several of the organizations reflects the homosexual agenda, which includes recruitment of the young and vigorous promotion of a teen's right to sexual expression.

Your tax dollars at work!

Surely there are other Americans who recognize the danger now threatening a generation of our best and brightest. It is time to speak up for an old-fashioned value called virginity. Now, more than ever, virtue is a necessity.

If you agree with Focus on the Family that it is time for a new approach to adolescent sexuality, tear out this adand save it. Take it to your next school board meeting. Send it to your congressman of senator. Distribute copies to the PTA. And by all means, share it with your teenagers. Begin to promote abstinence before marriage as the only healthy way to survive this worldwide epidemic.

Please use the coupon below to obtain a valuable booklet on abstinence There is no charge for it. However, your support is requested for an upcoming TV program for teenagers on this important topic. Your comments are also solicited.



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# Look at that face

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Christie Brinkley frames the face of 17-year-old Audry Anderson after she was named the winner in the 1992 High School Cover Girl Model Search Wednesday in New York. The Ft. Worth native will receive a \$10,000 modeling contract and joins the ranks of wellknown models, Cybill Shepherd, Cheryl Tiegs and Brinkley, who are all past winners.

# Stovall retires after 22 years

"This has just blown me away!" says Jewell Stovall. "I wasn't expecting anything.

Jewell was treated to a trio of parties to mark her retirement after 22 years as a teacher at Big Spring High School, Coahoma High School and Howard College.

Twenty-three of her fellow teachers surprised her with a picnic atop Scenic Mountain. The crowd braved some high winds for awhile, then continued the party at the home of Roger and Martha Tucker

At Big Spring High School, Jewell's "A" Lunch Group served cake in her honor and presented her with a gift.

Finally, Jewell's family surprised her with a dinner party at the home of her sister and brother-in-

### **Humane society**

"Snuffy" small cocoa poodle, purebred. Light brown curly coat with a great personality, indoor dog around toy size, neutered male.

"Brother" 5-month-old German shepherd pup. Light brown shorthaired coat with black markings, male, friendly and playful.

"Heidi" old English sheepdog mix pup, a ball of white fur with dark grey spots and floppy ears, around 51/2 months old, female. Adorable puppy with an active personality.

"Melba" purebred basset hound, brown, black and white shorthaired coat with large ears, feet, and eyes, slow and calm, spayed female.

"Angelique" purebred blonde cocker spaniel, soft, curly coat with large brown eyes, docked tail and floppy ears. She is calm and gentle, wonderful with children, spayed female.

'Scruffy" grey poodle, groomed, curly coat with a great, bouncy personality, indoor dog that loves people. Spayed female.

"Sneakers" large white shorthaired cat with ash grey spots. Sweet and gentle, indoor cat that is box trained, neutered male.

I was first attracted to Rockport

by its trees. One of them is the big-

gest tree in Texas, believed to be

well over 1,000 years old. Others

closer to the water are sculpted by

Then I noticed the birds. Black

skimmer, laughing gull, loon, ibis,

spoonbill, ruby throated humm-

ingbird and about 495 other species

are found around Rockport.

"Jerry" striking manx cat, longhaired grey coat with white toes, chest and whiskers, topped off with an one inch tail, very loving, definitely indoor cat, box trained, neutered male.

All cats and kittens are just a \$25 donation. This includes leukemia tests, worming, vaccinations and spaying or neutering. Dogs and puppies are just a \$35 donation that includes vaccinations, worming, and spaying or neutering. Shelter hours, Mon.-Fri. 4-6 p.m. nd Sat.-Sun. 3-5 p.m. 267-7832.

Tick dipping at the shelter during hours. \$5 per pet. Bring your pet and a towel. At other homes

Adorable puppies need a home. All shorthaired, one male, three females, solid tan coats, and black and brown german markings, mother is border collie and cocker mix. Call 263-4041, ask for Darlene or drop by 1003 Sycamore.

A 1-year-old blue/grey longhaired female cat and her kitten needs a home. Please call 263-0616.

Purebred basset hound needs a home, spayed 3-year-old. Call 263-4837



"Roger" is a purebred American pointer with a liver and white shorthaired coat. He's active, intelligent and loves people and the outdoors.

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the water which remind you of fishing villages in the northeast.

ing the cool months. When you're in Rockport you adopt a certain laidback attitude. You get into yourself and seem better for the experience. Perhaps it's the openness of the sea and of peo-

Artists flock to Rockport and try

Trout, redfish, drum, shrimp, crab. dance. Occasionally you'll find a

Duck hunting is a big sport dur-

Waterfront hotels maintain

Rockport has unique homes on

early industries was a turtle canning plant. that makes it so appealing. By the turn of the century If you travel up and down the

Rockport was a fashionable Texas coast you won't find another seaside resort. A hurricane in 1919 city any more charming than wiped away the dance pavilions Rockport. It is one of the truly and big hotels and the area became distinctive towns in Texas.

a popular family vacation area. It is filled with wonderful Tourism became the city's major talkative characters who have a source of income because of the gleam in their eye and love to talk lure of people who loved water about where they live. recreation. One of the early Texas

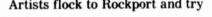
Rockport is clean. People are proud of their community and work hard to keep it neat and attractive.

Rockport's Tarpon Rodeo. Rockport was founded in 1867 as day still capitalize on the area's a seaport to haul cattle northward. natural resources. Crab races, an Slaughter houses were established oysterfest and hummingbird to get bones, tallow, hides, horns and hooves to eastern markets. celebration draw large crowds and give Rockport residents a reason to Most of the meat was thrown into

go out and have fun. the water. The bones became fertilizer, the tallow as used for making candles evidences of prehistoric cannibal civilizations around Rockport. A and soap, the hides became shoes, the horns and hooves were used to couple of Indian tribes used to eat whatever was most handy. It's part make combs and buttons. of a history that makes Rockport

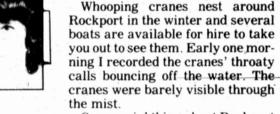
At that time cowhide was worth more than a live cow. One of the

ple who live near it.



One special thing about Rockport in winter is the neon waves. Tiny plants produce light, and when they are agitated by the wind or waves, they shine brightly. Boats, fish and anything else in the water attract the plant and take on an

eerie glow. Fishing is good around Rockport.



the sea breezes

Lea

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Emily, Carrollton. Other beachcombers were Lynn's sister, Paula, with husband Rick Kerchival, Houston, and their parents, Harold and Bobbie Sue Chapman, Wichita Falls. Bobbie Sue brought her keyboard which she played at night for group

Charles and Joan Beil are readying their house for a benefit for the

law, Leola and Lindell Newton. It was a full house.

All four of the "Smith girls" were there, including Jewell and Leola, Mary Sue Walker, and Helen Rowe, Commerce, as well as their dad, Leonard Smith, 85

Others on hand included Jewell's husband, Bill, and their son and daughter-in-law, Rick and Cindy Stovall; Helen's husband, Richard, and neices Sandra, Crystal and Cecilia Fernandez, all of Commerce, and many others.

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Former resident Robert Wernsman, Huntsville, dropped a note this week

An amateur thespian, Robert said he recently played the lead in 'The Oldest Living Graduate," a trilogy of plays set in West Texas.

"I had a lot of experience to base my character on," Robert quipped. Formerly publisher of the Big Spring Herald, Robert is now managing editor of the Huntsville Item.

Betty Wrinkle spent her vacation at Crystal Beach, near Galveston, with 36 of her closest relatives and friends

'We fished, ate lots of shrimp, picked up shells, and just had a lot of fun," Betty says.

The gathering - which packed three beach houses - included Betty's sister and her husband, Marge and Forest Smith, Rushford, Minn.; the Wrinkle sons, Robert Wrinkle, Dallas; David Wrinkle, Big Spring; John Wrinkle and wife Lynn, with Charlie and Willie, Dallas, and Betty's daughter, Susan, and husband, Roger Deahlin, with Jennifer and

Howard Glasscock Unit of the American Cancer Society. A wine and cheese party is set for

7 to 9 p. m. Thursday, July 9. Admission is by donation to the Cancer Society.

This columnist joined the ranks of vacationers last week

I went to St. Joseph, Mo., to visit my son, R. Patt Lilly, and my granddaughter, Claire Louise Lilly, 3.

Highlight of the vacation was a trip to Kansas City and a tour of the Steamboat Arabia Museum. The Arabia was a paddleboat cargo ship which sank in the muddy Missouri River in 1853; after six previous tries at raising the legendary ship and its cargo, space-age technology enabled a team of explorers to uncover its secrets in 1988

That same technology made possible the reclamation of the Arabia's total 200-ton cargo, billed as "the largest collection of pre-Civil War frontier artifacts in existence," including hats, shoes, fine dishes from England, brass tableware, ladies hat pins and jewelry, black powder horns and muskets, tin and iron cooking utensils, handmade brass locks and hinges, bolts of fine wool and silk, silver pill boxes, with pills intact! and much more.

The ship's boilers, handmade wood stern and giant paddlewheels were also raised. The museum opened only a year ago, and restoration still continues on the incredible cargo.

Joining us for the tour were Patt's friend, Sherri Kerns, and her son, Zack Kerns.

# Newcomers

Joy Fortenberry and the **Newcomer Greeting Service** welcomed several new residents to **Big Spring** 

Mary Botts, Snyder. She is employed by Furr's Supermarket. Hobbies include reading, crafts and bowling.

Mike and Lana Burton, and daughter, Kasha, 11, Broken Bow, Okla. Hobbies include arts and crafts, fishing, and baseball.

Dava Botts, and son, Joshua, 2, Snyder. Dava is employed by Town Country Food Store. Hobbies include reading, crafts and bowling. Kelly Nite, Lubbock. He is mployed by Fina Oil & Chemical. **Hobbies include sports and country** 

Mario Umana, Lubbock. He is mployed by Fina Oil & Chemical. lobbies include music, art and sports. Glen Bonnet, Lamesa. He is a

student at Howard College. Hobbies include computers, sports and model airplanes.

Pansy Baker, son, Adam, 5, and daughter, Laura, 7, Houston. She is a cashier. Hobbies include sewing, crafts and gardening. Larry Bounds, Snyder. He is

employed by Golden Plains Care Center. Hobbies include baseball, football and fishing.

Joseph R. and Rhonda Martinez, sons: Joey, 7, Robert, 6, and daughters: Amanda, 5, and Nicole, 3, Bryan. He is employed by Well Tech Well Service. Hobbies include basketball, baseball and drawing.

Mike Kendrick, Golden, Colo. He is employed by Conoco Inc. Hob-bies include fishing, weightlifting ·and exercise.

A handful of cash is better than a garage full of 'Don't Needs' Dial 263-7331

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FOR MONDAY, JUNE 29, 1992 CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Gary Busey, slugger Harmon Killebrew, actress Ruth Warrick, sportscaster Dan Dierdorf.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Pay little or no heed to those who want you to believe their schemes will pay you dividends. You could lose more than you gain. Read contracts carefully before signing them

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A long-standing friendship could be in jeopardy unless you change some of your ways. A selfimprovement program enhances your image. A financial settlement is due.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20):

# Menus

**BIG SPRING SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER** MONDAY — Country fried

steak, corn, mixed vegetables, rolls and fruit. TUESDAY - Meat loaf,

mashed potatoes, broccoli, rolls and sugar cookies. WEDNESDAY - Country

fried steak, corn, mixed vegetables, rolls and fruit. THURSDAY – Hamburger steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli, rolls and sugar cookies. FRIDAY - Closed for

holiday. STANTON SENIOR CITIZENS

MONDAY - Sloppy Joe on

Others try to influence you, sometimes for the wrong reason. You can gain control of your life by setting your own goals. Recent efforts pay off. Stay put if a new job is offered.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Lasting benefits could develop as a result of what you say today. Your energy level is high. Step up the pace at work! Greater productivity is the key to a better salary. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your

enterprising ways bring in muchneeded cash. A busy social life is appealing but should not be allowed to interfere with career progress. Focus on projects that will fatten your bank account. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A

threat to your emotional or in-

bun, french fries, ranch-style beans, snickerdoodles and milk.

> TUESDAY - Beef tips on rice, vegetable salad, green beans, peaches, hot rolls and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Beef taco, taco salad, pinto beans, fruit cobbler, cornbread and milk. THURSDAY - Stuffed bell

pepper, macaroni and tomatoes, pickled beets, peanut butter and syrup, hot rolls and milk.

FRIDAY - Fried chicken with gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, banana pudding, hot rolls and milk.

tellectual interests can be checked by adopting a firm stand. Drop your own projects and come to partner's rescue. Service and dedication are twin assets.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Something comes to a highly beneficial conclusion as far as you are concerned. Your health and diet demand new attention. A calm attitude is vour best defense against rising tension.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Think of the future before you start taking chances that may nullify all you have won. Trying to force opinions on your co-workers will backfire. Learn to go with the flow.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Experiment with a new line of thinking. Keep your domestic life safe from upsetting influences. Overseas contacts bring you good luck; new business results. Romance deepens.

tourist postcards advertised

Some of Rockport's activities to-

Archaeologists have found

interesting.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan, 19): An ultimatum forces you to weigh your options. Consult experts while considering your position. Although legal matters can be complicated, you will get through them

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Look forward to a time of regeneration for your relationships as well as a business. Travel is expensive but worthwhile. Check out the possibility of marketing a favorite product or hobby.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Dealing directly with top officials will help you achieve your goals sooner. It is also the best way to resolve a dispute. A promotion or raise is possible if you redouble your efforts.



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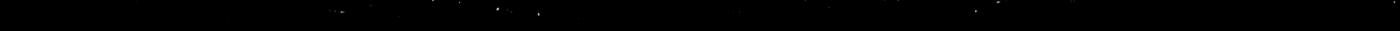
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**Prepared Childbirth Classes** 



Single man should open mouth to avoid paying through the nose

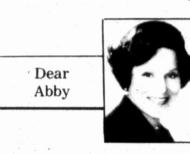
**DEAR ABBY:** I am a reasonably attractive man who, after many years of marriage, is back in the singles scene. After dating for two years, I have some questions to ask. I've heard so much about the women's movement, I get mixed messages.

When a woman calls to invite me out, I am complimented, but I'm confused when I end up paying for the evening - or even half, as a few ladies have suggested at the end of the evening. Some of these women own their own businesses, or have a profession and can well afford to pick up the tab.

One woman invited me to dinner at a very nice restaurant, and when the check came, she said she didn't have any money. Another time, a woman invited me out for dinner, and when the check came, I excused myself and went to the men's room. When I returned, the bill was still on the table.

On another occasion, the woman said that since she had invited me out, we should split the bill. (This was said after the bill had been presented.)

Abby, when I telephone a lady and invite her out, I pay, and when a lady calls a gentleman and in-



do you think? - CONFUSED IN KANSAS

**DEAR CONFUSED:** First, you should both have a very clear understanding at the time the date is made. If the lady calls you, ask her if she is inviting you to escort her at her expense, or is she suggesting that you should treat her to an evening out.

When a lady calls a gentleman and says, "Let's go to a movie (or out to dinner, or whatever)," she should say, "It's my treat," or, Let's go dutch.'

When a gentleman calls a lady, it is assumed that she will be his guest, even though in today's social climate, some women are better able to pick up the tab than men in which case, they should.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I were married 14 months ago. We vites him out, she should pay. What had an enormous wedding and

received many fine wedding gifts. Most are still in their original boxes

Would it be in poor taste to use some of these gifts as "gifts" to send to others? We have several duplicates. - ANONYMOUS

**DEAR ANONYMOUS:** Poor taste? Not at all; it's been done for years by some of our most respected socialites.

Adlai Stevenson tells this story: 'When I served in the Agricultural Administration, every Christmas I'd receive an enormous gunnysack filled with individually giftwrapped packages of walnuts. It solved our Christmas shopping problem because we sent them to all our friends for Christmas. Then, I discovered to my chagrin, that in each package was a little card saying, 'Merry Christmas from the Walnut Industry to Adlai Stevenson.'

**DEAR ABBY:** After reading your article about the uninformed woman who couldn't locate the Pacific Ocean and didn't know the difference between history and geography, I was reminded of the dear little boy in my first-grade class who had just moved to California.

He was telling the class about the

California, and one of the wonders as the ocean.

"What is the name of that ocean?" I asked. "I don't know," he said, "it

didn't have a sign." - HELEN MUNHALL, LA JOLLA, CALIF.

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DEAR ABBY: This is in response to people who use a little imagination when leaving a recorded telephone message:

Three years ago, when my husband and I decided to have an answering machine, I wrote this little poem that has been on our machine ever since. My husband and I recorded it, and this is it:

Me: "This is Kristal. Him: "This is Scott."

Me: "Maybe we're home."

Him: "Maybe we're not." Me: "Leave a message, short

and sweet.' Him: "And don't forget to wait PENN

**DEAR KRISTAL AND SCOTT:** Very clever. Many readers sent in their imaginative messages. How's this for a one-of-a-kind message: "Hello! You have reached the

wonders he had seen here in home of Vincent Van Gogh. Sorry we can't come to the phone right now, but if you care to leave a message, please make it brief and please don't talk my remaining ear off. Wait for the beep.'

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DEAR ABBY: In April, you had a whole column on remedies for bad breath. Since I had a problem with it, too, I asked my dentist who, of course, works close to his patients' faces - how he managed. He told me to use acidophilus or megadophilus capsules - both are available in health food stores. This increases the "good" bacteria in one's intestines and should solve the problem.

According to my dentist, most bad breath problems do not originate in the mouth. - HELEN COX, SAN DIEGO

**DEAR HELEN: Most dentists** agree with your dentist. Bad breath can also be the result of chronic sinus infections. That's why breath mints, chewing gum and constant gargling and rinsing with a mouthwash offer only a temporary fix -not a permanent cure. However, a temporary fix is better than nothing.

DEAR ABBY: The letter you

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received from "Doc in Faribault. Minn.," about the college-graduate cashier who couldn't make change for a \$5 bill, brought to mind a similar experience I had a few months ago while shopping for shoes.

I was standing in line with my purchase, ready to pay, when something went wrong with the cashier's computer. She didn't know what to do, so she tried to call her manager for instructions, but his line was busy. Another clerk told her to use the hand calculator, but she didn't know how to figure the tax, so I told her to multiply .0825 by the purchase price, and add that to the total.

She was very grateful, but I wonder how long the line would have been had I not been there. It makes one wonder what the schoolteachers are teaching nowadays. And how do the students graduate when they learn so little? AMAZED IN ESCONDIDO. CALIF.

Readers can write to: Dear Abby at P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069.

# Society, services work against elderly raising kids

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

HOUSTON - Margaret Davis spreads newspapers three-thick across the plywood floor of the unfinished house where she and her great-granddaughter live.

Steam rising from a pan of water on the hot plate has signaled the beginning of bathtime and Davis directs 8-year-old Annie to stand atop the comics and classifieds while the water is hot.

She soaps, then rinses the child with water in a big, white bucket that is an inadequate substitute for tub, shower and sink. Although the papers soak up some of the water. almost as much seeps out into a pile of clothes on the floor.

Later the 69-year-old Davis will be on her knees mopping up the rest

Life is hard for her and for many of the estimated 3 million grandparents across the nation who try to raise their abused or neglected grandchildren on meager Social Security checks, and love.

"It (grandparents raising



with medical bills of their own," said Sandra Martin, a Montgomery County child advocate.

"If you're not receiving any support from the parents — and nine times out of 10 they aren't - it's hard. You have to deal with a child who is suffering from emotional problems: why Daddy and Mommy left me; why Daddy and Mommy hurt me. There is school to deal with, clothes to buy, activities, medical care, psychological counseling. It's terribly expensive," especially for retired people, she said.

Martin and other child advocates are pressing Texas legislators to implement a kinship program, authorizing reimbursements to grandparents or other relatives who take in an abused child. The Texas Department of Human Services now gives financial assistance - \$18.75 per day, per child - only to foster parents.

"I have no problem with foster parents being reimbursed. They deserve it," Martin said. "But so do grandparents and other relatives. Just because they're with grandparents doesn't mean they don't eat or get sick or

shelter for herself and Annie. Just last winter, Davis came

down with pneumonia. The house, which lacks heating or air conditioning, is like an icebox in the winter and a sauna during Houston's steamy summers, she said.

when it gets too cold or too hot," said Davis. "In January, I got pneumonia. I thought I just had a cold because the weather was so bad. I was laid up in the bed and the wind would come up through the windows. It was as cold in here as it was outside.

house and had it put on a southeast Houston lot she already owned, she thought she would have the money to finish the inside.

a closet or drawer in the house; the gray, Sheetrock walls still have the penciled dimensions and markings that guided the carpenters; and the only water comes up through a spigot sticking through the kitchen

# Weight Loss Surprises Researchers

WASHINGTON -- A nutrition organization was hopeful that a nutritionally complete "hi-tech" food tablet would help erase world hunger problems, until a study revealed that one of the ingredients could cause significant weight loss.

Although other studies and scientists may not agree, researchers in Europe found that the ingredient, a natural plant colloid, actually caused people to lose weight, even though specifically instructed not to alter normal eating patterns, according to one study published in the prestigious British Journal of Nutrition. Researchers in an earlier study had speculated that the weight loss was due to a decrease in the intestinal absorption of calories.

While the project of National Dietary Research, aptly named Food Source One, would not be used to successfully fulfill its original goal, the formula which has since been improved with other natural colloids has been a windfall for some over-

"We have to find a place to go

When Davis bought the "shell"

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grandchildren) used to be because of divorce or illness or death. Now it is because of teen parenting (and) child abuse and neglect due to drugs," said New York child welfare expert Mary Onama.

In the past decade there has been a 50 percent increase in the number of grandparents raising their grandchildren.

Because they rarely have legal custody, grandparents usually do not get court-ordered child support or Social Security benefits for the grandchildren they raise. They also miss out on payments, called "reimbursements," that are made to foster parents. And in many states, they cannot carry grandchildren on their health insurance.

Although the child may qualify separately for food stamps and for AFDC – Aid for Families with the amount is rarely enough to feed and clothe a growing child. Davis

Associated Press photo

Margaret Davis, 69, draws water for household chores as her 8-yearold granddaughter, Annie, watches. Davis is one of three million grandparents nationwide raising children on meager Social Security checks.

Dependent Children – payments, receives about \$120 per month in burden for most grandparents at a could mean the difference between time of life when they may be livaid for Annie. "This is a tremendous financial ing on a lixed income and coping



Babylon's King Nabuchadnezzar attacked Jerusalem with his armies, and the Lord gave him victory. (This happened according to prophecy, because God's people were worshipping idols and would not turn from their evil ways.) Some of the Jewish youths (were) brought back as captives and the king assigned them the best of food and wine from his own kitchen during their three-year training period, planning to make them his counselors when they graduated, Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah were four of the young men chosen, all from the tribe of Judah

But Daniel resolved not to defile

himself with the royal food and wine, and he asked the chief official for permission not to defile himself this way. But he was alarmed by Daniel's suggestion. "I'm afraid you will become pale and thin compared with the other youths age," he said, "and then the king will behead me for neglecting my responsibilities.

Daniel...suggested a ten-day diet of only vegetables and water; then, at the end of this trial period the steward could see how they looked in comparison with the other fellows who ate the king's rich food, and decide whether or not to let them continue their diet. The

steward finally agreed to the test. Well, at the end of the ten days, Daniel and his three friends looked healthier and better nourished than the youths who had been eating the food supplied by the king! So after that the steward fed them only vegetables and water, without the rich foods and wines!

God gave these four youths great ability to learn and they soon mastered all the literature and science of the time, and God gave to Daniel special ability in understanding the meanings of dreams and visions. When the three-year training period was

outgrow their clothes. During 1990, the state placed 1,834 children with family members because of abuse, neglect or abandonment. Although Harris County provides financial assistance to relatives, the \$29,000 budgeted annually is only enough to help 15 families, said Scott Dixon, a TDHS foster care specialist. Davis is not one of them.

Because she took Annie as part of an informal agreement with Harris County Children's Protective Services — which intervened because of allegations Annie was being abused by her father - she does not qualify for county assistance. said Dixon

Davis said the additional income sickness and health as she struggles to feed, clothe and provide

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held this appointment as the king's

counselor until the first year of the

reign of King Cyrus. To be

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continued.

Davis' and Annie's belongings, once stacked neatly in boxes, are now in disarray as the two have pulled out needed items, then thrown them back atop the pile.

After 25 years of working as a beautician and a nursing home attendant, Davis' income barely covers the house payment and insurance on the 21-year-old car she drives. Including state and federal assistance, Davis and Annie receive \$502 a month.

Still they have learned to manage. Although there is no stove, or even a counter top in the small kitchen, Davis cooked stew and potatoes on the hot plate last night. This morning there are biscuits cooking in the toaster oven

"It's difficult," she concedes. "But I've done it so long. We've worked out a way to manage most everything."

weight people. A Daytona Beach, Florida woman fighting a weight battle for 12 years used the product on the recommendation of her physician and lost 30 pounds. She stated, "Not only have I lost 30 pounds but my cholesterol has dropped from 232 to 143. I have two closets full of clothes which have not fit me in two years that I can now wear." In a separate report, a telephone interview revealed that a Wilmington, North Carolina pharmacist lost 14 pounds in 3 weeks on the product and was never hungry.

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# 'We always need our daddies'

It happened to my friend. It was the same old story. Two people marry and multiply. Then one decides to fly the coop, leaving the other to raise the children and shoulder the financial responsibilities alone

It happens all the time. Deadbeat dads have been the focus of much media attention.

My friend's story, however, has a twist: My friend is a man.

His wife walked out on him and their four young sons one Christmas eve many years ago. My friend never remarried. He worked all day in the coal mines and then came home to cook, clean and care for his family. The boys' mother never contributed to their support. My friend did it all, and he did it. alone.

It's not common, but it does happen. There are women who choose to leave their families without a backwards glance. They assume the needs of their children will somehow be met with no help from them

Such women lead lonely lives. In every socioeconomic structure, from penthouses to jail cells, women who willingly desert their children are not accepted by other members of their gender. They are objects of scorn and disgust. They will never again be a part of us. It is a hard-and-fast rule of female society



rule. If a man was ostracized by other men for refusing to meet his parental obligations, it would go further to eliminate the problem of deadbeat dads than any legislation ever could. It would be a fair and just solution. Deadbeat dads are giving fatherhood a bad name, and it's simply not fair to all the good daddies. Most men would rather cut off their own arms than leave their babies in the lurch.

I know of a man (and I know him intimately) who often worked a full shift without taking a lunch break. It wasn't that he didn't have time to eat; he had no money to buy lunch. But at home, his children ate. Why should this good man be thrown into the same pot with the likes of the bozo who buys the bar a round of drinks and brags of how he got out of paying his child support again?

There's no excuse for deadbeat dads. But what about the fathers who offer their paychecks and little else? Could it be that daddies are unaware of their value? With the exception of Father's Day, not If only male society had such a much fuss is made over the at-

tributes of a good daddy. They go unappreciated and unsung. Precious few poems are written of a father's loving hands.

A single mother can raise her child alone and do a wonderful job. Still, there is something missing, something only a man can bring to his children. I can't give this something a name, but I've seen it. When my son is devastated

because his Little League team lost again, I offer condolences and cliches. Neither is greatly appreciated. His daddy takes him aside, and they talk. I have no idea what is being said, I only know that daddy's words are the right words. I've watched our little girls "practice" on their daddy. Posturing and batting their eyelashes, they test their feminine wiles on a very easy target. On Sunday mornings, the first words I hear from daughters and sons alike are, "Where's Daddy?" Daddy, of course, is hiding out in the bathroom where he probably will remain for the better part of the day, but that's all well and good. Daddy's home. That's all that matters

It isn't necessary that a daddy perform great and wondrous acts. It is only necessary that he be present and accounted for. We must let these good men know how important they are. No matter how old we get, we always need our daddies

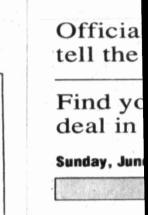


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## Summer reading

First Lady Barbara Bush reads to children in. Washington Tuesday as she launched "Summer Quest '92," the free summer reading program sponsored by libraries across the

Washington region. Summer Quest is coordinated by the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments, and last year brought more than 56,000 children into area public libraries.

# Stork club

 Born to Isidro and Linda Gonzales, a daughter, Selena Icey, on June 23, 1992, at 2:36 a.m., weighing 6 pounds 121/4 ounces. delivered at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, by Dr. Cox. Grandparents are Ray and Janie DeLeon, Big Spring, and Senovia Gonzales, Maxell. Selena is the baby sister of Desi.

 Born to Noama Valenzuela and Sammy Muniz, a daughter, Kimberly Muniz, on June 20, 1992, at 4:31 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> ounces, delivered at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, by Dr. Porter. Kimberly is the baby sister of Joshua, 3.

· Born to Noelia and Roy Carrillo, a daughter, Allison Kristene, on June 22, 1992, at 12:31 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 2 ounces, delivered at Scenic Mountain Medical Center by Dr. Porter and Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eloy Leal. Allison is the baby sister of Ashley, 2.

 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Pascual Porras Jr., a daughter, Lauren Kaci, on June 21, 1992, at 9:55 a.m., weighing 7 pounds 51/4 ounces, delivered at Scenic Mountain Medical Center by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pascual Porras, Mr. and Mrs. Tereso R. Molina Sr., Mrs. Luz Subia, and Delores Porras, all of Big Spring. Lauren is the baby sister of Jamie, 21, Lewis, 20, Kelly, 12, Theresa, 10, Jacob, 2 years 8

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Jonathan, 4, and MeCora, 21/2. Born to Santos Mendez and Anna Rodriguez, a daughter, Clorissa Rodriguez Mendez, on June 20, 1992, at 5:36 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 11/2 ounces, delivered at Scenic Mountain Medical Center by Dr. Porter. Clorissa is the baby sister of Griselda, 6, and Christobal, 21/2.

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• Born to James Burleson and Karen Riley Burleson, a daughter, Marianne Rose, on May 27, 1992, at 5:47 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 2 ounces, delivered at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock by Dr. Owen. Grandparents are Fran Riley, Big Spring; the late Dr. W.A. Riley; Morris and Margaret Dewberry, Albuquerque, N.M.; and Jim and months, and Jacklyh, 1 year 7 Suzanna Burleson, Gatesville.

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· Born to Joseph H. and Marsha L. Osborn, Fairfield, Calif., a son, Christopher Joseph, on May 21, 1992, weighing 7 pounds 13 ounces. Grandparents are Dave W. and Eileen M. Gilbert Sr., Big Spring, and Otto and Eathel Osborn, San Antonio.



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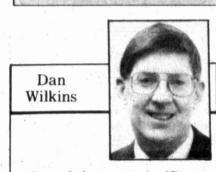
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One of the most significant investment advances during the 1990s will probably occur in the global market.

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protect U.S. investors. It is assumed they will

# Two-thirds of Plains cotton may be lost

Business

Big Spring Herald

South Plains cotton farmers last year struggled until early November before realizing their crop would be crippled by severe

STAFF and WIRE REPORT

weather This year, they knew almost before they started.

Torrential downpours, savage winds and hail battered the 25-county area surrounding Lubbock, known as the world's largest cotton patch, and will likely cost the South Plains economy \$1 billion, agriculture officials say.

"We could very well see \$1 billion in losses to the South Plains economy with a bulk of that being lost in the associated (cotton) businesses," said Carl Anderson, an extension cotton marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in College Station.

Anderson says as few as 1.6 million acres of the 3.2 million planted on the South Plains could survive.

"The situation is very severe," Anderson said. "And for those without insurance, the consequences could be devastating."

Knott farmer Larry Shaw said it's getting too late to replant cotton and area cotton farmers are now planting alternate crops such as peas, beans and sorghum on their cotton land. He feels the cotton patch will be declared a disaster area.

"Ordinarily with a disaster of these proportions the government comes in with some help," Shaw said. "I think the (whole South Plains) will be declared a disaster area and that will be the thing that saves our farmers from going under.



Some area farmers have been able to return to selected fields while being forced to wait for water

Shaw added that farmers have to have a lot of faith.

"It's stressfull all right, but most of the farmers are used to that,' Shaw said. "We just hope things turn out better in the long run."

Kelly Gaskins, another Knott cotton farmer, estimates his cotton crop could lose \$150,000, but he said some of that will be recouped with alternate crops. The Gaskin farm had 1,250 acres of cotton.

"Because we had insurance we will be able to start again next

year," Gaskin said. "(But) as far are attempting to replant, some for as making any money this year, I

don't see it. Growers' troubles are compounded by a financially weak 1991 harvest sabotaged by an early freeze

two of these disasters back to back, but that's what it looks like," said Frank Jones, a cotton farmer in Lamesa, 45 miles north of Big Spring

Many growers south of Lubbock • Please see COTTON, Page 2D

the third and fourth time.

Farmers north of Lubbock, where the growing season is shorter due to colder fall temperatures, have simply thrown up their hands or collected insurance for their lost crop.

Insurance adjusters have been scrambling from field to field over the past two weeks attempting to help growers with claims.

**Others play** waiting game

### HERALD STAFF REPORT

Farmers are not the only people that have been placed in a precarious position by Howard County's water-logged cotton crop.

Several businesses that have close ties to cotton farmers - gins, farm supply firms and banks, for example - also are playing a nervous waiting game, hoping that an already reduced crop will at least produce a break-even year for them.

While none of the businesses surveyed are in danger of closing if the crop goes bust - some estimates state that 60 percent of the county's cotton could be lost the firms nevertheless have a lot riding on the outcome of this year's harvest.

While wire reports state that some gins in the Panhandle area will not even open this year, managers of two local gins said they will open their operations at harvest time. However, they added that they are expecting a reduced workload.

'We still have quite a lot of cotton in the area," said Brad Mikeska, manager of the Big Spring Gin. "If conditions are favorable, possibly we could have a good crop.

Mikeska concedes, however, that weather conditions will have to remain fair through October or things could go sour this year.

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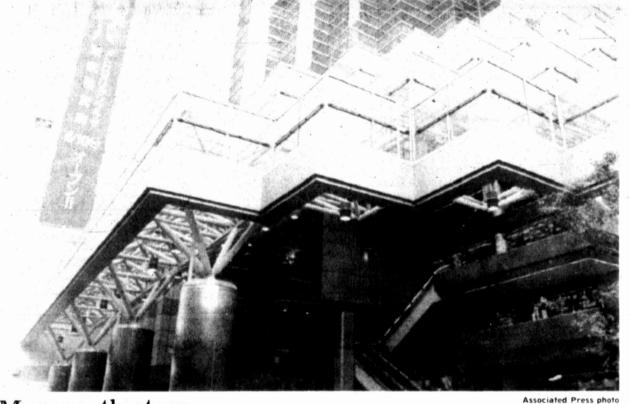


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automatically extend to the world markets, but this is not necessarily so. Progress in cross-border sales of mutual funds has lagged far behind similar efforts in banking, insurance and the primary and secondary securities markets. One of the major reasons for U.S. investor confidence in the mutual-fund industry is the strict, protective securities regulations. If that same protection is not extended to the world markets, it will be investors who are ultimately hurt.

Silver dramatically pleaded the case of the industry before the International Organization of Securities Commissions. The complete text of Silver's remarks is available upon request from the Investment Company Institute, 1600 M Street, NW, Washington 20036. Financial Focus reader service of Edward D. Jones & Co., 219 Main St., 267-2501. Local investment representative is Dan Wilkins.



## Mammoth store

Newly renovated and expanded Tobu Deparmtent Store opened Wednesday in Tokyo. It is the largest in Japan with 20.5 acres of floor space.

The women's shoe department has 6,000 different selections and men's clothing has 25,000 neckties

### By ANGIE CRUZ **Staff Writer**

Retail prices of regular unleaded gasoline in the area Friday tended to be highest in Big Spring, San Angelo as well as a few small towns, a weekly survey showed. The lowest prices were reported

in Abilene, according to the survey of major convenience stores.

In Big Spring, of all nine 7-Eleven Food Stores checked, two sold gas for \$1.199 a gallon, three sold for \$1.189 and four sold it for \$1.179. The two Town & Country Food Stores both sold it for \$1.189.

Prices set at 7-Elevens, Town and Countrys and another major chain are determined by competition in each neighborhood, according to officials with each company

In San Angelo, of six Town & Countrys checked, all sold it for \$1.189. There are about 20 Town & Countrys in San Angelo.

In Abilene, of six Skinny's Convenience Food Stores checked, all were selling gas for \$1.129. There are about 30 Skinnys in Abilene. Other areas:

checked, one was selling it for \$1.189, four for \$1.179 and one for \$1.129. In Colorado City, both

nny's were selling it for \$1.159. In Lamesa, one Town & Counry was selling it for \$1.199 while the only other Town & Country was

selling it for \$1.179. In Sterling City, the only Town & Country there was selling for \$1,189

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Wholesale prices for regular unleaded on June 23, according to Oil Daily, were:

• In Big Spring, 71.68 cents to 73.04 cents per gallon.

• In Amarillo, 67.77 cents to 70.52

 In Austin, 65.10 cents to 69.45. • In Dallas-Ft. Worth, 66.04 cents to 69.65.

• In Houston, 65.01 cents to 68.16. Gas middlemen must pay 34.1 cents a gallon for state and federal taxes, about 2 cents for freight costs and about 1 cent for pollution funds. Also, retailers lose 3 percent of each purchase made by credit

• In Midland, of six 7-Elevens card.

Fina receives national award

WASHINGTON - Fina Oil and who was promoted last August to Chemical Company's Big Spring Plant Science Department head. refinery was recently recognized for its safety efforts during the 2nd annual National Petroluem Refiners Association safety conference. The conference was held May 18 in San Antonio.

Fina was presented with the NPRA Gold Award - representing a 68 percent reduction in total recordable incidences during the 1991 calendar year as compared to the average of the previous three years

Dickie Partlow, FCCU complex operator, received the award on behalf of the refinery.

Gold Award certificates were presented to 117 locations for achieving at least a 25 percent reduction. Overall, the association realized a 22 percent increase in the number of safety awards presented for calendar year 1991 as compared to calendar year 1990.

**Recipients** included 89 facilities recognized for operating one or more years without a lost workday and 66 facilities for operating 1 million or more employee hours without a lost workday.

Jackie Rudd, former Big Spring resident and a recent graduate from Kansas State University, is the new spring wheat breeder for S.D. State University.

Rudd succeeds Dr. Fred Cholick,

Prior to his doctoral work in wheat breeding at Kansas State,

Rudd received a master of science degree in forage breeding at the University of Arkansas and a bachelor's degree in plant and soil science at Tarleton State University.

While a doctoral student, Rudd worked in the winter wheat breeding program at Kansas State. He attended Kansas State ona plant-breeding program at Kansas State

Before attending Kansas State, the Big Spring native served five years as a plant breeder for GroAGri Seed Co. at Lubbock, Texas, and for less than a year as a seedstock agronomist for the Growers Seed Association, also of Lubbock

While working on his master's degree, Rudd taught basic crops and assisted in the forage legume

breeding program. As an undergraduate, Rudd received the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Scholarship.

Rudd and his wife, Regina, have a son and a daughter.

He is the son of Carma Mae Rudd of Big Spring and the late Rev. Billy D. Rudd.

LUBBOCK - David Zant and

Bobby Wigington of the Sands Con solidated ISD school board, attend ed a school board member training workshop earlier this month at the **Region 17 Education Service** Center. The board member's attendance at the workshop was in keeping with his/her acceptance of the responsibilities of being a school board member.

Training at the workshop included governance issues, ethics of being a board member, an update on school finance, and a session on site-based decision making. The workshop was sponsored by the Region 17 Education Service Center, the Texas Association of School Administrators and the **Texas Association of School Boards** to bring the most recent information on school practices to school board members in the region.

The workshop was the first joint effort of the three organizations to provide such training at the regional level. The effort provided the opportunity for trustees to earn credit towards the 20 hours of training required of all school board members during their first year of service. The training requirement is part of the Statewide Standards for School Board Members, a document of the Texas Education Agency which provides guidelines for the operation of all school boards in Texas



# Science teacher workshop

"Electrical Energy and Generation" was the subject of the 1992 Teacher Workshop in Midland June 25 sponsored by TU Electric, West Texas Utilities Co. and Texas-New Mex-

ico Power Co. Attending, from left, were teachers Dolline Budke, Betty Feemster and Wade McMurray of TU Electric.

# **Agribusiness/Energy**

# **Camacho campaigns with President Salinas**

### BY BARBARA BELEJACK **Mexico City Bureau**

MEXICO CITY- In the middle of Mexico City's worst pollution crisis this spring, Mayor Manuel Camacho received unexpected public praise from President Carlos Salinas de Gortari.

The president's comment was the banner headline in most

newspapers, not because of its relevance to the city's environmental health, but because of its relevance to Camacho's status as a presidential contender in an undeclared pseudo campaign. With presidential elections just

two years away, analysts and political columnists are busy scrutinizing the president's every word and gesture. They are looking for clues and reading the signs in a land where opinion polls and primaries have no place. Camacho's campaign is not with the voters, but with the president himself

Presidents here serve a single six-year term; the constitution prohibits reelection. A year ago someone started a rumor that the constitutional prohibition on nized" - an idea that met with little popular support.

Traditionally Mexican presidents choose their successor. In 1987, for the first time, a group of potential candidates of the ruling

Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI), was announced before the final decision was made. A similar scenario is likely to oc-

reelection was about to be "moder- cur in the fall of 1993, and political Massachusetts Institute of commentators here have more or less settled on a Gang of Four leading contenders. All are trained as economists; all are quite young by U.S. standards. Only one has held an elected office.

> Forty-two-year-old Pedro Aspe is considered the economic masterholds a Ph.D. from the programming functions.

The Big Spring Area Chamber of

Commerce Board of Directors sup-

of itself and is becoming larger

During the numerous studies

that have been conducted, several

key issues have been pointed out. The 1969 Past Planning Progress-

Future Development Goals Report, developed by Urban Planning Con-

sultants out of Dallas made such a

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Aspe worked with Salinas when the president was head of the former ministry of planning and programming. Now Aspe heads a super economics post that commind of the Salinas cabinet. He bines treasury and planning and

Much of the farmland in the Knott community remains under water one home is still inaccessible due to water. following heavy rains that began Memorial Day weekend. At least

# Cotton

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While many producers have insurance, the allied industries, such as the countless cotton gins spanning the Panhandle to the Permian Basin are paralyzed.

Many gin operators have already decided not to open this year. Others are hoping to pool ginning efforts to secure what little wor will be available at harvest in late fall Larry Nelson, who farms about 1,200 acres of cotton in Swisher County and owns three cotton gins, says he likely won't open two of his gins.

"Gin suppliers, parts houses, cotton seed oil people, it's quite an important network of economic activity and all those folks are going to take a hit," said Nelson, adding that 90 percent of the growers in his county were wiped out by severe weather.

Delton Stone, 58, general manager of the Abernathy Pro-

losses

ducers Co-Op gin in Abernathy said

he has never seen such widespread

"I have heard tales of the 41 in-

ches of rain in 1941, but I was too

small to remember and didn't give

a hoot then," Stone said. "We have

always come to expect rain and hail, but never like this. This will be one to tell the grandkids about."

Stone, who ginned about 14,000 bales of cotton last year, said there "probably won't be more than 1,800 bales this year. We are definitely considering not opening.

Two years ago, a 3-million-acre

cies than any other area in the nation.

Well-timed rains in April and early May had cotton farmers thinking 1992 would produce one of the best crops in years. But nearly two consecutive weeks of rain beginning May 15, mixed with savage winds and hail wiped out

continued. Appearing on the agenda of the



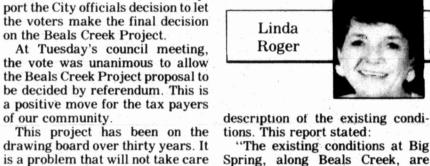
Spring, along Beals Creek, are such that portions of the city and railroad are flooded at a frequency of every two to five years. This flooding along with the rarer events caused the city of Big Spring to have average annual damage in excess of \$1,350,000."

The city in a letter dated July 1, 1987 requested the Corps of Engineers to reevaluate the authorized plan to determine if a smaller plan might be feasible. These studies were completed in 1989

Now this issue is once again before us. True, we did not have the funding required in 1970, 1978, or 1987, and we still do not have the money. Now is the time to get on with this project. The Corps of Engineers have reached a point that we, the citizens of Big Spring, must make a decision. Should we decide not to undertake this debt, then let's decide upon an alternative solution and make sure that something is being done to eliminate this city wide problem.

Eliminating this costly problem will benefit all the people of Big Spring. The homes and businesses

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# Waiting

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"If we get an early freeze, it could be a severe blow," he said. "It could be devastating.

Billy Bryant, manager of the Big Spring Co-op Gin, agrees with his counterpart.

"If we have an early freeze like we've had the last few years, it could be a bad disaster." he said. The co-op handles an average of

between 18,000-20,000 cotton bales a year, Bryant said. "If we can get 10,000 bales this

year, we should just about break even," he said. "I feel some of the smaller gins might not open, and I when we're in the environment that

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we're in." might get a little overflow from Still, Feagin said the situation them.

Another business closely tied to cotton farmers is Feagin's Implements in Big Spring. Manager Gibson Feagin said his business has been adversely affected in that, in light of the reduced crop, farmers are renting and leasing equipment instead of buying.

We normally sell more tractors and (other) equipment for agriculture .... Our gross business will be reduced," Feagin said. "It is more difficult to do business

any hope. cotton crop pumped \$3 billion into the South Plains economy.

Anderson says the area will be lucky to see half of that money. "The outlook is horrible," he said. "The area north of Lubbock

"I don't think this is the worst

(crop year) we've ever had — but

it's a far cry from the best," he

Area banks are affected by an

adverse cotton crop because most

of the money loaned to farmers is

already spent by this time of the

year, said Bruce Griffith of First

National Bank in Big Spring. Con-

sequently, if the crop fails, farmers

"Probably about 60-85 percent of

have little way to repay loans.

could be worse.

said.

(to do well)."

Griffith said.

blamed the wet weather on the unpredictable El Nino effect, a string of storms that developed over the Pacific and unloaded primarily on already has more loan delinguen-Texas

(farmers') operating money is

spent by this time," Griffith said.

best. We've got to have a full-blown

fall and a hot summer for the crop

mean that farmers would have ad-

ded debt to carry over to next year.

which would affect how much

money they receive from the bank,

stand (crop failure), but it won't

help our customers - and as our

customers do, so do we," he said.

"We're a strong enough bank to

Crop failure this year would

The situation is precarious at

City Council meeting on April 25, 1989 was a presentation on pro-Many weather forecasters have gress improvements of Beals Creek by the Corps of Engineers. Proposed cost figures were discussed for 1970, 1978, and 1987. Each time this project has been delayed, the cost has increased considerably.

> At the 1989 meeting, four alternative plans were presented. Along with these suggestions was a umn appears each Sunday.

Why is my tree dying? has cer-

tainly been the question of the

month lately. In most cases the

answer to this question has been

All it took, however, was one ill-

timed freeze, and this one happen-

ed to be the hardest freeze of the

winter and, unfortunately, was the

ly recently began to die back.

such damage often have enough

stored carbohydrates in their bran-

ches to allow them to leaf out, but

when this is gone, as is currently

happening, the leaves and bran-

ches then begin to die back. The

hotter and drier weather we have

been experiencing in recent weeks

hastens his die back as the damag-

problems, wilting and, in some

A late freeze in the spring further

complicated an already serious

problem. The extremely mild

winter allowed most shrubs and

trees to break dormancy much

earlier than normal and we receiv-

ed our last freeze shortly before

Easter. Many plants experienced

further freeze damage or were

damaged for the first time. In

either case the same symptoms

have shown up as described

Freeze injury to tree trunks, with

resulting vertical cracks, was not

as common as was the direct injury

to small branches. Trunk injury is

usually a primary problem in a

severe mid-winter freeze, whereas

cases, tree death.

earlier.

mildest winters on record!

along this flood zone are not the only people effected. It is now time for us to decide if

we want to pay the price. Your vote will make that decision. Don't allow others to determine what will be done in your city.

Linda Roger is executive vice president of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce. Her col-



direct twig and branch injury is more common from an early freeze that occurs before plants are fully dormant, as was the case that happened this past fall.

freeze will usually generate sprouts from below the injury since the root system is still healthy. Dead limbs and branches need to be removed. Cut them back to healthy tissue. Dead branches can be pruned any time of the year.

Trees and shrubs will sparse jected to this summer.

from the fall freeze.

Regular watering, normal fertilization and a reduction of weeds and grass competition are all helpful methods to aid an injured plant to recover from freeze damage. Other than that, there's

each Sunday.

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Plants with severe top-kill from a

vegetation scattered throughout the tree probably received marginal freeze injury to the twigs or along the trunks or limbs below the affected area. Plants in this condition may get better or they may get worse, depending upon the extent of the injury and on the amount of stress the plant is sub-

to the ground will generally sprout from the base of the trunk. The best recourse in this case is to cut off the dead top and use one of the new sprouts to retrain the top.

little that can be done.

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Trees or shrubs that freeze back

All types of plants apparently suffered some freeze damage this past winter, even evergreens. Hardest hit seem to be Mulberries, most evergreens, Pecans and Crepe myrtles but many other plants have been seen that have experienced some degree of damage

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ed tissues begin to dry out and dessicate. Many trees and shrubs have either failed to leaf out Mary Lou Medrano, Driving While Intoxranging from a few branches to the entire plant - or leaf out but the leaves are sparse and weak. Other plants bloomed or leafed out normally, but have since shown leaf



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Big Spring Herald, Sunday, June 28, 1992

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### Garage Sale

GARAGE SALE. Sunday, June 28, 10 a.m. 4 p.m. 706 Willia. Lots of goodies!

BIG OL' garage sale! Men's, women's, children, baby things, lots of miscellaneous. 609 Linda Lane Saturday and Sunday.

GARAGE SALE June 26 29 1600 Cardi nal. Tools, fishing equipment, hardware and household items.

GARAGE SALE, 701 Settles, Saturday & Sunday. Clothes, fishing equipment, baby furniture, much miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE. Childrens baby clothes, lots of baby furniture, lots more. 4110 Bilger, Saturday, Sunday,

MANY NEAT items for baby thru adult Little house behind 506 E. 16th. Daily thru Friday, 8-1

MINI FLEA market! Ladies clothes, toys, Southwestern pictures, housewares, knives, set of tandem trailer axles & more Items too numerous to list. New & used. Saturday, 9a.m., to 5p.m., Sunday noon to 5:00p.m. 2107 Grace.

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### Household Goods

AMANA AIR conditioner. 6,650 BTU, 9.5 EER. \$225. Kenmore. 14,000 BTU, 9.1 EER. \$350. 263-0569.

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### REAL ESTATE

### Acreage For Sale 504

FOR SALE: 3 acres with well and 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home. Off Midway Road. \$12,900 or best offer. 263-2231.

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TWO SPACES Garden of Machpelah at Trinity. Call (915) 459-2323.

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2 BATH 7 ROOM house. Lot of cabinets.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids will be received by the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Maintenance and Construction, at 3305 Northland Drive, Suite 310, Austin, Texas 78731, Telephone 512/323-3111 until 2:00 pim., Wednesday, July 8. 1992, for Project No. 92\*065-686, Asbestos Abate-ment Buildings 503 and 504, Big Spring State Hospital. A MANDATORY PRE-BID CON ERENCE will be held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 1, 1992, in the Plant Maintenance Manager's Office, Building 543, Big Spring State Hospital, Highway 87 North, (P. O. Box 231), Big Spring, Texas 79721-0231. Attendance at Pre-Bid Con ference is MANDATORY. A bid will not be ac cepted from any bidder that has not attended the Pre-Bid Conference. Plans and specifications will be available Wednesday, June 24, 1992 from Maxim Engineers, Inc., 2342 Fabens, Dallas, Texas 75229, telephone: 214-247-7575; a \$100.00 deposit is required. Work consists of removal and disposal of asbestos containing materials associated with piping and fitting insulation, as well as debris and il contamination. Bids will be received in accordance with State Procedures.

7877 June 26 & 28, 1992

PUBLIC NOTICE

Big Spring Herald, Sunday, June 28, 1992

### PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO PUBLIC FINDING OF NO SIGNIFI-CANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS City of Big Spring

P.O. Box 3190

Big Spring, Texas 79721-3190 TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS

On or about July 14, 1992 the above-named City will request the Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Develop ment Act of 1974, as amended, for the following project activities:

Texas Capital Fund Program — \$500,000 The above referenced project activities will be carried out as part of a 1992 Texas Community Development Program (TCDP). The project will be for the establishment of a new textile manufacturer designed specifically to manufacture cotto bale bags from cotton waste products. The textile mill will be located in the old Cameo Mobile Home Manufacturer located at FM 700 and 11th Place extension. A map showing the specific location is available for inspection in the Big Spring City Hall

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly the above-named City has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. The reasons for such decision not to prepare

such Statement are as follows

Textile Manufacturing Plant, Wright Fibers, Inc.: The textile plant will spin cotton waste pro-ducts into yarn which will be used to make cotton bale bags. The cotton bags will replace the cur-rent plastic type bagging which is harmful to the environment. Not only are the new biodegradable cotton bags safe for the environment they are complimentary to the cotton in which they wrap

as they do not damage the cotton product. No major changes in land use, population densi-ty or demand for community facilities are exected over the course of the project or as a resul of project use. Existing support systems and infrastructure will not be negatively affected by the project. The project will not affect any properties of known historic, archaeological or architectural significance and the aesthetic environment of the manufacturing site should be enhanced by the

roposed project. GENERAL-ADMINISTRATION: Administrative costs are categorically exempt from the environmental review requirements under 24 CFR 58.21.

An Environmental Assessment respecting the within project has been made by the above-named City which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Assessment is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request in the Office of the Per-sonnel Director between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday

PUBLIC COMMENTS IN FINDING All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the Ci ty to the office of the Personnel Director. Such written comments should be received at the above address on or before July 13,1992. All such com ments so received will be considered and the City will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

RELEASE OF FUNDS The City of Big Spring will undertake the pro-ect described above with Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) funds from the Department of Commerce under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. The City of Big Spring is certi-fying to the Department of Commerce that the Civ and Tim Blackshear, in his official capacity as Mayor, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental assessments, decision making and action, and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval the City may use the TCDP funds and the Department of Commerce will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and 23 CFR Part

OBJECTION TO STATE RELEASE OF FUNDS

SW Bell adds two presidents

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

ST. LOUIS - Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. will have three presidents instead of one under a major reshuffling at the biggest subsidiary of Southwestern Bell Corp

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The new, three-part structure marks the first major change in telephone company management since Zane Barnes, former chairman and chief executive, gave up the reins in 1986.

The changes, effective Wednesday, will help the telephone company beat back competition, according to Edward Whitacre Jr., chairman and chief executive of Southwestern Bell Corp. Under the plan, Southwestern

Bell Services will offer network,

marketing, finance and planning

services to Southwestern Bell

President of that arm will be

Royce Caldwell, 53, who

spearheaded the company's expan-

The second new arm is

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. of

Texas, based in Dallas and headed

by William Dreyer, 54, now presi-

dent of the phone company's Texas

The third arm is a new entity

called Southwestern Bell

Telephone Co. of the Midwest, bas-

ed in St. Louis and led by J. Cliff

Eason, 44, now president of

company's Missouri, Kansas,

Oklahoma and Arkansas divisions.

Edward D. Jones & Co., said many

of the former Bell operating com-

panies are struggling to deal with

competition while also trying to get

regulators to loosen limits on their

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Glasscock Co. I.S.D. will receive bids for the

purchase of Fuel, Janitorial supplies, Food and

athletic supplies, and sports insurance. Specifica-tions may be received by interested parties from the Superintendents office. The bids will be open-

ed at regular board meeting July 20, 1992. The bids must be in Superintendents office by 2:00 p.m. July 20, 1992. The board reserves the right to

PUBLIC NOTICE

Grady I.S.D. is now accepting bids on a new 59

accept or reject any or all bids 7882 June 28 & July 5, 1992

on food for cafeteria, paper, teachers supplies,

That group will include the phone

James Krekeler, an analyst with

Metromedia Paging Services.

sion into international markets.

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division.

activities.



- 1 owner, 30,000 miles. '88 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Reg. Cab - Long wheel base, local 1 owner, extra clean.
- '89 Subaru GL Sedan Extra clean, 45,000 miles.
- '91 Buick Park Avenue Ultra Save thousands, 15,000 miles.

1501 E. 4th

'91 1/2 TON SHORT WHEEL

EXTENDED CAB - 4x4.

1-owner, 23,000 miles.

**30 Years of Continuous Service** 

miles.

- 90 Ford Escort Coupe Extra clean, 34,000 miles
- '92 Buick Regal Sedan All the extras. 10,000 miles.
- 88 Olds Cierra Local 1 owner, 4,200 miles.



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Program car, 50 mpg, 4

cylinder, automatic, 13,000

# Chevy's Corvette a car of romance

### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

**DETROIT** — Young, single and a car-lover living in southern California, Patricia Parks had her heart set on buying a Corvette.

Gary Hom's cherry red 1971 'Vette with the 327-cubic-inch. engine and T-top removable roof panels was on the market.

She spotted his ad in an Auto Trader newspaper in 1986. They met. They haggled over price. They made a deal. They fell in love.

The San Diego couple has been married for five years, has two sons — and the same '71 Corvette. It's painted white now and on its second engine.

"That was our first baby," Mrs.

Hom said. "Yeah, and I never got all my payments for it," her husband added jokingly.

Families like the Homs keep alive their romance with America's first true sports car by attending Corvette shows and meets.

For instance, this week's annual meeting of the National Corvette Restorer's Society in Warren, Mich., has 400 members registered but 900 people are expected to attend

Family affairs with older Corvettes are increasingly common, said Gary Mortimer, the society's membership director.

Buyers of the vintage 'Vettes

recovery is in danger of stalling out

often are older men and women vette mostly because it's fun to who fantasized about owning the drive. Styling was the second mostcar in their younger days. Their passion is passed along to spouses and children.

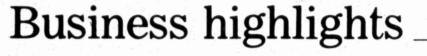
Most new Corvette buyers are single, college-educated men and an average age of 43. Most often, they are business managers and executives, according to Harry Turner, who tracks demographics as part of his job as sport car segment manager for Chevrolet, a division of General Motors Corp.

Turner's research shows one in four Corvettes is bought by a woman. Average household income is \$85,000 to \$90,000. Men and women both say they bought Cor-

given reason, and the prestigious nameplate was fifth.

Chevrolet spends millions advertising its array of cars and trucks. It doesn't have to put much of that into Corvette, which has a following as knowledgeable about the car as some of the engineers who design it.

"We've had the luxury from the beginning of not having to commit very many dollars on it," said Ralph Kramer, Chevrolet's chief spokesman. "The car's been so newsworthy over the years that we never had to go out and buy the space to talk much about them."



### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON - The U.S. economy grew at an annual rate of 2.7 percent in the first three months of the year, the briskest pace of the Bush presidency, the government said.

An accompanying report Thursday showed that after-tax profits of American corporations jumped 11.3 percent in the first three months of the year, the biggest increase in nearly five years.

But while the administration insisted that the economy is clearly in a period of "modest growth," private analysts dismissed the rise in the gross domestic product as ancient history and worried that more recent reports show the

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again. WASHINGTON -- The number of

Americans filing first-time claims for unemployment benefits jumped by 16,000 in mid-June to the highest level since early May, the government reported.

Analysts said Thursday the deterioration was the latest suggestion that the modest economic rebound may be weakening.

The Labor Department said new applications for jobless benefits totaled 422,000 during the week ending June 13, up from 406,000 a week earlier and the most since 426,000 claims were filed during the week ended May 2.

WASHINGTON - Sales of previously owned homes fell 1.7 percent in May, the second consecutive monthly decline, a real estate trade group said. Sales increased only in the Northeast.

Sales totaled a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 3.43 million units, down from 3.49 million in April, the National Association of Realtors said Thursday.

The report also showed the 0.6 percent decline in April was even larger than the 0.3 percent initially estimated last month. It had been the first drop in three months.

PARIS - The U.S. economy seems ready to pick up steam in 1993, but growth will be slowed by the federal deficit and will not br-

ing down unemployment much, an international economic organization said.

In a separate study released in New York, the United Nations said the world's leading industrialized nations could stimulate economic growth by scaling back plans to cut government budget deficits.

NEW YORK - A federal banking regulator censured Citibank for mishandling some 13 truckloads of canceled corporate bonds, some of which surfaced later in a series of shady transactions.

Some of the worthless securities originally sent for destruction survived the process and later were presented for redemption or offered as collateral for loans.



### **Associated Press photo**

Alan Price, a Lloyds of London insurance investor known as a "name", begs at the entrance to the company. The 22,329 names who have pledged their personal wealth to become members face unlimited losses as a result of Lloyds announcement that it lost a record \$3.84 billion. Price said he lost his home and Ferrari.

Seeking help

